

Broad Form Final Vote Is Expected **Senate Committee Adds Amendments** Prior to Its O.K.

The Kentucky Senate by a 34-1 vote Tuesday passed House Bill 9, subject to three amendments. Two of the amendments are included in the story below. The third provided that the bill is not to apply to surface rights sold after Jan. 1, this year. Concurrence by the House with the bill as amended must yet be won.

House Bill 9, the legislation aimed at removing the grip of the broad form deed, emerged from Senate committee last Friday and was due for a Senate vote Tuesday.

The bill, authored by Rep. Raymond Overstreet, R-Liberty, passed the House early in the current General Assembly session. It goes to the Senate with two amendments tacked onto it by the Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

If the Senate should approve the bill with its amendments, it would go back for House-Senate conference. But supporters of the legislation were hopeful last week-end that they could defeat the amendments and pass the bill in its





Grandfather clock, desk, chair, ashtray, candleholders, mirror-all samples of Wilbur Stiles' craftsmanship-are shown at left. Above, Mr. Stiles at work in his shop.

Perkins Reminds EPA Of Grant Need Here

Congressman Carl D. Perkins called on the federal Environmental Protection Agency Tuesday to increase its grants to Prestonsburg and other cities whose costs on proposed sewage treatment plants have increased through inflation while construction has been delayed by

4 Murder Trials Booked in April

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Delores Spurlock vs. Herbert Spurlock. James R. Yocum, Com. vs. Mass Dempsey. Joe Hobson vs. Mary Blevins, et al. James R. Yocum, Com., vs. Angelo Dudley, et al. Eastern Kentucky Mack, Inc. vs. Linda Conn Sammons, et al. George Wyatt vs. Investors Heritage Life Insurance Co. Mariette Reynolds vs. Thomas Reynolds. Floyd Federal Savings & Loan vs. Mary Ann Bays. Com. Credit Business Loans vs. Colonial Coal Co., et al. Millard Conn vs. Patricia Ann Conn. Maggard's Furniture & Hardware vs. Carol Fraley. Floyd Federal Savings & Loan Ass'n. vs. Donald Hunt, et al. D. J. Conn vs. Alma Jean Conn. (See Story 1, Back Page)

This Town . . . That World

If I seem to be "surrounding" acquaintances this week, even to the point of detouring up little-used alleys,

Hearing on Bond For Eddie Jones Set for Friday

15.

As many as four murder trials, some of a sensational nature, may be heard during the Floyd circuit court term which will convene here April 1.

Two of the defendants-Eddie Jones and John Martin-were named by a special grand jury on murder counts March 9, shortly after Jones had surrendered to Jailer Lawrence Hale. Martin has not been arrested.

The two are charged with the slayings of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence Conley at Garrett last year and of James Clayton Conley, near Wayland, about two months later.

Burnis Martin, attorney for Jones, has filed motion for bond for his client, and hearing on bail will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday by Circuit Judge Hollie Conley. Commonwealth's Attorney last week filed motion to resist bond for Jones.

The other murder cases which may be heard during the court term are those of Billy Keith Martin, who is charged with the gunshot slaving at Betsy Layne of his wife, and Carlos Johnson, charged with the fatal shooting of Roy Dean Ray on Mud Creek.

A portion of the grand jury work-load may have been done by the recent special grand jury which, in addition to voting indictments against Jones and Martin, returned true bills against nine others.

original form.

That original House bill provides that the written consent of the owner of the surface will be required before a permit can be issued for surface mining of the coal which had been conveyed by the old broad form deed.

One of the amendments to the bill is Sen. John Berry's. It would waive the written consent provision for those who have acquired the mineral rights since 1950. This amendment is based on the presumption that those who sold their mineral after that date did so with the knowledge that their land might be stripmined.

The other amendment, submitted by Sen. Norman E. Farris, Somerset Republican, and pushed by Robert Gable, chairman of the board of the Stearns Coal & Lumber Co., would exempt federally owned land from the bill. Stearns owns the mineral on thousands of acres of land owned by the

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His 8-Hours-a-Day 'Pastime' **Produces Furniture Masterpieces**

shortly after he and his wife, Vivian,

moved here from the Wheeling, West

Virginia area in 1931. An employee of

United Fuel Gas Company for 35 years

where, before his retirement in March,

1965, he became division superintendent,

the time to practice his craft was limited.

Even then, however, he managed to turn

out several pieces and his wife pointed

out that "when the lake was first im-

pounded, he built the nicest 16-foot

runabout with steering wheel, wind-

Now, retired, Mr. Stiles can devote all

the time he wishes to his woodworking

and he does. "Since I retired in 1965," he

said, "I've hardly missed an eight-hour

day in the shop." His workshop, located

behind the Stiles home and adjacent to a

sizeable garden he and his wife work,

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

For the first time since Dewey Dam

The enlarged recreation area below the

dam, which will be available to the public

this season, necessitated an increased

water supply as opposed to the previous

water filter system fed by the lake.

shield, and all."

Walk into the home of Mr. and Mrs. 74, first started his woodworking hobby Wilbur Stiles on Third Avenue here and the first thing that catches the eye is the richness and beauty of the furniture. Intricate carving on almost every piece and the look of hand-rubbed cherry and walnut speak of great expense and rare antiques

But inquire of the origin of this piece or that and one discovers that the furnishings are expensive mainly because of the patience, hard work and skill invested in their manufacture and rare because of the personal touches given them by the individual who fashioned them-Wilbur Stiles.

Some of the pieces could almost be called antiques also because Mr. Stiles,

Kentucky National Guard Team Begins Recruiting for Unit Here



The National Guard unit here inducted eight members last Saturday. Shown, from left: First row—SFC Calton, Andrew Slone, Senfross Baca, Charles Collins, Bill Collins, First Lt. Howard; second row-Jeff Goble, Charles Harris, John Owens, Arthur Collins.

country.

In a letter to Russell Train, EPA director, the congressman said:

changing EPA regulations.

"A policy set by your office concerning increased costs of water-sewer grants, which were approved before inflation became such a problem, is operating to the serious detriment of many communities. For instance, Prestonsburg, Ky, was approved for a grant of \$482,250 sometime ago. This city is borrowing \$315,500 from the Farmers Home Administration as part of the cost of the program. But, because of delays not the fault of Prestonsburg, an increased grant of \$302,000 is needed."

Congressman Perkins pointed out to the EPA director that the delay here "was caused mainly because of regulations by EPA, so the community should not be penalized."

The Prestonsburg City Council opened bids on the sewage treatment project in January but could not award a contract because the low bid was in excess of estimates and far above the funds available.

Beer Is Found But No Owner; Theft Probed

Sheriff Joe W. Lewis said Monday that the week-end did not produce any liquor traffic arrests but that there would have been at least one if he could have pinned down the owner of 43 cases of beer which he found last Thursday on Stumbo

tire tracks to seven cases found beneath house on the hill where 36 cases were cached.

were seeking the identity of the person or persons who stole between 400 and 500 feet of cable from a coal-cutting machine of the Wolfpit Coal Co., which is operated by Cecil Ousley on Pitts Fork of Middle Creek.

on a grand larceny charge by State Trooper Simpson after tires had been taken from a rent-a-car which he had driven to Left Beaver Creek from Columbus, Ohio. Raines claimed youths to whom he had loaned the auto took the

it's because I have been fishing again. And if I were as gifted a liar as some I could name but won't, I would say we were doing right well till our plugs began skipping and we found that the lake had frozen.

THEY HAD TROUBLES, TOO

It's screeching tires, blaring horns, jangling phones and other noisemakers that upset the old ganglia, these days. It's always something. Years ago, a rooster could upset a light sleeper no end, and a braying jackass could roll the most stolid citizen out of bed. The following appeared under a Waco, Texas dateline in the March 2, 1895 edition of The San Angelo (Texas) Standard, and it discusses a situation such as this in some detail:

A petition is in preparation and will be docketed in Judge Goodtich's court in which the plaintiff avers that he owns a fine jackass of Texas stock, crossed with Kentucky blood. He kept the animal in a stall in Edgefield, and a neighbor found cause of complaint owing to the vociferous calls the jack indulged in, at daybreak especially, and frequently at intervals during the day. The plaintiff says he entered his barn the other morning and he found the jack suffering from contusions, the result of beating his hind legs with a six-pound flatiron which had been securely fastened to the end of the jack's tail by tying the weight to the tail with buckskin strings. He says that he has inferential proof that his neighbor fastened the iron to the tail of the donkey, or caused it to be done, because his neighbor had stated during the day before in the corner grocery store that a jack could not sing unless he could at the same time elevate his tail, and that he had known the vociferations of a jackass

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Hospital Guard Asked for Man **Surviving Fight**

A round-the-clock guard has been asked on the room of the McDowell Regional Hospital where Charlie Hall, Jr., 25, lies seriously wounded after he allegedly shooting and killing his brother-in-law, 18-year-old Mentel Clemons, at Kite, Knott county, Sunday morning.

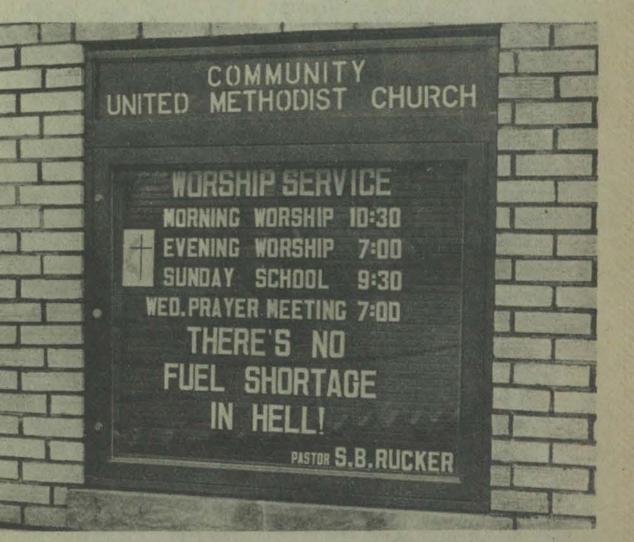
Both men were shot in their backs, Sheriff Hilton Chaffins, of Knott county, said. The shooting followed what the sheriff described as a family row.

Sheriff Joe W. Lewis said Deputy Sheriff Green Slone guarded the hospital Sunday night but added that his force is not large enough to supply a continued watch. He suggested that state troopers might be used. Knott Sheriff Chaffins said the only reason he could suggest for the request for a guard would be the fear that kinsmen of the slain youth might seek revenge on his alleged slayer.

Sheriff Chaffins said it has not been explained how both men were shot in the back. He said he was told the trouble began with a request by Hall that his wife find him a wrench and that when Mrs. Hall replied she could not find one, Hall struck her with his belt.

The bullet which struck Hall lodged, it was said, against or near his spine, leaving him paralyzed.

And Thermostat Isn't Turned Down



smells of wood, stain and sawdust. All types and sizes of saws, planers, sanders and other woodworking tools abound. "I spend a lot of time out here . . . I'm just one of these fellows who can't sit still for very long," Stiles said. Among the dozens of "works of art" in the Stiles home is a grandfather clock (see photo) which is Mr. Stiles' personal favorite. The wood is rich, hand-rubbed walnut, with graceful carvings along the top and sides. Mechanical parts for the

car

three-chime timepiece were ordered from Massachusetts. A walnut granddaughter clock and a cherry grand-

Hollow, Left Beaver Creek. The sheriff said he first "backtracked" an old truck, then from there to a powder

County and state officers this week

Emory D. Raines was booked last week tires, but the others said he sold them the

A four-member recruiting team from the Kentucky National Guard, last week began enlisting members of the Guard unit being organized here, and its members expect that by the end of the recruiting period March 30 they will have recruited the full complement of 84 Guardsmen that the unit needs.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles building will be the temporary quarters of the new National Guard unit, and recruiters are now headquartered there. Construction of an armory is planned within the next two years.

The recruiting team is interviewing men, ages 17-35, who have not had prior military service as well as those who have already served in the armed forces.

"There should be no problem completing our recruiting mission," SFC Calton said this week. "A successful unit in Floyd county," he added, "will mean a lot to the community in several ways. The Guard is a hometown organization and is active in community involvement in times of crisis and in civic activities. The National Guard is an excellent part-time job and a means of serving the community, the state, and, of course, this

SFC Calton said additional information about the National Guard and the unit forming here may be procured by contacting the recruiters at the temporary armory or by calling 886-6167 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Corps of Engineers installed approximately 8,000 feet of four-inch water line from Hager's Gap to the dam. This was the first line of this type to be installed by the Corps

The line is a high-density, polyethylene pipe that is heat fused, making the entire length a continuous pipe. This plan of installation afforded considerable savings in installation cost over any alternate method of overland installation.

The supply comes from a six-inch water line of Auxier Water Company which was recently extended to Hager's Gap and will be further extended from Hager's Gap up the lake to the Department of Parks camping area now under construction at Goble Branch.

Helen McGuire, of Thelma, Johnson county, was jailed here by State Detectives Rose, Cornette and Music on three forgery warrants from this county and two from Johnson. She was accused of cashing \$875 worth of spurious checks. Others booked at the county jail, charges against each and names of arresting officers follow:

Randy Hamilton, grand larceny, by State Trooper Webb; Clifford Whittaker, destroying private property, by Sheriff Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Green Slone; Andy Hamilton, grand larceny, by State Trooper Webb; James D. Molton, overweight truck, by Transportation (See Story 6, Back Page, Sec. 1)

This timely "report" appears on bulletin board of the Community Methodist Church here.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE MEETS

bara Elam, Betsy Schoolcraft

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OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS

GIVEN TO MISS WEBB

Salyersville.

Friendship Circle of the First United

Methodist Church met Monday night at

the church with the chairman, Betsy

Schoolcraft, in charge of the business

meeting. Mary Jo Hereford gave an

interesting program after which she

served a dessert-salad to the following

members: Edwina Honn, Judy Carter, Barbara Allen, Paula Newberry, Bar-

Mrs. Rhoda Brickley was one of the

participants from a 10-county area en-

tering the winning design for the

program cover for the annual

homemaker meeting to be held April 19.

The theme of the cover will be This Land,

HOMEMAKERS ATTEND COUNCIL

and treasurer, and Mrs. Carma Sturgill,

area health chairman, represented the

Floyd County Homemaker clubs at the

Area Homemakers Council meeting held

Dr. Edward B. Leslie was taken last

Thursday to Central Baptist Hospital,

Lexington, after suffering a heart attack

here. His condition is improved this

Mrs. Edna Music, of West Prestons-

Rev. and Mrs. Jonas Miller had as

their guests last Wednesday and Thurs-

day her sister, Mrs. Gene Ball, Sarah and

Bess, of Ashland, and on Saturday and

Sunday her sister, Mrs. Marcus Mann, of

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of

the American Revolution, met March 12

with Mrs. Winnie F. Johns and Mrs.

Evelyn J. Salisbury at their home on

First Avenue. Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, the

burg, underwent hand surgery Friday at

Mrs. Elearnor Horn, area secretary

Club Returns Profits to Hospital



Mrs. W. W. Wallen, president of Prestonsburg Woman's Club, presents a \$700 check from the club to Douglas Fleming, technical director of the cardiopulmonary-respiratory therapy department of Highlands Regional Medical Center. The check, representing profit from the hospital gift shop which is run by the club, will be used to buy medical texts to be used by the department.

VISITING SON

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb are visiting their son, Bill Webb, and family in Wilkinson, Ind.

MOVE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb, Jr. have moved here from Dayton, Ohio into the Paul Francis apartment in Francis Court.



ATTEND SPRADLIN FUNERAL

Relatives who came from a distance to the funeral of Johnny Spradlin last week at the Carter Funeral Home were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Craft and daughter Vicky, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Music, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Craft, Sheila and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. George Craft, Findlay, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Collins, Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin, Jr., Island Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Spradlin, of the Canal Zone.

HAS DINNER GUESTS

Mrs. Sylvia Lowe entertained to dinner on her birthday, February 20, at her home in Indian Hills. Her guests included Mrs. Winne Merritt, Mrs. Bess McGuire, Mrs. Ada Alley. Guests who called to greet her later were Mrs. Rona Barnes, Mrs. Bill Bingham, Mrs. Marietta ATTEND MEETING

HOMEMAKERS ATTEND PROGRAM Floyd County Homemakers attending the program on family life recently were Mrs. Carl Horn, Mrs. Roy May, Mrs. Jim Derossett, Mrs. James L. Allen, Peg Hewlett, Mrs. Fred Harris, Norma Sturgill, Bernice Mason and Mrs. Glenn Brickley.

The program was presented by Mrs. Katherine Foree, State Family Life Specialist. These leaders will be giving the program back in their respective clubs.

RETURNS TO MSU

Miss Dallas Fay Sammons returned to Morehead State University Sunday after spending spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas D. Sammons, on the Auxier road.

BAPTIST WOMEN MEET

Women of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church met in the Multipurpose building with a pot-luck supper March 4 at 6 p.m., with Mrs. Lucy Ransdell giving the blessing. The business meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Wm. J. Dingus.

It was decided to have the Week of Prayer program on home missions, March 18. Nell Lawson gave a interesting book report on evangelism, "The Cutting Edge." Members present Maman Leslie, Nell Lawson, Esther Evans, Isabel Stephens, Lucy Ransdell, Ruth Isbell, Julia Harrington, Virginia Jefferies, Helen Clark, Mrs. Robert Regan, Mrs. Ed Minns, Mrs. W. D. Jaggers, Mrs. Gormon Collins, Mrs. Dean Robinson, Mrs. W. J. Dingus.

VISITOR HERE

Gilbert Dewart, seismologist, of Pasadena, California, was here Saturday and Sunday visiting his aunt, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards. He spent a few hours in Pikeville, visiting Auxier relatives.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. David Bond, and D.A.R. AWARD IS daughter, Holly, of Hampton, Va., were guests of Lou Franklin and Lynn Szedon at Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge in Alexandria, last week-end.

In Recital at E.K.U.



Miss Rebecca Haywood will be presented in recital, tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30 p.m., in Gifford Theater of the Jane Campbell Fine Arts Building, Eastern Kentucky University

Miss Haywood recently won first place in the Upper College Women's Division of the state contest held by the National Association of Teachers of Singing. She will be participating in the U.S. regional auditions, April 4-6, at Maryville College in Tennessee. Miss Haywood was selected also by audition to perform with the Eastern Kentucky University Orchestra. This concert will be in Brock Auditorium, Sunday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Miss Haywood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Haywood, of Prestonsburg.

HOME FROM FLORIDA

Mrs. Margaret P. Alley and Miss Cassie Martin returned here last week from Titusville and other places in Florida where they spent the winter. Miss Martin was overnight guest of Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, leaving the next day for visits with relatives, Mrs. Edith Hopkins at McDowell and Mrs. Bess Helton at Martin.

HAS 85th BIRTHDAY

The family of Mrs. Penn Fitzpatrick joined her on her 85th birthday March 17 at her home on the Mountain Parkway. Section One, Page Two

Goble-Roberts News

The Community Freewill Baptist Church in Goble-Roberts Addition is starting a series of meetings, beginning March 24 at 7.p.m. daily with Elders Bill Campbell and W. H. Amburgy preaching. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Cora May remains very ill at her home here. She plans to enter the hospital for possible surgery on Tuesday. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Kelly Franko, who is a student at Michigan State University, Lansing, Mich., is spending a week visiting his mother, Mrs. Maude Franko, owner of Foley's Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Webb, Jr. visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, Sunday.

Miss Belinda Maxie spent Sunday afternoon with Pat and Jay Mills.

ATTEND TOURNAMENT

Mrs. Carl B. May accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Allen and Tommy, of Pikeville, to Louisville last week to the state basketball tournament. Tommy is a member of the Pikeville team.



PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Crager, Barbara Lynn Crager. She received many gifts and a decorated birthday cake.

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VISIT REHABILITATION CENTER Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus and Mrs. Rebecca Dingus visited the rehabilitation center at Thelma, last Sunday.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen, visited Arnold Maggard at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington Sunday. His condition is serious.

AT NURSING HOME

Judge Henry C. Stephens, who has had special treatment in a Lexington hospital, was brought to the Mountain Manor Nursing Home here last Saturday.

SUSTAINS BROKEN LEG

Mrs. W. A. Baldridge, of Little Paint, sustained a broken leg in a fall at her home Saturday. She was removed to Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Mrs. Fanny Jarrell had members of her family visit her over the week-end. Her guests included Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, Elizabeth Lynn Elissa Lee and Glenna Jo, of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hall, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rykalsky, Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Jarrell, Louisa. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Eli Schoolcraft and Elissa Bailey, of Allen, spent the day with her.

IN LEXINGTON HOSPITAL

C. C. "Buck" Goble is critically ill in a Lexington hospital, being treated for a heart ailment. Members of his family are with him.

SURGERY ON MONDAY Charles Ray Salyers, Jr. had a tonsillectomy in a Lexington hospital Monday.

VISITS PARENTS Gwen Carolyn Dingus visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, here Sunday. She is a student at Eastern Kentucky State University, Richmond.

YOUTH REVIVAL

regent, presided. Mrs. Tom James conducted the salute to the Flag and the Pledge of Allegiance. Mrs. Clark conducted the ritualistic service. The marker fund netted \$2.96. The chapter voted to purchase Chalkley's threevolume History of Augusta County, Va. and present it to the Floyd County Library. This is the Chapter's bicentennial project. Mrs. Tom James announced that 2,000 pine trees would be planted, Arbor Day, in Bert Combs Forest, south of Pineville. These trees will be Bell County's Bicentennial project, honoring the soldiers who died in all wars.

Miss Dora Lynn Webb was presented the award given annually by the chapter to the high school student meeting all requirements required by the D.A.R. National Society. Mrs. Clark, the regent, made the presentation.

Mrs. J. G. Stepp presented the program on "The Origin of Our Flag, the Liberty Bell and the Statue of Liberty." A dessert course was served to Mesdames Sallye L. Clark, Ruth D. Sowards, J.G. Stepp, Frank Preston, H. L. Mayo, Tom James, Opal S. May, Ray Brackett, guests, Mrs. Virgil Webb, Miss Dora Lynn Webb.



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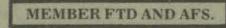
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Hall Promoted



William L. Hall, chief clerk in the property records division of the general accounting department of Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, was promoted March 1 to the position of supervisor of the property records division to succeed Francis M. Pennington who retired March 1. Mr. Hall was employed November 19, 1956 as a clerk in his division.

Mr. Hall is a native of Floyd county and graduated from Wheelwright High School in 1949. He served overseas in the U. S. Air Force during the Korean War and moved in 1962 to Ashland where he attended Ashland Business College and Ashland Community College.

He is a member of the Knights of Columbus, Veterans of Foreign Wars, National Management Association and Holy Family Church. He resides at 1008 Central Avenue, Ashland, with his wife Patricia and three children.

Better Be Good— **Computer'll Get You**

By HERB BROCK

FRANKFORT, Ky.-Take a tip from the state police and don't ever try to match wits with their "brain." But, if you happen to be a criminal-atlarge, had your driver's license suspended or revoked, or stolen a car or a deadly weapon, chances are you've met,

KENTUCKY Legislative **Overview**

By CHARLES R. SIZEMORE

ANTI-BUSING AMENDMENT-The of a state strip-mining permit, thus state House of Representatives refused to concur with the Senate in its call for a constitutional convention to prohibit busing of schoolchildren for the purpose of racial balance in public schools.

HCR 29 originally called for a constitutional convention when first introduced in the House by Rep. Dottie Priddy, D-Louisville, but was amended to merely propose to the national Congress a constitutional amendment. When HCR 29 reached the Senate it was changed back to its original form and was sent back to the House for its concurrence.

COAL SLIDES BILL-HB 655, a bill limiting the amount of overburden a strip-mine operator could place on the side of a mountain, was passed by the House and was sent to the Senate for approval.

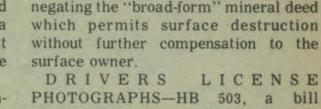
Under the bill, no more than 40 per cent of the displaced rock and earth from a contour strip mine could be stacked on a mountainside below the stripped area.

SMALL CLAIMS COURT-The Senate passed HB 229, a bill permitting fiscal courts to set up a small-claims court for cases involving amounts up to \$200.

The bill was amended, however, to permit the parties in such courts to be represented by attorneys and will be sent back to the House of Representatives for their concurrence on the amendment.

BOARD-FORM-DEED BILL-The Senate Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee has delayed action on HB 9, the so-called "broad-form deed bill," in order to prepare an amendment to the bill.

HB 9, sponsored by Rep. Raymond Overstreet, R-Liberty, would require a surface owner's consent before issuance



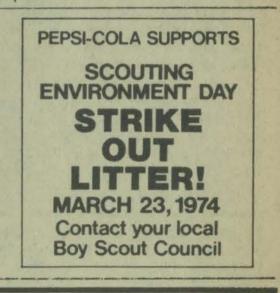
PHOTOGRAPHS-HB 503, a bill requiring Kentuckians to hve plastic laminated driver's license bearing their color photographs, was passed 28-1 by the Senate.

The bill would raise the cost of driver's license from \$3 to \$4 to pay for increased processing

PROPOSED PENAL CODE-The House of Representatives passed a proposed penal code revision that would reinstate the death penalty in Kentucky. HB 232, the result of an interim study commission, is a revised version of the penal code adopted by the 1972 General Assembly.

HB 232 will now go to the Senate for concurrence.

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state police crime-fighting operations. The computers which make up the Law Enforcement Network of Kentucky (LINK) are crammed with enough information to boggle the mind.

indirectly, the mastermind behind

First set up five years ago under a federal grant from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, LINK is a computerized communications hook-up which relays criminal justice information to both state and local law enforcement agencies on a split-second basis.

"Everyday"

HOSIERY

by Hanes

Skip in and see.

Plugged into the statewide net are all 16 state police posts and at least 24 local police departments, a number which has been growing steadily in recent years. In addition to getting information from the state's memory banks, Kentucky's participating police forces also benefit from the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) National Crime Information Center (NCIC), in Washington, D. C.

Data flows into NCIC daily from LINK and nearly 6,500 other state, local and regional law enforcement agencies, and is stored.

An example of the LINK-NCIC system at work can be seen whenever a state policeman becomes suspicious of a motorist's driver's license.

To check out his hunch that the motorist is driving with a phony license, the trooper calls his post and data will be supplied on the suspect's license, vehicle registration and license tags. In all, the entire relaying process only takes a few minutes.

A spokesman for the state police data processing unit listed the savings in manhours spent checking out stolen property and wanted persons as a major benefit of the LINK-NCIC program. By virtue of that program, the spokesman said the number of criminal arrests is boosted while the count of potential victims is lowered.



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Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago

(March 26, 1964)

A Court of Appeals decision handed down Friday virtually scuttled Floyd county attempts to convict approximately 15 persons on charges of illegal possession of alcoholic beverages in dry territory ... Two hundred six cases, in two of which defendants are charged with murder, are on the docket of the April criminal term of circuit court here . . . County Attorney Barkley Sturgill filed a written protest this week to the granting of a license to George C. Moore for the establishment of a pool room on U.S. 23 at Tram after a committee of citizens from the area presented a petition bearing 149 names protesting the issuance of the license . . . Anti-organization Republicans decisively defeated the incumbent organization leaders here Saturday and installed Jack Hyden as county chairman at a hectic two-and-a-half hour meeting of precinct committeemen and committeewomen . . . Two teen-age girls, pupils at the same Middle Creek school, were hospitalized this week and both are believed to be suffering from a form of spinal meningitis . . . Wayland high school's Wasps, representing the 15th region, lost in the first round of state tournament play, 74-72 in overtime after leading a much taller Allen County squad through almost the entire game . . . There died: Ed Carver, 49-year-old Printer miner, Friday, when he was caught by a mechanical boom and thrown into a drilling machine in a mine near Printer where he was working; Franklin Delano Hall, 27, formerly of Prestonsburg, Thursday when a truck he was driving left the highway and overturned near Clay's Ferry, Kentucky; Mrs. Kate Neeper, 74, formerly of this county, March 10 at a Lima, Ohio hospital from injuries sustained in a February 22 auto accident; Mrs. Laura W. Greer, 81, of Abbott Creek, Monday at the home of a son on Abbott; Ashland L. Shepherd, 49, of Pyramid, Tuesday at his home.

Twenty Years Ago

(March 25, 1954)

Fire caused an estimated \$50,000 loss at Martin Saturday morning . . . A bitter campaign was ending here this week, with the bond issue to finance construction of a gymnasium at Prestonsburg high school to be decided by popular vote Friday . . . Two Floyd county students-Janet Wells, of Auxier, and Bobby Elkins, of Harold-will reign as queen and king at the eighth annual May festival of Pikeville College, it was learned this week . . Charter Night for the newly formed Martin Kiwanis Club will be observed Friday evening . . . William B. Kamron resigned the post of head basketball coach here Monday . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hunt at the Prestonsburg hospital, March 17, their first child, a son-Danny; to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons, Huntington, West Virginia, their second child, a daughter-Patricia Ellen . . . There died: Ray Hall, 6 Monday at Hi Hat; Frank M. Rasnick, 48, March 14 at Garrett; W. M. Sexton, Sr., 74, at Garrett, Friday; Mrs. Eda Bradley, 82, last Thursday at Hippo; Mrs. Mary Jane Goble, 85, Saturday at Lancer; Mrs. Ruthie Garrison, 51, of Weeksbury, last Thursday at Lexington; Mrs. Belle Ritchie Porter, 84, formerly of Prestonsburg, last Thursday at Pikeville; Dr. John Franklin Hall, 64, Floyd native, Saturday at Paris, Kentucky; Mrs. Mary Moles Boyd, 87, Wednesday near Dana; Mrs. Jenny Sizemore, 75, Friday at McDowell; William Harrison Yates, 81, Monday at Glo; Mrs. Judy H. Hamilton, 49, of Ligon, Friday at a Martin hospital.

To Present Choral Pageant Here Thursday



Pictured above are members of the Seventh and Eighth Grade Chorus who will present the choral pageant, "Our Country, 'Tis of Thee" at the grade school auditorium Thursday evening at seven o'clock. The pageant, under direction of Mrs. Kathryn Frazier, will be free to the public.

Letters to the Editor

People Swindled By Broad Form Deed

Editor, The Times:

For sometime now, this country had been waging a half hearted war on poverty with Appalachia as one of the target areas.

Among all the usual explanations given as to how the area became so impoverished, there is generally one deletion: that is, the traditional collusion of self-serving politicians, with the powerful gas and coal industries. Eastern Kentucky, for example, has its share of natural wealth removal of these resources from the area without just compensation to property owners. This can't be ignored any longer.

Had the mountain people not been swindled, there wouldn't be so many on welfare. Research into public records,

Editor, The Times:

Only the good Lord knows how much I hate to spend money. However, there are a few things in life that even I think are worth their weight-the Floyd County Times is one of them.

Keep up the good work-especially in the area of strip mining. Please give my name and address to the "Save Our Land" group and tell them if I can be of any assistance to contact me. It surprises me that one could be raised up a creek or hollow and not support their efforts.

CPT. ROBERT W. PEARSON

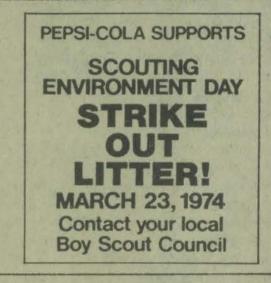
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SBA Representative At Pikeville Thursday

Administrator's Notice

The undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Claude May, of Langley. Any person having a claim against said estate is hereby notified to file same, properly proven according to law, on or before May 1, 1974 with the administrator at the address shown.

> Gordon Moore, Admr. Estate of Claude May Prestonsburg, Ky. 3-20-3t.



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NEW LISTINGS

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Opposes Strip-Mining

Thirty Years Ago

(March 23, 1944)

Floyd county Republicans this week prepared for the election here Saturday of a county party chairman . . . Floyd county's draft boards have received a call for 156 men to go into Army and Navy service this month . . . The German shepherd dog of William Lee Wells, Jr., of Auxier, has completed "war dog" training at Front Royal, Virginia, and has been placed on sentry duty ... Signalman 1-C Wyman Walters, formerly of Emma, has been transferred to a new Jap prison camp at Tokyo . . . Claude P. Stephens, Prestonsburg attorney, was nominated last week by President Roosevelt to the office of U.S. attorney for the Eastern district of Kentucky . . . I. N. Hood, Ashland truckdriver, has been named in a voluntary manslaughter indictment at Louisa in the recent death of Melvin Anderson, of McDowell, in a car-truck collision ... Ray Patton, Floyd county's candidate for big league baseball fame, reported this week to the Louisville Colonels for spring training. Joe Weddington, of Emma, who had signed a Louisville contract as a catcher, has been inducted to the Marine Corps . . . Bruce Martin, 31st judicial district parole officer, announced his resignation this week . . . Married: Miss Sara Margaret Conley, formerly of Cliff, and Sgt. John A. Calder, February 24 at Baltimore, Maryland . . . There died: Miss Retta Leslie, 55, March 16 at Betsy Layne; Harlan Paul Delong, 10, Monday at Banner.

Forty Years Ago

(March 23, 1934)

Ex-Magistrate A. B. Flanery sustained a skull fracture Tuesday when a car in which he was a passenger collided with a truck on the Sugar Loaf curve ... John D. Thomas, of Prestonsburg, was admitted last week to the practice of law without examination, having been a licensed attorney in West Virginia before coming here. Also admitted to the bar were Afton M. Smith, of Hindman, and D. Hollender Hall, of Pippa Passes . . . The Floyd County Board of Education voted Saturday to ban public dances from county gyms and schools ... Deputy Sheriff W. J. Vaughan, Sr. was wounded in the neck Sunday by a bullet from his own revolver. The weapon fell from a shoulder holster as he stooped to lift a confiscated slot machine, the lock striking the machine . . . Dr. R. H. Messer, Prestonsburg dentist, underwent an appendectomy at Pikeville Monday . . . The home of Melvin Anderson at McDowell was destroyed by fire last week . . . Representative J. B. Wicker, of Knott county, last week described the lobbyists on the floor of the House as being "as thick as Egyptians in the Red Sea" . . . A rural housing survey report from Washington says there are 568 log farmhouses in Knott county . There died: Luther Sturgill, 22, of Harold, Saturday at a Pikeville hospital.

reveals that gas and coal companies purchased mineral rights for little or nothing. Sometimes nothing. In the research I have done, shows the mineral rights that were sold by one property owner but not the adjoining property owner. Many cases, the coal and gas was removed without permission. Also, the landowner has lost the timber as well, but the landowner must pay his taxes. For what?

The so-called broad form deed has been the most corrupt thing that ever came to the country.

The mountain people were no match for men like the late land agents, and the wits of the Pittsburg attorney. When men rob banks, invade other people's privacy, there is a law to deal with such people . But when men like these come into your home, win your confidence, then get you to sign away your life's earnings, they are called intelligent or remarkable. To me, this is conspiracy.

I am a landowner in the Eastern part of Kentucky. To the best of my knowledge the coal has been removed under my property without permission. My father was alive then, but nothing was ever done. When my folks passed away, the coal company wanted to strip-mine the mountain place there. This started me researching the title of the property. I couldn't find any where the coal company owned any part of the land. I had them remove their equipment off.

There is a gas well on the property. They have failed to show where they own the right to remove any gas.

It's too bad that all the mountain people have lost their inheritance. Now, people that have property, have been driven from their homes. We have to agree with State Senator Tom Ward, when he said "strip mining laws not being fully enforced." In the past, they haven't half way complied with the laws. It's time the people of Kentucky wake up, try to save what is left of our mountains. It's time the people stand up against the powerful lobbying and their politicians. Let these people know when you go to the polls we don't need their kind.

Most people are paying taxes on mountain property that is not usable. It has been stripped of its natural resources. There's nothing left.

The broad form deed has given the coal companies the right to do what they want, but the landowner pays the taxes. He doesn't have a decent road to travel.

Floyd county Save the Land club, I'm glad someone has taken interest in Floyd

county. Maybe we can save what's left. Just maybe, State Senator Tom Ward

A representative of the Small Business Administration will be at that agency's part-time office in the Federal Courthouse, Selective Service office, Pikeville, Thursday, March 28, as announced by R. B. Blankenship, District Director. The office, operated monthly on the fourth Thursday of each month, will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. This SBA representative may be contacted also by calling 437-4536 during the hours as stated.

In order to determine credit and eligibility requirements for SBA loan programs, it is suggested that the businessman bring with him a recent financial statement or balance sheet of the business, and a profit and loss statement for the previous full year. This information pertains to established businesses. However, anyone interested in establishing a new business is encouraged to consult with this representative, as well as other businessmen who are in need of financial advice or assistance.

KENTUCKY **educational** TELEVISION

SUNDAY MARCH 24 6:00 ZOOM 6:30 NOVA: The Search for Life: The story of the Viking search for life on Mars. 7:30 RELIGIOUS AMERI-CA: Reba 8:00 MASTERPIECE **THEATRE:** Upstairs, Downstairs: The Wages of Sin 9:00 FIRING LINE: Catholicism and Socialism in Ireland

MONDAY MARCH 25

3:00 SESAME STREET 4:00 MISTER ROGERS' NEIGHBORHOOD 4:30 ELECTRIC COM-PANY 5:00 THE TINDER BOX: Grades K-6 5:30 BUSINESS OF WRIT-ING: Writing Clearly 6:00 READING AND LINGUISTICS 6:30 TV HIGH SCHOOL 7:00 SPECIAL OF THE WEEK 8:30 BOOK BEAT:

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Barber Rates Increase Due to the rise in the cost of living, the barbers of Garrett, Estill and Wayland have advanced the price of their barber service, effective Monday, March 11.

will be instrumental in helping to accomplish these goals. -Save the Land club, I praise your work and interest in our area. FOREST BEVERLY Dayton, Ohio

RETURNS TO WESTERN Paul Leslie Pelphrey returned Sunday to Western Kentucky University at Bowling Green after spending the spring vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Pelphrey.

Jim Dingus and friend, of Lexington, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus. Donald Ray Pelphrey has been ill for the past week.

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ALL TIMES **CENTRAL DAYLIGHT**

Driver License **Changes Slated To Begin April 1**

Changes in the method of issuing drivers' licenses will become effective April 1, and they make circuit court clerks' offices more of collection stations than issuance points, Circuit Clerk Frank DeRossett said this week.

Drivers show licenses expire next month have already been notified from Frankfort-not by Mr. DeRossett, as in the past-and they may pick up their new licenses at the circuit clerk's office here, any time after April 1. The licenses come, pre-printed, to the clerk. The only work he does is to sign the license and collect the fee.

In the case of the new driver, he or she takes the written test here, as in the past. Ten days after this test is passed, the license is sent to the circuit clerk. After that, the new driver takes the road test and upon passing this is issued a license. New drivers, ages 16 to 19, will be required to present proof of date of birth before taking the written test. There follows a mandatory waiting period of 30 days between the written and driving tests, but an instruction permit will be issued to serve in the meantime. The father of the young driver will be required to sign this instruction permit. Circuit Clerk DeRossett said he has urged passage of legislation which would permit either parent to sign this permit.

Those are the only-changes for the current year. But, come Jan. 1, 1975, every driver, young and old, will be required to have his or her photo become a part of the license. This will be a work to be done by the circuit clerks.

The photograph requirement has been widely urged by peace officers, banks and others needing posotive identification. The popularity of this innovation in this county was proved in a recent poll which resulted in 527 persons voting for photographic identification, with only 35 opposing it.

Circuit Clerk DeRossett said he will be in his office, beginning April 1, till 8:30 p.m. daily for the convenience of drivers who work and cannot reach his office till after regular hours.

Three Night Classes Scheduled At Mayo

George L. Ramey, director of Mayo Vocational-Technical School, Paintsville, announced recently the organization of three part-time evening classes which are scheduled to begin March 19. They include: Auto Mechanics, which consists of tune-up and minor automobile repairs; Small Appliance Repair, consisting of the maintenance and repairs of small household appliances, and a Key Punch Operator class.

Key punching is the operation preparing data for automatic processing by computers. It involves the recording of data on everyday forms into punch cards using a machine much like the typewriter, but unlike the typewriter, this machine punches holes in cards.

All three classes will consist of 60 hour units each, two nights per week, three hours per night at a cost of \$5.00 per unit. Those interested may contact Mayo School or call 789-5321 for applications and further information.

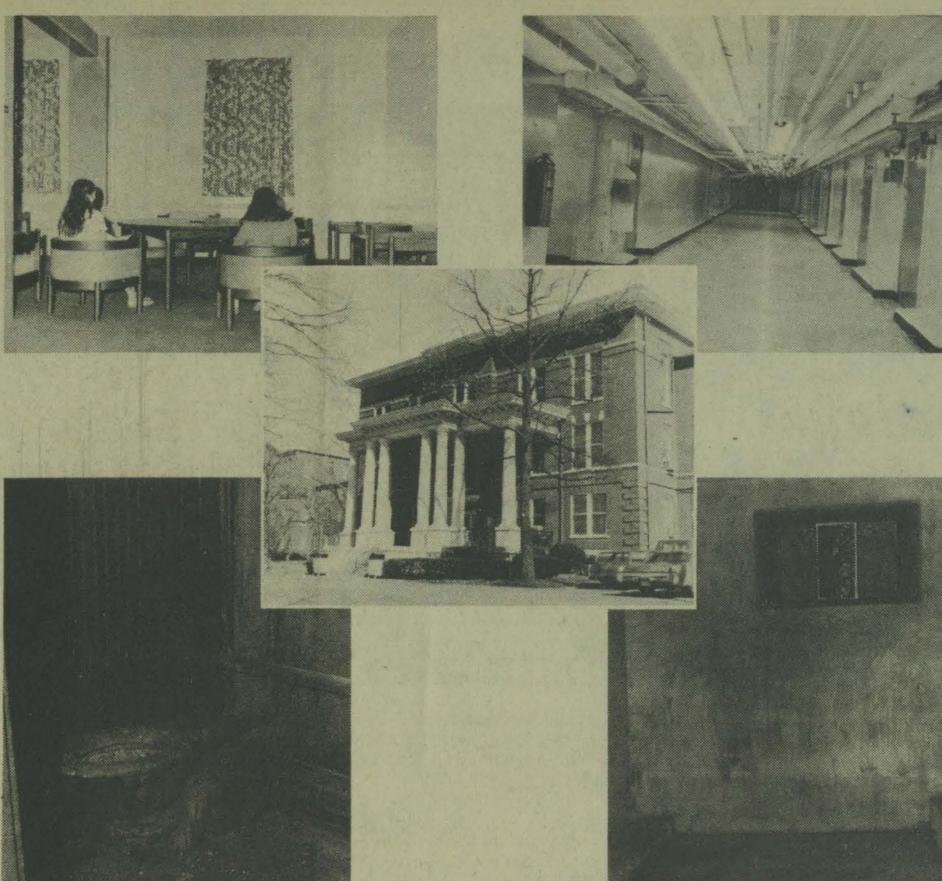
Area Troopers Held Busiest

In January, the State Police criminal records unit reported processing the largest criminal caseload to date, and the heaviest load was carried by troopers of the Pikeville Post which serves Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin and Martin counties.

According to a report recently issued from the unit's headquarters at Frankfort, during January the unit filed away 1,736 criminal and crime-related cases which had been handled by state troopers and state police special investigation squads.

"That number represents a hefty increase of 125 cases over the December, 1973, count which numbered 1,611 cases in all," said Lt. Robert Tucker, who heads up criminal records for the State Police.

Tucker said that the total monthly figure includes 1,423 cases turned in by state troopers at the 16 state police regional posts. Another 313 cases came from state police Narcotics, Arson and



WHAT A CHANGE--The conditions in the lower photos depict the situation that existed at Eastern State Hospital when it was built as the second mental institution in the United States 150 years ago. At top are the conditions which greet patients today at the facility. The hospital will celebrate its birthday on May 1.

Serpent Mounds Listed in Register

Frankfort, Ky.-Between 800 B.C. and 800 A.D., groups of Woodland Indians, living in what is now Kentucky, hunted, fished and foraged. They knew how to make pottery and may have known a little bit about agriculture. They also built various types of mounds, mostly for burial and ceremonial use. A- ceremonial mound recently discovered in Kentucky has been placed

By JENNIFER KAYE ROBINSON

on the National Register of Historic Places through action of the Kentucky Heritage Commission. It is the only one

The body of the stone serpent is 600 to 800 feet long with a circular mound containing a central depression located on a terrace 16 feet below the head of the serpent.

Blackburn Is Named To Who's Who In Ky.

Lloyd Blackburn, a local wholesale meat distributor, has been selected to appear in the 1974 edition of Who's Who in Kentucky. He owns and manages the Four Sisters Meat Co. which he established in 1958,

Mr. Blackburn attended Prestonsburg High School until he began active duty with the Marine Corps, August, 1943. During World War II, he served in the Pacific area, participating in action at Okinawa and the occupation of China. He received the Purple Heart award. After being discharged in 1946, he worked with his father, Joe Blackburn, in the dairy business for approximately a year. He obtained his F.E.D. diploma and completed a course in sheet metal and air conditioning at Mayo Vocational School.

He is married to the former Loretta Burchett, a teacher at Prestonsburg Elementary. They have four daughters: LaDonna Miller, social worker for the Department for Human Resources. Sheryl Lyons, a registered nurse, is director of Extended Care at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Connie Burton, an admitting clerk for extended care at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Beverly, a freshman at Prestonsburg Community College. They have four grandchildren, Todd Miller, Michael and Elizabeth Lyons and Jody Burton.

The Who's Who publication will contain the names and biographical information of approximately five thousand persons representing the millions of men and women who are leaders of industry and progress in Kentucky.

Tau Chapter Elects Officers for Biennium

The regular meeting of Tau Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma was held at the Floyd County Library, March 9. The chapter president, Mrs. Roberta Davidson, presided at both the executive meeting and the regular meeting. During the business session, Mrs. Davidson reported that names of prospective members shoud be submitted to Mrs. Edith Hopkins, membership chairman before May 1; that members are to prepare a historical sketch of themselves and submit them to Lassie Copley,

Pre-Natal Exercise Among PCC Classes

The Community Services Program at Prestonsburg Community College is offering lessons in pre-natal exercises for expectant parents and adults who plan to be parents. Women who are pregnant should not take the class if they are less than three months pregnant or more than seven and one-half months pregnant. Also they should have their doctor's permission. Of course, non-pregnant women and their husbands are encouraged to attend also. The sessions will include exercises and information on diet, nutrition and health care. The classes will meet on Tuesday nights, 7:30 - 8:30 p.m., March 26 to May 7 in the Martin Student Center. Instructor for the class is Mrs. Anna Potter.

A square dance class taught by Judy Music will begin Thursday night, March 21, 7-8:30 p.m. and will continue through May 9. It will take place in the Martin Student Center on Prestonsburg Community College Campus.

Other Community Service classes beginning soon are Ceramics (March 25), Large Loom Weaving (March 25), Genealogy (April 2), and Spring Flora of Eastern Kentucky (April 10). All interested may contact James Ratcliff for more information, 886-3863.

Organized Crime investigations, plus the State Police Crime Laboratory and State Police headquarters at Frankfort.

"The Pikeville post apparently has been just about our busiest outfit in the last few months. They also turned in the largest caseload for December," Tucker said.

Among caseloads handled by specialized state police units in January, organized crime chalked up 11 cases; arson, 65, and narcotics, 54. The state police crime laboratory reported 176 cases

Judge Anderson To Hear

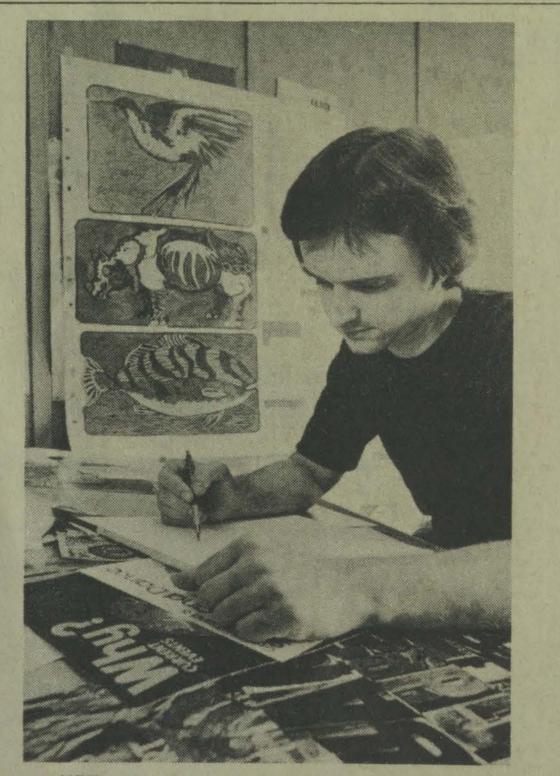
TV Franchising Case

Circuit Judge Reed Anderson, of the Pike circuit court, has been designated by the Court of Appeals as spcieal judge to preside here at the hearing of the television franchising case.

The hearing will be held to determine if the fiscal court shall be permanently enjoined from issuing franchises to independent TV system operators on bids or if the temporary restraining order procured by the Akers Cable Service, Inc. shall be dissolved.

Date of the hearing had not been set as of Monday afternoon.

Times Want Ads Get Results!



ADD Meet Continues Priorities Planning

Development District Monday night continued from the preceding month their discussion of planning priorities for

The same programs-water and sewage treatment, solid waste disposal, road and industrial development-that have been basic in the thinking of ADD continued to be emphasized at the May Lodge session.

May Lodge, will be an important session, it was announced. Congressman Carl D. Perkins, state and federal officials are scheduled to discuss water and sewage problems along the Big sandy and their possible solution.

Two positive steps were taken at Monday's meeting:

1. The board approved an application for funding of the Family Planning Program in the district, for which \$206,800 will be sought.

a water-sewer district in the Johns Creek section of Pike county, the cost to exceed \$1 million.

VISIT AT HUEYSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen, of Fairfax, Va. have been visiting his mother, Mallie C. Allen at Hueysville for the past week. Mr. Allen and his brother, Maurice, attended the state tournament at Louisville.

HERE FROM WASHINGTON, D.C. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hopson and son, of Washington, D. C., arrived here Saturday to attend the marriage of her brother, Frank Fitzpatrick, and Miss Cathy Allen at Allen. They are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick.

Kentucky's 1974 highway death toll stands 28 per cent below last year's figures, according to state police reports. Current traffic fatalities total 131 as compared to 183 at this time last year. This reduction coincides with the approximate 20 percent reduction in traffic volume on state toll roads, said Col. James H. Myers, state police field commander.

of its type known in North America. Stone Serpent Mound, located near

Catlettsburg, is composed entirely of stone. Until its discovery, the only known serpent mound was an earthen structure located in Adams County, Ohio.

Doctor Network To Review Care Given Patients

Washington-New action carrying out the intention of Congress to create a nationwide network of physician organizations to review medical care given to patients served by Medicare, Medicaid, and Maternal and Child Health programs was announced last week by HEW Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger. Establishment of the physician review groups, called Professional Standards Review Organizations, was mandated by the Social Security Amendments of 1972. The secretary designated 203 geographic areas in which PSRO's must be formed under the statutes, and he invited interested physician groups to apply for contracts to participate in the program.

"We have now reached an important milestone in implementing the PSRO program," Secretary Weinberger said. "Local physician groups can now take the lead role in establishing PSRO's for the areas we have designated today."

HEW is now prepared to accept applications for contracts from qualified physician organizations to plan PSRO's, to begin operation of PSRO's on a conditional basis, or to establish statewide organizations to provide support services to local PSRO's.

The law requires that PSRO's be set up in areas designated by HEW to review institutional medical care provided under the Medicare, Medicaid, and Maternal and Child Health programs. Each PSRO is to assure that such care is necessary, of acceptable quality, and rendered in the most appropriate setting.

Until January 1, 1976, only a non-profit, professional association representing the practicing physicians in an area can qualify as a PSRO. If such an organization does not apply to be a PSRO by that date, HEW can designate another organization, such as a health department or medical school, that has the professional medical competence to be PSRO. "We believe that PSRO's which are to be planned, operated and controlled by private physicians, can significantly improve the quality of medical care rendered in institutions to beneficiaries of government health programs," said the Secretary.

There are no village sites associated with the mound which was probably used for ceremonial purposes. Both the snake and the bird were important in the mythology and religion of the Indians who lived in the eastern part of the United States.

Entered on the National Register of Historic Places at the same time as Stone Serpent Mounds, were six Indian mounds in Ashland's Central Park. They are part of a series of mounds that once extended in an irregular line from 15th to 21st streets between Montgomery and Bath avenues.

In 1932, W. S. Webb and W. D. Funkhouser described the mounds in the "Archaeological Survey of Kentucky" as "all being about the same size, averaging about 15 feet in diameter and from three to four feet in height." Although the mounds have been partially disturbed, they have been rebuilt to equal or exceed their original size and are now being protected by the city park board.

The mounds are visual remains of early Ohio River Valley prehistoric Indian culture. If they are excavated in the future, they could provide archaeologists with valuable clues about the life styles of the people who built them.

According to Dr. Lathel F. Duffield, state archaeologist, "The people who built the mounds were probably part of the Adena culture which is a ceremonial manifestation of the Woodland culture. Archaeologists have concentrated their work on the ceremonial sites because, until recently, no village sites had been discovered.

He added, "More information could be discovered about Kentucky's early inhabitants if more money were available to finance research and excavation by professional archaeologists and stronger laws existed to protect the sites from souvenir hunters.'

chapter historian; that the Alpha Gamma state meeting will be held on April 6-7 at the Ramada Inn in Paducah.

Offices of Tau Chapter for 1974-1976 were elected, as follows: President, Miss Blanche Dingus; first vice-president, Lassie Copley; second vice-president, Marie Stumbo; recording secretary, Nancy Dingus; corresponding secretary, Janice Allen. Lexie Allen was appointed treasurer and Roberta Davidson was named parliamentarian.

It was decided by chapter members to expand the membership by three for the coming year. The selection is to be made by the membership committee.

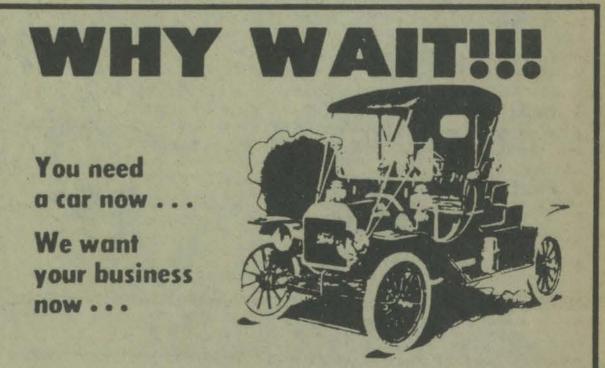
The program, "New Insights-Personal Growth and Development," was presented by Betsy Rennick who gave a discussion on the Montessouri School and Philosophy.

Hostesses for the meeting were Edith Hopkins, Delphie Hicks and Betsy Rennick.

FLOYD COUNTY 4-H TALENT SHOW SET

The annual Floyd county 4-H Club Talent Show will be held Friday night, March 22, at 7 p.m. at the Betsy Layne School Auditorium, Jack M. Friar, county extension agent announced last week.





Directors of the Big Sandy Area

the coming year.

The next board meeting, April 19 at

2. Approved application for funding of

KET artist Jim Hurst designed a teacher's guide which won an award from the National Association of Educational Broadcasters (NAEB). The KET art staff and photographer received five gold medals and three silver medals for excellence in graphic design.

The Executive Department for Finance and Administration and the Department of Revenue announced that Kentucky's General Fund receipts for the first eight months of the fiscal year were \$520,876,911-an increase of 12.8 per cent over last year. Sales and use tax receipts were up 3.3 per cent, individual income tax receipts up 24.9 per cent and coal severance tax receipts up 26.7 per cent. Revenue Commission John Ross said that results to date are about as expected and it is likely that the current \$790 million estimate for the fiscal year will be met.

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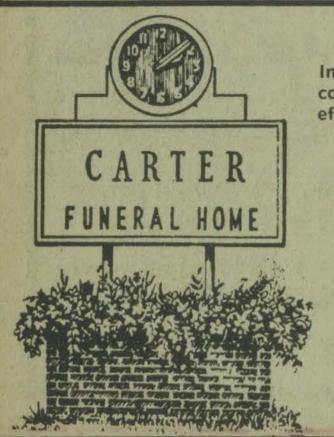
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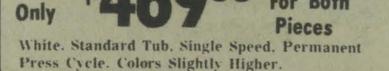
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Officer Gene Mullins and State Trooper Cantrell; Rickey Stanley, having a loaded gun and threatening to kill, by Deputy Sheriff Tackett; Wallace Rose Wright, operating a vehicle while under the influence of narcotics, by State Trooper Estep; Jarvis Mead, reckless use of a deadly weapon, by Deputy Sheriffs Hunt and Williams; Carl Edward Allen, drunk driving, resisting arrest, no operator's license and assault on a police officer, by Prestonsburg Policemen Lawson and Messer; Steve Thornsbury, shoplifting, by Policemen Trusty and Laferty; J. Castle, drunk driving, by Policemen Trusty and Wills; Frank Reffitt, drunk driving and no operator's license, by State Trooper Williamson; Ronald Prater, Thomas A. Patrick and Donnie Feltner, each for drunk driving, by Policemen Trusty and Laferty.

Patrick Shell, 20, Prestonsburg, and Betty Ruth McKenzie, 17, West Prestonsburg. Kenis Blankenship, 28, Teaberry, and Joyce Gail McKinney, 19, Craynor. John Coleman Greer, 42, and Patty Darlene Hurley, 20, both of Pikeville. Columbus Johnson, 19, Risner, and Helena Holbrook, 17, Prestonsburg. James Wade Stewart, 21, Langley, and Donna Kay Horn, 14, Prestonsburg. Donnie Ed Ousley, 23, Risner, and Bertha Sue Holbrook, 24, Prestonsburg. Franklin Davidson Fitzpatrick, 21, Prestonsburg, and Kathy Lee Allen, 20, Martin. Paul Franklin Litz, 20, and Ella Dean Slone, 19, both of Auxier. Bill Henry Montgomery, 31, Lexington, and Sandra Kay Slone, 20, Blue River.

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mother, smaller but equally beautiful, are in other rooms of the house. Another piece of which Mr. Stiles is particularly proud is a bird-cage, tilt-top table which he crafted from walnut. Of a very rare design, the table top tilts vertically for space economy and also swivels. Handcarving on the legs include leaf and floral designs. These are strikingly delicate and beautiful and the table legs terminate in orbs clutched by hawk's feet also carved in remarkable detail.

The Stiles' dining room is furnished completely with pieces crafted from a single cherry tree. Table, chairs, dish cabinets, chests, display cases-all are characterized by the same sort of quality and care of construction that has resulted in a recent interest in antique furniture. One upstairs bedroom contains a complete matching set of child's furniture in miniature. Fashioned of walnut, the set includes a cradle copied after a Pennsylvania Dutch museum piece, writing desk, miniature grandfather clock, washstand, wardrobe with mirror, two rockers, dish shelf and various tables.

Many of Stiles' pieces are completely original in design. Among these are the wooden candleholders and carved wood candles which are linked and can be swiveled to form a circle, rectangle or any shape for decorative purposes. Others, like the cradle, are made from museum pieces or even pictures in magazines. The walnut writing desk (see photo) which sits next to the grandfather clock in the Stiles home, is a copy of a desk Mrs. Stiles saw on the cover of a magazine.

"I saw it on the front of a magazine, and the next thing I knew, I had it," she said.

Stiles, who collected a half a dozen medals, including the Croix de Guerre, for gallantry in action with the Marine Corps in France during World War I, also has made dozens of small wooden boxes for his wife, and elaborately-carved mirrors of his manufacture hang on every wall.

Once, with broken arm in a cast and sling, Stiles carved full-figure images of a buck deer on the stock of one of a number of rifles he has collected. Attention to detail did not suffer from his injury.

As he reiterated, "I'm the kind of fellow who has to keep moving."

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suppressed by weighing down his tail. Futhermore, the plaintiff allowed that a son of the defendant's said his father was cutting up buckskin to string a fourlegged fiddle and also that his father had told him to write "Max Welton's Brays are Bonnie" on the stable door of the plaintiff and the plaintiff did actually write the inscription suggested by defendant on the stable door of the plaintiff and the sentence had evident reference to the plaintiff and the jack. The plaintiff estimates his damage at \$750, which he says is three-fourths of his original value, which was \$1,000, and that he will only bring \$250 now, so greatly was he reduced in the process of switching his tail in painful efforts to elevate it when the desire came upon him to utter calls such as are instinctive with all jacks.

A BIT OF HISTORY

A man who looked ahead was Edward Hatcher, "of Bedford county, in the Colony of Virginia," who died in 1736. A copy of his will reads:

"I lend to my beloved wife Sarah Hatcher one negro wench named Effee during my wife's natural life as her property and at her decease the said wench and her increase to be equally divided amongst my children."

Another of the family, William Hatcher (1614-80), son of John Hatcher, the first of the family to emigrate to Virginia in 1633, was punished for the part he played in Bacon's Rebellion. For that little escapade—which Bancroft the historian termed "the early harbinger of the American Revolution"- he was fined 10,000 pounds of tobacco and 8,000 pounds of dressed pork "for His Majesty's soldiers."

HI HAT NEWS

Don and Joanne Robinson from Orlando, Florida, were in Hi Hat March 1-9, visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gearheart. Mrs. Gearheart was at home having just been released from McDowell Hospital following a sudden illness.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Claude Branham wishes to express their deep appreciation to all those who were so kind to us upon the

--- 3 ----(Continued from Page One) federal government in southeastern

Kentucky.

Senator Roy R. Ross, Paintsville Democrat whose district includes two precincts in Floyd county, had said earlier that he would offer an amendment which would have allowed the owner of mineral rights under the old deed to post a bond instead of procuring written consent of the surface owner before stripmining. But Ross failed to show up for last week's committee meeting when the bill was voted out for full Senate consideration.

Although Overstreet and others are hopeful of killing the amendments, they do not believe they will be fatal. Ross' proposed amendment, however, would have "gutted" the bill, Overstreet said.

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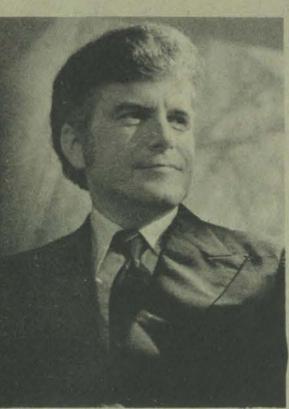
Ninety-four residents of the county have been summoned for jury service at

the April term. Their names and addresses follow:

Patty Garrett, Wheelwright; Mrs. Grover Hicks, Garrett; Clyde George, Prestonsburg; Hi Hall, Hi Hat; Freda Bartuka, Wheelwright; Donna May, Martin; Douglas Burkett, Allen; James E. Mitchell, Teaberry; Pauline Stumbo, Harold; James Stumbo, Price; Alma Brvant, Hi Hat; Oma Adams, Hi Hat; Walter Hall, Betsy Layne; Malcolm Layne, Ivel; Edgar Dotson, Cliff; Paul Stumbo, McDowell; Clifford Williams, McDowell; McArthur Jacobs, Martin; Cledith Sester, Endicott; Otis Kidd, Honaker; Lonnie Stapleton, Emma; Sylvia Johnson, Wheelwright; Oscar Bush, Harold; Claude Swiney, Prestonsburg; Hamlet Lovely, Garrett; Wanda F. Moscript, Weeksbury; Darrell R. Jones, Allen; Gerald DeRossett, Water Gap; Monie Newman, Martin; Sue Crisp, Allen; Rudolph Lewis, Ivel; Eugene Akers, Betsy Layne; JoAnn Click, Allen; Ollie Blackburn; Norma Jean Boyd, Wheelwright; Odd Clay, Dwale; Edith Martin, Minnie; Elizabeth P. Wallen, Garrett; Earl Campbell, Water Gap; Johnie Marsillett, West Prestonsburg; Curt Tackett, Ligon; Larry Joe Osborne, Harold; Delzie Gearheart, Eastern; Laura Johnson, Harold: Barbara Wynsma, Eastern; Marie Conn, Stanville; Sarah H. Blackburn, Dwale.

Clyde Mosley, Weeksbury; Estill

Tennessee Minister To Lead in Revival



The Rev. Dick Allison, pastor of the South Knoxville Baptist Church, will be the evangelist leading Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here in revival, beginning next Sunday and continuing through Sunday, March 31.

The Rev. Allison's church ministers to many University of Tennessee students as a part of its program. He is a graduate of Georgetown College and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, and has served as pastor of churches in both Kentucky and Tennessee. Revival services here will be at 7:30 p.m., daily. Gus Kalos will be in charge of the music program, and special singing will be a feature of each service. The pastor, the Rev. W. D. Jaggers, and congregation welcome the public to each service.

VISITING PARENTS

Mrs. Katherine Jean Sample, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Shepherd, here.

SUFFERS BULLET WOUND

Edward Worland is recovering at Highlands Medical Center from a revolver bullet wound which, he said, resulted from the accidental discharge of a weapon which he was cleaning. The bullet passed through his jaw.

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Tuesdays, April 2-23, 7-8:30 p.m.-Genealogy, Fee \$6

Wednesdays, April 10-24, 7-9 p.m.-Spring Flora of Eastern Kentucky, Fee \$20 (Fee includes textbook). A Saturday field trip will be included. Thursdays, April 11-May 16, 6:30-9:30 p.m.-Cake Decorating, Fee \$18 Mondays, April 15-May 13, 7-8:30 p.m.-Advanced Photography Seminar, Fee \$12

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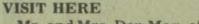
Garrett, Water Gap.

Three Are Appointed To Floyd Postmasterships

Appointments of three Floyd county postmasters was announced last week by Clarence B. Gels, regional postmastergeneral, through the office of John Mizick, Jr., acting district manager. The appointees are:

Miss Gertrude Allen, at Hunter post office; Mrs. Joyce Hamilton, at Craynor, and Mrs. Alfrieda Sammons, at Minnie. The appointments became effective at the close of business, March 15.

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Don Johnson, president of the Kentucky Surface Mining and Reclamation Association, presents a check for \$8,000 to Richard T. Stai, executive director of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center and the Highlands Mental Health Foundation. The check represents an unrestricted gift to the Highlands Mental Health Foundation for the support of HOPE Industries, Inc.

Highlands Mental Health Foundation, unrestricted gift to HOPE Industries the recently-formed funding body of through our foundation, will mean a Region 11 Mental Health-Mental great boost to our efforts at beginning Retardation Board, Inc., received its two new training projects. A further first grant last week from the Kentucky announcement on these will be made as Surface Mining and Reclamation plans are completed. We are very ap-Association, it was announced by Richard T. Stai, executive director of the board. The money, totalling \$8,000 was Reclamation Association." given as a special purpose grant for the development of HOPE Industries, Incorporated.

A check for the Foundation was presented to Mr. Stai by Donald Johnson, President of the association, at the

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association's offices in Pikeville.

In making the grant Johnson said, "The plans presented by HOPE Industries for the training and development of the handicapped of eastern Kentucky, assisting them to become more selfsustaining and, in the process, adding to the regional economy, are the kind of plans and ideas which the members of the Kentucky Surface Mining and Reclamation Association can wholeheartedly endorse and support. We are pleased to be able to assist HOPE Industries in beginning this work." Speaking for the Highlands Mental Health Foundation and the Region 11 Mental Health-Mental Retardation Board, Stai commented, "This

Mayo Vocational-Technical School has been chosen as the site for the Eastern Kentucky District, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) Skill Olympics to be held on March 23.

The Mayo VICA Club, acting as host, will begin opening ceremonies at 8 a.m. George Ramey, Sr. will give the welcoming address and the contest will begin at 9:15 a.m. These will continue throughout the afternoon.

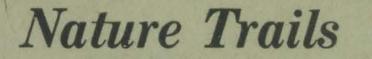


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First thing, establish a Nature Sanctuary. Plant trees and shrubs that attract birds and wild life. The best ones to plant are dogwood, autumn olive, wild cherry, hawthorn, wild crabapple, white pine, black haw, Japanese barberry, raspberry and some others.

Plant rows of sunflowers around the garden or about the premises; they add beauty to the garden and also provide excellent food for birds.

If you have a piece of woods, do not destroy the dean trees, or cut down any trees with hollow boughs. Leave the dead ones for the woodpeckers' use in securing larvae for their daily diet. Leave hollow trees as a home for animals and birds in. winter. Coons sleep snug in hollow trees. Establish clumps of shrubbery along fences to provide shelter and nesting places for birds. Mockingbirds like to nest in hedgerows or along borders. Plant flowers about the lawn, especially those that produce trumpet-shaped corollas; the hummingbirds prefer these and will often visit your flowers.

Protect the butterflies; do not make a collection of these to keep, as they are now too scarce for that. Many butterflies have fallen victims of pesticides. These beautiful insects are valuable as pollinators of flowers; they also add joy to the world.

Put up boxes and gourds to attract the martins. These are highly valuable as destroyers of mosquitoes and other flying pests. An aluminum house with at least six compartments and a plywood floor makes an ideal home for martins.

Establish ponds and small lakes on your farm. These attract the waterfowl and give them a resting place on spring migration; they also furnish a breeding place for toads and other valuable predators.

becoming very scarce in our region; they are valuable as predators to control the rats, mice and other obnoxious rodents. Do not grab a gun and shoot the first hawk that sails over. It is, no doubt, looking for rodents to eat instead of chickens.

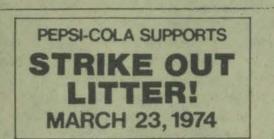
andotherwildlife. Sow lespedeza, clover, millet, milo maize, turnips; establish nature trails in the woods or along streams and learn to identify the trees

Protect the hawks and owls. They are and plants. Get the young folks interested in nature and in learning more about the Great Outdoors.

By Rufus M. Reed

Work to have your town or community set aside as a Bird Sanctuary. It will be a good boost for any town or community, as well as proving good protection for the birds. Once I was driving into the town of Sow crops on your land to help the quail Clay, W. Va., when on the outskirts I saw a sign: "You Are Now Entering the Bird Sanctuary of Clay. Protect the Birds." All the time I spent in Clay I had a warm feeling for the town and its people.

Gov. Ford recently announced that the state Department of Transportation will provide financial and technical aid to help metropolitan areas establish carpools. In a meeting with local officials and civic leaders from Kentucky's urban areas, the Governor and Transportation Secretary James Gray urged leaders to support and initiate carpooling programs to conserve fuel. Computer time and technical advice will also be available to interested communities, Gray said.







Put up feeders for the birds, especially in winter. Hang mesh bags containing suet in trees for chickadees and woodpeckers.

Wheelwright News

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Wheelwright Woman's Club met in the clubroom Tuesday, March 12, for a house cleaning party.

Members attending were Alma Souleyrette, Mary Ellen Wilson, Mrs. Elmer Ferguson, Mrs. Fred Salisbury and Mrs. Thomas J. Hagans.

A discussion of the coming innerclub dinner, March 26, was held. Myra Salisbury is food chairman and it promises to be an exciting meal.

Officers to be installed at the meeting are: Alma Souleyrette, president; Mrs. Elmer Ferguson, vice president; Mrs. Thomas J. Hagans, secretary; Mrs. Fred Salisbury, treasurer.

Alma Souleyrette, Mary Ellen Wilson and Mrs. Fred Salisbury plan to attend the student piano contest and luncheon at Wayland Saturday. Miss Susie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taulbee Johnson, of Melvin, is the student representing the Wheelwright Club.

The club also voted to present a twentyfive dollar donation to the new library in Wheelwright.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation has filed with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky a notice to include a Fuel Adjustment Clause in certain rate schedules. A public hearing concerning this matter will be held at the offices of the Public Service Commission in the Capital Plaza Tower, Frankfort, Kentucky, on March 20, 1974, at 10:00 a.m. Central Daylight Time.

This Fuel Adjustment Clause, to be effective on the first billing following March 20, 1974, will be applicable to the following Rate Schedules:

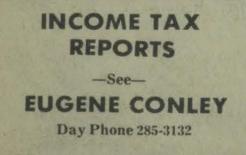
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December Marked Traffic Decrease

FRANKFORT, Ky.-Traffic on Kentucky's interstate highways increased by six per cent in 1973, compared to 1972 statistics.

However, figures for December 1973 show interstate traffic down from December 1972 totals by 11 per cent.

Dudley Shryock, a traffic analyst for the Bureau of Highways, attributes this decrease directly to the fuel shortage.

"Through the first 11 months of 1973, the interstate traffic count in Kentucky was running well above 1972 totals. However, at the beginning of December, when gasoline stations were closing early and on Sundays, interstate traffic began to decline," Shryock said.

Figures for Kentucky's primary and secondary roads show the traffic count for primary roads up five per cent over last year, while secondary road use increased three per cent.

In comparing December totals for 1972 and 73, Bureau of Highway statistics show traffic counts on both state primary and secondary roads to be off two per cent.

As for future months, Shryock explains that the Bureau of Highways can do nothing but wait and see.

"Unfortunately, from our preliminary figures for January and February, it seems as if this trend will continue."

"Already gas consumption for January 1974 is down by seven per cent," Shryock concluded.

State Transportation Secretary James Gray has announced that the moratorium on spending state funds for state highway projects has been partially lifted to allow repairs on 26 bridges across the state. The moratorium, which was ordered in January for the first quarter of the year, was made necessary by the decrease in road funds due to the gasoline shortage. About \$750,000 will be released for deck and floor repairs and cleaning and painting of bridges, Gray said.

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Of the many services and projects under the guidance of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources few receive more attention than the Experimental Game Farm located approximately three miles west of Frankfort on U.S. 60. The 150 acre farm plays host to some 75,000 visitors annually. Although open year-round, the peak times for visits, particularly from school groups, is in the latter part of April, May and June. During the winter, many birds and animals are not placed on display because of the cold.

Many teachers in the past have contacted the Superintendent of the Game Farm for a guided tour of this area when they and their students came to visit the state capitol and other points of interest near Frankfort.

The youngsters will see on Exhibition Row as an example, Bald and Golden eagles, hawks, owls, black bears, mountain lions, pheasants, racoons, grey and red fox and many other specimens. Then in three large separate enclosures there are fallow and whitetail deer and even a large family group of buffalo. Then along the shoreline of the two small lakes on the farm, ducks, geese, swans and shorebirds may be observed in flight or swimming about.

While along the fence rows one may hear the calls and see many of the songbirds that abound in this area.

There are still other points of interest for the school groups: Inside the administration building in the main showroom is a display of mounted waterfowl and wildlife. Then there is a large picnic area where the touring groups may eat their lunches and rest before heading home.

The Game Farm is open seven days a week and visitors and tourists are welcome to come and see the many attractions that this area affords, as well as sample the limited fishing opportunities. The two lakes are open to fishing for children under 16, women and men 65 years of age and older. A fishing license is required of all persons between the ages of 16 and 65. A resident of Kentucky over 65 may fish without a license, but should carry an affidavit (available at county clerks' offices) stating his year of birth and place of residence. A license is required of non-residents over 65. Special size and creel limits apply to. the game farm lakes, and all fishermen should check the signs posted around the area.

The Game Farm is by far more than just a place to visit. It is the place where the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources produces some 100,000 bobwhite quail chicks under the "Quail Under Lights Program."

Some of the Experimental programs are with ruffed grouse, wild turkey, mallard ducks and exotic game birds.

The entire area has been made possible through the sale of hunting and fishing licenses, which is the sole support of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

To the visiting students, tourists and guests it is a gift from the sportsmen of Kentucky.

For reservations for a guided tour write or call: Raymond Wiley, Superintendent, Game Farm, Route 2, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601; Telephone, Area Code 502-223-8211. The farm is open from 8:00 a.m. until sunset.

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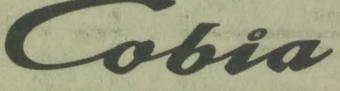


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The Kentucky Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults has pioneered in providing services for children crippled by many causes.



Outstanding Students at Band Clinic



Kathi Mullins

Two outstanding music students, Kathi Mullins and Jolene Crawford, from Wheelwright High School, were chosen to participate in the Morehead State University Band Clinic, Feb. 14-17. The clinic is made up of advanced music students throughout the U.S. and offers a wide range of musical talents and opportunities. Miss Mullins is a junior, and Miss Crawford a senior.

Several students from Wheelwright Huff, Rita Patterson.



It's Time To Enjoy **Spring In Kentucky**

By HELEN PRICE STACY

It's springtime in Kentucky! Golden forsythia is creating patches of sunshine in yards, wild lilies are threading narrow satin ribbons along creekbanks and hills, while meadows in the Bluegrass are displaying bright galaxies of cinguefoils, wood poppies and buttercups.

country can enjoy Kentucky's wildflower spring. Let the deep south have warm winters and the far north its cold summers-Kentucky has it all.

clouds overhead and early blooming September 21, at San Francisco, 4:00 flowers beneath, who cares that spring is p.m., plus two additional games to be whimsical weather, peach-blossom pink and pear-blossom soft one minute and wild and windy the next?

25 Reds' Games To Be Televised

The Cincinnati Reds, defending Western Division Champions, will be in hot pursuit of another successful campaign in 1974, and WSAZ, television 3 will televise 25 games during the major league season.

Providing the play-by-play coverage this year will be veteran sportscaster Charlie Jones, and former Reds infielder Woody Woodward.

A familiar sportscaster to millions of viewers through his national network experience, Jones has called major sports events for NBC, ABC, CBS, Hughes Sports, TVS and other regional hookups. His baseball background included five years on NBC's "Game of the Week" telecast team.

Joining Jones will be former Cincinnati Reds shortstop Woody Woodward, who will do the color coverage for the Reds telecasts. Woodward is familiar to Reds fans from his four years on the team (1968-1972). His knowledge of the game and players provides a special insight into the Reds as a team.

> **CINCINNATI REDS** WSAZ, television 3 1974 schedule

Saturday, March 30, St. Louis (exhibition), 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, April 4, Atlanta (opener), 2:30 p.m.; Sunday, April 14, at Atlanta, 2:15 p.m.; Friday, April 26, at St. Louis, 8:30 p.m.; Saturday, April 27, at St. Louis, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, April 28, at St. Louis, 2:15 p.m.; Saturday, May 4, at Chicago, 2:15 p.m.; Thursday, June 6, at New York, 2:15 p.m.; Wednesday, June 12, at Montreal, 8:05 p.m.; Friday, June 28, at Atlanta, 7:35 p.m.; Sunday, June 30, at Atlanta, 2:15 p.m.; Tuesday, July 9, at Chicago, 2:30 p.m.; Thursday, July 11, at Chicago, 2:30 p.m.; Saturday, July 13, at Pittsburgh, 2:15 p.m.; Sunday, July 14, at Pittsburgh, 1:35 p.m.; Wednesday, July 17, at St. Louis, 8:30 p.m.; Saturday, August 10, at New York, 2:15 p.m.; Saturday, August Anyone within distance of a bit of open 24, at Montreal, 2:15 p.m.; Wednesday, August 28, at Philadelphia, 7:35 p.m.; Tuesday, September 3, at Houston, 8:35 p.m.; Wednesday, September 4, at Houston, 8:35 p.m.; Sunday, September With a blue sky laced with sheepwool 15, at Los Angeles, 4:15 p.m.; Saturday,

Miss Turner Named To Berea Dean's List

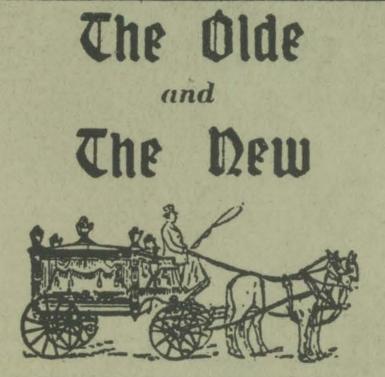
BEREA, Ky.-Glenda Turner, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Turner, of Langley, has been named to the Dean's Honor list at Berea College for the first semester. She is a freshman nursing major.

To be eligible a student must carry at least three courses, and have grades for the term of B or better in all classes.

Berea College, a non-denominational liberal arts school, also offers degrees in agriculture, nursing, business, and home economics. There is no tuition charge. Instead, all students work at least ten hours a week in the college labor program, earning part of their expenses. The college reserves 80 percent of its enrollment for students from eight Southern states.







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Jolene Crawford High and W. D. Osborne Elementary

Schools were selected by audition to participate in the Eastern Highlands All-Ara Honor Band this year. They were Sherman Berger, Ellouise Johnson, Kathi Mullins, and William Patton, all of Wheelwright High School. Junior high students from Osborne Elementary were Cathi Jo Caudill, Kim Hall, Cathi Hall, Tamby Hamby, Monica Jones, Sherry

Boys are stuffing their pockets full of sandwiches, grabbing a fishing pole and heading past fields of bright wildflowers to creeks and rivers. Many will travel with their families to Dewey Lake, Greenbo Lake, Grayson Lake and other man-made waters in Eastern Kentucky as well as lakes and reservoirs throughout Kentucky.

Any boy with sun-thatched hair and a fishing pole can explain that trout lilies have nothing to do with fishing. When this yellow flower dots rich woodlands in April, it might also be called adder's tongue. The same towheads will quite likely be able to explain that only the fruit of the trout lily resembles an adder.

Naturalist hikes in Kentucky's state parks are the answer for those who like to absorb bits of knowledge along with the natural beauty of wildflowers, many of which are rare. If signs proclaiming "Do Not Disturb" would save some of the springtime beauties, they might be hung around the tiny stems of hepaticas, anemones, bloodroot, toothwort, periwinkles, phlox, cress, bluebells, trailing arbutus, violets, saxifrage, pussy-toes, ginger and chickweed.

Persons familiar with Philadelphia fleabane, Canada violet, Canada mayflower, Star of Bethlehem, Greek valerian, Virginia cowslip, Allegheny spurge, Quaker ladies, Miami mist, Houstonia patens and even Poa pratensis know most can soon be seen here in Kentucky. Now is the time to enjoy the state's beautiful spring.

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A pie supper was given at D.A.V. Hall, Unit 18, at Meally, March 8. Several people attended and arts and crafts were sold. We want to thank every one who attended. Our next meeting is planned. for April 12, at 7:30 p.m.

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CHARLES CLARK Supt., Floyd County Schools 3-6-3t.

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OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

David Lee Garrett, great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Garrett, celebrated his first birthday, March 10, at his home on Cow Creek. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Earl Garrett, of Banner, Mr. and Mrs. Birkey L. Lewis and daughter, Janice Lee, also of Banner, and Mrs. Arco Hunt and children, of Cow Creek. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. George David Garrett.

Health News

By DONNA J. GRIFFITH (Heatlh educator, Floyd County Health Department)

GLAUCOMA CLINIC SCHEDULED The Floyd County Health Department will hold a glaucoma clinic Thursday, March 21, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Glaucoma most frequently occurs in persons over 35 years of age and is likely to run in families. Undiagnosed and untreated, glaucoma can lead to total blindness. One out of every seven blind persons in the United States lost his sight because of glaucoma. The public health nurses urge all persons over the age of 35 to take advantage of this service. Finding the disease and getting proper treatment can control glaucoma and prevent needless blindness.

SETS OUTPOST CLINIC

The Floyd County Health Department announces that a public health nurse will hold an outpost clinic Monday, March 25, at the Mud Creek Clinic at Teaberry, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The following free services will be available: TB skin tests, immunizations, diabetes screening, blood pressures and pap smears.

PAP SMEAR CLINIC

The health department announces that a public health nurse will hold a pap smear clinic, Wednesday, March 27, at Ethel Osborne's Store at Bypro from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The health department reminds all women that they should have at least one pap smear a year and that this service is free to all women.

FREE HOME EYE TESTS

An eye test kit which enables parents to check the vision of their preschoolers at home is now available from the Kentucky Society for the Prevention of Blindness. Simple instructions prepare the parent to give the child the standard "Snellen Symbol E Chart" vision test. The test will

show if a child has a vision defect but, he Society emphasized, it in no way replaces a professional eye examination.

According to statistics received, estimates show that one in every 20 preschool-age children in the U.S. has a vision problem which, if uncorrected, can seriously interfere with his

East Point Club **To Honor Elderly**

The East Point Area Development Club will honor senior citizens of the community Sunday afternoon, March 31, from 2 to 4:30 p.m. at the Community Center in the Masonic Lodge building.

Following a short program, which will be presented by members of the club, the guests will enjoy a display of Kentucky Mountain arts and handcrafts, many of which were made by local residents. Any persons having crafts of any kind which they would like to display are asked to contact Mrs. Calvin K. Gray, chairman.

Following a social hour, a door prize will be presented, along with gifts, to the oldest woman, the oldest man, and the couple married for the longest period of time.

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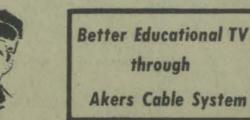
Based on my faith in the Eastern Kentucky people and my observations that the people DO wish to obtain the twelve channels, we are optimistic that with the cooperation of the people, twelve channels will be yours, if you so wish, NOW!

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low-income category, however, are in-

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Although 61,000 Kentuckians are

veterans of the armed forces during the

Vietnam conflict, those veterans con-

tribute only 6 per cent to the 40 per cent

total of the male population over 18 years

five Kentucky males in that age group is

And, almost 60 per cent of the

population is 21 years or older, with the

a World War II veteran.

median age 27.7

One out of every five households in the median home value placed at just Kentucky is without the use of at least one automobile, while only 6 per cent lack a television set.

And, although 45 per cent of the state's population over 25 years of age has a grade school education, only 39 per cent are high school graduates, including the 14.4 per cent who have had some college training. Median school year completed by Kentuckians 25 and older is 9.9, or high school freshman level.

These statistics, as well as others describing the Kentucky population are contained in the final computer profile of the Commonwealth prepared by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, according to Senator Marlow Cook.

That profile is based on data collected during the nationwide census in 1970 and is the final breakdown of that information, Cook said.

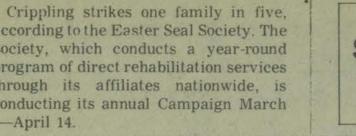
While specific totals may have of age who are veterans. One out of every changed since the census, Cook said the Census Bureau told him that, in a comparatively stable population such as Kentucky's, the proportions should remain about the same.

Statistically, almost 73 per cent of the people in the state work for wages or salary for a private company, business or individual. Another 16 per cent work for local, state or federal government agencies, with 10 per cent self-employed. The largest occupation is defined as "operatives, including transport." That group makes up 22 per cent of the slightly more than one million persons employed in 1970. Next largest categories were clerical and similar workers and craftsmen and kindred workers, both at just under 15 per cent.

More individuals work in manufacturing than in any other industry, with 26 per cent of the industrial working force involved in such production. Wholesale and retail trade and professional and related services are the next largest groupings; combined with manufacturing those industries represent 60 percent of the working force. Mining employs 2.5 per cent while agriculture takes another 7 per cent.

Cook said one statistic which probably would not surprise most housewives in the state was that only one out of 10 had a dishwasher. Three quarters of the occupied housing units boast a clothes washer, however, with one out of three

according to the Easter Seal Society. The Society, which conducts a year-round program of direct rehabilitation services under \$13,000. (Median indicates half the through its affiliates nationwide, is homes were valued at more than this conducting its annual Campaign March 1-April 14. The median monthly rent in the state is



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having a clothes dryer.

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More than two-thirds of the housing units are occupied by their owner, with

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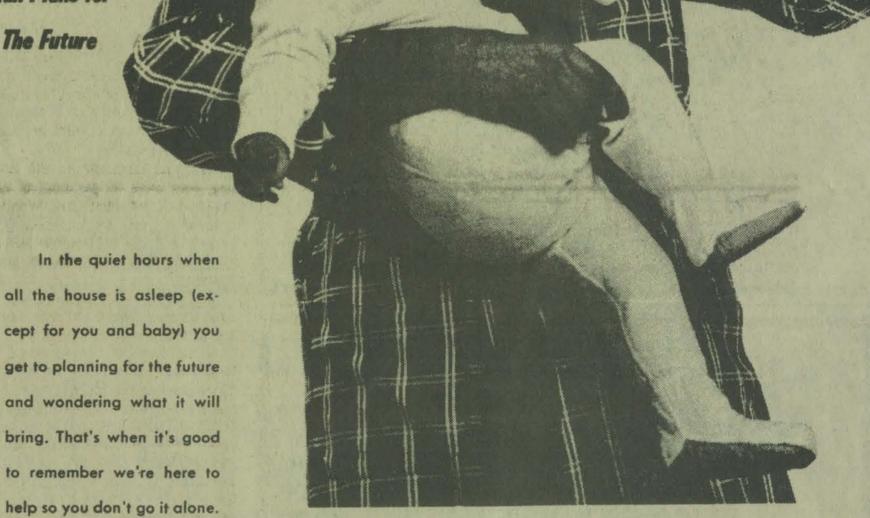
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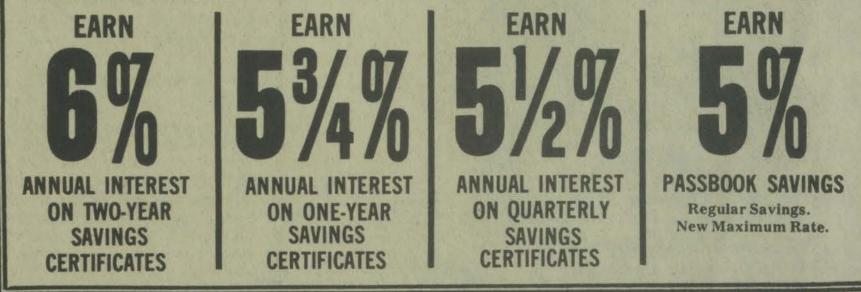
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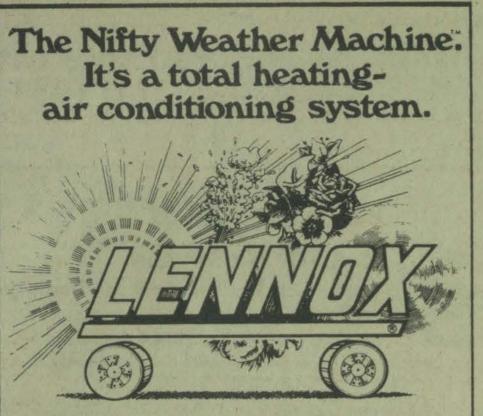
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BUSINESS LOCATION.

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25-Year Employee



-Photo by Strahan-Nelson Simon Akers, of Dana, a division clerk for Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation here marked his 25th year with Columbia this month. In recognition of his service. Akers will receive a gold watch later this year at a banquet honoring long-time employees.

Seventy-seven Columbia Gas Transmission employees will become members of the Quarter Century Club this year. Including those, the company will have some 840 employees with 25 years or more of service. The company employs some 3,400 persons in a seven-state area.

Bookmobiles Serve 97 Counties Today

The bookmobile program received official state recognition in 1954, when business and labor leaders donated book vans to the Commonwealth for use in rural areas.

Twenty years ago, 80 percent of rural Kentucky lacked access to a public library. Today, 97 of the 120 counties provide county-wide service for their citizens through a library system built around town libraries and satellite bookmobile services.

A fleet of 110 bookmobiles are assigned to these 97 counties and certain cities. such as Louisville. Drivers and maintenance costs of the units, are provided by local public financing. Bookmobiles have become identified in Kentucky with motherhood, apple pie and the flag. This is fine, but it should be clearly understood that in most counties of Kentucky, bookmobiles are also meat, bread and potatoes. First and foremost, in the last reporting year over 40 per cent of all books checked out of what Gov. Wendell Ford calls the "people's universities," were loaned from the bookmobile network, for a total of almost 7,000,000 circulating volumes.

MAYTOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Robinson were in Frankfort on business, Thurday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Little and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller and son, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lenox, Cincinnati, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart, of Port Royal, Va., were here last week to attend the funeral of Claude May.

Pat Tallent, of George Washington University, spent spring vacation here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Tallent.

Friends of Mrs. Goldia Pratt Malloy, of Connecticut, have learned that she recently passed away and was taken to Fairborn, Ohio, for burial. Mrs. Malloy was a former resident of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett and children, of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Turner, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Claude (Speed) May who passed away March 12 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital after an extended illness.

Edward F. Robinson and Charlie Patton attended the annual coin show in Dunbar, W. Va., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Slone announce the birth of a son at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, March 12.

Tom Stewart, Stockdale, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart, Amelia, Ohio, and Jeff and Beckie Stewart, of Morehead State Univesity, have been here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dillman and children, of Middlesboro, were recent guests of her father, Thomas Patrick.

Mrs. Tamyra Hensley is out of the hospital and is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Ellen Shepherd, of Crestline, Ohio, is here visiting Mrs. Lula Allen and Lexie and other friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Bessie Patton has been confined to her home, suffering a blood clot in the leg.

Mrs. Herbert Ousley underwent minor surgery at Highlands Regional Medical Center last Wednesday and returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker has been released from Highlands Regional Medical Center and is recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Allen.



Moreover, the bookmobile drivers provide extra little services not spelled out in the job specifications.

According to Cumberland County Bookmobile Librarian, Ruth B. Murley, "I've taken used clothes, helped get free lunches and shoes and clothing for school children. There are a lot of things we need to know about other than books. Though books are our first concern, we also need to know where people can get their welfare checks, when different people can be seen and information about such private subjects as birth control measures."

"This past Christmas, with the assistance of Mrs. Jewell Thomas, regional librarian, toys were collected and distributed to mentally handicapped children.

"Now when I arrive at the mental health center, this one little boy runs up to me with a happy smile and repeats in my ear, over and over, the single word, 'car.' You see, the gift I left for him last Christmas was a small racing car," Mrs. Murley said.

Keathley-Hale

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Keathley, of Allen, are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Rhonda Faye, to Mr. Kane Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hale, of Harold. Miss Keathley is a graduate of Martin High School and has attended Prestonsburg Community College and Eastern Kentucky University. She is presently employed at Archer Memorial Clinic.

Mr. Hale is a graduate of Betsy Layne High School and attended Prestonsburg Community College and University of Kentucky. He is employed at United Finance Company, Pikeville. A May wedding is planned.

SPECIAL MEETING

The Martin PTA will hold a special meeting Friday at 7 p.m. at the school. The public is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Allen have been fishing in Tennessee.

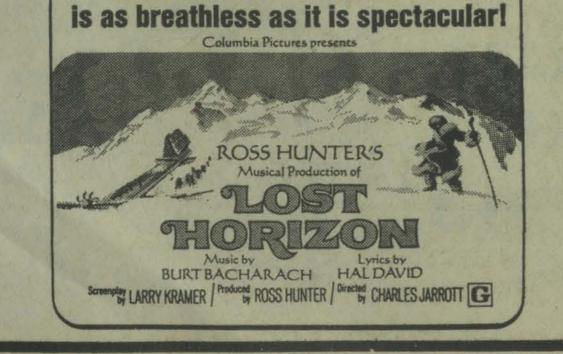
Mrs. Don Little, of Lexington, and Mrs. Trilby May called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Webb, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gibson went to Louisville to attend the state basketball tournament. En route home they spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett, of Lexington.



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BID NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept sealed bids on a limited quantity of classroom and library furniture until 12 o'clock noon Saturday April 6, 1974.

Bid price will include free delivery to site.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any bid offered. For further details contact Harry J. Wallace at the Superintendent's Office. CHARLES F. CLARK Supt., Floyd County Schools 3-21-3t.

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Revival To End Sunday

The revival in progress at Fitzpatrick Baptist Mission on the Mountain Parkway, near here, will conclude with the The pastor, the Rev. John H. Wood, is leading in the revival, with services daily at 7 p.m. Special singing is a feature of each service. The public is invited to attend.

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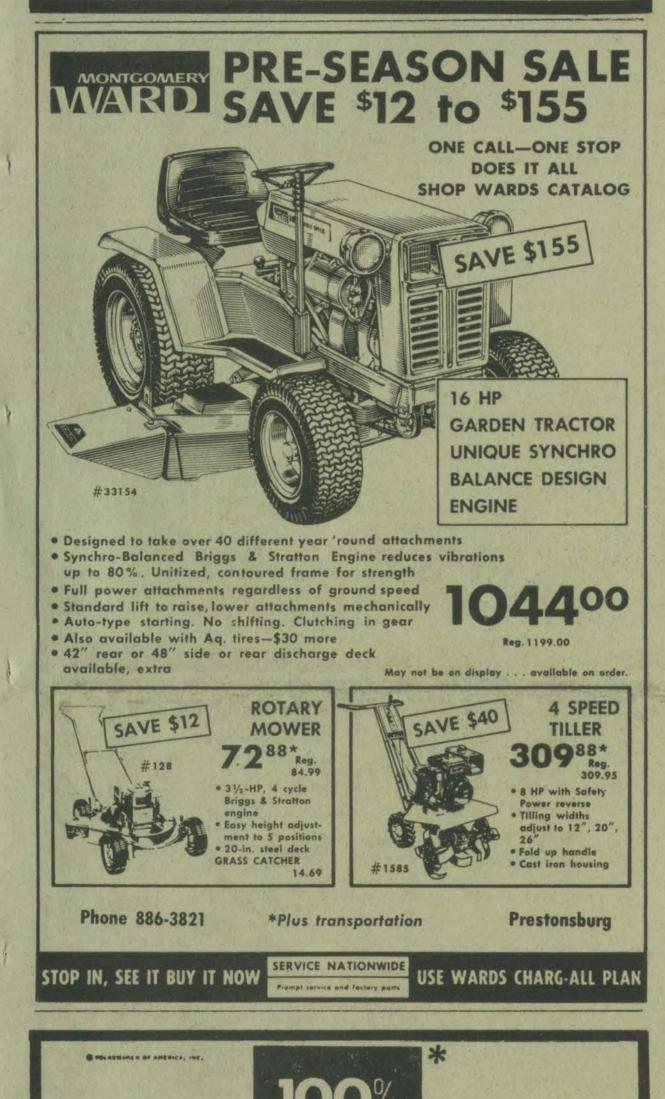
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Mental Health Board Broadens 'Circle of Care'

The Region 11 Mental Health-Mental reforestation, paper re-cycling, an in-Retardation Board, serving Johnson, tegrated food processing center as well Martin, Magoffin, Pike and Floyd as mountain arts and crafts. Once an Counties, authorized the creation of two new subsidiaries at its meeting Thursday, March 14, in Paintsville.

Highlands Mental Health Foundation were formed by the regional mental health board to, according to Board President O. T. Dorton, "provide the key to completing the 'circle of care' necessary to community mental health in Eastern Kentucky."

HOPE Industries, Inc. will have as its purpose the development of sheltered and semi-sheltered workshops for the mentally, physically and emotionally handicapped. Some of the types of training and industries currently being explored are landscaping and lawn maintenance, reclamation and

Highlands

Regional Medical Center

Patients Discharged

(March 9 through March 15) Ricky Salyers, Carver; James A. Caudill, Hendricks; Zora R. Hughes, Paintsville; Casey Staniford, Boonscamp; Dave Marsillett, West Prestonsburg; John Newman (deceased), Paintsville: Hazel Jones, Bevinsville: Janie

Tackett, Paintsville; Jaunita Hager,

initial period of training is completed, the trainees would be eligible for an incomesharing plan which, depending upon the HOPE Industries, Inc. and the success of the industry, is intended to make each trainee as self-sufficient as possible.

> The Highlands Mental Health Foundation was formed to seek private, philanthropic support for the work of the Region 11 Mental Health-Mental Retardation Board. According to Richard T. Stai, executive director of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, the agency will need to supplement current funding sources with an additional 10 to 15 per cent in the next two years as fedeal staffing grants begin to phase out. "The Highlands Mental Health Foundation will seek to develop an endowment fund, as well as special projects grants, to broaden the financial support available to our comprehensive care delivery system," Stai stated.

> In other action, the board approved renovations plans for the second floor of the old Prestonsburg General hospital. First floor renovation is expected to be completed and ready for occupancy by May 15. The board also leased a greenhouse site in Martin County near Inez, leased a building in West Van Lear in Johns county for use by HOPE Industries, and heard a status report on construction plans for a Regional Developmental Disabilities Services Center at Auxier near the Highlands Regional Medical Center.



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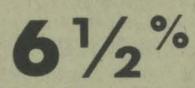
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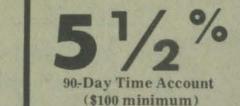
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ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Ira Fields is in Ypsilanti, Mich., visiting her son, Claude Fields and Mrs. Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parsons and daughter, Debbie, were in Lexington for medical consultation, Tuesday and Wednesday. They were overnight guests of his brother, George Parsons, and Mrs. Parsons.

Mrs. Bill Taylor, of Chicago, Ill., has returned home after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Westfall, and other relatives.

Mrs. Bessie Parsons and Mrs. Pauline Burchett were business visitors in Pikeville, Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Crum has returned home after a week's visit with her son, Johnny Crum, and Mrs. Crum, in Michigan.

Students home for spring vacation from Morehead University were Donna Sue Clark and Richard Allen; from Eastern University were Debbie Fulks, Jeffrey Ratliff, Ramona Hall, Kathy Elkins, and Teresa Hall; from the University of Kentucky were Patricia and Jody Reynolds, and John D. Preston, and from Alice Lloyd College was Sheila Goble.

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Mrs. Charlene Howard was the honoree at a surprise shower Friday evening, March 8, where she received many baby gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. Florida Smith, Mrs. Dennis Garrett, Mrs. William Lyons, Mrs. Ned Bush, Miss Novania Akers, Mrs. Ilene Elswick, Mrs. Joe Reynolds, Jr., Mrs. Johnny Reynolds, Mrs. Kathy Elliott, Mrs. James Conn, and Mrs. Raymond Crum. Mrs. Howard is the daughter of Mrs. Clifford Akers.

Marty Vaughan, of Lexington, is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp.

J. Frank Preston visited his daughter, Mrs. Howard H. Moore, Wednesday, at Louisa.

Mrs. Tom Porter and daughter, Pam, and Sheri Hinchman spent Thursday and Friday as guests of her sister, Mrs. Ricie Derossett, and Mr. Derossett, at Hazard. Visiting Mrs. Allie Parsons over the week-end were her family, Miss Janice Parsons, student at Eastern University, and Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons and children, Sarah and Steve, of Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. Denny Goodman, of

Illinois, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Campbell, and her grandmother, Mrs. Beulah Delong.

Mrs. Hazel Dillion, of Ivel, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Henry, all of Lexington, were guests of Mrs. Alta Fields and Vickie this past week.

Mrs. Shular Hurd and family have moved from Georgia to Ivel. Sgt. Shular, who will retired from the United States Army in July, will join his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass attended the funeral of Edgar Heyl, of Ashland, last week. Mr. Heyl is the sonin-law of Mrs. Nora Snodgrass, a former resident of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lafferty have returned home after a visit with her brother, Ben Hall, and Mr. Hall, of Somerset, and her niece, Mrs. O. H. Park, and Mr. Park, of Carmel, Indiana. John D. Preston, James Oscar Ratliff, and Stephen R. Brackett were visiting at Borders Chapel, Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Hall and daughters. Ramona and Rita, were shopping in Huntington, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Porter, Mr. and Mrs. William Chester Porter and Brad, and Mrs. Debbie Lumpkins and Chris and Chet, visited Clyde Beverly of Wayland, Sunday. Mrs. Lucinda Bentley visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Salyers at Salyersville and other relatives at West Liberty this past week. John Branham has been able to return to his home at Water Gap after undergoing surgery at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. Mrs. J. Frank Preston and Mrs. Ray Brackett attended the meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Salisbury, in Prestonsburg. Mrs. Keen Setser and Mrs. Ronald Johnson, of Prestonsburg, were shopping in Huntington, Thursday. Allen Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a skating party at East Point, Sunday afternoon. Members attending were Sharon and Phillip Spillman, Missy Lafferty, Laura F. Brackett, James Donta, Betty Gray, Bennie Michael Lafferty, Nancy Jo Crisp, Paula and Sheri Hinchman, Glenna Marcum, Jeffrey and Renee Kinzer, Anita Auxier, and Randy Hughes. The group was accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. Frank Spillman and Mrs. Ruby Kinzer. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Osborne and family have moved to the former home of Albert Lafferty on Gas Fork. The Allen United Methodist Women met Tuesday evening at the church with the president, Mrs. Tincy Crisp, presiding. The program was based on Bible studies with discussion by the group. Hostess for the evening was Mrs. Crisp who served refreshments to Mrs. Jewell Allen, Mrs. Edna Mae Callison, Mrs. Jerry Martin, and visitor, Mrs. Delores Callison. New residents to May Village are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Daniels, who moved there this past week. Among relatives and friends attending the funeral of Claude May of Maytown, Friday, were Mr. and Mrs. William Ratliff, Wayne W. Ratliff, Ray Brackett, and Beecher Woods. Mrs. Christine Slone and family, of Princeton, spent Wednesday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes and family. Mrs. Lula Crum, Lila Crum, Mrs. Ruth Clevenger, of Elkhorn City, and Don and Doug Ratliff, of Detroit, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crum, here last Friday. Mr. Crum is now at home recuperating from a recent illness. Mrs. Clifford Akers was in Lexington for a few days visiting her granddaughter, Leslie Nichole Poe, who underwent surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital. Clifford Akers, Keith, and Johnny M. Reynolds were fishing recently at Norris Lake in Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. Ermal Hicks and sons, Toby and Dennis, of Langley, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crum.

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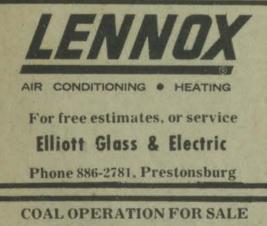
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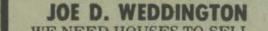
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Ernest Crisp

Ernest Crisp, 52, of Estill, died Friday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital. He had been in failing health for several years.

A son of the late Jeff and Myra Chaffins Crisp, he was born July 21, 1921 at Edgewater, Ky. A miner, he was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ruby Ousley Crisp; three sons, Ernest Crisp, Jr., of Berwin, Ill., Dennis and Terry Crisp, both at home; a daughter, Mrs. Sue Hall, of Estill; a brother, Everett Crisp, of Elyria, O., and one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Monday, at the Martin Branch Free Will Baptist Church at Estill by the Rev. Rufus Johnston. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

John Graham Calhoun

John Graham Calhoun, 56, of Spurlock, died Thursday at Methodist Hospital in Pikeville following an extended illness. Born at Water Gap November 1, 1917, he was a son of Mrs. Dona Wallen Calhoun, of Spurlock, and the late Elzie Calhoun. He was a disabled miner.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mildred Pennington Calhoun; three daughters, Mrs. Colleen Cornett, of Spurlock, Miss Johnnie Marie Calhoun, at home, Mrs. Delores Hicks, of Ashland; one brother, Arlen Calhoun, of Spurlock; four sisters, Mrs. Lona Hatfield, Mrs. Opal Younce, Mrs. Easter Belle Slone, all of Spurlock, and Mrs. Blanche Younce, of Paintsville, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, at the home by the Rev. Dan Heintzleman. Burial was made in the Calhoun family cemetery at Spurlock under direction of Carter Funeral Home.

America Isaac Johnson

Mrs. America Isaac Johnson, 59, of Halo, was dead on arrival at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, Monday. A native of Knott county, she was a daughter of Tonts and Anna Hall Isaac and the widow of Leo Johnson. She had been a member of the Little Rock Regular Baptist church at Halo for 17

Obituaries

Claude Branham

Claude Branham, 70, died at his home at Dwale, Friday, March 8.-

Born August 9, 1904, he was a son of the late John C. and Lula Ellen Lafferty Branham. He was a retired miner, and a member of the Dwale Methodist Church. Survivors include three sons, Edgille "Shag" Branham and Greenville Branham, both of Prestonsburg, and Ezra Branham, of Brunswick, O.; one brother, Benny Branham, of Wilmington, O; six sisters, Mrs. Artie Kincaid, Mrs. Rosie Clark, and Mrs. Maggie Clark, both of Flatwoods, Mrs. Nancy Shepherd, of Cow Creek, Mrs. Nell Broyles, of Allen Park, Mich., Mrs. Judy Rabin, of Cincinnati, O.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m., Sunday, March 10, at the Dwale Methodist Church by the Rev. Richmond Ratcliffe. Burial was made in the Richmond cemetery under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Pallbearers wré Jack Howard, Earnest Branham, James R. Sword, Ralph Elkins, Greg Campbell, Carl Humble, Kermit Howard, Clifford Branham, and Gary Mullins.

Mrs. Golda Pratt Malloy

Mrs. Golda Pratt Malloy, 50, of 12 Deepwood Drive, Wolcott, Conn., died March 4 at 9 a.m. at her home after a short illness. She was the daughter of the late Miles M. and Ella Huff Pratt.

She was employed as a secretary for the state of Connecticut Department of Welfare and Education.

Survivors include one son, James P. Malloy, and one daughter, Mrs. Colleen Heller, both of Wolcott, Connecticut; three sisters, Mrs. Lucy Calvert, Fairborn, Ohio, Mrs. Ruth Criag, Medway, Ohio, and Mrs. Dortha Lankford, Knoxville, Tenn., five nephews and three nieces.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Medway (O.) cemetery by the Rev. William Burley, pastor of the Medway Methodist Church.

Allie Calhoun Herald

Victim of an apparent heart attack, Mrs. Allie Calhoun Herald, 85, was dead on arrival Sunday at Highlands Regional Medical Center after being stricken a short time earlier. Born Januay 12, 1889 at Water Gap, she was a daughter of the late Tom (Dode) and Ellen Merritt Calhoun, and was the widow of Will Herald. Survivors include one son, Billy Herald, of Prestonsburg, with whom she resided, and one daughter, Mrs. Ellen Horn, of West Prestonsburg; three brothers, Robert Calhoun, of Dwale, Joe Calhoun, of West Prestonsburg, Tom Calhoun, of Cliff; a sister, Mrs. Pearl Wallen, of Prestonsburg; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held today (Wednesday) at 1 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Chapel, the Rev. Sam Rucker and Rev. Wallace Calhoun officiating. Burial will be made in the West Prestonsburg cemetery.

Merritt Slone

Merritt Slone, 43, of LaGrange, O., formerly of Raven, died last Tuesday at Elyria Memorial Hospital in Elyria, O. Born January 7, 1931, he was a son of Mrs. Carrie Draughn Slone, of Raven, and the late Fair Slone. He was employed as a machine operator by General Motors in Parma, O.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Edith Dudley Slone; two sons, Steve Slone, of LaGrange, O., and David Slone, at home; four brothers, Delzie Slone, of Jeffersonville, Ind., Clemon Slone, in Wisconsin, Ernest Slone, of Dayton, O., Roy Slone, of LaGrange, O.; six sisters, Mrs. Allie Gibson, of Marion, O., Mrs. Lora Dobson, Mrs. Mae Gibson, Mrs. Elsie Moore, all of Raven, Mrs. Ruie Sturgill, of Titusville, Fla., Mrs. Ollie Terry, of LaGrange, O., and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday, at the home of his mother at Raven by the Revs. Dillis Combs, Nelson Slone, and Charles Keesee. Burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Claude May

Claude May, the son of Felix May and Susan Stephens May, who preceded him in death, was born July 17, 1905 at Langley, Floyd County, Kentucky, where he has spent his childhood and most of his adult life. He departed this life March 12, 1974 at the age of 68 years.

Claude's father died when he was only two years old and he, along with 8 other children were reared by a widowed mother with whom he spent his childhood and his adult life until she passed away on September 2, 1947. Thereafter he lived alone and was never married.

Claude is survived by one brother, Willard May, Orange City, Florida, and three sisters: Lula (Mrs. Earl Webb), Langley, Ida (Mrs. Earl Moore), Prestonsburg, and Ethel (Mrs. Wayne Ratliff), Prestonsburg and Abbott Creek who remained at his bedside during the last weeks of his life, his other brothers and sisters having preceded him in death.

As Claude grew up he learned to play and loved baseball. He became an expert at short stop and because of his swiftness here and at base running he earned the nick name of "Speed", by which many of his friends knew him, and never knew his real name was Claude. So well did Claude love the game that he was ready and willing to walk miles or ride horseback to see or play the game. He talked baseball until shortly before he departed this world. Claude received his early education in the Public Schools and was in the first class to enroll in Maytown High School where he spent three years, after which time he walked twelve miles from Wayland to Caney where he was graduated from high school in the spring of 1925. He attended Caney Junior College during 1925-26, after which he attended Morehead College one semester. After this he returned to Caney where he completed 3 years college and then entered Tusculum College in 1929, receiving his A. B. in the spring of 1930. He later received his M. A. degree from Morehead State College. After teaching several years, he served in the Armed Forces during World War II, and upon his return he was in business for himself for a few years. After this he returned to the schools of the County where he served some thirty-two years before retiring last July. During Claude's school career he served as teacher, Principal of Prestonsburg High School, Principal of Maytown High School, Principal Wayland High School, and during the last several years as Director of Pupil Personnel where he has met and encouraged many parents to place their children back in school. During the last two weeks in Our Lady of the Way Hospital, of the few audible, understandable utterings of Claude, he was calling on his Lord. This was very comforting indeed to his sisters, one of whom was constantly by his bedside. He leaves many relatives and a host of ex-students and friends to mourn his passing. Pallbearers were Richmond Slone, Charles Clark, Harry Wallace, Woodrow Allen, Ray Brackett, Edgar Bingham, Beecher Woods, Marcus Owens, Herbert Prater, Charles Patton, James Salisbury, Estill Hall, Ronald Jones, Ned Bush. 11

Rites for 4 Victims Of Carbon Monoxide Held Last Friday

Funeral services for the four persons found dead last Tuesday in an automobile parked at the top of Cowpen mountain, near Pikeville, were conducted last Friday. The victims died of carbon monoxide fumes, Pike County Coroner Call ruled.

Rites for 16-year-old Debra Marie Stewart and her two-year-old daughter, Paula, were held at 10 a.m. Friday from the residence of Mamie Stanfield, of Betsy Layne, by ministers of the United Baptist Church. Burial of mother and daughter was made in the Community cemetery at Justell.

Mrs. Stewart was a daughter of Mrs. Nicolette Rice Goble, of Betsy Layne, and the late Glenn Goble. Her mother and two brothers, Raymond and Glenn R. Goble, both of Betsy Layne, survive. The child is survived by her father, Paul Douglas Stewart, of Tram.

The other victims, Randel Dean Howell, 22, and Glendale Howell, 18, were sons of Sterling and Flarie Howell, of Galveston. Besides their parents, they are survived by five brothers and four sisters, Willie and Robert Howell, both of Toler Creek, Luther, Tommy and Richard Howell, all of Galveston, Mrs. Genevieve Velky, Trenton, Mich., Mrs. Eva Newell, of Harold, Mrs. Lona Hensley, of Wayland, and Mrs. Naomi Gilliam, of Sandy Hook.

The funeral of the Howell brothers was held at 1 p.m. Friday from the home of the parents, Bennie Blankenship and Luke Newell officiating. Burial was made in the Andy Hall cemetery on Branham's Creek.

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Audrey Pratt, region eleven special education supervisor, met with a committee of special education teachers on March 2 to begin the process of selecting materials. Committee members, who donated their Saturday to the meeting, saw displays and heard discussions of available materials from representatives of five publishing companies. School districts represented were Pike county, Floyd county, Johnson county, and Paintsville Independent. Another meeting will be held to make final determination of materials to be purchased.

It is anticipated that these materials will be used for the remainder of the '73-'74 schools year as well as '74-'75.

The implementation of the Project Lead supplement is part of the effort of local school district superintendents and the ROPES region eleven office to upgrade instructional services to the 478 children enrolled in 37 special education classes in region eleven.

Mrs. Goodman Receives Degree from U. of K.

Mrs. Helen M. Goodman recently completed requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education and library science at the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

Mrs. Goodman is the former Helen Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gessling Robinson, of Martin. She and her husband, Richard Goodman, son of Mrs. Opal Goodman, of Prestonsburg, reside in Farmington, Mich., with their daughters, Kim and Gina. Mr. Goodman is a product engineer for Federal Mogue Corporation, there.

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Dorothy Lea Bryant

Fifteen-year-old Dorothy Lea Bryant, of Wakeman, O., formerly of Hi Hat, died Thursday at Wellington Community Hospital in Wellington, O. She had been ill for the past two years.

Born at Hi Hat, she was a daughter of Clyde and Lorraine Kidd Bryant.

Survivors other than her parents, include a sister, Phyllis Bryant, at home, and the paternal grandparents, Johnny and Lissie Bryant, of New London, O.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Monday, at the Little Nancy Regular Baptist Church at Hi Hat. Burial was made in the Newman cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

CHANGES AND PALLBEARERS LISTED

Due to a revision of information concerning the obituary of Robert Donald Shepherd which appeared in last week's Times, the following changes are listed. Mr. Shepherd is survived by his mother, Mrs. Hazel Hayes and three sisters, Peggy Jo Hassler, Kissimmee, Fla., Lettia Williams, St. Cloud, Fla., and Lois White, Orlando, Florida. Officiating at the funeral was the Rev. S. B. Rucker and Mr. Shepherd was a veteran of the Korean War.

Pallbearers were Glen Dale Conn, Billy Ray Conn, Elmer Crum, Charles Crum, Jr., James Howard Conn and Joe Conn.

Bill, Co-Sponsored By Rep. Reynolds Passes Ky. Senate

Frankfort, Ky.—A provision to add oil research as well as coal research to projects the state can sponsor for development in the energy field was passed recently in the Senate by a unanimous vote. HB 252, co-sponsored by W. J. Bill Reynolds, D-Allen, would also give control of such research projects to the Secretary for Development, rather than the Department of Commerce. The bill will now be sent to the Governor for his approval.

Howard Goble

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m., Thursday, at the Cow Creek Free Will Baptist church for Howard Goble, 67, who died Monday at his home at Allen, victim of an apparent heart attack. Although he had been in failing health for the past nine months, his death was unexpected.

Born at Dewey, Ky., he was a son of the late David and Liza Powers Goble. He was a bulldozer operator and foreman for Ranier Construction Co., and was a member of the Cow Creek Free Will Baptist church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Lana Jervis Goble; two sons, Melvin H. Goble, of South Point, O., and Paul H. Goble, of Orlando, Fla.; two stepsons, Thurston Blackburn, of Milford, Ind., and Thurman Blackburn, of Warsaw, Ind.; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Alma Reynolds, of Coal Grove, O., and Mrs. Lucille Burchett, of Prestonsburg; two brothers, William O. Goble, of Kenton, O., Woodrow Goble, of Hillsdale, O.; two sisters, Mrs. Angie Williams, of Kenton, and Mrs. Gloria Lease, of Hillsdale. One grandchild and 12 step-grandchildren also survive him.

Officiating ministers will be Revs. Redwood Hogsten and Douglas Burkett. Burial will be made in the Goble cemetery at Auxier under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Josephine Newsome

Mrs. Josepine Newsome, 73, of Wayland, died Sunday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness. Born at Raven, she was a daughter of Reuben and Elizabeth Short Slone and was twice married; first to Doc Whisman, and after his death to Epp Newsome who survives her. She had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church for 30 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Herman Nino, of Toledo, O., and Mrs. Lorraine W. Christy, of Wayland; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the Caney Fork Regular Baptist Church by Rev. Bert Hall and others. Burial was made in the Slone cemetery at Raven under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Mrs. Arcolas Allen

Mrs. Arcolas Allen, of Dexter, Michigan, formerly of Grethel, died Tuesday at Chelsea Community hospital. She was 47.

A daughter of the late Basil and Gracie Hamilton, she was born at Grethel, March 6, 1927. Her husband, James state Department of Education recently attended a Test Interpretation Seminar, and, in time, the beneficial effects of this seminar should be felt by each student and teacher in Kentucky.

Assisting the workshop participants was Robert Bowen, senior evaluation consultant from CTB-McGraw-Hill, Orlando, Fla. "The workshop focused on an approach for interpreting test data then using the findings to improve existing education programs," Bowen said.

The state Department of Education administers four tests on the local level. One purpose of the seminar was to eliminate duplication in testing by increasing coordination among the various bureaus; another was to teach the participants to interpret detailed computer print-outs of the test results.

In the spring, those who attended the seminar will conduct regional workshops to teach what they have learned. The regional educators will then in turn teach local educators in the fall.

The first regional workshops have been tentatively scheduled for the end of April and the first of May in EDD Region 9 (Morehead) and EDD Region 11 (Prestonsburg).

14 Converted During Nursing Home Revival

A nursing home is not, as a rule, considered a place for a religious revival, but Mountain Manor Nursng Home here has within the last month felt the uplift of revival experience.

It began with services led by the Rev. Moses Kitchen, pastor of the First Church of God here. Fourteen conversions resulted. "A great experience for employees, patients and their friends," a staff member said.

Twelve ministers in the area alternate in rendering chaplaincy services at the nursing home, with church services held each Sunday, and they are on call at any time.

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Other survivors include a son, Bill Howell, of Ann Arbor, Michigan; two daughters, Mrs. Forrest Bryant, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Chester Griffin, of Saline, Mich.; two brothers, Jake Hamilton, of Pekin, Ind., and Bill Hamilton, of East McDowell, and six sisters. Mrs. Ruth Porter, Westland, Mich., Mrs. Bessie Elliott and Mrs. Tessie Hall, both of East McDowell, Mrs. Edith Spurlock, Oak Hill, Ohio, Mrs. Wanda Lee Charles, of Zebulon, Ky., and Mrs. Hazel Sexton, of Warren, Michigan. Four grandchildren also survive. Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Hosmer Funeral Home at Dexter. Burial was

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EXTENSION SERVICE NEWS Tired of high grocery prices? Grow your own food. A good garden can provide a cheap, nutritious supply of vegetables throughout the year. From early spring until late fall, most of your vegetables can come straight from the garden, while some may be canned, frozen or otherwise stored at the season's peak to round out the year's supply. The average adult eats about 450 to 600 pounds of vegetables annually. Leafy

By JOHN SPARKS

green and yellow vegetables are rich in vitamin A and iron; tomatoes are high in Vitamin C; beans and peas provide iron and proteins; sweet potatoes and Irish potatoes are excellent energy foods.

Here are some things to consider in planning your garden. Location or selecting a garden site is very essential. A good garden needs to have good soil, loamy in texture, well drained, and free from shade. The best method to deter-

Consumer Comments

By ED W. HANCOCK (Attorney General of Kentucky)

Consumers who have not been able to afford a down payment on a house have in large numbers been turning to the mobile home industry. Mobile homes are the second highest area of consumer complaints received by the Consumer Protection Division.

The major area of concern to consumers who purchase mobile homes is in the warranty of appliances. In a mobile home the refrigerator, range, and dishwasher may be manufactured by the same company, but other appliances such as the water heater may be made by a different company.

The dealer may not be responsible and many times the manufacturer may not have a service center nearby.

Before purchasing a mobile home, consumers are advised to find out who is to repair the appliance and sercice the mobile home. Be sure it is in writing on the contract.

A second area of consumer complaint is in the interest rate charged. Mobile homes are usually financed over a long period of time and this causes the annual percentage rate to be higher. Shop for the lowest annual percentage rate and avoid time payments over excessively long periods. Long range financing increases interest charges. Depreciation occurs just as in an automobile purchase. The resale value of a mobile home may be quite low and consumers discover that the high interest paid for a mobile home in the first year is lost money. There are advantages in purchasing a mobile home just as there are disadvantages and consumers must remain alert to the mobile home industry and understand all parts of the contract before signing. Most small towns do not have zoning laws for mobile homes. Many mobile home parks are not equipped with adequate drainage, sewage facilities, or parking.

mine the amount and kind of fertilizer for your garden is to have your soil tested. The County Extension Service can provide you with information on how to take a soil sample, and the results after the test is made.

Allow 1-40 acre (1000 sq. ft.) per person, if space is available, for all vegetables, including potatoes. We should make a list of vegetable seeds and transplants that are needed. Locally grown transplants are much better than shipped plants. And we need to order early while high-quality seeds and transplants are available. We need to move vegetable crops to a new area in the garden each year as it will assist in controlling soil-borne diseases.

Group short-season crops together like lettuce, turnips, mustard, peas, and grow the tall-growing groups together-corn, tomatoes, okra.

The springtime weather here makes absolute dates for planting an impossibility, after March 15 a gardener may be reasonably safe in setting out broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, lettuce, brussel sprouts and without a greal deal of risk plant beets, collards, kale, radishes and onion sets.

Success in almost everything you do is the result of good planning, and a garden is no exception. Remember, an excellent garden plan, developed while sitting around the kitchen stove, is of little value unless it shows up in your garden.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Clifford S. "Tip" Daniels extends most heartfelt thanks to all those who came to us in our great hour of sorrow, who brought flowers and words of sympathy. We also are thankful for the consoling words of the ministers, the services of the Hall Bros. Funeral Home and the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church.



Basketball Roundup

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON The 1973-1974 basketball season came to an end last Saturday night with Louisville Central winning the Kentucky state championship over Louisville Male by a score of 59 to 55.

This was the 57th annual affair and it indicates more than ever why our schools should be classified in at least two groups, Class AA and Class A. This should be based on the number of male students enrolled at each school.

Louisville Central and Louisville Male are located in downtown Louisville and are less than 10 blocks apart, Louisville has several other schools in the city as well as several others in Jefferson county. They have two regions in Jefferson county. However, the point that we are trying to make is that in Louisville a boy may go to any school that he wishes and the recruiting for the outstanding athletes are as great as any conference in the NCAA. This the first bad rule by the KHSAA. The teams competing from Louisville don't have the problem of staying several nights from home, fighting the crowds, day in and day out For example, Greenup County from the 16th region opened the tournament and won their game. In their second game they won over Madisonville and then had to play on Saturday morning. It wasn't that Greenup County didn't have the talent but they were worn out physically and were whipped mentally by the large newspaper, radio and television coverage. If the semi-finals had been played Saturday night and the championship game on Monday, Greenup County would have performed much better.

I would recommend to the commissioner, Joe Billy Mansfield, and the athletic commission that they act immediately to classify the schools that are in first class and second class cities to be put in Class AA and those remaining to be put in Class A. The commissioner has stated his reason for being against classification of schools, is that the state have only 314 high schools now and to classify them would cut out attendance and the fans would lose enthusiasm. This year's attendance was the worst since 1966 and the championship game was off this year, as it has been for several years. This year 15,000 tickets wre sold but less than 9,000 attended, and, besides, the commissiner know or should know that football is classified in three systems-Triple A, Double A and A-and we certainly have fewer schools playing football than basketball. Our schools cannot compete with the big school enrollment. Of course, once in a decade we may win the big one but we are denying our boys and fans the right of champions, if something isn't done before the 1974-1975 basketball season opens. Pikeville, our representative from the 15th region, did a remarkable job and our sincere congratulations to the Panthers and Coach Collier and all the 15th region fans. But it was a physical battle and Pikeville lost the game on the boards. Pikeville High School in football is Class A, Louisville Male is Triple A. In our region, of the schools, which play football the following teams are Class Double A : Prestonsburg, Johnson Central, Belfry and Johns Creek. These teams in football are Class A : Wheelwright, Paintsville, Pikeville, Louisa and Mullins. Our boys from small schools in basketball are denied the right to be named on the All-State team which is not only selected by the coaches but also by the news media. AP and UP cover only the bigger cities such as Louisville, Lexington, Owensboro and Newport, just to name a few. Classifying our schools should be very simple. All schools in first class and second class cities would be in one class and the remainder would be in another class.

'Charter Member' of Guard Unit



Andrew Slone, the first to enlist in the Kentucky National Guard unit here, is inducted by First Lt. Howard. Sgt. Calton is at right.

Grade School Tournament To Begin Here Monday Night

By C. OLLIE ROBINSON

The Floyd county elementary schools be hosted by the John M. Stumbo school. will open their fifth tournament Monday night at 6 at the Prestonsburg fieldhouse. In this year's tournament all teams will be playing in the same class.

Harold grade school was the winner of Class A, Allen finishing second and Melvin game Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Lackey third. Osborne grade school won the Class Double A.

This years tournament is sponsored by the Floyd County Board of Education Prestonsburg Elementary in the host school, James Tackett, principal of Prestonsburg will be tournament manager. Next year, the tournament will

Monday night, Prestonsburg grade school will play Melvin at 6. At 7 p.m. Allen will play Garrett, and at 8 p.m. Auxier will face Clark. Osborne drew a Last year, we had two classes. The bye to finish out the upper bracket and will play the winner of the Prestonsburg-

Tuesday night, McDowell will play Betsy Layne at 6, Martin will go against Wayland at 7, and in the final game of the night in the lower bracket John M. Stumbo will face Harold. Maytown drew a bye and will play on Thursday night in the second game and will face the winner of the John M. Stumbo-Harold game.

Regional Special Olympics Scheduled for Next Month

In Region 11 children in the DDS Programs are shaping up-they're in training for the regional competition of the special Olympics. They're learning to tumble, to run, jump and throw, and sometime during the last week of April they'll be off to Morehead to compete in the regional Special Olympics event.

In 1972, millions of Americans viewed the national Special Olympics on ABC. Two thousand five hundred developmentally disabled children and adults participated in Special Olympic games that were accompanied by all the pageantry and excitement of a true Olympics. There were the same opening and closing ceremonies, the same presentation of medals, the parades, dances, victory dinners, and entertainment that accompany the regular Olympics.

The Special Olympics program has been developed to give the mentally retarded their chance to get "in the huddle," to participate, to feel the joy of accomplishment, and to belong. The program seeks not only to assist the mentally retarded in their physical development but in their social and psychological development as well. Successful experiences in sports can help them gain confidence and self mastery, and to build a self image associated with success rather than failure.

Last year, members of Region 11 DDS Programs in Floyd, Johnson, Pike, Martin and Magoffin counties participated for the first time in the regional Special Olympics event at Morehead. Although they had only minimum preparation and training time (the local organization got a late start) and very little community support (most people were unaware of the existence of the program), they still came away from the event bearing a fair number of first place ribbons and medals, and some even went on to compete at the state level where one Martin county youth came away as a first place winner.

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Kentucky Afield

College Eagles basketball team closed out their season at the National Little College Tournament recently in Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

In the tournament game, Coach Jim Rose's Eagles were pitted against the Northeast District Champion-Bryant and Stratton Business Institute of Buffalo, N. Y. The Eagles lost the game by nine points to Bryant Stratton, the team which went on to win the National Little College Tourney.

The young, small, fast ALC team won its right to play in the tournament in upset victories against the two topranked South Central Conference teams and was one of 16 teams playing in the Tournament.

Earlier, the Eagles, which were 13 and 12 on the season, won the Middletown, Ohio, Christmas Invitational Tournament played in Middletown, Ohio.

Coach Rose is already planning for next season. This year's all freshman team is returning next year, said Rose, who also is recruiting several top area high school players for next season.

Top scorer and rebounder for the Eagles this season was Cliff Washington, a 6'4", 170 pound forward from Ripley, Ohio. Cliff scored 16.9 points per game and rebounded for another 14.3 points per game.

Second leading scorer was Ed Salyers, a 6'4", 185 pound center from Letcher, Ky., who scored 13.8 points per game. Next was James "Tippy" Moscript, a 6', 165 pound guard from Weeksbury, Ky., who scored 13 points per game.

The Veterans Administration acts as guardian for 750,000 mentally incompetent veterans, dependents, and minor children of veterans.



By HOPE CARLETON Although the energy crisis may force many fishermen to abandon plans for a trip to a distant lake, there is no reason why any dedicated angler shouldn't get in as much fishing as he has time for this spring.

With the number of lakes, streams, and ponds in Kentucky, chances are that there is some excellent fishing within a short distance of home. All it takes is a little scouting on the part of each fisherman to find the near-by waters. So why not look into the fishing opportunities in your own county? You might even find some good angling within walking distance-a real gas saver.

Farm ponds are excellent sources of quality fishing and if you don't already know any farm pond owners, get busy. A bit of investigation, a visit or a telephone call could find you with a brand new kind of fishing - and a new friend to boot.

If you know absolutely nothing about farm ponds in your area, you might start with a visit to the county Soil Conservation Service. The agent there probably has at least a partial listing of the ponds in your county and might be able to steer you in the right direction. Other areas to check into are the streams in your immediate area. Many of the creeks and rivers in your county, or in surrounding counties, have good populations of fish, as well as a great variety of species, and are a challenge to both live and artificial bait fishermen. One of the best ways to find our about local streams is to study maps. Start with the Streams of Kentucky map (which also includes major and small lakes as well as every stream in the state) and then consult a general highway map of your county.

The county map is a "must" since it will show back roads and country lanes in addition to major highways and indicates where roads cross each stream. The stream map and county maps are available from the map section of the Department of Commerce, Capital Plaza Building, Frankfort, Ky. 40601, and the cost for the two is \$1.67 which includes tax and postage. Be sure to include your complete mailing address when you order and you might also ask for the free listing of all maps available from the commerce department.

Perhaps there are major or state owned lakes close to your home that you've passed by in favor of a more distant lake. If the boating or skiing activities have been too heavy for you in past, remember there'll be less gasoline for that, too, and



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Seven To Represent Floyd In Judging Seven Floyd county 4-H Club members will be represented in nine project areas at the State 4-H Club Record Judging next week at the University of Kentucky. These members include: Jeannie Auxier, Careers; Ann Flanery, Citizenship and Clothing; Lara Hopkins, Home Economics; Lance Blackburn, Conservation and Woodwork; Anita Auxier, Home Management; Jeff Martin, Poultry; and Teresa Huff, Safety

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