

## Area Groups Ask Curbs on Mining

### 2 Floyd Clubs Join in Move, Citing Damage

The Appalachian Research and Defense Fund last week filed on behalf of seven environmental protection and sportsmen's groups a petition asking the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers to issue regulations "designed to correct ongoing and future destruction" of Corps-controlled water resource projects by pollution from coal mining, particularly strip-mining.

The petitioners are the Citizens League To Protect the Surface Rights (Letcher county); the Dewey Lake Fish & Game Club (Floyd county); the Kentucky Audubon Council; the Save Our Land Club (Floyd county); the Natural Resources Defense Council; the Sierra Club and the Russell Fork Fish & Game Club (Pike county.)

"We believe," the petition reads, "that the adoption of these regulations will, in large measure, rectify a serious problem which threatens the aesthetic quality, environmental integrity and primary functioning of many of the nation's water resource projects."

The water resource projects referred to are, generally, Corps of Engineers impoundments such as Dewey, Fishtrap and other reservoirs.

Petitioners expressed the belief that the Corps of Engineers has "more than ample" legal authority to promulgate the proposed regulations, pointing out that several typical broad-form deeds grant the Corps specific rights over coal interests in privately owned lands adjacent to particular reservoir projects.

Although the regulations requested are to apply solely to coal mining, the petition asked that the Corps maintain a watch on mining of any other minerals and to apply restrictions wherever needed to protect the reservoirs.

Among other requests, the petition asked:

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## Clark Says Loss Of Pupils Makes Outlook Darker

The outlook for teaching positions in the Floyd school system, next school year, is gloomier than last, Superintendent of Schools Charles Clark said Monday. And last year's picture was the darkest since the county's population began its decline.

The pupil enrollment drop is responsible for the lack of teaching jobs, Clark explained. He pointed to the figures for the last four years. At the end of the 1970-71 school year the enrollment was 9,411. The next year, the enrollment dropped to 9,407, then in 1972-73 there was the big drop to 9,074. And at the end of the first six months of the current term the enrollment was down again, this time to 8,970.

Teachers on tenure, naturally, are in the more comfortable position, leaving

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## Girls Meet in Festival Competition



The girls got into action during the 10th Annual Mountain Dew Festival here last week. Photo shows a Prestonsburg Community College player going up in volleyball competition as teammate Marcy Magura stands by.

## 1,000 Take Part Here In Mt. Dew Festival

Fifteen colleges and more than 1,000 students and faculty members took part in the three days of sporting events and competition which comprised the annual Mountain Dew Festival hosted here for the tenth straight year by Prestonsburg Community College.

Motels in the Prestonsburg area, Paintsville and Salyersville were "booked solid" with the arrival of the participants themselves as well as spectators for what has become Eastern Kentucky's biggest sporting event.

The three-day event saw the colleges, including schools of the University of Kentucky Community College system and several other junior colleges, competing in a total of 27 events, including a queen and talent contest. After the customary registration of participants and "get acquainted" period Thursday morning, the festival got off to an official start with the basketball competition that afternoon. Events including everything from chess to archery

continued throughout the three days of the festival and on Saturday the Mountain Dew Festival Queen representatives from each of the participating schools were featured in a parade in downtown Prestonsburg.

Miss Mountain Dew was selected during the talent contest Friday night at the Prestonsburg Grade School auditorium. After rating the girls in a number of categories, judges named Miss Patty Cox, Somerset Community College representative, this year's queen. First runner-up was Deborah Boulware, Elizabethtown Community College, and second runner up was Melinda Miller, of Jefferson Community College. Anita Pryor, Hopkinsville Community College was selected by the contestants as Miss Congeniality. Representing Prestonsburg Community College was 18-year-old freshman, Anita Hale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hale, of Blue River. Miss Mountain Dew

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## EPA Grant Increase Assures P'burg Work

The most concrete piece of information coming out of last Friday evening's meeting of federal, state, county and city officials at May Lodge was the announcement that the Atlanta office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) had approved a grant increase to the city of Prestonsburg which will enable it to award a contract for construction of its secondary sewage treatment facility.

With the lowest bid on the project at \$909,757 and the EPA grant only \$482,250, Prestonsburg has for months been powerless to comply with the federal-state mandate for secondary sewage treatment. When H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr. discussed the city's predicament at the meeting and inquired of the prospects for additional financial assistance, an EPA representative told the gathering that the Atlanta office had a letter in the mail confirming the agency's decision to raise the grant to \$784,500.

(Congressman Perkins, who was a speaker at the May Lodge meeting sponsored by the Big Sandy Area Development District, announced Monday upon his return to Washington that the additional grant of \$302,250 to bring the total grant to \$784,500 had been made. He had contended the additional funds from that source were necessary "because it was not the community's fault that inflation had driven the cost up and citizens of Prestonsburg should not be penalized." Perkins was joined by Governor Ford, Senators Huddleston and Cook in urging the increased grant.)

The community's share of the cost will be financed through a \$315,500 bond issue by the Farmers' Home Administration. Low bidder on the sewage treatment plant was the W. Rogers Co., of Lexington, with a bid of \$909,757. The April 17 deadline for accepting the bid had passed when the grant was increased. The bidder, however, has agreed to extend the time for awarding of a contract till April 17, but asks that the bid be increased \$67,000.

This figure is open to negotiation, and it is believed that a contract can be awarded as soon as official authorization is given by EPA and FHA.

After hearing representatives of Paintsville, Pikeville and other Pike county areas plead their needs for funds, Congressman Perkins remarked with some heat that the big problem was created because the Administration had shelved funds appropriated by Congress and that metropolitan areas had received the lion's share of available funds because they had greater political influence. Perkins added that, while he believes in a regional effort, he is convinced that any community which has a project should get an application for

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## Minister, Spouse Gunshot Victims

### Court House Happenings

#### SUITS FILED

Elizabeth Synder Venters vs. Fred E. Venters, Frances Moody vs. Elmer Newsome, Pamela Jo Inman, et al vs. Jerry Patton, et al. Jeffery John Johnson vs. Ruby Joyce Johnson, Pauley Building Center, Inc. vs. Robert Wesley Roberts, et al. Ted Younce vs. Trico Mining Co. Carolyn Ann Reynolds vs. Herbert R. Reynolds, Alka Collins Clark Slone vs. Sanford Slone, Frank Calhoun vs. Rondall Lawson, Commonwealth of Kentucky, et al vs. Cecil Hall, Linda Arlene Ellison vs. William W. Ellison, Jr. The Bank Josephine vs. Bryce Conn, et al., and Thomas J. Osborn, Jr. (two separate cases). National Diversified, Inc. vs. Estill Newsome.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph Dale Burton, 18, Olive Hill, and Margaret Ellen McKenzie, 16, Brainard.

## Conley Denies Autopsy Motion In Murder Case

Circuit Judge Hollie Conley last Friday denied the motion of defense counsel for Eddie Jones to permit an autopsy on the body of Lawrence Conley, Floyd deputy sheriff whom Jones is accused of killing.

Judge Conley held that the defense had failed to produce evidence sufficient to justify exhumation of the body and the autopsy.

Burnis Martin, who with John Young Brown represents Jones, withdrew the motion to have Commonwealth's Attorney Harold Stumbo barred from prosecution of Jones. Yet he voiced opposition to Stumbo's participation in the trial, pointing out that the prosecutor had acted as investigator, had posted a reward and proposed to prosecute the case.

Martin also said the defense needs a delay of the trial, arguing that the Commonwealth has been on the case two years while he and Brown have had only the few weeks since Jones was formally accused.

Judge Conley, however, did not grant any extension of time, and it was indicated this week that the trial will be held, as scheduled, early next month.

In other cases brought to trial within the week two defendants who entered pleas of guilty to the charge of knowingly receiving stolen property were given pen terms. James Lee Hall drew a term of two years, and Charles Ramey, one year.

Ronnie Hunt was fined \$250 at the conclusion of his trial on charges of shooting into a dwelling and shooting with intent to kill. Jack Little waived jury trial on a charge of possessing alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale and was jailed 30 days and fined \$20. The jury in the trial of William Riley Wells on a second offense charge of possessing

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## Husband Takes Life After Wife Is Slain Sunday

Commonwealth's Attorney Harold J. Stumbo said Tuesday morning that the investigation into the gunshot deaths Sunday night of Mrs. Nan Wallen Ousley, 62, at her West Prestonsburg home and of her estranged husband, the Rev. John Wesley Ousley, 63, at the home of his daughter on Buck's Branch, near Martin, has not been completed.

The probe is continuing in an effort to determine if the death of Mrs. Ousley shall go into the official record as murder. It has been established on the testimony of the minister's relatives that he took his own life.

Mrs. Ousley was shot five times, in her hand, shoulder and head, and the death weapon, a .38-calibre snub-nose revolver was found in her lap by city policemen, Darrel J. Conley and Lonnie Herald, and State Trooper Phillip Tucker when they forced open a locked door to the darkened home. Mrs. Ousley was slumped in a chair.

The death of the Rev. Ousley was reported from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Della Loretta Jacobs, of Buck's Branch. She told investigating officers that her father came to her home Sunday night and told her he had shot his wife and that she was dead. He added, she said, that he and Mrs. Ousley had tussled for possession of a revolver and the gun was discharged. Then he stepped outside the house and shots were heard by Mrs. Jacobs.

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## Perkins Assured West P'burg P.O. Will Not Close

The office of the Postmaster General has assured Congressman Carl D. Perkins that fears that the West Prestonsburg postoffice will be closed are unfounded.

The reassurance came after Congressman Perkins had received a petition bearing the names of more than 500 West Prestonsburg residents protesting closing of the office.

The Postal Service has been giving consideration to the conversion of the West Prestonsburg postoffice to a classified station of the Prestonsburg office, but no decision has been reached.

"If," wrote Walter E. Carson, of the Postal Service, this conversion is recommended and . . . approved, a service improvement to the community will result. Many . . . who now must pick up their mail every day at the post office would no longer be required to do so. It would be delivered to their homes."

"This in no way would mean that the West Prestonsburg office would be discontinued," Mr. Carson wrote the congressman.

## Jaycees Begin Fund Raising JAMboree



Tommy Hereford (at right) of the Floyd County Area Jaycees kicks off the Jaycees Grape JAMboree by selling a jar of grape jam to Dick Stai, Executive Director of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center. The proceeds from the sale of the jam will go to the annual Camp Kentucky Jaycee, a camp for the mentally handicapped children of the state.

## Chorus and Orchestra To Perform, Sunday



Appearing here Sunday, the Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra, under direction of Dr. George Zack, and the Prestonsburg Community Chorus under direction of Gus Kalos, will perform Mozart's Requiem Mass at 5:30 at Prestonsburg High School gymnasium.

Featured soloists will be Garnet Fairchild, soprano, Bonnie Crisp, contralto, Doug Smith, baritone, and Don Fernandez, tenor.

Although the Community Chorus, founded nine years ago by Mr. Kalos, has performed works of this magnitude over the years, it has never presented one in conjunction with a full philharmonic orchestra.

The Lexington Philharmonic was formed in 1961 and each year it performs at least five concerts with visiting world-renowned artists such as Byron Janis, Jan Peerce, Richard Tucker, and Jose Iturbi who have been featured artists. The orchestra is composed of some 75 musicians.

Dr. Zack, present musical director and conductor of the Lexington Philharmonic, was chosen by an overwhelming majority by orchestra and judges last year from the five guest conductors of the previous season.

The first half of Sunday's program consists of a pops concert by the philharmonic orchestra, and following an intermission, the Requiem Mass by Mozart will be performed.

The public is invited to attend.



**Miss Spradlin-Mr. Beeler Wed**



—Photo by Strahan-Nelson

Miss Linda Gayle Spradlin and Mr. Forrest B. Beeler, II, were united in marriage in a candlelight ceremony at 2:30 p.m., March 9, at the Betsy Layne Freewill Baptist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Spradlin, of Betsy Layne. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest B. Beeler, of Pikeville.

Rev. Curtis Warf officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The vows were exchanged by memory before an arch of greenery with a cathedral candelabra on each side. A candle, encircled with greenery and white pompoms, was in each window and white satin bows marked the reserved pews. The white aisle cloth was laid preceding the entrance of the bridal party.

Mrs. Billie Jean Osborne, organist, played wedding music and sang "The Lord's Prayer" during the ceremony. She and Miss Jane Ann Steele played an organ and flute duet, "Colour My World" and "Till There Was You." Mrs. Osborne also accompanied soloist Bob Ford, brother-in-law of the groom, who sang "I'll Never Stop Loving You" and "Let It Be Me."

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, wore a traditional, floor-length polyester bridal satin gown. It was styled with an empire waistline, fitted bodice, ruffled V-neckline, and long sleeves edged in wide bridal lace. The A-line skirt was designed with layers of flowing chiffon. Attached to the skirt was a chapel-length satin train. Her lace-covered Juliet cap held four tiers of gossamer silk illusion of cathedral length. The entire length of the veil was edged in bridal lace. She carried a cascade of multi-colored pompoms, baby's breath, and two yellow roses which were given to the mothers of the bride and groom during the ceremony.

Mrs. Deobrah Coleman was matron of honor, and Miss Sheila Ratliff, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Janice Ford, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Marilyn Fout, cousin of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Missy Reynolds and Tiffany Coleman. All of the gowns were

designed with a delicate floral pattern of sheer lace over polyester with matching picture hats, each wearing a different pastel color. They carried fireside baskets filled with multi-colored pastel pompoms and baby's breath.

Miss Katie Fout, cousin of the bride, served as flower girl. She wore a gown styled to match that of the attendants and carried a white floral basket filled with rose petals.

All of the gowns in the bridal party, including the bride's, were designed and made by Mrs. Polly Hall, of Betsy Layne.

Master John Reed Williamson, of Pikeville, served as ring bearer. Bill Elswick, of Pikeville, served as best man. Ushers were David Spradlin, brother of the bride, Johnny Sanders, brother-in-law of the groom, Dan Hall, Curtis Myers, and Bill Spears.

Mrs. Spradlin attended her daughter's wedding in an aqua, floor-length polyester gown. Her accessories were in matching aqua. Mrs. Beeler wore a formal-length blue ensemble with matching accessories. Both mothers wore corsages of white cymbidium orchids.

The reception was held in the annex building of the church following the ceremony. The wedding cake was decorated with cascades of multi-colored pastel sugar bouquets and topped with china bride and groom figurines which had also topped the wedding cake of the bridegroom's parents. Assisting at the reception were Mrs. Ernest Rogers and Mrs. Buddy Johnson. The cake was cut and served by Mrs. John A. Ivey, aunt of the groom, and Mrs. Joe Reynolds, Jr. Mrs. Kathryn Carpenter, aunt of the bride, presided at the punch bowl and was assisted by Mrs. Paul D. Johnston. The guest register was attended by Mrs. Beverly Sanders, sister of the groom.

For traveling on their wedding trip to the Great Smokey Mountains, the bride wore a lilac polyester pantsuit with matching accessories.

The newlyweds are residing at 501 Wolford Street, Pikeville.

**Grade Students Face World Metric System**

Frankfort, Ky.—Children who are in elementary school now will be graduating into a metric world rather than one measured in feet and inches.

What are Kentucky's schools doing to pave the way? Russell Boyd, mathematics consultant for the state Department of Education, said that most schools are well into instruction of the metric system and may have "been teaching it for years." Earlier this year, more than 700 viewers watched a metric workshop on Kentucky Educational Television sponsored by KET and the Kentucky Department of Education.

Boyd noted the U. S. Senate passed a measure in 1972 calling for a change to the metric system and that the House of Representatives is now considering a bill.

The House Bill calls for a goal of 10 years, at the end of which "the nation would be predominantly, although not exclusively metric."

According to Boyd, "More than 75 per cent of all world production and trade is measured in metric units." A businessman in another county might prefer American machines but because of our system of measurement he would be reluctant to purchase them if metric tools could not be used for repair.

"We could go on the metric system tomorrow and a month later we would not know the difference," Boyd said, explaining that to a large degree this nation is already on the metric system.

"Much of our food packages today show the metric content, the medical profession has used the metric system for years and the automotive industry is in the process of changing over.

**DANA NEWS**

David (Socker) Akers was honored on his birthday Friday, April 12, with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Boyd. Those there to welcome him were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett, of Morehead, Mrs. Novella Compton, of Betsy Layne, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Howell, of Hi Hat, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Tackett, of Printer, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Tackett, of Banner, Mrs. Janie Akers, Mrs. Agnes Kidd, of Harold, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Boyd.

**Immunity Joins Up**

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**WELFARE ASSOC. MEET SET**

The Kentucky Welfare Association Spring Conference will be held April 25 and 26, at the Holiday Inn in Covington. The keynote address will be given by Commissioner Jerry Hissong, Department For Human Resources, Bureau For Social Services. Everyone is invited to attend.

**NOTICE**

Application has been filed with the Floyd County Court by Goldie Meyers, of Buckingham, Ky., for license to operate a place of entertainment, Meyers Restaurant, at Wheelwright, Ky.  
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## Miss Springtime Winners



Beverly Moore

Sheilda Duff

Miss Beverly Moore was crowned Miss Springtime and Miss Sheila Duff was named Little Miss Springtime at the Maytown Woman's Club's annual style show, April 13. Runners up in each category were Miss Renee Marshall and Miss Beulah Prater.

Miss Moore is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Moore, of Hueysville, and Miss Duff is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Birchell Duff, of Garrett. Miss Marshall is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Marshall, of Allen, and Miss Prater is a daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Henry Prater, of Hippo.

Other contestants for the title of Miss Springtime were Terri Hall, of Martin, Beverly Reffett, of Langley, Debbie Reffett, of Garrett, and Tammy Slone, of Langley. Those vying in the Little Miss Springtime competition were Erica Turner, of Minnie, Dana Bradley, Renie Salisbury, Kathy Dermont, all of Langley, and Debbie Davis, of Hippo.

Winners were presented trophies at the crowning ceremonies, and runners up were presented with gifts.

America's latest physical-fitness romance is with jump-ropes, reports the May Reader's Digest. Rope-skipping for ten minutes has the same effectiveness as thirty minutes of jogging, according to an Arizona State University study. Moreover, it's a lot less boring.

### Extend Survival

Research has helped improve the cancer cure rate from one in five to one in three. Help increase the ranks of those who survive, by a generous contribution to the American Cancer Society.



Selecman-Martin

Dr. and Mrs. William E. Selecman of Crossville, Tennessee, announce the engagement of their daughter, Harriet Ann, to Cordell Graham Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cordell H. Martin, of Hindman.

Miss Selecman attended the University of Tennessee where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority. She is presently enrolled at the University of Tennessee Medical Units where she will receive a degree in Physical Therapy in December.

Mr. Martin is a recent graduate of the University of Tennessee where he was a member of Phi Kappa Phi. He will be entering law school in the fall.

The couple plan to be wed June 23 at the First Baptist Church of Crossville, Tennessee.

## Highway Stripes Dimmer Due to Paint Shortage

Frankfort, Ky.—Motorists may not see as many bright yellow and white lines on Kentucky highways this summer because of a paint shortage, according to B. R. Flener, director of the Department of Transportation's Division of Traffic.

According to Flener, the shortage of paint is caused by a lack of raw materials.

"One of our suppliers says these shortages are worldwide," Flener said. The Division of Traffic needs 359,000 gallons of paint to maintain their normal striping program this year. "However, we were only able to get contracts for 335,000 gallons of paint."

"Even worse is the fact we may not get all we have contracted," he said, adding that clauses dealing with delivery dates and quantities had to be deleted from contracts before companies would agree to them.

Grover Ethington, assistant director of the Division of Traffic, points out that prices have also gone up. "Last year we paid approximately \$895,000 for 370,000 gallons of paint but this year it will cost us \$1,414,000 for 335,000 gallons—if we get all we contracted for."

Ethington said in 1973 the Division of Traffic paid an average of \$2.63 per gallon of white paint opposed to \$3.90 per gallon this year. The cost of yellow paint last year was \$2.13 per gallon and this year \$4.08 per gallon.

According to Flener it takes 14 gallons of paint per mile for a solid single line four inches wide.

The Division of Traffic tries to restripe center lines on all state highways at least once a year and some of the high volume roads are restriped as many as three times. Sidelines are generally done every other year.

"To handle the shortage, we will have to set priorities for the paint which we do get. The mild winter has definitely helped because the lines are generally in better shape than usual."

"There is a positive aspect of this year's striping program" Flener said,

"and that is the change to 'quick dry' paint." This specially formulated paint dries in a maximum time of 50 seconds, eliminating the need for placing cones along the new lines while they dry.

"The result is a reduction in application costs and an increase in safety," Flener said.

### Notice To Bidders

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept bids on \$2500 worth, more or less, of girls' athletic equipment for the 1974-'75 school year. Contact Gordon Moore, 886-2354 or 886-2355, for listing of said equipment.

Shipment of same must be made September 1, 1974. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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## Health Notes

### FIRST STEP WORST

The first batch at an illegal dumping place is the worst one, says John Bailey, sanitarian of the Floyd County Health Department. It's like a magnet... it draws other trash to it. "It's a lot better if a dump never gets started," he explains.

Getting rid of this garbage and trash is a problem for everyone. In rural areas, the individual must frequently handle his own trash by taking care of it on his own property.

But, Kentucky law requires all trash to be disposed of properly. Proper handling of waste protects all of us, conserves our natural resources and adds to the beauty and quality of our environment. More importantly, the right way of handling garbage prevents the spread of diseases. We all have to do our part by seeing that solid waste is disposed of in a sanitary manner.

Roadside dumps are not only illegal and ugly, but they're also dangerous. They provide breeding places for flies, rats, mosquitos, and other destructive insects. All of these pests spread to nearby farms and homes, where they damage crops, contaminate food or bring disease.

Garbage dumps also pollute. If they catch fire, they pollute the air. Frequently the waste materials are washed into streams and pollute them.

Floyd county would be a better, healthier and prettier place if every bit of trash is properly and legally disposed of.

### OUTPOST CLINIC SET

The Floyd County Health Department announces that a Public Health Nurse will hold an outpost clinic Monday, April 29, at the Mud Creek Clinic in Teaberry, from 10:00 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 2:00.

The following services will be available: TB skin tests, immunizations, Diabetes screening, blood pressures and Pap smears.

These services are free and open to the public.

### GLAUCOMA CLINIC SET

The Floyd County Health Department will conduct a Glaucoma Clinic, Thursday, April 25. This clinic, a free service, will be held from 10:00 to 12:00 and from 1:00 to 2:00.

Glaucoma most frequently occurs in persons over 35 years of age and is likely to run in families. Undiagnosed and untreated glaucoma can lead to total blindness. One out of every seven blind persons in the United States lost his sight because of glaucoma.

The Public health nurses urge all persons over the age of 35 to take advantage of this service.

Finding the disease and getting proper treatment can control glaucoma and prevent needless blindness.

### INVITATION TO BID

The City of Wheelwright will accept bids on general street and road repairs until May 8, 1974. For specifications contact Elmer Ferguson after 5:30 p.m. at 452-4369.

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

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**Rev. Furrow To Lead Presbyterian Meetings**

The Rev. DeWitt Furrow, of Phelps, will conduct a series of Spiritual renewal services Sunday through Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, here.

Sunday evening service will begin at 8, and services on weekdays will begin at 7:30. The final service Thursday will begin at 6:30 and will include a weiner roast with worship and communion service at a shelter house at Jenny Wiley State Park, planned by the young people of the church. There will be a nursery attendant each evening with a coffee hour following each service.

The Rev. Furrow has served Presbyterian churches in Pike county for 18 years and is wellknown in this area. The pastor, Rev. William Thomas, invites everyone to attend these services.

**Observe 57th Anniversary At West Prestonsburg**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pitts, of West Prestonsburg, recently observed their 57th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Pitts is the daughter of Lum and Sarah Jane Ousley, and Mr. Pitts is a son of Mexico and Nancy Jane Pitts. They are parents of 11 children, nine of whom survive. They also have 26 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

**CONCLUDES VISIT**

Miss Dianne MacMurray has returned to her home in Buffalo, New York after spending a two-week visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Polly Harmon. She is the daughter of Phillip L. and Margaret MacMurray. She was accompanied to the airport at Huntington by Mrs. Leatha Little and Polly Harmon.

**HERE FROM INDIANA**

Mrs. Billy L. Harmon and daughter, of Wabash, Ind., and her mother, Mrs. Ella Shepherd, of Silver Lake, Ind., have been houseguests of Mrs. Polly Harmon. Mrs. Harmon and daughter have returned home. Mrs. Shepherd remained for an extended visit with Mrs. Harmon and her sister, Mrs. Ted Miller.

**HERE FROM ALABAMA**

Mr. and Mrs. James Shields, Huntsville, Alabama, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Hendricks, recently at her home in Green Acres.

**BIRTHDAY BUFFET**

Mrs. Frank H. Layne honored Mr. Layne on his birthday April 21 with a buffet supper. Surprise guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb, Jr., Donald D. Baldrige, Miss Mary E. Powers, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, Mrs. Grace L. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short, Maria Layne Short, Richard Short, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan. He was the recipient of many personal gifts.

**Social Events**



**CIRCLE I MEETS**

"Power To Get Out of a Rut" was the title of the program given by Rosilyn Burchett to Circle I, First United Methodist Church, at its April 15 meeting. Mable Brown, chairman, presided. Opening prayer was offered by Katherine Coop. Plans for a rummage sale to begin May 1 were announced. The hostess, Barbara Allen, served a dessert course to Mable Jean Lemaster, Mary Sue Moore, Elizabeth Ramey, Mildred Branham, Rosilyn Burchett, Mable Brown, Katherine Coop and Bertha Mae Brown.

**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ermine Hall and children, of Columbus, O., and J. Henry Duncan, of Morgantown, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Hall here this week.

**HONORED BY DINNER**

A birthday dinner was given April 13 for James Snipes, of Plymouth, Mich., formerly of Bonanza, at the home of his sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Stafford, of Warsaw, Indiana. Attending were Mrs. Mary Jane Harmon, of Warsaw, formerly of Water Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Ermal Scutchfield, of Water Gap, Mrs. Clarence Frasure and son, of Piercetown, Ind., David Scutchfield and his bride-elect, Donna, of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. James Snipes, of Plymouth, Mich., and children, and Mr. and Mrs. James Stafford and children, of Warsaw.

**VISIT DURING EASTER**

Mrs. Mary Jane Harmon, of Warsaw, Ind., formerly of Water Gap, had as visitors for the Easter holiday her three daughters and their families, Doris and James Stafford and children, of Warsaw, Maurine and Ermal Scutchfield, of Water Gap, and Nancy and James Snipes and children, of Plymouth, Missouri. A son, Earl Harmon, of Jacksonville Beach, Fla., was unable to attend.

**FIRST CHILD BORN**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Doyle Howard, of Winchester, formerly of Prestonsburg and Allen, are the parents of their first child, a daughter, born April 18 at Good Samaritan hospital in Lexington.

**IN LEXINGTON**

Mrs. Phil Price attended a meeting in Lexington, Sunday and Monday. While there she visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howard and baby daughter. Later she also visited her sister, Alice.

**VISIT NEWBORN GRANDDAUGHTER**

Mrs. Clifford Akers and Mrs. Wesley Howard were in Lexington Thursday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howard and their new granddaughter.

**ADOPT SECOND DAUGHTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trosper, of Somerset, are announcing the adoption of their second child, second daughter, Elizabeth Anna, born April 14, 1974. Mrs. Trosper is the former Jacqueline Hensley, daughter of Mrs. Zella Archer and granddaughter of Mrs. E. A. Smith.

**HERE FROM OHIO**

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Kelley, of West Union, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Kelley's sisters, Mrs. Walter L. Mann and Mrs. Fred R. Mann, this week.

**VISIT PARENTS HERE**

Rev. and Mrs. Larry F. Mann, of Manchester, Ky., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Mann, last week.

Walter L. Mann and Rev. Larry F. Mann were business visitors in Huntington and Louisa, Wednesday.

**HERE FOR EASTER**

Mrs. Judy Chaney, of Wilmington, O., was here over the Easter week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calhoun, of Highland Avenue. She has since returned to her home.

**VISIT DAUGHTER ON BIRTHDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Howard were in Lexington over the week-end. They visited with their daughter, Alice, who is a graduate student at U.K. They entertained her Saturday which was her birthday.

**PLAN SPECIAL PERFORMANCE**

In response to many requests for a special performance, the youth choir of First United Methodist Church, directed by Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, will present an adaptation of "Jesus Christ, Superstar," Thursday evening at 7:30. All youth and adults of the community are invited to this special performance.

**IN LEXINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Goble, and Lana and Mrs. John R. Baldrige were in Lexington last Friday.

**ENTERTAIN AT GARRETT**

Mrs. Anna Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wallace and Jane Ann were dinner guests of Mrs. Ruby Wallace at Garrett last Sunday.

**HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Anna Lowe was guest of honor at a birthday dinner April 25 at the Old Kentucky Restaurant. Other guests were Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Rebecca Rasnick, Mrs. Theckley Short, Mrs. Joyce Allen, Mrs. Eva Hopson, Mrs. Anna Jean Tackett, Sandra Harris, Mrs. Clara Warix, Miss Burieta Gearheart. Following dinner the group went to Mrs. Lowe's home where she opened her gifts. Refreshments were served afterward by Mrs. Warix and Miss Gearheart at the home of the former.

**RETURNS HOME**

Sandra Harris has returned to her home in Lexington after a visit here with her grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Rasnick. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Rasnick and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey who will remain there this week.

**GUESTS AT EASTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short had as their houseguests, Easter week-end, his mother, Mrs. Ortha Short, Huntington, W. Va., and Kent Worley, of New Jersey.

**EASTER LUNCHEON GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne entertained on Easter Sunday to luncheon Mrs. Ortha Short, Huntington, W. Va., Kent Worley, of New Jersey, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Jackson, of David, Mrs. Evelyn Fowle, Miss Mary E. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short, Maria Layne and Richard Short.

**RETURNS HERE**

Mrs. Lillian P. Rimmer has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Webb, and family in Lexington.

**VISIT IN LEXINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill spent several days in Lexington last week with their son, W. B. Sturgill and family. They were extensively entertained while there. Mrs. Sturgill also visited her brother, Arnold Maggard, who has been critically ill but has returned to his home from the hospital.

**SATURDAY CALLERS**

Mrs. J. J. Hendricks was visited Saturday by Mrs. E. C. Moore and Mrs. Michael Conley, of Martin, Mrs. W. M. Boggs, and Miss Allie Hall, of Garrett.

**HERE FROM LOUISVILLE**

Gordon Fox Homes, Jr., of Louisville, spent last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Homes.

**RUMMAGE SALE**

The First United Methodist Church women will sponsor a rummage sale in the basement of the church, May 1, 2 and 3, and the following week, May 8-10.

**EASTER FAMILY DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin were hosts on Easter Sunday to dinner for their family: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayo Spradlin, Wm. Arnold Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Howard, Karen and Vicky and guest, Valerie Ratliff, of Michigan, Mrs. Victoria Spradlin, Mrs. Virginia Jeffries.

**EALEY-THOMAS**

Mrs. Naomi Kendrick Ealey and Arthur Sherdon Thomas were married in a double-ring ceremony on April 13 at her home at Water Gap, the Rev. Troy Shepherd officiating. Mrs. Sammy Ealey and Mrs. Dee Elliott were her attendants. Mr. Sammy Ealey served the groom as best man. The bride wore a pastel pink dress and a shoulder corsage of white carnations and roses. Following the ceremony, a dinner was served to a group of relatives and friends. They will reside at Water Gap.

**HOUSE GUESTS**

Mrs. Henry Curtis, of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. C. W. Reesor and daughter, Julia, of Lexington, returned to their homes Sunday after a visit here with their sisters, Mrs. Margaret P. Alley, and Mrs. J. R. Herron and Miss Lena T. Porter at Pikeville.

**VISITED HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sammons and son, Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Sammons and daughter, Susan, of Lexington, spent a recent week-end here with Mrs. Mae Whittaker.

**VISIT MRS. CLARK**

Mrs. Helen Clark was visited for a week or more recently by members of her family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters, Dayton, O., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons and children, Huntington, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Dave Olinger, Dayton, Ohio.

**TO LEAVE HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Joe Wallen will leave this week for Fort Wayne, Ind. to accompany Mr. Wallen home, upon his release from Veterans Hospital there. Their daughter, Mrs. Mary Ellen Rose, is a patient at Park View Hospital in Ft. Wayne for a thyroid condition.

**Floyd Homemakers Attend Area Meet**

Floyd county Homemakers were among the 235 women who attended the fourth annual area Homemakers meeting in Pike county recently.

The guest speaker was Oduar Berg who spoke on America's hopes. A business meeting and cultural arts display was also a part of the program.

Floyd county homemakers attending were Rhoda Brickley, Eleanor Horn, Otelia Smiley, Marcella Bailey, Peg Hewlett, Vannie Turner, Gladys Blackburn, Mary Sue Moore, Carma Sturgill, Helen Boyd, Tribby May, Elizabeth Allen, Maggie Patton, Minnie Gayheart, Betty May, Opal Dingus and Frances Pitts.

**RETURN FROM ENGLAND**

Dr. and Mrs. John H. Mahaffy returned home this week from a tour of England with relatives and friends.

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# Miss Ranier-Mr. Brown Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hale Ranier, of Prestonsburg, announce the marriage on April 8, 1974, of his daughter, Toni Kay, to Mr. Wayne Louis Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas L. Brown, also of Prestonsburg. Mr. Brown is at present a student at Eastern Kentucky State University.

The couple plan to make their home in Prestonsburg for the summer months and continue their studies at E. K. U. with the beginning of the fall semester.

# Huddelston Raps Premature Expressions on Impeachment; C. of C. Award Goes to Music

"Totally improper" is Senator Dee Huddelston's view of any congressman's saying at this time whether or not he is for or against impeachment of President Nixon.

Speaking at the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Chamber of Commerce dinner at May Lodge last Tuesday evening, Senator Huddelston said, "This is one of the most serious times to face our Republic." The question of impeachment should be decided on the "basis of legality, evidence . . . not on whether we like or dislike Nixon, or on opinion polls."

Though the senator said he does not believe anyone knows what lies ahead, he did predict that a House vote on impeachment will be taken, with the possibility of a Senate trial, and that the nation must "be prepared to face a crucial test."

Commenting on the President's oft-expressed complaint that he has been under fire by the press for the past year, Senator Huddelston said, "Congress—all legislative bodies—have been under siege by the press for 200 years. Most learn to accept this and even understand that a lot of it is deserved." He added that he does feel that the press tends to give the impression that all problems can be solved overnight, and that this is not the way 535 members of Congress, all individuals, solve things. "It is not easy to come to solutions—it was meant to be so by our founding fathers."

In an aside, the Senator commented, "This has been some year for a fella to go to the U. S. Senate."

Preceding Senator Huddelston's speech, Ronald Frasure, president of the Chamber, introduced guests, including Mayor Wm. O. Goebel, Jr., R. V. May, Jr., outgoing president, Curtis Clark, city manager, Tom Lafferty, police judge, Chester Smith, Kentucky Power Company official, and several guests from Ashland, among whom were Roger Thompson, Gene Bayses, Terry McBrayer and Lou Pistle. Mr. Pistle stated that "Big Sandy Against the World" should be the motto of Chambers of Commerce from the headwaters of the Big Sandy to the Ohio River.

Mr. Frasure, urging greater cooperation between Prestonsburg and other areas of the county, said that as far as industry is concerned, "We've (Prestonsburg) got too big for our britches . . . we need space, we need Floyd county, and we can do a lot for each other."

Counting activities of the Chamber during the past year, these were cited: Entertaining of legislators at the Ramada Inn in Lexington to express concern for the coal industry; honorable mention for All-Kentucky City award; National Guard unit located here. This was followed by a slide presentation by Robert V. May, Jr., narrated by Estill Lee Carter.

Named Citizen of the Year by the Chamber was Edward Music, Prestonsburg business leader, for his efforts in behalf of the city and his generous contributions of time and money. The award was presented by Roy Ramey.

At the conclusion of the dinner meeting, the Rev. W. D. Jagers gave the benediction.

# Church Invites Public To Film at Martin

The ministry of Bill Dickey, Director of Teen Challenge of Kentucky, will be presenting a film, **THE RAPTURE**, at First Assembly of God, at Martin, Sunday, April 28 at 7 p.m. **THE RAPTURE** is a fairly accurate picture of how the people of science, a liberal clergy, and the news media would react to the sudden and unexplained disappearance of millions of people whenever it occurs in God's chronology of events.

The ministry of Teen Challenge is to reach drug addicts, gang members, delinquents and youth from all areas of life. Teenage crime, drug abuse and immorality are all the bitter fruits of the moral decay which we know exists today. Mr. Dickey's insight, compassion and concern for the lost stems from a personal testimony of God's wondrous grace, for he has witnessed in his own life God's power to deliver from alcohol, addiction and the depths of sin. Mr. Dickey personally works in preaching ministry and in counseling as well as directing the Teen Challenge of Kentucky organization.

Lorie Vannucci, pastor of the First Assembly of God, of Martin, invites the public to this one-night showing.

# OUR ERROR

The Times erred last week in reporting the jail term given Bill Tom Shepherd and Larry Johnson. The jail term was 30 days, not 10 days as published.

# Personals

Mrs. Yancy Horn Jr., Warsaw, Ind. and sons, Jamie and Johnnie, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Yancy Horn, Sr., of the Abbott road. Mr. Horn will soon join them, since they plan making their home here.

Mrs. Nelle B. Howard visited her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Rayborn and Mr. Rayborn in Ashland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Ealey, of Warsaw, Indiana, were here April 13 to attend the wedding of his mother, Mrs. Naomi Ealey, and Mr. Arthur Sherdon Thomas.

Mrs. Steve Wilborn, of Shelbyville, and Mrs. John W. Sutherland, Richmond, Va., have returned to their homes after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier and Mr. Sutherland's mother, Mrs. John W. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, of Dayton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goble last week-end. Mr. Goble is improved from a recent heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hawks have returned to Chicago, Ill. after a visit of a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bradley, and "Butch" Bradley and his mother at Wayland.

Edmund Burke, of Grand Blanc, Michigan, visited his mother, Mrs. Grace L. Burke, here recently. They spent Easter with Dr. and Mrs. Winston Burke in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne were business visitors in Lexington and Louisville, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Music, Jr. left Monday for New York, where she is receiving treatments.

# SPEND NIGHT HERE

Rev. James Goble, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Waterloo, New York, and Mrs. Goble were here Tuesday of last week, guests of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick. He is the son of the late James Ballard Goble, son of Mrs. Kendrick.

# VISITS IN OHIO

Mrs. Regina Mayo visited her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Damron, and family in Kingston, Ohio recently. They accompanied her home. Their son, Dickie Damron, has been visiting her this week.

# VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin visited her mother, Mrs. Ridda S. Findlayson, of Lexington during Mrs. Findlayson's visit in Paintsville last Sunday.

# IN PITTSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burchett visited her family in Pittsburg, Pa. last week. They are now at home.

# HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. J. May returned home last week from Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, where she spent several days. Three nurses are in attendance at her home.

# RETURNS FROM MIAMI

Mrs. Catherine H. Wiechers has returned home from Miami, Florida where she visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ollie Harris, for a month.

# CARE FOR SISTER

During the two-month illness of Mrs. Anna Lowe, her sisters, Mrs. Olva Sturgill, Larks Lane, Mrs. Ruby Wallace, of Garrett, and Mrs. Rosa Oney were nursing her. She is improved and now at her home. Surgery is scheduled for May.

# ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Helen Clark, Mrs. Maman Leslie, Mrs. Dave Olinger, Mrs. A. L. Peters and Rev. W. D. Jagers attended the funeral of Mrs. Larry Compton in Pikeville last week.

# VISIT IN WEST LIBERTY

Mrs. Effie Milby visited her cousin, Mrs. C. K. Stacey, at West Liberty several days last week. They dined at Natural Bridge Park, Sunday.

# VISIT IN OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Rice recently accompanied her mother, Mrs. Lee Sammons, to Ashland, Ohio for a two-week visit with relatives and friends. They returned home and went back to accompany her here.

# HOLD RECEPTION FOR CANDY STRIPERS

A reception for the new Candy Stripers of Highlands Regional Medical Center was held Friday, April 19, by the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club, sponsor of the program. Classes will begin next Friday at 4 p.m. in the second floor lounge of the hospital under direction of Mrs. Danny Hamilton, R.N.

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was formally crowned Saturday night at the annual dance at P.C.C. Featured band was "Hard Times" for this year's dance.

Hopkinsville Community College was presented the Little Brown Jug award for amassing 220 points, the highest overall score in the three days of competition. Hopkinsville, winning for the second consecutive year, won five events: badminton (female doubles), bowling, female pool, mens' table tennis, female tennis (women's singles), and 15 points were picked up for winning the sportsmanship category. Hopkinsville finished second in six events and third in five events.

Ashland Community College finished second with a total of 205 points and Prestonsburg finished third with 200 points. Ashland won the basketball tournament over Sue Bennett while Elizabethtown won in the consolation game. Ashland also finished first in four other events including bowling, tennis (mens doubles and womens doubles), and table tennis (male individuals). They placed second in six events and third in two.

Prestonsburg Community College took first place in seven events including archery (male), archery (female), art (sculpture), mens' badminton doubles, womens' golf team, and womens' rifle team. P.C.C. also collected valuable points by winning the talent contest with Miss Marcie Trisolino singing "Kentucky Babe." Ashland Community College placed second and Hopkinsville was third. Prestonsburg placed second in art (painting), badminton (female doubles), and third in bowling (males), and volleyball (female team).

A complete rundown of results in the various events are as follows:

# 1974 Mt. Dew Festival FINAL SCORES

Archery (male)—first place, Prestonsburg, Zeke Hensley; second, Sue Bennett College, Glenn Creech.

Archery (female)—first place, Prestonsburg, Therese Hensley; second place, Hopkinsville, JoAnn Dickinson.

Art (sculpture)—first place, Prestonsburg, Jeannie Spurlock; second place, Hopkinsville, Johnny Ezell.

Art (crafts)—first place, Alice Lloyd College, Freda Mullins; second place, Lexington Technical Inst., Susan Snider.

Art (painting)—first place, Alice Lloyd College, Harold Hamilton, second place, Prestonsburg, Peggy Gullett.

Badminton (male doubles)—first place, Prestonsburg, Larry Osborne and Mike Castle; second place, Hopkinsville, Brad Anderson and Corky Harrison.

Badminton (female doubles)—first place, Hopkinsville, Jill Simpson and Sherry Irwin; second place, Prestonsburg, Jill Newsome and Jennifer Cooley.

Bowling (male team)—first place, Ashland; second place, Alice Lloyd College.

Bowling (female team)—first place, Hopkinsville; second place, Elizabethtown.

Cheerleading—first place, Elizabethtown; second place, Hopkinsville.

Chess—first place, Elizabethtown, Timmy Ebersbaker; second place, Ashland, Bernie Biedermann.

Golf (male)—first place, Maysville; second place, Somerset.

Golf (female)—first place, Prestonsburg; second place, Elizabethtown.

Pool—first place, Hopkinsville, Milton Aldridge; second place, Hazard, Dirk Flinchum.

Rifle—first place, Prestonsburg; second place, Ashland.

Table Tennis (male individual)—first place, Ashland, Michelson; second place, Sue Bennett, Ledorf.

Table Tennis (female individual)—first place, Hopkinsville, Sherry Irwin; second place, Ashland, Debbie Johnson.

# Archer Park Circus Slated for Friday

The 1974 energy crisis has not been felt by the Lewis Brothers Circus' main source of energy—its elephants. Although modern diesel trucks whiz the elephants over the nation's highways from one location to another, they remain king of the energy crisis; they get 20 miles to the bale.

The circus, its elephants and many other attractions will be whizzed into the county, Friday, April 26 to Archer Park here where they'll present two performances at 6 and 8 p.m. Their appearance is being sponsored by the Floyd County Area Jaycees who will use their share of the proceeds for community projects.

Advance tickets are being sold by Floyd County Area Jaycees.

# FORMER FLOYD RESIDENTS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

A birthday celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stumbo in Seville, O., March 23. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mullins, all of Reynoldsburg, O., Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins, and Debby, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Jeff, Jimmy and Mickie, Eugene Pack, Kim and Lynn, all of Columbus, O., Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pack, Mrs. David Frazier and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pack, Vickie, Gregory, Steve and Cris, all of Pataskala, O., Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mosley and David, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Tackett, Clifford Tackett, all of Rittman, O., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mullins, of Raniel, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lawson, Stacy, Tim and Ben, of Drift.

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### Wins First Place For Student Paper

Terry Samons, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Samons, and a student of X-ray technology, of Huntington, W. Va., was awarded a bronze plaque by the Beta Society as a first-place winner for the presentation of a student paper. Mr. Samons has completed a two-year course in the field of X-ray and will be a graduate of the school in June.

The National Apprenticeship Act, establishing the Bureau of Apprenticeship in the U. S. Department of Labor, was passed in 1937.

### D.A.V. Dinner Held at Mealley

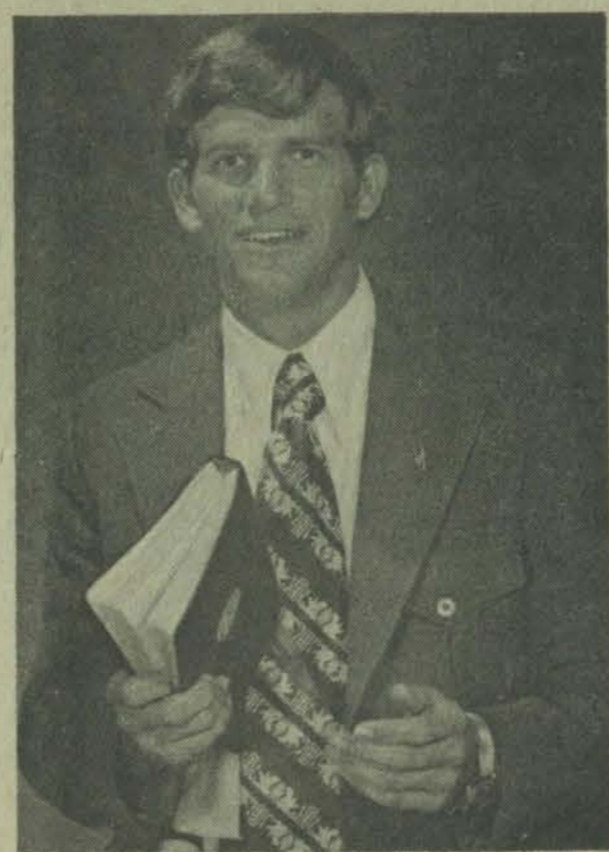
A D. A. V. meeting and buffet supper was Friday April 12, at the D.A.V. Hall at Mealley. Our special guests were State Commander Florence Merrifield, of Louisville, Commander and Mrs. Frank Rose, of Lexington. Unit Commander, Christene Akers, was presented with a corsage of red and white carnations with blue ribbon. The State Commander was also presented with a corsage and a home-made quilt, from the auxiliary members in Unit 18. We want to thank everyone for being so helpful with the food, and other arrangements.

## Highlands Regional Medical Center

Patients Dismissed (April 12 through April 19)

Ladonna Hackworth, Salyersville; Elzie Campbell, Prestonsburg; Rubel G. Wright, Price; Ricky Lee Barnett, Burning Fork; Clay Eugene Holland, Prestonsburg; Wilma Bailey, Swampton; Wilma Presley, Pilgrim; John C. Hopson, Lackey; Cleo Rowe, Prestonsburg; Henry David Gibson, Prestonsburg; Manda Fenix, Banner; Hannah Stanley, Auxier; Phyllis Marshall, Gypsi; Linda Howard, Salyersville; Mornie Sparks, West Prestonsburg; Haskel Cheek, Salyersville; James Robert Preece, Tomahawk; Gracie Wireman, Swampton; Bryant Lee Garrett, Water Gap; Harry Crisp, Martin; Delilah Prater, David; Willie Johnson, Water Gap; Ora Bragg, Prestonsburg; Icy Jones, Melvin; Tom Allen, Prestonsburg; Virginia Skeens, West Prestonsburg; Clara Blevins, Staffordsville; Randy Farmer, Wheelwright; Richard Conley, Paintsville; Douglas Lane, Banner; Kelly Shepherd, Dwale; Ruth Isbell, Prestonsburg; Joyce Conley, Prestonsburg; Bonnie Holbrook, David; William Honshell, Wayland; Billie H. Ward, Paintsville; Betty Hatton, Prestonsburg; Rosie Adkins, Galveston; Avonell Harris, Prestonsburg; Erma Kidd, Betsy Layne; Hila Lee Hayes, Paintsville; Martha Back, Salyersville; Sue Miller, Lambrick; Donald Lee Hall, Lovely; Charles P. Hamilton, Red Bush; Euel Bussy, Salyersville; Jonah Fletcher, Pilgram; Birthie Martin, Isom; Kay Anderson, Mollie; Shirley Rife, Waldo; Ursula Crisp, Allen; Amy Harmon, East Point; Sherry Hinchman, Allen; Melvin Raleigh, Wayland; Velma Conn, Prestonsburg; Crystle Smith, David; Bonnie Mann, Fritz; Hattie Fugate, Seitz; William C. Johnson, Seitz; Mabel Howard, Teaberry; Glenna Music, Salyersville; Bill Jarrell, Van Lear; Vernon Stone, Prestonsburg; Wilson Stone, Garner; Silver Jones (expired), Colson; Ethel Ratliff, Allen; Edsel Sparkman, East McDowell; Anna Mae Ramey, Water Gap; Emma Mae Derosssett, Dwale; Annette Justice, Paintsville; Sally Hunt, Allen; Thomas Alsept, Salyersville; Alberta Fisher, Salyersville; Richard Wallen, Dana; Judith Lemaster, Allen; Jimmie Ward, Debord; Quinton Compton, Betsy Layne; Rose Nell Price, Prestonsburg; Toni Osborne, Paintsville; John Wayne Goble, Hippo; James Gullett, Salyersville; Bill Morgan, West Prestonsburg; Chalmer Perkins, Harper; Clark Dwayne Slone, Blue River; Robert R. Allen, Prestonsburg; Ronnie Joseph, Prestonsburg; Annie Salyers, Hueysville; Henry A. Campbell, Jr., Prestonsburg; F. M. Tackett, Jr., Staffordsville; Sharon Shepherd, Gunlock; Virgie Adams, Van Lear.

### Rev. Joe Carmichael To Lead Revival



The Rev. Joe Carmichael and the Looking Glass will lead the spring revival at First United Methodist Church, the Rev. Howard Coop, pastor, announced Monday. Planned by the youth of the church in cooperation with the Commission on Evangelism, the designated theme is, "Church Street Soul Revival." The revival will begin Friday evening, April 26, and continue through Sunday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Carmichael is minister to youth at the First United Methodist Church in Cynthiana, and a student at Asbury Theological Seminary. He is a graduate of Troy State University and has won distinction in the field of public speaking. As a successful youth minister he has conducted more than 30 youth crusades and revivals. Mr. Carmichael will be assisted by the Looking Glass, a student musical group from Morehead State University. Miss Donna Clark, of Allen, is a member of The Looking Glass. Members of the group will be providing special music and sharing their testimonies.

All members of the youth organizations, along with the pastor and members of the Commission on Evangelism of First United Methodist Church, extend a cordial welcome to all youth and adults of this community to share this week-end.

**LIGHTHOUSE CONVENTION HELD**  
The Lighthouse Chapel convention was held last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at Wheelwright with the Lighthouse Temple Church as host. The church wishes to thank all the churches that participated, Policeman Johnson, Rodney McKinney, Mrs. Frisby and all the other friends.

### BIRTHS

A daughter, Kristina Marie, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Howard, of Salyersville, April 6; a son, James Ray, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Miller, of Prestonsburg, April 13; a son, David Lee, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kidd, Jr., of Betsy Layne, April 8; a daughter, Jerrie Lynn to Mr. and Mrs. Allen E. Harris, of Prestonsburg, April 11; a daughter, Anna Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Conn, of Prestonsburg, April 13.

### Boat Certificates Expire April 30

Frankfort, Ky.—Certificates on the 90,683 motorboats registered in Kentucky last year will expire April 30.

Only 6,726 of these certificates had been renewed as of the end of March according to records of the state Transportation Department's Division of Water Enforcement.

Water Enforcement Administrator Doug Shoulders advises that "citations will be issued to anyone who is caught driving their boat on Kentucky waters without a current registration certificate on board."

Shoulders added that state law also requires that "the registration number be painted on, or attached to, each side of the bow of the vessel in such a position as to provide maximum visibility; in block characters of good proportion not less than three inches in height, and of a color which will contrast with the color of the background."

The owner has the option of registering his boat at the office of the circuit court clerk in the county where the boat is principally used, or in his home county.

The registrant should bring last year's registration certificate to the court. If the boat to be registered is new, the owner should bring his bill of sale with him.

The registration fee for outboards in Kentucky is based on the length of the vessel and ranges from \$3.50 to \$10.50. The fee for all inboards is \$10.50.

Kentucky was the nation's number one coal producer in 1973, with a record-breaking 127,514,000 tons, according to figures released by the state Department of Mines and Minerals. The total production figure tops the previous record, made in 1970, by more than 2 million tons. Underground mining produced the largest amount of coal—67,244,989 tons—as compared to 59,869,011 tons derived from surface mining. Muhlenberg County led the state in overall coal production with 24,137,962 tons.

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Cemetery family plot in M. V. Lula Allen Cemetery. Eastern, Ky., recorded in D.B. 154. Owner moved to Arizona.

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8 rooms, utility r., bath, large screened in front porch, 4 huge maples front yard, 35c gas rate, city gas and water on property. Adjoins Porter Bait Shop, U.S. 23, Cow Cr. and B. S. River, approx 2 A., for plenty garden or mobile unit in rear.

3 b.r. l. r., family rm., kit., d. r., 2 full baths, cent. heat, 23,000-B.T.U. air-cond., curtains and carpeting 1800+ sq. ft. living space. Lancer Add., Willow Lane.

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Baby farm, 8 1/2 A., 3 b.r., bath, kitchen-dinette, 1 rm, fireplace. Concrete bl., paneled inside. Owner building elsewhere. Located on Long Br., 1/2 mile below Dewey Dam., 1/4 to 1/2 mi. on gravel rd. Three stall barn, utility house, coal house.

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### Life of Artist, Topic Of Club Meeting Here

Events in the life of Mary Cassatt, one of America's great painters (1844-1926), were narrated at the April program meeting of the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club by Mrs. T. A. (Duna) Combs, at the home of Mrs. Charles Hugh, Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Combs, former Floyd and Johnson county art teacher, onetime member of the Eastern Kentucky University faculty and well-known area artist, spoke of the love of Mary Cassatt for art. Even though Mary Cassatt was born in Pittsburgh, she spent most of her life in Paris, where she became closely associated with three of the French artists of her period, Degas, Monet and Manet, and with this group was swept into the impressionist movement. At the time their paintings were first exhibited, the public described them as looking as though "pots of paint had been thrown on canvas." This, however, did not deter Mary Cassatt from her pursuit of art for the sake of art, according to Mrs. Combs, for she refused money or awards offered her and desired only to make her paintings "good" in her own eyes. She is best known for her ability to capture the expression on the face of a child or a mother beholding her child. "She seemed able to breathe the breath of life into her paintings," explained the speaker, "Mary Cassatt strove to show only the raw truth in her work." When she died at the age of 83, the French people called her "the great American painter."

Mrs. J. T. Spillman gave the devotional, and the Club Collect was read by Mrs. J. C. Wells, followed by the Pledge to the Flag. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Otto Martin, program leader, on the subject, "Fine Art."

During the business session the Heart Fund chairman reported that \$160 had been collected by the club, and the club president, Mrs. S. M. Martin, reported she had received \$22 on the sale of the Federation's Bi-Centennial plates. It was also reported by Mrs. Otto Martin that the club had secured a \$1,000 contribution which had been sent to the Bi-Centennial Bookshelf Fund. Announcement was made of the April 23 dinner at Salyersville honoring Mrs. Foret Frazier, 7th district governor. A discussion was held as to who might be going to the State Federation Convention in Louisville May 6, 7, and 8. The membership voted to pay expenses for the two delegates who will be attending.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. Blanche Bamer, Mrs. Earl Castle, Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. Mervil Dixon, Mrs. Dorothy Haywood, Mrs. Alice Hornsby, Mrs. Don Hughes, Mrs. Charles Hughes, Mrs. Otto Martin, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. Rex Martin, Mrs. John Reed, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. Charles Scott, and the speaker, Mrs. T. A. Combs, of Langley.

The next meeting will be the annual installation breakfast to be held again this year in the Wayland Methodist Church basement, May 11. The past State Federation president, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sowards, as well as the current 7th district governor, Mrs. Forest Frazier, are expected to be present for the installation.

### Social Security Pays Over Million in Co.

Monthly social security payments to more than nine thousand beneficiaries living in Floyd County now exceed one million dollars, according to Fred Reffett, manager of the Social Security office in Prestonsburg. He added that the last general raise pushed the figure up past the million mark, and that this does not include black lung benefits or supplemental security income benefits. Both the latter are paid from the general tax fund rather than the social security trust funds.

Reffett said that the last increase of eleven percent will be accomplished in two stages. Seven percent of the increase has already been included in the checks delivered this month. The remaining four percent will be included in the checks delivered in July. People getting social security don't have to do anything to get these higher payments, Reffett said. The increase will be automatically added to the checks.

Average social security retirement benefits will increase from \$167.00 to \$186.00 beginning with payments in July. Average disability payments will increase from \$184.00 to \$206.00 per month, and average survivors benefits to a widowed mother with two minor children in her care will increase from \$391.00 to \$418.00 per month.

The percentage rate of social security deductions from covered earnings remains 5.85 per cent each for employees and employers, and has been reduced from 8 per cent to 7.9 per cent for self-employed people. The amount of yearly earnings subject to social security deductions has been increased from the first \$12,600 to the first \$13,200 for 1974.

The Prestonsburg social security office is on North Lake Drive, phone number, 886-8525 and is an agency of the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Can solar heating (heating by the sun's energy) provide an answer to the fuel shortages? According to the May Reader's Digest, if solar energy were to provide just one percent of the nation's energy needs by 1983, approximately 100 million barrels of oil per year would be conserved.

### Narduzzi To Speak At NAM Chapter Meet



Speaker for the evening at the April 26 meeting of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company Chapter of the National Management Association will be Bill Narduzzi, defensive coordinator under head coach Fran Curci, of the University of Kentucky Wildcats. A native of East Canton, Ohio, Narduzzi coached for seven years as defensive coordinator at Yale and brought the Eli into the national spotlight. Under his tutelage, the Ivy League school either ranked first or second in total defense in the league all seven years. Narduzzi is a 1959 graduate of Miami University of Ohio, where he was a star lineman, first under Ara Parseghian and then under John Pont. The meeting will be held at May Lodge at 6:30 p.m.

The Railway Labor Act's prohibition of employer interference or coercion in the choice of bargaining representatives was upheld by the Supreme Court in 1930.

### MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb and Mary Katina and Miss Mary Ann Cordell, of Springfield, Ohio, were Easter week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb, and other relatives here and of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Howard, of Prestonsburg.

Delbert Goins attended the funeral for his grandmother in Louisville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Allen and granddaughter, Miss Emma Jane Allen, visited Mr. and Mrs. John VanHoose in Grayson, and Mrs. Allen and Emma Jane went on to Mt. Orab, Ohio, where Emma Jane was interviewed for a teaching position.

Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manor Manuel were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Moore and children, of Lima, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowling and children, New Albany, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. James Manuel and children, Houston, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Tuttle and children, Westland, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hall, who have moved here from Indiana and are staying temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Manuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb, Matthew and Jeremy, of Springfield, Ohio, were guests, Easter week-end and last week, of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater. Miss Teresa Prater, from Midway College, was also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Prater, Tammy and Pamela who have lived in Crown Point, Ind. for several years, returned here Saturday. They will stay with Mrs. Tom Webb and family while building a new home.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis and Tommy Moore on Easter week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Beebe, Donald, Johnny, Tammy and Julie and Daniel Moore, all of Monoclova, Ohio, and Mr.

and Mrs. Marvin Howard, Teresa, Tina, Shelia and Alesia, of Willard, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Howard and children also visited Mrs. Odia Howard at Hueysville and Mrs. Hallie Webb here. The entire group attended church services, with special singers from Wheelwright, at the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart, of Amelia, Ohio, Jeff and Beekie Stewart, of Morehead State University, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Ray Prater and Danny Flanery, of Langley, Jack Webb, Springfield, Ohio, and Ike Flanery, of Martin, spent several days last week fishing at Watts Bar.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart, of Port Royal, Va., are spending some time here gardening and visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett and children, of Lexington, were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson and other relatives.

Miss Nancy May came home Thursday from the Pikeville Methodist Hospital where she had been a patient for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albert Lewis and children, Phillip and Alicia, of Ypsilanti, Mich., spent Thursday evening with his father, Rob Lewis, and Mrs. Lewis.

Tommy Moore continues to improve after a recent illness and is able to be out.

### SCHOOLS ELIGIBLE FOR DISASTER AID

Kentucky schools sustaining damage from the April tornadoes, not covered by insurance, will be eligible for U. S. disaster aid, two federal officials recently announced.

They noted that federal law provides that funds be used to replace any school-owned property not insured. The initial grant will be 75 per cent of the total cost with the rest coming later.

### Students and Teachers Help Tornado Victims

Prestonsburg High School students and faculty responded generously to the recent call for aid to tornado-stricken Brandenburg, Ky. A large quantity of canned foods, plus \$113.68 in cash, was contributed.

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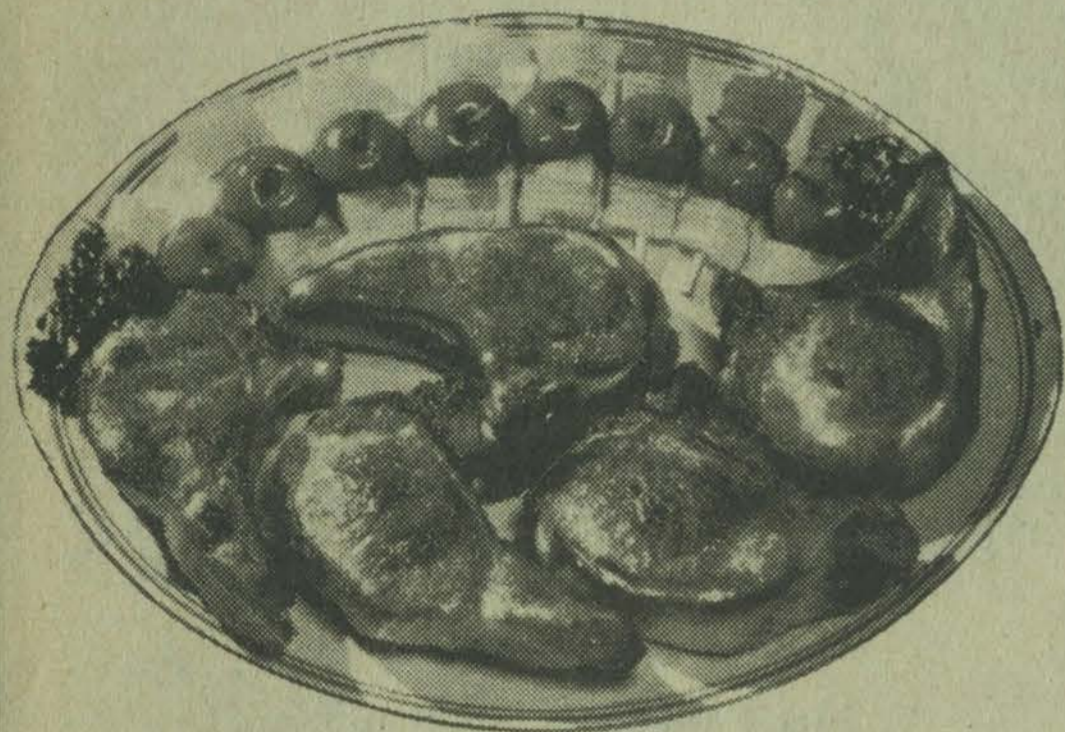
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# Nature Trails

By Rufus M. Reed

**THE ROADRUNNER**, State bird of New Mexico. This bird is a ground-dwelling cuckoo and is perhaps the most popular and widely known bird of the Southwest. It was a familiar sight along the old Sante Fe Trail in pioneer times when it ran races with the stage coaches, keeping well ahead of the fastest teams. It can easily do 18 miles per hour. In more recent times, the roadrunner raced with autos, but soon gave this up as a losing game.

Some call this bird "snake-eater," as its main foods consist of snakes and lizards. It is also fond of snails. The roadrunner kills the rattlers and eats their brains—no other part of the rattler is eaten. Those who have watched it in a death struggle with a rattlesnake, tell

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how it teases the snake into striking out savagely until it is too exhausted to strike. Then the bird pecks a hole in the snake's skull and eats the brains. It picks up snails, carries them to a rock and cracks their shells on the hard surface, then it dines sumptuously on snail meat. When not hungry enough to eat a rattler's brain, it fences the snake in with the formidable cholly cactus, so as to hold it a prisoner until time for the kill.

This cuckoo is about two feet long and its slender tail takes up about half the body length. It is brownish with a white breast heavily streaked with brown and sports a ragged crest.

The roadrunner is considered one of the cleverest of birds; it builds its nest in an almost impenetrable thicket of spiny cactus, where few predators would dare to venture. It feeds the young mostly on lizards, which it crams down their throats, head first.

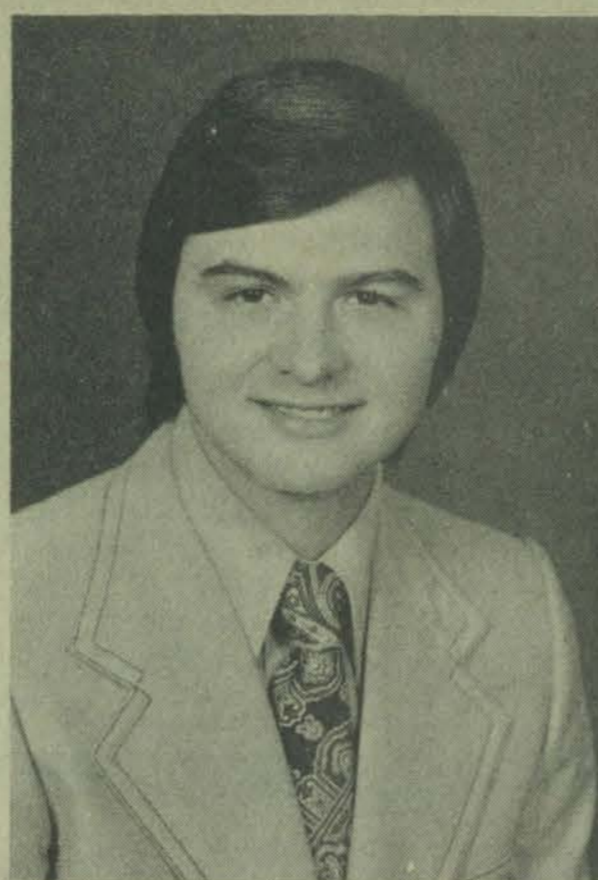
**THE WATER TURKEY**, the bird with furry body. Some southerners call this bird "the whangdoodle;" others call it "snakebird," from the long, sinuous neck, which is coiled like a snake. When confronted by enemies, the bird darts under water and submerges itself, all but the long, serpentine neck, which it sticks up in a striking resemblance to a water snake.

The whangdoodle is a long, slender bird, measuring almost three feet from the tip of beak to tip of tail. Its large, square tail resembles the tail of a turkey—hence the name "water turkey." The water turkey makes its home in the cypress swamps of the south. Although it spends much time in the water, its feathers are not water repellent like those of a duck or goose. It is said its feathers closely resemble fine fur and are glossy, soft and silky. When the bird swims in the water for some time, the fine feathers become water-logged, so he must fly up to a tree and perch in the sun until the feathers dry out.

The water turkey's plumage is mostly black, adorned with silvery patches. It is also called the "anhinga," or darter, from the way it quickly darts under water and hides all its body except the long snaky neck. It belongs to the family of darters.

When any person down south is angered at another, and wants to tell him to "get lost," he will often say: "You go where the whangdoodle mourneth for her young."

## Medical Student



William James Hall, Jr., son of Mrs. Helene Bantham, of Bellbrook, Ohio, and the late William J. Hall, of Prestonsburg, is a student at the University of Louisville School of Medicine. He is a member of the Phi Chi medical fraternity.

Mr. Hall received his B. S. degree in zoology at the University of Kentucky where he was a member of the Alpha Epsilon Delta premedical honor society. He is a 1969 graduate of Prestonsburg High School. His wife, Sherry, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Halbert, of Martin, and she also is a student at the University of Louisville.

**VATICAN TO COMBAT NOISE OF SISTINE CHAPEL TOURISTS**  
VATICAN CITY—"Very weak" music will be piped into the Sistine Chapel to combat a rising tide of tourist noise. The Vatican museums director said a sudden influx of Eastern visitors was spoiling "peaceful enjoyment" of Michelangelo's frescoes.

The LaFollette Seamen's Act was approved in 1915 to regulate conditions of employment for maritime workers, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," a publication of the U. S. Department of Labor.

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## Kentucky Afield

By Hope Carleton  
Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

Getting away from the confines of home and office and being outdoors is important to many people. For outdoor jaunts of several days some choose to "overnight" in hotels or motels and others are strong for trailer and camper outfits.

And then there are those who'd rather rough it and take a tent or even a tarpaulin and head for a remote area where you must either hike in or float along a stream or lake.

Those who choose the more modern way of hotel, motels, trailers or campers face few problems about supplies running low or finding medical attention should the need arise.

However, the more hardy types who hike in or float must be able to foresee the requirements for such a trip and must know what to do in cases of emergency.

The primitive camper must be a person who can brave the elements and care for himself under almost any condition. Naturally, the more primitive the conditions, the more knowledgeable he must be about the outdoor world.

Those traveling waterways by boat or canoe and camping along the banks must be self-contained in that all their supplies

for the trip will have to be packed in the boat.

Food, shelter, medical supplies, bedding and extra clothing must be serviceable, light weight, and packed in such a manner as to keep them dry in event of rain or upset.

Weight of the supplies carried is a more important factor when traveling streams than lakes since most streams require portage at least once and everything must be unpacked, carried over rifles or other obstructions, and then repacked before heading on downstream.

Expertise in boat or canoe handling is the most important part of such a trip, because at times even the most placid stream can turn into a continuous ribbon of white water. Under such conditions, knowledge and skill mean the difference between excitement and serious accident.

Primitive camping, although more popular now than in past years, still appeals only to a select few and even fewer are experienced enough to know exactly what to pack. For the novice, there's always the trial and error method and the error - a forgotten item or one that doesn't work too well - will generally result in nothing more than a little discomfort. However, there are books available on the subject (try the library), and there are organizations of campers, hikers, etc., which can be most helpful.

As in most any venture, adequate preparation is always an advantage. There are times, especially when floating down a stream, when all sounds of civilization are closed out. One will hear only sounds of running water, the whistling of the wind and the calls of birds and animals.

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## Pikeville College Slates Alumni Dinner, May 4

Pikeville, Ky.—Tickets are now on sale for the Annual Alumni and Commencement Banquet at Pikeville College, May 4.

This year Pikeville College will celebrate eight-five years of educational service to the mountains and will honor the classes of 1924, 1949, and 1964. Tickets for the banquet are \$4.00 per person and may be reserved by writing the Office of Alumni Affairs, Pikeville College, Pikeville, Ky., 41501 or by calling 606-432-3161, ext. 298.

The banquet will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the College Gold Room with a reception. A dinner will follow in the dining hall at 7:30 p.m.

## Rape Cases Increase In State and Nation

Frankfort, Ky.—Recent reports indicate that rapes are increasing at an alarming pace.

In Kentucky, according to figures compiled by state police uniform crime statisticians for 1973, the 5.6 per cent rise in rapes easily outdistanced all other violent crime activity. Murders declined by .9 per cent and aggravated assaults by 5.8 per cent, while robberies rose by just 4.1 per cent.

The number of rapes reported during 1973 totaled 548.

The national picture was worse still. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, in their preliminary 1973 uniform crime report, disclosed that rape headed the list of all offenses, both violent and non-violent. The rate of increase for 1973 over 1972 was 10 per cent.

During the first three months of this year, the state police crime lab handled evidence for analysis in 37 cases, as compared to last year's caseload total of 51.

Pat Hankla, a state police crime lab microanalyst, says the increase in cases now being received at the lab may be due to the growing number of police evidence collection teams being trained and put into operation in Kentucky.

Funded with monies made available through grants awarded by the Kentucky Crime Commission, the teams assist police in evidence collection which, in turn, generates a heavier workload for the lab specialists.

A second factor having an impact on the rise in rape statistics may result from a greater willingness on the part of the victims to notify the police.

However, according to Dr. Cornelia Wilbur, professor of psychiatry at the University of Kentucky, College of Medicine, some women still elect to remain silent for fear of brusque treatment by the police.

Dr. Wilbur cited the case of one woman who was attacked by six motorcyclists but said nothing until much later, when she divulged the facts to her psychiatrist after suffering recurrent nightmares.

Some states now seem to be overcoming that problem through professional programs offering combined medical and compassionate, sympathetic police assistance to rape victims.

If a woman wants to improve her chances of not becoming a victim, Dr. Wilbur says the best defense is a good offense—knowing how and being able to physically defend herself.

Last year the Community and Public Relations Division of the Lexington Metro Police Department conducted self-defense programs for 150 civic and school groups.

Caution in nightly walks and the importance of getting "free of your attacker quickly" is stressed, says one officer.

"We don't instruct anyone in karate or judo, but we do urge screaming, scratching and biting, and a telephone call to the nearest police station just as soon as you are safely away," he said.

To that Dr. Wilbur added some advice which, she says, is even more effective, "Collapse against your assailant and kneel him hard in the groin."

Other precautionary measures recommended by police include: Lock your car and check the front and rear seat before re-entering. Be alert to being followed by another vehicle, get the license number and report it immediately. Leave house lights (inside and outside) on when you go out. If you find evidence of intrusion upon return, leave immediately and call police. Don't admit strangers to your home without first requiring proper identification. If living alone, use first initial rather than first name on mailbox and in telephone book listing. When walking alone, avoid heavily overgrown areas, dark doorways and alleys, deserted areas and little-traveled streets. Always carry correct change for phone use.

### Miss Scutchfield Member Of EKV Concert Band

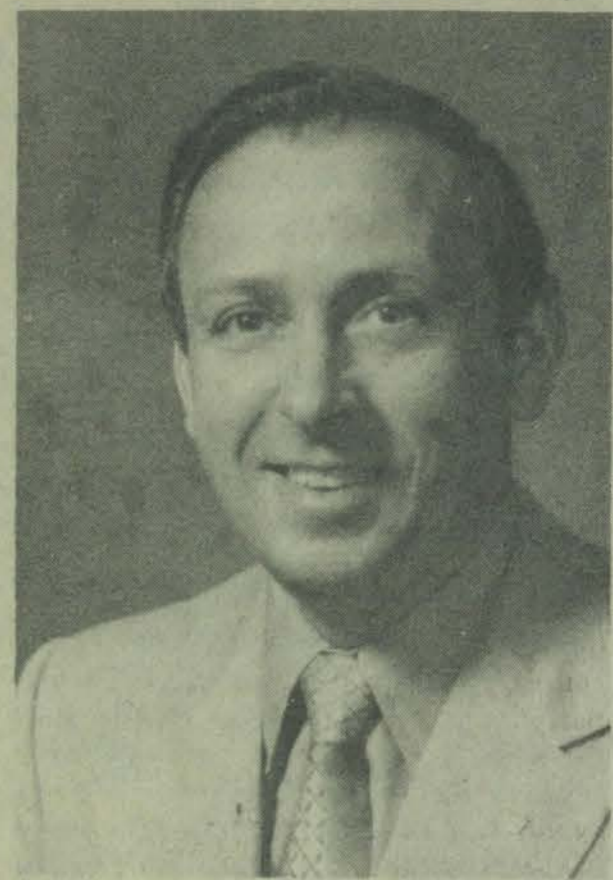
RICHMOND, Ky.—The Eastern Kentucky University Concert Band, directed by F. Carl Daehler, Jr., will present a concert Monday April 29 at 7:30 p.m. in Gifford Theatre on the Eastern campus in Richmond.

The 80-piece band includes from Prestonsburg, Kay Scutchfield who plays the alto saxophone.

The Concert Band is made up of musicians enrolled in both the Department of Music and other Colleges at Eastern. The band gives several concerts throughout the year and will be featured with other musicians from Eastern as the host band for the 100th running of the Kentucky Derby on May 4 at Louisville.

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### Newman Promoted



Earl B. Newman, Mansfield, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Birt Newman, of East McDowell, has been promoted to the post of division superintendent, Ashland Pipeline Company, a Division of Ashland Oil, Inc. In his new job he will be responsible for all of Ashland's facilities in Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Newman began work with Ashland Oil at Salyersville, in 1956. In 1968 he was promoted to supervisor and transferred to Ohio. He is married to the former Billie Jean Trimble, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James H. Trimble, Paintsville, and they have two children, Anita, 14, and Greg, 12. They will continue to make their home in Mansfield.

### Registration May 13 At Pikeville College

Pikeville, Ky.—Students may acquire one to four hours of college credit during the May Intersession scheduled at Pikeville College, May 13 through May 24.

Registration for the courses will be held Monday, May 13, 8:00 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. in the Arrington Science-Learning Center according to Philip Vinciguerra, acting academic dean of the school.

May Intersession schedules and schedules of the complete summer school courses are available in the academic dean's office at Pikeville College.

### Point of Confusion

The Tex Williams who was listed in last week's Times for being arrested on charges of drunk driving, no operator's license and grand larceny is not the Tex Williams who lives at Banner.

### SURPLUS PROPERTY AUCTION

Friday, May 3, 1974 at 10:00 a.m. C.D.S.T., surplus property consisting of lawn furniture, folding chairs, lamps, box springs, mattresses, chests, desks, sofas, televisions, T.V. stands, chairs, tables, washers, dryers, Baldwin electronic organ with two large cabinet speakers, tractors, sedans, station wagons, trucks along with other items too numerous to mention will be disposed of by the Department of Parks at Jenny Wiley State Park located 2 miles east of Prestonsburg, 12 miles south of Paintsville off highway 23 on highway No. 3 in the parking lot of Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre. Sale will be made to the highest and best bidder, and the Department of Parks reserves the right to reject any bid. Terms of the sale are cash, certified check, or cashiers check. For other information please call Jenny Wiley State Resort Park 886-2711. Inspection of property may be made on day of sale.

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### Kentucky Exports Increase \$47,000,000

Frankfort, Ky.—A report recently released by the Bureau of the Census, U. S. Department of Commerce, shows that the total value of Kentucky's exported manufactured goods grew by more than \$47 million between 1969-71. In 1969 Kentucky's exports were estimated at \$345.4 million compared to an estimated \$392.7 million in 1971.

The study, which took several years to complete, also shows that during the same period, export employment in Kentucky grew from 7,400 to 7,700.

Based on the value of exports, Kentucky ranked 23rd in the nation in 1971 compared to 24th, in 1969. Based on export employment, the state ranked 24th, the same as in 1969. According to the report, Kentucky's most important export was non-electrical machinery.

Another study is presently underway to determine the state's growth in the export field between 1971 and 1973.

The Kentucky Department of Commerce has had an international trade office in operation for several months to assist Kentucky business and manufacturing interests in expanding their exports. Recently the U. S. Department of Commerce opened a "satellite" office in the state department to assist in this activity.

Commissioner Damon Harrison of the state Department of Commerce said, "With our increased capacities to help people in the areas of international trade we expect Kentucky's involvement in this field to expand more rapidly from now on. There are tremendous opportunities in the export field for Kentucky-made goods, and we want to see this become a very significant part of the state's economy."

For more information or copies of the export study contact the U. S. Department of Commerce, Memphis District Office, Room 710, 147 Jefferson Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 38103; telephone (901) 534-3214.

For more information about the state's international trade assistance, contact the Kentucky Department of Commerce, Capital PLAZA Office Tower, Frankfort, Ky. 40601; telephone (502) 875-4421 or (502) 564-4270

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### Grayson Lake State Park Has Touch of Ireland

By HELEN PRKCE STACY

Spring visitors at Grayson Lake State Park may recognize a touch of Ireland because of the area's green fields, clear skies and blue water. High cliffs surrounding the lake, located in Carter and Elliott counties, further enhances the resemblance to the "Emerald Isle."

The Horton family was so impressed by the beauty of Eastern Kentucky that they migrated from Virginia in 1835 and descendants of the original settlers still live in the area.

H. B. Horton, of Ashland, explained that his great grandfather, Elijah S. Horton, built a large log house at Rosedale. He must have been a skilled carpenter because the home remains intact and now rests on a knoll overlooking the lake near Rosedale Beach. The ancient structure survived a move from the Little Sandy River by the U. S. Army Engineers when the lake was first built. The logs were reinked and additional repairs made.

"My grandfather and his brother, Reese, served three years with the Confederate Army," Horton noted. Troops reputedly camped in the

### Former Floyd Resident Promoted to Foreman

The promotion of Dan Blair to Bindery Foreman was recently announced by the Glasgow Manufacturing Division of R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., in Glasgow, Ky.

Mr. Blair came to the firm's Glasgow operation in 1970 as a journeyman bindery operator and is credited with contributing to the successful beginning of the plant.

Mr. Blair is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Blair, of Warsaw, Ind., formerly of Water Gap. He is married to the former Margaret Copley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Copley, of Prestonsburg. They and their children, Monica, Jeanie, and Dan, Jr., live in Glasgow.

### Tornado Damaged Schools To Get Federal Funds

By JENNIFER KAYE ROBINSON

Frankfort, Ky.—Federal officials from the Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) regional office in Atlanta, Ga., said that federal funds will pay for any school tornado damage in Kentucky that is not covered by insurance.

Albert Beatty, assistant program manager for school assistance in federally affected areas, and Tom Bowen, field engineer for the Atlanta office of HEW, told local school officials of benefits they are entitled to and procedures necessary to secure them.

At least two federal inspectors, Beatty and Bowen, will be in Kentucky on a full time basis. They plan to inspect tornado damaged schools in Scott, Madison, Lincoln and Franklin counties, first.

"We don't know how many schools were damaged in this state or any other state," Bowen said. "But, we are working on a priority basis—some of you have been hurt worse than others. We will be there to inspect all school systems."

The officials said that federal aid is available to schools, through the disaster section of Public Law 874, located in

sections that have been declared disaster areas by both the Governor and the President. So far, 30 Kentucky counties have been included.

The initial grant to the schools would be 75 per cent of the total cost with the rest funded later.

### HORSE EDUCATION GETS BOOST

The State Racing Commission recently passed a new rule requiring Kentucky's five thoroughbred racing associations to schedule at least four races for two-year-olds during each week of racing, beginning next March.

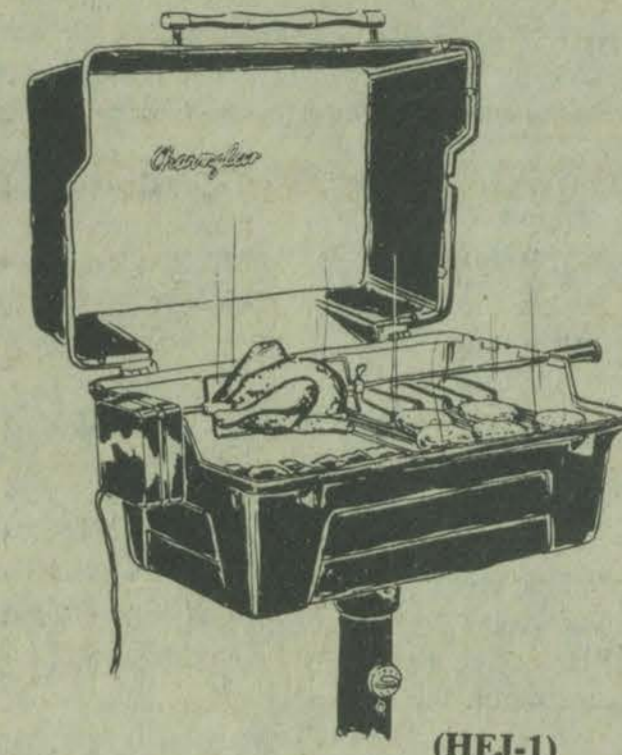
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# A Prisoner's Cartoons—Portfolio to the Future

By HERB BROCK

Frankfort, Ky.—The huge prison gate swung shut and a middle-aged man was ready to start life all over again.

His tattered old suitcase was packed with remnants of more than a decade spent behind prison walls—bargain basement dungarees and argyle socks riddled with holes.

And sandwiched between his rumpled clothes lay a batch of cartoons sketched on cardboard pieces measuring 8½ by 11 inches. A creative man's animated impressions of prison life, the cardboard bundle represented "Chas" Durain's past. But more importantly, it became his portfolio for the future.

Last July, Durain, 47, was paroled from the Kentucky State Penitentiary at Eddyville. Today, just eight months later, he's chief cartoonist for a Minnesota newspaper and freelancer for "Playboy" magazine.

Since taking up residence at the Georgeville Community Project for ex-offenders, near St. Cloud, Minn., Durain's cartooning business has probably given him little time to reflect on his two-year stint as chief artist and cartoonist for the Eddyville "Castle," a newspaper published monthly by inmates at the penitentiary.

But Minnesota Sen. Hubert Humphrey recently gave Durain some time to refresh his memory.

Humphrey, at a ceremony last month in Washington, D.C., presented Durain with the Charles C. Clayton Award for contributions he made to inmate journalism while at Eddyville.

Sponsored annually since 1967 by the Southern Illinois University (SIU) Department of Journalism, the award commemorates the work of a former SIU professor who taught the first college credit journalism course ever offered in a penal institution.

Before Durain mounted the podium to accept the award, guests attending the special event got a good view of his talent. Pinned to the walls of Sen. Humphrey's office were poster-size blow-ups of Durain's "Pen Pals," born from the cartoonist's fertile imagination.

"On behalf of my pals, I'd like to say that we really appreciate this recognition," said Durain as he gazed across the room filled with his artwork.

The ceremony, however, was hardly the first time Durain and his buddies have gained recognition.

Besides being reprinted in many corrections publications across the nation, his cartoons have been entered into the U. S. Congressional Record at Washington, D. C.

One of his cartoons also won a first place award in the 1972 American Penal Press contest, also sponsored by SIU.

But life hasn't been all that award-winning for Durain since his parole last



MINNESOTA SEN. HUBERT HUMPHREY, (left), presents Charles Durain, former inmate cartoonist for the Kentucky State Penitentiary "Castle," the Charles C. Clayton Award for excellence in penal journalism. Humphrey handed Durain the heralded award during ceremonies in the former prisoner's honor recently held in the Senator's Washington, D.C., office. Durain, 47, who lives at the Georgeville, Minn., Project for Ex-Offenders, is currently a free-lance cartoonist for "Playboy" magazine and serves as chief artist for the Georgeville newspaper.

summer. As Chas would say, "there's a dark lining to every silver cloud."

Just a few weeks before the award presentation, Durain's apartment at the Georgeville Project went up in flames destroying nearly all his possessions.

"The fire even took what clothes I had," said Durain. "I was burned slightly trying to rescue my cat . . . who,

as it turned out, wasn't in the fire anyway."

Now residing in a studio adjoining the scorched remains of his former living quarters, Durain hasn't let the incident escape his imagination or sense of humor.

One of his recent cartoons for the local newspaper shows Durain hovering nude over a sketch pad while seated at a laundromat. Under this pathetic picture of a man stripped of all dignity is the caption: "It fosters some situations that might otherwise be considered a bit peculiar."

Despite his recent misfortune, Durain has obviously kept his sense of humor in tact. And while a fire may have taken the clothes off his back, it left no scar on his ability to portray the human condition in a funny light.

### HAROLD HOMEMAKERS MEET

Harold Homemakers Club met April 16 at the Free Will Church. Dorothy Sturgill president, opened the meeting and Molly Stapleton read devotions. Mrs. A. K. Robinette called the roll, and collected dues. Bernice Mason reported to the club on the gifts taken to the Jenny Wiley Nursing Home. Each member is being asked to donate candy and fruit to be taken back to the nursing home in May. A motion was made and seconded to donate \$10 to the Red Cross Drive.

Carma Sturgill attended the April Training School and presented the lesson "Framing and Matting Pictures. Members brought pictures for display.

A covered dish luncheon was served to Mrs. Grace Sturgill, Mrs. A. K. Robinette, Vana Turner, Hattie Mae Hall, Sylvia Allen, Mae Cecil, Dorothy Sturgill, Molly Stapleton, Bernice Mason, Carma Sturgill, Frances Pitts and visitor, Mrs. Judith Bolling.

May meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mae Cecil. Lesson will be on salads. The club welcomes visitors and new member. Meeting date is the third Tuesday of each month at 10 a.m.

# ALC Receives Grant For Resident Artist

Pippa Passes, Ky.—The Kentucky Arts Commission has awarded a \$1,000 grant to Alice Lloyd College for an artist in residence during the first two weeks of the college's summer theatre program. Daniel Stein, a playwright with the Actors Theatre of Louisville, will be in residence at ALC to help students produce a play based on the famous Jack-tales: the giant killer, beanstalk etc.

Students interested in working in ALC's Appalachian Summer Theatre should contact the director, Ken Baldrige, at the college. The theatre program also will be doing children's plays and other productions which tour the four counties around the college. The program lasts for eight weeks beginning May 27.

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On the afternoon of March 17 at 3 o'clock Miss Jan M. Thomarr and Jackell P. Compton were united in marriage at the Flatts Baptist Church in Benton, Illinois. Rev. Adolph Zwengel performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. A. C. Thomarr of Benton, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Compton, of Sesser, Ill., formerly of Price, Ky.

The bride, escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, wore a formal floor-length wedding gown of pearl encrusted sheer organza and imported chantilly lace over white rayon satin. The fitted empire bodice was in pearl-encrusted lace, and string pearls encircled neckline and cuffs of the bishop sleeves. The cathedral-length veil of

imported bridal illusion was secured to a pearl-encrusted capulet. The veil was edged with a narrow band of imported chantilly lace with appliques of lace roses held with pearls. She carried a bouquet of daisies, bird of paradise and baby's breath.

Mrs. Rhea Compton attended the bride as bridesmaid. Blake Compton was groomsmen. Ushers were Mike Conley and David Burlison.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Compton. Guests were served by Mrs. Katherine Thomarr and Mrs. Alice Mae Conley.

After a wedding trip to Kentucky, the couple is residing at Sesser.

**Commissioner Butler Reviews Aid for Tornado Damaged**

By WENDELL P. BUTLER  
Commissioner of Agriculture

Most of the emergency needs of the families whose homes were destroyed by the tornadoes have been filled, and the task ahead is to help them rebuild or repair the property that was damaged or destroyed.

As is evident by a visit to the stricken area, or by news reports, it will be many months before the damage is repaired and the scars removed from the countryside. Needless to say, the property losses which families have suffered are tremendous, and replacement costs are going to be a terrific burden on those hit by the storm.

As I look at the losses sustained by the many families in the disaster areas, I am grateful for the help that is made available in emergencies such as this. Thousands and thousands of Kentuckians have not only given money and materials, but have also worked as volunteers to assist in repair work and in clean up operations.

As soon as word of the disaster was reported, the State Department of Agriculture—like many other agencies, went into action. The Division of Food

Distribution, which is responsible for emergency food relief, started moving food to feeding stations as well as to individuals households on emergency orders.

The Division provided food for over 100,000 meals during the first week of the disaster. This does not include food given to individual households.

Division of Livestock Sanitation inspectors assisted with the removal and disposal of animals injured or killed by the tornadoes. Animals that could not be picked up by rendering companies were burned or buried through the assistance of Bureau of Highway equipment.

Personnel from other departmental divisions also assisted those directly involved in relief work. As I look at the assistance which the Department was able to provide, I am grateful that our government is organized so that help can be given to individual citizens whenever a disaster strikes.

Massachusetts adopted the first state minimum wage act for women and minors in 1912.

**OBSERVES 92ND BIRTHDAY**  
T. B. Connors, of Estill, celebrated his 92 birthday, April 3, at his home. Two daughters, Mrs. Laura Mathis and son Mike, of Cincinnati, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hellman, of Estill, a granddaughter and family, of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sumpter and son, Sammy, a host of friends and neighbors called to wish him well. His son, Ballard Connors, of Dayton, Ohio, could not attend because of illness. He also received many cards and presents.

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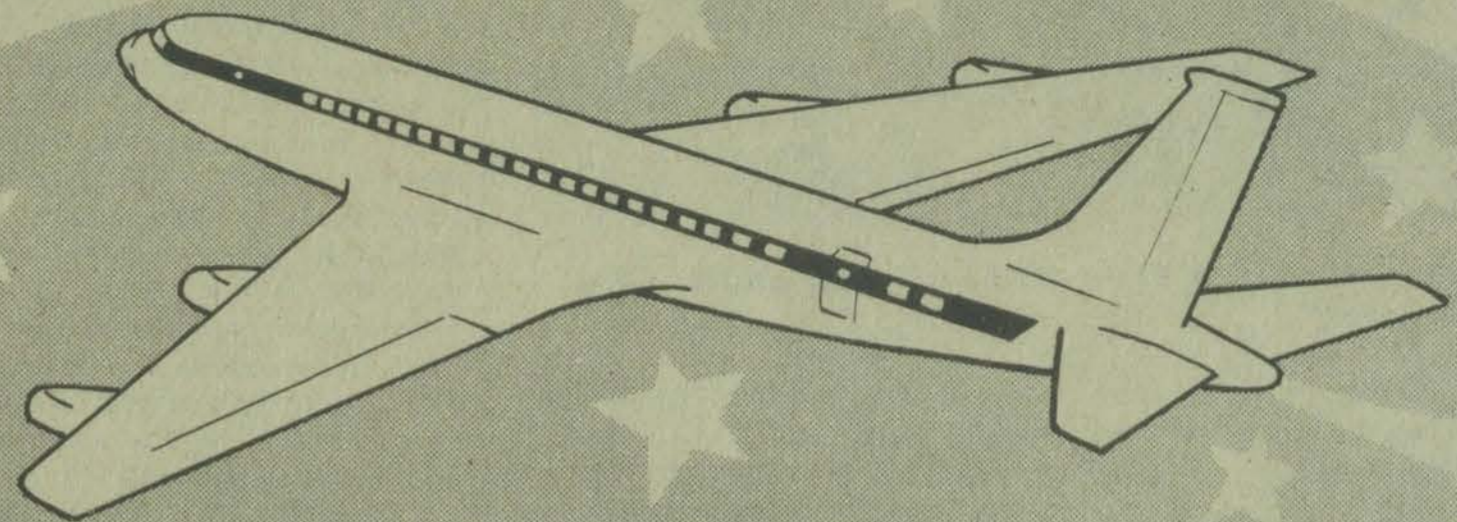
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