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Four Towns And County Get \$161,527 **Judge Says County To Wail Information On Use of Its Share**

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Speaking of

Floyd County

and for

PRESTONSBURG,

Floyd county and its four incorporated epulation centers received this week a total of \$161,527 in federal revenue sharing funds.

Lion's share of the federal funds went to the county. County Judge Henry Stumbo announced Monday that he had received a check for \$99,398.

Prestonsburg received \$44,220; Wheelwright, \$10,247; Wayland, \$4,962, and Martin, \$2,700.

The checks received this week, it was said, represent revenue sharing for the first six months of 1972. Checks for the last six months of the year are expected early next year but they may be in smaller amounts. The revenue sharing program, as adopted by Congress, is to be in effect for tive years.

County Judge Stumbo said here Monday that he and the fiscal court will move slowly on spending of revenue sharing funds. He pointed out that he will first want to know exactly the purposes for which these funds may be expended. Budget forms and information from D. M. Magill, state finance officer, also will be awaited.

"We will not squander this money on this small project and that," Judge Stumbo said. What these funds acheive will be a later object of study by the federal government, and Floyd county hopefully will have something worthwhile to show for what it has received, he added.



County Escapes Serious Flooding

Although steady, sometimes heavy, rains over the week-end caused a flood-watch to be maintained in this and other counties of the area, no extensive flooding resulted. Yet many communities were isolated, as was the Big Branch of Abbott Creek (see photo) where lowlying roads and bridges were cut by the rising water. Creek bottom damage was reported, and County Judge Henry Stumbo said the calls for road repairs are the heaviest in years.

Greenhouse Project **To Benefit Retarded**

The Big Sandy Valley will soon have a region's developmental disability staff thriving greenhouse industry if Mountain have begun planning a training program Mental Health has anything to say about it. for the patients who will learn new skills And if the progress of their Greenhouse and new independence. Project to date is any criteria, they will

"In a very real sense," Marshall observes, "this is not a sheltered workshop program but a training program. The patients who will be involved in the Greenhouse Project will be there to learn. In this learning process, each will be allowed to progress to the limits of his capacity. In many cases we will discover that a patient's capacity has been expanded through this work experience." For those who gain greenhouse skills including gardening, lawn care, reforestation and commercial greenhouse experience, an effort will be made to find permanent, fulltime employment for them in the community. "We will work very closely with the Extension Service and the local vegetable industry to develop the local commercial market," Hummer said. "As the industry grows, the demand for well trained, experienced and reliable employees will grow. Our trainees will fit this description."

This Town . . . That World

Hope this doesn't shock you as much as it did me when I finally got around to realizing it, but Indian Summer apparently skipped us this year.

Men were walking on the moon Monday night, and men also were playing football. All were on television. Wanna bet on who fared best in the Hooper Ratings?

DUMB JOKE

This salesman has been telling men anecdotes for several years now, and not till last week did he ever spin one that could be laundered up enough for this column. Since he made it, I print it herewith, omitting only the nationality that is mentioned.

It seems that these two partners, neither of whom was a Sophocles, had each a horse and they were having trouble knowing one from the other. One suggested that they plait the mane of one of one of the horses to distinguish it from the other. They did this, but soon it rained, the plait came out and they were back where they started.

The the other suggested they plait the tail of one of the horses. Again it rained. Same result. Then one of the partners had a brilliant idea. "Let's brand one of 'em," he suggested. "Then we'll always know."

But then his partner came up with the big question:

"Which shall we brand-the black one or the white?"

FUEL ON THE WAY

Having inflicted that one on you, I pass on the one Howard Church supplies. It has to do with the coal truck which cut into a funeral procession, right up next to the hearse. Looking up ahead and seeing the truck, a man in one of the long string of cars remarked to his companion:

"I knew where old Max was going, but I didn't know he had ordered any extra coal."

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SS Office Opening Slated Here Soon

May Joins Highland Med Center Staff



Highlands Regional Medical Center here, announced Monday the appointment of William J. May, of Prestonsburg, as assistant administrator of finance for the new hospital.

Mr. May, 24 years old, is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. He received his associate degree from Prestonsburg Community College, and earned his B. A. in business administration from Morehead State University. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, of Tazewell, Virginia, formerly of David. Mr. May and his wife, the former Judy Sexton, have one child, a daughter, Kristi.

Office To Serve Three Counties, Part of Floyd

Sometime between January 15 and April 1, next year, the Social Security Administration will establish an office in Prestonsburg to serve a part of this county and all of three neighboring counties.

Plans for the new office were announced last week by Daryl Ratliff, manager of the Pikeville district office, who will also supervise the office here.

The Prestonsburg office will serve the northern section of this county as well as all of Johnson, Magoffin and Martin counties. The office staff will number between 13 and 17 persons, some of whom will come from the Pikeville office.

The decision to establish an office here for the convenience of those residing some distance from Pikeville was announced a year ago by Congressman Carl D. Perkins. Mr. Ratliff said the district office at Pikeville has been employing personnel with the intent of shifting them here when the new office is established.

Because of the early opening of the office it will be necessary for Social Security to rent office space on a temporary basis. Later, it may undertake to contract with a private individual or firm for construction of a building under long-term lease. Such a building would require from 3,000 to 5,000 square feet of floor space, Mr. Ratliff said.

Although the office here will be a branch of the district office, it will be a full-service operation and will actually have a slightly

He earlier indicated that repair of the have something to say courthouse roof and implementation of a solid waste program for the county will resident of the county.

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Martin Nabbed As Transporter

The lone liquor arrest reported within the week was that of Kermit Martin, of Mc-Dowell, who was captured at Martin last Thursday by State Trooper Danny Stumbo and charged with transporting alcoholic beverages.

Martin executed bond in Martin police court. The intoxicants listed as having been taken from an auto which he was driving included two cases of whiskey, a case of vodka and several cases of beer.

Sonny Rister and a juvenile were booked at the jail here last Tuesday by State Trooper A. C. Cantrell on a grand larceny count after they had allegedly taken two tires and wheels from the Big Y Auto Sales at Martin. Kenneth Ray Isaacs was arrested two days later by County Detective Sam Hale on a charge of breaking and entering the home of Lizzie Tackett at Grethel. Mrs. Tackett accused him of taking a shotgun and pillow cases. Two federal prisoners were jailed here last Thursday, by U. S. Deputy Marshal Stewart Combs. They are Elzie Hinkle, charged with violation of the federal explosive law, iand Carl Reisner, who is accused of mail fraud.

Others booked at the county jail within the week, charges against each and names of arresting officers follow:

Charles E. Perkins, drunk driving, by Park Ranger Kilgore; Freddie Bush, drunk driving, by State Trooper Stumbo; Leroy Hamilton, reckless driving, by Deputy Sheriff Willie Hall; Jimmy Martin, no operator's license, by Deputy Sheriff Willie Hall; Jimmy Martin, no operator's license, by Deputy Sheriffs Willie Hall and James Skeans; Alfred Bentley, drunk driving by Deputies Hall and Skeans; Colin Dingus, drunk driving, by Policemen Bill Potter and Keith Lawson; James Adron Kennard, arrested on warrant charging drunk driving; Fred R. Cottrell, Jr., drunk driving and reckless driving, by Policeman Darrel J. Conley; Bennie McCoy, drunk driving and no operator's license, by State Troopers Cantrell and Tucker; Richard Fairchild, drunk driving, by Policeman Conley.

Several months ago, following discussions between MMHS Executive* receive most of the funds in the first Director Dick Stai, Director of Developallocation. He said courthouse repair is mental Disabilities Services Roger Marnecessary, if the county is to have a shall and Dale Anastasi, area horticulturist courthouse, and solid waste disposal is for the University of Kentucky Extension something which is important to every Service, it was agreed that a training program for the mentally retarded and others with neurological disorders should be given a high priority in the region. Accordingly, after careful consideration of existing programs around the country and surveys of local industrial and commercial needs, the Greenhouse Project was begun. Tom Hummer, a professional educator with staff development experience, joined the Mental Health Staff in July, 1972 to head the project. Since then, Hummer has leased an existing greenhouse near Flat Gap in Johnson county; established small greenhouse light banks in each of the region's adult activity centers; added a professional horticulturist to his staff and begun the search for several more permanent greenhouse locations throughout

> the five-county region. In cooperation with Marshall, Hummer also has organized a regional advisory committee, established a close liaison with the University Extension Service in the formation of commercial vegetable production cooperatives and has begun the job of planning for the first planting.

But this is only one side of the program. ways spokesman said Monday. While Hummer and the project's horticulturist, David Gillespie, continue with their tasks, Roger Marshall and the

Information Center To Hold Open House

The Big Sandy Area Development District will be host to the public at open house to be held at the Information Center here next Wednesday from a 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., it was announced this week by Joseph R. McCauley, executive director.

The invitation is to the public, and those who not yet have visited the Information Center are being especially invited. Refreshments will be served.

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Bridge Repair Near Complete

Work on the access bridge connecting Ky. 114 to West Prestonsburg at the entrance of Archer Park here will be completed sometime this week, a Department of High-

Repair work, which has been under way for the past few weeks, was begun after several small cracks appeared in the bridge abutments. It was determined by Highway Department inspectors that the cracks had resulted over a long period of time from the extreme weight of the fill into which the abutments were set, exerting enough pressure on the abutments to make them tend to close in on one another.

To remedy the situation, which was not considered immediately dangerous, workmen sand "dead men," or concrete pillars, into excavations in the bridge fill and then placed heavy steel connecting rods from the bridge abutments into the pillars. This, it is said, will eliminate any tendency for the structure to crack or "buckle" in the future.

P'burg Assured **Grant To Cover** 75% Plant Cost

With Prestonsburg's secondary sewage treatment plant ready for final approval, City Council members learned Thursday night of a federal grant which will cover 75 per cent of the plant's construction cost. The funds, part of an amount totaling just over \$6 million in federal aid for 75 per cent grants, are included in one of 18 such grants awarded in the state. A total of \$33 million was allotted the state of Kentucky for aid in

sewer construction by the federal govern-

ment and this amount will affect 40 communities throughout the state. The sewage treatment plant, which, according to the demands of the Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission must be completed by 1975, will cost an estimated \$550,000, \$482,250 of which will be covered by the grant. News of the aid was especially welcome as serious doubt as to the availibility of federal help had been

expressed two weeks ago. At the meeting, Mayor George P. Archer resolution of intent to cooperate with any extension of waste facilities if it is deemed practical. This would allow the possibility of inclusion of outlying districts into the city's sewage treatment system.

No beginning construction date has yet been established, since preliminary plans must first be accepted and, later, final plans submitted by Bell Engineers, Lexington, William O. Goebel, chairman of the Water & Gas Commission, said.

Enlargement of the city's water plant, which will double the facility's capacity, is yet farther in the future, though as Mr. Goebel said the work will have to be done. Enlargement of the plant, which will also be planned by Bell Engineers, would increase its capacity from 1 to 2 million gallons of water per day.

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5 Communities **Name Members Of Committees**

Floyd farmers living in five ASC communities have elected committees to serve the ASCS (Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service) program for 1973, according to Paul E. Hall, county ASC executive director.

The committees named to the communities, with chairman listed first, vicechairman second, member third, first alternate fourth and second alternate fifth.

COMMUNITY A, 102 votes cast: Will Boggs, Russell Patton, Johnie Martin, Andrew Coburn and A. J. Conley.

COMMUNITY B, 82 votes cast: Rex and City Clerk Judith Archer signed a Gayheart, Jake Bates, George D. Allen, Burton Collins, and Preston Collins.

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dletop Research representatives.

The delay in making a definite move to

implement the program resulted from the

court's suggestion that three landfills,

rather than only the two proposed by

larger staff than the Pikeville office. the Social Security manager added.

Alarms, Threats Harass Firemen; Damage, Slight

Three fire alarms and the threats of pranksters kept Prestonsburg firemen busier than usual last week and over the week-end.

Activity began last Thursday when firemen were called to the home of Joe Baker Wallen at West Prestonsburg where a small blaze, restricted to a mattress, was quickly extinguished.

The same day, the department was requested to bring a fire truck to Bert Combs Airport where a twin-engined plane piloted by a North Carolinian was unable to land, due to heavy fog. It was hoped the truck could help provide visible light for the plane but the craft had landed before the firemen's arrivel.

An alarm Saturday was sounded after a fire broke out at the home of Winston Ford, Jr. on Arnold Avenue. The fire was restricted to the kitchen area and damage resulted only to cabinets and the wall area near the stove.

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Solid Waste Decision Expected in January

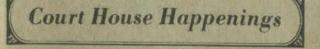
Definite action on the solid waste Spindletop, be placed in use. Addition of one collection-disposal program devised for landfill will require reworking of the waste this county will await the January meeting disposal plan, including recalculation of of the fiscal court, it was decided at last costs. Wednesday's court meeting with Spin-

Two landfills-one on Left Beaver Creek and the other on Middle Creek-were suggested by Spindletop to reduce operational costs, but the court held that the addition of another dumping area would reduce travel time for garbage collection trucks and might even cut down on costs.

Ideally, County Judge Henry Stumbo said, the county should have one landfill for each of the four magisterial districts, but costs forbid such an arrangement.

The collection and hauling of solid wastes to the landfills may be let to franchise on competitive bids. Operation of the landfills is expected to be handled by the county. Joseph R. McCauley, executive director of the Big Sandy Area Development District, whose office has worked with the county and Spindletop on the solid waste program, commended the court for its decision to use a portion of its revenuesharing apportionment to carry out the program. Pike county's fiscal court also will meet in January to review bids for franchises on the waste disposal system there. County Judge Rutherford said both the collection and landfill operation will be franchised in Pike county. "We had hoped, with revenue sharing money coming in, the county could maintain the landfills," he said, "but since most of the revenue sharing money went to urban areas instead of rural areas, we had to change our priorities to the maintenance of Pike county's 1,200 miles of roads." The comprehensive plan, he added, showed it was feasible to make money in franchise operations and some people in the county expressed an interest in "taking over the franchises" for the four landfills and collection services.

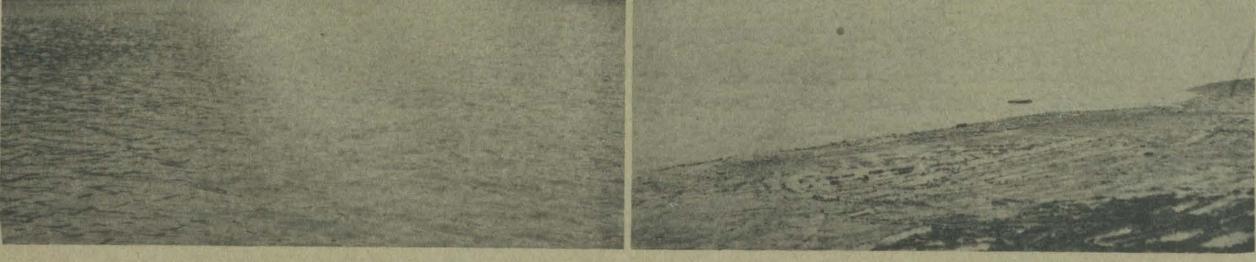




SUITS FILED

Leonard Stephenson vs. Earnest Sword. Robert Bruce Coleman vs. Gary M. Damron. Burnette Isaacs vs. Herman Isaacs. Bank Josephine vs. Adrian B. Rector. Bank Josephine vs. Buck Layne. Strother Coal Co., Inc. vs. Tom Keathley. Turner Elkhorn Mining Co. vs. Angeline Goble. Billy Vaughn, d-b-a vs. J. H. Harmon. Ronald Mlekush, et al vs. Commonwealth of Kentucky, et al. First National Bank, of Louisville, et al vs. Shirely Beard, admx., et al. Goldie Miller vs. Billie Joe Miller.

MARRIAGE LICENSES NONE.



Before and After The Scene Changed

The ravages of cold weather and the lower water level produced by the annual drawdown of Dewey Lake create a scene (right) in sharp contrast to the setting (left) of a few weeks earlier when the lake was at conservation level and the trees had not yet shed their leaves. Both photos were taken barely a month apart.

Case Load May "Swamp" Court

By SAM HENSLEY

John S. Palmore.

details of another, hopefully more suc- being accepted by the voting public." cessful, attempt at court reform.

Appeals administrative director, a Amos Elben, Lexington; Judge Scott Reed, "broadly representative committee," Lexington; Robert K. Cullen, Frankfort; formed last May, is working on a draft of a Judge Thomas Ballantine, Louisville and constitutional amendment to reform the Viley Blackburn, Somerset. court system. The draft will be presented to Past efforts, the constitutional revision in the 1974 General Assembly.

Court of Appeals, governor's office, Circuit have a better chance. Judges Association, Governor's Judicial and the Senate Judiciary Committee.

"Chief Justice Samuel Steinfield called he said. the group together earlier this year so all

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those interested in constitutional im-Appeals is "about to be swamped" with had two meetings. Out of these meetings we 33 to 83, since 1891. cases, according to Acting Chief Justice have appointed a steering committee to determine just what kind of amendment Palmore, "the more trials you have, and, In a recent interview, Palmore described would come closest to satisfying all in- consequently, more appeals. the effects of the rising tide of cases the terested people and groups, and at the high court must consider, and related same time would have a good chance of

The steering committee members are: According to Howard E. Trent, Court of Morton Holbrook, Owensboro, chairman;

1966 and the proposed amendment to the officials, including representatives of the But Palmore hopes the new approach may

"We may not satisfy anybody com- solid review. Advisory Council, Kentucky Bar pletely, but we're trying to get together Association, Kentucky Crime Commission something that will do some good, and have that," said Palmore, "then the first and some semblance of a chance of passing,"

> professional pollster to "find out what we can hope to pass and what we can't hope to pass.

> "We hope to have some kind of amendment to present to the 1974 General Assembly that will represent a consensus of opinion and have a good chance of passing

Meanwhile, with the rising number of "critical."

months. Palmore indicated it soon may be lot of justice in that viewpoint." as much as two years before routine cases can be reached for consideration.

"advanced" and "ordinary."

advanced on the docket, such as criminal also are advanced as a matter of policy or review and limiting the right of review. according to the rules of the court, inportance.

According to Palmore, one of the court's advanced cases. Though most advanced cases are disposed within the term of the court, the fact that we have more advanced cases means it takes longer to get to the ordinary ones," he said. "People with disputes over auto accidents, condemnation suits and contracts...these are the ones who are suffering." According to the 1972 biennial report of the state Judiciary Council, the number of cases handled by the appellate court increased from 666 in calendar year 1961, to 1311 during calendar year 1970. This represents a 96.9 per cent increase in the workload. The problem wasn't born overnight. The 1891 State Constitution limits the number of Court of Appeals Justices to seven. That same constitution eliminated a former judicial system that contained an intermediate court. According to a 1966 Legislative Research Commission Report, "a major objection to the Judicial Article of the 1891 Constitution is that it contains detailed provisions which impose uniformity where diversity is needed." The report noted that the 1891 document contains a "prohibition against courts other then those specifically listed in the present Constitution," a provision which Palmore feels makes constitutional reform perhaps the only satisfactory course toward solution of the high court's present problems.

While Court of Appeals Justices have provement would not be pulling in opposite been limited to seven, the number of Circuit Frankfort, Ky.-The Kentucky Court of directions," Palmore said. "We now have Court Judges has more than doubled, form

"The more trial judges you have," said

"Most people who give this matter a lot of thought, finally come to the conclusion that the only way to make a satisfactory adjustment is to provide an intermediate court between the Circuit Courts and the Court of Appeals," he said. "This would enable the Court of Appeals to take fewer cases, and, at the same time, would give nearly everyone to appeal to some court from Circuit Court."

"Of course, if we just gave these cases a The committee is composed of interested Judicial Article last winter, have failed. 'lick and a promise,' we could do more of them, but lawyers and litigants deserve better than that; you want to give them a

> "If it gets to the point where you can't do most obvious solution is to reduce the number of cases by some measure such as Palmore said the group may hire a raising the jurisdictional amount (the minimum monetary value which can be contested in the appellate court). For instance, instead of coming into court with a case involving \$2,500, you would have to have a \$10,000 case.'

Palmore said such solutions have long been discussed and that court members because we have sounded out public have seen the problems coming for 20 years.

He quoted the late Chief Justice Morris C. menced not later than the 1st day of March cases, the high court is faced with a Montgomery, who died in 1969 auto acsituation some judges have described as cident. "Judge Montgomery said that poor people were just as much entitled to an Although some cases are handled on a appellate review as people with more "current basis," many are delayed up to 20 money involved in their cases, and there's a

> Palmore outlined a number of temporary measures that have been tried and are The court considers two types of cases: being tried, all intended to ease the growing caseload problem. Some of those solutions State law requires some cases to be have included short "memorandum type" opinions, delegating some cases to the and workman's compensation cases. Some special Commissioner of the Court for

> "I can't say constitutional change is the cluding child custody cases, hardship cases only thing which could be done, but it would and cases of considerable public im- be the best," Palmore said. "It's the only satisfactory solution."

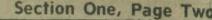
> A Judicial Conference, to be held in problems is an increase in the number of Louisville Dec. 7-9, will consider judicial reform during its concluding session.

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Gov. Wendell Ford says his planned reorganization of state government will begin in about 30 days. Phase one will be to establish in the governor's office an executive policy unit to be responsible for budget, planning, fiscal management, federal relations and local government matters. The governor made the announcement at the 43rd annual Municipal League conference at Lake Barkley State Resort Park. "This will not be a large bureaucracy," He said in describing the new unit. "Instead, this will be a high-level assistance staff, responsible to the governor and to local governments."



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The Court Should Act On Behalf of the People

The Times thinks the Floyd fiscal court should follow the suggestion made by residents of Bull Creek and the Prestonsburg Branch of the American Association of University Women that it adopt, under its new Home Rule powers, legislation requiring the consent of the surface owner before mineral rights acquired under the so-called "Broad Form" deed can be exercised.

It has been argued that such action might be unconstitutional. Could be, Acts of Congress and state legislatures have been attacked, and sometimes successfully, on the same grounds. But they were voted. At least an attempt was made to do something.

The Broad Form deed itself has been held unconstitutional, for instance, by every state where it has been attacked, except in Kentucky.

This "legal" document is under attack here, almost a century after it played its part in the biggest "bargain" ever made in America, save, perhaps, the purchase of Manhattan Island for a few yards of wampum. But as long as the mining of coal was by underground methods-the only methods ever dreamed of by those who sold their mineral rights for a pittance and signed these old deeds-there was no attempt on the part of the people to repudiate the transaction.

Now, however, when surface miners come onto farms, change their general contours, decapitate hilltops and threaten the very way of life our people cherish, the attack is made on the old deed. There surely is help, somehwere, the landowners reason. So they go to their representatives, here at home.



To the Editor

Commends Performances Of Chorus, Repertory Group Editor, The Times:

Since moving to Prestonsburg, I have had the opportunity to hear the Community Chorus sing the Messiah and watch the Jenny Wiley Repertory Theater perform at both the Lodge and at the Prestonsburg Community College Variety Show, and I was greatly impressed with both groups. These talented people are a tremendous asset to your community. May they continue their excellent work in this area for a long time to come.

> **TERRY JACKSON** 112 Court Street Prestonsburg, Ky.

Tells Part Played By Health Planning Council

In the excitement and fanfare over the dedication of the Highlands Regional Medical Center, one important aspect was neglected. That aspect is the part played by the members of the Big Sandy Comprehensive Health Planning Council. This Council, which has operated in the Big Sandy Valley since 1966, sparked the move to improve health care in the medical service area centering around Prestonsburg by enlarging the sights of those planning a replacement for the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

Under the leadership of Mr. Sid Copley, chairman of the Council at that time, the Council moved forward to stress the need for a more comprehensive medical facility under non-profit status which would offer improved services to our people. In an area where 65 percent of the populace are medically indigent, federal tax dollars were sought in the amount of \$4.1 million in grants and 1.1 million in loans to provide 88 conforming medical surgical beds and 49 long term care nursing beds, replacing the 34 non-conforming beds of the old hospital. At the December 13, 1967 meeting, Chalmer Frazier presented the proposal to the Health Planning Council.

The Big Sandy District can be justly proud of this achievement, but it should be borne in mind that, without the guidance of the area wide Health Planning Council, the new modern Highlands Regional Medical Center would still be only a dream. Our thanks go especially to Dr. W. R. Willard and Dr. Howard Bost, U. K. Medical School, and L. W. True, Frankfort, for the part which they aptly played in the early months of planning. Thanks go also to the members of the Council who have given tirelessly of their time and effort over the past six years.

W'wright Comm. Action Yule Program, Dec. 18

The Wheelwright Community Action Club will present its Christmas program Monday, December 18, at 7 p.m. in the community hall. Items in the program will include: Opening selection, "Joy to the World,"; Invocation, by the Rev. John Adams; Selections by the high school band; "The Story of the Birth of Christ," by Mrs. Doris Osborne; Christmas carols with audience participation; Selections by the Junior Harmonettes; "O Holy Night," by Mrs. Juvette Hays; piano selections by Dunbar Scott, and venediction by the Rev. William R. Smith. Refreshments will be served with candy for the children.

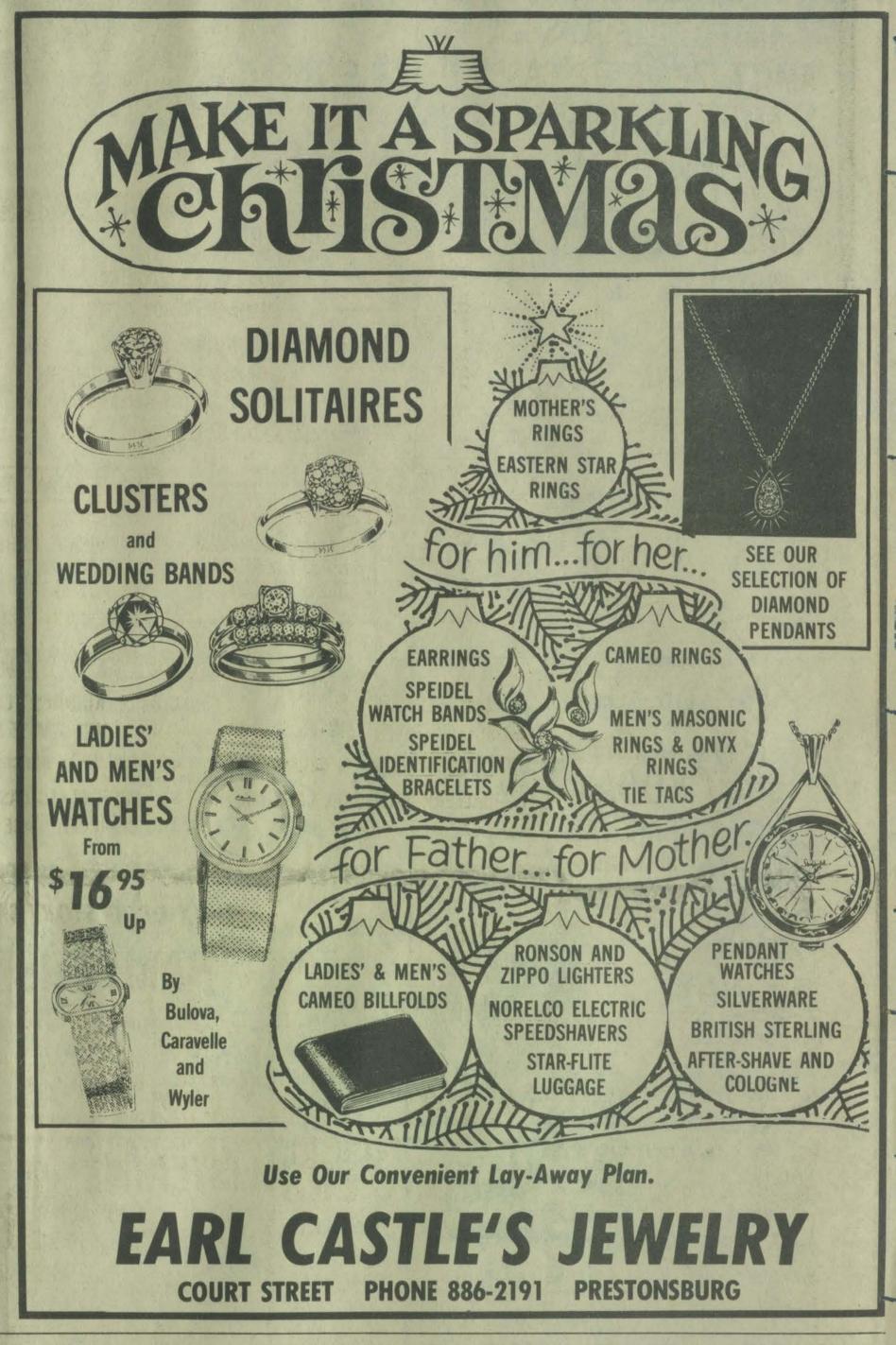
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We will be closed our 5,356th straight Sunday on the day before Christmas, but yet we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.





Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 20 and 30 years ago)

Thirty Years Ago

(December 10, 1942)

An executive order of President Roosevelt was issued this week, instructing Selective Service board not to induct registrants 38 years of age or older ... Registration of all male citizens 18 years old for possible military service will begin Friday ... President Roosevelt has requested an end to the WPA program, the elimination of which will affect only 135 men in this county, presently employed on road projects ... With Floyd county residents having been asked to buy \$409,500 worth of Victory Bonds before December 18, as their part in the nation-wide Victory Loan drive to obtain \$9,000,000,000, the Floyd fiscal court and two Prestonsburg banks have purchased \$50,000 worth of bonds each... Burned by an explosion of gas in her home at Glo, Thursday of last week, Mrs. Hattie Williams, 64 years old, died four hours later at the Martin General hospital ... The Prestonsburg City Council, in complying with a suggestion of the federal government for fewer traffic lights in an effort to economize on electricity, decided to have the Mayo Trail-Dingus street traffic light removed ... Mothers of soldiers have been asked to assist, next Tuesday in the sewing of surgical dressings Married: Miss Grace Mitchell, of West Prestonsburg, and Mr. S. P. Bland, Jr., of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, at Louisville, November 28; Miss Florence Crook, of Meridian, Mississippi, and Mr. Dick Mayo Allen, of Prestonsburg, now serving at Camp Pickett, Virginia, at Meridian, November 19; Miss Opal Salisbury, of Hunter, and Mr. Meredith Spurlock, of Huntington, West Virginia, at Fleming, Kentucky, November 21; Miss Patricia June Kelly, of Boston, Massachusetts, and Mr. Hershel Begley, of Prestonsburg at the Union Congregational Church, Boston, November 30 Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howell, of Newport New, Virginia, Mrs. Howell formerly of Maytown, a son, Thomas Everett, at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Thanksgiving Day; to Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hall, of McDowell, a daughter, December 6; to the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn, of Maytown, twin sons, Richard Donald and Charles Ronald, at the Beaver Valley hospital. Martin Tuesday; to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer, a daughter, Gloria Jean, at the Paintsville hospital, Sunday; to Mr. and Mrs. Brady Shepherd, a daughter, Edna Arnold, December 2 ... There died: Samuel Beecher Hamilton, 49, formerly of Honaker, at Detroit, Michigan, November 26; Ed. Stephens, 74, Floyd native, at his home at Salyersville, Wednesday; Delbert Hall, 39 years old, of Weeksbury, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Wednesday; Sam Jarrell, 64, at his home at Cracker, Wednesday,

Twenty Years Ago

(December 11, 1952)

Radio Station WPRT, Prestonsburg, went on the air last Friday noon ... An interest saving of 1.5 per cent to 1.75 per cent on a \$44,000 county debt was effected Monday, it was said, through the sale of refunding bonds in that amount... The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club has asked the State Conservation Service to make a study of the Dewey Lake area with a view of founding a state park there ... The Bank Josephine plans to remodel its banking department, at an estimated cost of \$75,000, Joseph D. Harkins, Sr., chairman of the bank's Board of Directors, said this week ... Gomer R. Martin, Jr., commander of the 10th district, American Legion, and Mrs. virginia A. Draughn, president of the 10th district American Legion Auxiliary, announced plans this week for a two-day joint gathering of Posts and Units of the district at Martin this week-end ... Elected, November 4, as Soil Conservation Supervisors for the Floyd district were Roy R. Denney, R. C. Barnett, Milt Stanley, J. B. Clarke and Billy Merritt... Biggest item on the \$3,630 budget of the Floyd County Fish & Game Club for the coming was \$1,000, earmarked for re-stocking of Dewey Lake with bass and walleye ... Married: Miss Blanche M. Allen, of Greenup, and Mr. Joe P. Turner, of Hueysville, at the First Baptist Church, Greenup, November 26... Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robie Slone, of David, a son, Carl Gregory, December 5; to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin W. Moore, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, Laura Ellen, at the Prestonsburg General hospital, December 9; to A-2C and Mrs. Clinton E. Porter, of Luke AFB, Phoenix, Arixona, a son, Clinton E. Porter, III, November 27, at Carlisle, Pennsylvania... There died: Ishmael Worth Patton, 49, of Glo, at St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, December 5; Henry Allen, 54, of Lackey, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Wednesday; Rose Ann Hall, five months old, of Wheelwright, at home, December 9; Jeanette Burchfield, one year old, of Glo, December 6; Lewis Cooper, 41, of Drift, at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, December 9.

ALLEN E. SITHER Director, Health Planning **Big Sandy Comprehensive Health Planning Council** Prestonsburg, Kentucky

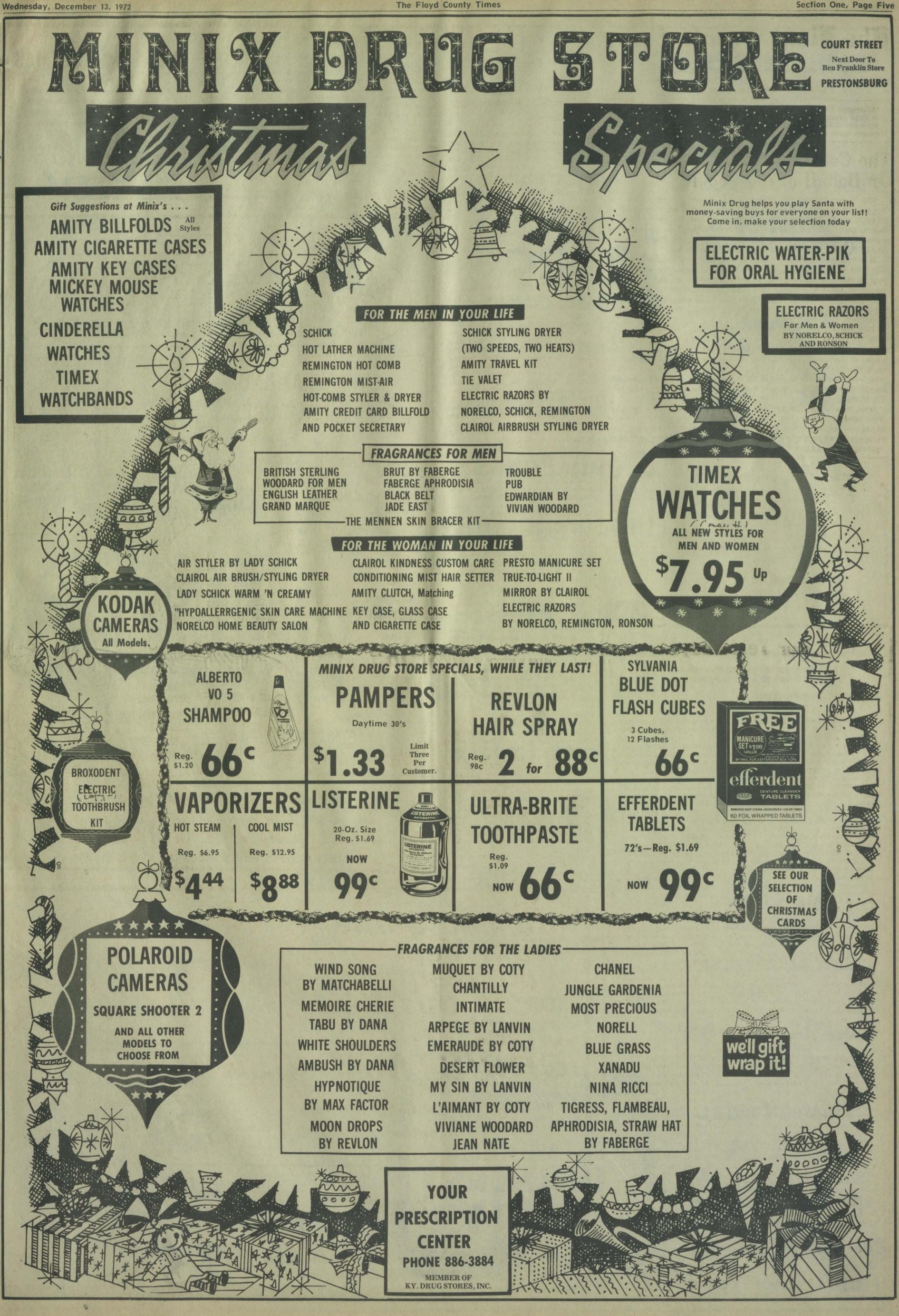
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The Office of the Attorney General has issued an opinion that teachers may not legally cut a student's academic grade because of misconduct. "Our opinion," Asst. Attorney General Carl Miller said, "is that teachers may discipline pupils in several approved ways including suspension, expulsion, detention after school and reasonable corporal punishment, but they may not use the lowering of academic grades as a disciplinary punishment." He said such action would not be commensurate with an offense of misconduct because a pupil's grades should represent an objective evaluation of the pupil's proficiency in his academic subjects, and to falsify school grades amounts to a libel against the pupil.

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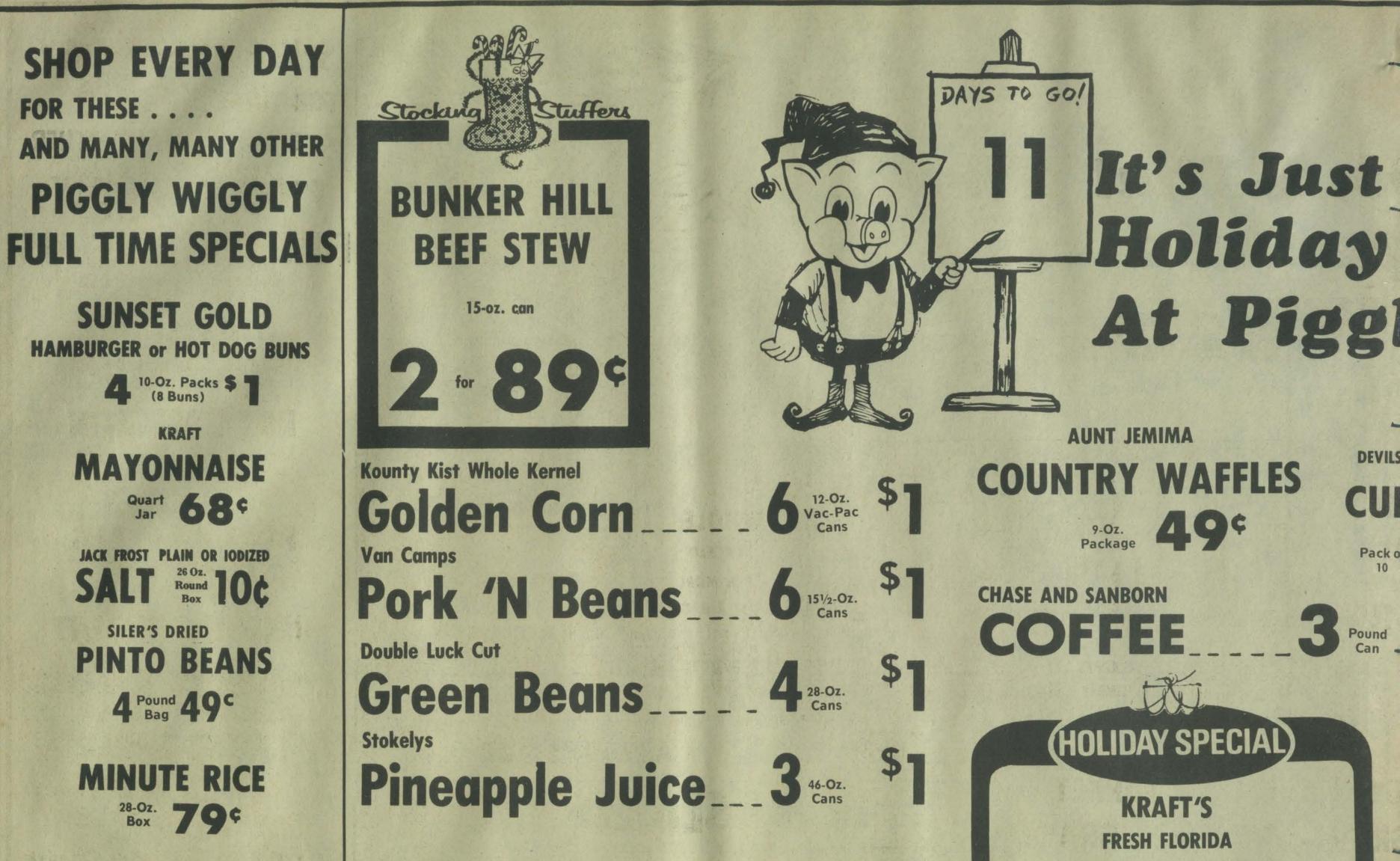
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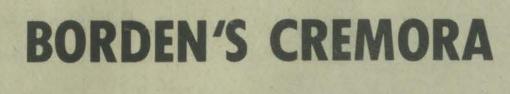
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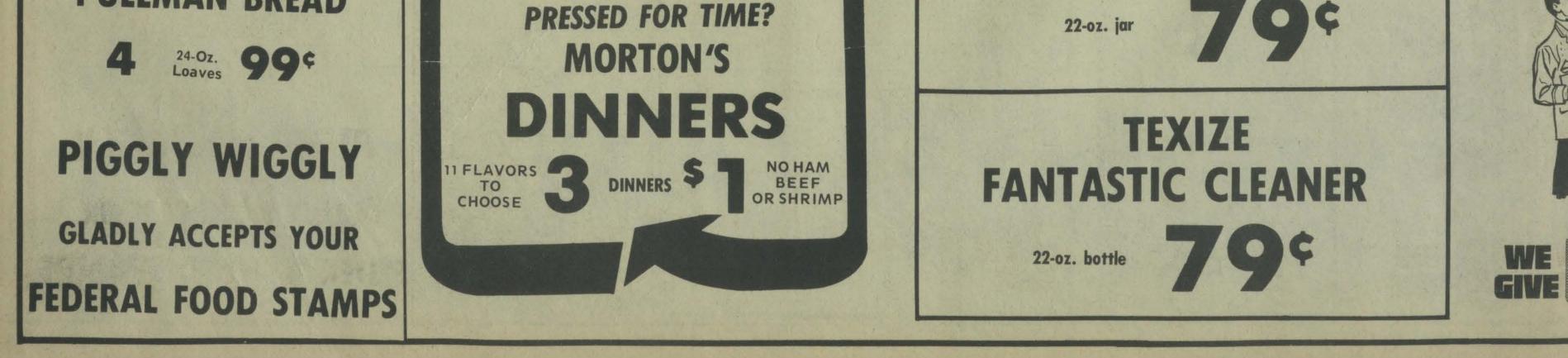
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Library Notes

By ALICE HACKWORTH, Librarian

Once again the Christmas season is upon us. Amidst last-minute shopping, baking and decorating, readers at the Floyd County Library find time to enjoy the many Christmas books and materials available here.

Christmas-minded patrons discover the customs of Christmas in such books as Herbert Werneche's "Celebrating Christmas Around the World" or Christina Hole's "Christmas and Its Customs". They find numerous decorating ideas in Better Homes and Garden's yearly "Christmas Ideas" or Dorothy Biddle's "Christmas Idea Book''. Margaret Perry's "Christmas Carol Magic" offers many suggestions for the construction of homemade Christmas cards and decorative scenes.

Christmas stories abound in adult and juvenile fiction. Classics such as Dicken's "A Christmas Carol" or Robbins' "Baboushka and the Three Kings" are available as well as collections and anthologies of Christmas stories and poetry. Ask at the circulation desk and we'll be glad to locate them.

Current magazines in the periodical section offer many holiday stories as well as decorating and baking ideas for the housewife.

Many Christmas records are avilable by popular and country musicians. These are displayed in the main lobby near the staircase. A limited number of filmstrips and films are available and should be reserved in advance at the circulation desk. An added attraction of the Christmas season is "December: Fine-Free Month" at the Floyd County Libary. During the month of December all overdue books and materials may be returned, fine-free. We hope that poeple all over the county who have overdue books will take this opportunity to clear their readers' cards while they're in town Christmas shopping.

We would also like to invite all new readers to stop by and pick up a reader's card so you may check out books from the main library and the bookmobile. Check the schedule for stops in your area or call the library (886-2981; if you would like a new stop initiated. **FLOYD COUNTY**

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE Monday, Dec. 18-Stewart's 5 & 10 Store at Allen, Water Gap Post Office and Water Gap community; Tuesday, Dec. 19-David community stop; Wednesday, Dec. 20-Burchett's Grocery at Sugar Loaf, Wright's Grocery at Cow Creek, Goble Roberts addition and Dixie; Thursday, Dec. 21-Hall's Grocery at Maytown, Hippo Post Office and Pyramid Post Office; Friday, Dec. 22-Duff's Grocery at Hueysville and Salyers Branch community. Evening stops: Monday-Stumbo; Tuesday-Weeksbury.



ATTEND TRAINING SESSIONS AT UK-The University of Kentucky College of Social Professions is conducting six three-week sessions to upgrade case aides and interviewer aides of the Kentucky Department of Economic Security, under a \$48,829 grant from Public Services Careers and the U.S. Department of Labor. Among those attending the fourth session were (from left) Mrs. Gladys S. Allen, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Rita H. Moore, Jackson; Mrs. Dianna Frazier, Prestonsburg; Dr. Jack C. Sturges, director of the sessions, and Mrs. Mary Lou Phillips, Manchester.

Hancock Urges Care In Buying Presents By ED W. HANCOCK

Attorney General of Kentucky

Frankfort, Ky.-With the Christmas season upon us, thoughts of toys and children's happiness are foremost in our minds, but be careful in selecting your children's gifts.

Statistics prove that accidents are the number one threat to the lives of children throughout the country and it is a painstaking job to select the playthings for your children that won't be dangerous.

However, if you remember four tips, you job may be somewhat easier. The four things to keep in mind are these: safety of the toy, age of the child, sturdiness of the object and its construction, and its entertainment or educational value.

When checking the toy for its safety, make sure there are no sharp edges, points or protrusions. Obviously, a dart game for a child is extremely dangerous, but doll accessories or other toy parts may be equally hazardous. Detachable parts on certain toys often are dangerous such as a whistle in a balloon that can esily be taken apart and swallowed.

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Pike Girl, Cousin **Drown; Relative, Told News**, Dies

Tragedy dealt heavily with a Pike county family Sunday afternoon when an 18-yearold girl and a cousin apparently drowned. And elderly woman, also a relative collapsed and died after hearing of the drownings.

Officials said Mrs. Frankie Mullins and her husband, Steven, 22, accompanied by Mullins' cousin, Sammie Lee Wright, 25, of Shelby Gap, were attempting to cross a narrow log bridge over rainswollen Elkhorn Creek.

The Mullins couple apparently lost their balance and fell into the creek. Mullins was able to save himself but Mrs. Mullins was swept downstream.

Wright, in an attempt to rescue Mrs. Mullins, jumped into the creek but was caught in the current and is believed drowned.

Officials said Mullins' mother, Mrs. Laura Mullins, 70, an aunt of Wright, was informed of the tragedy shortly after it occurred. She later collapsed and died about 2 p.m. Sunday.

The body of the younger Mrs. Mullins was recovered Sunday afternoon but the body of Wright was still missing at 6 p.m. when the Pike County Emergency and Rescue Squad abandoned the search for the night.

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Check the labels on certain toys to be sure they are flameproof. For example, certain toy tunnels and doll's hair have been found to be extremely flammable in the past. Also, make sure any coating on a toy is nontoxic. This will eliminate poisoning if the child puts the toy in his mouth.

Many times in shopping for a child's gift, we lose sight of the fact that the child may not be mature enough for a particular toy. For example, a drawing set designed for a ten to twelve year old may spell danger in the hands of a toddler.

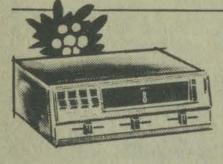
In selecting a toy, its educational value should be considered as well as its entertainment value. For instance, simple blocks or story books may increase a child's sense of creativity.

By shopping carefully, you can fill your season with Christmas cheers, not Christmas fears.

If you have a consumer complaint or problem, you are invited to call the state consumer hotline, toll-free, Monday trhough Friday between 8:30 and 5:00 p.m. at 1-800-372-2960.

The Kentucky Attorney General has issued an opinion which in effect states that a school tax rate, to compensate for Homestead Exemption loss, cannot be applied to special voted school building levies passed since 1965.

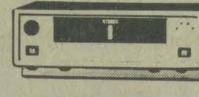




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The Floyd County Board of Education will accept the lowest and best sealed bid for the following lunchroom equipment until 12 noon Jan. 6, 1973:

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For details, specifications or brochure, call Blanche Dingus, Floyd County Board 22. of Education, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Board reserves the right to reject

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CHARLES CLARK, Supt. Floyd County Schools 12-13-3t.

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The Allen Women's Club is sponsoring an outdoor Christmas decoration contest in and around the city of Allen. A \$10 first prize and a second prize of \$5 will be awarded for the most original decoration. Judging will take place Friday, December

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Board-Forced Maternity Leave Costs Russell County Board

Louisville, Ky.-A Russell county teacher whose board of education policy forced her to take a full year's unpaid maternity leave after the birth of a child has won a federal court ruling to recover sould return to teaching. \$4121 in lost salary, plus court costs.

The suit by Mrs. Eliza Chapman Garner, of Jamestown, financially backed by the Kentucky Education Association (KEA) and the National Education Association (NEA) Du Shane Emergency Fund, is the first in Kentucky to be decided in line with recent federal court rulings striking down maternity leave policies as sexually discriminatory.

KEA attorney John J. Slattery, Jr. said the ruling by U. S. District Judge Charles M. Allen, of Louisville, also establishes recent federal court rulings in maternity leave cases in Virginia and Ohio as governing the situation in Kentucky.

The Virginia case-Susan Cohen v. Chesterfield County School Board-was the first in which an educator won federal court sanction of her right to continue teaching while pregnant beyond the time limit set by school board policy.

The Ohio case-Jo Carol Le Fleur and Ann Elizabeth Nelson v. Cleveland Board of Education-overturned a board policy requiring teachers to take involuntary unpaid leave after their fourth month of pregnancy.

EAST POINT NEWS

The East Point Area Development Club met Monday evening, December 4, at Masonic Temple. The business meeting was conducted with discussion on present and future projects.

The guest for the evening was Claude Christian, Johnson county extension agent,

The federal court rulings make the point that the pregnant teacher and her doctor are the ones who should decide when she should take maternity leave and when she

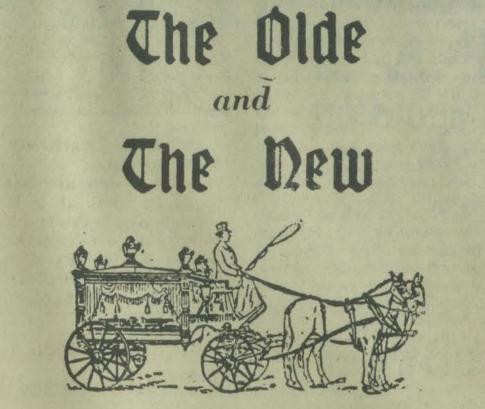
In the Kentucky suit, filed in June, 1970, Mrs. Garner noted that she and her attorney appeared before the Russell County Board of Education on August 6, 1968, and requested that she not be required to take a full leave of absence, since her child was expected to be born in late August or early September-before or shortly after the school term began.

The request was denied because of a board policy that "teachers pregnant at the beginning of term must take a full year leave of absence."

Mrs. Garner's daughter was born September 1, 1968, the third day of the school term. Her physician advised her she could resume teaching six weeks after the birth. The superintendent and board of education recognized that she was able to resume teaching by employing her as a substitute teacher on 17 different days during the year she was forced to take unpaid leave.

Judge Allen upheld Ms. Garner's contention that the board's maternity leave policy, which has since been rescinded, discriminated against her because of sex and held the superintendent and board of education liable for her loss of income and court costs.

Mrs. Garner resumed full-time teaching in Russell county for the 1969-'70 school year. Now a widow, she teaches reading at Union Chapel elementary school, Jamestown.



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who spoke on possible goals for the coming year.

The club extends an invitation to all persons in the area to join in the singing of Christmas carols in the area on Saturday December 16 at 6 p.m. Following the caroling, a community Christmas party will be held at 7 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Mrs. Georgia Hinchman, of Tram, who had major surgery at the Kentucky Baptist Hospital, Lovisville, has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tom Porter, of Allen. She spent two weeks wilh her son, Herbert Hinchman, of Louisville, after she was dismissed from the hospital.





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Notice to Bidders

The Floyd County Board of Education will receive until noon Jan. 6, 1973 sealed bids on the purchase of the grounds on which the old Betsy Layne lunchroom stood until burned. For description, see Deed Book 155, Page 171, Floyd County Court Clerk's office. This property is ideal for business or dwellings.

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

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MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Shelly Terry, underwent a tonsilectomy at Our Lady of the Way Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click and Mrs. Earl Webb were in Wise and Norton, Va. last Tuesday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Slone on Turkey Creek, near Maytown, was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. Delbert Goins, Jr. spent last week-end in Richmond, Ind. visiting his parents, Mr. on business, Thursday. and Mrs. Delbert Goins.

home after being a patient at University Hospital in Lexington.

Mrs. Earl Webb accompanied Mrs. Earl Edward Webb and Keith to Pikeville Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart, Amelia, Ohio, Tom Stewart, Stockdale, Ohio and Jeff Stewart, of Morehead University, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Tallent spent last coin show. week-end in Washington, D. C. visiting their sons, Bob, Mike and Pat, at George Washington University and also attended a ball game.

Miss Rhodella Fraley accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Edith Simpson, of Drift, to Lexington Christmas shopping, Saturday, Miss Pam Hicks and friend, of Eastern State University, Richmond, were here last week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hicks. Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click and Mrs.

Miss Elaine Terry, daughter of Mr. and Howard Ramey were in Huntington last Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin, of Richmond, Ky., visited his mother, Mrs. Katherine Martin and other relatives last week-end and also attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Ann Akers, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waddles and Sherri and Mrs. Tom Webb and Dean spent Sunday in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. May were in Ashland

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caudill and Mr. and Dr. J. H. Allen is recuperating at his Mrs. Ray Fraley spent Sunday in Ashland. Friends here of Rev. Lee Caudill regret to learn of his illness and wish for him a speedy recovery. His mother, Mrs. Minnie Howell, has visited him several times at the Prestonsburg General Hospital where he is a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Robinson and Ronnie Halbert were shopping in Huntington, Saturday. While there, Mr. Robinson and Ronnie attended the annual

Everyone is invited to come and bring the children to the Christmas pageant by Baptist Chapel children at school auditorium. Mrs. Gloria Jones, director of the chapel choir, will be in charge of the pageant music. Two performances will be Dec. 14th and 17th at 7:00 p.m.

CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

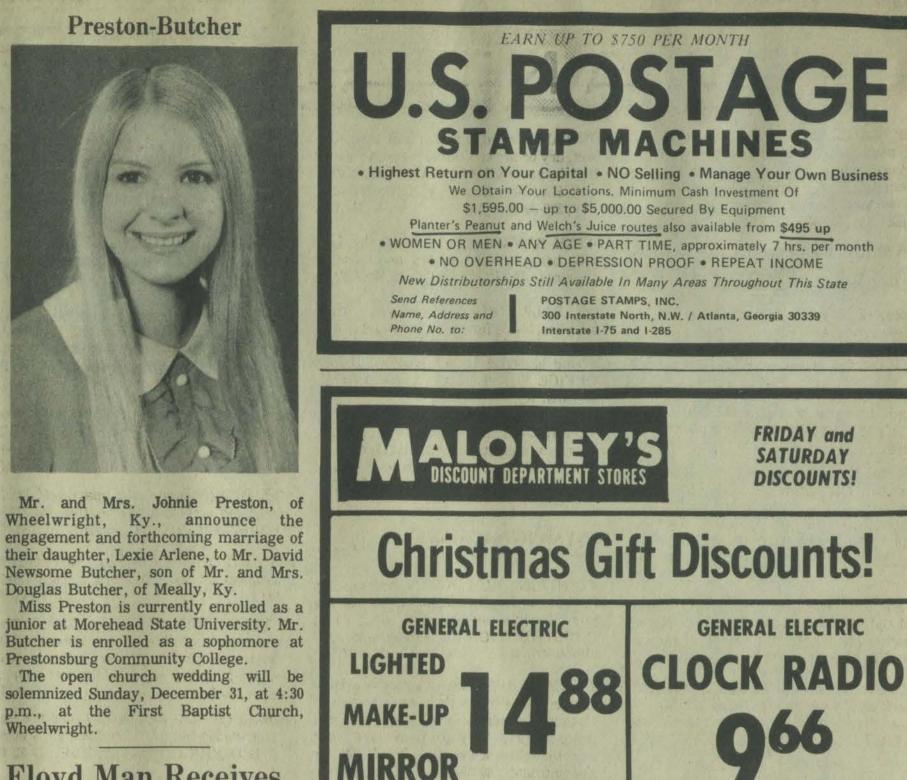
Maytown Homemakers held their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Helen Boyd, Dec. 7 at 7 p.m. Mrs. Alda Gibson gave the devotional. Mrs. Joyce Rowe read a poem, "Prince of Peace," and Imalee Spillman read the "Christmas Prayer." Mrs. Thelma Hicks, secretary-treasurer, gave the treasurer's report, also reported on the party given for the old folks at Golden Years Rest Home, Lackey, during Thanksgiving. Several members, girl scouts, along with Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Tackett, of the Wayland Methodist Church, and others helped entertain the patients by singing religious songs.

The club will be visiting the home again Sunday, Dec. 17, at 2 p.m., only this time Santa Claus will bring treats. Everyone who wishes to help in any way is welcome. Mrs. Boyd's home was gaily decorated in

the Christmas decor. Mrs. Minnie Gearheart gave out the presents.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alda Gibson.

Refreshments were served to the following: Charlene Sexton, Marcella Bailey, Joyce Ann Rowe, Marie Stephens, Trilby May, Alda Gibson, Frances Pitts,



Floyd Man Receives Reclamation Award

Wheelwright.

Hazard, Ky., Dec. 7.-Ernest DeCoursey of Estill, a reclamation inspector for the Kentucky Department of Natural Resources, has been awarded a certificate for his participation in a surface mine symposium held here December 4-7.

Commissioner Thomas O. Harris, of the sponsoring Department of Natural Resources, presented Mr. DeCoursey with the certificate. "Your enthusiasm in enforcing the laws of the Commonwealth and your ability to guide the reclamation of mined lands in Eastern Kentucky are well known." Harris said. "The end result of your work will result in a greatly improved environment for all of us in Kentucky and the nation," he added.



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Nora Martin, Imalee Spillman, Minnie Gearheart, Margie Sue Orsborne, Beatrice Swetnam, Thelma Hicks, Stella Martin, Helen Boyd, and guests, Ann Rowe, Mrs. Altonette Bentley and daughters, Ladonna and Gayle, Carla Boyd, Kathyrn Boyd, Sandra Lowe.

MAYTOWN WOMANS CLUB MEETS The Maytown Womans Club met Tuesday, Nov. 28 at the home of Mrs. Roland Burchett.

After the devotional was read by Mrs. Bonita Hospon, Mrs. Burchet introduced the two speakers for the evening, Mrs. Paul Patton, representing the Maytown Girl Scouts, and Mr. Roy May, Boy Scout leader for 24 years.

Mrs. Patton, originally from Pennsylvania, showed slides from her trip to a round-up in Idaho. She was sent from the troop in her native state. She explained to the club future plans that the Maytown girls have and the work that has been going on in her community. Mr. May showed slides of the 1973 Jamboree that will also be held in a western state. He emphasized the importance of participating in this national program and told of the work that the scouts had done in conservation. He pointed out they have been in charge of the community clean-up for several years.

Mrs. Lorena Hall, president, presided over the business meeting. Plans were made for the community Christmas tree on Dec. 11 and the annual Christmas party on Dec. 21 at the home of Mrs. Ed Stewart. Plans were also made to work on the new club house. Miss Hall discussed her trip to the 7th district meeting held at Jenkins. Refreshments were served to following members: Mrs. Alisha Mayo, Mosselite Patton, Shirley Stewart, Dianne May, Betty May, Bonita Hopson, Lorena Hall, Nancy Blevins and quests, Mrs. Roy May and Mrs. Paul Patton.

Transy Representative To Be Here Thursday

A representative of the Office of Admissions of Transylvania University will be here tomorrow (Thursday) to meet with high school students interested in attending the Lexington university next year. Fred A. Lawson, admissions director, will discuss the admissions requirements and academic programs of the historic university with students at Prestonsburg high school at 1:30 p.m.

State Highway Commissioner Charles Pryor, Jr., has announced that Green River Parkway will be officially opened and dedicated Dec. 15.



The surface mine symposium speakers were representatives of federal and state agencies and private research firms dedicated to the reclamation of disturbed lands. It is one of a series of training sessions scheduled by the Kentucky Department of Natural Resources to aid its effectiveness in environmental protection. Mr. DeCoursey has been a reclamation inspector since September, 1972.

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FOR SALE—Three-bedroom brick home on Mountain Parkway. Built-in kitchen, two baths, fully carpeted, two-car garage. ROBERT CARSON, Phone 886-6819. 1t.

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FOR RENT-Three mobile homes. Call Brandenburg Mobile Homes, at Mack Tackett's Store, phone 874-2776 or 874-2305 after 5 p.m., Allen, Ky. 9-20-tf.

CONN'S PAINTING AND DRY WALL. Free estimates. Phone 478-5227. 10-11-tf.

FOR SALE-Late-model deep mining equipment. Ivyton Coal Co. Contact PAUL T. MARSILLETT, Phone 886-12-6-4t. 6493.

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FOR SALE-AKC German shepherd puppies three months old. Three males. Call J. M. BINGHAM, Pikeville, 437-4549. 11-29-3t.

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GRADUATION DAY was held recently for 19 probation and parole officers. Chatting with Corrections Commissioner Charles J. Holmes (far right) before the ceremonies began are (I. to r.): Parker Hurley, director of Probation and Parole; Brett Scott, deputy commissioner of Community Services; S. T. Wright, supervisor for District 11, and William Crum, of Prestonsburg, correctional officer from the district. The two-week training program, held at Blackburn Correctional Complex in Lexington, was initiated by the department to orientate correctional officers from across the state with the department and the complete criminal justice system so that they may carry out their jobs more effectively.

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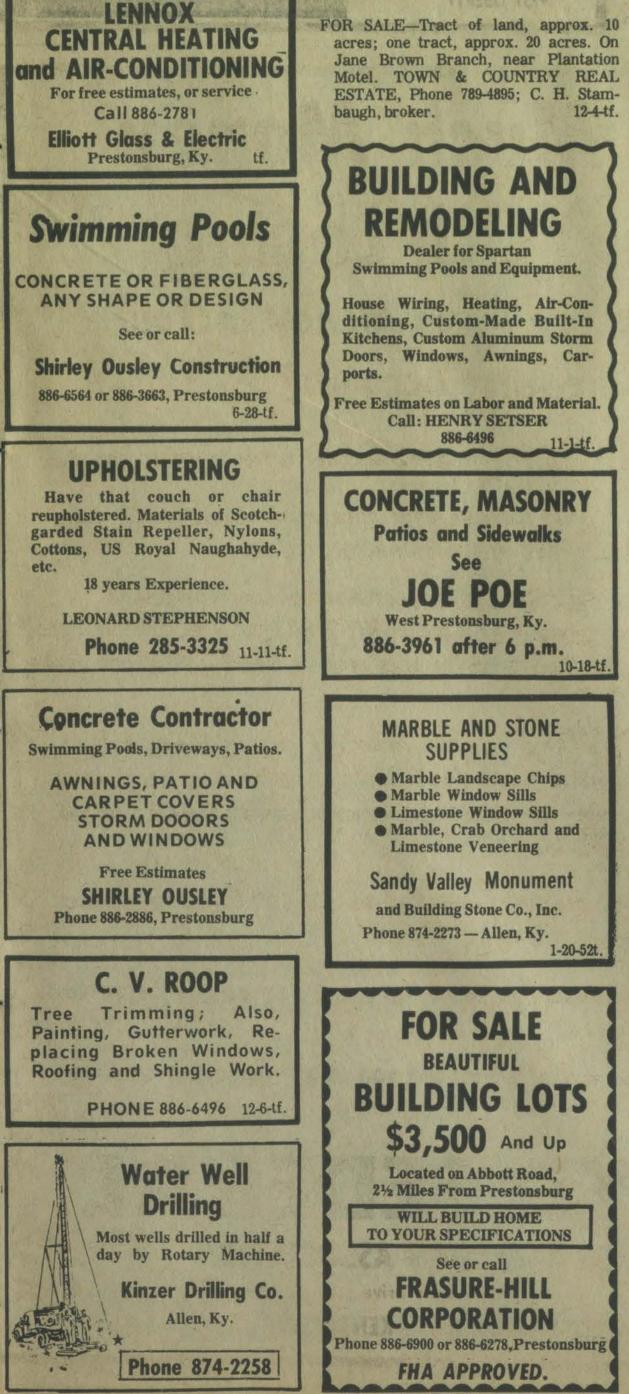
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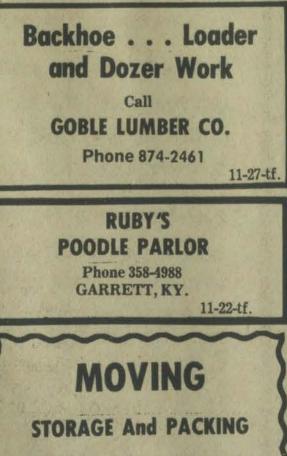
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The county has on the circuit court docket a suit against contractors on construction need the security and protection of a of the courthouse, but its trial is apparently some time ahead.

Amounts sent to other Eastern Kentucky counties follow, with the first column showing the apportionment to the county itself and the second indicating the total sent to the county and incorporated towns

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Boyd	111,637	\$514,241
eathitt	54,048	78,432
Carter	42,051	80,109
Clay	43,605	65,107
Elliott	20,554	23,035
Estill	38,605	78,980
Harlan	81,239	193,270
Johnson	57,935	107,918
Knott	33,436	43,977
Lawrence	64,906	87,920
Lee	48,408	60,335
Leslie	41,931	48,160
Letcher	91,947	151,207
Owsley	21,404	23,032
Perry	70,157	145,570
Pike	137,862	221,791
Powell	34,068	48,289
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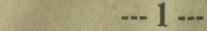
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Other business dealt with by the City Council was the authorization of reconditioning of the city's 1962 Chevrolet fire truck to comply with revised state standards. Cost of the work was estimated at \$5,000. Also, the Prestonsburg Fire Department hired a new fireman, Billy Green, to bring the department's employees to the required number to maintain 6 class status.

COMMANDERY SERVICE SLATED

Paintsville Commandery No. 48, Knights Templar, will hold its annual Christmas observance at the Paintsville Masonic Temple December 17 at 2:30 p.m. All Masons, their families and the public are invited.



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Hummer explained that for those who sheltered workshop, the Greenhouse Project will continue to have a meaningful and productive place for them in its commercial cooperative.

Executive Director Stai said, "We're excited about the project, what it can mean to our patients and what it can mean to the region. And we are learning that others are excited about it, too. Already we have been receiving inquiries from many parts of the country wanting to know more about the project. With the continued cooperation of the University Extension. Service and the local vegetable industry we will have a model program for the country."

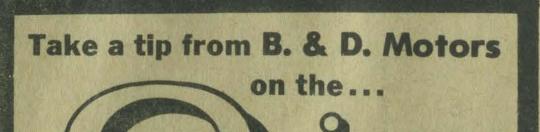
193,270 But the impetus of the Project comes 107,918 from the needs of the patients and Moun-43,977 tain Mental Health Service's response to 87,920 this need. It is summed up in the slogan 60,335 designed by Project Director Hummer: 48,160 "The Greenhouse Project, Where People 151,207 Grow." 23,032

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Three bomb threats Sunday further kept firemen on edge. At 9:55 a.m. a call was received saying that explosives had been set in Prestonsburg General Hospital. At 2:30 p.m., a second threat was called in, this time naming the Strand Theater as the endangered site. The last call was received at 8:30 p.m. when it was reported a bomb had been set in the new Highlands Medical Center. Nothing turned up in any of the investigations, however, and the threats were dismissed as the work of pranksters having "fun."

PHS Christmas Concert Scheduled December 18

The Annual Christmas Concert presented by the Prestonsburg High School Glee Club will be held Monday, December 18, at 8:15 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. The school choir is directed by Mrs. Carlos Haywood.



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When Allan Trout died last week thousands of us who read his column as well as all who knew him personally felt we had lost a dear friend. I do not propose to write any encomium to the memory of the man. He wrote in his "Greetings" column, some years ago, these lines which speak for Allan Trout more than any of us can write:

"A man begins to die at the top, too. He begins to die the moment he closes his mind to a new idea, the moment he first stifles his natural impulse to do the right thing. A man begins to die the first day he gives dishonest work for his hire, or short weight for his price.

"A man begins to die the first time he kicks a dog or strikes a child in blind anger. He begins to die the moment he first dodges an honest debt, or closes his purse to the poor. He begins to die when he first stops trying to attain understanding, when he first concludes that common honesty is a palliative for fools."

IN DEFENSE OF SELF AND OTHERS A dutiful child, like a thing of beauty, is a joy forever, and my youngest daughter has qualified anew. Aware that it has been bruited about by certain low fellows that I couldn't catch a fish in a rain barrel, she has come to the defense.

Or perhaps I should more accurately say that she has handed me a defensive weapon. She sends me a copy of The National Observer wherein appears a lengthy yarn by one Robert H. Cloaninger which pertains to the "World Series of Bass Fishing" held at Percy Priest reservoir, near Nashville, Tennessee.

Twenty-four of the world's top bass fishermen were selected to compete in the tourney. (I for some obscure reason wasn't invited.) Each had the finest in equipment, identical 16-foot boats, 85-horsepower motors, electric trolling motors, fish locators, depth finders, water thermometers-you name it. After a day of practise fishing allowed them in order to get "the lay of the land" and perchance find a few hot-spots, they went to it for three solid days.

And in those three days the 24 so-called bassmasters caught exactly 208 bass of keeper size or better. That figures out to a fraction less than 2.9 bass per day per man. It's catches such as this that have for years now sent me scurrying down backalleys, dodging those pests who want to know how many I caught.

I should add here that a cold front moved in on Percy Priest and those fisherman during that tournament. But, cold front or behind, my gang never fails to run into something of the sort.

Floyd County Basketball

By MARK LAFFERTY

Basketball teams from the 58th district fared poorly last week at the hands of teams from other districts as they dropped six inter-district contests while winning only two.

Allen Central lost to Breathitt County, Prestonsburg to Shelbyville, Betsy Layne to Harrison County and Franklin County, and McDowell to Shelton Clark and Brackinridge Training. Wheelwright won its two games with out-of-county teams.

Allen Central traveled to Breathitt Mumphrey 15, Matthews 2, Shock 4, J. County to take on the team they had earlier Jones 17. knocked from the undefeated ranks by one point in a game played here. This time, the game was the complete opposite as Breathitt rolled to victory, 70-50, after Caoch Gene Frazier had been ejected from the game. Allen Central came back, though, on Friday night to defeat Mc-Dowell, here. The game was a very close affair until the third quarter when Neil Turner went to the bench with four fouls. Allen Central then built its largest lead which McDowell had no chance of overcoming.

McDowell had a "down" week as it lost all three of its games. McDowell dropped the first game of the week to Shelton-Clark, 88-76. The game was a see-saw battle until the final quarter when Shelton-Clark explode for the winning margin. McDowell dropped its second game of the week to Breckinridge Training at Morehead, 89-67, then finished the week by losing to Allen Centrl, 85-67.

Prestonsburg started playing on the week-end with excellent performances by Jimmy Blackburn and Kippy McNally against Phelps. The Cats ripped Phelps, 83-69, putting together a fine game offensively and defensively. Saturday, Prestonsburg traveled to Shelbyville where the Cats were sidetracted, 60-49. The Cats had a 44-40 lead going ito the final quarter when the game turned into a football contest with Sophomore Kippy McNally being injured. He is a doubtful starter for this week's games.

The Wheelwright Trojans had the only clear slate of the week as they downed Mullins, 69-61, and then crushed Jenkins, 92-58. Coach Frankie Francis said, "We played better these two games than in any of the preceeding ones." The Trojans were led once again by Tippy Moscript and Clifford James, both of whom has fine

Wheelwright-20 41 73 92 Jenkins-13 30 44 58

Prestonsburg (83;-J. Blackburn 20, K. McNally 30, S. Rose 5, B. Risner 10, D. Walker 12,H. Burchett 6. Phelps (69)-R. Fields 12, D. Honaker 6, B. Simpkins 3, P. Sullivan 2, A. Perrine 29, R. Casey 17. Prestonsburg-18 40 57 83

Phelps-11 30 47 69

Prestonsburg(49)-J. Blackburn 12, K. McNally 19, S. Rose 7, B. Risner 11. Shelbyville (60)-R. Jones 18, Booker 4,

W'wright High To **Host Tournament**

Wheelwright high school will host eight Eastern Kentucky high school basketball teams December 20-23 in the Wheelwright Invitational Tournament.

Upper bracket play at the Wheelwright High School gymnasium will begin Wednesday evening with Morgan County facing Virgie at 7 p.m. and in the second game. Elkhorn City against Whitesburg at 8:30 p.m. Thursday night's play will see Dorton going against Knott County at 7, and Wheelwright will meet Feds Creek at 8:30. Winners in these two nights' play will comprise the doubleheader on Friday night. Then, on Saturday evening, the two losers in Friday night's games will meet in the consolation game at 7, followed by the decisive championship game at 8:30.

Vets' Representative To Be Here Dec. 21-22

Howard R. Osborn, contact representative of the Bureau of Veterans' Affairs, will be at the Kentucky Employment office here, Dec. 21 and 22, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of military service. He will be at the office from 9 a.m. till 3 p.m., each day.

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ALC Eagles Win Two, Then Drop 2 Games

Pippa Passes, Ky .- The Alice Lloyd College cagers squeaked by Lexington Business College, 82-78, had an easy time with the Cumberland J. V., 90-71, but were defeated by Morristown Junior College, 91-66, and, minus four starters, lost to Lees Junior College, 81-67.

Eagles defeated their tough Lexington rival, Kentucky Business College, for the second time this season last Friday in Lexington. The Eagles and Kentucky Business again battled right to the buzzer with ALC on top at the end 82-78.

Monday night at Wayland, the Eagles picked up their fourth win of the year by defeating the Cumberland Indians J. V. by a lopsided score, 90-71. Cumberland held a small height advantage over the Eagles and as the first minutes ticked off it looked as if ALC was in for a long night. The Indians raced to an early 7-0 lead before the Eagles could get on the scoreboard. But, with 8:15 gone in the first half, Marvin Bowman was fouled as he hit a shot from 10 feet to tie the score at 15. His freethrow put the Eagles ahead to stay.

The Eagles had their winning streak stopped at three as Morristown Junior College in Tennessee defeated ALC by a score of 91-66 Tuesday night. Morristown jumped off to a early lead and steadily increased it until they led the weary Eagles by 15 points at half time. In the second half ALC looked as if they would put on one of their now common come-from-behind wins as they closed the Morristown lead to three points.

The ALC basketball team, minus four of their starting five players, were defeated Thursday night by a fired up Lees College team at Jackson by a score of 81-67.

Starting guard Gary Ferguson was unable to play because of a lung ailment and may be out of action for some time. Three other starting players, Marvin Bowman, Greg Bedrod, and Tom Forman, were not allowed to make the trip to Jackson because of disciplinary reasons.

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COMMUNITY C, 99 votes cast: Bill Hall, Melvin F. Conn, Charlie Hamilton, Estil Salisbury, and James H. Allen.

COMMUNITY D, 184 votes cast: Leon Younce, Woodrow Fitzpatrick, Joe Edd Slone, Isaac H. Fitzpatrick, and Jesse Wallen.

COMMUNITY E, 85 votes cast: Graham Burchett, Shelly Woods, Joe Burchett, Dean Merritt, and Sam Leslie.

Three members from each of the community committees will meet Friday, December 15, at 7 p.m. in the county ASCS office and elect one member to the county committee, determine officers for the year and review the ASC program.

The Office of the Attorney General has said Kentucky school boards must make payroll deductions for the Kentucky Balowmin 10, W. Spears 4, T. Henderson 4, Educator's Public Affairs Council for any J. Creech 6, D. Addintton 8, G. Lant 10, J. employee requesting it.

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Shelton-Clark-19 42 59 88 McDowell-19 39 60 76

Allen Central (85)-K. Gibson 12, J. Conley 17, K. Gearheart 10, L. Campbell 6, D. Prater 12, T. Blevins 8, B. Caudill 12, B. Bamer 5. McDowell (67)-E. Campbell 17, N. Turner 12, G. Heinisch 11, N. Moore 20, T. Mullins 5, J. Pack 2. Allen Central-18 36 60 85

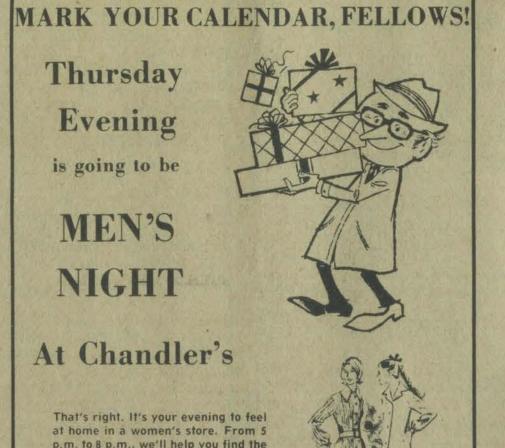
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Wheelwright-19 41 53 69 Mullins-11 28 44 61

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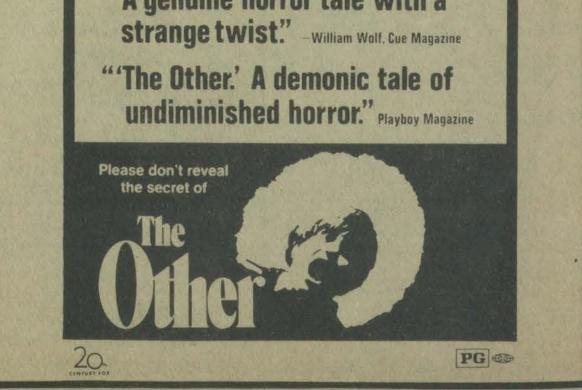
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Jr., whom she last saw 25 years ago.

Place, Tampa, said she is sure her father, at Wallops Island, Chincoteague, Va. until whom she remembers as being about 6-2 he was discharged. with blonde hair and blue eyes, came to Cincinnati in 1942 after divorcing her hospitals and veteran disability payment mother, Alline Simpson, because both his records. parents lived there.

grandmother, Mrs. Loren Gladys, was they would forward it to him," she said. College Hill. Her grandfather, James Edmond Price Sr., lived at Whitehouse, wonder what your father looks like and Johnson county. The phone directories and even car registration records have been said. exhausted as sources of information about either her grandparents or her father, Mrs. McCurdy said.

The only other leads she has deal with her father's World War II service record. Price,

A Tampa, Fla., woman believes that about 48, enlisted in the Coast Guard in 1941 someone in the area may have information in Cincinnati, served at Iwo Jima, suffered about her father, James Edmond Price, a broken kneecap and was treated at the Veteran's Administration Hospital, Ports-Mrs. Connie Price McCurdy, 4205 Wallis mouth, Va., in 1946. He was then stationed

The war injury led to a check of veteran's

"I wrote him a letter in care of the The last address she had for her paternal Veteran's Hospital in Portsmouth hoping

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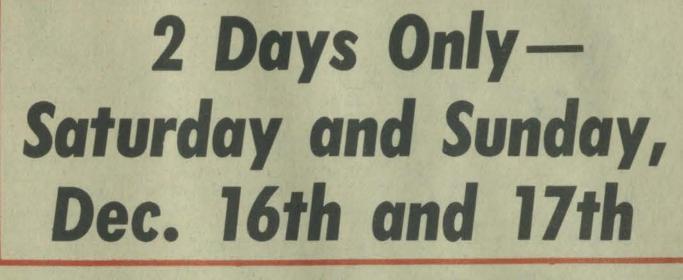
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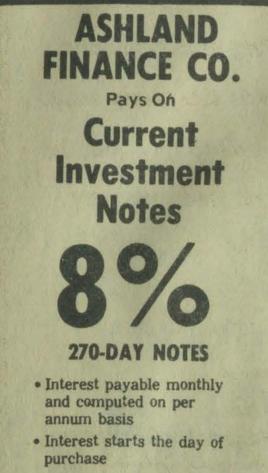
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During August, 9,394 low-income persons in Floyd county received food stamps valued at \$252,060.00, the Department of Economic Secuirty announced last week. This record compares to 9,113 low-income

persons who received food stamps valued at \$242,455.00 during July 1972.

In Kentucky, the food stamp program is administered jointly by the Department of Economic Secuirty and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Needy families in the program exchange an amount of their own money, usually spent on food, to purchase coupons. In addition, families receive bonus coupons to boost their buying power. During August, a total of 325,985 Kentuckians received food stamps valued at \$8,675,202. In August 1971, 278,140 persons received food stamps with a total coupon value of \$7,057,411.

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What Reorganization Is And What It Will Do

By BARRI DUNCAN

FRANKFORT, Ky .- Anyone who has ever entered the state Capital in search of a particular agency probably remembers being directed from office to office, floor to floor throughout the building.

After 45 minutes, climbing five flights of stairs and passing the same restroom three times, he might only know that the agency was located somewhere in Frankfort, supposedly in the Capitol.

This is an example, according to Gov. Wendell Ford, of the "hodgepodge" that present state government has become-60 departments and over 200 commissions. boards and agencies going in as many different directions.

Fourteen months ago, when then Lt. Governor Ford was running for governor, he promised a reorganization of state government to eliminate that hodgepodge; to prevent duplication and overlapping of services and, thus, strengthen necessary programs.

Phase one of Kentucky state reorganization recently was initiated.

The basis of reorganization is simple. The myriad of departments and agencies have been integrated into six program cabinets structured on mutual interests and applications. Further, the Department of Finance and the Kentucky Program Development Office have been consolidated into the Executive Department of Finance and Administration. Both will be coordinated by the Secretary of the Boyd County high school and is presently Cabinet, present Finance Commissioner attending Morehead State University. He is Don Bradshaw.

> What does it mean to the average citizen? The main purpose of reorganization, according to Governor Ford, is to eliminate duplication of services-abolishing unnecessary functions and strengthening needed programs.

> Governor Ford said that, with the "spiralling" expansion of state government since the last major reorganization in 1936, efficiency, coordination and policy determination have become more difficult, at a loss of timely services to the public.

> "If reorganization is accomplished," said the governor, "Kentuckians can expect improved services. There is a wide-spread belief that we can slow down the rapid growth of state government, and do more

But how do the people know whether the promise of savings will ever materialize? When will the public see tangible, dollars- financing the projects on their own. and-cents results from state government reorganization?

The situation can be compared to a college football program. The team starts with summer drills, goes through a shakedown period, then takes the field and plays a season. Records aren't set, titles aren't won until the season is over and performance can be rated.

The ultimate "title" state government seeks is a halt in rapidly rising costs and expansion. Its game plans is better money management-savings.

But right now, state reorganization is in a shakedown period.

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Applegate-Slone

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen Applegate,

Jr., of LaGrange, Ky., announce the

engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth

Anne, to Mr. Has Slone, Jr., of Ashland,

Ky., formerly of Martin, son of Mrs. G. B.

Conley, of Commercial Point, Ohio, and the

late Has Slone, Sr. Mr. Slone is also the

grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Isom Slone, of

Miss Applegate is a 1970 graduate of

Oldham County high school and is presently

attending Morehead State University. She

is a member of Kappa Delta Sorority,

Kappa Delta Pi honorary education

fraternity, and Pershing Beret girls' ROTC

drill team. Mr. Slone is a 1970 graduate of

The wedding will be solemnized Sunday,

December 17, at 1:30 p.m. at the LaGrange

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The need has already been shown by the number of professional referrals received, Mrs. William D. Pratt, of McDowell, a leader in the move, said last week. "This," Mrs. Pratt said, "is another way

Floyd county can meet the needs of its people."

with tax dollars now being spent."

According to Governor Ford, the creation of the Department of Finance and Administration, combining planning and financing functions, is designed to insure the maximum product for each dollar expended.

The new department also will provide a comprehensive long-range analysis of policy, harmony of political and administrative decision-making and ties with local governments, other states and the federal government.

Although phase one is only a framework for further restructuring (one of the initial charges of the six program cabinets is the development of recommendations for further streamlining and unification) some programs to promote better services for the people already exist.

The Office of Local Government, an element of the Department of Finance and Administration, channels resources from the executive branch to provide technical assistance and support to Kentucky city and county governments.

The Ford Administration already has assisted in federal revenue sharingmaking corrections in application errors which could have caused delays in the distribution of funds. This is a service some states are paying 10 per cent of their revenue-sharing money to receive.

The Office of Local Government will assume this responsibility, as well as helping local governments develop their own programs.

A second element of the Department of Finance and Administration, the Office of Policy and Management, combines the basic responsibilities involved in budgeting and state planning.

This office will facilitate communication between planners and budget personnel on both the state and national levels.

Another benefit of reorganization will be the cabinet structure itself. Since each department is a segment of a program cabinet of related interests, meetings need only involve the department heads concerned. In the past, all department heads had to attend all meetings and often listen to policies that in no way involved them.

Under reorganization, related departments can be better informed on the activities of each other, preventing duplication and providing a better delivery of services to the people.

The big question that concerns most people is one of money. Will it cost more? Will it save money?

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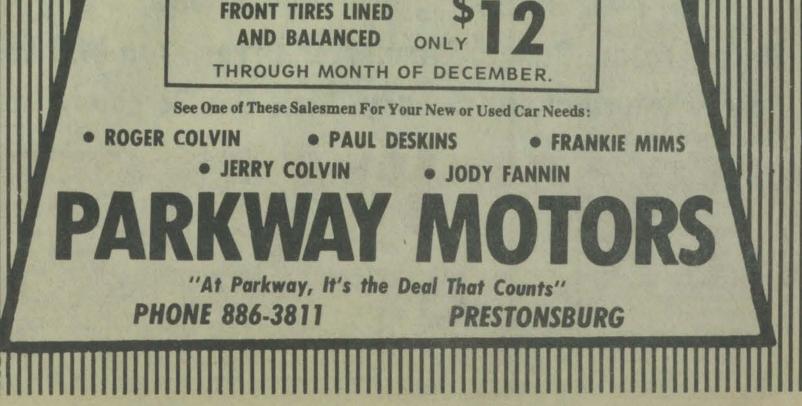
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The savings, he said, will come from elimination of current waste and duplication that annually cost the state many millions of dollars.

In short, what this means is that anticipated increase in governmental expenses caused by inevitable expansionwill be absorbed by a more efficient method of operation.

Tommy Preston, the governor's press secretary, compared the situation to a huge industry which, despite higher output, more workers and increased sales, finds its profits dwindling.

"The reason is that real productivity is down, so that industry tightens up all the way along the line," he said. "In the same way, the state, while not a profit maker, can increase services (productivity) with the same means of disposal."



STUMBO-PACK



Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stumbo, of McDowell, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Karen Lynne, to John Thomas Pack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pack, of Drift.

 The vows will be solemnized December 23 at the Left Beaver Regular Baptist Church at Hite. The gracious custom of open church will be observed.

COURT UPHOLDS McCRACKEN BUSING

The Kentucky Court of Appeals has upheld a McCracken county school board plan which relieves overcrowding in two of the county schools by busing students to a third school. The court affirmed a circuit court's ruling which held that the school board had not acted arbitrarily or capriciously in drawing up the plan. "It was the responsibility of the McCracken County Board of Education to weigh the advantages and disadvantages and the conveniences and inconveniences of particular students involved," the court said. "We agree with the trial court that we cannot substitute our judgment for theirs."

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT **CR 8580**

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VS. NOTICE OF SALE

Aldo Miller, Bill Clifton, Executor of the Estate of Sallie Clifton Miller, deceased, Irma C. Perkins, guardian for Janet Clark "(Jane Clifton), Deft.

A White Christmas in Kentucky?

By NEVYLE SHACKELFORD again it might not.

If you are dreaming of a white Christmas such as Grandpa used to tell about, the outlooks, and then the daily weather chances of your dream coming true range forecasts. The National Weather Service from about six percent in the extreme prepares these from current weather obwestern end of the state to 10-20 percent servations, which are periodically revised over most of the rest of Kentucky. to take later information and changing

These percentages, according to A. B. conditions into account. Elam, Jr., climatologist for Kentucky at the National Weather Service Office, University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, are based on snowfall records kept for many years. He emphasizes, also, that these are probabilities, not forecasts, and warns against snow enthusiasts setting their hopes too high. Records of white Christmases past indicate that such meteorological events are not usual occurrences in the Commonwealth.

In the past 23 years, says Elam, there have been only seven Christmas Days with any significant snow cover over Kentucky-and all seven of these circumstances occurred during the past 12 years.

In 1960 and 1963, there was a snow cover of one inch or more over most or all of the state. In 1961 and 1962, snow cover was limited chiefly to the south and southeast. And, in 1966, snow cover was general except for much of the Bluegrass region and the northeast.

In 1969, snowfall on Christmas Day was general and the heaviest since the 1930's. Snow cover ranged from one to six inches over the greater part of Kentucky and probably was much deeper in the higher elevations of the southeast. On December 25, 1970, some snow fell in most sections of the state in the afternoon and evening with up to two inches in parts of the eastern third.

Christmas Day last year was snowless. Rather, it was a cloudy, drizzly day with temperatures averaging from 10 to 20 degrees above normal. As a matter of fact, except in the higher elevations of the southeast, there was little snow at all in Kentucky during the entire month of December-less than in any December since 1940.

So for those dreaming-or longing-for a white Christmas, and for others who would just as soon see it green, these are the probabilities based on records of years past, Elam says. This form of precipitation might be present this Christmas-and then

CARD OF THANKS We would like to thank all our friends and relatives who sent flowers or food or shared their sympathy in any way upon the As December 25 approaches, you can be passing of Bennie Banks. We especially more certain by watching for extended wish to thank the ministers, Rev. B. C. Ferguson and Rev. Charles Price, for their

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Two certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Haunted Branch, south of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and being the same property conveyed to Aldo Miller by Sallie Clifton by deed dated April 1, 1957, recorded in Deed Book 165, page 400, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, and which is more particularly described as follows: TRACT NO. I

"Beginning at a stake about 6 feet below and in front of what is known as the upper house, owned by Sally Clifton, in Haunted Hollow or Branch, south of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, thence with the branch up the hill to a rock in the branch; thence west around the hill to the road; thence with the road as it circles to the place of beginning." TRACT NO. II

"Beginning at a sycamore at the drain; thence up the hill with the road to the line of Woodrow Meade; now Sallie Clifton as described in Tract No. 1; thence following the road and with the road in a westerly direction forming a semi-circle to a stake, corner to line of Nola Harris; thence a straight line down the hill to the sycamore, the place of beginning.'

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$503.15 with interest thereon at 6 percent annually on the sum of \$360.15 from March 15, 1972, and the sum of \$1,000.00, with 6 percent from the 7th day of December 1972 until satisfied and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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Mrs. Geneva Johnson

Mrs. Geneva Johnson, 41, of Huntington, Ind., formerly of Garrett, died Wednesday after an extended illness.

Born January 14, 1931, at Garrett, she was the daughter of Alfred Miller, of Garrett, and the late Belle Napier Miller. She was a member of the Church of God. Surviving, other than her father, are her husband, Alfonzo Johnson; two sons, Arthur Johnson, of Huntington, Ind. and Larry Dean Johnson, at home; five brothers, Arthur and Goff Miller, both of Huntington, Ind., Bill Miller, of Freemont, Ind., Arnold Miller, of Jackson, and Lee Miller, of Hueysville; three sisters, Mrs. Opsie Callis, of Toledo, O., Mrs. Garnett Stephens, of Plymouth, Ohio, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. at the home of her father, and burial was made in the Miller cemetery at South Fork of Quicksand, Breathitt County, under the direction of th Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Anna Akers

Mrs. Anna Akers, 77, of Drift, passed away Dec. 2 at Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin, after a two-year illness. Born Jan. 31, 1895 at Drift, she was the daughter of the late Alamander "Squint" and Evelyn Hall Martin, and was the wife of Hiram Akers, who died in 1927. She was a member of the Regular Baptist church for 40 years.

Surviving are a son, Eugene Akers, of Louisville; a daughter, Ruby Akers, of Drift, and a brother, Dewey Martin, of McDowell. She also leaves five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held last Monday at 10 a.m. at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist church with ministers of that church officiating. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

Dayton Joseph

Dayton Joseph, 57, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday at the Prestonsburg General hospital after an extended illness.

Born April 17, 1915 at Lackey, he was the son of the late Morgan and Louisa Joseph. Surviving are his wife, Geneva Adkins Joseph, of Prestonsburg; eight sons, Harold, Dayton, Paul, Ashland, Herman, Charles, Morgan, and Ronnie Joseph, all of Prestonsburg; six daughters, Mrs. Meth Yates, Misses Geraldine, Tina, Christine, and Barbara Joseph all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Betty Calhoun, of Manchester, Michigan; five brothers, Corbin, Leonard, and Estill Joseph, all of Prestonsburg, Denver Joseph, of El Central, California, Golden Joseph, of Pikeville, and two sisters, Mrs. Allie Salisbury, of Prestonsburg and Mrs. Martha Allen, of Salyersville. Fifteen grandchildren also survive. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Highland Free Will Baptist Church, with the Revs.Clifford Austin and Jack DeRossett officiating. Burial will be made in the Joseph family cemetery at Prestonsburg under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home.

Obituaries

Mrs. Dixie Holt

Mrs. Dixie Holt, 52, of Robinette, W. Va., died December 1 at Robinette after a years illness.

Born September 30, 1920 in Martin county, she was the daughter of the late Cain and Emma Goble Blackburn. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for 16 years.

Surviving are her husband, Raymond Holt; five daughters, Mrs. Georgia Ann Lusk, of Cyclone, W. Va., and Misses Alice Faye, Peggy Sue, Shrena Lynn and Sherri Holt, all of Robinette; three sons, Kenneth, Michael and Herbert Lee Holt, all of Robinette: one brother, Jack Blackburn, of Nolan, W. Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Celia Vickers and Mrs. Sarah Mullett, both of Weeksbury. Six grandchildren also sur-

Funeral services were conducted last Monday at 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Anna Lay, at Weeksbury, with ministers of the Free Will Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Johnson cemetery at Weeksbury under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Amma Burchett

Mrs. Amma Burchett Burchett, of Ivel, died Thursday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital after an extended illness.

Born August 2, 1888, at Cow Creek, she was the daughter of the late Flem and Leottie Herald Burchett. She was a charter member of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here. Her husband, Dick Burchett, preceded her in death in 1959.

Surviving are one son, Woodrow Burchett, of Prestonsburg and one foster son, Mid DeRossett, of Ivel and a sister, Mrs. Glen Burchett, of Prestonsburg. Four grandchildren and eight greatgrandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, with the Rev. W. D. Jaggers officiating. Burial was made at Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home.

Mrs. Anna H. Feiler

Mrs. Anna H. Feiler, 78, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home here after an extended illness.

Born November 27, 1894, in Floyd county, she was the daughter of the late J. N. and Daisy Weddington Harris. She was a charter member of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here and was a former Prestonsburg postmaster. Her husband, Richard Feiler, preceded her in death in 1961.

Mrs. Lulie S. Hatfield

Mrs. Lulie Shannon Hatfield, 74, of Water Gap, died Saturday at Prestonsburg General hospital after an extended illness. Born October 8, 1898, in Floyd county, she was the daughter of the late Andy and Lizzie Lafferty Stephens. She was a member of the United Baptist Church at Water Gap

Surviving are her husband, Anderson Hatfield, of Water Gap; three sons, Andy J. and W. R. Hatfield, both of Water Gap, and Charles E. Hatfield, of Emma; five daughters, Mrs. Janie Bentley, of Rock House, Ky., Mrs. Ola Wells, of Auxier, Mrs. Olive Robinson, Mrs. Virginia Hale, and Mrs. Annie B. Banks, all of Prestonsburg; one brother, Robert Stephens, of Warsaw, Ind.; seven sisters, Mrs. Martha Rose, of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Becky Baker, Mrs. Mammie Stephens, and Mrs. Mary Belle Elliott, all of Indiana, Mrs. Flossie Jewell and Mrs. Pearl Burchett, both of Williamson, W. Va., and Mrs. Willie Davis, of Indianapolis, Indiana. Forty-one grandchildren and eighteen greatgrandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at 11:30 a.m. at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel. with the Rev. Paris Music officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Water Gap.

Milford Craft

Milford Craft, 58 years old, of Pritchard, West Virginia, formerly of Prestonsburg, died Monday at a Huntington, W. Va. hospital.

A son of the late William Henry and Viola Crabtree Craft, he was born January 17, 1914 in Prestonsburg.

Survivors include three brothers, Willie and George Craft, both of Prestonsburg, and Earl Craft, of Pritchard, and two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Mooney, of Wayne, West Virginia, and Mrs. Nellie Harmon, of Pritchard.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Rollins Funeral Home Chapel at Kenova, West Virginia. Burial will be in the Newman cemetery. Friends may call at the Funeral Home through Wednesday.

Ray Damron Compton

Ray Damron Compton, 59, of Claypool, Ind., formerly of Spurlock, died November 28 at his home.

Christmas in Hospital Room Not Merry But It Offers Hope

states.

surgery.

to cover most of the expenses. They knew

that it would eventually cost thousands of

dollars that they didn't have to cover the

inevitable costs of such a venture. (Dr.

Edgerton has generously performed each

Many of the community wanted to help

them and so some interested citizens set up

a Rhonda McKenzie Fund. A goal of \$10,000

was set to cover the cost of the first 10

operations and the response was adequate

to meet that goal. Contributions came from

all over Kentucky and even from far-away

Rhonda is scheduled to enter major

surgery Friday of this week for the ninth

time. Even though many other operations

will be required, it is obvious that the

parents have not lost sight of their goal.

Mrs. Bonnie Lewis McKenzie, attractive

mother of Rhonda, said, "The best gift

Rhonda could have for Christmas is a

successful operation." Dr. Edgerton, Dr.

Jane (neuro-surgeon) and their team of

doctors will be moving a bone from bet-

ween Rhonda's eyes to allow a better

position for both eyes. They will also work

spots from the left eye. The bone will be

moved to the forehead area. The operation

is serious because the brain will be exposed

when her forehead is opened. The average

operation takes about seven hours in

When the bandages on her eyes and head

are removed, perhaps on Christmas Day,

the family and doctors hope to find that

Rhonda is one operation closer to a normal

life. All of this is an effort to give Rhonda "a

This Christmas, Rhonda McKenzie may

be a small child in a city, far away from

home. But she is not a forgotten child.

Many share the dream of her parents and

face to face the world."

sister for the future.

operation without charge to the family.)

It will be Christmas in a hospital room, to give Rhonda a normal life, they traveled 400 miles away from home, for little Rhonda to Baltimore, Maryland and borrowed \$800 McKenzie and her family.

Born three years ago to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McKenzie, of West Liberty, Rhonda came into this world with many marks against her. She was the victim of multiple birth defects. She had no nose. Her eyes were located on the sides of her head, too far apart for her to focus them and see. She had extra toes on her feet and one clubbed foot. In addition, she had other miscellaneous defects.

The McKenzies happened to read an article in a newspaper one day about a similar circumstance in Tennessee. Upon discovering that plastic surgeon Dr. Milton Edgerton specialized in such cases, the young couple was able to schedule the first of many operations. In their determination

> McDowell Hospital Notes

> > **Patients Discharged** (Dec. 4 through Dec. 10)

Kathy Sue Poston, McDowell; Ora Caudill, Wayland; Delories Mitchell, Melvin; Rengie Hall, Minnie; Sherry G. Meade, East McDowell; Bill Daniels, Garrett; Phillip Mullins, Pound, Va.; Gaylena Little, Ligon; Delbert S. Adams, Hi Hat; Annie E. Stumbo, Martin; Ellen Martin, Wayland; Claude Johnson, Halo; Roosevelt T. Slone, Dema (expired); Cloie Akers, East McDowell; Sharon Kay Hall, Galveston; Maudie Hamilton, East Mc-Dowell; Enis Mullins, Melvin; Effard Tackett, Drift; Minta Chaffins, Wayland; Grover Rollins, aWayland; Beatrice Shell, West Prestonsburg; Penny A. Little, Prestonsburg; John Hall, Beaver; Daniel Autore, Wheelwright; Alta Hayes, Lancer; Susie Ousley, Martin; Edna Bailey, Handshoe; Peggy Turner, Garrett; Martin Hall, Hi Hat; Carrie Hall, Buckingham; William Smith, Weeksbury; Maxie Tackett, McDowell; Rosie Hamilton, Teaberry; Shirley King, Bypro; Darryl Martin, McDowell; Butler Howell, Hi Hat.

BIRTHS

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Denzi R. Turner, of Garrett, Dec. 5; a daughter to

Health Dept. Says **Cook with Caution**

The Floyd County Health Department reminds all Floyd Countians that food poisoning, caused by improper cooking and handling frozen turkey, occurs in large numbers every year during the holiday season. The danger is especially high in school cafeterias or other establishments where large quantities of food are prepared.

Extra care must be taken in the preparation, cooking and storing of turkey because of its large size. If you buy your turkey early, be sure to freeze it immediately. If it is to be prepared within 48 hours after it was purchased, you may refrigerate it at 33 to 38 degrees. Ordinarily it takes much longer to defrost a turkey than any other kind of meat. The preferred method is to thaw it in the refrigerator for two or three days until you are sure it is completely defrosted.

Although it is safer to cook turkey and dressing separately, some homemakers still prefer to stuff the holiday bird with dressing and cook them together. In this case, a meat thermometer should be inserted in to the center of the stuffing. If the turkey is cooked alone, insert the thermometer into the center of the thigh. Cook on the skin around the eyes and remove the turkey in a 325 degree oven for the required length of time until the temperature of the stuffing reaches 165 degrees or the temperature in the center of the thigh reaches 190 degrees.

If the turkey and dressing are cooked together a day ahead of the holiday dinner, the dressing should be removed from the turkey and refrigerated separately.

Proper cooking times for a completley thawed turkey are as follows:

8-10 lb. turkey, 3 to 3¹/₂ hours; 10-14 lb. turkey, 31/2 to 4 hours; 14-18 lb. turkey, 4 to 4½ hours; 18-20 lb. turkey, 4½ to 5 hours; over 20 lbs., allow approximately 20-22 minutes per extra pound.



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The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

> CHARLES CLARK, Supt. Floyd County Schools

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Surviving is her niece, Mrs. Robert D. Francis, of Sarasota, Florida.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, with the Rev. W. D. Jaggers officiating. Burial was made in the Richmond Cemetery here under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home.

Mrs. Minnie Hale

Mrs. Minnie Hale, of Lexington, former Prestonsburg resident, died Dec. 2 at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington.

late Steve and Jane Risner Stone, she was one of the pioneer telephone employees in Prestonsburg. She was a member of the Pilgrim Holiness Church and a retired operator for the Southern Bell Telephone Company.

After the death of her husband, Sam Hale, she was married to G. H. Hale, who survives. Other survivors are her son, Johnnie Hale, of Lexington; a grandson, Robert Vernon Hale, of Louisville; and three brothers, Sam Stone, Carey, O., Hark Stone, Ann Arbor, Mich., and C. S. Stone, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Funeral services were conducted Dec. 4 from the Kerr Brothers Funeral Home, Lexington, by the Revs. T. O. Carpenter and O. W. Yates, and burial was made in Hillcrest Memorial Park, Lexingtn.



Born October 15, 1913 in Martin county, he was the son of Sally Blackburn Compton, of Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, and the late Layne Compton.

Surviving are his wife, Susanna Justice Compton, of Claypool; three sons, Ray, Elmer, and John Compton, all at home; three daughters, Misses Sarah and Erma Compton, both at home, Mrs. Linda Carol Bithnger of Claypool; four brothers, Henry, Bill, and Layne Compton, Jr., all of West Prestonsburg, and Albert Compton, of Claypool; four sisters, Mrs. Beckie Ousley, of Pierceton, Ind., Mrs. Sadie Hall, of Leesburg, Ind., Mrs. Maudie Peters, of Munith, Mich., and Mrs. Mary Prater, of Claypool. Funeral services were conducted Friday at 10 a.m. at the home of his brother on A native of Ivyton and the daughter of the Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, with Wallace Calhoun and Richmond Shepherd, officiating. Burial was made in the Compton Family Cemetery under the direction of the Carter Funeral Home.

Silas Howard

Silas Howard, Silver Lake, Ind., died Friday at Murphy Medical Center, Warsaw, Indiana. He was 76 years old. Born November 12, 1896, at Salyersville, he was a son of the late John and Sallie Allen Howard. He was a member of the United Baptist Church, and his wife, Mona Prater Howard, preceded him in death in 1968

Surviving are three sons, Clayton and Forrest, both of Silver Lake, Silas Howard, Jr., Milford, Ind.; four daughters, Mrs. Mabel Shepherd, Mrs. Glen Allen, Mrs. Geraldine Howard and Mrs. Jerry Garrif, all of Silver Lake; two brothers, Graydon Howard, of Pyramid and Tommy Howard, try to do is to live-healthfully-as long as of Garrett, Ind., and one sister, Mrs. Annie Shepherd, of Pyramid. Eighteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Mon- matter of life and breath. day at 10 a.m. at the Open Door Baptist Church at David, with the Rev. Ashland Shepherd officiating. Burial was made in the Howard Cemetery at Gunlock under the direction of the Carter Funeral Home.

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MONTGOMERY

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hall, of Galveston, Dec. 5; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Donnie G. Moore, of McDowell, Dec. 8.

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Denying the reality of death is no way to live-for any of us. And denying the possibility of premature death can be a fatal mistake for smokers. What we can all we can.

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Trouble with Names

One week, it was the Bill Stumbo, of the Middle Creek road, who was asking The Times to explain that it was not he who was arrested on an auto theft charge. Now, Bill Stumbo, of McDowell, points out that he is San Antonio, Texas-Airman Lloyd not the man of that name who was listed last week as a drunk driver. The McDowell Marcum, of Allen, Ky., has been assigned man adds that he was the Bill Stumbo accused of auto theft, and that he was so accused when he took his own car.

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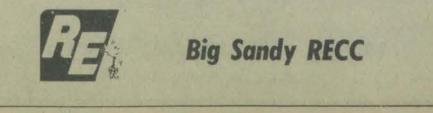
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Nature Trails By Rufus M. Reed

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with the other colors. It is a bird that looks like some wild artist had taken his brush and many colors and splashed them on. Unfortunately, the painted bunting, a cousin of the indigo, is rare in the Tri-State region and is rated as a much inferior songster to its closer relative, the indigo bunting, common in our region. Among our most highly colored birds common locally are:

1. The Scarlet Tanager. To oldtimers this bird was known as "the black-winged redbird." Its wings and tail are deep-black, the remainder of the body is a deep scarlet; in spring, when this bird is all dressed up in courtship colors, the scarlet is so bright it seems to flame, and it dazzles the eyes just to look at it. As Thoreau said, "The scarlet call. tanager seems to ignite the leaves as it glides through." Scarlet tanagers usually return a bit too early from their winter home in South America. I have seen many of them chilled down and unable to fly in an early April snow squall. This bird is also rated a poor singer and its musical offering is said to be like that of "a robin with a sore throat." The song has a peculiar burry tone, but the bird's calls are unique. If you hear a bird uttering a call that sounds like "chip-burr," it is the scarlet tanager. It also has a peculiar phrase it frequently sings, like "Tipperary."

The scarlet tanager is noted for its calm, unhurried movements through the summer trees; it is not too shy and often stops to peer curiously at its observers. It is a key.

Brandenburg's Recipe for a Park

Brandenburg, Ky.-Take one generous that Olin has the land here. I wrote them

Program Development Office; then add 74 planning the park, forms were distributed

portion of federal funding and blend with and received a favorable response."

highly valuable bird in the forest as it destroys large quantities of the gypsy reported watching a scarlet tanager devour 40 gypsy moths in an hour.

2. The Summer Tanager. Nature splashed the male of this species with bright red all over the entire body and didn't take time to add any other markings. Oldtimers called it "the summer redbird." It is bright red, all over. The male is the only bird known that is completely red-no other markings. It seems nature splashed it with a bright, rosy red and then guit-not even a crest was added to the plumage ... The brilliant red blazes all summer as the bird flies about lawns or through the trees of open woods. It is rated as much superior to its cousin, the scarlet tanager, as it has a loud, spirited song which can be heard resounding over hills and valleys during spring and early summer. There is a peculiar wistfulness in this bird's song, as if it was trying hard to express the beauty of life and the glory of spring but couldn't quite do so on its song. Its peculiar call of "pick-i-tuck-i-tuck" identifies the bird at once as no other bird has such a peculiar

3. The Prothonotary Warbler. Though it is not common in our region but if you should go into deep swamps or low river bottoms, you might see this bird-and what an unforgetable sight! Nature splashed this bird's head and breast with golden orange but gave it plain, blue-gray wings so as not to detract from the bright colors. It is interesting to note the origin of this bird's name. If you separate the name into two parts, you get "notary", a notary public. In the old English Court of Common Pleas, the clerk or notary always wore a bright golden-orange gown and was called a "thonotary." The bird is not rated as a great songster, as it sings "tweet, tweet" about a dozen times, and all in the same organizations."

Mines Violating Blasting Law Are Fewer in Pike, Bureau Says

Pikeville, Ky.-The number of mines violating the new state law governing all two pounds of explosives is ignited in a deep blasters is dwindling, according to the Bureau of Mines and Minerals.

notified 23 strip mines in the Pikeville area that they have until Dec. 18 to comply with the regulation, or face injunctive action.

The injunction is an "extreme measure to have such a small thing accomplished," said D. T. Froedge, director of the bureau's division of explosives and blasting, "but sometimes if you pester them enough, it gets the job done.'

There was a flood of letters after the list went out, Froedge said. He indicated two mines were dropped from the violators list because of errors in the computer: six mines were removed because they complied; two were removed because they no onger are operating and 15 remain in violation.

Remaining on the list are Blue Bird Collieries, Inc. of Meta; Caney Branch Coal Co. of Phelps and Freeburn; Coal Contractors, Inc. No. 3 and 4 mines; G. D. B. Coal Co., Inc. of Hatfield; Gale Coal Co. No. 8 and 9 mines, Mac Mining Co. No. 2 and 3 mines, Marymounts Construction Co. of Freeburn and Majestic; Triangle Coal Co. of Ashcamp; Paramount-Elkhorn & Co. of Regina, and Hawkins Coal Co. of Ashcamp.

Kentucky-Elkhorn Coals, Inc. No. 4 mine and Rowe & Goff Coal Co. were abandoned operations and removed from the violators list.

Those listed as having complied are Case Coal Co., Pounding Mill Coal C., T. C. H. Mines No. 1, 2, and 3 and R. G. Mining Co. The law was effected June 16 by the General Assembly and the Division of Explosives and Blasting was created within the Department of Mines and Minerals to enforce the regulation.

"We have been compiling lists of violators since the deadline," said Froedge, "but not before spreading the word through letters to the mines and mining

All mines cited for non-compliance are strip operations because the deep mine operations, by necessity, do blasting at a minimum lower than the law is aimed to cover.

6%

5%

"Very rarely is damage incurred when mine operation," said Froedge, "as compared to the damage a 40,000-pound The attorney general's office recently open blast can do to someone's home half a mile away."

He indicated compliance has been "generally good," but several areas have been tagged "high non-compliance areas" after the district-by-district search. Pikeville, he said, is one such area.

The law regulates the intensity of mine blasting and requires licensing of blasters, through record-keeping procedures and safety regulations compliance.

The law, said Froedge, also applies to blasting on highways, construction crews and in quarries, and these, he added, are harder to ferret our and mark as complying or non-complying.

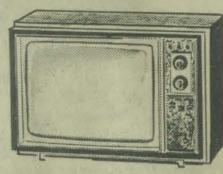
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and stir slowly, gradually mixing in what Jim Peel, director of the Lincoln Trail Area Development District, calls "the way people here got down to work on this park." Loosely follow that recipe and you get Olin-Meade Park, a tract on the outskirts of Brandenburg that soon will become a \$400,000 county park.

advice and experience from the Kentucky

dinated by the Program Development Office and channeled through the federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation.

years ago when a county planning comsewage and recreational needs.

"We had to get to work on water needs first," said James Greer, chairman of the committee. "But then someone mentioned

acres of land from the Olin Chemical Co. at the Meade County Fair so that citizens could write their opinions and ideas.

In an effort to involve county citizens in

"We wanted to get the opinions of the people in the county as to what their priorities would be," Greer said. "The people filled in the forms by checking the things they wanted to see in the park."

The new park will be partially financed with federal matching funds authorized by Federal funding for the park was coor- the Land and Water Conservation Program. Much of the local share of the cost will be made up through the appraisal value (\$92,500) of the land donated by the The park idea actually was born two Olin Company. The difference between that amount and the full \$215,803 obligation of mittee began setting priorities for water, the county will be paid in kind, with work and equipment supplied by the county.

The planning committee hopes to have the park swimming pool completed by the beginning of next summer. Under the federal funding contract, the entire park will be completed in mid-1975. The completed facility will feature a bath house, wading pool, four picnic shelters, tables and grills, a tot lot, four tennis courts, basketball courts and softball and baseball fields.

Greer said the park has brought the community together and fostered a "new sort of cooperation."

"At our last public meeting, we had the most enthusiastic group of people I've ever seen," he said. "They wanted this park and they wouldn't take no for an answer. As soon as we get something started out there, the people will be out to help. I'm sure of

Hawaii teachers cancelled a proposed state-wide strike after a judge issued a temporary restraining order, threatening the teachers with a \$100,000 fine and an additional \$10,000 for each day of the strike. The teachers had defied a court injunction on October 5, when they walked out for one

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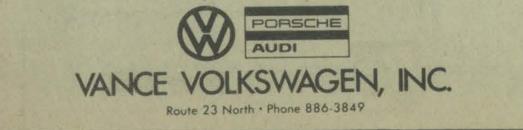
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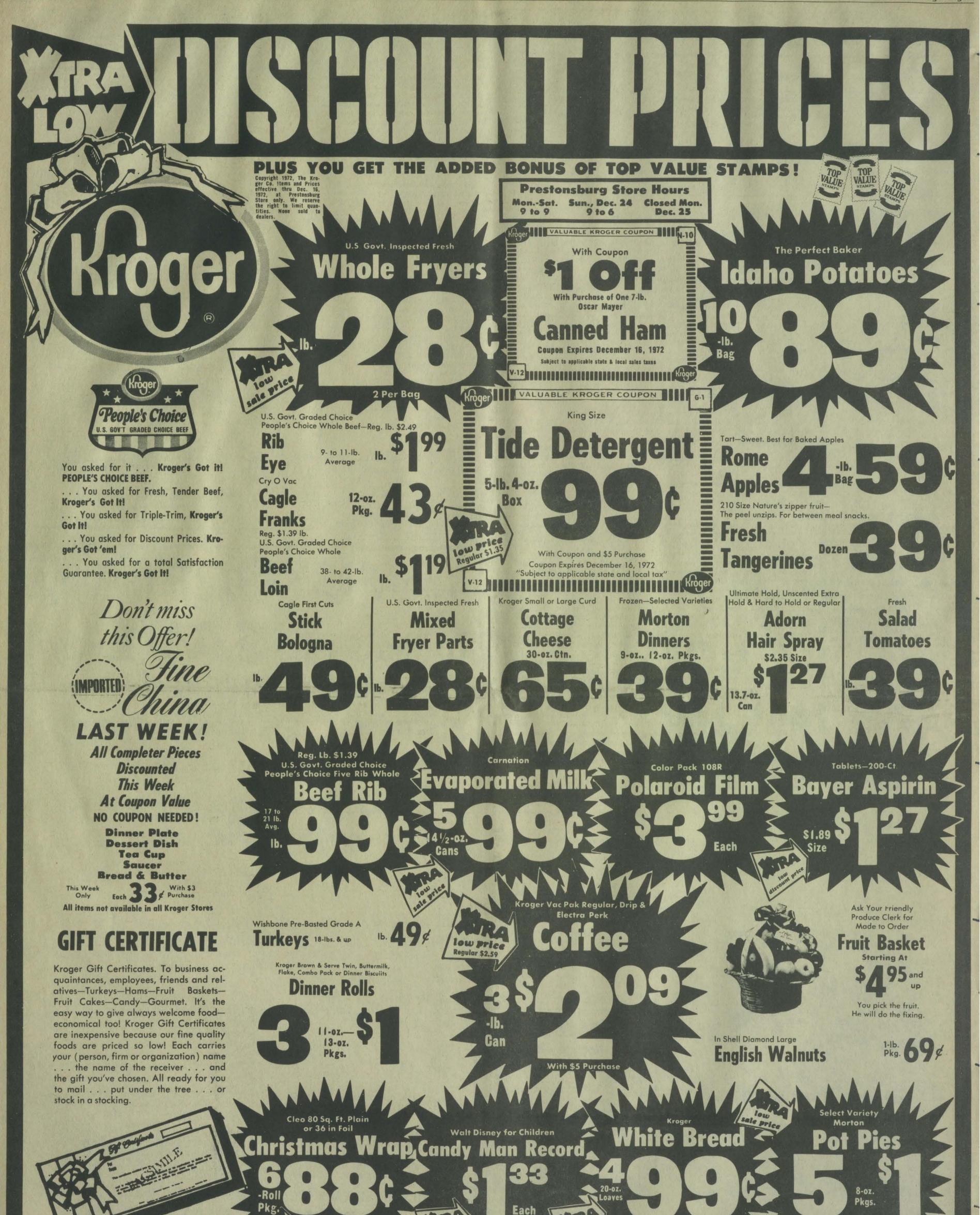
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Maytown Yule Program To Be Given Dec. 23

The Methodist Youth Fellowship and choir of the May Memorial United Methodist Church, of Langley, will present its annual Christmas program entitled "The Little Drummer Boy." The program, scheduled for Saturday, December 23, will begin at 7 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The state Departments of Mental Health and Finance have taken the wraps off a proposed computer network linking Mental Health facilities and community comprehensive care centers around Kentucky.

Highway Toll For Area Rises 11 in 11 Mos.

Although no fatal highway accidents were recorded last month in the five-county area served by the Pikeville Post, Kentucky State Police, the area has suffered the loss of 43 lives through motor accidents in the first 11 months of the year. This is 11 more than were recorded during the same period last year.

The area served by the Post includes Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Martin and Magoffin counties.

Pike and Magoffin counties made heaviest demands on state troopers last month. In each of these counties troopers made 37 drunk driving arrests. Floyd county had eight such arrests, Johnson 4 and Martin 3.

The breakdown of State Police activities in the five counties during November follow:

Moving hazardous violations-Pike 220, Floyd 111, Johnson 28, Magoffin 54, Martin

Other traffic arrests-Pike 229, Floyd 89. Johnson 45, Magoffin 129, Martin 17.

Warnings-Pike 217, Floyd 87, Johnson 24, Magoffin 103, Martin 10.

Motorist assists-Pike 26, Floyd 1, Johnson 6, Magoffin 0, Martin 2. Accidents investigated-Pike 69, Floyd 18, Johnson 26, Magoffin 28, Martin 5. Criminal investigations-Pike 43, Floyd 23, Johnson 7, Magoffin 16, Martin 1. Criminal arrests-Pike 24, Floyd 9, Johnson 1, Magoffin 17, Martin 1. Stolen vehicles recovered-Pike 3, Floyd

1, Johnson 1, Magoffin 0, Martin 0.

Mass Candlelighting **Planned As Feature** Of Dec. 22nd Event

The lighting of 2,000 candles will be a feature of the "Birthday Party for Christ" to be held at the Central District parking lot opposite the courthouse here, the night of Dec. 22 under sponsorship of Prestonsburg area churches.

Those who wish to participate in carolling are to be at the parking lot at 7 p.m. At 8 p.m. will be the reading of the Christmas Story, followed by the candlelighting. The public is invited to take

Classes In Mine Safety To Be Held At PCC, Dec. 18-21

Education and training personnel of the U. S. Bureau of mines will conduct classes in methane and oxygen testing devices, roof and rib control, ventilation, first aid, principles of mine rescue, self-rescuer and part 75 of the federal register at Prestonsburg Community College December 18 through December 21. These classes will be conducted to train supervisors in the programs required under section 75-160-1 of the federal register to meet requirements of the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969. A tentative schedule of the classes is as follows:

NAME

Alberta Woods

Mary E. Wells

Thelma Jean Sellards

Gloria J. Tackett

Dora Halbert

Dixie Tackett

Dixie Lawson

Goldie Vincent

Goldie Vincent

Edgar Kidd

Monday, December 18, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., First Aid Instruction (Part I); 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m., Methane and Oxygen Testing Devices.

Tuesday, December 19, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Roof and Rib Control; 12:30-3:30, Ventiliation.

Wednesday, December 10, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., First Aid Methods (Part II); 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m., Principles of Mine Rescue.

Thursday, December 21, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Self Rescuer-Review; 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m., Part 75-Federal Register.

Persons interested in attending the training classes should contact the U.S. Bureau of Mines office, Pikeville, phone 437-9613, or U. S. Bureau of Mines, Prestonsburg, phone 886-3406. Instructors for the classes will be M. W. Nairn and Lucas McCoy.

W'wright Runnerup **In Class A Football**

By MARK LAFFERTY

Wheelwright high school's football team finished second in their E. K. M. C. district to Class A finalist, Pikeville. At the meeting of conference coaches, Wheelwright placed four players on the all-E. K. M. C. squad. They are Howard Jones, defensive tackle; Clifford James, defensive back; Darrell Branham, offensive back-all seniors-and Mike Armour, sophomomore offensive back.

The Trojans were coached by Don Daniels who has not had a losing season in his three years of coaching at Wheelwright. The E. K. M. C. district is comprised of 12 schools-six double-A and six single-A schools. The Trojans' conference record

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Administration has been granted on the following estates, and all persons having claims against any of same are hereby notified to file same, properly proven according to law with the administrator of such estate at the address shown below, on or before Feb. 1, 1973:

> ESTATE Walter S. Woods Palmer Wells Janice L. Bagley Noah Robert Nichols Clyde Tackett George Tackett Dewey Morgan Lawson Anna Belle Eckert Alex Kidd **Charles** Eckert

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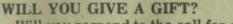
Mrs. Phillip Morris, of Ashland, accompanied a group of ten students from Paul Blazer high school, Saturday to visit "Garfield Place," home of Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, and the place where Pres. James A. Garfield had temporary headquarters during the Civil War.

DISTRICT SUPT. HERE

Sunday morning, at the First United by Dec. 19. Methodist Church here.

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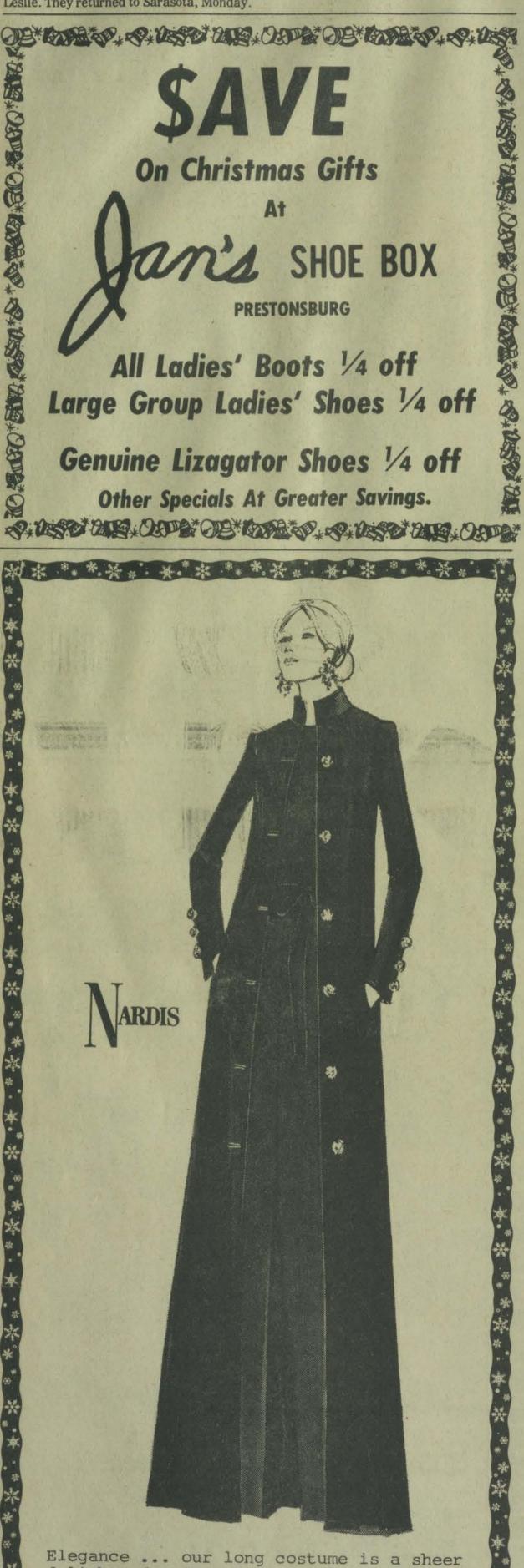
Manor Nursing Home after a long illness. Opery" at Nashville, Tenn. While here Mr. and Mrs. Francis were houseguests of Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie. They returned to Sarasota, Monday.



Will you respond to the call for gifts to be given to the Floyd county patients at Eastern State Hospital, Lexington? There are 12 men and 12 women who would welcome a gift. Please learn gifts at the Adult Day Care Center at the "old" Archer home on Arnold Avenue, next to the Methodist Church. Wrap gifts and specify on outside for either man or woman. The The Rev. Kenneth L. Clay, superin- women can use cosmetics, costume tendent of the Ashland district of the United jewelry, etc.; the men, handkerchiefs, Methodist Church, was guest-speaker socks, cosmetics or ties. Please leave gifts

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bierman returned Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis, of Sarasota, home Saturday from an eight-day vacation Florida, were called here last Wednesday and visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Kettig at by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Anna Harris Clearwater, Florida. En route home, they Feiler, who passed away at the Mountain enjoyed an evening at "The Grand Ole



RECEIVES MASTERS Julie D. Voelker received the Master of Music degree in August at the University of

Kentucky. She presently holds a teaching assistantship at the University of Kentucky while working toward her doctorate in music. Mrs. Voelker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Damron, South Mayo attend a meeting of the City Council to Trail, Pikeville.

W. S. C. S. MEETS

C. S. met December 5 at the church. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Allie Spradlin, after which a program was presented by Mrs. Viola Cooley. In the business meeting, plans were completed for Christmas projects. Members also Gail Wilson and Jean Rosenberg will be brought gifts they had bought for Floyd county's Child Welfare office to distribute in memory of Hope Spradlin Tussey. The president, Frances Cooley, presided at the meeting. Members attending were Allie Mrs. Johnson, and Mrs. Harrison. Spradlin, Mary Mann, Ester Ward, Ernestine Collins, Becky Derossett, Viola GOES TO LEXINGTON Cooley, Janie Branham, Bess McGuire, Bertha Dickerson, Sue Spradlin, Leslie Burke, Jean Burke, Frances Cooley and June Cooley.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The annual Christmas party for the Presbyterian Women was held December 5 at the home of Mrs. Marvin Music on North Lake Drive. The house was decorated in the holiday motif. The opening prayer was for the Christian work in Hongkong and for the needy and ill, followed by a Christmas prayer of Peter Marshall's. The Thank Offering and Least Coin offering were taken and dedicated by Mrs. Music and Mrs. Frank H. Layne. A Christmas check for the needy was received from Mrs. Meta F. Sizemore. Two quilts made by the women will be given to a needy family; with a food shower, at Christmas time. A motion was made to assist in buying glasses for a girl in this same family. A contribution of \$10 was made toward this project. Announcement was made that on Dec. 9 the group would have a spiritual meeting and singing of Christmas songs at 3:30 at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home. The Society placed a poinsettia there for the patients to enjoy. The program, presented by Mrs. Frank H. Layne, included of the singing of carols by the group. Mrs. Rose H. Price and Mrs. Jim Valentine music and history at E. K. U. She is the sang special songs with guitar ac- daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Scutcompanied by Mrs. Valentine. Mrs. Layne chfield, of Prestonsburg. told the Christmas Story. Solos were rendered by Miss Daisy Miller. Refreshments ATTEND CONVENTION were enjoyed by Mesdames Ray Howard, Nelle Howard, Rose Price, Jim Valentine, Rex Ankrom, Frank Layne, E. R. Burke, F. L. Heinze, Ernest Osborne, W. C. Rimmer, Rainley White, Everett H. Sowards, Kenneth Allen, James E. Goble, Marvin Music, Jr., Robert Rennick, Miss Daisy Miller, Miss Mary E. Powers.



CLUB COMMITTEE MEETS

The Public Affairs committee of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club met on December 6 at the home of Totty Johnson. Chairman Pat Harrison reviewed the projects completed by the committee. Plans were made for several members to discuss some of the local traffic problems. A visit to the Floyd county court and jail was also discussed. Mrs. Johnson will The Community United Methodist W. S. continue to gather information on possible development of a "hot line" for teenagers needing help with problems. Mrs. Harrison will be contacting Congressman Carl Perkins for information on proposed legislation affecting the American Indian. developing plans for a program on the Kentucky Protective Services laws.

> Members attending the meeting were Nell Lawson, Mrs. Rosenberg, Miss Wilson,

Mrs. Lilliam P. Rimmer left last week for Lexington to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Webb, and family. She will go to Orlando, Florida after the holidays, and will spend the winter months with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth P. O'Neal.

HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Wm. L. White is a patient in the Prestonsburg General Hospital following major surgery last Tuesday. She is doing nicely.

EXPRESSES THANKS

Mrs. Thurman Shepherd, of West Prestonsburg, would like to thank all the cooks at Prestonsburg high school for their nice birthday gift. 1t.

NAMED CHURCH **GROUP PRESIDENT**

At the dinner meeting of the Methodist men last week, Edward Worland was named president.

HONORARY INITIATE

Miss Teresa Kay Scutchfield, a junior at Eastern Kentucky University, has been initiated into Delta Omicron Alpha Eta, a music honorary sorority. She is majoring in

Personals

Mrs. Wm. Thomas has been confined to the Presbyterian manse for several days with a severe cold.

Miss Jane Carter Webb spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. De Hart, of Olive Hill, visited her sister, Mrs. Myrtle B. Allen, Sunday, having been called here by the death of Mrs. Amma Burchett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rayburn, of Ashland, visited her mother, Mrs. Nelle B. Howard, here Sunday while attending the funeral of Mrs. Amma Burchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice and Mrs. Wm. Garland, of Paintsville, and Miss Mayo Davis, of Pikeville, were here Sunday greeting friends.

DINNER GUESTS ON SATURDAY Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stephens were hosts Saturday evening to dinner at their home in the Goble-Roberts Addition having as guests Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leslie, Michael Leslie and Greg Goble.



Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus returned Sunday from a 10-day vacation in Titusville

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The Church of St. Peter Gallicantu (Cockcrow) is a lovely little church building constructed by the Augustinian Fathers on the site which they accept as that of the house of Caiaphas. The church gets its name from the fact that Peter denied he knew Jesus three times in the courtyard before the 3 a.m. hour-the time of the cockcrow.

In the life of Jesus we have some hours between 3 a.m. and about 6 a.m. during which we don't know what happened to Him. A visitor to the Church of St. Peter Gallicantu today will be taken down into the basement to examine a pit carved from the rock. The pit is very small and has only one opening large enough for a man to enter it. The opening is at the top of the pit.

The pit was part of the jail located here. Perhaps Jesus, being tried and condemned by an illegal, make-shift Sanhedrin meeting in the early morning, was brought to this pit to spend the next few hours.

In the 88th Psalm one can read what could have been the feelings of Jesus if, indeed, He was lowered into this pit.

Peter denied his Lord that night. He did so, I feel, not so much from cowardice as from bewilderment and confusion. He didn't know what Jesus expected him to do. Did he not get rebuked by the Lord in the Garden of Gethsemane just a short time before when he fought for the safety and release of Jesus? Certainly Peter was confused as to what course of action to follow.

Standing on the balcony of the Church of St. Peter Gallicantu, you can see where the courtyard was in which Peter denied his Lord. And as you gaze in that direction you aren't quite as fast to point the accusing finger at the big fisherman. You can recall those times when you, too, denied the Lord by silence or inaction. It is one thing to find fault and blame, it is another thing altogether to take a very deep look into one's own committment. We aren't nearly as perfect as we sometimes think we are. As you leave this beautiful little church building, you do so thinking that you need to spend more time on the log in your own eye and less on the splinter in your neighbor's eye. Jesus was speaking to each of us when He gave that advice.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Alexander, of Wooster, Ohio, formerly of Prestonsburg, have returned to their home from an Ohio Oil & Gas convention held from Nov. 30 to Dec. 4 at the Lucayne Hotel, Freeport, Bahamas.

MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clarke moved recently to the home on Central Avenue which they pruchased from Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Ray have moved to Ashland.

READING TIME FOR ADULTS

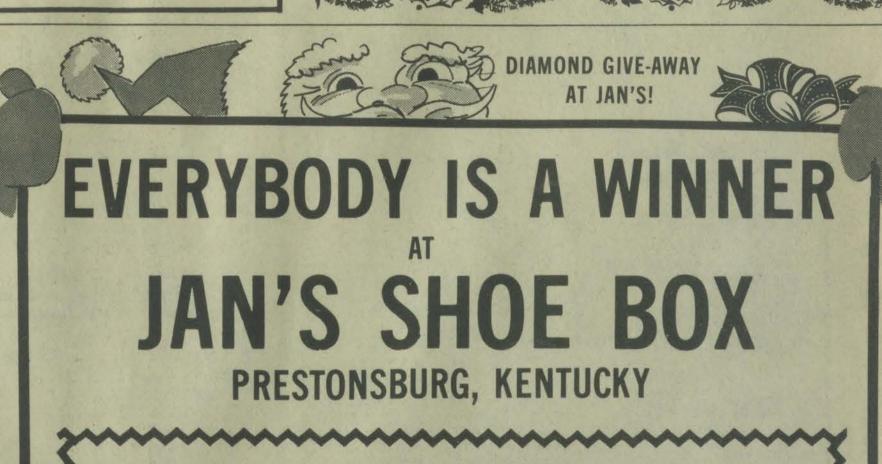
The Educational Testing Service has just completed a nationwide survey on the reading of American adults which reveals American adults spend an average of 1 hour and 46 minutes reading per day. More than 8 hours of reading per day was reported by 6 percent, and less than 5 minutes of reading time per day was reported by 6 percent. Reading at work was reported by 42 percent, averaging 61 minutes.

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Newsome-Wilson Vows



The marriage of Miss Brenda Sue Newsome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Newsome, of Bevinsville, to Mr. Rex David Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wilson, of Bypro, took place at the home of the bride at 5 p.m. on December 1. A double-ring ceremony was performed by the minister, Ellis Holbrook.

Miss Marcella Newsome was her sister's maid of honor. The bridesmaid was Miss Beverly Ann Wilson, sister of the bridegroom. Mr. Mike Howell was best man. The usher was Johnny Mullins. Guests were Mrs. Flora Rife and Mary E. Wilson, grandmothers of the groom; Mrs. Oshie Bryant, Delmer Bryant, Kerry Slush, Mr. and Mrs. Thead Reeves, Vickie Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, Violet Ferguson, Barbara Mullins, Priscilla Compton, Greg Compton, Jeannie Gore, Teresa Williams, Karan Hamby, Terry Hall, William Holbrook.

The Neighborhood Youth Corps (NYC) program, administered by the Manpower Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor, has programs for disadvantaged young people still in school which provide after-school and summertime jobs.

University Women Group Here Backs 'Broad Form' Deed Curb

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The Prestonsburg Branch of the America Appalachian Research and Defense Fund. Association of University Women at its November meeting voted its support of an earlier resolution by a Floyd group calling on the fiscal court to require consent of owners of the surface before mining under the Broad Form deed could be done.

A letter to that effect was prepared for mailing to the court this week. The resolution was adopted after a program relating to the old deed had been presented by three members of the group, Shirley Hughes, Maria Fitzpatrick and Pat Harrison, and its adoption was not by unanimous consent.

The original suggestion to the court that it restrict authority of holders of mineral rights under the old deed was made this summer on behalf of residents of the Bull Creek section by John Rosenberg, of the

Outpost-Pap Smear Clinics Scheduled

The Floyd County Health Department will hold two Outpost Clinics Monday, December 18. One will be in Kidd's Store, Mouth Big Branch, Honaker, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The other clinic will be held in Ethel Osborne's Store, Bypro, also from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Services available at both clincis are TB skin tests, immunizations, blood pressures and diabetes screening. On December 20, Wednesday, a Pap Smear Clinic will be held at the Floyd County Health Dept. from 9 a.m.-11:30 p.m. and 1 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

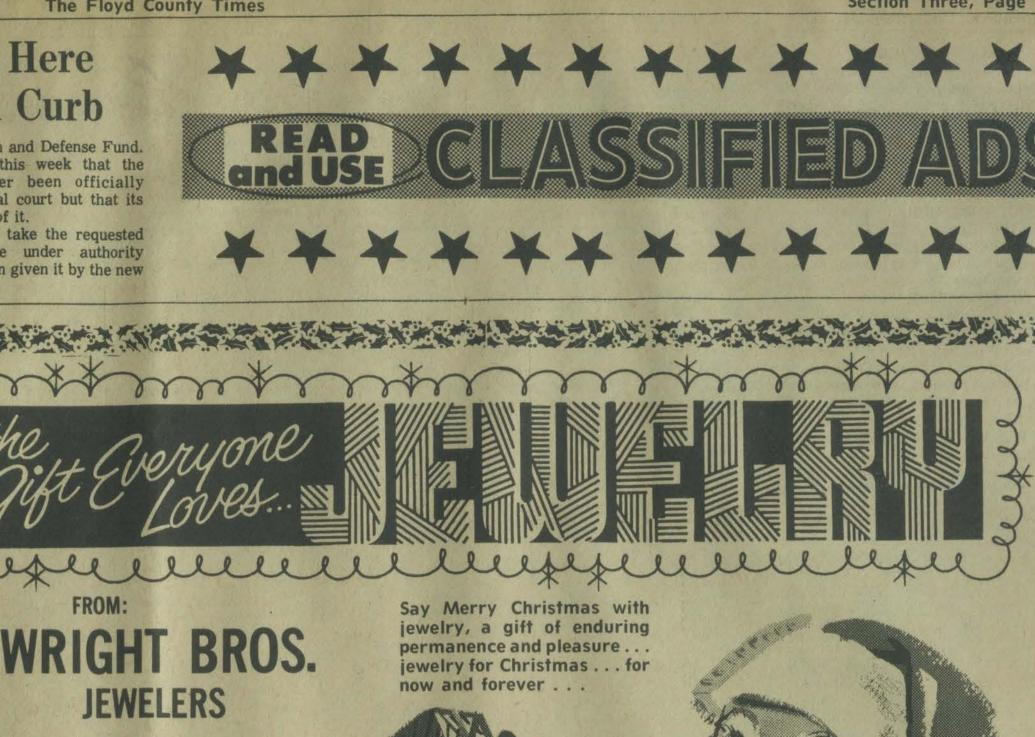
When frontiersman John Colter died in 1813, the sale of his personal property included this item: "To John Simpson—one Dutch oven—\$4." That was the equivalent of a week's pay. Today you can buy an identical Dutch oven for about the same price.—SPORTS AFIELD

Save On These Pre-Christmas Specials!

The Times learned this week that the resolution has never been officially presented to the fiscal court but that its members are aware of it. If the court should take the requested

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activity," he said.

At May Lodge

Last Friday's performance of "You're a

Good Man, Charlie Brown" rang down the

curtain on the Jenny Wiley Repertory

Company's season at the May Lodge dinner

theatre, and it could have been the com-

The decision to suspend the plays

scheduled at the lodge this season was

made by the Jenny Wiley Drama

Association when it became apparent that

attendance would not produce revenues

sufficient to make the dinner theatre self-

supporting. The drama association's

reserves were drained by a poor season at

the amphitheatre, with 25 nights of rain cutting into attendance last summer, and it

could not bolster the dinner theatre group's

The first dinner theatre offering, "The

Owl and the Pussycat," drew capacity

crowds, but subsequent offerings, though

artistic successes, slumped at the box of-

"We haven't given up on the dinner

theatre at May Lodge and are still hopeful

it can be revived," Jack Wicker, director-

manager, said. Mr. Wicker also appeared

in the lead role in "The Owl and the

Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Jr., of the Drama

Association, pointed to the lack of com-

munity support as one reason for the

theatre failure. "The people in this area

simply do not come out for this type of

It also was pointed out that the repertory

company was not financially able to pay for

advertising in daily newspapers to draw

theatre-goers from larger population

Both Mr. Wicker and Dr. Campbell

lauded the cooperation afforded by Lonnie

Durbin, Jenny Wiley State Park manager.

Mr. Durbin expressed the hope that the

dinner theatre idea will not be abandoned

but will be revived by the parks system,

Kosopoo, who played leading roles in

"You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown,"

"It's not just that we're losing jobs,"

either here or at other parks.

have returned to New York.

whole thing we created."

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Christmas Decoration Contest Slated Here

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club will sponsor the Christmas home decoration contest with judging set for Thursday, Dec. 21, between the hours of 7 and 9 p.m.

Cash prizes will be awarded for the best doorway, the best overall exterior and the best religious decoration. For further information contact Mrs.

John F. Brown, contest chairman.



NEW CARRIER



Jeffery A. "Butch" Horn, 14, of Highland Heights, is the new Lexington Herald carrier in the Prestonsburg area, which includes Auxier and the Middle Creek road, it is announced by Dave Ward, the Lexington newspaper's district circulation manager. A son of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Horn and a freshman at Prestonsburg high school, he is saving his newspaper earnings for later college expenses. He is a former carrier here for another daily newspaper.

HALE-NUNLEY

Miss Linda Earle Nunley and Denzil Hale exchanged marriage vows at noon Saturday, November 4 at Forest Glen Chapel, Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Silver Spring, Maryland. Major Charles Simpson, Chaplain, United States Army, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lolan Earl Nunley of San Antonio, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Wornie Hale, of Hueysville, Kentucky are parents of the groom.

The bride's sister, Miss Jan Nunley of Baylor University, Waco, Texas was maid of honor.

Clay Moseley, of Ninety - Six, South Miss Adrienne Doucette and Paul Carolina served as best man.

Following the ceremony the bride's parents hosted a wedding breakfast in Washington, D. C.

After a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Miss Doucette remarked. "We're losing the Va., the couple will reside in East Riverdale, Maryland.

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BAPTIST WOMEN MEET

Women of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson were visited Church met December 4 at 7:30 p.m. at the by their daughters, Mrs. J. S. Kelly, and home of Mrs. W. J. Dingus on Highland granddaughter, Kelly Ann, of Lexington, avenue, the president, Mrs. W. D. Jaggers, and Mrs. Kay Steinau, of Louisville, presiding and conducting the devotionals. Thanksgiving Day. Reports were given by the various committees. Mrs. M. Robert Regan and Mrs. OVERNIGHT GUESTS John Evans presented the program, "Ask Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short had as their of Me," on foreign missions. Refreshments overnight guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. were served by Mrs. Dingus to Mrs. David Olson, students at Bowling Green Maman Leslie, Mrs. Robert Regan, Mrs. University at Bowling Green, Ohio, who W. D. Jaggers, Mrs. Gormon Collins, Mrs. were en route home from Atlanta, Ga. Ed Minns, Mrs. Esther Evans, Mrs. Nelle Lawson, Mrs. John Evans, Mrs. Rebecca VISITS FATHER Rasnick, Mrs. Horace Tiller, Mrs. Camden Garrett, Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Helen B. her father, John Wolf, of Pittsburg, Pa., Clark.

BACK FOR CHECKUP

Mrs. Roy Perry returned to Huntington cataract operation. She is doing nicely. She his aunt, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards. He is a Shivel and Mrs. Willie Mellon.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Arthur Haywood returned to his home Sunday, from the Prestonsburg General Hospital. He is doing nicely.

VISIT PARENTS

Mrs. Wm. J. Baird, III, and daughters, Virginia Kirk and Elizabeth Ann, of Pikeville, were here last Friday visiting Angelo, Texas, were here last week briefly her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts. Mrs. Roberts is doing nicely following an nessee to visit her relatives. They formerly injury suffered in a fall.

HERE ON THANKSGIVING

Mrs. Clyde Burchett is at the bedside of

HERE FOR BRIEF VISIT

Gilbert Dewart, of Sierra Madre, Calif., last Thursday for a check-up following a was here last Tuesday for a brief visit with was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Luther seismologist and is preparing for an exposition to Alaska next spring. He was a business visitor to the Polar Study Department of The University of Ohio in Columbus, Ohio for the U.S. government before coming here. He visited a cousin, Mrs. Gertrude Auxier Johnson, in

HERE FOR A VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. James Morrell, of San greeting friends while en route to Tenresided here.

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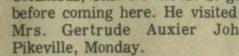
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VISITS IN LEXINGTON

Mrs. Emma Compton has returned from

a three-week visit with her grandson, Don

Mrs. Victor Hale has returned from a

visit with her sister, Mrs. Belva Hocken-

smith, in Lexington, and with her father, J.

N. Hamilton, and her sister, Mrs. H. T.

Collins, and Mrs. Collins in Lexington.

RETURNS FROM LEXINGTON

Parrish, at Stamping Ground.

By ED W. HANCOCK

Consumer Comments

Attorney General of Kentucky When you find you need repairs on your home, your car, or anything, beware of phony repairs. If you become a victim, the repairman may charge you for parts he didn't install. He may pad your bill, or charge you for work he didn't do.

Verbally, the repairman may give you one price, then, often, after he gets the appliance part, he will double the price.

If the repairman tells you he will have to take the appliance to the shop to finish the repairs, don't consent until he gives you a written estimate of the repair costs and promises, in writing, there will be no extra charge without you consent.

Many times a phony repairman will try to talk you into signing a statement that repairs have been done before they are completed to your satisfaction. If this happens, I suggest you find a reputable repairman to do the work.

Each year unaware consumers are gyped and swindled out of millions of dollars. It would, therefore, be to your advantage to keep abreat of the schemes and tactics being perpetrated by the professional conmen.

If you have a consumer complaint of problem, you are invited to call the Consumer Hotline, toll-free, at 1-800 372-2960.

Ballot Count In UMW Vote **Is Under Way**

Sometime next week, the results of the closely guarded balloting of thousands of United Mine Workers for new national officers are expected to be known.

The tabulation of votes has already begun, and in one area supporters of Arnold Miller, who opposed W. A. "Tony" Boyle for the top post in the union were disappointed. In another, Miller held the edge. Most observers expect Boyle to win.

The ballots cast by District 30 miners were flown from the Pikeville airport Saturday to a Department of Labor office at Silver Spring, Md., for counting.

The Department of Labor's Management Services Administration said Saturday most of the time between then and Tuesday will be spent sifting through challenges which revolve mostly around whether miners voted at assigned places or went to another poll.

If they went elsewhere, it must be ascertained that they did not vote twice, the department said. More than 1,000 agents from the department supervised the voting at some 1,500 polling places. No major

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incidents were reported.

The turnout was very good Friday, according to Carl Crouch who supervised balloting in District 30 in the Pikeville area. "At one smaller local we had 100 per cent turnout." he said.

Harlan county miners were the last to cast the Kentucky's final votes in the trouble-free election.

In Western Kentucky, the ballots cast in District 23 were shipped to Washington late Friday. Voting in the district ended Thursday.

But elsewhere around the state and in West Virginia, the ballots were sealed Saturday into their containers. In some places, those containers were locked into luggage compartments of buses but in Pikeville it was an airplane chosen as the mode of transportation.



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