

THE FIGGERS
The divorce mill in Floyd county is grinding slower, and the wedding march is getting sprightlier—just in case you care about such matters.

Table with 2 columns: Marriage Licenses, Divorce Suits. Rows for months from January to December.

DECEASED
For the last 15 years Russell Layne has compiled a year's-end list of deaths of Prestonsburg citizens for this paper.

IT DIDN'T HAPPEN
The "Children of Light" up in British Columbia needed a better press-agent. They didn't even cause anybody to lose any sleep with their prediction of the end of the world as of last Tuesday.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Esta George vs. John George; B. M. James, atty. Tilton Hall vs. Vinetta Hall; W. W. Burchett, atty. Hazel Osborne vs. E. L. Adams, et al.; B. M. James, atty. Roberta Tackett vs. Earsel Tackett; Burnis Martin, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Lowell Thomas Hicks and Rannie Joyce Stone. Brady Collins, 29, Lackey, and Anna Laura Hicks, 18, Wayland; marriage solemnized at Eastern, Jan. 4, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating. John B. Tackett, 16, and Magdalene Brown, 16, both of Beaver; married at Teaberry, 6, by the Rev. Jonah Isaac Osborne, 21, Hueysville, and John Johnson, 19, Garrett; married at Eastern Jan. 6, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating. Chester Climo Florence Ann Robinson, Nells and Madelyn Howell.

Fete Scheduled Here Next Tuesday Evening; Club To Be Organized

Formal organization of a casting club to represent Floyd county in local and state events will be effected at a banquet Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian Church, it was announced this week by E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg, president of the Kentucky State Casting Association.

Officers of the club will be elected, and a name will be selected for the organization at Tuesday's meeting, to which Floyd county fishermen, bait-casters and sports-lovers are being invited.

The club will be a member of the Kentucky State Casting Association, the group which organized last fall at Lexington to supply bait-casting a recognized organization.

SEALS TOTAL IS \$400 SHY
Of \$2,500 County Quota; Seal Purchases Made This Month To Count for Drive

Although the Christmas Seal Sale to raise funds for the fight on tuberculosis closed on December 25, contributions sent in up to and including Jan 31st will count on the 1950 drive totals.

The goal of \$2500 set by the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association is still \$400 distant and every person who has not done so is urged by the Association to mail their contribution at once to the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association, Prestonsburg.

The funds realized from the Seal Sale will be spent in Floyd county in the fight against tuberculosis. Mrs. J. D. Mayo has been employed and is now working as full-time tuberculosis nurse.

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The Inland Steel Company announced this week from its Chicago office that its new coal preparation plant at Price, on Left Beaver Creek, is capable of processing 750 tons of coal per hour.

Installation of the big plant, which has worked a transformation in the Price community, removes from Wheelwright, the company's model mining town, almost every sign of the coal mining work which brought the community into existence.

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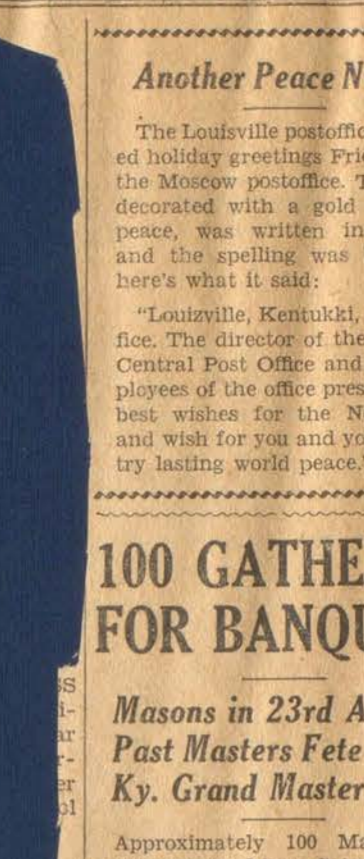
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Another Peace Note

The Louisville postoffice received holiday greetings Friday from the Moscow postoffice. The card, decorated with a gold Dove of peace, was written in French and the spelling was bad, but here's what it said:

100 GATHER FOR BANQUET

Masons in 23rd Annual Past Masters Fete Here; Ky. Grand Master Speaks

Approximately 100 Masons and guests gathered here Saturday evening for the 23rd annual Past Masters banquet of Zebulon Masonic lodge at the grade school cafeteria.

In addition to Grand Master Freshney, state Masonic leaders attending the banquet included Dr. R. M. Sirkle, Prestonsburg, grand senior warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, J. Heber Lewis, Burnside, Ky., deputy grand master, and L. B. Jesse, Weeksburg, member of the Credentials committee of the grand lodge.

ORDER OUSTS DIST. SLEUTH

Combs Studies Need For Detective; Says Post May Remain Open

The office of district detective in this county will become vacant next Monday, and there is some doubt that it again will be filled.

Commenting on his motion for discharge of the detective, Mr. Combs said, "There was nothing personal about it. I regard Mr. Jones highly, but there has been little demand for his services and certainly the payment of \$250 a month was not justified."

KIWANIS CLUB TO PRESENT "AUNT SILLY" AT GRADE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, JAN. 18-19, FOR BENEFIT OF UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

Mrs. Nell Adams, a professional dramatic director, arrived here this week to assist the Kiwanis Club in presenting the comedy success, "Aunt Silly," which will be staged at the grade school auditorium Thursday and Friday, January 18 and 19, at 8:00 p.m.

"Aunt Silly" is a gay comedy account of the hilarious experiences of a solid citizen who finds himself reluctantly impersonating a lady called "Aunt Silly."

HOSPITAL AID ON RFC LOAN IS POSSIBLE

Officials Here Learn Steps Necessary, Ask Congressman's Help

County officials have learned that if the Civilian Defense Authority will classify the Floyd County War Memorial Hospital as an emergency project, funds for the federal government's part of the building costs will be advanced by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Acting on this information, County Attorney W. W. Burchett this week wrote Congressman Carl D. Perkins, asking that the legislator present Floyd county's claim for emergency consideration.

NO FURTHER DRAFT CALLS

For Inductees Seen This Month; Board Lists 31 for Tests

With 43 Floyd countians already taken through draft channels into military service this month, Selective Service Board No. 25 here said Wednesday it had no further information as to immediate induction demands on its registrars.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Announcement is made of the birth of a son on January 4, in Danla, Fla., to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan. The babe, their first child, has been named Joseph C. Buchanan, Jr. Mrs. Buchanan is the former Alice Gray Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY — TRY THEM TODAY!

FOR SALE—complete set of garage mechanic's tools. See DONALD HORN at Floyd County Jail, 1-11-21.

NOTICE—For home-baked cakes and pies call EDITH HERALD, Phone 7801. 1-11-21

CHARLESTON — Leaders of the 1951 Legislature will be chosen at party caucuses in Charleston soon.

IT'S A GOOD WORLD BY WILMAY

When former Congressman A. J. May finished his splendid address on World Peace before the Maytown P.T.-A. Tuesday night, he presented the Maytown school a framed copy of The American's Creed, which had hung in his office 20 years. Maytown is the birthplace of Mr. May, whom Professor Turner requested to autograph the Creed.

Campbell Is Named To Succeed Cassidy As Division Leader

L. C. Campbell, vice president, Eastern Gas and Fuel Associates, Pittsburgh, Pa., was appointed chairman of the Coal Division of the American Mining Congress by the organization's Board of Directors at its recent meeting. Campbell succeeds S. M. Cassidy, president, Consolidation Coal Co.,

Views Bandaged Babe, Suffers Heart Attack And Dies at Hospital

A 58-year-old Floyd county woman dropped dead in a room of the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Sunday as she looked on a bandaged baby, her grandson, who had undergone an emergency appendectomy. The victim, Mrs. Ann Jones Moore, wife of Isom Moore, Minnie truck mine operator, died before medical aid could be administered.

Mrs. Moore was a daughter of the late William Jones and was a native of Knott county. She is survived by her husband, three sons, Sherman Moore, of Minnie, Kermit Moore, Orkney, and Harold Moore, Pikeville; two sisters, Mrs. Audrey Smith and Miss Edna Moore, both of Pikeville; two brothers, Miles and Tommy Jones, both of Dema, and two sisters, Mrs. Lucy Brown, of Hi Hat, and Mrs. Eveline Cox.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday morning from the McDowell high school gymnasium, the Revs. Mitchell Chaffin, Troy Nickles, Billy Moore and Kendall Moore officiating. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Substitutions: Elk Horn City—Adkins, Conley (2); Prestonsburg—Dixon (1).

Mrs. Sue S. Hobgood, Floyd Native, Succumbs At Huntington, W. Va.

Mrs. Sue Salisbury Hobgood, of 2541 5th street road, Huntington, W. Va., passed away Thursday night, Jan. 4 in a Huntington hospital. Born at Hunter, this county, a daughter of the late Richard and Julia Preston Salisbury, she was secretary to the general foreman of the Car Department of the C & O. Railway Company at the Huntington shops for 28 years, but had not worked for the last two years because of poor health. She was a charter member of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks and a member of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors include the husband, Francis H. Hobgood, four sisters, Miss Doll Salisbury, of Hunter, Mrs. Pearl Mayo, of Martin, Mrs. E. R. Gibson, of Minnie and Mrs. Joby Martin, Huntington, W. Va., and three brothers, Link and W. A. Salisbury, of Hunter, and Tom Salisbury, of Drift.

The body was taken to the Kincaid Mortuary in Huntington, where it remained until Saturday morning, and was then taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Pearl Mayo, near Martin where it remained until the hour of service.

Burial was in the family cemetery at Hunter following funeral services which were conducted by the Rev. W. J. Kenney at the Salisbury Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m., Sunday.

Injured Woman Not Resident of P'Burg, Inquiry Here Shows

Inquiry here failed to identify the Mrs. C. F. Ford, 69 years old, whose injury was reported in the collision of a bus and taxicab at Wooten, six miles east of Hyden, Friday when a woman passenger in the cab was killed and 10 others were injured. Her address was given as Prestonsburg.

State police identified the woman who was killed as Mrs. Golden Roberts, about 35, mother of four children. Her husband, Golden Roberts, 45, an employe of the State Highway Department, suffered serious head injuries. The couple lived at Hyden. Also injured seriously was Quinton Stidham, 25, Hyden, identified by state police as driver of the cab. State officers said it was loaded with seven passengers.

Trooper John A. Lindon said the bus, en route from Hazard to Glasgow, was owned by the Shortway Bus Company of Somerset and driven by Tiphus Howard Jesse, Edmon-ton.

Investigators said the cab was a total loss and the bus was damaged heavily.

Six of the injured were treated at a Hazard hospital and four were taken to Hyden for treatment. Roberts and Stidham were the only ones suffering serious injuries, officers said.

Lindon said no arrests were made immediately but he said the bus driver will be charged with manslaughter.

Miriam Rebekah Lodge Installs New Officers

Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 held the installation of new officers for the next six months, Jan. 2. Mrs. Cliff Rinehart, district deputy president, assisted the past noble grand, Mesdames Cecil Kendrick, John Caudill, Mont Gibson, Cecil Kishpaugh, Brady Shepherd, Henry Harris and Bob Shepherd installed in their elected chairs Mrs. Mary Stanley, noble grand, Mrs. Sam Hale, vice-grand, Mrs. Thomas Le-master, secretary and Mrs. Manis Conley, treasurer.

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RADIO REPAIR CALL 4931 —DINGUS— RADIO SERVICE

Cats Drop Two Games Over Week-End, But Lick Wheelwright

Prestonsburg's Black Cats dropped two straight over the week-end to Elk Horn City and Martin, but came back Tuesday night to defeat Wheelwright high school's Maroons, 62-45, for the second time this year.

The Cats, paced by Hunley's 21 points, were barely nipped at the wire by the visiting Elk Horn City Cougars in a nip-and-tuck struggle, Friday night, but on the following evening were soundly trounced by the Martin Purple Flash.

Friday night, the Cats go to Inez for a game with the redoubtable Indians, and next Tuesday evening they play host to McDowell high.

Line-ups: Elk City (58) Pos. P'burg (56) Hopkins (8) ... F. ... Patton (3) Stanley (6) ... F. ... Caudill (12) Kerr (15) ... C. ... Hunley (21) Picklesimer (21) G. ... Lagerty (15) Ramey (6) ... G. ... Hughes (4)

Substitutions: P'burg — Patton, Dixon; Wheelwright—V. Hall (1), Wallace (2).

WHEELWRIGHT LODGE No. 889 F. & A. M. Meets each second and fourth Wednesday

Notice to All Taxpayers

All 1950 taxes due to the state of Kentucky and Floyd county that have not been paid are now delinquent. Unless same is paid on or before January 31, 1951, there will be a 6 per cent penalty and a 12 per cent interest added. Please avoid this extra cost by calling at my office and paying same at once.

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□ Clean and inspect cooling system—and add necessary anti-freeze.
□ Brake Adjustment (if your brake pedal goes to within 1" of floor board).
□ Rotate tires.



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Tuesday—3 p.m., Troop 15, Borwnies.
Wednesday—3 p.m., Wesley Choir; 4:30, Troop 20, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Mid-week service; 8:30, Senior Choir.
Thursday—4 p.m., Troop 9, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Porter Addition Prayer meeting.

Soldier's Wife Dies As Father's Residence Destroyed by Flames

Mrs. Anna Mae Combs Hoover, wife of a soldier, died last Thursday night in the flames which consumed the home on Rock Fork Creek, a few miles from Garrett, of her father, Ben Combs, it was learned here this week.

Cause of the fire was not stated. It is believed Mrs. Hoover, wife of Caney Hoover, died in a vain effort to flee the building, since her body, burned beyond recognition, was found on the side of the room opposite to that where her bed was located.

Receives Purple Heart While in Army Hospital

Pfc. Townsel Newsome, of Teaberry, has been awarded the Purple Heart at the 155th Station Hospital, Yokohama, Japan, for wounds received in action against the enemy in Korea while attached to the 31st infantry regiment.

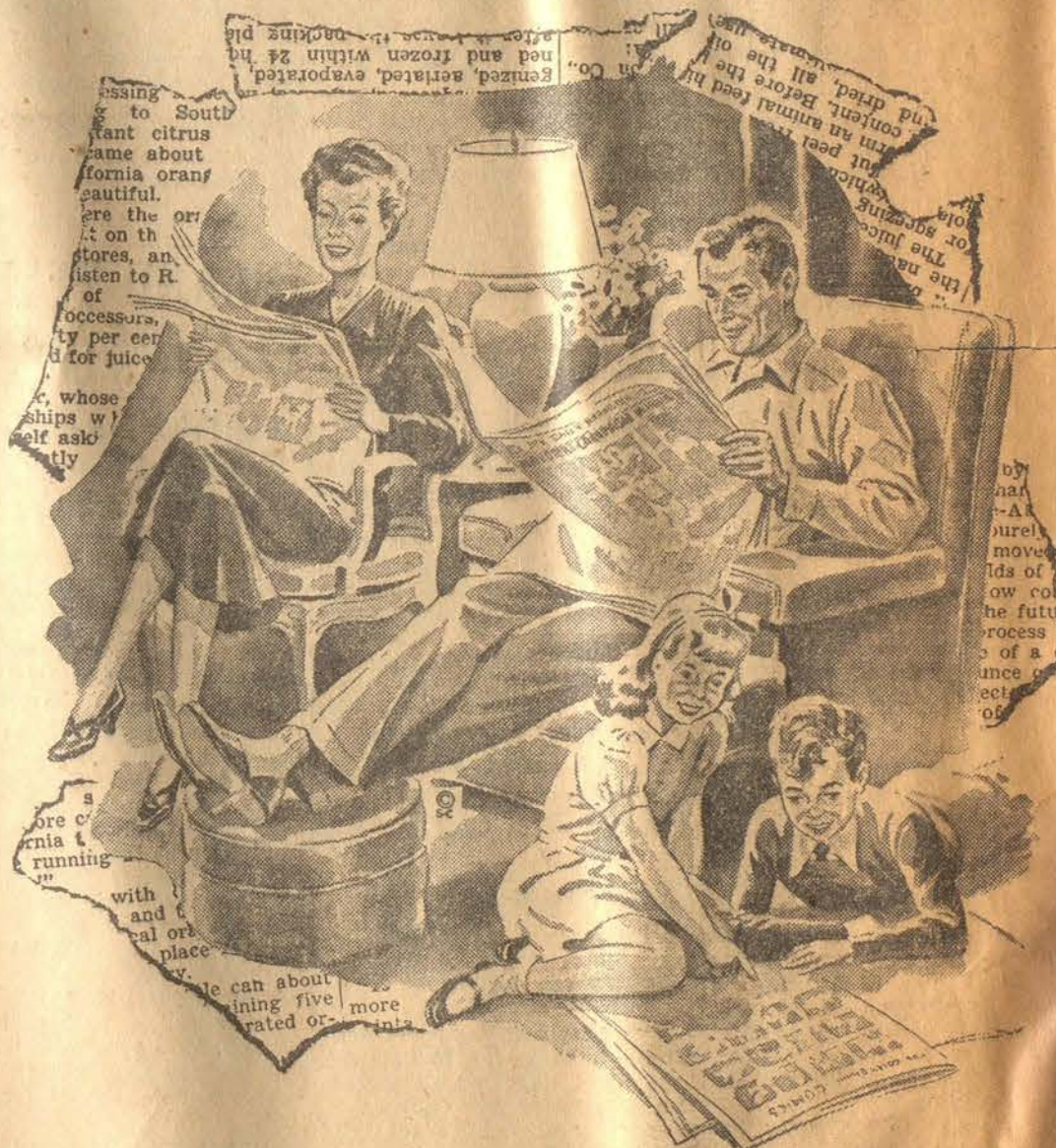
BOARDING HOME NEEDED

The Child Welfare Division needs a temporary boarding home in Floyd county for two pre-school age children. If you are interested, please call 3024 or write Box 42, Prestonsburg, Ky.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Among those from Prestonsburg who attended the funeral at Martin of Mrs. Sue Hobgood were Mrs. C. W. May, Mrs. Ethel Cross, Dr. Jack Salisbury, Homer Salisbury, Mrs. H. L. Mayo, Mrs. Bess Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Astor Meade.

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the parade. Free tickets to the "Aunt Silly" show will be given as prizes to the winners of the contest.

Children and their pets, business men, any floats, bicycles, tri-cycles, doll buggies, decorated cars, trucks, antique automobiles, or what have you, are invited to join the parade. Free tickets to the Aunt Silly show will be given as prizes for the best-decorated vehicles, the best costumes the cutest pets, and the most unusual entry.

A contest to determine Prestonsburg's most popular tiny tot boy and girl will be held in conjunction with the show. Those entered in the contest must be between the ages of 2 and 6. Pictures of the contestants will be displayed in the window of Francis Store where the daily standings of contestants will be posted. Individual voting jars will be placed in various stores. All contestants will be presented from the stage before the curtain rises for the opening show Thursday, Jan. 18, at 8:00 p.m. The winners will be announced at the second performance, Friday, Jan. 19, at which time they will be crowned King and Queen of the Tiny Tots in a coronation ceremony and be presented prizes.

Anyone wishing to suggest entries in this contest may call Mrs. Wm. Crawford (3881 or 3891) or Mrs. Nell Adams at the Brown hotel. The contest closes at 3:00 p.m., Friday, Jan. 19.

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Society Notes

Mrs. Dave Stephens accompanied her daughter, Dora Elizabeth Stephens, to Cincinnati last week where she boarded a plane for Miami, Fla. She is a student at Miami University.

Mrs. Chas. F. Bond left Saturday for Glasgow to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Meers.

Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick spent the week-end in Lexington with her sister, Mrs. Davis. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Shirley Hall, of Sacramento, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newman, of Oregon, were here this week visiting relatives in the county and calling on friends in town.

H. D. Fitzpatrick spent the week-end in Huntington, visiting Mrs. Fitzpatrick who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital.

W. S. Harkins was in Detroit, Mich., last week on business. He visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Frye in Detroit before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claybourne Stephens and daughter visited Mrs. Bertha Patton at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, Saturday. Mrs. Patton was able to be removed to her home here Monday, accompanied home by Mrs. Woodrow Greenwald and Mrs. Claybourne Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Goble were in Lexington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick and Roe Layne were business visitors in Huntington last week. They visited George P. Archer at St. Mary's hospital. His condition is fair.

B. P. Friend is ill this week at his home on Broadway.

Mrs. Dewey Lester, of Canada, Ky., was here Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blackburn on Highland avenue.

Mrs. Shirley Hall, of Sacramento, Calif., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick, on Second avenue. She has concluded a visit to her mother, Mrs. Carrie Baxter, in Miami, Fla. Before returning home she will visit her brother, Porter Baxter, in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiller was a business visitor in Huntington Saturday.

Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott Browning, of Ashland and Evansville, Ind., were here Thursday visiting relatives.

SEE THE 1951 WALLPAPER patterns which will be on display within a few days at MEADE BROS. HARDWARE, Prestonsburg, 1-11-51.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore M. Haggard, of Scarrett College, Nashville, Tenn., were pre-holiday guests here of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gerstle M. Haggard.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack D. Salisbury and daughter, Chadie Ann, of Elizabethtown, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. May, of First avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mayo entertained to dinner Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. Jack D. Salisbury and daughter, Chadie Ann, Mrs. C. W. May, Marguerite M. Sharpe and Mary Lynne Sharpe, and J. E. Ferguson.

Mrs. George Pincel, of Frankfort, spent the week-end in Prestonsburg, visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. May and other friends.

Mrs. Grace Ellison, of Oak Hill, W. Va., was called here a few days ago to her mother, Mrs. J. E. Johnston, who is very ill.

Jesse Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and daughter, Sharon Lee have returned to Lexington after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wright, Vernon Wright, who spent two weeks at home, left for Springfield, Mo., where he is studying for the ministry.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen have moved from the Spradlin apartments to the Arnold apartments on First avenue.

MRS. DINGUS HOSTESS Mrs. Opal Dingsus was hostess to the regular monthly meeting of the Chaddie Salisbury Circle of Baptist W.M.S. on Monday evening, January 8th. After a brief business session, Mrs. Gwen Dingsus gave the program continuing the study of "A Century in Nigeria."

A dessert course was served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames Julia Harrington, Kitty Sandige, Helen Schroeder, Zella Archer, Jean Francis, Gwen Dingsus, Rose Abner, Judy Clark and guests, Mesdames Cliff Halstead and Buster Herald.

HERE LAST WEEK John Elmer, former athletic coach in the Prestonsburg high school, was here last week calling on friends. He is now located at the University of Florida where he is on the coaching staff.

SUBMITS TO TONSILLECTOMY Mary Alice Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, is convalescing from a tonsillectomy operation performed at the Prestonsburg General hospital Jan. 4.

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GUEST SPEAKER AT PAINTSVILLE D.A.R.

Mrs. Ruth Sowards was guest speaker Thursday evening of this week at the January meeting of the Paintsville Chapter, daughters of the American Revolution. She spoke on "Genealogy." Mrs. Jo M. Davidson was also a guest at the meeting in the home of Mrs. Walter Williams.

JOHN GRAHAM CHAPTER ELECTS PAGES

Mrs. Winnie F. Johns and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury were co-hostesses on Tuesday evening at their home on First avenue to the members of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. M. J. Leete, the regent, presided. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Jo M. Davidson. At the business meeting Misses Barbara Jean May and Charlotte Salisbury were elected as pages to the state conference of the Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution. A contribution was made to the John Fox, Jr., Memorial Library at the D.A.R. state shrine, "Duncan Tavern" at Paris. The January letter from the President General, Mrs. Patton, was read by Mrs. A. C. Harlowe. Mrs. Edith F. James, the music chairman, presented Miss Bonnie Wells with three piano selections from "The Nut Cracker Suite" and a vocal solo, "The Infant Jesus." The regent presented the guest speaker, Andrew J. May, who spoke on "International Problems." A dessert course was served to Mr. Andrew J. May, Mrs. Shirley Hall, Sacramento, Calif., and Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick, Miss Bonnie Wells, guests. Members present were Mesdames M. J. Leete, A. C. Harlowe, C. P. Stephens, Jo M. Davidson, H. L. Mayo, Tom James, Grace D. Ford, Everett H. Sowards, Lida D. Spradlin, Winnie F. Johns, Herbert G. Salisbury. The February hostesses will be Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett Sowards. The guest speaker will be Mr. C. P. Stephens, who will speak on "Abraham Lincoln."

FOURTH BIRTHDAY IS OBSERVED

Little Evelyn Elizabeth Salisbury, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, was hostess to a large group of friends Sunday afternoon at her home here. Games were played until the gifts were opened. Delicious refreshments were served at 4 o'clock. A birthday cake topped by four candles represented the years of her age.

MRS. GEORGE NEAL SUCCEUMS AT BERE A

Friends of George F. Neal, who formerly resided here, will regret to learn of the death of his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Neal, at the Berea College hospital on Dec. 22. She had been ill for some time and her death was not unexpected. She leaves her husband, two sons and three grandchildren. Interment was made in Winchester.

DR. SALISBURY ENTERS SERVICE

Dr. Herbert G. Salisbury left January 4 for Ft. Worth, Texas, where he will begin training in the army. Dr. Edward B. Leslie will continue the practice of dentistry in their joint office until he is called to report for service.

P. E. O. ENTERTAINED JANUARY 8th

Mrs. Wedrow Greenwald was hostess to the members of Chapter "G," P. E. O., on Monday evening at her home on Riverside avenue. Mrs. W. A. Rose, president, presided. Mrs. Robert Hughes presented a most interesting program. A refreshment course was served to the following members present: Mesdames George P. Archer, Merle Wilson, William Callihan, W. A. Rose, Marvin Music, Fred Francis, Robert Hughes, and Chalmers Frazier.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Roy Perry returned to his home here Tuesday from Huntington where he submitted to an operation on his nose. Mrs. Perry remained with him during the week. Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts accompanied him home.

NINTH BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED

Penny Beth Whitten was hostess to a group of her friends in the parlors of the Methodist Church. Games were enjoyed, then a birthday cake holding nine candles was cut and served with ice cream and punch. Favors were on each plate served to the 35 guests. "Happy Birthday" was sung as a conclusion of a pleasant afternoon.

FAMILY DINNER ENJOYED BY GROUP

Mrs. Grace D. Ford entertained with a family dinner on New Year's eve at her home on First avenue. Guests were Wm. Dingsus, Mrs. Rebecca Dingsus, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins, Billy Ray Collins, Margaret Ann Collins, Mr. and Mrs. William Dingsus, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham Dingsus and children. The family group surprised Mrs. Ford with gifts since this also was her birth anniversary.

Martin Is Assigned To Air Force Work

Pvt. Clifford Martin, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Martin, of Allen, has completed his basic Air Force training at Lackland Air Force base and has been assigned to the Human Resources Research Center, San Antonio, Texas.

Pvt. Martin was selected to serve with HRRC because of his outstanding qualifications. As a member of the Personnel section he will assist in the keeping of records.

Prior to entering the Air Force he attended the University of Kentucky, Lexington, and Caney Junior College, Pippasaw. He is a graduate of Martin high school.

The Human Resources Research Center, established during the early phases of World War II, has materially contributed to the high degree of teamwork and morale now being manifested in the Air Force. The primary purpose of HRRC is to scientifically test and evaluate, individually, each man and woman entering the Air Force in order to correctly assign them to the particular job for which their skills and talents qualify them.

Year's Illness Fatal To Mrs. John Cox, 85, At Home of Daughter

Mrs. Florence Martin Cox, 85 years old, widow of John Cox, died Tuesday afternoon at the home in Hi Hat of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Akers. Death followed an illness of a year.

Mrs. Cox was a daughter of White and Cleary Jones Martin and was a native of Knott county. Her husband died 10 years ago. She had been a member of the United Baptist Church 28 years and was deeply revered by all who knew her.

Surviving her are two sons and five daughters, Robert Cox, Deane, Ky., Bill Cox, Tipp City, O., Mrs. Proctor Stone, Derna, Mrs. Jack Akers, Hi Hat, Mrs. Fennie McGowan and Mrs. Jarvey Howell, both of Price, and Mrs. Robert Lee Caudill, McDowell. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. John C. Stewart, McDowell, and 42 grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted today (Thursday) from the Akers residence, the Revs. Johnny King, Bert T. Hall, Buell Ferguson and Jack Moore officiating. Burial was made in the Boyd cemetery at Hi Hat, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

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Sunday, Jan. 14, 1951: 9:30 a.m. Lancer Sunday School. 9:45 a.m. Sunday School at the church.

10:55 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon by pastor: "The Tenth Commandment" or "The Sin Preachers Are Afraid to Mention."

12:30 Noon on WLSI: "The Next Voice You Hear."

6:30 p.m., Training Unions for ages 6-16.

7:00 p.m., Adult Prayer Meetings. 7:30 p.m., Evangelistic Service—sermon by pastor: "What Salvation is and How to Get It."

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Widowed As a Bride 66 Years Ago, Woman Dies at Cliff Friday

Mrs. Ann Miller Hereford, who was widowed 66 years ago when a bride of only a few months, died Friday at the home near Cliff of her niece, Mrs. A. H. Green. She was 91 years old.

A native of Fleming county, Mrs. Hereford was a daughter of Wash and Mary Sammons Miller, and had resided most of her life on Abbott Creek where she had many relatives and friends. Her husband was James Hereford. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years.

Her only immediate survivor is a sister, Mrs. Belle Hyden, of West Prestonsburg. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Brewitt Memorial Community Church on Abbott Creek, the Revs. H. C. Church and Ben Whitaker officiating. Burial was made in the Big Branch cemetery, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

Former P'Burg Woman Succumbs at Pikeville To Illness of Years

Mrs. Eulah May Burchett Vanhose, native Prestonsburg woman, died Monday evening at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, after several years' ill health. She was 30 years old.

Mrs. Vanhose was a daughter of Oak and the late Mae Wright Burchett, former residents of Prestonsburg. She was married in 1945 to Blake Vanhose, Pikeville, and was a member of the Pikeville Methodist Church.

Besides her husband, she leaves one son, Richard Blake, her father, her step-mother, Mrs. Hazel Compton Burchett, and one brother, Jack Randall Burchett, all of Pikeville.

The body lay in state at the Methodist church, Pikeville, from 1 till 2 p.m., Wednesday, after which funeral services were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. J. W. Worthington. Burial was made in the family cemetery near Pikeville under direction of the Call Funeral Home.

Turner Found Dead In Boarding House At Portsmouth, O.

Found dead Wednesday afternoon in a Portsmouth, O., boarding house which he managed for his brother, W. J. Turner, well-known Drift man, Charles Turner, 62 years old, was held a victim of a heart attack, it was learned here today.

Mr. Turner had been dead several hours when the body was found in his room of the boarding house, it was said. There was no indication of other than natural causes resulting in death.

He was a son of the late John and Jimena Turner, and was a member of one of the county's best-known families. He was a veteran of World War I, and had resided in Portsmouth for several years.

Survivors include his brothers, W. J. and Bee Turner, and one sister, Mrs. Doll Gibson, all of Drift. The body was returned to Martin to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home Wednesday night, and was taken today to the residence of his nephew, Ernest Turner, at Drift. Funeral rites will be held at 11 a.m., Friday from the Drift theatre, and burial will be made in the Gibson cemetery at Minnie.

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DAVID

Mrs. Burt Hicks left here Tuesday for a Huntington, W. Va. hospital, where she expects to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Bussey and son visited relatives in Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ward and son, of Paintsville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fran Harman were visiting their son, Frank, Jr., here last Sunday. They were on their way back from a trip to the South where they saw the Sugar Bowl football game in New Orleans and visited several points of interest in Florida.

Mrs. Ernest Clark, who underwent an operation in the Prestonsburg General hospital, the first of this week, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Rita, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton, is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leck Williams and children and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Polly and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Clark here Sunday.

Ellen, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rowland, is ill.

REVIVAL CONTINUES

The revival, under the preaching of the Rev. Glenn Whitaker, is progressing nicely, and interest is growing from night to night. Everyone is invited to come and hear the good preaching and singing. The services begin each evening this week at 7 o'clock.

SCHOOL NEWS

The children are enjoying the new gymnasium very much. The gym was opened to them last week. Each room has one class period each day to spend in the gym. All the children were required to have gym shoes, and most of them have now.

MOUSIE

On Sunday Mrs. Aleatha Martin was guest of honor at a dinner given by her children in honor of her 88th birth anniversary. The guests were Mrs. Mandy Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooley, Orville and Alben Cooley, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. Bill Pettrey, of Prestonsburg, Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Begley, Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasnick, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blanton, Mrs. Edd Vanderpool, Peggy Martin, Tom Martin, Jimmy Ray Vanderpool, Tommy Johnson, Harold Martin, Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Conley, T. C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Ance Campbell, Mrs. Ellen Moseley, Mrs. Liza Campbell, Mrs. Sherman Casebolt, Mrs. Worlington Wicker, Alpa Conley and Betty, Mrs. Hattie Hayes, Janie Combs, Mrs. Rana Johnson, Gardie Gayheart, Sandy and Bob McCallister, Merle, Carolyn and Lowell Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCallister, Mrs. Lora Gayheart.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Paul Hall, Mrs. Barbara Pack, Frank Mann and Mrs. J. W. Duke.

MAYTOWN

The Maytown Parent-Teachers Association held its January meeting in the high school auditorium, Tuesday night. A. J. May was the guest speaker. He gave a most inspiring message. The members of the P.-T.A. plan to present a play in the latter part of this month. This will be composed of local talent and should be equal to the "Womanless Wedding" which was given with such success two years ago.

The Christian Board of Education held their monthly business and social meeting in the parsonage basement Wednesday evening. Mesdames Thomas Patrick, Amy Begley, and Thurnal Click were hostesses to a delicious supper. After the social hour, Rev. Kenny gave the devotional which was followed by the business meeting, Arnold Cassidy presiding.

Charles Patton is undergoing treatments for arthritis at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall were shopping in Huntington, Friday.

Thomas Patrick injured his back in a fall last week. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. George E. Allen was called to Paris, Ky., due to the illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reed were business visitors in Huntington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May had as their guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Oiva Dingsus, of Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hall, North-ern.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Turner and Justin were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harmon, of Midas, were visiting the Charles Tingues Saturday.

Little Margaret Ann Vaughn underwent a tonsillectomy Friday at the Beaver Valley hospital.

The Senior Class gave a party in the Home Economics building Tuesday night for Gardis Bradley, Gardis and Donald May left Thursday to begin service in the armed forces.

Mrs. Thomas Patrick has been confined to her home with the flu.

Miss Harriet Allen, of Hindman, spent the week-end with her parents.

Assistant Scoutmaster Roy May took the Scout Troop 24 on an all-day hike Saturday. The boys cooked their breakfast and dinner out in the woods and took some more of their tests.

Amy Begley and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tingue spent Sunday afternoon at Mrs. S. B. Webb's in Lackey.

Raleigh Arrowood, of Paintsville, spent the week-end visiting friends here.

CHURCH NEWS

The regular monthly business meeting of Christian Board of Education followed the prayer service held here Friday night. Everyone is urged to attend these meetings and assist in the responsibilities of our church.

Clark Lafferty served as Sunday school superintendent in the absence of Mrs. O. J. Webb who is ill. Mrs. Webb has served as superintendent for a great number of years and has been very faithful in this responsibility placed upon her.

The Sewing Club met with Mrs. V. A. Hayes on Saturday. The business meeting opened with a short devotional service by Mrs. W. J. Kenny and the hostess. After the business session, time was spent in making napkin holders and piecing a quilt. Refreshments were served to Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Kenney, and Patty Ann, Mesdames O. C. Hayes, E. C. Blanton, Troy Webb, H. K. Johnson and Linda, Charles Hornsby, Jr., Callie Beatty, Kate Martin, J. M. Preston, Otis Kilburn, Walter Hitchcock, and Mary.

The club meets with Mrs. J. M. Preston on Saturday, Jan. 20, at 1:00 p.m.

BETSY LAYNE

The Men's Fellowship met at the Methodist Church here Thursday evening, Dec. 28, when a spaghetti dinner was served to 14 men. The secretary and treasurer gave their reports and projects of the Fellowship were discussed. A short talk was given by the president on "Giving What We Have for Community Good." The talk was based on the statement in Acts 3:6, "Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have I give thee . . ."

Attending the monthly meeting were Jim George, Cecil Graham May, Bill Rathiff, Joe I. May, Jesse Elliott, Palmer L. Crum, A. J. Van Kammen, Ray Calvin Davis, E. P. Davis, Walter Hall, Al Snyder, Jack Branham, Jack Williams and Robert L. Anderson.

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Mrs. C. B. Ison, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby and Mrs. Estill Hughes were shopping in Huntington, Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer spent Christmas in Detroit, Mich., with Dr. and Mrs. John Robbins.

Ellsworth Coburn spent a few days in Lexington last week.

Rev. Duncan J. Smith and family moved here last week from Wheelwright. He is pastor of the Missionary Baptist Church here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mitchell, of Fairmont, W. Va., were called here last week by the death of their brother-in-law, Oliver Stone. Mr. Stone's daughter, Mrs. Eileen, and his son, Shelby, both of Ashland, also attended the funeral here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barte Estep spent last week-end in Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Rev. C. C. Newsome, of Burnside, visited friends here Saturday.

WITH AIR FORCE OVERSEAS

Japan—Rudolph Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bailey, Handshoe, Ky., was recently promoted to the grade of staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Mrs. Bailey, the former Margaret C. Shepherd, is presently residing with her parents at Handshoe, awaiting word to join her husband in Japan. Sgt. Bailey is assigned to a weather reconnaissance squadron flying weather missions in the North Pacific from an air base in Japan.

Hazard Field Output Up 34.3 Percent Above 1949

Hazard, Ky., Jan. 8—Coal production in the Hazard field for 1950 was 34.3 per cent more than the production for 1949, according to William B. Sturgill, executive secretary of the Hazard Coal Producers Association.

Production in the Hazard field in 1950 totaled 8,420,000 tons as against the 1949 production of 5,531,600 tons. During the week ending December 30, 1950, production was 158,550 tons, an increase of 39.4 over the corresponding week of 1949.

A NINE-POUND SON

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Archer, Jr., announce the birth on Sunday, Jan. 7, at the Prestonsburg General hospital of their second child, a nine-pound son, A. J. Archer, III.

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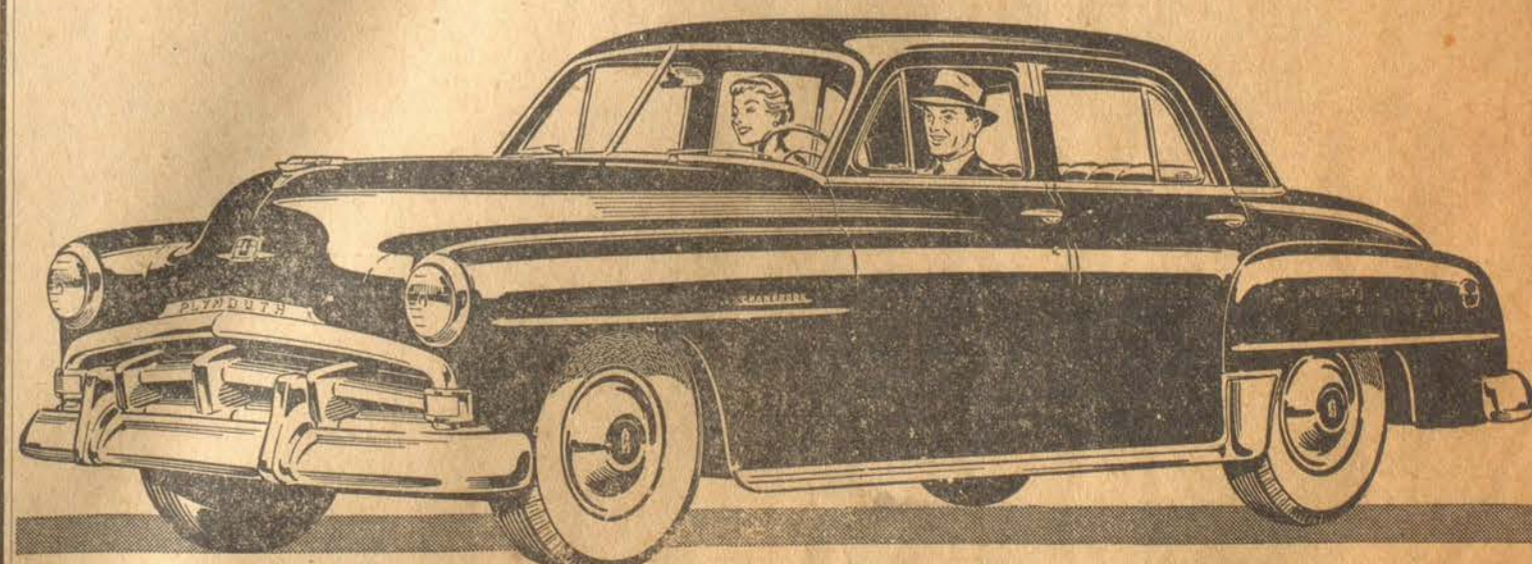


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We wish to thank everyone who helped us in any way during the illness and upon the death of our beloved husband and father, C. L. Hyden. We especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, and we especially thank the Rev. G. R. Fanning, Cora Johnson, the Rev. Ted Greene and Franklin Moore who assisted in the funeral services.—The Hyden Family.



Jest Among Us...

By Jack Wild

Kentucky is a state of nice places and nice place names. There's a bit and a roll to the names of many Kentucky towns, but unfortunately the prettiest names belong to villages little known beyond their own boundaries. Here are a dozen such that especially appeal to me:

Blue River, Floyd county, Burning Springs (Clay), Falls of Rough (Grays), Fancy Farm (Graves), Maple Mount (Davies), Marydell (Laurel), Morning View (Kenton), Summer Shade (Metcalfe), Swan Lake (Knox), Valley View (Madison), White Rose (Taylor), and Yellow Mountain (Knott). Of them all, I believe I like Morning View best, for the cool freshness of it.

For what is believed to be the first time in the history of the University of Kentucky, three parents are U-K. students along with their children. The father and two mothers—a principal, a teacher, and a housewife—are enrolled in the University's Northern Extension Center in Covington. Their children are students in the Colleges of Commerce, Arts and Sciences, and Education. Which poses the question, when all the family goes to school who helps whom with whose lessons?

THOUGHTS AND THINGS—Whitley county and Williamsburg were named for William Whitley, whose home near Stanford was the first Kentucky house built of bricks and who was one of several men claiming to have killed Tecumseh, the Indian chief. "It's a crying shame, or thereabouts, that what has happened at London, Kentucky, hasn't been carbon-copied by other cities, large and small, all across Kentucky." So says the attractive new booklet put out by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce on the improvement program undertaken by Laurel county's chief city, and I believe all progressive citizens will agree that a fine job has been done there. Some folks will tell you, with a perfectly straight face, that the big atomic bomb plant there will make Paducah a "boom" town.

BELGRADE—The United States is negotiating for vastly increased purchases of strategic defense materials from Yugoslavia and expects good results, an American spokesman said here.

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Capt. Prater, Marine Pilot, Ordered to West Coast

Capt. Joe M. Prater, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex (Dick) Prater, of Batavia, Ohio, was detached from the MAAS, Cabanis, Field, Corpus Christi, Texas, last week. He was ordered to report to the West coast. Capt. Prater attended Berea College, Berea, Ky., and worked with the FBI in Washington, D.C., for two years before enlisting in the navy in 1942. He completed flight training and received his wings and commission a year later at Pensacola, Fla. He has served in Marine aviation since that time. During World War II, Capt. Prater saw 15 months of overseas duty with the Marine Night Fighter Squadron 543 in the Pacific. He has a brother, Major B. E. Prater, in the U.S. air force.

Capt. Prater is married to the former Mary Louise Lloyd, of Meadowview, Va., and they have two daughters, Mary Jo and Carol Ann. He formerly resided with his parents in this county.

DAYTON, Ohio—Col. G. W. Skeels, president of the Reserve Officers Association disclosed that military leaders are working on plans to require persons deferred from the draft to join organized reserve units.

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Hall-Taylor Nuptials Solemnized Here Dec. 12

The marriage of Miss Eunice Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hall, of McDowell, Ky., and Mr. John B. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Taylor, of Lovely, Ky., took place Dec. 13 in Prestonsburg. The Rev. Alex Stephens performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a white crepe dress with black accessories.

Mrs. Taylor is a graduate of McDowell high school. She attended Pikeville Junior College and Morehead State College. Before her marriage, Mrs. Taylor was employed by the Floyd County Board of Education as a teacher in the Drift consolidated school. Mr. Taylor graduated from Warfield high school and attended Pikeville College. He is now a sergeant in the air force and has served since May, 1948. He is stationed at the Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque, New Mexico, where the couple now reside.

CALCUTTA—The West Bengal government's order outlawing Communists was voided by the state's high court. Eighty-three communists who had appealed the ban were freed.

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Big Homecoming Crowd Sees Bob Cats Triumph; Miss Hall Named Queen

Betsy Layne, Ky., Jan. 8 (Spl.)—The second largest crowd in the history of Betsy Layne high school attended the homecoming game Saturday night, December 22. It was a battle all the way between the Batling Bob Cats and the Virgie Eagles until the last quarter when the Cats pulled away to win by 14 points. One hundred seven old grads attended the game. Mrs. Carla A. Crum was the only representative of the class of '30. None attended from the class of '31, but Willie Frasure, of Amba, and Mrs. Regina Daniels, of Harold, represented the class of '32. Each class from '32 to the present class was represented in various numbers with the class of '49 having the high attendance of 18 members, followed closely by the class of '50 with 16.

Miss Snookie Hall, of the present Senior Class, was crowned Homecoming Queen by Frankie Crum, captain of the team. Gordon Clarke presented her a bouquet of roses. The game saw the school resume the practice of allowing men in uniform free admission. This practice was kept up by Betsy Layne high school during World War II. Local boys who are former students and graduates are also invited to see the last game prior to their induction into the armed forces, free of charge.

The Betsy Layne "B" team, commonly known as "The Foodies," are establishing a very good record this year, having won 10 of their 15 games. Their last two victories were Friday and Saturday nights, when they defeated Belfry "B" team, 64 to 24, and Maytown on Saturday, 45 to 37. Carl Jones scored in the two games 25 and 18 points, respectively, while Dayton Duvall, Dale Adkins and Archie Howell moved their scoring into the two-figure column. The rebounding by Bobbie Clarke and his floor work in general has been helpful. The second five of the "B" team has seen considerable action and has done some nice team work. The team is coached by Jim Brooks, who was graduated from Betsy Layne with the class of '44. He received his degree from Transylvania University in June of last year and came to the Betsy Layne faculty with a Physical Education major.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

Betsy Layne Downs Belfry and Maytown; Crum, Scoring Leader

Betsy Layne, Ky., Jan. 8 (Spl.)—The Bobcats welcomed Belfry as their guest, Friday night, defeating them, 68-38. At half time the score was tied, 29-29. The fans were in an uproar as the end of the third period found the score again tied. In the last quarter the Bobcats pulled away.

In this game Frankie Crum had a high of 32 points for the Bobcats, while Burns had 19 for the Pirates. Saturday night, the Bobcats traveled to Maytown, winning there 63-45. The Cats were leading at half-time, 31-23. Frankie Crum had 29 for the Cats. J. Prater led the Maytown scoring with 17.

Betsy Layne	f.g.	f.t.	f.	pts.
Clark	7	3	1	17
Williamson	2	1	3	5
Wallace	1	0	2	2
Hall	0	0	1	0
F. Crum	12	8	3	32
D. Crum	1	0	2	2
Fannin	2	1	0	5
King	0	1	4	1
May	1	1	2	3
Totals	26	15	18	68

Belfry	f.g.	f.t.	f.	pts.
Smith	6	0	3	12
Russell	3	0	5	6
Addis	1	0	2	2
Sparks	3	2	1	8
Hankins	3	5	4	11
Berins	3	13	4	19
Totals	19	20	19	58

Betsy Layne	f.g.	f.t.	f.	pts.
Clark	9	0	3	18
Stratton	1	1	1	3
Wallace	1	0	2	2
F. Crum	11	7	4	28
Branham	0	1	1	1
D. Crum	1	0	2	2
Fannin	3	2	0	8
King	0	0	1	0
May	0	0	2	0
Totals	26	11	16	68

Maytown	f.g.	f.t.	f.	pts.
Prater	8	1	1	17
Lafferty	1	0	3	3
C. Patton	1	1	2	3
J. E. Caudill	1	1	0	2
May	2	1	0	6
C. Caudill	1	4	5	5
Blevins	1	3	1	4
Jones	1	2	2	2
Totals	16	13	14	50

The Bobcats travel to Virgie Friday night after playing at Memorial, Tuesday night.

SPORTS AFIELD

By TED KESTING

Picking tackle to suit the angler if he's beyond the novice stage, is a pretty tricky matter. If the purchaser isn't an angler, he or she is more likely to buy something expensive and pretty, but completely useless to the recipient. With a little ingenuity you can discover what will please him. Here are a few general suggestions from Jason Lucas.

Rods—Strangely, with everything else sky-high now, never before were there such values in rods—fly, casting or spinning. There are many distinct varieties of rods, even in fly rods alone, each technically suited to some certain purpose, or at least to the user's firm belief as to what's suited for that purpose. Just buying somebody a rod would be like buying him a pair of shoes without knowing the size he wears. Find out what he wants.

Reels—In reels, too, never were there such good values. Believe it or not, \$5 will now buy a casting reel that will cast much better and more smoothly than the \$50 reel of a generation ago. However, there are also some very poor casting reels on the market now. Better stick to the product of a maker known to be reliable. But this same advice goes for all articles of tackle. Tackle making is a highly specialized business calling for accurate technical knowledge of its many points.

Lines—Find out what sort of casting or spinning line the person uses, and get him a new one like it; he probably won't want to change. Don't give anybody a cheap fly line. This line must be of the right size to fit his rod or it's completely useless.

Other things—Waders? Be sure to get them long enough in the legs, so they'll be baggy and wrinkled as he walks around. Trout creel? Only recently available, so his old one may be pretty much of a wreck. Wading jacket? See that it has plenty of pockets. Tackle box? The bigger the better. Fly boxes? Lots of nice ones are made now.

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The Martin Purple Flash downed the Paintsville Tigers in their own lair Friday night, 49-41, then came to Prestonsburg the following evening and handed the Cats a 63-50 defeat. At Paintsville it was Grigsby who led the Martin boys, but here Tackett, a forward, put on a sensational shooting exhibition with a total of 27 points. Laferty, guard, chalked up 15 points for the losers. Friday night of this week, Martin will play host to the undefeated Wayland Wasps in the second meeting of the two teams this season, and this game is one which is expected to draw one of the biggest crowds of the season. The following evening, the Purple Flash is at home to McDowell.

Line-ups:
Martin (49) Pos. Paintsville (41)
Campbell (8) ... F. ... J. Daniel (6)
Tackett (8) ... F. ... Williams (7)
Taylor (7) ... C. ... Hudson (10)
Grigsby (16) ... G. ... D. Daniel (10)
D. Laferty (8) ... G. ... Coleman (6)
Substitutions: Martin — Peters (1), Click, J. Laferty, Ratliff (1), Baldrige; Paintsville—Brown (2), Beatty, Knight.

Line-ups:
Martin (63) Pos. P'burg (50)
Campbell (4) ... F. ... Mayo (7)
Tackett (27) ... F. ... Caudill (8)
Taylor (11) ... C. ... Hunley (7)
Grigsby (10) ... G. ... Laferty (15)
D. Laferty (7) ... G. ... Hughes (7)
Substitutions: Martin—Click (2), Peters (2), Goines, J. Laferty, Ratliff, Baldrige; Prestonsburg—Patton (2), Dixon (4).

HONORS MR. WALLACE

Mrs. Robert Wallace entertained with a dinner Monday evening honoring her husband, Robert Wallace, on his birthday. Dinner was served to the following guests: Dr. and Mrs. John Archer, Judge and Mrs. Henry Stumbo, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, of Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell, of Allen. After dinner, canasta was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace, Mrs. Maurice Mitchell, of Allen, and Mrs. Carlton Wrightson, of Wayland, were shopping in Huntington, Thursday.

OPERATIONS

NEW YORK — Eleanor Stiber, Metropolitan Opera soprano, was operated on at Doctors Hospital for acute appendicitis.

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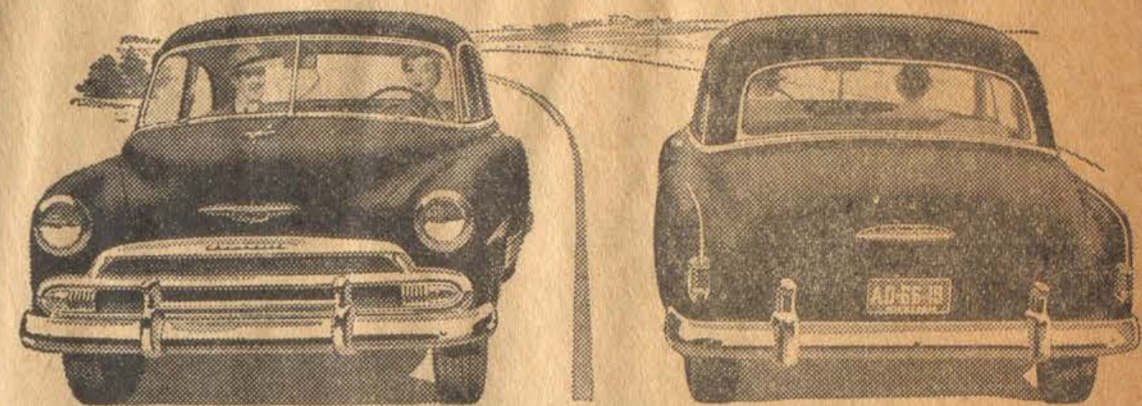
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A letter from John Vanhose, of Sacramento, California, to "Mr. Jas. S. Layne, Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky," written as it was one hundred years ago from the gold region on the Sacramento River is of considerable interest. The letter, folded and sealed with wax, as envelopes were not in wide use at this time, was dated June 30th, 1850. There is a postmark, "New Orleans, Aug. 10." So, evidently it had gone overland from the "digging" to the coast and thence by ship to New Orleans, Louisiana. This journey had consumed about six weeks. We have no evidence when Jas. S. Layne received it at Prestonsburg. An unusual direction of "per mail" was written near the address indicating the existence of some sort of mail service from the Gold Coast eastward.

In the letter, almost blurring out the words, "I owed Lackey, you know he sued on and it has taken," was waxed in, it is presumed from the message of the letter, a small specimen of gold.

The paper on which the letter was written was pale blue, of excellent quality, with the water mark "P & S." The spelling only has been corrected but the language, the excellently penned words, denote a man of fair education. The stern will of the man to pay his debts, owing mostly his friends, is noted all through the letter.

Evidently he had emigrated to Arkansas previous to the year 1850 and had joined the great rush of the Forty-niners from there. There are Vanhoses in California today and they may be his descendants.

Genealogical research on John Vanhose disclose that he was the son of Levi Vanhose who was the son of another Levi Vanhose who was the son of John Vanhose, the Dutch immigrant who came over from Holland some time around 1750. Some of the descendants of this immigrant remained in Virginia, and others immigrated to Georgia.

John Vanhose, the writer of this letter, was born, probably at Big Paint Creek, June 15, 1850.

"I expect you had counted it lost but I never did. I have been striving every since I left to pay all my debts but the money that I owed Lackey you know he sued on and it has taken all that I could raise ever since I left Ky., to pay it the interest counted up so fast that my sureties has had to pay. I have written to Felty or some one of my brothers to meet me about Xmas and I will pay them well for coming to Arkansas. I want you to see them as soon as you get this letter and if they will come send the note you hold on me and take their receipt for it and I will send you the money.

"I would give you a history of the mines here but the newspapers tell you all about them and a great deal more than is true. There is a great quantity of gold here but the papers tell all the good and leave the bad out. Thousands of men leave home and family in search of gold and find their graves. So much exposure lying on the cold damp earth bring them to an untimely grave where there is a hole dug and a blanket wrapped around them, and the poor fellow tumbled in and covered up and soon forgotten. Thousands of others go home poor with ruined constitutions while a few acquire large and princely fortunes and on the whole I would not advise any of my friends to make the risk, the risk is too great for the chance of the gold. I am not sorry for I have been amongst the tolerable lucky and if I never reach home I shall have completed my purpose that was to get money to pay all my debts and now live or die they will be paid.

"I Jas. S. Lane is not alive some of his heirs will attend to what I say to him. My best love and respects to all the family, to all the Johns and Thos. Wittens' family and all of my old but not forgotten friends in Floyd and Pike counties.

"If no one comes after the money that I owe there I shall send it by some one of my boys or come myself next spring but I think some one of my brothers will come and get it.

"We got a solid piece of gold the other day that was worth about \$500. We get a great many from \$5 to 50 and 60 dollars in a piece. I shall send a small specimen of gold that we wash out of the dirt with washing machines. So no, but remains your friend and well wishes until death.

John Vanhose.

"To Jas. S. Lane or heirs
"N. B. Since writing this in 2 days 5 of us that are in partnership have taken out gold to the amount of \$595.70 cts. California price \$16 to the oz. give my respects to all my old friends at Prestonsburg. Please give my love to John and Charlie Friend, to Thos. Burchett and Jacob Mayo and all the Mayo's to William Smith if living. To... Harry Johns, Bud and in a word all inquiring friends.

"John Vanhose"
On the margin of the letter was written, "please give my respects to E. Trimble and all the Graham family." And on another margin, "Give my love to Moses Meed and family if they are living."

Sometime ago this column discussed the old Bevins home on Johns Creek and the statement was made that, originally, it was a log-house. Since then the old home has been dismantled and it was found, after the weatherboarding had been stripped away, that it was not originally of logs, but had been constructed of yellow poplar, whipsawed by the builders, decades ago. It is with deep humility that this error is confessed, in view of the excellency of workmanship and the long, patient labor that went into the construction of the old house. The foundation sills were twelve by twelve inches and of yellow poplar. The studs, closer than is usual, were of the same material and were mostly three by six. The plates atop the studding were six by eight, of the same material and, of course, patiently and laboriously sawed by hand.

The modern carpenter, in making a corner, nails two pieces together at right angles. Not so here in making corners. These corners were hewed and sawed out by hand, so that there would be no seam and the running pieces of length mortised in by hand. This method of cornering is, to this column's knowledge, the only instance of its kind in pioneer architecture. On the early construction of the old house no nails were used. Every piece was mortised in, the size of the piece of wood determining the size of the hole. A generation of the later Bevins used cut nails and here in the construction of this old house we have three methods of tying planks together—the mortise, cut nails and the modern, round, machined nails of today.

There was a diary of the early Bevins family extant at the time the house was dismantled, and this was found by a workman, amidst some old papers in the attic. Mr. Glenn Blackburn, who purchased the house, informs that a record was kept through the decades, of the labor expended, of materials and those other innumerable things necessary to the construction of a home. During the process of tearing down, with the attendant accumulation of debris, this old diary was lost. Men build and then another generation of men tear down and rebuild, but unless the rebuilding is done of stone or brick or other permanent material no more permanent structure could have been erected than the old Bevins home.

Into this house went not only wood and other material but into it went the indomitable spirit of the pioneer who, in building for today and the comfort of the period, built for the decades to come.

If you were in any way entitled to a pension for Revolutionary services and had been living around 1855 or 1860 you perhaps would have received the following hand bill:

General Agency, Washington City, "The subscriber, formerly of Richmond, Virginia, having established an office in this city on F street, a few doors in front of the Treasury Department, tenders his services to claimants upon the government, especially for revolutionary services, and for land bounties and pensions under the recent acts of Congress.

"Having purchased the manuscripts of the late David Darrington, he has, perhaps, the only index which was ever made to the immense mass of Revolutionary papers in the First Auditor's office in Richmond. He has also a very copious index to the papers in all the other public offices in the Capital of Virginia. These, and the accumulations from other sources of twenty years experience enable him to hope that if a claim intrusted to him be just, he will be able to show it, even where the claimant himself may be entirely unable to do it.

"Claims under the recent act of 3rd March 1855, giving 160 acres of land to all who were in battle or who served fourteen days, his charges will be very moderate."

"Felix Richards."
At the bottom of the old hand bill is an impressive list of references—of men long since dead but some, who in their day left a footprint on the sands of history. The list is headed by Hon. Henry A. Wise, Accomack, Virginia. He was at one time Governor of Virginia and the Southwestern, Va. county of Wise, from where so many of the early Floyd settlers came, was named for him.

This business of assisting claimants to pensions was, in the early days, a very lucrative sideline to the legal fraternity. Henry C. Harris, a brilliant attorney of Prestonsburg, handled, before 1850, a greater proportion of pension claims than any other attorney, and finally moved to Newport, Kentucky, where the lucrativeness of this work increased.

Sgt. Friend in Training As Air Force Gunner

Sgt. Tilden B. Friend, son of Mrs. Gilva C. Spurlin, of Prestonsburg, is now in training at Randolph Air Force base as a gunner with the combat crew training group.

Randolph AFB, known worldwide for its basic training of more than 20,000 aviation cadets, since its origin in 1931, expanded its program to include the training of combat crews for the Air Force B-29 Superfortresses in August 1950, and the runways which once swarmed with small T-6 North American trainers, now resound with the roar of the B-29 "Supers."

The 11-man crew of which Sgt. Friend is a member, will upon graduation from Randolph, be transferred to the Strategic Air Command for further assignment with combat units. B-29 Combat Crew teams are made up of graduates of technical schools of the Air Training Command as well as of World War II veterans.

Sgt. Friend, who entered the service in November, 1942, attended Prestonsburg high school and the University of Kentucky, Lexington. He was called back to service as a reservist.

CLIFF

George Samuel Vaughan left Monday to join the armed forces.

James Calhoun and Sherman Dotson returned Sunday to Detroit, Mich., where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, of Ligon, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Manda Fenix.

Jack Best returned Sunday to Maytown where he is employed.

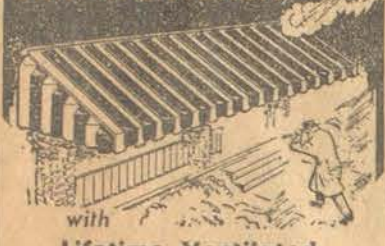
Deacon Terry and his singers, of Wheelwright, sang at the Cliff Free-will Baptist Church Sunday at 3 p.m. A capacity audience attended the service.

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BRUSSELS — Twenty-five Belgian cadet fighter pilots left to begin 77 weeks of training in the United States.

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REPORT THE BALANCE SHEET

of Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky,
Dec. 30, 1950.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection.....	\$ 679,651.02
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,308,900.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	47,000.00
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	100,000.00
5. Loans and discounts (including \$445.64 overdrafts)	1,554,840.28
6. Bank premises owned \$12,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$7,133.16	19,133.16
7. Other assets	14,592.17
12. TOTAL ASSETS	4,724,116.63
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,302,303.14
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,717,764.52
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,674.60
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	380,055.62
17. Deposits of banks	9,061.59
18. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	5,759.82
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,416,619.29
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated Obligations shown below)	4,416,619.29
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital*	50,000.00
26. Surplus	250,000.00
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	7,497.34
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	307,497.34
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	4,724,116.63

*This bank's capital consists of 500 shares common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes

I, W. J. MAY, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. J. MAY, Cashier

Correct—Attest:
H. D. FITZPATRICK
JOE HOBSON
H. B. PATRICK Directors

State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1951, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL) BURETA GEARHEART, Notary Public
My commission expires Jan. 4, 1954

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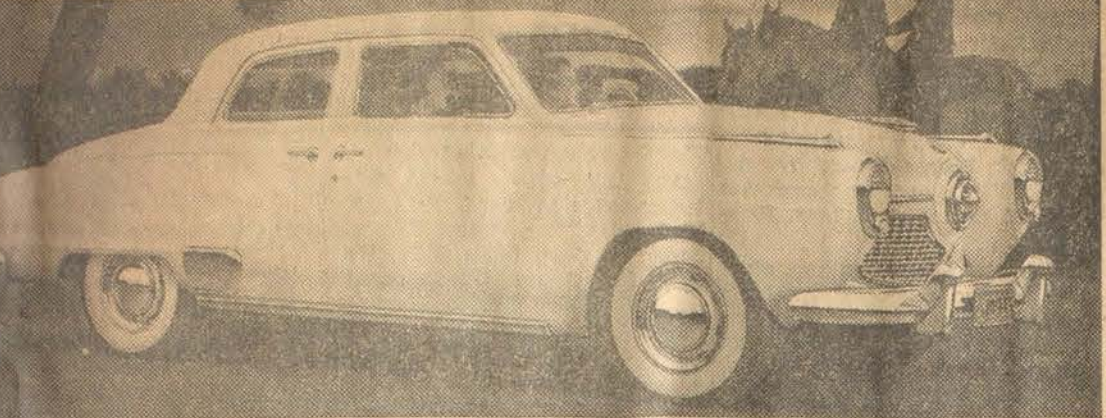
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AT MEDICAL CENTER

Recruit James R. Messer, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, of Garrett, was recently assigned to the Medical Replacement Training Center, a unit of Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. At Medical Replacement Training Center, commanded by Col. Howard S. McCorkle, the army's basic training school for medical service enlisted men, the soldier learns the fundamentals of medical support of patients in hospitals and troops in the field.

Recruit Messer entered the service in October, 1950.

Garrett Soldier Assigned Infantry Duty in Germany

Nuernberg, Germany (Spl.)—Pfc. James Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jacobs, of Garrett, was assigned in the 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, upon his arrival in the European Command recently.

Jacobs has been assigned as a rifleman in Company I.

Before entering the service, Pfc. Jacobs attended Wayland high school and was employed as an automotive engineer by Kaiser-Frazer at Willow Run, Mich.

Jacobs' wife, Rosa Lee, also resides in Garrett.

Veterans May Obtain Four Pct. Home Loan

Under a recent act of Congress, the Veterans Administration is authorized to make a loan directly to an eligible veteran of World War II under the following circumstances and conditions:

1. The loan does not exceed \$10,000; is made before June 30, 1951; and is used for the purchase or construction of a home, or for the construction or improvement of a farmhouse, and,
2. The home or farmhouse is located in one of the counties designated as an area in which direct loans may be made, and
3. The veteran is unable to obtain from a bank or other private lender a loan for such purposes at 4 per cent interest, and
4. The veteran has not previously obtained a VA guaranteed or insured loan; is a satisfactory credit risk; makes a cash down payment on the purchase price in the amount required by recent credit restrictions, and is eligible in all other respects for such a loan.

Floyd county is a designated area in which such loans may be made, but to date the Veterans Administration has received very few applications from veterans in this county.

Any eligible veteran who is interested in obtaining such a loan directly from the VA should write to the Loan Guaranty Division of the Veterans Administration, Regional Office, 1405 West Broadway, Louisville, Ky.

NOTICE

Your 1950 Prestonsburg grade school taxes are due, and a 6 per cent penalty will be added after Feb. 1, 1951.

ARDIAN COLLINS, Collector
1-4-51.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.
Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

BLUE MONDAY

We college people have a way of calling Monday "blue," and usually have a pretty good reason for doing so. The week-end is a hectic thing. Ball games, trips home or to see friends, putting off studying until the last minute (sometimes early Monday morning)—these are a few of the things that worry the teacher and make him sometimes wonder whether universal public education is such a great blessing after all. As I view it now, Monday was hardly so hopeless in the old days at Fidelity.

In the first place, in spite of all the going and "comphy," there was a lot of dullness attached to Sunday. We could not go in a washing, we could not play ball or roll our hoops, we hardly dared raise our voices above a conversational level for fear of disturbing the peace of the day. Then we had to clean up and put on uncomfortable Sunday clothes and sit for a long time in the church, when we were aching to get outside and yell like Indians or wade in the creek or chase rabbits with our dogs. Although it seems now that company descended in droves, evidently they did not always come, for I distinctly remember how hard it was to spend some Sunday afternoons, especially in rainy or bitter winter weather. To feed the stock was a sort of relief, regardless of how much drudgery was attached to this necessary work normally. A little relief could be found in riding a horse to water and letting the playful mules and colts follow. That was considered work and was not against the Sabbath stillness of everything. Unlike the New England Sabbath, ours did not end at sundown on Sunday but lasted right on into the night. As I left home before my courting days started, I could not spend Sunday evening with the girl of my choice. Maybe that is the reason that Sundays seem so dreary in memory except the ones when I walked alone in the big woods or along the creeks.

After hours of inactivity and overfulness from the big Sunday dinner, it was a positive relief to start off a new week of work. We children always said that Father called us earlier on Monday morning than on any other morning, and I suspect that he did. The older boys had been "up the creek" courting and were still sleepy when Father called them and woke up the whole neighborhood but I was usually ready to get up, not because I was in any way superior but because I had been bored long enough with "falm and inactivity." If we had had company over the week-end, they had left before night, for most of our company came from the other side of the county, where all the relatives lived, and had to get a fairly early start after the big dinner in order to get back home and get ready for the work week ahead. If amusing things had occurred while the company were

David Woman's Club Holds January Meeting

The David Woman's Club held its January meeting at the home of Mrs. Francis Harmon with Mrs. Joseph Nekoranec assisting. Mrs. Jean Schindler had charge of the program and presented Mrs. William Rose, of Prestonsburg, who gave an illustrated talk on interior decorations of the home.

Mrs. Ora Howard, chairman of ways and means committee, gave a report on the success of the Christmas card sale and the birthday calendars due from the printers.

The club is planning a bake sale on Saturday, January 13, to replace the funds used to buy trays and fillers for party use. Plans are also being made for a party in the communities' new gymnasium sometime in February. Mrs. Clark Todd is in charge of arrangements.

Members and guests present were Mrs. Pete Cappell, Mrs. Walter Grace, Mrs. William Crawford, Mrs. Harry Fiedler, Mrs. Russell Harman, Mrs. Jean Schindler, Mrs. Dawson Bussey, Mrs. Ora Howard, Mrs. Clark Todd, Mrs. Fred Roehrer, Mrs. John Stratton, Mrs. Lillian McDonald, Mrs. William Rose, Mrs. Francis Harmon and Mrs. Joseph Nekoranec.

MELBOURNE, Australia — Ten-month-old Siamese twin girls, joined at the crown of the head, died in Melbourne Children's Hospital.

January CLEARANCE Sale!

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One Rack Men's ALL-WOOL TOPCOATS
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\$10.00

WHITE NYLON DRESS SHIRTS
\$6.95

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\$1.39

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Although this is not a store-wide sale, the many items of wearing apparel offered represent savings the buyer may not find in a long while.

Consider the high quality of merchandise on sale—and the fact, too, that prices are rising—you will find it advisable to buy for next year.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1950, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U.S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	\$1,248,847.79
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	2,107,512.50
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	105,127.61
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures.....	25,000.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$9,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank).....	9,000.00
6. Loans and discounts.....	1,623,862.88
7. Bank premises owned \$13,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$16,145.00.....	29,145.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS.....	5,148,495.76
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	3,027,363.18
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	1,304,018.78
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	8,582.38
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	466,613.48
17. Deposits of banks.....	4,525.02
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.).....	18,158.36
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS.....	\$4,819,282.20
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES.....	4,819,282.20

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$100.00.....	100,000.00
26. Surplus.....	200,000.00
27. Undivided profits.....	29,213.56
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	329,213.56
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	5,148,495.76

MEMORANDA
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes..... 376,000.00
State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:
I, Russell Hagewood, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Cashier

Correct—Attest:
BURL SPURLOCK
B. M. SPURLOCK
A. E. COMBS, Directors
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8 day of January, 1951
(SEAL) IRENE McINTOSH, Notary Public

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the birth on Thursday, Jan. 4, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, to Mr. and Mrs. William B. Sturgill, of Hazard, of their first child, a daughter, Mary Bartram. Mrs. Sturgill is the former Eloise Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams, of Prestonsburg.

NOTICE

Ray Campbell has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation of the Victory Cafe at Garrett Ky.

DuRAN MOORE, Clerk
Floyd County Court

1-4-2t.-pd.

**Juniors, Seniors Hosts
At Auxier Hi Banquet**

The Junior and Senior classes of Auxier high school, sponsored by William Damron, were hosts at a banquet Jan. 1 at which were gathered parents and friends of the students.

Mr. Damron, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced speakers of the evening, Jimmy Hall, president of the Senior class, Rev. S. C. Honeycutt and William Crawford, general superintendent of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Co., David.

Banquet proceeds will finance a trip for the two classes at the end of the school year.

**District Girl Scout
Officers in Meeting**

Officers of the Prestonsburg district of the Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council met for their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Schindler, Thursday of last week. Luncheon was enjoyed before the business session. Officers for the ensuing year, are:

District chairman, Mrs. Chas. Schindler; deputy chairman, Mrs. Newt May; program chairman, Mrs. Chalmers Frazier; organization chairman, Mrs. M. C. Mahan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Oka Dorton; finance chairman, Mrs. Jane Stratton; training chairman, Mrs. Winstin Ford; publicity chairman, Mrs. Ray Howard; supply and camp, Mrs. Leo Carter; Juliette Low and cookie sale, Mrs. E. S. Collins; Court of award, Mrs. R. V. May and Mrs. W. S. Harkins.

Mrs. E. P. Hill and Mrs. J. R. Hurt will be the troop leaders for a newly-organized senior troop.

A school of instruction for officers and troop leaders of Prestonsburg and David will be held at the Methodist Church, Wednesday and Thursday, sessions beginning each day at 10 a.m., with Mrs. Dale Sommerville, Pikeville, in charge.

Notice of Sale

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at its garage in Martin, Ky., on Saturday, Jan. 13, 1951, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p.m., the following described automobile: 1939 Pontiac four-door sedan, Motor No. 6-559670, License No. 547EG Pennsylvania.

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**It Wasn't So Great
For Big Sandy**

THE Courier-Journal last Sunday printed a Kentucky map which should be of interest to Eastern Kentucky, if not indeed to all the state.

The map, marking the industrial development of Kentucky, accompanied a feature article which described 1950 as the greatest year industrially in the history of the Commonwealth. Cities and towns where products were manufactured from raw materials dotted the map.

But what compelled the interest of Eastern Kentuckians was that big expanse of white space in the southeastern corner of the map where only one town, Van Lear, appeared as a manufacturing community.

Publication of this map and the accompanying article followed by only a few days the report of the U.S. Corps of Engineers relegating, at least temporarily, the canalization of the Big Sandy river to the limbo of unwanted projects. Which impinges on the consciousness of us all the seriousness of the situation as pertaining to the present and future of this valley.

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We are told, and we believe, that a high freight rate and the fact that the section has only one rail line as a means of transportation are the principal reasons for manufacturing plants moving elsewhere to convert these natural riches of ours into the things our own people and others buy.

This being true, the Corps of Engineers, studying cold figures without consideration of the human equation, apparently have decided that Eastern Kentucky shall give till its hills are but industrial catacombs—the life of its resources gone; and after that a mountain barren, its inhabitants left to the mercy of some future WPA.

NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids on the purchase of the old Katy Friend school building at its meeting, Feb. 6, 1951—building to be removed within 30 days from purchase date. Sealed bids may be filed with the Superintendent up to the time of the meeting.

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Galloway Laferty was honored with a surprise birthday party Tuesday night by his wife in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, with the members of the Methodist Church choir, the Methodist basketball team and a few friends of the immediate family. The cake was beautifully decorated and held only three candles, each representing 10 years. He was presented a gift from the basketball team, of which he is coach. Members are Jimmy Laferty, John Ike Laferty, Burnie Campbell, Robert Jackson, Cecil Webb, Jr., Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delona Gray. Others attending and sending gifts were Mrs. J. C. Kane, Mrs. Mae Schroder, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty and son, Bennie Lynnwood, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Mrs. S. C. Kliner, Bob Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Flanery, Rev. M. N. DeHaven, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Harry, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Snodgrass, Jewell Allen and Barbara Sue Allen, Mrs. George Adcock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callison and Dolores, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Klora Laferty, Rita Laferty, Charlotte Snodgrass, Ronnie Snodgrass, Vernon Thomas, Florence May, Lady Mae Laven, Wyatt Martin.

Large crowds have attended the revival in the Methodist Church the past week. Rev. Terry and his choir, of Wheelwright, were guests Friday and Monday nights, with an overflow crowd, estimated at more than 300. The Cooksey sisters, of Prestonsburg, were guest singers Saturday night. Out-of-town persons other than the singers to attend were from Wayland, Martin, Banner, Dwale, Prestonsburg, Betsy Layne, Emma, Cracker, and Neon. Youth meetings are held at 6:30 with Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp and Mrs. Maude Snodgrass in charge, with Miss Betty Lou Hall as pianist.

Mrs. Frank Preston and baby, Johnny David, have been removed from the Paintsville hospital to their home here.

Misses Malinda and Josie Laferty have returned from visiting relatives in Prestonsburg.

WHITAKER IN KOREA

With the 25th Infantry Division in Korea—Cpl. Mickey A. Whitaker, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Whitaker, Cliff, Ky., is now serving with the famous "Cacti" regiment of the 25th Infantry division in Korea. The 25th was one of the first to land in Korea and played a prominent part in the defense of the historic Masan-Pusan line.

**Allen-Martin Club
Presents Scout Gift**

Allen, Ky., Jan. 6 (Spl.)—The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met Monday evening, Jan. 1, at the home of Mrs. Russell Laven, of Allen, Mrs. William Stinnette, club president, presided. Mrs. Town Hall read the Club Collect and minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Mark Reed. A gift of \$25 for the Girl Scouts of America was secured from the Martin Loan Company by Mrs. German Vance, and the money was presented to Robert V. May, Prestonsburg.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames Russell Laven, Bill Martin, Mack Elliott, George Laven, Lawrence Scott, Clarence Akers, Boone Hall, Louis Warren, Ted Akers, John W. Hall, W. C. Huddleston, Ed Coleman, Belford Reitz, William Lyons, John Snodgrass, Mark Reed, Earle Martin, and William Stinnette.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bill Martin, of Martin, with Mrs. Sally Baker, of Pikeville, recently proclaimed radio's Queen of America, as guest speaker.

ATTEND HYDEN FUNERAL

Out-of-town friends and relatives who attended the funeral of C. L. Hyden were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Schroder and Merle Farrens, of Decatur, Neb., Mrs. Lyle Smith, of Alliance, Ohio, Mrs. Ollie Belcher, Van Lear, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Mellon and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burge, of Paintsville, Mrs. Ona Burke, Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burchett, Mrs. Annie Music and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Music, of Aukler, Charles Schroder and Miss Louise Miller, of Louisville.

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**Vets' Representative
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Ray M. Cam contract representative for the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board, will be in Floyd county on the following dates for the purpose of aiding veterans and their dependents in filing and prosecuting claims for benefits, to which they may be entitled, from the Veterans Administration.

Mr. Cam will be in the Robert Miller Office in Wheelwright, Ky., Wednesday, Jan. 17th; Thursday, Jan. 18th, Post Office Bldg., Wayland, Ky., 8 a.m. till 12 noon; 1 p.m. till 4:15. Beaver Hardware, Martin, Ky.; Friday, Jan. 19th, Joe P. Tackett Office, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

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NOTICE

Monroe Stone has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation of a poolroom at Garrett, Ky.

DuRAN MOORE, Clerk
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