

Public May Call Shots On Project

Corps of Engineers Awaits Expression Of Public Interest

The initiation of projects aimed at solving any of the variety of problems which presently affect Dewey Lake depends primarily on a display of public support for such projects, Dean Murray, Dewey Reservoir manager, said Monday night at a meeting of the Highland Bass Club.

Murray said a Section 216 study of the lake which was begun by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers several months ago was about three-fourths complete and he stressed that while the \$25,000 study was designed to identify environmental and other problems at the reservoir, the study did not provide for problem-solving strategies.

Murray told the group that the Huntington office of the Corps needed indications that area residents recognize problems with the lake and desire specific steps to improve conditions there before any attempt would be taken to acquire federal money for improvement projects.

Dwight Burchett, president of the bass club, said the club will launch a drive to muster public support for several projects designed to improve the overall quality of the lake in terms of environment and recreational potential. "They (the Corps) know the water quality's bad, they know the siltation's there, and the clorox jugs and other trash, and all they need to know now is that people around here know it and want something done about it," Burchett said.

Burchett said a letter, prepared by the club and listing several priorities for consideration by the Corps, will be printed in several weekly papers in the area in a form which will allow interested citizens to sign their name and mail it to the Corps' Huntington office. "We want to make it easy for residents to let the Corps know how they feel," Burchett said.

The construction of a siltation dam, or catch basin, in the headwaters of the lake will be first on the list of lake needs. Others, according to Burchett, will include requests for periodic garbage clean-ups, steps to lower acidity levels in the lake and improved definition of ski and fishing zones.

Three Overcome As Forest Fires Burn 1200 Acres

Woodland fires swept over an estimated 1200 acres of this county last week-end, and at the same time other blazes claimed a Middle Creek home and two mobile homes at Allen.

Twenty-two fires were reported at one time in the county, and the Forestry Division was unable to meet the situation at all the widely scattered points. One of the fires which foresters could not fight because of a lack of manpower was at the Cliff industrial site, near here, and Prestonsburg's fire department was called to the blaze.

One fireman, Ronnie Burke, suffered heat exhaustion and was hospitalized. Two others, Ricky Davis and Bob Carpenter, Jr., also were prostrated, Fire Chief Tom Blackburn said.

The fire department prevented the fire from reaching nearby homes, ending its work there around midnight, then answering a mutual aid call to Allen where two mobile homes were burning in the Everett Akers Trailer Court. One was completely destroyed, and the other was severely damaged. The fire there was said to have originated in faulty wiring.

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Masked Man Swipes Night Bank Deposit

State police have joined Prestonsburg police in an effort to establish the identity of the masked man who early last Sunday morning snatched a bag containing \$3,450.71 as it was being placed in the night depository of the Bank Josephine's branch bank here.

Thelma Gross, night manager at Jerry's Restaurant, drove to the bank around 2:30 a.m. Sunday, had opened the deposit box and while in her car reached out to make the deposit when a man wearing a ski mask snatched the bag and fled, it was said.

City police later found a mask of the

type described by the restaurant manager, at the rear of Kentucky Fried Chicken, which is across the street from the bank. The mask will be submitted to State Police laboratory tests.

The robber was described as about 6 feet tall and of medium build. Police have no clue as to his identity.

Keith Lawson, of the Prestonsburg Police Department, said that if business people making night deposits will call the police in advance, one or more policemen will be at the depository to protect them, or a police escort will be afforded if requested.

Ground Broken on New County Park Site



Ground was officially broken Friday for Phase I of the county park and recreation center to be located on the site of the Allen golf course. Basic landscaping and site preparation are already under way as is excavation work for the laying of water and underground utility lines. Contractor on Phase I of the \$1.5 million project is Big Wheel, Inc. Pictured at the groundbreaking are (from left to right): Magistrate Dewey Roberts, Mrs. LeRoy Akers, Magistrate LeRoy Akers and son, County Planner Claude Swiney, Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen, County Judge Henry Stumbo, County Detective Sam Hale, Magistrate Kenneth Roberts, County Attorney Harold Stumbo, Carroll Ramey, project engineer for Howard K. Bell Engineers, Jeanette McCauley, Big Sandy ADD planner Roger Recktenwald, Jean Patton, Contractor's Superintendent Jack Butz, and Howard K. Bell representative John Richmond.

This Town...That World

HALF A HUNDRED

Sometime this month (I think it was this month), 50 years ago, I scribbled out in longhand the copy for the first Floyd County Times. The exact date of that Vol. I, No. 1 edition is not known, since fire wiped out existing copies of the paper and my memory, or the lack thereof, can't pin it down.

I am tempted to reminisce about that old operation and those who worked with me, the friends in those early days who stopped to wish us well, and so on, but I shall not.

A lot of water has flowed under the bridge since then—in fact, some of the bridges have vanished. It has been a great half-a-hundred years—not all days of sunshine, but withal they have been so pleasant that I wouldn't mind another 50 years of them.

CORRECTION

I hasten to correct myself. In this column last week I made two glaring errors that didn't become errors to me till around 4 o'clock the next morning when I woke and for some unexplainable reason became aware of what I had done. It was too late then—as usual—to do anything about it, the paper having "gone to bed," hours before, and that cost me a few winks.

The mistakes? Most who read the piece know them and were too kind to remind me. They were these:

I substituted Kaltenbach for Kaltenborn and moved the now-defunct Literary Digest up several years past the date of its demise.

Oh, well . . .

The Corps of Engineers wants letters from the people of the area reflecting their thinking on what should be done to correct the situation which portends the death of Dewey Lake.

I doubt the Corps needs or wants any further word from me, I've been so bitter about the whole affair and have on several occasions said so.

SLIGHTLY SLOW

Heard of a man who moseyed through life at such a snail's pace that his wife said old age didn't creep up on him, as with others, but had to wait on him.

If it isn't spring, nature is being led astray. The peepers, the crocuses and spring fever are all going strong, and on mountainsides some trees are showing pink and red as bud is ready to burst into leaf.

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13-Man Jury Hearing Jones Case Evidence

A jury of 13 men was empaneled Monday for the second trial in the Pike circuit court of Eddie Jones on a murder charge for the alleged slaying of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence Conley.

The hearing of Commonwealth testimony began Tuesday morning.

The first trial of Jones, held at Pikeville in January, ended in a "hung" jury. That trial was one of the most dramatic held in the area in years, with the principal prosecution witness, John Martin, under heavy guard during his courtroom appearance. Testimony heard at that trial was so contradictory that the trial judge indicated that the next grand jury should take possible perjury action.

John Martin, the Estill man whose testimony named Jones as the Conley slayer, was charged with Jones in the original murder indictment, but Burnis Martin, a defense attorney, said that when he went into the Pike circuit clerk's office Monday to get a copy of the indictment he found that the charge against Martin had been dismissed.

The dismissal order, he said, was made by Judge Reed Anderson on March 8, the same day the dismissal motion was filed by Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen. Circuit Judge A. N. Venters is the trial judge in the case.

Commonwealth's Attorney Allen is leading the prosecution of the case, with

the assistance of County Attorney Harold J. Stumbo and Arnold Turner. John Y. Brown, of Lexington, defense attorney, was not present at Monday's court session and may not take part in the trial. Other defense attorneys are Lester Burns, Irvin Lowe and Burnis Martin.

A second murder charge, that of slaying James Clayton Conley near Wayland, a few weeks after the Lawrence Conley shooting at Garrett, was lodged against Jones but has never been brought to trial.

Stewart Wright Fund Dance Set Saturday Night

Proceeds from a dance scheduled for Saturday, March 19, at the old Girl Scout Camp on Goble Branch of Dewey Lake, will be donated to the Stewart Wright Fund, Chalmer Howard, president of the Floyd County Area Junior Chamber of Commerce, announced this week.

The dance, which will begin at 9 p.m. and last until 1 a.m., will feature two live bands—Troy Calhoun's band and the Richard Titlow group from Johnson county. The dance is being sponsored by

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First KY 80 Bids Expected in May

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Beverly Lynn Blackburn vs. Freddie Blackburn, III. Phyllis York Moore vs. Donald Moore. Carolyn Elliott vs. Ronald Elliott. First National Bank vs. Orris L. Hall, et al. Wilura L. Haley vs. Robert L. Haley, Jr. Floyd Skeans vs. Alice Burchett Skeans. Dean Peters vs. Scalf Engineering, et al. Betty Thoroughman vs. Terry Thoroughman. Doris Dale Niece vs. Russell Niece. Mary Layne vs. Wiley Layne. Judy A. King vs. Reuben Russell King. Jurlene Isaacs vs. Benny Ray Isaacs. Avonell Collins vs. Fred Collins. Carol Porterfield vs. Wayne Porterfield. Teddy B. Vicars vs. Harlan Dempsey.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Teddy Newsome, 23, Ligon, and Minda Stanley, 16, Drift. Corbit Bailey, 42, Prestonsburg, and Ruby Clay, 32, Wayland. Dannie Copley, 18, and Cheryl Ann Crawford, 18, both of Detroit, Michigan. Frank Johnson, 40, and Audrey Hinty, 37, both of Melvin.

Planning Said 70% Complete On New Route

Governor Carroll's "crash program" to get construction of KY 80 from Water Gap to Hazard under way quickly is paying off.

Plans for construction of the 42.4-mile, four-lane highway already are 70 per cent complete, and progress on design and right-of-way phases of the project is such that contractors' bids on portions of the route may be taken in May, John C. Roberts, secretary of the state Department of Transportation, said last week.

As much as \$70 million in construction contracts may be awarded by the end of the year, Roberts predicts.

Success in meeting this schedule, he said, depends on the timely sale of bonds by the Kentucky Turnpike Authority and KYDOT's success in negotiating and securing necessary approval of construction supervision contracts.

First negotiations for rights-of-way has been begun on sectors of the road where the least relocation of homes and businesses will be necessary.

(It was unofficially predicted recently that the section from Garrett to the Floyd-Knott line at Lackey may be the first advertised for bids.)

The reconstruction work, which will link the Daniel Boone Parkway at Hazard with US 23 at Water Gap, is being funded as a Resource Recovery Road.

Gov. Julian Carroll's 1976 legislative program made provision for the Turnpike Authority to sell bonds to finance construction costs estimated at \$175 million. The retirement schedule of these bonds will be met by a charge against the revenues of the coal severance tax.

Secretary Roberts said he hopes the Turnpike Authority can go to the bond market soon to secure start-up funds for the project.

According to Roberts, construction supervision will be provided by consultants under personal service contracts. This has been the practice when toll roads were built by the state.

Historically, supervision is provided by
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Court Employs Rice To Inspect Allen Park Job

Phase I construction at the Allen county park development has been begun by the contractor, Big Wheel, Inc., and the Floyd fiscal court at its Monday meeting employed Elmer Rice, of Banner, as inspector representing the county on the job. His salary was set at \$1000 a month.

At the same time the court acted to get appraisal work on the Beaver Creek channel project at Martin under way at once. It employed John Hill, Prestonsburg engineer, to meet with Corps of Engineers representatives at Martin Friday of this week and to begin the appraisal work. The court order provided that, if Hill is not available for the work, Wayne Ratliff or Dixon Nunnery be employed, or if their services are unavailable to employ some other certified appraiser. The fee was set at \$500.

The court by divided vote adopted a schedule for the county-owned backhoe operation two weeks at a time in each of the four magisterial districts—to remain in District 2 till March 31, then to be in District 3 till April 15; in District 1, April 15 to May 1, and in District 4 from May 1 to May 15. Magistrates Bill Wells and Leroy Akers voted for the schedule; Magistrate Dewey Roberts, against.

In other action the court voted:
—To accept the petition of Gas Fork residents, near Allen, asking blacktopping of their road. The county clerk was directed to forward the petition to the Department of Motor Transportation, and Judge Stumbo was authorized to write the department on behalf of the court, urging action on the road.

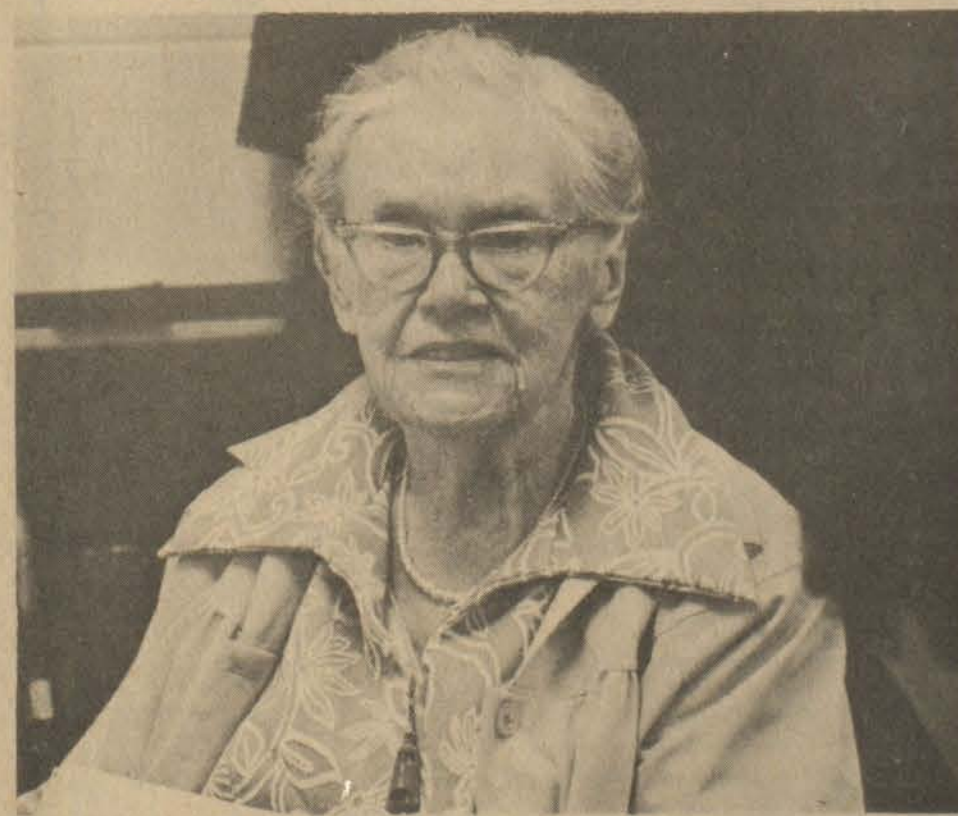
—To ask the Department of Transportation to install a caution light on the Mountain Parkway, opposite the Clark school.

—To rescind the Feb. 14 order dismissing Green Hamilton from the CETA program.

—To employ Ballard Harris and Roy Ousley as truck drivers with the road department.

—To advertise for bids on furniture for the courthouse annex, bids to be opened April 11.

—To notify Barry Stumbo to remove all junk cars from the proposed park location at Minnie.



Mrs. Stafford at P.C.C. art class.

Mrs. Stafford is presently working with acrylics, and one painting which is occupying much of her time during recent classes depicts the log cabin in which she was born in Lawrence county. She's obviously proud to have lived there. "My great-grandmother was 104 when she died and she had lived in that house," she said. Mrs. Stafford also said her father fought for the North during the

Civil War. "They tried to make him vote Republican," she said, "but he wouldn't do it."

Class instructor Tom Whitaker said of his student: "I'm very proud and fortunate to have her in the class. She's really an inspiration and a lady who is so proud of her heritage. I think her work reflects her heritage."

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MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Shirley Stewart, accompanied by Mrs. Versie Turner, of Prestonsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stewart and William Dial in Morehead recently and in Amelia, Ohio with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart. They stopped in Malone, Ky. on their way and visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart. Mrs. Stewart was much improved following a serious illness.

Earl Stephen Webb celebrated his 12th birthday, March 4, with a steak dinner cooked by his mother, Mrs. Earl E. Webb. She also served decorated birthday cake and ice cream to the following: Earl E. Webb, Tom Webb, Keith Webb, Dean Webb, Mrs. Earl Webb and Mrs. Thurmal Click.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ramey and Tim, of Alexandria, Ky., spent last week-end here visiting his aunt, Mrs. Thurmal Click, Mrs. Marie Martin and Yvette and the Jerry Martin family at Eastern.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Price, of Lexington, spent last week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater. Mr. Prater has been a patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center for diagnosis and treatment.

Mrs. Edgar May and Mrs. T. R. Flanery visited Mrs. Goldia Martin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, at Drift, where she is recuperating following a lengthy illness which she spent at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington. Mrs. Maxie Kincaid is now at home after being a patient at McDowell Regional Hospital.

Bennie Martin was taken to University Hospital in Lexington following an automobile accident. His condition was considered very serious but he is improving at this time.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Sally May whose brother, William Richmond, of Meador, W. Va., passed away last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Tallent spent last week-end in Washington, D. C. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tallent, Mike and Pat Tallent.

Rev. and Mrs. David Puckett and Susan attended a church-sponsored clinic in Louisville and visited his parents in Jeffersonton, three days last week.

Mrs. Gertrude Webb accompanied Mrs. Charles Graham May, Kari Lynn and Charles Graham, II, of Allen, to Ashland last Monday for medical reasons.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koehnlein, of Cleveland, Ohio, were week-end guests of

E. Kentucky Roads Slated for Repair

Frankfort, Ky.—State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts has approved nearly 300 miles of road improvement projects in eight Eastern Kentucky counties.

All are to be completed within the next four to nine months, using state highways personnel and equipment. Total costs were estimated by Roberts at approximately \$312,190.

In six of the counties named by Roberts, the Bureau of Highways will provide both road drainage improvements and a low-type road surface consisting of gravel, as follows:

—Jackson county, 60 feet of pipe and 38.8 miles of gravelled surface at an approximate cost of \$39,998.

—Menifee county, 1,244 feet of pipe and 24.5 miles of graveling; \$39,947.

—Magoffin county, 1,260 feet of pipe and 75.8 miles of gravel; \$40,000.

—Morgan county, 2,100 feet of pipe and 102.5 miles of graveling; \$39,926.

—Powell county, 1,292 feet of pipe and 64.3 miles of gravel; \$39,914.

—Wolfe county, 308 feet of pipe and 64.3 miles of gravel; \$40,000.

The remaining two projects, calling for gravel surfacing work only, are located in Laurel and Harlan counties.

Laurel county is to have 28.3 miles gravelled, at an approximate cost of \$40,000. Harlan county mileage was reported as 20.4 miles, to cost about \$32,404.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hopkins, of Eastern.

Some of the students home for spring vacation are Kent Flanery, U.K., Linda Boggs, Beverly May, and Lara Hopkins, Morehead, and Patricia Lou Webb and Glennis Stone Little, Eastern University.

Mrs. James Gibson has returned home after spending several weeks in Cincinnati with her sister who is ill.

Mrs. Janet Webb was honored with a stork shower, Sunday afternoon in the recreation room of the United Methodist Church. Hostesses were Alta Gibson, Molly Owens, Sandra Flanery, Garnet Moore, Mary Jo Halbert, Minnie Gearheart, Vesta Martin, Louise Howard, Bonnie Crisp, Sue Osborne and Bureta Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb, of Springfield, Ohio, announce the birth of their third son, March 11. He has been named Robert Jason. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater.

Mrs. Alva Flanery entered Highlands Regional Medical center Friday for tests. Mrs. Edgar May and Mrs. T. R. Flanery visited her in the afternoon.

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By WILMAY

Frogs are not croaking yet but almost daily robins and a few other feathered friends alight on their journey north. Some feast at the bird feeders, drink and bathe in the bird baths, or devour a few remaining berries on "their" shrubs. Others that winter in Kentucky are scouting places for nests, since certain species start early. These signs of approaching spring seem doubly welcome, since this winter was so severe. Though fall is the most beautiful season of the year to many, due to its kaleidoscopic colors, a majority consider spring more glorious. It is a time of splendor when our Creator speaks through nature, by which He often communicated in early days as man viewed His miraculous handiwork.

Crocuses, some daffodils, and the pussy willow are in bloom. Leaf buds of shrubs over yard and hillside are swelling. Star and rosy soulangeana magnolias and the dogwoods display blossom buds they have borne all winter, awaiting the warmth of sunrays of the season now heralded. It is a delight to walk around the lawn, see arbor vitae, junipers and yews that were browned by subzero temperatures turning green again; the cherry rose of peonies and tree peonies popping up in the border; the gold, variegated, purple and green-leaved ivies on the garage walls looking shiny once more, while scuppernong vines in the arbor and the azaleas struggle to burst forth. Pinhead dots of gold line branches of the sunburst locust, whose unique loveliness enralls. Red and purple-leaved smoke trees, crimson and palmarum maples, radiant crab, chartreuse barberry, and others with more colorful foliage join the exploding spring parade that rivals its corresponding duplicate in fashions on Easter morn. Of the various crabs none compares with the elegant double pink Van Esseltine, whose garnet buds change to mounds of rosy "snow" that gradually fade almost white. The small space it requires is richly rewarding. Label the Kwanzan cherry an invariable eye-catcher. Its giant counterpart beside the home of Mrs. M. V. Wicker, near Wayland, attracts passersby during bloom. Once our weeping cherry was photographed with snow on its full blossoms in early spring. A large specimen graces the R. V. May lawn in Prestonsburg. Edgar tore open the carton with ours the day it arrived, years past, stormed into the house and exclaimed, "Folks in that nursery must be crazy! They bent every branch on this poor, little tree straight down!" He forgot that it was another weeper and was "born" that way.

Few things are more attractive than flowers. Like snow flakes, faces of people, blades of grass, and leaves, no two are identical, all revealing the awesome power of God. Incidentally, the leaf was the first—and one of the greatest—manufacturing plants the world ever had. Flowers express the Creator's infinite love for his children. Without faith in the supernatural one can scarcely conceive of the illimitable variety in form, color, fragrance and glamour of flowers that come from tiny seeds. Seeds themselves are amazing. Some buried for 3000 years in Egyptian tombs have sprouted and their plants matured. Such is the terrific tenacity of life bestowed by the Maker. Nearly everyone has seen a wee sprig of grass or some other plant growing out of a minute crevice in concrete, or blacktop, sometimes pushing up the heavy mass above it, as it seeks sunlight, rain and self-realization. Roots can split gigantic boulders. Such is the incredible strength our Master gives to life of many kinds.

Just as He provides fresh leaves for plants in spring so does He offer new life for humanity, making a new creature of each child who confesses Him as Lord. The new man (spiritual nature) is placed beside the old one (the carnal.) II Cor. 5:17; Rom. 8:6-7; I Cor. 3:3-4. Then warfare starts inside, continuing throughout lifetime, as Satan tries diligently to dominate the lives of Christians. A converted tribal chief said he felt as if two dogs were fighting inside him—a good, white dog and a bad, black one. Asked which canine was victorious, the old Indian replied that it was whichever one he said "Sic him" to. So it is with all of us, every day the year round.

In scores of ways people and plants are alike, requiring water (living water or H₂O), food (fertilizer and the gospel), light (the Son of God and the sun), care (cultivation and study, prayer, service and fellowship). Some individuals were born for life's stage and footlights. Others shun or fear the platform and applause. Some plants cry for sun and drouth. Aquatic plants die for lack of water or from too much heat. People are introverts and extroverts; active, hyperactive and inactive! God created all, blesses all and can use all, in spring or fall!

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Florida Horse Show Winner



Award-winning duo—Beverly Ratliff and her horse.

The annual awards banquet of the Central Florida Appaloosa Horse Club was held this year at the Causeway Inn, west of Tampa. Among the trophy winners was 12-year-old Beverly Ratliff, daughter of Chief Master Sgt. and Mrs. A. Delano Ratliff, of Valrico, Fla. She received a trophy for her reserve gymkhana championship and a silver belt buckle for reserve championship honors in barrel racing. Beverly is a granddaughter of Mrs. Virgie Ratliff, of Langley.

BETSY LAYNE NEWS

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Beckham Caldwell was honored on his 75th birthday, March 7, by his wife and children. Those attending were daughter, Alberta Williamson, and son, Morris E. Caldwell; granddaughter, Judy; Missy, Dreama and Hollie. Wanda, Cathy Hamilton, Ganell, Butch Clark and children, Pam and Jim, of Betsy Layne; Linda Bartley, north Mayo Trail; Bill and Betty Branham and children, Bradley and Beverly, of Coal Run; Howard and Peggy Branham and children, Barry, Craig, Todd, Tina, Selina, Richard and Sabrina Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Branham, Jr. and daughter Brandy, Judy Kirk and Alexis Vellarreal, all of West Virginia; Edith Crisp and Gail, of Prestonsburg; Mag and Bill Steele, of Allen; the Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt and children, Virgil, Jr., wife and baby, Mark, Hilda and Glenetta, of Stanville; Dolly and Robert Earl Butler, of Van Lear; Flora Dillan, Prestonsburg. Other guest were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Crum, Faye, Karen and Bradley, of Martin; Claude Goble, Dwale; Dovie Stratton, Georgie Mae Layne, Violet and Eddie Adkins, of Betsy Layne; Aileen and Curtis Wallen, of Stanville.

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The U.S. 23 Gauntlet

All who drive US 23 between Prestonsburg and Paintsville owe the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce thanks for the effort it is making to get that stretch of highway out of the cliff-hanger category.

There is no need for The Times to repeat its descriptions of the road and the dangers that it creates—all who have driven it are familiar with the frightening picture. The concern of residents of this section of the state pertains to the unwillingness of the state to do anything about a situation which cries for attention.

Transportation Secretary Roberts is quoted this week by The Courier-Journal as saying one section of overhanging cliff within the city limits of Prestonsburg on which work was begun a year ago and suddenly stopped will be removed this summer. Removal of that menace to life is badly needed. But there are other danger spots for which nothing is planned.

We recognize the fact that the job of cutting away these overhanging cliffs will be costly and that Kentucky has many highway projects demanding its money. But this is a situation created by the Department of Highways. It is responsible for the threat to human life, and it will be responsible when human life—a school bus loaded with children, for example—is claimed.

This is not Russian roulette drivers of motor vehicles are playing along that route. For those motorists did not load the gun, nor will they pull the trigger.

More accurately, they could be said to be running a gauntlet planned, prepared and maintained by the state of Kentucky.

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Although Mrs. Stafford recalls the past fondly, she doesn't dwell on "the good, old days."

"I don't think things were necessarily better then," she said. "I do think people helped each other more then, but now people have the chance to get a good education and learn about lots of different things."

In addition to her new art hobby, Mrs. Stafford, who lives alone, enjoys her embroidery, makes cushion tops, is described as a "superb cook," and enjoys reading the Bible and a variety of fiction. She has no children of her own, "just a lot of nieces, nephews and their wives, husbands and children," but she is constantly busy.

Mrs. Stafford said she couldn't understand why so many older citizens become so discouraged and despondent. "I never wanted to give up."

In 1952 when a massive stroke completely paralyzed her and left her in a coma for two weeks, relatives were told that only a miracle would allow Mrs. Stafford to stay alive, much less function normally. Her determination not to give up then, however, resulted in a complete recovery, and now she points only to "some arthritis" as a persistent health problem.

She said it would please her if some other people might decide to enroll in a class or pursue some other similar endeavor because of her enrollment in the art class. "That would make me happy," she said. "I want to help people live."

Mrs. Stafford has no delusions about becoming another Grandma Moses—she's just having fun at 93.

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a wrench. He said that when he went to Smith's rescue he was shot.

Nelson was taken to Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin by ABC Agent Ted Salisbury, and Smith drove his car to the hospital where they were first treated.

Clyde Ronnie Jarrell said he was digging a rock out of the road on Slick Rock, near his home and that of his brother, so that a car could travel the road when Russell came out of his house, informed him that "nobody was going to fix that road" and threatened to "wear you out" with a heavy electric light cord. A charge from a 12-gauge shotgun hit Russell Jarrell in the abdomen but at an angle which caused mainly a severe flesh wound. The wounded man was taken to the Highlands Medical Center here.

Jarrell was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Ollie Leslie, and as the officer was driving with his prisoner out of the hollow the wounded man's son allegedly fired a shot from a .22-calibre pistol through a window of the car, the bullet chipping the bone of Jarrell's wrist.

Jarrell remained in jail Tuesday morning, charged with first degree assault. The same charge was lodged against Bartrum in the Martin shooting.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Ballard Thompson, of Martin, would like to express deepest gratitude to everyone who offered their condolences to the family during their time of grief. We would like to extend a special thanks to everyone who sent flowers and food and who stopped by the funeral home to pay their final respects. The entire Thompson family also sends a special thanks to all the second floor nurses of the Highlands Regional Medical Center for being as kind, courteous and capable as any nurses could be. To everyone concerned, we thank you, from the bottom of our hearts.

Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago

(March 16, 1967)

County Judge Henry Stumbo said Wednesday that Floyd county highways, bridges and road drainage systems were damaged by last week's flood far more severely than is generally known. He placed the cost of reconstruction at \$35-\$40,000 . . . The Collins Hardware and Furniture Store at Lackey was looted last Friday night of an estimated \$2,000 worth of merchandise . . . Trustees of the town of Allen and the Allen Water Commission filed suit in circuit court Saturday seeking to recover \$40,000, an amount involved in the purchase by the town of the water system there . . . Kentucky educators, worried by OEO red-tape, Monday told a House Education committee headed by Congressman Carl D. Perkins that administration of the Head Start program should be shifted to the Office of Education . . . The Maytown high school Wildcats are in the state basketball tournament at Freedom Hall, Louisville, this week for the first time in the history of the school . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dixon, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, Martha Ann, Friday, March 3 at Methodist hospital, Pikeville; to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Meade, a daughter, Sandra Lynn, March 8 at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington; to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Waugh, a son, Donald Kevin, March 9, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Edwin Wells, a daughter, Michele Elizabeth, March 7, at the Prestonsburg General hospital . . . There died: Percy Huff, 35, formerly of Drift, March 3 at Albion, Mich.; Mrs. Hettie Triplett, 64, wife of Prof. Ishmael Triplett, and formerly of Prestonsburg, Wednesday night at her home at Lexington; Mrs. Frances Marshall, 81, Friday at her home at Manton; Roy W. Salyers, 68, of Allen, Saturday at a Huntington hospital; Mrs. Judy Bates Wyskiver, 19, formerly of Wheelwright, Tuesday at Newport, R. I. as the result of accidental asphyxiation; Mrs. Minerva Craft Flanery, 68, of Martin, March 8 at a Lexington hospital; Mrs. Beth Martin, 43, of Printer, Saturday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Mrs. Linda Jones, 74, of Grethel, Monday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Mrs. Linda Jones, 74, of Grethel, Monday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Mrs. Virginia Tuttle Grahowski, 25, Wednesday at her home at Hippo; Mrs. Alifair Caudill, 76, last Thursday at Waynesburg, Ky.; Mrs. Edna Marie Thompson, 28, of Betsy Layne, last Thursday at Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Bryan Mitchell, 64, of Bypro, Tuesday at Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Twenty Years Ago

(March 21, 1957)

Identity of the man who late Monday night beat 69-year-old Homer Borders and robbed the fruit market at Allen owned by James Fulks is believed known and an arrest in the case is expected within a matter of hours . . . Thirteen persons are now taking anti-rabies serum in this county, chiefly because of contact with rabid animals . . . Next to Perry county, Floyd county this year paid its teachers the highest average salaries in all the Eastern Kentucky area south of Boyd county. Floyd teachers averaged \$2,552 per year . . . The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce announced Monday night that it will conduct a survey to determine the flood damage in the Prestonsburg area . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Marian Hays, Jr., of Ashland, a daughter, Rebecca Lee, March 13 at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin . . . There died: Bill Stapleton, 63, Estill merchant, Sunday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; John Morgan Case, 83, Tuesday at the home of a son at Honaker; James Caudill, 86, Wednesday at his home at East McDowell; Mrs. Sarah J. Stanley, 58, of Harold, Monday at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Thirty Years Ago

(March 13, 1947)

Construction of a single-track, standard-gauge line, extending 22.5 miles south from Wayland to coal lands in Letcher county, will be started soon by Chesapeake & Ohio Railway . . . The \$1.50 per \$100 valuation levy asked by the Floyd County Board of Education last week in its budget for 1947-'48 was approved by the fiscal court Monday, as was a per capita tax of \$1 on all male citizens of voting age . . . B. B. Salisbury, well-known Hunter man, is in a serious condition at the Gearheart hospital, Martin, suffering from brain concussion and internal injuries received late Sunday night when struck by an auto on the Arkansas curve below Martin . . . Gov. Simoen Willis blasted the hopes of Kentucky teachers Monday when he told a group of them they could not expect any financial aid from the state before the end of his term in December . . . Frank H. Layne this week purchased the interest of his partner, Roy Gibson in the Firestone Store here, and Mr. Gibson, Mont Gibson, Jr., and Russell H. Hagewood bought the Elder Ball restaurant . . . The home here of S. R. Auxier was burglarized recently, with a reported loss of approximately \$1,000 worth of household appliances . . . Married: Mrs. Effie Woody, of Garrett, and Mr. Gilmar Smith, of Hindman, March 4 at Langley . . . Born: to Rev. and Mrs. William Garriott, of Erlanger, a son—William Ray Humphrey Garriott—March 2 . . . There died: John Brown, 77, at home at Wheelwright, Sunday; Garfield Gilliam, 65, at the home here of his sister, Mrs. Minnie Walters, Friday; Mrs. Martha Stanley, 77, at her home at Garrett, Wednesday; Mrs. Alice Burga Harold, 66, at her home in West Prestonsburg, Tuesday; Dr. W. J. Hill, 51, native of Banner, at home at Stone, Ky., Sunday; Orville Smiley, 31, formerly of Dana, Tuesday at Detroit, Michigan.

Forty Years Ago

(March 12, 1937)

Floyd county, this fiscal year, in addition to state rural highway construction funds, will receive for road building purposes approximately \$20,682.96 as its share of a federal flood relief appropriation made in 1927 . . . Prestonsburg, this week, was in legal hot water. Clay Products Company brought suit against the city for non-payment of sewer tile purchased from the firm in 1922, and in another action, Floyd county has instituted a suit against the city for the debt on the city hall site . . . Federal Judge H. Church Ford Saturday at Lexington granted an injunction restraining interference with the construction by the Inland Gas Company of a pipeline from Lackey to Hindman . . . A project has been submitted for approval in Washington for the paving of Main, Railroad, Beaver, Bridge and Oak streets in Allen . . . Two new dry-goods stores preparing for opening in Prestonsburg are The Leader store and the People's store . . . The Modern Drug Store was gutted by fire here early Friday morning . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, a son—Samuel Henry—Saturday at the Paintsville hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Elliott, a daughter—Carolyn Ann—Feb. 26 at the Stumbo Memorial hospital . . . There died: Doc Woods, 53, of Allen, Monday in a Lexington hospital; Mrs. Oval Robinson, 19, at home at Wayland, Sunday.

Eastern Kentucky Unemployment Rose 1.5% During Cold Weather

Unemployment rates in Eastern Kentucky rose from 6.0 in December to 7.5 per cent in January, according to figures released today by the Department for Human Resources. This is above both the state rate of 6.3 per cent and the national rate of 8.3 for the month.

Floyd county's rate, which in December dropped to 6.2 per cent, rose to 7.2 in January.

Robert MacDonald, chief labor market analyst for the department, says that the state's county-by-county unemployment rates have been revised to correspond with the 1976 national population survey prepared by the U. S. Census Bureau. Such revisions occur annually, he explains, and Human Resources has revised its 1976 figures to provide a valid comparison between 1976 and 1977 data.

MacDonald says that in Eastern Kentucky, there are an estimated 19,466 people out of work. This is approximately 3,400 more than were unemployed in

Letters to the Editor

A Requisite for Good Government

The requisite for good government is to get the people to register and vote; to make it their business to know what they're voting for and to avoid special interest votes. Voting for a candidate because he or she's kin, or because of religion, is an injustice to every other person in the area of jurisdiction who happens not to be his kin or of his religion. It is a terrible injustice and should be outlawed, just as it is unlawful for your brother to sit on a jury when you are the accused. When a candidate announces a candidacy by giving a full report of his or her genetics and religion they are, indirectly, saying they will be a special interest official and certainly encouraging special interest voting.

In the not-too-distant past, it was common to hand a person a few dollars and tell them how to vote. In the more recent past, it was common for a presidential candidate to accept many millions of dollars from large and very rich business as campaign contributions. In the aftermath of Watergate, this kind of vote buying was outlawed. But how can voting by kin or other special interests in areas where a few votes can win an election be dealt with? Is it right for relation to gain or group together against others and swing an election? These are hard questions. Perhaps your kin is the best person for the job. If so, that's who you should vote for. But that's the only reason you should vote for them. Any other will bring bad government, punishing everybody. Nobody has that right.

Is it sinful to vote for a person because of their religion? "Render unto Caesar that which is Caesar's and unto God that which is God's." Caesar was government. Thus came the doctrine of separation of Church and State.

How then can a person determine the right person for the job? The only yardstick of measure is the past. What has this person done? What are his qualifications? Is he honest? Will he render equal treatment to everybody? Has he or she had the opportunity to do something and didn't? Will it be business as usual or will this person do a little more than the basic requirement and bring about good government?

For a candidate to say he's honest, hard-working, fair and a few well-worn words of self-praise, should not be taken seriously. That is what everybody thinks of themselves. How will this candidate bring improvement over what we now have should be the all important question and every candidate should be brought to answer it before election day.

ROBIE SKEANS
1487 Hilton Dr., Akron, O.

Coincidence?

The arm of coincidence is long, all know, but the following set of circumstances (which we have not checked for accuracy), constitute some sort of record. This, written by somebody who signed it, "Spooked in New Jersey," was first published in Ann Landers' column: Both Lincoln and Kennedy were concerned with civil rights.

Lincoln was elected President in 1860; Kennedy in 1960.

Both were slain on a Friday and in the presence of their wives.

Both were shot from behind and in the head.

Their successors, both named Johnson, were Southern Democrats and both were in the Senate.

Andrew Johnson was born in 1808 and Lyndon Johnson was born in 1908.

John Wilkes Booth was born in 1839 and Lee Harvey Oswald was born in 1939.

Booth and Oswald were Southerners favoring unpopular ideas.

Both Presidents' wives lost children through death while in the White House.

Lincoln's secretary, whose name was Kennedy, advised him not to go to the theater.

Kennedy's secretary, whose name was Lincoln, advised him not to go to Dallas.

John Wilkes Booth shot Lincoln in a theater and ran to a warehouse.

Lee Harvey Oswald shot Kennedy from a warehouse and ran to a theater.

The names Lincoln and Kennedy each contain seven letters.

The names Andrew Johnson and Lyndon Johnson each contain thirteen letters.

The names John Wilkes Booth and Lee Harvey Oswald each contain fifteen letters.

Both assassins were killed before being brought to trial.

First of Meetings To Develop Program Slated Here Friday

A comprehensive development program which will include both human services and capital construction programs or projects is in its formative stage, and public meetings at which citizens may contribute their ideas will figure in the planning.

The Big Sandy Area Development District (Big Sandy ADD), in cooperation with County Judge Henry Stumbo, will hold the first of these meetings at 2 p.m. Friday in the Floyd county courtroom here. Its purpose will be to identify projects or programs which would contribute to the general development of Floyd county and its communities.

The comprehensive program which, hopefully, will develop from the series of meetings will be for the entire five-county district.

Residents of the counties involved are encouraged to attend the meetings.

To Create Interest in Trees

This is to inform you that we had a very interesting contest in the seventh and eighth grade classes at the Prestonsburg Grade School, this past week.

I got the word to the two classes that I would pay five dollars to the winner, to the one who could name the most trees. To my surprise those kids came up with the names of many different kinds of trees. The winners were Dicky Leslie and Mike Flanagan, who teamed up and came up with 831 different kinds or names of trees. The second team to come in with 719 names was Wayne May and Warren Howard.

This goes to show, there's nothing wrong with our young generation, that they can get right down to business and come up with the information and answers any time they wish. Any way this subject is something close to every ones heart, as a tree is something in our natural resources that is dear to our hearts, as it provides so many good things for man.

During the month of April, April 1 to April 13, I am offering \$15 first prize and \$10 second prize to the student or team that can write the best essay about the value of a tree or trees to man, and the environment in general. The contest is for the seventh and eighth grades.

I think the great forests of America are our most wonderful resource. I hope our young people will take great pride and interest in trying to preserve all of it they possibly can. I think it is a terrible wrong for people to be careless with fires, or worse yet to set fires, burning out our timber resources, destroying the homes or habitation of our wildlife, even destroying the wildlife itself. It must take a heartless person to be so brutal. It is the same as an enemy coming and burning our homes, and perhaps even some of the family being burned in the home. When we burn the forest we hurt everything and everybody, as it belongs to us all and serves us in many ways.

CHARLES M. McCOY
Prestonsburg

Grateful for Help

The administration and staff of Highlands Regional Medical Center wish to express their appreciation to all who came to our assistance during the recent winter storms. We especially commend the Army Corps of Engineers who made numerous trips over icy roads to bring in nurses and staff who otherwise would not have been able to report for duty. Their efforts assured uninterrupted health care for our patients. The evidence of this concern for the welfare of others is not fully apparent in all areas of the country. It is comforting to know that it exists in the Big Sandy valley. From the staff of Highlands Regional Medical Center, on behalf of the patients, we extend a heartfelt thanks for the helping hands.

Les Rankin, Administrator
Highlands Regional Medical Center

Likes WILMAY Column

I am glad to see WILMAY'S column again appearing in the Floyd County Times. Mrs. Wilma May, of Maytown, is an interesting, capable and well-informed lady. Her articles cover national and international news and the problems of this great country of ours.

Keep up the good work, Wilma.
CASSIE MARTIN
Fort Myers, Florida

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The home of Earl Stephens on the Middle Creek road burned Sunday night, with all its contents.

Arthur Leach, district forester, said Monday that he had not completed the review of the fire situation which existed toward the end of the week but that 86 woodland blazes were reported in the district's six counties, Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Lawrence. Weeks of drouth broken only by comparatively light snow left the area a target for fire, and the blazes spread rapidly before gusty wind, Leach said. He said 95 per cent of the blazes resulted from careless burning of trash or clearing of garden plots. Only three of the fires are believed to have been deliberately set.

Floyd Man Drowns In N. Carolina Lake

Willie Johnson, 49, of Ivel, was drowned Sunday in Lookout Dam lake near Statesville, N. C. when he fell from a boat while fishing. The accident occurred at 7:30 a.m. and the body was recovered about two hours later.

A native of Wheelwright, he was a son of the late Eli and Evelyn Johnson. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna B. Caudill Johnson; six sons, Virgil R. Johnson, of Prestonsburg, Martin E. Johnson, of Newton, N. C., Johnny Johnson, of Conway, Va., Dennis, Ronald C. and Willie Johnson, Jr., all at home; two daughters, Jeanette Little and Angela Johnson, also at home; three brothers, George E. Johnson, of Myra, Ky., Willard Johnson, of Honaker, Va., and Noah Johnson, of Blue River; one sister, Mrs. Elva Burke, of Martin, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday at Hall Brothers Funeral Home chapel, with Benny Blankenship the officiating minister. Burial will be made in the Buckingham cemetery.

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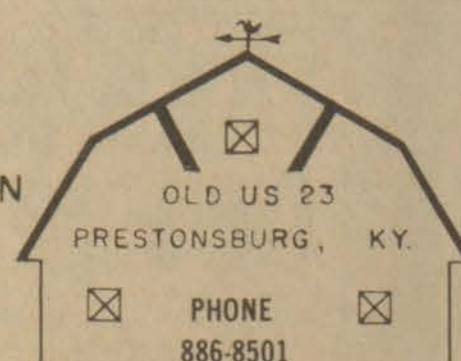
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One Year Later—Why of Scotia Is Unanswered

Frankfort, Ky.—Oven Fork, like hundreds of other tiny Kentucky communities, was virtually unknown until a year ago. Then on March 9, 1976, it made national news as the site of a methane gas mine explosion that claimed the lives of 15 men. Oven Fork was again the lead story two days later when 11 additional lives were lost in a second explosion.

More than one headline dubbed the Scotia Coal Company's Black Mountain Mine No. 1 "the killer mine." So as to avoid a third explosion, Scotia was ordered sealed with the 11 bodies until the atmosphere calmed. Bitterness surrounding the tragedy mushroomed since the bodies could not be recovered until last November.

Now, one year later, investigations as to the cause of the tragedy continue. A suit has been filed by the widows of the victims against the Blue Diamond Coal Company, Scotia's Knoxville-based parent company. And, Kentucky's legislators have unanimously endorsed far-ranging mine safety measures proposed by a 15-member commission selected by Gov. Julian Carroll.

Yet, no one can say for sure that Kentucky will never again experience a Scotia or Hyden (38 men lost their lives in December, 1970, from that tragic explosion). Harrel N. Kirkpatrick, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals, is only too well aware of that fact. The state's top mining chief since 1968, Kirkpatrick has been in on both the Hyden and Scotia investigations. And, he helped conduct the investigation into a 1969 Mexican mine explosion that killed 168 men.

Kirkpatrick, with some 30 years experience in the mining industry, said the department's 30 inspectors and Kentucky's 281 Mining Enforcement Safety Administration (MESA) inspectors can not be everywhere at once to assure absolutely safe working conditions.

The commissioner noted that the comprehensive underground mine safety legislation passed by a special session of the General Assembly last December promises to make Kentucky a model to other coal-producing states. Kirkpatrick and his deputy commissioner, Sam Johnson, were among those who served on the Governor's advisory committee.

The department has just filled the first of its 100 slots for mine safety analysts, positions authorized in the mine safety package. Although an analyst is to carry the same powers as an inspector, those duties are to be subordinate to his main function—that of an evaluator and advisor or mine safety.

Only three of 15 men taking the first test for mine inspector passed the exam, Kirkpatrick said. He added that the department was carefully screening each successful applicant. "We have received some criticism for not acting immediately in hiring the analysts, but we are not going to hire just anybody for the position. Too much thought has gone into the creation of the analyst's job for us to jeopardize its chances for success," Kirkpatrick emphasized.

In further carrying out the safety legislation, the Governor has appointed five men to the Board of Miner Training, Education and Certification, which replaces the Board of Examiners. The Mines and Minerals commissioner serves as chairman.

Before the safety package was enacted, a miner could begin work immediately. Now, a minimum of 40 hours training is required before actual work experience is begun. A miner's certificate will not be issued until the novice miner has completed an additional 90 days of work in a mine. The certificate

must be maintained by a minimum of eight hours annual retraining.

Thus, a year after Scotia the wheels are turning to put the safety legislation into effect. But the "why" of the tragedy still awaits an answer.

The Scotia investigation teams have reached the area of the explosions and have disconnected two locomotives that many people believe may have sparked the blasts. Officials have yet to determine the exact cause of the explosions.

Kirkpatrick noted that investigation crews were carefully tagging items in the area of the explosions, revealing where the articles came from. The commissioner said this evidence was then guarded by two men, including a former FBI official.

Kirkpatrick said the teams hoped to pinpoint the ignition source by examining such signs as roof falls, the position of rubber cables within the mine and the way concrete blocks may have been blown. "Once we find the ignition point

we can then look for the source," he explained.

Kirkpatrick said that all theories associated with the causes of the explosion have been merely speculative until now because the investigation could not begin until the recovery of the bodies was completed. He said the department would not hold any hearings until all the facts were pieced together. MESA, too, should conduct future hearings on Scotia.

The Board of Miner Training, Education and Certification is empowered to decertify foremen and fire bosses if they are found to have contributed to mine deaths or accidents. Fines can be levied ranging from \$100 to \$1,000 for each violation. Unlike MESA, the department has no criminal charges.

Now, one year after Scotia, no one can say what procedures will be followed until the investigation is completed. But all involved hope they never have cause to repeat similar inquiries.

MURRAY TO CONSIDER RATE INCREASES

MURRAY—The Murray State University regents, who met last Saturday, considered an increase in housing and dining rates for students.

Meal tickets would go up \$15 per semester; dormitory rates would climb from \$200 to \$205 per semester, and the additional charge for a private room in a residence hall would be raised from \$85 to \$100.

ENERGY MEETINGS TO BE HELD

WASHINGTON—The Federal Energy Administration has announced plans to hold "Citizen Town Meetings" on energy this month in 10 cities, saying every American should have a say on the subject. Those unable to attend one of the meetings should mail their energy ideas to a special postal box in Washington, the FEA said. It said views expressed in the sessions and in letters will be quickly relayed to the White House.

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Two Schools Share Chess Honors



The second annual high school chess tournament was held here recently, and teams representing Prestonsburg and Allen Central high schools ranked one-two. The meet was hosted by the Chess Society of Prestonsburg Community College in cooperation with the PCC Community Services Department. In accompanying photos Martha Shepherd, president of the Chess Society, is shown presenting plaques to the two winners. In top photo the first-place Prestonsburg High School team includes, from left, Randy Gearheart, Phillip Elliott, Chris Conley and Russell Music. Bottom photo shows Allen Central team members, Tim Moore, Tommy Thompson, Phillip Flannery and Jeff Wicker.



State Approval Given Martin For Aid Funds

Commissioner Ralph Ed Graves, of the Department for Local Government, last week announced state approval of Economic Aid Funds to upgrade three services in the city of Martin.

Included in the project proposal are purchases of recreational equipment, land maintenance equipment and fire equipment. Total cost is approximately \$20,000.

Recreational equipment to be purchased includes two sets of portable bleachers, portable basketball goals, a drinking fountain and backstop fencing for baseball field.

Land maintenance equipment will be used for streets and recreation areas in the city and include a tractor, tires, mower attachment and wagon.

More than \$7,000 will be spent on fire equipment to upgrade the capability of the city fire-fighters.

Economic Aid is a new approach to returning coal severance taxes to the counties and was established by Gov. Julian Carroll as part of Kentucky's Economic Development Plan approved by the 1976 legislature.

Economic Aid Fund projects are submitted at a public hearing. A board in each county composed of the county judge, mayor of the largest city, a member selected by the county school boards and two members appointed by the Governor select projects to be pursued and establish priorities. The Department for Local Government and Area Development Districts assist in preparing project applications and review all projects for compliance with regulations. Final approval and administration of projects are the responsibility of the Executive Department for Finance and Administration.

Floyd Co. Education Association Prepares For Spring Meeting

The Floyd County Education Association's board of directors held its monthly meeting recently in the Martin school. The main activity was directed toward final preparations for the spring meeting.

The annual meeting of the FCEA membership will be held in the Martin Elementary School, April 9. The executive board voted unanimously to limit activities to a short business session only, and directed the secretary, Shirley Stewart, to notify each member by mail. The session will be from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Blanche Dingus was named chairman of the hospitality committee.

John Maddox will serve the organization as nominating committee chairman. Edgar Bingham, association president, requests that all members having suggestions in regard to the election of new officers contact Mr. Maddox.

In completion of unfinished business the executive board asked Blanche Dingus to make arrangements for each FCEA member to have a copy of the organization's constitution. A decision was made to apportion the members of the education finance and salary scheduling committee to two representatives from Rank I, two from Rank II and four from Rank III. Nadine Hicks has previously been named chairman.

Participants in the executive board's March meeting were: President, Edgar Bingham; vice-president, Janice Allen; president-elect, John Maddox; secretary, Shirley Stewart; district directors, Blanche Dingus, Shelby Draughn, Joyce Watson and Forrest Curry; past-president, Edgar Craft; EKEA and KEA director, Philip Dingus; Betty Rowland, KEA Uniserve consultant.

The next meeting of the FCEA will be at May Lodge April 4, at 6 p.m.

STRIP MINE PERMITS ISSUED

Frankfort, Ky.—One permit to strip mine 24 acres in Floyd county was issued by the reclamation division, Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, to the Paula Coal Co., for the period of Feb. 23 through Feb. 28. Other area permits granted:

Harlan—S & J Coal Co., 5 acres; Johnson-Martin—L. T. Ruth Coal Co., 14; Laurel—J & S Coal Co., 12, Margin Coal Co., 19, and Mako Mining Inc., 24; Perry—Kem Coal-Vegas Coal, 28, Kentucky Prince Coal, 15, and Resource Coal Co., 124; Pike—B J & C Coal Co., 3, and Colley & Ramsey Coal, 24.

Senior Citizen News

A large crowd was on hand at the Archer Center the past two weeks to share coffee, pot-luck lunches, craft-work, games, reading and fellowship. The center, for the benefit of all interested persons aged 60 and over, is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. In addition, all senior citizens are encouraged to take part in the Title VII nutrition program.

There will be an old-fashioned day at the center March 24 at 11 a.m. All senior citizens are invited to attend. A covered-dish dinner will be enjoyed. Menu will include pan-fried chicken, corn bread, baked beans, salads, cake, pies.

Among the people visiting the center were special guest Phyllis Stanley, of Big Sandy ADD; Claude Swiney, County Coordinator; Clara Kyle, state monitor from Frankfort; Lula Wallen, of Prestonsburg; Glenda Blair, Big Sandy ADD; Hawley Scott, of Garrett; Vanie Turner, Stella Fugate, of Harold; Era B. Mullins, of Pikeville; Emma Mitchell, Pike county; Roshia Moore, of Garrett; Willie Warrens and Ora Mae Warrens, of Prestonsburg; David Amburgey, of Wheelwright; Lucy Kitchen, of Hi Hat; Hazel Crisp, Lora McKnight, Peggy Collins, Mary B. Little, Sue Johnson, Causby Branham, Bessie Isaac, all of Wheelwright; Mae Kendrick, Lillian Harlon, Dora Mitchell, Alta Hayes, Vivian Fraley, Rainley White, Julian Helton, all of Prestonsburg; Cora Pennington, formerly of Prestonsburg; Ida Burke, of Weeksbury; Alma Baldridge, Sola Blackburn, Edith Elkins, Gypsie Baldridge, all of East Point; Golda Vance, Hester Vanderpool, of Wayland; H. C. Church, of Prestonsburg; James Martin, of Drift; Darcus Lafferty, Stella Justice, Ethel Vicars, Amanda Lafferty, Anna Mae Spencer, Lyda Hall, Audille Hall, of Martin; Angie Adams, Elsie Prater, Cynthia Ousley, of Middle Creek; Peacie Warrens, of Garrett; Mary Mann, Beatrice Collins, Beulah Williamson, all of Prestonsburg; Grace Litteral and Rosie Burchett, of Auxier.

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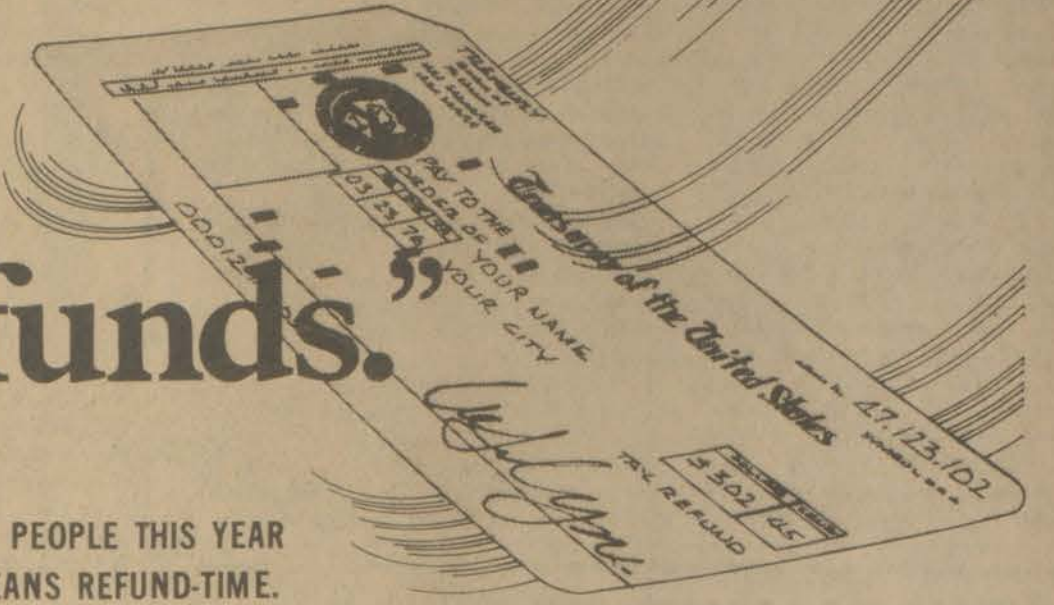
P'burg Man Booked On Liquor Charge

Acting on a search warrant, Prestonsburg Police Capt. Bill Potter, Sgt. Darrell Conley, and Deputy Sheriffs Randall Lewis and Linzie Hunt Sunday confiscated a small quantity of beer from the home of Jesse McIntosh here. McIntosh was booked at the county jail here on a charge of possession of alcoholic beverages for purposes of sale.

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

Gary D. Bays, receiving stolen property, by State Trooper Williamson; Charles D. Sexton, default bond, by State Trooper Stumbo; William A. Gilbert, destroying private property, by Deputy Sheriff Doug Lewis and Prestonsburg Policeman Otis Trusty; Ralph E. Kirby, theft of services, by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis; Larry Newsome, drunk driving and attempt to elude police officers, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D. and Melvin Martin; Chester Calhoun, destruction of state property and resisting arrest, by State Troopers Shelton and Stephens; Grady Nelson, escaping custody, by Prestonsburg Police Chief Thornsby and Officer Kenneth Kelley; James B. Hall, Jr., drunk driving, by State Trooper Hall; Squire Sparkman, drunk driving, by State Trooper Sizemore; Franklin Hunt, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs Ollie Leslie and Linzie Hunt; Oval Eugene Pack, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policemen Kelley and Trusty; David Cunningham, shoplifting, by Prestonsburg Policemen Potter and W. Lafferty.

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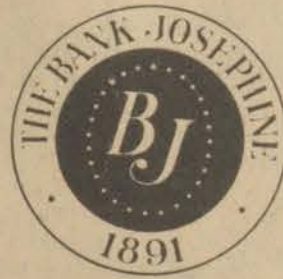
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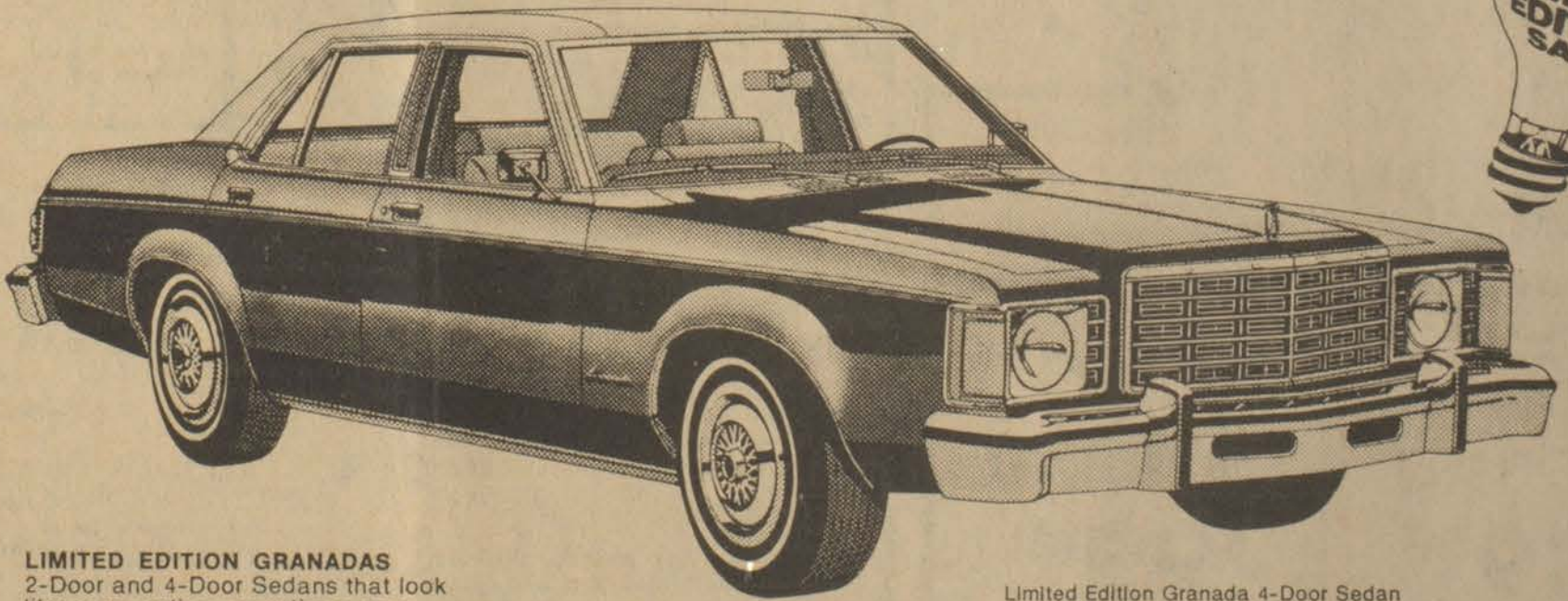
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Power Company Plans Loans To Help Conserve Energy

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In what it calls an effort to help customers conserve energy and keep bills as low as possible the company announced last week that it has advised the Public Service Commission of a plan to allow residential customers to borrow up to \$750 for insulating their homes.

"Our plan is one way we can assist our customers in conserving their use of energy for home heating and cooling, and it is also consistent with the national effort to conserve energy. Good insulation can make a significant impact," Waldo S. LaFon, executive vice president of Kentucky Power, said.

Under Kentucky Power's residential insulation financing plan, customers could borrow at an effective annual interest rate of 8 per cent per year on the monthly unpaid balance, and have up to three years to repay the loan. The loans are to be available to all existing residential customers but are limited to customer-owned and occupied single-family houses, duplexes, triplexes and

four-family residences.

Kentucky Power's customer service representatives will assist individual homeowners by preparing heat loss information and other cost-benefit data before recommending the type and amount of insulation that it needed. The company also will provide industry accepted installation guidelines and procedures whether the customer chooses to install the insulation or has it done by a contractor.

After checking the completed installation, Kentucky Power will establish a repayment plan with the customer and issue a check to cover the insulation expenses.

Securities and Exchange Commission approval is required, but the company hopes to have the plan in effect next month.

30 PERCENT IN MEDIA ARE WOMEN

NEW YORK—Women account for about 30 per cent of the nation's media employees but only about 5 per cent of media policymakers, the International Women's Year Commission says.

Attend Leadership Conference



Participating in State Leadership Conference from Mayo were: First row, from left—Mike Cook, Judy Whitt, Tim Lance, Cheryl Anderson, Denise Bentley, and Tim Meadows; second row—Blaine Wellman, Mrs. Reynolds (advisor), Anita Clevenger, Tammy Coker, Carolyn Childers, Brenda Conley, and Linda Vaughn; third row—Fontella Fairchild, Lavina Sturgill, Janet Conley, Janie Slone, and Sam Pelphrey; fourth row—Mr. Ramey (advisor), Maryanna Webb, Stella Johnson, and Mr. Harris (advisor).

Eighteen students and three advisors from Mayo State Vocational-Technical School attended the Phi Beta Lambda state leadership conference at the Holiday City Convention Center, Louisville, March 3-5. Students from the Business and Office Program and Data Processing I and II competed in the skill olympics.

The following students were recognized for winning or placing in their respective areas:

Who's Who in Phi Beta Lambda, Denise Bentley; Mr. Future Business Executive, Blaine Wellman, fourth place; Data Processing I, Sam Pelphrey, third place, and Michael Cook, second place; Data Processing II, Tim Meadows, third place; and Tim Lance, first place. The Mayo PBL Chapter was recognized for having the second largest chapter membership in the state.

Tim Lance, first place winner in Data Processing II, will represent Kentucky on the national level in Denver, Colorado, July 5-8.

Power Company Announces Plan For '77 Spending

Kentucky Power Company announced plans to spend more than \$35 million this year on construction projects to strengthen its facilities and ability to serve the growing demand for more power from its 126,000 customers in Eastern Kentucky.

Waldo S. LaFon, executive vice president, said most of this amount represents work actually involved in getting the electricity to the customer, "but nearly \$5.5-million will go to environmental-related work alone at our Big Sandy generating plant near Louisa."

Costs broken down by areas of work, were listed as follows: Environmental, \$5,418,000; other improvements, replacements at the Big Sandy Plant, \$5,271,000; transmission (higher voltage) lines, \$11,368,000; distribution lines, \$13,164,000.

Speaking at a news media briefing last week at the Landmark Restaurant, Pikeville, J. M. Wood, Pikeville division manager, outlined construction work totaling \$3.2 million in local projects which have either been completed this past year, or are under way or planned for 1977.

He listed line projects started and completed in 1976 which included more than 17 miles of reconductoring or rebuild at a cost of \$237,000. The capacity was increased at five substations—Kimper, Falcon, Draffin, Keyser and Feds Creek—at a cost of \$197,000. One new substation, Beaver Creek, was constructed at a cost of \$65,000.

Projects started in 1976 and completed in 1977 included more than 22 miles of line rebuilt at a cost of \$702,000 and a temporary substation at Jenkins at a cost of \$55,000.

Projects under way in 1977 include \$300,000 worth of conductor work involving more than 17 miles of line.

More than \$1.6-million in construction is planned for 1977 but not yet under way, Wood said. This includes three new substations—Fords Branch, Jenkins, Johns Creek—and increased capacity work at the Elwood substation and 51 miles of line rebuild.

Wood pointed out the normal increase in usage by customers, some of it compounded this year somewhat by the gas shortage, "necessitates these large investments in our continuing efforts to keep ahead of our customers' increased demand for power."

EPA Won't Ease Ban On Carbon Tet Output

SOUTH CHARLESTON, W. Va.—The FMC Corp. tried without success to win an easing of a ban against production of carbon tetrachloride at its South Charleston plant, the Environmental Protection Agency said Friday.

EPA officials met Thursday night with FMC representatives and left without having given ground, said Dick Chlan of the EPA office in Philadelphia.

FMC was handed a 10-day restraining order by U.S. District Judge Charles Haden. It bans production of carbon tetrachloride at the plant, the scene of several admitted spills of the toxic chemical into the Kanawha and Ohio river systems.

Haden scheduled a hearing on a permanent injunction for Mar. 18. The EPA requested that any permanent injunction remain in force until FMC takes steps to safeguard against future spills.

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The facts are. On this date the employee knew that the truck he loaded was not going on the county road. This is the reason he was terminated from his job. On the date in question the Floyd Fiscal Court held its regular meeting and the Honorable Bill Wells, Magistrate, District 1, presided in the absence of the county judge. The Honorable Harold Stumbo, County attorney, and Sam Fitzpatrick, county road foreman, were present. The fiscal court authorized a letter to be sent to this employee if he wanted a hearing on his dismissal. As of this date this employee has not reported to the Fiscal Court concerning this matter. I am sure the good people of Floyd County will agree that there has been considerable improvement in the Floyd Fiscal Court system during the past 3½ years.

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WEEK-END GUESTS

Mrs. Thomas J. Long, Jr., and Sylvia H. Davis, of Louisville, were guests this week-end of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, on the Abbott Road. Mr. Long joined them Sunday for their return to Louisville. Mr. and Mrs. Long recently returned from a Caribbean cruise.

IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Loretta Ramey and Vickie Ratliff were injured in an auto accident Monday evening March 7, at the mouth of Katy Friend intersection. They were taken to Highlands Regional Medical Center where Miss Ratliff was released, and Mrs. Ramey was held for observation. She was discharged from the hospital Wednesday and is now much improved at her home in the Goble-Roberts Addition.

LPN MONTHLY MEETING

District 9, Unit 1, of the Licensed Practical Nurse's Association held their monthly meeting at St. Martins Convent, Feb. 22. Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Lou Ellen Haupt, TN.

Those attending the meeting were Helen C. Ormerod, Betty Moore, Alma Rice, Sister Mary Dorgan, Bessie Dingus, Helen Wells and Carrie Branham.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, March 17 at 7 p.m. at the Big Sandy Health Care Office, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. Speaker for that meeting will be Dr. Roger Marshall. All LPNs and students are invited to this meeting.

REVIVAL SCHEDULED AT CLIFF CHURCH

A revival is scheduled at the Cliff Free Will Baptist Church, March 20 through March 26 with Tom Dooley, of Springfield, Ohio, the featured evangelist. Special singing will be a feature of each nightly service which will begin at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

HOMEMAKERS CLUB MEETS

The Prestonsburg Early Birds Homemakers Club met Tuesday, March 8, at the home of Linda Francis. An interesting program on home decorating was presented by Frances Pitts, County Extension agent. Other members present were Rita Allen, Mabel Brown, Patsy Brown, Carol Burchett, Sandy Burchett, Marthan Damron, Carolyn Ford, Billie Gray Goble, Lois May, and Shyla Meece. The next meeting will be held at the home of Lois Crum on April 12, when the selection of home appliances will be discussed.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Holbrook and daughter, Amy Lynn, of Dayton, O., were the week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie J. Holbrook, of the Abbott road. While here they celebrated Mrs. Johnnie Holbrook's 75th birthday.

IN ASHLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hagans, of Langley, and son and daughter, Allen and Linda, were in Ashland Monday. Mrs. Hagans was admitted to King's Daughters' Hospital for a series of tests.

GO TO FLORIDA

County Judge and Mrs. Henry Stumbo and grandson, Mike McCormick, left Tuesday for Astor, Florida, to bring home with them Mrs. Stumbo's mother.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Francis, Jr. have returned here after an air-and-sea tour of the Caribbeans and Venezuela.

RETURNS TO FLORIDA

John Allen returned Saturday to Florida after spending a week here. He and Mrs. Allen will return home within the next few weeks.

VISITORS FROM ELIZABETHTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Jagers, of Elizabethtown, Ky., spent the week-end here with their son, the Rev. W. D. Jagers, and family.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Paul Francis has returned to his home here from the Highlands Medical Center where he was a recent patient.

ATTEND OLIN RITES

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Sybil Leslie Olin in Olive Hill were Mrs. John N. Burchett, Mrs. Otis Wright, Jeff Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leslie, Mrs. Luca Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Arnett, all of Emma; Mrs. Nell Howard, Mrs. Myrtle Allen, Curt Reed Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Whitten, Denna and Bryan, Janet Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hamilton and Dan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goble, all of Prestonsburg; Gene and David Phipps, of Enon; Mrs. Gail Click and Libby, of Cleveland, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Raybourne, of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Garrett, of Ypsilanti, Mich.; Jackie, Sherri, and Shanda Leslie, of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Leslie, of Gallipolis, Ohio.

REACT Team Plans

Free Coffee Break

Floyd County REACT Team No. 3261 will have a free coffee break at Heck's Store, March 19-20. The team will be giving away free coffee, Pepsi and doughnuts. This is part of a fund-raising drive for needy family and emergency cases. Everyone is invited.

WEEK-END VISITORS

Visiting Loretta Ramey and son, Willie, at her home at Goble-Roberts during the week-end were Nancy Daniels, Gary Ramey, Vickie Ratliff, Pearl Green, Rita Green, Melvin Morris, Bill Goble, Junior Stephens, all of the Prestonsburg area, Andy Gross and George Stephens, both of Detroit, Michigan.

SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Maggard, of Pearisburg, Va. spent the week-end here recently visiting his mother, Mrs. Paris Bartley, and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Maggard also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Greene.

VISIT OVER WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Greene and children, Lloyd Wayne, Teresa and Patty, of New Carlisle, Ohio were here over the past week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. John Holbrook, who celebrated a birthday recently, and Mr. Holbrook on the Abbott Road and Mr. Greene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Greene, of Prestonsburg. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Holbrook and daughter Annie, of Dayton, Ohio.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Miss Kathy Jo Prater and a friend were here from Berea College over the week-end, guests of Miss Prater's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Prater.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Rev. Charlie Rowe was honored on his birthday, March 5, with a surprise dinner and later an open house given by his wife, their daughter, Mrs. Charles Owens, daughters-in-law, Mrs. John D. Sammons and Mrs. Jackie Rowe, and his sister-in-law, Florence Gray.

Over 100 persons attended. Among these were members of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, deacons and members of the Highland Avenue Free Will Baptist Church, deacons and singers, the Sacred Edight, pastor, Rev. Phil Fraley and Mrs. Fraley, assistant pastor, Rev. Richard Crisp, and Mrs. Crisp, all of the Katy Friend Free Will Baptist Church, Rev. Jack DeRossett and members of the Community Free Will Baptist.

Eight of their 12 children were able to attend with their children and grandchildren. They are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mosley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mosley, of Warren, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day and daughter, Amy, and son, Carl, Jr., their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rickie Goings, all of Dayton, O., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Woody, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Rowe and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rowe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens and Angel. Also attending were Miss Glenda Gray, John Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Louis William Miller.

Rev. Rowe expressed his appreciation to all who attended to share the occasion and for the many gifts he received.

D.A.R. CHAPTER MEETS

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met March 8 at the Regional Library. Mrs. Frank Preston, the regent, presided. The ritualistic service was conducted by Mrs. Mae S. Kendrick, chaplain pro-tem. Mrs. Ray Collins gave the National Defense program. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read by secretary, Mrs. J. G. Stepp. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Ray Brackett. John Graham Chapter is co-hostess to the Kentucky DAR state conference to be held at Lexington's Hilton Inn March 22-24. The chapter voted to order 12 grave markers. The regent appointed a committee of three—Mrs. Norma Stepp, Mrs. Ray Brackett and Mrs. Opal S. May—to select officers for the coming year. The announcement of Mrs. Thomas Burchett, of Ashland, for state regent was read by the regent. The program, "Francis Scott Key and the Star Spangled Banner," was presented by Mrs. Ray Brackett and Mrs. Frank Preston. The hostess, Mrs. Virginia S. Goble, served refreshments to Mesdames Frank Preston, Ray Collins, Mae S. Kendrick, Ray Brackett, J. G. Stepp, James B. Goble.

GOBLE-ROBERTS CHURCH SCHEDULE LISTED

Services at the Goble-Roberts Pentecostal Holiness Church are held each Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. with Sunday morning worship service at 11:45 a.m. and evening service at 7:30. Services are also held at 7:30 every second and fourth Saturdays of each month.

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Miss Howard is a graduate of the University of Kentucky. Mr. Metcalf attended Navarro Junior College, Corsicana, Texas and Eastfield College, Mesquite, Texas. He is presently employed by Executive Aircraft Service in Dallas, Texas.

The gracious custom of open church will be observed at 7 p.m. Saturday, March 26, at the First Presbyterian Church here.

VISIT MR. PRATER

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. James E. Goble, Mrs. Otis Cooley, Mrs. Bert N. Porter and Mrs. Hansel Cooley left this morning to visit Mrs. Goble's father, James Prater, who is a patient in Mercy Hospital, Portsmouth, Ohio. Mrs. Goble will spend the night with her mother, and other members of the party will visit relatives in the vicinity. Mr. Prater's condition remains serious.

ATTENDS WEDDING

Mrs. Beatrice Collins visited Mrs. Allie T. King in Ashland last week and attended the Spradlin-VanHoose church wedding there. On Sunday she was the guest of Shirley Hurt, of Louisa, attending the Louisa Methodist Church.

VISITS SATURDAY

Rev. Randolph Lewis, of Banner, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crum, of the Bull Creek Road, who are very ill, Saturday. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thornsburg, of Emma.

CALL DURING WEEK

Calling on Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crum during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray and G. B. Laferty, of Water Gap; Carl Ray Laferty, of Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Engles, of Dwarf.

Auditions Scheduled For Summer Theatre

The Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre will be holding auditions and interviews for actors, singers, dancers, technicians, and office help starting at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 19, in the auditorium at Prestonsburg Community College, Route 23 North, Prestonsburg.

The group is especially interested in children ages 12-16 for its production of Oliver. Orchestra auditions will be scheduled for sometime in April.

Productions for this season will be Godspell, Oliver, and Camelot with the season opening June 24 and closing August 21.

Actors, singers, dancers are asked to bring music resume and recent photo. Technicians and office workers should bring resume and letters of recommendations.

Artists To Exhibit Works at Library

Art work by several Eastern Kentucky artists will be on display at the Floyd County Library from March 22 to April 1.

Drawings, oils and watercolors handled in various styles and dealing with varied subject matter will be in the exhibit. Artists who will have work on display include Skip Meade, Rosa Stapleton, Waldo Dingus, Joyce Takacs, Vivian Hale, Sue May, Peggy Wells, Linda Charles, Tom Whitaker.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Keenon returned Monday from La Grange where they were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Cox. They also visited Mrs. Marian Wilson in Louisville.

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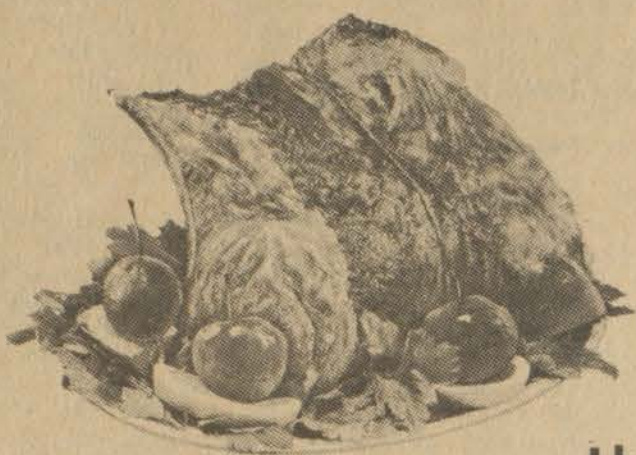
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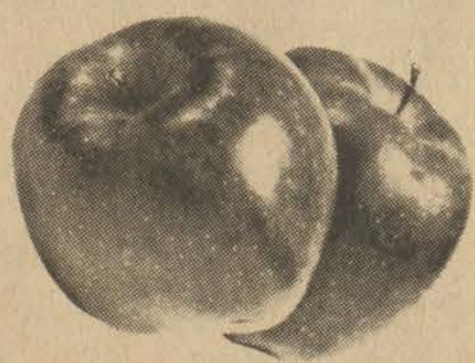
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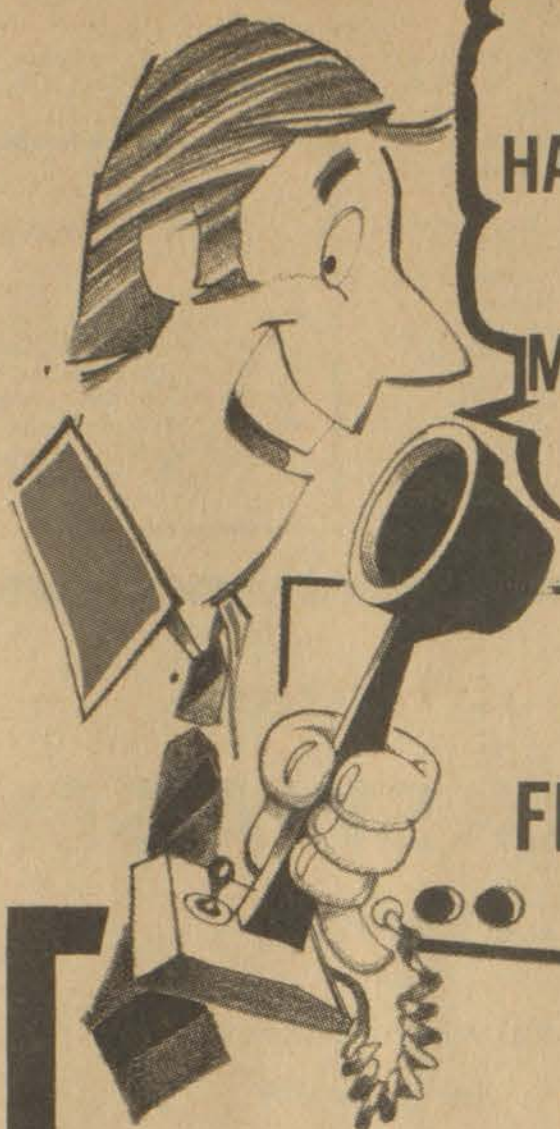
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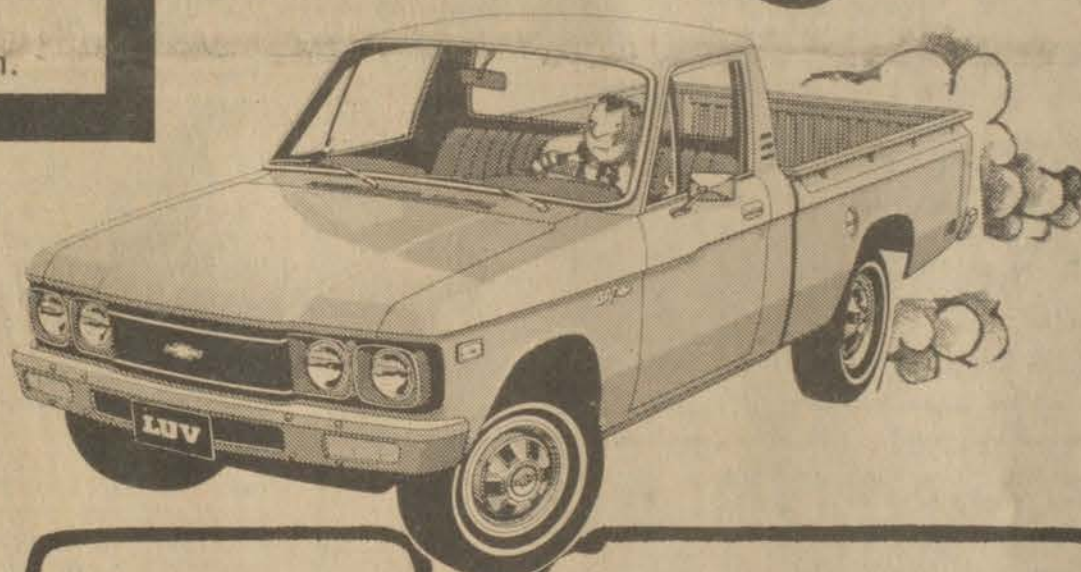
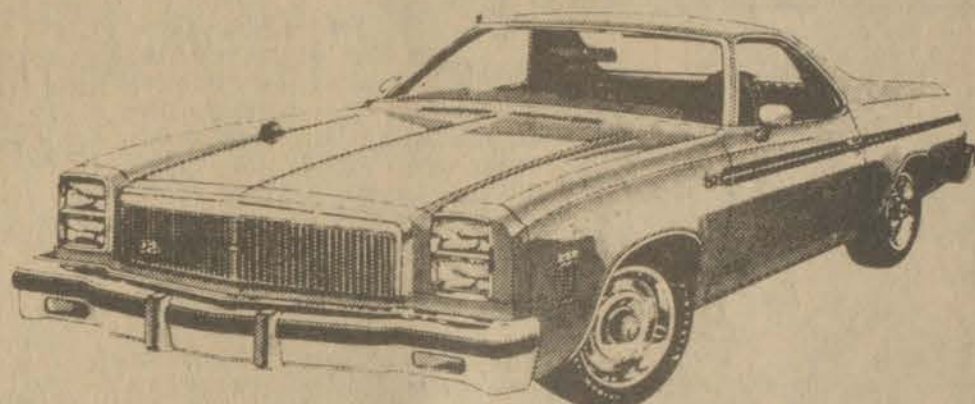
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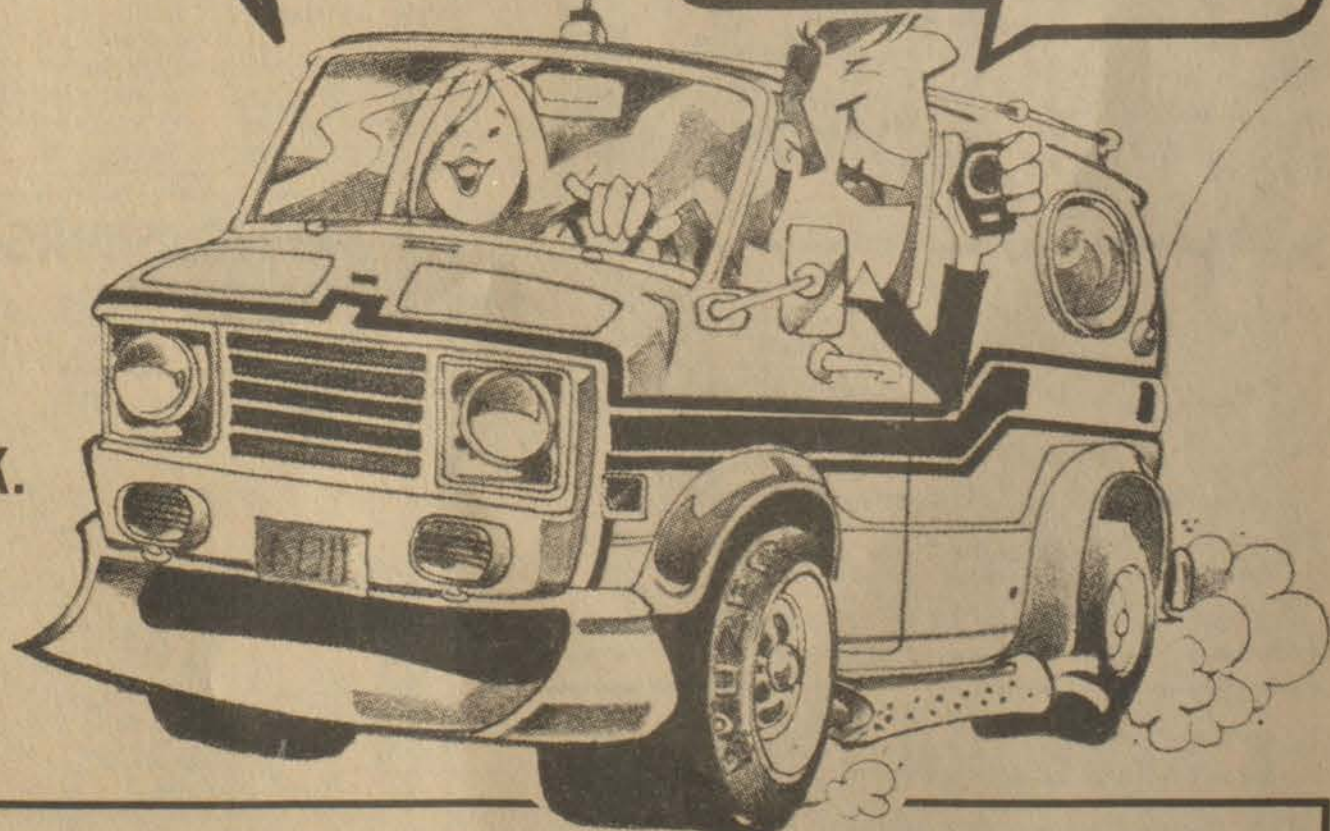
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New Hunting Season Has Few Changes

Frankfort, Ky., March 8—The 1977-78 small game hunting seasons and limits, as set yesterday by the state Fish and Wildlife Commission, will be virtually unchanged from those of last year, but the gun deer hunting season will be extended by one day and split into two "long" week-end hunts.

The first of the two gun hunts for deer will be for bucks only and will open Saturday, November 12 and continue through November 14. The second part of the season will open Saturday, December 3, and run through December 5. Either sex deer may be taken in Ballard, Barren, Crittenden, Edmonson, Hart, Livingston, McCracken, Owen and Gallatin counties on December 3 only, while in the other open areas only bucks with at least one forked antler may be harvested. The "bucks only" rule will apply to all open areas December 4 and 5.

The commission also approved the use of certain handguns during the gun deer season and added three more counties and two wildlife management areas to the list of counties and areas closed to both gun and archery deer hunting.

The counties previously closed are Jackson, Owsley, Clay, Harlan, Powell, Clark, Leslie, Wolfe, Perry, Johnson, Knott and the new additions are Martin, Floyd and Magoffin. Previously closed wildlife management areas are Robinson Forest, Beaver Creek, Redbird, Pine Mountain, and Grayson Lake, the newly closed areas being Yellowbank and Dewey Lake.

The archery deer season will open October 1 and continue through November 11; reopen December 10 and continue through December 31. Either sex deer may be taken by the bow hunters.

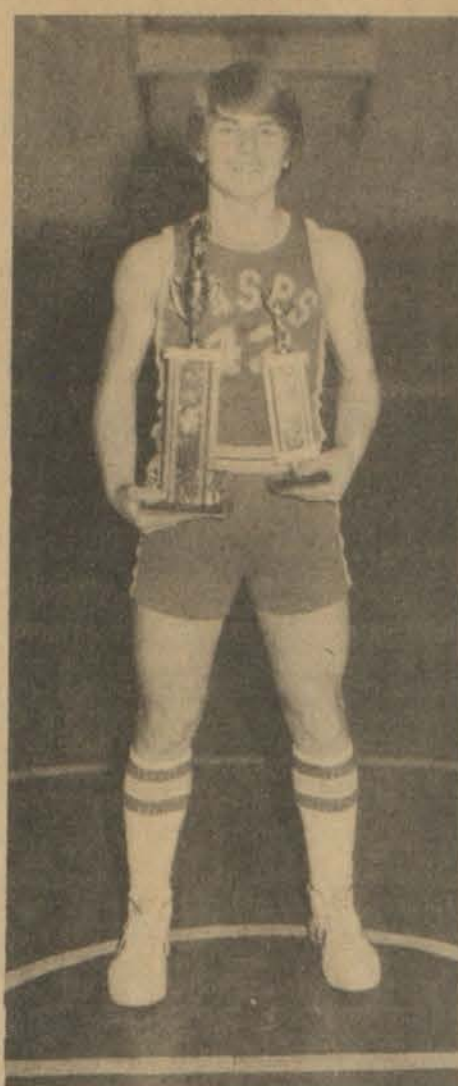
Small game hunting seasons set by the commission are: Squirrel, Aug. 20-Oct. 31, and Nov. 17-Dec. 31, limits, six and twelve; Rabbits, Nov. 17-Jan. 31, six and twelve; Quail, Nov. 17-Feb. 28; ten and twenty; Grouse, Nov. 17-Feb. 28, four and eight. Furbearers, Nov. 17-Jan. 31, no limits except that raccoon hunters are limited to one raccoon per hunter with no more than three raccoons per party of three or more hunters. There is no limit on the number of raccoons which may be taken by trapping.

All seasons, including trapping, will be closed during the Dec. 3-5 gun deer hunt except waterfowl, snipe, woodcock, rails, gallinules, coots and falconry. The falconry season will open November 1 and continue through January 31 for rabbits and through February 28 for quail and grouse. Seasons for waterfowl and their migratory birds will be set at a later date.

Also approved by the commission were three two-day archery deer hunts and three two-day gun deer hunts on the Ballard County Wildlife Management Area in far western Kentucky. Hunters will be chosen by drawing and will be limited to 120 for each of the two-day hunts. Dates for the archery hunting will be Oct. 16-17; Oct. 23-24 and Oct. 30-31. Fish and Wildlife Commissioner Arnold Mitchell said, and gun hunting dates will be Oct. 21-22; Oct. 28-29 and Nov. 5-6. Details concerning applications to hunt, etc. will be announced later.

THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION plans to begin construction of new hospitals at Richmond, Va., and Bay Pines, Fla., this year.

Sets Scoring Record



Tim Branham, who averaged 45 points a game this season, set a record in season scoring for grade schools in this county with 2,000 points. A member of the Wayland Grade School basketball team, his high game came when he scored 63 points against Melvin in tournament play. He was awarded the individual free-throw trophy in the county tournament for the third time in four years and was also named to the all-tournament team.

Branham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Branham, of Wayland.

McDowell Faces Johnson Girls In Game Tonight

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON
The Prestonsburg girls' basketball team faced the Sheldon Clark girls Tuesday night in the championship game of the 15th regional basketball tournament at the Allen Central High School gymnasium.

Prestonsburg moved into the championship game by defeating Millard, 68 to 52. In that game, the Kittens were led in scoring by Dee Dee Music with 23 points. Sherri Allen had a fine night in scoring and playmaking with 19 points, and Bridget Clay scored 14. Monday, Prestonsburg won over the Paintsville Comets, 76 to 62, with Bridget Clay connecting for 28 points; Dee Dee Music 25, and Sherri Allen 15.

The McDowell Daredevilles moved into the semi-finals by defeating the Pikeville girls, 79 to 62. Geri Grigsby connected for 44 points. In the semi-finals, the Daredevilles were pitted against undefeated Sheldon Clark in one of the most amazing basketball games played in the series. Geri Grigsby had a fantastic night, scoring 66 points. Her team, however, lost, 80 to 79. For the third straight year McDowell has been stopped by Sheldon Clark from going to the state tournament. The two previous years, McDowell lost in the regional finals. The McDowell team closes the season tonight (Wednesday) playing Paintsville in the consolation game at 7 p.m. The Daredevilles have a record of 31 wins, 5 losses, and Geri Grigsby now leads the state in scoring with an average of nearly 50 points per game.

In the championship game, Prestonsburg (20 and 6) will face Sheldon Clark, whose record is 25 and 0.

VETERANS TRAINING under the GI Bill may qualify for tutorial help without charge to their basic entitlement, the Veterans Administration reports.

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Kentucky Fishing Report

Frankfort, Ky., March 14—Heavy rains over the week-end have forced water levels upwards on many of the state's major lakes. The first 1977 lake-by-lake rundown, as compiled by the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, follows:

LAUREL: Black bass good drifting minnows in deep sloughs; trout good still fishing cheese, corn and worms and trolling spinners; clear, stable at power pool and 40 degrees.

DALE HOLLOW: Black bass fair casting medium runners along deep banks and over submerged cover; white bass fair casting spinners and do-jigs in the heads of tributaries; clear to murky to muddy, rising at winter pool and 46 degrees.

HERRINGTON: Black bass and bluegill fair still fishing nightcrawlers in heads of creeks; clear to murky to muddy, rising rapidly, 15 feet above winter pool and 45 degrees.

BARKLEY: Crappie fair over deep channel bank drop-offs; in tailwaters, crappie and sauger fair; murky to muddy, stable, one foot above winter pool and 52 degrees.

KENTUCKY: Black bass slow on medium to deep runners off points; crappie slow over submerged cover; in tailwaters, no activity; murky to muddy, falling, five feet below summer pool and 55 degrees.

CUMBERLAND: Black bass slow casting shallow and medium runners in heads of creeks and jugging large minnows in inlets and bays; white bass slow on shallow runners and spinners in same area; in tailwaters, crappie, trout and white bass slow; clear to murky to muddy, rising, 29 feet below the timberline and 44 degrees.

NOLIN: Black bass fair to good on shallow runners on the lower lake and jugging nightcrawlers and minnows on the upper lake; clear to murky to muddy, stable, six feet below summer pool and 50 degrees.

BAREN: Black bass slow on the lower lake jugging nightcrawlers over creek channel drop-offs; crappie slow on the lower lake over submerged cover; murky to muddy, rising, five feet below summer pool and 48 degrees.

CAVE RUN: Musky slow casting medium to deep runners in inlets and bays and off shallow banks; in

tailwaters, crappie slow; clear to murky to muddy, rising, three feet below summer pool and 42 degrees.

FISHTRAP: No activity; muddy, rising rapidly, 10 feet above winter pool and 38 degrees.

DEWEY: No activity; muddy, stable at winter pool and 38 degrees.

GRAYSON: No activity; murky, stable at summer pool and 38 degrees.

BUCKHORN: No activity; muddy, rising at winter pool and 39 degrees.

GREEN: No activity; murky to muddy, rising rapidly two feet above summer pool and 45 degrees.

ROUGH RIVER: No activity; muddy, rising, seven feet below summer pool and 49 degrees.

AVERAGE AGE OF CAR IS SIX YEARS...CHICAGO—The American Automobile Association reports that the average age of cars in the United States today is six years.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given to directors and policy-holders of Highlands Mutual Insurance Company of Kentucky that their annual meeting will be held at its home office at 11 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky., on March 15, 1977 at 10 a.m.

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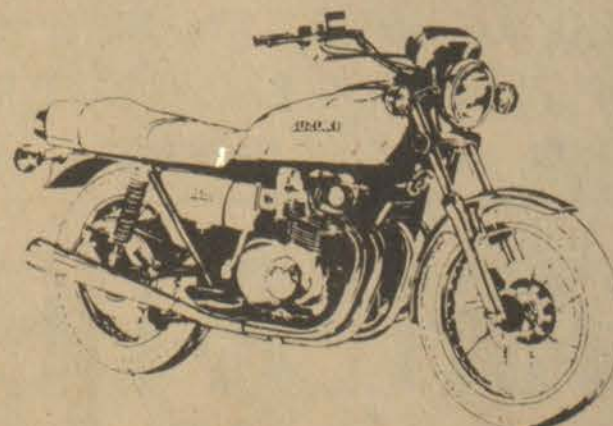
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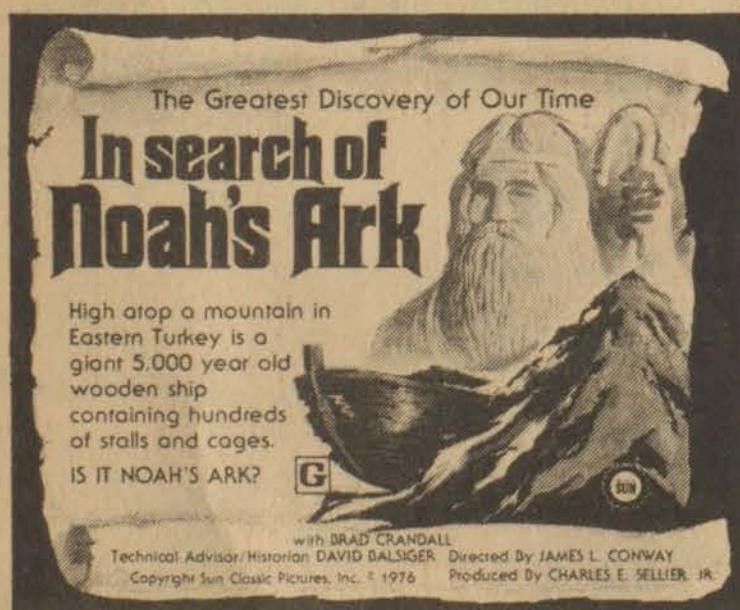
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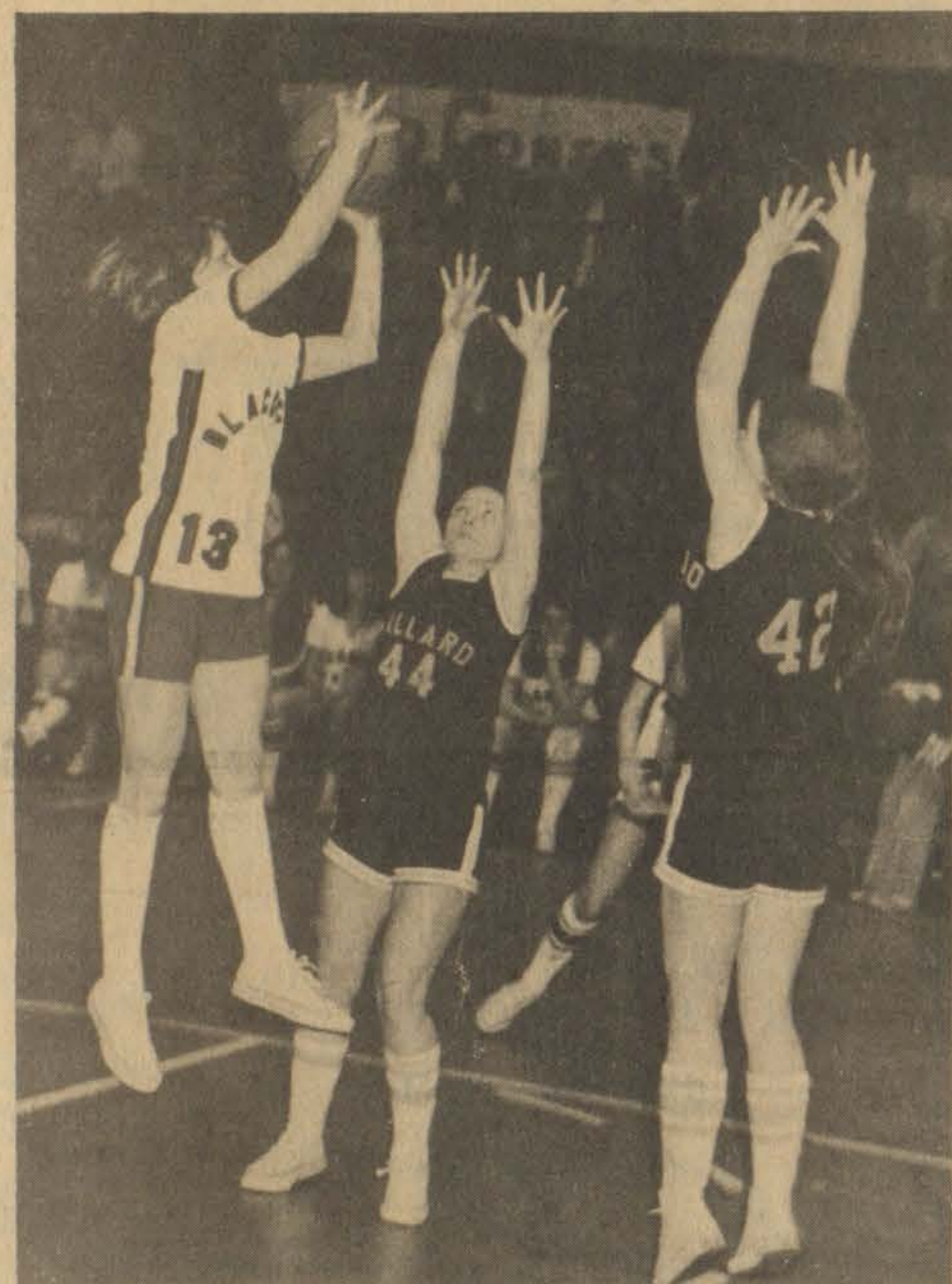
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GIRLS' REGIONAL TOURNEY action last week at the Allen Central gym generated a great deal of excitement in a series of hard-fought contests. The state's leading scorer in girls' basketball, McDowell's Geri Grigsby, is pictured at top, driving toward the goal in the Daredevilles' game with Pikeville. Miss Grigsby picked up 44 points in McDowell's 79-62 win over the Pikeville girls. In lower photo, Prestonsburg's Bridget Clay goes up for two of her 14 points in her team's 68-52 victory over Millard. P-burg's Dee Dee Music was high scorer for the night with 23 points.



Mere 4 Points Cost Floyd Tourney Hopes

On one night last week Floyd county high school basketball saw its last hope of representation in the state tournament vanish as both Wheelwright and McDowell lost in semi-final games by a total of only four points.

The Trojans lost the first semi-final game Friday evening in the regional meet at Johnson Central's fieldhouse to Virgie, eventual winner of the tournament, 54 to 52. That disheartening event past, the McDowell Daredevils lost, 63 to 61, to the host team, Johnson Central.

Wheelwright, trailing by 8 points, made a tremendous comeback in the fourth quarter and tied the game up but in the last minute of play Jeff M. Newsome on a spin-around shot put Virgie in front to stay. Wheelwright tried to foul to stop the clock, but was never awarded the foul and Virgie won. All-state Jeff Riley scored 27 points, while teammate, Dewey Ray Jamerson, connected for 9. For Virgie, Robert Newsome and Jeff M. Newsome had 15 points each.

McDowell lost to Johnson Central, although McDowell outshot the Golden Eagles by eight field goals. It was in the closing minutes that Johnson Central time and time again went to the free throw line and scored. McDowell was led in scoring by Steve Newsome with 25 points, and Doug Tackett had 14 points. Johnson Central was led in scoring by Steve Lemaster and Brian Taylor, each with 20 points.

In the championship game Virgie won over Johnson Central, 70 to 59, Robert and Jeff Newsome each had 20 points. David Lemaster led the losers with 21 points.

Virgie will play Shelby County (8th Region) today (Wednesday) at 2:30 p.m. at Freedom Hall in Louisville. This is Virgie's first trip since 1962.

In the opening round of play last Wednesday night Virgie walloped Feds Creek, 96 to 56, and on that same night the Wheelwright Trojans defeated the Paintsville Tigers, 71 to 58. Jeff Riley scored 30 points while teammate Dewey Ray Jamerson connected for 14. On Thursday night, McDowell defeated Johns Creek, 68 to 61. Steve Newsome racked up 32 points while Steve Reid had 16. Doug Tackett had 15 points.

Named to the all-regional team were Jeff Riley and Dewey Ray Jamerson, of Wheelwright; Steve Newsome and Steve Reid, of McDowell; Robert Newsome and Stoney-Newsome, of Virgie; Steve Lemaster and Brian Taylor, of Johnson Central; David Lemaster, of Paintsville; Jeff Goodson and Ronnie Johnson, from Dorton; Dave Lyons, from Johns Creek. The individual free shot trophy was won by Dave Lyons. The team free shot was won by Johns Creek, and the cheerleaders from Johns Creek won the trophy.

Coach David Turner's McDowell Daredevils closed out their season with a record of 19 and 16. Coach Frankie Francis and the Wheelwright Trojans had a record of 24 and 7.

The Virgie Eagles will go into the state tournament with the best won and lost record of any team in the meet—29 and 1. McDowell has been the only team to defeat Virgie.

First Round Play

Virgie (96)—Robert Newsome 21, Stoney Newsome 20, Jeff M. Newsome 14, Jeff K. Newsome 5, Chester Johnson 13, Greg Newsome 8, Jeff McPeck 6, Mike May 4, Raymond Hall 3, Jim Kiser 2; Feds Creek (56)—Craig Belcher 14, Joe Freeman 12, Jeff Griffith 11, Jamie Bevins 8, Greg Reynolds 7, Keith Mullins 2, Chris Scott 2.

Wheelwright (71)—Jeff Riley 30, Dewey Jamerson 14, Monroe Jones 11, Doug Isaacs 6, Marty Gore 4, Bobby Isaacs 1, Victor Rhea 5; Paintsville (58)—David Lemaster 22, Mike Sargent 10, Mike Brown 6, Fred Osborne 4, Jerry Clark 3, Bryan Allen 2, Gary Knight 2, Vincel Salyer 2, Tim Austin 5, Randy Daniels 2, Jerry Clark 3.

Second Round

McDowell (68)—Steve Newsome 32, Steve Reid 16, Doug Tackett 15, Jerry Flanery 5, Mark Daugherty, Steve Ward, Johns Creek (61)—Dave Lyons 18, Rick Thacker 15, Jim Blankenship 13, Jeff Gibson 10, Ken Stanley 2, Ken Runyon 2, Jim Field 2.

Johnson Central (77)—Steve Lemaster 21, Scott Murray 16, Brian Taylor 12, Don Cochran 12, Ken Murray 10, David Couch 6; Dorton (76)—Jeff Goodson 28, Ronnie Johnson 26, Jerry Cantrell 16, Ken Osborne 4, Chris Johnson 2.

Semi Finals

Virgie (56)—Robert Newsome 15, Stoney Newsome 14, Jeff M. Newsome 15, Chester Johnson 6, Jeff K. Newsome 6; Wheelwright (54)—Jeff Riley 27, Dewey Ray Jamerson 9, Marty Gore 6, Doug Isaacs 6, Monroe Jones 4, Bobby Isaacs 2.

McDowell (61)—Steve Newsome 25, Doug Tackett 15, Jerry Flanery 12, Steve Reid 8, Mark Daugherty 2; Johnson Central (63)—Brian Taylor 20, David Lemaster 20, David Couch 13, Scott Murray 7, Don Cochran 2, Ken Murray 1.

Championship Game

Virgie (70)—Robert Newsome 20, Jeff M. Newsome 20, Stoney Newsome 16, Jeff K. Newsome 7, Chester Johnson 7; Johnson Central (57)—David Lemaster 21, Brian Taylor 16, Ken Murray 6, David Couch 6, Scott Murray 4, Mark Preston 2, Terry Branham 2.

Wayland Varsity Wins First Place Trophy

The Wayland Grade School varsity cheerleaders won first place in the Floyd County Grade School Tournament cheerleading competition, recently. This brings to three the number of first place trophies won by them during the 1976-'77 season.

During the past three years, the cheerleading team has won 11 such trophies with only one lost, and includes winning the county tournament three out of four years.

Members of the team are Sarita Bentley, Lynn Collins, Rita Vanhoose, Angel Lazar, Donna Roope, captain, Myra Martin, Faye Wiley, Sheila Duff, and Sherri Burke.

ABOUT 1,900 WORKERS and job applicants were found by the Wage and Hour Division of the U.S. Labor Department to be owed monetary damages totaling more than \$8.6 million during the 1976 fiscal year.

Wayland Cheerleaders Win Trophy



The Wayland Grade School girls' B team cheerleaders tied for first place in the annual Floyd County Grade School basketball tournament cheerleading competition. In addition to the trophy awarded them in this tournament, the team also won a trophy in the Martin Invitational Tournament this season. Members of the group are Pam Fraley, captain, Robin Roope, Sha Stumbo, Belinda Duff, and Casandra Slone.

SECURITY FORCES, GUERRILLAS KILL 23 IN RHODESIAN CLASHES

SALISBURY, Rhodesia—Security officials said that 23 Rhodesians were killed Thursday in the war between black nationalist guerrillas and security forces.

A white soldier, eleven guerrillas and 11 black civilians were the latest victims in the four-year-old conflict, according to a security force headquarters communique.

CARTER SENDS CONGRESS FISHING PACT WITH CANADA

WASHINGTON—President Carter formally transmitted to Congress the new fisheries agreement between the United States and Canada that was signed last Feb. 24.

The agreement permits fishermen of each country to continue fishing off the coasts of the other during the current calendar year. A longer-term accord is to be negotiated later.



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Wayland Wasps Win Grade School Meet

The Wayland Elementary school won the boys' annual Floyd County Grade School Basketball Tournament, defeating Harold, 67 to 48. Tim Branham lead Wayland in scoring with 58 points; Keith Collins scored 6, and Wally Ridener added 4. Wayland won four games during the tournament. On Tuesday night in the opening round, Wayland defeated Melvin by a score of 77 to 40. Thursday night, they defeated the Stumbo school, 67 to 51, and in the semi-finals Wayland advanced over McDowell 80 to 49.

Tim Branham was the high point producer for the Wasps during the tournament with 219 points for the four games. Keith Collins connected for 29, and Wally Ridener had 23.

The Wasps, shooting 76.5 percent, won the team free-throw trophy. Tim Branham's 91 percent brought home the individual free-throw trophy. Wayland placed five boys on the all-tournament team. The boys selected are Tim Branham, Keith Collins, Wally Ridener, Harvey Martin and David Gray.

Before winning the Floyd County Tournament, Wayland was victorious in the Wayland Invitational tournament and in the Garrett Invitational Tournament. The team's overall record for the season was 17 wins and one loss.

BILL DEDICATING PART OF PARK TO JUSTICE DOUGLAS IS PASSED

WASHINGTON—Congress has approved a bill dedicating the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park's canal and towpath to former Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas.

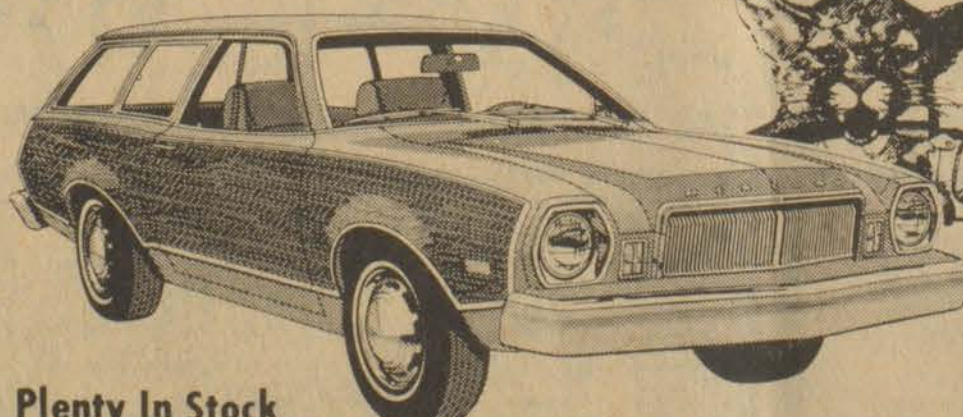
The 185-mile canal stretches from Washington, D. C., to Cumberland, Md., an area Douglas once described as fascinating and picturesque.

Without debate or dissent, the House approved and sent to the President the Senate-passed bill making the dedication "in grateful recognition of his long outstanding services as a prominent American conservationist and for his efforts to preserve and protect the canal and towpath from development."



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Frankfort, Ky.—Provision of decent housing for very low-income families is a problem of long standing. Often even the most heavily subsidized federal housing programs are beyond the financial reach of many families. This is particularly true for families who want to purchase a new home.

For many residents of Jackson and Clay counties, however, there is an alternative.

Through a non-profit organization—Kentucky Mountain Housing Development Corporation, Inc., (KMHC)—local, church and federal resources are being used to build Farmers Home Administration-approved homes for very low-income families of these two Eastern Kentucky counties.

For example, a seven-member Jackson county family with a disabled husband and a paralyzed child recently moved from their totally inadequate house into a clean, bright, modern dwelling built by KMHC.

The home, financed through Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), was constructed at a total cost of \$11,400. The family pays \$60 a month in mortgage

payments. Another family, with an annual income of less than \$1,200 lives in a newhouse financed by the FmHA and pays less than \$45 a month in mortgage payments.

The cost of labor and administration is written down from the cost of the house by using church and federal funds. The new homeowner pays little more than the cost of materials for the house.

This directly reduces the amount that has to be mortgaged and, in conjunction with FmHA's interest-subsidy provision in Section 502 home loans, reduces monthly mortgage payments to a level affordable by many of the area's residents who could not otherwise have secured safe and sanitary housing.

KMHC uses the federal CETA program for discounting direct labor costs and church funds for administration and supervisory personnel. An important by-product of the KMHC housing program is the employment opportunities generated under the Federal Manpower (CETA) program.

Leading the housing development projects in Clay and Jackson counties is the Rev. M. Dwayne Yost, of Manchester. As a minister of the Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Mr. Yost is familiar with the needs of area residents.

Yost says the housing program has had a favorable economic impact upon the area because of increased employment, improved cash turnover and the development of labor skills. The projects provided about 25 more jobs, helped young men learn a trade and circulated more than \$300,000 in the past year because of purchase orders in the area and the payroll, Yost said.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, will not be responsible for any debts made or contracted by any one other than ourselves after date of this publication.

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State Detective Music Retires

State Police Detective B. J. "Jack" Music has retired—not necessarily because he wanted to but because he has reached the mandatory retirement age of 55.

A native of Johnson county, he attended elementary school in Johnson and Floyd counties. He attended Garrett High School and was a 1941 graduate. During his high school years he was an outstanding athlete in all sports.

After discharge at the end of his second term with the U.S. Army in 1948, Music returned to Paintsville, where he joined the Kentucky Highway Patrol, and in 1949 he married Allene Conley, of Salyersville. He served with the Kentucky Highway Patrol until it was converted to the Kentucky State Police in 1949. He has worked Lebanon, Ashland and Pikeville Posts during the last 29 years. He was promoted to the rank of detective in 1968 and served in that capacity until retirement.

During his 29 years with the State Police, Detective Music has received many commendations and citations for outstanding service, both by the State Police and the public which he has served. One of these was the Citation for Bravery, one of the highest State Police citations. Other commendations for outstanding police work include the apprehension of the largest forgery ring ever known in the state; the discovery of one of the largest marijuana fields in the



state; an investigation which led to the arrest and conviction of a Johnson county sheriff for violation of the Hobbs Act; three bodies exhumed, leading to the indictment and conviction of three persons. "This is why he is known by his associates to be one of the best homicide investigators active in police work in the state of Kentucky," a KSP spokesman said.

"Detective Music is a very compassionate and understanding individual who has spent thousands of hours of his own time in dealing with everything from runaway children to the most serious murder cases. He will be greatly missed by the Kentucky State Police and the Public which he has served all these years," the State Police representative said.

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ALC To Receive \$3.5 Million In Stock in Lilly Bequest

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Alice Lloyd College is expected to receive stock worth about \$3.5 million from a bequest of the late Eli Lilly, William S. Hayes, ALC president, announced last week. Mr. Lilly, honorary chairman of the board of directors of Eli Lilly & Co., a pharmaceutical firm with headquarters in Indianapolis, Ind., died Jan. 24 at the age of 91.

Mr. Lilly's bequest continues the interest of his late wife, Ruth Allison Lilly, as a memorial to her.

The gift of 85,224 shares of Lilly stock holds great promise for Alice Lloyd College's immediate and long range strengthening, President Hayes said. "The reason for Mr. Lilly's bequest was his interest in the college's leadership and character development programs," President Hayes continued.

Mr. Lilly's deepest concern was that basic values no longer hold a central place in many people's lives and that this, in turn, affects people and institutions.

In 1976 Mr. Lilly wrote, "Values... are really the heart of the matter. They tell

us who we are, how we should behave, where we should be going. Values are, quite simply, the core of both men and institutions."

President Hayes is recommending that the college board of trustees use the major portion of the bequest to create the Eli and Ruth Allison Lilly Memorial Fund to provide annual income to help improve and support leadership education programs and help offset growing annual costs for faculty salaries, energy, student services and Appalachian leadership programs.

Hayes is also recommending that \$100,000 be used for immediate strengthening in the college's dormitory and student services programs and improved campus aesthetics.

IN FISCAL YEAR 1976, nearly \$3.5 million was restored to 742 persons under the Age-Discrimination in Employment Act and nearly 32,000 job opportunities were made available as a result of removal of arbitrary age barriers, according to the Labor Department's annual report on the Act.

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Reward For Illegal Deer Kills

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95 YEARS OLD, MARCH 8

Mrs. Maude Sturgill Roberts, one of the Floyd county's oldest women, observed her 95th birthday, March 8.

She was born March 8, 1882, the daughter of James Louis Sturgill and Emily Starnes Sturgill, who migrated to Kentucky from Scott county, Virginia. Her parents settled on a farm near the head of Toler Creek where she was born and has spent her 95 years.

In March, 1901 she was married to Benjamin Franklin Roberts, who died in May, 1965. To this marriage were born 10 children: Ranel Roberts, Millard Roberts and Guy Roberts, all of Harold; Margin Roberts who died in an accident at the age of 13; Glenn Roberts, at home, and Reil Roberts, of Lexington, Erlan Sturgill, of Mi Village, Ruby Young, of Prestonsburg, Miss Lydia Mae Roberts, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Winnie Rowland, of Dayton, Ohio. Mrs. Roberts has one brother and one sister living—Lawrence Sturgill and Lizzie Justice, both of Pikeville.

Mrs. Roberts' activities are limited now, but she looks forward to gardening season, hoping she will be able to work some in the garden.

At her 95th birthday Mrs. Roberts was asked, "What is the main difference in life today and when you were young?" She replied that in her young days and her adult life, "we expected nothing but by labor. It is different now. The old dash



churn, so much in evidence in my growing up and in raising my family, has vanished from the scene. The hum of the old spinning wheel that often lulled children to sleep at night, is heard no more. These things were true not only in my family, but in the next family down the road, and the family beyond and so on."

Life is easier now, but she doubts if it is better for the young generation.

Mrs. Roberts was baptised and became a member of the Church of Christ at the age of 16. For 79 years now, her faith has been shown by good works.

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Juniors, A average—Dianna Justice, Fran Lawson, Velina Adkins, Kevin Adkins, Randy Allen, Patricia Branham, Stacy Conn, Tammy Cordial, Cindy Hall, Debby Hall, Sharon Hamilton, Debra Hayes, Freda Howell, Karen Newsome, Paula Parsons, Jeff Stratton; B average—Bridgette Reynolds, Vicki Salisbury, J. R. Samons, Teresa Stratton, Mary Stumbo, Teen Sturgill, Jimmy Tackett, Peggy Tackett, Jeff Walters, Brenda Hall, Kevin Hall, Evelyn Hamilton, Pam Hamilton, Eula Jo Hall, Elizabeth Hammonds, Clara Hammonds, Lynette Hall, Vicki Adkins, Lita Blackburn, David Blankenship, Cindy Blair, Jeff Brown, Steven Clark, Patricia Breeden, Susie Brooks, Marsha Damron, Danny Keathley, Christine Kidd, Randy Kidd, Charlene Lawson, Paula Layne, Debra McKinney, Tammie McKinney, Herman Morris, Sherry Morton, James Mullins.

Sophomores, A average—Donna Layne, Naomi Lewis, Brenda Newell, Vivana Newsome, Debbie Presley, Christopher Akers, Theresa Akers, James Bevin, Jeri Watson, Sandy Cole, Chris Conn, Connie Elliot, Paula Frasure, Valeria Hale; B average—Dinah Layne, Sherry Layne, Puletta Kidd, Ray Kidd, Alisa McKinney, Joann McKinney, Bonnie Mitchell, Sandy Mullins, Robin Negron, Bonnie Parsons, James Hamilton, Rita Hamilton, Roxie

Hamilton, Jackie Hiatt, Kay Johnson, Karen Keathley, Tracy Adkins, Donna Blankenship, Carolyn Boyd, Edadeane Boyd, Larry Branham, Trenia Brown, Kim Clark, Greg Collins, Paula Conn, Harm Frasure, Melinda Frasure, Kenny Hall, Tom Hall, Anita Hamilton, Carol Patterson, Wendall Tackett, Ronald Stratton, Tammy Roberts, Donna Spears, Rex Williams, Sherry Watkins, Janie Reynolds.

Freshman, A average—Dwayne Jerrell, Katrina Hall, Jackie Hall, Scotty Lykens, Tommy May, Roger Brown, Don Chaffins, Kathy Campbell, Debbie Watts, Robin Tackett, Dawn Gregory; B average—Pamela Riley, Debra Vincent, Todd Tackett, Connie Spears, Brenda Rogers, Shelly Riffe, Jeff Scott, Jackie Samons, Jeff Stone, Dana Tackett, Martha Williamson, Ricky Conn, Jimmy Hamilton, Brenda Frasure, Betty Hall, Greg Conn, Stanley Curry, Charles Conn, Randolph Howell, Woodrow Jarrell, Kathy Johnson, Laura Jones, Beverly Justice, Tommy Kidd, Debbie Lawson, Tony Lawson, Darrell Newsome, Ricky Newsome, Larry Parsons, Carol Roberts, Cornelius Carroll, Ronnie Akers, Keith Akers, Loretta Boyd, Ruth Adkins, Hagan Bush, Timothy G. Hall, Dale Morton, Kathy Collins, Cathy Hall, Kathy Lynn Hall, Helen Hall, Brenda Kidd, Janel Lawson, Glenda Osborne, Sandra Roberts, Violet Rose, Joan Sturgill, Kim Sturgill, Charlott Tackett.

PUBLIC HEARING

The Big Sandy Area Agency on Aging, in conjunction with Meals on Wheels, Inc., will hold a public hearing regarding the Area Plans for Programs on Aging under Title III and VII of the Older Americans Act. This hearing will be held Friday, April 1, 1977, 10:00 a.m., Pike Auditorium, Prestonsburg Community College, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Public invited.

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HAROLD NEWS

CHURCH GROUP MEETS

The women of Vogel-Day United Methodist Church met at the parsonage with Mrs. Nancy Tackett as hostess.

Mrs. Tackett gave the devotionals, using the topic, "Joy Cometh in the Morning," from Psalm 30:5. Mrs. Elizabeth Spears led the group in prayer.

Annette Williams entertained with two songs to her own piano accompaniment. Mrs. Allie Huffman, of the Methodist Hospital Guild, spoke on the Methodist Hospital. She told of the many services the hospital renders the people, discussed the nursing classes, and other facilities of the hospital.

The business meeting was called by the president, Mrs. Ruby Staton. Pledges and dues were collected by the secretary in the absence of the treasurer, Jackie Kidd. It was decided to get new flowers for the urns in the sanctuary. It was voted to buy new curtains for the church kitchen and to donate \$100 to the Methodist Hospital Guild.

Refreshments were served to Allie Huffman, Annette Williams, Ruby Staton, Elizabeth Spears, Regina Daniels, Hattie Mae Hall, Arcolas Allen, Addie Bea Hall, Margaret Branham, Cora Branham, Mary Lykens, Harriet Mullins, Vicki Watkins, Nina Watkins, Kimberly Tackett, and Nancy Tackett, the hostess.

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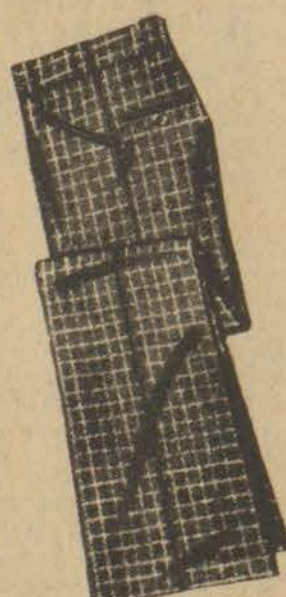


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Eugene (Gene) Allen

Eugene (Gene) Allen, 66, owner of the Mountain Printing Company at Allen, died last Wednesday at the UK Medical Center, Lexington, following a short illness.

A native of Allen, he had operated the printing company there 35 years following the death of his father, who founded the business. He had been a member of the Allen United Methodist Church since 1928 and was a past master of Zebulon Masonic Lodge here.

A son of the late Rev. Alex L. and Mary Allen, he was born Dec. 13, 1911. Survivors include his widow, Jewell Clark Allen; a son and one daughter, Thomas Eugene Allen, of Allen, and Mrs. Barbara A. Phelps, Houston, Texas; two brothers and two sisters, Jack Allen, of Allen, Bill Allen, of Dwaile, Mrs. Edna Mae Callison, of Allen, and Mrs. Myrtle Childers, of Catlettsburg. He also leaves six grandchildren.

Masonic rites were conducted Friday evening at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home, and the funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday from the Allen United Methodist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Kenneth Lemaster, officiating. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers were Donald, Bob and Berman Martin, Larry and Danny Allen, Tye Childers, Elmer Childers, James "Jitter" Allen, Dickie and David Vernon Allen.

Mrs. Dora Halbert

Mrs. Dora Halbert, 67, of Printer, died Tuesday, March 8, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following a short illness.

Born at Neon February 28, 1910, she was a daughter of the late William and Erma Fannin Smith and was a member of the Regular Baptist Church. Her husband, Repts Halbert, preceded her in death in 1964.

Survivors include two sons, Willis Halbert, of Sterling Heights, Mich., and Cecil Halbert, of Printer; six daughters, Mrs. Jean Hall, of Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Emma Hicks, of Warren, Mich.; Mrs. Doris Rodriguez, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Ruth Watkins and Mrs. Erma Armstrong, both of Sterling Heights, Mich.; and Mrs. Mary Standridge, of Jellico Plains, Tenn.; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Miller, of Buckland, O.; 25 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday at the Salisbury Regular Baptist Church at Printer by ministers of the church. Burial was made in the Halbert cemetery at Printer under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Severe Weather Said Cause of Increased Unemployment In Feb.

Frankfort, Ky., March 10—The state's unemployment rate increased to 7.1 per cent in February, compared to 6.3 per cent in January, according to statistics released today by the Department for Human Resources.

February's rate is the highest since February a year ago, when recessionary unemployment was 7.3 per cent.

The national unemployment rate for February is 8.5 per cent.

The rise represents an increase of 13,300 unemployed since January, bringing the total number of unemployed in Kentucky to 102,600.

"About 10,000 of the rise is due to unemployment caused by severe weather conditions and energy shortages," said Robert MacDonald, chief labor market analyst for Human Resources. Hit hardest by energy-related unemployment were the state's manufacturing industries, MacDonald added.

Most of these individuals are back at work now, according to a recent survey of major employers throughout the state. The survey was prepared by the Department of Energy and MacDonald's staff.

"The survey also indicates there are few people who are presently unemployed due to energy and weather difficulties," said MacDonald.

MacDonald noted that unemployment normally rises in February, however this year's rise is more dramatic than expected due to severe weather conditions.

The 29,000 school teachers who were not working during part of February due to bad weather are not included in this February unemployment estimate. They do not meet current population survey definitions of unemployed, said MacDonald. They are considered employed, but not at work, he added.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Maytown Homemakers Club held its March meeting in the school lunchroom. The president, Helen Boyd, presided. Alda Gibson gave the devotional, entitled, "The Art of Contentment." The programs for the coming year were presented and voted on. Plans were made for the Homemakers district meeting to be held in April at Sheldon-Clark High School in Martin county. Two lessons were presented. Alice Hayes taught members to make organdy roses. Frances Pitts gave a lesson on Home Furnishing Fabrics. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Webble Blevins and Minnie Gearheart. The next meeting will be with Burita Moore and Sue Osborne at Garrett. Those present were Helen Boyd, Imalee Spillman, Dora Reed, Betty May, Kitty McCann, Thelma Hicks, Charlene Sexton, Stella Martin, Alice Hayes, Carolyn Moore, Alda Gibson, Trilby May, Webble Blevins, Minnie Gearheart, Sue Osborne, Burita Moore, Alta Jean Gibson, Joanna Moore, Robin Cobb, Frances Pitts and Karen Moore.

Obituaries

Mrs. Sybil Leslie Olin

Mrs. Sybil Leslie Olin, 72, formerly of Prestonsburg and Olive Hill, died Friday, March 4, in Gallipolis, Ohio.

Born July 18, 1904 in Floyd county, she was a daughter of the late Marion and Maude Blackburn Sherman and was a member of the Olive Hill Methodist Church. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Dr. T. E. Leslie in 1946. She later married Clarence Olin who died in 1967.

Surviving her are a son, Tom Leslie, of Gallipolis, O.; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Click, of Olive Hill, Mrs. Hope Whitten, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Luca Hamilton, of Emma; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 6, by the Rev. Alfred Holley and Rev. J. A. Dickerson in Olive Hill.

Sharon K. Gibson

Sharon K. Gibson, 23-month-old daughter of Freddy and Tillie Rackey Gibson, of Ligon, died Monday at Norton Children's Hospital in Louisville after an extended illness.

In addition to the parents, survivors include the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rackey, of Hi Hat, and Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Gibson, of Ligon.

Funeral rites will be conducted at 10 a.m. Thursday from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rackey at Hi Hat by ministers of the Regular Baptist Church. Burial will be made in the Newman cemetery at Hi Hat under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

Timothy Paul Sammons

Timothy Paul Sammons, infant son of Kirby and Debbie Lewis Sammons, of Martin, was dead at birth Friday, March 11, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin.

In addition to the parents, survivors include two sisters Tina Renea and Anna Sue, both at home; and the paternal grandparents, Donald Lester Sammons, of Martin, and Mrs. Sophia Rosso, in California.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the family cemetery at Martin where burial was made under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Virgil Otis Hinchman

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday at Hall Brothers Funeral Home chapel for Virgil Otis Hinchman, 72, who died Monday at the home at Allen of his daughter, Mrs. Patricia Kay Derossett, following an extended illness. Officiating ministers will be Rev. Earl Waugh and Rev. Cohen Campbell.

A retired mine foreman and state highway department inspector, Mr. Hinchman had resided most of his life at Tram. He was born near Emma, a son of the late James Anson and Minnie Hubbard Hinchman. His wife, Mrs. Georgia B. Layne Hinchman, died in July, 1975.

In addition to Mrs. Derossett, he is survived by four sons, Clyde Otis Hinchman, of Clarksville, Ind., Lorenzo Joe Hinchman, of Allen, Herbert Anson Hinchman, of New Orleans, La., and David Dewey Hinchman, of Ivel; a daughter, Mrs. Bonita Ruth Porter, of Allen; one half sister, Mrs. Ruth Booth, of Charleston, W. Va.; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Burial will be made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

Two Prestonsburg Men Named to Commission

Frankfort, Ky.—Gov. Julian Carroll has announced the appointments of some 200 Kentuckians to serve as advisors on the Governor's Economic Development Commission.

The commission, chaired by Louisville businessman John Y. Brown, Jr., studies ways to improve the state's economic development with specific emphasis on providing more jobs for Kentuckians. The advisors, leading citizens from throughout the Commonwealth, are grouped into five task forces, on industrial development, agriculture, energy, finance and tourism-travel.

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R.C. (Rob) Barnett

R. C. (Rob) Barnett, 80, of Martin, died Wednesday at Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital after a prolonged illness.

Born March 8, 1897, he was a son of the late Abbott and Polka Halbert Barnett. Before retirement, Mr. Barnett had been a teacher in the Floyd County School system for 47 years. He was a member of the ASC board and a member of the Regular Baptist Church. His first wife, Mrs. Nora Flannery Barnett, died in 1953.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Polly Ousley Barnett; three stepsons, Bill and Curtis Hughes, both of Martin, and Harold Hughes, of Fort Carson, Col.; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Phyllis Shepherd, of Martin, and Mrs. Thelma Grace Robinson, of Columbus, O.; two brothers, Raleigh and Quince Barnett, both of Martin; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Hall, of Prestonsburg, and Miss Nora Barnett, of Martin, and 12 step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Friday at the Spurlock Regular Baptist Church by Regular Baptist ministers. Burial was made in the Martin cemetery at Martin under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

George Rose

George Rose, 87, died at his home at Harold Saturday, March 12, following a prolonged illness.

Born July 9, 1889 at Goodloe, he was a son of the late Jim and Martha Craynor Rose. A retired farmer and miner, he was a member of the Regular Baptist Church. His wife, Katy Shepherd Rose, preceded him in death.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmy Rose, of Harold, George Rose, of Marion, O., Robert Lee Rose, of Dayton, O.; three daughters, Mrs. Stella Sexton, and Mrs. Thelma Brown, both of Harold, Mrs. Martha Lawson, of Honaker; one brother, James Rose, of Prestonsburg; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Harrison, of Kiser, W. Va.; 30 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the home of his son, Jimmy Rose, at Harold, and burial was made in the family cemetery at Harold under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Hackworth Pallbearers

Pallbearers at the funeral of Charlie Hackworth last Thursday were Frank Vaughan, Jr., Vinson Shepherd, Denver Johnson, James T. Hackworth, Ronald Harmon, Jim Sipple, Randy Honeysuckle.

Honorary pallbearers were Jerry and Albert Hackworth, Richmond Shepherd, and Frank Vaughan, Sr.

NBA DRAFT SET FOR JUNE 10

NEW YORK—The National Basketball Association announced that it will hold its draft of college players June 10. The draft will be conducted via a telephone conference call among representatives of the 22 teams and the NBA office here.

Under the agreement between the NBA and the Players Association, any player whose high school class has graduated has the right to declare himself eligible for the draft by stating his intention not to continue his education. Such notice must be made to commissioner Larry O'Brien 45 days prior to the draft.

Date To Apply For Financial Aid Extended

Frankfort, Ky.—The priority deadline for applying for state grants to Kentucky colleges has been extended from March 15 to April 1 by the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA).

According to Paul Borden, the authority's executive director, the extension was prompted by postponements of high school financial aid information programs during adverse weather in January and February. The extension will help assure all students of an opportunity to receive necessary information and applications.

Borden said students applying for state assistance should mail the Kentucky Financial Aid Form to the College Scholarship Service by April 1 to receive full consideration for available KHEAA funds. Applications for remaining grants for the fall term will be considered until June 1.

Applications for grants for the spring term should be submitted by Oct. 1. Colleges and universities' deadline dates for financial aid applications may differ from the KHEAA dates.

Applications may be obtained from the KHEAA by writing to KHEAA, 691 Teton Trail, Frankfort, Ky. 40601, or from high school guidance counselors. College financial aid offices also can supply application forms.

Nat'l Guard To Lead Easter Seal Drive

Louisville, Ky.—The Kentucky Army National Guard will conduct its sixth annual Easter Seal Campaign for crippled children Saturday and Sunday, March 26 and 27.

The announcement was made by former Kentucky governor Bert Combs, Kentucky Easter Seal campaign chairman.

Volunteers from all units of the National Guard will ask the motoring public to contribute to the Easter Seal Telethon to be broadcast the same weekend. They will man collection points at normal traffic interruptions.

The 1977 Easter Seal telethon will be broadcast by two Kentucky and two Kentucky-area television stations. The stations include WKYT-TV, Lexington and WKYH-TV, Hazard.

The Kentucky Easter Seal Society will also participate in Easter Seal telethons to be broadcast by WSAZ-TV, Huntington, West Virginia and by WKRC-TV, Cincinnati, Ohio. Nationwide, more than 60 television stations will carry the special broadcast for the benefit of crippled children.

"The guardsmen are to be commended for their outstanding effort to make possible more services for the handicapped," said Combs.

A number of the guard units will conduct their solicitation for Easter Seals the prior week-end of March 19 and 20, chairman Combs reported.

A \$1.3 MILLION nationwide program to recruit and train 13,000 persons a year as apprentice automotive mechanics was launched in January 1977 by the U. S. Department of Labor and the National Automobile Dealers Association.

Lecturer To Speak At Paintsville Meet

A "Turk" Timur, Senior Research Associate with Chevron Oil Field Research Co., La Habra, Calif., and a 1976-'77 Distinguished Lecturer for the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME, will be guest speaker at the March meeting of the East Kentucky Petroleum Section of SPE. The meeting is scheduled Wednesday, March 16, at 6 p.m. at the Paintsville Country Club.

Timur's speech, entitled "Recent Highlights in Formation Evaluation," will review some of the recent developments in well-logging tools including on-site digital recording and use of computers. Timur also will examine improved methods for evaluating formations and emphasize the need for an integrated well-log and core-analysis program followed by comprehensive evaluation.

Timur is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley with an MS degree in petroleum engineering and a PhD in engineering science. Since joining Chevron in 1964, he has been engaged in research and development in formation evaluation and has had several articles published on various petrophysical properties. Timur received the Milan G. Arthur Award in Petroleum Engineering in 1961 and awards for the best paper and best presentation from the Society of Professional Well Log Analysts in 1968.

The Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME is an international technical and professional organization for engineers, scientists, and managers in the exploration, drilling, and production phases of the petroleum and natural gas industries. SPE has more than 25,000 members located in major oil producing areas of the world.

Meet Slated April 16 On Winter's Impact

Frankfort, Ky.—The economic impact upon Kentucky of the recent severe weather will be discussed at an April 6 conference in the Capitol, Gov. Julian Carroll announced today.

The Conference on the Economic Impact of Winter '77 will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the House of Representatives Chamber.

"Both public and private agencies are asked to participate so that we can bring the broadest possible focus in evaluating the impact on Kentuckians during the recent winter disaster," Gov. Carroll said.

The Governor will receive reports from as many agencies and private groups as possible during this day-long conference, which was arranged at Carroll's request by the Governor's Economic Development Commission.

Recommendations for contingency planning in case of similar winter weather in 1978 also will be received.

William L. Short, secretary of the Development Cabinet and vice chairman of the Governor's Economic Development Commission, said April 6 will be an "important day for Kentuckians to help us in planning for future weather-related problems such as fuel shortages."

"We were able to withstand the severe winter reasonably well because of planning, particularly in the area of energy usage, and the cooperation of the public in terms of their willingness to take stringent conservation measures," Short said.

Freshman Tournament Slated March 22-24

The Magoffin County Invitational Tournament for freshmen boys will be played at the Lloyd M. Hall Community Center, March 22 through March 24.

The six teams participating in the tournament are Prestonsburg, Morgan County, Sheldon Clark, Millard, Johnson Central and Magoffin County.

In the opener Tuesday night at 7 p.m., Morgan County will play Sheldon Clark, and at 8:30, Millard will be pitted against Johnson Central. Both Prestonsburg and Magoffin County drew byes for the opening game. Wednesday night Prestonsburg will play the winner of the Morgan County-Sheldon Clark game in the evening's first tilt, and Magoffin County will play the Millard-Johnson Central winner.

Thursday at 7 p.m., a consolation game is scheduled, and the championship game will be played at 8:30.

Officials will be Doug Butcher and Roger T. Daniels. Larry Howard will be scorer with Danny Howard, alternate, and timer will be Jeff Wireman, with Tim Vance, alternate. Announcers for the games will be Sammy Miller and Tim Bostic.

An All-Tournament Team will be selected by the coaches by ballot with each coach selecting the 10 best players excluding his own team. The cheerleaders trophy winners will be selected in a similar manner, and the team free throw trophy will be awarded the team with the best free throw percentage in any one game.

ALLEN NEWS

METHODIST WOMEN MEET

The Allen United Methodist women held their monthly meeting at the parsonage, March 8. The president, Mrs. Maude Snodgrass, presided. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Tincey Crisp. The treasurer, Mrs. Tincey Crisp, gave out the Date Books for 1977 to members not present at the preceding meeting. The members drew names for Secret Sisters for this year. Following the business meeting, Mrs. Jerry Martin gave a program that consisted of three parts: 1. Confession and pardon; 2. Praise and proclamation; 3. Offering and dedication. Scripture readings were from Luke 3:15-16 and Acts 2:1-3.

Refreshments, stressing St. Patrick's Day, were served by the hostess, Mrs. Kay Lemaster, to Mrs. Maude Snodgrass, Mrs. Jerry Martin, Mrs. Tincey Crisp, Mrs. Karen Marcum, Mrs. Kay Gray and guest, Lowell Marcum and Dougie and Rev. Kenneth Lemaster.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jerry Martin, and Mrs. Maude Snodgrass will have the program.

COMPLETES ADVANCED TRAINING

Ft. Benning, Ga.—Pvt. David G. Tackett, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Tackett, Grethel, Ky., recently completed seven weeks of advanced individual training at Ft. Benning, Ga. He was taught to perform any of the duties in a rifle or mortar squad. Pvt. Tackett entered the Army in October, 1976.

THE LABOR DEPARTMENT funded Project RENEW (Referral-Employment Network for Elderly Workers) is expected to develop a more positive image toward older workers by employers and improve job services to the aged.

FOR SALE Hagwood-Ratliff Real Estate

Spring is here! Have you longed for a garden, good fishing, to look out on Big Sandy River at each meal-time. We have what you've been dreaming about. 3 b. rms., 1 rm., kit., d. rm., 2 full baths, fully carpeted, up. Down, carpeted rec. rm., utility-washer and dryer rm., with sliding doors opening on patio. Owner transferred. Occupancy within 10 days. Next door to Auxier Elem. School. 1 1/2 yrs. old. Will sacrifice at \$38,500.

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4 rms., completely remodeled, new Alum. siding, storm windows and doors, 2 B. Rms., L. RM., Kit.-Din. area, w.-dryer Rm., additional Rm. being added. All city utilities. Owner going to Alaska. 2 doors above P.O. West Pbg. For quick sale \$14,000.

Business down-Residential up—1 in Center of Martin. 3500 Sq. ft. down. Ideal for business or office space. Upstairs—Nice 4-b. rm. Apartment. Outside another apt. could easily be added. Bonded roof. On lot 50'x100'. S. S. Dermott property. Now renting for \$550.00 per month.

Large home of Drs. DeGuzman at Martin, Ky. Central heat and air. Fully carpeted and paneled. Large living-dining area; 3, 4, or 5 bedrooms, adaptable to owner's choice; two large baths. Lot large enough for second home. All city services.

Almost new antique brick on large corner lot. 3 b. rms., 1 1/2 baths, liv. rm., kit.-din. area, with utility and washer-dryer rm. adjoining. Fully carpeted, except vinyl in kitchen. Plenty closet space. Carport. Will sell house with adj. vacant lot, or will sell both with baby farm of 6-8 acres. Approx. 3 mile from city, in Frasure-Hill Addition.

2 houses and 100 front feet by 275'+300' to river. Good garden. House No. 1—2 stories—approx. 3000 Sq. ft. liv. space. 4 b. rms., 2 baths, storage, plenty closet space, 1 rm., sitting rm., kit., (Blt. in). Large d. rm., cent. heat, hardwood (oak) floors, partially carpeted. Large front porch. House No. 2, 2 b. rms., kit., 1 rm., d. rm., bath. Rented. Garage, storage and w. shop. Plenty space for third home, or Duplex in rear for rent purposes. Located in Prestonsburg. \$75,000.

Baby farm with nice brick home. 3 large B. Rms., 1 1/2 baths, Kit.-Din. area, nice cabinets, utility-laundry room, L. RM., all carpeted, city water and drilled well, front porch. Heated with natural gas floor furnace. Will sell all together; or will sell house and lot alone; or will sell all retaining Bldg. lot. Located within sight of McDowell Hospital.

60 A., more or less, with mineral, 8 A. bottom, mobile 10'x55' with porch and b. rm. added. Natural gas heat. Utility bldg., paneled, with b. rm. and washer-dryer rm., six stall barn, plenty soft water, good timber. Located on Buffalo Creek one mile from blacktop across Floyd county line. For quick sale, \$42,000.

330 front feet on Hwy. 850 to top of hill, 5 1/2 A. Nice home site dozed and seeded. Good road to prop., City water going by prop. Natural gas available. Good neighborhood, on Brush Creek.

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Spacious brick ranch on largest lot in area. Small front and back porch, both tiled, living room with picture window, dining room, kitchen with eat-in area, three bedrooms. Hardwood floors under all carpeting, abundant storage. Forced air furnace with Columbia gas, also city water. Vacant and fresh painted. New roof. Located rear of P.O., Drift. Sacrifice at \$31,500.

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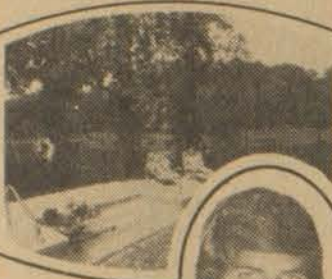
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\$575,000 FOR NEEDY IN U.S.
BERLIN—The West Berlin drive to help American victims of this winter's bitter cold netted \$575,000 in February, President Peter Lorenz of the City Assembly announced last Friday.
Lorenz, who started the campaign Feb. 1, presented a symbolic check for the amount to the U. S. commandant in Berlin, Maj. Gen. Joseph C. McDonough. Lorenz said the West German Red Cross already had delivered the money to the American Red Cross.

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Extension Service News

By JACK M. FRIAR

County Extension Agent—4-H

Ten 4-H clubs were organized recently in the Osborne Elementary School for the 1977 club year. Officers and leaders of these clubs include:

Osborne 3rd and 4th Grades—President, Rex Vicars; vice-president, Michael Hall; secretary, Ruth Gullett; reporter, Shawn Whitaker; song leaders, Kris Mullins, Clark Slone and Debbie Hall; club leaders, Ruth Rainey.

Osborne 3rd and 4th Grades—President, Sabrina Curry; vice-president, Connie Johnson; secretary, Cindy Johnson; song leaders, Karen Mitchell, Anna Mullins and Deana Smith; club leader, Mrs. Mildred Anderson.

Osborne 3rd and 4th Grades—President, Rhonda Johnson; vice-president, Laura Curry; secretary, Roger Hall; reporter, Jeffery Boyd; song leaders, Chester Slone, Lisa Burke and Angela Slone; club leader, Maxine Osborne.

Osborne 5th and 6th Grades—President, Kim Mullins; vice-president, Dena Curry; secretary, Carolyn Hitchcock; reporter, Lisa Anderson; song leaders, Belinda Patrick, Mia Jones, and Judy Williamson; game leaders, Gerald Osborne, Michael Williams and David Tackett; club leader, Mrs. Irene Tuttle.

Osborne 5th and 6th Grades—President, Greg Compton; vice-president, Elva Smith; secretary, Marilyn Harris; reporter, Jerri Ann Tackett; song leaders, Don Hall and Roy Spears; game leaders, Patricia Tripple

Easter Seal Telethon Set for March 26-27

Michael Landon, national Easter Seal campaign chairman and currently in his third season as Charles Ingalls on the TV series, "Little House on the Prairie," will be host emcee of the 1977 Easter Seal Telethon, Saturday and Sunday, March 26 and 27.

Two Kentucky television stations, WKYT-TV, Ch. 27, Lexington and WKYH-TV, Ch. 57, Hazard, will carry the special broadcast. The Kentucky Society will also participate in the telecast to be carried in this area by WSAZ-TV, Ch. 3, Huntington, W. Va.

Easter Seal volunteer leaders and top local personalities will appear on the local part of the telethon in each area enlisting the viewers to make pledges and gifts to support Easter Seal services.

Upwards of 50 local pledge centers will be manned by volunteers in Kentucky. Viewers will be able to telephone-in their pledge to the telethon without charge.

and Sheila Greathouse; club leader, Ruth Jones.

Osborne 5th and 6th Grades—President, Crystal Reeves; vice-president, Terry Hall; secretary, Jennifer Tackett; reporter, Keith Horn; club leader, Joyce Johnson.

Osborne 6th Grade—President, Shawn Curry; vice-president, Sheila Curry; secretary, Terri Ferrari; reporter, Sherri Justice; song leaders, Tony Jones and Rona Bartley; club leader, Carolotta Jones.

Osborne 7th Grade—President, Karen Little; vice-president, Charles Williams; secretary, Ann Burke; reporter, Ida Mae Hall; song leaders, Loretta Hall, Sherry Stanley and Bridgette Jones; game leaders, Robert Harlow, Woodrow Mullins and Lester Johnson; club leader, Zelma Johnson.

Osborne 8th Grade—President, Jennifer Jones; vice-president, Ronald Bartley; secretary, Timmy Tackett; reporter, Jeff Justice; song leaders, Cheryl Bates, Rhonda Leath and Debbie Jones; club leader, Kenneth Eads.

Osborne 8th Grade—President, Mary Curry; vice-president, Ricky Lee; secretary, Amber Moscrip; reporter, Anthony Rhea; song leaders, Lanita Hall, Patti Triplett and Tracy King; game leaders, Alan Tackett; flag leader, Anna Thornsberry; club leader, Virginia Johnson.

W'wright Company Gets PSC Warning

The Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) has directed two recent orders toward the Wheelwright-based Mountain Investment, Inc.

A Feb. 24 release directs the gas utility to correct several deficiencies in its operation by September or face a \$25 daily penalty for each offense. The action was taken following several customer complaints of gas outages and subsequent investigations by PSC staff members.

A Feb. 7 public hearing was held in the commission's Frankfort office on the matter.

A Feb. 28 PSC order grants Mountain Investment a \$4,003 rate adjustment increase, due to an increase in the wholesale cost of gas by the firm's supplier, Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co.

The increase affects gas supplied on and after March 1. Customers will pay minimum monthly bills of \$2.65.

FURSTENBERG HEMLINES ARE AT MID-KNEE

SAN JOSE, Calif.—There's a lot of mini talk coming out of Paris, but Diane von Furstenberg is keeping hemlines in her summer collection at the same mid-knee level she endorsed at her spring showing in New York.

Valley Historians To Meet, March 26

The spring meeting of the Big Sandy Valley Historical Society will be held at noon Saturday, March 26, at the Presbyterian Church Education Annex, 26th and Broadway, Catlettsburg, with West Virginia historian Frank Ball as the main speaker. Ball, whose historical writings have appeared in newspapers and historical journals throughout several states, will speak on the subject of "The History of the Types of Transportation in the Region." Members and guests planning to attend should send advance notice to society president Robert E. Kennedy, Box 44, Kenova, W. Va.

Others scheduled to participate in the program are Wallace J. Williamson, III, and Evelyn S. Jackson, Ashland; George A. Pruner, Lebanon, Va.; Emory L. Hamilton, Wise, Va.; Dr. John N. Ryan and Mrs. H. H. Sparks, Louisa; Dr. Leonard W. Roberts, Pikeville; Henry P. Sealf, Stanville; Edward R. Hazelett, Paintsville; Clayton R. Cox, Lexington; Ruth Salyer, Barnetts Creek; Doris C. Miller, Huntington, W. Va., and Hetty S. Sutherland, Clintwood, Va.

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Mountain Utilities Gets Rate Increase on Gas

Frankfort, Ky. (Mar. 4, 1977)—The Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) has approved a \$8,954 rate adjustment increase for Mountain Utilities, Inc., of Prestonsburg, due to an increase in the wholesale cost of gas supplied by the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co.

According to the Feb. 23 PSC order, the increase affects gas supplied on and after March 5. Mountain Utilities customers will pay minimum monthly bills of \$3.64.

At the same time PSC announced it has approved a \$2,269.19 gas adjustment increase for the Johnson County Gas Co., of Van Lear, due to an increase in the wholesale cost of gas supplied by Kentucky West Virginia. The increase affects gas supplied on and after March 7. Johnson county gas customers will pay minimum monthly bills of \$4.

PLAN CENSUS SURVEY

Local representatives of the Bureau of the Census will conduct a survey of employment in this area during the work week of March 14-19, Joseph R. Norwood, director of the Bureau's regional office in Charlotte, has announced. Interviewers who will visit households in this area include Mrs. Caulene B. Martin, of Garrett.

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Heart Attacks Are Not Sudden

(This is the third of a series of six articles to inform readers of this newspaper about various aspects of heart and blood vessel diseases.)

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The main cause of heart attack is a fatty buildup in the arteries that blocks the supply of oxygenated blood to the heart. About 650,000 Americans will die of heart attack this year. Every one, very young to very old, has some amount of fatty buildup.

It's called atherosclerosis, and although it can start early in life, the buildup can be slowed by controlling risk factors.

Smoking, high blood pressure and a diet high in saturated fats and cholesterol are major risk factors in heart disease, according to the American Heart Association. Partly clogged arteries, plus constriction caused by smoking, with high blood pressure straining the artery walls — these may be a deadly combination. Prevention is tremendously important in reducing premature death from heart and blood vessel diseases.

"High blood pressure has been found in teenagers," commented a Heart volunteer, "all the more reason why proper health care should begin at an early age. Lack of exercise and obesity are also considered risk factors for heart attack — factors which take their toll over

the years."

Because you may be with someone who will have a heart attack someday, it is important to recognize the early warning signals of heart attack: uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of the chest (which may spread to the shoulders, neck or arms) and which lasts for more than 2 minutes. Severe pain, dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath may also occur. Sharp, stabbing twinges of pain are usually not signals of a heart attack.

Just knowing the warning signals will save many lives, because prompt emergency care can save many of the 350,000 who die before they reach the hospital. Most important is prevention, however, and the American Heart Association has prepared and distributed educational materials on both prevention and early warning signals.

Still, it costs money to do these things. That's why the Heart volunteers will be asking for your money in their February Heart Campaign. They're asking for money to help an organization that is in fact fighting for your life.

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Four Floyd Students On U.K. Dean's List

More than 300 University of Kentucky students from the Commonwealth have been named to the dean's list in the College of Arts and Sciences for the 1976 fall semester.

To be honored by their dean, students must achieve a high academic standing based on a 4.0 grading system.

Floyd county dean's list students are:
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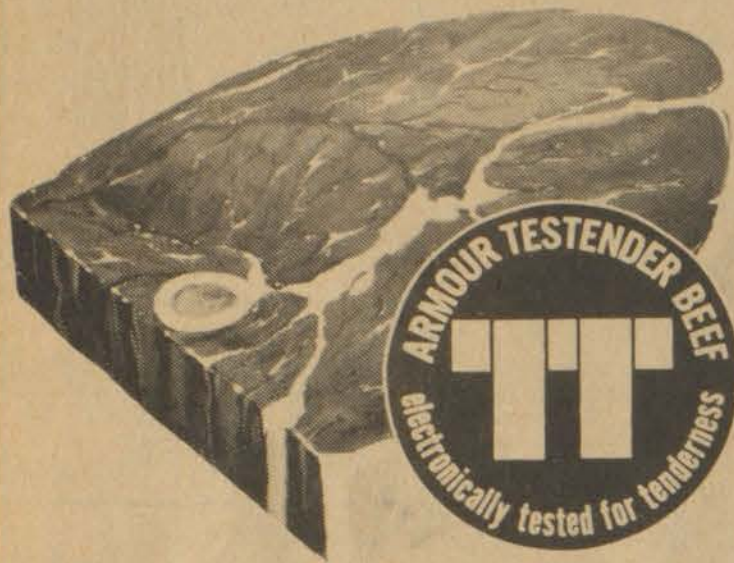
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Polio Victim Teaches Handicapped



CHECKING FOR PROGRESS . . . Virginia Lee Hitchcock, an instructor at the Eastern Kentucky Rehabilitation Center, Thelma, evaluates her students daily on their refinishing projects. The students also learn to upholster furniture, do minor repairs and take safety precautions. At the end of the course, which requires 740 hours of work, the students are prepared to work in a refinishing or upholstery shop. The course is one of 14 vocational skills offered at the center which serves persons with mental, physical or behavioral handicaps.

As a child, Virginia Lee Hitchcock was called "stubborn" and "willful" by her relatives, but she was determined to lead an independent life. At the age of seven, Virginia had polio which resulted in paralysis of her lower limbs.

"Handicapped people have a need to continue—to go on with things—just like anyone else," Virginia said.

Now in her late 30's, Virginia has mastered several skills and has overcome several hurdles. For the past two years, she has been teaching upholstery and refinishing at the Eastern Kentucky Rehabilitation Center at Thelma, three miles outside Paintsville. The center serves individuals with mental, physical and behavioral handicaps.

Virginia is admired by her students and co-workers. She uses a wheelchair during the day, but when she leaves in the afternoon, she goes out the door on walkers. She then gets into her car, which is specially

equipped with hand controls, and drives to her apartment. In addition to her work at the center, Virginia is enrolled in an English course at Prestonsburg Community College and a behavior modification course at Morehead State University.

Working toward an associate degree in vocational education is only one of her goals. Virginia would like to study oil painting. Much of her leisure time is devoted to various kinds of artwork, needlepoint and crocheting.

Another project in which she is involved is starting an alumni group for graduates of the center. She helped plan the first alumni banquet, held at the center last year.

One of her work-related projects is starting an awareness group for people with all kinds of handicaps in the Paintsville area. Such a group would serve the people of the area by providing information on new legislation and the types of services available to the handicapped, according to Virginia.

Virginia feels that, in general, "most handicapped persons are overprotected and oversheltered by family and friends." One example she cited concerns children's books.

"Notice how handicapped children are portrayed in books," said Virginia. "They are usually being helped by other children, but they do need to learn to pick themselves up when nobody is around to help."

Before Virginia came to the rehabilitation center, she had been a unit manager for a jewelry company. At one time she had her own arts and crafts shop and did part-time typing. Virginia has always liked and

studied antiques. Her interest continued to grow when she worked in her brother-in-law's furniture store. There she learned the basics of refinishing and upholstering furniture.

At the rehabilitation center, Virginia learned to restore antiques and enhanced the skills she had acquired earlier. She now teaches a course at the center which requires 740 hours of work.

The course includes the basic skills of refinishing, upholstering and restoring furniture. The students also learn to take safety precautions in their work and how to do minor repairs.

In addition to learning a skill, each student receives medical treatment and adjustment services to help him when he enters the work world. Recreational and social activities are also a part of the program at the center which is coordinated by the Kentucky Department of Education, Bureau of Rehabilitation Services.

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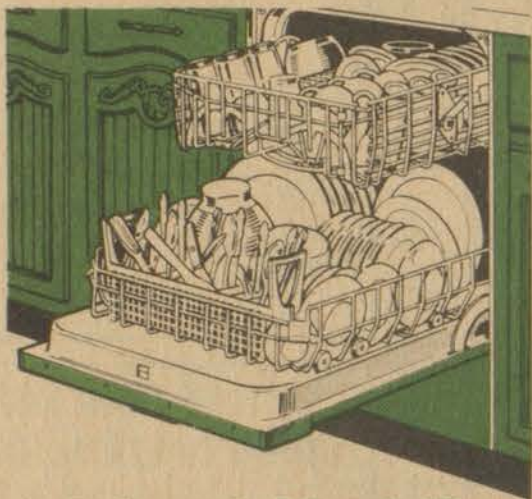
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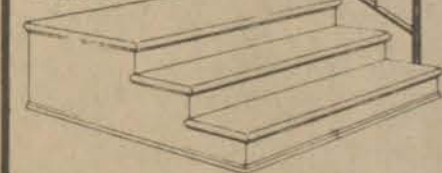
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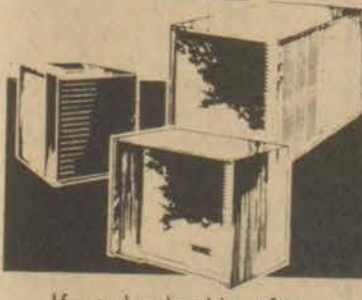
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THE HERALD-DISPATCH NEEDS someone to contract the newspapers on Left Beaver, and deliver them on scheduled morning route, must have dependable car and be bondable. Call JOHN EPLING. 754-5600. 3-16-2t-pd.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Three-bedroom home on extra large lot at Betsy Layne. Phone 478-9567. 3-16-2t-pd.

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FOR SALE—Brick home on large lot in Goble-Roberts Addition. Three bedrooms, one bath, living room, kitchen, large family room. Shown by appointment only. 886-6211. 3-9-2t-pd.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Six rooms and bath on 20 acres land. Below Ford's Gap at Auxier. 886-2280. Stoney Carroll. 3-9-2t.

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FOR SALE—Modular home on nice lot near Dewey Lake. Seven rooms, two baths, two-car carport, patio, front porch. Phone 886-3313. 3-9-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—Property located at Drift, includes two houses and several acres land, being the Frank Simpson estate. Contact **DON GOBLE**, 886-8500, for further information. 3-9-2t.

RED DOG—Carl Whittaker now has a good supply of red dog for driveways. Call 886-8962. 3-9-4t.

FOR SALE—3-bedroom antique brick home on Abbott Creek Road. Call Judy Boggs, 886-8054 after 5:30. 3-9-tf.

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NOTICE

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees, City of Wheelwright, scheduled for March 3, 1977, has been postponed and will be held at city hall, Thursday, March 24, 1977 at 7 p.m. Delbert Davis, Chairman, Board of Trustees, City of Wheelwright 3-9-3t.

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Any property owner having property for sale, rent, or lease, is requested to send a brief description of the property; giving the lot size, type (brick, frame, block, etc.), number of rooms, type of heat, if gas and water are available, location, and whether or not the house has a bathroom. If the house is for rent, state monthly rent; if house is for sale, the sale price. Be sure to indicate the name and address of the owner and telephone number, if any.

All properties listed just be decent, safe, and sanitary, and available for sale or rent without regard to race, creed, color, or national origin.

All replies should be sent to C. M. Coleman, District Relocation Assistance Agent, Bureau of Highways, P.O. Box 2468, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501.

Signed: Gail Mullins, District Engineer

3-16-tf.

District Courts Lack Funding

Frankfort, Ky.—Funding support, provision of services and the travel budget for district judges were cited as areas of concern by Supreme Court Chief Justice Scott Reed today.

Speaking before the interim Joint Judiciary-Courts Committee, Reed said that no funding was provided for supplying the judges with a set of the Kentucky Revised Statutes. He also said the original plan for circuit clerk's offices to provide needed secretarial services to the district judges, "does not seem to be feasible."

In addition, he said, there was an inadequate provision for judges' travel budgets.

Responding to Reed's comments, Rep. Harold DeMarcus (R-Stanford) said, "You are telling us you are faced with a tremendous job" of implementing the new court system, and "that we have failed" in providing resources to finance the system.

Reed said that he has directed the Administrative Office of the Courts to appoint advisory committees on records and forms, facilities, accounting procedures and issues related to Circuit Clerks. Included on each committee he said, are judges, clerks, attorneys, and legislators.

"I intend to insure there is local input into the development of recommendations for the operation of the system," he said.

The district courts, which will go into operation Jan. 1, 1978, are the final phase of the implementation of the judicial article. The amendment to the constitution passed by Kentucky voters in November, 1975 combined circuit, police, county and city courts into one unified court system.

There was discussion in the committee on an apparent conflict between House Bill 23 and House Bill 30, legislation passed in the special session, which provided for facilities to house the new courts.

After some research by the Legislative Research Commission, it was determined that the counties must provide "reasonably available" facilities in which to hold district and circuit courts. Money provided by the General Assembly would be used to rent facilities where there is not enough space provided by the county.

In addition, net fines, fees and forfeitures would be returned to the counties.

Committee Chairman William Sullivan (D-Henderson) said he would confer with Charles Wible (D-Owens-

boro) on appointing subcommittees to study problems discussed by the committee on implementation of the Judicial Article.

Problem areas identified at the meeting included failure to provide money for supplies for court reporters; failure to provide funds for tapes for recording court procedures; lack of juvenile service officers to serve state courts.

In other interim committee activity today, the joint committee on Counties and Special Districts met in conjunction with the County Statute Revision Commission. The committee and commission

members split into three task groups, on structures and functions, jurisdiction and home rule, and special districts.

Rep. Gross Lindsay (D-Henderson) said he expects the committee to have legislative recommendations prepared before the beginning of the 1978 General Assembly. Lindsay is chairman of both the committee and the commission.

"I want us to produce," Lindsay told the group. "I want to see something in writing."

The commission is studying the effects of the state judicial reorganization on county statutes and how to bring the statutes into conformity.

BILL WOULD INTRODUCE BETTING TO TENNESSEE

NASHVILLE—Citizens in Tennessee's four largest counties would get a chance to say if they want horse racing with on-track betting under a bill introduced by Sen. Jim White, D-Memphis.

Under the bill, 200 voters signing a petition would put the question on the ballot in Shelby (Memphis), Hamilton (Chattanooga), Davidson (Nashville) or Knox (Knoxville) counties.

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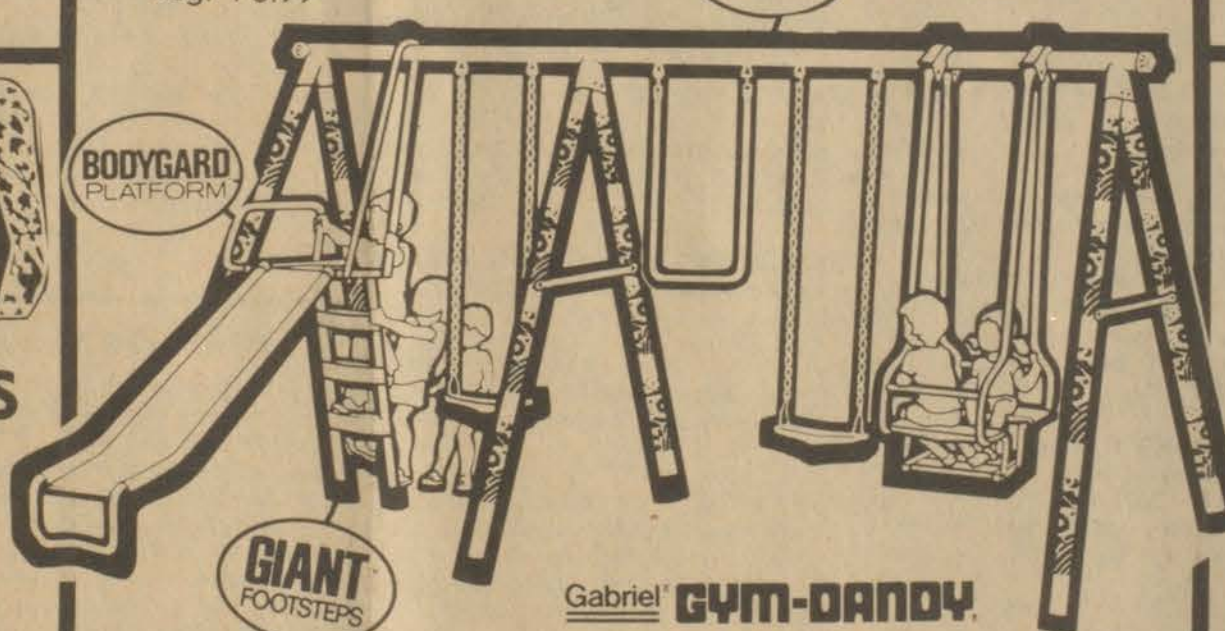
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Class of Service: Domestic and Commercial.
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Several teaching positions are also available for the summer program. Application deadline for teaching positions is April 8. For more information call the Upward Bound office.

OUTDOOR LORE
 by Neville Shackelford
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The huge constellation of stars that will rise above the eastern horizon this month is an age-old indication that winter is over and a season of new life is once again beginning across the northern hemisphere.

This constellation, of course, is Aries, the Ram. It has the lead position in that "circle of animals" called the Zodiac, and which has been wheeling around the sky since first discovered by ancient and imaginative astrologers and stargazers.



known as Aries, the Ram; Taurus, the Bull; Gemini, the Twins; Cancer, the Crab; Leo, the Lion; Virgo, the Virgin; Libra, the Balance; Scorpius, the Scorpion; Sagittarius, the Archer; Capricorn, the Goat; Aquarius, the Water Bearer, and Pisces, the Fishes.

For centuries, Aries, the Ram, has been recognized as the first constellation of the Zodiac. The astronomer-priests of ancient Chaldea, the professional astronomers of their day, conducted rites for a successful spring planting at the sign of Aries by sacrificing an unlucky ram. This rite symbolized the renewal of the sun's energy.

The Hebrews, after their flight from Egypt, also sacrificed a paschal lamb at the festival of the Passover, later to become the Easter Lamb of Christian symbolism. For the Egyptians, Aries was Amun, their ram-headed chief god of Libya and Upper Egypt.

The astronomers of Arabia called the constellation Hamal, from the Arabic "al-hamal," the sheep. Today Hamal is the name of the brightest star in this particular star grouping. The next brightest star in the ram's horns, is a double star, Sheratan, an important navigating point for early seafarers. The third brightest star in Aries is Mesartim, another early pathfinder.

March may come in like a lion and go out like a lamb, or vice versa, but one thing for certain—no matter the weather, spring, figuratively speaking, always comes in on the back of a ram.

Dairy Queen Operators Receive Award

Rondall Lawson and Joseph M. Hall, franchise operators of the Dairy Queen store on North Lake Drive here, have received American Dairy Queen Corporation's 10-year service award, according to Harris Cooper, president of the corporation. The award is a plaque commemorating service to the Dairy Queen system.

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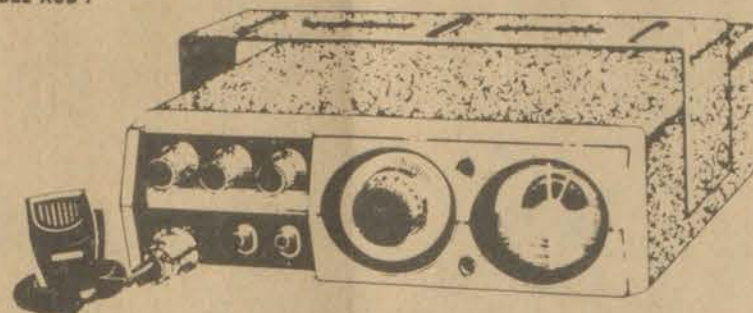
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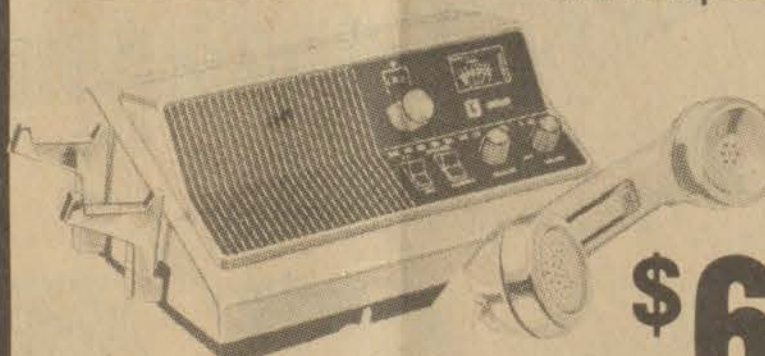
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Phillip R. Price, son of Lillia Mae Price, of David, will be transferring soon from his present assignment with the Treasury Department at Cincinnati, Ohio to Washington, D.C. Mr. Price has been employed as a special agent with the U. S. Treasury Department's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, for the past 10 years. He served as a Kentucky State Trooper for seven years prior to his employment with the Treasury Department. He is a 1956 graduate of Prestonsburg High School. Mr. Price is currently group supervisor of the Cincinnati post of duty, and will assume his new duties in the Bureau's headquarters Program Development and Planning Division, March 27. His wife, Roxann, and children, Lori and Adam, will join him in Washington later.

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McDowell Area Is Part of Air Force Practice Bomber Route

The McDowell area of this county is a part of the current Olive Branch run, the U. S. Air Force practice bomber route.

Twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, motorists have been startled to see U. S. Air Force bombers and fighters—and sometimes Royal Canadian Air Force planes—on the Olive Branch run. The bombers are practicing "bombing"—but without any bombs. It's all done with computers, simulating the dropping of a bomb. The computer then tells the bomber pilot if he has "hit" the area that was his target.

The OB-14 run over Tennessee, North Carolina, Virginia and Eastern Kentucky is one of five routes east of the Mississippi River where Air Force pilots practice low-level flying. The purpose of this training is to simulate avoidance of radar detection by flying under 1,000 feet, following the rough up-and-down contours of the terrain.

Huddleston and Ford Sponsor Legislation On Coal-Haul Roads

Kentucky Senators Walter D. Huddleston and Wendell H. Ford have re-introduced legislation to provide federal assistance for the repair and maintenance of coal-haul highways.

The senators said they hoped to use this legislation to implement recommendations of a study of energy transportation needs now being conducted by the Department of Transportation.

The study, mandated by an amendment Huddleston attached to the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1976, is due to be completed by May 7.

Under the measure introduced by Ford and Huddleston, a grant program would be established—70 percent federal and 30 percent state matching—to help with repair of transportation systems damaged by use related to increased energy demands.

The senators pointed out that the nation has made a commitment to double coal production by 1985, but that this is not possible without an adequate transportation system.

"Right now, the rails and highway systems over which the majority of this coal has to move are deteriorating at a rapid rate," they said. "We are hopeful the federal study in May will provide the basis for moving on this or similar legislation to meet this need."

Mayor's Proclamation Designates Special Week

Proclaiming the week of March 13-19 National Employ the Older Worker Week in Prestonsburg, Mayor Harold W. Cooley noted that there are more than 74 million Americans 40 years of age or older and that many of these are having difficulty finding work "for no reason other than that there is prejudice against older workers."

Endorsing the efforts of the federal government on behalf of older workers, Mayor Cooley said, "I am urging all employers of this area to give special consideration to the skills and qualifications of those men 40 years of age and older. This a community wide effort that should engage the active support of all our institutions."

The OB-14 run, which includes part of Eastern Kentucky, begins between Knoxville, Tenn. and Asheville, N. C. The corridor then runs northeast, curving outside of Johnson City, Tenn., then crossing the Smoky Mountains and on to Grundy, Va.

Pilots taking the low-level practice runs, which may originate out of any Air Force base in the eastern half of the United States, cross the Kentucky border in Pike county, near Shelbyville, proceed over McDowell and head northwest into Knott and Breathitt counties.

At Campton, in Wolfe county, the corridor widens significantly. Here pilots enter a "race course" where low-level staffing runs and radar bomb-scoring tests are conducted.

The horseshoe-shaped practice corridor ends at Stanford, just east of Danville.

Two weeks ago, a FB-111 fighter bomber flying out of Pease Air Force base in New Hampshire crashed near Abingdon, Va. The crash caused some consternation among Abingdon officials, who were led to believe that explosive missiles were on board. Two Air Force captains died in the crash.

The Rescue Coordination Center at Scott Air Force base, Belleville, Ill., said recently that there were no nuclear warheads on the aircraft.

The OB-14 route over Eastern Kentucky was formerly located in Central Kentucky, but persistent complaints by the more populated communities in the area, which said the practice runs interfered with commercial airplanes, caused the Air Force to move its practice area.

Engaged To Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ratliff, of Paradise Valley, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Deborah Elaine, to Dwight D. Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ratliff, of Collista, Ky.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Paintsville High School. Mr. Ratliff is a graduate of Johnson Central High School.

Wedding vows will be exchanged in an open-church ceremony at 3:30 p.m. April 2 at the First Church of God, 8th & Broadway, Paintsville. A reception will follow in the basement of the church.

THE BUREAU OF LABOR statistics reports that employment opportunities in chemistry are expected to be good through the mid-1980s for graduates at all degree levels, and the overall employment of chemists is expected to grow faster than the average for all occupations during this period.

Bill To Close Loophole On Sunshine Law

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Senators unanimously approved and sent to the House a bill sponsors said closes a loophole in Ohio's open meeting—or sunshine—law.

Sen. Marigene Valiquette, D-Toledo, had no opposition on her bill making certain state department heads abide by a provision in the law requiring advance notice of meetings to interested parties.

She said state directors already are authorized to conduct hearings on proposed regulations for their agencies.

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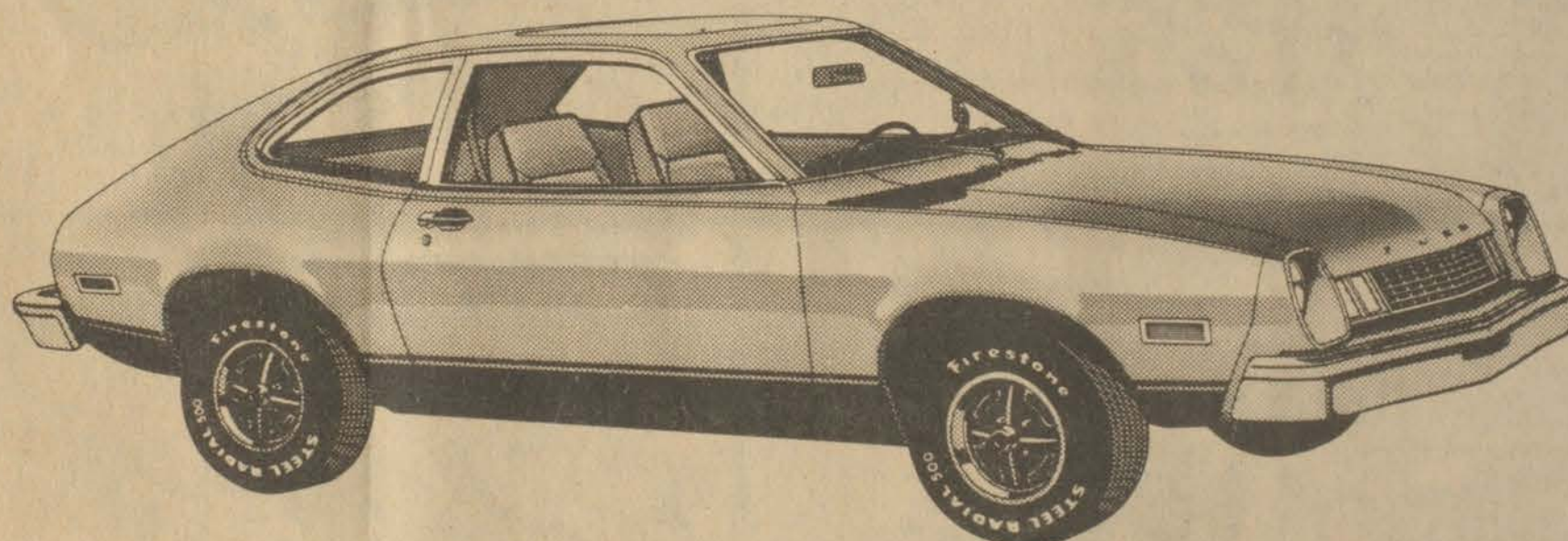
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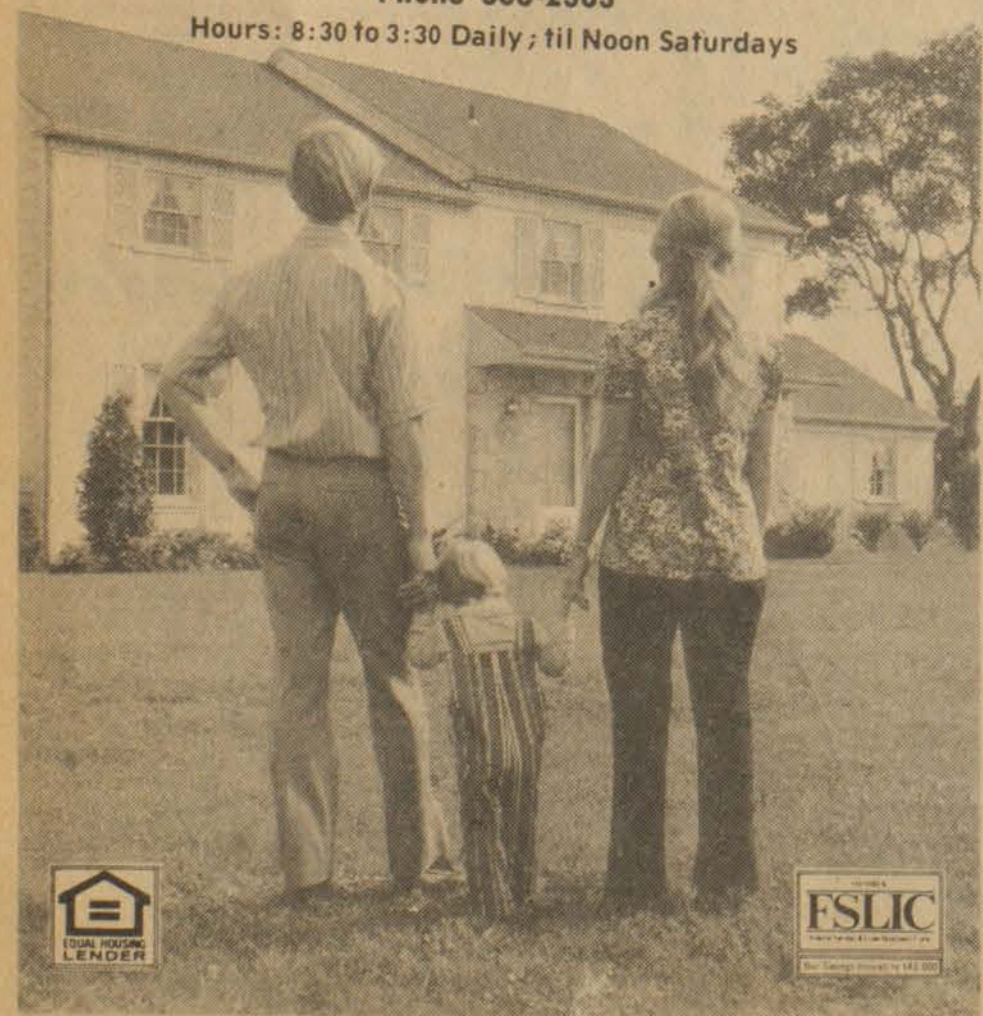
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 By LARRY BURKE
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 A foolish practice? Yes, we all agree! But at the time of the executions people actually believed in witches and wizards. There were many who practiced the art of witchcraft, and believed themselves to be witches.
 What about a hundred years from now? Will the things we accept today as "human nature" be in the dark ages of yesterday? Will prejudices and hate some day go the way of witchcraft? This, of course, depends on us. We make our world—we set the sails to our destiny. Whether we know it or not, we are doing just that every day of our lives.
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Power Company Official Sees Tight Electric Supply Ahead

Citing a "tight" electric energy situation in this area in the early 80's, and perhaps even a shortage, Waldo S. LaFon, executive vice president of Kentucky Power Company, has called for the creation of an atmosphere in which people of good will can work together to make rational decisions on energy matters and the related cost.

"The alternative," he said, "is an electric energy shortage." Speaking to a group of area news media representatives last Thursday at the Landmark Restaurant, Pikeville, LaFon said the gas shortage has placed an extra burden on the electric energy industry which will be impossible to carry if new generating plants aren't built and if more sensible logic isn't used concerning governmental regulations.

"If we have an electric energy shortage, I'm afraid this past winter with all the suffering from the cold and loss of jobs will seem like a picnic in comparison," the utility chief said.

He used growth figures to point out Kentucky Power may have problems meeting the demand of its customers in the early mid 80's. "Our customers have been using approximately 11 pct. more electricity each year for the past 10 years. If this growth continues, and we see no reason why it shouldn't, our Big Sandy Plant will not be sufficient to meet our customers' needs in the early 80's. That doesn't necessarily mean we'll be short of power," he pointed out, "because we're part of the American Electric Power System and some of our sister companies have additional generating plants planned. If financial conditions allow them to be completed on time, our customers will have access to some of that power. "But," he added, "few companies will have extra power to sell in the 80's."

When asked if Kentucky Power had immediate plans to build additional generating plants, the answer was a qualified "no". He went on to explain that "the company is always monitoring the need, but there are several variables involved—mainly the ability to finance a project costing hundreds of millions of dollars—which can circumvent even a dire need."

LaFon dipped into an old hymn book while commenting on the need for more power plants and an apparent growing opposition against new plants in some areas. "It's a little like the line in an old spiritual song, 'Everyone wants to go to heaven, but no one wants to die' when we discuss this subject," he said, adding, "We can't get to heaven without dying and we can't avoid an electric power shortage without building new power plants. People who oppose the plants should at least accept that reality."

The utility executive also had a few choice comments about the lack of a national energy policy in this country. "It's hard for me to believe that more than three years have passed since the oil embargo and we still don't have a concrete, direction-giving energy policy."

"I might add," LaFon continued, "that any energy policy Congress might come up with must give coal a prominent role, one that will encourage its utilization at a maximum. And, although some of us in the coal fields might not like it, nuclear power in some parts of the country is going to be needed to supplement coal-fired generation simply because coal production probably won't be able to keep up with the increased need in the next 20 years."

LaFon also took a slap at Congress in connection with hearings currently under way in Washington on proposed amendments to the Clean Air Act of 1970 which would make scrubbers (a device to remove sulfur dioxides present when coal is burned) mandatory on all new coal-fired power plants and some existing ones. "At a time when this country needs all the electric power it can produce at the lowest possible cost to the consumer, it's incredible to me that Congress right now is considering proposals to change the Clean Air Act which would not only decrease the amount of new generation available to the public but at the same time would add

significant and unnecessary costs to the consumer," he said.

He used figures which he said were averages compiled by four electric utilities in Kentucky. These figures revealed a 42 percent increase in the average customer's electric bill if scrubbers were installed on the four companies' existing plants.

Here LaFon said the public should hold elected officials responsible for their voting records on energy matters, although he picked on no particular state or national figure.

"If elected officials, national or state, are going to mislead their constituents into thinking there is no energy crisis in this nation—or, if they are going to mislead them into thinking that all idealistic environmental goals can be reached with no effect on energy, our economy and employment—or, if they are going to mislead them into the false hope that they can legislate cheap energy for them—then somebody had better hold them responsible for their actions when a real energy shortage comes. That somebody is the voter," he concluded.

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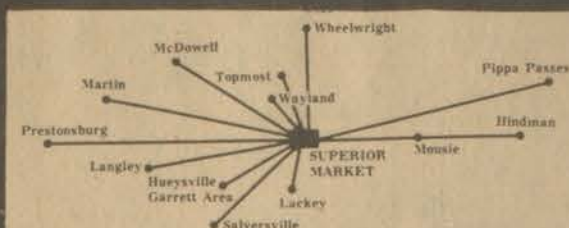
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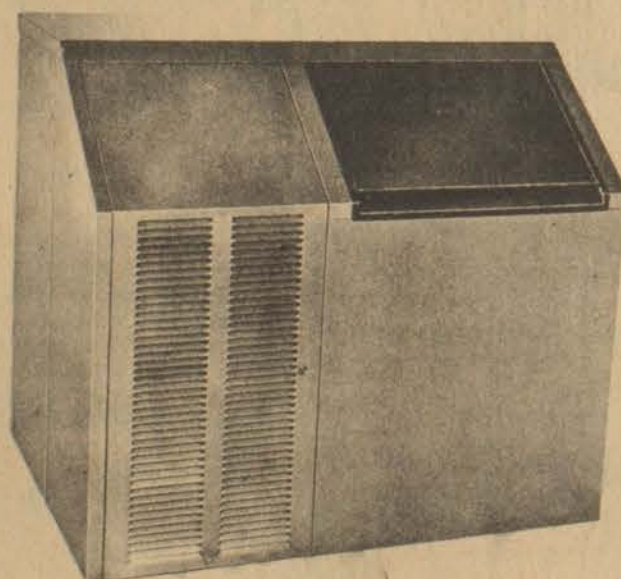
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A regular feature, prepared by the American Cancer Society, to help save your life from cancer.

A hairdresser writes: "My husband, a man of 45, has a double problem: He has been treated for cancer, and now he is having trouble finding a job. We are at our wit's end." ANSWERline: Please contact your local Unit of the American Cancer Society. Job discrimination is a subject that the ACS is trying to pinpoint and correct. In general, the person who already has a job and is treated for cancer is in a better position than the patient seeking a new job. According to Dr. J. Herbert Dietz, Chief of the Rehabilitation Service at the Memorial-Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in New York City, employers who "accept other diseases with equanimity discriminate against cancer patients. . . and this is especially unfair because the cancer patient's ability to take on a full work load is often greater than a heart or stroke patient's ability to do the same work. And, whereas employers might be afraid that cancer patients will require too much "sick leave," studies done at major companies have shown that their absence records are not different from employees who have never had cancer. Thousands of cancer patients are working hard and doing well today, and at the same time they are helping do away with harmful prejudice. We hope that your husband soon joins them.

A telephone operator writes: "I am trying hard to give up cigarettes, but it's not easy. I need ideas fast!" ANSWERline: Don't give up trying—there are a lot of ideas that can help. First, check with your local American Cancer Society Unit for useful literature and information about smoking withdrawal programs. Second, try some of the following ideas: each night, repeat at least 10 times your most important personal reasons for not smoking; chart your smoking habits for two weeks, note how many cigarettes you smoke, decide which is the most important cigarette and which is the least important, then, eliminate those special cigarettes one by one; pick a day to quit completely and on your "Q" day schedule plenty of activities including walks. Use substitutes like carrots, raisins, gum or sips of plain water. Millions of Americans have given up cigarettes. You can too.

A school custodian explains: "Two of the children in our school have had cancer, and I would like to know just how common cancer is among youngsters?" ANSWERline: Fortunately, childhood cancer is rare: each year, there are about 6,500 new cases of childhood cancers. One out of every 27 children die of cancer compared with one out of every five adults. Fortunately, since 1950 medical science has been better able to deal with childhood leukemia, childhood kidney cancer, and lymphomas, and death rates have been going down.

State To Advance Nat'l Ranking in Education

Louisville, Ky.—Kentucky is expected to move up from 49th to 43rd place this year in national rankings for per pupil spending from state, local, and federal funds.

Money spent on each Kentucky public-school child in average daily attendance will be an estimated \$1,155 compared with last year's \$1,000, according to Kentucky Education Association (KEA) public relations and research director Charles Whaley.

KEA president James Sproul said the estimates demonstrate that Governor Julian Carroll "has made progress on his pledge to make elementary and secondary education a priority." But despite this substantial progress, Sproul added, "We still have a long way to go."

Whaley said estimates collected by the National Education Association from all state departments of education indicate Kentucky will rank ahead of Texas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Georgia, Louisiana, Arkansas, and South Carolina in per pupil spending this year.

In first place will be Alaska, which spends \$2,938 on each child in average daily attendance. New York is second with \$2,333. South Carolina is in 50th place with \$1,104.

Whaley noted that Kentucky, despite its improved ranking, still spends less per pupil than all but one of the seven states that border it.

Of the seven surrounding states, Illinois ranks seventh with \$1,876, Ohio 27th with \$1,403, Virginia 29th with \$1,395, Indiana 32nd with \$1,307, Missouri 33rd with \$1,300, and West Virginia 40th with \$1,194. Only Tennessee's 46th place rank—it spends \$1,146—is below Kentucky's.

KEA's 1978 legislative program calls for a per pupil spending level equal to the average of the seven surrounding states.

The national average for per pupil spending in the 1976-'77 school year is estimated at \$1,564. It was \$1,441 last year.

Whaley noted that final figures on Kentucky's per pupil spending for 1975-'76 put the amount at \$1,000 rather than the \$986 estimated earlier and published in the KEA's "How Kentucky Ranks, 1976." This caused no change, however, in Kentucky's 49th place rank for last year.

In national rankings for average salaries of classroom teachers Kentucky also moved up—from 46th to 38th place.

Estimates put the Kentucky average at \$10,950 this year compared with last year's \$9,744. The national average is \$13,297.

Alaska pays the highest average salary—\$21,050—and New York is second with

\$17,100. Mississippi ranks 50th with \$9,397.

All seven states that border Kentucky pay higher average salaries to teachers. Of those, Illinois ranks eighth with \$14,656, Indiana 21st with \$12,565, Ohio 23rd with \$12,500, Virginia 29th with \$11,970, Missouri 31st with \$11,592, West Virginia 33rd with \$11,436, and Tennessee 36th with \$11,120.

States expected to pay lower average salaries than Kentucky this year are Florida, North Dakota, Maine, Vermont, Alabama, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Louisiana, New Hampshire, South Dakota, Arkansas, and Mississippi.

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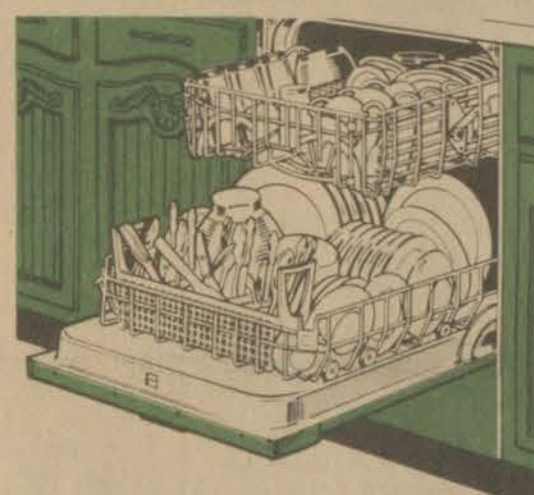
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Kentucky Afield

By JOHN WILSON

If you've always wanted to see your name in the record books, here are a couple of easy ways to get it there.

On the department of fish and wildlife's list of state record fish taken by rod and reel, there are two species with no entries. The

first person who submits an entry for either of these will have a state record, no matter what size the fish actually is.

The two species are the yellow bass and the alligator gar. Both are found primarily in far western Kentucky, but other than that, there's little similarity between them.

The world record yellow bass, according to Field and Stream magazine, is two pounds, two ounces. This fish is a close relative of the white bass, and many anglers probably can't tell the two apart. If you catch a small, yellowish fish, suspect a yellow bass.

If you want a state record alligator gar, be prepared for more of a fight. The world record here is the second largest freshwater fish taken by rod and reel, its 279 pounds surpassed only by a 360 pound sturgeon.

If you've ever seen a gar, chances are you won't mistake any other fish for one. The alligator gar occurs in the Mississippi basin and up the Ohio as far as Louisville. It can be distinguished by two rows of large teeth on each side of the upper jaw. Other species of gar have only one row.

So if you catch a gar about 10 feet long and want to count its teeth, go right ahead—you deserve to be in the record books.

There are 26 other species of fish on the state record lists, but for these you'll have to beat already established records. These records range from a one pound warmouth to a 100 pound blue catfish and include one world record, an 11 pound, 15 ounce smallmouth bass caught from Dale Hollow Lake in 1955.

If you catch a fish that's larger than usual, look into the possibility that you may have a new state record. If you don't know what the record for a particular species is, weigh your fish and keep it frozen until you find out. There are several potential records filleted and eaten each year because the angler didn't take the time to check the list.

To qualify as a state record, the fish must be taken by rod and reel and must be weighed on an official scale. In this case, "official" means any scale that is certified legal for trade. The nearest grocery store will generally be the best place to find such a scale.

Weigh the fish before three witnesses and measure its length and girth at the longest and widest places. Write down the weight and measurements and get the signatures of the witnesses.

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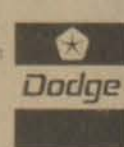


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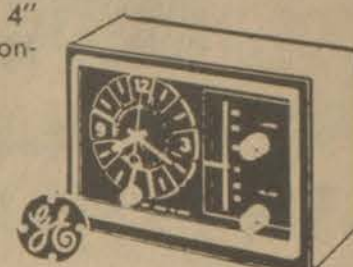
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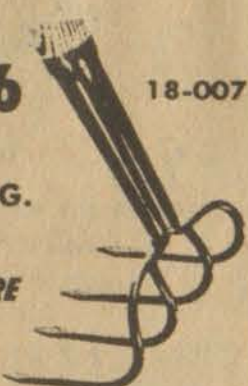
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• M&M • MILKY WAY • MARS • SNICKERS • 3 MUSKETEERS

HECK'S REG.
\$1.08 PACK

79¢ PACK

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BATTERY CHARGER

Model 15C has new built-in battery tester, recharges all popular sizes—"D", "C", "AA", "PENLIGHT", "9-V TRANSISTOR", carbon-zinc, nickel cadmium and rechargeable alkaline batteries—one to four at a time.

\$5⁴⁹

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SUNSET 60 MINUTE BLANK CASSETTE TAPE

HECK'S
REG.
\$1.49

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JEWELRY DEPT.

12 OZ. WHITE RAIN SHAMPOO

• LEMON • HERBAL • HONEYSUCKLE

88¢

HECK'S REG.
\$1.28

COSMETIC
DEPT.

EFFERDENT 96's TABLETS

MIN. 96 PER STORE

\$1⁶⁹

HECK'S REG.
\$2.31

COSMETICS DEPT.

3.75 OZ. TEGRIN LOTION SHAMPOO



REGULAR OR
HERBAL

\$1⁰⁹

HECK'S REG.
\$1.67

COSMETIC
DEPT.

Dentu-Creme

3.9 OZ. WERNETS

DENTU-CREME

HECK'S REG.
99¢

69¢

COSMETIC DEPT.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

3 SPEED PORTABLE MIXER

• 3 speed mixer with fingertip control.
• Ideal for mixing, stirring or whipping.
• Color styled in white, avocado or harvest.



M-24

HECK'S REG.
\$10.96

\$8⁹⁹

JEWELRY DEPT.

260 COUNT CURITY SOFT PUFFS



49¢

HECK'S REG.
\$1.09

COSMETIC
DEPT.



20 COUNT

SINAREST SINUS HEADACHE TABLETS

HECK'S REG.
\$1.29

79¢

COSMETIC DEPT.

CLAIROL NICE 'N EASY HAIR COLOR

\$1⁴⁹

HECK'S REG.
\$1.69

COSMETIC
DEPT.



5 OZ. DIAL ANTI-PERSPIRANT Regular—Unscented



69¢

HECK'S REG.
\$1.18

COSMETIC DEPT.

DIAMOND COMPARTMENT CASE

FOR MOST POCKET
TYPE CAMERAS

\$5⁹⁹

HECK'S REG.
\$7.99

JEWELRY DEPT.



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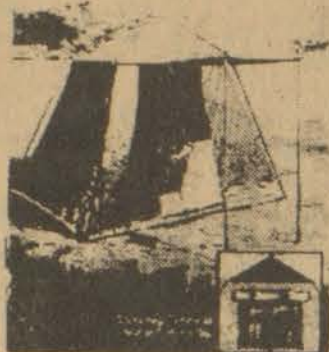
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WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

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10 TO 9
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PRICES IN EFFECT THROUGH SUN., MAR. 20, WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

St. Patrick's Day Sale



439

\$65⁸⁸

9' X 9' NATIONAL UMBRELLA TENT

● Outside frame easily assembled. ● Fiber-glass screened door and window. ● Sewed-in floor. ● Zippered door. ● Awning poles not furnished.

SPORTS DEPT.

HECK'S REG. \$89.99



VINYL

ALL WEATHER PONCHO

HECK'S REG. \$1.99

99¢

SPORTS DEPT.

HIPWELL 6 VOLT BATTERY OPERATED LEISURE LAMP

HECK'S REG. \$4.99

\$2⁹⁹

SPORTS DEPT.



ZEBCO 2490

ROD & REEL COMBO

\$9⁸⁸
HECK'S REG. \$13.99

SPORTS DEPT.

America's most popular freshwater spin-cast combination. Zebco 600 reel with powerful Delrin brake-shoe drag system. Warning click for bait fishing. Selective anti-reverse. Reel balanced. Zebco Centennial 4060 high density fiberglass rod.



ZEBCO 3490

ROD & REEL COMBO

\$15⁸⁸
HECK'S REG. \$23.99

SPORTS DEPT.

A ready-to-go combo for all-around fishing pleasure. Zebco's famous 33 spin-cast reel. Wide-range, spring-loaded drag. Rust-resistant stainless steel covers. Silent, selective anti-reverse. Warning click for bait fishing. Easy-change, non-corrosive spool pre-filled with approx. 100 yds. (300 ft.) of 10-lb. test DuPont Stren monofilament—the line-watcher's line. Reel teamed up with 6', two-piece, medium-action Zebco Centennial 6100 tubular glass rod.



ZEBCO 33

SPIN CAST REEL

\$8⁸⁸

HECK'S REG. \$12.99
SPORTS DEPT.

Tough Lexan body with stainless steel covers. Self-lube bearing, oil-retaining sintered metal gears and stainless steel centershaft. Hard-chromed brass spinnerhead and stainless steel pickup pin. Full-circle brake ring; easy-to-reach anti-reverse. Built-in warning click for bait fishing.



COLEMAN 2 BURNER

Fully adjustable flame, famous Band-A-Blue® burners, steel case with nickel-chrome grate. Light and easy to handle.

HECK'S REG. \$21.99

\$17⁶⁶

SPORTS DEPT.

COLEMAN 3 LB. WASHABLE SLEEPING BAG



635

Tie tapes for roll up storage
● Padded weatherseal ●
Box corner construction.

\$18⁶⁶

HECK'S REG. \$25.99

SPORTS DEPT.

COLEMAN 2 GALLON JUG

Clean, lightweight and durable, these jugs are easy to fill and carry. Rugged steel upper case with polyethylene base to resist scratches and rusting. And-free, odorproof plastic liner; urethane insulation. Fast Fill faucet employs entire contents in minutes, won't sweat, binder corrode.

\$8⁸⁸

HECK'S REG. \$10.99
SPORTS DEPT.



5502

SPALDING DR. J. BASKETBALL



32

● Single-wound Ny-weave construction ● 52 miles of nylon windings ● Traditional channel design for excellent ball control.

\$8⁸⁸

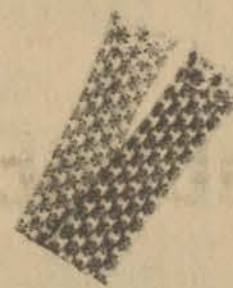
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SPORTS DEPT.

PRINTED AIR MATTRESS

72"x27" gaily decorated multi-color air mattress with pillow. Two assorted bright designs. Includes self-stick repair kit and special safety self-seal valve. Packaged in see-thru poly bag with grommet & full color insert.

\$1³³

HECK'S REG. \$1.88
SPORTS DEPT.



MIN-O-LIFE MINNOW BUCKET



99¢

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SPORTS DEPT.

MR. TWISTER TWIN TAIL LURE

HECK'S REG. 89¢
SPORTS DEPT.

66¢



RAPALA LURES

HECK'S REG. \$2.59

\$1⁸⁸

SPORTS DEPT.



MEPPS' AGLIA & PLAIN

HECK'S REG. \$1.19
SPORTS DEPT.

88¢



MR. TWISTER 6" SCAMP

HECK'S REG. 89¢
SPORTS DEPT.

66¢

COLEMAN DOUBLE MANTLE LANTERN



220

The lantern outdoorsmen have made first choice for over 75 years. Lights first time, every time—and stays lit.

\$17⁶⁶

HECK'S REG. \$21.99
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WILSON FIELDERS GLOVE

Endorsed by Outfielder Bobby Bonds, this model is made of steerhide leather with cowhide lining. "J" style wrist and large, closed, triple-split "X" laced web. Other features include leather welt and lacing throughout, and single Snap Action heel break. Fleecelined wrist strap.



HECK'S REG. \$22.99
SPORTS DEPT.

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JASON EMPIRE

MATCH I TENNIS RACKET

\$5⁸⁸

2062 MATCH I The Match Series is our newest collection of traditional wood rackets—a perfect trio to take beginner from novice to semi-pro. MATCH I is 7-ply strong. Has leather grip.

HECK'S REG. \$7.99
SPORTS DEPT.

BAIT CANTEEN

7x14x6 in. high. Capacity 100-150 crawlers or crabs.

\$3⁹⁹

HECK'S REG. \$5.88
SPORTS DEPT.



REGENT KICKBALL



\$2⁶⁶

HECK'S REG. \$3.49
SPORTS DEPT.

COLEMAN 2-PACK LANTERN MANTLES

HECK'S REG. 49¢
SPORTS DEPT.

33¢ PACK



H & B LITTLE LEAGUE BAT

HECK'S REG. \$5.66

\$3⁹⁹

SPORTS DEPT.

NYLON BASKETBALL NET

\$1¹⁹

HECK'S REG. \$1.88
SPORTS DEPT.



GOAL NOT INCLUDED



DELUXE 2-PIECE RAIN SUIT

\$2⁴⁴

HECK'S REG. \$3.55
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PRESTONSBURG



Dinner Honors Mother On 93rd Birthday



Mrs. Mae Flanery was hostess at her home on Buck's Branch, near Martin, to a dinner honoring her mother, Mrs. Sarah G. DeRossett, Sunday March 5, on her 93rd birthday.

After cake and coffee was enjoyed, Mrs. DeRossett expressed her thanks to everyone for their gifts, and pictures were taken of those present.

Members of Mrs. DeRossett's family attending included the hostess, Mrs. Mae Flanery, Mr. and Mrs. Silas DeRossett, Water Gap; Lee DeRossett, of Jeffersonville, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Halley Flanery, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. (Crush) Dingus and children, Mary, Belinda DeAnna and Chris, Mrs. Josephine Robinson and son, Donald Ray, of Bucks Branch. A daughter, Joan Weldon, of Frankfort, and a son Bascom DeRossett, of Allen, were unable to attend. Friends attending were Squire Samons, of Bucks Branch and Mrs. Inez Hammonds and daughter Patsy, of Water Gap.

Pikeville College Adds Mrs. Starnes to Staff

Mrs. Darlene Starnes, of Prestonsburg, joined the staff of Pikeville College in January as coordinator of student accounts.

Two other new staff employees are W. W. "Bill" Peacock, director of physical plant, and Sara Falls, director of public relations.

A native of Buchanan county, Virginia, Mrs. Starnes is a 1976 graduate of Pikeville College with a degree in business. Prior to her employment at the college, she worked for Mountain Comprehensive Care Center for more than five years. She and her husband, Stephen, an employee of Rebel Coal Company in Martin county, reside in Prestonsburg.

ORDINANCE NO. 3-77
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, ANNEXING AS A PART OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS OF FEBRUARY 20, 1970, A TRACT OF LAND IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE MOST NORTHERN LIMITS OF THE CITY LIMITS OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the City Attorney institute an action and file a petition in the Floyd Circuit Court, within thirty (30) days after the adoption and required publication and advertisement of this Ordinance, according to law, to annex as a part of the City of Prestonsburg a tract of land immediately adjacent to the most northern limits of the City limits of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, described as follows:

"BEGINNING at a point on the southeast right-of-way line of county road, also being a point on the northeast City limits line; thence with the southeast right-of-way line of the county road northeast 338'± feet; thence northerly and crossing the C & O R.R. Track 100'± feet; thence northeast 1289'± feet; thence leaving the southeast right-of-way line and crossing the county road northwest 25'± feet to a point on the northwest right-of-way line of county road also being a corner to the Otis Cooley property; thence leaving the county road right-of-way line and crossing the bottom, also with the fence northwest 250'± feet to the fence corner near the toe of hill; thence northeast 46'± feet to the fence corner near the toe of hill; thence northwest 65'± feet to a fence corner; thence northeast 78'± feet to a fence corner on the line of Jeff Vaughn; thence with the line of Jeff Vaughn to the top of the hill; thence in a western direction with the top of hill to E. C. Bingham's line; thence a southern direction with E. C. Bingham's line to a stake in the ditch; thence in a easterly direction to the northwest right-of-way line of county road; thence with the northwest right-of-way line of county road—southeast 1100'± feet; thence crossing the C & O R.R. Track southerly 100'± feet; thence southwest 280'± feet to a point on the northeast City limits line."

For more particular reference to the tract of land described, a map of said territory is filed with Richard Earl Martin, Civil Engineer, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

SECTION 2. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from this date, after publication as required by law and the provisions of this Ordinance.
PASSED AND APPROVED, THIS THE 3RD DAY OF MARCH, 1977.
HAROLD W. COOLEY
Mayor, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

ATTEST:
BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH
Clerk, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS

Among the relatives here to attend the wedding of Rhonda Harris to Randy Porter at Trimble Chapel, March 4, were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Kendrick, Huntington, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Marshall, also of Huntington, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Porter, Jr., and children, of Ypsilanti, Michigan. Elbert Caudill, who has been at Pikeville Methodist Hospital under supervision for a heart condition, was able to return to his home last week. He is recuperating nicely.

Donald R. Scalf, of Lexington, was the overnight guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Josie Frazier, Monday night. Also visiting Mrs. Frazier last week-end were her daughter, Mrs. David Louder, and Mr. Louder, of Winchester.

Mrs. Minnie Flanery entered Highlands Regional Medical Center last Wednesday for treatment. Relatives and friends visiting her Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Flanery, David Flanery, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lafferty and Mrs. Ray Crisp.

Mrs. Luther Baldrige is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, where she remains in serious condition.

Mrs. O. B. Crisp was a business visitor Friday in Ashland.

M-Sgt. Jimmy Lafferty, who is stationed in Florida, spent several days visiting his mother, Mrs. Goldia Lafferty, last week. Also visiting Mrs. Lafferty were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lafferty, of Inez.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen R. Brackett were business visitors in Hazard and Salyersville, Saturday and Sunday.

Relatives here to attend the funeral of Joe Burchett, of Cow Creek, were his son, Dewey Burchett, and Mrs. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burchett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Burchett and children, and Virginia Mae, all of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp visited her aunt, Mrs. Emma Bailey, of Lancer, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Westfall returned home Saturday evening after an extended visit with Mrs. Lillian Burke in Florida. She was met at the Blue Grass Airport at Lexington by Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westfall, who accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett and Laura Frances visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston, Sunday at Ulysses. Other visitors were John D. Preston, Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Preece, Mr. and Mrs. James Butcher and daughter and Mrs. Mabel Boyd Daniels. Laura remained with her grandparents for several days' visit.

Mrs. Josie Frazier, accompanied by her son, Russell Frazier, was in Pikeville for medical consultation, Friday.

Mrs. Margaret Hicks and son, Jeremy Michael, were in Pikeville, Thursday.

Mrs. Minnie Webb entered the McDowell Memorial Hospital, Friday. She was accompanied there by Larry Short.

Mrs. Don Prater, who underwent surgery Wednesday at King's Daughters' Hospital, Ashland, is recuperating. Visiting her Sunday were Mr. Prater, Carolyn, Kim and Madonna, Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, Mrs. Ada Sucas and Terry Childers.

Dr. and Mrs. Sanky Williams, of Nicholasville, were here last week-end as overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Short and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Laven.

Students home for the spring vacation from the University of Kentucky are David Flanery, Oscar Ratliff, Phillip Greene, Laura Brackett and Mike Dixon of David.

The Baptist women met Monday evening in the Allen Baptist Church annex for a special program for the Week of Prayer for Home Missions. Pearl Watts led the group in prayer. Sarah Laven then gave a book review, "A Sense of Spring," by Everett Hullum. Those attending were Irene Campbell, Mary Anne Hall, Dorothy Harris, Alta Malone, Flaura Hunt, Gertrude Clay, Ruby Imes, Pearl Watts, Rosemary Frasure, Sarah Laven, Susan and Brandon Barnette and Julie Wilson.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Eugene Allen, who passed away after a short illness at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, last Wednesday. Members of his family here at Allen are Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Barbara Allen Phelps, Mr. Phelps and children, of Houston, Texas, Tommy Allen, Mrs. Randell Allen and children,

THE KENTUCKY SOCIETY for Crippled Children provided assistance to 10,300 Kentuckians last year. The services included hospitalization, resident and day camping, swim programs, hearing and speech therapies, audiological evaluations, physical and occupational therapies, and special education.

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court will be accepting bids to supply and install furniture and accessories for the new courthouse annex Building, Prestonsburg, Ky.

All bidders will be required to provide lump sum bids.

All bids must be accompanied by a 5 percent bid bond, and the successful bidder will be required to furnish a 100 percent performance bond. All bids will be received at the Floyd County Fiscal Court, in sealed envelopes, no later than Monday, April 11, 10 a.m.

Plans, specifications, and bid documents will be available at the office of Marvin Crider, Jr. and Associates, Architect, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, 41653, Phone 886-8384; F. W. Dodge, Lexington, Kentucky, and Builder's Exchange of Louisville, Kentucky.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive informalities.
3-16-31.

of Martin, Mrs. Edna Mae Callison, Mrs. Myrtle Childers, Catlettsburg, Bill Allen, Jack Allen, A. D. Martin, Donald Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Clark. Other relatives called here were Mrs. Juanita Allen and daughter, Janie, of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin and children, of Lebanon, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Caldwell and children, Flatwoods, Mr. and Mrs. Berman Martin and children, of Michigan, David Alex Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kinzer and Elizabeth, of Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Tye Childers and children, Ashland, Mrs. Mary Childers, Dayton, Ohio, Miss Donna Clark, Morehead, Mr. and Mrs. James "Jitter" Allen, Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Allen, Wheelwright, Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Allen, Mrs. Ethel Frazier, Martin, and Mrs. Clara Mayes, Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hinchman and children, Paula, Sherri and Steve, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas Porter and Mrs. Wanda Boyd, of Betsy Layne, have returned home after several weeks spent vacationing at Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Hinchman and children also visited Mrs. Hinchman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wiehelm, at Bonita Springs, Florida, while Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Boyd spent some time at Fort Waldon, Florida.

State Police Report Shows One Traffic Fatality

Although but one fatality occurred in a total of 276 accidents investigated by state police in the Post 9 area during the month of February, 120 persons were injured as a result of these mishaps. The lone fatality was recorded in Floyd county.

Uniformed state police troopers arrested a total of 109 persons in the counties of Floyd, Pike, Magoffin, Johnson and Martin which comprise the post area on drunk driving charges.

Forty-two criminal investigations were conducted in Floyd county compared with 95 for Pike, 11 for Johnson, 13 in Magoffin and 17 in Martin county.

Criminal arrests in the county totalled 28 while Pike had 67, Johnson 11, Magoffin 13, and Martin 12.

Post 9 statistics for February show further one stolen vehicle recovered in Floyd county. Two were recovered in Pike county and one in Johnson.

Post 9, based at Pikeville, is under the command of Captain Walter R. Sims.

GEORGEANNA (KIDD) CASE
For MAGISTRATE
District 4
Democratic May Primary

3-16-pd. by candidate

Today
your heart will pump
4,300 gallons of blood
through 60,000
miles of blood vessels.

What are you doing
to help?

One way to help your heart is to help the people who fight the diseases that can stop it.

That's us. The American Heart Association. We're doing everything in our power to fight the leading cause of death in this country: heart disease and stroke. With scientific research, professional and public education, community health programs, and many more.

Help your heart. Help us fight heart diseases. Your money is our ammunition.

Please give generously to the
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VAN CAMP

PORK AND BEANS

16 OZ. CANS

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NORTHERN

BATHROOM

TISSUE

WHITE OR ASSORTED

LIMIT 1 WITH \$10 ADDN. ORDER

4 ROLL PKG.

59¢

DEL MONTE FRENCH STYLE OR CUT

GREEN BEANS

Also Whole Kernel Or Cream Style Golden Corn

16 OZ. CANS

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Fruit Drinks

HAWAIIAN PUNCH

MANY FLAVORS

46 OZ. CAN

49¢

WASHINGTON RED OR GOLDEN

DELICIOUS

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DEL MONTE YELLOW CLING

PEACHES

GLAD

TRASH BAGS

SLICES, HALVES

29 OZ. CANS

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FARM FRESH PRODUCE

WHITE OR PINK

GRAPEFRUIT

5 LB. BAG

89¢

RED RIPE

STRAWBERRIES

PINT

49¢

FRESH CRISP

CARROTS

LB. BAG

29¢

DEL MONTE

FRUIT

COCKTAIL

16 OZ. CANS

2

89¢

DEL MONTE

TOMATO

CATSUP

14 OZ. BTL.

39¢

SUNSHINE

VANILLA

WAFERS

11 OZ. PKG.

49¢

CHOCOLATE DRINK MIX

NESTLES

QUICK

16 OZ. CAN

\$1 39

COUPON BARGAINS

COUPON

FINAL TOUCH

FABRIC SOFTENER

64 OZ. BOTTLE

\$1 29

Limit 1 With This Coupon Valid At Bestway Thru March 22, 1977

COUPON

TRIX

CEREAL

16 OZ. BOX

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Bar Soap

7 OZ. BARS

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Announcing
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For **MAGISTRATE**
District 4
Democratic May Primary
"Your friend that will never let you
down."
3-9-3t-pd.

BILL WELLS
of West Prestonsburg, Ky.

Democratic candidate for
County Judge—Executive

May primary election

Experienced... Qualified
3-16-7t.

Announcing
RUFFORD KIDD
For **CONSTABLE**
Dist. 4
Democratic May Primary
3-9-4t-pd. by candidate

For **Magistrate**
GERALD DeROSSETT
of Water Gap, Ky.
Democrat, District No. 1
2-2-13t-pd.

RAY WILCOX
of Auxier, Ky.
will appreciate your support for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1

May Democrat Primary

By reason of the recent Legislative
changes I am eminently qualified
for this office
(Pd. by candidate) 3-16-3t-pd.

Elect
HAROLD STUMBO
for
DISTRICT JUDGE
Floyd County
(2-3-1f. pd. by Pluma Stumbo)

SANDY BOYD
Democrat for
Magistrate, Dist. 4

With passage of the new Judicial laws, the magistrate will no longer
handle court cases. The magistrate's main responsibilities will be road
improvement and spending the taxpayer's money. In road improvement,
the main priority is to make these roads and hollows safe and passable for
the school busses. The safety of our children is and will be my main
concern.

Vote For and Support Sandy Boyd,
Someone Who Cares.
Sandy Boyd


**HARRY VINCEL
COOLEY**
for
MAGISTRATE
Dist. No. 1

Democratic primary

Your support
will be appreciated

**HARRY GORDON
ALLEN**
DEMOCRAT
SHERIFF
2-23-6t-pd.

Elect
ROBERT R. RATLIFF
Democrat for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 4
"By working together, we can
make things happen."
3-9-8t-pd. by candidate

RE-ELECT
LAWRENCE HALE
FOR
JAILER
OF FLOYD COUNTY
2-2-16t-pd.

OTIS SPARKMAN
Hueysville, Ky.
Democratic Candidate for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 2
May primary
(Pd. by candidate) 2-9-7t-pd.

BOB HACKWORTH
of Martin, Ky.
Democratic candidate for
Re-election as
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 2
May Democratic primary
2-2-9t-pd.

**CHARLES
MARTIN**
of Wayland, Ky.

Democratic Candidate for
CONSTABLE
Dist. No. 2
May Primary
(Pd. by candidate) 2-9-6t-pd.

FOR **CONSTABLE**
JAMES D. (Doug) WELLS
Prestonsburg, Ky.
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1
May Democratic primary
(Pd. by candidate) 2-9-10t-pd.

ZEB OUSLEY
Democratic Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2
May Primary, 1977
A vote for me will be a vote for
better roads and to remove
dumping fees from the landfill.
Your Friend,
ZEB OUSLEY
pd.

Announcing
JASON MOORE
For Constable, District 3
Democratic May Primary
1-19-6t. -pd.

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WILLIAMS—Phone 358-3571
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Re-Elect
PAUL STILTON
for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 4
Democratic primary
Your help will be appreciated.
1-26-18t-pd.

Announcing
EMERSON (BOB) BROWN
Republican
Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 3
May Primary
(3-2-5t. Pd. by candidate)

Announcing
HYDRAC HARMON
Stanville, Ky.

For **MAGISTRATE**
District 4
Democratic May Primary
3-9-2t-pd. by candidate)

Support Me Now, I'll Support
You Later—
BOBBY RANIER
For **SHERIFF**
Democrat, May Primary
Equal Protection For All.
(3-9-4t-pd. by candidate)

I have served you for the past three years as a Deputy Sheriff.
I will continue fighting Bootlegging, Selling and using Drugs
and all criminal activities. For this my record speaks.
Let me continue my service to you so that we may keep an
honest, dedicated Sheriff's Department that will keep our
county clean.

ELECT **DOUG LEWIS**
Democrat for **SHERIFF**
(1t-pd. by candidate) "A New Face with Clean Hands"

**HENRY C.
HALE**
DEMOCRAT FOR
SHERIFF
(Pd. by candidate) 3-16-4t-pd.

For continued road and bridge
building and work on our roads,
vote for
KENNETH ROBERTS
of Garrett, Ky.
Democratic Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2
May primary election.
1-12-19t-pd.

CLINNON MARTIN
Democrat for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 3

I am a coal miner and member of
Local Union 1741, UMWA. I am the
son of the late Paris and Nancie
Stumbo Martin. Funerals will be
escorted in District No. 3.
3-16-7t-pd. (by candidate)

ADRIAN RECTOR
Martin, Ky.
FOR **CONSTABLE**
District 3
Democratic May Primary
3-9-4t-pd. (by candidate)

LAWRENCE HICKS
Democrat for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 2
Equal Treatment to ALL
Your Vote will be Deeply Appreciated
(3-9-7t-pd. by candidate)

**JAMES LYNN
ALLEN**
of Langley, Ky.

Democratic candidate for
MAGISTRATE
Dist. 2
May primary election
(Pd. by candidate) 3-9-4t-pd.

BARBARA NEWSOME
Wife of Kermit Newsome,
East McDowell
Democratic Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 3
2-23-4t-pd. by candidate

Vote for
WILLIE HALE
of West Prestonsburg, for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 1
Democratic primary
3-2-8t-pd. by the candidate

Elect
DEWEY LEE ROGERS
Democrat
for **CONSTABLE, Dist. 4**
Your Vote Appreciated
3-2-5t-pd. by candidate

Re-Elect
FRANK LESLIE
OF **EMMA, KY., FOR**
SHERIFF - FLOYD COUNTY

May Democratic Primary

When elected once again you will
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ing your deputies.
Your funeral processions shall
and will have your sheriff or a
deputy as your escort; school
athletic events shall and will be
attended by the sheriff or his
deputies.
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be thoroughly investigated. Dirty
hands doesn't keep anyone from
having a clean heart.
(1t-pd. by the candidate)

Vote for
THOMAS D. TUCKER
Beaver, Ky.
For
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 4
May Democratic Primary
3-2-3t. Pd. by candidate


Announcing
ELDER HERSHELL HAMILTON
Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 4
May Democratic Election
"Building Bridges and
Upgrading the Roads"
(Pd. by candidate) 2-23-4t.

Announcing
JESSE WALLEN
Bull Creek
Democratic Candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1
May Election
3-2-4t-pd. by candidate

Announcing
WALTER STUMBO
for **MAGISTRATE, Dist. 3**
May Democratic Primary
"For better roads and
community work."
3-2-5t-pd. (by candidate)


For **Magistrate**
CURT BLACKBURN
of Prestonsburg, Ky.
Announces his candidacy for the
Democratic nomination for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1
1-26-4t-pd.

Vote For
EMMA M. PACK
for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 3
May Democratic Primary
3-2-5t-pd. by candidate


RE-ELECT
**HENRY
STUMBO**

YOUR COUNTY JUDGE
in the May Primary

Your Vote will be Appreciated.
(3-16-3t-pd. by Stumbo Campaign Committee; James R. Allen, Chm.)


**TO THE VOTERS
OF MAGISTERIAL
DISTRICT NO. 1**

(1) Just a little about myself. I live on Bull Creek, I am a member of Zebulon Lodge, no. 273,
and also, I am one of the Water Commissioners of the Bull Creek Water District. I have been
working on this project for four and a half years. So by working together with the citizens
of Bull Creek, and other interested people, we at last accomplished our goal.
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Gas Company. Then I will be ready to serve as a full time Magistrate—not four hours per
day, not just on Saturday, but eight hours each day, six days each week; or as many days
or hours that is necessary to get the job done.

Now, I want to take this means of letting all my friends and Kin Folk know that I am
a candidate for Magistrate of District No. 1, Floyd County, Kentucky. My name will be on
the Democratic Ballot in the May Primary Election, 1977. We have had a part time Magistrate
for almost 12 years. So let's try the next four years with a full time one. I can, and I will,
keep these promises. I have only four promises to make and here they are:

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WAY I POSSIBLY CAN FOR EVERYONE CONCERNED.
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3. I WILL GIVE \$100.00 EACH MONTH TO THE HEART FUND.
4. AND I WILL ALSO GIVE \$100.00 EACH MONTH TO THE KIDNEY
FUND.

So, if the good people of Magisterial District No. 1 want to help their children,
grandchildren, friends, and neighbors - to do so - all I'm asking you to do is very simple.
Elect me as your next Magistrate of District No. 1. This I can, and I will do, so help me God.

Jesse Wallen, Sr.
Bull Creek
(3-16-2t-pd. by the candidate)

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ELECT
WILLIE HALE
Democrat for Constable
Dist. No. 1

I am the son of James M. Hale and Mary Marslett Hale, of Blue River. I am married to the daughter of Lee Dillon and Celia Merritt Dillon, of Sugar Loaf. I have lived in Prestonsburg for the past 25 years, and I have worked for the Bank Josephine and H. D. Fitzpatrick for the past 30 years.
Your Vote and Support Will be Appreciated.
(Pd. for by candidate 3-9-2t.)



RE-ELECT
CORBIN JOSEPH
Democrat
CONSTABLE
District No. 1

(Pd. by candidate) 2-9-15t-pd.

DALLAS SHEPHERD
of Hueysville, Candidate for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 2
Republican primary election.

3-9-11t-pd. by candidate



ELECT
RUFUS THACKER
of Ivel, Ky.
Constable, Dist. 4
Democratic primary election

3-14-3t-pd. by candidate

Re-Elect
BUDDY BRYANT
Democrat for
CONSTABLE, Dist. 3
An officer 30 years. Your vote will be appreciated.
3-16-10t-pd. (by candidate)

Re-Elect
JAMES "JITTER" ALLEN
Your
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
Democratic primary election

Pd. by candidate 1t

Elect
HOLLAND B. HURLEY
Democratic Candidate
FOR SHERIFF



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I work for the Chessie System and I am local chairman of the Railroad Trackmen's Union. I also am against drug pushers and bootleggers, and I hope you the voters give me a chance to prove it.

Also, if I am elected Sheriff, I will have meetings in each district, so the voters can help me pick my Deputies. I hope, if elected, to talk to churches, schools, postmasters and other groups of citizens to see how we can make our county a safe place to live in and raise our children.

I also am a friend of the coal miners.

Please Vote and Support
HOLLAND B. HURLEY

(Adv. pd. by the candidate.)



LEONARD ("LIGHTNING") JOSEPH, Jr.
Democrat for
JAILER
of Floyd County

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4. This I Pledge to All People, NOT Just A Select Few.

(3-9-2t-pd. by the candidate)

JAKE LAYNE
for
MAGISTRATE
DISTRICT 2



I am the son of Taylor Layne and Martha Hale Layne, of Stephens Branch, Manton, Ky. My paternal grandparents are the late Alphord Layne and Mary Carver Layne. My maternal grandparents are the late Wess Hale and Sarah Kennedy Hale.

My wife, Pauline, is the daughter of M. F. Patton, of Eastern, Ky., and Pearl Prater Patton, of Ypsilanti, Mich. We have five children, Brenda Joyce Burton, of Stanton, Ky., Glenda Kay Merion, Martin, Ky., John Phillip, a student at Morehead University, Bert Ricky (Dewey) and Kathy Lynn, at home. We also have three granddaughters. Pauline and I own and operate Layne's Grocery at Manton, Ky.

I graduated from Martin high school in 1942 and served three years in the US Air Force during World War 2.

I am an active member of the UMW. I have served as an officer of two Local Unions—7791 at Langley, and 6282 at Manton, for twenty years. I have also served as a Notary Public for the last seven years.

During all these years, I have filled out many forms for my brothers of the UMW, regardless of the local Union they belonged to. I have also notarized many papers during my last seven years as Notary Public.

All of you people offered to pay me for the services that I did for you, but I never accepted anything. These things I did because I wanted to help you. Now, I would like to ask all of you to help and support me, Jake Layne, for Magistrate in District 2.

If you do not live in my district, but know some people who do, would you please talk to these people and tell them about me?

Every politician will tell you, I am honest and sober. I am not asking you to take my word alone. If you want to know anything about me, ask the people who know me.

This is my application for the job as Magistrate in District 2. If you want a man that will help all of the people in this District, regardless of where they live, vote for me.

Your help will be appreciated.
JAKE LAYNE, a Democrat

(Pd. for by candidate, 3-9-3t.)



Charles (Leffie)
HARMON
Democrat for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1

I will appreciate your vote.

3-16-3t-pd. by candidate

Elect
SCOTT COLLINS
for
DISTRICT JUDGE

Your support and vote
will be appreciated.

(3-16-2t-pd. by the candidate)

NOTICE

Charles Martin, of Hueysville, son of Kennel Martin, is not the person of the same name who is running for Constable in District 2.

3-9-2t-pd.

Vote for
DELMER (DICK) ELSWICK
Democrat for
SHERIFF

May primary election

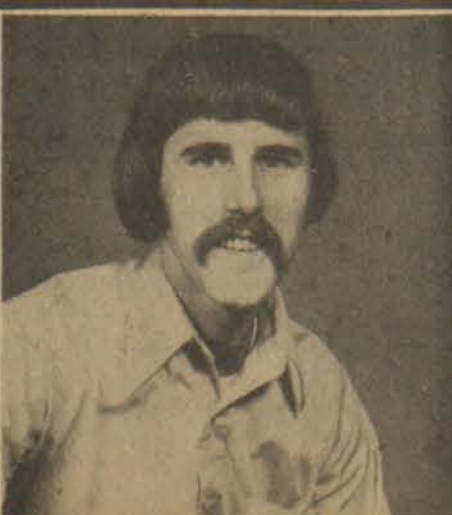
(Adv. pd. 1t. by the candidate)



ARVEL (Mush) NELSON
Democrat for
SHERIFF

Vote for protection for you and your family. I pledge an open line to the Sheriff's Dept. 24 hours a day. (Formerly ABC Agent)
Your vote will be deeply appreciated.

1t-pd. (by candidate)



ELECT
Curtis (Tammy) Blackburn
Democrat For
Magistrate
DISTRICT 1

Your Vote Appreciated

(2-23-4t-pd. by candidate)



ELECT
CHARLIE JOHNSON
Democrat for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1

I will work for better roads and the interest of the people. Your vote will be appreciated. Thank you.

3-16-3t-pd. by candidate

FOR CONTINUED PROGRESS IN
DISTRICT 3 . . .

Re-Elect
LEROY AKERS
of McDowell, Ky.

MAGISTRATE
Dist. 3

May Democratic primary

(Pd. by candidate) 3-16-4t-pd.

For Magistrate

EDWARD CAUDILL
of Hi Hat, Ky., announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for
MAGISTRATE
District No. 3

(Pd. by candidate) 1t-pd.

Vote for
GREENVILLE BRANHAM
Democratic candidate for
CORONER of Floyd County

1t-pd. by the candidate

Vote
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(Pd. by candidate)

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Story of the Irish Peddler Remembered in East Kentucky

By HELEN PRICE STACY

His name was Morris Hagerty and he has been dead since 1855. Still, his story is well remembered in Eastern Kentucky. The Irish Peddler's death accounts for three place names in Morgan county; a Floyd Countian wrote a small book about Hagerty and his death, and Boyd county firm published the book.

At the end of Peddler Street in West Liberty is a grave cut from solid rock that holds the bones of the Irishman. Low on a hillside at the end of a short hollow just off Prestonsburg Street in the Morgan county seat is the site of the hanging of Bill Brown who was charged with killing Hagerty.

"I remember the hanging tree," said William Caskey of Hagerstown, Md., native of Morgan county. Now in his 90's, Caskey recalled as a boy walking back and forth to town from his Spaws Creek home. "I had to pass Gallows Hollow. In daytime it was not so bad, but if I was late coming from town I'd start whistling long before I reached the spot—to give me courage. After the hanging, folks said the tree started to die. When I passed the tree it stood out in the moonlight like it was made of chalk."

High on a mountain in east Morgan County at a place now called Peddler Gap, Morris Hagerty made his way that day, on his back a pack of notions to sell along the road to Paintsville. He had been up since before daybreak and, tired from his journey, decided to rest awhile beneath a tree. He sat down, put his pack at his side and soon fell asleep.

Later, when his body was discovered, William H. Brown was arrested and charged with the killing. The motive: robbery. One oldtimer recalled in 1972 that "if Brown's companion had not been found wearing the peddler's gold watch, the murder might not have been solved."

The late Bernard E. Whitt, of West Liberty, once pointed out the names of some of those who were involved in the arrest and trial. "My kinsman, Bill Mynheir, was sheriff at the time," Whitt said, "and the name of the jailer was Bill Walsh. Morgan county judge at the time was William B. Lykins." The man with Bill Brown who was found wearing the Peddler's watch was a Williams.

"You shall hang till you are dead! dead! dead!" said the judge in passing sentence. On Dec. 9, 1853 the sentence was to be carried out.

In that era word of a hanging made news from county to county. On the day the rope was swung from the large tree in Gallows Hollow, one of the biggest crowds to gather in the county seat thronged the main streets.

A wagon pulled up to the Morgan county jail. Resting on the wagon bed was a pipe box, a homemade coffin in which to bury Brown after the hanging.

Those who remember the stories told that Brown seemed jolly enough when he was led from the jail and climbed on the wagon to sit on the box for the ride down Main Street, then up Prestonsburg Road to the Hollow.

"He waved to the crowd," Whitt said, "and called greetings to friends and relatives. He even joked with some of the crowd."

At the hanging tree the atmosphere became more solemn and a quietness replaced what had seemed a celebration.

Afterwards, Brown's body was placed in the box and the wagon made its way several miles to the Brown cemetery at

Rockhouse, where a field stone marks the spot. The Irish Peddler's body had been buried in the rock grave on the banks of Licking River, just off North Main Street.

The late Ed Jenia's father had been one of those at the hanging and later had purchased a small book—a ballad of the incident—written by Travis D. Kendall, of Floyd county, and published in Catlettsburg.

In the introduction to the long ballad Kendall wrote: "I shall not write from any prejudice against Mr. Brown nor with a desire to molest the feelings of surviving friends . . . Though the sins were of the blackest dye, I hope through the merits of that Savior, whose blood cleanses from all sin, that he found pardon . . ."

In springtime when wildflowers bloom, purple pansies carpet the hillside at Gallows Hollow in West Liberty, and at the Brown cemetery at Rockhouse, violets bloom profusely over the grave of William H. Brown.

Middle East Literature Rescheduled at PCC

The course in "Middle East Literature and Culture" has been rescheduled to begin at Prestonsburg Community College, March 21. The class, taught by Dr. Ben Fuson, who has travelled and lived in the Middle East for several years, will meet in Room 207 of the Technology Building from 6 to 7:30 p.m. for seven Monday night sessions.

For more information contact the Office of Community Services, Prestonsburg Community College, telephone 886-3863.

The average American's per capita income in 1975 was \$5,902, the U.S. Department of Commerce says.

Historic Preservation Now National Effort

Frankfort, Ky.—State historic preservation officers from across the nation are pooling their resources to promote and generate historic preservation, according to Eldred W. Melton, state historic preservation officer and director of the state Heritage Commission.

The officers have united in the form of the National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers. Melton said the group plans "to provide an exchange of ideas and information about ways state and federal programs can carry out preservation of the nation's historic and cultural heritage."

Melton explained that the group's objectives also includes providing for research and development of historic preservation programs and proposing state and federal legislation with which to put the programs to use. "Another goal is setting up coordination with federal and state agencies that finance and administer programs in the interest of historic preservation," she said.

Keeping the public informed of the historic preservation group's objectives and activities and gathering public support for the program are also targets of the national group.

According to Melton, the creation of the group "gives us national visibility as a consortium of states for the purposes of promoting historic preservation."

Melton, who served on the executive committee for the past year, has been elected to a two-year term on the 12-month board of directors of the National Conference on State Historic Preservation Officers.

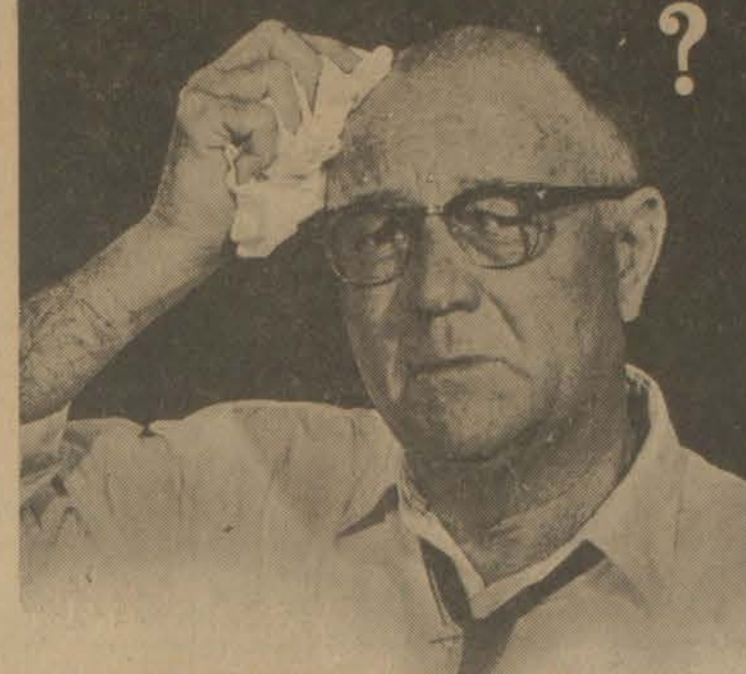
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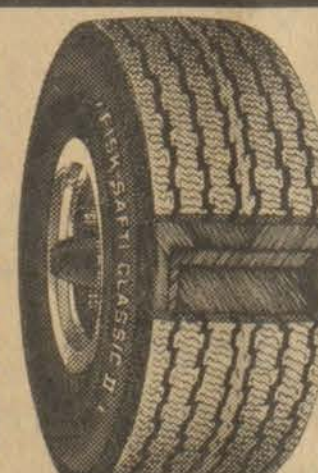
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BOYD GRADUATES



David Lee Boyd, of Harold, has graduated from Navy recruit training in Orlando, Florida. A resident of the Toler Creek area, Boyd entered the Navy's delayed entry program last November and reported for active duty in December. He will be attending basic electricity-electronics school in Orlando, and then go to Navy Electronics Technician School in Great Lakes, Illinois. The son of Norma Boyd, he attended Betsy Layne High School and Prestonsburg Community College.

Gov. Carroll Talks Crime Prevention

Louisville, Ky., Mar. 8—Gov. Julian Carroll today announced a seven-step plan to accelerate crime prevention activities in the Commonwealth.

"We need a strong police-citizen partnership in prevention rather than reaction to crime to accomplish it," he said.

The Governor was addressing representatives from 33 states and the territory of Guam at the National Crime Prevention Institute Conference in Louisville.

He said public education is essential. "We are on the threshold of finally getting across to the American people exactly what it costs them in the area of crime."

Carroll said that during the proposed 1977 Crime Prevention Week, he will encourage each of the 30,000 state employees to mark their belongings and hope for a 100 per cent participation. The new crime prevention program will include:

Group identification kits provided to serve entire neighborhoods or groups instead of just one citizen.

A farm identification program will be emphasized because of what Carroll called "crime displacement." The burglars are moving from urban areas to rural areas not as well covered by operation ID. Eventually, working

together nationally, he added, we can drive out the thieves so they have nowhere to go in this country.

A third identification program is aimed at retail stores. It encourages them to mark items at the time of purchase for permanent identification.

A task force of bankers, businessmen and law enforcement officials has been organized in Kentucky to combat economic crime.

Carroll also called for an "all out" education program to inform especially senior citizens about fraud.

Two other areas the Governor mentioned were incorporating security requirements into building codes and putting more force into shoplifting laws. Operation identification numbers will be incorporated in the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) for national access to stolen identified items.

Currently there are 17 states with statewide crime prevention programs and 12 in the planning stages. The National Crime Prevention Institute, headed by B. M. "Mack" Gray, II, is located at the University of Louisville Shelby Campus.

Floyd County Health Notes

The Floyd County Health Department will be conducting the following clinics within this coming week:

A glaucoma clinic, Friday, March 18, at the health department in Prestonsburg. This clinic will last from 9 to 11:30 and 1 to 4 and all persons age 35 or more are reminded that they should be tested for glaucoma at least once every two years; an outpost clinic at Ethel Osborne's Store in Bypro, Monday, March 21. Clinic hours will be from 10 to 12 and 1 to 2 with the following medical services being available: immunizations, TB skin tests, diabetes screening and blood pressures.

Another glaucoma clinic will be held Wednesday, March 23, with clinic hours from 9 to 11:30 and 1 to 4.

Services at these clinics are offered, free of charge, and the public is welcome and urged to attend.

HANDICAPPED WORKERS may benefit from the U. S. Employment Service's special placement techniques that seek to match the physical and mental demands of jobs to the capabilities of workers; services include special employment counseling and placement assistance for the physically and mentally handicapped.

To the Voters of District No. 3

I have been a voter for 40 years and have been in business 18 years at McDowell, Kentucky. My three kids never had a truck or a bus in all their years in school. We lived in Bill Hall branch and they walked everyday and I also walked during the eight years I worked at school.

My father, G. R. Moore, worked and begged for a road before he passed away but never got one. I was born on the head of Frasure's Creek and raised on Bill Hall branch and I do know the needs of the people up these hollows.

If I am elected Magistrate, I promise I will do everything I can to help the hollow people. Someone asked me if I was a highway candidate. No, I am not! I am a country road candidate.

I belong to the Drift Woman's Club and we have bought ground for a park at Minnie for our children, a ball park and also a swimming pool so our children won't have to go all the way to Prestonsburg. It will also mean more jobs for our people.

I am Henry Stumbo's great niece and related to the Moores, Packs, Hamiltons, Akers and Stumbos.

If you elect me and ask me for help, I promise if I don't get what you want, I will sit on the courthouse steps until they hear me.

EMMA PACK

11-pd. (by candidate)

District Nurses' Meet Scheduled at College

The Kentucky Nurses Association, District 11 will meet Thursday, March 17, at 7 p.m. in Room 216 of the Pike Technology Building at Prestonsburg Community College.

Guest-speaker will be Gail Gillem, who will discuss the Eastern Kentucky Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Thelma.

All registered nurses are urged to attend. For further information contact Madonna C. Combs, 886-3863, ext. 260.

Counties To Pay Cost of Audits

Frankfort, Ky.—County funds must finance county fee officers audits and "state" audits made by the State Auditor in individual counties, according to an opinion by Assistant Attorney General Charles Runyan.

In answer to State Auditor George Atkins' question on whether counties should be billed one-half or the entire cost of the "state" audit, Runyan cited an amendment to KRS 43.070. The amendment, he said, showed intent to include cost of the "state" audit along with the county.

The "state" audit, Runyan said, includes circuit clerks, county judges, county clerks, sheriffs and justices of the peace exercising criminal jurisdiction; officials who handle state money as well as county money.

THE U. S. EMPLOYMENT Service and affiliated state agencies operate over 2,400 local offices to serve those seeking employment and those providing it; services include outreach, interviewing, testing, counseling, and referral to placement and training.

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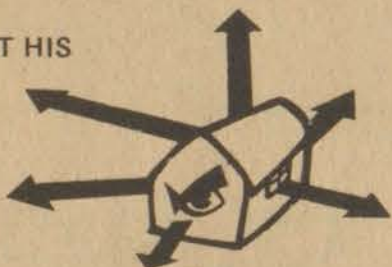
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Prestonsburg Students Win Superiors at Speech Festival

Jeff Weddle and Phillip Bishop, of Prestonsburg High School, won superior ratings in the broadcasting category of the senior division at the Pikeville regional festival of the Kentucky High School Speech League, March 3.

Both junior and senior high school students participated in the day-long event. The Pikeville region includes schools in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties.

Bob Ford, associate professor of English at Pikeville College, served as coordinator for the festival, which was hosted by the college. Ford said that more than 200 students from the five-county region participated in one or more of several events.

Judging took place for senior high students (grades 9-12) in debate, discussion, humorous dramatic literature, broadcast announcing, analysis and original oratory, serious dramatic literature, prose interpretation, storytelling, poetry interpretation, and duet acting.

Junior high students were judged in the categories of debate, dramatic literature and prose interpretation, duet acting, poetry interpretation, storytelling, monologue, and broadcast announcing and public speaking.

Sweepstakes awards were presented to the schools whose participants

cumulatively amassed the most points in all festival events combined. Senior division sweepstakes awards went to Belfry High, first place; Pikeville High, second, and Millard High, third.

Sweepstakes awards in the junior division went to Feds Creek Junior High, first place; Johns Creek Junior High, second, and Phelps Junior High, third.

All participants who earned a superior rating in an event are eligible to compete in the state tournaments held in Lexington. The senior division state competition is set for April 1 and 2; the junior division state meet will be held April 22 and 23.

In addition to the Prestonsburg students, the following won superior ratings in the senior division:

Analysis—Cas Swigart, Jackie Trout and Anita Harlow, Belfry.

Broadcasting—Ted Shannon, Belfry; Cindy May, Steve Newsome and Charlie Deaton, Pikeville; Judy St. Clair and Gary Patton, Millard; Keith Williamson, Feds Creek; Sherry O'Quinn, Elkhorn City; Sanford Dotson, Phelps; James Corbitt and Teresa Hylton, Virgie; and Robert Marsh, Paintsville.

Discussion—Sharon Brookhart, Belfry; Dawn Deskins and Mark White, Pikeville, and Theresa Howell, Feds Creek.

Humorous Dramatic Literature—Cathy Moore and Dawn Deskins, Pikeville; Rhoda Scott, Millard; Karen May, Johns Creek; Amy Pickleseimer, Virgie; and Terri Auxier, Paintsville.

Serious Dramatic Literature—Jonda Blackburn, Johns Creek.

Duet Acting—Rhonda Morris and Bruce Copley, Belfry; Bartley and Stanley, Millard; and Myra Jo Fraley and Danny Adkins, Mullins.

Oratory—Cam Robinson, Pikeville, and Lucille Grierson, Millard.

Poetry—Henrietta Crews, Belfry; Tammy Jo Justice, Tammy Hobbs and Sandy Huber, Pikeville; Gary Patton, Millard; Freddie Abshire, Feds Creek; Robert Sheldon, Pikeville; Adrian Charles, Jonda Blackburn, Carolyn Stratton and Sandra Smith, Johns Creek; Valerie Mullins, Virgie; Roger Blair, Paintsville; and Kathy Epling and Mark Porter, Mullins.

Prose—Myron Emody, Belfry; Jeanne Ritchie and Jeannie Taylor, Millard; Adrian Charles, Vada King and Janet Atkins, Johns Creek; David Riddle, Virgie; and J. D. Johnson, Vickie Kail and Brenda Williams, Paintsville.

Storytelling—Rhonda Morris and Mariella Booth, Belfry; John Ford, Audrey Fanning and Veronica Johnson, Millard; and Amy Black, Pikeville.

Junior division superior ratings were earned by the following students:

Monologue—Bonita Blackburn and Cassie Clevinger, Johns Creek; Ersel Smith, Carolyn Stump and Deborah Wallace, Phelps; and Melishia Scott, Tammy Colley and Karen Bevins, Millard.

Dramatic Interpretation—Anita Harmon, Feds Creek.

Duet Acting—Jan Herrar and Donga Taylor, Veronica Goff and Kevin Gannon and Renee Davis and Wayne Taylor, Johns Creek; Angela Smith and Brenda Justice and Jones and Hickman, Phelps.

Poetry—Bonita Blackburn, Johns Creek, and Craig Sanders, Phelps.

Prose—Teresa Miller, Feds Creek.

Public Speaking—Teresa Blackburn, Johns Creek.

Storytelling—Ricky Clevinger, Feds Creek, and Judy Justice, Johns Creek.

Broadcasting—Kathy Smith, Becky Craig and Ricky Clevinger, Feds Creek; Millie Puckett, Elkhorn City.

Information Available On Home Insulation

Frankfort, Ky.—The extreme winter weather has made many homeowners aware of the need to weatherize their homes to conserve energy and help reduce heating costs.

Information on the selection and use of insulation materials is contained in a brochure, "How to Save Money by Insulating Your Home."

The brochure gives practical instructions and advice on the use of insulation, caulking and weatherstripping. It also gives tips on hiring an insulation contractor.

Weatherization of homes also helps reduce summer cooling costs.

The free booklet, printed by the Federal Energy Administration, may be obtained from the Kentucky Department of Energy, Ninth Floor, Capital Plaza Tower, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

To Subscribers

Please note date shown opposite your name on your copy of The Times or on the wrapper. If the date reads, for instance, "March 77," your subscription will expire at the end of March.

Because of increased mailing costs, notices to subscribers of their expiration dates will be discontinued. Subscriptions which have expired must be cancelled within one month of the expiration date.

Yearly subscription rates are: \$6.30 in Floyd county; \$7.35 elsewhere in Kentucky; \$8.50 outside Kentucky.

Consumer Comments

By ROBERT F. STEPHENS
Attorney General

Spring brings out the fly-by-night con artist specializing in home repairs. The Consumer Protection Division will receive many complaints in the next few months about fraudulent businesses involved in house and barn painting, tree-trimming, driveway sealing, basement waterproofing, aluminum siding, and other home-related repairs and projects.

All of these gimmicks can be avoided by doing business with reputable established companies and by following these precautions before having any work done:

Start by getting the names and addresses of several contractors, and ask at least three to come to your home. Explain to each what work you want done, and let him inspect that part of your house where the work is to be performed.

Then ask each of these contractors to give you a firm, written estimate. These estimates should contain a specific description of the work to be done and should include a description of the kind and quality of materials to be used. Make certain that all the estimate include the total price.

After you get the written estimates, you are ready to make a choice. But don't just consider price. Information on the workmanship of the contractor, your feelings about the contractor's reliability, the amount of work time involved, and the guarantee offered should all enter into your decision.

After you select a contractor, ask him to submit a written contract based on his estimate. Read the contract thoroughly, understand it, make sure all blanks are completed, and that you know how much the work will cost. Do these things, before you sign any papers.

After the work has been completed, if your repairs are being financed, you may be requested by the contractor to sign a certificate of completion so that he can receive payment from the bank or finance company. Before signing the certificate, inspect the work thoroughly.

If you feel you have a complaint about the materials or the work, do not sign the certificate of completion. Under no circumstances should the certificate ever be signed before all work is completed.

These precautions will help you to avoid consumer problems which are difficult to resolve.

If you have a consumer complaint, write to the Office of the Attorney General, Division of Consumer Protection, Frankfort, Ky. 40601. The office has found that it can most effectively deal with written complaints and encourages you to write when you have a complaint. However, if you have an emergency situation call the Consumer Hotline. The number is 1-800-372-2960.

FIVE DIE, 12 HURT AFTER SOCCER GAME

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala—Five people were killed and 12 others injured when a hard-fought soccer game between soldiers and civilians boiled over into a postgame battle with guns and machetes, the army has reported.

BODY OF VIRGIE MAN FOUND ELKHORN CITY, Ky.

Thursday, Feb. 18, reported finding the body of a Virgie man who apparently died of exposure after falling into the Big Sandy River near Marrowbone. Kentucky State Police identified the victim as Oliver White, 40.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MAGISTERIAL DIST. 2

As you all know, the election is drawing near, and it is in your hands to choose who will be your next magistrate.

I am a former magistrate and Democrat candidate for Magistrate in District 2.

We built several roads and bridges and kept them so the people could travel them during my term in office.

We got gravel for the county aid roads every fall and now I notice some don't get any gravel. The grader has scraped them down to the dirt.

Here is some new money that has come into the county that we didn't get while I was Magistrate. This is recorded at the Court House at Prestonsburg, Ky.

Revenue Sharing to County:

Rec'd 1974, \$584,747.00

Rec'd 1975, \$350,422.00

Coal Severance Tax:

Rec'd 1974, \$297,269.70

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The total for this is \$2,312,451.95

With all this extra money for the county I think you all should have better roads and bridges. Some are worse now than they were four years ago.

Here is a Fiscal Court meeting in February, 1976:

"In re Floyd County Sanitation. On motion of Kenneth Roberts and seconded by Leroy Akers it is moved by the Floyd County Fiscal Court to purchase the Floyd County Sanitation of all their equipment, franchises and including the 100 shares owned by Adrian Laferty as well as all contracts owned by Floyd County Sanitation, Inc."

"It is further understood that Gene Wright, Supervisor of the Floyd County Sanitation, Inc., be maintained on the payroll for the remainder of sixteen months at \$1600.00 per month. Total purchase price of Floyd County Sanitation will be \$315,000."

This is how they voted:

Mag. Dist. 1, Bill Wells abstained from voting.

Mag. Dist. 2, Kenneth Roberts, Yes

Mag. Dist. 3, Leroy Akers, Yes

Mag. Dist. 4, Dewey Roberts, No

County Judge Henry Stumbo, No

Thanks to Henry Stumbo and Dewey Roberts. The Fiscal Court met at a later date and this was brought up by the court:

"In re motion on of Floyd County Sanitation. On motion of Kenneth Roberts and seconded by — that court make Adrian Laferty an offer in the amount of \$70,000.00 for all equipment exempting Floyd County Office Building of The Floyd County Sanitation Department in District 1 (one). Also to make Okie Lawson of District 4 (four) an offer for the amount of \$15,000.00."

Said motion died for lack of second. Appraisers were sent out to appraise all of Floyd County Sanitation, Inc. equipment. Each piece of equipment was appraised and all amounted to \$32,600.00. To take \$32,600.00 from \$315,000.00 leaves \$282,400.00 besides the man on the payroll at \$1600.00 per month for 16 months. That is a lot of your money to be given away.

I ask you people to elect me your Magistrate, and I will not work any such deals as this. I will work for the best interest of you people and our young boys and girls, for they are our most precious future resources. I hope when you go to vote you will remember this and vote for me.

May God bless you all is my wish. A friend to all.

ZEB OUSLEY

(Adv. pd for by the candidate)

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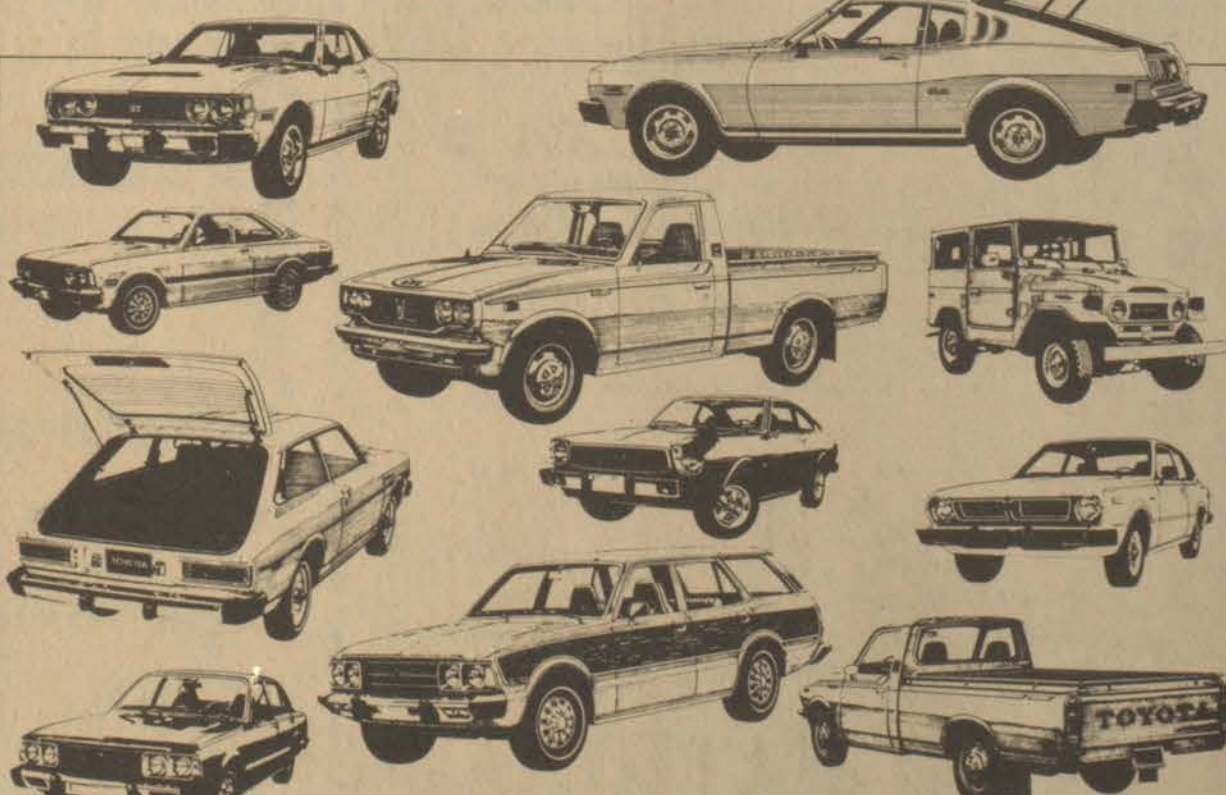
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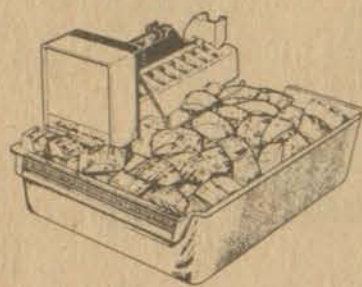
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Wildlife Officers Complete Course

Richmond, Ky.—The Kentucky Bureau of Training at Eastern Kentucky University has awarded 31 certificates to state fish and wildlife conservation officers completing the agency's third basic course.

Dr. Robert R. Martin, ECU president emeritus, was the graduation speaker. During the four-week course the officers were taught first aid, environmental protection, complaint handling, identifying and detecting narcotics and explosives, and the proper techniques of arrest.

They also studied federal and state gas laws, case preparation, and testifying in court.

The program included Bureau Commissioner Robert Clark Stone; William J. Thomas, director of law enforcement training, and Arnold Mitchell, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

The Bureau, headquartered at Eastern, is part of the Kentucky Department of Justice.

Spiritual Emphasis Days Set



Spiritual Emphasis Days at Pikeville College have been set for March 21-23, the minister to the college, the Rev. Roger Keller, announced this week. The three days will feature creative evangelism services with Rev. Frank M. Roughton, of Cambridge, Ohio, as well as concerts by Common Ground, a musical group based in Orlando, Florida.

Roughton will conduct programs at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Monday, March 21 and Tuesday, March 22 in Faith Chapel. Common Ground concerts are set at the same times on Wednesday, March 23, also in Faith Chapel.

Area residents as well as students and employees of Pikeville College are welcome to attend any one or all of the programs. There is no admission charge for any of the presentations.

Governor Tells Welfare Reform Views at Hearing

Gov. Julian M. Carroll outlined his views on welfare reform at the opening Tuesday of a public hearing on the subject in the Capitol's Senate Chambers.

The purpose of the hearing was to solicit viewpoints and recommendations on welfare reform for submission this month to the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Joseph F. Califano, Jr., Thomas M. Ward, executive director of the Governor's Task Force on Welfare, said. About 100 letters were mailed to agencies, citizens groups and individuals, inviting participation in the hearing.

The hearing was held as part of President Carter's campaign pledge to enact major reform of the nation's welfare system. All statements from Kentucky's agencies and citizens must be submitted to Atlanta by March 20.

Six major issues have been identified for possible comment. They are: coverage and benefit levels; relationship between the income maintenance system and the labor market; appropriate roles for federal, state and local governments; impact of the welfare system on the family; relationship between welfare and social services; and administration and management.

NOTICE

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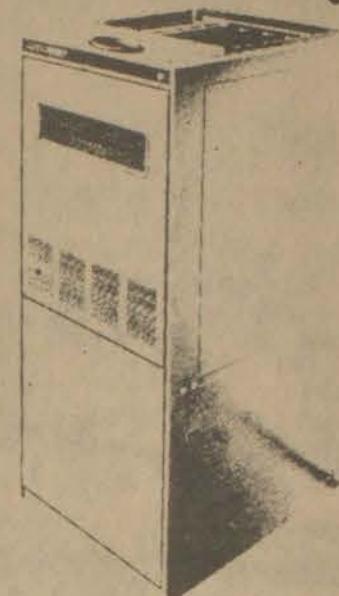
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