PRESTONSBURG,

The Floud County Times

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 1972

# **Board Buys** Wheelwr't Grid Field

FLOYD

# Advertising for Bids On Betsy Layne Job **Authorized** at Meet

The Floyd County Board of Education last week purchased from the Island Creek Coal Company the Wheelwright athletic field for use of the school there and at Saturday's meeting moved to begin installation of lighting at the field in the hope of completing the work before the opening of the 1972 football season.

The 2.97-acre tract, which is under fence. already has bleachers and has metal light poles on the ground, was bought for \$5,000. Island Creek ownership of the field came through its purchase of the Wheelwright properties of the Inland Steel Co., which acquired the property 26 years ago.

Without a lighted field, Wheelwright high school played all its "home" games last year away from home.

The Board authorized George Lee Shannon, architect, to advertise for bids on the construction of a structure at Betsy Layne to replace the lunchroom and some classrooms destroyed by fire.

Advertising for bids was also authorized on blacktopping at Allen Central high school; carpetry at Clark elementary for the lower grades, in order to comply with Right-to-Read Program requirements: contract hauling of pupils, and fleet in-

Huey Darby was employed as special vocational education counsellor at Betsy Layne high school. The Board approved a color guard and drill team from Ft. Knox contract with Kentucky Business College for adult education business classes at Prestonsburg high school.

Resignations of Zella Faye Wallace, Genevieve Pope and Steve Rigsby from teaching position were accepted.

# Sheriff, Deputy 'Roughed Up'

Sheriff Frank Leslie and Deputy Sheriff Otto Fannin ran into unexpected trouble Friday on Bull Creek where they went to serve an insanity warrant on Cecil Whitt,

Sheriff Leslie said Whitt had earlier warned him that he would "blow him up" if he came after him. But Leslie said he had had no trouble with Whitt on other occasions and so gave the threat little thought till Whitt ran into his home after cursing the officers on their arrival. Sheriff Leslie followed him inside and saw Whitt attempting to plug into an electric outlet what appeared to be an armature which he suspected might have been rigged to cause a fire or explosion.

The two closed and in the ensuing tussle the glasses of both the sheriff and Deputy Sheriff Fannin were broken, Leslie was struck alongside his head with a roller from an automatic washer, a bed was broken down, a door partially torn from its hinges and a chest overturned. The officers used their nightsticks as Whitt held onto Fannin's revolver, but they subdued him only when they succeeded in getting a trouserleg around his throat and choked him.

Whitt was brought to jail here and later was transferred to the Prestonsburg General Hospital. In addition to the blow on his head, Sheriff Leslie was scratched about his face, and also suffered a leg in-





This Town . . . That World

July Fourth...traditionally the day to

'make the eagle scream." But the day may

come when there will be no eagle. We are

told that Western ranchers, using poison

and guns, threaten to exterminate the

national symbol because they regard the

eagle a bird of prey which decimates their

flocks. When, and if, the day ever comes

that the eagle is no more because of man's

cupidity, wilfulness and folly, we suggest

that we adopt the buzzard as the national

THE MEMORIAL TO THE WAR DEAD

The designation of July 4, Independence

Day, as the date for the dedication of the

memorial at Archer Park here to the

county's war dead is truly fitting. These to

whom we all owe a debt that we can never

pay found life as dear as any of us, but there

wasn't a defector in the lot. They served to

the "last, full measure," and but for their

sacrifice "independence" would be only a

word to be whispered fearfully by us oldsters

(See Story 5, Back Page, Sec. 1)

NO EAGLE TO SCREAM?

Left-Part of the crowd at the Floyd County War Memorial dedication. At right-Mrs. Ballard Connors, of Dayton, O., in front of memorial plaque where she had laid a wreath in memory of war dead. The name of her son, Ballard R. Connors, Jr., Vietnam victim, is one of those on the memorial plaque.

# Memorial to War Dead Dedicated

A crowd of several thousand persons jammed Archer Park and watched from vantage points outside the park as the Floyd County War Memorial was dedicated here, the afternoon of July 4.

Congressman Carl D. Perkins, recently risen from a sick-bed, came here to deliver the dedicatory address. In the gathering were parents and other relatives of the men to whose memory the memorial was

The bronze plaque unveiled at the ceremony bears the names of 20 Floyd victims of World War I, 154 of World War II, 30 of the Korean Conflict and 19 of the

Vietnam fighting. The U.S. flag and flags of the 50 states which encircle the memorial were often whipped by a stiff breeze as the program proceeded. Two Army helicopter gunships circled overhead, and at the conclusion of the program staged an aerial dogfight. A added military honors for the war dead.

Welcoming the gathering to the dedication, Dr. George P. Archer, mayor of Prestonsburg, expressed his personal appreciation to the people who by their

contributions made the memorial possible. The invocation was said by the Rev. W. Methodist Church. Following Dr. Archer's address, representatives of the Veterans of made.) Foreign Wars, the American Legion, American Veterans and Disabled American Veterans made brief remarks, as did Circuit Judge Hollie Conley and County Judge Henry Stumbo. Following the

County Clerk C. "Ollie" Robinson pointed

out this week in a discussion of new election

These are two items of the legislation

enacted the 1972 General Assembly in

changing the residency requirements of

voters. Under the new law a voter is eligible

to cast his ballot in a precinct if he has

resided there 30 days. Prior to passage of

the new act, a 60-day residency was

being compensated for by a central,

computerized system of maintaining

registration and voting records at Frank-

fort. Names of voters who die or move from

a precinct will be reported by county clerks

of the state to the central office at Frank-

fort, and the voting lists for each election

Elimination of county purgation boards is

required.

Voters To Register

November election of the following year, two consecutive elections.

Anew, Law Provides

Purgation boards will cease to exist after will come from the capital. The computer

the November election this year, and every will automatically purge names of all

voter must re-register before the voters who fail to exercise their ballots at

presentation of the colors by the Fort Knox color guard, Congressman Perkins delivered the dedicatory address, and this was followed by the prayer of dedication with audience response, led by the Rev. W. D. Jaggers, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church. Then the plaque was unveiled by commanders of local veterans' groups, the Ft. Knox detachment gave the salute and "Taps." The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Dan Heintzleman, of Martin.

# **Moore Arrested** On Left Beaver

The lone liquor haul reported as of Monday was made, early last week, when Deputy Sheriffs Dester Hamilton and Jackie Bartley arrested Sherman Moore on Sizemore mountain and confiscated 48

Jake Moore and Edgell Hall, of the Left Beaver Creek section, were booked here Monday by Deputy Sheriff Ralph Howell on a charge of shooting into a dwelling house with intent to kill.

(Closing of offices for the holiday made Howard Coop, pastor of the United difficult the task of learning details of several offenses in which arrests were

What is reported as family trouble resulted Saturday in the arrest on Cove Creek of John Endicott and Cecil Jarrell on charges of reckless use of deadly weapons.

(See Story 4, Back Page, Sec. 1)

County Clerk Robinson said the new

registration forms are expected here within

a few weeks and that when they do he will

permit new voter-registrants to register on

the old form, which will be in use till after

next May's primary, and also on the new

form in order to save them the in-

convenience of registering later. He also

said he and others from his office will spend

two or three days at each precinct in the

county next year to afford registration

County election commissions under the

new law will have a fourth member. In

addition to the sheriff and one represen-

tative from each of the major political

parties, the county clerk will be added, and

he will be chairman of the commission.

convenience to voters.

# Suit Filed Here **Assails Rights** Under Old Deed

to our children.

Rights of coal operators and the C. & O. Railway Company under terms of 68-yearold mineral deed were attacked in a suit filed July 1 in circuit court here by owners of a Stephens Branch tract of land at or near Manton.

Involved is a tract of 502 acres of land which was acquired by John and Cynthia Dove from Wes and Sarah Hale, but the coal and other mineral rights had been sold in 1906 by earlier owners, David and Florence Kennedy, to the Montrose Land and Mining Company, which in turn conveyed these rights to the Beaver Creek Coal and Coke Company. The Kennedys were

The plaintiffs, Cynthia Dove, Adrian and Rose Lovely, Marylen and Ruby Joseph, Earl and Margie Yates, Paul and Lillian Dove, name as defendants the Manton Elkhorn Coal Co., Left Beaver Coal Co., Stephens Elkhorn Coal Corp. and the C. & O. Railway Company as defendants.

Plaintiffs allege that defendants were on, and prior to, last Feb. 20 using their land for purposes of processing, cleaning, storing and hauling products from their land in which they have no interest by lease or otherwise. They allege that trains block ingress and egress to and from their home and that Mrs. Cynthia Dove has no way of reaching her home at such times unless she

# 16 Persons Hurt In Three Wrecks

(See, Story 6, Back Page, Sec. 1)

Although the county had had no holiday traffic fatalities as of Monday noon, at least 16 persons involved in three wrecks had been given emergency treatment or hospitalized at the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

Seven persons, none of whom were immediately identified, were taken to the hospital at noon Tuesday following a headon crash of two autos at "Winchester," near Emma. Some were believed severely

Seven others were treated Monday afternoon following a four-car pileup near the Blue Sky Motel here. Two others were hurt in a wreck, near the mouth of Spradlin Branch, here Monday morning.

None of those in the Monday afternoon wreck was believed to have been seriously hurt. They were listed as Gerlene Goble, of Endicott, Mariah Hammond, of Water Gap, Rhoda, Nancy Jane and James L. Ousley, all of Risner, Cola and Ora Salisbury, of Hunter.

The epidemic of highway accidents apparently centered in the Prestonsburg area. Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin and the McDowell Memorial Hospital reported no wreck-injured had been hospitalized there.

Meanwhile, eight had reportedly died on the expense of driving a long distance. Kentucky highways.

Floyd Budget Set At \$371,678 Total **Road Fund Gets** 

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Wanda K. Joseph vs. Ashland Joseph. Nadeline Hall Keathley vs. James E. Keathley. Ed Hall vs. Vernie Justice Hall. Harbert Keith Swiger vs. Dottie Swiger. Aulda Shepherd vs. Martha S. Smith. James D. McGuire vs. Investors Heritage Life. Kenneth Calhoun vs. Katherine N. Calhoun. Mildred Hatfield vs. Enoch Hatfield. Ella Music vs. Kenneth Music. Delores Wells vs. Michael S. Wells. Cynthia Dove, et. al. vs. Manton Elkhorn Coal Co. Carol N. Bowling vs. Lonzo J. Bowling.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Kenneth Bradford, 18, Blue River, and Shelby Tackett, 18, Wales, Ky. Robert Ray Shuman, 48, and Lavern Wallen, 39, both of Akron, O. Danny Lyle Stumbo, 19, Mc-Dowell, and Violet A. Spears, 19, Price. Carl Dean Conley, 22, Hueysville, and Sally Fay Hale, 18, Waldo, Ky. Dulton Gearheart, 20, Hueysville, and Brenda Kaye Hale, 16, Waldo, Ky. Roger Lee Paige, 19, Teaberry, and Brenda L. Mitchell, 18, East McDowell. Kenneth Ratcliff, 21, and Sharon Spencer, 17, both of Martin. Johnnie Denvil Patton, 20, Weeksbury, and Cheryl Lynn Stumbo,

# Tax Rate Voted By Fiscal Court Slightly Higher

The tax rate voted Friday by the Floyd fiscal court to provide county revenues showed raises in five categories but altogether increased the overall rate by only 3 cents per \$100 evaluation.

Biggest single increase was made on the (down \$500); trial commissioner, \$6,000 (up school tax rate, which is up 1.9 cents to 50.9 \$2,400) cents per \$100 valuation. Other items in the

County levy, 17.7 cents, up .7 cent; health, (CET), 1 cent, unchanged; gym tax, which affects only Prestonsburg propertyowners, 7.6 cents, up .1 cent; library, 1.7 supplies, \$2,000. cents, up .1 cent; timber, 2 cents per acre,

budget of \$371,678. County Judge Henry Stumbo said some loss in real estate assessment as the result of the over-65 assessment exemption made slight increases in the levy necessary. Overall, the \$18,000 (up \$1,000). Included in the jail (See Story 3, Back Page, Sec. 1)

\$33,400 Increase Over Last Year

The Floyd Budget Commission last week adopted a budget calling for the expenditure during the fiscal year beginning July 1 of \$371,678-roughly, \$58,000 more than the county's actual expenses for the preceding 12 months.

The budget was based on anticipated revenues of \$361,678 and a surplus from the preceding year of \$10,000.

A major item in the new budget is the \$140,600 outlay proposed on county roads. This is \$33,400 more than was spent in fiscal 1971-'72. Road expenditures were broken down into \$2,500 for labor, \$21,500 for materials, \$2,000 for rights-of-way, \$85,000 for the equipment operation account, \$12,400 for machinery repairs, \$5,000 for new road machinery and \$7,200 salary of a road engineer.

Budgeted for general government was \$145,838, a department on which \$125,256 was spent last fiscal year. Other major budget classifications are: Protection to person and property, \$20,000 (\$1,000 more than was actually spent last fiscal year); health and sanitation, \$2,450, an increase of \$50 from last year; hospitals, charities and corrections, \$5,990, down from the \$7,149 spent last year; libraries and other educational activities, \$2,000, an increase of \$1800; debt service, \$15,000, \$1,500 less than for last year; miscellaneous general fund items, \$36,900, an increase of \$9,100.

Salaries listed in the budget follow, with changes, if any, appearing in parentheses): County judge, \$12,600; judge pro-tem, \$500 (decreased \$600 from actual expenditures last year); other salaries connected with county judge's office, \$4,800; jury fund and commission, \$3,000

County attorney, \$9,600; other salaries, \$4,800 (up \$900)

County Clerk, \$1,200; fees, \$3,800; office 3.1 cent, up .2 cent; county extension tax materials and supplies, \$5,500 (down \$200). Sheriff, \$5,500 (down \$200).

Tax commissioner, \$3,038; miscellaneous

County treasurer, \$1,800 (up \$300). County auditor, \$1,200; other auditing

The tax levy was calculated to meet a service, \$1,100 (up \$300). Magistrates' salaries, \$14,400 (up \$4,800);

per diem pay, \$1,800 (up \$600); expense account, \$4,800 Jailer: Janitor, \$2,400; dieting prisoners,

(See Story 2, Back Page, Sec. 1)

# Orchestra and Ballet Slate Mini-Fest, 2 Free Concerts



Scene from "The Unicorn" performance slated here.

Prestonsburg will be the scene of a lively the Festival at noon, Wednesday, July 12, in Mini Festival of music and dance, Wednesday and Thursday, July 12 and 13.

prices is especially designed to provide summer fun for the entire family. The Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra and Cincinnati Ballet Company will present four outdoor concerts (two of them admission free), giving Prestonsburg area residents an opportunity to enjoy top-notch professional symphony and ballet without delighful pantomine.

The Cincinnati Ballet Company will open

the Prestonsburg municipal parking lot with a performance of "The Unicorn, The The Mini Festival of maxi fun at mini Gorgon, and The Manticore," a danced madrigal fable written by Gian Carlo Menotti. David McLain, artistic director of the ballet company, will introduce "The Unicorn" and explain some of the dance principles used in this unique work. Admission will be free, and everyone is invited to spend the lunch hour watching this

> Wednesday evening at 8, Carmon (See Story 1, Back Page, Sec. 1)

Part of the Action At Recent Regatta

SOME OF THE BOATS COMPETING IN THE RECENT SECOND ANNUAL Dewey Lake Regatta are shown under "full steam" as they drive downlake. The regatta was sanctioned by the National Outboard Association and was sponsored by the Prestonsburg elementary PTA.

#### T MYRTLE BEACH

Miss Margaret Ann Collins and Miss Lois V. C. for two weeks. They will return home

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Salyers, of St. Cloud, of Boca Raton, Florida. Plorida, are here visiting relatives and riends. They have visited Mr. and Mrs. RETURN TO FLORIDA Arthur Howard, and Mrs. Rebecca Dingus and others.

# 1970 Chevrolet Nova

V-8 engine, automatic transmission.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Virginia Kirk Baird, daughter of Mr. and Baldridge are vacationing at Myrtle Beach, Mrs. William Baird, III, celebrated her fourth birthday, June 27, at her home in Pikeville. Among her guests were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Mrs. Robert A. Collins and daughter, Judy,

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Salyers, returned to their home in St. Cloud, Fla. last Wednesday after visiting Mrs. Rebecca Dingus here and relatives on Little Paint. Mrs. Ray Collins accompanied them to St. Cloud to accompany Mrs. Sally D. Newman here for arrangement of spring flowers. Those her annual visit with relatives.

#### DINNER AT CAMPBELL HOUSE

Mrs. Charles Blakeman was honored with a dinner at the Campbell House in Lexington, following her recent graduation. YOUTH RALLY TO MEET SUNDAY AT Members of her family present were Mr. Blakeman, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Mrs. B. F. Combs, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs II, John Mason Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Combs, Mrs. Nelle Turpin. Church of Christ in Prestonsburg. The

SWEETHEART BANQUET HELD

The Ladies' Christian Circle of the Arnold Avenue Church of Christ held its Sweetheart Banquet recently at the May Lodge of Jenny Wiley State Park. Each Lady honored her husband with the meal of his choice. Table decorations were provided by Mrs. Maxine Bierman, president of the circle set off by an artificial present at the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bierman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde George, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilliland.

CHURCH HERE The Big Sandy Valley Youth Rally will have its monthly meeting this Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. at the Arnold Avenue program will be provided by various persons from the church. All area young people are invited to attend this event. Bill Gilliland is minister of the church.

#### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Collins announce the birth of their second son at the Pikeville Methodist hospital on June 26. He has been named Craig Derric. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Ball, of Lexington, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Collins, of Wayland.

#### FIRST CHILD BORN

Sgt. and Mrs. S. A. Baca announces the birth of their first child, a son-Sanford Andrew-May 11 at Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin. Mrs. Baca is the former Wanita Kay Ousley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Ousley, of Martin. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Baca, of Portales, New Mexico.

#### ARRIVES FROM IRAN

Mrs. Mossa Mirzaian and sons, Carl and Behnan, of Tehran, Iran, arrived last week at Cincinnati Airport where they were met by her mother, Mrs. Mary Allene Riffe, and grandmother, Mrs. Grayce Golden. They visited her sister, Mrs. Robert A. Butt, Major Burt and children in Fairborn, Ohio, before coming here. On Wednesday they will meet Capt. Mirzaian at Disney World, Florida, and will spend a week or more there with him. Mrs. Riffe and Mrs. Golden are accompanying them to Florida. Mrs. Mirzaian and sons, will visit here until July 18, when they will return to Iran.

#### TOURING FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Dr. and Mrs. Winston Layne Burke, of Lexington, left Sunday for a three-week tour of Switzerland, Germany and Italy. His mother, Mrs. Grace L. Burke, will be with their children during their absence.

# HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Campbell Jeffries, of California, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Victoria M. Spradlin en rout here, she visited relatives

# VISITING SON HERE

Mrs. B. R. Pennington and son, Bernie R. other places in the Southwest. Pennington, of Miami, Oklahoma, are guests of her son, Rev. H. E. Pennington, VISITING IN CALIFORNIA and family.

ATTEND MAGGARD—SMITH WEDDING Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill and daughter, Mrs. Forrest Skaggs, of Lynch, attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Sharon Cassell Maggard, daughter of Mrs. John L. Henderson, of Lexington, and the late Dr. Vernon C. Maggard, to Mr. Ronald Lee Smith, son of Mrs. W. F. Smith, of Louisville, and the late Mr. Smith, at the Crestwood Christian Church in Lexington, July 1.

# VISIT HERE

Mrs. Kay Taylor and two sons and her father, Marlitt Combs, of Spencer, W. Va., spent several days here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Combs. Mr. and Mrs. Combs drove them home last Saturday.

# IN RESERVE TRAINING

Sgt. John Henry Blackburn left June 17 for two weeks' Reserve training at Ft.

# SPENDING 4TH IN PIKEVILLE

Mrs. Margaret P. Alley went to Pikeville Monday to spend the holiday with her sisters, Mrs. J. R. Herron and Miss Lena T. Porter. Mrs. Herron is recovering from a

# VISIT RELATIVES

broken ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gunnell and Mrs. Debbie Blackburn were in Ashland recently to meet Mrs. Blackburn's sister, Miss Ella Lynn Gunnell. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shular Cecil at Olive Hill. On Sunday, Mrs. Blackburn and Miss Gunnell visited Carter Caves.

## Mrs. Thomas Bolling will go to the merchandise mart in Chicago, the latter

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hawk, of Chicago, visited, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bradley, and "Butch" here and his mother at Wayland over the weekend.

part of the week to buy merchandise.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Layne, Rochester, Indiana, visited her sister, Mrs. J. B. Ford, and his mother, Mrs. George Layne, here

over the holiday weekend. Miss Lena Jo Allen, of Cincinnati, visited her mother, Mrs. Mallie Allen, at Hueys-

ville over the holiday weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Burke and son, Baker, of Jackson, visited his mother, Mrs. E. R. Burke, here Sunday.

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#### VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trosper and Lori Ellen were week-end guests of Mrs. Trosper's mother, Mrs. Zella Archer. Lori Ellen remained here for a longer visit with her grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs.

#### VISITING AT EASTERN

Mr. and Mrs. William Regin and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Castle, of Eastern,

# VISIT MRS. WIECHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiechers, Jr. and two daughters, of Frankfort, are here for the July 4 holiday, guests of his mother, Mrs. Cathering Wiechers.

#### ENTERTAIN FOR MRS. MILBY

Mrs. Effie Milby was honored on her birthday, June 26, with a luncheon at May Lodge. Covers were laid for Mrs. Milby, Mrs. Newt May and Mrs. Combs.

#### IN LEXINGTON HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lula Lafferty is in a Lexington hospital where she had major surgery Monday. Her family is with her.

#### VISIT IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Anna Lowe, Mrs. Ruby Wallace, Mrs. Rosa Oney, Mrs. Pearl Sturgill and Mrs. Grace Cox, of Garrett, have returned from a ten-day visit with Mrs. Cox's daughters, Mrs. Herbert Neal, and Mrs. Harry Grass at Williamsburg, Va. While there they toured all historical places in and near Williamsburg.

#### CO-HOSTS TO PASTOR

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts and Mrs. John W. Sutherland were hosts to dinner last Thursday evening to Rev. and Mrs. Howard Coops at the Roberts home. They were also overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts prior to their moving into the Methodist parsonage on Friday. The Rev. Coops is the new pastor of the church.

#### VISIT FRIENDS

While in Lexington on business last week Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, visited the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Compton and Miss Lucille Graves. TO PRESENT PROGRAM

#### GO TO PANAMA CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr. and children, accompanied by Margaret Buchanan, left last Thursday for a ten-day stay in Panama City, Florida.

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts and Mrs. Minnie Grace Sutherland attended the funeral of Lola Viola Burke at Stanville.

#### RETURN TO NEW MEXICO Miss Mary Jo Shivel, who spent three

weeks of her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel, returned to Albuquerque, N. M. last Friday. Miss Linda Sue Stephens accompanied her. They will spend the remainder of the summer in Mexico and

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bradbury left Blue Grass Airport last week for a visit with his brother, Commander John Bradbury, at Huntington Beach, California. They will go to San Francisco before returning home.

# HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Wilbur G. Stiles returned to his home last week from the Prestonsburg General Hospital, where he had surgery. He is doing

# VISITING PARENTS HERE

Captain and Mrs. Ellis Buchanan and daughters, Wendy, Tracy and Maurya, who are stationed at Lockland Air Base, San Antonio, Texas, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb, on Third street. His mother, Mrs. Mary Buchanan, of Bulan, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Webb. While here they were visited by Mr. Glenn Spradlin, of Martin, Mrs. Margaret Salyers, of Paintsville, and Mrs. Robert Sturgill, of Hindman.

# SURPRISES ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin was surprised on her birthday, June 25, at her home when relatives and friends called to greet her. After a social hour, gifts were presented to her and refreshments served to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Damron, Kingston, Ohio, Mrs. Regina M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Don Howard, Vicky and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., Russell Pelphrey, Greenville Spradlin and William Arnold Spradlin.

#### SPEND WEEKEND HERE Mrs. Fanny Jarrell was visited over the

weekend by Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher and daughters, of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Jarrell, of Louisa.

#### IS VISITOR HERE Mrs. Doll May Lafferty, of Raceland, is

here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lafferty,

#### RETURNS FROM WEST VIRGINIA Mrs. Sallye L. Clark returned home last Thursday from a two-week visit with her

Coyner cousins in West Virginia.

VISIT MRS. LEETS Mrs. Claudia F. Leete, who is critically ill at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Phillip Morris, in Ashland, was visited last Thursday by Mrs. C. W. May and Miss

# IN HOSPITAL

Sarah Clay Stephens.

Thomas Hereford is a rest patient at the Prestonsburg General Hospital following an illness suffered last Friday. His condition is improved.

# CORNETT-TUSSEY



Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cornette, of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Ira Joe Tussey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Tussey, of David, Ky. An August wedding is planned.

Miss Cornette is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and Prestonsburg Com-

munity College. Mr. Tussey is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. He attended Prestonsburg

#### Community College and is now a senior at Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond.

HERE FROM OHIO Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Setser and sons, Craig and Brian, of Germantown, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rodebaugh, and children. James Setser, of

Auxier, is also their guest.

STORK SHOWER The Jenny Wiley Chantresses gave a stork shower for Mrs. Edward Hazelette, of Paintsville, a member of the group, at the home of Mrs. Tom James, June 29. After presenting Mrs. Hazelette with a gift, Mrs. Margaret Alley presided at the punch bowl, Mrs. Robert Collins and daughter, Judy, of Boca Raton, Fla., gave a program of piano music during the evening.

The Jenny Wiley Chantresses will present program of old songs at the Sesquicentenial in Louisa, Friday afternoon, July 7. Wallace J. Williamson, III, well-known historian of the region, will be the speaker.

# UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Johnny C. Adams, of the Middle Creek road, underwent surgery at the Prestonsburg General Hospital last Friday. She was able to return home, Sunday.

#### IN COVINGTON HOSPITAL

Savage W. Allen, of Covington, formerly of Prestonsburg, is seriously ill at Boothe Memorial Hospital, Covington. Relatives from here who visited him over the weekend included his father, R. T. Allen, Ann Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Daniels, William C. Allen and David Gibson.

#### GOES TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Yukiko Allen joined her husband, -Thomas J. Allen, Jr., in Woodland Hills, Calif., recently after a visit here. She was accompanied to Standiford Airport, Louisville, by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, Sr. and granddaughter, Robin Lynn.

#### RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Millard Hughes has returned from the UK Medical Center where he underwent examination last week. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Hughes and his brother, Arthur F. Hughes. He will return to the hospital later this month.

#### VISITING RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Eskridge and sons, -Jeffery and Albert, of Dania, Fla., have spent the past week here with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan.

#### VISIT IN LOUISVILLE

Mrs. Tom G. Dingus and daughter, Gwen Carolyn, spent a few days last week in Louisville with another daughter, Elizabeth Graham.

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# Home Rule and a Tax Source

It has been suggested to the Floyd fiscal court that it exercise its powers under the new Home Rule law and levy a tax on strip-mine

The court is weighing the suggestion carefully, may not be overanxious to act, but it is a decision it will ultimately have to make, one way or the other. And the public will be watching to see how the ball

As matters now stand, the present state severance tax on coal penalizes the deep-mine operator and fails to help the counties that yield the coal.

The underground operator is required to pay the same per-ton tax on his coal that is paid by the strip-miner, although the latter produces coal at a fraction of the cost of underground mining. The balances are tipped so heavily in favor of the surface miner that the producer of coal by way of the "drift mouth" is at a competitive disadvantage—so much so that deep mining may be on its way out. And if that happens, if deep-mine operators are forced to guit or to turn to surface mining, the unemployment picture will indeed be a distressing one in the coal fields, since it is the deep mines that use manpower in the production of coal.

The coal-producing counties are, in effect, penalized because they do not directly benefit from the severance tax on the coal which is leaving their land forever as the tax goes into the state's general fund. (The argument that tobacco and liquor taxes go into the general fund, too, and that the coal severance tax therefore belongs in the same fund, fails to convince—for the simple reason that neither tobacco nor liquor is irreplaceable.)

The fiscal courts of this and all other coal-producing counties can achieve three things by imposing their own severance tax on stripmined coal:

1. They can more nearly give the deep-mine operator an even break with the surface miner.

2. They can relieve farmers and other taxpayers of some of the burden by collecting from strip-mined coal which is produced at great and grievous cost to the land.

3. They can get into their own general funds, not the state's, some badly needed severance tax money.

# 14 IN VOLUNTEER PROGRAM



Fourteen students from Martin high school, recently completed a six-week volunteer training program (The Volunteens) under the direction of Sister Jane Frances Kaelin, LPN, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital. The Volunteens will be active in promoting better patient-care at the hospital. Some of their duties will include admitting and discharging patients, serving meals, feeding helpless patients, etc. The Volunteens are: Frances Susan Salisbury, Linda Crisp, Kristi Howard, La Donna May, Susie Roark, Pam Osborne, Diane Clifton, Frances Sue Samons, Mickey Reynolds, Sherry Ratliff, Kay Kilburn, Tina Messer, Jane Ann Reed, and Barbara Branham.

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Top Three at Second Regatta



Ewart Johnson (left), Kentucky Commissioner of Parks, presented the Governor's Cup trophy to Joe Burgess, Gallatin, Tennessee, as leading driver in the second annual Dewey Lake Regatta held June 24-25. To Burgess' left are the second and third-place finishers in the outboard competition, Gary Peacock, Miami, Florida, and Gene Hornsby, Augusta, Georgia.

Tightening Kentucky's interstate water

quality standards would make them "fully

approvable" by the federal Environmental

Protection Agency, according to Jack E.

Ravan, administrator of EPA's Atlanta

region. Governor Ford has urged the state Water Pollution Control Commission to

adopt the proposed changes.

# To the Editor

Editor, The Times:

I have been an avid fan of yours for several years, particularly with regard to your "This Town-That World" column.

I could hardly help but sense the inner glee you must have gotten when you outwitted your friendly adversary with regard to fish tales. I heard one quite recently that delighted

my husband and six-year-old son who are fishermen. Perhaps the story is an old one; however, almost immediately on hearing it I remarked, "That might be one for Mr. Allen's Column." So here goes.

Recently during a cruise on the Suawanee River in Florida the riverboat captain was acquainting his passengers with the geographical locations, history of the hanging moss, coloring, depth, and aquatic life of Stephen Foster's historical and legendary river.

When he was relating stories of aquatic life such as catfish, bass and numerous other fish, he was almost apologetic regarding the depth at this time. He mentioned the fish that made themselves seen, despite the dark coloring of the river.

Like any man proud of his work or his attempt to become a dramatist incognito, he related the story of "The Biggest Catch."

Of course the water depth was greater when a male passenger on his boat began to struggle to land his catch. As the fisherman pulled his catch on board the boat the excitement was so great that the family and most passengers lost their cool and were unable to photograph the catch.

A lady passenger happened to have a Polaroid camera and thus was able to capture the image, if not the weight, of the great bass. She established another record that day. As well as having the only Polaroid aboard, her picture weighed in at five pounds.

The unusual footnote to the story came from my sometimes pessimistic six-yearold. He immediately asked, "Mom, if THAT picture weighed five pounds, how did she hold such a heavy camera?"

Needless to say, Bobby's query elicited laughter and a comment from the onceproud captain. He was invited to join the captain, because the latter humorously acknowledged that the old adage, "If you can't beat'em, join'em," was inadequate in this situation.

Keep up the good work with one of the few humorous aspects of an increasingly complex world.

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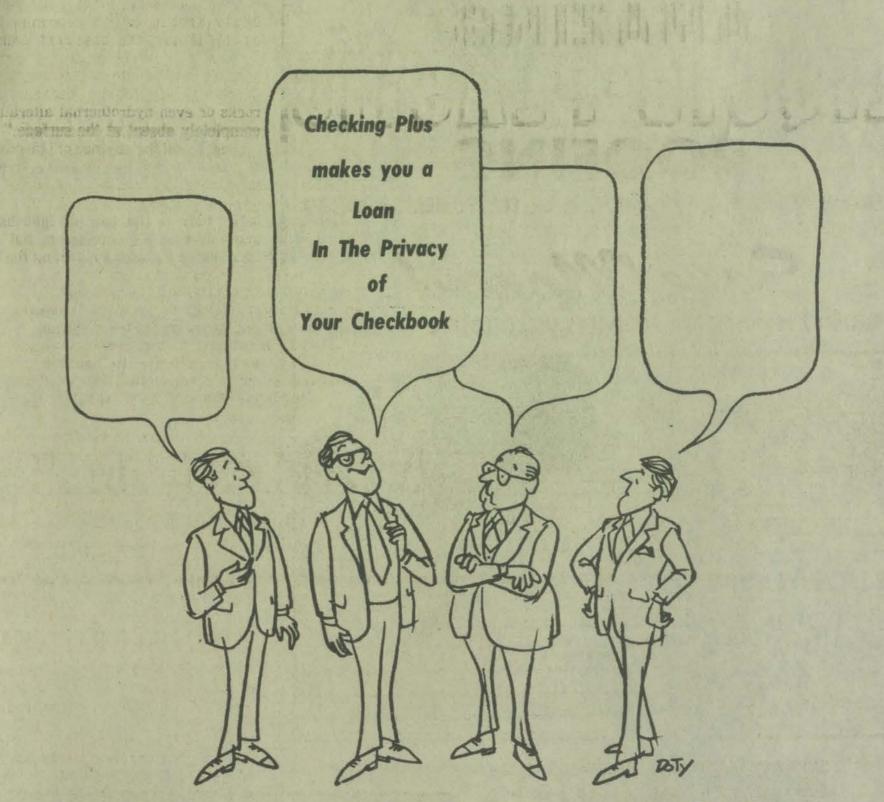
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# Magoffin Co. Jury Clears Adkins' Widow

Sudell Burgett Adkins, of Wonnie, Magoffin county, was acquitted by a Magoffin circuit court jury last Thursday of the shooting death of her husband. Lee Adkins last August at Smitty's Drive-In which the couple operated.

Shot twice in his stomach with a .38calibre revolver, Adkins was dead on arrival at Prestonsburg General Hospital. His widow was arrested, a few hours later. and charged with the slaying.

A key witness at the trial, which began Wednesday, was Dexter Howard of Wonnie. a first cousin of the defendent. He testified that he was in the Adkins's store earlier and noted Adkins was drinking. He said he returned to the store to see if Adkins needed help in his business.

Howard stated he was in the store when Mrs. Adkins entered and after some words with her husband, Howard reported she acted in self-defense when her husband advanced on her with a butcher knife.

Mrs. Sula Johnson, a neighbor, testified she brought Mrs. Adkins to the store when she went to inform her that her husband was drinking.

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# **Business College Classes Begin**

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Sallie Jo Rister and Elaine Kay Justice were not present when picture was made.

# This 'Volcano' May Have Been **Ancient Meteor Crash Site**

By Dave Thompson

Clay Village, Ky.-Jeptha Knob, long thought to be the skeleton of an ancient volcano, may actually be the result of a prehistoric meteor crash instead.

The knob thrusts high above the countryside surrounding this Shelby County town and does give the impression of volcanic origin.

But Dr. C. Ronald Seeger, now with the Western Kentucky University Geology Department, thinks the structure resulted from the violent impact of some visitor, from outer space.

Storm Windows

surfaces of the knobs." Such a structure is not a rarity for the central United States and there are 11 such examples in this area, Seeger said.

Seeger, who prepared his Ph. D.

dissertation at the University of Pittsburgh

on Jeptha Knob, believes the "most likely

origin of the structure was the impact of a

The structure is a topographic high,

extending up to small flat-topped knobs at

about 1180 feet. The general elevation in the

immediate area varies from 750 to 850 feet.

Jeptha Knob," said Seeger, "is wooded

with farmlands surrounding and extending

into it from the west in the valley of Britton

Run, and a few fields occupy the top, flat

"The rougher, higher central portion of

meteorite, asteroid or comet."

"There are three located in Kentucky," he said, referring to one near Versailles and two more in the Middlesboro area.

Structurally, Jeptha Knob is composed of a central area of greatly disturbed rocks, surrounded by other deformed rocks.

"The transition in the belt of folded ad faulted rocks," Seeger said, "is best exposed in Wolf Run, where continuous exposures occur in the stream bed."

After conducting a magnetic survey of Jeptha Knob in order to determine to what extent, if any, the basement rocks participate in the structure, Seeger said, "It is possible to eliminate most forms of igneous (fire-involved) activity because igneous rocks or even hydrothernal alteration are completely absent at the surface."

Seeger said the absence of igneous rocks, or stones formed by volcanic activity, is a strong indication that Jeptha Knob was never a volcano.

Not only is the lack of igneous rocks suggestive of his conclusion, but Seeger listed other features supporting the impact theory of origin:

Approximate circularity. Folding beyond the central zone. decreasing rapidly outward.

Rapid formation and

temporaneousness of features.

Goephysical and drilling evidence that the structure is confined to near-surface

In his study, Seeger concluded the original Jeptha Knob was approximately 6600 feet in diameter and 920 feet deep, with a rim height of 290 feet and a rim width of 1300 feet.

"The Jeptha Knob structure is the result of a violently disruptive process," he said, "which occurred in its entirety during a very brief period of the Silurian Age," was long before man appeared on earth.

# McDOWELL NEWS

A surprise household shower was given by Mrs. Emma Pack for Junior Humphrey. Many gifts were received. Those present were:

Dr. Ishmael Angela, Miss Brenda J. Franklin, David Neicley, Jackie Moore, Melba Mathews, Mrs. Phylis Spradlin. Mrs. Margie Conn, Reva Harris, Sharon Little, Sylvia Slone, Helen Tackett, Kathyrn Moore, Hannah Stewart, Avean Martin, Mary E. Anderson, Irene Reitz, Ruth Patrick, Mary Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Belford Reitz, Jr., Nedra Slone, Joy Cole, Connie Hall, Bonnie Combs, Phyllis Vanderpool, Alice J. Shelton, Bethel Click, Doris Stumbo, Deanna Newsome, Jackie Hall, Ronda Rowe, Geneva Rollins, Nannie Gayheart, Vernal Turner, Emerald Lemaster, Lora McKnight, Dora F. Reed. Aileen Adams, Versie Addis, Orville Moore, Vernon Salisbury, Troy Tackett, Verdie Ward, Patty Meade, Virginia Gearheart, Myrtle Bowens, Martha Roberts, Ola Patton.

The state Turnpike Authority sold a \$159,385,000 toll-road bond issue which is expected to save Kentucky about \$42.3 million in interest costs. Money from the sale will be invested and used later to pay off toll-road bonds sold in 1970 and 1971.

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# Governor Ford Proclaims **Alcohol Awareness Month**

By Jim Parman Frankfort, Ky.-Gov. Wendell Ford has proclaimed July "Alcoholism Awareness

Month" in Kentucky. In signing the proclamation, Governor Ford indicated alcoholism is among the three major health threats in the nation and that "the cost of alcoholism in human suffering, disintegration of family life and economic loss to the individual and com-

munity is incalculable."

In asking all Kentuckians to learn the symptoms of alcohol abuse and addiction, and to learn the methods and resources for treatment, the Governor noted that the second annual Kentucky School for Alcohol Studies will be held at the University of Kentucky, July 9-14.

The alcohol school is being conducted by the Department of Mental Health in cooperation with the University of Kentucky and the state Interagency Council of Alcohol Problems (ICAP). Professionals and laymen with an interest in alcohol problems are being urged to attend.

Governor Ford commended the regional comprehensive care centers, the Department of Mental Health, the Kentucky Commission on Alcohol Studies, ICAP and other interested groups for their continuing programs of education, community service and treatment of alcohol problems.

Mental Health Commissioner Dr. Dale H. Farabee said, "Alcohol related problems account for one-third of all admissions to state psychiatric hospitals."

The Mental Health Department, the state agency with primary responsibility for alcohol treatment and education, has comprehensive alcoholism treatment programs at its four psychiatric hospitals and provides standards and technical assistance for local programs of regional comprehensive care centers.

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# School for Alcohol Studies," said Dr.

Farabee, "we hope not only to increase our expertise in treatment of alcohol problems, but also to increase citizen awareness of the scope and nature of this national problem."

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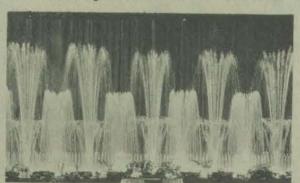


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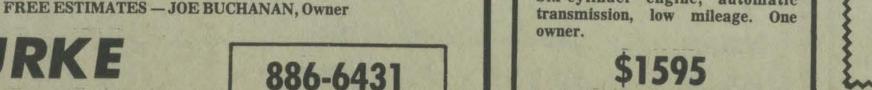


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# Twenty from Floyd **Are Award Winners**

The Pikeville College Dean's list for the spring semester, 1972, includes 12 Floyd

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Freshman making Dean's List standing at Pikeville have earned 3.00 quality credits per semester hour. The same honor for sophomores requires a 3.15 standing, for juniors 3.30 and for seniors 3.45.

Floyd students on the dean's list are seniors Sandra Blankenship, Weeksbury; Jackie Day Crisp, Allen; Rita Burchett Crisp, Allen; Betty S. Flanery, Langley; Genevieve Harvey, Honaker; Zelma B. Johnson, Halo; four juniors, Arvid Dale Compton, Bypro; Michael Robert Litafik, Weeksbury; Mary Lee Stumbo, Betsy Layne; Clementene Tackett, Melvin; one sophomore, Rebecca Brown, McDowell; and one freshmen, Emma Lou Tackett, Teaberry.

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# Harris Says State to Tighten Strip-Mine Slope Rules

FRANKFORT, Ky. - Strict interpretation of the 27-degree slope rule in engineers within the Reclamation Division. strip-mining was promised last week by the state's new natural-resources commissioner, Thomas Harris, who said the lack of a standard definition has prevented

proper enforcement previously. Current law, he said, forbids stripping on land where the slope is more than 27 degrees, but the method of measurement often has varied and, in some cases, the land slope was altered by preliminary

excavation. A regulation proposed by Harris requires the mined land to be less than 27 degrees everywhere and specifies that the angle is to be measured "from any point along the base of the coal seam or its projection on the surface to any of these points." The top of the highwall. A point on the surface, 50 feet along the horizontal, beyond the highest elevation to be excavated. A point on the surface, 50 feet along the horizontal, below the base projection of the coal seam.

Harris could file the proposed regulation with the Legislative Research Commission at any time, and it would become effective a month later. It would be legal if it was not at odds with the intent of the state's stripmining law.

opportunity to be heard.

senator from the Carroll county community of Worthville, also said he has drafted a regulation that would designate the state Reclamation Division as the final arbiter in controversies about strip-mine siltation. He said he would probably hold hearings on that regulation, too.

"The lack of a standard definition and procedure for determining the maximum slope angle...has remained a problem which has prevented proper enforcement of Kentucky's strip-mine laws," Harris said.

In the Eastern Kentucky coalfields especially, he said, the variation of steep terrain and slope degree have made precise measurements of the degree of terrain a complicated matter.

"The inevitable result has been repeated violation of the intent and letter of the laws and regulations governing strip and auger mining," he said.

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Harris said he plans to establish a staff of One engineer will certify the slope reading, which would be made part of the permit application.

The other proposal is an attempt to cope with strip-mine siltation, one of the largest polluters of waters in the mountains.

"In the belief that one division can more effectively implement a water quality regulation adopted by the Reclamation Commission for the permitting of silt basins. I am proposing that the Division of Reclamation make the final determination..." Harris said.

"This will require a close cooperative effort between the Division of Water and the Division of Reclamation.

"This will also allow operators seeking permits to be required to come to only one

Harris acknowledged that situations could arise under which the Reclamation Division approves a permit which the Water Division finds is inadequate to prevent pollution.

In such eventualities the matter can be worked out between the officials, he in-

Harris repeated what he said during the However, Harris said, he probably will last regular session as a legislator: That hold public hearings to give all sides an strip-mine operators are on trial and must prove they will protect the land or face an Harris, formerly a Democratic state outright ban on their operations in 1974.

He also said: "I did not accept this job with the thought in mind that I would try to put anybody out of business...But, I hasten to say, all of us must adhere to the laws."

# **McDOWELL** HOSPITAL NOTES

**Patients Discharged** (June 19 through June 25)

Rosie Johnson, Wheelwright; Flora Ann Woods, Bypro; Charles M. Webb, Garrett; Betty L. Henderson, Melvin; Ray Walters, Drift: Crawford Collins, Topmost; Edna Mae Johnson, Bevinsville; Minnie Tackett, McDowell; Jay Johnson, Melvin; Carol Bartley, Harold; Buck Moore, Prestonsburg; Inas Tackett, Grethel; Ilene Thompson, Martin; Juanita Patton, Topmost; Rosalene Johnson, Bevinsville; Michael Adams, Beaver; Arnold Akers, McDowell; Jerry Hall, Drift; Marion V. Friesen, Hindman; Jerry Hall, Drift; Arnold Akers, Grethel; Michael Adams, Beaver; Marion Friesen, Hindman; Ruth Newsome, Martin; Bonita Collins, Melvin; Ellis Thornsberry, Wheelwright; Margie Reeves, Melvin; Charles B. Gibson, Langley; Donald Martin, Wheelwright; Ruby Adams, Hi Hat; Sharon Elliott, Martin.

# Births

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Levi Tackett, of Grethel, June 19, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Johnson, of Bevinsville, June 19; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Paul V. Patton, of Topmost, June 19; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Elliott, of Martin, June 22; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Green, of McDowell,

Gov. Wendell Ford has ordered the Kentucky State Police to launch an accelerated highway enforcement program as the state's traffic death toll continues to run ahead of last year's rate. Roadblocks and moving traffic surveillance are being used along with patrolling aircraft.

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# Division Perfects Tree Seed

By Lois Campbell Frankfort, Ky.-One of the Division of Forestry's greatest potential contributions to Kentucky's economy is its tree nursery

To encourgae Kentucky landowners in reforestation of idle and unproductive land, he division maintains three nurseries for the production of forest tree seedlings.

They are the Kentucky Dam Tree Nursery, Gilbertsville; Morgan County Tree Nursery and Woodsbend and Pennyrile State Tree Nursery at Dawson Springs.

With the objective of attaining the best possible seed for nursery production, and since the finished product, the tree, depends to a great extent on the seed from which it starts, the forestry division initiated a tree seed improvement program more than 10 years ago.

Since then, obtaining improved superior seed has been the continuing endeavor of

the program. John P. Rhody, associate forestry director in charge of Nursery Management, says the tree seed orchards are constantly observed, tested and researched so that applied treatment will continually insure the production of superior seed.

Growth factors are continually tested and improved. Perfected soil conditions are maintained, and careful observations are made throughout the growing season for the presence of insects and disease.

# Cox Auto Parts Co. To Pay 10 Workers \$5,989 Back Wages

Cox Auto Parts Company, of Pikeville, Paintsville and Prestonsburg, has been ordered to pay 10 employees back wages in the amount of \$5,989.17 and to refrain from violating the overtime and record-keeping provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act.

Secretary of Labor James D. Hodgson obtained the court order in U S. district court for the Eastern district of Kentucky at Pikeville. The judgment was entered by Federal District Judge H. David Hermansdorfer. Under the terms of the judgment the money will be distributed to the individuals by the Department of

The judgment was entered following the filing of a complaint based upon an investigation conducted by personnel under the supervision of Area Director Ernest Orr, U.S. Department of Labor's Wage and Hour Division.

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One of the more interesting methods of tree seed improvement is through clonal grafting. This involves grafting a superior tree tip onto a seedling, using a beeswax

This generally results in a highly superior seedling. The method is similar to that used indeveloping hybrid fruit trees.

At present, loblolly and shortleaf pine seed are being produced at the Kentucky Dam nursery. Generally, seed orchards start to produce seed when they are seven to ten years old.

The seeds are processed at the state's seed extractory plant in the Pennyrile nursery and are kept in refrigerated storage until planting time.

With this tree seed program in effect, not only is superior seed being obtained but some \$25,000 to \$30,000 is being kept within the state. In the past this money has been paid to out-of-state seed dealers.

Long-range plans have been made to establish 500 acres of seed orchards to produce seed for all nursery production.

The loblolly, shortleaf and white pine seed orchards are being expanded. Other seed orchards with a greater variety of species, such as Virginia pine, white, red and cherrybark oak and black walnut, will be established soon. Production at the hybrid poplar and superior cottonwood orchards will be expanded to supply the

# What To Do In July

By Nevyle Shackelford (UK College of Agriculture)

Glorius summer which begins in June reaches its maturity in July. Dog Days set in: vegetables ripen in the garden: mimosa, trumpet vine, Rose of Sharon, hydrangea, St. Johnswort, and sourwood bloom. Katydids begin calling from the trees and in the intense heat and languor of the season, there is a tendency to slow down just a little.

But still, according to Darrel Apps, Extension horticulturist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, there are many things to do in

Roses, for instance, need weekly sprays to control blackspot and powdery mildew. Ornamental shrubs should be checked for scale and spider mites. Old flower spikes of delphiniums should be cut back, bearded iris divided, and evergreen hedges such as taxus, euonyms, and Japanese holly should have some mid summer pruning.

For blackspot on the roses, Apps recommends Daconil 2787, phaltan, or maneb. If mildew is a problem, it can be checked with benlate, acti-dione PM, or karathane. Aphids oftern attack roses also. If found, they can be eradicated with a malathion spray.

For cleaning up scale on euonymus species, he recommends three sprays with malathion at weekly intervals during July. If spider mites are discovered on the evergreens, spray with a miticide such as

In cutting back the old flower spikes of delphinium, Apps advises leaving a few bottom leaves until new shoots start from the base. Then remove the entire old stem.

In dividing iris for replanting, incorporate one-half cup of superphosphate deeply into the soil. Iris usually show up better if three to five fans are set out in each spot. Space the fans 12 to 15 inches apart and place them so that they will face outward from clump.

Pinch out the tips of late blooming chrysanthemums for the last time about July 15. Early blooming varieties (those flowering in late August) should not be

July is a month that will raise a thirst, not only in the gardener, but also in his lawn. If rainfall is insufficient, Apps suggests watering once a week, leaving the sprinkler in one spot from one to three hours to deliver at least one inch of water. Daily sprinkling, he says, makes grass roots develop too near the surface where they cannot take advantage of subsoil moisture. Shallow, frequent watering helps weeds more than grass.

In doing the things that must be done in July, we may grumble about the heat, but one thing to keep in mind is this: at least we don't have to shovel it off our walks.

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Awards winners and others at annual banquet are shown, from left— Elbert Gibson, Weeksbury; Bill Stumbo, Tram; Harley Sturgill, Auxier; John Howard, of the Big Sandy Rural Electric Co-Op; Mrs. Ora Blackburn, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. Ruby Miller, McDowell; Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Sr., representing the banquet host, the First National Bank.



The scene at the Rural Community Development banquet held here last Tuesday evening.

# Auxier, Weeksbury Win Top Spots In Development Competition

The Floyd County Community Development Association held its annual awards banquet at the TCT Truck Stop here June 27. The banquet, sponsored by the First National Bank of Prestonsburg, was held to honor the winning communities in the 1972 Floyd County Development Contest.

There were five communities competing this year in two categories. All five communities received blue ribbon certificates, and will later receive cash awards. The two champion communities-Auxier in the village category and Weeksbury in rural non-farm-will also receive plaques and compete in the area contest against winning communities from 11 other counties in northeast Kentucky. The winners of the area contest will be honored at a banquet in Ashland, July 15.

The Floyd county contest was made possible by the Big Sandy RECC, of Paintsville, and the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce, each contributing money for prizes and awards, and by the First National Bank, which sponsored the banquet.

# Racing Commission **Finances Probe Set**

Rep. Lloyd Clapp (D-Wingo), chairman of the Audit Committee of the Legislative Research Commission, says his committee will examine the finances of the Kentucky Racing Commission.

"They are a creature of the legislature so it's only logical that we have the authority to investigate the Racing Commission's finances," Clapp said.

During the recent special session of the General Assembly, Rep. Harold De Marasked for such an investigation.

prepared to cooperate in the investigation, which is expected to be ordered when the LRC committee meets in Frankfort July 20.

# Non-Farm Jobs Rise **To Record Numbers**

The Department of Economic Security announced late last week that a record number of persons were employed in nonfarm jobs in Kentucky during the month of

According to Economic Security Commissioner Gail S. Huecker, this new record represents 952,000 jobs, or 8,100 more than the previous high set in December, 1971. An increase of 4,000 new jobs in wholesale

and retail trade increased the total noncus, R-Stanford, House minority leader, farm employment figure to its record high. Commissioner Huecker expects the total Clapp said the commission apparently is number of non-farm jobs to reach the one million mark by the end of 1972.

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# Tighter Restrictions Would End Objections to Ky. Water Plan

restrictions would make Kentucky's interstate water quality standards "fully approvable" by the federal Environmental Protection Agency, according to Jack E. Ravan, administrator of EPA's Atlanta

Gov. Wendell Ford recently urged the Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission to adopt those stricter standards in an effort to meet federal objections to the state's water quality regulations.

The conflict began last year when the state commission proposed recreational water standards for 40 per cent of the Ohio River in Kentucky, despite an EPS recommendation calling for such classification on all of the Ohio as well as the Big Sandy River.

The Ohio River, flowing along Kentucky's northern boundary, is considered

# Combs Family Ass'n Offers Student Aid

The Combs Family Association will present three student scholarships at its annual family reunion Aug. 20 at Buckhorn Lake State Park.

Two scholarships will be given for practical nurses training and one for an engineering course to be used at Eastern Kentucky vocational schools.

Applicants must be high school graduates, a Combs descendant, and have high school grades sufficient to meet academic requirements.

Applications will be taken by Paul C. Combs, of Prestonsburg, and Don Combs, of Pikeville, on or before July 20.

Adoption of some proposed tighter Kentucky territory, subject to Kentucky regulations.

Recreational and public water supply standards are the two highest of five classifications into which rivers are put for

pollution control purposes. Under the latest proposal, the commission would apply recreational standards to all of the Ohio River in Kentucky, the Big Sandy River, and Tug Ford and

Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy. Ravan told a recent commission hearing that adoption of the regulations would end all federal objections to the Kentucky water quality plan.

He also requested the commission to give recreational classification to 127 minor streams which cross into Tennessee, by not later than Jan. 1, 1973.

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# **ALC Theatre To Present** 'Trail of the Lonesome Pine'

The Appalachian Summer Theatre at is doing and to realize how much the Alice Lloyd College, Pippa Passes, will begin free showing of its second major production, "The Trail of the Lonesome present free performances of "Trail of the Pine," Monday, July 10.

outstanding success with its premiere ALCOR centers. performance of "The Wizard of Oz," which plays every Sunday at 2:30 in Cushing Hall formed in Ligon on July 26. on the Alice Lloyd College campus.

based on the novel by John Fox, Jr., is a historical play about life in the Appalachian hills around the turn of the century. The story centers around a young mountain girl named June, played by Kay Strong, of Beattyville, and a Yankee intruder named Jack Hale, played by Dennis Burton, of Hazard. Hale comes to the hills to buy coal rights from June's father, but soon finds himself caught in a powerful drama which causes him to take a second look at what he

# Mrs. Reba H. Gibson Shares in Award

Mrs. Reba Gibson shared in the Education Award presented recently by the Administrative Management Society, Louisville. Mrs. Gibson is the wife of John Gibson, formerly of Prestonsburg, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hammond, of Martin.

Business education departments of each high school in both the Louisville city and Jefferson county systems, are studied for one year before the AMS Award is presented. The award for outstanding business teaching and training went to the Ahrens Vocational Technical high school business education department.

Said B. G. Smith, coordinator of Ahrens business education department:

"A major factor in presenting the AMS Award is teacher professionalism. As a skilled teacher and technican of business subjects Mrs. Gibson has shown considerable ability in teaching, student job placement, and overall understanding of educational objectives. She has established a rapport with her students seldom

Mrs. Gibson, a former student at Berea College, and graduate of Morehead University, will return to Berea this fall to conduct a two-day workshop in business subjects. She will attend the summer conference of Kentucky Business and Office Education to be held in Murray, Kentucky this summer. She is a member of state and national Business Education

A law passed by the 1972 General Assembly may have greatly broadened Kentucky counties' power to regulate strip mining, according to the state attorney general's office. The law, Senate Bill 165, does not refer specifically to strip mining but is intended to strengthen and extend counties' general-making and taxing powers. The attorney general's office indicated the law might allow counties to regulate strip mining, as long as they would not conflict with the state constitution and statutes. Asst. Atty. Gen. Charles Runyon said more study will be needed to determine whether a given regulation would conflict with state law on the subject.

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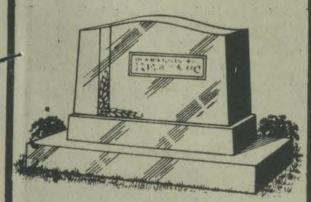
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The Appalachian Summer Theatre will Lonesome Pine" in rural communities of The theatre, under the direction of Ken Floyd, Knott, Letcher and Leslie counties, Baldridge, of Garrett, has already had where Alice Lloyd College maintains

In Floyd county, the play will be per-

Knott performances will be at Dry Creek "Trail of the Lonesome Pine", which is on July 10, Watts Fork on July 12, Salt Lick on July 14, Mill Creek on July 28 and Bearville on August 1.

All performances will be at 6:30 p.m.

"Our Appalachia," a day of singing, music, drama, story-telling and folkdancing, will be held at Alice Lloyd College. July 8. The public is invited to perform or just enjoy the day, and admission to all events is free of charge.

Local church singing groups have been invited along with banjo, guitar, fiddle, dulcimer and harmonica players. They will perform and compete in contests, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Arts and crafts displays will open at 10 a.m., with various contests and storytelling at 1 p.m. The public is invited to bring picnic lunches, and the college will provide a free supper for all visitors.



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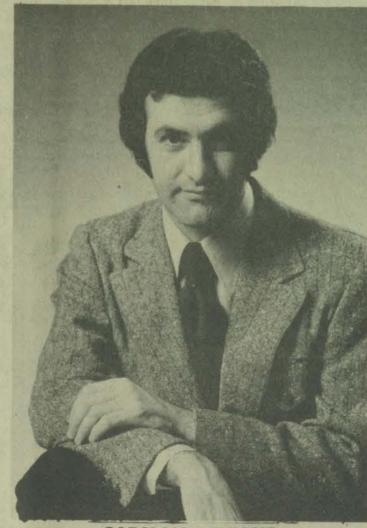
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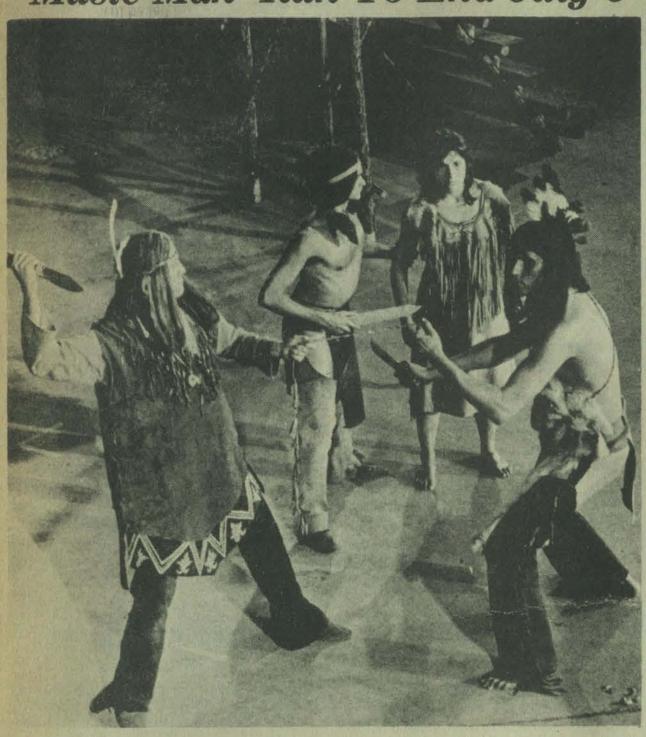
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# 'Music Man' Run To End July 5



Black Wolf (Jack Wicker) fights Capjohn (Alan Cordial, right) as Jenny Wiley (Adrienne Doucette) looks on. JENNY WILEY!, a musical adventure, runs Wednesdays, Fridays, and Sundays at the Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre.

The Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre phitheatre. in Prestonsburg, Kentucky is moving into its final performances of "The Music Man." Here is the schedule through July

Wednesday, July 5, "The Grass Harp," 2:30 p.m., Prestonsburg Community College; "Jenny Wiley", 8:30 p.m. at Amphitheatre.

Thursday, July 6, "The Music Man", 8:30 p.m., Amphitheatre.

Friday, July 7, "Jenny Wiley!", 8:30 p.m., Amphitheatre. Saturday, July 8, "The Music Man, phitheatre.

8:30 p.m., Amphitheatre.

Sunday, July 9, "The Grass Harp," 2:30 p.m., Prestonsburg Community College, and "Jenny Wiley!", 8:30 p.m. at Am-

Miss O'Quinn Enters

**RECC Beauty Contest** 

Miss Sharon O'Quinn, of Garrett, is the

third Floyd county girl to become a can-

didate for the 1972 title of Miss Big Sandy

RECC. She will compete with Misses Sarah

Elizabeth DeRossett, of Water Gap, and

Debbie Ann Buckley, of West Prestons-

burg, as well as contestants from other

counties at the Big Sandy Rural Electric

Co-Op's annual meeting July 20 at Johnson

Miss O'Quinn is the 17-year-old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy O'Quinn, of Garrett,

and will be a senior at Allen Central high

school next fall. She has been a student at

Garrett high which will be merged with the

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**Church Here Honors** 

The Rev. J. D. Jaggers, pastor of Irene

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10th anniversary year of his pastorate here.

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service he was presented by H. C. Francis,

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to a new Chevrolet. Mr. Francis' remarks

expressed appreciation of the minister's

service to the church and community. The

Rev. Jaggers and his family were later

guests of honor at a dinner given at

Prestonsburg Community College by the

The plans for the expression of ap-

preciation were known to every member of

the church but it was a secret so well-kept

that it was a complete surprise to the pastor.

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8:30 p.m., Amphitheatre. Friday, July 14, "Jenny Wiley!", 8:30

p.m., Amphitheatre.

Saturday, July 15, "The Music Man" (final performance), 8:30 p.m., Am-

Good seats are available for all performances. Reservations may be made by calling the theatre at 886-6647 or by writing Box 22, Prestonsburg.

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WE PREDICT

It's a great county. We are so convinced it is great that we confidently predict that the United States of America will survive another Presidential election.

See the "Definition"

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For no adequate reason I recount here the story of the man who was espied sitting out in a wide, open field, busily casting a lure out and retrieving it, tensed, ready for the strike. A passerby stopped to watch, and while he wondered what in tunket another man drew alongside.

"Wonder what that fellow thinks he's doing out there, fishing in that field?" the first spectator inquired.

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PRAYER FOR TODAY

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# EASTERN NEWS

A surprise birthday party was given June 30, honoring Mrs. Bill Gunnells. She is recovering nicely after undergoing surgery at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville. Those who attended the party were Mr. and Mrs. James Gunnells and children, of Rochester, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Gunnells, of Tippecanoe, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blizzard, of Hueysville, Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gunnells, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Slone, of Garrett, Arnold Gunnells. Ivan and Sherman, all of Eastern.

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DeLeone will conduct the Orchestra and Ballet Company in a performance of four beautiful dances and three symphonic works. Tickets for the ballet performance are \$1 per person.

The "picnic lunch bunch" will again be entertained at noon on Thursday, July 13, when the Cincinnati Symphony will present a "pops" concert with Carmon DeLeone conducting. Again, there is no charge for this hour of entertainment.

The final concert of the Mini Festival will be a performance by the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra at 8 p.m. on Thursday, July 13. Carmon DeLeone will conduct the concert which spotlights music by American composers and features Gwen Conley as soloist. Miss Conley is the popular young singer who appears regularly on "Bob Braun's 50-50 Club." She has traveled with the Dee Felice Trio on the James Brown concert tour and appeared at many nightspots. Gwen likes to sing message songs and writes a lot of her own

The Cincinnati Enquirer said of Gwen Conley: "She is a tall, regal, all-woman woman with the assurance of a young earth mother. At 30 she is smooth and polished in both looks and singing style, enticing and outgoing, full of warmth and promise, and through it all, so cool!"

Tickets for both the Wednesday and Thursday evening performances may be purchased at the Francis Store and Burchett's Jewelry in Prestonsburg and at Castle's and Wright's Jewelry in Paints-

This project is made possible by a grant to the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra and Cincinnati Ballet Company from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Kentucky Arts Commission. The festival is sponsored by the Eastern Kentucky Concert Series and Prestonsburg Community

Bring your own lawn chair and join the festivities. In the event of rain, concerts will be held at the Prestonsburg gym.

(Continued from Page One) budget are appropriations of \$19,000 for courthouse utilities (down \$2,000) and

\$7,600 for insurance (up \$200). Circuit court stenographer, \$1,800; grand jury reporting, \$530.

Commonwealth's attorney, \$2,400; circuit clerk, \$1,300 (up from \$745).

(Continued from Page One) assessment did not show a loss, however.

At last Wednesday's fiscal court meeting the county clerk was authorized to place in the budget \$35,215 in a special fund which is called the Floyd County Sheriff's Radio Communications Fund. This amount is money made available to the court by the federal government for the crime control

A meeting was held June 21 with Elmer Beckett, Paintsville, area Civil Defense director, to discuss flood damage in this county to roads and bridges. No official estimate of the damage was reached at the meeting, however.

(Continued from Page One) Russell Jarrell was booked on an assault

and battery count.

Others booked at the county jail, charges against each and names of arresting of-

Lenzie Shepherd, interfering with an officer, arrested by Deputy Sheriffs Claude Flanery and Otto Fannin; Mars Dotson, drunk driving and no operator's license, by State Trooper Leeman Bevins; Crit Mitchell, drunk driving and no registration plates, by State Trooper Dennie Williamson; Hillard Akers, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs Hamilton and Howell; Ritchie Andrew, fishing without license, by Conservation Officer Cantrell; Fred Tackett, drunk driving, by State Trooper Williamson; Fred Stratton, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policeman Darrel J Conley; Woodrow Boggs, drunk driving and reckless driving, by Policeman Campbell and Herald, of Prestonsburg; Bill Powers, drunk driving, by Policeman Conley.

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crawls over or under a train. They also contend that noise of trains and dust create discomfort and decrease the value of their

The suit asks damages of \$20,000 and 25 cents a ton for all coal hauled, cleaned or processed on or over their land. A court order to restrain defendants from obstructing access to the home was also

Damages totalling \$150,000 were asked in a second suit filed here last week. In this action Mrs. Thelma Cook Hicks and her minor children, Mark V. Hicks and Jennifer Adams, claim permanent injuries as the result of vehicle collision and name as defendants the Southern States Cooperative, Charles William Young, of Grayson, and William J. Conlon, a resident of Michigan.

Mrs. Hicks alleges that Conlon so negligently operated his vehicle as to cause its collision with the Southern States vehicle driven by Young and that the coop's truck then jack-knifed onto US 23, knocking down a stop sign and striking the Hicks car.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our days appreciation to all those who helped in any way upon the death of our daughter, Lola V. Burke. We extend special thanks to the ministers, the Revs. Robert Maton and Cohen Campbell, and to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

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William D. Compton (right), of the Compton Adjustment Service, Ind., is shown presenting a scholarship check to Dr. Henry A. Campbell, director of Prestonsburg Community College. Mr. Compton has been a contributor to the Prestonsburg Community College Scholarship Fund since 1965.

# Ky. Police Increase Traffic Crackdown

The Kentucky State Police have launched an accelerated highway law-enforcement program as the state's 1972 traffic death toll continues to run ahead of the total for this time last year.

From his hospital bed in Houston, Governor Ford ordered Kentucky's 16 State Police post commanders to begin concentrated patrols on all high-accident roads and to organize special units to move from county to county in a coordinated, statewide drive to arrest traffic offenders. The program is a continuation of the

Memorial Day Weekend campaign which saw troopers donning black armbands to focus motorists' attention on Kentucky's spiraling death toll.

Maj. R. F. Norsworthy, State Police field commander, said all troopers participating

in the program are equipped with radar and VASCAR-equipped vehicles and are being backed up by the patrol's aircraft. Roadblocks and moving traffic sur-

veillance are also being used, Norsworthy

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# Abolish Raliroad Commission, Recommendation Made by LRC

should be abolished and its functions transferred to another agency, according to 1891. a recommendation by the Legislative Research Commission.

Railroad Commission does not justify a separate agency," the report said. "Nor does it justify the employment of a full-time

The 1972 General Assembly placed on the November 1973 ballot a "cluster" amendment which would, among other things, eliminate the Railroad Commission.

A bad side effect of the commission's continued existence, the LRC contends, is that voters are not interested in who serves on it. "As a result, election does not insure properly qualified commissioners," the report said.

LRC staff member John D. Hinkle, who prepared the report, suggested placing the commission's duties under the Public Service Commission, and eventually with an agency regulating all transportation utilities.

"Kentucky today is unique among the states in the organizational arrangement it uses to regulate railroads," Hinkle said. "No other state has a regulatory commission now in existence for that primary purpose."

The Railroad Commission first was created in 1880 with power only to assess the values of railroads. Abuses of railroad

The Kentucky Railroad Commission power led to a stronger commission under the current State Constitution, written in-

Since the commission's duties statutory-that is, established by "The amount of workload carried by the rather than by constitution-it would possible, Hinkle said, to transfer the

without amending the State Constitution.

MRS. SMITH DIES

Mrs. Max Smith, of Middlesboro, sister of Thomas Patrick, passed away Wednesday at Middlesboro after suffering an apparent heart attack. The body was returned to Salyersville for the funeral and burial Saturday. Sympathy is extended to Mr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb and Matthew, of Springfield, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Flannery and Michael, of Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater and Teresa spent last week fishing at Barkley Lake. They also visited the Grand Ole Opery at Nashville, Tenn. Friday evening and toured The Mammoth Cave.

Bethel Regular Baptist Church honored all its deceased members with a special service at the church and a dinner at the Maytown lunchroom, Sunday, June 25. After dinner a short song and prayer service was held.

Mrs. Morton Adkins has been confined to her home due to a broken rib received in a

Mrs. Eva Horner, New Lexington, Ohio, and Mrs. Rebecca Salisbury, of Stockdale, Ohio, were here last weekend to visit relatives and attend the memorial service at the Bethel Regualr Baptist Church. They were accompanied home Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart returned home, Tuesday.

Earl Webb celebrated his 79th birthday June 24 at his home. He was presented a decorated cake by his granddaughter, Miss Patty Webb, and received gifts from other members of the family. Little Miss Dawn LaRae Dingeldein, a great-granddaughter of Mr. Webb, celebrated her eighth birthday, June 24 with him. She also received several gifts, including a bicycle from her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Webb are the parents of three children, Mrs. Edna Click, Tom and Claude Webb, all of Langley, and have 15 grandchildren and 18 greatgrandchildren. Some of those visiting the Webb home to wish Mr. Webb happy birthday were Mrs. Mildred Webb, Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May, Mrs. Don Patton and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edward Webb and children, Tommy, Stevie and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb, Jeff and Scarlett Tussey, Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Webb and Mecca, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goins and Dawn, Mrs. Tom Webb, Patty and Tommy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waddles and Sherri and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb and Matthew.

Pvt. William Keith Allen and friend, Pat Brown, of Ft. Bragg, N. C., spent last weekend here visiting realtives. They were accompanied to Kingsport, Tenn. Sunday evening by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill

A large group of Kentucky Hydrocarbon and Ky. W. Va. Gas Company employees and their families enjoyed their annual picnic at Camden Park, June 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Perkins, Regg and Phillip, of Columbia, Tenn., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchett and Mr. and Mrs. John Gray and John Houston. Monday, they went to Cape Hatteras, N. C., where they will spend their

Brent Gibson was a patient at the Mc-Dowell Appalachian Regional Hospital several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Taulby Tussey and Shasta Jean, of springfield, Ohio, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb. Their other children, Jeff and Scarlett, who have been here for two weeks visiting their grandparents, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey, of Williamson, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and their grandchildren, Jeff and Scarlett Tussey, Sunday.

Howard Ramey spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Portsmouth, Ohio visiting his mother, Mrs. Cora Ramey.

# 51 Floyd Co. Boys Go to Camp Webb

Fifty-one junior sportsmen from this county attended Camp Webb June 26 through July 1, Conservation Officer Dalton R. Conley reported. Two buses driven by Tom Meade and Perry Prater transported the boys to and from camp. Attending the camp from this county were Tony Wright, Jerry Hurt, Carlie Kim, Donald Martin, Gregory Conn, Rudolph Pennington, John D. Perry, Ronnie Price, Donald Whitaker, Ronald Brickey, David Burchett, Phillip Allen, Kerrett Wallace, Eddie Ward, Jeff Burchett, Charles Ferguson, James Latta, John Thomas Holland, Sammie Horne, Scott Calhoun, Tony Vandine, Bill Knarr, Grant Wise, Charlie Slone, Ricky Pack, Wilford Slone, Byron Hansford, James Hunter, Johnny Murphy, Donald Titlow, Joe Banks, Gary Lovely, Larry Shepherd, Melvin May, Phillip Slone, Lonnie Allen, Warren Blanton, Terry Burchett, David Cecil, Brett Davis, Steven Eurich, Ray Hall, Greg Hall, Roy D. Hall, Scotty Hall, Thomas Kidd, Randy Kidd, James Mullins, Hugh Naylor, Tim Rice, Randy Allen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click were in Mt. Sterling and Lexington, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Manuel and

children have moved to Knott county. Mr. and Mrs. Burl Howard, of Bowling Green, spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Greer and children, of Westland, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen, Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Greer is the former Joan Logan, of Lexington, who on visits here sung at the United Methodist Church.

David Turner, of Vienna, Va., spent several days here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Turner attended a bankers' convention in Hot Springs, Va. They later came here, and David returned home with them.

Mrs. Peggy Jo Vaughn, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., is here visiting her father, Dr. J. H. Allen, and her sister, Harriet Allen, and other raltives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike May spent last week vacationing in Tennessee.

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# **Ohio-Kentuckians** Visit in Kentucky

By Judi Ledford

Frankfort, Ky .- The O'Tucks, an organization of Ohio-Kentuckians who promote Kentucky culture, recently were presented an "Ambassador of Good Will" certificate by Tommy Preston, press secretary to Gov. Wendell Ford, on the Governor's behalf.

The presentation was made as some 75 members of the group visited the Capitol during a three-day tour of the state.

They also visited the Drug Clinical Research Center at Lexington, Cumberland Falls, Renfro Valley, a saltpeter cave in Rockcastle county, Bardstown, where they saw "The Stephen Foster Story", Shakertown and a Central Kentucky horse farm. The O'Tucks concluded their visit with a stop at the Versailles home of Ex. Gov. A. B. Chandler.

The group makes a three-day tour of the state each year and, according to O'Tucks founder Stanley DeZarn, only one tour has missed Frankfort. Past tours have concentrated on Eastern and Central Kentucky. But next year, DeZarn said, they hope to visit the western part of the state.

The group was formed in 1959 "to promote folklore and all the rich qualities we brought from Kentucky to Ohio," according to DeZarn, a Clay county native who presently is an elementary school principal in Hamilton, Ohio.

Membership in the O'Tucks numbers in the thousands, DeZarn said, but he could not give a definite figure.

Anyone may join the O'Tucks but only native Kentuckians may be elected officers or serve on the board of directors. Annual dues of \$2 per person go into a fund for scholarships for needy boys and girls in Kentucky and Ohio.

Jim Cecere, an Ohio native who is active in the group, said 10,000 to 15,000 persons— 7,000 to 8,000 of them Kentucky residents or natives-attend the group's folk festival at the Butler county (Ohio), fairgrounds each September.

DeZarn said people who move from Kentucky to Ohio find themselves in a different setting, and the organization helps them make necessary adjustments.

While he said he loves Ohio and plans to stay there, DeWarn added, "We will always be Kentuckians and promote Kentucky and remember our heritage."

The group's philosophy is to work together, he said. A recent project of the O'Tucks was the restoration of one of Hamilton's oldest homes. Now, DeZarn said, they want to build an outdoor theater in Butler county.

#### In Memoriam

In memory of Michael Ray Shepard who passed away July 10, 1971: Your death was so sudden, Our sorrow was great, But God in his way will show us how to live until we see you again. Rest my darling, rest. For part of us went with you Into the valley that's unknown, Where God took your hand.

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Gift for Departing Pastor



The Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Pope were presented by the congregation of the First United Methodist Church here a color television on the occasion of a farewell party held in their honor recently after the Rev. Pope had been transferred from the pastorate here to become superintendent of the Maysville district.

# Setser To Coach Prestonsburg Hi

Freddy Setser, Auxier native and former Ole Miss basketball and baseball star, is returning to Prestonsburg where he attended high school to become head basketball coach.

His selection to assume the coaching post vacated at the end of last season by Robert Slone was announced Monday by Superintendent of Schools Charles Clark. Setser's formal employment will be effected at next Saturday's meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education.

At the University of Mississippi Setser was a guard on the varsity basketball team. In baseball he was a pitcher. He was graduated from Ole Miss in 1969 and for the last two years has been basketball coach at Memphis Treadwell high, Memphis, Tennessee.

"I'm pleased to be back home," the new coach said Monday after conferring with Supt. Clark. He, his wife and son will move soon from Memphis to Prestonsburg.

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# **Bradshaw** in Cast Of MSU Production

Micky Bradshaw, McDowell junior at Morehead State University, has been cast in an MSU Summer Theater production. Bradshaw will appear in "You Can't Take It With You" July 3-7 in MSU's Little

Theater. Curtain time is 8:15 p.m. "You Can't Take It With You," written by Moss Hart and George Kaufman, won a Pulitzer Prize as a Broadway play and an Academy Award as a movie.

Bradshaw, son of Mrs. Margie Bradshaw, of McDowell, worked on the light crew of "Man of LaMancha," a recent production of the MSU Theater.



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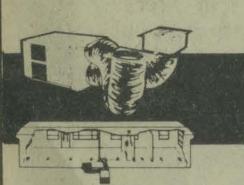
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#### Vs: CR 8597

Roy Salyers, Jr., Aka Frank Salyers and Mary Jo Salyers, his wife, 54644 26th Street. South Bend, Indiana 46635, Mrs. Berbie Salyers Bates, single, 2754 Sutton Place. Columbus 4, Ohio 43204, Mrs. Katie Miles and Charles Miles, 1217 Turner Street. Ashland, Kentucky 41101...Defts.

and

Roy Salyers, Verlie Bates and Katie Miles...Plfs.

Vs. CR 8601

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Given under my hand, this 19th day of forgotten. June, 1972.

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# The Hillbilly Has a Word for It

By LIDA WILSON PYLES

There was a time, several years ago, after the publication of some so-called (In The Eureka Springs (Ark.) Times-Echo) ceremonies were performed at the home of humorous books on the Ozarks, that natives were ashamed to admit they lived in the Ozarks. Not so any more. From Maine to California they come to the hills for work, for play and for retirement.

It has been said that it is easy to tell if a man is a hillbilly. Just call him that. If it makes him mad, he isn't. True natives of the Ozark hills are not ashamed of that fact. About the best way to spot a native is to listen to his speech. Regardless of his education, sooner or later he will lapse into his native Ozark dialect. Often, college professors or other eruidites with enough letters after their names to play a game of Scrabble, will say something like, "Oh, yes, I remember you. I seen you last summer." It is natural for the Ozarkian to mix his tenses and drop final g's. In the early days, if one had enough formal education to know better, he was afraid to use correct English, for fear of being accused by his frineds of, "puttin' on th' dog."

One of the most interesting things about the Ozark lingo is the similes which they use in description. Often an event or happening will be described in such a manner that the same expression is soon being used all over the country, sometimes by people who had no idea where the saying originated.

One such phrase is often used and is possibly familiar all over the United States night." when describing someone who has done well financially. Very often we hear that "John and his family are livin' high on th' hog," Very few people who use the description know of its origin or that it was first used in the Ozarks, or when it was first

The early settlers mostly lived far below what is known as the poverty level today. Many people did not have money to buy the choice cuts of meat or to invest in a hog which they might butcher for their own use.

There were no freezers or any way to preserve their meat except to hang and smoke it. Thus...many of the less desirable cuts were given to their less fortunate neighbors, or sold at a very low figure. Naturally, the portions to be disposed of in such manner were not the choice cuts. Usually, the feet or the lower shank of the animal. If a family was able to buy the hams or more desirable cuts, they were "livin' high on th' hog."

It is believed that more true Ozark expressions originated in one certain area of the hills than perhaps all of the others combined. It is a strip ranging about ten miles in width, running on either side of the Missouri-Arkansas border. This area is often referred to as "Lap Land, where Missouri laps over into Arkansas." There, one will hear stock expressions, often which had their origin in the same area, even though the origin has long since been

Often, when describing a good job well done, we hear someone say, "Well, that's just as good as Bill or Ned could do." Few know or have taken the time to learn where the expression was first used.

It all goes back to the time when neighbors used to gather in some home on Butler Creek for an old fashioned square dance. The fiddlin' was usually done by Bill Walden or Ned Stapleton. Another young man in the neighborhood whose name has long ago been forgotten, was making a valiant effort to master the art. The sounds which came from his instrument were not conducive to dancing and he had been

discouraged from playing by his friends. One night neither of the regular fiddlers showed up for the dance and the young man decided that it was now or never. He

contingency fund grant to the state Commission for Handicapped children to bolster several treatment programs, curtailed recently because of unexpected patient load increased. Officials said easeloads at some clinics have increased 110 per cent this year. The situation has forced cutbacks in many programs and only emergency service has been available in some areas

resined his bow, took up his fiddle and began his tune. At the end of his efforts, he waited for the praise which failed to come. The crowd stood around in silence. It was not polite to fail to comment on the music but they could think of no favorable com-

ment to make, so said nothing. Waiting a few minutes the young fiddler said, "Well, that's about as good as Bill or Ned could do." The same phrase is used throughout the area, almost a century after

it was first used. The story is often told in that same area,

of a man who was perhaps the world's most henpecked man. His wife told him each morning exactly what farm chores he was to do that day. He did them without question. One morning very early, he was seen approaching the home of his neighbor. The neighbor, surprised at seeing Old Ned, visiting around the neighborhood at such an early hour, finally asked him, "What are you going to do today Ned?" Old Ned bowed his head and said, "Well, I don't know what

in the Hell to do. Sarah died last night." It was true. His wife had passed away during the night and without her guidance her husband had no idea what to do. Today, when people in that area are undecided, they come up with Ned's sumation, "I don't know what in the Hell to do, Sarah died last

Many of the pioneer families carved their spoons or other "eatin' tools" from pieces of cow's horn. That, as well as many crafts today, was an art of its own. Many people could waste a whole horn and never come up with anything which faintly resembled a spoon. One man, tired of making failures, finally told his wife, "I'm goin' to make a spoon or spile a horn."

So, today, more than a century later, often we hear, when one is making a last effort or "going for broke" that they are going to "make a spoon or spile a horn." (Nobody used the word "spoil" in those

days. They said "spile".) Frank Smith lived in Lap Land and in addition to illiteracy he had a speech impediment. Some of his expressions are still alive in that area today. Many love to tell of his threat to the roving hornet, who had landed in his coffee cup. The insect had made its way through the unscreened doors, along with any other winged creature who desired to share the family breakfast. After buzzing the table a couple of times, the hornet made a perfect threepoint landing in Frank's coffee. He took his spoon and carefully lifted the insect from the cup and placed it on the table. Soon, it was flying around again and repeated the process. Frank again lifted it from the cup and to the surface of the table. Solemnly, he spoke to the hornet, "Now, if I haf to do that again, I'm gonna' put you out rough." Today, when patience is growing thin, someone invaribly comes up with the remark, "If I have to do that again, I'm

gonna put you out rough." Inadequacy is also described in Lap Land by using a term which had its origin in that area. The story is told of Cal Emmery (a native of Searcy county) who was cutting ties on Butler Creek with a neighbor.

Their supply of drinking water had run out. The two men had started homeward, tired and thirsty. They came upon a wet weather spring which was almost dried up from the rays of the summer sun. Both men were thinking that perhaps there was enough water left in the hole to quench two thirsts. The neighbor, considerate of Cal's need as well as his won, stepped aside to allow Cal to get the first drink. He took his cup, improvised from a leaf, and dipped it into the water. He quickly drank the con-Governor Ford announced a \$100,000 tents and went back for the second cup full, which took all the remaining water. He wiped the moisture from his lips with the back of his hand and said, "Well, that was a hell of a drink for two thirsty men." That same expression is often used in that area today to describe anything in short supply.

An original phrase is used in the same area too when one is in doubt and needs a fitting phrase to describe his indecision. The much told tale, is of a farmer and his young son who were looking for stray cattle and stopped at the home of a neighbor.

The host invited the visitors to stay for supper. His wife was busy making biscuits, chewing away on the snuff stick in one corner of her mouth. Hanging on to the end of the stick and almost ready to drop into the dough was a great gob of the tobacco

The little boy was hungry from his walk in the woods and anxious to know if his father was going to accept the invitation. "Are we goin' to set for supper, Pa?" he

"I don't know son," his father answered, "it all depends on which way the drop falls." Many folks in the hill country today, when waiting to make some kind of decision, explain it be saying, "It all depends on which way the drop falls." A greater percent of them have never taken the trouble to learn where or by whom it was first used.

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In the early days, most wedding one of the contracting parties of the local Justice of the Peace. Occasionally the preacher was called upon to tie the knot. The state of Arkansas made it necessary for the couple to acquire a license long before the law went into effect in Missouri. Very often, couples went across the state line to be married in Missouri in order to avoid the cost of the marriage license. During pioneer days, it was common for a question, especially those asked by a minister, to be answered with "I'll endeavor so to do."

It is related that during a marriage ceremony in the hills, the bride being a spinster and anxious to get the groom tied fast and tight before he got away, answered the question in a manner which has never been forgotten and is still in use to describe definite intention. When the preacher had asked, "Will you take this man to be your lawful wedded husband?" She turned, spit a stream of tobacco juice into the fireplace beside her and answered, "Why, shore, I come apurpose.'

The kitchen cuterly, too, comes in for one of the oft-told tales in the Ozark country. Most households was lacking in many of the necessities and all of the luxuries. No housewife had a complete set of anything. Her "eatin" tools were a conglomeration of pieces gathered from here and there. Most of them were different and could be identified by description or name. It is told that one housewife named her kitchen knives thusly, "Big Butch, Little Butch, Old Case, Cob Handle and the One Granny Cut the Gut with."

The list of Ozark expressions is long, deathless and always amusing. Perhaps they will be used as long as the hills are the habitat of people. Newcomers to the area, pick them up from the natives and use them without knowledge of the origin. Even though we are invaded by people from all directions who once made jokes about the Ozarks and who now like to call them "home." The true hillbilly never changes his manner of speaking, very much.

Perhaps sometime, in the distant future. our great-grandchildren will be welcomed on the moon with, "Come up an' stay a week with us. We're just pore folks but we got so many pore ways, you'll be shore to like some of' em."

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Mr. Dingus joined the company in 1950 and has been a lifetime resident of Prestonsburg.

Mr. Dingus is married and the father of three children: Elizabeth Graham, teacher at Iroquois High School, Louisville; James Bartram, a senior at Eastern Kentucky University, and Gwen Carolyn, Prestonsburg high school student.

tucky with specific instructions to comply

with the 1899 Refuse Act which forbids

industrial pollution and obstruction of all

navigable streams and their tributaries.

Lexington, of the Eastern district of

Kentucky, said federal agencies plan the

investigation, first, of larger coal com-

panies and eventually to check virtually

The work of investigation apparently is

the long-neglected Refuse Act followed a

letter-writing campaign by Whitesburg's

Harry Caudill, author-attorney. He in-

formed the Louisville district, U.S. Corps of

Engineers, and the U.S. district attorney's

office in Lexington that coal companies in

his county were not complying with the law.

Harlow emphasized the point that the

crackdown is not aimed especially at a

particular industry but that it came about

in the coal fields after several coal com-

panies had indicated they did not know

about the law or felt they were not subject

Assistant U. S. Attorney Compton said

most Kentucky coal operations violate at

The Big Sandy, Kentucky and Licking

rivers are all classed as navigable streams,

and they and their tributaries cover the

Spokesmen for both the Huntington, W.

Va. and Louisville Corps of Engineers'

offices and the U.S. district attorney's

office in Lexington confirmed the fact that

the investigation is under way under the

1899 law as a means of cleaning up silted

and acid-polluted streams, many of which

have been impounded through costly

In this category is Dewey Lake, which is

least some parts of the 1899 law.

Eastern Kentucky coal field.

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because, it was said:

Assistant U. S. Attorney John Compton,

Refuse Act Invoked,

Area Mines Probed

# Mine Safety Regulations Hit By Judge in Leslie County Case

U. S. District Judge David H. Her- nationwide, of the mine safety law. mansdorfer voided coal mine safety regulations devised by the U.S. Secretary of the Interior in 1970 to carry out provisions of the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.

He acted on a motion in the case involving the December, 1970 disaster in a Hyden mine owned by Charles Finley and the Finley Coal Co.

The judge held that the current un- court. derground mine-safety rules and regulations promulgated by former Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel are invalid, since the secretary did not consult with other government agencies and with coal interests before adopting the safety standards, as the federal law

Hermansdorfer's opinion came unexpectedly after a pre-trial conference in Lexington during which defense attorneys and the prosecution met to lay ground rules for the trial of the owners of the ill-fated

The trial of mine owners Charles Finley, of Manchester, and the Finley Coal Co., on 24 counts of violating the mine safety law was set to begin but was continued indefinitely after Hermansdorfer's ruling. Attorneys in the case were unsure what the judge's opinion means to enforcement,

U. S. Atty. Eugene Siler said, after a closed-door conference on the ruling in the law" in the Eastern District of Kentucky

judge's chambers, that the ruling is "the until reversed on an appeal to a higher court. Siler said the ruling probably would set a precedent nationwide if there are similar cases pending, at least until the ruling is either upheld or reversed by a high

Siler also said, "The ruling has in effect dismissed at least some counts of the indictment, those concerning nonpermissable explosives and excessive coal

Siler said his office will immediately appeal the decision to the U.S. Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals in Cincinnati. One attorney involved in the case, who asked not to be quoted by name said the case may be postponed "three or four months" awaiting the appeal decision.

"It renders us unable to prosecute under some counts," said Asst. U. S. Atty. Eldon Webb, the government's chief prosecutor in the Hyden case.

Defense attorneys former Gov. Bert Combs and Edward F. Prichard Jr. of Frankfort, reserved comment on the ruling until it is filed in written form.

Ban Silt Dams

Pike County Judge Wayne Rutherford

said last week that he proposes to use the

power of Home Rule to prevent state-

ordered coal-silt dams from being built in

valleys of his county which are prone to

flooding, and other county judges of the

region, including Floyd County Judge

Henry Stumbo, are sympathetic toward his

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will begin Sunday night at the Katy Friend Free Will Baptist Church and continue through July 15, with the Rev. Scott Castle and others preaching. Services each day will be at 7:30 p.m. All ministers and singers are urged by the pastor, the Rev. Jack DeRossett, to attend, and the public is

> Action at the county level is considered to halt the construction of larger dams.

> "They are too dangerous on our steep slopes," Judge Rutherford said of the large dams. "They won't hold when heavy rains come down the slopes. Somebody might be washed away.

Judge Stumbo commented:

"The big dams could be dangerous, and I don't want our people hurt. I will give some more though later to stopping them if it turns out that the counties have that power."

Judges George Wooten, of Leslie county, and Robert B. Collins, of Letcher county, were strong in their support of the Pike county plan.

(The U. S. Bureau of Mines reported recently after an on-site inspection of Floyd county silt dams that there is no dangerous dam of this type in the county at this time.)

Natural Resources Commissioner Tom Harris said in Frankfort his thought has been that Rutherford was opposed only to the larger dams proposed under a directive issued recently by Buddy A. Beach, acting director of reclamation.

The directive stipulated that strip-mine permits will be issued only after plans for silt basins, to catch the runoff from mining operations, have been submitted and ap-

Harris said his department is just as concerned as the judge over big basins that might break and flood the hollows.

"We don't want that, either," he said. "There are many places where we would not permit one larger dam. There might be two or three smaller ones instead. All will have to meet our criteria."

"I called Beach," Rutherford said, "and I told him I am a reasonable man, not a crank, but that 'I am not going to let you build those big dams in this county."

He said Beach was noncommittal, but that Pike county coal men are complaining that they still are not getting their permits. Harris said 48 applications for permits are pending from applicants who have not submitted silt-basin plans.

The fear of dam-bursts stems from the Buffalo Creek, W. Va. disaster. A stripmine operation on Mud Creek was reported halted last week when residents of the valley below it staged a demonstration.

Paul Justice, of Pike county, owner of the operation, denied that the work was stopped by the demonstrators. He claimed work had already been shut down for repairs.

GUESTS OF BANK

Thomas Hereford and Blaine R. Hall, who flew to Paris June 12, joined Mrs. Hereford and Johnny and Mrs. Hall in Luzerne, Switzerland the following Saturday. They were guests during their European tour of the First National Bank and Mrs. Burl Spurlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stephens and children, of Lexington, are here for the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Clarke, Misses Elsie and Linda Stephens.

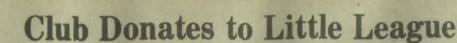
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frazier and Mrs. Bill Bayer were in Lexington Saturday on business.

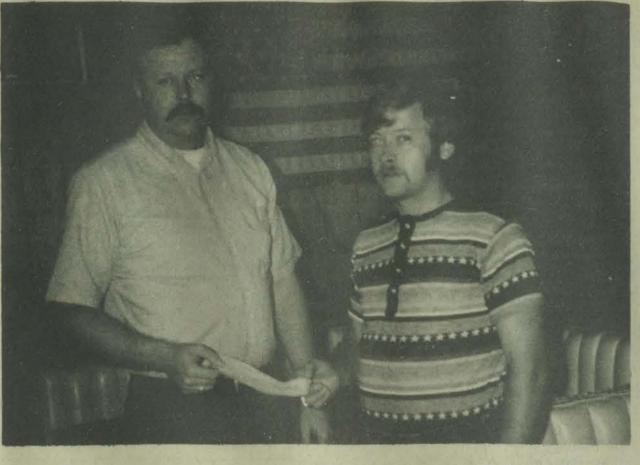
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# John Sherman Cooper Backs \$664,000 Study of Strip-Mining

In the new Appropriations bill voted by the U. S. Senate last week \$664,000 was included for research in strip-mining to be conducted by the U.S. Forest Service at its Berea experiment station.

The Senate also approved \$200,000 for construction of the Martin local flood protection project. Since this is the same amount voted by the House, the Senate action assures these funds for the Martin

The amount voted for the strip-mining study represents an increase of \$300,000 over the 1973 budget recommendation of \$364,000 and an increase of \$150,000 over the amount provided by the House passed bill. Senator Cooper-who had testified before Senator Bible's Interior Appropriations Subcommittee for the funds-urged the Senate conferees to insist upon the higher Senate figure when they meet with the House conferees to work out the differences between the Senate and House bills.

Senator Cooper said, "While \$664,000 is less than the amount which I had requested for the research effort, it represents almost a doubling of current funds used in the research and can significantly accelerate

Senator Cooper, who in 1964 had requested and secured the first substantial increase in appropriations for the Berea Experiment Station, urged the Congress to expand the research effort further in future years to the full capability of the Forest Service. Senator Cooper told the Senate, "Reclamation is dependent upon the store of knowledge and technology in methods of reducing or preventing damage to the land, environment and forest resources during surface mining operations and of restoring these values during and after mining."

The research at Berea is the only effective federal research conducted in reclaiming contour strip-mined land, Cooper said. "Unless remedial action is undertaken soon, our hills and mountain lands may be despoiled without the prospect of restoration. This research is absolutely vital to efforts of reclamation," Cooper added.

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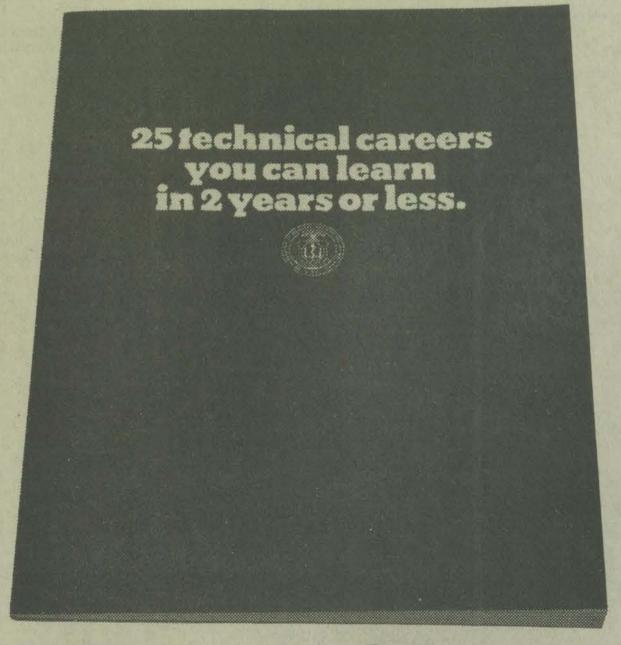
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and soon thereafter he abandoned the car.

widely reported to be acid-ridden and suffering from siltation as a result of stripmining in the Pike county headwaters of Johns Creek, which is the source of the impoundment. Fishtrap Reservoir in Pike county has been an outstanding example of siltation.

One coal company cited by Harry Caudill as a biolator—the Elkhorn Jellico Coal Co., of Whitesburg-has already been visited by

George Harlow, chief of the enforcement an EPA investigator and has been given a branch of the U.S. Environmental Por-timetable for correcting four alleged tection Agency (EPA), Atlanta, Ga., ad-violations of the 1899 law. mitted last week that two special in- Under the Refuse Act, violators are

vestigators have been assigned to Ken- subject to criminal prosecution and fines of \$500 to \$2,500 for each day of the violation or imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than one year, or both. The law also provides that a citizen who informs the corps of the appropriate U.S. attorney about a violation and gives sufficient information to lead to conviction is entitled to one-half the fine set by the court.

EPA enforcement chief Harlow said the pollution problem, and the crackdown, also extends to several oil producers in Western Kentucky, where wastes from wells have beginning in the Kentucky River section, been emptied or permitted to flow into The federal government's enforcement of navigable streams.

# Youth Accused Of Kidnapping

A youth who had given his address as Prestonsburg but who actually is a resident of the Middle Fork section of Magoffin county was sought last week as the alleged kidnapper of an Index, Morgan county

The fugitive, Eddie Risner, is accused of forcing Mrs. Janie Sheets into the trunk of his car and driving to Magoffin county where he fled at the approach of deputy

His hostage is the mother of Freddie Alan Sheets, 15, who was drowned two weeks earlier in Grayson Reservoir.

Mrs. Sheets, an employee of the Riverside Motor Company at Index, had accompanied the youth to the courthouse in nearby West Liberty to effect the transfer of title of a car to young Risner. Instead of driving her back to Index, he turned in the opposite direction, later stopped the vehicle and at gunpoint forced her into the trunk. When he stopped in Magoffin county at the home of a relative, Mrs. Sheets screamed. He drove away, but officers were notified

Winfred Howard, a salesman at the motor company, said Risner told him he lived here. Risner was described as "harmless looking little fellow," but he later was described as dangerous. He is reportedly a two-time escapee from a reform

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# Ford Names 12-Member Group To Form State Safety Plan

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A 12-member committee was appointed last week by Governor Wendell H. Ford to undertake formulation for Kentucky of such a plan, and one of those named is superior to the federal plan, the Kentucky supervisor of safety for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company. Membership of the committee is divided evenly between representatives of labor and industry. Mr. Neeley, a 19-year employee of the gas company and a member of the American Society of Safety Engineers, said the committee is expected to begin work this month.

If the plan evolved by the committee is acceptable to the U.S. Labor Department, its operation will be monitored by the federal department during a three-year probationary period.

Purpose of the law is to assure every employee a safe and healthful place of employment, free from recognized hazards which are causing, or likely to cause, serious physical injury or death. The Secretary of Labor has authority to set safety and health standards.

Inspections are to be made by representatives of the Secretary of Labor with representatives of employees and management, of places of employment while actual work is in progress. Employees or their representatives may request an inspection if they feel a situation of "imminent danger" exists, or that a standard is being violated.

Citations may be issued if an inspector or compliance officer determines standards or a specific standard is being violated.

If a citation is issued an employer has 15 working days to contest the citation or penalty, of both. Civil penalities up to \$1,000 are provided for violations. Willful violations of standards which result in death are subject to a fine of up to \$10,000 and six months' imprisonment. Failure to adhere to posting of notices, etc., carries a fine of \$1,000 for each violation.

A plant may be partially or completely shut down if an "imminent danger" situation develops, until the condition is corrected. (This may be accomplished by a U. S. district court order).

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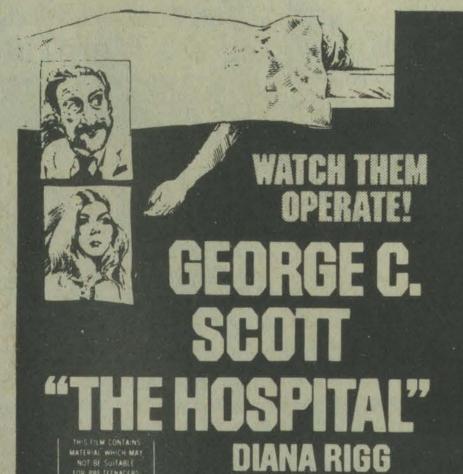
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State Reclamation Director Buddy A. Beach says new regulations are being drafted to bring "punch mining" and other in-between mining techniques under Kentucky's new strip mine law. Punch mining involves the use of deep-mining to remove coal from an already stripped surface seam. Since coal is mined from shallow shafts in the highwall, the porcess legally is considered deep mining and therefore not subject to the strip mine law.

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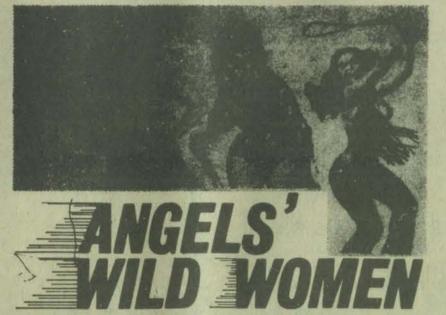
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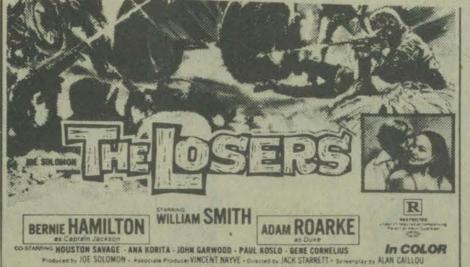
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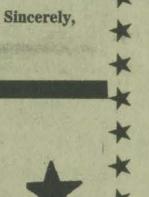
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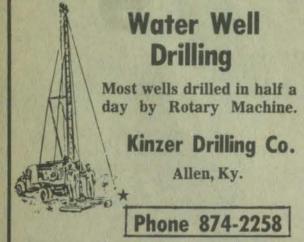
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# 3rd Camping Week Begun at Shawnee

The third and final week of camping at Camp Shawnee began Sunday, with seven troops attending, according to Clifford Myers, camping and activities chairman for the Lonesome Pine Council Boy Scouts of America.

Troops attending camp this week are: Troop 24 from Langley, Troop 144 from Garrett, Troop 330 from Tomahawk, Troop 26 from Wayland, Troop 146 from Wheelwright, Troop 28 from Water Gap, Kentucky, and Troop 10 from Pikeville.

This year more than 200 Scouts attended Camp Shawnee in the three one-week periods. While at camp the boys participated in camping, compass work, fire drills, cooking, swimming, boating, archery, and many other outdoor Scout ac-

Through the cooperation of Jenny Wiley State Park, the Scouts used the swimming pool at Jenny Wiley State Park. The school bus used to transport the Scouts from Camp Shawnee to the swimming pool at Jenny Wiley State Park was provided by the Pike County Board of Education.

> TIMES WANT ADS GET RESULTS!

# **Arnold Martin**

Arnold Martin, 23, of Grethel, died Friday morning at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital after an extended illness.

Born December 31, 1948, at Grethel, he was a son of Mrs. Myrtle Evans Martin, of Grethel, and the late Jack Martin.

Surviving besides his mother, are one half-brother Eddie Martin, of Washington, and a sister, Miss Novie Martin, of Grethel.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 2 a.m. at the home of Evan Adkins, at Grethel, with ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Evans cemetery at Grethel under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

# James L. Handshoe

James L. Handshoe, 27, of Kendallville, Ind., formerly of Handshoe, died Tuesday, in a Fort Wayne hospital after an extended

Born February 13, 1945, at Handshoe, he was a son of Grover and Annie Howard Handshoe, who survive. He was a maintenance worker for a Kendallville foundry.

Survivors, other than his parents, are his wife, Rita Fay Terry Handshoe; a daughter and a son, Patricia Jo and Randy Darrell Handshoe, both at home; two brothers, Glenn Handshoe, of Evanston, and Thee Handshoe, of Kendallville; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Hale, of Kendallville, Mrs. Oma Bolen, of Waterloo, Ind., and Miss Mary Handshoe, of Hueysville.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at 10 a.m. at the home of his parents with the Revs. Lee Combs, L. P. Tussey and Wireman officiating. Burial was made in the Wilce Handshoe cemetery at Handshoe under the direction of Hall Brothers grandchildren. Funeral Home.

#### Homer Conn

Homer Conn, 46, of Elkton, Maryland, formerly of Dana, passed away at his home Saturday after a long illness.

Born May 18, 1926, at Dana, he was a son of Allen and Dixie Jarrell Conn who survive. He was of the Baptist faith and was employed as a carpenter and automobile

Conn, of Elkton, Md.; three brothers, illness. He lived in Ashland. Delmer Conn, of Detroit, Mich., Ted Conn, Magis Kranker, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. made in Ashland cemetery. Thelma Presley, of Hazel Park, Mich.,

Baptist church at Dana by ministers of the Regular Baptist church. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Dana, under

# **Dell Lanny Hamilton**

Dell Lanny Hamilton, infant son of Donald and Dora Tackett Hamilton, of Craynor, died at birth Saturday at the Methodist hospital at Pikeville. The 7-5-10t. maternal grandparents are Acca and Goldie Newsome Tackett, of Craynor, and WANTED-Experienced cooks and the paternal grandparents are Greg and Lillie Hamilton, of Craynor, Graveside services were held Sunday at the Mitchell cemetery at Craynor. Burial was made under the direction of the Hall Brothers under the Manpower Administration's Funeral Home.

# **Obituaries**

Mrs. Maude F. May

Mrs. Maude Foster May, 47, of Pikeville, formerly of Drift, died last Monday at her

Born September 14, 1924, she was the after an illness of several months. daughter of Arthur and Emma Shannon Floyd county school teacher.

her husband, Eldon J. May, of Pikeville; Burton Pentecostal church. one son, Douglas May, of Pikeville; five brothers, Jeff Foster, of Akron, Ohio, Sherman and Ray Foster, both of Drift, Bill Foster, of Mississippi, and Emmett Foster, of Bevinsville, Herman Johnson, of Minnie of Cleveland, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Levi and Earl Johnson, of Wadsworth, Ohio, Jones, of Drift, and Mrs. Palmer Talbert, of four daughters, Mrs. Lonnie Keene, of Hi St. Marys, Ohio.

Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Immanuel Baptist Mission Church at Pikeville. Burial Daniel Johnson, of Haymond, Ky., George was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens Johnson, of People, Ky., Jerry Johnson, of at Ivel under direction of Hall Brothers Jackhorn, and Brock Johnson, of Estill; Funeral Home.

## Billie Green

Billie Green, age 80, of Handshoe, died Thursday at his home.

Born April 9, 1892, at Buckhorn, he was the son of John and Amanda Shepherd Green. He was a member of the Regular Baptist church for 43 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bertha Collins Green; six sons Odis Green, of Garrett, George and Troy Green, both of Handshoe, Corbet and Coye Green, both of Kendallville, Ind., Shelby Green, of Plymouth, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Stella Conley, of Garrett, and Mrs. Sylvia Howell, of Willard, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Shevea, of Wisconsin, Mrs. Lizia Robinson, of Shelby, Ohio, and Mrs. Sarah Shepherd, of Mousie; 52 grandchildren and 36 great-

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m., June 25, with ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Handshoe, under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

# Otis H. Horne

Otis H. Horne, 69, trustee and retired president of Inland Gas Corp., an affiliate of Columbia Hydrocarbon Co., Inc., died Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Belva Friday in an Ashland hospital after a brief

Funeral services were conducted of Hazel Park, Mich., and Arzie Conn, of Monday at Lazear Funeral Home, Ashland, Warren, Michigan; four sisters, Mrs. by the Rev. James Rucker. Burial was

Mr. Horne, a native of Ashland, worked Mrs. Alma Cruntz, of Vermillion, Ohio, and with Inland Gas for 40 years before retiring Mrs. Dionia Akers, of Hamtramck, in 1968. He was born Dec. 26, 1902, a son of the late William H. and Julia Copley Horne. Funral services were conducted Thur- He was past president of the Ashland Lions sday at 10 a.m., at the Little Salem Regular Club, the Kentucky Oil and Gas Association, Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce and Bellefonte Country Club.

A deacon and elder of the First direction of the Hall Brothjrs Funeral Presbyterian Church of Ashland, he also was chairman of the board of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ashland and was a director of the Second National Bank, Ashland. Mr. Horne also had been active in the Boy Scouts of America.

> Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Virginia Birch Horne; a daughter, Mrs. Nelson Leach, of Louisville; a brother, W. A. Horne, of Largo, Fla., and a granddaughter. Since 1967, the National Urban League

has placed 3,738 minority youth apprentices

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Apprenticeship Outreach Program.

# Bish Johnson

Bish Johnson, 79-year-old retired railway worker, of Hi Hat, died Thursday at Mc-Dowell Appalachian Regional hospital

Born March 7, 1893, at Melvin, he was a Foster, who survive. She was a former son of Caleb and Betty Tackett Johnson. He was a former employee of the C. & O. Survivors, other than her parents, are Railway Co., and was a member of the

Surviving are his wife, Fronie Newman Johnson; five sons, Curtis and Charlie Johnson, both of Hi Hat, Herschel Johnson, Hat, Mrs. Sadie Long, of Vidor, Texas, Mrs. Funeral services were conducted Florence Johnson and Mrs. Eula Johnson, both of Frankfort, Ky.; four brothers, two sisters, Mrs. Nan Osborn, of Ligon, and Mrs. Delia Hudson, of London, Ohio; 19 grandchildren and three great-

grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Sunday at the Clear Creek United Baptist Church, the Revs. Bob Smith and Steve Hall officiating. Burial was in the Newman cemetery at Hi Hat under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

# **Mort Arnett**

Mort Arnett, 83, of David, died Sunday at the Prestonsburg General hospital after a week's illness.

Born December 17, 1888, in Magoffin county, he was a son of Harris and Queen Shepherd Arnett. His wife, Bessie Shepherd Arnett, died in 1953.

Surviving are two sons, Clark Arnett, of Torrance, California, and Claude Arnett, of Chelsea, Mich; six daughters, Mrs. Minnie Hackworth, Mrs. Sarah Davis and Mrs. Bonnie Davis, all of David, Mrs. Maggie Dotson, of West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Charity Wireman, of Salyersville, Mrs. Grace Wireman, of Chelsea, Michigan; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Hale, of McDairyville, Ind., Mrs. Nora Allen and Mrs. Josie Allen, both of Salversville, Mrs. Stella Shepherd and Mrs. Florence Fitzpatrick, both of West Prestonsburg; two brothers, Boone Arnett, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and Jim Arnett, of Lucasville, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Carter Funeral Home chapel, with the Rev. W. D. Jaggers officiating. Burial was made in the Arnett cemetery on Howard Branch at Salyers-

# Mrs. Nelle P. Pendleton

Mrs. Nelle Patrick Pendleton, 78, died July 2 at King's Daughters' Hospital in Ashland, after a two-month illness.

She was the widow of Edgar Pendleton, a lawyer, who formerly lived here. He died in 1926. She was the daughter of the late Dennis and Pamelia Patrick, of Salyersville, was a member of the Methodist Church and a retired practical nurse! Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Edna Osborne, three grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted July 4, at 10 a.m., at the Miller Funeral Home in Ashland. The body was taken to Prater and Dunn Funeral Home in Salyersville. Grave side rites were conducted Wednesday at the family cemetery in Salyersville.

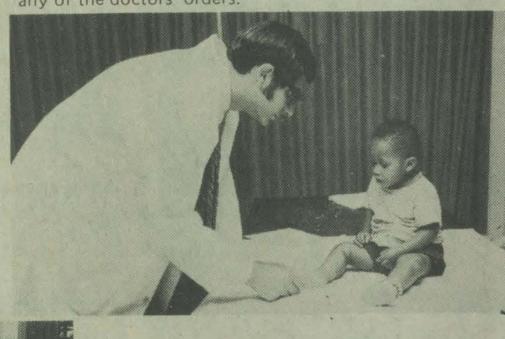
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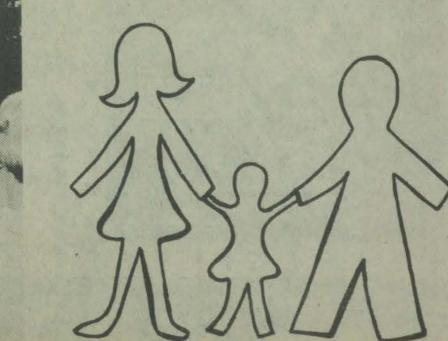
# Special Treatment For Special Kids



(Photos By Department of Public Information)

The Kentucky Commission for Handicapped Children was established in 1924 primarily to help victims of polio epidemics. Today the state agency treats various handicaps in persons up to age 21 whose families are unable to meet the full cost of medical care and treatment. With offices in Louisville, Lexington, Paducah and Bowling Green, the commission frequently holds specialty clinics in these and 12 other cities around Kentucky. Recently, at an area clinic for children with orthopedic handicaps in Bowling Green, patients were seen first by a pediatrician, then by a specialist in orthopedics. Finally, patients and parents were interviewed by a nurse to review the doctors' findings, make recommendations and follow through any of the doctors' orders.





British Columbia has imposed a "tidal waters sport fish license" this year in the form of a fee for nonresident boats used for sport fishing in the British Columbia saltchuck. Individual fishermen do not need a personal license. - SPORTS AFIELD. SPORTS AFIELD.

Speaking of animals extinct and otherwise: near Wooler, Northumberland, England, is a herd of pure, uncrossed, wild white cattle whose ancestors roamed the hills there more than 10,000 years ago. -

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**FINANCING** 

By Rufus M. Reed

The famous cross-vine, a hardy evergreen of the Tri-State region, is a member of the Bignonia family, which includes our beautiful catalpa trees. This vine was named after a French clergyman, Abbe Jean-Paul Bignon, who was also librarian to the Royal Court at Paris.

tall tree in the woods of winter, you would see evergreen pairs of leaves extending all the way to the top of the tree. The leaves are quite hardy and can withstand severe winters. They turn a little purple but retain their fresh, vigorous look. Cut a cross section out of the stem of this vine, one that is about the size of a lead pencil, and examine it colsely. You will see plainly showing in the woody stem a perfect cross. No matter where you might cut the stem crosswise, the cross will always show.

Some claim that this vine with its cross imprinted in the woody stem is nature's way of keeping the memory of Christ's Cross. Those who have observed this vine closely point out many analogies between it and the Christian way of life. First, there is the vine keeping green and vigorous all through the severe storms and cold of winter; so should the Christian follower of Christ keep his faith alive through the severe storms and tribulations of life. The cross-vine is also a high climber; it clings to the bark of trees by means of tendrils formed at the crotch of each pair of leaflets. These tendrils cling with a firm hold, so that no storm wind can tear the vine loose. So should Christian believers cling to the Body of Christ and find safe anchor in the

The vine is a diligent seeker after the pure, bright sunlight and air; which it can get by climbing to the tops of tall trees; it is not content to keep low along the earth but seeks the higher realm of tree-tops. So should the follower of Christ renounce the low, earthly things of life and seek the

flowers, which are a showy reddish-orange and often form crowns and garlands in the branches of trees. The flowers are shaped like bells and ring out the glad tidings of spring; they appear in May and often blossoms. Some call the beautiful flowers news of God's marvelous creation of earthe resurrection of life at springtime.

The flowers of the cross-vine are large and showy and have five lobed divisions; the inside of the flower is a rich orange-

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The cross-vine produces beautiful swathe the host tree with their gorgeous the "bells of glory," which ring out the glad th's beauty-the gorgeous colors of the wild flowers, the fresh new green of spring and

yellow and the throat is a brilliant orangered. Oldtimers of the region called it the "snake vine," and would sometimes go to the winter woods to scrape the bark from the vines, for use in a pipe tobacco mixture. Just over ten percent of the original live weight of a 1,100-pound steer ends up as steak. Such a steer will cut out a 660-pound

Nature Trails

This vine is abundant in the southern July and lend a brilliant splash of color to counties of West Virginia and in all of the countryside. Eastern Kentucky. I am told that it is Trumpet vine is found throughout most of seldom found as far north as Charleston West Virginia and Kentucky and as far and is sometimes found as far west as south as Texas and Florida

Missouri and Illinois. The leaves are for-

med in opposite pairs on the stem, with two

paired leaflets at either end. Once I found a

cross-vine that had climbed about 100 feet

THE FAVORITE FLOWER OF HUM-

This is another member of the Bignonia

family, which produces large, showy

trumpet-shaped blossoms of a gorgeous

reddish-orange color. The large trumpers are eagerly sought by hummingbirds,

which are the only creatures that can

pollinate the trumpet vine. With their long,

needlelike bills, the birds can reach down

deep in the trumpet-corollas to get the rich

nectar. If you like hummingbirds about the

premises, cultivate the trumpet creeper and you'll attract lots of them. This vine is

known to the botanists as CAMPSIS

RADICANS, which signifies rooting. The

vine doesn't bear tendrils like cross-vine

but puts out aerial roots, which fasten onto

the trunks and limbs of trees, or on a rail

fence, where there is often seen trumpet

vines trailing for several feet. The vine is

hardy and persistent and its roots go deep

in the earth. Farmers do not like the vine as

well as the hummingbirds do, as it is hard

to eradicate when it gets a start in fields or

clearings. It is found in deep woods as well

as in open places. It is a vine well worth

growing for the sheer beauty of its large

orange-red trumpets, which may grow to a

length of three inches. It is said these

flowers produce more rich nectar than

most others, which makes them the special

The most beautiful sight of flowers I have

ever seen was the large display of the

orange-red trumpets of this vine in the top

of a tree. The crown of the tree was literally

The leaves of this vine are large, com-

pound and bear about 11 toothed leaflets.

The large flowers produce curved seed

pods as long as one's finger; these pods split down the middle in autumn, to release

While farmers detest this vine and call it

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Many citizens are not aware that the are properly drained and do not produce a tate law requires a permit for construction sight hazard," said Russell Romine,

The law refers not only to driveways, but also to buildings, fences, trees, ditches, "In order to protect the safety of the embankments, signs, utility lines, and raveling public on state maintained high- mailbox turnouts. This is a limited list of vays, we have to see to it that entrances encroachments. It is safe to say, anything affecting state right of way must be covered by a permit, he said.

Applications for permits may be obtained at no cost from the Department's district offices. After a permit for a private entrance is obtained, the applicant is required to furnish any necessary materials as specified by the Department. It is the Department's policy to install private entrances, except where the cost would be considered excessive. In such a case, it would be the applicant's responsibility to both furnish the materials and do the required work.

Where commercial interests are involved, the applicant is responsible for the cost of both the materials and the construction in compliance with the plans provided by the applicant and approved by the district engineer.

If the Department finds any driveway or other encroachment interfering with the safe, continuous use and maintenance of a state highway, the person responsible will be given a 30-day notice to remove the encroachment. Failure to comply with this notice will result in the removal of the encroachment at the expense of the person responsible.

"These are in no way unreasonable provisions," said Romine. "They were designed specifically to provide convenient access to highway facilities without interrupting normal highway traffic and to maintain the beauty of the roadside."

# PETROLEUM ENGINEERS ELECT



New officers of the East Kentucky section of A. I. M. E., Society of Petroleum Engineers, who were elected recently in the annual election of officers held at the Paintsville Country Club are here shown from left: Bobby Hager, of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co., Prestonsburg, president; O. O. Roberts, Paintsville, honorary director; Usman Vadgama, Ashland Oil, Inc., Ashland, vicepresident and program chairman; Alva Ward, United Fuel Gas Co., Prestonsburg, director; Mel Eldridge, Paintsville, membership chairman; Don Chaffin, Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co., Prestonsburg, director; Dave Wooley, Paintsville, secretary-treasurer; Charles Carmen, Russell, Ky., director.

# Sports Afield

By Ted Kesting

"Thunderstorms are nature's beststaged horror show," according to Zack Taylor, Boating Editor of "Sports Afield."

First come the lowering skies, the approach of an ominous black cloud, the earsplitting crash of the heavens rent asunder. Then come the lightning bolts, smashing the earth like blows from a giant's fist. Who among us has not been a spectator to their awesome power? Shattered trees, exploded rocks, fire and death follow in their wake.

We are assured by popular writers that lightning is a "deadly killer." Story after story dramatizes how some luckless person was laid low by it. Yet the facts say very clearly that the danger element lightning poses is actually negligible. For all its might, lightning actually kills an amazingly small number of people.

Consider these facts. Between 1959 and 1965 an average of 150 persons in this country were killed yearly by lightning, according to the National Center for Health Statistics. Lightning-attributed injuries accounted for some 250 more. These are the figures the government uses. Writers attempting to exaggerate lightning danger usually add to the death toll those persons burned to death in fires though to have resulted from lightning. This figure brings the total to 600 deaths yearly.

Using even this larger figure, the hazards of being struck by lightning are pretty slight compared with the hazards of other forms of activity. If you go swimming the chances are ten times greater that you'll drown. Some 6800 do every year. Walking down the back steps is 32 times more perilous. Falls kill 19,000 yearly. But if you don't want to rely entirely on statistics here are some words of advice.

To minimize lightning danger: STAY INDOORS. Inside any structure, the dangers of a direct blow are avoided and it is far likelier that lightning will divert through ground via pipes, wires or the wet

sides of buildings than through you. STAY IN A VEHICLE. Inside your car, camper or trailer, you are absolutely safe

from lightning. GET OUT OF THE WATER AND GET OFF THE WATER. Don't wade or swim. If in a boat, go to shore or get in the cabin.

AVOID METAL WIRE SYSTEMS. Lightning can flash sideways through pipes, wires and fences. Avoid the telephone, plug-in electrical appliances and pipe lines all of which could carry a brief surge of voltage which could harm you if

you are in actual contact with the con-

GET TO LOW GROUND AND TAKE COVER. A good spot if you can't get indoors is in a woods where all the trees are the same height. Perch under a low one. Any steel structure is a grounded lightning rod. Get near one but don't touch.

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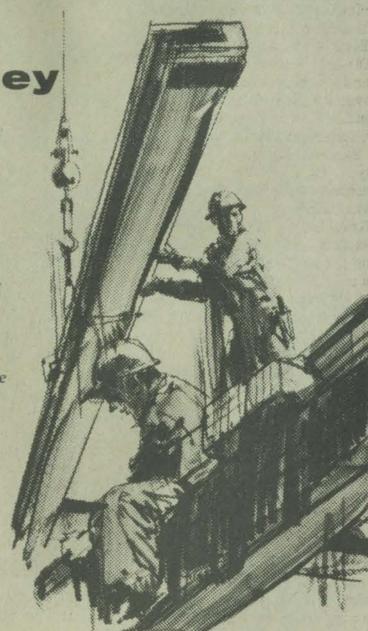
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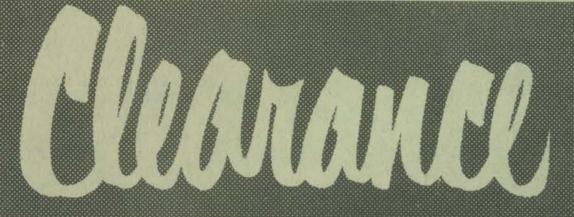
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# Ford, Others Named To Wildlife Group

Frankfort, Ky.-Gov. Wendell Ford and eight other minent Kentuckians have been named honorary board members of the Kentucky Wildlife Federation Foundation (KWFF).

KWFF is the nonprofit awards and scholarship subsidiary of the League of Kentucky Sportsmen, oldest and largest conservation organization in the state.

-It is currently sponsoring a number of conservation achievement awards programs, including the Minor Clark Scholarship Fund for Kentucky college students.

Other honorary board members announced with the Governor are Congressman Tim Lee Carter, Tompkinsville; Dr. Robert R. Martin, president of Eastern Kentucky University; Dr. Frank Steely, president of Northern Kentucky State College;

Greshma Houghland, president of Crounch Barge Line Corp., Paducah; L. Allan Caperton, Prospect businessman; Dr. Jerry Howell, Jackson; Frankfort attorney Joseph J. Leary, and Stanley Culver, president of Cumberland Welder Supply Co., Somerset.

The first Minor Clark scholarships are to be announced in late July. Applications by students may be made to Joseph L. Coomes, vice president, League of Kentucky Sportsmen, 1621 Booth Avenue, Owensboro 42301.

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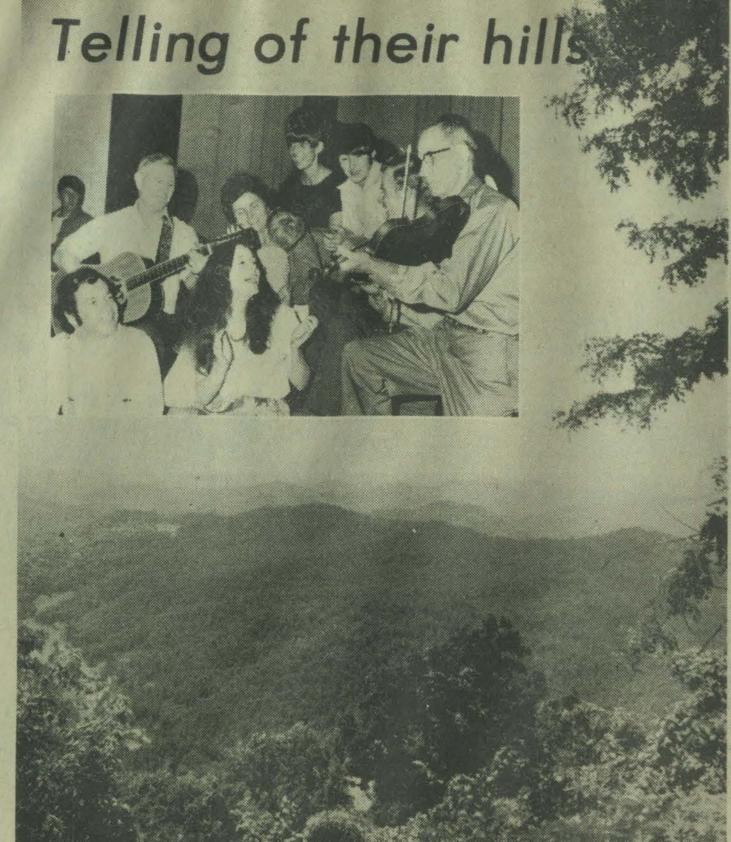
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Pictured high above the hills and Kingdom Come Valley in which they live, members of the cast prepare for the opening season of Letcher County's "Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come Drama." Based on the novel written by John Fox Jr., the drama tells of the Kentucky mountain people and the Civil War strife that once rent the commonwealth. The drama runs each Friday-Sunday, 8:30 p.m., June 30-Aug. 27, at Whitesburg. (Kalman Papp Photo)

# **Kentucky Gasoline Consumption** Is Above National Average

Consumption of gasoline in in Kentucky's gasoline tax Kentucky increased 6.7 percent enacted by the last session of in 1971, compared to the the previous year, according to Thomas H. Maxedon, executive director of the Kentucky

Petroleum Council. Maxedon noted that Kentucky's percentage of increase last year was 63 percent higher than the national average of all states. He attributed a large portion of this increase to the fact that Kentucky's gasoline tax rate during 1971 was competitive with the tax rate in Kentucky's bordering states.

Kentucky General Assembly will make Kentucky's gasoline tax higher than any state bordering Kentucky and could affect future sales, particularly in those Kentucky cities close to the state line, he added, the increase in Kentucky's gasoline tax will become effective on July 1 of this year and will provide a combined state and federal tax of 13 cents a gallon.

for both highway and nonhighway use in Kentucky in 1971 The 2 cents a gallon increase amounted to 1,541,088,000 gallons, Maxedon reported.

> By comparison, he pointed out that Kentucky's gasoline consumption in 1970 amounted to 1,447,209,000 gallons.

> > **CARD OF THANKS**

The family of Tilda Gibson wishes to extend thanks and appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives for the kindness shown at her death. Our thanks also go to the ministers, Doug Burkett and Green Boyd. A special thanks to the doctors and nurses at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home and those who sent food, gave blood, flowers or assisted in any

THE FAMILY

Gov. Wendell Ford announced 17 Kentucky Crime Commission grants totaling \$415,000 to implement corrections-related legislation passed by the 1972 General Assembly. The two largest awards go to Jefferson County and Bowling Green for improving jail facilities.



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# TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

be some ten or fifteen miles away, say at the county seat. Since we had relatives two and three miles beyond the county seat, they certainly lived far away. They were so far away that I grew up without knowing any relative intimately. Once in every two or three years, after I got to be six or more years old, I would go for a visit to some of the relatives, along with Mother or Big Sister. And it took me many months to run out of telling all the odd things I had seen over on the other side of the world from us.

But, by and by I became old enough to go away to school and did go away, first some seventy-five miles away; and then all the way to Bowling Green, some two hundred miles by rail but a good deal less than that if I could have gone as the crow flies. By degrees, but in no sense very fast, I managed to get still farther away from Fidelity; however, I have never had and will never have the chance to see the other side of the Atlantic Ocean; it is my Carcassonne. But I have enjoyed the portions of America that I have seen and have felt almost as much thrilled as I used to feel when I had gone ten or fifteen miles from

Humanity has been very much like me for most of my life. It has gradually got beyond the county or state lines and come home with a desire to travel farther and see more. Some thousands of our people, too, have "been about," in the earlier phrase. Through the courtesy of Uncle Sam, lots of men and boys whom I have known have been to the veritable ends of the earth. A sort of milepost was set up in my class the day a student who was to make a threeminute speech began, "One morning as I was flying over the North Pole." Such a statement could have occurred in my youth only in a fairy story. But my student had been there and was in no sense trying to brag about it, as we bragged outrageously about having been three miles west of Murray, where the Wilson-Robertson clan lived. The student used this quaint introduction to say how, while flying over the North Pole on a typical twice-a-week visit, he could see, even with his eyes open, not the endless miles of snow and ice but the shady old swimming-hole where he had spent many a happy hour. Even though he had literally been to the ends of the earth, he was still a boy, just such a boy as used to tell about seeing a train and how badly it scared the old family nag.

This round-about introduction is just my way of reminding the people who read this that the same thrills that awaited us around the next bend of the road now come to flying boys or sailing boys and, quite lately, to air sailors who have been so far from Fidelity and the Martin's Chapel neighborhood that the whole earth was merely a large ball on the horizon. It has taken some adjusting to things, but in one man's lifetime we have gone from Fidelity to Murray and a little beyond and, believe it or not, others have Total gasoline consumption gone away out yonder, thousands of times as far as I used to feel was a "fur piece." Let me moralize a little as I go along, for the problems that were alive and kicking at Fidelity in the mis-named Gay Nineties beset the descendants of that older generation and challenged the far-travelers

Just where is Far Away how? It used to as well as the stay-at-homes. It has been much easier to widen one's physical horizon than one's mental horizon. Prejudices in small worlds such as I knew seem perfectly normal; what did we know? Where had we been? How could we have any feeling for strange people over in another county or state? It has been a rather large moon voyage of adjustment from those early days; some of us have made it; some haven't. Why, as a folklorist I find almost every week some old, old belief or prejudice that was laughed at back in my Fidelity days, ideas that should have been adjusted to a bigger world along with the coming of the automobile, the airplane, and the rest of the modern gadgets of

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