

This Town That World

With only one marriage license issued here this week and two last week, we suggest that County Clerk Jarvis Allen make a Christmas offering of an "Eight Dollar Wedding" to stimulate business.

FROM THOSE WHO SUFFER

There were no atheists in foxholes.

We have that on the best of authority—the boys who occupied those foxholes.

Likewise, there are no dissenters from the Christmas Seal program lying in bed, suffering from tuberculosis. Among those facing the inevitable or, at best, long months of a grim battle for life there are unbelievers in this movement which has for its aim the conquest of our humanity's greatest scourges.

Two such as these, both residents of one comparatively small Floyd county community, a few days ago attested in letters to the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association their desire, not mere willingness to help the Christmas Seal cause.

It might be well for humanity if we of us could, in some way, see that other fellow's suffering through the sufferer's eyes.

Wrote in part one of these who ill of tuberculosis:

"In my opinion it would mean a lot to be remembered at Christmas by some friends who may have forgotten you, and I think this might be possible through the purchase of Christmas Seals. . . I hope every body can see the needs of others."

"Thank you," wrote the other "for sending me the Christmas Seal. You see, I am a victim of the disease, and I know just what like I have been a 'shut-in' thirty months. . . I wish all people of Floyd county knew how important it is they buy my Seals this year than ever before to help fight tuberculosis."

Both sent \$2 in full payment. Seals mailed them. What have rest of us done?

WHO IS THE CRIMINAL?

The cloak-and-dagger stuff going on out of the Washington spy ring with a pumpkin adding the low-en mouf, has some folks, including The Courier-Journal and President Truman, scoffing.

From this distance it looks like Whittaker Chambers and Mr. Allen, of Prestonsburg, have been at some time other, guilty of betrayal of the country.

If these two are indeed guilty of this offense, they should be strictly pro and con, during Saturday or instead of some of the war "criminals" who certainly are not traitors to their own lands.

AMONG OTHER THINGS . . .

Among numerous other items heretofore brought to the attention of readers of this newspaper are in Denver, Colo., one James dennes equipped his car with lights, an ironing board, collapsible electric hot plate and various other gadgets. Outfitted as he he was stopped by police for failure to equip his car with license plate.

And in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, divorce court judge dismissed M. S. Miner's petition for severance of the tie that binds after ruling "slapping one's wife on the back side does not constitute cruel inhuman treatment."

SUE SLAYER FOR \$25,000

Bryant's Widow, Nine Children Ask Damages From Jarvey Hamilton

A damage suit of \$25,000, filed Wednesday in the Floyd county court against Jarvey Hamilton, by Mrs. Letha Bryant and her children in the slaying by Hamilton of the woman's husband, Missioner Emerson Beauchamp met Bryant, May 29, last.

Hamilton was convicted of the slaying at the last term of the Floyd circuit court and given a 21-year pen term.

The suit, filed by Joe Hobson, delegates that Hamilton killed Bryant with a shotgun "not in self-defense."

Mrs. Bryant sued in her own right and as guardian for her children. The children are: Walter S. Harkins, atty. Harkins, Estel, Delpha, Dacy, Johnny, Alpha, Marie and Maud.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Reba H. Mayo, et al vs. Harris, et al; Combs & Combs vs. Jeff Nelson, Jr., vs. Jim Walker S. Harkins, atty. Harkins vs. Noah Harkins vs. Walter S. Harkins, atty. Dewe vs. Cecil Sowards; W. W. Lambert, et al; James Smith vs. H. R. Lambert, et al; Ollie Mae Roberts, et al vs. Phyllis C. Roberta, et al; Martin, atty. Letha Bryant, vs. Jarvey Hamilton; Joe J. aty.

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was accepted by the fiscal
its meeting Monday. Total
the span was estimated here

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out of its 1940 rural high-
provided Inland Steel will
with the work on the pro-
tend the county credit on
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st, 1940.

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nty Judge Alex L. David-
he had been told by state
cials, is ready for adver-
fiscal court resolution and
avidson's letter to the high-
mission, pledging financing
undertaking from the coun-
e of the 2-cent gasoline tax
orded October 2.

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was said here. The job will
diverted, it was said.

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RTY NAMES
X OFFICIAL

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ers as Chairman,
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ocrats of the county put in a
busy few hours Saturday,
legislative district party lead-
ing named by precinct chair-
men the morning, and these lead-
turn electing a county chair-
and secretary.

Commissioner Clive Akers, of
was named county chairman,
John Allen, of Prestonsburg,
was named secretary.

osition to the two never
ed the showdown stage. There
considerable backstage maneu-
vering, pro and con, during Sat-
urday for several days before that
"stand-up-and-be-counted"

Akers succeeds County Judge
L. Davidson. Mr. Allen's pre-
decessor was Alex H. Spradlin, of
Prestonsburg, who held the post
of secretary for 28 years before
Saturday morning. District 96
representatives named Cir-
clet Clerk W. W. Cooley district
man and Samuel Hale, of Blue
secretary. At Martin, District
committeemen and commit-
ee chose Magistrate Dewey Rob-
of Harold, district chairman,
Bennie Sammons, of Martin,
secretary.

JDGES HEAR
DADS TALKED

governor Says Program
n One-Road-at-a-Time
asis Is State's Plan

entucky county judges meeting
Louisville last week heard state
cials discuss a tentative program
distribution of the new road
venue accruing from the seven-
t state gasoline tax.

governor Earle C. Clements,
by Highway Commissioner Garrett L.
thers and Rural Highway Com-
missioner Emerson Beauchamp met
the judges at the opening ses-
on of the annual meeting of the
entucky County Judges Associa-
on. They urged the association to
ect from its own membership a
mmittee to counsel with the de-
tment on expenditure of the new
oney.

"Kentucky's economic future de-
nds upon a wise and equitable
istribution of this new fund," Gov-
nor Clements told the judges.
his is not a magisterial district
atter and must not be considered
cept on a one-road-at-a-time
asis. The money will be expended
lly on roads that can truly be
lled farm-to-market service roads.
Counties may suggest a program
covering a three-year period if they
wish."

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THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

DECEMBER 16, 1948

Trial of 6 Murder Cases
Slated Here In January

DOCKET LISTS
261 FOR TRIAL
DURING TERM

Six Murder Cases
Set for Hearing;
Jurors Announced

Six murder cases are docketed
for trial during the January term
of the Floyd circuit court which
convenes Jan. 3.

Criminal docket and the jury list
for the term were released Tuesday
by Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley.

In all, 261 cases are slated for
trial.

Two murder trials, first of the
session, are slated for January 6.
In one of these Paul Fraley, Arnold
and Bradley Calhoun are defend-
ants; in the other, Mrs. Essolona
Hager is accused of the slaying of
a woman-neighbor.

In jail here, denied bond, is Bert
T. Hall, charged with the fatal beat-
ing and kicking of John Frazier,
aged Mud Creek man. He is slated
for trial Jan. 17.

Names of jurors to serve follow:
Grand Jury
W. M. Sherman, Emma; Levi
Strickland, Lancer; Tilden Boyd,
Emma; George Bingham, Lancer;
Columbus Wright, Bonanza; Lee
Hobson, Auxier; John L. Harmon,
Auxier; Ezra Mayo, Allen; Tip Mar-
tin, Hueysville; A. M. Layne, Betsy
Layne; John Helton, West Prestons-
burg; Jim Crum, Ivel; E. S. Pratt,
Garrett; Matt Hale, Harold; Newt
Ousley, Estill; Mrs. Okie Mullins,
Wayland; Mrs. Joe Goble, Allen;
James Osborne, Hite; Nora Cooley,
Cliff; Mrs. Tobe Nichols, Prestons-
burg; Mrs. Daisy McGuire, West
Prestonsburg; Richard Conley, Bo-
nanza; John Dorsett, Sloan; Mon-
roe Hall, Melvin.

Petit Jury
Harrison Williams, Bonanza; Bill
Hicks, Pyramid; Lula Prater, Brain-
ard; Lee Yates, Bonanza; Tom Park-
er, Wayland; James Hamilton, Gar-
rett; Bill Bailey, Eastern; Bascom
May, Cliff; John W. Harris, Pres-
tonsburg; Mrs. Tom Burchett, Pres-
tonsburg; Jonah Isaac, Prestons-
burg; Joe Martin, Betsy Layne; Mrs.
Edgar Miller, Cliff; Ben Rose, West
Prestonsburg; Walter Holbrook,
West Prestonsburg; Prook Hayes,
Langley; John A. Hicks, Garrett;
Mrs. Edgar Conley, West Prestons-
burg; L. A. Conley, Cliff; Rosa
Wells, Auxier; Mrs. Clive Akers,
Drift; Mrs. John Williams, Pres-
tonsburg; Mrs. Marion Martin,
Drift; Mrs. Willie Clark, Prestons-
burg; Mont Ousley, Alphoretta; Ta-
vis Allen, Alphoretta; Dan Collins,
Cliff; Mrs. Ed May, Lancer; John
Stephens, Water Gap; Jack Bald-
ridge, East Point; Rev. Isaac Strat-
ton, Tram; Banner May, Allen;
Green Gearheart, Hueysville; Mrs.
T. W. Smith, Prestonsburg; Fred
Saunders, Prestonsburg; Bill Jones,
Prestonsburg.

Company, Contractor
Join in Reward Offer
In Burglary at Price

The Inland Steel Company and L.
Everett Beckett, contractor on the
construction of buildings for the
company at Price, this week posted
a reward of \$100 for information
leading to the arrest and conviction
of the person or persons who, last
week-end, broke into the storage
shed and office of Mr. Beckett.

A shotgun was used in blasting
away a Yale lock from the office
door, and the engineer's transit and
level and other items were stolen.
Although a Rust Engineering Com-
pany nightwatchman was on duty
across the highway, a short distance
away, he did not see the burglars, it
was said.

Mr. Beckett is constructing for
Inland Steel a service station and
bath house near the company's big
coal processing plant at Price.

Third Registered Nurse
On Staff of Hospital

The third registered nurse on the
staff of Prestonsburg General Hos-
pital began her duties at the hos-
pital last week. The new nurse is
Miss Wanda Skiles, formerly of
Wheelwright.

ORGANIZE SUNDAY SCHOOL

A Sunday School was organized
Sunday at the Abbott Community
Church, two miles from Cliff, with
a membership of 30. Woodrow Ad-
ams is superintendent. All residents
of the Abbott Creek section are be-
ing invited to attend.

Rites for Mrs. May
Held Here Saturday
At Methodist Church

Last rites for Mrs. Byrd Callihan
May, 75, were held Saturday at 2
p.m., from the Methodist Church
here, with the Rev. M. C. Yates and
the Rev. M. Robert Regan officiat-
ing. She died Wednesday night of
last week, following an illness of
more than three years.

Mrs. May, a lifelong resident of
Prestonsburg and widow of David
P. May, was the daughter of the
late Dr. Charles and Maggie Calli-
han. She is survived by one son,
Capt. David D. May, who is with
the army in Trieste, Italy; one
daughter, Miss Margaret E. May,
Prestonsburg; one brother, Dr. G.
D. Callihan, Prestonsburg, and two
sisters, Mrs. Amma C. Carter, Pres-
tonsburg, and Mrs. Mary C. Mar-
tin, Huntington, W. Va.

The deceased was a faithful mem-
ber of the Methodist Church and a
member of Miriam Rebekah lodge.
Active palbearers were stewards of
the Methodist Church. Burial was
made in the Weddington cemetery
here under direction of the Carter &
Callihan Funeral Home.

ASKS OUSTER
OF SHERIFF

Louisa Man Assails
Fyffe, Claims Writ
On Show Not Served

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 10—Ouster of
Lawrence County Sheriff Proctor
Fyffe on charges of permitting gam-
bling was demanded today.

A petition sent Governor Earle C.
Clements accused the Sheriff of re-
fusing to serve warrants charging
gambling during a carnival on the
Louisa high school grounds last July
5-10, inclusive.

Dr. R. C. Moore, of Louisa, who
signed the petition, attached two
affidavits to support the charges.
He also sent a list of two dozen
persons who he said could testify.

One of the affidavits, bearing the
name of Victor D. New, Jr., stated
Sheriff Fyffe instead of making ar-
rests on the warrants, assisted in
collecting money put up and in re-
turning it to carnival patrons. One
bearing the name of Jack Davis
charged the Sheriff refused on the
days named to serve the warrants.
Names of those accused were not
disclosed.

Assistant Attorney General Hol-
field, in behalf of Attorney General
A. E. Funk, advised Edward A. Par-
ris, the Governor's administrative
assistant, that Kentucky statutes re-
quire the chief executive to call a
hearing to determine whether the
Sheriff should be removed on the
charges of "wilful neglect of duty."

At Louisa, Sheriff Fyffe refused
to comment on the charge, saying
only, "I'll not comment on it at this
time."

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Vester Fraley, who has been seri-
ously ill at St. Mary's hospital,
Huntington, has returned to his
home here and is recovering.

Coal Company's 'Family' of 610
To Feast on Christmas Turkey

The Princess Elkhorn Coal Com-
pany is looking out for its "family"
again this Christmas and it is
spending in excess of \$7,000 to see
that all 610 members of the family—
those on its payroll—have Christmas
turkey.

Letters went out this week from
David L. Francis, Princess Elkhorn
president, notifying employees of the
gift they will receive. The letter
conveyed season's greetings and
also served to prevent recipients
from buying turkeys themselves.

Last Christmas his father, J. D.
Francis, president of the Island
Creek Coal Company, decided to
give company employes a turkey.
Princess Elkhorn, an affiliate, con-
curred in the idea. This year, three
other affiliates, are making the same
additions to the tables of their em-
ployees.

All this turkey for the four com-

Canalization Interest Mounts
As Coal Industry in Doldrums

With the approach of a new ses-
sion of Congress, interest proba-
bly mounted higher here this week
in Big Sandy river canalization than
at any previous time.

Part of this heightened interest
stemmed from the doldrums in
which Eastern Kentucky's coal in-
dustry is facing; part from the sup-
port to the cause of locks and dams
given within the week by the state's
largest newspaper, The Courier-
Journal.

A meeting of Big Sandy Valley As-
sociation leaders was scheduled to
be held here Friday.

The Courier-Journal, in an edi-
torial Wednesday, declared: "Com-
mon sense supports the Big Sandy
canal."

Joe Creason, staff writer for the
Louisville paper, made a strong case
for canalization in its edition of
Dec. 12. His editorial feature stressed
these points:

Dependent entirely on rail delivery
of its coal, the Big Sandy collapsed
economically in depression days,
and may do so again, because coal
from this section is passed over be-
cause high freight rates bring a

GOBS OF GOBLER

The marksman whose score is
highest at turkey shoots held by
the Floyd County Fish & Game
Club over the two-week period
ending Sunday will be awarded
at the close of next Sunday's
shoot at Sugar Loaf, a turkey
four pounds larger than Presi-
dent Truman's.

This behemoth gobbler tips the
scales at exactly 44 pounds, and
is a youngster at that, club of-
ficials said.

County Superintendent Palmer
Hall's 46 stands as the best mark
but marksmen have Saturday
afternoon and Sunday to try to
beat his score.

CLUB BUDGET
MARKS \$3,370

The Floyd County Fish & Game
Club will spend \$3,370 next year if
the club membership approves the
budget planned by its board of di-
rectors here Friday night.

The budget will be submitted to
the club membership at the Janu-
ary meeting. The entire sum of
\$3,370, with the exception of \$405,
was earmarked for fish and wild-
life propagation and Junior conser-
vation work.

The directors are George W.
Newman, president of the club, Bu-
ford Rollins, vice-president, Ray
Stephens, secretary-treasurer, Henry
May, John R. Baldrige and Arnold
Cassidy.

The anticipated revenue for the
year will leave the club a surplus of
around \$1,300 and this the directors
recommend to be earmarked for
construction of a clubhouse in the
Johns Creek reservoir area.

Largest other individual items in
the budget are \$800 for quail rearing
and \$750 for restocking of the Big
Sandy and the Beaver Creeks. The
directors advised that the latter
amount to be spent in the purchase
of 5,000 largemouth bass for the
three streams. Stocking of the
Dewey dam reservoir, they said, is

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NEGRO CLAIMING TO BE 101 MAY PASS
HOLIDAY SEASON AS 'GUEST' AT JAIL,
SANCTUARY AFTER SHACK DESTROYED

With Christmas a mere matter of
10 days away, a 101-year-old man is
finding in the Floyd county jail
whatever cheer there is for him in
the season.

The centenarian is Willie Norris,
negro who was brought to the jail,
half-frozen, a few days ago. He was
found on Prater Creek, suffering
from exposure after a shack he had
occupied nearby had been destroyed
or rendered uninhabitable by fire.
The aged negro had committed no
offense, but the jail was the only
sanctuary known by those who
found him for those in his condi-
tion.

At the jail he is not being treated
as a prisoner, although he stays
with others behind locked doors. He
remains cheerful and is an interest-
ing conversationalist.

His word is the only record avail-
able here as to his age. He says he
was 14 years old when the Civil
War broke out and that he swam a
river to escape from Georgia into
Florida. He was not born in slavery,
he told jail attendants, because his
parents' master had freed them be-
fore his birth.

Deputy Jailor Bill Potter bought
the aged man a pair of overall pants
to replace his tattered trousers and
he, apparently, is quite happy.

Hall, Among 18 Jailed,
Acquitted in Trial Here;
4 Taken as Tippy Drivers

Among 18 jailed here Saturday
night on charges involving the hand-
ling of liquor either as a consumer
or vendor, Bill Hall was acquitted
in county court Wednesday on a
charge of selling whiskey. He and
his father, Ollie Hall, were arrested
at their home on Middle Creek, near
West Prestonsburg, by Deputy Sher-
iff Hillard Mitchell. The case against
the father was dismissed after the
son's acquittal.

Four arrested Saturday night
were accused of drunk driving. They
are Willie Hale, Middle Creek, Dave
Mullins, Left Beaver Creek; James
Delong, Van Lear, and Charles
Irish, Whitesburg.

John Belcher, of the Right Bea-
ver section, was jailed over the
week-end as a w.o.l. from the army.

DIES AT HOSPITAL

Burl C., 16-months-old son of Mr.
and Mrs. John Fannin, of Drift,
died Wednesday at the Beaver Val-
ley hospital, Martin. Burial was made
Thursday at Drift by the Ryan Fu-
neral Home.

15 Beat Wednesday Night
Roadhouse Law Deadline

SUIT TO TEST
ENTRY WAIVER
LEGALITY SEEN

Roadhouse Supervisor
To Call on Operators
Not Seeking Licenses

As the Wednesday deadline passed
for the filing of applications for
roadhouse license under new and
stringent regulations required by
County Judge Alex L. Davidson,
only 15 operators of places of enter-
tainment had filed.

At the same time there was talk
of a suit to test validity of the
Judge's action requiring roadhouse
operators to waive their rights un-
der the law of search and seizure
and to "invite" search by officers at
any time.

"Personally, I will be glad if a
suit is filed," County Attorney W. W.
Burchett said. "If we are wrong, we
want to know it. So far, I haven't
found where we are, and I have
done considerable reading on the
subject."

Judge Davidson estimated, Dec. 1,
when he announced the new road-
house regulations and set Dec. 15
as the deadline for filing for licenses,
that there are 200 places of enter-
tainment or gathering places in the
county which come under the broad
description of roadhouse. Not one,
it was said this week, holds a license.

What will be done in those scores
of cases where no application for
license was made before the Wed-
nesday deadline? Judge Davidson
indicated this week he will ask that
Deputy Sheriff Harold Conn, who is
paid \$1,500 a year by the state to
supervise roadhouses in the county,
be sent to call on each such place
of business, ascertain if application
has been, or is being, filed, and if
no such action is taken or intended
to be taken immediately, to report
to him. After that, it would be the
County Judge's job to start proce-
edings to close all places not com-
plying with the license application
order.

In some cases, property-owners
leasing buildings to law-abiding op-
erators of restaurants and other
places falling within the roadhouse
category refused to sign the state-
ment required of them for the ap-
plication of license to be complete.
This statement acknowledges that
the property-owner is aware of the
law which provides that the owner
of property where illegal whiskey is
sold may be forfeited and sold by
the state.

Judge Davidson explained that
the property-owner is in no danger
of loss of his or her property, un-
less he or she permits illegal liquor
traffic to be conducted on the pre-
mises with his or her knowledge. A
second offense after a roadhouse
operator had been convicted of boot-
legging, for instance, would consti-
tute grounds for confiscation, it was
explained.

SOME PARENTS
BALK AT CODE

Health Co-Ordinator
Says Physical Tests
Of Children Opposed

Enforcement of the state health
code regulation requiring first-grade
pupils to undergo physical examina-
tion is giving Callia S. Branham,
health co-ordinator, Floyd County
Board of Education, recurrent head-
aches.

Mrs. Branham said the parents
of a hundred or more first-graders
in rural school districts have refused
to have their children examined.

She added that the health code
has the full force of the law which
would make subject to prosecution
parents refusing examination of
their children. "We don't want to
have to resort to the courts," the
co-ordinator said. "The trouble is,
many parents, unable to see any-
thing physically wrong with their
children at this time, also are un-
able to see any reason for an ex-
amination."

The county health department,
Mrs. Branham said, makes examina-
tions of school children of this age
group only on Mondays and Tues-
days. Children of indigent families
who cannot come here for examina-
tion have been examined by pri-
vate physicians to whom Mrs. Bran-
ham has appealed for help.

FLOYD SCOUT
ADVANCE TOLD

Finance Chairman Says
Supporters of Scouting
Get Returns for Money

The Floyd county Boy Scout
movement got "value received" this
year, B. F. Reed, Drift, county
Scout finance chairman, indicated
this week in a study of progress
made during the past 12 months.

In this first year of Scout work
being conducted with the county as
a separate Scout district, the num-
ber of Scouts rose from 170 to 230
and the number of troops from eight
to 12, including troops now in
process of organization.

Interest, on the whole, is greater
than ever before, it was said by
George Bingham, Scout executive.

New troops are being organized at
Allen, Garrett and Auxier. One
troop in Prestonsburg, sponsored by
the Baptist Church, is active, with
a Cub pack organized by the Pres-
byterian Church. The Methodist
Church is organizing another troop
here.

Training of adults for Scout lead-
ership increased over the year by
15 per cent.

DAR CHAPTER MEETS

Mrs. C. L. Huttsiniller was hostess to members of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Tuesday evening at her home on First avenue. The vice-president, Mrs. M. J. Leete, presided. Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, chaplain, conducted the devotionals. At the business session a contribution of \$5 was given to the Carr Creek Community Center. Mrs. Everett Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens were appointed to collect antiques to be sold for the benefit of the library restoration at Duncan Tavern, Paris, Ky. The antique sale will be held at Paris next May. Mrs. A. C. Harlowe was appointed Student Loan Fund chairman. Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, of Millersburg, gave an interesting talk on "The Nativity," and a report on her visit to the recent dedication of the Christian Church at West Liberty. The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Mary Catherine Huttsiniller, served a salad course to the following members: Mesdames M. J. Leete, A. C. Harlowe, Gwynn Ford, E. P. Arnold, Grace D. Ford, John W. Hensley, L. S. Moles, Osa F. Ligon, E. H. Sowards, Sam Spradlin, Herbert Salisbury, O. T. Stephens, David Herndon, H. D. Fitzpatrick, H. B. Patrick, Joe Hobson. Visitors were Mrs. W. W. Cooley, Mrs. C. M. Bower, Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, Mrs. Lida R. Cottrill. The January meeting will be held Jan. 11, at the home of Mrs. L. S. Moles. Mrs. C. P. Stephens will talk on genealogy.

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routes; (c) rural mail routes; (d) our own traffic counts and the possible increase in traffic after the projected road is developed; (e) population to be served and (f) importance of the road in the state picture.

"The new legislation directed the department to work out this program. It is felt that the Kentucky General Assembly wished an equitable distribution based upon the factors which we have considered. As a consequence of this, and in view of the legislative approval of the existing formula on the present \$5,000,000 rural appropriation, we tentatively have adopted the old formula for the new income.

"This arrangement divides one-third of the possible income equally among all counties, one-third in accord with rural population and one-third based upon area. Due to the possible variation in the income as provided in the law we will be unable to do more than approximate the amount available for each county.

"A fact which should be remembered, and which will directly affect the results obtained is the difference in the dollar value. A road today costs almost twice as much as it did in 1940."

Beauchamp assured the judges, "The road to be built first will be the road that is needed most. The new rural road program requires a basic plan. There are many miles of rural roads urgently needed. Many of these miles serve fine communities and will develop more travel after improvement.

"Present high road building prices will make necessary careful selection, low-cost planning and thoughtful distribution of the funds available.

"We feel that we have this worked out. First, in every possible instance, money will be used to match federal aid secondary funds on important farm-to-market roads. This work, however, will require designed standards based upon the present and possible future traffic flowing over this type of highway.

"On all other roads, careful consideration will be given to the present location. We will make minor changes in alignment, eliminate curves, excessive grades, correct drainage. This means fewer rights-of-way to purchase, less location and engineering costs, and the great advantage of using the old road base.

"As in the past, we will consult frequently with the county officials and interested road users."

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
On and after publication of this notice, the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts incurred by any person other than himself.
12-9-3t-pd. **GLENN H. HALL**

Madisonville Attorney To Replace Perkins

Clifton J. Waddill, Madisonville, has been named by Attorney General A. E. Funk to replace Carl D. Perkins, Hindman, as Assistant Attorney General for the Highway Department.

Mr. Perkins is Congressman-elect from the Seventh district comprising Floyd, Knott, Perry, Pike, Letcher, Johnson, Martin and Magoffin counties.

Waddill, a Democrat, is a brother of Beverly B. Waddill, a Republican, who served in several executive posts under former Governor Simon S. Willis, and still is a member of the state Workmen's Compensation Board.

NOTICE

Up to the time of its regular meeting, January 2, 1949 the Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids on the purchase of the old two-room school building at Grethel, Ky. (District No. 61). Purchase will be subject to removal of the building within 90 days. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
PALMER HALL, Supt.
12-16-3t.

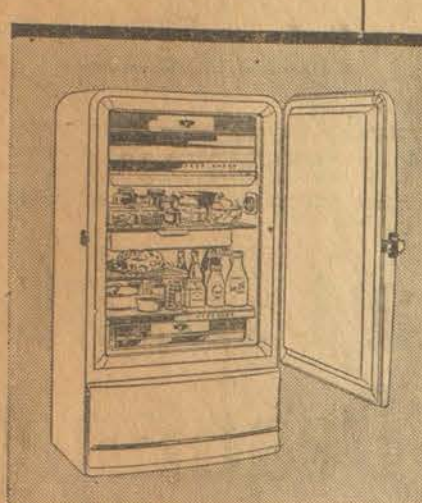
Lawrence county merchants sold 20,000 pounds of vetch seed and more than 1,000 bushels of balbo rye, and then were no table to supply the demand for cover crop seed.

Dwale Revival Ends With 42 Conversions

The Methodist Revival at Dwale, conducted by the Rev. Floyd Learty and Mrs. Flora Gray, closed Sunday night. A large crowd attended each service. There were 42 conversions and 25 were received into the church. Sunday School held each Sunday morning at 9 o'clock and choir practise each Tuesday and Friday at 6:30 p.m. Every one is invited to attend.

ANNOUNCED
Mrs. Denver Sammons the birth of their first son, on Dec. 2 at the Presbyterian General hospital. The babe named Stephen Dennis.

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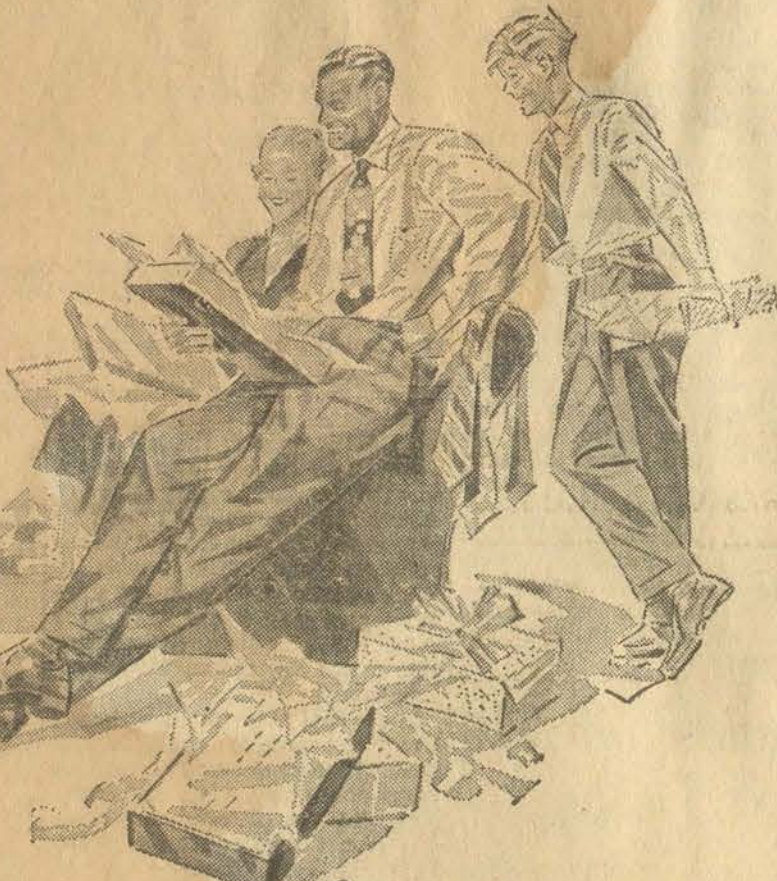
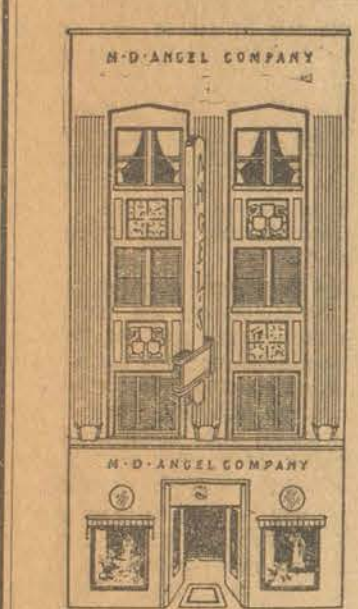
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**Three Men Injured,
Two Missing in Blast
Inside Pond-Cr. Mine**

Williamson, W. Va., Dec. 13.—Three men have been burned and possibly two others are missing after a "small" explosion tonight at the Goody, Ky., mine of the Pond Creek Collieries.

An official of the company, P. J. Winns, said no more than two men were unaccounted for. He described the accident as a "small mine explosion."

The injured were brought to Williamson Memorial hospital. They include: Corbin Smith, 34, of South Williamson, head and face burns; Elmer Smith, 31, of Williamson, burns on the hands and face; and Millard Roberts, 31, of Hardy, Ky., burns on the hands.

Their condition was described as not serious.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Pvt. Richard Bingham wishes to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness during their sorrow and trouble, for the beautiful flowers and use of the many cars, also the Rev. L. W. Benedict, the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars of Prestonsburg, and the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.—Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham and Family.

ENDS VISIT HERE

W. C. Walker, of Long Beach California, who has been the guest here for the last two weeks of his sister, left Sunday for Cincinnati. He later will visit his son, Billy, at Newark, O., before returning to California.

DRIFT

The following were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin and daughter, Peggy, Mrs. Belle Turner and daughter, Reba Faye, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Moore and Mrs. Oscar Robinson.

Mrs. H. D. Hewlett and Mrs. E. S. Porter and daughter, Nell Jo, visited relatives in Lexington, the past week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Gibson, in Lexington.

Mrs. Thelma Jones is visiting relatives in Louisville. Mr. and Mrs. Jones attended the Shriners' meeting in Lexington last week-end. Mr. Jones returning home Monday.

Mrs. Ann Damron is visiting her husband this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, of Wayland, visited relatives in Drift Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Honeycutt were Auxier visitors Sunday.

Miss Joan Babb, of Martin, spent Friday night with Miss Peggy Martin.

**'Carol of the Bells'
Church Presentation**

"The Carol of the Bells" is the cantata to be presented at Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7:30, it was announced this week.

The choir of the church, assisted by other choirs, will be under the direction of Franklin W. Moore. Soloists will be Mrs. Bess Stephens, Mrs. Edith F. James, T. S. Spradlin and Mr. Moore.

**FHA Chapter Here
Offers Winning Skit**

Prestonsburg Chapter, of the Future Homemakers of America, attended the district meeting at Ashland, Saturday. Pauline Fannin, of Cateletsburg, the district president, presided. A thorough explanation and demonstration of the temperature thermometer was made. Each chapter had been asked to prepare a skit with the theme to promote international goodwill.

Ribbons were awarded for the best skits. Prestonsburg chapter was awarded an excellent rating. Those who took part in the skit presented by this chapter were Wilminia Conley, Irene Clark, Daphne Jones, Wanda Lee Hatfield, Sylvia Music, Margaret Harmon and Mary Auxier Ford, Mrs. Bob Shepherd, an honorary member, Mrs. Edith Kishpaugh, a club mother, and Miss Hazel Irene Hill, the advisor, accompanied the group.

Mary Auxier Ford was appointed district publicity chairman.

BABE IS VICTIM

Paul Edward, month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stone, of Halo, died Saturday at the Beaver Valley hospital and was buried Sunday in the family cemetery at Halo, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

**Rev. Fouts Is Victim
In 80th Year; Daughter,
Son Reside in Floyd-co.**

Rev. John Fouts, 79 years old, Regular Baptist minister and a retired farmer, died at 5:10 a.m., Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dakota Tackett, of Hartley, victim of a stroke.

He was the father of Mrs. Martha Belle Mullins, of Bevinville, and Jacob Fouts, Weeksbury.

Other survivors are a son, Rev. Ted Fouts, an evangelist of the Missionary Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C., a daughter, Mrs. Francis Hall, McRoberts, and three brothers, Hiram Fouts, Whitesburg, Nathaniel Fouts, Hall, and Thomas Fouts, Hartley.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday at the Long Fork Regular Baptist Church in Pike county with the Revs. Frank Hopkins and Jesse Hampton officiating. Burial was made in the Amil Little cemetery under direction of the Baker Funeral Home.

FIRST DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. James Camicia are announcing the birth of their first daughter, born Dec. 7 at the Prestonsburg General hospital. The little miss has been named Katherine Hodges. This is their third child.

NOTICE

Your 1949 Prestonsburg grade school taxes are now due. Please come in and take care of same to avoid penalty that goes on March 1, 1949.

ADRIAN COLLINS
12-16-106. Collector

**SMART APPEARANCE
SHOP IS SOLD**

Mrs. M. V. Clarke this week sold the Smart Appearance Beauty Shop to Mrs. Dill, of Paintsville. Mrs. Clarke, who established the shop several years ago, will devote her entire time to the Margaret-Mann Shop, of which she is proprietor. Mrs. Dill will begin operation of her business here January 1.



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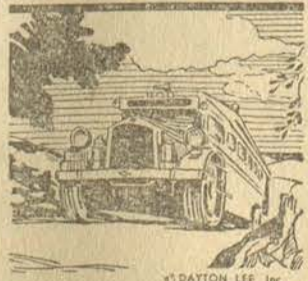
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SPECIAL JUDGE
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Realizing the above as the chief cornerstone to four years of prosperity, during which time you, the people, will be calling upon the Sheriff of our county to provide good, honest, sober and law-abiding men as deputies in the various communities throughout the county, I am hereby declaring myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the office of Sheriff of Floyd county, subject to the will of the Democrats at the August, 1949 primary.

I make you the one and all-important promise now, that if you nominate and elect me, I will give you every ounce of energy at my command for the next four years, to the end that we may have better government and have it more abundantly than ever before. This promise, when fulfilled as I pledge it will be, will make a good officer and a better county in which to live.

Earnestly soliciting your active support I beg to remain as always,
Yours for service,
BILL HALL
Betsy Layne, Ky.
(Pol. adv.) 12-16-48-pd.

Floyd Man's Sister Buried in Lawrence

Last rites for Mrs. Ida Wilbur, Cassell, 76, a sister of Leo Wilbur, of Glo, who died at Ashland last Thursday, were held Sunday at the Richardson Methodist Church. Formerly of Richardson, Mrs. Cassell had been living for the last three years at the residence of a son, Carl C. Cassell, Ashland. Following the services interment was made in the family cemetery.

Other survivors, in addition to the son and brother, are two sisters, Mrs. Florence Wilson, Columbus, O., Mrs. Lillian Preston, Richardson, two brothers, Henry Wilbur, Richardson, Charles Wilbur, Verdunville, W. Va., and two grandchildren.

A. L. Hanna, of Oldham county, produced 77 bushels of red clover seed on approximately 31 acres.

Pvt. Bingham's Body Returned to P'burg; Last Rites, Sunday

Funeral of Pvt. Richard Bingham, who was killed at the age of 28 in Sicily on August 4, 1943, was conducted last Thursday from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham, of Lancer. The Rev. L. W. Benedict, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, officiated.

Pvt. Bingham was a member of the 39th infantry in the European theater of war, was born and reared at Prestonsburg, and attended the local schools. He is survived by his parents, one sister, Mrs. Robert Pendleton, of Lancer, one brother, Fred Bingham, Prestonsburg, two half-sisters, Mrs. Ruth Jesse, Weeksburg, and Mrs. Georgia Spradlin, Prestonsburg. The military burial was made in the Mayo cemetery at Lancer. The American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars of Prestonsburg and the American Legion of Garrett conducted military rites. Burial was made under direction of the Carter & Callahan Funeral Home.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS—help fight tuberculosis.

Former Jack's Cr. Man, Veteran of World War I, Is Cancer Victim at 53

Marion Martin, 53 years old, former resident of Jack's Creek, died Monday afternoon at his home in West Columbia, W. Va., victim of a three-year illness of cancer.

A son of C. C. Martin, of Wayland, and the late Cordella Martin, he resided in this county till a few years ago when he moved to West Virginia. He was a veteran of World War I. Surviving, besides his father, are his widow, Mrs. Susan Martin, six sons and daughters, Frank Martin and Miss Florence Martin, both of West Columbia, W. Va., Mrs. Virgil Hunter and Mrs. Julius Stone, both of New Vienna, O., Mrs. Eric Boegli, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Leonard Hall, of Halo. Six brothers also survive: Allen Martin, of Ligon, Ted, Bill and John Martin, of Halo, Gomer Martin, West Columbia, W. Va., and Hasadore Martin, Columbus, Ohio.

The body was taken to the home of Frank Hatfield at McDowell where funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday). Burial was made in the Jack's Creek cemetery, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

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ATTEND BINGHAM RITES

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Pvt. Richard Bingham were: Mrs. Katherine M. Goodin, Mrs. McLinda M. Patton, of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Winford Likens, of Hazard; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Whitaker, of Paintsville; Mrs. Dora B. Combs, Mrs. Lila Napier, of Garrett; Mrs. Bruce Stanley and Mrs. Bertha Tackett, of Ligon; P. D. Laferty, Wayland; Mrs. Dorothy G. Gayheart, of Es-till; Rube Hayes, Hindman; Mr. and Mrs. Hargis Hayes, of Hunter; Brownie Hicks, Hippo; Mrs. Edna H. Key, Mrs. T. H. Turnley, Mr. and Mrs. John Bingham, all of Martin.

MISCELLANEOUSSHOWER

Mrs. Fred Harris was recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts presented to her on Nov. 30 in the Methodist Church parlors. Mrs. Harris is the former Miss Dorothy Leake, of East Point. The rooms were attractively arranged with greenery and flowers making an appropriate background for the display of gifts. About 50 guests were served refreshments by the hostesses, Mesdames Joe Hobson, O. H. Stumbo, John D. Collins, J. H. Nunnery, Bascom Harris, Cecil Kendrick, Ed Conn, Tilden Collins, Misses Katherine and Elizabeth Leake.

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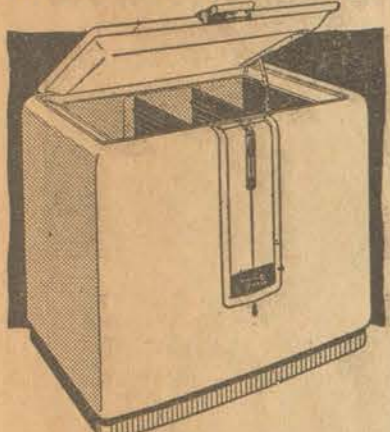


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PERSONALS

Mrs. Ridda S. Findlayson, of Paintsville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May in Frankfort over the week-end.

Mrs. W. J. Newman and son, Billy, of Beech Hill, W. Va., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus, on First avenue.

Miss Ernestine Brown spent the week-end in Catlettsburg, visiting relatives.

Mrs. George Stephens was a visitor in Ashland Tuesday.

Miss Frances Jones returned home this week from Huntington.

Joe Hobson and Bert T. Combs were legal callers in Huntington Monday.

Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Mrs. W. P. Mayo and Miss Marian Mayo were in Huntington shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Winnie Wilson, of Irvine, Ky., is the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cooley on First avenue.

Sgt. Alfred G. Allen, who has been stationed on Okinawa for two years, was here last week visiting his brother, T. J. Allen. He will be stationed at Patterson Field, O., on conclusion of his furlough. His home is at Hueysville.

BT/1 Bernard B. Hatcher, of the U.S.S. Philippine Sea, has been here visiting Mrs. Hatcher at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Sturgill. He will return to Quonset Point, R.I., soon.

Mrs. Olga M. Latta, Mrs. J. R. Hurt and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer were in Huntington, Thursday of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Marshall Davidson and Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter attended the re-dedication services of the new Christian Church at West Liberty last Sunday. Mrs. Carpenter, who formerly resided there, gave a historical sketch of the establishing of the church in 1911.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Byrd C. May last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Salyers and Mrs. Maude Nunnery, of Paintsville, Mrs. Mary C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Huntington, W. Va.

Miriam Rebekah Lodge will meet Dec. 21 at 6:30 p.m. The annual Christmas and revealing party is planned for this meeting with a covered dish dinner afterwards. Each member is asked to bring an exchange gift and a covered dish.

Mrs. Manis Conley, Mrs. Brady Shepherd, Mrs. Bob Shepherd and Mrs. Thomas Lemaster attended the district meeting of Rebekahs at Wayland last Saturday.

A Christmas present in advance was received by Mrs. Otis Cooley, North Broadway, viz: A new Gulbransen Console Spinet Piano from Brown's Music Store, Prestonsburg, Ky., Phone 2148.

Floyd Arnold Mann will arrive Sunday from his home in Toronto, Canada, for a holiday visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary D. Allen.

Virgil Phillips, of Olive Hill, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter will return to her home in Millersburg, the latter part of this week, after a visit here with her brother, Dr. A. J. Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson.

Mrs. Ralph Davis has been confined to her bed for several days, suffering from an abscessed tooth.

Burnis Martin is attending court at Hazard this week.

Polk Hill, of Bonanza, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary D. Allen was dinner guest of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer have returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Mrs. A. H. Mandt, of Manton, visited friends here Thursday while en route to Huntington.

Mrs. E. S. Collins was shopping in Williamson, W. Va., Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith were business visitors in Cincinnati last week.

Mrs. Mary C. Martin was called here last week from Huntington by the death of her sister, Mrs. Byrd C. May.

John H. Patrick and daughter, Miss Anna Patrick, visited Judge A. T. Patrick here Sunday. Judge Patrick, who has been critically ill, is improved this week.

Dr. W. J. Fitzpatrick is in Lexington and Louisville this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke accompanied their daughter, Miss Alice Gray Burke, to Louisville this week. They returned home Tuesday evening.

Dr. R. H. Messer, of Garrett, was a business visitor here Monday. He and Mrs. Messer will leave for Florida, Jan. 1, and he will resume his practice at Garrett, April 10.

W. E. Cottrell, of Maytown, is seriously ill in Veterans hospital, Huntington, W. Va.

Miss Hewlett, Mr. Fridley To Wed During Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, of Drift, Ky., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Ann, to Mr. Stephen "Mike" Fridley, of Arlington, Va. The wedding will take place during the holidays.

Miss Hewlett attended Berea College and is a graduate of Martin high school. She also attended high school in Westerville, Ohio, and Mt. Sterling, Ky. At present she is teaching in Drift consolidated school.

Mr. Fridley attended school in Elkton, Va., and served three years in the army. He is now associated with the Arlington Asphalt Company, Arlington, Va., where they plan to make their home.

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... matter the Division of Game & Fish is expected to handle. Largemouth rather than small was specifically mentioned as recent observations indicated that largemouth thrive better in local waters than their more belligerent brethren.

Other items of the budget: Quail brooder repair, \$50; purchase of new incubator and brooders, \$175; raccoons, \$200; game farms, \$100; cane seed for planting by farmers in the quail-feeding program, \$125; gray fox bounties, \$165; fish pond construction (tentative), \$300; Junior conservation clubs, \$300; fishing contest, \$75; administration, records and administration, \$100; door prizes for monthly meetings, \$125; miscellaneous, \$105.

STORES TO STAY OPEN
Until Christmas, Prestonsburg stores will remain open till 9 p.m.

HERE THIS WEEK
S. W. Allen, of Covington, was a visitor here this week.

What is the way to write a check?



Use typewriter or protector. Fill check stub. Enter stub and check. Fill in the payee after the printed words "Pay to of". Write amount of check in words to the left as possible and fill in with a heavy line. Write the figures the dollar sign. Sign with your signature.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I wish to take this means of announcing my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of County Judge. During the past four years I have served you to the best of my ability, and I am sure that my experience will qualify me to serve you better in the future.

The record I have made as your County Judge is open for inspection and the public is invited to check this record and determine whether or not I am worthy of support. I promise you a continuation of honest and faithful service. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

Your friend,
ALEX L. DAVIDSON
(Pol. adv.)

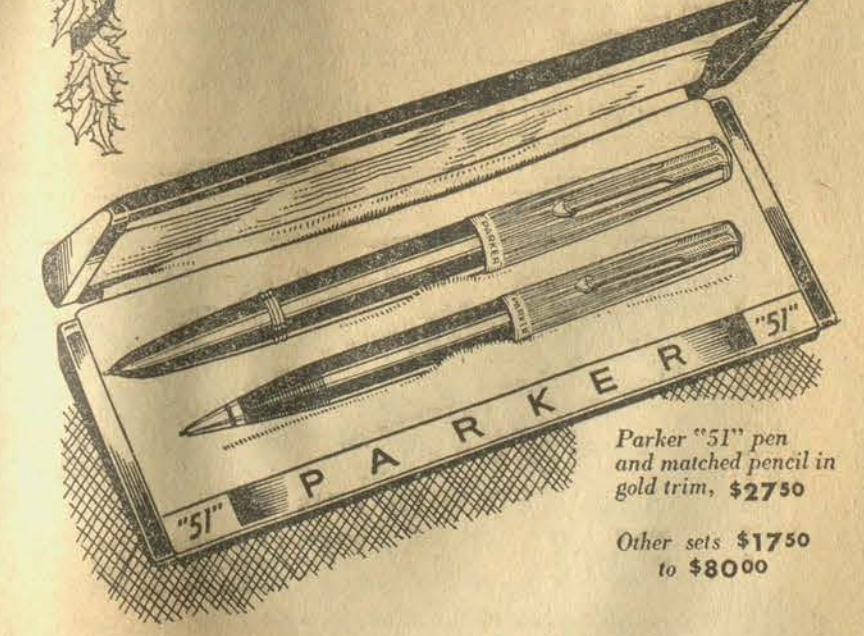
Hi-Ho, Mister!

Kids get pretty excited this time of year, but they ain't got a thing on me. The way I go peeking into closets and feeling back on the shelves you'd think I was the fellow who had the job of saddling Santa's reindeer. Sure I get excited, and when the Missus serves Christmas dinner and I get through with the turkey and the dressing and the cranberry jelly and dig into the mince pie I'm plumb near wore out just from happiness and contentment. It's that mince pie that tops it off. That Silver Mist mince pie, because folks who know good eatin' wouldn't think of baking a Christmas pie with nothing but that good Silver Mist Flour. You see, Silver Mist's got flavor. Honest-to-goodness-pass-your-plate-for-more flavor. Pies and cakes and cookies and Christmas trimmings you bake with Silver Mist just naturally taste better. You think I'm kidding? See for yourself. Buy a sack of Silver Mist Flour and give it a good try. And no matter what you bake, it'll taste like Christmas.

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**HOLBROOK, TRUCE VIOLATION VICTIM,
RETURNED TO COUNTY FOR INTERMENT**

Body of Pvt. Henry Lewis Holbrook, who was killed in Italy at the age of 22 while conducting a search for a wounded American officer, was laid to rest Thursday afternoon in the family cemetery overlooking the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holbrook, on the Middle Creek road.

A Nazi violation of a flag of truce was reported during the war as leading to young Holbrook's death. After rescue parties had failed to locate the wounded officer, victim of a mine explosion, he volunteered to accompany a patrol to continue the search. Though under the protection of a white flag, the patrol was fired upon. Holbrook continued the search over two minefields blanketed by snow. Then German soldiers opened fire with machine guns again, this time at close range. The Floyd countian fell dead.

He was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star for "heroic achievement in action."

The victim, member of the 88th "Blue Devils" division of the Fifth army, was graduated from Prestonsburg high school in 1940. He had many relatives and friends over this section. Surviving, besides his parents, are his widow, Mrs. Juanita Holbrook Davis, Indianapolis, Ind., one sister, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Prestonsburg, a half-sister and a half-brother, Mrs. Ellis Hale, of David, and Joe W. Holbrook, Prestonsburg. Funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. B. W. Craft, Ted Green and Forrester Prater. The American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars conducted military rites at the graveside. Burial was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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**ABIGAIL
THEATRE**

THURS.-FRI., DEC. 16-17—
"Bill and Coo"
(in truecolor)

George Burton's Birds, News. Groundling Takes the Air. Strikes to Spare.

SATURDAY—
"Stage to Mesa City"
Lash Larue, Fuzzy St. John. Serial. "FEDERAL AGENTS VS. CRIME, INC."

SAT.—3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—
"Joe Palooka's Knockout"
Joe Kirkwood, Jr., Elyse Knox. Sport's Golden Age. Want To Be a Detective? Haredevil Hare. Acrobatic Illini.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Relentless"
(in technicolor)
Robert Young, Margaret Chapman, Willard Parker. News. Pigskin Skill.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"I Remember Mama"
Irene Dunne, Bel Geddes, Oscar Homolka. Little Lata.

Coming.
THURS.-FRI., DEC. 23-24—
"The Plunderers"
(in truecolor)
Rod Cameron, Ilona Massey.

**MARTIN
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"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"
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FRIDAY—
"Kidnapped"
Roddy MacDowall, Sue England.

SATURDAY-DOUBLE BILL—
"Berlin Express"
Robert Ryan, Merle Oberon.

"Quick on the Trigger"
Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

SAT.—Late show only, 10:30 p.m.—
"Moonrise"
Dane Clark, Gail Russell, Ethel Barrymore.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Rogue's Regiment"
Dick Powell, Marta Toren.

TUESDAY—
"Walls of Jericho"
Linda Darnell, Cornel Wilde.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"Deep Waters"
Dana Andrews, Jean Parker.

**DRIFT
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FRI., DEC. 17—DOUBLE BILL—
"Swiss Family Robinson"
Thomas Mitchell, Edna Best, Freddie Bartholomew.

"Spirit of West Point"
Felix "Doc" Blanchard, Glenn Davis. Admission 20c and 40c

SATURDAY, 2:30 p.m.—
"West of Carson City"
Johnny Mack Brown.

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"Letter from Unknown Woman"
Joan Fontaine, Louis Jourdan.

"Secret Service Investigator"
Lynn Roberts, Lloyd Bridges.

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William Powell, Ella Raines.

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Barry Fitzgerald.

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Roy Rogers.

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Y. DeCarlo, T. Martin, P. Lorre.

THURSDAY, 7 p.m.—
"Buckskin Frontier"
Richard Dix, Jane Wyatt, Albert Dekker.

FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—
"Daredevils of Clouds"
Robert Livingston, Mae Clarke.

HONOR REVEREND CONN
A surprise birthday party honoring the Rev. C. F. Conn was given at his home at Lancer Sunday, his 54th birth anniversary. Guests included: Mrs. Gracie Conn, Mrs. Mouse Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. John Vanderpool, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas, Rev. and Mrs. Marion Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Worlie Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Conn, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burr Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Conn, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Camden Garrett, Mrs. Martha Conn, Mrs. Hazel Rorer, Mrs. Ollie Layne, Mrs. Lesion Justice, Miss Sue Wells, Delano Stumbo, Delbert Wells, Miss Patty Garrett, Gary Williamson, Terry Conn, J. J. Boyd, and the Rev. Conn's grandchildren—Miss Catherine Akers, Miss Charlene Akers, Miss Beulahvne Akers, Miss Charlotte Akers, Rabon Akers, Fernin Akers, Miss Florine Conn, Miss Janet Conn, Mrs. Dennis Richard Akers.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER
At the close of the meeting of Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of Eastern Star, Monday evening, a miscellaneous shower was given by the members for Mr. and Mrs. Gilson, of Martin, who lost their household goods and personal belongings in the recent fire at Martin. They received many useful articles in re-establishing their home.

**M'DOWELL
THEATRE**

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"Hazard"
Paulette Goddard, MacDowell Carrey.

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**TO THE PEOPLE
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Upon the solicitation of many friends and good citizens I have at last decided to seek county office, and this is to announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for County Judge.

I have served as Magistrate in District No. 3 for the last seven years and during this time have tried to remember always that my duty is, first of all, to the people, rich and poor alike.

My record has been such that I have no regrets; I have worked to be of service, without thought of enriching myself at the expense of others. And if elected County Judge, the same motives will be behind my every act in office.

Your help in the coming campaign will be deeply appreciated.
HENRY STUMBO
McDowell, Ky.

(Pol. adv.)

**Banquet Here Honors
Commonwealth Leaders**

The Big Sandy district, headed by Grover Williamson, manager, took the lion's share of honors in the Ovation contest conducted by the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, and for their outstanding work members of the district organization and their wives were honored last Thursday evening at a banquet given by company officials at Martin's restaurant here.

Mr. Williamson and Ted Adams, leading manager and assistant manager, respectively, were each awarded a watch and \$50 in cash, while Clyde Phelps, Paintsville, second in insurance sales throughout the company system during the contest, and first in Kentucky, and Howard Patrick, also of Paintsville, who ranked second in Kentucky, received \$50 each.

H. D. Parker, director of Commonwealth agencies, was host at the banquet. Other officials present were J. C. Grubb, Ashland manager, and Howard Reynolds, Bluegrass district manager.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

FOR JAILER
I now announce my candidacy for Jailer of Floyd county. I have helped organize the first meeting in Left Beaver. I hope my ideas will consider and not come against me.
SIE TACKETT
Melvin, Ky.

12-16-4t-pd.

END REBEKAH MEETING
Members of Miriam Rebekah Lodge, of Rebekahs, visited the Waynesville lodge last Thursday for inter-lodge work. At the conclusion of the meeting a dinner was served. Those attending from here were Mrs. R. L. Shepherd, Mrs. Lemaster, Mrs. Brady Shepherd, Mrs. Manis Conley.

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1948 CHEVROLET Aero Sedan Coupe—
Dark green. Fully equipped. Driven less than 500 miles.

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Almost new. Radio, heater, seat covers.

1947 CHEVROLET Aero Sedan—
A beautiful job, very low mileage. All accessories.

1946 PLYMOUTH 4-Door Sedan—
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1938 PLYMOUTH 2-Door
A real bargain.

1946 GMC 1/2-Ton, Long base—
This truck is built for service.

1940 FORD 1 1/2-Ton—
Priced to sell.

1948 GMC 1/2-Ton, Long base—
Low mileage, heater, spotlight.

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GMC 2-Ton 161" Wheelbase
825x20 tires, two-spide.

GMC 2 1/2-Ton 179-Inch Wheelbase — 900x20 tires, two-speed axle, five-speed transmission.

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ALLEN, KY.

Mountain Conference Tournament Under Waynight at Wayland

REWARD

Christmas Season—Pel Wins Again

The Mountain conference annual tournament gets underway tonight (Thursday), with Wayland the host. Conference members are Wayland, Garrett, McDowell, Hindman, Carr Creek and Vico, with Hindman getting the nod as favorite.

Wayland, Hindman and Carr Creek are in the upper bracket and McDowell, Garrett and Vico make up the lower. To the winner goes the title of conference champion and a designating trophy, while trophies will be awarded to the runner-up, the consolation victor and 10 all-tournament team members.

Hindman was ruled favorite on the basis of its tournament play recently at Morehead and on its season record. McDowell presents a strong line-up while Wayland and Garrett have been suffering a periodic slump but are subject to get going on short notice. Carr Creek's chances hinge on what they do with Hindman. Vico, with a good squad, rates a question mark.

Previous engagements, by means of comparison, show Garrett and Wayland 14-point masters of Vico while Carr Creek beat Vico 10 points and Hindman trounced them 20 points. McDowell holds a two-point victory over Garrett. Wayland has nipped Garrett by two points and Hindman has barely nosed out McDowell by two points. Hindman, in the Morehead Invitational, took the title from Carr Creek in an overtime final, by the margin of—you know what—two points, of course!

Tournament play starts with a bang at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, with Hindman meeting Carr Creek, followed at 8:30 p.m., by the Garrett vs. Vico contest. The semi-finals start at 7:30 p.m., Friday with Wayland playing the Hindman-Carr Creek winner. The second semi-final test at 8:30 pits McDowell against the winner of the Garrett-Vico game. The championship final is scheduled for 8:30 p.m., Saturday following the consolation game slated as a preliminary at 7:30 p.m. Officials chosen for the games are Jack Turner, Maytown, and Charles "Greasy" Hughes, Garrett.

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Remaining undefeated the Wheelwright Maroons extended their winning streak to seven games in a row here Friday night at the expense of the Prestonsburg high school Black Cats, 42-29.

Playing on even terms in the second and fourth quarters, the Wheelwright scoring punch in the first and third quarters established a margin too great for the Cats to balance. Bobby Hall led the scoring for the victors with 14 points with Paul Harmon, Prestonsburg, collecting 13 points. R. Curry, Wheelwright, and Gene Boyd, Blackcat forward, collected nine points each.

Including the Blackcat encounter, the Maroons have scored, this year, 370 points to their opponents' 227. Prior to the game here they defeated Maytown, 49-32, Johns Creek 67-23, Garrett 62-35, Betsy Layne 57-35, McDowell 42-39 and Mayo Vocational School 51-34, to serve definite notice that they may be "the" team in Floyd county this year, and a potential regional powerhouse. All 10 players are lettermen from last year's fast scoring squad. The four highest scoring Maroons for seven games are Ronald Curry, 95 points; Virgil Hall, 71; Robert Hooks, 66, and Bobby Hall, 55.

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Preliminary to the Friday night feature game, the Prestonsburg second team, the Kittens, beat the Wheelwright second team, 23-18, for their second victory in as many starts.

Thursday's line-up:
P'burg (39) Pos. Frankfort (40)
Harmon (4) ... F. ... Mitchell (12)
Boyd (5) ... F. ... Moore (11)
Runnels (7) ... C. ... Parrish (3)
Willis (15) ... G. ... Slaughter (3)
Laferty (5) ... G. ... Yancey (3)
Substitutions: P'burg—George (3).
Officials: Schu, Prestonsburg; Warf, Wayland.

Friday's line-ups:
P'burg (29) Pos. Wwright (42)
Harmon (13) ... F. ... J. Curry (7)
Boyd (9) ... F. ... R. Hooks (5)
Runnels (2) ... C. ... R. Curry (9)
Willis (5) ... G. ... V. Hall (2)
Laferty (5) ... G. ... B. Hall (14)
Substitutions: P'burg—Hager, Wheelwright—Dickerson (5).
Officials: E. Warf, Wayland, referee.

In what promises to be a nip-and-tuck battle the Prestonsburg Blackcats meet the Martin high school Purple Flash here Saturday night. The Martin team, indicative of their strength, trounced a lettermen-strong Hindman five, 29-23, at Martin.

TVA FISHING UNAFFECTED

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Preliminary to the Friday night feature game, the Prestonsburg second team, the Kittens, beat the Wheelwright second team, 23-18, for their second victory in as many starts.

Thursday's line-up:
P'burg (39) Pos. Frankfort (40)
Harmon (4) ... F. ... Mitchell (12)
Boyd (5) ... F. ... Moore (11)
Runnels (7) ... C. ... Parrish (3)
Willis (15) ... G. ... Slaughter (3)
Laferty (5) ... G. ... Yancey (3)
Substitutions: P'burg—George (3).
Officials: Schu, Prestonsburg; Warf, Wayland.

Friday's line-ups:
P'burg (29) Pos. Wwright (42)
Harmon (13) ... F. ... J. Curry (7)
Boyd (9) ... F. ... R. Hooks (5)
Runnels (2) ... C. ... R. Curry (9)
Willis (5) ... G. ... V. Hall (2)
Laferty (5) ... G. ... B. Hall (14)
Substitutions: P'burg—Hager, Wheelwright—Dickerson (5).
Officials: E. Warf, Wayland, referee.

In what promises to be a nip-and-tuck battle the Prestonsburg Blackcats meet the Martin high school Purple Flash here Saturday night. The Martin team, indicative of their strength, trounced a lettermen-strong Hindman five, 29-23, at Martin.

Martin's Purple Flash Beats Four in Week; Thresh Tigers 53-18

Holding the Paintsville Tigers to mere free shots until late in the fourth quarter the Martin high school basketball team blasted the Johnson county boys 53-18 at Paintsville Tuesday night. The Tigers snared their only two field goals in the last few minutes of the game.

Martin, Ky., Dec. 14 (Spl.)—Coach Denzil Halbert's Purple Flash maintained their hot pace to add three wins last week to their victory string with victories at Martin over Elkhorn City and Virgie and a close-catch edge over McDowell at McDowell.

Martin comes here Friday night for a game with the Prestonsburg Black Cats. Only one loss, that to Betsy Layne, mars the Flash record for the season.

Line-ups:
Martin (60) Pos. Virgie (28)
E. Laferty (19) ... F. ... Tackett (5)
B. Taylor (4) ... F. ... Dennison (5)
D. Laferty (6) ... C. ... Bentley (9)
McCarty (7) ... G. ... Hall (4)
C. Laferty (14) ... G. ... Ratliff (4)
Substitutions: Martin—Webb (2), Click (4), Campbell (1), Tackett, B. Taylor, Stumbo (1), Grigsby, Don Laferty (2), Virgie—Osborne (1), Johnson, Horn, Milan.
Martin (54) Pos. Elk. City (36)
E. Laferty (3) ... F. ... D. Ratliff (5)
B. Taylor (3) ... F. ... Wright (4)
D. Laferty (18) ... C. ... Stapleton
McCarty (8) ... G. ... Mullins (5)
C. Laferty (2) ... G. ... Picklesimer (18)
Substitutions: Martin—Webb (11), Click, Campbell, Tackett, Don Laferty, Stumbo (1), Grigsby (8), Bill Taylor; Elkhorn City—Parsons, Sultner, Stanley (2), C. Ratliff (2).

Louisa High Bulldogs Honor Two Blackcats On All-Opponent Team

The Louisa high school Bulldogs last week honored football players from seven schools on the 1948 all-opponent team.

Dixie Heights, winner of the Northern Kentucky Conference and loser only to the Louians, led opposing teams by placing three members on the honor team. Catlettsburg and Prestonsburg placed two each and Wayne, W. Va., Raceland, Russell and Boyd County rounded out the list.

Four of the players were selected by unanimous vote of the Louisa squad. They were Redwine and Rigney of Dixie Heights, Hawk of Catlettsburg and Mackabee of Russell.

Louisa, Eastern Kentucky Conference champions and undefeated in Kentucky play, paid unique tribute to Mike Horn and Paul Harmon, of Prestonsburg. The Bulldogs selected them, even though Louisa walloped Prestonsburg by a 44-0 score.

On the other hand, Wayne, had only one man selected on the mythical team. Several other Wayne players were nominated but were nosed out by close margins.

Louisa's 1948 all-opponent team:
Redwine, Dixie Heights, and Fry, Wayne, W. Va., ends; Cox, Raceland, and Harmon, Prestonsburg, tackles; Horn, Prestonsburg, and Creamer, Dixie Heights, guards; Crace, Catlettsburg, center; Tyler, Boyd County, quarterback; Rigney, Dixie Heights, and Mackabee, Russell, halfbacks; Hawk, Catlettsburg, fullback.

McDowell Basketballers Win Three out of Four

McDowell, Ky., Dec. 13 (Spl.)—The McDowell basketball team played four games during the last 10 days, winning three and losing one. Dec. 3, Auxier was defeated, 55-19, and on Dec. 4 Johns Creek was downed, 72-28. Dec. 10, McDowell lost to Martin, 36-34, and the following night McDowell defeated Maytown, 37-33.

This week, McDowell meets the winner of the Garrett-Vico game in the Mountain Conference tournament at Wayland.

Line-ups:
McDowell (55) Pos. Auxier (19)
Stumbo (19) ... F. ... Hall (6)
Newsome (1) ... F. ... Wilcox (3)
Hayes (4) ... C. ... Honeycutt (2)
Moore (3) ... G. ... Wilson (2)
Turner (18) ... G. ... Curnette (2)
Substitutions: McDowell—Hall (2), Mitchell (2), Anderson (3), Newman (3), P. Stumbo; Auxier—Hager (4).
McDowell (72) Pos. Johns Cr. (28)
Stumbo (22) ... F. ... Davis (1)
Newsome (13) ... F. ... Ray (4)
Hayes (2) ... C. ... Lafferty (4)
Newman (4) ... G. ... Scott (5)
Turner (27) ... G. ... McCoy (12)
Substitutions: McDowell—Hall, Moore (4), Mitchell, Anderson, P. Stumbo; Johns Creek—McCoy (2).
McDowell (34) Pos. Martin (36)
Newsome (7) ... F. ... E. Laferty (6)
Moore (11) ... F. ... Taylor (3)
Stumbo (13) ... C. ... D. Laferty (10)
Newman (3) ... G. ... McCarty (5)
Turner (7) ... G. ... C. Laferty (8)
Substitutions: McDowell—Hayes (4), Anderson; Martin—Webb (2), Grigsby.
McDowell (37) Pos. Maytown (33)
Newsome (8) ... F. ... Jones (9)
Stumbo (11) ... F. ... Boyd (8)
Hayes (1) ... C. ... Patton (2)
Newman (1) ... G. ... Cooley (2)
Turner (15) ... G. ... Frasure (7)
Substitutions: McDowell—Moore (2); Maytown—Halbert (2), Martin (3).

Big Sandy Tourney Date Named; Conference Drops Hazard High

A northern section, to be held at Flat Gap, Johnson county, and a southern section, slated at the Pikeville College gymnasium, with the championship basketball final scheduled at Pikeville, Jan. 28 and 29, comprises the annual tournament of the Big Sandy conference to determine the 1948-49 loop basketball title.

The two preliminary sections open on January 24. The winners and runners-up of the two meets tangle on Friday and Saturday of the following week in the final tests.

Venturing to pick a winner is a job too hazardous for even Dr. Litkenhous. The southern section finds undefeated Wheelwright with 10 lettermen under Coach Adrian Hall, a full complement of 10 lettermen at Meade Memorial featuring seven Butcher boys under Coach Paul Butcher and Coach "Boss" Halbert's Martin high that's set to blast from any position. Prestonsburg's Blackcats and the Van Lear Bank Mules are rated darkhorse contenders on the south side.

The northern section has leading title seekers in the Pikeville Panthers, who upset strong Inez this week at Pikeville, 43-35, and the Betsy Layne Bobcats who, so far, has compiled impressive scores in cracking some of their tough opposition. Jenkins Cavaliers may offer the fans a surprise in the north.

Opening round opponents were drawn last at week's meeting. They are: Northern Section—Prestonsburg vs. Van Lear; Flat Gap vs. Wheelwright; Oil Springs vs. Meade Memorial; Paintsville vs. Martin. Southern Section—Elkhorn City vs. Virgie; Fleming vs. Pikeville; Betsy Layne vs. Betsy Layne; Jenkins vs. Pikeville Academy.

By its failure to play the required number of football games this season, Hazard high has forfeited its berth in the Conference, member school representatives decided at the session. The Bulldogs appeared against only three league foes last fall, whereas by-laws of the organization require a team to play at least five or face disqualification.

VFW Ramblers Defeat Harold Vets, 36-27

Prestonsburg Veterans of Foreign Wars defeated the Harold VFW, 37 to 26, in a preliminary Saturday night at the Prestonsburg-Wheelwright high school basketball game here.

Neither team was "on" for the encounter. Set Branham led the scoring with 13 points for the winners, with Adrian Blackburn close behind with 11. Stratton headed his team's attack with eight points.

The line-up:
P'burg (37) Pos. Harold (26)
A. Blackburn (11) ... F. ... W. Gayheart (1)
S. Branham (13) ... F. ... P. Gayheart (6)
Schu (4) ... C. ... Stratton (8)
Sturgill (1) ... G. ... Allen (1)
T. Blackburn (7) ... G. ... W. Clark (2)
Substitutions: P'burg—Vance (2), Ellis, Stiles; Harold—Conn (1), Jones (4), E. Clark (4).

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Hindman Tourney Champ, In Morehead Overtime, Beats Carr Cr. 34-32

Morehead, Ky., Dec. 11 (Spl.)—Superiority of eastern Kentucky basketball displayed itself here tonight as the Hindman high school Yellow Jackets topped their fellow-countytians from Knott, the Carr Creek Indians, in an overtime thriller, 34-32.

The game was the championship final of the Morehead Invitational tourney composed of eight select teams. Hindman jumped into a 10-0 lead and was ahead 18-10 at the half. Carr Creek, a state tournament semi-finalist last year, tied the score at 23 for the third period. Both teams matched baskets in the fourth quarter as the regular playing time ended at 29-29.

Hindman arrived in the finals by eliminating a surprisingly strong Ashland Catholic team 43-40 in the semi-finals and besting Camargo, 73 to 28, in the first round. Carr Creek licked Owingsville, 42-23, in the semi-finals.

Walter Price, principal of Morehead high school, former Wheelwright coach, was tournament manager.

IT'S WOODS AGAIN!

Although Eastern smothered Wesleyan Saturday night at Winchester, 81-53, they failed to hold down little, five-foot-four Fairce Woods, Garrett, who led with 16 points.

Inez 58, Louisa 38; Carr Creek 45, Viper 40; Betsy 53, Pike Academy 38; Morgan County 52, Oil Springs, 34.

Betsy Layne Bobcats Surprise Wayland In 46-27 Defeat

Betsy Layne Bobcats won their seventh basketball game of the season Friday night when they downed the visiting Wayland Wasps, 46 to 27, in a surprisingly easy victory.

The Bobcats' superiority in the first half was so marked that they held the visitors to two points while themselves scoring 22, and it was in those first two quarters that they gained their victory margin. Crum, of the winning team, was high point man for the evening with 12 points.

Betsy Layne is at home to undefeated Wheelwright Saturday night. In their first meeting Wheelwright won, 57 to 35.

Friday night's line-up:
B. Layne Wayland
Crum (12) ... Evans (4)
Meade (9) ... Castle (5)
B. Martin (9) ... Spradlin (5)
Davis (6) ... Fraley (5)
E. Conn (4) ... Haywood (4)
H. Conn ... F. Fraley (3)
Hobson (4) ... Hopper (1)
Morrison (2) ...
Clark ...
Z. Martin ...

PIKEVILLE DOWNS INDIANS
Pikeville Panthers outplayed the Inez Indians Monday night at Pikeville 43-35. The Indians, previously undefeated, held a 56-55 victory over veteran Meade Memorial on Meade's home floor.

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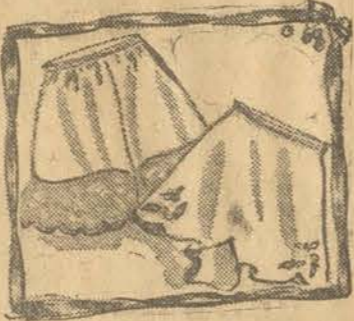


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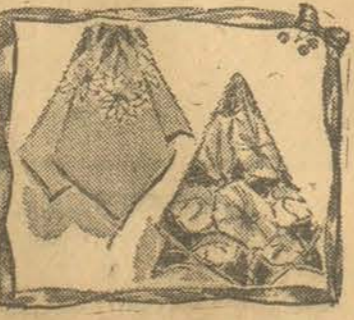
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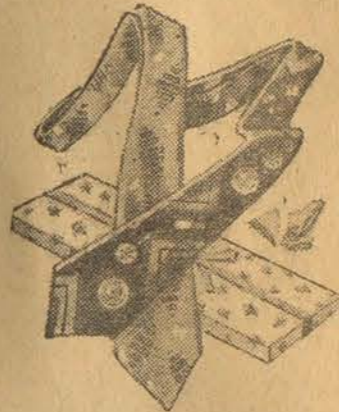


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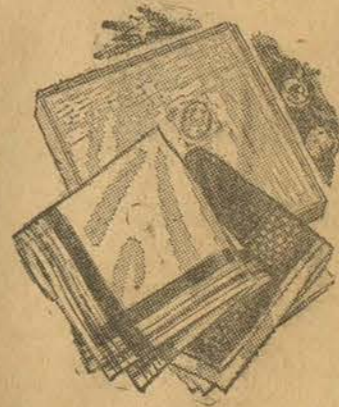
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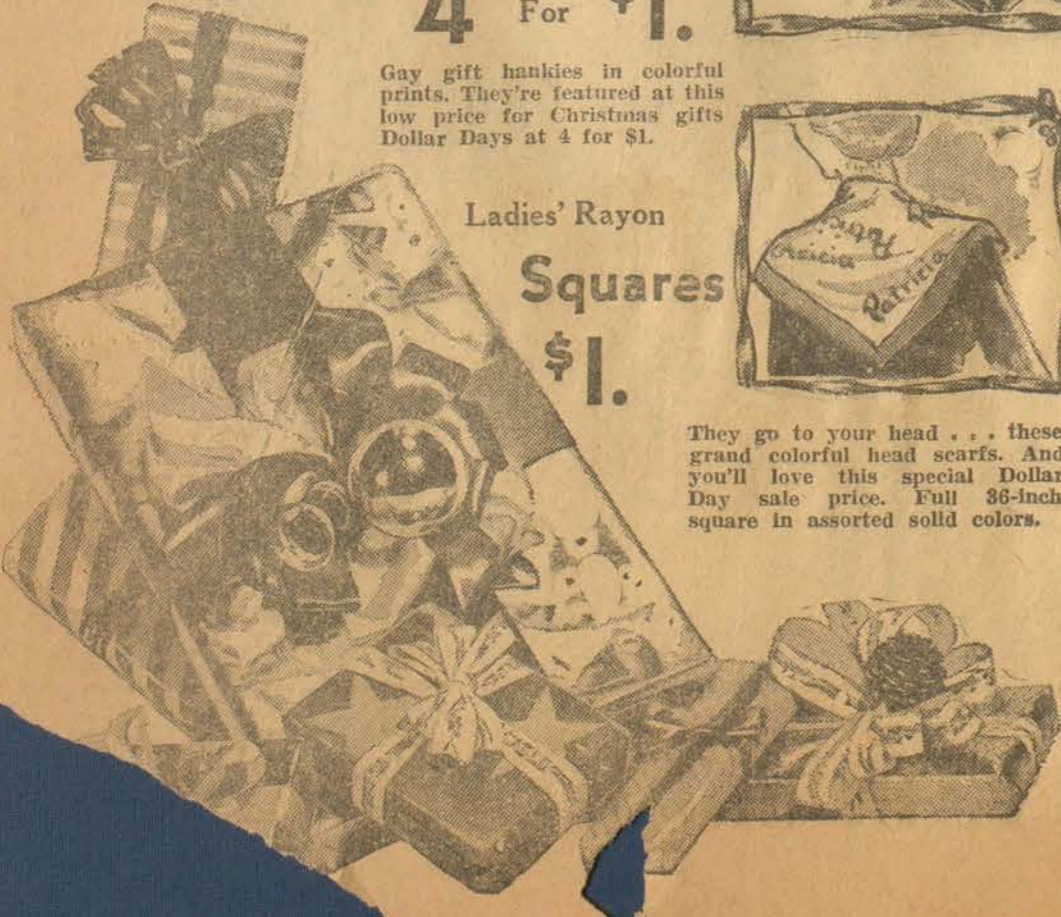
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The Rev. Joseph S. Faulconer performed the ceremony before a white three-step altar decorated with baskets of white gladioli, carnations, chrysanthemums, palms and candles. A white Bible lay on the top step of the altar where the couple knelt while "The Lord's Prayer" was sung at the close of the ceremony.

Miss Rachel Johnson, classmate of the bride, was pianist and her selections included, "O, Promise Me," "I Love You Truly," "Always." Miss Bobbie Barber was vocalist. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candlelight satin fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, long fitted sleeves and a full skirt, terminating in a train. Her fingertip veil of imported illusion and imported Belgian embroidery lace, fell from a beaded tiara of waxed orange blossoms and pearl buds and leaves. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses with a white orchid center. Her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Pat DeCoursey and Miss Mildred Peters were candlelighters, in gowns of gold and green moire, Miss Delores Jo McGuire, her sister, was maid-of-honor in pink moire. She wore a fingertip veil like that of the bride's and her arm bouquet was of pink tulleman roses.

Mr. Ed DeCoursey, of Wayland, served as best man, and ushers were Bill Sturtum and Bill C. Lykins, of Ashland. At the reception which followed Miss Virginia Faulkner, of Ashland, Miss Era Nell Hamilton, of West Liberty, and Miss Dixie Garrett, of Corbin, assisted.

Mrs. Warf, who graduated from Ashland high school in 1946, is now a senior at Eastern State College, Richmond, Ky. Mr. Warf, a graduate of Benham and Eastern State College, is now on the faculty of Wayland high school where he is head football coach. Mrs. Warf will continue her studies at Eastern and will join Mr. Warf at Wayland following graduation.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fultz, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Ed DeCoursey, of Wayland, and Wm. Hamilton, of Martin.

INJURED IN WRECK

Eleven stitches were required to close a scalp wound suffered last week by M. V. Click, of Martin, when his car was struck by an unidentified automobile at the junction of the Allen-Lackey highway and the Stephens Branch road. Click said the car was later located near Allen but that the license plates had been removed.

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Lately Dr. Seay has been checking up on progress made by our public schools since the original report was published by the Committee for Kentucky. The gains are heartening indeed.

Enrollment of children of school age for the 1946-1947 term showed 85 per cent as compared with 78 per cent in 1941-1942. Fifteen per cent under a perfect score is still too big a margin.

In the last three years attendance has increased 5 per cent.

In the last four years the average length of the school term in Kentucky has moved up from 159 to 176 days.

Since 1945 the number of teachers employed has increased from 17,710 to 18,500 with a decrease in emergency certificates of 367.

The average pay of teachers and principals has gone from \$942 to \$1,650.

Home economics enrollments increased 2,271 in five years.

In three years ending with the 1947 term bus transportation was provided for 11,255 additional rural pupils.

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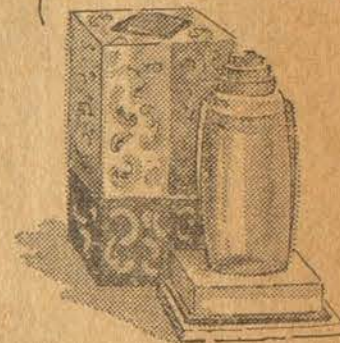
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MARTIN

Bill Ratliff, of Maytown, was the Saturday night guest of Mrs. A. B. Barnett.

Bill Mandt, of Charleston, W. Va., was the week-end guest of his brother, A. H. Mandt, and Mrs. Mandt. Mary Skeans took her grandson, Bruce Hall, to his home in Neon upon conclusion of his visit with her.

Mrs. T. A. Jenkins and daughter, Ginny, of Kopperston, W. Va., are spending the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Murphy announce the arrival of a daughter, born at the Beaver Valley hospital recently.

Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, Sr., and Miss Doris Reynolds motored recently to Huntington, W. Va., to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Vincent, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Repts. Osborne announce the arrival of a daughter, Ruth Ann, born Dec. 5 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Billiter. This is their first child.

Mrs. Mary Skeans, Jimmy Skeans and Bobby Billiter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, of Bull Creek, this week.

The Altar Society met at Rev. George W. Nerbonne's home Tuesday night. Mrs. Sophia Cahill and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell served refreshments to the usual members and two new members, Mrs. Agnes Click, of Alphoretta, and Mrs. Virgil Peters, who recently moved to Martin.

Miss Jewell Hunter is working for Utility Elkhorn Coal Company's store.

Mrs. A. B. Osborne, Jr., and baby are visiting relatives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. John Bingham was a business visitor in Allen Monday.

Three Harrison county farmers have built dairy barns and six have installed milking machines.

WAYLAND

Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Wicker spent a few days in Huntington, W. Va., last week.

A Band Mothers' club was formed at Wayland Nov. 24 with Mrs. J. T. Fraley as president, Mrs. Richard Vinson, vice-president, and Mrs. Harold Wakeland, secretary and treasurer. Their main project for the present is to assist in procuring uniforms for the band. They are to meet every Monday night at 7 at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Martin and Mrs. Mary Martin were shopping in Huntington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Tingle and daughter, Sandy, have moved into an apartment at Ray Praley's. Mr. Tingle will be remembered as former postmaster here. They have been residing in Dale, Ind., for the last five years.

Mrs. Morton Allen, of Hueysville, was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Tingle had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Fonzo Wicker, Helen Elkins and Mrs. Tingle's grandmother, Mrs. S. B. Webb, all of Laakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, of Hindman, visited Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Wicker Sunday. They were on their way back from Morehead where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laughlin and attended the tournament in which Hindman was the winner.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Banks, of Detroit, Mich., spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Ralph Blankenship, and Mr. Blankenship.

BETSY LAYNE

The Christmas cantata to be presented by the Betsy Layne high school glee clubs, directed by Mrs. Carlos Haywood was given in the auditorium Tuesday evening.

The Kentucky Conference of the Laynesville and Betsy Layne Methodist Churches was held here Dec. 5, by the district superintendent, Dr. W. P. Fryman.

The Youth Fellowship, held each Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes, is making great progress. There are now approximately 50 young people enrolled.

Miss Faye Barrett, Girl Scout executive, recently visited the Brownie Troop sponsored by Mesdames Gene Stanley and Edward Lykens.

Mrs. Frankie Bean is a patient in St. Mary's hospital at Huntington, W. Va., where she is being treated in preparation for a gaitre operation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis had as recent guests Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. Blanche Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and baby, of Prestonsburg, and an uncle, William Walker, of Long Beach, California.

The Home Economics department of the school, sponsored by Mrs. Earl Hayes, presented the program for the November P-T.A. meeting. It was an interesting program and showed the patrons how great savings are made by daughters studying and practicing home economics.

Part of the P-T.A. meeting was given to the singing of Christmas carols by the group, led by Mrs. Carlos Haywood. The president, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, presided over the brief business session, when announcements were made and the banner for having the most patrons present was given to the eighth grade. The meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting date, the first Monday in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Layne and daughter, of Lexington, spent last week-end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Layne.

Twenty girls of the Betsy Layne F.H.A. and Mrs. Earl Hayes attended the district meeting in Ashland, Dec. 4, which was attended by approximately 200 girls and sponsors. Theme of the meeting was "Inter-Goodwill."

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FOR SALE—Antiques, dining room suite, eight-piece. \$28. See **MRS. F. D. WARD**, West Prestonsburg. 12-16-4f.

FOR SALE—a bargain, 3 lots 50-120 each, in Richmond Addition, upper limits of Prestonsburg. Three beautiful home sites. Call or see **DR. E. T. ARNETT**, Phone 6891 or, 3801, Prestonsburg. 11-pd.

FOR SHERIFF—We are authorized to announce **J. M. (Melvin) HALL** of Prestonsburg, as a candidate for **SHERIFF** subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1949.

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FOR RENT—office room in Odd Fellows building. See **WM. DINGUS** or **W. J. VAUGHAN**, Prestonsburg. 11-11-4f.

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FOR SALE—two lots, 100x50 each, located in Town Hall addition, Allen. See **REV. CHARLES ROWE**, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-9-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—35 acres, \$3,500. Nice hillside farm, good orchard, garden, corn ground, 4-room house, block basement, good outbuildings. Unable to farm. Located Pike-Floyd hollow, 1 mile off U.S. 23. See or write **B. D. PORTER**, Box 86, Harold, Ky. 12-9-2t-pd.

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Grover Johnson and daughter visited in Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Childers and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Music at Katy Friend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston and children visited in Van Lear Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Clark and children spent the week-end in Huntington, W. Va., and Ashland, Ky., shopping and visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Kelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fraley were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Ousley at Lancer, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sargent at Allen, Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Moore visited relatives in Paintsville Saturday.

Mason Tussey spent Thursday night of last week with his sister, Mrs. Ernest Clark, here.

Rev. Atter Curry, of Pewee Valley, Ky., Mrs. Rix, of Elizabethtown, Ky., and Mrs. Lette, of Louisville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Bartley here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dixon attended the funeral of their cousin, M. C. Court, whose body was recently returned from Belgium. Burial was made at Van Lear.

Mrs. Everett Hager has returned to her home from the Paintsville hospital, and is getting along well.

Alex Wells visited his daughter, Mrs. Frank Music, here last week.

SCHOOL NOTES

The school Christmas program will be given at the David Community Church Friday evening at 7:30. The public is invited.

The teachers visited the Auxier school Friday and observed some very fine teaching methods.

The student body enjoyed their third entertainment film Monday.

School will be dismissed, Dec. 17, for the Christmas vacation. Work will be resumed Monday, Dec. 27. The faculty joins in wishing all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Frank Osborne, of the sixth grade, visited his mother at Martin last week-end.

CARD OF THANKS

To E. P. Arnold and his kind-hearted wife, and the many friends who aided and comforted me in the loss of my beloved wife, Nola Harris, who died Nov. 27, Judge Arnold and his wife can never be repaid for their unselfish aid and assistance in this, my hardest trial, without any personal consideration to themselves. Let me thank the many friends who sent so many beautiful flowers, and Bro. Rose for coming from Huntington, W. Va., to attend the funeral; also Mrs. Virginia Shivel for the beautiful songs she sang, and all those who so generously assisted us in our bereavement.—George Martin Harris.

FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce EARL LAYNE of Manton, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE in District No. 2 subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1949 primary. (Exp. 3-1-49)

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Church Youth Program Under Way in Valley

Sensing the need for a greater fellowship with Christian youth in the Big Sandy valley, leaders of the Christian Endeavor Society or the Christian Youth Fellowship at the First Christian Church of Paintsville proposed that a rally be held to which young people of the area would be invited.

On Sept. 28, 76 young people from the churches at Paintsville, Pikeville, Martin and Glo, Ky., and Williamson, W. Va., met in the Christian Church at Paintsville for a program of inspiration and fellowship. Hassell Justice, Williamson, W. Va., minister, spoke. John N. Mostoller was host minister. Mrs. George Branham was group adviser.

Nov. 23, 72 young people from the churches of Paintsville, East Point, West Van Lear, Martin and Glo met in the Church of Christ at Martin with the young people of Martin and Glo as hosts to the visiting churches. The young people of Glo are led by Homer Kazee and those of Martin by Mrs. Ben Short. The program was presented and the welcome address given by S. C. Honeycutt, minister at Martin and Glo. The message of the evening was given by John N. Mostoller, pastor of the First Christian Church of Paintsville.

A rally will be held every other month with groups from various churches presenting programs and special-training meetings.

To the Voters And Good Citizens Of Floyd County:

After being prevailed upon by many of the best citizens of Floyd county to make the race for Sheriff, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination at the August primary.

Four years ago I announced for the office of Magistrate in district No. 2 (Right Beaver) and decisively won the nomination and the election. For this I have tried to be thankful and ever grateful to the people of my district. I have tried to deal out justice between man and man. I have tried to build roads where the most people would be served, and I have tried to do my best to help all my people.

If nominated and elected as your Sheriff, I promise the best administration in my power to give. You will have honest, sober deputies who are recommended and wanted by the good people of each community.

I invite you to inquire into my record as a public official. It is my opinion that we who have served the public only deserve to serve again when we can stand on the record that we have made, and on this record I am content and willing to rest my case with the good people of Floyd county.

Your support and influence will be deeply appreciated.

JOHN MAY
(Pol. adv.)

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'GRANDMA' SPROUSE AND YOUNG SPOUSE IN COLUMBUS, O., WHERE CHILDISH BRIDE SAYS CATT ONLY CIVILIZED PLACE LEFT

"Grandma" Sprouse, the childish bride from Catt Fork, Lawrence county, was back in the news last week as she and her 21-year-old spouse, Delbert, visited "folks" in Columbus, O., and she held forth to a newsman on a sin-cursed world.

She told newsmen "Catt Hollow is the only civilized place left in the world—and even it's beginning to taint around the corners."

After "Grandma's" marriage on June 8, 1946, in Louisa, she and her young husband, whom she calls "Short," got more publicity than they had anticipated. Afterward, while the nation's interest in the May-December marriage was sustained, she said she "got out of the hollow" for just about the first time in her life for trips to Eastern cities including a two-week stay in New York.

But as far as she and hubby are concerned, she said they're better off back in the hollow.

"Sounds funny," she related, "I said I got married so I'd have someone to stay on the farm with me, and here we are in Columbus." After a winter visit here—three months or so—she and her husband are going back to the farm.

"Grandma" was not reluctant to speak about her travels. She said she saw some interesting things in New York and "there are some real clever people there." Places like Coney Island only confirmed her opinion that the end of the world is not only coming, "just like it says in the Scriptures," but "we're into it a right smart piece," she believes.

"I never was so beat in my life," she recalled, in speaking of the New York playground. "They'd go in swimmin', old gray-haired men and women, then come paradin' right back through town without puttin' anything else on. It was an abomination if I ever saw it."

"Grandma," rocking comfortably, did all the talking while "Short," now "just going on 21," sat reading a magazine.

Mrs. Sprouse had 10 children, seven still living, by her first husband. She has 52 grandchildren and, she said, as near as she "can keep track," 25 great-grandchildren.

Two Floyd Students On U. of K. Committee

The University of Kentucky's Committee of 240, a service organization composed of students from throughout the state, has been organized for 1948-49 by the Department of Public Relations.

Purpose of the organization is to acquaint Kentuckians, particularly high school seniors, with the University. Members of the Committee of 240 will visit their home schools during vacation-time and supply interested persons with information about the University.

This year's committee includes: Mary Rollins Martin, of Wayland, and Barkley Sturgill, of Prestonsburg. Miss Martin is a graduate of Wayland high school and Sturgill was graduated from Prestonsburg high school.

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Maytag Names Harris Regional Manager

The Maytag Company has announced the appointment of O. H. Harris, Jr., as regional manager in charge of Floyd and 10 other Kentucky counties. As part of his duties, Mr. Harris will make frequent calls on York Furniture Company, Maytag dealer here.

A native of Winchester, Ky., Harris attended City high school there and the University of Kentucky at Lexington. Upon graduation from the University, Mr. Harris worked as a salesman in Chicago. Later he returned to Kentucky where he has been doing sales promotion work for a public utility in Pikeville previous to his appointment by Maytag.

Mr. Harris served four years with the army in the recent war and was discharged a lieutenant with the ordnance corps. He is a member of the Rotary Club, Reserve Officers Association and vice-president of the Pikeville Junior Chamber of Commerce. He is married to the former Margaret Ann Scott and they have a son, O. H. Harris, III, five years old.

About 5,000 acres of wheat were seeded this fall in Monroe county, 70 per cent of it being the Thorne variety.

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 2-8x6-8, 3-panel Glass Door, 3-light glass, ea. \$12.95
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Senior Clerk-Stenographer	1920-2160	Welfare Consultant	3540-3840
Principal Clerk-Stenographer	2160-2700	Welfare Consultant	3540-3840
Principal Clerk	2160-2700	Welfare Consultant	3540-3840
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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

After talking with scores of good citizens from all parts of the county, and receiving from them much encouragement, I have decided to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff at the 1949 primary election.

I can, and will, if elected Sheriff, do for Floyd County's people the things that should be done—protect our churches, schools and homes from outlawry, and at the same time temper the enforcement of the law with consideration but not spoil it by partiality.

Later, I will make a clear statement of my plans for the conduct of the office, so that you will know exactly what to expect of me as your Sheriff.

Your help in any way will be appreciated. Discuss the matter of a Sheriff with your friends and neighbors. This office is more important to you than it is to any one man seeking it.

Sincerely,
BANNER MEADE
(Pol. adv.-2t)

OF INTEREST TO VETERANS

Prosthetic service cards which entitle amputee war veterans to repairs of an artificial limb or limbs at government expense may be obtained from Veterans Administration. The cards, upon presentation to any authorized limb manufacturer or repair shop in the United States, will enable amputee veterans whose disabilities are service-connected to get immediate repair service up to a limit of \$35 without approval of VA.

Eligible veterans may apply for the cards at any VA office.

Application for benefits resulting from the death of an eligible war veteran should be filed by his dependents within a year after his death in order to take full advantage of the law pertaining to death benefits. Veterans Administration officials advised this week.

Although application for death compensation or pension may be filed any time after a veteran's death, benefits are retroactive to the date following the date of death only if the claim is filed within one year from that date.

VA officials point out that if a claim for death compensation is filed after the one-year period, benefits are payable from the date the claim is received in a VA office, providing sufficient supporting evidence is submitted within a year after the claim is made.

AUXILIARY

Discussion of the need for a new lighting system for the school was the main topic of the December P-T-A meeting, and plans are being made to raise the money for this purpose. An estimated \$650 to \$675 will be needed for this work. Carl Woods, principal, informed the members that bids were up for the new indoor toilets for the school. Women who attended the meeting agreed to help the Juniors and Seniors sell candy, popcorn, etc., at the next ball game, and this money will be applied to the fund for the trip to be taken by the two classes next spring. Plans were also made for a bake sale to be held soon. A committee was appointed to attend the next County Board meeting to present the need for the new lights. This committee follows: Mrs. Paul Hager, Mrs. Richard Childers, Mrs. Wilbur Music, Mrs. William Wells. They will be accompanied by Carl Woods, principal. A short program followed the business meeting, with songs by the following children: Toni Music, Donna T. Ward, Willard McKenzie, Dean McKenzie, Kenny Wells.

At the next regular meeting, Jan. 4, Mrs. Darwin Patton and Miss Allene Wells will present the Tom Thumb Wedding with the cast chosen from the first and second grades. Mrs. Mary Ford will play the Wedding March for this occasion.

Woman's Club in Annual Christmas Party

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club met for its December meeting at the home of Mrs. E. S. Collins and at the same time held its annual Christmas party. Yuletide decorations were carried out and gifts were exchanged. The Reverend Harmon, of the Mayo Memorial Church, Paintsville, spoke of "Spiritual Values." Those attending were Mrs. Alice Harris, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, Mrs. John G. Archer, Mrs. Edith Kendrick, Mrs. Chalmers H. Frazier, Mrs. Fred Francis, Mrs. Ona Hamilton, Mrs. Gene Hager, Mrs. Cecil Willis, Mrs. Franklin Moore, Mrs. Wayne Bradley, Mrs. M. Robert Regan, Mrs. Russell Shaw, Mrs. J. H. Keenon, Mrs. Dick Roberts, Mrs. Max Burns.

Veterans may authorize the Veterans Administration to deduct National Service Life Insurance premiums from their disability pension, compensation or officer retirement benefits which are paid by VA. However, VA explained, deductions cannot be made from subsistence allowances. Veterans desiring to take advantage of the insurance payment plan should contact their nearest VA office.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

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Deputy Collector To Aid Floyd-co. Taxpayers

Collector of Internal Revenue S. R. Glenn announces that a deputy from his office will visit Prestonsburg, Jan. 4, 5, 13 and 14; Martin, Jan. 7; Wheelwright, Jan. 11; Drift, Jan. 12, and Garrett, Jan. 10 for the purpose of assisting farmers in preparing their January 15 declaration or final income tax returns, also taxpayers who would be required to file amended declaration returns or would be privileged to file final returns by Jan. 15.

The service is free. Collector Glenn urges the taxpayers of this county to see the deputy and let him help them with their income tax problems as there have been several changes in the new Revenue Act.

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DAVID

(Last week's correspondence)
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kissner were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Childers last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Bartley visited in Paintsville, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Honeycutt and children were shopping in Huntington Saturday.

Elmer Crum, who has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. James Mullett for some time, has gone to stay with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Patton were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Blair visited relatives at Dwell last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Goble Puckett were visiting Homer Prater, of Brainard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prater and children were guests of Virgil Howard here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Clark are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Clark.

We welcome to David Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKinney and children, who moved here from Auxier last week.

Miss Jerry Carver, who is attending school at Pikeville College, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver, here over the week-end.

Miss Jewel Carver, who is employed in Prestonsburg, was home for the week-end.

Bill Moore is visiting his daughter in Willard, Ohio.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh and children were visiting in Wayland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dixon and children spent Sunday in Garrett.
Billie Ray Nelson has been visiting Frankie Osborne here for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Ely at Paintsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fraley and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Fraley at Arkansas last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston and children spent the week-end at Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Capelli visited in Wayland Sunday.

SCHOOL NEWS

P.-T.A. met Tuesday evening. An interesting program was given. Music was by Mr. Conley's room. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Russell Harman, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Crawford. Mr. Conley showed the film which was made at the dedication of the Boone memorial here recently. Mrs. Leona Hager's room won in the attendance of most parents.

Fifth grade children will go to the Prestonsburg General hospital this week for their physical examination for this year.

Mrs. Leona Hager was shopping in Huntington Saturday.

Our Christmas program will be given Friday, Dec. 17, and school will be dismissed for Christmas vacation until Dec. 27.

We are glad to have Billie Marie McKinney enter school here. She comes from the Auxier school and will be enrolled in the fifth grade.

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Washing Powder, any brand 2 boxes	75c
Pork Chops	59c
50 lbs. Lard	\$10.95
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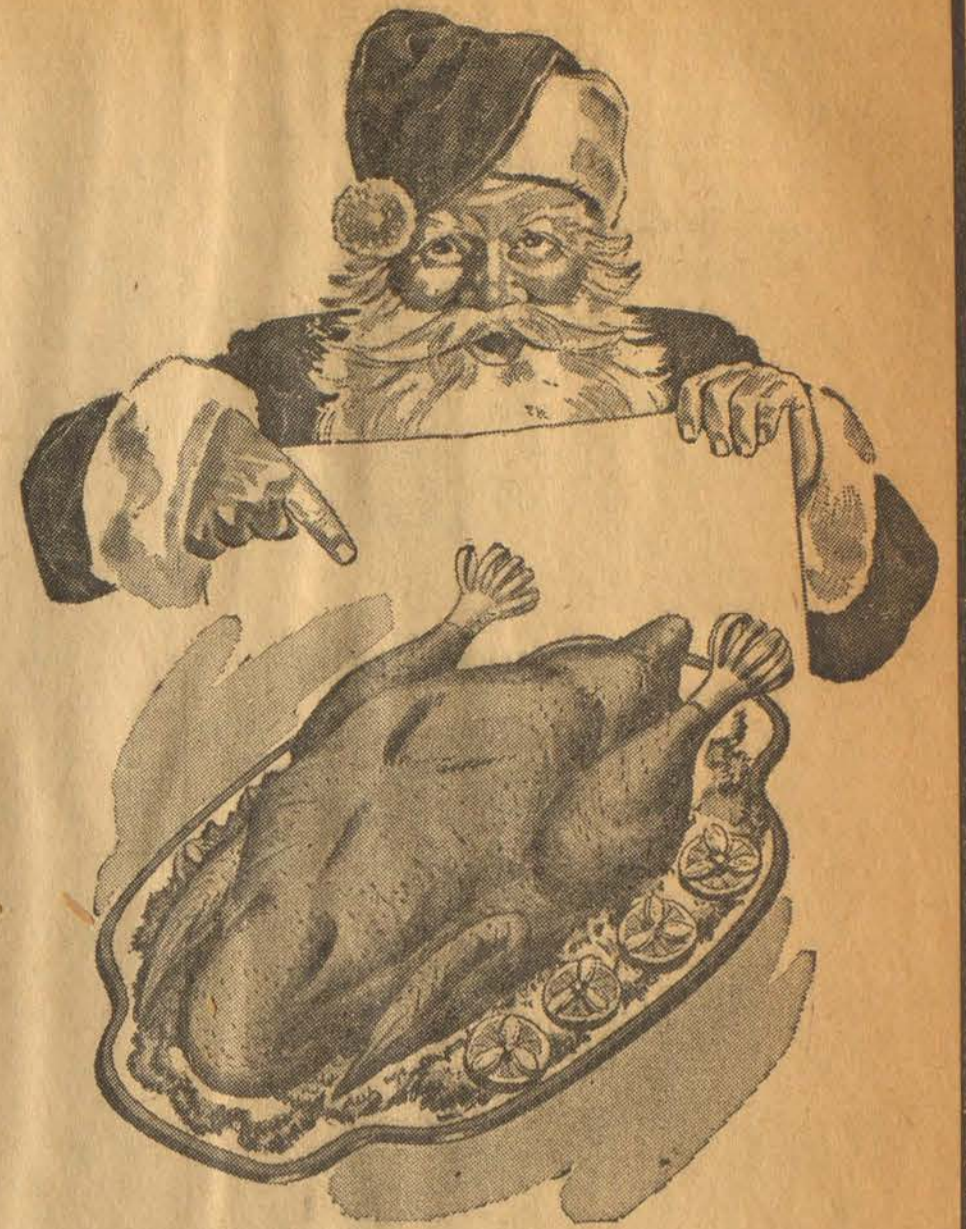
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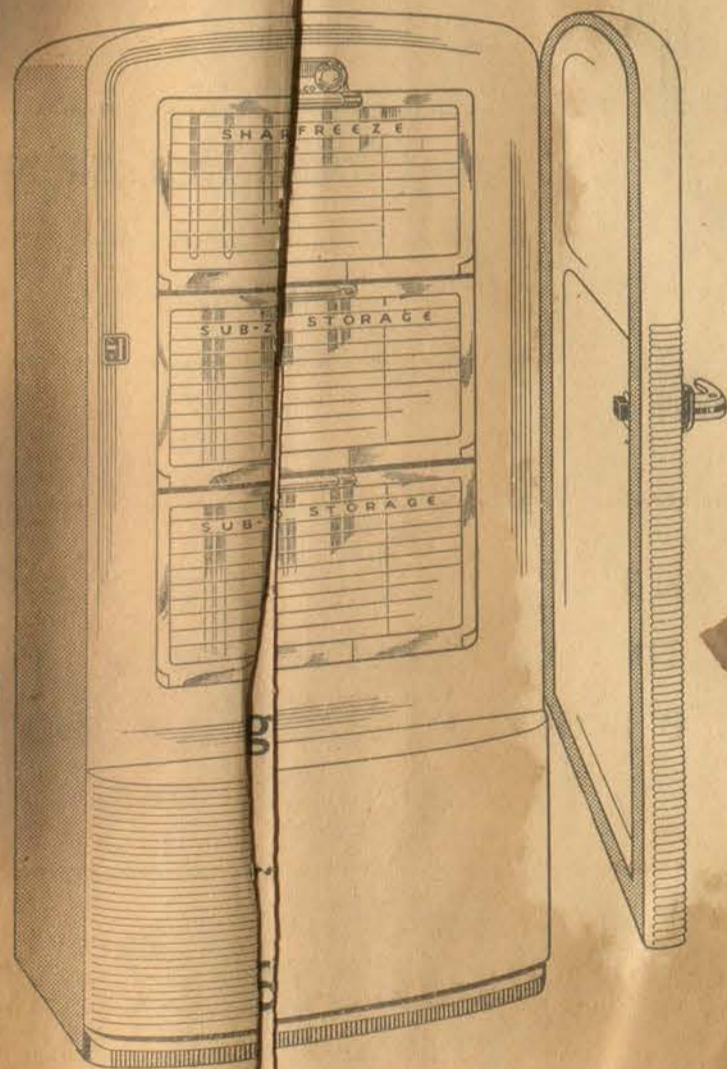
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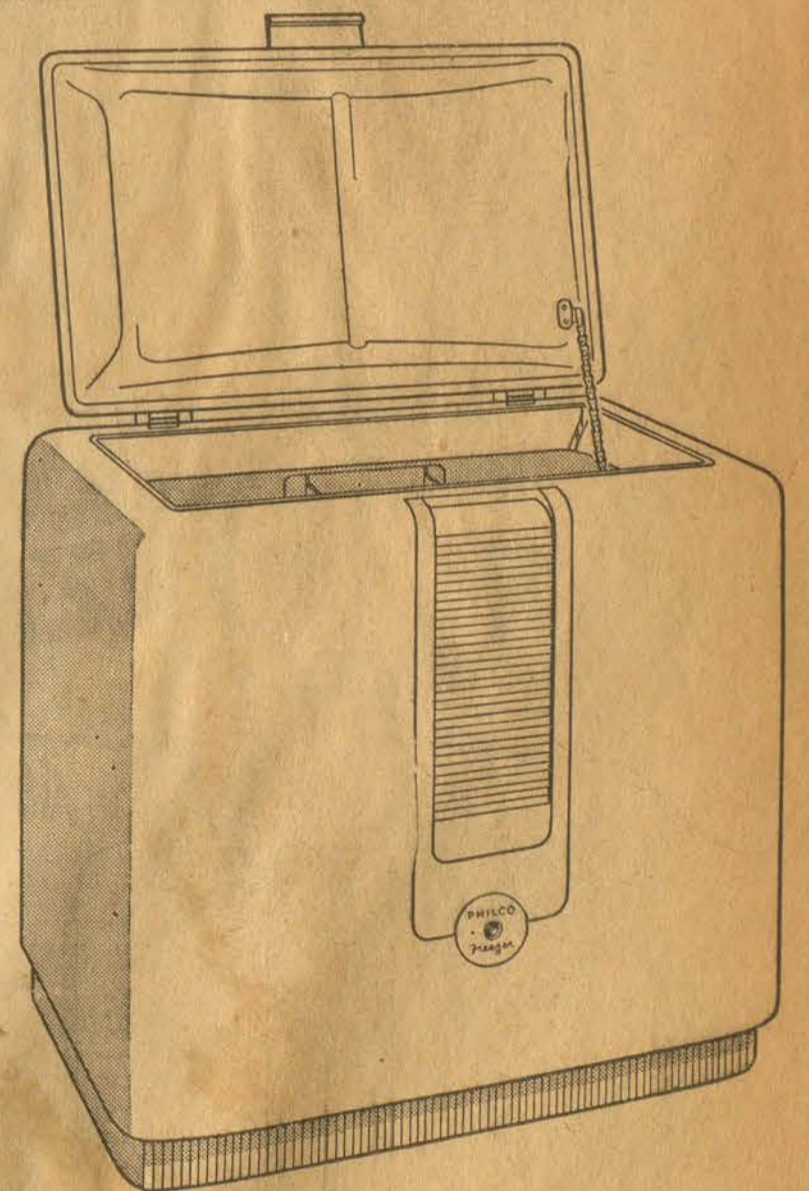
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WOMAN'S CLUB PARTY
Annual Christmas party of the Betsy Layne Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. Jack Williams. The home was decorated in keeping with the holiday season. A popcorn and gundrop Christmas tree centerpiece was an attraction. Muted Christmas carols were played throughout the evening.

The theme for the program was, "Christmas in the American Home," which was conducted by Mrs. Earl Hays. The Biblical Christmas story was read by Mrs. Alex Davis while the group sang Christmas carols. Talks were given by several members concerning the origin of various Christmas customs.

At the conclusion of the program, games were played, gifts exchanged, and refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Mesdames T. J. Chandler, Alex Davis, Clyde Layne, Edward Lykens, Keene Robbette, W. P. Howell, Lon Roberts, Glenn Blackburn, Earl Hays, Beecher Hardwick, R. L. Anderson, Gene Stanley, Myrtle Howes, Miss Janet Howes, Miss Alice Virginia Williams, and the hostess, Mrs. Williams.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lon Roberts.

ALLEN SCHOOL NOTES

Last meeting of the Allen P.-T.A. was held Dec. 18 at 8 p.m. The following program, directed by Mrs. Den Burke, chairman and third grade teacher, was enjoyed by a record-breaking attendance of parents: Devotional—Rev. Winn T. Barry; group singing of Christmas carols; "Why the Chimes Rang," Judith Snodgrass. Mrs. John Snodgrass, president, presided at the business session. Christmas games and exchange of gifts followed. Refreshments were served in the lunchroom, with Mrs. Clarence Salyer and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass in charge. New members of the P.-T.A. are Mr. and Mrs. George Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maynard, Wesley N. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyer.

During the week of Dec. 6-10, 975 hot lunches were served in the school's lunchroom. This well-balanced lunch includes 1/2 pint grade A homogenized milk each day at the cost of 20 cents. It meets the standards of the federal school lunch program. Weekly meal tickets are available for the pupils. It is operated on a non-profit basis with all funds used for equipment, storing, preparing and serving meals. The Department of Agriculture has sent in the following commodities to aid in the school lunch program: cheese, potatoes, powdered milk, cabbage, dried eggs and honey. More volunteer mothers of transported children are urged to visit and assist in this service to the school children.

We wish to supplement the former list of volunteer parent-workers on the lunchroom: John Hopson, carpentry, George Adcock, electrical work.

Boone Hall, county supervisor of consolidated schools, was a visitor here last week.

Teachers from Drift and Weeksbury were guests of the school at a teachers' visitation day, Dec. 8.

Val Strahan was doing photographic work at the school, Dec. 13, for the 1949 annual.

TEACHERS AND SALARIES

About three-fourths of U.S. public expenditures for education goes for teachers' salaries.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Dow Johnson and Pearl Johnson Plaintiffs,
Vs:—NOTICE OF SALE
Mander Johnson Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd circuit court, rendered and entered at the October term, 1948, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 27th day of December, 1948, at 1 o'clock, same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of three months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on Left Beaver Creek in Floyd county, Ky., and being the same land conveyed to the defendant by Hannah Johnson, Aug 28, 1947, containing 1/4 acre, more or less, beginning on a large rock near the hollow on the right hand side of the hollow; thence running with the fence a straight line to lower side of road to a marked rock, marked X; thence a straight line to a poplar bush near the branch; thence to the branch or hollow; thence running down the center of the branch or hollow to the beginning so as to include all the land in said boundary.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$450.00 with 6 pct. interest from June 1, 1948, until paid, and the costs of this action.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment, with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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A movie of activities of the Girl Scouts at camp and rally, some of whom were from Wheelwright, was shown at the P.-T.A. meeting, Dec. 7. Miss Fay Lou Barrett, Girl Scout executive, was the narrator, after which the Brownie troop did a folk dance to "Jingle Bells." The Girl Scouts in Wheelwright are sponsored by the Woman's Club.

Mrs. Lee Hall and Mrs. Geraldine Faine gave their mother, Mrs. Hattie Faine, a surprise birthday party last week. Mrs. Faine was the recipient of many gifts. Refreshments were served to about 30 guests.

Mrs. Dora Click, of Emma, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Troy Hall, here recently.

Mrs. Dewey McKnight, Mrs. Clayton Ferguson and Sonny were shopping in Pikeville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pet Hall were house-guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morris, of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Blair motored to Mayking Sunday to visit Mrs. Blair's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Greer visited Mrs. Greer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Planey, in Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Tip Ratliff, Vivian and Dale, of Ashland, have been week-end guests of Mrs. Ratliff's sisters, Mrs. Clayton Ferguson and Mrs. Charles Wilson, here.

Edward Collins, who is attending Caney College, was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stephens and Carol, Mrs. Ed Begley, Donald and Emma Joyce, visited their mother at Big Stone Gap, Va., and sister, Lenada Burke, at Kingsport, Tenn., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Greer shopped in Pikeville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Depriest had as overnight guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Carter Depriest, of Jenkins.

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We wish to offer our heartfelt thanks to all who assisted in any way upon the recent death of our beloved husband and father, H. F. May. Our deepest appreciation is extended to Rev. O. P. Smith and Rev. S. B. Rucker for their tender words. Sincere gratitude is expressed to the ushers, pallbearers, neighbors, friends and loved ones for their kindly assistance and expressions of sympathy. We especially thank the Arnold Funeral Home for its courteous and efficient service.—Mrs. H. F. May and Family, Langley, Ky.

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