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DECEMBER 11, 1952

This Town-- That World

NEW PROGRAM WILL INCLUDE VALLEY STUDY

The industrial and agricultural potential of Northeast Kentucky, including the Big Sandy valley, will be the subject of a survey planned by the State Agricultural and Experiment Station, it was announced this week.

The survey is planned in cooperation with agencies, governmental and private.

The study will include water resources and possible canalization of the Big Sandy river.

The survey was announced by George W. Huley, Jr., executive director of the board, in line with a pledge made by Governor Wetherby recently at an Eastern Ky. Town Hall gathering in Ashland. He promised to do everything in his power to develop natural resources in this section.

The survey will be the most complete yet undertaken by the board, including the work that it is doing in cooperation with federal agencies, West Kentucky in development of the Paducah and Kentucky Lake areas.

The Governor revealed that the board was not working with railway companies, power companies, the United States Department of Commerce, and interested state and local civic bodies.

Dr. Donald P. Brown, chief of the board's research division, has started the groundwork for the study.

Huley said a conference would be called with civic-group representatives and public officials in the area sometime next month for further discussion.

WE AGREE

Sen. J. B. Connelley, in a letter to the editor of the Times, said he is in favor of the Children's Haven and is glad to see it is being built.

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TRIVIA

The fire department made another run this week and the Chief Vernon Blackman says the department's record of the last four calls.

"Three of our burned homes and an over-baked chicken."

THIS IS WHAT IT IS

The sun has been over this district for three months now. We haven't said anything about it, nor have we moved it. We don't know what this is, you know. But since that's not true, we are now offering you an interesting idea. What if I fishing you? We'll print all the card you.

LEGION, AUX MEET SLATED

For Two Days at Martin
This Week-End; Social,
Business Meets, Booked

Gen. R. Martin, Jr., commander of the 10th district, American Legion, and Mrs. Virginia A. Draughn, president of the 10th district Auxiliary, announced plans for a two-day joint gathering of Posts and Units of the district at Martin this week-end.

This is a Christmas meeting which will combine business and social activities. Only Legionnaires and their wives or Auxiliary members and their husbands will be admitted to the sessions.

Kentucky Department Commander Harry Hensbrough will address the business session Sunday afternoon at the Martin high school auditorium. Department Adjutant Tom Hayden, Forrest Newton, assistant adjutant, and James Warren, past department commander, will attend the two-day session.

The social activities planned for Saturday will include a spaghetti supper at 8 p. m. and a business meeting will begin at 2 p. m.

COURT HOUSE Happenings

SUITS FILED

Troy Mullins vs. Italy Mullins; W. W. Burnett, atty. vs. Mary Hall, W. W. Burnett, atty. vs. Mine Safety Appliances Co. vs. Ky. River Collieries, Inc.; Marshall Davidson, atty. vs. J. M. Hall vs. Inter-Ocean Insurance Co.; J. W. Hobson, atty. vs. Rhoda Albert vs. Ed Habbert; Morris Martin, atty. vs. McKinley Hayden vs. Violet Hayden; W. W. Burnett, atty. vs. Louis Fouts vs. Arnold Fouts, W. W. Burnett, atty. vs. Mary Hall Canada vs. Luther Canada; R. S. Wellman, atty. vs. Mack Martin; W. W. Burnett, atty. vs. Richard Arnett; P. K. Darnon, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lanorett Vetter Clark, 23, Amba, and Violet Merrill Newsome, 16, Grithel; married here Dec. 6. The Rev. John King officiating. David Melvin Hall and Parcie Johnson, Betty Jo Parsons, 22, Harold, and Sainy Jo Tramm, 18, Martin; marriage solemnized at Banner Dec. 6 by the Rev. Isaac Stratton. Joe Collier and Ravela Stumbo, Johnnie P. Miller and Cora Lee Stone.

TAX LEAGUE ELECTION IS DISPUTED

Chairman of Seal Sale Reviews Progress Made In Tuberculosis Fight

The 47th birthday of the Christmas Seal Sale, December 7, found us well along the road to victory over tuberculosis. O. Turner, superintendent of Floyd county schools and chairman of the Floyd county Seal drive, said this week. Since 1907, the disease has been forced down from first to sixth place among causes of death in the United States.

"But we must not think for a moment that the job is done," he warned. "We must not relax our efforts against TB, which still kills 14 and 15, which still strikes 115,000 persons in the United States every year."

The first Christmas Seal Sale was conducted by Miss Emily Bissell, a welfare worker of Wilmington, Delaware, in 1905 for a few weeks to help tuberculosis patients. Mr. Turner explained. Out of this developed a national organization, the National Tuberculosis Association, and its 3,000 affiliated associations of which the Floyd Tuberculosis Association is one.

Fighting tribute to the women volunteers who staff Christmas Seal campaigns now being carried on by the Association, he declared, "Like Mike, they see a job to be done. They know they are taking part in the fight against tuberculosis. They are working to make our country a better place in which to live."

Returns continued to come in, bringing the total for Floyd county to \$1,825.

1952 TO BE DEWEY LAKE'S BIGGEST YEAR AS VISITOR TOTAL OF 550,000 EXPECTED FOR GAIN OF 50,000 OVER LAST SEASON

By year's end Dewey Lake will have attracted 550,000 more visitors than it did during 1951, according to estimates made by Roy Moore, reservoir manager.

Last year, the total number of visitors barely edged past the 500,000 mark. As of Dec. 1, Mr. Moore said, the figure for this year stood at 546,000.

Last month, according to Mr. Moore's estimate which was based on spot checks by rangers and observation from major points of interest, 21,450 persons visited the lake with 2,300 visiting the area on Sunday, May 23, the biggest day of the month.

CHANGE PLANS TOLD BY BANK

COUNTY FAILS BLOOD QUOTA

Blame for the failure of the bloodmobile to receive even half its 125-pint-per-visit quota of blood at Martin last Wednesday must, as usual, rest on those who had signed donor pledge cards, then failed to appear, it was said this week.

Donor recruitment workers there had 72 completed appointments for donors. Of these, only 36 appeared. There were 20 rejected as donors, and had not a large number of persons willing to act as volunteers without having previously signed pledge cards, the result would have been much less than the 51 pints of blood received.

The need for blood is so great and the response so pitifully weak that the head nurse with the bloodmobile, Ann Sigfried, gave her pint of blood, then resumed her regular duties for the day.

While the county was falling down on its blood assignment, Pike county was supplying 94 pints and (See Story No. 4, Page 8)

RADIO STATION HERE ON AIR

WPRT's First Broadcast Made Last Friday Noon; Studio Near City Limits

Radio Station WPRT, Prestonsburg, went on the air last Friday noon with a full day program. The station operates on 1,000 kilowatt power at 950 on the dial, and is the most powerful in the valley with the exception of WLSE, Paducah, which has the same power.

The station and studio are located on the L. M. Mayo farm, near the upper Prestonsburg city limits.

Mr. D. C. Stephens, of Prestonsburg, the station has the following personnel:

Rex Osborne, station manager; Jimmie Smith, disc jockey; Bill Robinson, J. Sports announcer; Mrs. Mattie B. Quinn, continuity and receptionist; Mrs. D. C. Stephens, bookkeeper.

BOTH PARTIES REPORT COST

Of November Campaign; Perkins Lists Expenses In Seventh of \$542.22

Prestonsburg, Ky., Dec. 4.—The Democratic state campaign committee's post-election expense account showed contributions totaling \$542.22 and disbursements amounting to \$55,488.73.

The report, filed with the State Board of Election by Campaign Chairman Clyde Watson, didn't specify the exact dates it covered.

The Republican state campaign committee's report covering the period October 16 to November 10, showed contributions of \$29,800 and expenditures of \$47,500.44.

It was filed by Campaign Chairman Thurston B. Morton.

Republican John Sherman Cooper, elected United States Senator over Thomas R. Underwood, reportedly had spent \$2,200.74 personally and knew of no other expenditures in his behalf. He pointed out his campaign was conducted by the G.O.P. committee for Kentucky along with its presidential and other campaigns.

He said he was not familiar with contributions or expense of the committee.

Underwood's post-election report showed receipts of \$1,200 and expenditures of \$800 for telephone and telegraph and \$400 for travel and meals at Seattle, the Rev. Douglas Burkett and Green Allen officiating. Burial was held in the Martin cemetery at Prestonsburg under direction of the Turner Funeral Home.

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\$44,000 BOND ISSUE SOLD

Lower Interest Rate Saves \$10-\$12,000, Is Estimate Heard Here

An interest saving of 1 1/2% to 1% on a \$44,000 county debt was effected Monday, it was said, through the sale of refunding bonds in that amount.

The savings in dollars is estimated at between \$10,000 and \$12,000, officials said.

The original bonds bore 4 1/2% percent interest. The new bond issue was sold to Charles A. Hinson, Inc., of Cincinnati, at \$93.27 above the par \$1,000, and the rate of interest was cut from the years 1956 and 1957 to 1% and and for the years 1958, 1959 and 1960 to 3% per cent.

There were three bidders on the bond issue. Awaiting of the bond contract to the financing firm was the only business of Monday's fiscal court meeting.

CLUB BUDGETS \$1,000 TOTAL

For Lake Re-Stocking; Aided at Minor Clark Asked on Lake Fishing

Biggest item on the \$3,820 budget set up by the board of directors of the Floyd County Fish & Game Club for the coming year at the directors' meeting at Maytown Monday night was \$1,000 which was earmarked for re-stocking of Dewey Lake with bass and walleye.

The club has not received a request for a request for recommendation for minor Clark, superintendent of fish and wildlife department. Mr. H. has received quotations from fishhatchery on the cost of fish.

The club's plan call for release of keeper-size fish in the lake.

George W. Newman, of Hi Hat, who was re-elected president of the club at a recent meeting, said every effort will be made to improve fishing conditions in the impoundment.

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Floyd District Names Board of Supervisors

Frankfort, Ky.—The State Soil Conservation Committee announced the names of recently elected county board of supervisors.

The Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

Elections were held in Kentucky's 120 Soil Conservation Districts on Nov. 11. The elections were completed last week. The supervisors will take office Jan. 1 for a 4-year period.

Another \$150 — not "tobacco money" — was invested in 10 feet more land, bought from the late H. H. Fitzgerald, giving the lot a 60-foot frontage.

Mr. Jones' evaluation of the property and his wife's fragility were wholly in effect last Oct. 14 when the lot was sold for \$36,000, a mere \$800 per front foot.

Today this woman of foresight looked backward with considerable satisfaction—and with a figurative nod of acknowledgment to that tribe of tobacco-chewing mountaineers who had purchased the property to the weed made her savings possible.

Woman Here Saved Tobacco Tags Which Later Earned Her \$36,000

The popularity of the old Schnapps plus the use of a strictly for "chewin' purposes, has waned with the years. But a Prestonsburg woman remembers the product well—and she also began hoarding the tin "nappies."

When she and Mr. Jones were married he was a traveling salesman, employed by McClintock-Chaffetz, Catlettsburg wholesaler. It was in the days before the railroad penetrated the valley and he used a horse and buggy to make his calls on a wide territory of rough mountain roads.

On one of these trips over the territory he was accompanied by a representative of the R. J. Remondino Tobacco Company, who spent a night at the Jones residence here. While he was Mr. and Mrs. Jones' guest the Remondino salesman told Mr. Jones a catalog which listed the items she could acquire by saving Schnapps tobacco tags. The prizes listed included furniture and other items. Mr. Jones told her he could get her literally thousands of dollars in tags on his tour of the area, and so she began hoarding the tin "nappies."

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All-State Quarterback GROUP NAMES NEW OFFICERS IN MEET HERE

Two Elected Refuse Posts; Four Changes Of Directors Voted

Make-up of the Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League leadership last Saturday overshadowed even the League's recent activities as a comparatively small segment of the membership met here and conducted an election of League officers and directors.

The action taken by the 55 members of the League attending the meeting at the courthouse last Saturday ousted the president, Dr. Edward B. Leslie, and elected four new members of the Board of Directors.

Named to succeed Dr. Leslie as president was Joe H. Cooley, who had been the League's secretary since its founding last April. Mr. Cooley and Harry P. Scalf were the only original members of the official board to be retained.

Soon after the election was held, however, both Cooley and Scalf announced they would accept election with the new group, and this week wrote Samuel Hall, of West Prestonsburg, who was named secretary last Saturday, to that effect, adding that they considered their position last Saturday as a position to embarrass them and their position with the taxpayers of the county.

New directors named at Saturday's meeting were E. W. Coan, of Harlot; James Allen, Langley, Will Boggs, Garret, and Charlie Newman, of Hi Hat.

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TAX FIGURES DROP IN '52

In Floyd and Other Counties of Section As State Total Rises

Total property assessments for 1952 in Kentucky were \$3,890,156,105, an increase of \$181,146,100 over 1951, according to a tabulation of county tax commissioners' reports by the Department of Revenue.

Floyd county's \$247,428 assessment was \$22,118 below that of the preceding year.

Jefferson county's increase topped the 129 counties with \$64,342,337. Of this amount \$62,163,907 was accounted for with intangible personal property; \$1,512,745 in real estate with a drop of \$9,344,295 in tangible personal property. Fayette county total was \$2,949,878 under 1951.

The county addressed its request for a state park in the reservoir area in the form of a resolution, asking the State Conservation Service to make a study of the area with a view to founding a park there.

The resolution, drafted by Marvin Hamilton, superintendent of the park, secretary, and H. A. Rose, committee chairman, follows:

"Resolved, that this club is vitally interested in all public improvements which tend to provide additional and better social and economic advantages to the citizens of this Commonwealth and this community; and

"WHEREAS, the Federal Government has completed Dewey Reservoir

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BOARD CALLS 34 FOR TESTS

17 4-F Registrants Among Those Notified For Dec. 16 Exams

Two pre-induction calls for 17 men each will be made Dec. 16. It was announced here this week by Local 175, one of the two groups of men formerly classified as 4-F, the other of 1-A's who will report for induction on Dec. 16. The two groups will leave here at 7:30 a. m. Hereafter, groups have left at 6:30 a. m.

Mrs. Marion Salisbury, clerk of the draft board, said that the two groups will leave here at 7:30 a. m. Hereafter, groups have left at 6:30 a. m.

Mr. Joseph Ransburg, transferred from Clark Millwright to Institute, W. Va. Charles Mullins, transferred from Detroit to Andrew Miller (volunteer), West Prestonsburg; Grover Cleveland Wright (volunteer), West Prestonsburg; John Curtis Spurr; Gilbert Lee Powers, formerly of Lanzer, now of Antioch; Gary Ross Hale, Harlot; Arthur Ray Ward, Wheelwright; Billy Eugene Gardner, Prestonsburg; Earl D. Cooney, Doak; Donald Raymond Newman, Hi Hat; Willard Olin Cross, Westsboro; Gobel Martin, Harlot; Lawrence Craft, Prestonsburg; Russel D. Hall, Prestonsburg; Jack Grable Dings, Martin; Adrian Stone, Ligon; Howard Van, Glo; John Howell, formerly of East McDowell; Roland Jones, Bertsville; Kenneth Mitchell, Grayton.

To report for re-examination are Johnny Mulker, formerly of Betsy Layne, now of Harlot; Johnnie Bentley, formerly of McDowell, now of Harlot; Jack McGuff, transferred from Ligon to Huntington, W. Va.; Harry Lee Tackett, formerly of Manston, now of Plymouth, O.; Bobby Ray Sexton, formerly of Melvin, now of Goldia, Ky.; Carl Melvin, Prestonsburg; T. J. Little, Melvin; Joe Hall, Grithel; Hunter J. Hall, Grithel; John Howell, formerly of East McDowell, now of Harlot; Edger Jones, formerly of Blueville, now of Preston, O.; Jim Marshall, West Prestonsburg; Howard Reynolds, Beaver; Eugene Mullins, transferred from Hunter to Baltimore, Md.; Howard Martin, formerly of Galveston, now of Hi Hat.

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BUSINESS MEN OFFER \$1,000

As Customer Award To Be Made Dec. 24; Streets Are Lighted

Prestonsburg's business section has been bedecked with Christmas lights since last Thursday evening, and this week the Prestonsburg Business Men's Association announced something even more attractive to customers of local businesses.

This was cash—\$1,000 of it.

Stores and other businesses co-operating in the program are giving tickets as customers make cash purchases. These are to be held by the customers till 2 p. m. Dec. 24, when three cash prizes will be given away. First prize will be \$500, second prize, \$300, and third, \$200.

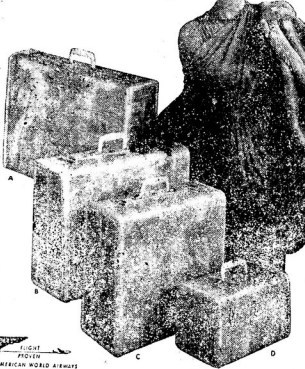
The winning ticket must be produced when its number is called. Awarding of prizes will be on the high school grounds.

The Christmas lights extend from the postoffice the entire length of Court street, on both sides of the street; and are criss-crossed from First to P. H. Layne's office to the L. Richmond Company.

Local stores are open from 8 a. m. till 9 p. m.

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The original officers and directors of the Tax League were taking position this week, however, that the election was of no effect, that the Constitution and By-Laws of the League provide for a meeting the first Saturday in December and the first Saturday in June, both meetings at 10 a.m., the hour at which last Saturday's meeting was convened, but that neither of these meetings is designated for the purpose of the election of officers and directors.

"I knew what was up about last Thursday," Gorman Collins, of Lackey, one of the original directors, said. "But I knew whatever they did would be illegal."

The Constitution and By-Laws also state that the officers shall hold office for a period of one year. They were elected last April. The two officers of the League also serve with five others as directors. The original directors, in addition to Dr. Leslie and Mr. Cooley, the president and secretary, were Gorman Collins, Polk Saunders, Henry P. Scott, John Warrick and Wayne Stumbo. Mr. Stumbo recently resigned because of ill health, and that vacancy has not been filled.

The new group regarded Saturday as the day for election of officers. The minutes of their meeting point out that they telephoned Dr. Leslie, Mr. Cooley and Mr. Scott, asking that they attend the meeting. On the failure of these three to appear, Samuel Hale was installed as temporary chairman and the meeting proceeded.

Critical leaders of the Tax League pointed out that the gathering was "loaded" with what they term "unmembers" united for a specific purpose. They also claim the meeting was held on a Sunday, that the county officials who are under fire from the League.

The 150 members being present at the meeting waited for the regularly elected President and Secretary and Treasurer, and Board of Directors of the organization to appear at the meeting. At 10:15 a.m., the officers were present. Paul E. Hayes acted the body that Samuel Hale, of West Prestonsburg, Ky., is elected as Temporary Chairman of the meeting. This motion was seconded by John Milton Stumbo. No other nominations having been made, Samuel Hale, of West Prestonsburg, was unanimously elected as Temporary Chairman of the meeting.

Thereupon, the Temporary Chairman assumed his duties as presiding officer and announced that nominations were open for Temporary Secretary and Treasurer. Thereupon, John Milton Stumbo, of McCleary, Kentucky, was nominated for Temporary Secretary and was elected unanimously.

The Temporary Chairman read to the members present the Constitution of the organization. Thereupon, the Temporary Chairman, upon his own motion, recessed the meeting for a period of ten minutes, during which time he called the President of the organization, Dr. Edward B. Leslie, and the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Joe H. Cooley, and one of the Board of Directors, Henry P. Scott. Following the recess, the Temporary Chairman reported to the organization that those persons called indicated to him that they would be unable to be present due to the press of their individual businesses.

The Temporary Chairman then appointed a Qualification Committee to determine that all persons present were bona fide, paid-up members of the Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League. The members of the Qualification Committee appointed were: Graydon Howard and Green Allen. The Temporary Chairman reported to the organization that those persons called indicated to him that they would be unable to be present due to the press of their individual businesses.

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Thereupon, the Temporary Chairman announced that the purpose of this meeting was to select permanent constitutional officers for the 1953 year. The Temporary Chairman appointed a Nominating Committee, as follows: Paul E. Hayes, Chairman; Graydon Howard and Melvin Laferly. The Temporary Chairman then announced there would be a five minute recess for the purpose of a meeting of the Nominating Committee. Following the recess, the Chairman of the Nominating Committee reported that the Committee

had selected the permanent constitutional officers for the 1953 year, as follows: President, Joe H. Cooley, Prestonsburg; Secretary and Treasurer, Samuel Hale, West Prestonsburg, Kentucky; the five Directors: E. W. Conn, Harold, Kentucky; James Allen, Lanesby, Kentucky; Henry P. Scott, Prestonsburg, Ky.; Will Boggs, Garratt, Ky.; Charles Newman, Hill Hat, Ky. The Temporary Chairman asked for nominations from the floor for any of the above offices, and it was duly moved and seconded that nominations cease and that the report of the nomination committee be adopted as presented. The motion was seconded by Green Allen, and said motion was carried unanimously.

The Temporary Chairman thereupon announced that the officers, as set out above, had been selected as permanent constitutional officers of the Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League for the year 1953.

It was moved and seconded that these minutes be prepared and presented to The Floyd County Times office.

The Temporary Chairman then announced that there would be a meeting of the Board of Directors immediately following the meeting.

To Meet With Vets At Three Floyd Points

Roy M. Cain, contact representative for the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board, will be in Floyd county for the purpose of aiding and assisting veterans and their dependents, in filing and prosecuting claims from benefits to which they may be entitled from the Veterans Administration.

Mr. Cain will be in the Post office building in Wayland, Thursday, December 18, from 8 p.m. to 12 noon. 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. he will be in the Beaver Hardware, Martin, Friday, December 19. He will be in Pickett and Treckett's office Prestonsburg.

VETERAN'S FARM SUCCESS CITED FOR WALLACE AWARD

Willard Stephens, Middle Creek Road farmer, is a contestant for a Tom Wallace Conservation award which fact alone should indicate that he is an outstanding farmer.

Stephens came back from World War II to a rundown farm, depleted by years of corn-cropping. During the war little attention could be given to maintenance of soil fertility. It had been "corned" by tenants who knew only to exploit the earth for a crop needed by a country at war.

He went to work to change all of the many things that constitute a run-down farm. But before he went to work on serious planning he sought to learn the know-how of modern agriculture. He took on-the-farm training offered to him by the government. R. C. Barrett, his instructor, who is also a soil conservation supervisor, instilled into Stephens the basic principles of scientific agriculture. After completion of such on-the-job training he was able to envision what he wanted and could do for a run-down farm.

So the run-down farm no longer exists in its growing green and as the years pass a continuation of the program of wise land use will make it greener. As L. R. Johnson, Floyd soil district conservationist, says, "He has worked out a basic conservation plan with the Soil Conservation Service so that each acre will be used according to its capabilities and treated according to its needs." Sounds like something out of the book that statement does, but the Willard Stephens farm improvement, as a co-operator of the Floyd county Soil Conservation District, is not something that came out of a book. It came from wise planning and hard work.

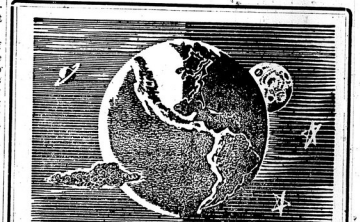
Let's get statistical. He has 300 acres of land, hills and bottom; 200 acres are in pasture with Ky. 31

DINNER GUESTS

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wright, West Prestonsburg, were Jesse L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and two daughters, Sharon and Judith, of Lexington, and Mrs. Easter Burchett, of Lancaster.

REBEKAHS TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

All members of Miriam Rebekeh Lodge No. 31 are invited to attend the Christmas party on their next regular meeting night, Tuesday, Dec. 16, 7:30 p.m.



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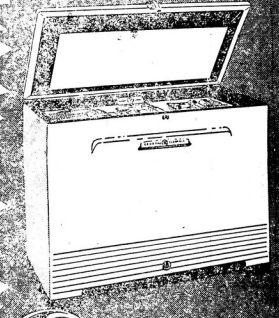
Henry Allen Victim
At Martin's Hospital
Wednesday Morning

Gas Company Honors
Workers at Banquet
At Daytown School

The Henry Allen Victim was taken to Martin's Hospital Wednesday morning after a fall from a tree. The victim was taken to the hospital by ambulance and is now in a critical condition. The fall occurred while the victim was engaged in a recreational activity. The hospital staff is providing the best possible care for the victim.

Gas Company Honors Workers at Banquet at Daytown School. The banquet was held at the Daytown School and was a great success. The workers were honored for their hard work and dedication to the community.

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TRADE: Your old furniture for new. CASH FURNITURE STORE, phone 2151, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-20-4f.

NOTICE—Baldwin Pianos and Organ—factory rebuilt used Pianos. Low prices, easy terms. ZWICK'S Ashland, Ky. 1-4-4f.

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FOR RENT—2 office rooms, second floor. Street Theatre building. Reasonable. See W. B. BOYD, Prestonsburg. 9-11-4f.

FOR RENT—Three apartments upstairs over Thompson's Store on U.S. 23, North Prestonsburg. MRS. E. M. THOMPSON, Phone 6331. 9-18-4f.

FOR RENT—Apartments, furnished and unfurnished. T. E. NEWMAY, Phone 3381, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-23-4f.

IF YOU want to sell property in the new addition of Allen, Call HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, Office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-4f.

See Meade Brothers Hardware, Prestonsburg, for your gas heaters and floor furnaces. 10-2-4f.

FOR SALE—6-room house. Bath, lights, water gas. Three acres land on U.S. 23. Foot of Abbott Mountain on north side. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, Office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-4f.

FOR SALE—25 acres of land, 3 acres bottom. Five-room house, gas, lights, well, barn, chicken house, fruit trees. Let look of Ball Creek. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-4f.

NOTICE—All REA customers will pay or mail their electric bills to L. B. HOOKER at Meade Brothers Hardware store, Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg. 11-6-4f.

If in need of a gas heater or floor furnace, see MEADE BROTHERS HARDWARE, Prestonsburg.

FOR SALE—Used brick. Perfect condition \$3.00 per hundred. PHONE 3943.

FOR RENT—Ground floor of Wright Building, corner Court and Arnold avenue. ELDER WRIGHT, Phone 5012 and 4102, Prestonsburg. 10-23-4f.

FOR RENT—Small home at Emma. In good community, near bridge. Call 6641, Prestonsburg. tf.

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FOR SALE—50 acres land, three-room house, barn, timber, electricity on Abbott Creek. Contact MILT STANLEY, Bonanza, or C. B. NAPHER, 2622 Xavier Street, Louisville, Ky. 11-20-4f.

GIVE THE BEST Christmas gift this year—a magazine subscription! Price list free upon request. (No postcards, please.) BARTLEY, 151 Bardstown Road, Louisville 5, Ky. 11-13-56-pd.

INTERESTED in a new Singer machine or Singer sweepers. Then write or call SINGER SEWING CENTER at 5 Second ave., Williamson, W. Va. We are now offering new consoles for Christmas gifts at only \$121.50, \$125.00 down, \$5.25 monthly. We also have Singer irons, toasters, kitchen-aid mixers on terms if desired. 11-13-4f.

FOR SALE—Frigidaire in good condition. Phone 3943, Prestonsburg. 12-4-4f.

WANTED

Cobden, Ill.: Willis Ark Howell, transferred from Martin to Los Angeles. Call: L. D. Henson, Ligon. Ray Bob Wells, Gio; Thomas Franklin Carver, formerly of Printer, now St. Mary's, O. Oscar McKinstry; O. O. D. Brantham, formerly of Allen, now Lima, O.; Rex Raymond Ross, Ives; Ballard Gibson, Melvin. 12-18-52-pd.

District Agents Win Firm's Ovation Honors

The agents of the Big Sandy district of the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company have done it again. They have won the October Ovation contest and this makes four years out of the last five they have done so. Three agents of the company under Edward G. Sellards of Williamson, W. Va., led in the contest.

The managers, assistant managers, agents and wives were honored by the company with a banquet at Williamson, December 5. Principal speakers were Homer D. Parker, executive vice-president and George M. Asher, regional district manager. Attending from the Big Sandy district were W. L. Baldrige, Jr., assistant manager of the Pikeville office, and Ted Adams, Paintsville, assistant manager.

FOR SALE—85-acre farm. On Hillside Branch of Cow Creek, 1/4 mile from hard road. 50,000 feet timber, 4 acres bottom land. Gas, electricity. L. D. HUNTER, Betsy Layne, Ky. 12-18-52-pd.

WANTED—Man or woman to take over route in Prestonsburg to distribute Watkins Nationally Advertised products to established customers. Full or part time. Earnings unlimited. No car or other investment necessary. I will help you get started. Write Mr. C. R. Rubin, Dept. D-2, THE J. R. WATKINS CO., Memphis, Tenn. 11-11-52-pd.

FOR SALE—House at Lancer. Five rooms and bath. Lot 125x125. Private water system. Garage with 2 rooms. Also for sale, piano and electric range Call 4371, Prestonsburg. 11-11-52-pd.

FOR SALE—3 Holton Trumpets. MRS. THOMAS THOMPSON, Phone 5341, Prestonsburg. 11-11-52-pd.

JUST UNLOADED a truck load of new merchandise at Bargain Prices. Men's \$10 Dress Shirts, \$4.98 and Singers, Moleskin Pants, \$3.49; Women's Galoshes, 99¢ each, \$1.98; Boys' Gaberdine Jackets, \$4.98; Boys' Overalls, \$1.98; Men's Gaberdine Jackets, \$8.49. MILLER'S STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. 11-20-4-pd.

OFFICE ROOMS for rent in the Odd Fellows building, Prestonsburg. Call T. E. NEWMAY, J. M. FARLEY or JOHN GUNNELL. 11-20-4f.

FOR SALE—5-room house with full basement, all utilities; nine acres of land in city limits of Martin. KILGUS MARY, Phone 3316, Martin, Ky. 11-27-4f.

FOR SALE—7-room dwelling and restaurant in front of Betsy Layne high school. All utilities. See or write ORA BUCKFORD, Hollins, write ORA BUCKFORD, 11-27-51-pd. Ky. 11-27-4f.

FOR RENT—4-room house on Earl street, Prestonsburg. Call ED MAY at Kroger's Store, or Phone 7292. 11-27-4f.

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FOR SALE—House, 4 rooms and bath, on Second avenue, Prestonsburg. EARL COMPTON, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-4-4f.

WANT TO TRADE—48 Chevrolet 3-4-ton truck to later model and pay difference. MILLER'S STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-4-21-pd.

THREE-ROOM HOUSE in Wayland for sale or rent. See J.A. RECTOR. 12-3-21-pd.

FOR SALE—40 acres of land on Left Abbott Creek. Good timber. John C. B. Napier property. Price \$1,400. MRS. AMY RADER, Route No. 4, Wapakoneta, Ohio. 12-3-21-pd.

FOR SALE—House of six rooms, 2 complete baths, and lot 85 x 140 feet on Second avenue, Prestonsburg, between Mrs. Combs and Russell Hagedorn residences. Price \$13,000. E. B. Brown, Phone 2148, Prestonsburg. 12-4-4f.

FOR RENT—4-room house, all utilities. See SAM THOMAS, Betsy Layne. 12-3-31.

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HUNTINGTON SHOPPERS

About those who were shopping in Huntington this week were Mrs. A. H. Mandt, Mrs. Fred Francis, Mrs. Ella Noel White, Mrs. F. L. Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Combs, Mrs. B. F. Combs, Mrs. Edward B. L. Sile.

ON 25-DAY FURLOUGH

M-E 3 c Charles D. Ferguson arrived home this week for a 25-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Ferguson, and his brother, Ben Ferguson, Jr. He will return to San Diego, the first of the year, where he is stationed.



Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Akers, of Lancaster, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine, to Mr. Edsel Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore, of Prestonsburg. Miss Akers is a freshman at Eastern State College, while Mr. Moore is a sophomore at the University of Kentucky.

RETURN HERE FROM TEXAS
Capt. Herbert Salisbury and family returned here this week from Carswell Air Base, near Fort Worth, Texas, where he has been stationed in the army for three years. Capt. Salisbury will be discharged from service Jan. 4. He will resume his dental practice here.

PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH
Gerstle M. Haggard, Minister
Sunday—
11 a.m.—"Light toward the Heights of Right."
Evening service, Topic, "What Does God Want Now?"



TO GIVE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY RECITAL
Mrs. Edith F. James will give her annual Christmas party recital on Friday, Dec. 12, at 3 o'clock in the assembly room of the Center Grill. Members of the families and friends are invited.

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA
Mrs. Grace D. Ford returned Sunday from a 10-day visit with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Newman, and Mrs. Newman at Holopaw, Florida.

IMPROVING IN CALIFORNIA
Jim Clark returned to his home in Palm Springs, Calif., recently. His condition is improved since his arrival there.

FIRST CHILD IS DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Moore are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Dec. 9, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital. The parents are being congratulated by their many friends.

OBSERVES FIFTH BIRTHDAY
Betty Carolyn Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duhan Moore, was hostess to her little kindergarten friends and cousins from Mousie, Sunday, at her home on South Mayo Trail. The occasion was her fifth birthday. Games were enjoyed from 1 till 3 o'clock when the decorated cake with five candles was cut and served with punch and ice cream to 20 little friends who remembered her with numerous gifts.

CLARKS VACATIONING IN FLORIDA
Mayor Curtis Clark and Mrs. Clark attended the Kentucky-Florida game at Gainesville, Fla., this week. They will spend a week in Miami before returning home.

HOLDS OPEN HOUSE ON 88th BIRTHDAY
Mrs. Laura M. Davidson greeted members of her family and friends, Dec. 4, at her home on First avenue. The occasion was her 88th birthday. She received numerous gifts for which she graciously expressed her appreciation. Her host of friends join in wishing her many more happy birthdays.

JOHN GRAHAM CHAPTER, D.A.R. MEETS
The December meeting of the John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R.V. May. Mrs. Gwynn Ford, regent, presided. The transfer of membership of Mrs. Inez Livingston, Leavelle, Ky., to the Mountain Trail Chapter at Harlan was noted on. Mrs. Ruth Sowards was chosen to present the D.A.R. magazine with new binders to the grade school library at the January chapter meeting. Following the business session, Rev. Gerstle M. Haggard, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, gave an interesting talk entitled, "Ecclesiast," which was greatly enjoyed by the assembly. The hostess served a delectable course from the dining room. Visitors were Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Haggard, Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, of Millersburg. Members present were Mesdames Gwynn Ford, Ed May, W. W. Cooley, H. L. Mayo, Tom James, Jo M. Davidson, Everett Sowards, Olga M. Latta, R. V. May, Grace D. Ford, Winnie F. Johns, Miss Alice Harris.

CONVALESCING HERE FROM BURNS
Mrs. Bill Hill and young son, of Lexington, were brought here last week from her home by her mother, Mrs. Edward L. Allen, to remain at her parents' home until she has recovered from a burn on her foot which she sustained last week. Her friends here are sorry to learn of her accident.

SUPPLIES PULIT HERE
Dr. A. A. Pate, president of Pikeville College, supplied the Presbyterian Church's pulpit Sunday, due to the illness of the pastor, the Rev. Orville Pearson. Mrs. Faye accompanied him here for the services.

OVERNIGHT GUESTS
Mrs. Mamie W. Scott, Irvine, Ky., Miss Ruby Akers, McDowell, and Miss Hazel Hill, of the Albion, were supper and overnight guests of Mrs. Ruth Sowards, Friday. The evening was spent in making holiday gifts. Mrs. Scott is teaching an extension class at Martin on Saturdays, representing Eastern State College, Richmond.

ENTERTAINS HUSBANDS
Members of P-E-O entertained their husbands recently with a turkey dinner at the Sugar Loaf Cafe on the Mayo Trail. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Musie, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Pruzler, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Schoeder, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Perrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Callihan, Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Mrs. Marion Wilson, Miss Margaret Elizabeth May. After dinner the group assembled, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Archer for an evening's entertainment.

\$100 CASH PRIZE

We've got the Christmas spirit, and for this Yule season we have an offer to make to the people of Floyd county:

For the **MOST ATTRACTIVELY DECORATED HOME FRONT**

(which includes front porch or lawn in front of your home) we will give a prize of \$100 in cash.

This contest is open to all residents of Floyd county, except employees of Prestonsburg Lincoln-Mercury.

Please write or call us at once, so that your home may be judged, regardless of where you live in Floyd county.

Judging of entries will be made on the nights of Dec. 23 and 24.

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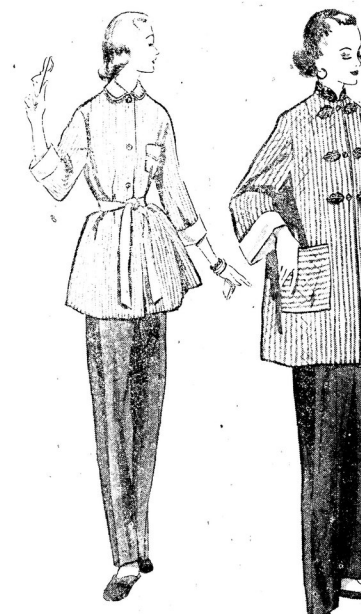
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Dental Society Meets Here Saturday Night

Dentists from Perry, Letcher, Knott, Breathitt, Pike, Magoffin, Johnson and Floyd counties gathered here Saturday night for the winter meeting of the Kentucky Dental Society. The meeting was held at the Center Club.

Principal address of the evening was that of C.W. Honeywell on the topic, "Success in Dental Practice." Dr. Sam W. Quillen, of Neon, president of the Society, presided.

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Other items of the budget are: Bi-color for farmers, \$300; game for release, \$300; quilt-making, \$500; door prizes, \$125; office supplies, \$100; fishing equipment, \$65; advertising, \$300.

The city's board of directors is composed of George W. Newman, Henry L. May, A. J. Dummer, J. C. Moore, Dr. C. L. Allen, E. H. Stumbo and Arnold Workman.

Girl Scout District Names New Officers, Plans '53 Fund Drive

Organization of the Prestonsburg Girl Scouts of America, was effected last Thursday at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. N. L. May, with Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., being named district chairman for 1953.

Mrs. R. V. May was named district vice-chairman, and Mrs. Russell Shaw, secretary-treasurer.

Officers and leaders attending the meeting heard a discussion of financial needs of the Sandy Valley Council and of plans for a fund-raising drive which will officially begin Jan. 1. The Prestonsburg district's quota of the \$6,000 total to be raised in the Council is \$1,200.

The remainder will be raised in six other communities, Pikeville, David, Wheelwright, Martin, Allen and Betty Layne, The Martin, Allen and Betty Layne communities only recently have started Girl Scout work.

The entire Council has only two paid employees, Miss Barbara Goddard, executive director, and Miss Joyce Johnson, part-time secretary. There are 134 volunteer adult leaders and assistants serving a total of 1,454 Girl Scouts, with several more registers soon from other communities where the movement is new.

A Girl Scout camp at Dewey Lake for months a dream of all taking part in the work, apparently soon will be realized. Grading of a site is expected to be begun at once.

Getting the fact that the Prestonsburg district last year fell short of its goal, Mrs. Ray Howard, publicity director for the Council, said this community which will be nearest the Girl Scout camp should quickly subscribe the full \$1,200 asked for the January drive. She added that Girl Scouts have at other communities rendered valuable community service which adults should recognize with their support, financial and otherwise.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harmon, of Huntington, will spend the weekend here. Mr. and Mrs. James Camelia, and attend the Christmas party given by Princess Elizabeth at the home of Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., on Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Sturgill left last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wine, Sr., at Dayton, Ohio, after an extended visit here with her sister, Mrs. R. P. Combs. She will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wanda Burnette, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Jenny Staley, of Mosby Bottom, was here Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Weddington, who is ill, and her brother, B. P. Friend, and Mrs. Friend, who are also ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hatcher and son, Sammy, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. E. H. Sowers called on Mrs. Lizzie Priehard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cecil and Mrs. Minnie Hatcliff at Ashland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, who are spending the winter months in Pikeville, came home Saturday for a brief stay here during his vacation.

M. and Mrs. G. R. Allen spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Edna Points, and family, at Ashland.

H. L. Ley was a business visitor in Ashland, Monday, for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company.

Mr. and Mrs. James Camelia accompanied their son, Jimmy, to Milton, W. Va., last Friday to have a check-up. He is showing improvement and reports from the physician are most encouraging.

Mr. and Mrs. Duhan Moore and daughter, Betty, were in Louisville this week attending an officer's convention and visiting relatives.

Ben Ferguson, student at Morehead State College, is visiting his mother, Allian Ferguson.

Arthur Barnes

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the Tom Underwood Club, but their expenses were not listed.

State law says the post-election expense accounts should be filed within 30 days after the November 4 election. Thus, today was the deadline. But the law has been held in abeyance, rather than mandating the period covered.

The Committee for Eisenhower-Nixon reported receipts of \$3,176.35 between October 18 and November 28 and expenses of \$5,943.24.

The Volunteers for Stevenson reported receipts of \$7,851.07 and disbursements of \$5,500.94, but didn't specify the period covered.

Representative Noble J. Gregory, Mayfield Democrat, reported no expenses in winning re-election in the First District. Chief Justice James W. Carmack, Owen Democrat, also reported no expenses in being re-elected to the Court of Appeals in the First Appellate District with opposition, W. Mallam Lake, Hartford Republican, who opposed Gregory, listed \$10.

Representative Garrett L. Withers, Dixon Democrat, who was re-elected in the Second District, said he spent \$200. He added he wasn't itemizing the account since the Attorney General's office had held Congressional candidates were seeking federal and not state office, and were not required to file state reports.

His opponent, David C. Brodie, Owensboro Republican, said he spent \$916.39 and others \$522 in his behalf.

John M. Robson, Jr., Republican Third District winner, said he spent \$8,510; his Democratic opponent, Roman L. Shamburger, reported \$630.

Representative Frank L. Chief, Lebanon Democrat, re-elected in the Fourth District, reported he spent \$154.49 that \$1,218.49 had been spent in his behalf.

Representative Brent Spence, Lexington Democrat, re-elected in the Fifth District, reported he spent \$1,120. His opponent, John C. Watts, Democrat, re-elected in the Sixth District, reported he had had \$200 contributed to his campaign.

Representative Carl D. Perkins, Paducah Democrat, re-elected in the Seventh, reported he had spent \$452.22 and \$50 had been contributed.

Representative James S. Golden, Paducah Republican, re-elected in the Eighth, reported he had spent \$361.15.

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TRAIN LEADERS FOR 4-H WORK

Club Members, Adults Receive Recognition At Conference Here

New officers were elected and club members and leaders were honored for work already done at the Floyd county 4-H Club officers and leaders training conference held at the grade school here Saturday.

Reba Joyce Salyers, county president, presided at the meeting.

Jesse Elliott, Floyd county band director, led the singing and instructed the club song leaders in the fundamentals of their work.

4-H leaders instructed the officers of the clubs represented on their duties and how they should be performed. Grace Conley was in charge of the presidents and vice-presidents; Kelsa Elliott, in charge of the secretaries, and Harold Rice was in charge of the reporters and recreation leaders.

Project pins were awarded to 4-H Club members who had done outstanding jobs in their projects. Members receiving pins and the projects by which they earned them were: Reba Joyce Salyers, leadership, food preparation, and clothing; Donald Lowe, poultry and dairy; Palmer K. Lowe, poultry; Brenda C. Gayheart, clothing; and Claudina Love, canning.

Four-H leaders who had served for more than one year were awarded leaders' certificates. They were W. D. Steele, Harold; Kelsa G. Elliott; Betty Layne; Grace Conley, Bonanza; and Alma Love, Eastern. Officers selected for the coming year were:

Donald Lowe, Maytown, president; Boots Robinson, Harold, vice-president; and Alberta Marshall, of Martin, secretary.

Leaders who were not present and who will be awarded one-year pins later are:

Mrs. Grace Conley, Bonanza; W. T. Hammond, Sloan; Lloyd Stumbo, McDowell; Mrs. Steve Berger, Melvin; Mrs. Ballard Gunnell, Banner; Nora Martin, Eastern; Becher Woods, Allen; Woodrow Stephens, Cliff. Leaders certificates will be awarded to:

Mrs. Frankie Best, Cliff, two years; Lloyd Stumbo, McDowell, two years; Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, McDowell, two years; W. D. Steele, Betty Layne, 10 years; Otha Howard, Maytown, two years; Mrs. Kelsa G. Elliott, seven years; J. L. Laferty, two years; Mrs. Vernie Bush, Harold, two years; Mrs. Arnold Lowe, Eastern, two years; Mrs. Regina Daniels, Harold, two years.

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BABE DIES

Rose Ann Hall, five months old daughter of Marion and Virgie Sloan Hall, of Wheelwright, died at home, Tuesday, Dec. 9. Surviving besides the parents are the following brothers and sisters at home: Ernest, Bill and Naomi.

Funeral services were conducted, Wednesday, Dec. 10, the Revs. Tom Sloan and Oliver Mead, officiating. Burial was in the Jack's Creek cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
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ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

A 2 and Mrs. Clinton E. Porter announce the birth of their first child, a son, Clinton E. Porter, III, born November 27, at Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pa. Mrs. Porter, the former Daphne Jones, of Carlisle, Pa. Mr. Porter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Porter, of Carlisle, Pa. He is stationed at Luke AFB, Phoenix, Arizona.

WIVES WANT ADS PAY

Mrs. B. P. Friend was removed to her home from the Prestonsburg General Hospital, Sunday, where she has been critically ill for several weeks. Last week she was taken to Paris, Ky., where she consulted a specialist. Her condition is unchanged, but she is being made as comfortable as possible.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our relatives, neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during the illness and upon the death of our beloved son and brother, Estell W. Collins. We especially thank Mrs. Polly Turner and family, Mrs. Anna Stumbo, Mrs. E. C. Slade, Mrs. Bruce Kiser and Mrs. Little children, also the Path and Sister Mary Edgar from Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johns and all others who in any way offered help and consolation.

DR. G. C. COLLINS and FAMILY

Government Employee Dies in Washington

Floris Scalf, of Washington, D. C., died this week of a heart attack, it was learned by relatives here. He was an employee of the government and a native of Gularre, Pike county. He was a son of Jerry and Sarah Pinnon Scalf. No details of the funeral were available but it was said that he had no surviving children. His wife survives.

Surviving brothers and sisters are Carl Scalf and Mrs. Doris Leedy of Gularre. Burial, the Times is informed, was in Washington.

INFANT DIES

Shannon Ray Howell, nine months old daughter of Willard and Aretha Hamilton Howell, of Hi Hat, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, of Martin, Dec 4. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death.

Surviving besides the parents are two sisters, Velma Marie and Vivian Ann, at home. Funeral rites were conducted, 7er, 6 at the home; the Rev. Troy Nickles, Jerry Hall and Woodrow Dye officiating. Burial was in the Loyd cemetery at Hi Hat under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harmon, of Huntington, will spend the weekend here. Mr. and Mrs. James Camelia, and attend the Christmas party given by Princess Elizabeth at the home of Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., on Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Sturgill left last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wine, Sr., at Dayton, Ohio, after an extended visit here with her sister, Mrs. R. P. Combs. She will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wanda Burnette, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Jenny Staley, of Mosby Bottom, was here Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Weddington, who is ill, and her brother, B. P. Friend, and Mrs. Friend, who are also ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hatcher and son, Sammy, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. E. H. Sowers called on Mrs. Lizzie Priehard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cecil and Mrs. Minnie Hatcliff at Ashland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, who are spending the winter months in Pikeville, came home Saturday for a brief stay here during his vacation.

M. and Mrs. G. R. Allen spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Edna Points, and family, at Ashland.

H. L. Ley was a business visitor in Ashland, Monday, for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company.

Mr. and Mrs. James Camelia accompanied their son, Jimmy, to Milton, W. Va., last Friday to have a check-up. He is showing improvement and reports from the physician are most encouraging.

Mr. and Mrs. Duhan Moore and daughter, Betty, were in Louisville this week attending an officer's convention and visiting relatives.

Ben Ferguson, student at Morehead State College, is visiting his mother, Allian Ferguson.

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To the members of the Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League and the people of Floyd County:

A small group of men met at the courthouse in Prestonsburg on Nov. 6, 1952 and attempted to take over the duties of the Original Good Government Taxpayers League.

We do not know who engineered this desperate movement but it requires no large measure of comprehension to know that it was some of the interested parties at the courthouse and their friends and relatives out in the county.

In their ambitions they were over-zealous to make it appear legal. They called Dr. Edward B. Leslie, Joe H. Cooley, and Henry P. Scalf on the telephone and asked if we were going to be present. We said we were not after talking to Dr. Edward B. Leslie, our president.

Henry P. Scalf had instructions to go down and try to call the meeting

off, but when he got down at the courthouse and started telling them there would be no meeting he was informed there had already been a meeting. The minutes, as turned over to The Times by Sam Hale, show what occurred.

They elected a temporary chairman and proceeded to elect new officials for the League. Summoning up in their master minds they elected Joe H. Cooley as the president, and Henry P. Scalf as one of the directors without our knowledge or consent, making this look bad on some of the present members, to distort, disarrange and complicate the functions of the present League. They wanted dissension among the group of men that organized the Good Government League, to break down their morale, reputations, and above all to destroy the movement for clean, wholesome Good Government in Floyd county.

MAROONS WIN NET TOURNEY

Wheelwright Edges
Martin, 42-40, To Win
County Championship

The Wheelwright Maroons, host team to the Floyd county tournament last week-end, saw the last visitor out the door, last of all dismissing the strong Martin Purple Flash, 42 to 40, to win the county championship.

The title match, played before a capacity crowd, was decided in the last quarter, the two teams ending the third period all tied up at 28-28 in a tight defensive battle. Wallen's 21 points for Wheelwright bettered the scoring effort of Tackell, Martin's big scoring threat, by one. Wallen, a guard who specializes in one-handers, teamed Morris Ray Allen, 6-foot-10, center, in the three tournament games.

The Left Beaver team reached finals by downing Wayland, 41-37, and Axner 73 to 51. The Axners, incidentally, sprang one of the meet's big upsets when it eliminated Garrett's Black Devils, 59 to 48.

The Martin team won its way into the title round by outshooting McDowell, 75 to 47, and Betsy Layne, which was considered a strong contender, 70 to 46.

Johnny Carrio in his "Hoopin' It Up" column in The Courier-Journal this week elected Dr. Foster Spence, former Ashland basketball player and later a coach, as having said a few words about the coach of Adrian Hall's Wheelwright team:

"I've never seen better material in my life! This club will be in the state tournament."

But those who know how hot the competition in this section is will not go that far with their prediction, although they agree on Wheelwright's wealth of material. The team averages just a fraction of an inch shy of six feet. Besides its center it has Gus Curry (6 ft-4), V. Hall (6-1), C. Gilson (6-3), Don King (6-9), C. Blackburn (6 feet even), Don Wallen (5-10), Jim Wiley and J. Osborne, each 5-foot-8. And all are seniors, except Gilson, Wiley and Osborne.

At the close of the tournament Saturday night Garrett high school was awarded the sportsmanship trophy, and Ronald Lee Hall, of Wheelwright, the trophy as the best shot from the foul circle.

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Dam on Johns Creek, a short distance from Prestonsburg, and has impounded therein a large quantity of water creating a lake approximately 18 miles in length which now affords widespread recreation facilities and is conducive to many economic advantages; and

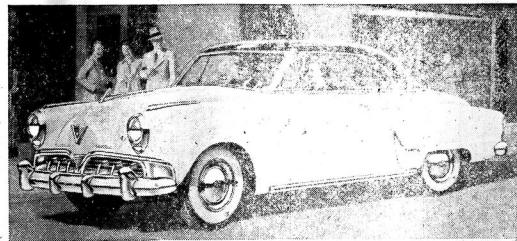
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The State Division of Fish & Wildlife Resources already has a game refuge plan set up for the Dewey area, and E. R. Burke, district supervisor, said all within the 13,000 acres made available to the Division for that purpose definitely will be closed to hunting by the opening of the next hunting season.

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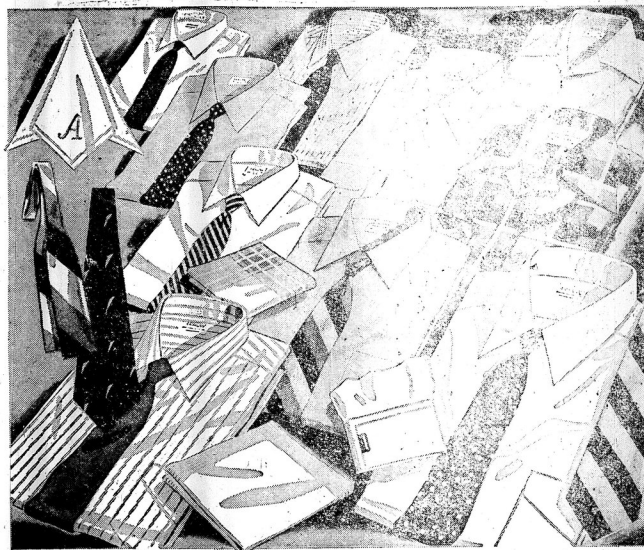
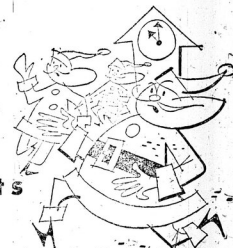
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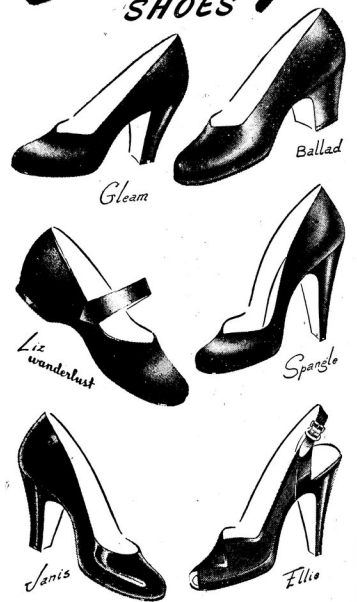
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HUGHES AGAIN IS ALL-STATE

For Second Year Gets Most Votes, Captains All-Star Aggregation

Prestonsburg high school's John D. Hughes has for the second year in a row won the quarterback spot on the All-State football team named by the Courier-Journal.

On top of that is the mystical all-star aggregation's captain for the second consecutive year by virtue of having polled the greatest number of votes by coaches, sports writers and broadcasters composing the Courier-Journal's advisory board in both 1951 and 1952.

The state-wide All-State was announced in Sunday's edition of the Courier-Journal. He is joined by Tommy Hughes, Bill Holm, and Lynch, and Don Plunkett, Lafayette ends; Tommy Patterson and Jim Palmer, Bellevue, tackles; Morris Vitek, Madisonville, and John Noon, Frazier, assists; Dave Dahn, Male center; Sherrill Sipps and Paul Hornung, both of Flaget, and Bob Walker, Middletown, backs.

Named to the All-State third team was big John Goble, of Prestonsburg, who is regarded an outstanding college prospect as guard.

Eastern Kentucky on the whole fared well at the hands of the All-State Board. On the second team were the grid stars from this section of the state:

Bobby Moody, Pikeville, end; Joe Reay, Somerset, tackle; Robert Cawood, Middleboro, guard; Lawrence Adams, Louis, center; Randy Mills, Lynch, and Ralph Moran, Belty, backs.

On the third team, besides Goble of Prestonsburg, were Ronald Eversole, Hazard, and Irwin Wilson, Belty, tackles.

Johnny Hill, a stand-out at end for Prestonsburg, was listed for honorable mention.

In compiling the largest number of votes for All-State honors again this year, Hughes added new chapters to football records books here. Operating from the split-7 this season for the first time as Coach Doc Perrell fashioned his team's attack to fit the material available, Hughes' passing and running sparked the team to the Conference championship, with only a one-point loss to mar the regular season record.

Over his three years as quarterback for the Black Cats he completed 271 passes out of 837 attempts for totaling 3,401 yards. He passed for 52 touchdowns, scored 25 himself, added 67 extra points via the place-kick route. To his three letters won in football he added three in basketball.

An honor roll student, Hughes has been sought by the University of Kentucky, Yale, Tennessee, Cincinnati and West Virginia.

He has decided to enroll at the University of Kentucky next fall, his father, J. T. Hughes, said.

Paul Miller, of Flaget, was voted Coach of the Year—an honor won in 1950 by Doc Perrell, of Prestonsburg.

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Johnny Mack Brown.
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Gene Kelly, Pier Angeli.
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Linda Darnell, Garry Merrill, Hildygarde Neff.
- "The Fighter"
Richard Conte, Vanessa Brown, Lee J. Cobb.
- "Captive City"
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- SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Pony Express"
(In color)
Tyronne Power, Penny Edwards.
- TUESDAY—
"Bamba and the Jungle Girl"
Johnny Sheffield, Karen Sharpe.
- "Blonde Dynamite"
Leo Gorcey, The Bowery Boys.
- WED.-THURS.—
"You Are in the Navy Now"
Gary Cooper, Jane Greer.

Second Twin Succumbs As Parents Returning From Brother's Rites

Jeanette Burchfield, 15 months of age, died Dec. 6, of pneumonia, six days after her twin brother, James, had succumbed to the same disease. The two were the children of Jack and Pearl Badridge Burchfield, of Glo.

James, the twin-brother had died in Pontiac, Mich., Nov. 29 and the body was returned to Floyd county for burial. After the funeral, the parents were planning to return to their home in Michigan. The surviving twin was slightly ill and a doctor was consulted. The parents were told that her condition did not appear serious. On the return trip, however, the child became worse and died on the bus near Louisa.

Club Group Requests Span Approach Repair

A committee representing the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club appeared last week before County Judge Henry Stumbo to ask repair of the bridge connecting Garvitt with its school, describing the condition as dangerous for children walking to and from school. Judge Stumbo promised the group he would inspect the bridge within the next few days.

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- SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Red Mountain"
Alan Ladd, Elizabeth Scott, Arthur Kennedy, John Ireland, News and Comedy.
- TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"What Price Glory"
James Cagney, Corinne Calvert, Dan Dailey, Comedy.
- THURSDAY—
Good Picture to Be Announced

Drift Man Succumbs To Heart Condition; Was Alabama Native

Lewis Cooper, 41, of Drift, died of a heart condition, at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, on Dec. 9. He was the son of Henry Cooper, of Alabama. He had been a member of the Church of Christ, 12 years.

He is survived by his wife, Ethel Moore Cooper, and the following children at home: Jackie Denali, Geraldine Edmond and Patricia Ann. Surviving also are the following brothers and sisters: Willard Cooper, Miami; Glenn Cooper, Apalachicola; Arthur, Jesse, Frank, Roy, Bertha, Kelly and Truman, of Banner.

DRIFT THEATRE

DRIFT, KY.
FRIDAY, December 12, 7 p.m.—
"Just Across the Street"
Ann Sheridan, John Lund.

- SAT., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—
"Montana Territory"
(In Technicolor)
Lon McAllister, Wanda Hendricks, Preston Foster.
- "Criminal vs. Lawyer"
Pat O'Connor, Jane Wyatt.
- SAT., 10:30—
"Francis Goes to West Point"
Donald O'Connor, Lois Nelson.
- SUNDAY, 10 and 7—
"Broncho Busters"
(In Technicolor)
John Lund, Scott Brady.
- MONDAY, 7 p.m.—
"Francis Goes to West Point"
Donald O'Connor, Lois Nelson.
- TUES.-WED., 7 p.m.—
"Jumping Jacks"
Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis.
- THURS.-FRI., 7 p.m.—
"Red Mountain"
(In Technicolor)
Alan Ladd, Elizabeth Scott.

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GUNNELL RECEIVES BASIC TRAINING

Pvt. William R. Gunnell has returned to his company and is receiving his basic training. He is squad leader of the First squad and First platoon, Fort McClellan, Alabama.

VISIT IN LOUISVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Derossett and their niece, Miss Mary Elizabeth Derossett, were business visitors in Louisville during the past week-end. They also visited Mr. Derossett's brother in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

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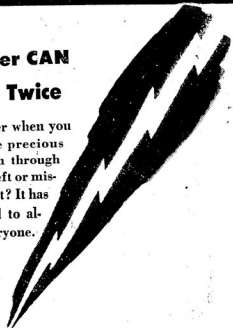
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Congratulations

LAST Friday, radio station WPRF became a part of Floyd county, and The Times congratulates all connected with it.

This is a business venture, the cost of which reflects its owner's confidence in the future of Floyd county—and that, it should be remembered, is a virtue not every Floyd county possesses.

We Should Not Falter

HAVE you mailed or taken payment for your Christmas Seals to the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association?

This is no trivial matter. On the success of this drive for funds, on our contributions through the purchase of Christmas Seals, depend the future work of a fulltime tuberculosis nurse in this county.

Mrs. J. D. Mayo's work as TB nurse in this county has been outstanding. The death rate from the disease has decreased steadily since she began the work of contacting sufferers and contacts, arranging chest x-ray examinations, persuading sufferers to take hospital treatment, urging care against contracting the malady and working in many other ways to establish the intimate contact with the people which is necessary to lead them from long-established and pernicious habits and customs.

To this drive and more to come—those to raise funds for the continuing fight on polio, heart disease, human misery of any kind—every individual should make a generous contribution.

Beer and Cigarettes Can Stand More Taxes

STATE revenues have taken a dive at a time when the treasury was vulnerable as a result of inflation, and we are told higher state taxes are almost certain to be the attempt at a solution.

Allan M. Trout astutely reviewed the situation in Sunday's edition of The Courier-Journal. Among the causes he lists for the state's income falling to come up to expectations are a drop of 58 per cent on whiskey production tax, almost 9 per cent in the consumption tax on whiskey and a loss of 22.2 per cent in corporation income taxes.

With \$8,000,000 to \$9,000,000 a year needed in additional revenues, Mr. Trout predicts that an attempt to raise that amount will be made by the General Assembly at its 1953 session in three-fold action:

1. Amending the state income tax laws requiring employers to withhold employees' taxes as they are now withhold federal income taxes—a move estimated to add \$4,000,000 a year to the state treasury.
 2. Increase the 2-cents-a-package cigarette tax to near the national average of 3 1/4-cents a pack. If this tax is brought to 4 cents, it would yield \$5,000,000 itself.
 3. Increase the \$1.50-a-barrel tax on beer to about the national average which exceeds \$3. This would add \$1,500,000 more.
- The national average on cigarettes is almost 4 cents; that means some states charge much more than 4 cents. The national average on beer is more than \$3 a barrel, which means that in some states the tax is higher than that, since it runs as low as 92 cents in California.
- In those states where the tax is higher on these two items, which certainly cannot

be classified as necessities, there is no death of smokers and drinkers.

So we say, raise the taxes on beer and cigarettes. Those who, come high taxes and high water, will smoke and drink will not be deterred. So let them pay.

Mr. Trout mentions the sales tax as a certain money-raiser, but admits that legislators and those who lead legislatures in this state are loath to approach that touchy subject—even though every other state bordering Kentucky has a sales tax.

NOTICE OF SALE

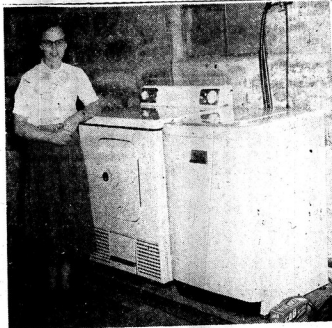
The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder between the hours of 12 noon and 2 p.m., Dec. 20, 1952, at its place of business in Prestonsburg, Ky., the following described motor vehicles:

One 1940 Chevrolet business coupe, Motor No. DSP27883, Oregon license 611538, owner, William T. Taylor.

One 1940 Chevrolet sedan, Motor No. C254279, Serial No. 7647052, owner, Richard Smith.

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MRS. HAYES, ESSAY CONTEST WINNER



Mrs. Rondel E. Hayes, of Hueysville, smiles happily as she stands beside her new Frigidaire electric clothes dryer which she won in the recent essay contest sponsored by the electrical appliance dealers and the Kentucky & West Virginia Power Company.

Mrs. Hayes checked Frigidaire as her preference and her dryer was delivered to her by the York Furniture Company, of Martin, W. C. York, owner of the York Furniture Company, along with A. H. Jopp, power company district commercial manager, made a personal visit to extend congratulations to Mrs. Hayes.

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Glee Club To Present Christmas Concert

Fredericksburg, Va.—The annual Christmas concert by the Glee Club of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia will be given at George Washington Auditorium, Saturday afternoon, Dec. 11, and will be directed by Miss Marion Chantrel, assistant professor of music. A program of recitals of vocal soloists will be played by Miss Beverly Patrick, organist, of Billings, N. Y., and six choruses of new and familiar American and European songs.

Elizabeth Jane Spunk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Spunk, of Prestonsburg, Ky., is one of the freshmen recently elected for membership in this organization.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

MARTIN

T. J. Fitzpatrick, of Pikeville, was visiting his aunt, Lizzie Hill, here Saturday afternoon.

James K. Crisp and Mrs. Wilma Shively were the Sunday afternoon guests of his sister, Mrs. Mary Shivers.

S. T. Taylor, of the air force, who spent a 30-day furlough here with his family, and Sgt. Don Osborne, left this week for Camp Kilmer, N. J. From there they will embark for Germany.

Mrs. Rose Lynn, along with the Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Payne, left Sunday for a vacation in Florida. Mrs. Lynch will return home in a week. The Payns will stay longer for his health.

Miss Margaret Brantam spent the week-end in Charleston, W. Va.

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3rd FREEDOM CRUSADE MAY BE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN STATE

The Crusade for Freedom is in full swing across the state and early indications are that the 1952 Crusade will be the most successful in its three-year history. The campaign ends December 15.

Robert E. Hatton, state campaign chairman, said 84 county chairmen are setting up active campaigns and "before we're through" campaigns will have been operating in 100 of the state's 120 counties. Included in the 81 counties where active drives have been launched is Floyd County.

W. Prater, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, is chairman of the crusade in this county.

Robert P. Steptoe, executive director, said 400,000 Freedom-Grants had been sent out from the Crusade's Louisville headquarters to all sections of the state. He estimated a million of the messages will have been distributed by the time the campaign closes.

The bulk of the Freedom-Grants are being distributed through the public and parochial schools of the state. Steptoe said. This will mean some 700,000 of the messages will be distributed by the school-age children in Kentucky. The balance are being distributed by county chairmen, labor and other groups.

First large financial contribution to the Crusade for Freedom came from the Armored center at Fort Knox. Col. John L. Ryan, Jr., Chief of staff, turned over a check for \$5,000 to Hatton. The money was contributed by officers and men stationed at the training center, Col. Ryan said. Kentucky's goal is \$50,000 and 250,000 Freedom-Grants.

Meanwhile, other groups launched Crusade promotion drives. A state-wide church committee composed of three Louisville clergymen representing the three major faiths have supported by letters to all churches in Kentucky asking that the clergy support the Crusade from the pulpit and through church bulletins.

Associated Industries of Kentucky, major industrial association in the state, has endorsed the Crusade. Louis J. Bosse, association managing director, sent letters to its 700 industry members urging financial support.

Major labor groups are solidly behind the Crusade. The AFL, CIO,

United Mine Workers and Railroad Brotherhoods are conducting campaigns in plants and shops throughout Kentucky. Co-Chairmen of the Crusade labor committee are Sam Beello, secretary-treasurer of the Kentucky Federation of Labor, and Fred Foss, secretary-treasurer of the CIO Council.

Charles M. Gastrell, commissioner of aeronautics in connection with airport inspection, made available an airplane for Steptoe to use as he traveled across the state conferring with county chairmen. The regional manager of an automobile manufacturer arranged for an automobile to meet Steptoe at all airfields to transport him around the vicinity.

Freedom-Grants look like telegrams. The message, which is translated on the reverse side in the eight languages of Communist-controlled countries of eastern Europe, urge people to listen to Radio Free Europe. The Crusade for Freedom solicits funds to support and strengthen Radio Free Europe and Radio Free Asia.

Injury Delays Sailing



All set to sail for Korea Nov. 19. Pfc. Jimmy Parsley, formerly of Prestonsburg, now of the Marine Corps, was prevented from doing so by a leg injury. He now is at Camp Pendleton, Calif., his embarkation for overseas duty awaiting only his recovery.

Pfc. Parsley is the son of W. C. Parsley, Fairmont, W. Va., and is grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parsley, of Prestonsburg. He has been in the Marine Corps a year.

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9:45 a.m.—At L.C.M. Church.
10:00 a.m.—At Allen.
10:00 a.m.—At Martin.
10:00 a.m.—At Garrett.
2:30 p.m.—At Slick Rock.
10:35 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by pastor: "Jesus' Angel Testifies." (Rev. 22:16).

Afternoon, 3:30—At Slick Rock, Sermon by pastor: "New Abideth Faith, Hope and Charity."
Evening Services—Training at 6:30 at the church. Evangelistic—7:30. Sermon by pastor: "The Great Three-Fold Invitation." (Rev. 22:17).
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer and praise; 7:30 p.m.—Community Carol Singing at grade school.

CHRISTMAS THOUGHT
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ALLEN

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church held its monthly meeting, Thursday night, with Mrs. Willard Kinzer hostess in her home. Routine business was discussed and drawing of names of secret sisters for the coming year. Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, president, presided with Mrs. Betty Stephens in charge of the study course. Mrs. David Louder was elected vice-president and Mrs. Euna Laven promotion secretary since the former promotion secretary has moved away. M. A. Kinzer, assisted by Mrs. Galloway Leferty, served a called course to the following: Madeline Maude Snodgrass, Flora Gray, Jewell Allen, Betty Stephens, Nancy Lander, Edna Mae Callison, Pearl Kinzer, Tiney Crisp, Euna Laven, Misses Wanda Crisp, Leberta and Karen Stephens. The January meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Galloway Leferty.

Fvt. Gordon Gray, of Camp Breckinridge, Ky., spent Saturday night and Sunday here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray. He was met in Louisville and accompanied to Louisville on his return trip by his mother, and brother, Jimmy Dolano Gray. They visited Billy Malone at K. M. L., Saturday afternoon.

Barbara Sue Allen, of Morehead college, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allen.

Ft. Billy May, of Ft. Benning, Ga., is spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Banner May.

Edsel Salyers, of University of Ky., spent the week-end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyers.

Business visitors in Huntington, Friday, were Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kane, Mrs. Mae Schroeder and Tom Austin, C. & C. operators here, spent the week-end at Guthrie in the home of Mr. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children accompanied Mrs. Vernon Thomas to Ashland Saturday, on her way to California to be with her husband who is stationed there with the Navy.

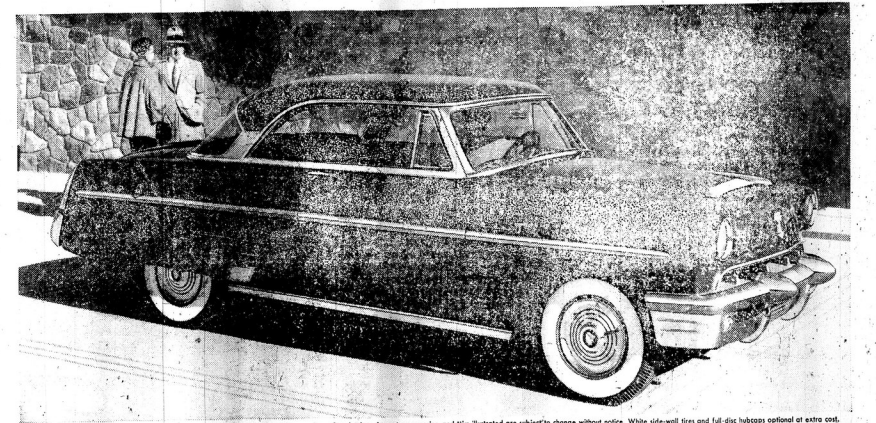
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malone visited their son, Billy Pat, at Kentucky Military Institute last week-end.

Mrs. Betty Stephens and daughters, Leberta and Karen Sue, are visiting relatives in Ashland.

Bob Webb, who recently left for the army is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Lexie Allen has been a patient for some time at the Good Samaritan hospital in Lexington. She underwent surgery last week and is reported improving.

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Haley Webb, Lantley Ky., administrator, estate of W. H. Webb, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Prestonsburg, estate of Mrs. Fanny Fitzpatrick; Edna King, Bypro, Ky., estate of T. P. Carlson, Einbech G. Moore, Prestonsburg, Ky., administrator, estate of Elizabeth Clay Goble; Lucy Patton, Lantley Ky., administrator, estate of Earl and Belle Estery; Love Childers, Bevinville, Ky., administrator, estate of Corie Childers; Oliver Hall, Galveston Ky., administrator, estate of Crissie Hall; Goddie Allen, Minnie, Ky., administrator, estate of George Allen; Jake Setzer, Van Lear, Ky., administrator, estate of W. J. Setzer; Chester Gibson, Hucyville, Ky., administrator, estate of P. C. Duncanson; Christine M. Patton, Auxter, Ky., administrator, estate of Hazel M. Moran; Memice Whitaker, West Prestonsburg, Ky., administrator, estate of Carl Whitaker; Virgil Hamilton, Betsy Laine, Ky., administrator, estate of Lulu Webb; Minnie Blackburn, Lawrence, Ky., administrator, estate of D. W. Blackburn; Emma Grace Quillen, McDowell, Ky., administrator, estate of Bobby Gene Quillen; Thermo Moore, Hucyville, Ky., administrator, estate of Sophia Galtheart; Kelly Howard Garrett, Ky., administrator, estate of Buzon Howard.

DURAN MOORE, Clerk
Floyd County Court

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VISITS SISTER IN BALTIMORE
Mrs. Elva Hunt of Ivore, Mrs. Dorothy Stratton of Mt. Cevals have returned from Baltimore where they visited their sister, Mrs. Vada Blackburn. Mrs. Blackburn has been ill for several months but is showing improvement.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

MARTIN BACKING PAGEANT

The good people of Martin are solidly behind the Passion Pageant. Business concerns took enough advertising to publish a handbook to be used for rituals and on Pageant day. It contains the script, references, casts, stage necessities, directions, committees, etc. for Passion day. Instead of calling upon the merchants again in the spring for money to buy tickets, build booths and meet other expenses, the Pageant board will charge a small fee for the booklet, put this back into the treasury, to be used once more. Our good business people are so flooded with requests one gets sorry for them. Only a few declined and there are times when everyone is forced to do so. A majority responded most willingly, despite numerous calls from other sources the same week.

In addition to this everyone who is called upon in Martin for assistance to the Pageant in other forms is more than willing to help. It was this fine community spirit that put the event on the map last spring. Hall Brothers Funeral Home offers its radio time. Turner Funeral Home will be ticket headquarters on April 11, when the Pageant, Fred Dickerson will send a bus to haul visitors free on Passion day to the grounds, from parking areas outside of town. Jewell Hardware offers space for Pageant headquarters if needed by co-producers. Messian's Bill Allen, Joe Allen, Woodrow Allen, Sherill Frazier, Ollie Max, Bill Reynolds, E. D. Gray, and Miss Magdalene Brinkman.

The services of Harmon Electric Co., Maytown, and Joe Holson, attorney, Prestonsburg, are available. Such cooperation from those and many others who will do their part when asked is making possible a matchless opportunity to spread the gospel story by dramatization to many, who otherwise might not hear it.

At the Pageant board of directors meeting Sunday afternoon Demara Taylor was elected to fill the vacancy created when Bill Reynolds, Jr., resigned recently as representative of the Christian Sunday School. Mr. Taylor is one of the most progressive citizens of Martin. At present he is doing a superb job preparing for a big Christmas for Martin youngsters, through the American Legion Post of which he is commander.

Citizen

M-SGT. RAY WITH 3RD DIV.
Raymond Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ray, Bypro, Ky., recently was promoted to master sergeant while serving in Korea. Ray, who arrived in Korea last August, is a platoon sergeant in the 15th Engineer's Company H. He was previously assigned to the 24th Division in Japan.

Hackworth Is Elected "Mr. F.T.A." at University Heads State Organization

Robie Hackworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hackworth, of West Prestonsburg, was elected "Mr. F.T.A." (Future Teachers of America) at the University of Kentucky, Nov. 18. Mr. Hackworth is state president of F.T.A. He represented the organization at a two-week workshop in Ypsilanti, Mich., last July, was also chosen as a delegate to represent the organization at the meeting of the classroom teachers in Savannah, Ga., Nov. 14 and 15. He was guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the F.T.A. chapter at Georgetown College, Dec. 2.

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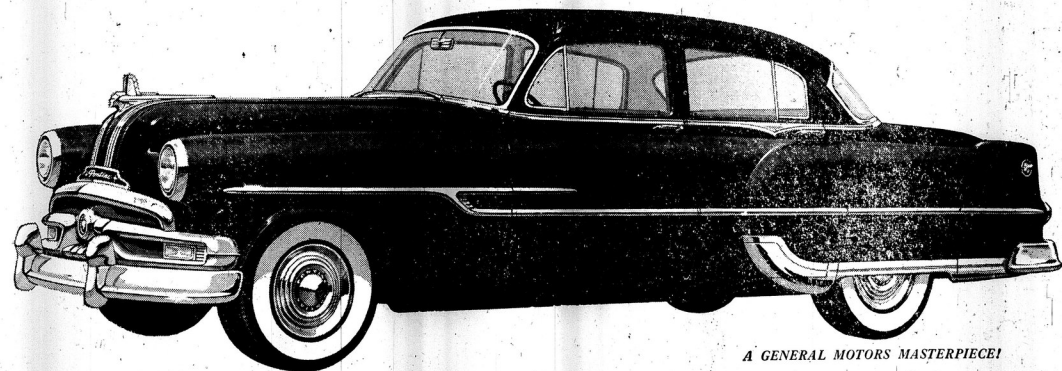
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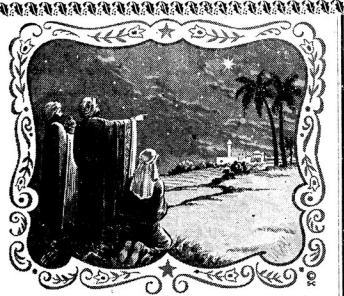
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REVIVAL AT MARTIN
 Rev. Vernon D. Wright, pastor of the First Assembly of God of West Prestonsburg, began a revival at the Upper Room Assembly of God in Martin, Dec. 6, which will continue until the 14th or longer. The public is invited to attend.

PFC. FLOYD GETS AWARD
 Pfc. Leo Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd, of Hopewell, Ky., and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Hall, Allen, has been serving in Korea with the 1st Field Artillery Observation Battalion, which recently was awarded the Meritorious Unit Citation.

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His unit, the only one of its kind in Korea, was cited for outstanding service between August, 1950, and April, 1952, locating enemy artillery positions with sound, flash and radar positions.
 Floyd, a wireman in Battery B of the battalion, entered the army in October, 1951, and arrived in Korea last April. He has been awarded the Korean Service and U.S. Service Ribbons.

Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

The following letter came to the editor's desk recently and since it concerns this column it was passed on. The writer, G. M. "Mat" Hale, of Hazard, is an energetic and spirited business man. He objects, mildly, that Jane Elkins married a Hale, and in this column on Nov. 6 his objection is valid as she married John Hale. As he surmised, the error was typographical. But let's own with the letter:

I was much interested in Henry P. Scalf's history of the Apple Orchard cemetery on Brushy Fork of Johns Creek (Floyd County Times, Nov. 6).

My interest increased when he mentioned the Elkins family. For I realized he was barking up my family tree. My interest grew when he mentioned branches of that family whom I knew many years ago—Fletcher, Charles, Bob, Jeff, Ailsie, Rebecca and Jane, my grandmother.

He made one little error, which, however, might have been typographical. He said Jane married a Hall of Brushy, when it should have been Hale, who was my grandfather. This, to me, was the most interesting part of his story, and I was disappointed when he snipped off my branch of the tree and left me dangling to the snag. Not to be left in that predicament I want to graft on to that stub some of the larger branches and leave it to some one else to supply the twigs.

Jane Elkins married John Hale and to them were born Emery, Jasper (Jack), Kane, Ailsie and Betty. John Hale died on Twelve Pole Creek, Cabell county, W. Va., when his children were small. Their mother moved with them to Brushy Fork of Johns Creek, to be near her sister, Mrs. John Davis. After many years, when the children were almost grown, she moved to Floyd county and settled on Little Mud Creek, on the Sammy Clark farm. Emery married Ailsie Perry, settled in Prestonsburg, where they raised a large family. Jack married Jane Mead and settled on Little Mud, later, on Tiger Creek, where four sons and three daughters grew up. Of these, this writer is the oldest (70 today). Kane married Amanda Blankenship, settled on Johns Creek, and to them were born a son and daughter. Ailsie married Dave Perry and reared a large family in and around Prestonsburg. Betty married Ebert Robette, settled in the Mud Creek valley and they had five sons and five daughters.

Now, since I have wriggled off the snag, I feel better. But I hope no one of the Elkins family will be piqued if I single out one for special mention. It concerns the family of Uncle Charley Elkins, who spent his last days on Little Paint Creek, near the Johnson county line, and more particularly his daughter, Lizzie. She was a very beautiful

woman, as I remember her, more than 60 years ago. She often came to Mud Creek to visit her folks, romped and played with the children, in a girlish way. She was highly spirited, friendly, and fond of her folks.
 She married Webster Greer, who passed to his reward many years ago. They settled on Little Paint where, according to my last report, she still lives alone near her old home. My last personal word from her was in 1901—my first year in Brington's school at Prestonsburg. It was a letter done up in pink ribbon, very beautiful and encouraging, to me, smarting under the whip-lash of Brington's tongue. I had not seen her for many years before this and have not seen her since that date.

G. M. "MAT" HALE

TWO CAUGHT AT HAZARD
 Hazard, Ky.—Two teen-age youths who escaped from Greendale Houses of Reform were recaptured here this week.

Dewey Hilton, 15, Hazard, was apprehended by Chester McDaniel, an industrial policeman, and James Spinkins, 16, of near Newport, was picked up a few hours later by state police.

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 3:00 p.m.—"Assembly Time," radio broadcast, WPER.
 6:30 p.m.—Choir practice.
 7:30 p.m.—Evening services (prayer for the sick).
Wednesday—
 7:30 p.m.—Prayer and praise service for the sick.
 6:30 p.m.—Choir practice.
 (Note: Church bus runs for all Sunday services up to Middle Creek garage and to Sugar Loaf curve.)

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Martin, Ky.
Sunday Services—
 9:45 a.m.—Teachers' prayers.
 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
 11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
 7:30 p.m.—Revival.
Thursday—
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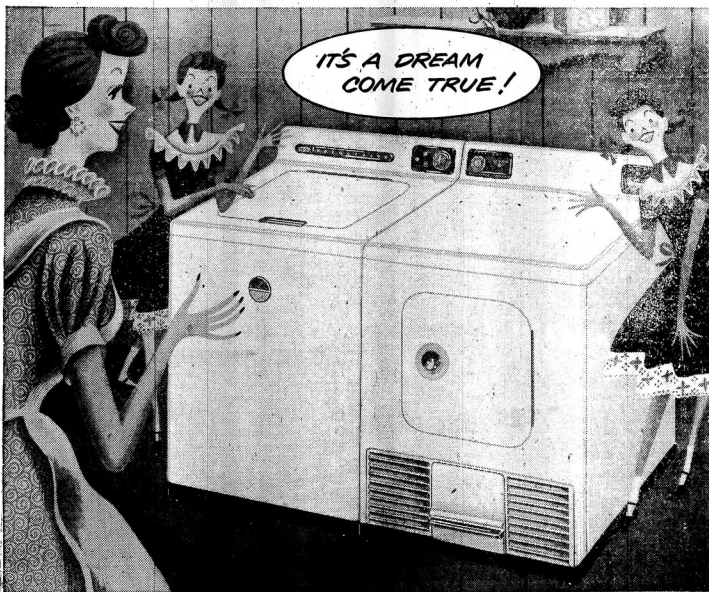


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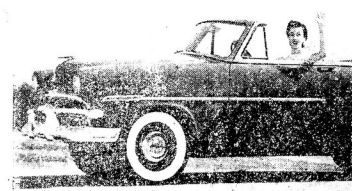


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NEW OFFICERS elected in Ashland last Wednesday by the Eastern District Petroleum Industries Committee include these four men from left: J. E. Conley of Ashland, Marvin Music of Prestonsburg, James S. Mahan Jr. of Ashland, and R. L. Crawford of Fainville, Conley, of the Texas Company, was named secretary; Music, Gulf Refining, a vice-chairman; Mahan, Ashland Oil, district chairman; and Crawford, Standard Oil, as district co-chairman.

Betsy Layne Honor Roll Grade Pupils Are Listed

Betsy Layne—The honor roll of the Betsy Layne grade school for the first 12-week period follows:
 First Grade: Archer D. Boyd, Mary Lee Branham, Arretta Henton, Doris Ray Jones, Rosemary Layne, Carol McClinton, Patricia Stanley, Johnny Hawdick, Tommy D. Hall, Sarah Lynn Wiley, Pamela Maddox, Larry Francis, Virginia Kidd, Dolly Boyd, Brenda Kay Layne, Anita Coleman.
 Second Grade: Betty Joe Adkins, Verlie Adkins, Jannelyn George, Betty Joe Haywood, Valerie Lynn Hurley, Tannis Lynn Layne, Lorraine Powell, Linda Carol Rice, Michael Wise, Lola Mae Hunter, Manilla Rice, Connie Conn.
 Third Grade: Maudean Anderson, Cherry Blackburn, Roger Lee Goble, Brenda Haywood, Clyde Hall, Jimmy Hall, Anis Hunt, Den Hunter, Judy Mae Layne, Mary Lou Lons, Shirley Lewis, Edna Payne May, Linda Sue Monk, Betty Lou Mullins, Anna Faye Stratton, Sammie Stephens.
 Fourth Grade: Gary Francis, John Furman, James Hamilton, Tracy Little, Jimmie Lykins, Jackie Mulkey, Jerry V. Ratliff, Chester Stratton, James Stratton, Lunetta Anderson, Sarah Barker, Norma Jean Boyd, Anna Lee Burchett, Virginia B. Ethington, Jeannette Collins, Sara Alice Hall, Patricia Hinchman, Linda Kay Layne, Priscilla Leedy Sue Price, Georgia Hickman, Patty Smith, Phyllis Ann Spratz, Thelma Spradlin, Lora Stone, Jettica Stratton.
 Fifth Grade: With Distinction (all A's) Nancy K. Moore, with honors—Dolly Allen, Aquilla Bailey, Darlene Blackburn, Nancy Jo Butt, Karen Compton, Gloria Fay Conn, Geraldine Hall, Lucille Hamilton, Emma Lois Haywood, Judy McClannahan, Virginia Jo Meade, Pearlene Stanley, Patricia Layne, George Ed Clarke, Clarence Goble, Ralph Allen Roper.
 Sixth Grade: Robert Anderson, Tradeus Blackburn, Bobbie Gene Burchett, Joe Dillon, Johnny Epling, Bobbie Hall, Donald Jackson, Eddie Lykins, A. J. Martin, Arthur Martin, William McClannahan, Jimmy Stratton, Larry Thomas, Florence Adkins, Barbara Barker, Betty Boyd, Glenda Bush, Diana Conn, Magdalene Dale, Nancy Goble, Barbara Hall, Norma Ruth Hall, Norma Lou James, Beulah Fay Johnson (supervisor—all A's), Bennie Jean Justice, Maggie Meade, Barbara Monk, Genevieve Parsons, Victoria Spradlin, Madeline Williamson, Carolyn Kidd.
 Seventh Grade: Connie Caldwell, Bonnie Sue Conn, Anita Belle Daniel, Billy Ray DeLoach, Hattie Dillon, Lloyd Dillon, Eva Mae Epling, Johnny B. Hall, Jimmie Hardwick, Allie Harvey, Jeannette Hadwood, David Hinchman, Joyce Hunt, Susan Layne, Owendolby Leedy, Franklin Minnis, Ruby Fay Mitchell, Ruth Powell, Henrietta Saunders, Leon Stevens, Gloria Fay Stratton, Bonnie Lou Trimble, Judd Robinette.
 Eighth Grade: With Distinction (all A's)—Arvonne Reed, Patricia Ann Sargent, Bill Tom Barley, Yvonne Bayso, Jimmie Ray Hall, Nita June Stover; Honor Roll—Fatty Lykins, Gussie Mae Layne, Georgene Senters, Loretta Stetley, Emmitt Lawson, Ned Bush, Lila Lee Layne, Anna Jewell Moles, Tommy Wright, Douglas Johnstone, Betty Marie Stratton.

New Officers To Begin Terms at Annual Party Here Saturday Evening

New officers of the Foreman's Club of the Princess Ekholm Coal Company at David will assume their duties during the club's annual Christmas party which will be held Saturday evening at the grade school cafeteria.
 Wives of club members will be guests, and an interesting part of the program will be the exchanging of gifts and awarding of valuable door prizes. Music will be provided by the David Teen-Agers.
 New officers who will enter on their duties at the meeting are Oliver Marshall, president; Pete Campbell, vice-president; Chester Patton, secretary, and Harry Clay, treasurer.

Women's Club Meets At Home of Mrs. Reed

Mrs. Mark Reed was hostess to the Prestonsburg Woman's Club for the regular monthly meeting Thursday, Dec. 4. During the business session which was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. W. Cooley, the club voted to sponsor the 1953 Heart Fund drive in Prestonsburg. Mrs. E. S. Collins was named chairman of the drive, assisted by co-chairmen, Mrs. Bill Petty and Mrs. Fanny Runnels. The club also voted to purchase the \$5.00 certificate for the T.B. Christmas Stalls which were mailed to them. Many Christmas gifts for veterans were brought to the meeting and Miss Alice Harris volunteered to pack and mail them.
 Mrs. A. C. Harlowe introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Hey B. Browning. The topic of the program was "Our Neighbors in Other Lands." Mrs. Browning, having traveled extensively, presented a most interest-

ing program. Assisted by Mrs. Thomas Lemaster, she showed colored films of some of her trips. The first was about an airplane trip to Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and about 15 other countries. The second trip showed the speaker sailing from New York for Jamaica, Cuba and South America. Mrs. Browning told many interesting things about the people, their customs and the countries in general.
 After the program, the hostess, Mrs. Mark Reed, assisted by Mrs. Susan John Allen, E. S. Collins and Byron Nunery served refreshments to the following members: Mesdames W. W. Cooley, G. M. Haggard, Bill Petty, John Hale, A. C. Harlowe, H. L. Lee, Glenn Anderson, Earl T. Arnett, J. D. Mayo, Fanny Runnels, Ed May, Gaylyn Ford, Val Strahan, J. H. Ketchum, Russell Snow, Raymond Smith, and guests, Mesdames Hey B. Browning, Joe Hawkins, Jr., Beba Mayo, Martha Carpenter, J. P. Sammons, Walter Gillison, and Mr. Thomas LeMaster.
 The club will have a silver tea on January 8 at the home of Mrs. R. V. May, from 3 to 5 p.m.
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Mrs. M. E. Thompson is ill with a severe cold.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Waugh and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waugh at Betsy Layne, last week-end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pelphey and daughter, of Columbus, Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Adkins here recently.
 Claude Arnett and sister, of Chelsea, Mich., visited Mrs. Bessie Arnett in Prestonsburg, General hospital last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall and daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Webb and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Walters were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Phillips at Lucasville, Ohio, recently.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robie Stone, Dec. 5, a son, Carl Gregory, weight seven pounds.
 Mr. and Mrs. Zelba Carpenter visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson last week.
 George Prater, of Charleston, W. Va., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hager here Sunday. His wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hager, for several days, returned home with her husband.
 Miss Lora Lee Prater was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Move Allen, of Abbott, Sunday.
 You are invited to hear the pre-Christmas message, next Sunday night.

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The Report was False

The Times a few weeks ago "fell" for a news-item sent us from Lexington, and, so doing printed a report which was untrue. This item reported the engagement of Bobie Hackworth, University of Kentucky student and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hackworth of West Prestonsburg. The Times regrets its gullibility which caused it to give a lie recognition in its columns.
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Tunis — Two Muslim mourners and a policeman were wounded in a gun clash when police tried to ban memorial services for Farhat Heddoui, assassinated Nationalist labor leader.

CLEVELAND — The men in charge of news presented by radio and television stations think major news associations and services did not have an "unbiased" job reporting the last election.



Sgt. Lavonis Little, 30 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Little, of Wayland, has been stationed in England for 22 months. He has been rotated and is on his way home to the states.

Sgt. Little volunteered, Oct. 18, 1949. He is a graduate of Viper high school in Perry county.

Wayland—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mosley, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosley and daughters, Mrs. Ruth Belcher, Dennis Hicks and friend of Detroit, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mosley here over the Thanksgiving holidays.

IT'S A GOOD WORLD BY WILLIAM

Recently a Wayland high school kid walked to the door of Miss Katharine Gearheart's room and asked her if her Christmas tree would be as pretty this year as it was last. She replied that she hoped so. He then said he thought it was the prettiest of all, that he just loved the "Eisenhower" stuff she had all over it! He meant "angel hair."

We commend Ike for bringing to his cabinet men who represent various factions and groups. It shows a desire to cement sections and an unwillingness to forgive, to bear grudges. America comes before either party. Minorities and others feel entitled to representation. All of us differ with nearly everyone on some points but such should not prevent us from working toward common goals harmoniously. Countless public officials, in offices low and high, have been the losers because they could not forgive the opponents and those who failed to support them. Often they become the victims of their own viewpoint.

We had the privilege recently of introducing Mrs. E. P. Grigsby, of Martin, to a friend, who was astonished when told that Mrs. Grigsby and her husband are the proud, happy parents of eight fine children, all of whom possess remarkable talent. "Put her there," the friend enthusiastically shook hands with this youthful-looking mother, whose family comes first.

Shortly before that an acquaintance remarked that so few educated parents today want large families and that she congratulated Mayor and Mrs. Grigsby for their fine example. In the First Family of Martin one or the other of the parents is at home with the children each evening, though all of the youngsters are of school age. Family ties are close ones in the home, where friends of all ages are in and out daily.

Both Mayor and Mrs. Grigsby are active in many organizations, and are recognized as among the best leaders in Martin or Floyd county. One of the nicest things about them is the fact that, while they are highly successful, they are equally democratic and take care to teach their children the better values of life. We salute them.

Many wonder why Martin has grown so in recent years. There are several reasons. One is the fact that it has so many people of real vision. The town is running over with leaders of top-notch quality, both men and women, and it also has countless others who prefer to be followers but to be good ones. They are thinking in community terms, with respect to the future. They can be critical of one another with the right attitude, the one that gets us somewhere, the kind used by Londoners in London, Ky., to put it on the map in the past few years.

An example of their community interest was illustrated this week when the First Baptist Church voted Sunday to build its new edifice on the lot generously donated by Mr. and Mrs. Mason Moore, out near the Moore's Service Station. Some day, Martin will build up in that direction, and families there will lack proximity to a good church, whereas

today there is friendly competition among a number of small churches in the town itself. While there are still plenty of people not attending anywhere, to fill all the churches, it is good to see a new church go up where none exists. It shows a consideration for others. Baptists are influenced by the fact that their membership is largely rural, with many coming by bus from many routes. The church no doubt was also influenced by the goodness of the donor. Mrs. Moore is generally recognized as one of the best men in this section. As a Christian he walks close to God, and gives Him the credit for everything good in his life. While some, of course, voted each way, the fine thing about this church is that its members stick together in brotherly love. Several said they would lay just as many rocks, blocks or stones in one place as in the other.

ALPHORETTA

Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughter, Georgia Ann, are visiting in New Albany, Ind., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Risner, of Risner, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sturgill.

Crawford Sturgill and son, Adam, and daughter, Sadie and Donna, Clik nighted church at Drift, Saturday night.

Little Patty Sue England has been a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital after suffering a head laceration in a fall on the railroad. She is recovering.

Col. Richard Crisp, who has recently returned home from Korea, was honor guest at a happy reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp, his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sturgill, of Eastern, recently motored to Big Rock, Va. They were Sunday dinner guests of her father, Jim Manuel.

Mrs. Walter England was shopping in Martin, Saturday night.

Mrs. Alma Layne recently left for Lima, O., where she will join her son, Henry Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Latery were visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac, Sunday.

Virgil Isaac, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hordel were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Walk Derossent and daughter, Perline, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Sturgill, Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Daniels and daughters, of Martin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Walter England was in Prestonsburg on business, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Meadows and children motored to Paintsville, Sunday.

Mrs. Lorain Patton was visiting at Maytown, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Stephens, of Manton, were visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. Dona Clik and Miss Sadie Sturgill were visiting at Martin, Sunday evening.

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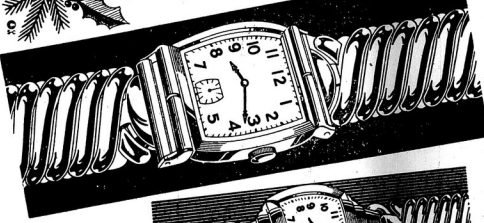
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Floyd Students To Take Part in Yale Programs Of Pikeville College

Pikeville, Ky., Dec. 9 (Sp.)—Six young Floyd countians will take part in the annual Christmas program of the girls' and boys' choruses of Pikeville Junior College and Pikeville College Academy Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 8 p.m.

Lucille Sexton, Drift, and three young Floyd county men students at the college are members of the 28-voice Pikeville College Chorus, which will sing five selections on the program. Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said today. The men are Kenneth Burchett, Irv, Bobby Ekins, Harold, and Bobby Kitchin, East Point.

Miss Sexton, Burchett and Kitchin are members of the sophomore class at Pikeville. Ekins is a freshman. Jane Ann Hale, of Harold, and Alice Snyder, Betty Layne, are among the 40 Academy students in the combined Academy chorus. The group of 37 girls and 12 boys will sing five numbers, all without accompaniment.

Miss Snyder will also appear in a dual role in Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," to be presented in dramatized form (on the same program) by members of the Pikeville College Academy class in public speaking. She will play both "Mrs. Fezziwig" and "Martha Cratchit."

PIKE STORE LOOTED

Pikeville, Ky.—Some \$3,000 in merchandise was reported stolen from the No. 1 store of the Eastern Coal Company at nearby Hardy.

Missing merchandise includes 11 watches, assorted jewelry, clothing, cigarettes, and food-stuffs. The theft was discovered by John J. Scott, store manager.

Stebenville—Two men fled their way through the roof of the county jail and then slid down a makeshift rope to a short-lived freedom. A few hours later police at nearby Toronto arrested them for drunkenness.

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Portsmouth, O.—John Alden Staker, 84-year-old attorney and a Democrat, announced he is to succeed Judge Kenneth Cranston as judge of the Portsmouth municipal court. Staker said he had received his commission from Governor Lausche.

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HALL APPOINTED

Joe J. Hall was named executive officer of the State Police by Commissioner Charles C. Coffman, Hall, who was formerly in charge of the State Police's Bureau of Investigation, will carry the rank of major and will serve as commissioner when Oltmann is out of the state. He replaced Charles L. Sumner, who asked to be removed and who is now assigned to command in charge of the Bureau of Communications. Hall is a Scott county native.

University of Kentucky Has 81 Floyd Students Enrolled for Semester

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 8 (Sp.)—University of Kentucky authorities reported this week that 81 students from Floyd county are among 5,394 men and women attending the institution during the current fall session.

Dr. Richard L. Tuttle, University registrar, said that 118 of Kentucky's 120 counties are represented in the student body this fall.

Prestonsburg students are Robert Bunch, Carl Latta, Toby Spredlin, Earl Moore, Thomas Moore, William W. Herra, Howard, Quentin, Alvin, Harry Banks, Joseph Bernhardt, Morris Boyd, Roy Huger, Barbara Hoge, Palmer Hall, Billy Hill, Vyvan Oerba, Julia Vaughan, Martha O'Connell, Floyd Mann, Henry May, Jr., and James Mayo.

Students from West Prestonsburg include Robie Hackworth, William Ruppel, Henry Wright and Jesse Wacker.

Garrett students are Reka Byers, James Duff, Grayson Johnson, Clyde Hoover, Marjorie Coburn, Bobby Esop, Virginius Stumbo, James Wicker, and Mrs. Veneta Wicker.

Other Floyd county students at U.K. are Mary Morris Winford, Marie, Alcie Howard, Walter Honstiel, and Tramble Evans Wayland; Phyllis Martin, Betty Madole, Paul Hall, Carl Hoke, Albert Shuffelberger, and Nick Conley, McDowell; James Salisbury, Gertrude Rank, William Dell, Peck Grimsby, and Scott O'Connell; Marjorie and Yvonne Bryant, Paulette Moore, and Gary Hale, Harrell.

Larry Chickerson, Hubert Vicars, William Hotten, and Phyllis Radtiff, Weickel; Kermit Combs and Harold Stumbo, Ditt; Clarence Salys and Eschire Martin, Allen; Jean Hall and Mary Ray, Byero; Savage Hayes and Elizabeth May, Langley; John Crawford and Margaret Eyerly, David; Hilma Stone, Crayner; Elizabeth Salisbury, Hunter; Clarence Mitchell, Hi Hot; Arnold Lugin; Dwyer Bailey, Hueyville; Dee Johnson, Risner; Billy Hall, Aunier; Ivan Childers, Jr.; Larkie; Rena Clark, Amba; Hilda; Osborne, Eastern; Marion; Thacker, Banner; John Mandt; Muntia; James Stephens, Price; and Mildred Finnamy, Banner.

Tobacco brought Kentucky farmers \$222,600,000 dollars in 1951.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, P.L.D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

"WISE SAWS AND MODERN INSTANCES"

Last week I spoke of the wisdom found in the treasures of so much alive just as the anecdotes give in oblique form some well-known or valuable truth, so the saying tries to generalize on experience. The wise saying is probably not so much alive now as it used to be; modern living has introduced so many things that it is rather hard to generalize in any final way. After all, the folk sayings arose in a primitive, simple society, where men's wants were few, his questions also few, his reactions to heat and nature and death and life reduced to the minimum.

There is something in most people that responds to the apt quotation or the wise saw, whether it is the specific work of one great thinker or a folk saying that is of indefinite origin. Texts as such offer comfort in succinct form to thousands of people who have never read and who have never thought very extensively. Robert Frost's neighbor who always said "Good fences make good neighbors" is a sample of this sort of thinking. The man had heard it said, probably by his father, and had supposed that it contained an everlasting truth, as it does in a way. But a man like Frost could see other sides to such a wise statement:

"What are you walking in or walking out when you build a fence? Is it worth it to fence in things that do not need a fence, to establish barriers that may hinder rather than help?" Of course, the typical person with folk thinking would never dare question an age-old statement that his father used; it would smack of treason to one's ancestors. And, says Frost, the man goes on using the wise saw, comforting himself by thinking that there is nothing more to say.

It is this questioning that has made the folk saying lose much of its power in our times. Former was, the rules, reduced to rhymes, and similar things do not hold such weight unless they are supported now by something a bit more scientific. Imagine a first-class farmer planting or harvesting his crops by some memorized rhyme that grew up when a farm was a mere patch cleared in the woods?

Closely allied to these wise sayings are expressions that span the gap between figures of speech and whole sentences. "Dollars to doughnuts," "Pull the wool over a fellow's eyes," "Not dry behind the ears yet," "Settle his last,"—and so on and on I could go with phrases and near-sentences that reveal a type of folk generalization that is crude but vivid. As compared with "standard" language, a conversation larded with these expressions might seem a little too "touché up," but the figurative instinct appears in all primitive people; mere cold abstractions just do not register. Ages of experience have brought to even the most primitive certain beliefs that may or may not be wholly true; but as long as

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ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS TOTALED \$3,318,592

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 4 (Sp.)—The Department of Economic Security today reported it paid \$3,318,592 to public assistance recipients in Kentucky last month—an increase of \$11,171 over the October figure.

The Department's Division of Public Assistance administrators through a series of programs—Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children and Aid to the Needy Blind.

Division Director Aaron Paul reported that the total outlay, \$1,961,907 went to 56,064 needy aged for an average of \$34.99; \$1,266,460 for upkeep of dependent children—an average of \$61.04 for each of 18,775 families, and 2,427 blind persons received \$80,225 for an average of \$37.18.

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ALLEN

(Last week's correspondence)
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Salmon of Detroit, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Theop Salmon.
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty and daughters, Kinca and Rita, and Benita Laferty.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen had as guests through the week-end his daughter, Miss Barbara Sue Allen, of Morehead College, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Allen and son, of Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles of Ashland.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, spent Friday through Sunday in Ashland, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs, Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell and son, Vickie, left Monday for St. Paul, Minn., where Vickie will receive examinations at the Mayo Clinic. He has been ill for some time and has been awaiting an appointment there.
The following were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scalf, of Jaxell: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, Charles Collison and daughter, Dolores, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Francis and children, Chas. Worland, of Ashland, Mrs. Scalf returned many lovey gifts in observance of her birthday.

Elmer Salyers, of the University of Kentucky, has returned to Lexington after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyers, over the week-end.

Ray Hunter, of Newark, Ohio, is visiting his family here.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Laferty of Hi Hat, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Braham, of Dewale, Mr. and Mrs. Braham had as other guests, Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, of Knoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Laferty visited relatives in Allen also.

Mrs. Clara Frances Prestor has returned to Eastern State Coll. g. Richmond, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston. Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, of Adams, Ky.

Carl Comstock, who is employed in Louisville, is visiting his family. He and Mrs. Comstock had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Rev. M. N. DeHaven, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Comstock and son, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burke, of Prestonsburg.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tuck: It Thanksgivng, Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier, Jack Frazier, Billy Holbrook, Bobby Jean Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Frazier and children, Sally Jo, Russell Mont, Earsel Lee, Goldia Shortridge, Mr. and Mrs. John Setzer.

Mrs. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens and daughters, Karen and Laberta, spent Saturday night with friends and relatives in Ashland.
Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray spent Sunday night and Monday with relatives in Columbus, Ohio.

John Setzer, of Indiana, spent the week-end here with his wife.
M. H. Hyden, of Prestonsburg, was a business visitor here, Monday.
Guest speaker at the Methodist Church Sunday night was Rev. Harrison of Asbury College, and special singer, Mr. Garrett, also of Asbury.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh, of Dwale, Katherine Stratton, of Banner, and Martine Frye, of Martin.
Wyatt Martin and Mr. Crussell have returned from a business visit at Clifton Forge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kane, Mrs. Mae Schroder and Tom Austin were in Fallsburg, Saturday.

COOLEY AND SCALF REFUSE TO ACCEPT SATURDAY'S ACTION

Prestonsburg, Ky., Dec. 8, 1952
Mr. Sam Hale
West Prestonsburg, Ky.

Dear Mr. Hale:

We, the undersigned, decline to accept any position on the so-called Board of Directors of the Tax League elected at the courthouse Saturday, December 6.

We take the position that the Board elected at that time is not representative of the taxpayers and that their position is void. We feel that the placing of us on the Board is for the purpose of embarrassing us and our position with the taxpayers.

Yours very truly,
JOE H. COOLEY
HENRY P. SCALF

CAMMACK CHOSEN
Chief Justice James W. Cammack, of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, was chosen to serve on a jury of 11 Chief Justices from various states to select freedom contest essay winners at Valley Forge, Pa., Dec. 9.

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FARM PRODUCTION HIGH

Kentucky's nine institutions: farms produced \$88,728 worth of food for inmates and patients in the State Welfare and Mental Institutions during the first 10 months of 1952. Included were \$423,478 worth of vegetables, \$222,023 worth of meat, \$228,040 worth of milk and eggs valued at \$52,227. The production was sufficient to provide 125 pints of milk and two pounds of vegetables a day for each patient or inmate.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF
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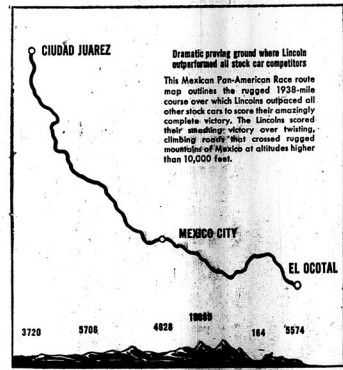
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Gas Company Officials Expect Gas Deficiency

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 4—An official of Columbia Gas Corporation said today his company expected a deficiency in natural gas production and therefore its subsidiaries couldn't take on additional customers in the Ashland area.

Ray Hitchman, Columbia Gas vice-president, Charleston, W. Va., was before the Public Service Commission to show cause why United Fuel Company, Ashland, a subsidiary of Columbia, couldn't take on more space-heating customers.

However, Russell H. Jenney, an engineer for the P.S.C., said an investigation he recently made indicated that 826 additional customers could be taken on between now and January 1 without injuring the other customers in the Ashland area.

Lively M. Wilson, commission secretary, said the P.S.C. would issue an order within the coming week.

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WAYLAND

The regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held in the Methodist Church basement, Dec. 1. The president, Miss Faye Fry, presided over a brief business meeting, at which she urged all members to bring their veterans' socks to her, so they can be sent to Veterans' hospitals before Christmas. It was voted to buy a bracelet and blouse for Miss Cisco, the club's adopted orphan. These presents are to be for Christmas. Mrs. Ralph D. Wright was appointed chairman of the Hand Drive which will be during the month of February. The club also voted to donate \$5 to the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association.

The president urged all committee members to meet as soon as possible and plan the Christmas party.

The following club members attended: Mrs. James Anthony Lyons, David Stone, Henry Paine, Richard R. Hicks, Ralph D. Wright, Roy Martin, and Misses Joyce Terry, Faye Perry and Annabelle Full.

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SOIL CONSERVATION

By L. R. JOHNSON
Soil Conservation Service

It looks like a progressive year for conservation farming in 1952, despite the unfavorable season.

Willard Stephens, of the Middle Creek community, a co-operator of the Floyd County Soil Conservation District, seeded 20 acres of Ky. 31 fescue mixed with Ladino clover and lespedeza. The fields that were brown are no longer brown but green. In order to increase growth, he spread 50 tons of lime and applied commercial fertilizer to 12 acres.

Drainage was improved on five acres by the use of farm tile and 1,200 feet of diversion channel was constructed to protect four acres.

Cover crops were seeded on all of the eight acres that were in row crops. A great deal of hay was harvested, a new barn was constructed and the old barn was improved by adding a shed. Enough livestock is on the farm to consume most of the hay.

The year 1952 has already rung the bell as a banner year in Soil Conservation. L. R. Johnson, work unit conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, reports.

As of November 1, a total of 190 new cooperators, representing 25,088 acres, had joined the Soil Conservation District program during 1952. The Soil Conservation Service has assisted the Floyd County PMA participants in planning and applying permanent-type soil conserving practices on their farms.

One of the factors that helped to increase the number of district co-operators has been the new system of progressive planning set up by the Floyd County District with the approval of the board of supervisors, of which Billy Merritt is chairman. This new system enables a farmer to start the initial phase of a soil conservation district program immediately with one or two practices and go on from there to the advanced stage and finally the basic stage of farm planning in which a soil and water conservation program is developed for his entire farm.

Soil Conservation surveys to obtain and develop the essential facts about the needs and capabilities of each parcel of land, were made on 104 farms embracing 30,500 acres.

The district is completing its first full year of service and a great deal of progress has been made through progressive planning and increasing interest by the farmer in conserving the soil of Floyd county.

Dewey Lake, in Floyd county near Prestonsburg, was impounded at a cost of approximately \$6,000,000.

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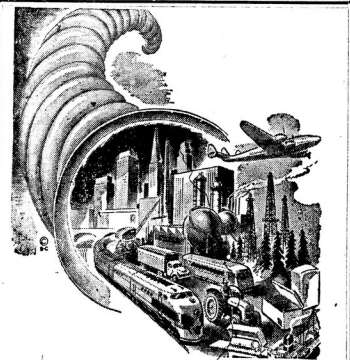
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P.H.S. Honor Student List For Period Released

Gerald G. Leslie, head of the Prestonsburg high school faculty, last week announced the following list of honor students (B average or better):

Seniors: Barbara Allen, Joe Jack Arnett, Rose Marie Bayes, Mazie Brown, Tava Burchett, Mary Sue Comstock, Julian Campbell, Robert Gunnell, James Harless, Jimmy Harris, Delmar Hughes, Myra Keel, Pauline Laferty, Kay Leslie, Sue Miller, Bobby Joe Music, Claude Ousley, Margie Neeley, Nancy Carroll Patton, Angeline Perry, Evelyn Sammons, Afa Lee Salyers, Kathryn Goodhard, Joy Waddle, Bonnie Wells.

Juniors: David Allen, Paul Allen, Violet Allen, Doris Boyd, Susan Braman, Phyllis Cline, Patty Curnburn, George Ford, Jackie Hensley, Floyd Johnson, Grace Justice, Fred May, Willis Dean May, Anna McComas, Helen McKenzie, Kathleen Meade, Laura Music, Vernon Newman, Pat Peitrey, Raymond Ratliff, Ruth Ann Rowe, Helen Sammons, Josephine Stone, Tom Spradlin, Joyce Varney, Tommy Waddle, Gabriel Wallace, Janet Ward, Charles Warrick.

Sophomores: Martha Archer, Libby Burchett, Virginia Burchett, Esther Burke, Ruby Calhoun, Donald Caldwell, Margaret Ann Collins, Winnie Cooley, Peggy Crum, Bert Dixon, Johnnie Evely, Ronnie Goble, Ronald Goodman, Wanda Greene, Dorothy Herald, Pauline Hicks, Fred Jarrell, Clarence Laferty, Joy May, Mary Lou Miller, Ed Ousley, Dickie Prater, Dorothy Rowe, Jackie Smiley, Phyllis Smiley, Phyllis Squires, Peggy Spradlin, Maxine Spurlock, Linda Sue Stephens, Marvin Sturgill, Carl Tussay, Myrtle Tussay, Denzell Walker, Randall Wells, Ballard Wright, Gene Wright.

Freshmen: Minerva Arnett, Violet Allen, Elizabeth Benjamin, Edna Burchett, Barbara Clarke, Ed Clifton, Jimmy Cline, Rebecca Conley, Johnny Cook, George Curry, Carol Greer, Gerald Greer, Christine Hale, Phyllis Hammond, Randall Honeycutt, Dolores Hughes, Downen Hughes, Lowell Hughes, Clyde Lucas, Ruth Pusey, Myrtle Tussay, Denzell Walker, Randall Wells, Ballard Wright, Gene Wright.

During the past four years, Kentucky has constructed 712 bridges to meet growing traffic needs on her highways.



As you may know, if you are a Bible student, Captain John Smith's motto is apt to be the shibboleth in the Jameson colony. "Those who do not work shall not eat," was a swipe from the Apostle Paul. Not grand hereby, mind you. Maybe it was just a case of Smithsonian post-licensing with Holy Writ. I suppose practically everybody old enough to attend Sunday School has taken similar liberties with the Bible.

Paul, the much-traveled spreader of Christianity, said in the Second Epistle to the Thessalonians (chapter 3, 10th verse) "...This we command you, that if any should not work, neither should he eat."

Now don't credit me with being a good student of the Bible. I was reminded of the quotation from the Apostle Paul by a preacher friend of mine, Dr. R. E. Douglas, of Henderson, who telephoned to congratulate me on a recent anti-handoutism piece I wrote in this space.

And having got the line through a minister, it occurs to me to pass it along to all preachers in Kentucky for use as a text for next Sunday's sermon. Those who have prepared next Sunday's effort already can hold it over for the following Sunday. It will keep. Having held up pretty well for about 20 centuries, it ought to be good for any time in December, 1952.

With our country already engaged in a small war with a third world conflict more than an even bet, Paul's famous line should be stenciled inelastically on the minds of all adult Kentuckians, because with the government already in debt 290 billion dollars, raising fabulous sums with bond issues is not going to be easy. Facing the printing of fiat money, the American people will have to pay as they go this time.

If we work hard enough and the government does not waste money as it did on the home front in World War II, we can carry much of the expense as we go. For the rest of the money needed we can break our piggy banks.

Certainly there is not enough loose money lying around to buy bonds like we did in World War II. And since wealth is created by work and by work alone, most of us will have to put in more hours and shed more perspiration.

Just what is expected of us should be made known in the next few months. In the meantime we can get in the mood. Farmers should have no trouble planning next year's crops and preparing to meet demands for livestock. Industry will do its job if not interrupted by strikes.

You may recall that despite loud pledges of loyalty by labor leaders in the war that ended six years ago, there were 5,000 strikes in the crucial year 1944.

Lose a war to the Russians and millions of Americans may spend the rest of their lives, if they are allowed to live at all, in concentration camps. Tens of millions may be shot or gassed as a means of reducing an undesirable population.

Better remember what Paul said to the Thessalonians.

HIGH YIELDS IN JOHNSON
Ivan Johnson, whose yield of 129 bushels an acre won last year's corn derby in Johnson county, this year topped the contest with 161 bushels. Out of 13 fields in the contest checked by Amos Tackett, University of Kentucky assistant county agent, nine produced more than 100 bushels an acre, despite the drought.

RATE INCREASE ASKED
The Public Service Commission took under advisement a plea of the Southern Bell Telephone Company for a \$2,382,000 rate increase—the fourth requested in six years. The company claims the increase is essential to permit it to undertake a normal program of expansion.

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Allen-Turner Wedding Solemnized at Greenup

Miss Blanche M. Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Allen, of Greenup, Ky., became the bride of Joe P. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Green Turner, of Haysville, Ky., in an evening ceremony, Nov. 26, at the First Baptist Church of Greenup.

The Rev. R. R. Huffman, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Paducah, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with chrysanthemums, palms and candles. Miss Billy Jean Porter was pianist, and Russell Zachems sang "I Love You Truly," "Always," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a blue suit with white and blue accessories and carried a white Bible tied with an orchid and white streamers.

Mrs. Lillian Rice, of Raccoon, Ky., a close friend of the couple, was the bridesmaid attending. She wore a navy blue gown with a pink corsage and a pink carnation corsage.

Lloyd Harold Allen, brother of the bride, served as best man. Ushers and taper lighters were Emory Vernon Burkhardt and Walter Willis.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, with relatives and close friends attending. The bride's table held a three-tiered wedding cake.

After a wedding trip through Kentucky, the couple will reside in Greenup.

Out-of-town guests were: Jarvis Allen, of Prestonsburg; Mrs. Georgia Boggs, Warnock, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Day, Mrs. Nora Hicks, all of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Marshall, of New Boston, Ohio.



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ELLWOOD CITY SHOWS HOW TO ACQUIRE NEW INDUSTRY

Ellwood City, Pa., Nov. 15—Back in 1946, the National Tube Company told residents of this small Western Pennsylvania community that its Ellwood City steel plant would be curtailed gradually.

That news woke up the town's 12,945 population in a hurry. National Tube was the community's main industry. It employed 3,700. The workers faced the loss of their jobs and probably the loss of their homes.

Under the leadership of the Chamber of Commerce, an old-fashioned town meeting was held. Out of it sprang a campaign that has brought prosperity to Ellwood City. Since then they've brought in 23 new industries and the payroll now is \$29,000,000.

It was all done through an aroused population which gave money, time, and talent. There were free legal and architectural service, the sale of bonds, and financing by insurance companies.

First, they formed the non-profit Ellwood City Industrial Corporation. They raised \$70,000 in one week by selling stock in the corporation at \$10 a share to businessmen, workers, and property owners.

Russell J. Schill, executive secretary of the Ellwood City Chamber of Commerce, and other town builders then went calling on industry.

One company making mattress covers on the 10th floor of a building in a big city decided it would be better for its women workers to live in Ellwood City. It moved there.

It liked the town so well it inaugurated a company making children's dungarees to move from New York City. A group of young men starting a small company to make aluminum doors thought that company could give employment to a lot of elderly men on pension.

The sales manager of an art-metal company, dropping into Ellwood City to sell his products to businessmen, found them so excited over the new possibilities in their city that they sold him the idea of putting a plant there.

The corporation built new plants

which were paid for over a period of years. When building materials were scarce, members of the corporation got priorities for them.

They took over supervision of plants when the companies were so far away they couldn't adequately supervise construction of new plants.

When they heard a glass company wanted a site for a luminating plant, they got photographs showing the rural secluded site they had in mind for it where air would be pure and conditions ideal.

They went from one company to another with a complete package, including a suggestion for a site, the cost of the land, a suggested design for the building, its costs, a plan for financing, tabulations of available labor, raw materials, and everything else the company would want to start an operation.

That was six years ago. The National Tube plant is still there, still operating and employing virtually the same number of people that it did then.

SPORTS AFIELD

By TED KESTING

It is strange how furious the average plug fisherman can become over the time he has to spend unangling hooks from a net, especially when you consider how often it can save a good fish. But a poor net—such as a shallow one from which a fish may flop easily—is worse than none. Jason Lucas insists a net should always be deep, and one with a square bottom retains a fish the best. The frame should be strong enough not to bend with a heavy fish; it's better to have a net too large than too small.

To boat fishing a very long handle is usual; it is best if someone else gets your fish. However, it is preferable for an experienced angler to net his own fish, since he can coordinate movements of net and rod tip. To net your own, a short-handled net of the type used by trout fishermen is the most convenient.

There are collapsible nets, big and strong enough for bass, walleyes and such, that will go into a large tackle box. When one of these is used, it should be an invariable rule to open it and place it within easy reach before you start to fish.

Now as for using your net, don't ever go after a fish tail first; a touch of the net against his tail squats him, dashing off even when he appears exhausted. The net should always be held perfectly still, just under the surface, and the fish led quietly, head first, into it. Wait until his head is about to the rear of the frame—if he's large, let the net sink and slide under a little— and quickly lift him up. Since the back of the net is above the surface, a touch on his tail by its front will only drive him into the meshes.

It often happens that a fish cannot be brought properly to the net the first time, so just learn him around again. Jabbing at him with the net, or attempting to scoop him in, is practically certain to lose him and might result in broken tackle.

In short, there is no better method of landing any fish of good size than proper use of a net—even though it may take some time to untangle hooks from it.

Civil Defense officials estimate 60,000 persons will be needed in Kentucky to bring the state up to full strength in the Ground Observer program for civilian aircraft spotters.

To Property-Owners

Kentucky law requires all property-owners to list for taxation any property they own. If you have acquired property, it is your duty under this law to list same with the Floyd County Tax Commissioner at once, so that your property will be properly listed for the 1953 assessment.

If there has been no change in your assessment, you may ignore this notice.

If it can be of further assistance to you, do not hesitate to call on me.

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New Bottle Gas Law Is Effective January 1

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 4 (Sp.)—State Fire Marshal J. T. Underwood, Jr., today called attention of dealers in liquefied petroleum (bottle gas) to requirements of the new license law which takes effect after Jan. 1 providing for licenses to be procured by Jan. 31 before a 20 per cent penalty goes on.

Briefly, the law imposes a \$50 license fee against the dealer who deals in bottle gas, containers or regulating equipment including the right to assemble, repair or install, or sell the product in refilled containers if less than 500 customers are served. With more than 500 customers a \$100 fee is exacted.

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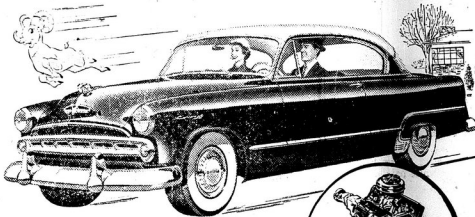
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BLADES OF BLUEGRASS

By JACK WILD

Letcher, Ky.—This is the first in a new series of little pieces on thoughts and things, this and that, and whatever else. That covers everything, just about. There is no more than the makers of these musings—folks who work for UK—likely will do. Expect almost anything and you're not apt to be disappointed.

Heard over the back fence one recent day:
"It's my kisser my sister if you'll let me kiss your sister."
"Aw, I don't wanna kiss your old sister."
"Well, I'm gonna kiss your sister."
"No, you're not, either!"
"Why not?"
"Cause I'm not gonna let you, that's why!"
"All right, then, you can't be in my circles."
"Oh, well, go ahead and kiss her if you want to."
"If only all the troubles of this troubled world could be settled so easily!"

Mark Warren, onetime editor of the Hartford Sun and now editor of the Gadsden, Ala., Times, says along this item from Patty's Main Street column in the Clover, S. C., Herald: "I was amused at the account in the papers about the white crow which was found in Kentucky. It seems that the crow is now on display at the University of Kentucky (Zoology Museum) and is believed by some scientist to be 'one in a million' of black crows. It is, of course, not, but I have a better explanation than that one: You see, it's like this. Since the election we have heard of many people having to go to camp, and this poor little old crow must have heard of it . . . and just naturally turned white from worry."

The Myth of Old-Age Security
Our vaunted "Social Security" system just isn't working. The cumulative effects of the government's long-standing tax-spendo policies and accompanying inflation, have made security a myth for most of our elderly citizens. Striking but tragic proof of the system's failure lies in the fact that today among persons 65 or older, one out of every five is on relief. The shocking total is 2,700,000—almost twice as many as at the depth of the depression.

Appraising the financial impasse of the aged, in the December Reader's Digest, Charles Stevenson, a penury that is spreading like an epidemic among those who have outlived their productive years. Breakdowns in health, from the effort to make both ends meet on ridiculously inadequate incomes, are common.

Fourteen years ago, when the Social Security system was launched, government social workers ascertained that an elderly couple could maintain a "fair American standard of living" on \$70 a year. Today, because of much higher living costs, plus hidden taxes which take a quarter of even the poorest family's income, much more is needed. The budget used by the Social Security administrator to determine the adequacy of relief programs now requires \$1750 to \$2000 annually to maintain a couple on a minimum living standard. Very few elderly people have that much.

Unable to get along on federal Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance benefits, thousands seek employment. At 65 or 70 or 75, jobs are not easy to get, and even if the pensioner finds one it may not help much. Most cases, if a job earns over \$75 monthly the job-holder is subject to the penalty of having his federal benefits canceled for the month. Monthly benefits were denied in two cases named in the article, because job earnings exceeded the allowable maximum of 71 cents and 63 cents, respectively. In another, a couple was suspended from OASDI rolls for three months because the husband had taken \$299 worth of sandwiches as pay. Their loss in federal benefits was \$210.

To exist at all, elderly people are increasingly drawing on their capital. Federal Reserve studies disclose that fewer have savings accounts. U.S. bonds or income from stocks, than in 1949. Only 14 percent of them were in debt then; last year a third were in debt.

We must check inflation and stop confiscatory taxation if we are to resolve this dilemma of the aged, the author urges. We should also remove the limitations which prevent old-age insurance beneficiaries from working. The alternative is real poverty for most of us in our declining years.

KENTUCKY EDUCATION HEAD ASKS AMENDMENT SUPPORT

State Superintendent of Instruction Wendell P. Butler has called for a "realistic approach to the problem of public education" and to that end recommended approval by the people next year of a proposed Constitutional amendment under which we can attain a "sound minimum foundation program of education."

The present census pupil basis of distributing school funds actually prevents the attainment of such a program, Butler suggested. Next year a Constitutional amendment will be offered the people that will permit the General Assembly greater latitude in the distribution of common school funds.

"It is almost impossible to provide a defensible program of education, adequately financed," Butler added, under terms of the present Constitutional provision as he pointed to glaring "educational deficiencies of the adult population which have hindered the economic and social well-being of Kentucky's citizens."

"Ignorance cannot be quarantined," he continued. "Weakness in one part of the state or in one segment of the population weakens the whole. All must enlist in advancing the opportunity of every child, to the end that a realistic program is adopted."

Among deficiencies cited by Butler: The average adult in Kentucky, 25 years old or older, in 1940 had completed only 8.4 years of schooling. In one county, the average male adult had completed less than six years of formal education.

In 1950, there were 37,000 adults in Kentucky who had not completed even one year of school, while 22,000 adults reported completion of from one to four years of schooling. "The next generation may show little improvement in its training level if steps are not taken to remove the cause of these weaknesses," Butler continued as he cited the fact that 88,000 children included in the school census last spring were "not enrolled in any school, public or private."

Kentucky's Electors To Vote for Stevenson; P'burg Man Is Alternate

Kentucky's 10 Presidential electors will meet in Frankfort next Monday and cast their votes for Adlai E. Stevenson and John J. Sparkman.

The electors are: Mrs. John A. Whitaker, Russellville; William Ritter, Richmond; Billie Bob Crace, Wolfcreek; Damon Majors, Letcherfield; J. D. Augustus, Louisville; Mrs. H. B. Kinoliving, Shelbyville; Marvin Davis, Falmouth; Walker H. Wiseman, Winchester; Roland Price, Jenkins, and Ned Owens, Russell Springs.

Alternates are: Mrs. Sherman Goodpaster, Jr., Owingsville; Frank Good, Scottsville; Sam Bashan, Paducah; John Miliken, Bowling Green; George Irvin Gates, Louisville; Bert Shepherd, Shepherdsville; J. R. Shepherd, Greenup; Chester Stidham, Stanton; W. W. Cooley, Prestonsburg, and Ben V. Smith, Somerset.

The Stevenson-Sparkman ticket carried Kentucky by 700 votes.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY—

Car Dealer Licenses Expire at End of Year

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 4 (Sp.)—Automobile dealers' licenses expire Dec. 31 and should be renewed immediately, Robert A. Thompson, director of Local Relations for the Department of Revenue, said here today.

The cost of a dealer's license is \$25.50 which includes the certification and one plate. Each additional plate costs \$5 and they are furnished only on order. It requires about three weeks for delivery of additional plates so orders should be placed now with the county clerks.

Thompson also called attention to the law covering use of dealer plates. They can be used legally only in demonstration, sale, and delivery of dealer's motor vehicles. A list of names and addresses of those entitled to use dealer plates must be filed with the county clerk. Illegal use of plates can lead to revocation of dealer's licenses and penalties.

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Floyd Fiscal Court
By W. W. Burchett, County Attorney
12-4-52

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