# Eases After Strike Ends

# Floyd Schools Open Monday after 3-Day Layoff Last Week

The gasoline shortage and restricted shipment of foodstuffs which clouded the picture a week ago brightened with the weather this week.

Floyd county's schools, which closed last Wednesday, reopened Monday, and a number of gas stations were back in business as truck traffic into the county increased. But County School Superintendent Charles Clark, reflecting the warning of local distributors that future fuel prospects are unpredictable, remarked, "We are just going from day to day."

County school buses have, in the past, acquired fuel from any gas stations where fuel was available but now, said Clark, the school transportation system has been advised to file an application with the State Energy Office for mandatory fuel allocation. According to this plan, Floyd County Schools would ask approximately 25,000 gallons a month, and this might necessitate the installation of six or seven storage tanks in various sections of the county. Clark said that it would be up to the energy office to decide which oil company would supply the fuel, or if purchases will be rotated between different companies.

Meanwhile, local oil distributors, speaking with reserved optimism, confirmed an improvement in the truck situation and one spokesman commented, "Gas is trickling through now." Both Gulf and Standard Oil distributors in the area said Monday that most of their stations were open although continued "panic" buying would probably close some of them early. Marvin Music, Jr., who is associated with his father in the Gulf distributorship at West Prestonsburg, pointed to this type of buying as a major problem at present.

"People," he said, "are still panic buying, almost faster than we can unload it in many cases. Even if the truckers go back to work completely, it would still take a while to catch up," he explained. Carl H. Martin, manager of Standard Oil distributors at Allen, also said that if

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# Youth Isolation Planned at Jail To Meet Ruling

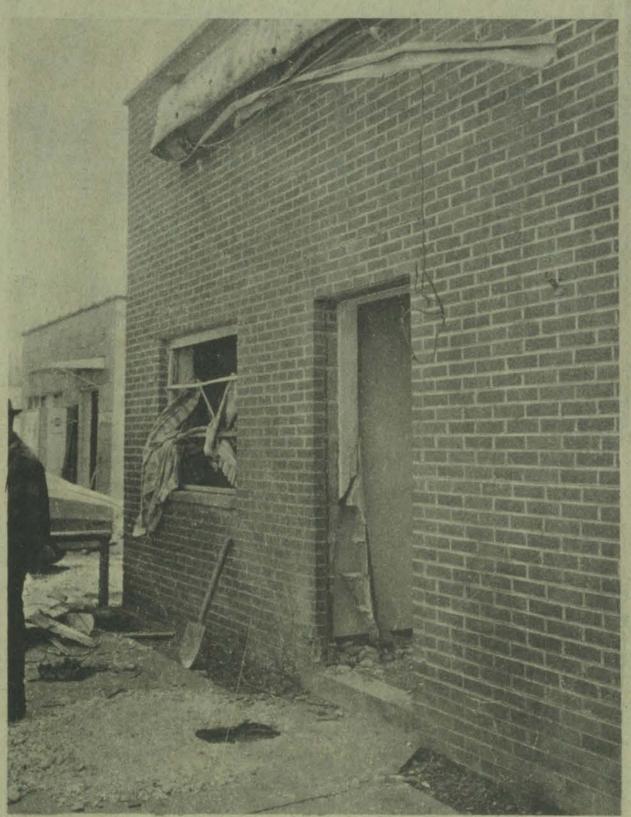
County Judge Henry Stumbo said Tuesday that work will be begun soon to make the Floyd county jail conform to last week's Court of Appeals ruling which held that it is illegal to detain any child in any portion of a county jail that is not physically separated from sight and sound of all portions of the jail.

Installation of sheet steel, with heavy insulation, he said, will make the section where juveniles are held separated from the remainder of the jail as to sight and

"I think this is right," Judge Stumbo said. "Youngsters detained in the jail should be separated from seeing or hearing older prisoners."

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

# Gas Famine Construction Firm Is Blast Target



Exterior of dynamited Harris Construction Company building. Hole shows spot where charge exploded.

SUITS FILED

Court House Happenings

Darlene Jenkins vs. Ollie Jenkins

Ernestine McKinney, et al vs. Sizemore

Mining Corp. First National Bank vs.

Grace Ann Little. Edmond Duff vs. Ruth

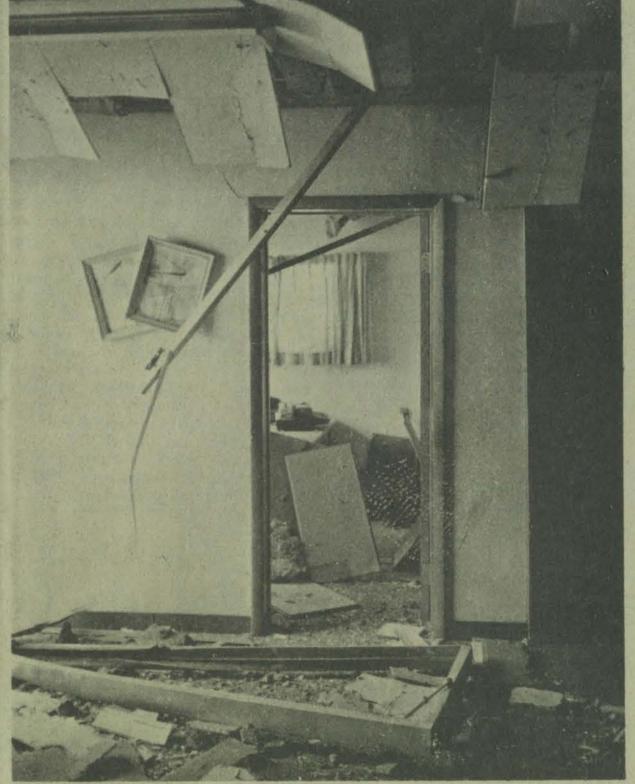
Ann Duff. James R. Yocum, Comm. vs.

Bud Blanton, et al. Commonwealth of Ky.

vs. Frank Rambo, et al. Brenda Martin

vs. Stephen Franklin Martin. Earnest

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



Interior of company office. Fragments of front door on floor and hanging from ceiling.

# Club Closing **Looms After** Weekend Raid

One of the three private clubs in the county which were closed last December and later reopened by special agreement, will again be shut down this week after a raid Saturday night resulted in the issuance of three warrants.

The Eagles Club on South Lake Drive here was charged with possession of alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale and with gambling after Sheriff Joe Wheeler Lewis, State Police Detective Gary Rose and Commonwealth's Attorney Harold Stumbo found 57 cans of beer on the premises. Woodrow Greenwade, of Prestonsburg, was also charged with possession.

The court order which closed the Eagles club as well as the AMVETS club at Martin and the Overseas Veterans' club (known locally as the V.F.W. club) here was lifted upon agreement by officials of the clubs to allow law officers to inspect the clubs at any time and not to sell alcoholic beverages.

Commonwealth's Attorney Stumbo said the club would be closed this week, either by club officials or by issuance of a

petition from his office. Four other raids during the week resulted in as many arrests and a substantial amount of intoxicant was netted.

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

#### Stumbo vs. Nettie Stumbo Life Insurance Co. of North America vs. Bobby G.

Not Far from the Madding Crowd

All was not tention and bickering over shortages last week. The

snow came, and this was the scene on Middle Creek. The

# Fiscal Court Moves To Issue Franchises

The Floyd fiscal court moved again last week toward the issuance of franchises to television cable systems in the county, and, as in the first such attempt last August, a legal battle looms.

The court adopted by unanimous vote a

resolution designating 32 areas in the county and asking bids for television franchises in each of these. Bids will be accepted till 4 p.m. March 4 and are scheduled for opening March 5.

The attempt to award franchises last year was halted by restraining order granted the Akers Cable System, Inc., of

The franchises, last week's resolutions provide, are to be granted for a period of 15 years. The court's resolution pointed out that television cable systems must be franchised to operate in the future under rules of the Federal Communications Commission. It added that operators of existing cable systems have expended "great sums in creating their systems . . and are entitled to some protection."

"In order to prevent a monopoly," the court's resolution continued, "no owner or operator of a community television system will be allowed to bid on an area in which a system is operating, other than the one in which he is presently operating, nor shall any person bid for same on his behalf.

It also was provided that, should any person other than the operator of a system in an area become the successful bidder, such bidder must purchase the existing system at a price to be determined by three appriasers, one of whom would be appointed by the owner, one by the successful bidder and the third by the fiscal court.

Awarding of franchises in each of the 32 areas will be, the court specified, to the highest and best bidder to be selected by the fiscal court, "taking into con-(See Story 2, Back Page, Sec. 1)

# Swiney To Keep **Tab on Programs**

The Floyd fiscal court last Wednesday employed a full time program director to represent the county in the involved task of keeping abreast of information relating to federal and state programs and of procuring such projects to supply employment and other benefits to the

Claude A. Swiney was employed, effective March 1, at a salary of \$13,000 a year. He will work out of the county judge's office.

The court action followed County Judge Henry Stumbo's presentation of the county's need to have one person who can devote his entire time to follow every program development and to do the work necessary to have the county benefit from such opportunities.

Mr. Swiney currently is supervisor of the Nelson Mainstream Program in this

At the same court meeting a proposal was filed with the Big Sandy Resource Development Project seeking stabilization of approximately 200 miles of roadbank to prevent erosion and stream pollution and to beautify the

# Dynamiting Damages 11 **Homes Here**

# FBI, State, County Officers in Probe; No Clues Reported

Dynamiting of the Harris Brothers Construction Company on South Lake Drive here during the early morning hours Monday caused damage to the firm and neighboring businesses and residences which may run as high as \$50,000, it was said later.

There was no known clue to the identity of the person who placed the charge barely outside the front door of the construction company office. State Police Detective Chester D. Potter, FBI agents and County Detective Sam Hale made an almost inch-by-inch search through the shattered building and surrounding area.

The explosion, which officers said was the equivalent of 15 sticks of dynamite. stopped a clock inside the building at 2:38. It blew off the front door, ripped out a portion of the office ceiling, reduced to wreckage the office interior, blew off a door leading from the office into the wareroom and cracked the front wall of the structue.

Eleven homes in the area, including that of Detective Potter, were damaged, with windows blown out. Some of these were almost a hundred yards distant from the blast scene. The office of Bob's Used Cars, adjacent to Harris Brothers, was damaged, as were some autos on the lot. A row of shelves in the Paul Francis Company store was emptied of their contents, and a window was shattered in the Hatton Insurance Agency. Petty Thompson said his home, where 13 windows were shattered, was damaged to the extent of \$5,000. Gas and electric service in some homes was interrupted by the blast.

Officers were seeking the identity of persons seen in the vicinity during the

The motive for the dynamiting has not been established.

Irvin Harris, co-owner with his brothers of the business, is president of the Save Our Land Club which has actively opposed strip-mining in the county. He said he did not know if his affiliation with the club prompted the dynamiting. He added that the dynamiting would not deter him in his work with the environmental group.

"If anything, it will make me work that much harder," he said.

He said he had received no threats and during the 28 years his firm has been in business here "we haven't made an enemy in the world."

His company, which constructs power lines over a wide area, was in operation Tuesday before work was begun to restores its headquarters.

#### This Town . . . That World

Things to remember about this dynamiting of a Prestonsburg business firm this week:

This wasn't a bomb hidden on a crowded airliner, and the bomber wasn't an Arab terrorist. It was here, and the hand that exploded it was one of our own.

There was no sheeted figure with KKK emblazoned on it. This one worked under the shroud of darkness.

It is a shame we all share.

#### HELP VIA MRS. MURRAY

Some years back when Madalene Murray protested to the Supreme Court against prayer and Bible reading in the public schools and got action, there were many solid citizens across the land who would have gladly accommodated both Mrs. Murray and members of the court to alternate rides on a sharp rail. But thought of such "hospitality" was rash.

Now it develops that the court ruling has actually encouraged the study of religion and the Bible in public high schools. Some colleges are training teachers for such elective courses. Writes Dr. John Piet, professor of English Bible and missions at Western Theological Seminary, Holland, Michigan:

"Now that a legal approach to teaching the Bible in public schools is at hand, I hope many young Christians will enter the door of opportunity which God through Mrs. Murray has opened."

No, not a rail for Mrs. Murray. Just write her to inquire if she has learned who is in charge.

(See Story 3, Back Page, Sec. 1)

# Added Hospital Care Cited for Highlands

Improvement of its emergency care services, the addition of qualified personnel and plans for further advances in various areas were announced last week by the Highlands Regional Medical

Staffing of the emergency room at the hospital has admittedly been a problem and one which has created some criticism, but Chalmer H. Frazier, administrator, and Edward Music, chairman of the hospital board, emphasized the point that the situation is one which is getting full attention and that it will be solved.

For the last two months, they said, 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. emergency service has been maintained, Monday through Friday, by Dr. Gerald Carp, senior resident at the UK Medical Center, Lexington, and Dr. James A. Holbrook, of Lexingtom, formerly of Prestonsburg. More recently, Dr. Rosalie M. Gaurano, former chief resident in the Department of Pediatrics, New York City Infirmary, has joined the emergency room staff, and another doctor is due to arrive in two weeks, it was said.

Now, the emergency room service is on this schedule:

Monday through Friday, 4 p.m. to 8 a.m.; Saturdays, 12 noon to 8 a.m. Sunday; Sundays, continuous 24-hour service from 8 a.m. till 8 a.m. Monday.

The coronary care unit is scheduled to be operational soon after July 1, the administrator said. Dr. John William Sutherland, who is now completing his residency at the Medical College of Virginia in internal medicine, from the graduating class in the School of College and some from personnel now coronary training school in preparation for activation of the coronary unit.

Dr. Joseph Rapier, who is completing his residency at Jacksonville, Fla. in orthopedics, also is slated to become a

Specialists in surgery, urology and radiology are on call, 24 hours a day.

nephrology and cardiology, will join the hospital staff, July 1. Six nurses—some Nursing at Prestonsburg Community employed at the hospital, will be sent to a

hospital staff member, July 1. A recent addition to the staff is Douglas

snowbound stream and bordering spruces suggest quiet and isolation, but the scene is only a few yards off the Mountain Fleming, respiratory therapist. Parkway.

# Strip Mines 'Improved'

By STEPHEN FORD (In The Courier-Journal)

Quicksand, Ky.-Strip-mining practices in Eastern Kentucky were rated yesterday by four touring Kentucky state senators as "improved" but still in need of better reclamation techniques and tighter regulation.

The four legislators, members of the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources, completed a two-day tour of mountain surface mines vesterday by visiting several large Breathitt County operations and by viewing some Perry County strip mines from the highway

The senators, plus a colleague-Sen. John Cornett, D-Hindman, who did not join yesterday's tour-visited mines of Beth-Elkhorn Corp. in Letcher and Pike counties Friday.

"I think the kind of work we saw today is a big improvement over what we've had in the past," commented Sen. John Berry, D-New Castle, "but I also think there's substantial evidence that we need better laws, tighter enforcement and better financing for the (state) Division of Reclamation."

Berry and Sen. Tom Ward, D-Versailles, indicated they feel that despite advances by the coal industry, too much "overburden" (the soil over coal seams) is being pushed down mountainsides and too many slides are occurring at strip-mine sites.

Committee Chairman Kenneth Gibson,

Two Great **Performance Tested** 

# **BULL SALES**

12th Annual Sale of On-Farm tested bulls

Friday, March 15

University of Kentucky Substation PRINCETON, KY. 12 Noon CDT

Approximately 95 Angus, Charolais, Polled Hereford, Santa Gertrudis and Simmental Percentage bulls will sell.

3RD Annual KENTUCKY CENTRAL **BULL TEST STATION SALE** Paris Stockyards PARIS, KY.

> Monday, March 18 12 Noon CDT

Only the top performing 33 of the 128 bulls on test will be sold. Angus, Polled Hereford, Charolais, Chianina Pct., Maine Anjou Pct., Marchigiana Pct., Simmental Pct., and Limousin Pct. bulls are on test now at the test station near Ver-

Both sales sponsored by the Kentucky Beef Cattle Assoc. in cooperation with the University of Kentucky. For information and catalogs contact Russell BreDahl, 803 Ag Sciences Center South, U of K. Lexington, Ky. 40506.

D-Madisonville, whose nine-member committee will rule first on any strip mine legislation to be introduced in the Senate, predicted that the 1974 General Assembly will increase reclamation bonds posted by surface-mine operators.

"The kind of reclamation that needs to be done is expensive, and I think the bonding should be adequate to see that the job gets done," Gibson said.

Gibson endorsed House Bill 249, which would raise present bonds per acre from a \$200 minimum and a \$1,000 maximum to bonds per acre of \$500 minimum and \$1,500 maximum. The bill would also increase the total minimum bond on a surface-mine permit from \$2,000 to \$5,000. The bill has been reported favorably out of the House Committee on Agricultue and Natural Resources and awaits a vote by the entire House of Representatives.

Ward and several state reclamation officials agreed with Gibson's en-

"The price of everything else has been going up, and reclamation is no exception," said William Hayes, a state reclamation regional supervisor. "Why should we have to use state money, our money, if an operator doesn't do the

The final stop on the senator's tour was the giant Falcon Coal Co. operation in eastern Breathitt County. The Falcon mine-considered a model surface mine by many reclamation expertscontained several examples of "mountain top removal," a mining technique in which hill knobs are razed to get at the coal and level ground is

"Rather than have people ask us not to mine their land, they're begging us to come. They like this level land, actually," Roy Mullins, Falcon's vice president in charge of reclamation, told

State Secretary of Natural Resources Thomas O. Harris, who accompanied the legislators, said that the older method of stripping around a mountain top "leaves a lot of coal, and you're left with a damn eyesore, a bare highwall."

The sight of contented cows grazing on thick tufts of grass on reclaimed Falcon land and of clear pools of runoff water appeared to impress the senators. Sen. Earl Glenn, D-Leitchfield, said some mountain land appears to be more valuable after being stripped than

However, Ward emphasized that Falcon's apparent success is not grounds for state complacency.

"Let's bring everyone up to Falcon's standard, and let's not do it two years from now," Ward said. "Let's do it now, and let's do it thoroughly. Obviously it can be done, and, at today's coal prices, it can be done at twice the (current) cost and still be profitable to mine for coal."

GIBSON PROMOTED

Schweinfurt, Germany, Jan. 22-Glenn Gibson, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gibson, Garrett, Ky., was promoted to the rating of sergeant while serving with the Third Infantry Division in Schweinfurt, Germany. Sgt. Gibson is a tank crewman in Company C, 4th battalion of the division's 64th armor.

# AREA POSTER CONTEST WINNERS



Burl W. Spurlock (left), executive vice-president of the First National Bank, with poster contest winners, pictured from left: Pauline Pauley, Sheldon Clark High, first place winner; Pam Lewis, Betsy Layne High, second place, and Wanda Johns, Betsy Layne High, third place winner.

Each year the Kentucky Commission on Employment of the Handicapped sponsors a poster contest in Floyd and other counties to involve the public in the campaign to hire the handicapped. The contest was conducted among senior high art students, and posters submitted communicated the idea of "Hire the Handicapped," not necessarily by words,

but by means the artists deemed best. The contest was sponsored in this area

by the Bureau for Manpower Services and the First National Bank of Prestonsburg. The bank provides all the prize money to the winners. The winning poster will be sent to Frankfort for judging in the state contest.

The art teacher at Sheldon Clark High is Miss Sharon Cassady, Gregory Hall is art teacher at Betsy Layne. The contest manager for the Bureau for Manpower Services was Thomas Hereford, III.

would apply state reclamation laws to

surface distrubances made by un-

derground mine operators, such as for

-HB 304, creating a Kentucky Horse

Council which would meet at least

quarterly and report to the governor and

General Assembly on the status of the

horse industry in Kentucky and

-HB 128, setting up a board to license

-HB 356, enabling the farm

development authority to lend money on

farm machinery and livestock, as well as

recommend ways to improve it.

and regulate foresters.

real estate.

Also reported out favorably were:

# House Reclamation Bill Fails By One Vote, To Clear Committee

Frankfort, Ky.(AP)-A bill to extend a related measure by Swinford, HB 28. It the state's strip-mine reclamation law to very small operators fell one vote short of being reported out of a house committee yesterday.

The measure, House Bill 352, would eliminate the present exemption for strip-mine operations that produce under 100 tons of coal a year. A move to report the bill out favorably received only seven affirmative votes—one short of the number needed-with three members voting no and three abstaining.

House Majority Leader John Swinford, the main sponsor of the bill, said the exemption created numerous problems in getting the land reclaimed afterward. With the current high price of coal. Swinford added, "everybody with a bulldozer or even a pick and shovel will be out digging coal." Controls are needed, he said, and responsible operators want them to keep the irresponsible ones in line.

"We are presented with the opportunity to move forward," he asserted, "but strip-mining may be eliminated entirely unless it is properly controlled."

Rep. George Stewart, D-Pineville, opposed the bill, saying "there's no reason whatsoever for any such law . . . it kills the initiative to seek out new seams of coal."

Rep. John Raymond Turner, D-Jackson, took a similar line.

"We're legislating our basic industries out of the state," he declared. "The distillers have left, the horse people have gone to Florida-let's not do the same to the coal industry.'

Rep. Clayton Little, D-Hartley, disagreed, saying the current time of high prices for coal was when "we should experiment by encouraging reclamation, make our resources last longer and put more people to work."

The committee reported out favorably

#### **Notice to Bidders**

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept bids on \$2500 worth, more or less, of 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 by free freight by July 1, 1974. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. CHARLES CLARK, Supt.

Floyd County Schools



Jeans & Tops

Jan's Shoe Box

Phone 886-6418, Court Street Prestonsburg, Ky.

#### NOTICE

Raymond K. Weddington will please take note that his wife, Margaret Devadia Weddington, is suing him for divorce, Floyd Circuit Court, Civil Action No. 9231. Anyone having a current address on Raymond K. Weddington, please contact Scott Collins, Attorney at Law, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 886-2109. 2Dear,

I still love you. I want to hear from you so I can tell you how much. Call 285-9221 for a recorded message. Love forever,



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18 Month Certificates	6.50%	1,000.00
30 Month Certificates	6.75%	1,000.00
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# LOSING HAIR





Frank Moran Shows He ReGrew Hair. He Did Not Have Male

**EBB'S HAIR CONSULTANT WILL EXPLAIN HAIR PROBLEMS FREE AT** THE PLANTATION MOTEL Rt. No. 23 & 460, Prestonsburg, Ky. SUNDAY, FEB. 17

HOURS 1 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 13. Now is the time to act on this great opportunity. Every hairworried person (man or woman) should take advantage of this FREE CON-SULTATION. Many users have reported not only stopping their hair from thinning , . . but are really growing more hair. GUARANTEED

You will be given a written guarantee on a pro-rated basis from the beginning to the end. Naturally we could not give you such a guarantee if it didn't

CAN'T HELP Male pattern baldness is the cause of a great majority of cases of baldness and excessive hair loss, for which no method is effective. Ebb Hair Specialists cannot help those who are slick bald after years of gradual hair

But, if you are not already slick bald, how can you be sure

what is actually causing your hair loss? Even if baldness seems to "run in the family," this is certainly no proof of the cause of your hair loss.

Many condidtions can cause hair loss. No matter which one is causing your hair loss, if you wait until you are slick Bald and your hair roots are dead you are beyond help. So, if you still have hair on top of your head, and would like to stop hair loss and grow more hair . . . now is the time to do something about it before it's too late.

FREE CONSULTATION Just take a few minutes of your time on Sunday, Feb. 17, and go to the Plantation Motel Rt. No. 23 & 460 in Prestonsburg between 1 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. and ask the Desk Clerk for E. T. Miller's room number.

There is no charge or obligation . . . all consultations are private, you will not be embarrassed in any way.

Ft. Knox, Ky. (AHTNC)-Pvt. Tommy

L. Isaac, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howell

Isaac, Wheelwright, and Pvt. Richard E.

Easter, 20, son of James W. Easter, of

Camden, O., recently completed eight

weeks of basic training at the U.S. Army

ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army

Pvt. Isaac's wife, Katherine, also lives

ORDINANCE

York, N. Y., later known as Marine

Midland Bank, and amending parts of the ordinance of May 6, 1966, namely,

Paragraph 3 of Section II of said or-

dinance and that portion of Section III, of

the said ordinance contained in

Paragraph 2 of the form of the bond and in form of the coupon of the bond, and any

other portions of said ordinance that may conflict with the purposes of this or-

WHEREAS: By an Ordinance duly enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Allen on May 6, 1966, the Marine

Midland Grace Trust Company of New York, New York, later Marine Midland Bank, was selected under Sections II and

III of said Ordinance to serve as paying

agent for the Water Works Revenue

Bonds duly created and authorized by

said Ordinance, and, whereas, this bank

has resigned as paying agent, effective at

the end of business of August 31, 1973,

and, whereas, the Board has determined

to name as paying agent for the Water

Works Revenue Bonds a banking in-

stitution located in Floyd County, Ken-

tucky, The Bank Josephine of Prestons-

burg and Allen, Kentucky, and whereas,

the present bondholders have been

notified in writing placed in the United

States mail on or about December 3, 1973

as prepared from a list furnished to the

WHEREAS, the present bondholders

have consented in writing under terms of

Section XII of the said Ordinance to the

appointment of the Bank Josephine as

paying agent for the Water Works

Revenue Bonds created by this Or-

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD

OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF

ALLEN, FLOYD COUNTY, KEN-

TUCKY, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS

(1) The Ordinance of May 6, 1966

creating an issue of \$280,000.00 Revenue

Bonds, is amended so as to substitute in

the place and stead of Marine Midland

Grace Trust Company of New York, New

York, as paying agent for the bonds and

as successor to said bank, The Bank

Josephine of Prestonsburg, and Allen,

Kentucky, and those portions of the

Ordinance so amended are contained in

Paragraph 3 of Section II or said Or-

dinance and that portion of Section III of

said Ordinance contained in paragraph 2

in the form of the bonds and in the form of

It is the intent and purpose of this

Ordinance that all parts of the

Ordinance of May 6, 1966 as may be

necessary, be amended, including

paragraph 3 of Section II of said Or-

dinance and that portion of Section III of

said Ordinance contained in paragraph 2

in the form of the bonds in the form of the

coupon of the bonds, so as to substitute as

successor as paying agent, the Bank

Josephine of Prestonsburg and Allen,

Floyd County, Kentucky, for the Marine

Midland Grace Trust Company of New

York, New York, as paying agent for the

This Ordinance shall be published in

the Floyd County Times, Prestonsburg,

Kentucky within ten (10) days following

its adoption and may be posted in three

public places in the Town of Allen,

Kentucky on the day following its

adoption, and shall be in full force and

effect after the publication in the Floyd

County Times, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Chairman of the Board of Trustees of

the Town of Allen, Kentucky

This 9th day of February, 1974.

Clerk of the Town of Allen, Ky.

BILL PARSONS

Water Works Revenue Bonds.

the coupons of the bonds.

FOLLOWS:

Training Center, Armor, Ft. Knox.

history and traditions.

Pauline, lives in Hueysville.

COMPLETE BASIC TRAINING

#### NOTICE

Wells Grocery on the Auxier Road is closed. Watch this paper for reopening date and new location. We urge all our customers to do business in Prestonsburg

# Friar Wins Jaycees Contest



From left-Thomas Hereford, III, Jaycees director; Jack Friar, shotgun winner, and Phillip Whitten, Jaycees vice-president.

Winner of the Floyd County Jaycees contest is County Extension agent Jack Friar, of Allen. The winner received a 12-gauge automatic Remington shotgun. Although Mr. Friar is not a regular hunter, he quickly turned down an offer of cash from County Attorney James Allen.

Money raised through the contest will go for health projects in Floyd County.

# "Old Sawtooth" To Fall At Mayo Vocational School

This year demolition crews will rip down "Old Sawtooth," the auto body repair and auto mechanics building at Mayo State Vocational-Technical School.

An example of the latest style in architecture when it was built in the 1940's by the National Youth Administration, the building now suffers from old age and overcrowding.

Rows of skylights jutting from the roof gave the building its nickname but also provided natural light to the shops inside. Because this arrangement eliminated the need for windows, wallspace was put to other uses.

"Unfortunately, "Old Sawtooth" is built like a barn-with wooden supports inside—and really needs to be replaced," said Steve Marcum, Director of the Division of Facilities and Equipment for Vocational Education in Frankfort.

Marcum said that classrooms in the building were substandard. Some were as small as 11 by 22 feet. The furnace serves only "to keep people from freezing, not to keep them comfortable," Marcum commented.

# **County Sharing** In Tax on Coal, Aim of Roberts

At a recent meeting of the House of Representatives in Frankfort, Rep. W. Lee Roberts, D-Pikeville, outlined some of his legislative proposals for the 1974 session of the General Assembly.

Rep. Roberts is sponsoring a bill (HB 295) which would return 25 per cent of all revenue received from the severance tax on coal to the county from which the coal was mined. The proposal would give the money to the county fiscal courts to improve rural roads.

"The county officials in Eastern Kentucky desperately need the money to repair and maintain our roads," said Roberts, "and I feel some of the tax money should go for this."

Another bill pertaining to highways is being sponsored by Roberts. HB 364 would increase from \$500 to \$800 the limit on purchases by the Department of Highways to repair and replace equipment.

"When a piece of highway repair equipment breaks down, the engineer must go through a lot of "red tape" to get authority from Frankfort, and a lot of time is lost getting our roads repaired,' Roberts said. "This bill will allow them to get more of the necessary equipment in less time, and our roads will be repaired much sooner.'

Roberts is also a member of two House standing committees, where he will be voting on whether legislation reaches the House floor in the areas of Labor and Industry, and Agriculture and Natural Resources.

SINGING CONVENTION

A singing convention will be held Friday, Feb. 15, at 6:30 p.m., at the Goodloe Assembly of God, featuring the Cook Duet.

Approval of plans to tear down the old structure and replace it with a new onestory building came during the last biennium.

But since these plans were made, the demand for vocational training has soared in the area around Paintsville and Johnson county.

In his budget for 1974-'76, Governor Wendell Ford proposed that "Old Sawtooth's" replacement should have two stories instead of one.

He budgeted \$710,000 for Mayo, the amount needed to add a second floor (17,000 square feet) to the present plane. The Appalachian Regional Commission will provide \$568,000 of this total, with the state funding the rest. The first floor of the new structure will

house the auto shops as before; business and office management and data processing programs will be on the second floor. This arrangement will help eliminate

another problem at Mayo. A selfevaluation conducted recently at the school showed a need to group classes according to noise levels and cleanliness.

At present, data processing and commercial art, which require clean facilities and a certain amount of quiet. operate right next to electricity classes.

Improvements at Mayo are typical of expansion going on in Vocational Educational acoross the state, according to Dr. Carl F. Lamar, assistant superintendent for Vocational Education in Kentucky.

"People are recognizing that college is not for everyone-only 14 per cent of the jobs in this country call for highly technical college training," Lamar said. He added that every effort was being

made to create a vocational curriculum 'relevant to the real needs of the people in the state."

"We are able to fill only a part of the requests for new vocational facilities each year," Lamar said. He regrets this situation, but says that Kentucky is continuing year by year to make more progress in adequately preparing people

for the world of work. Evidence of this effort came in the form of a comment from Booz, Allen, and Hamilton, Inc., management consultants for the State Board of Education. In 1972, they called Kentucky's Vocational Education program, "one of the finest of its type in the nation."

were recently opened. The stretch between Russell Springs and Somerset completes the 88-mile road which extends from I-65 near Bowling Green to Somerset.

The last 25 miles of Kentucky's newest

toll road, the Cumberland Parkway,

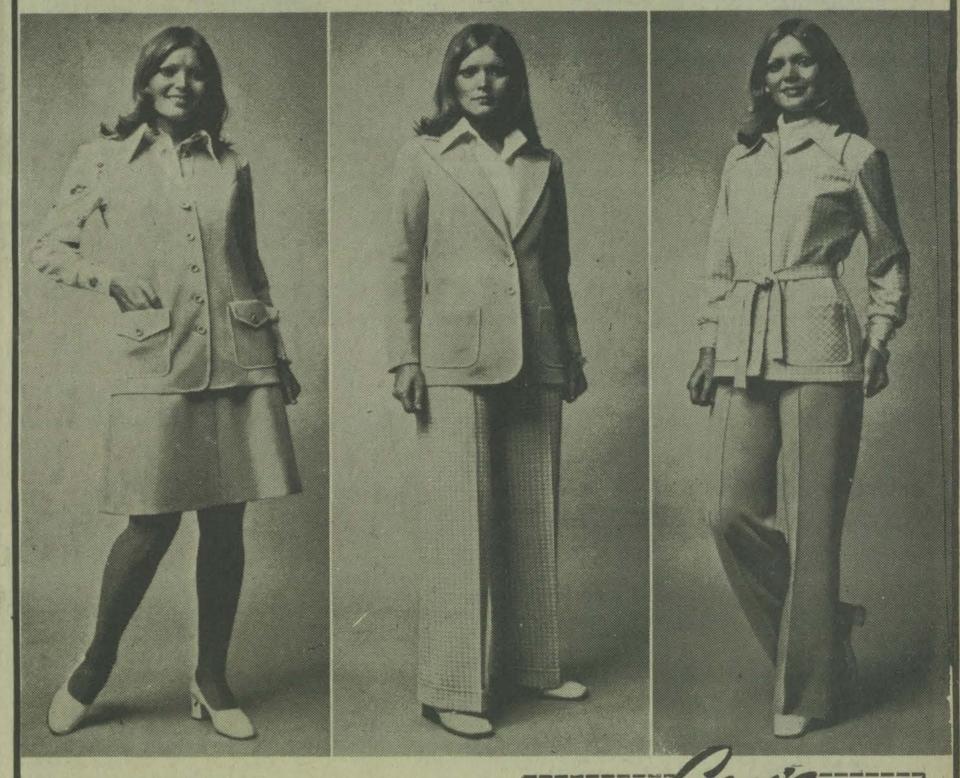
Ft. Riley, Kan., Jan. 15-Pvt. Robbin M. Crisp, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Crisp, Martin, Ky., is assigned to the 1st engineer battalion at Ft. Riley. Pvt. Crisp is an engineer maintenance

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# Could This Really Happen?

We find it difficult to express our dismay at learning of this silly plan to waste \$206,000,000 on a satellite which will fly over this and other parts of Appalachia to teach for a few months a few more than a thousand teachers.

One wonders what genius of profligacy possesses men in Washington who dream up such wasteful nonsense. But they are there, they have that turn of mind, and this is one of their products. This "moondoggle" is planned to remain aloft over this part of America for a year, perhaps, then to shift its orbit pattern to shed the light on the benighted of faraway India-if nobody can dig up a butterfly net before they can get into action.

The Appalachian Regional Commission has a part in this foolishness. The Institute of Education is a partner. Both turn from the real needs of areas such as this to waste the money that is theirs to spend on pure folderol.

But the whole scheme may have its origins in the system, a matter about which ARC and the Institute of Education can do nothing. This project may be the consequence of the budgetary nonsense in which government indulges, biennium after biennium. Under the system, an agency of government receives an appropriation or fund allocation of, say, \$250 million. As time moves along, as the end of the biennium nears and time for new appropriations approaches, the department in question finds itself with \$50 million on its hands.

Now, if this were a private business, the handler of the money would be pleased to learn that his expenses had been less than expected, and he would happily carry his bank balance on into the next year.

But not this government of ours. If there's any unspent money in, say, the Defense Department's possession, it can't afford not to spend it. If it doesn't, the unspent balance will go into the general fund and be lost forever to the Department—and, worse, give the budget-makers the crazy idea that, maybe, it will not need such a heavy appropriation for the next biennium.

So it is that waste is encouraged by government. And so a satellite may fly over these hills to teach by picture and the spoken word a small group of people who should be able to get their lessons done from textbooks.

# Nature Trails

"Willful Waste... Woeful Want."

By RUFUS M. REED

Since the birth of Christ, 250 species of animals and birds have become entirely extinct. Of these, during the past 50 years, 166 species have gone from the earth, never to appear again.

We Americans have been the most wasteful people on the face of the earth. Today we are learning the bitter truth of the old adage: "Willful waste makes woeful want." We have wasted our gasoline and oil and are paying the penalty in serious shortages that bring disaster to millions. Just ask yourself: How many billions of gallons of gasoline have been wasted in pleasure driving, and in such hazardous sports as drag racing and speeding on the race tracks of Indianapolis?

We have wasted our timber, our soil, our wild life; we are laying waste our environment in order to help solve the energy crisis. Huge machines are gouging our mountains away, laying them bare and ruining their scenic beauty. We must have the coal to help solve the energy crisis, of course, but this is like robbing Peter to pay Paul. We will eventually solve the energy crisis but we'll have a dead, repulsive en-

We are scattering the end products of our fat and wasteful way of living all over the face of our fair land. Our sumptuous way of living has led to flagrant pollution of the environment. A lot of people are too busy, or too self-satisfied and sassy, to properly dispose of their garbage. So they defile the land with all kinds of unsightly garbage; they dump most of this filth into our streams. Today the pollution of our land with solid waste, with all kinds of bottles and plastic containers, stinks to high heaven. Our streams are foul and filthy cesspools, so that no aquatic life can thrive in them. That's one way we have destroyed valuable fish and frogs.

We need more stringent laws to stop the wholesale dumping of garbage into our streams. We need sanitary officials to inspect our waterways and catch the trespassers; some of these dump whole truckloads of all kinds of garbage along roads and stream banks.

Consider also how we have slaughtered and wasted our wild life; today many of our finest species are in grave danger of extinction. Consider too how we have poisoned our environment with pesticides, so that many of our leading birds are facing extinction. In a colony of pelicans recently only one egg hatched out of thousands laid; this was because the eggs were made infertile from the pelicans' diet of poisoned fish.

A hundred years ago, great herds of animals, such as elk and bison, roamed this land at will; today they are reduced to small herds living mostly in preserves. Think of the multiplied millions of animal slaughtered in the name of sport. In the past, men were brutal killers of the bison and shot them day after day, mainly to get their hides. I read somewhere how the brutal killers of the bison suffered brain damage and severe mental disorders years after the frightful car-

nage was ended. The bloody slaughter of the innocent beasts was more than their

conscience could bear. White men took possession of this great land after wresting it from the Indians, who loved and respected the land and fought savagely to keep it. The white men cleared away the forests, built homes and tilled the land. In due time, they built up a great industrial nation, whose power and wealth are not equalled anywhere on this earth. But what are our highly civilized men doing to our earth? Raping it of its resources and making it a highly mechanized society without a soul. Today we are making our earth colorless and void, without the beauty of wild life and the scenic grandeur to enrich it. We are fast creating a dead world-dead lakes, dead rivers, dead mountains!

We can and we must stop some of these dangerous trends. We should become involved and help in the fight to stop the wholesale pollution of our fair land. We should resolve to save the scenic beauty, and our rippling rivers and mountain brooks. There is no greater challenge today than to pitch in and help save our environment. We must save our water from the pollution that makes it foul, and from the garbage that makes our streams a public eyesore.

## **SwampFeverTesting** Required For Horses

Frankfort, Ky.—The state Department of Agriculture Division of Livestock Sanitation will require that Kentucky horses be tested for equine infectious anemia effective Jan. 1

The disease, commonly called "swamp fever," is very contagious and often fatal. Insects, primarily mosquitoes and horse flies, and contaminated surgical instruments are the main carriers. Horses with the disease suffer from intermittent fever, weakness, loss of weight and anemia.

Dr. Tom Maddox, state veterinarian, said that all horses for sale in the state will be required to have a negative test within 60 days before the date of sale and all horses to be entered in a race or a show must have a negative test every six

Local veterinarians will take blood samples from the horses in their area and send them for analysis and diagnosis to the University of Kentucky, Central Kentucky Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory, both in Lexington, or the Department of Agriculture Diagnostic Laboratory, Hopkinsville. Horses, which have the disease will then be quarantined until they are destroyed or die, Dr. Maddox said.

There is no know cure for the disease although blood transfusions and supportive treatment can improve a horse's condition. However, most horses are not treated, because they remain carriers of the disease and can infect other horses even after recovery.

About 3.3 per cent of the horses tested have the disease. Dr. Maddox said.

Miss May Awarded B.S.



Miss Vicki Lynne May graduated from Radford College, Radford, Virginia, at the end of the Fall quarter with a Bachelor of Science degree in early childhood education.

Miss May is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, Tazewell, Virginia, former residents of David, Kentucky. Before moving to Virginia in 1968 she attended Clark Elementary School and Prestonsburg High School and was a 1970 graduate of Tazewell High School.

While attending Radford College she was a member of Sigma Kappa Sorority and a member of the cast of the outdoor drama "The Long Way Home," a historical drama in which she played the part of Mrs. Adam Harmon, one of her

Miss May is presently employed by the Botetourt County School system at Fincastle, Virginia, and resides in Roanoke.

# Letters to the Editor

First It's Abortion, And Now Euthanasia

Hello. My name is Death and I would like to propose a new law-euthanasia for everybody. I have stormed the Door of Life for centuries, managaing to spew, blow, and spit famine, disease, murder, and war through the crack at the bottom of the door. Now since my first legal attempt was so successful, I have now decided to do things the legal way.

My first attempt, abortion, proved to be an astounding victory. I made you and the Supreme Court think the unborn baby inside the mother was not alive and was part of the mother. Boy, I thought you were smarter than that! It is a scientific fact that life beings at conception and that the unborn baby is biologically and genetically a new and different person. I fooled you into allowing the killing of the most innocent and helpless of human life and I will fool you again. Now to my new

I propose that it be your right to destroy any person's life, so long as that person is dependent on you or not wanted. Now do not stop! Hear me out! The basis for this law is the thrust, if not the actual arguments the Supreme Court used in granting abortions. And because you think you are too civilized to allow the destruction of conscious human life, I will add the provision that the person be made unconscious before being killed. The abortion methods used to kill the "unconscious" unborn child, poisoning, ripping the body apart, any kind of butchering, can be used to kill those dependents you wish killed. And why not? Are not those dependents just big blobs of protoplasm that have developed from that small blob within the womb? Just consider it a post birth control

Who qualified for the treatment? Everybody really. We have the mentally retarded who depend on us. The elderly, of course, along with welfare collectors, and criminals are included. Even children you do not wish to support any longer qualify. The list is endless-all unwanted people.

Abortion is the lever I used to open the Door of Life and what a future I have ahead of me! You could stop me, if you wished, but you are too concerned with the "unwanted" children, the "population explosion," the "right of a woman to control her own body," and most of all yourself. As long as I can use the abortion lever to open the Door of Life I, Death, will triumph.

ROBERT ELBERG JR., Richland, Wash.

WINTER DROWNINGS

The Division of Water in the Kentucky Department of Transportation has reported one confirmed water-related fatality and two presumed drownings in the state during the month of January. Division Administrator Doug Shoulders advised boaters to be particularly careful during the cold weather months. "Any person falling overboard at this time of year," he said, "is very likely to be incapacitated by the sudden shock of extremely cold water. Even the best of swimmers have drowned due to this condition.'

Investigations conducted by the U.S. Department of Labor under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act during 1973 found 15,000 workers who had been fired or illegally denied jobs, promotions, pay or fringe benefits because of age.

# Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30 and 40 years ago)

(February 20, 1964)

#### Ten Years Ago

Circuit Judge Hollie Conley will empanel a special grand jury next Wednesday morning to investigate the Floyd county bootlegging situation from all angles . . . Construction of the Tourist Information Center here at the junction of the Mountain Parkway with U.S. 23 will be started as soon as possible said architect George Lee Shannon . . . Congressman Carl D. Perkins notified Mayor George P. Archer Tuesday afternoon that the Housing and Home Finance Agency had approved two federal grants to cover three-fourths the cost of Prestonsburg's two urban renewal projects. Burl Spurlock, Prestonsburg banker, has been named head of the annual Floyd County Red Cross fund drive, it was announced this week . . . Mayor John H. Roberts of Martin said this week that the contract for the low-rent public housing project located at the "Y" at Martin has been approved and that work should begin soon . . . First step toward actual construction of the Floyd County Library building here was taken Friday by Meade & Kendrick, Prestonsburg contractors . . . The Floyd County Committee of 500, organized here several months ago to combat bootlegging, paid a reward Saturday to Samuel Reed, of Wayland, for swearing out a search warrant resulting in the confiscation of intoxicants allegedly held for purpose of sale . . . Mrs. May Ford Hyden received an award from James E. Goble, superintendent of the Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church here, after she had concluded her 26th year of perfect attendance . . . Married: Miss Sarah Louise Clark, of Wheelwright, and Darrell Boul Pulliam, of Louisville, February 8 at the Wheelwright Community Church . . . There died: Mrs. Lydia Roberts, 29, of Amba, Feb. 8 at the Pikeville Memorial hospital; Mrs. Jennie Bailey, 72, of Hueysville, Saturday at her home; Eli Johnson, 92, of Weeksbury, last Wednesday at the home of a son at Weeksbury; Delbert Webb, 48 years old,

#### Twenty Years Ago

(February 18, 1954)

of Wayland, last Thursday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin.

The U.S. Public Health Service has given final approval of the old Prestonsburg General hospital building at West Prestonsburg as the center from which it will do an area-wide survey of intestinal-borne diseases . . . Floyd county apparently is getting into strawberry production, it was said Monday after 20 farmers agreed to grow 11 acres of berries . . . County Judge Henry Stumbo this week named County Superintendent V. O. Turner, Lon C. Hill and the Rev. Orville Pearson to a permanent Floyd County Library Development Board to direct the operation of a Bookmobile in the county . . Fred R. Cottrell this week purchased from Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb the stock and fixtures of the I. Richmond Company here . . . Smith F. Bradley, of Prestonsburg, will appear tonight (Thursday) on the television show, "This Is Your Life," the central figure of which will be his sister, famed Army nurse Lt. Col. Ruby Bradley . . . Married: Miss Dora Elizabeth Stephens, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Virgil Ludeke, Salina, Ohio, here February 14 . . . There died: Mrs. Martha Jane Clarke, 87, Sunday at the home of a daughter on the Auxier road; Mrs. Betty McGuire Ward, 29, formerly of this county, Friday at Roanoke, Virginia; Patrick Hayes, 82, native of Langley, February 7 at Wheelersburg, Ohio.

# Thirty Years Ago

(February 17, 1944)

Town Hall, chairman of the county's fourth War Loan drive, announced this week that Floyd county had surpassed its \$725,000 War Bond quota by \$25,000 . . . Leonard Norris, 14, one of eight passengers in a car which was hit Sunday by a train at Midas, was fatally injured. The other seven escaped with minor hurts . . . C. R. Halstead, of Martin, opened a shoe shop today (Thursday) near the bus station . . . Andrew J. Workman, 39, motorman in a Wayland mine, was killed last Thursday night when dragged more than 600 feet beneath the wheels of his motor . . . Curtis Lee Sizemore, 23, son of Russell Sizemore, of Prestonsburg, is reported killed in the southwest Pacific theatre of war . . . Mrs. California Harris Branham, last Kentucky woman whose grandfather was a veteran of the Revolutionary War, died February 10 in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the age of 94. She was a native of this county . . . Married: Sgt. William R. Callihan, of Prestonsburg and Lt. Shirley Benton, Army nurse, Enid Station hospital, Enid, Oklahoma, December 25; Miss Louise Ferguson, of Wheelwright, and Seaman 1-C Orville Scutchfield, of West Prestonsburg, December 7 at Wheelwright . . . There died: John Barney, 77, former Floyd coal operator, Saturday at an Erie, Pennsylvania, hospital; Britton Tackett, 58, West Garrett miner, found dead Monday and believed frozen to death; E. L. (Tuey) Cline, 60, Saturday, at his home on Johns Creek; Mrs. Emma J. King, 49, last Thursday at Garrett.

Forty Years Ago

(February 16, 1934)

Frank Derossett, 40, was killed and Clyde Goble, 35, suffered a broken leg when they were struck by an auto at Brandy Keg Saturday. Occupants of the auto, Coet Conley, 35, and Pete Chaffin, 40, were injured . . . Terms of some schools have been cut by the Floyd County Board of Education because of a lack of funds. The Board voted to seek a \$10,000 loan from the Public Works Administration to finance construction of an addition to the Betsy Layne school building . . . Rewards totalling \$600 have been posted by Jailer B. L.Sturgill for the arrest of Harrison Frazier and Lonnie Robinson, who escaped the county jail, Sunday morning . . . The new law firm of Bond & Bond-Oscar P. Bond and his brother, J. D. Bond-has opened its office in the Odd Fellows building here . . . Wesley Pritchard, 13, of Garrett, is the new Floyd county schoolboy spelling champion. Madge Boyd, 12, of Prestonsburg was runner-up . . . There died: S. W. McGuire, 83, prominent Johns Creek landowner, at his home Wednesday; Troy Prater, 35, last week at his home on Brush Creek, near Hippo; Mrs. Elvira Salyers, 87, Saturday at Lackey; the 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Arnett, Friday at Cliff.

#### Richter-Hackney



-Photo by Strahan-Nelson Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Richter, of Garrett, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sandra Kay, to Mr. Rickey Dean Hackney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hackney, Jr., of Pike county.

Miss Richter is a graduate of Alice Lloyd College and plans to continue her education at Pikeville College. Mr. Hackney, a graduate of Alice Lloyd College, served in the United States Marine Corps, and is presently employed in the office of the Osborne Mining Company.

The wedding is set for March 2 at 3:00 p.m. at the Garrett United Methodist Church where the gracious custom of open church will be obsered. The couple will reside in Williamson, W. Va.

#### Send No Flowers

Graveside services will be held Wednesday...at 2 p.m. for Mother Earth, who died the day before from an over-

An autopsy will not be performed, since the coroner has already attributed the cause of death to the injection of an excessive amount of Christmas wrappings, discarded cards, broken toys, uneaten food, and dried-up trees.

Born 4,500,000,000 years ago, Mother Earth was a lifelong resident of this solar

At the time of her death, she was serving as a home for 3,500,000,000 persons. During her entire life, she provided shelter for millions of creatures, both large and small, reared a multitude of intricate green organisms, and harbored tons of treasures under her thin-skinned surface and deep within her

Surviving are the Family of Man, her favorite offspring now left to their own devices to endure as they have in the past, and their offspring: Acres of charred forest land destroyed by a single match, miles of once-clear streams choked by too many chemicals carelessly dumped, and mountains of nonperishable garbage created to last a lifetime.

Other survivors include: Tapped and retapped sources of energy used to heat empty skyscrapers, pits of barren soil (called strip mines) which have been robbed of their life-giving properties, winds that blow blue gray clouds of carbon monoxide and soot, and mazes of concrete and asphalt that weave giant patterns over once-beautiful hills and

The Rev. John Man, son of the deceased, will officiate at the services. Burial will be in the local cemetery.

Friends and relatives may call at the family home after 7 p.m. Tuesday. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations shoul be sent to the Moon.-Contributed.

SIMILARITY OF NAMES CAUSES EMBARRASSMENT

The Gary Prater who was recently listed in The Times on a court charge is not the Gary Prater, of David, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Prater.

# Despite Price Rise, Fertilizer Good Buy

Although fertilizer prices have increased, fertilizer is still one of the best investments you can make in your farming operation. That fact is noted by Lloyd Murdock, extension soils specialist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

"The price of fertilizer hasn't really changed too much in relation to the price of grain," says the UK specialist. "In fact, with current crop prices, fertilizer might be a better value than it was a few years ago."

Comparing the prices of fertilizer materials for late 1973 with 1971 prices, Murdock found that the price of nitrogen increased about 80 percent, phosphorus about 100 percent, and potassium about 20 percent. But corn prices have increased 100 percent since 1971, soybean prices about 67 percent, and wheat prices

"With strong grain prices, farmers cannot afford to risk cutting yields by not using needed fertilizer," says Murdock.

However, he emphasized the importance of making the best use of fertilizer by basing applications on soil testing. "Applying fertilizer where it is not needed is throwing money away," Murdock points out.

Information on soil testing is available from local county extension agents.

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by some 167 percent.

The Floyd County Health Department will be closed Monday, February 18, in observance of George Washington's Birthday. Regular business hours will resume February 19.



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#### CITY OF MARTIN

**ORDINANCE NO. 73-2** An ordinance prohibiting the parking of any trailers, including house trailers, in any portion of the city of Martin, except that part of Martin known as Beaver Valley Bottom and providing for a license tax against said trailers which are parked in the city limits of the city of Martin.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARTIN, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE: That it shall be unlawful for any person to park or place any trailer and-or house trailer on any street of the City of Martin or on any lot or land located within the limits of the City of Martin except that portion of the City of Martin known as Beaver Valley Bottom which begins at the Old County Bridge and follows the C & O Railroad to State Highway 80, then west to First Twin Bridge, thence south bordered by Beaver Creek to the Old County Bridge, the point of beginning.

SECTION TWO: Any person, firm or corporation who violates the terms of Section One of this ordinance shall be fined not more than \$50.00, and each day that this ordinance is violated shall be constituted as a separate offense.

SECTION THREE: All trailers, including house trailers, which are parked in the City of Martin, Kentucky, as authorized by this ordinance shall pay to the City of Martin a license tax of \$15.00 per year, due on or before the first of March each year, for the privilege of parking such trailers, including house trailers.

SECTION FOUR: Any person, firm or corporation who violates the terms of Section Three of this ordinance shall be fined the sum of \$5.00, each day that this ordinance is violated shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION FIVE: The license tax maintained in Section Three hereof shall be effective as of January 1, 1974. The other provisions of this ordinance shall be effective 60 days from passage and publication of this ordinance.

SECTION SIX: All ordinance in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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> E. P. GRIGSBY, SR. Mayor, City of Martin, Ky.

Save Money . .

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ATTEST: G. W. SPENCER, JR. Clerk, City of Martin, Kentucky 2-6-3t.

# **Allen-Chaffins Vows Said**



"Old Christmas" Day marked the wedding of Miss Linda Sue Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Allen, of Harold, and Mr. Bobby D. Chaffins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Chaffins, of

Garrett. The double-ring ceremony was solemnized at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, January 6, at the Harold Church of Christ, with Charlie Garrison of-

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a long A-line gown of creamy peau satin, with empire waist. The bodice and Juliet sleeves were covered with white lace. The bride carried a fur-trimmed satin muff and wore a below-shoulder length veil of double silk illusion trimmed with a fur headpiece.

Miss Tammy Chaffins, younger sister of the groom, served as maid of honor. Mr. Dennis Bentley, cousin of the

groom, served as best man. Danny Forsyth, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Forsythe, of Harold, was

ringbearer. A reception following the ceremony was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrison.

The bride's table was centered with a 3tiered wedding cake topped with the

# Scheduled Feb. 18-21

**Book Fair at Clark** 

The Clark Elementary School will sponsor a student book fair through its library program, February 18-21. Students will be able to browse and purchase books of their choosing from 8 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. each day by going to the library where the books will be displayed.

Mrs. Louise Howard, the school librarian, is chairman of the book fair committee, and Mrs. Carol Rice, Mrs. Virginia Greene, Mrs. Gayle Herald and others are serving as volunteers to assist with the project.

The fair is open to all students, parents and the general public, and it is hoped that parents will visit the display with their children if possible.

The Educational Reading Service, a professional book fair company, is making the display available, and profits from the project will go to buy games and other books for the children's use at the

John K. Pitts, the school principal, indicated that the same project was held last year and received overwhelming support of students, teachers, and parents. "It gives the student the same opportunity to select his own books as those fortunate enough to live close to a good-sized book store," he commented.

Gov. Wendell Ford recently announced the appointment of Elijah M. Hogge as secretary of the Consumer Protection and Regulation Cabinet, thus completing the final step of state government reorganization. Hogge, who had formerly served as secretary of the Department of Transportation, will supervise the operations of 11 regulatory agencies in the cabinet. James E. Gray, commissioner of the Bureau of Highways, was also appointed as secretary of transportation.

Mrs. Beulah DeLong moved last week

Allen Troop 227 of the Wilderness Road

Girl Scout Council, Juniors and Cadets,

held a skating party Wednesday night at

East Point. Scouts attending were Anita

Smith, Nancy Jo Crisp, Paula and Sheri

Hinchman, Paula Porter, Cheri Kinzer,

Kim Derossett, Cathy Campbell, Susan

Holbrook, Lisa Collins, Jennifer Frazier,

Barbara Whitt, Renee Marshall, Lois and

Lisa Hutchinson, Missy Reynolds, Susan

Key, Ann Rice, Thelma and Edmona

Hall, Karen Phillips, Deana Ward,

Tommi Lynn May, Carolyn Martin, with

troop leaders Delores Smith and Mary

Hinchman. Mothers accompanying the

troop were Sue Reynolds, Lois Marshall,

Lila Derossett, Donna Branham and

daughters, and guests, Steve Hinchman

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lafferty visited

her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Hall, of Banner,

who has been a patient at Highlands

Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Hall was

Allen Baptist Women met Monday

evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Sarah Laven. After devotions were

given, mission study chairman, Mrs.

Mary Jo Waugh, presented the program

on "Maximum Missions in Metropolitan

New Hork." Refreshments were served

by the hostess, Mrs. Laven, to Mesdames

Mary May, Marie Hall, Pearl Watts,

Shirley Williamson, Maxine Rice, Dottie

Layne, Mary Jo Waugh, Norma Davis,

Toby Snodgrass, Mary Ann Hall, Irene

Stephens, Rosemary Frasure, Delsie Settles, Dorothy Harris, Ruby Imes, and

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#### **ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS**

Mrs. Fanny Workman returned to her home Saturday after undergoing major surgery at Pikeville Hospital. She is recuperating very nicely.

traditional miniature bride and groom.

Wedding punch and cake were served by

Phyliss Senters, aunt, and Glenna Allen,

Mr. and Mrs. Chaffins are residing at

Morehead where they are attending

Morehead State University. Both will

graduate in May with Master's degrees,

hers in art education and his in secon-

sister-in-law, of the bride.

dary school administration.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hicks spent the week-end at Wharton, W. Va., visiting his brother, Andrew Hicks, and Mrs. Hicks.

Mrs. James Fowler was the honoree at a baby shower, February 8, at the home of Mrs. Opal Boyd, of Click Branch. Hostessess were Mesdames Maude Slone, Patty Akers, Thelma Webb, Glenda Adkins, Mary Ruth Clay, Pearl Adkins, Iodella Batrum, and Opal Boyd. Mrs. Jane Porter is recuperating at the

home of her daughter, Mrs. Dewey Burchett, and Mr. Burchett, of Ypsilanti, Mich., after undergoing an operation for cataracts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Gray and Todd had as guests, Wednesday through Friday, her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Weirick, a cousin, Mrs. Sharon Collette, and daughter, Angel, and Mrs. Seeburg, all of Adrian, Michigan. Other visitors were her mother, Mrs. Ada Allen, and Barbara Donne, of Prestonsburg. Calling on them Sunday was Clyde B. Allen, of

Mrs. Donald Willis accompanied Miss Priscilla Goble to U.K. Medical Center, where she remained a patient. Her mother, Mrs. Patricia Goble, remained with her, with Mrs. Willis returning home Monday evening.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Porter, Deborah, Chet, and Chris, Sunday, were Mrs. Porter's niece, Mrs. Jack Webb, Mr. Webb and sons, Mathew and Jeremy, of Springfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Bennie Lafferty and Mrs. Palmer Crisp visited their aunt, Miss Josie Lafferty, at Mountain Manor last week. Jack Whitaker underwent heart

surgery at Christ Hospital, Cincinnati,

last Wednesday. He is doing nicely. Mrs.

Whitaker has been with him. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Setser visited his brothers, Everett and Virgil Setser, and his daughter, Mrs. Irene Spence, and their families, last Sunday at Davisport,

J. Frank Preston spent part of last week at his farm at Borders Chapel, returning home Saturday.

John Branham last week entered Central Baptist Hospital at Lexington, where he is scheduled to undergo surgery, February 14. Visiting him Sunday were Sue Hammonds, Belinda Branham and Maggie Branham, of Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Slone entered St. Anthony Hospital, Louisville, where Mr. Slone will undergo surgery for cataracts. Mrs. Slone will undergo treatment also.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Willie Johnson, Plf.

Mr. John Amburgey and Mrs. John Amburgey (heirs), Defts.

In the above-styled cause the plaintiff serves notice on all defendants herein and seeks the whereabouts of same. Said action is filed to secure deed from the Floyd Circuit Court to a tract of real estate located on Abner Fork, Floyd county, Ky., which was purchased by plaintiff from John Amburgey and Mrs. John Amburgey, and which is described

"Starts right up at the high point, straight on up, then to the back of the curve to the top of the hill and to the Pike county line, comes back right-handed to the top of Abner Mountain, then back down the highway to opposite Raymond Jones, then up the hill to the high point which is the beginning."

> HAROLD STUMBO Attorney for Plaintiff

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county include Jeannie Auxier, Careers:

Ann Flanery, Citizenship and Clothing;

Lara Hopkins, Home Economics; Lance Blackburn, Conservation and Wood-

Anita Auxier,

Management; Jeff Martin, Poultry, and

Floyd county area champions in the Junior division; Gregory Kidd, Bicycle;

Debbie Reffett, Careers; John Flanery,

Citizenship and Entomology; Jeff

Spears, Conservation; Gia Hall, Foods;

Valarie Hale, Dog; Jerry Hamilton,

Electric: Stacy Conn. Food Preser-

vation, Jack Westfall, Boys Health;

Jackie Hall, Girls Health; Vicki Black-

burn, Horse and Strawberries; Randy

Alley, Photography; Melvin May,

Woodwork; Kevin Adkins, Geology; and

Members winning second place honors

were Stanley Hays, Electric; Randy,

Garden; Debbie Reffett, Clothing; Gia

Hall, Dairy Foods; Todd Halbert,

Garden; Dani Smith, Home

Management; and Randy Kidd, Birds.

The Senior area champions will be

Anita Hale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Ed Hale, of Blue River, was named to the

Dean's List for the fall semester at

Prestonsburg Community College. Miss

Hale, who is a freshman, had a 3.83 grade

point average out of a possible 4.0.

entered in state conpetition at the

University of Kentucky in March.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Teresa Huff, Safety.

Chris Conn, Speech.

Floyd county 4-H members were

# ASC To Administer **New RECP Program** In Floyd County

Floyd county ASCS Office will be responsible for administering the new 1974 Rural Environmental Conservation Program. The new program, which replaces and modifies the old REAP, has several new aspects of interest to Floyd county residents.

According to Harry Hill, Chairman, Floyd County ASC Office, the new costsharing phase of the program could be extremely beneficial to Floyd county farmers. It provides for a minimum of 50 percent and maximum of 75 percent return to the user for all expenses he incurs while establishing conservation of forestry practices on his land, including labor costs. Also under the 1974 program an applicant can either elect to apply for a single one year program of conservation improvement, or select a 3 to 10 year continuing program. The extended period of time now allowed will be most beneficial to those wishing rather extensive conservation improvements on their land, but preferring to spread them out over a period of years.

All applications must be made directly to the ASCS county office. Complete information and details on the specific programs will be available in the very near future.

Mr. Hill also said he does have the basic information on the program that has been authorized by the Secretary of Agriculture for cost-sharing. Fourteen separate practices have been announced, plus two which deal with county projects affecting conservation peculiar to a particular county. This year's program places added emphasis on forestry practices, which could offer additional interest to some applicants.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to the friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, the flowers, food, and words of comfort and sympathy shown us upon the death of our mother, Belle Stumbo. Special thanks to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their service and kindness, and to the ministers and singers who took part in the service and offered comforting words

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# One of Many Inviting Hilltops



This hilltop overlooking Dewey Lake was one of many that, as one expressed it, were "just begging to be climbed" during recent springlike weather.

# Cornett Co-Sponsors Bill Aimed at Judicial Reform

Frankfort, Ky.-A constitutional amendment which would restructure and modernize Kentucky's court system has been introduced in the General

One of the bill's co-sponsors, Sen. John Chris Cornett, D-Hindman, is a knowledgeable advocate of judicial reform. In addition to 20 years as a circuit judge, Cornett served as Knott county judge and Commonwealth's attorney and is the current chairman of the

The amendment's most important feature, he said, is the establishment of an intermediate Court of Appeals to relieve some of the burden on the present

"Right now there ae about 1,400 cases pending in the Court of Appeals," he said. "As each case is time consuming, the court can handle only 600-700 per year."

The proposed amendment would designate the present court as the state's Supreme Court, which would handle all appeals involving a constitutional question or a prison sentence of 20 years or more. "The high court would also have administrative jurisdiction over the lower courts," Cornett added.

Another issue of the proposed amendment is the consolidation of quarterly, police and magistrate courts into district courts. "District courts would handle criminal and civil cases involving up to \$500 and administer and divide estates," the Senator said.

He added that the main argument for this change in the system is that "these district courts would be presided over by attorneys." The new system would allocate the present judicial functions of county judges and magistrates (who are not required by law to be attorneys) to

district judges or commissioners. County judges and magistrates would

retain their administrative duties. Cornett said he sees a good chance of the amendment's passage in the General Assembly. If passed by the legislature, the amendment would be put to the public vote in the November, 1975 general election.

# Collins' History Is Now in Most Local Libraries

More than a century ago the Kentucky legislature passed an appropriation bill to place a copy of Collins "History of Kentucky" at the disposal of every fifth grade child in the state.

This act generated much controversy during its day and never went into effect, leaving the publisher, Richard Collins, holding the bill for the common school edition ordered by the legislature.

Collins, supported by both houses of the legislature, fought hard for reimbursement of the \$20,000 publishing outlay, but the Court of Appeals ruled on two separate occasions that it was illegal to spend common school funds for this

Collins "History" has been reissued several times since by Morton Publishing House and by the Kentucky Historical

The Historical Society edition of 1966 gave the state Department of Libraries the opportunity to carry out the spirit and

intent of the 1871 legislation. The department purchased 100 copies of this two-volume work and placed one in every county public library.

Today the school children of the state have at their disposal, in local libraries, the most important work on Kentucky

Its yearly records alone, covering the period of 1539 to 1874, occupy at least onethird of the first volume. Histories of the 116 counties existing a century ago fill up

almost all of the second volume. Collins "History" is an important source of facts on subjects such as Kentucky Masons, poets, artists, historians, Civil War battles, Revolutionary soldiers, pioneers and elections.

It contains essays and detailed illustrations of the early state capitols. Members of the Kentucky House and Senate from 1792 to 1875 are listed.

A few critics, often ill equipped to comment on the subject scoffed at the supposed errors and omitted data.

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At a recent, public hearing, legislators heard both sides of the controversial nofault insurance issue. Former Gov. Bert T. Combs spoke highly in favor of the nofault bill-Senate Bill 102, introduced by Sen. Joe Stacy, D-West Liberty-while a University of Kentucky law student, Sandra Varellas, argued that the bill is unconstitutional.

No-Fault Insurance

Argued by Combs

SB 102 requires that all Kentucky motorists carry some type of liability insurance-either no-fault or standard liability. If a motorist chooses the nofault plan, his own insurance company would pay up to \$10,000 for damages or injuries incurred in a traffic accident, regardless of who is at fault.

The no-fault plan limits a person's right to sue. A suit may be filed only if economic loss exceeds \$10,000 or medical expenses exceed \$1,250, but always in the cases of death, significant permanent injury, serious disfigurement or more than three months of total disability.

This limitation has been attacked by opponents of the bill. However, no-fault advocates argue that this constitutional question is answered as the plan may be rejected if so desired.

The plan also includes a 15 per cent reduction in insurance premiums during the first year for those who choose no-

A special 10-member committee made up of legislators, insurance representatives, trial lawayers and consumer representatives drew up the no-fault bill. The committee, headed by Stacy, worked for two years with the Legislaive Research Commission on the measure.

An alternate bill, sponsored by Sens. Walter Baker, R-Glasgow, Nicholas Baker, D-Louisville, and William Gentry, D-Bardstown, has been introduced. This bill, which is backed by the Kentucky Bar Association, requires that insurance companies offer optional coverage of up to \$2,500 in no-fault benefits.

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# Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the City Utilities Commission, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on a 1974 Model -3/4 Ton Pickup Truck, at the City Utilities Commission Office, Ford Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 7:30 p.m., February 11, 1974, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing labor and materials and performing all work as set forth by this advertisement for bids. Specifications can be obtained from the office of the City Utilities Commission, Ford Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidder. Bids must be accompanied by bid bond, payable to the City Utilities Commission, in an amount not less than 5 percent of the base bid.

In event an award is made and the successful bidder fails to execute contract for performance of the work under the award then the bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

Bids and bid bonds shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's identification, addressed to the City Utilities Commission, P. O. Box 468, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, labeled in the lower lefthand corner:

"Proposal: 1974 Model- 3/4 Ton Pick-up

The City Utilities Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids, which bids shall not be withdrawn for 45 days subsequent to the opening of bids, without consent of the City Utilities Commission.

BLAINE HALL Commissioner City Utilities Commission

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#### Glendal Tackett

Glendal Tackett, 38, of Weeksbury, died last Tuesday, Feb. 5 at Methodist Hospital, Pikeville, following an extended illness.

Born December 29, 1935, at Weeksbury, he was a son of C. L. and Bertha Johnson Tackett, of Weeksbury. He was a mechanic.

Besides his parents, he is survived by one brother, Harold Tackett, of Detroit, Mich. and a sister, Mrs. Helen Zuern, in Hawaii.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday, at the home of the parents by Benny Blankenship, officiating minister. Burial was made in the Poplar Grove cemetery at Weeksbury under direction of Meron Funeral Chapel.

#### Mrs. Mary Ann Vance

Mrs. Mary Ann Vance, 82, of Teaberry, died Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital following an extended illness. A daughter of the late Jim and Sally

Ann Pope, she was born April 4, 1891 at Beaver. Her husband, Jarve Vance, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the Samara Regular Baptist church at Beaver. Burial was made in the Jake Hamilton cemetery at Beaver under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

#### Will King

Will King, 83, of Mousie, died last Tuesday at his home following an extended

Born at Stearns, Ky., he was a son of the late Dave and Nancy Taylor King, and was a retired miner, member of District 30, Local 1741, United Mine Workers of America. His wife, Mrs. Emma Jean Thompson King, preceded him in death.

Survivors include a son, Jackie D. King, of Ft. Thomas; three daughters, Mrs. Hazel Irene Wicker, of Mousie, Mrs. Helen Alene Graves, of Gahanna, O., Mrs. Joyce Jean McGarvey, of Columbus, O.; 15 grandchildren and 18 greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Friday, at the Mousie Regular Baptist Church by Elders Bert Howard and Coy Combs. Burial was made in the Linville Wicker cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

# Highlands

#### Regional Medical Center

Patients Discharged

(Feb. 1 through Feb. 8) Oma Spradlin, West Prestonsburg; Noah Conn, Martin; Faris Grim, Stambaugh; Ada Arnett, Royalton; McKinley Fletcher, Ivyton; La Donna Wireman, Royalton; Jim Bentley, Allen; David L. Crothers, Paintsville; Luna Roark, Fritz; Earl J. Lawson, Betsy Layne; Herbert Stephens, Martin; H. K. Howard, East Point; Robert Ray Carpenter, Salyersville; Patricia Johnson, Williamsport; Ernestine DeBord, Prestonsburg; Paula McGarey, Prestonsburg; James Border, Thelma; Barbara Joseph, Prestonsburg; Artie Holbrook, West Prestonsburg; Virgil Blair, Prestonsburg; Patricia Spears, Salyersville; Mildred Davis, Paintsville; Thelma G. Danflous, Prestonsburg; George Selvage, Paintsville; Charles Clifford, Drift; Kelly Harvey, Allen; Phyllis Crace, Elsie; Ellie Sue Arnett, Salyersville; Bill Blackburn, Melvin; Arizona Horn, Hager Hill; Ernest Napier, Thealka; Hazel Back, Salyersville; Gary Gibson, Elsie; Teddy Hall, Prestonsburg; Raymond Fannin, Prestonsburg; Harris Arnett, Salyersville; Lorraine Bailey, Hippo; Elza Webb, Auxier; Anna Mae Ramey, Water Gap; Ruth Hays, Mousie; Bernard J. Moore, Paintsville; Martin H. Rowe, Goshen, Ind.; Lora Music, East Point; Sam Horn, Inez; Georgia Lou Akers, Dana; Hargus Puckett, Royalton; Zella Price, Harold; Ira Rose Kendrick, Allen; Bonnie Jean Hicks, Estill; Ella Goble, Prestonsburg; Lillie B. Hensley, Salyersville; Cassie Allen, Prestonsburg; John Marc Bolling, Prestonsburg; Tommy Ray Cantrell, Van Lear; Ellen Dutton, Williamsport: Lizzie Frasure, Harold.

BIRTHS

David Brent Wireman, Royalton, Feb. 1; Estill Chad Crace, Elsie, Ky., Feb. 4; Dawn Rochelle Johnson, Williamsport, Feb. 2.

JOHNSON SIGNS WITH ATHLETICS OAKLAND—Deron Johnson, one of the American League's top designated hitters last season when the baseball rule change went into effect, has signed his 1974 contract, the Oakland A's announced Friday.

YOUR Independent

# **Obituaries**

#### Mrs. Jacqueline Tackett

Mrs. Jacqueline Tackett, 36, of Drift, died Wednesday, January 30, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness.

Born at Langley, she was a daughter of the late Joe and Toney Reynolds Pattern

the late Joe and Toney Reynolds Patton.
Survivors include her husband,
Charles E. Tackett, of Drift; three
children, Ronny Lee, Robin Darlane, and
Lena Jossie Tackett, all at home; two
brothers, Frank Patton, of Ashtabula, O.,
and Joe Patton, Jr., of Langley; two halfbrothers, James and Henry Patton, both
of Langley; one sister, Mrs. Rebecca
Murphy, of Langley; one half-sister,
Mrs. Lora Thornsbury, of LaGrange, O.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 2, at the Wilson Creek Regular Baptist church near Langley. Burial was made in the P. D. Allen cemetery there under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

#### Mrs. Fannie Robinson

Mrs. Fannie Robinson, 80, of Martin, died there Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital following a brief illness.

Born April 16, 1893, she was a daughter of the late Jeff and Susie Click Crum, and was the widow of Henry B. Robinson. Mrs. Robinson had been a member of the Church of Christ for the past 60 years.

Survivors include a son and a daughter, Edward Robinson and Mrs. Amy Boyd, both of Martin; one brother, Oscar Crum, also of Martin; 14 grand-children and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the Church of Christ at Arkansas Creek. Burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

#### Albert Sexton

Albert Sexton, 64, of Omaha, Ky., died Friday, February 1, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following a brief illness.

A disabled miner, he was married to Hattie Slone Sexton who survives him. Other survivors include his mother, Mrs. Melvina Sexton; four sons, Sherman and Casper Sexton, both of Omaha, Cartis Sexton, of Pinetop, Brack Sexton, of Hindman; five daughters, Mrs. Rosalee Click, Mrs. Berta Potter, both of Leburn, Mrs. Ada Maloney, of Neon, Mrs. Havanna Hale, of Hazard; three brothers, four sisters, and 20 grand-children.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Monday, February 4, at the Omaha Bible Church by the Rev. Richard Benders. Burial was made in the Meadows Fork cemetery at Omaha under direction of Casebolt-Hoskins and Cox Funeral Home.

#### Mrs. Della A. Owens

Mrs. Della Annabelle Owens, 88, died at her home at Hindman last Wednesday after suffering a sudden heart attack. Born February 11, 1885, she was a

daughter of the late Daniel and Aletha Hayes and was the widow of Ballard Owens. She had been a member of the Baptist church for 69 years.

Survivors include one son, Forrest Owens, of Hindman; a sister, Mrs. Edna Key, of Martin; eight grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday, at the Ivis Bible Church by the Rev. David Minturn. Burial was made in the Hayes cemetery at Hindman under direction of Casebolt-Hoskins and Cox Funeral Home.

#### Club Pays \$4,000 On Hospital Machine

The Pikeville Junior Woman's Club is one of the benefactors of the Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

The club two years ago presented the hospital with a blood-gas analyser machine used primarily in diagnosing respiratory ailments.

The machine cost \$7,000, and club recently presented a \$1,000 check to the hospital as another payment toward retiring the indebtedness on the machine. The club now has paid a total of \$4,000 on the machine through various fundraising activities.

The \$1,000 check was presented to Lee D. Keene, hospital administrator, by Mrs. William J. Baird, III, club president, and Miss Shirley Coleman, immediate past president of the club.

Fund-raising activities of the club include its annual charity ball and the annual Miss Pike county scholarship pageant.

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#### Malon Johnson

Malon Johnson, 82, of Melvin, died last Wednesday at his home following an extended illness.

A retired lumberman, he was a native of Knott county and was a son of the late Henry and Hannah Johnson. His wife, Mrs. Doll Hall Johnson, preceded him in death

Survivors include a son, Elmer Johnson, of Huntington, Ind.; two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Caudill and Mrs. Ellen Fouts, both of Melvin; three brothers, Mander Johnson, of Weeksbury, Dow and Kelly Johnson, both of Melvin, and twin grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, at the Joppa Regular Baptist Church of which Mr. Johnson was a member. Burial was made in the Tackett cemetery at Melvin under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

#### Mrs. Margaret Frasure

Mrs. Margaret Frasure, 85, died at her home at East McDowell, Saturday, following an extended illness.

Born March 2, 1888 at Hi Hat, she was a daughter of the late Ferd and Louise Turner Reynolds. A merchant at East McDowell for 40 years, she was the

widow of Oliver Frasure who died in 1939.
Survivors include five sons, Earl,
Wade, Ray, Moses, and Ted Frasure, all
of East McDowell; one daughter, Mrs.
Elizabeth Hall, also of East McDowell;
two brothers, Tim Reynolds, of Printer,
Tivis Reynolds, of Ashtabula, O.; 48
grandchildren and 75 greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 11 a.m., Sunday. Burial was made in the family cemetery at East McDowell under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

#### Ishmael Hall

Ishmael Hall, 56, died Tuesday, January 29, at his home at Topmost following an extended illness. He was a disabled miner.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Effie Hall; seven sons, James G. Hall, of Mansfield, O., Charles W., and Ishmael Hall, Jr., both of Westland, Mich., Denver and Rodney D. Hall, both of Ypsilanti, Mich., Clifford and Leon Hall, both at home; five daughters, Mrs. Norma J. Koenig, of Little Hocking, O., Mrs. Jacqueline Hicks, of Ypsilanti, Mich., Mrs. Rosa Lee Mullins, of Columbus, O., Mrs. Millier Brewer and Mrs. Geneva Christinas, both of Morehead; five brothers, Ruben, Daniel, Sherman, Pharoah, and Leon Hall; one sister, Mrs. Della Hoover, and ten grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Friday, Feb. 1, at the Providence Regular Baptist Church by Revs. Bert Hall, Clive Hall and Dillis Combs. Burial was made in the Dry Creek cemetery at Topmost under direction of Casebolt-Hoskins and Cox Funeral Home.

#### William (Bill) Symon

William (Bill) Symon, of Demopolis, Alabama, formerly of Floyd county, died February 5 at his home of a heart attack. He was born April 29, 1924 at Carbon

Glow, Letcher County. The son of the late George and Bessie Stewart Symon. The Symon family formerly resided at Manton.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Symon; one daughter, Barbara Symon, and three sons, Billy Symon and Vincent Symon, both of the U. S. Navy, and Bruce Symon, at home; two brothers, George Symon, of Louisville, and Bob Symon, of Demopolis, Ala., three sisters, Mrs. Jerry Rains, Louisville, Mrs. Vincent Adams and Mrs. Isaac Flanery, both of Martin.

Burial was made in Demopolis, Alabama.

#### Clifford G. Slone

Clifford G. Slone, 45, of Buckingham, died Saturday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness.

Born August 27, 1928 in Knott County, he was a son of the late Morrell Slone and Nancy Jane Slone, of Buckingham. Until his illness, he was a machinist by trade.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ella Brewer Slone, of Buckingham; seven children, Kenneth, Jackie, Kerby, Wade, Brenda and Melissa Slone, all at home; three brothers, Edward Slone, of Hi Hat, Willie Slone, of Wheelwright, Herbert Slone, of Pippa Passes; four sisters, Miss Sara Mae Slone, of Lexsanda, La., Miss Meridith Slone, of Pippa Passes, Mrs. Edith Cook, of Esco, Ky., and Miss Ar-

matha Slone, of Mousie.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the Joppa Regular Baptist Church at Melvin. Burial was made in the Buckingham cemetery under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

#### Billy Cornelius Johnson

Billy Cornelius Johnson, infant son of Billy Gene and Linda Lou Burke Johnson, of Weeksbury, was stillborn, Sunday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital. Besides the parents, survivors include the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson, of Weeksbury, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Burke, of Hartley, Ky.

Graveside services were conducted at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday) by Regular Baptist ministers. Burial was made in the Buckingham cemetery under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

The U. S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration awarded \$3,762,347 in grants to 40 jurisdictions for developing plans for their own job safety and health programs during the 1973 fiscal year.

#### MAYTOWN NEWS

Bess Ratliff, Lula Martin and Goldia Salyers were dinner guests of Nora Hayes last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Snoddy, of Nitro, W. Va., were week-end guests of Mrs. Amanda Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. George A. May.

Morton Adkins is at home after undergoing tests and treatment at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

Mrs. Effie Post, Dennis and Brenda spent several days last week in Morehead visiting Miss Billie Jean Post. Mrs. Amanda Patton spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allen

Patton at Martin.

Mrs. Thelma Brown and family have moved here from Hueysville.

Mrs. Janet Meade and Mrs. Nancy Frasure, of Lexington, and Mrs. Jeff McGuire, of Richmond, were here recently to be with their mother, Jean Harmon, while she underwent major surgery. She is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Mike Layne has been a patient at

Jerry Patton spent last week visiting relatives and friends in Grayson county while he was on his winter break from Alice Lloyd College.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen returned

Highlands Regional Medical Center.

home last week after spending three weeks in Vienna, Va., visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Turner and David.

Miss Teresa Prater was here several

days last week receiving treatment for a throat infection before returning to Midway College, Midway, Ky. Mrs. Gloria Allen, Mrs. Irene Hayes

and Mrs. Violet Allen were in Lexington Tuesday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Justin Turner, of Mur-

freesboro, Tenn., spent last week-end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson.

Mrs. Charles Patter, who has been

Mrs. Charles Patton, who has been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sammons at Richmond to be near the doctor while she recuperates from recent surgery, entered Central Baptist Hospital on Sunday for a checkup.

#### TO APPEAL DESEGREGATION

The Jefferson County and Louisville School Boards will seek U. S. Supreme Court review of the 6th Circuit Court of Appeals ruling that Louisville and Jefferson County are not in compliance with federal desegregation laws. The Anchorage School Board plans to petition the 6th Circuit Court of Appeals for a rehearing.

The Cigar Makers International Union made first use of the union label in 1874, according to "Important Events in American Labor History, 1778-1971," published by the U. S. Department of Labor.

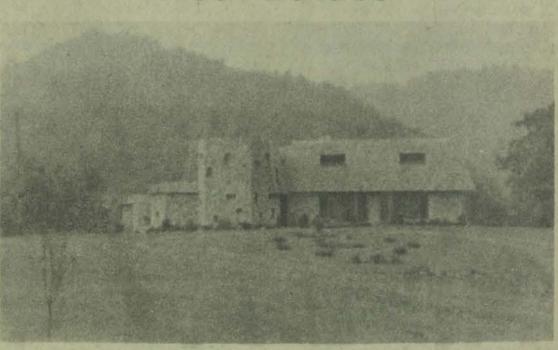
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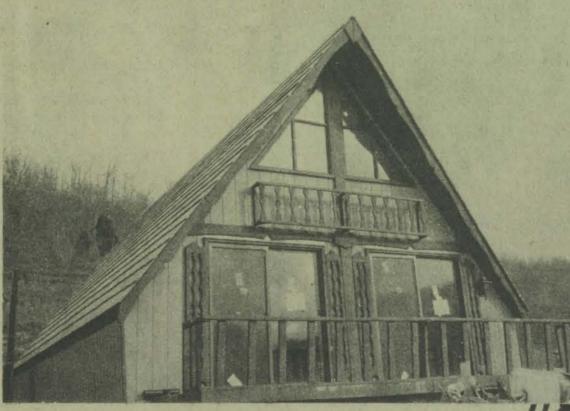


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**FUNERAL HOME** 

By HELEN PRICE STACY

Genealogy's reviving popularity has led to many people discovering family ties with famous personages. However, few can boast as proudly of their lineage as Mrs. Mida Horton Wyant, of Campton.

Mrs. Wyant is a great granddaughter of Fielding Hanks, one of Abraham Lincoln's uncles. Hanks was among the first county settlers when Moran county was created from Floyd and Bath counties in 1823.

"So many people of the Hankses ask me about my great grandfather," she about the Hanks family than I."

Nonetheless, Mrs. Wyant can recall much about Fielding Hanks, who is said to have been the first permanent settler in Campton and built the first cabin in what is now the Wolfe county seat.

Mrs. Wyant said her great grandfather married Lydia Harper and the couple settled in the area in 1818. They are buried behind the First Church of God in

They had several children, including a son named Cuthbert Million-more often known as Cud or even Cudmillion. Cud and his wife had a daughter, Laura Ann, who was Mrs. Wyant's mother.

"People tell me that if they were connected to Abraham Lincoln like I was, they'd brag about it all the time," Mrs. Wyant commented. "I am truly proud

of it."

old log house was located opposite the present Wolfe County High School. "It had two big rooms and a hall between. Later my grandfather, Cud Hanks, built onto the original house. There was a cellar beneath the family keeping room, I was told, where my great grandfather and Lydia kept vegetables, apples and other fruit. They cooked in the fireplace with a big iron skillet and also in a big kettle that swung around."

Mrs. Wyant has only one relic that once belonged to Fielding Hanks. "It's what is called a kidney rock, smooth and slick as said. "I always tell them they know more it can be. I use it for a door prop in the bedroom. Fielding Hanks found the rock on one of his hunting trips to the woods and brought it home. He always cracked nuts with it on the hearth," she said.

> The large families that descended from the many Hanks children has led to their progeny being scattered throughout Kentucky and many other states. It is noteworthy that an uncle and aunt of Abraham Lincoln lived, died and are buried in what is now Wolfe county. The gravesite should be marked with a permanent roadside plaque as a tourist feature of a county that abounds in

During 1973, the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration trained some 3,500 federal, state and private sector personnel in job safety and health at its She added that her great grandfather's OSHA Training Institute near Chicago.

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governors were all males. The first governor of the state to appoint a female to the post of private secretary was Gov. A. O. Stanley, who brought with him in 1915 the secretary who had served him so well seven of his 12 years as a member of the U.S. House

Her name was Miss Nannie R. Mahler, of Henderson, Ky.

of Representatives.

This fact came to my attention recently while I was assisting in the State Library on a state government reference problem. The question was: "Who was

the private secretary to Gov. Stanley?" The answer, of course, was Miss Mahler. But what was intriguing was a short biographical essay on the governor's secretary in the Blue Book Directory of Kentucky for 1918.

It described Miss Mahler as the first woman ever appointed to that post.

Could this statement be verified? Mrs. Lillian Rhoads, a sister to Miss Mahler and a Henderson resident who also worked in Gov. Stanley's office, told me recently that as far as she knows, Miss Mahler was the first woman secretary to any Kentucky governor.

She said that at the time of the appointment it was certainly understood that Miss Mahler was the first of her sex to hold that job.

# 50 in Ky. Eligible For On-the-Job Training by UAW

Frankfort, Ky.-Gov. Wendell H. Ford and Department for Human Resources Secretary Laurel W. True last week announced that 50 disadvantaged unemployed or underemployed Kentuckians will be selected for on-the-job training being offered by United Automobile Workers (UAW) in 19 states.

Training lasts six to 40 weeks, depending on occupation and individual skill level. Local state employment service offices will refer and test applicants for the jobs. Jobless persons currently enrolled in programs such as Job Corps and the Work Incentive (WIN) Program will be among those referred

and tested.

"Was your sister a suffrage leader?" I asked.

"No," Mrs. Rhoads replied, "she definitely was not a women's libber." Miss Mahler served A. O. Stanley quietly, efficiently and loyally from 1908, when he first observed her at work in the Henderson County Clerk's office, until

her death in 1955, a total of 47 years.

Incidentally, the present executive secretary to Gov. Wendell Ford is also a woman.

She is Helen Price, a native of Paducah who previously served Ford in a similar capacity during his term as lieutenant

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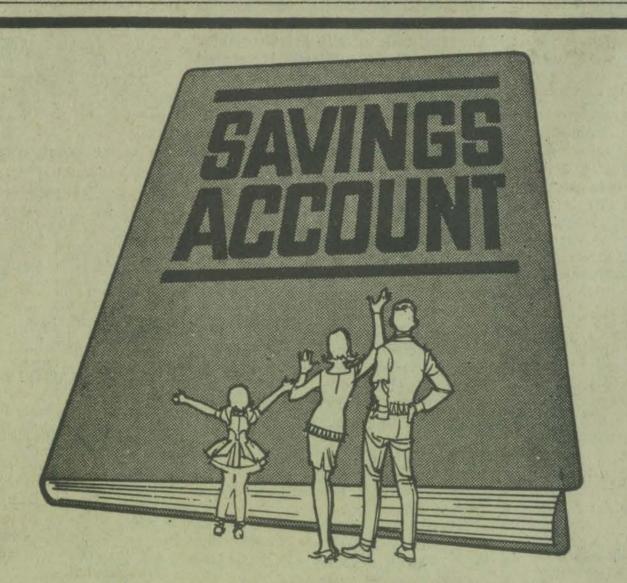
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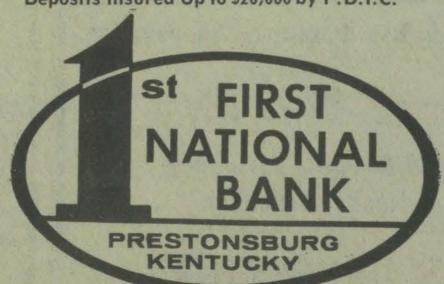
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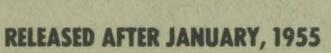
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# Observes 90th Birthday, Feb. 3



Pictured above, from left, are Jesse L. Lafferty, Alice Lafferty, Mrs. Laura Belle Ellis, and Josie Lafferty when they observed Mrs. Ellis' 90th birthday, February 3.

Mrs. Laura "Aunt Belle" Ellis observed her 90th birthday Sunday, February 3, at her home on Graham Street here.

Although she has slowed down with the advancing years, Mrs. Ellis is still active around her house and has lost none of her skill in the kitchen. Her membership is the longest in the Ashland District of the Methodist Church. She has been a member of Lafferty Methodist Chapel for 78 years. She is also the eldest of 12 children, five of whom are living.

More than 60 guests called during the day, among them the following who signed the guest register: Dorothy

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family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Baldridge and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden R. Ellis and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ellis and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Bucky Ellis and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spradlin,

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peters, Mr. and Mrs.

Alonzo Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse

Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messer,

Mrs. Allen Zemo honored her husband and daughter, Rachael Lynn, on their birthdays at their home on Auxier Heights, February 9. A decorated birwill continue to be used as a funeral home until Mrs. Mary Martin and associates thday cake was served to the guests, Mr. complete their new funeral home on New and Mrs. Raymond Zemo, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Alley and Michael, Mrs. Leva Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Edwards. The honorees were presented many gifts.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. John Richard Porter, of South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, announce the birth of their second child, a son John Martin Porter, II, February 2 at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins returned home last Saturday from a two-week vacation spent at Holopaw, Florida, with Mrs. Sally D. Newman. They called on Mrs. Hattie Buskirk Fulton at Port Charlotte, accompanied by Mrs. Newman and Mrs. Margaret P. Alley who is spending the winter at Titusville,

ATTEND RED CROSS MEETINGS

Miss Ella Noel C. White, Floyd county executive secretary of the American Red Cross, attended Red Cross meetings in Berea and Lexington, last week. She was accompanied by Mrs. Sallye L. Clark. They were overnight guests of Mr. and



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COMMUNITY METHODIST WOMEN MEET

The Community United Methodist women met Feb. 5 at the church. The president, Leslie Burke, presided, and opening prayer was given by Allie Spradlin. The minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved. Motion was made to have the fellowship dinner Feb. 7 in the basement of the church after morning worship. Frances Cooley gave devotions.

Those attending were Frances Cooley. Leslie Burke, Viola Cooley, Mary Jo Meade, Jean Burke, Esther Ward, Sue Spradlin, Allie Spradlin, Bess McGuire, Sharon Leslie Meade, Theda Johnson.

METHODIST WOMEN MEET

The United Methodist Women met Monday night, Feb. 4, with Mrs. Christine Ball presiding. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, and the treasurer's report was given by Geneva Carter. The sewing circle gave \$50.00 to be used for remodeling the downstairs bathroom. The meeting was turned over to the program leaders Linda and Elsie Stephens, who gave an instructive program on how to read the Bible.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses, Eleanor Horn and Peg Hewlett, to the following members: Christine Ball, Geneva Carter, Goldie Baldridge, Linda Stephens, Alice Ball, Patsy Brown, Mabel Brown, Elizabeth Ramey, Gertrude Bradbury, Elizabeth Garriott, Mable J. LeMaster, Katherine Coop, Elsie Stephens and Hope Whitten.

BAPTIST WOMEN MEET

The women of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church met at the church, Feb. 4, with Mrs. W. D. Jaggers presiding in the absence of the president, Opal Dingus. Minutes were read by the secretary, Helen Clark. It was decided to have the Mission Study book taught thte first Monday in March, with a pot-luck dinner at 6 o'clock at the Multi-Purpose building. The Acteens, under the direction of Mrs. Ed Minns, gave the intersting program on "Church Growth in the Northern Plains."

Enjoying the evening and refreshments were Mesdames W. D. Jaggers, Bill Pettrey, M. Robert Regan, Gormon Collins, Ed Minns, Ruth Isbell, Maman Leslie, Virginia Jeffries, Lucy Ransdell, Esther Evans, Nell Lawson, Rebecca Rasnick, Helen Clark, Olga Latta, Misses De De Kalos, Leann Owens, Susie Wright, Laura Jaggers Nancy Godsey, Annette Jones.

ATTEND "GODSPELL" FORMANCE |

Members of the First United Methodist Church who attended the performance of "Godspell" at the McCauley Theatre in Louisville last Thursday were Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mrs. Jack F. Wells, Delphine Hicks, Susan Wells, Karen Bradley, Derek Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. William Frazier, David Banner Leslie, Tom Blackburn, Debbie Davidson, Kathy Harris, Willis Draughn, Linda Baldridge Lynn Hicks, Tammy Nuckols, Mary Ann Lemaster, Nina Fannin, Sandy James, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Welborn, of Shelbyville.

REGISTER AT MT. MANOR

New registrants at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home are Cordelia Jacobs, of Pipapa Passes, Daisy Collins, Prestonsburg, and Victoria Cox, Garrett.

HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Homer Draughn is doing nicely following major surgery at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville, last Thursday.

SPENT BIRTHDAY HERE

Derek Taylor Allen, of Paintsville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Jr., spent his second birthday here Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

BUSINESS TRIP TO WASHINGTON,

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier returned home Sunday evening from Washington, D. C., where he attended to business for Highlands Medical Center.

IN PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts spent Monday in Pikeville on business. Mrs. Roberts visited her daughter, Mrs.Wm. J. Baird, III, and family.

RETIRED TEACHERS MEET

The winter meeting of the Floyd County Retired Teachers Association was held last Saturday afternoon in the Regional Library here. Presiding was Mrs. May K. Roberts, president. The devotional was given by Mrs. Lucy C. Regan. During the short business session a letter of thanks from the N.O. Kimbler Finance Committee, expressing appreciation for the group's contribution to the Kimble Memorial Scholarship Fund, was read by the secretary, Grace

The guest-speaker was Mrs. Sylvia Atkinson who discussed the Meals-on-Wheels program sponsored by the Presbyterian Church here. She explained that the purpose of the project is to help disabled people who need nutritious food at a reasonable cost. The program is financed mostly by contributions and the preparation and transportation of the meals, mainly by volunteer workers. At present regular and substitute with this program may call the Presbyterian Church or Mrs. Atkinson. A contribution of \$15 was voted for this project.

Mrs. Norma Stepp and Mrs. Opal May were hostesses during the social hour when refreshments were served. Those present were Mesdames Emily Jane Salyers, Lucy C. Regan, Pollyanna Wiley, Sylvia Atkinson, Norma Stepp, Opal May, May K. Roberts, Grace Sutherland, Misses Lexie Allen and Alice Harris, and Mr. E. D. Roberts.

The next meeting will be held May 11 at 1:30 p.m. in the Regional Library. All members are urged to attend.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

The South Prestonsburg Homemakers Club met January 21 at the home of Mrs. Grace DeRossett. The president, Mrs. Ora Bussey, presided. The devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Theckley Short. Mrs. Ruth Hall presented each member with a sourvenir memo book and calendar date book. At the business session a gift of \$10 was voted for the Floyd County Emergency and Rescue Squad. Plans for the coming year were discussed by Mrs. Frances Pitts. The lesson for February was on quilting. The February meeting will be held with Mrs. Carlos Haywood. Refreshments were enjoyed by Frances Pitts, Joyce Freels, Ruth Hall, Ora Bussey, Theckley Short, Martha Combs, Verna Tackett and Grace DeRossett.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Alley and son, Michael, of Asheville, N. C., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Horn.

HAS EYE SURGERY

J. B. Ford is doing nicely at his home here following eye surgery at Martin last

VISITED MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bierman, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bingham and baby son, Carl Edward, visited Mr. Bierman's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth L. Bierman, at North Pleasureville recently.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Grace L. Burke, who had major surgery February 5 at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, returned home Monday, greatly improved. Her daughter, Mrs. Joe Buchanan, accompanied her home.

VISIT SON

Mrs. Evelyn J. Salisbury returned home last week from Mt. Sterling where she had a brief visit with her son, Dr. Robert Salisbury, and family.

NEW YORK SCHOOLS STRIKE

Garbage and frigid classrooms closed many New York City schools, due to recent strikes by janitors and boiler tenders. By the third day of the strike for higher wages, 294 schools were shut as classroom temperatures dropped below 50 degrees and the lunchrooms were

# **Engagement Announced**



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Ridgon, of Flemingsburg, Kentucky announce the engagement of their daughter, Molly, to Paul Carter Tackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond H. Tackett, of Prestonsburg.

The bride-elect attended the University of Kentucky and is presently employed by the Fayette County Schools as a Special Education teacher at Linlee Elementary. Mr. Tackett attended Eastern Kentucky State University and is an employee of Custom Speed Warehouse, of Lexington.

FUNDING RECOMMENDED

President Nixon, in his education message to Congress, has agreed to the principle of forward funding of federal education appropriations. Forward funding would allow schools to know, in time to permit long range planning, what levels of federal funding to expect.

#### A.A.U.W. To Meet At Library, Feb. 14

The February meeting of the Prestonsburg Branch, A.A.U.W., will feature both a presentation on Dynamic Learning by Marge Sammons and a get-acquainted orientation for new and prospective members by Roberta Davidson. All members and interested women are invited to attend. The meeting will be held in the Floyd County Library at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, February 14.

# Personals

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Thomas were in Lexington last week visiting Mrs. Grace Burke at Central Baptist Hospital. They also visited other patients from this area.

Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with flu and complications, was able to attend church services last Sunday.

Mrs. Bud Combs, who has been seriously ill at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, has returned to her home at

Mrs. Arthur Bradbury has been confined to her home on Maple Avenue by

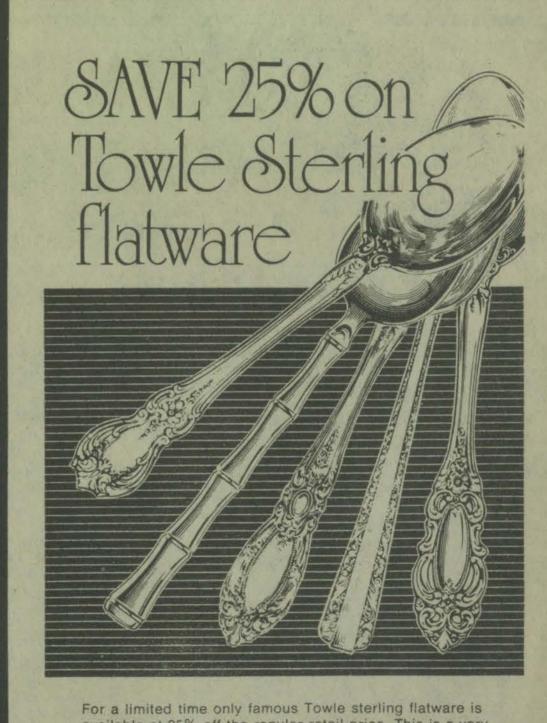
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel and Mrs. Willie Mellon were in Huntington last Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Rebecca Dingus had as her luncheon guests and all-day visitors at her home last Tuesday Mrs. John Gunnells, Route I, and Catherine Stratton, of Ivel.

Mrs. Carrie Hubbard, who has been a patient at Highlands Regional Hospital, has returned to her home on First

Elmer Collins was in Lexington last week for a checkup. He and Mrs. Collins spent the week-end in Louisville with their daughter, Mrs. Norris M. Langford, Mr. Langford and baby, Kelly.





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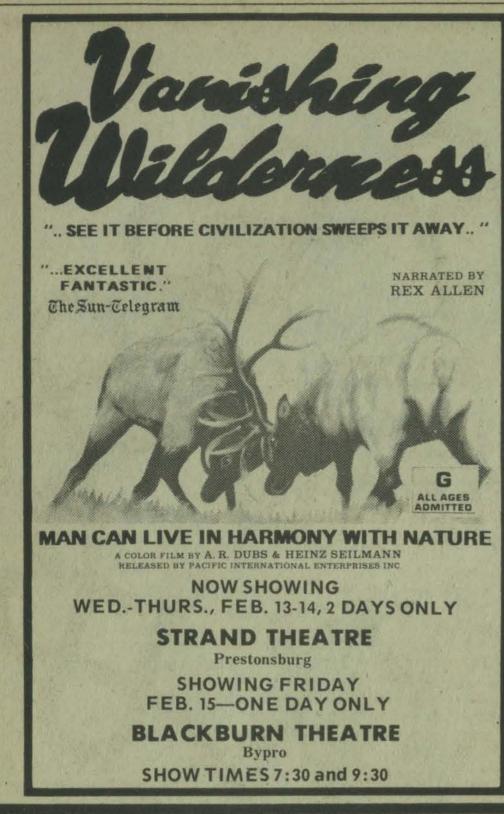
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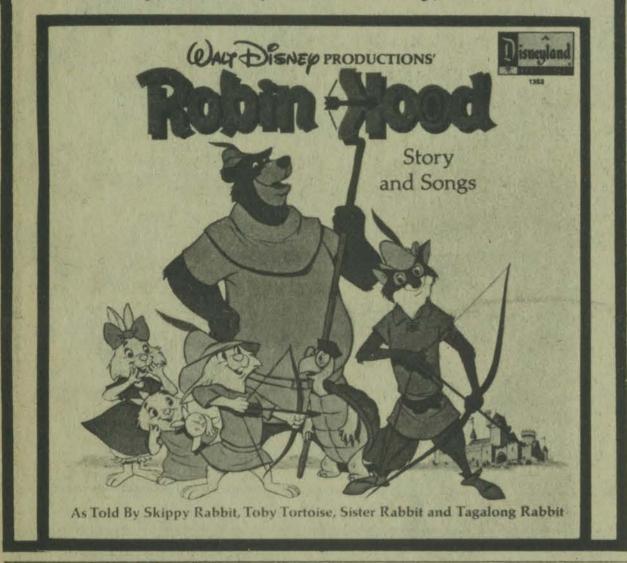
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Mrs. Jackie Ward, owner of Ward Theatre of Dance, Martin, recently passed an examination in the field of dance to become a member of Dance Masters of America, the oldest organization of dance teachers in the country. Members must pass extensive examinations in at least two fields of

Mrs. Ward studied dancing and taught with the Josephine Ford Studio in Huntington for 15 years. She was prima ballerina in 1958 and guest-artist in 1959 for the studio's annual recitals. She has studied with the American School of Ballet and Jack Stanley School of Dance in New York City, and the Edith Royal School of Dance, in Winter Park, Florida.

# "Wind" To Feature East Ky. Winters

The entire issue of a nationally circulated magazine will be devoted to the works of Eastern Kentucky writers, Quentin R. Howard, editor of WIND magazine said recently.

Howard said, "This project will be the first time in history that any magazine has ever devoted an entire issue to only Eastern Kentucky writers."

WIND, published since 1971, has subscribers in 40 states, and two foreign countries. Howard noted that among the writers who have contributed are John Unterecker, Larry Rubin, Kay Boyle, Ann Stanford, Ann Steward, John Tagliabue, Gene Franklin, Jesse Stewart, Lillie D. Chaffin, James Still, Bruce B. Brown, plus many beginners and lesser known writers.

The magazine has received two Coordinating Council of Literary Magazines grants of \$1,500, the only magazine in Kentucky to ever receive this grant, plus two large financial grants from the Kentucky Arts Commission.

All materials submitted to WIND for consideration for the Bicentennial issue will be read and judged and all contributors will be notified if their work is accepted or rejected. All submissions must be accompanied by stamped, selfaddressed envelopes for notification of acceptance or rejection. Anyone planning to send materials should do so as soon as possible.

Each Eastern Kentucky writer whose work is published in the Bicentennial issue will receive a free copy of the magazine.

Eastern Kentucky writers interested in having their work published should write Quentin R. Howard, editor, WIND magazine, Route 1, Box 810, Pikeville, Ky. 41501.

#### Health Department Slates Pap Smear Clinic Here

The Floyd County Health Department will hold a pap smear clinic February 20 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

For this service the health department has facilities to accommodate approximately 35 women. Patients will be seen by appointment only. Women who need an appointment should call the Floyd County Health Department at 886-2788, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If an appointment is made and it is later discovered that it cannot be kept, the patient is asked to call the health department so that the appointment can be rescheduled.

# Basketball Roundup

Basketball in the 58th district, as well as other districts in the 15th region, was as scarce as gasoline last week. On Tuesday night Betsy Layne lambasted Feds Creek at Mullins, 106 to 62. The Bobcats were led in scoring by Larry Woods with 26 points and Dan Hall with 24.

to pull off something very few teams have done, and that is to win over the Virgie Eagles at Virgie. The Daredevils were leading the home team by 12 points going into the fourth quarter, but blew the lead and lost to the Eagles, 63 to 62.

The Prestonsburg Blackcats won for the third time this season over highly rated Allen Central, 69 to 66. This was their fourth meeting. Two weeks earlier, Allen Central had won over Prestonsburg by some 20 points, but in the fourth game the uncanny shooting of Jimmy Blackburn in the first quarter and the outstanding play of Steve Crabtree in the third quarter made the difference. Prestonsburg led at halftime, 36 to 32, and in the third quarter of play the Cats outscored Allen Central, 20 to 9, going on to win 69 to 66. Blackburn was high man with 23 points. Allen Central was led in scoring by Don Hansford with 26 points. STANDINGS

	VV	L
Allen Central	19	7
Betsy Layne	16	10
Prestonsburg	13	9
McDowell	11	15
Wheelwright	8	12

VIRGIE (63)—Don Newsome, 14; Bob Newsome, 14; Jerry Bentley, 12; Ed Newsome, 9; Don Hall, 4; L. Hall, 2; A.

McDOWELL (62)-Rick Roberts, 25; Glenn Heinisch, 15; John Pack, 10; James Tackett, 6; Larry Daugherty, 4; John Martin, 2.

McDOWELL . . . 10 31 50 62

BETSY LAYNE (106)—Larry Woods, 26; Dan Hall, 24; Greg Roberts, 15; Tim Hall, 8; Daniels, 8; Ron Clark, 8; Steve Tackett, 6; Mike Hall, 4; Spradlin, 2; Linis Newsome, 4; Brown, 1.

Freeman, 12; Spears, 8; Pugh, 6; Abshire, 5; Justice, 5; Haney, 4; Miller, 3; Estep, 3; Fuller, 2; Bevins, 1.

PRESTONSBURG (69)-Jimmy Blackburn, 23; Steve Crabtree, 18; Kippy McNally, 12; David Harrington, 6; Dell Jaggers, 4; Gormie Collins, 3; Danny Layne, 1; Robbi Herrick, 2; Walker -:

ALLEN CENTRAL (66)-Don Hansford, 26; Randy Allen, 12; Keith Gearheart, 12; Jesse Hall, 6; Marty Spurlock, 3; Steve Ousley, 3; Tony Hal-

PRESTONSBURG . . . 17 36 56 69 ALLEN CENTRAL . . . 12 32 41 66

# Hi Hat Residents Say Junk Vehicles Protrude on Road

Hi Hat, Ky.-Although the Kentucky Department of Highways insists that rights-of-way for state roads be cleared of buildings and other obstructions, citizens of this community have for the last three to four years unsuccessfully sought to have cleared from KY 979 old automobiles and trucks, parts of which protrude onto the highway itself.

Mrs. Ruth Meade says community pleas for clearance of the road have gone "to everybody, from the Governor down," without result. "All we want is to

get them (the cars) off the road." She pointed out that pedestrains must skirt around the protruding parts of vehicles and that motor traffic must swerve out to miss them. The route is travelled by five school buses and has a heavy coal truck traffic.

An executive order issued by President Marvin Van Buren March 31, 1840, established a 10-hour day for federal employees on public works without reduction in pay, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," published by the U. S. Department of Labor.

# DANCE

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Johns Creek at McDowell

Betsy Layne at Pikeville

Mullins at Elkhorn City

Hurley, Va. at Phelps

Saturday, February 16-

Allen Central at Russell

Dorton at Fleming-Neon

Betsy Layne at Mt. Sterling

McDowell at Millard

Williamson, W. Va.)

Virgie at Belfry

Academy 49.

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Wheelwright at Johns Creek

Raceland at Louisa

Millard at Jenkins

Springs)

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Central 66; Salyersville 65, Hazel Green

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Wednesday, February 13-Paintsville vs. Allen Central (at Prestonsburg) Friday, February 15-Allen Central at Virgie Wheelwright at Johnson Central Prsstonsburg at Paintsville

The McDowell Daredevils threatened

All games were postponed Friday night except the Paintsville-Ashland Holy Family game, with Paintsville losing. Belfry lost to Scott County on Thursday night, and Saturday night lost to Woodford County, 58 to 42.

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Betsy Layne	16	10
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VIRGIE . . . 12 27 38 63

FEDS CREEK (62)-Melton, 13;

bert, 2; Rick Pack, 2; Ron Scott-.

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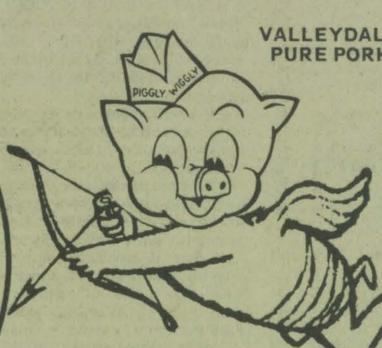
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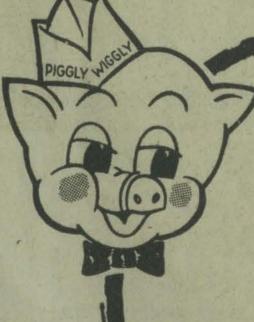
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Mr. and Mrs. David Mosley, of Huntsville, Ala., announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Saundra Gail, to Jamie W. Eckes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eckes, of Queens, New York.

Miss Mosley is a graduate of Buckhorn High School, New Market, Ala. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Daniels, of Minnie, Ky.

An April 20 wedding is planned at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses Central Unit, Huntsville, Ala.

# **Matching Funds** For Floyd Upped

Gov. Wendell Ford's proposed budget includes a recommended increase of \$298,000 for the state's Matching Funds Program over the next two years.

For the 1974-75 fiscal year Floyd county will be allocated \$2,522.72, as compared to \$1,397.21 in 1973-'74. The 1975-'76 fiscal year request provides \$3,459.82 for the

Each county must apply to the Matching Funds Coordinator in order to

The program, coordinated by the Department of Public Information, is aimed at promoting the Commonwealth's tourist trade through a cooperative advertising program that assists 15 regional managing com-

This increase, the program's only substantial one and first since the 1968-70 biennium, will also provide matching funds for regional program advertising for the state's and nation's bicentennial celebrations.

A fourth of the toal funds is shared among the counties equally with the remaining 75 per cent distributed on a population basis to develop promotional programs which advertise travel attractions in regional and local areas.

The 1974-75 budget calls for \$240,400 for the program increasing to \$329,700 for 1975-76.

# Farm, Home Store **Plans Housewarming**

A housewarming to celebrate the opening of newly expanded facilities at Prestonsburg Farm and Home Store will be held Saturday, February 23. The event will begin at 10 a.m. and end at 2 p.m.

Many interval prizes will be awarded, Kenneth Meade, manager, has announced. He has also indicated that Southern States supplies will be on special display for viewing by those who

Committee chairmen for the housewarming will be: James R. Shepherd, greeting; Mrs. Vonda Blackburn, registration; Troy W. Blackburn, supply hunt and music, and Mrs. Maggi Meade, refreshments.

All farm families in the area are invited to attend and to bring their friends and neighbors.

BELGIAN GRAND PRIX CANCELED BRUSSELS-Organizers of the Belgian Formula Two Grand Prix slated to be held June 23 at Zolder announced Friday the event had to be canceled because an unnamed U.S. oil company sponsoring the race is "revising its policy

of support to auto sport." The company was to have met more than half the organization costs of

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Arrested last Tuesday by Deputies Otto Fannin, Green Slone and ABC Agent Arvel Nelson was Henry Shepherd after the officers found 38 cans of beer at his home at Galveston. He was booked in Magistrate Dewey Robert's court and

later executed bond. The largest liquor haul of the week came after Sheriff Joe Wheeler Lewis, State Police Detective Gary Rose and Wheelwright Policeman Harold Johnson searched a truck driven by Hershell Shepherd, on Buckingham Mountain, Left Beaver, and seized 66 cases of beer. Shepherd, a resident of Branham's Creek, was fined \$50 plus \$15 court costs in Magistrate Leroy Akers' court.

Two raids Saturday resulted in the arrest of Steve Wright after 12 cans of beer were found at his home at Martin, and Hollie Hamilton, of Betsy Layne, who was charged with transporting after Sheriff Lewis and Detective Rose found 48 pints and two fifths of whiskey in his car on the Middle Creek road. Wright executed bond after being booked in county court by Deputy Sheriffs Green Slone, Caner Hunter and ABC Agent Arvel Nelson, and Hamilton executed bond in Magistrate Bill Wells' court.

Carl D. Miller, 23, a resident of Magoffin county, was arrested by Sheriff Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Hunter after Miller was accused of raping a 17-yearold David girl. The girl's father reported that Miller and another man who is presently being sought in Breathitt county picked up the girl, took her to Magoffin county and there assaulted her.

A 19 year-old Pike county youth, John Destry Brown, was jailed here Friday on a charge of possessing forged narcotics prescriptions. Brown was arrested after he collapsed in a drugstore where he had gone to get a prescription filled.

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

McKinley Mitchell, drunk driving, by State Trooper Elmo Allen; Robert Tussey, no operator's license and attempt to bribe an officer; Scotty Garrett, drunk driving, by State Trooper Bevins, Lt. Van Hoose and Sgt. Williamson; Randall Ray Fields, drunk driving, by State Trooper Bevins.

# **District Tourney**

When the 58th district basketball tournament begins here Feb. 27 the event will really be two tournaments-one, the varsity tourney which will send teams to the 15th regional here the following weekend; the other, a tournament for junior teams of the county's five high schools.

The draw for tournament positions was held here Monday afternoon. The varsity draw placed Wheelwright, Betsy Layne and Prestonsburg in the upper bracket, with Allen Central and McDowell in the

Wheelwright and Betsy Layne will open the varsity competition at 8:45 Wednesday evening, Feb. 27. Prestonsburg drew a first-round bye. In lower bracket play Allen Central and McDowell will meet at 8:45 Thursday night. The semi-finals on Friday will pit Prestonsburg against the winner of the Wheelwright-Betsy Layne game. The finals will be played at the same hour Saturday night, March 2.

In the junior tournament all games will begin at 7 p.m. as a preliminary to the regular 58th district meet. The schedule for this section of play:

Wednesday, Feb. 27-Allen Central vs. Wheelwright in the upper bracket, with McDowell drawing a bye; Thursday-Betsy Layne vs. Prestonsburg; Friday (semi-finals), McDowell vs. winner of the Wheelwright-Allen Central game.

#### Glaucoma Clinic Set At Health Department

The Floyd County Health Department will conduct a glaucoma clinic at its offices here Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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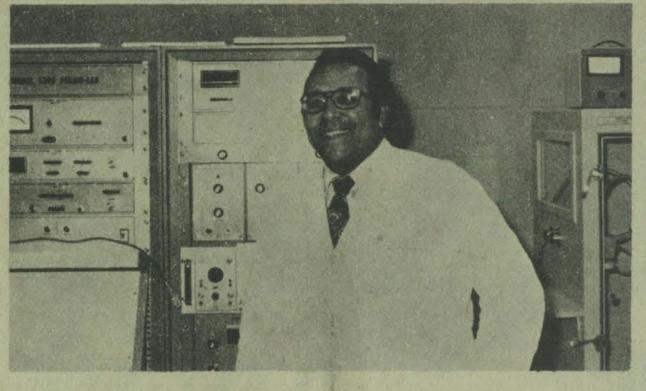
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# Cardio-Pulmonary Lab Chief



Dr. Rivera in new post at hospital here.

New chief of the cardio-pulmonary laboratory at Highlands Regional Medical Center is Dr. Cris M. Rivera, it was announced last week by Chalmer H.

Frazier, administrator of the hospital. Dr. Rivera is currently operating the laboratory two days a week and will begin its fulltime operation in July. He has purchased a home here to which he, Mrs. Rivera and their two children will soon be moving.

A native of Huayama, Puerto Rico, he received his M. D. degree from the University of Zaragoza, Spain and practised general medicine in Puerto Rico from 1966 to 1968, after which he was

a general medical officer in the U. S. Army two years. During the period 1970 to 1972 he did postgraduate training in internal medicine at University of Louisville affiliated hospitals and currently is training under a pulmonary diseases fellowship in these hospitals. He is a member of the Kentucky and Indiana Medical Associations, the American Academy of Family Practice, the American Lung Association and the Kentucky Thoracic Society and is an associate member of the American College of Physicians and the American

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sideration the ability financially and educationally to operate such system, and the moral character and fitness of such bidder."

Among new stipulations in the latest ordinance are that: a successful bidder "shall furnish at least three channels including ABC, CBS, NBC, and a Kentucky station if permitted by the Federal Communications Commission rules and regulations."

-Rates changes may be made only after "a hearing to determine the need for such change."

-There will be maximum rate charge of \$25 for initial customer hook-up and \$5 per month per unit with an additional charge of \$1 per month for each extra unit in the same building. In areas with less than 15 customers an additional monthly charge of \$1 may be made and where the number of customers is less than 10 the operator may increase the hookup charge to \$100.

-A franchise period of 15 years (compared to 20 years in the previous ordinance).

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DOCTOR'S ORDERS

This fellow whose midriff is really out front explained:

"The doctor said, 'Watch it, son,' and I've got it right where it's easy to see."

THE EXERCISER

Me, I'm keeping in fair condition (for the shape I'm in), these days. I get in a bit of walking during the day, and then, last thing at night, I get a good workout trying to put out the cat.

This malkin, which is of no other use whatsoever, is a good exerciser. She's deaf as the proverbial adder, but will sleep as only a cat can sleep till around 10:30 p.m. Then, nine times out of ten, the so-called mouser will ease from her perch and slink out of the room. And that's when the chase begins. You can't coax the animal, she's deaf. It's hunt, find, then, if possible, latch onto her tail and pull her from beneath whatever she has taken cover.

I didn't want this cat around, in the first place. But maybe the critter serves a purpose.

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The high court opinion came in its unanimous reversal of a ruling by Boyd Circuit Judge William Fanning who denied a writ of habeas corpus for a 13year-old girl who had been held in the Boyd county jail.

Kelly Asbury, of Catlettsburg, attorney for the girl, filed for the writ of habeas corpus Monday after the girl was ordered jailed as a runaway. Fanning denied the writ the following day, the Court of Appeals heard the case Wednesday and issued its ruling Friday. It is believed to have been one of the quickest decisions ever made by the Court of Appeals.

Atty. Gen. Ed Hancock said the opinion was consistent with one he had issued earlier. "The court is still not saving you can't have it under the same roof' Hancock said referring to the juvenile facility. "The court said only that juveniles must be separated by 'sight and sound' from other portions of the jail."

Boyd County Atty. Calvin Gearhart said the decision "was not as restrictive as I was afraid it might be." Gearhart said the Boyd county jail has a juvenile ward tht probably can be brought in compliance with the decision by construction of a soundproof wall.

SECOND LOOK

Leon Lessinger, father of the accountability movement, and now dean of Education at the University of South Carolina, says much of what has passed for accountability is "stuff and nonsense." Using student est scores as a way of rating teachers is bad management, he says. Lessinger says the only thing a professional can be held accountable for is sound practice.

College of Chest Physicians.

The U.S. Department of Labor's **Employment Standards Administration** has issued regulations requiring farm employers, as well as labor contractors, to assure that farm laborers are paid the minimum wage.

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the truck situation continued to improve, "it would just be a matter of taking care

of the backlog." A recent reallocation order of fuel from Ohio to Kentucky, which, according to the Federal Energy Office, was "shortchanged" in the original allocation, may result in a brighter fuel situation than Kentucky has experienced in some months. One spokesman for a local distributorship said, however, that he saw no indication that this would come about.

John Forrest Brown, of the Brown Produce Company here, said the food transportation situation has also eased considerably and that truck service seems to be returning to normal.

Under provisions of the Black Lung Benefits Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment Standards Administration on July 1, 1973, became responsible for all new claims of miners for black lung compensations.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

24, of West Prestonsburg.

Gordon Lester Freels, 20, and Micca Lauren Campbell, 16, both of Prestonsburg. Darvin Burchett, 36, and Miro Hall, 40, both of Prestonsburg. Walter Setser, 31. Prestonsburg and Janice Sue Barnett,

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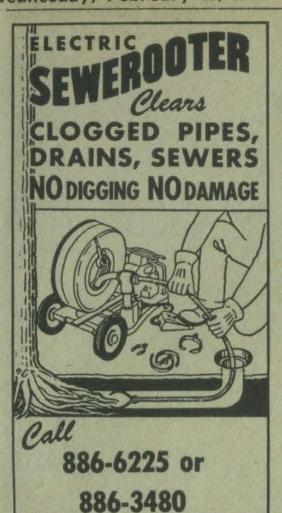
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While admission to the summer program does not require a minimum gradepoint standing, it does require the results of the American College Tests (ACT), which must be taken as early as

The juniors are treated like UK freshmen and may live in UK residence halls if they wish, according to Dr. John Greenway who is in charge of the program. Dr. Greenway also advises juniors throughout the summer.

A special feature of the summer program is a Juniors Colloquium which brings together students and faculty members in informal discussion

Parents of the students, or the juniors themselves, who have questions about the program are invited to visit the campus to talk with Dr. Greenway.

When requesting a change of address, be sure to state your old address.

# Legislative Overview/

By CHARLES R. SIZEMORE

training, Justice Department, has urged a joint subcommittee on criminal law to amend the state penal code to allow policemen to use deadly force to arrest anyone suspected of a felony.

Stone, former head of the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council, said if an amendment is passed, every police department would have definite procedures for a policemen using firearms.

Sen. Michael Moloney, D-Lexington, stated that the major opposition to this issue is whether a life and death decision should ever be in one man's hands.

House Bill 65, sponsored by Rep. Glenn White, D-Winchester, would create an eight member Mobile Home Certification and Licensure Board to judge the safety acceptability of mobile homes and recreational vehicles and to license dealers, salesmen and mechanics.

License fees would finance the operation of the inspection program, which would be carried out by the state Fire Marshal's Office.

Senate Bill 102, co-sponsored by Sen. Joe Stacey, D-West Liberty and Sen. Joe Graves, R-Lexington, would require insurance companies to roll back their rates and require all Kentucky motorists to carry insurance. The state does not have a compulsory insurance law now and many motorists are uninsured.

The first House bill of the legislative session has passed the Senate lowering the speed limit on state highways to 55 miles per hour.

The bill will become effective March 1, if signed by Gov. Ford, but motorists may begin seeing the new speed limit posted before then because of the time involved in changing the signs on Kentucky highways.

The House has passed a bill that would require magazine salesmen to show prospective customers proof of registration with county officials.

Solicitors must register with county court clerks instead of sheriffs or local chamber of commerces and pay a \$5 registration fee. The bill also has a benaity clause.

Gov. Wendell H. Ford revealed in his budget that the state has a surplus of \$83.5 million in the general-fund of federal revenue-sharing funds amassed during the current biennium.

Of the new \$4.4 billion biennium budget, \$264.5 million will go for construction projects along with increases in

Robert Slone, commissioner of welfare and food stamps, health and

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A June 7 wedding is planned.

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Futher inspection reveals an equally large "EW" on the back of the house for Esther, his wife.

He migrated with his family from Virginia in 1775 after being awarded 10,000 acres for military services. Construction soon began on his home. which is reputed to be the first brick house west of the Allegheny Mountains.

William Whitley was as colorful and eccentric as the house he built.

Whitley built his first floor windows six feet above the ground so Indians couldn't

For many years the Whitley home was the first private residence travelers encountered after leaving Virginia. Whitley thus saw himself as the guardian of Wilderness Road.

Besides sheltering pioneers, Whitley would immediately gather a few men and rush off after hearing of a local Indian raid. He would not return without cap-

The house even contains a dungeon for those Indians who persisted in trying his patience.

Whitley refused to accept standards other than his own. He once received news of a migrating couple losing their child to the Indians. He dutifully set off to get the child back. However, he then refused to return the little girl to her parents saying they had not defended her

The mother's grief was so extreme that Esther intervened on her behalf. If she had not done so, the Whitley household would have probably gained another

Whitley was not an indecisive man. Indian attacks persisted while the government did little to curtail them. Whitley and another military man thus gathered some men and raided Indian settlements in Tennessee, killing 52 warriors and capturing many women and children.

Whitley's party lost only one man. Believing that he had done the government a favor, Whitley asked for reinbursement. Although payment was denied him for the Indian raid, Whitley never expressed bitterness. His patriotism was reflected throughout the

Proud of the 13 original states, he built the same number of steps to the second floor. Each displays a carved eagle's head with an alive branch in its mouth.

His refusal to accept "Tory" customs was illustrated when Whitley built the West's first race track. Previously, all horses raced in a clockwise direction, a British tradition. Anyone desiring to enter a horse on Whitley's trace had to

#### Named To Dean's List

Dotty Lynn Alley, a freshman at Midway College, Midway, Kentucky, has been named to the college Dean's List with a grade point average of 3.45. A graduate of McDowell High School she is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wavis Alley. of East McDowell.

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race counter-clockwise. It eventually set a precedent which still holds true in

America today. The house contains a secret stairway leading from the second floor to the basement, but is is difficult to imagine Esther ever cowering there during an Indian attack. She was the perfect wife for Whitley.

During one of the many sporadic periods of peace with the Indians, the Whitleys were visited by Cherokees. When their ceremonial visit was wearing thin, the chief challenged Whitley to a shooting

Whitley declined, saying his wife was a better shot. Esther promptly accepted the offer and soon outshot everyone present. The astonished chief asked how she had learned to shoot so well and was told "it might become necessary if Indians ever attacked." The chief and his tribe soon departed.

Whitley was fond of boasting of his wife's dauntless nature. He often told of an incident at Logan's Station where Esther and several other women were outside the fort when a raiding party appeared. Esther's hat was shot off her head, but she calmly stooped to retreive it before racing for the fort's safety.

Whitley accordingly inscribed Esther's initials with his own on his rifle as a tribute to her bravery.

For many years Esther anxiously watched as her husband pursued those who dared threathen his family. He never failed to return until the War of 1812 when the Indians and British again combined

Although he was 64, Whitley refused to sit at home while his old enemies were about. He promptly disregarded hs former rank as colonel and enlisted as a private.

Many historians believe that he killed Tecumseh, a renowned Indian leader, during the battle of the Thames, although another Kentuckian, Richard M. Johnson, has been credited with the deed. After the battle Whitley's body was never found.

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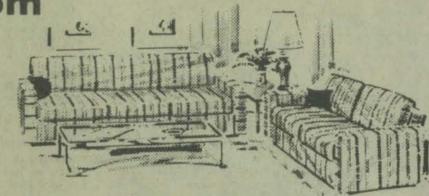
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# Caucus Leader Says Deed Curb Sure of Passage

Passage of House Bill 9, the legislation designed to curb powers of the Broad Form Deed, is "as sure as corn in the crib," House Caucus Leader W. J. Reynolds said at his home at Allen last

Reynolds said he expects the bill to be reported favorably by the House committee this week and this to be followed by quick action in the House. He added that support of the measure in the Senate is as strong as in the House.

The legislation will require surface mining operators to procure the written consent of the landowner, whose coal and other minerals have been conveyed by the old deed, before the operator can procure a mining permit from the state. It does not affect rights under the deed for deep mining.

Reynolds last week introduced in the House a bill to place under the Merit System highway and parks employees who have not hitherto had this protection as to position or from political pressures. The bill was introduced, he said, pursuant to the previous executive order to that effect. The executive order was in force only till the legislative session.

The bill will affect about 4,200 laborers and light equipment operators employed by highways and parks. "These," Reynolds said, "have been kicked around more than anybody in state government."

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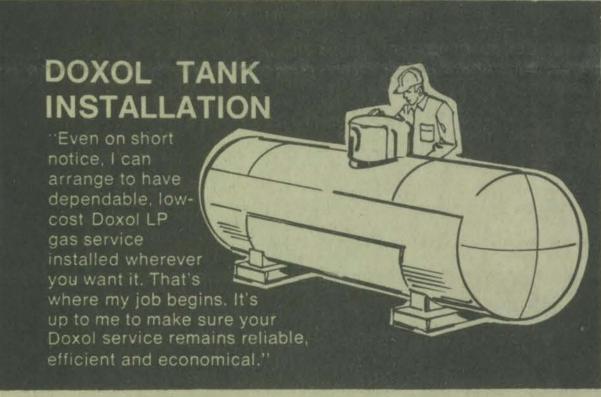
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C. OLLIE ROBINSON, FLOYD COUNTY CLERK, reminds all Floyd Countians that now is the time to get your 1974 auto and truck tags and, remember, if you have an OUT-OF-STATE VEHICLE you must have the title to this vehicle and also proof of payment of tax in the state where the vehicle was last titled.

Your county clerk will be at the following locations in the county to issue 1974 auto and truck tags:

TUESDAY, FEB. 12 - Post Office Building at Drift

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 13 -

Vernon Hall Grocery/Post Office Bldg. at McDowell

THURSDAY, FEB. 14 -

Denzil Hall Grocery on Big Mud at Grethel

FRIDAY, FEB. 15 — City Hall at Wheelwright; Bank Josephine at Allen; Right Beaver Food

Mkt. at Mouth of Brush Creek. SATURDAY, FEB. 16 — Jim Hall Grocery at Maytown (Langley); City Hall at Wheelwright; Bank Josephine Branch Bank at Allen.

MONDAY, FEB. 18 — Big Sandy Insurance at Martin.

TUESDAY, FEB. 19 -

Betsy Layne Post Office Building.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20 -

Betsy Layne Post Office Building.

The Clerk's office at the courthouse is open, Monday through Friday, until 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday until 4

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(Jan. 25 through Feb. 1) Sally Rowland, Auxier; Donna Hackworth, West Prestonsburg; Thomas Caldwell, Salyersville; Darrin Blackburn, Inez; Elsie Ritchie, Garner; Louise Perkins, Paintsville; Ray Bolen, Garrett; Roy Wireman, Wayland; Mae Collins, McCombs; Alex McCarty, Oil Springs; Polly Jones, Banner; Doris Prater, Prestonsburg; J. B. Ford, Prestonsburg; Judy Gipson, Salyersville; Roxie Waller, Prestonsburg; Danny Lawson, McDowell; LaDonna Hackworth, Salyersville; Ada Pack, Paintsville; Emma Lou Gray, Water Gap; Earl Cook, Debord; Slyvia Lawson, Honaker; William Smith, Prestonsburg; Paul B. Howard, Salyersville; Blaine Smith, Prestonsburg; Ethel S. Smith, Prestonsburg; Kevin Howard, Prestonsburg; Carrie Branham, Prestonsburg; Karlen Sue Slone, Estill; Grace Johnson, Melvin: Thomas Crothers, Paintsville; Wanda Preston, Oil Springs; Martha Caudill, Wayland; Gloria Faye Wiley, Betsy Layne; Herbert Blair, Water Gap; Virgil Mills, Tomahawk; James Holbrook, MD, Lexington; Oliver H. Marshall, Van Lear; Kennell Slone, Topmost; Emogene Cooley, Prestonsburg; James Michael Lewis, Banner; Sina Powers, Salversville; Irene Owens, Lackey; Mollie Salyers, Salyersville; Malcolm H. Collins, Prestonsburg; Rainey Beailley, Falcon; Earl Osborne, Clarksville; Frank G. Arnett, West Prestonsburg; Connie Lynne Harless, River; Wanda Howell, Dana; Bert Calhoun, Auxier; Debbie Coleman, Thelma; Bob Hall, Banner; Peacie Warrens, Garrett; Frederick Reffett, Thelma; Clyde B. Burchett, Prestonsburg; Willard L. Rader, Lackey; Malta Conn, Prestonsburg; Estill Spencer, Thealka; Vallie C. Pittenger (expired), Garrett; Corrine Shepherd, Gunlock; Mattie Reedy, Bevinsville; Lou Ellen Hicks, Pyramid; Norman Johnson, Hager Hill; Olive Thacker, Martin; David Kenneth Caldwell, Prestonsburg; Hester Adkins, Hueysville; Karen Hall, McDowell; Enda Rowe, Royalton; Robin Slone, Inez.

BIRTHS

Brian Keith Gipson, Salyersville, Jan. 22; Roxann Waller, Prestonsburg, Jan. 23; Timmy Lee Howell, Prestonsburg,

VISIT AT ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. Jack H. Cooley, Lexington, recently visited his sister, Mrs. Bud Pruitt, and family, of Allen.

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Faith Bible Church, Martin, Ky., was the setting for the wedding of Miss Charlene Justice and Mr. Ronald Keith Stumbo, December 29, 1973. The doublering ceremony was performed by the Rev. Robert Martin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Justice, of Martin. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stumbo, of Harold.

bride wore a formal gown of white delustered satin fashioned with chantilly lace covering the fitted empire bodice. the long fitted sleeves and chapel train forming a pyramid above the pleated, flounced hemline. She wore an elbowlength mantilla of double illusion which was edged with matching lace that fell from a camelot of chantilly ice and seed pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of red roses and white carnations.

An arched candelabra decorated with red and white roses placed behind the altar was accented by spiral candelabra on either side. Music was provided by Mrs. Alicia Mayo, who played nuptial selections—among them, the theme from "Romeo and Juliet," and accompanied Mr. Doug Smith, vocalist, who sang, "Color My World" and "More."

FRIDAY and

SATURDAY

Attending the bride were Miss Brenda Justice, of Martin, sister of the bride, who was maid of honor, and bridesmaids, Miss Clara Helen Salisbury, of Southgate, Mich., Miss Rhonda Keathley, of Allen, and Miss Suzanne Stumbo, of Harold, sister of the groom. The flower girl was Sherry Sue Dingus, of

The maid of honor wore a red velvet Given in marriage by her father, the gown trimmed in white Nottingham lace around the high neckline, down the bodice and at the empire waist. Her headpiece was a white fur face framer with red illusion. The bridesmaids wore identically fashioned gowns in emerald green velvet with matching headpieces. The maid of honor carried a nosegay of white carnations. The bridesmaids carried nosegays of red carnations.

Kane Hale, of Harold, served as best man. Ushers and taper lighters were John M. Stumbo, III, of Harold, Joe H. Cooley, of Prestonsburg, and Bill Stumbo, Jr., Huntington, W. Va.

The ringbearer was Jimmy Stumbo, of Harold, cousin of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Justice chose a light-blue formal gown with long sleeves and belted at the waist, a sleeveless long vest of light blue and beige flowers, covered the gown, with matching accessories and a yellow baby orchid. The groom's mother chose a winter-white formal gown with belted waistline, with matching accessories and a yellow baby orchid.

Guests were registered by Miss Mary Ellen Stumbo, of Harold, sister of the

A reception was held at the Martin school lunchroom.

After the reception the couple left for a wedding trip to Tennessee. They now reside in Richmond, Kentucky.

#### **ALLEN NEWS**

CLUB PLANS PAGEANT

The February meeting of the Allen Woman's Club was held at the home of Nancy Marcum. The president, Sue Frost, presided.

The club discussed the progress of the Little Miss Floyd County Pageant which will be held April 6 in the Pike Auditorium of Prestonsburg Community College.

The club will have a bake sale Feb. 16 in front of the Allen Post Office building and at Porter's Restaurant in Old Allen.

Refreshments were served to Janet Lester, Hollie Blanton, Karen Marcum, Margaret Tackett, Doris Clark, Lois Marshall, Sue Frost, Pam Elliott, Jo Ann Adams, Sue Reynolds, Dolores Smith, Belle Conn, Bonita Porter.

#### Advertisement For Bids

The City of Martin will accept sealed bids at City Hall, Martin, Kentucky until 7 p.m., Saturday, March 2, 1974 for the following projects:

No. 1 - Concrete sidewalk and retaining wall on Beaver Street beginning at Main Street and ending at Farmer Street, a distance of 0.01 miles.

No. 2 - Concrete sidewalk on Water Street beginning at Main Street, a distance of 0.01 miles.

No. 3 - Concrete sidewalk and retaining wall on Water Street beginning at NW end of bridge over Beaver Creek and ending at Cedar Street, a distance of 0.03

The work and its implementation will be accomplished in accordance with the current Bureau of Highways' policies, standards, and specifications and will be governed by the applicable Kentucky Statutes.

The City of Martin reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

City of Martin, Kentucky E. P. Grigsby, Mayor 2-6-2t.

# Insurance Rate Decrease To Benefit Carpoolers

tucky may soon find their insurance rates reduced by as much as 18 per cent, according to Harold B. McGuffey, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Insurance.

McGuffey has approved a proposal of the Insurance Services Office (ISO), a rating firm representing 150 insurance companies and about 50 per cent of the automobile insurance in Kentucky, allowing people involved in carpools a

reduction in rates beginning Feb. 1. The eligibility requirements are that

# **Cornett Seeks** Date in August For Primaries

Shorter and less expensive political campaigns is a current goal of Sen. John Chris Cornett, D-Hindman.

Cornett is sponsoring Senate Bill 120, which would change the date of Kentucky's primary elections from May to the first Saturday in August.

"Campaigns from May to November are too long," he said. "And every day a candidate must miss work to campaign for office, he loses money."

As campaigns have become so expensive, he added, "We're hearing more about the 'money bags' that help finance both national and state elections."

Cornett also sees a break for the public if his bill is passed. "We could give the voters a little rest from the bombardment by candidates," he said.

The primaries in May present a problem to college students who must come home to vote, he noted. "And many voters who work away from their home towns would benefit by changing election day from Tuesday to Saturday.'

Also, with Kentucky's good weather in June and July, "it would be easier for primary candidates to get out and meet the people."

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People involved in carpools in Ken- carpoolers must drive the pool no more than two days a week or two weeks in any five week period and be insured by an ISO affiliate.

Carpoolers must also travel a certain distance to be eligible for a rate reduction. According to the qualification standards, those who travel 0-3 miles receive no rate reduction; 3-10 miles, 13 percent; and 10 miles and over, 18 per-

McGuffey added that if everyone insured by ISO affiliates drove in a carpool and met eligibility requirements, approximately \$8 million dollars could be reduced in insurance rates across the Some other major insurance com-

panies, acting on their own account, have

said they would grant insurance premium refunds or dividends to carpoolers instead of rate reductions if the 1974 year proves to be profitable, according to McGuffey.

"In my opinion I expect every insurance company to either make reductions at this time or make increased dividends or refunds," to those involved in carpools, McGuffey said.

GRADUATES AT KEESLER

Biloxi, Miss. - Airman First Class David R. Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis D. Mullins, Wheelwright, Ky., has graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the U.S. Air Force communications analysis specialist course conducted by the Air Trainng Command. He is being assigned to Karamusel Air Station, Turkey, for duty with an Air Force support unit.

Mullins is a 1969 graduate of Wheelwright High School.



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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., utility r., 2 full baths, cent. heat, 23,000-B.T.U. air-cond., curtains and drapes to stay. City water, Columbia Fuel gas, new roof, w. to w. carpet, containing 1800+ sq. ft. living space. Lancer Add., Willow Lane.

Business or residential, above Bull Cr. Bridge approach to Jenny Wiley. 154 front feet extending to B. S. River. 1 acre more or less. Ideal for motel to care for Jenny Wiley over-flow.

RANCH HOME. Completely dry basement, (ground level one side) with fully equipped kitchen, dinette, rec. room or bed r, fireplace, utility room, covered patio-down. Upper floor of beautiful oak, 2 b.r., kit., d. r., l. r., carport up. Fronts Hwy. 228 feet. Built by contractor for himself. Located at Price, Ky., and seen by appt. Owner moving to Florida.

1972 Eagle Mobile Home 5 rooms, natural gas heat, completely furnished, garden, above highwater, drilled well-soft water, in sight of blacktop road on 1/2 A., East McDowell.

Building lots \$4,000.00 up. New Home ready for you to select your carpet, 3 b.r., l. r., d. r.-kit. 11/2 baths. On b. top, near Prestonsburg G. School., H. S., and Com. Coll. Hatfield-Johnson, Development, Abbott Cr., 31/2 mi. from Prestonsburg.

3 large bedrooms, 11/2 baths, plenty extra large closets, modern kitchen, dining room (both large), family rm., liv. rm., utility room, A.A. bar, central heat and air, free gas (no limit), 2 fireplaces, walls & ceil insulated. Dish w., disposal, garbage compacter. 90 ft. carport & patio with gas. Charcoal grill, on lot 100' x 110'. Located on corner lot, Lancer Bottom. Owner transferred.

Duplex apt., or large home. 2 b. r., blt.-in kitchen-dinette, bath, 1 rm. down. 2 b. r., kitch.-dinette, 1 rm., bath up. Upstrs. Now renting \$125.00 mo. Outside entrance. School bus by door. Sewing factory walk. dist. Oak flrs., completely refinished. Garden in rear. Located in Auxier. Live down while up helps pay for both.

Baby farm, 81/2 A., 3 b.r., bath, kitchen-dinette, 1 rm, fireplace. Concrete bl., panneled 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.

LUXURY AND PRACTICAL HOME. On rolling lot, 84'x152'. Partial story down with b.r., rec. room with full size pool table, fireplace, full bath. Main floor-3 b.r., 2 full baths, beautiful kitchen with d. washer, compacter, disposal, sunken d. r., l. r., den, w. to w. carpet, the best. 2 car garage, patio. Liv. space 3136 sq. ft., garage 644 sq. ft. 2 yrs. old but like new. Built by Tom O. McGuire from the best materials. Owner transferred to Bluefield, W. Va. Located on corner Court and Highland.

House on 1/2 acre. Nice lawn and garden space. Two-bedroom, kitchen, dining room, living room, bath. Heated by coal furnace or LP gas. Located forks of Abbott Creek.

2-story, 5-bedroom, l. r., kitchen, d. r., utility room and bath, 2 rooms carpeted, 35c gas rate,; barn and carport, new bake-on metal siding, 4 mi. from Hueysville on Rt. 7, containing approx. 11/2 acres.

3 b. r., l. r., kit., d. r. and bath, full basement partially finished, coal furnace, new h. water heater, plenty soft water from never failing spring. Located 1 mi. below Emma on R. R. side, containing approx. 11/2 A., extending to river.

200 acres, four-room house, free gas, lots of timber (nothing cut in past 50 yrs.) Small barn, smokehouse, .13 A. tobacco base. Located Left Fork of Abbott. Lays well for grazing or you can just roast your shins with free gas and watch your timber grow dollars for you.

New brick. You may wear the new off. Three b. rooms, 11/2 baths, large kit., d. r. area, nice cabinets, Whirpool stove and hood (coppertone), double stainless steel sink, lazy susan in corner floor cabinets, utility room with washer-dryer connections. Quality wall-to-wall carpet, except kitchen. Plenty closets, drilled well. House completely panneled, insulated ceiling and floor, individual controlled panel, elec. heat. Located on lot-100'x135' near mouth of Raccoon on Salt Lick, on Route 7.

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4 b.r., 11/2 baths, l. r., kit., d. room, den, plenty closets, 3 fireplaces, partial basement, new copper plumbing, new wiring, newly painted-in & out. W to w carpet down. Located on large lot end of S. 3rd. Approx. 3/4 A., plenty garden, ext. to river. Appt. only.

DUPLEX-2 story apartments, each containing 2 bedrooms, kitchendining room, large living room. Downstairs completely furnished, kitchen upstairs fully furnished, and two air-conditioners to stay. Located on Highland Ave., within sight of both grade and high school, and within walking distance of the college. Live in one while the other helps pay for both. Possession immediately.

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# Betsy Layne Student Wins Floyd Essay, Poster Contest



ANITA LOU AUXIER Essay contest winner

Anita Lou Auxier, Betsy Layne High School student, is the county winner of the 1973 Conservation Essay Contest. Dell Jaggers, of Prestonsburg High School, was the second-place winner. Subject of the essay was, "Fish and Wildlife Conservation: What Can I Do"? The winning essay and poster have been sent to The Courier-Journal for judging in the statewide contest.

The county winner in the poster contest on the same subject for grades 1 through 5 was William V. Swartz, of Prestonsburg Elementary School. Hassell Henry Craft. Allen Elementary School, was the second-place winner in the poster con-

The total number of entries was 2,477 essays and 859 posters.

The contest is sponsored annually by the Courier-Journal and the Floyd County Conservation District, with assistance from the U.S. Soil Conservation Service and the Floyd county superintendent's office.

The Floyd County Conservation District will present \$224 in cash awards to student-winners, plus six school awards or trophies, and a number of teachers will receive honor certificates. Miss Auxier will receive local cash awards of \$17 and a \$25 U. S. Savings Bond from The Courier-Journal. William V. Swartz will receive local cash awards of \$15 and a Certificate of Merit from the Courier-Journal. School winners received \$5 first-place awards and \$3 for

Essay contest winners in the various schools follow, the first and second award winners appearing in order in each instance:

Allen Central High- Jerri E. Sammons and Glennis Slone; Prestonsburg High-Dell Jaggers and Janie Beverly; Betsy Layne High-Anita Lou Auxier and Gwinette Gaye Mitchell; Allen Elementary-Mitzie Rae Beverly and Cheri Ann Hinchman; Betsy Layne Elementary-Chris Conn and Stacey Conn; Clark Elementary-Teresa Allen, Peggy Prater; Garrett Elementary-Sharon L. Martin, Galen Gearheart; Harold Elementary-Karen Gail Newman, Yellonda Denience Edmonds; Martin Elementary-Kim Terry, James Alvin Ousley; Melvin-Debbie Hall, Janet Hall; Dwale-Denvil DeWayne Burchell, Vincent Stephens; Prestonsburg Elementary-Ida Kaye Miller, Kathy Stephens; John M. Stumbo-Anita Hamilton, Bertha Ray; Wayland-Connie Frances Slone, Judy Rena Jones; Bonanza-Diania Grim, Robie Prater; Home Branch-Mary V. Elste, Clara Sue

First and second award winners in the

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55 MILES, TOP SPEED

A bill reducing the maximum speed limit on Kentucky highways to 55 mph has been signed into law by Gov. Wendell H. Ford. The measure, to be effective March 1, was recently passed by both chambers of the General Assembly to comply with federal standards in an effort to save fuel during the energy

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all the people who helped during the illness and at the funeral of our father, James Hughes. We especially thank Dr. Lowell Martin and staff of Our Lady of the Way Hospital. and Hall Brothers Funeral Home, Rondal Hayes, Bert Howard and all who sent flowers and who helped in any way. MRS. JAMES HUGHES and Family

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Building lot-40'x122', located back of and adjoining Pelphrey's Cabinet Shop, Pbg.

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# Statement

Paul S. Stark Administrator

The Governing Board of Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, at its regular meeting, March 30, 1973, drew up a statement upholding the Right to Life. The text of the resolution is as follows:

Whereas, Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, is a Catholic sponsored health facility committed to the right to life of all human beings from the moment of conception;

Whereas, the God-given gift to man of life itself and the transmission of life carry with them the moral obligation of reverence for human life and a responsibility to protect the right to life, particularly the right to defenseless life;

Whereas, any deliberate medical procedure, the sole purpose of which is to deprive a fetus or embryo of its life, is in violation of the principles of the Catholic faith and the God-given right to life of all human beings;

Whereas, Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, is legally permitted and obligated to make such rules and regulations as are reasonable to promote the protection and saving of human life;

Be it resolved, that no medical procedure, the sole purpose of which is to deprive a fetus or an embryo of its life shall be performed in Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, and

Be it further resolved, that this resolution be circulated to all physicians and health care staff of Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, and be made available to patients who request an abortion and to any interested person; and

Be it also resolved, that Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, Kentucky, take all steps necessary and proper to implement this policy, including without limitation, sending a certified copy of this resolution to Federal and State Senators and Representatives of Kentucky, to President Richard Nixon, to the Catholic Hospital Association, the American Hospital Association, and to have it published in the Floyd County Times.

Sister Mary Catherine Hunt, C.D.P. President, Governing Board

March 30, 1973

# Jerry's Sweepstakes Winners Named



Mrs. Jack Absher and Boyd Thompson, manager of Jerry's Restaurant here, draw for the names of the five winners of Jerry's Sweepstakes Contest. Winner of the grand prize, a vacation for two in Florida for five days and four nights, was Winn Ford, of Prestonsburg. Other prize winners were: 2nd, Chaddie Selvey, color television; 3rd, Lorraine Salisbury, 10-speed bicycle; 4th, Gary Wright, set of golf clubs; 5th, Lisa Freels, four tickets to the finals of the state high school basketball tournament.

# Jenny Wiley Summer Theatre To Hold Auditions, February 23

The Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theater will hold auditions and interviews for its 10th anniversary season (1974) at the auditorium in the Pike Technology Building at Prestonsburg Community College at 1 p.m., Saturday,

The tentative season will consist of a special review program to be presented weekly celebrating the 10th anniversary of the theater and four musical productions to be performed in the Amphitheater at Jenny Wiley State Park. The musical productions, which include some of Broadway's biggest hits, are "Oh, Susanna," "Fiddler on the Roof," "Destry Rides Again" and "Promises,

All staff positions and all roles in all productions are open. Those hired will be employed in fulltime salaried positons, beginning as early a's June 8, but no later than July 26 through August 20.

Those interested in staff positions should prepare a detailed resume, which includes three professional references. Technical and design personnel should prepare a resume and portfolio of technical experience and sketches of design work which has been executed, along with budget estimates and actual cost figures. Musicians should submit a resume of experience and training, which includes three

# Perkins Files For Re-Election Hindman Fiddlers' Meet

Congressman Carl D. Perkins, dean of the Kentucky congressional delegation in Washington, last week filed with the Secretary of State his candidacy for renomination at the May primary election.

Congressman Perkins has represented the Seventh district since he was first elected in the office in 1948. He is chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee and is one of the most influential members of the Congress.

The Knott county native served, prior to his election to Congress, as commonwealth's attorney of the 31st judicial district, as state representative and county attorney of Knott county. A veteran of World War II, he practised law before entering politics.

professional or academic references Staff, technical and design personnel, and musicians will be hired on the basis of resume, references and personal in-

Actors and actresses must be able to sing and dance. Their audition material should consist of a one-minute classical or contemporary comedy reading that is committed to memory and a song which best demonstrates vocal range and ability to project.

Requests for additional information should be directed to Thomas J. Cleary, Jr., General Manager, Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theater, P. O. Box 22, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

#### Hatcher Twins Named To U.K. Dean's List

Elissa Lea and Elizabeth Lynn Hatcher are among the University of Kentucky students named to the dean's list in the College of Education. To be named to the dean's list in the College of Education, students must attain a grade point standing of 3.5 or better, based on a

The Misses Hatcher, seniors at U.K., attained a grade point average of 3.7. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Glen Hatcher, of Frankfort, and granddaughters of Mrs. Fanny S. Jarrell, of Prestonsburg.

# Hillard McKinney Wins

A Floyd county man, Hillard McKinney, of Martin, won the best fiddler award at the fiddlers' convention and jamboree held at Hindman. The contest, sponsored by Hindman American Legion Post, was postponed from Friday until Monday night because of inclement weather.

Among other winners was Emma Smith, of Hindman, who won as best soloist. Entering the contest from Floyd county were the Howard Twins and the Beaver Valley Boys.

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#### NOTICE

Department of the Treasurery - Internal Revenue Service. Notice of Public Auction Sale. Under authority contained in section 6331 of the Internal Revenue Code, the property described below has been seized for nonpayment of delinquent internal revenue taxes due from George L. and Vivian Shannon. The property will be sold at public auction in accordance with the provisions of section 6335 of the Internal Revenue Code, and pertinent egulations. Date of Sale: February 25th, 1974. Time of Sale: 2:00 p.m. Place of Sale: at the property site on Route 23, south of Prestonsburg, Ky. and in front of the Kentucky Carpet Building. Description of Property:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the Big Sandy River and being a part of the same land, designated as Tract 2, conveyed to the party of the first party by Olga M. Latta, et al by deed dated June 12, 1948, and recorded in Deed Book 139 at Page 323, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office. Said land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in the right of way of U.S. Highway 23 at the cross fence above what is known as the Seibert place, corner of the line of Reba H. Mayo, et. al; thence up the hill with the fence, N 20 30 E. 952.6 feet to a stake on top of dividing point between Mayo Branch and Big Sandy River, and line of Regina B. Mayo, et. al: witnessed by a 30-inch black oak, 12.4 feet to left and 4-inch locust 13.9 feet to right corner of Reba H. Mayo, et. al; thence down the dividing point of Mayo Branch and Big Sandy River to a cross on a rock on center of point, corner of Regina B. Mayo, et al, and Mabel M. Curnutte; thence down the dividing point to a cross on a rock, corner of Mable M. Curnutte; thence down the dividing point to a cross on a rock, corner of Mable M. Curnutte; and Lucille M. Herndon; thence down the point to a stake witnessed by a 10-inch hickory, corner of Marion M. Salisbury and Lucille M. Herndon; thence down the center of point with Marion M. Salisbury's line to a stake in H. L. Mayo line, corner of Marion M. Salisbury's and Anna B. Allen; thence S. 16 W .10 feet to a large sycamore near the right of way to U.S. Highway 23; thence a westerly direction with the right of way of U.S. Highway 23 to the point of beginning. It is understood that a roadway seven (7) feet wide on each side of the center line of the following survey is reserved for the use of the tracts of land on Mayo Branch, beginning at intersection of present roadway with U.S. Highway 23 opposite home of J. D. Mayo S. 65 30 E. 256 feet to line of Marion M. Salisbury.

There is excluded from this conveyance and no hereby conveyed that portion of the above described property formerly conveyed to Duran Moore and Kathleen Moore by deed dated July 23, 1951 and recorded in Deed Book 148 at Page 301 of said clerk's office. All minerals, including coal, oil and gas in, on and under said land has heretofore been reserved.

There is also excluded, the following described property:

THIS DEED OF CONVEYANCE, made and entered into this 2 day of August, 1969, between George L. Shannon and Vivian Shannon, his wife, parties of the first part, and Donald L. Horn, party of the second part, Witnesseth:

That said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), cash in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell and convey to the party of the second party, his heirs and assigns, the following described property, to-wit:

Being part of the same land conveyed to parties of the first part by Anna B. Allen by deed bearing date September 11, 1963, recorded in Deed Book 183, at Page 274, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a corner common with the property of William O. Goebel, Jr. and the East Right-of-Way line of U.S. Route 23: Thence running as follows: North 39 degrees - 29'-30" East 8.20 feet to a large sycamore on the North side of Mayo Branch: North 16 degrees-00' East 10.00 feet to a stake; North 04 degrees-07'-30" West 119.36 feet to a stake; North 03 degrees-36' West 140.84 feet to a stake; North 12 degrees-54'-30" West 131.76 feet to a stake; North 23 degrees-28' West 71.14 feet to a stake; Southwest 325 feet to a stake on the East Right-of-Way line of U S. Route 23; with the East Right-of-Way line of U. S.Route 23 350.00 feet to a stake and the beginning; Containing 1.3 acres more or less.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same, together with all appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the party of the second part, his heirs and assigns forever, and the said parties of the first part hereby covenants with the said party of the second part, that they will warrant the title to the property hereby conveyed unto the said party of the second part and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, the parties of the first part have hereunto subscribed their names the day and year aforesaid.

Property may be inspected at: Property site. Payment terms: Full payment required upon acceptance of highest bid. Type of Payment: All payments must be by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal, bank, express or telegraph money order. Make checks and money orders payable to "Internal Revenue Service." Title Offered: Only the right, title, and interest of George L. and Vivian Shannon in and to the property will be offered for sale.

Ronald C. Clark, Revenue Officer, Feb. 12. 1974. Address for information concerning sale: Ronald C. Clark, Internal Revenue Service, P. O. Box 263, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240; Phone 789-5406.

# MACK MANAGER RECEIVES AWARD



J. R. McClung (right), president of Eastern Kentucky Mack, Inc., presenting a five-year Service Award pin to Floyd Greene, Mack's general manager here.

# Broad Form Deed Bill Among **Issues Before Legislators**

By LARRY CAMPBELL

Efforts to open the House Rules Committee meetings to the public and press were defeated by a voice vote, but several reforms were adopted.

The committee can no longer hold a bill indefinitely; it must either refer a bill to the floor or back to a standing committee. Also, voting is no longer done in absolute secrecy; sponsors of a bill may be present for the discussion and vote. A similar attempt to open the Rules Committee in the Senate met defeat during the second week of the session.

A bill to create a state commission that could condemn certain landowners' oil reserves passed the House 74 to 18, despite allegations that it is another "broad-form deed."

## Several Bills Face **Kentucky Senate**

A bill designed to encourage bicycle riding in Kentucky was approved by the House Committee on Public Utilities and Transportation. Rep. Bruce Blythe, sponsor of HB 331, said that this bill would put the bicycle in its proper position as a mode of transportation. The bill would also remove bicycles from the state's "slow-moving vehicles" classification.

After much debate, Senate Resolution 9. which calls for a U.S. constitutional amendment that would prohibit abortion except to save the mother's life, gained a favorable report from the House Health and Welfare Committee. Rep. Victor Hellard sought to amend the resolution to permit abortion in cases of forcible rape and incest but his amendment attempt failed by a vote of 8 to 5. The bill will now go to the floor of the House for its con-

The Senate passed Senate Resolution 16, which would provide for a study of the impact of a ban on throwaway bottles and cans. The bill, sponsored by Sen. John Berry, D-New Castle, introduced the study proposal after abandoning all hope of passage this year of a bill that

would ban throwaway bottles and cans. HB 50, a bill which would guarantee collective bargaining rights for all public employes, won approval by the House Labor and Industry Committee. The measure would allow the estimated 114,000 state and local government workers to organize and negotiate with their elected employers.

SB 15, which would make Veteran's Day Nov. 11 instead of the fourth Monday in October, passed the House and is on its way to Gov. Wendell Ford for final approval. The bill passed the House without debate by a vote of 91 to 1.

SB 183, a measure to modernize Kentucky's court system, has been introduced in the Senate. The bill proposes a constitutional amendment that would have to be ratified by a majority of the voters in the state. SB 183 proposes two major changes in the states judiciary. Creation of an intermediate court to hear cases arising from circuit court appeals, and creation of a lower court that would replace the quarterly, police, and justice of the peace courts.

Rep. Frank Quickert, D-Louisville, moved that an anti-abortion resolution be taken away from the Health and Welfare Committee and brought to the floor for immediate consideration. The attempt to take the bill away from the committee was thwarted however, after a series of parliamentary procedure battles and a tabling motion by Rep. David Karem, D-Louisville.

STARLING TROUBLE Gov. Wendell H. Ford has declared

a state of emergency in Christian county and requested assistance from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. An estimated 10 million starlings have caused the county to suffer from serious economic losses and health problems during the past year. In a letter to U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz, Gov. Ford noted the "destruction of wheat crops, loss of grain feed for livestock and the loss of livestock due to the disease carried by these birds." Also, he continued, "Human histoplasmosis is well documented in this area of Kentucky due to the presence of these birds in such great numbers."

Sponsors of the bill HB 64, say the move will help solve the fuel shortage by encouraging deep-well drilling. It would permit (with commission consent) an oil company to take the reserves of any landowner who refuses to lease his share of an oil pool jointly owned by several neighbors. The owner would be entitled to full value of the oil.

Asst. Atty. Gen. David Short, has issued an opinion, at the request of Rep. Raymond Overstreet, R-Liberty, that HB-9, relating to the remedy of broad form deed, is legal. If adopted, HB 9 would require the

approval of a surface landowner before the state could issue a surface-mining permit to a coal operator. Present court rulings have held that mineral rights owners can mine coal in any manner, including strip mining, even though that type of mining was little known when the deeds were signed.

Awaiting action in the Judiciary Committee is HB 299, which would place strict regulations on abortions. Cosponsors content that the bill is "motivated by the legislative intrusion of the U.S. Supreme Court by virtue of its decisions removing the protection afforded the unborn. The bill requires counseling and

written consent before an abortion can be performed, prohibits the procedure after the 90th day of pregnancy unless performed by a licensed physician in a hospital or clinic meeting state does, and prohibits abortion after the unborn has reached viability, except when necessary to protect the mother's life or health.

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Brooks lists some safety precautions to help free your home from the possibility of carbon monoxide poisoning. You can do these things yourself, or have a reliable heating company send one of its servicemen.

Make sure that heating equipment is vented into a safe chimney, whose walls are tight and well-mortared. Keep the chimney clean: remove soot, broken bricks, bird nests, and anything else that might keep gas from escaping. Test the chinmey to see if it draws well by placing a lighted match near the clean-out or other opening. If smoke is drawn up the chimney, it is drawing properly.

Check vent pipes to make sure there are no holes or loose connections where gas fumes can escape back into the home

Use habachies and other charcoal grills outdoors only, says Brooks, unless proper ventilation for gas fumes is provided. Never be tempted to grill a steak in the garage or closed-in porch.

Symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning are drowsiness, headaches, dizziness, confusion, nausea, muscular weakness, and unconsciousness. However, do not depend on these symptoms to warn you of possible danger. If someone is overcome by carbon monoxide gas, get him to fresh air and immediately begin mouth-to-mouth rescue breathing.

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#### Notice to Bidders

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept until 12 o'clock noon March 2, 1974 bids for the following items:

Five 10,000 BTU rating air conditioners 20 (more or less) 20,000 to 24,000 BTU Air Conditioners Bid price to include free delivery to

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

For further details contact Ray Brackett, Ass't Supt., Floyd County

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# Allen to Teach Photography Class

Beginning Photography will be taught during the spring semester at Prestonsburg Community College by Quentin Allen, who is known for his expertise in the field of photography. The course will include handling of camera, use of filters, exposure meter, film processing and general picture-taking techniques. Emphasis will be placed on darkroom procedures. Classes will meet on Mondays, 7-8:30 p.m., in the Pike Technology Building, beginning February 18.

Other classes include Art-Drawing Composition and Design, which will be taught by Marvin Meade (Feb. 14); Simple Handloom Methods, a basic weaving course taught by Sister Mary Piniau (Feb. 20), and Russian Gourmet Cooking, taught by Cathy Sawchak (Feb. 20). For further information contact the community services office at the college, telephone 886-3863.

#### Worship, a Feature At Mountain Manor

The worship service held at Mountain Manor Nursing Home last Sunday was a highlight for all patients, employees, friends, and families. Approximately 200 to 250 attended. The services were under the direction of Rev. Lee Caudill, pastor of Lancer Baptist Chapel. Accompanying him was a singing group, "The New Inspirationals," who often appear on the Religious Hour of the Grand Ole Opery.

During a recent worship service at the Nursing Home Mabel Goble one of the patients, made her profession of faith. The services were under the direction of Reb. Sanford Rucker, pastor of Community Methodist Church. She was baptized at the nursing home.

#### Advertisement for Bids

COMMUNITY CABLE

TELEVISION FRANCHISES Pursuant to a resolution of the Floyd Fiscal Court adopted on the 6th day of February, 1974, authorizing the division of Floyd County into Cable Television areas and the awarding of Franchises to the highest and best bidder and the County having been divided into thirtytwo (32) areas as shown on a map filed in the County Clerk's Office, together with written descriptions of each area. Bids will be received for each area. The maximum rates that may be charged and other required regulations are set out in the resolution and same may be examined in the County Clerk's Office by any interested prospective bidder.

Sealed bids will be received on each of the designated areas based on a percentage of gross income, and such bid may only list the number of the area bid on. All bids will be filed with the County Court Clerk on or before 4 p.m., March 5, 1974 and such bids will be opened by the Fiscal Court on March 6, 1974.

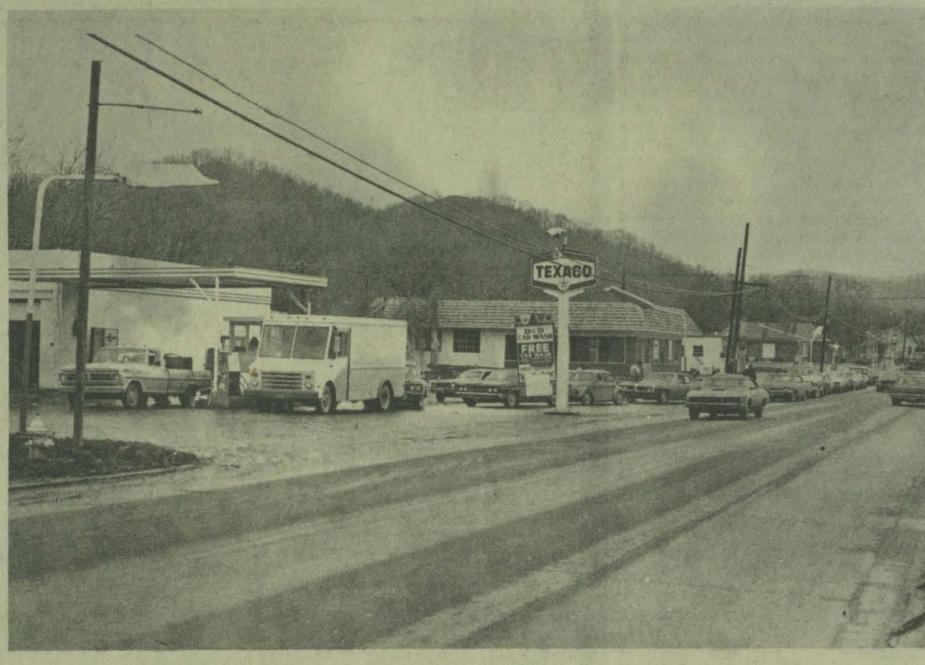
The Franchise will be let to the highest and best bidder, but the Fiscal Court has the right to reject any and all bids and will be the sole judge as to who is the highest and best bidder.

The Franchise will be issued for a period of fifteen (15) years and the successful bidder will be ready to execute bond guaranteeing that he will place in operation such system in the area he is awarded within a period of six (6) months, unless such bidder is the owner of a system covering the entire area. A successful bidder who is the owner of a system in the area may be required to up-grade his system to meet the requirements set out in the resolution.

A copy of this advertisement will be posted on the Court House bulletin board and shall be published in at least two issues of the Floyd County Times prior to the date for opening bids.

This the 6th day of February 1974. Floyd County Fiscal Court

# During Last Week's Gasoline 'Drouth'



This long line of waiting cars at a Prestonsburg service station last Friday was a scene repeated throughout the section during last week's gasoline shortage.

# Strongest 'Strip' Criticism Directed At Paintsville Reclamation Office

By BILL PETERSON (In The Courier-Journal)

Despite repeated official assurances to the contrary, a \$100,000 study of stripmining in Eastern Kentucky portrays the state Division of Reclamation as a harried, inefficient organization that has been susceptible to corruption and provides uneven enforcement of stripmine laws.

A final draft of the government study, prepared for the Kentucky Division of Reclamation, warns that strip mine enforcement "has not kept pace with the rapid growth in the coal industry and has been hampered in the past by pressure from Frankfort.

The three-year analysis, part of the most extensive study of Eastern Kentucky strip-mining ever undertaken, focused primarily on observations and data collected 1969-72-the last half of the administration of former Gov. Louie B. Nunn and the first year after he left of-

It directs its hearshest criticism at enforcement of strip mine regulations by the reclamation division's Paintsville office during 1971.

Reclamation officers, the report said, knew of "widespread corruption and inefficiency" in the Paintsville office, but could do nothing about it "because of political constraints."

The office, it noted, issued only about half as many citations for alleged permit

SCHOOL RECEIVES AWARD

The state's first systems high school, Rockcastle County High School, has been selected for national display at the 1974 Exhibition of School Architecture in Houston, Texas. The open concept school features movable interior walls providing flexibility and freedom and allowing classroom areas to change in size, shape, texture, and temperatue. The structural system is based on a 5' systems module.

violations in its 14-county area as did inspectors in two other Eastern Kentucky areas.

The report was prepared by Mathematica, Inc., a Princeton, N. J., consulting firm and financed by the Appalachian Regional Commission.

Although the final draft is dated April 30, 1973, and was prepared to aid state legislatures and other officials in considering changes in strip mine regulations, state and federal officials have repeatedly refused to release its

The Courier-Journal obtained copies of the report from sources in Kentucky and Washington after these sources became concerned that it wouldn't be released before the Kentucky General Assembly adjourns, or that key parts of it might be "negotiated out."

Contacted in Hazard, where he was leading legislators on a tour of strip mine areas, Thomas Harris, state commissioner of natural resources, said he planned to make the report public Wednesday (Feb. 6).

Harris said most abuses singled out in the study have been corrected, or are being worked on. He called it a "fair, unbiased study that we wanted done."

The study contends many of the abuses could have been spotted years ago if the reclamation division were administered more efficiently and if data it collects had been put to use. It cites the following shortcomings of strip mine law enforcement:

-Violations of strip mine laws are widespread. Inspectors found major law violations in 40 percent of the visits they made to strip mine sites in 1971.

-Enforcement has been uneven. In 1971, inspectors issued only 38 violation notices in 364 inspections in Pike county, the largest single producer of strip mine coal in Eastern Kentucky. By contrast, they issued 103 violations in 175 visits in Leslie County and 273 in 526 inspections

-The \$300-per-acre bond which coal operators are required to post with the state is inadequate to reclaim ravaged land if forfeited.

-Certain strip mine operators show a pattern of "irresponsible" action, but are allowed to continue in operation, causing environmental ruin and considerable cost to the state.

-Inspectors aren't kept up to date on changes in regulations. "Sometimes the mine operators knew before the inspectors about changes."

-Too much weight is put on the number of violations an inspector finds in determining his advancement. They are rewarded for the mines that have the most problems, rather than the ones that are most healthy.

Reclamation officials, the report contends, should adopt policies to eliminate stripping in chronic problem areas and weed "rotten apples in the barrel" out of business. It provides a list of "dirty dozen" and "expensive eleven" operators. It also says that two of the larger East Kentucky operators-Vols Coal and Big H. Combs Coal-were among "certain notorious companies" that ranked poorly in "reclamation performances."

The report recommends that stripping be stopped in areas where it causes massive environmental ruin and that reclamation officials modernize their methods with computers, shortwave radios and aerial inspections of stripped

It also takes a healthy swipe at two myths, perpetuated by coal industry spokesmen: That a few "quick buck" operators cause most strip-mining problems and tha large operators do

better reclamation jobs than small ones. The study found "very few" fast-buck operations and said large and mediumsize operators, who are responsible for two-thirds of strip mine production, violate strip mine regulation far more frequently than small ones.

STUDENTS DISCOVER PROBLEMS To give high school students an idea of the real problems he faces in his job, one Minnesota principal sends the school paper staff to many meetings he attends dealing with current problems, including

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Harris said he has not read the report.

However, he vehemently denied that the

reclamation division hasn't kept pace

with the times during the administration

It has, he asserted, taken steps to

computerize data, put shortwave

radios in inspections vehicles and

increase both the division's budget and

Reclamation in the 14-county North-

eastern Kentucky area formerly ad-

ministered out of Paintsville (the office is

now located in Prestonsburg) is still "the

worst in the state," he conceded, but is

Harris, an appointee of Gov. Ford, first

reported widespread disregard for state

reclamation regulations shortly after

becoming director of reclamation. After

visiting the area, he said abuse of the reg-

ulations was "beyond comprehension."

He suspended eight strip-mine permits in

Pike county at the time and announced

he would file suit against four other

Carter Combs, whom some coal in-

dustry spokesmen had urged Gov. Ford

appoint reclamation director, was

transferred from his post as reclamation

supervisor in the Paintsville area and

Joe Boggs, the current supervisor in

the Hazard area, said in a separate in-

terview he has never encountered any

political interference from Frankfort in

"It may have been that way at one

later left the state government.

time, but it isn't now," he said.

carrying out his job.

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# 15 Years Is a Mighty Long Time For ONLY THREE Channels

The new resolution of the Floyd County Fiscal Court to regulate by franchise the operation of television systems is, in my opinion, another attempt to impose secondrate service on the people of Floyd County.

suggest that the people who have television in their homes take a close look into this matter before it is too late. Fifteen years is a mighty long time.

Akers Cable System, Inc.

**Everett Akers** 





# To Win Your Heart! MINIMUM PURCHASE Kleen Valentine Values...

Sliced Cheese

pkg.

**TableRite** Buttermilk

Smucker

Grape Jelly

32-oz. jar

> Shasta Diet Drinks

12-oz. can

> Creamette Elbow Macaroni Or

Long Spaghetti

32-oz. box

# FRESH PRODUCE

TableFresh Golden Bananas	The state of the s						lb.	12°
Bartlette Pears						6	for	59°
TableFresh Green Kale	100					C	ello	39°

## SPECIALLY PRICED

Baby Lotion	9-oz. bottle	89°
Baby Oil	10-oz. bottle	89°
Johnson & Johnson Baby Powder	14-oz.	89°
Panty Hose		
Reg. Super Or Plus  Kotex	box of 12	46°

RIGHT TO LIMIT

Sale!

SUGAR FREE

QUANTITIES

Joan Of Arc

Golden Corn

IGA TableRite

Chuck Roast

17-oz. can

Whole Kernel Or Cream

REQUIRED

JIFFY

Kleenex

Facial Tissue

Fischer's

**PICNICS** 



**Beef Stew** 

24-oz.

Love That Roast

Frank's Sauce &

Gravy Mix

Flavors pkg.

IGA

TableTreat

Sandwich Bread

20-oz. loaf

# DEPENDABLE MEATS

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BEEF	1b. 99¢
TableRite	TableRite
SHOULDER	BONELESS
ROAST	ROAST
200	. \$1 00

**TableRite** 

# TASTY BAKERY SPECIALS

Hamb	ot Dog Jurger	Buns		-				pkg. • Of 8	2 for	69°
Sugar IGA	Plain Or Cake	Cinnam Donuts	on •		1000	-		pkg. of 12	2 for	69°

# QUICK AND EASY MEALS

Shasta Diet Soft Drinks					28-oz bottl	5	s1
Protein-ettes .							
Carnation Instant Hot Cocoa Mix						20	129

# DEPENDABLE MEATS

VacPack Bacon			. lb.	109
Hot Dogs			12-oz. pkg.	69°
Armour Reg. Or Thick Sliced Bologna				THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE
Pickle Loaf				
Armour Sliced Salami Or Spiced Luncheon .				

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Stokely Peaches	29-oz.	43°
Hamburger Dill Slices		35°
	32-oz. jar	55°
Carnation 4 Flavors Liquid Slender can	oz. 4	\$1
Swift's Chili With Beans	15-oz. can	39°

# FRESH DAIRY FOODS

Butter Tastin	ck Biscuits	9-oz.	2	19c
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# FROZEN FOOD BUYS

New! Downs Fare Lasagna w/Beef & Sauce	16-oz. 99°
New! Downs Fare Noodles w/Beef	16-oz. <b>79</b> c. pkg.
New! Downs Fare  Dumplings w/Chicken	
Mini-Cob Corn	8 ears 59c
Pie Shells pkg	

