

TREATH
The man stalked, beetle-browed, through the door and advanced menacingly upon this desk.

HAPLESS HARRY
Don't know why I should dwell on Truman, but can't resist passing on what somebody called him after he had seized the steel mills.

EXCUSE ME!
A delegation of two just now invaded the sanctum sanctorum to ask where is my paint brush.

THE GREAT PAINTER AT WORK
Were ever hills so beautiful as this Spring? The green mantle spread, this year, so uniformly one could almost see the magic hand.

SKIP THE INITIALS
Don't blame me for this one. A Republican said it. He mused about the initials of Presidents and would-be Presidents—FDR and HST.

TAX LEAGUE HIRES LAWYER
Plans Suit Intended To Prevent Future Deficit by Court
The Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League, envisioning the need of legal aid,

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COURT HOUSE HAPPENINGS
SUITS FILED
General Department Stores, etc. vs. Cecil Johnson; Combs & Combs, attys. Vivian Stiles, etc. vs. Tommy Blackburn; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Colonel May, Jr., vs. Tot Allen Cole; J. D. Harkins, Sr., atty. John Gordon Salvers vs. Grace Edith Salvers; Edward L. Allen, atty. Sam Thomas, etc. vs. Beckham Caldwell; Combs & Combs, attys. George Jacobson, d/b/a, etc. vs. Kattas Cury, et al; Joe Hobson, atty. Hiller Bros. and Hiller, Inc. vs. Kattas Cury, et al; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
John McCloy, 39, and Oma Belcher, 37, both of Wheelwright; marriage solemnized April 24 at Wheelwright by the Rev. Randall Goble. James Banks, 21, Bonnyman, Ky., and Shirley Edith Powers, 15, Auxler; married here April 25 by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Julius Burgett, 60, and Susie Smith, 51, both of Turkey Creek, Ky.; married here April 26, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating. Thomas E. Horn and Palestine Moore. Kenneth Brown and Virgie Hamilton. Arthur Ray Music and Ada Martin.

BLOOD QUOTA PLEA IS MADE

Regional Center Says Blood Borrowed; Unit To Be Here on May 14

When the bloodmobile from the Huntington blood center comes here Monday, May 14, an effort more determined than before will be made for Prestonsburg and vicinity, to reach the 125-pint quota set for each call of the unit.

The reason for the extra effort to be made lies, it was explained here, in word received last week that poor production of blood in this area had forced the Huntington center to borrow blood from the Philadelphia center to meet hospital needs in the area served by the Huntington center.

Dr. T. C. Sims, medical director of the Huntington center, wired Fred G. Francis, chairman of the Red Cross blood program, here:

"Much to our shame but due to our poor production of blood in our regional blood center during the past month, we were forced to borrow from the Philadelphia blood center 24 pints of blood to meet our local hospital needs. We have also failed to meet our defense quota. We should be self-supporting after having been in operation for over one year and therefore it is of extreme importance that we all do our utmost to see that we meet the quota of 125 pints on each of our visits."

The mobile unit will be at the Methodist Church here from 11 a.m. till 5 p.m., May 14.

In 14 previous visits to Floyd county the bloodmobile has procured a total of 1,410 pints of blood, slightly in excess of 100 pints per call.

THREE DRAW 21-YR. TERMS

Hibbins Convicted In Slaying; Lewis, Gannells in Robbery

Juries of the Floyd circuit court within the week handed down convictions which carried with them 21-year pen terms for three Floyd county men.

Wesley Hibbins was convicted Friday in the slaying of Betsy Layne of his uncle, Fuller Thompson. Monday, two of three accused in the armed robbery of Wayne Sealf, Mare Creek merchant, were adjudged guilty.

Hibbins has filed motion and grounds for a new trial in his case. But for statements of the wife and mother of Hibbins which were procured by Commonwealth's Detective Alex L. Davidson and Coroner W. R. Callihan, immediately after the slaying of Thompson, Hibbins might have gone free. Their statements to the effect that Hibbins shot Thompson from inside the home they jointly occupied while Thompson was walking away from the house thus reached the jury.

At the trial Hibbins' wife, Mrs. Ada Stanley Hibbins, declined to testify, explaining she had promised her husband not to appear as a witness against him. The defendant's mother claimed she remembered nothing. Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin, however, gained from

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The suit seeks to collect from Bennie Blackburn, principal, and his father, Frank Blackburn, surety, \$1,000 peace bond they posted last Sept. 29 upon Bennie Blackburn's conviction in circuit court here on a charge of possessing intoxicating liquors in dry territory for the purpose of sale. The peace bond required by the court provided that he would not violate the liquor laws of Kentucky for a period of a year. He was fined \$20 and given a 30-day jail term.

On March 30, this year, the petition cited, and while the peace bond was in full force and effect, Blackburn was arrested in Knot county while in possession of intoxicating beverages for the purpose of sale, and in violation of the bond. Jailed at Hindman, Blackburn on the following day entered a plea of guilty and paid a \$20 fine. His 30-day jail sentence was suspended by Magistrate R. D. Sturdivant, the prosecutor's petition recites.

The case will probably be called next week. Meanwhile, Commonwealth's Attorney Martin has procured from the Attorney General's office an opinion in which Assistant Attorney General John Browning wrote that the action in the name of the Commonwealth for forfeiture of the bond is valid.

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THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

HALL AMONG 6 MEN TAKEN TO LAGRANGE

Girl Who Accused Him Enters Eastern State; Conley Held Insane

John Smith Hall was taken Sunday to the LaGrange reformatory to begin serving a life sentence as a confessed habitual criminal, and the day before that Allfair Shoffer, the girl for whose beating, rape and imprisonment he was accused here, was taken to the Eastern State hospital at Lexington.

The girl was taken to Lexington for observation. Authorities were hard put, a few days before the scheduled date of Hall's trial, to persuade her to submit to control, and then became convinced she must be placed where she could receive proper care and discipline. Admission to the Institute for the Feeble-Minded at Frankfort was considered impossible because of the long waiting list already existing.

Before entering a plea of guilty to the habitual criminal indictment last week, Hall said he wanted to have a chance to return home and die. He later said at the jail he was not guilty as charged by the girl but that he could not avoid the habitual criminal charge.

Taken to LaGrange with Hall were Bill Smith, negro, who will serve a 10-year term for killing another negro, and Willie Harris, who was returned here as a witness in the trial of T. J. Kendrick. Sheriff A. B. Meade and Donald Lee Meade took the prisoners to the penitentiary.

A second group of prisoners was taken to the pen Monday by Sheriff Meade. These were T. J. Kendrick, under four-year sentence for breaking and entering, Claude Johnson, two years, striking and wounding, and Vernon Lazar, who had been returned here as a trial witness.

Sid Conley, who killed his wife at Wheelwright a few weeks ago with a shotgun blast, was adjudged insane and was taken to the Eastern State hospital.

Agreed Verdict of 15-Yrs. Given in Smallwood Case With Relatives' Approval

Agreement by the defense and state in the case of White Smallwood, 73, charged with the murder of 16-year-old Helen Johnson at Hawley's branch, Bevinsville, last March, resulted in a disagreement with the jury and court. The jurors were instructed in line with the agreement of relatives on both sides to give the defendant 15 years but upon their return to court handed in a 21-year pen sentence.

Judge Edward P. Hill asked the jury to go back into deliberation and fix a sentence of 15 years, as this verdict was mandatory under the agreement. This time, the jury agreed with everybody and the sentence of 15 years was read.

SCOUTS HONOR 3 FLOYD MEN

300 Scouters Attend Appreciation Dinner; Leading Troops Cited

Approximately 300 Scouters were present at the annual Appreciation Dinner of the Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, held in Hazard Monday evening and witnessed the awards made to the Scouters of the Council.

Among the awards made was the Scoutmaster's Key presented to three Floyd county men—Ray Stambaugh, Scoutmaster of Troop 142 at David and Victor Wright Scoutmaster of Troop 20, Prestonsburg, received the key and James George, district leadership training chairman, Betsy Layne, who received the Scouters Award. The requirements to be eligible for these awards include participation in district leadership training courses, roundtables, district meetings, and troop visitation over a period of three years.

Other than this, they must carry on an excellent troop program using the patrol method over the same period of time. The Scoutmaster's

C-DAY IN PRESTONSBURG OBSERVED WITH PAGEANTRY

May 9 Is Date Set For Spring Roundup

The Spring round-up of children who for the first time will enter school next fall will be held at the grade school building here from noon till 4 p.m., May 9, it was announced this week.

Children who will be six years old on or before Dec. 31, 1952 may enter school next fall, and their parents are being asked to bring them to the school May 9 for enrollment.

To Begin Services At Cow Creek School

The Rev. G. R. Fannin will conduct a series of meetings at the school, near the mouth of Cow Creek, beginning Monday night at 7:30. Services will be held each evening at the same hour. The public is invited to attend.

Rupp Is Speaker As Martin Honors Basketball Quintet

"In the big game of life, play it—and play it to win," Coach Adolph Rupp, University of Kentucky's famed "man in the brown suit," advised a capacity crowd at the annual Martin high school basketball banquet, which was held in the school lunchroom Tuesday evening.

"Prestonsburg is getting off to a good start on the clean-up campaign," said Hansford May, chairman of the Steering committee of the Chamber of Commerce sponsoring the drive.

Heart Disease Fatal To John Warren, 71

Funeral rites for John Warren, 71, colored, of Tram, who died at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Tuesday of last week, of heart disease, were conducted Sunday from the Church of Christ at Tram.

A former miner and a native of Georgia, Mr. Warren had resided in Pikeville, Wheelwright, Weeksburg and Tram for the last 40 years. He had no known relatives. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. William Miller, and burial in Tram cemetery was directed by the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Fall from Cliff Fatal To Maytown Scout



Morris Maggard, left, with a friend, Justin Turner.

GRAND JURY INDICTS 105

Says Courts, Juries Too Lenient; Whiskey Probe Is Unsuccessful

Noting the large number of criminal offenses—murders, robberies, attempted murders, storehouse breaks and the like—the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court upon adjourning Saturday commented in its final report that "courts and juries heretofore have been too lenient in such matters."

The report, signed by James C. Camicia, foreman, pointed out that the grand jury in nine days' work had interviewed 119 witnesses and voted 105 indictments. "We have interrogated a number of witnesses regarding the selling and possessing of whiskey, and have found it practically impossible to secure indictments for same, due to the fact that witnesses will not tell what they know," the report commented.

One case in particular drew comment from the grand jury. This part of the report read:

"The grand jury heard evidence to the effect that a member of the fiscal court had violated the law in selling lumber and other materials to the county. Due to lack of time, the grand jury was unable to go into this matter thoroughly, and do not know whether the said violation was willful or unintentional, but the grand jury considers matters of this nature important enough that we hereby recommend that such practices in the future by any member of any fiscal court be prosecuted to the full extent of the law if it appears that any such member did so, knowing at the time that it was a violation of the law, and we suggest that the County At-

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Fiscal Court Hires County Highway Head

Wednesday's meeting of the fiscal court was abbreviated because of the illness of County Judge Henry Stumbo, and the only order entered was that which named Ex-Magistrate Ginn C. Burchett county road supervisor at a salary of \$225 a month.

The post has been vacant for several months following the resignation of Shelley Woods, of Emma.

Members of this team, Coach Rupp said, were on the average four months younger than the players of Brooksville high school team, the team which won the state high school tournament.

Also featured on the program were short talks by Principal James Salisbury, Captain Pete Grigsby, Alternate Captain Don Lofferty, and John Ike Lafferty, who discussed basketball as seen by the average bench-warmer. Musical selections were offered by a quartet composed of Don Frazier, Pete Grigsby, Jr., Barbara Allen and Peggy McCarty, a vocal duet by Misses Rose and Ruby Maggard, and piano selections by Miss Georgianne Roark, who also accompanied the vocalists.

Earlier in the afternoon, the Martin high school band, with members of the basketball team in open automobiles, paraded through the town, and the banquet climaxed the day which was dedicated to Pete Grigsby, Jr.

Coach Don Halbert, who acted as toastmaster at the banquet, presented jackets to the departing team, Captain Pete Grigsby, Jr., Alternate Captain Don Lafferty, and

Alice Smith Nichols, 84, Dies of 6-Week Illness; F-Burg Merchant is Son

Alice Smith Nichols, 84, of Lancer, died April 29 at her home, a victim of a six-weeks' illness. She had been a resident of Lancer for 20 years. She was a daughter of Hawk and Polly Taylor Smith, who preceded her in death several years ago.

She is survived by the following sons and daughters: Tobe Nichols, Prestonsburg, Hawk Nichols, Borgerland, W. Va., Vick Nichols, of Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Octavia Bevins, Williamson, Mrs. Janie Ingle-dew, Mullins, W. Va., Anna Koze, Xenia, O., Mrs. Lula Harris, Loner, Mrs. Goldie Deskins, Lexington, and one brother, Dick Smith, of Thomas, Ky.

Funeral rites were conducted May 1 at the home of Frank Harris on Brandy Keg, the Rev. Arthur Ramey officiating. Burial was in the Harris cemetery under direction of the Carter Callihan Funeral Home.

FRANCIS HURT IN SMASHUP

Of Plane at Paducah; Wife, Hooper Unhurt As Engine Conks Out

David L. Francis, Huntington, W. Va., president of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David, was in a Paducah, Ky., hospital this week after a plane occupied by him, Mrs. Francis and Charles E. Hooper, Mr. Francis' secretary, escaped injury.

The four were returning to Huntington from the National Mining Association convention in Houston, Texas, and were coming in for a landing at the time of the accident, shortly after midnight. One of the plane's two engines conked out.

The plane, a six-passenger Lockheed Princess, purchased recently by the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, was badly damaged.

PRATER KILLS GROVER HICKS

Slayer Surrenders Here, Freed on \$10,000 Bail; Hearing Set May 5th

Miley Prater, 53-year-old Middle Creek truck mine operator, came here and surrendered to authorities Wednesday afternoon after he had shot and killed his brother-in-law, Grover Hicks, 59, an hour earlier.

Only one shot was fired, the bullet striking Hicks in his left arm, a short distance below the shoulder, and lodging near his heart. Hicks was at first not believed to have been dangerously wounded. He was dead on arrival at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Grief-stricken and in a state of near-collapse, Prater was jailed. He was released on \$10,000 bond this morning with Riley and Ocell Hall as his sureties. Examining trial has been set for May 5.

The shooting took place at the coal ramp operated by Prater near his home at Goodloe, and within 200 yards of the Hicks residence. Authorities here said the men had had previous trouble and that Prater last week sought a peace warrant for Hicks after the latter had allegedly chased him from the tippie with a knife. The two effected a reconciliation at the courthouse here, however, and the warrant was not issued.

Ill-feeling developed between the two, it was explained, after Prater had refused to sign a lease of 50 acres of coal which Hicks sought from the Smith Hicks heirs. Prater was operating a 15-acre lease on the same farm, it was learned from this source.

A relative of Prater said Hicks had loitered about the coal ramp through Wednesday morning, with his knife out, and that Prater sought to avoid contact with him. After eating lunch at home, Prater returned and Hicks renewed the trouble, this source claimed. He was reaching for a rock when the shot was fired, it was reported here.

"An awful thing has happened," Prater told County Attorney W. W. Burchett on entering the official's office, Wednesday afternoon. Then he told of shooting his brother-in-law. Asked if Hicks was dead, Prater replied that he was not and that he hoped he was not seriously shot. It was then that he broke down and began praying that Hicks would live.

A few moments later when told (See Story No. 1, Page 8)

7TH ANNUAL MUSIC FEST PLANS TOLD

Nine Bands To Escort School Beauty Parade In Fest Here Saturday

Nine school bands and their 200 instrumentalists will escort the reigning beauties of their respective schools in the parade here Saturday which will be one of the colorful events of the seventh annual Floyd County Music Festival.

The parade at 10 a.m. will follow inspection of bands an hour earlier at the grade school. Inspection as to discipline, balance, personal appearance and playing condition of instruments will be made by judges of the band performances, Mr. Aukerman, band director at Morhead State College, Carl Reeves, band director at Ashland high school, Ida Wideman, Virgie high school music director, and Walter P. Nance, Pikeville high school. Mr. Aukerman will be guest-conductor of the all-festival band.

The beauty queens who will compete for the title of Festival queen will ride in the parade in convertibles instead of the colorful oafs of other years. Principals of the various high schools voted to dispense with floats this year because of the time required for their preparation, the cost of the floats and the interruption the work causes in the school program.

Each school queen has been selected from the Junior or Senior classes and has a scholastic standing of not less than 1.5.

These nine local beauty queens will compete for the title of Festival queen:

Opal June Hopson, Auxier; Gail Boyd, Betsy Layne; Solie Shannon, Martin; Alta Jean Hicks, Maytown; Barbara Combs, McDowell; Charlene Akers, Prestonsburg; Joyce Bradley, Wayland; Janet Newsome, Wheelwright.

The parade which will start at the grade school will end on the high school campus where the coronation of the Festival queen will be held at 11 o'clock. The order of march this year will be reversed, with schools whose names begin with W—Wheelwright, for instance—in the van instead of the A-school, Auxier, which will be last.

The concert band performances will be given on the stage of the grade school auditorium, and these will be judged on the basis of discipline, spirit, tempo, interest, etc. Jesse Elliott, county band instructor who with individual school music instructors originated the Festival, said. The judges also will offer suggestions to the bands which will enter the state music festival at Lexington, he said.

The all-Festival band, composed of top instrumentalists of the several schools, will give its concert at 5 p.m., on the high school campus. In the event of rain, the 30-minute program will be held indoors.

SIX MINERS WIN HONORS

Holmes Safety Ass'n Makes Awards; Cites Records of Workers

Certificates of honor were issued for outstanding safety records to several miners of Big Sandy, among whom was a Wheelwright employe who had a 48-year record of no lost-time accidents.

This announcement was made by John J. Forbes, director of the U. S. Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, and president of the Holmes Safety Association, who also disclosed that 103 other men and more than two-score companies in the mineral industries in eight northwestern states also will receive awards for outstanding safety records.

Those honored were: Solomon Gunter, Inland Steel Co., Wheelwright, 41 years without a lost-time accident. John W. Helton, Inland Steel Co., Wheelwright, for working in coal mines 45 years without a lost-time accident.

Steve Sebok, Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates, Weeksburg, for working in West Virginia and Kentucky bituminous mines 41 years without a lost-time accident. Mr. Sebok, 55, began working when 14 years old.

Ted Simpkins, assistant mine foreman, Republic Mine, Republic Steel Corp., Pikeville, for supervising an underground crew of 23 men for 1,777 days without a lost-time injury. He also received safety awards for 1950 and 1951.

Will Woods, Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates, Weeksburg, for working (See Story No. 2, Page 7)

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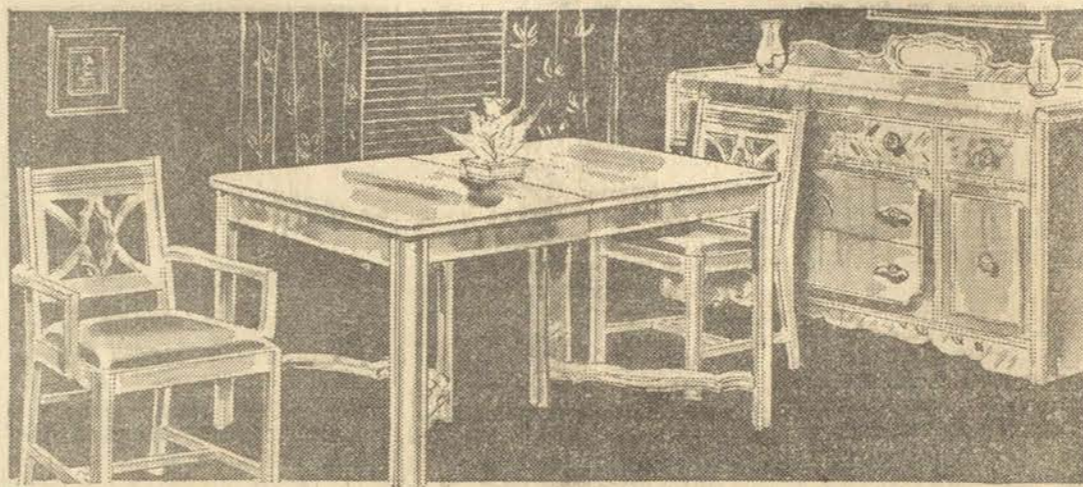
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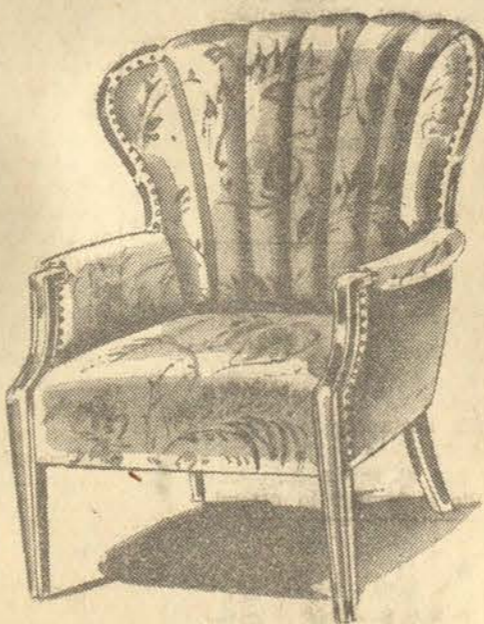
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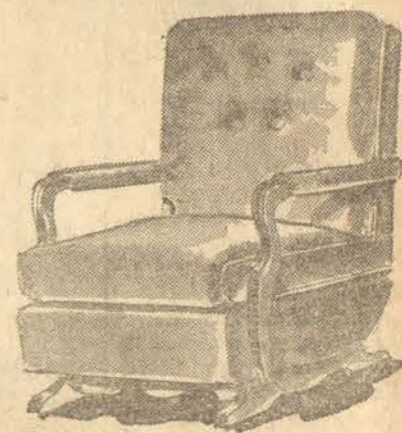


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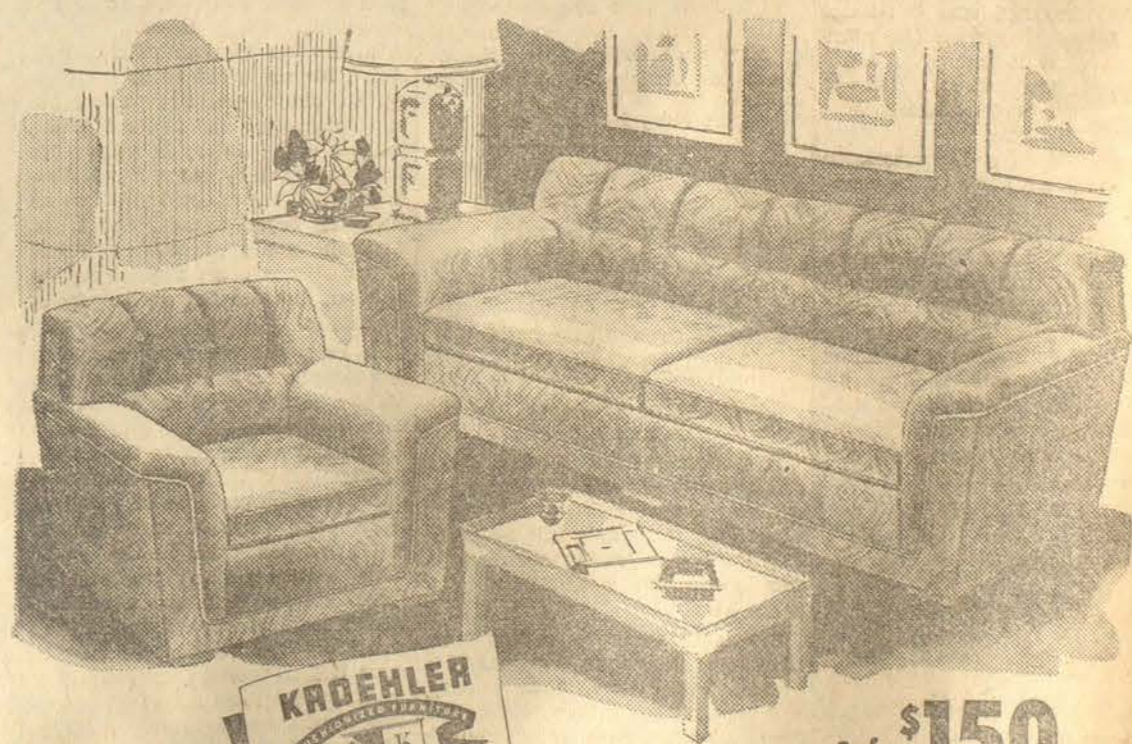
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The Help Is There—If We Can Get It

JUST as the well-ordered pattern of things did not "just happen" in the beginning, events which shape our economic future are planned.

It is becoming a well-worn refrain, this plaint of ours, but we shall continue to remind the people of this section that we have almost, if not quite, been forgotten in the planning.

Only a few days ago, it was announced that Union county—that is in Western Kentucky—will be the site of an experimental hydrogenation plant built by the government for the extraction of liquid fuel from coal.

Western Kentucky is not seeking the proposed atomic energy plant now in the planning stage. Paducah already has one. Paducah and surrounding area have various and sundry other industrial operations, great and small.

Meanwhile, this part of Kentucky has received nothing—noting but the dole of WPA, now a dimming memory. It has been refused canalization of the Big Sandy river.

Such things have not taken place by happenchance. Political power created them. The Vice-President of the United States is from Paducah.

These and other gentlemen in Washington can and should turn their minds now to this section of Kentucky. They should consider the Ashland area for the location of the proposed atomic energy installation.

Our upper part of the Big Sandy has no chance of gaining this A-plant location, for several reasons, some of which are lack of transportation, inadequate power facilities and, perhaps, a level area of sufficient size for an undertaking of such magnitude.

Chambers of Commerce, civic clubs, City Councils, and all such groups should ask those who have the power and the ability to make things happen to remember this section in this instance.

SHELBY PIPE GIVEN

Mementos of Kentucky's first Governor, Isaac Shelby, including the pipe of peace which he smoked with Chickasaw Indian chiefs in connection with the purchase of land along the Tennessee River in 1818, were placed in the Kentucky Historical Society.

CONTROLS CLAMPED ON SEED SPUDS

White, flesh seed potatoes have been brought under OPS ceilings on eating potatoes because of "abuse in their sales to retail grocers and restaurants." It was reported by Quentin E. Scholtz, chief of the district foods section of the Kentucky OPS office.

Marchants have sold the seed stock at prices higher than the ceiling prices set for table stock potatoes, Scholtz said.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(Continued from Last Week)

Every Public Health Authority, every Medical Doctor and every broad-minded or civic-minded person living in any community will agree that all the facilities that must be considered for the common good of a community sewage facilities and water must have first consideration.

Disposal of garbage and rubbish is a problem for all communities. We have made a very commendable effort toward the solving of this problem in Prestonsburg.

Too many vacant lots and streets that dead end on the river banks are still sites of public dumping. Too many of the public business places are hauling their own rubbish just on the outskirts of our town and making unsightly dumps along the highways and river banks.

We might consider the following: (1) Is the local newspaper giving the support that it should, this certainly is important.

(2) Is the local police department and health department cooperating and doing their part in enforcing the regulations regarding these measures?

(3) Are the local courts ready and willing to prosecute actions that might be called to their attention? (4) Does each of the public agencies understand their responsibilities in these matters?

It is the duty of the public health authorities when a condition has been called to their attention, and upon investigation it is found to be a public health menace, and the parties maintaining or harboring the condition fail to make a correction after they have been notified, that it is up to the city authorities to take action.

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Kentucky's general fund revenue collections continued at record-breaking pace through March with more than a nine per cent increase over the same period last year.

Every town is just what the people make it. We are supposed to have just what the majority of the people want. Does the majority of the people want the conditions that we have? or is it the minority that is being satisfied?

Since the different organizations of the community are moving as a unit to act with the local authorities in an effort to make our town a better community in which to live let us not forget that each and every citizen has an individual part in this not only in telling what should be done and how to do it, but in actually doing some of it.

DECISION GIVEN

Attorney General J. D. Buckman, Jr., advised Henderson club groups—that outside doors of private clubs holding alcoholic beverage licenses must afford a clear view from the street level in compliance with state liquor laws.

AIR CARRIERS DO BIG BUSINESS

Scheduled and non-scheduled air carriers in Kentucky did more than \$10,000,000 worth of business last year, Commissioner of Aeronautics Charles H. Gartrell announced.

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GAME FARM TO EXPAND

Purchase of four and one-half acres of land adjacent to the Division of Game and Fish Game Farm in Franklin County cleared its final hurdle when approval for its purchase was authorized by the State Property and Buildings Commission.

The tract will be used by the Division for housing additional birds and animals that are propagated at the farm. Purchase price of \$600 will be paid by the Game and Fish Commission to James Leathers, former owner of the land.

STATE TO OPEN AIRPORT

The State Department of Aeronautics will open Cedar Park Airport near Frankfort May 1, and operate it as a State facility, it was announced by Commissioner of Aeronautics Charles H. Gartrell.

Lewis E. Fouts will serve as Airport manager and will be assisted by James Goodrich, who is resigning from the State Police, to assume his new duties as airport inspector. State-owned aircraft will be kept at the field.

RESTRICTIONS EASED

The Public Service Commission eased restrictions on the use of gas in Kentucky outside the Louisville area.

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The State Department of Aeronautics will open Cedar Park Airport near Frankfort, May 1, and operate it as a state facility, it was announced by Commissioner of Aeronautics, Charles H. Gartrell.

Lewis E. Fouts will serve as airport manager and will be assisted by James Goodrich, who is resigning from the state police to assume his new duties as airport inspector.

LAW UPHOLD

The 1912 legislative act requiring any national or international labor organization having as many as 100 members in good standing who work in Kentucky to maintain at least one local subsidiary organization in the state is valid, the Attorney General's office held. It does not require the organization to separately incorporate in Kentucky or register with any particular board or agency.

RESTRICTIONS EASED

The Public Service Commission eased restrictions on the use of gas in Kentucky outside the Louisville area.

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GENERAL FUND UP

Kentucky's general fund revenue collections continued at record-breaking pace through March with more than a nine per cent increase over the same period last year.

FARE INCREASES ASKED

Bus fare increases—averaging ten per cent—were filed with the State Department of Motor Transportation by six lines that traverse all sections of Kentucky. Applicants for the higher fares were Dixie Greyhound Lines, Memphis, Tenn.; Southeastern Greyhound Lines, Hazard-Jenkins Line, Short Way Lines, Lexington; Black Brothers, Richmond, and Sparks Brothers, Prestonsburg. The reason: Increased operating costs.

DECISION GIVEN

Attorney General J. D. Buckman, Jr., advised Henderson club groups—that outside doors of private clubs holding alcoholic beverage licenses must afford a clear view from the street level in compliance with state liquor laws.

AIR CARRIERS DO BIG BUSINESS

Scheduled and non-scheduled air carriers in Kentucky did more than \$10,000,000 worth of business last year, Commissioner of Aeronautics Charles H. Gartrell announced.

HANSFORD MAY

White, flesh seed potatoes have been brought under OPS ceilings on eating potatoes because of "abuse in their sales to retail grocers and restaurants." It was reported by Quentin E. Scholtz, chief of the district foods section of the Kentucky OPS office.

Story of Scholarly Family Recounted from Old Records

By HENRY P. SCALF

The Mayos, it was said by oldsters, were scholars and teachers. Being scholars and teachers they reduced to written script the many memories of life. Here today in the archives of the present Mayos repose an old, old Bible that contains date of birth, marriage and death. In the same archives are the handwritten text-books, the exigencies of non-existent educational opportunities caused to be prepared in order that their children might learn and carry on the Mayo tradition of scholarship.

William James Mayo came to Eastern Kentucky when Floyd county was four years old. He came from Patrick county, Virginia. Back there in Patrick he was a deputy clerk for an old deed, dated June 27, 1799, records, as attested by him, a conveyance of land on Cunningham Creek. John Hancock was grantor, and Jacob Mayo, father of William James, was grantee.

Jacob was the son of James and Martha Williamson Mayo according to the old Bible of William James Mayo, the Floyd immigrant. James, born 1711, died 1776, was from Middlesex county, Virginia, but afterwards moved to that part of Goochland, becoming part of Patrick and later Albemarle.

William James, son of Jacob, married Elizabeth Maddox Hancock, daughter of John, April 11, 1790. William James was at this time 21 years of age and his bride was 17.

William James' mother was Susannah Isbell. He had 12 brothers and sisters, one brother being Valentine Mayo who married Judith Hancock. A son of Valentine and Judith was Lewis Mayo, the early Big Sandy teacher.

William James came to Kentucky. Stephen emigrated directly from Virginia to Ohio. Harry Burke Mayo came to Floyd county but afterwards moved westward to Missouri.

We are concerned with the line of William James and Elizabeth, his wife, and on down through his children for the annals of Floyd becomes at times the records of these Mayos. To this union of William James (1769-1873) and Elizabeth (1773) were born these children: Dicy, the eldest, was born in 1791. Jonathan, 1793, Mial, 1795, Wilson, 1797, Jacob, 1800, Susan Charlotte, 1802, Elizabeth, 1807, Lucy, 1810, Judith, 1813, Polly, 1816; William James, 1819, who died in infancy.

An interesting tradition exists as to why William J. came to early Floyd. The story goes that Alexander Lackey, who was already here at Preston's Station, or nearby, foreseeing that the formation of a new county in Eastern Kentucky to be inevitable, requested William James to leave his deputy clerkship in Patrick county, Virginia, and come to Big Sandy. Here he could be appointed to the office of clerk. The first records extant today of Floyd show him to be clerk in 1808, but the Jonathan Mayo Old Settlers Reunion statement show he was appointed in Jan. 1804. Circumstantial and other evidence point to another Mayo as the first clerk, probably Harry B.

William James built the house at the corner of First avenue and Ford street in the present Prestonsburg, now occupied by Martin Lee May. When the courthouse, standing alone where the First National Bank is built, burned, April, 1808, court affairs were transferred to this home of William James. It is, perhaps, the oldest house in Prestonsburg.

In 1808 William James bought a farm south of Prestonsburg and built a cabin where Irvin Ford now resides. A branch ran nearby and between the small brook and house was a garden. It was laid out, formally, like the Virginia gardens, flowering plants and old herbs growing beside paths or walks.

It was a large estate upon which he resided but not a grand seigniorial like that of John Graham's. Besides various properties in the young county seat town he owned from the upper end of the present Prestonsburg to the Corn Fork of Brandy Keg Creek. He was interested in certain tracts on Johns Creek and today Mayos live after a lapse of a century and a half, upon the ancestral acres.

A prime concern of William was the education of his children and since there were no schools except privately maintained ones in a few homes, he had to rely upon himself to impart knowledge to his offspring. There is extant today in the archives of Lucille Mayo Herndon, of Prestonsburg, a descendant, an old, home-made deerskin bound arithmetic book prepared by him back in 1785 when he was but a 16-year-old Patrick county youth. This he used as a text and being a man of considerable education himself it was no great undertaking to teach his children.

The first three decades of the Nineteenth century saw the mighty irresistible push of people westward.

Some of William James' brothers and sisters had not stopped in Eastern Kentucky. As said Stephen had gone to Ohio. Harry B. paused for a few years here but finally migrated to Missouri. Dicy Mayo, daughter of William James, had married John Stratton and gone to what was later to become Edgar county, Illinois. Here, close to the present Paris, he settled. Jonathan followed his sister. In a few years these two came back to the old Mayo farm and drove a flock of sheep to Illinois. This was the first introduction of that animal into the state. We may rest assured that these Illinois immigrants wrote William James glowing reports of this flat, fertile mid-west state.

In 1825 William James surrendered the clerk's office to his son Jacob. He had been its incumbent a quarter of a century. The urge was to follow his children to Illinois and when he arrived there he became interested in the growing section and when Edgar county was formed he served as county clerk there. He had been clerk in three counties from as many states.

Here we follow the fortunes of Colonel Jonathan Mayo, who was in Edgar county. It is to his Old Settlers Reunion statement of Jonathan's in 1875 that we are indebted for a brief biography: "I was born in Patrick county, Virginia, March 25, 1793, during the administration of General Washington, of whose death I have a distinct recollection. My father moved to Floyd county, Kentucky, in January 1804, then almost a wilderness and where he had been appointed clerk of the Quarterly Sessions and County Court. In 1808 he bought a farm two miles from the courthouse to which he moved with his family. In 1815 I was appointed clerk of the Circuit Court of Floyd county but in August, 1816 I, with three others, came to Fort Harrison-Prairie, Indiana, where by brother-in-law was living.

In September he and I entered four quarter sections of the land on the North Arm, which is now in Edgar county, and to which he removed the following spring. The three persons who had accompanied me to Fort Harrison left to return home, one, John McGuire dying at Licking Station, about 30 miles from home, and the other two, Hiram and James Stratton, reaching home sick, the former dying that fall. I started home after the others but was taken sick at Vincennes, although I was able to ride every day but one, and reaching home after a journey of 15 days. I did not recover from my sickness until the next May.

"On the 6th of November 1817, I was married to Mary Morgan in Floyd county and in a short time after, with our clothing in two pairs of saddle-bags, and a wallet, my wife and I, each on a horse, started for Illinois, reaching the house of my brother-in-law on the North Arm about the first of December following. Having had a cabin built during my absence, we commenced housekeeping before Christmas, there then being but five other families in what is now Edgar county, viz: Remember Blackman, John Stratton, Anthony Sanders, William Whitley and Aloysius Brown. Soon after, I went to Vincennes, a distance of about 80 miles, to lay in some necessary articles for housekeeping, bringing home among other things knives, forks, plates and spoons in my saddle-bags, a teapot in my bosom, and a bed cover which was greatly admired by neighbors and friends. I made, with my own hands, a bedstead out of rails and chairs out of sugar trees and a table out of a puncheon; also a cupboard by nailing up clapboards in the corner of the house. We filled our beds with prairie hay and used the new cover brought from Kentucky on blankets brought from Kentucky on our saddles. Thus equipped, with a young wife who had never kept house a day in her life, and who, in fact, had never been under the necessity of doing any work before—I commenced life in Illinois. A few months after, I bought of Anthony Sanders a quarter section of land on which was a hewed log house 18 by 20, with a puncheon floor, which was then the best house in all the country."

Colonel Jonathan, who had contributed so much to the development of Edgar county, died April 24, 1885, after a blindness of 12 years. His daughter, Elizabeth, was the mother of Dr. Frank Crane.

Dicea Ann Mayo Stratton and John, her husband, lived and died in Edgar county. A township is named for their family in Illinois. To our knowledge there were three children—Peter Mayo, Belle and Charlotte. Charlotte Stratton was the first white child born in Edgar county.

Jacob, son of William James, married Rebecca Graham, daughter of John and Rebecca Witten Graham, of Graham's Bottom. He, being allied to the most important man in early Floyd by marriage, became an important figure himself. He served as clerk until 1839, but before his assumption of his clerk's duties he had been a member of the Kentucky Legislature. His old document box that was used on his legislative desk is still extant in Prestonsburg. It is a black, oblong steel container in which early legislators placed their papers, pens, and documents. After the expiration of the term of office his wife, Rebecca, placed it on the mantel of their Prestonsburg home. Here it served too as a repository of papers and documents.

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2:30 p.m.—Mission Sunday School at Buckeye.
6:30 p.m.—Jr.-Hi. Westminster Fellowship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Midweek service.
8:30 p.m.—Choir practice.

High School Band
Concert, May 6th

The Prestonsburg high school band will give its spring concert Tuesday evening, May 6, at 7:45 at the grade school auditorium. The public is invited.

The band will play in the state music contest at Lexington, May 10.

WASHING
In a rainfall of 6 1/2 inches in 24 hours in Monroe county, washing in good pastures was not evident, while row-crop land washed badly.

Miss Ford, Sgt. Hale Wed
At Jeffersonville, Ind.

The wedding of Miss Mary Auxier Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gwynne W. Ford, of Prestonsburg, and Sgt. Billy Douglas Hale, of the U.S. Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam V. Hale, of West Prestonsburg, took place on April 22, in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Miss Hale is a student at Eastern State College at Richmond.

Sgt. Hale is stationed at McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey, where the young couple will make their home after June 1.

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Prestonsburg, Ky.

L. W. Benedict, Pastor

Announcements for May 4, 1952: This is state-wide Go-To-Sunday School-Day. Make it Go-To-Sunday School-Day for yourself and family. Everybody is welcome.

Our Sunday Schools—
Lancr, 9:30 a.m.; at church, 9:45; at Slick Rock, 2:30 p.m.

Morning Worship—
10:55—Sermon by Pastor: "The Blessings of Fellowship."
Evening Worship—
7:30—Sermon by Pastor: "What Christ Thought of Himself."
Wednesday Night—
Prayer and Praise at 7:30 led by W. Lloyd Birch.

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MARGARET-MANN SHOP
PRESTONSBURG, KY.



Mrs. Iley B. Browning and Mrs. Fred M. Gross, of Ashland, were here Wednesday, attending the inspection of Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of Eastern Star. Both are ex-grand worthy matrons of Kentucky Grand Chapter, O.E.S. They were houseguests of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett Sowards.

George Humphreys, of Huntington, was here Tuesday and Wednesday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham spent the week-end in Ashland, on the part of Mrs. Fanny Collins, Mrs. Betty Stephens and Miss Alma Collins were in Huntington Saturday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spurlock, Jimmy Dick Spurlock, Mrs. Garnet Spurlock and Nancy Spurlock were shopping in Huntington Monday.

Miss Alma Collins, Miss Katherine Leake and Mrs. Betty Stephens visited at Minnie last week.

Miss Betty Rene Points, of Ashland, spent the week-end with Miss Patricia Pelfrey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Newman and children stopped here last week, en route to their home at Ashland, from Holopaw, Florida, where they had visited his father, Wm. Newman, and Mrs. Newman. They were guests of Mrs. Grace D. Ford here.

Rev. M. Robert Regan has returned from Lexington where he submitted to major surgery at the Good Samaritan hospital. He is doing nicely.

Mrs. Wm. O. Allen will attend the Derby in Louisville Saturday, and visit with Mr. Allen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robertson.

Mrs. G. R. Allen visited Mrs. J. W. Adams at Jackson, last week, attending the inspection of the Eastern Star Chapter there.

Mrs. J. M. Porter is ill at her home on Third avenue, suffering from rheumatism.

Pvt. Frank Fitzpatrick, of Ft. Knox, Ky., was the week-end guest at Blue River of Elbert Prater.

SERVICE GUILD IN MEETING
The Wesleyan Service Guild met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Zephia Grimm, with an informative program on labor unions being presented by Messdames Oval B. Hall, Fanny Runnels, Mae K. Roberts, Carlos Haywood, Catherine Wiechers and Sallie Goble. Members and guests present were Messdames Sallie Goble, Mae K. Roberts, Catherine Wiechers, Phyllis Ranier, Gerstle M. Haggard, Oval B. Hall, Fanny Runnels, Carlos Haywood, Edith F. James, Marian Grimm, Zephia Grimm, Misses Laura Virginia Roberts and Mary Jo Shivel.

MAJOR LYNCH IS VISITOR
Major Earl Lynch, of Clinton, N. C., visited friends here Friday before going to Martin to spend the week-end with his father.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS HERE
April meeting of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. John G. Archer, with the club having as guests members of the Betsy Layne, Drift, David, and Allen-Martin Woman's Club and the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club.

After Mrs. W. W. Cooley, president of the club, had read a letter from the General Federation of Woman's Clubs asking that a nomination be made for the Distinguished Community Service award, the club nominated Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Floyd county TB nurse. Mrs. Cooley introduced Mrs. O. J. Williams, Betsy Layne, Governor of the Seventh district, K.W.F.C., who read a biographical sketch of Mrs. Mayo.

Mrs. Marian Wilson, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Frances Pennington, second vice-president of the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs, who spoke on the topic, "Financial Facts of Life." Mrs. Palmer L. Hall introduced the Prestonsburg girls' trio and quartet in a group of vocal selections.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. Robert Wallace, Mrs. Estill Hyden and Mrs. Wall Hamilton. Fourteen members and 11 guests from other clubs attended the meeting. Other guests were Mrs. E. E. Clark and Mrs. Frances Pennington, of Ashland, Mrs. Henry Stumbo and Mrs. R. V. May.

O.E.S. Inspection
Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of Eastern Star, was hostess to the grand officers of the grand chapter and post officials here, Wednesday, at the Masonic hall.

Preceding the inspection at 8 o'clock a pot-luck dinner was served in the dining room. Honored guests attending the inspection were: Worthy Grand Matron of Kentucky, Mrs. Ruth McNeil, Louisville; Associate Grand Matron Mrs. Edith Wachtman, Lexington; Deputy Grand Matron, district No. 5, Mrs. Vina Arrowood, Paintsville; Past Grand Parton, Irvin Arrowood, Paintsville; Past Grand Matrons Mesdames Helen Gross and Josephine H. Browning, of Ashland.

Mrs. Browning is a member of the grand committee of the General Garred chapter. Mrs. Mattie B. Sutphin, worthy matron of Adah Chapter, was hostess to the inspection visitors.

MOREHEAD ENTERTAINS
DISTRICT F.H.A.

The Ashland district of Future Farmers of America held its spring meeting at Breckinridge Training School auditorium, Saturday, April 26, at Morehead. Miss Mary Elizabeth McGinnis, district president, of Prestonsburg, presided. Dr. Charles Spain, president of Morehead College, gave the address of welcome. A panel discussion was held on "What Purposes of F.H.A. Mean," led by Miss Virginia Rice, advisor of Morehead Chapter group. Floyd county was represented by Prestonsburg and Betsy Layne chapters. The Prestonsburg chapter scrap book which was displayed during the meeting by Miss Vera Baldrige, state F.H.A. historian, received a superior rating. The Prestonsburg chapter was chaperoned by Miss Hazel Hill, Home Economics teacher in the grade school.

YOUTH GOVERNOR
IS HONORED

The Home Economics class of Prestonsburg high school was hostess recently to an appointed tea honoring Kentucky Youth Governor Franklin D. Conley, of Prinstonburg. The home economics room was decorated with spring flowers, the tea table covered with a Tucker lace cloth and centered with lilies, flanked by candles in low candlesticks. Presiding at the punch bowl and cake plates during the afternoon were Misses Willa Dean Tackett, Rhodella Allen, Mary Ellen Gibson and Josephine Stone. Forming the receiving line were Governor Conley, his mother, Mrs. Frank Conley, Chalmir Frazier, Mrs. E. D. Roberts, advisor of "Tri-Hi-Y," and "Y-Teens," and the group who attended the Youth Assembly at Frankfort. Other guests were the faculties of the high and grade schools.

VISITOR FROM WISCONSIN

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Manner, of Hill, Wisconsin, spent Sunday here visiting her cousin, Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, and family. They were en route home after visiting Callabed Gwynn, N.M., and Williamsburg, Va., and other historic places.

ATTEND JOLLIFFE FUNERAL

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, Miss Lucille Rice and Mrs. Beulah H. Meade, of Paintsville, attended the funeral of Mrs. Emma Wallace Joliff, Sunday afternoon, April 27, at the Methodist Church in Louisa. Mrs. Joliff was a relative of Mrs. Davidson, both being descendants of James Shannon Layne, the pioneer of Floyd county.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Tom James was in Louisville this week where he attended the state convention of the American Legion.

HERE FROM WASHINGTON

Major Stanley Hays, of Washington, D. C., and his father, Senator Doug Hays, of McDowell, were visitors here, Wednesday. Major Hays recently returned from Nevada where he witnessed atomic weapons tests.

SERIES OF MEETINGS END

The Rev. L. W. Benedict closed a successful series of evangelistic services at Hindman, last week. There were many conversions during the meeting.

VISITING FAMILY
AT ST. MATTHEWS

Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Stephens and Miss Sara Clay Stephens are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephens at St. Matthews, shopping and attending the Derby.

ATTEND SCHOOL
AT PAINTSVILLE

Among those who attended the school of instruction of the Order of Eastern Star at Paintsville Saturday, where Mrs. Ruth McNeil, worthy grand matron, was present, were Mrs. Mattie B. Sutphin, Mrs. Ginevra James, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, Mrs. Jean Alley, Mrs. Lack D. Roberts, Mrs. Josephine D. Fields, Mrs. Clara Warrix, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Warrix, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jones.

ATTEND FUNERAL
AT MAYTOWN

Among those from here who attended the funeral rites for Morris Edward Maggard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Maggard, at Maytown, Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Mrs. A. B. Meade, Chalmir Frazier, DuRan Moore, Franklin Moore, and French Maggard, of Lexington.

ATTEND WEDDING
AT LOUISVILLE

Kilmer Combs attended the wedding of his cousin, William Gatewood, to Miss Joan Whittington, on April 17 at the Highland Presbyterian Church in Louisville. Mr. Gatewood is the son of Mrs. W. B. Gatewood and the late W. B. Gatewood, of Huntington, W. Va. Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Overstreet. Other out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mrs. W. B. Gatewood, Mrs. Willard R. Jillson, Frankfort.

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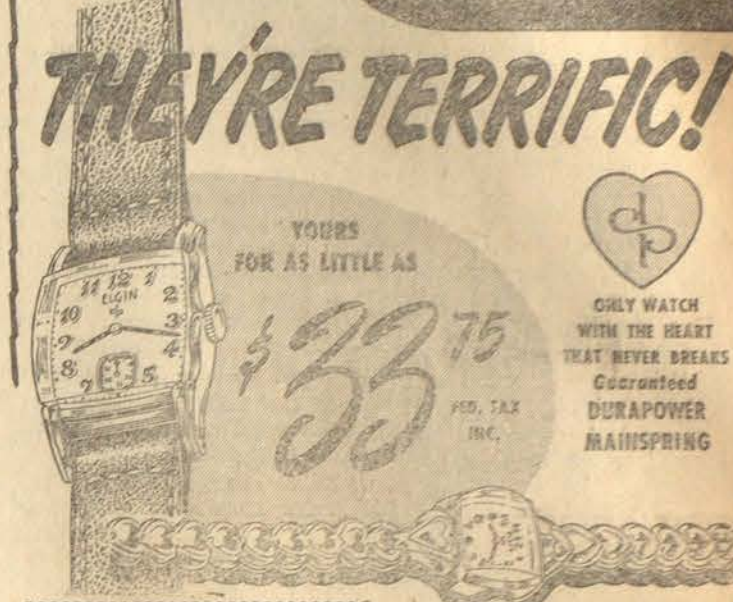
Wednesday—
3:15 p.m.—Wesley Choir.
7:30 p.m.—Mid-Week Service.
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A comprehensive Green Pastures program this year of not less than 100 entries and, eventually, a program of such proportions that the annual Green Pastures tour will come to this section were given as objectives of the Floyd county Green Pastures committee which met here, Wednesday.

Clyde Burchett, Vocational Agriculture teacher here, was named chairman of the committee. Plans were discussed for a Green Pastures section in The Floyd County Times, in August, and a Recognition meeting next fall.

The Green Pastures program in this county, Harold B. Rice, farm agent, explained, is a part of Kentucky's program, which in turn is a part of the national Grasslands program. Attending the committee meeting, in addition to Mr. Burchett and Mr. Rice, were Ogden Stewart, J. B. Clarke, Den Fairchild, L. R. Johnson, L. B. Moore and Wm. Arrowood.

The Extension advisory committee met last Wednesday with the County Agent and set July 31 as the date for the county's farm family field day, which will be held on the farm of Miles Gibson, near Langley.

Farm day events are being planned for all members of the family: games for the children; frozen foods, cooking demonstrations, etc., for the women; pasture, corn, livestock and garden demonstrations for the men.

The Advisory committee meeting was attended by Miles Gibson, Clayborn Bailey, W. W. Burchett and W. B. Tackett.



THE KENLAKE HOTEL, newest addition to the system of Kentucky state park facilities, will be dedicated at ceremonies to be held Saturday, April 19. The hotel is shown perched on a bluff at Kentucky Lake State Park, with Kentucky Lake in the background. This photograph shows how the hotel was built on two levels, with a broad lawn at the rear sloping down to the waters of the lake. Costing \$600,000 to build and furnish, the hotel has 53 rooms, large lobby and lounge, recreation and meeting hall, dining room, sun deck and terrace.

Mrs. Hill Installed As P.-T.A. Leader; Succeeds Anderson

Mrs. Lon C. Hill and other new officers of the Parent-Teacher Association here were installed at last Thursday's meeting of the Association. Mrs. Hill succeeds Glenn S. Anderson as head of the group.

Other officers installed were Mrs. Ray Howard, vice-president, Miss Anna Martin, secretary, and Bill Cury, treasurer.

"You can do anything you want to do—you are the citizens, and you determine the type of school you have," Chalmers H. Frazier, superintendent of city schools, told the P.-T. A. in a discussion of the topic, "How Can the P.-T.A. Contribute to the School Program?" "No institution," he added, "can rise above the calibre of its patrons."

Specifically, Mr. Frazier pointed out that committees could be formed by the P.-T.A. for these purposes: to solicit the cooperation of the parents in the schools' citizenship-building program; interpret the reading program to patrons; work with parents on the matter of school attendance; work with the superintendent to help him keep a well-balanced program and to sell curriculum changes to the public; help procure better salaries for teachers, and to procure or classroom lecturers parents who have traveled extensively.

The operetta, "Howdy, Cowboy," was presented by Seventh grade pupils.

Game Fish Captured, Not Caught, Costly For Johnson Countian

When gates of Dewey Lake were closed Monday as a flood control measure, the flow of water below the dam was cut to a minimum. And that was when the boys interested in rough fish moved in.

Conservation Officer Raymond Copley said 10-pound carp were being dragged from the water by hand. This method of catching fish brought one man to grief. Copley arrested Delmes Honeycutt, of Van Lear, who was booked for catching game fish illegally. He had laid off the carp long enough, the officer said, to haul out a bass and a crappie.

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Key and Award are among the highest awards made by the Lanesome Pine Council.

Ambrose H. Mandt, of Manton, chairman of the Floyd district, received the 1951 Crusade award for his outstanding leadership of the district during the year. Under his leadership the Floyd district led the entire Council in 1951 in membership growth, advancement, leadership and district organization.

Other awards were made on a unit level to the outstanding troops of the district. These were made to Scoutmasters Victor Wright and Casey Kidd, of Prestonsburg, Edward F. Robinson, of Maytown, Fred J. Adams, of Drift, Charles Adkins, of Wayland, D. C. Baldwin, of Lackey, G. N. Wilkinson, Ray Gibson and Sam Ballew, of Wheelwright. Similar awards were made to the Cubmasters of the district, including Mrs. Ray Howard, of Prestonsburg, H. M. Wilkinson, of Wheelwright, and Irvin N. Stanton, of McDowell.

The Silver Beaver award, highest in the gift of the Council, was made to S. M. Cassidy, Jenkins, Executive board member and Council Vice-president for eight years, and to Guyn E. Hayden, Scoutmaster of Troop 90 at Hazard. The awards were presented by B. F. Reed, of Drift, member of the Silver Beaver committee.

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Freewill Conference Attended by Many

A large congregation of local and visiting people was the feature of the Johnson County Conference of the Freewill Baptist Church held at the Cow Creek church, Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Moderator Burns Conley of Martin county presided. F. S. Vanhoose, clerk, gave a report on the financial condition of the conference churches and the orphanage maintained at Louisa. All member churches reported by letter and delegate.

The hospitality of the people of Cow Creek was highly praised by the visitors. This was the second time in 20 years the Cow Creek church had been selected as the conference site. The next quarterly conference will be held in July in Martin county, it was announced.

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

"WE and THEY"

The son of an African chief that I once knew always referred to American Negroes and Negroes generally as "they" rather than "we." I was never sure whether he felt superior to his American kinsmen or merely regarded himself as a stranger in a strange land. His feeling, if it were the first of these, is identical with that of many people any kinship with their own. It has taken five to ten generations of American people to develop a sincere desire to know our historical backgrounds rather than a glorified story that always gives the laurels to our ancestors. Most people who have never taken the trouble to track down our customs and beliefs imagine that prejudices and superstitions and quaint habits are distinctive only of the very ignorant or of the newer nationalities that have come to America. I can recall when, in learned circles, there was a lifting of eyebrows when a scholar mentioned American folklore as anything to be thought of as compared with the folklore of some foreign country. Partly because of this glorifying our ancestors and our belittling folk customs, we know less about our genuine backgrounds than does many a nation of Europe that we regard as slow or poor or primitive. So long as scholarship is devoted mainly to queer people of some corner of the world, just so long will we fail to see the value of our own. It is well to know that the Negroes of the Sea Islands of South Carolina and Georgia have this or that belief; some excellent work has been done there. But it is work done by outsiders, who could not possibly understand the folk attitudes of those primitive Negroes, so little removed yet from slavery conditions. If a Negro, reared there, as Zora Neale Hurston was reared in Florida, could interpret the Sea Island folklore, there would be some chance of the interpretation's being approximately correct. Most folklore journals of other years were made up almost wholly of such specious titles as "Folklore of the Hottentots" or "How the Eskimos Explain the World." These are vital studies and should be made, but they are not the only folklore studies that would repay one for making. Most of our folk attitudes are still to be evaluated, and we are not primitives living in some remote corner of the universe.

Martin-Floyd County Highway Is Surveyed

Highway Department engineers have begun a survey for a highway to connect Inez with the rapidly developing recreation center at Dewey Dam in Floyd county.

Davis Meade, Martin county highway-maintenance foreman, said the distance from Inez to the dam would be cut from 40 to 17 miles.

Federal funds will be sought for the highway. Meade said it probably will be extended eventually to Prestonsburg. M. B. Elliott, Hazard, locating engineer for the Highway Department, is in charge of the survey.

A Floyd county official states the proposed road would connect with Johns Creek near the Buffalo bridge section, either down Copperas Creek or the Warmie Cline branch.

Male drivers in 1951 were involved in 90 per cent of all U. S. auto accidents.

Andrew Decker of Knox county is putting in two acres of sorghum cane this year for commercial and home purposes.

Ranson Greer, of Abbott Creek, put in 211 feet of tile and the wet area, thus drained is now dry.

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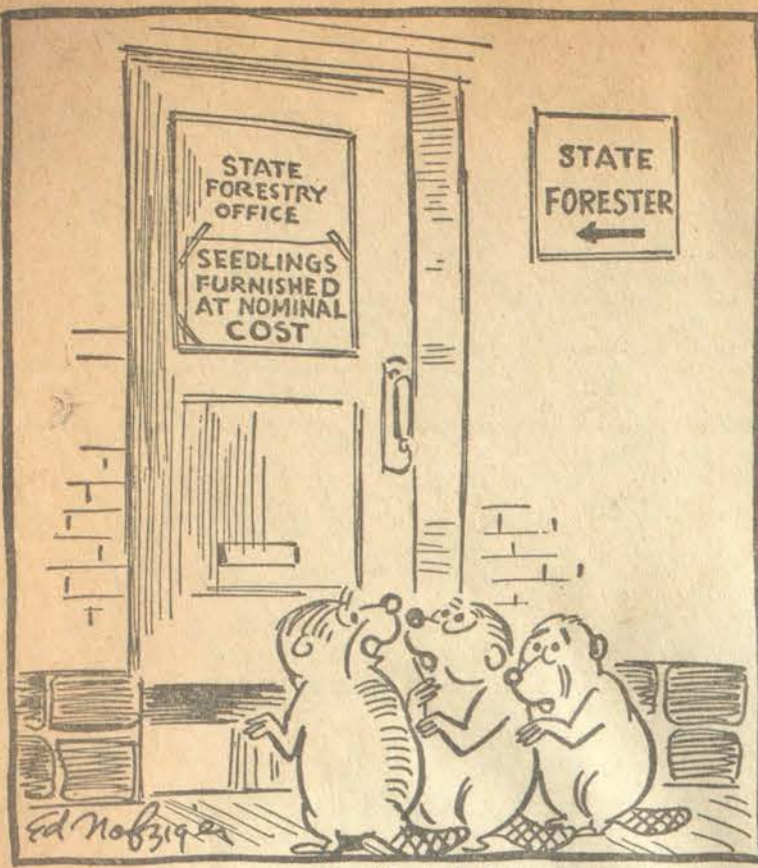
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SPRING BRINGS TO LIFE OLD KENTUCKY LEGENDS

By JOE CREASON, in The Courier-Journal

Come spring, and the legends and local-color stories with which every section of Kentucky abounds begin to pop out like dogwood blossoms.

Generally, these stories are as romantic and fanciful as anything this side of Grimm's fairy tales. It is all but impossible to weed fact from fiction, since most of the yarns are rooted deep in the misty past and have been preserved only by word of mouth.

But there is little reason to trace such legends back to a factual beginning. As they stand, they are romantic and imaginative, an added dash of flavor to the colorful regional history of Kentucky.

The legend claimed by the largest area of Kentucky is built around the fabulous silver mine John Swift worked some time after 1760.

Legend has it that Swift left Virginia in 1760 and headed west.

Somewhere in Eastern Kentucky's mountains he found a silver lode which he worked a year. Then, loaded with loot, he returned home. He visited the mine several times after that, always alone.

Swift's diary points to a region around Paint Creek, in Johnson county, as the place he set up camp. However, nearly every county in Eastern and Southeastern Kentucky has a tradition linking itself with the story.

From time to time, maps have been circulated, each reputedly being the original Swift chart. But the mine has remained buried somewhere in the timbered hills to this good day.

Perhaps the most romantic legend is the Indian story of the formation of Reelfoot Lake, a 25-mile-long body of water in West Tennessee that extends fingers into Fulton county, Kentucky.

According to science, Reelfoot was formed by a series of earthquakes in late 1811 and early 1812. The tremors caused a large section of land to sink, and forced the Mississippi River to flow upstream for several hours. Water from the river thus filled the depression.

However, according to legend, Reelfoot was formed differently.

Once, the Indian story goes, a Chickasaw tribe lived on the Kentucky border near the Mississippi. The chief's name was Kalopin, or Reelfoot.

Nearby lived a Choctaw tribe whose chief had a beautiful daughter whom Kalopin longed to marry. But the princess refused him.

Kalopin plotted to steal away the princess, despite a vision warning him that if he took her, the earth would rock in anger. For days he resisted, then one night kidnapped her.

During the wedding ceremony, the earth did rock in anger. The land where Kalopin's village stood disappeared, and the mighty Mississippi sent its waters rolling into the depression.

The Indians claim that on the floor of the lake, which they gave the chief's name, still lie the bodies

of Kalopin, the princess and his people.

Another good, if fact-free, Indian legend concerns a Cherokee princess who supposedly was buried in Saltpetre, one of four caverns in Carter Caves State Park.

The princess, Manuita, died of a broken heart when Huraku, the brave she loved, was lost. She went to the cave to grieve alone, died and was buried there.

Still to be seen in the cave is an open pit from which her body reportedly was taken when the tribe moved farther west.

Local legend has it that the spirit of the princess never left, that she still can be heard—often seen—searching through the blackness of Saltpetre Cave for her lost brave.

The western quarter of Kentucky is rich in tales of Night Riders, armed and masked bands of farmers who rode in the dark of night to protest against low tobacco prices in the 1904-08 period. The Night Riders started as an orderly protest, but violence cropped up. Warehouses were burned, men killed.

Kentucky also has a rash of Jesse James legends. Almost every robbery between 1868 and 1880 was accredited to the Missouri outlaw, whose parents were Kentuckians.

There were three actual James robberies in the state.

The first—and first of the James bank robberies—was on March 20, 1868, when Jesse and four others walked into the old Southern Bank in Russellville and walked out with \$9,000.

The second James bank holdup in Kentucky was in April, 1872, at Columbia. This time \$1,900 was taken.

It was eight years before James returned, then to rob the stagecoach operating between Cave City and Mammoth Cave. Jesse James and Bill Ryan relieved passengers of all valuables.

Legend has it that Jesse James was carrying a watch taken in that stagecoach robbery when he was shot and killed by Bob Ford.

Also wrapped in legend are the exploits of the villainous Harpe brothers.

These two terrorized the Green River country for years with their murderous deeds before being overtaken near Dixon in 1806. One was captured and his head cut from his body and strung to an oak tree. Harpe's Head Road still is the popular name of that road.

Many yarns are spun locally about the discovery of the world's first oil gusher near Burkesville in 1829.

Oil from the hole flowed into a creek and finally reached the Cumberland River. By accident the oil was set afire; and the spectacle of a burning river was experienced by residents living 40 miles downstream. Many believed the world was at an end.

Some say that the famous McGuffey's Readers originated in Kentucky. It is a fact that William Homes McGuffey, who compiled the readers-with-a-moral, taught school near Paris around 1822. Legend says he started the readers while teaching there.

Ghost stories are plentiful. There's the shadowy shape of a woman—she, of course, died mysteriously—that for years has been seen at night on a window in the cupola of the cartaker's cottage at Russellville Cemetery.

And there's the strange ghost that has been seen many times wandering or floating eerily along the bank of the Ohio River near Owensboro.

Fantastic-sounding but perhaps true is the story of how Kentucky's eastern border came to be the Tug and not the Levisa River.

Surveyors sent to plot the line reportedly were told to lay it along the larger of the two rivers. Normally, the Levisa, the westernmost of the two, is much larger.

However, the day the surveyors arrived at the point where the rivers join to form the Big Sandy, the Tug was in violent flood. So they presumed it was larger, and laid the line on it, adding a sizable chunk of real estate to Kentucky.

Another border story has to do with the slight switch in the Kentucky-Tennessee line near Franklin.

Seems a prominent man whose land was split by the proposed line between the states wanted all his holdings to be in Kentucky. When the survey was made, he placed a barrel of whisky under a tree, and dropped a hint that the grog was for the surveyors if they'd see to it that his land was placed in Kentucky.

HEALTH GRANTS MADE

The State Property and Buildings Commission gave final approval to a \$110,000 grant made to counties to build health centers. The grant had previously been recommended, subject to the Commission's approval of plans submitted to the Department of Health.

The state will provide \$10,000 each for centers in Bowling Green, Owensboro, Glasgow, Slemingsburg, Cynthiana, Maysville, Ashland, Pikeville, London, Murray and Mayfield. Counties and the federal government will contribute to the sums to build \$60,000 centers in all but Owensboro, where a \$120,000 building will be erected.



—Photo, Courtesy of The Courier-Journal

Judges of the Seventh district Women's Club music contest, held recently at Betsy Layne, were 100 per cent correct when they adjudged 16-year-old Vicki Jurich, of Jenkins, the outstanding contestant. For Miss Jurich, daughter of a Jenkins miner, went on from there to win the state contest sponsored at Louisville by the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs. Her rendition of "Beautiful Colorado" on her baritone horn won for Miss Jurich. She will attend the Egyptian Music Camp at Du Quoin, Ill., as one of three finalists in the music contest.

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Eagles Here Planning Letter-Writing Work In Truth Campaign

W. V. Bunting, Freedom director of Prestonsburg Aerie No. 2860, Fraternal Order of Eagles, announced this week that the the Eagles here will embark on a letter-writing project to people of foreign lands in cooperation with the "Campaign of Truth," as outlined by the Common Council for American Unity. The Aerie adopted a resolution to that effect at its last meeting.

Mr. Bunting said that the letter campaign is a part of the Aerie's anti-Communist program. "Letters are vital links between Americans and the citizens of foreign countries, and they can do much to counter-balance vicious Soviet propaganda about our country."

There are approximately 400,000,000 letters sent abroad each year. Mr. Bunting said that the letters from Eagles will be based on three ideas: to describe in simple terms the American way of life; take into account the vicious Communist lies about our country, and evidence cited to disprove the lies; and finally, to express an interest in conditions abroad.

The week of May 19-25 has been set aside as "Letters from America Week." Eagle Aeries throughout the country will devote the entire month of May to setting up the letter-writing project.



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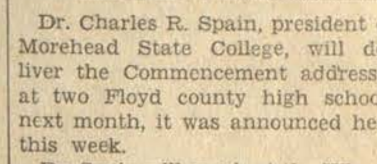
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Dr. Charles R. Spain, president of Morehead State College, will deliver the Commencement addresses at two Floyd county high schools next month, it was announced here this week.

Dr. Spain will speak at the Wheelwright high school Commencement at 7:30 p.m., May 16, and at the Prestonsburg high school graduation exercises at the grade school auditorium at 8 p.m., May 26.

He will also be the speaker at graduation exercises of Belfry and Johns Creek high schools.

Chalmer H. Frazier, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, this week listed these other graduation-time functions for the school here:

Junior-senior banquet, May 2, followed by prom; baccalaureate, May 25 at grade school auditorium, May 25, by Dr. Gerstle M. Haggard, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church.

Dr. Spain received his A.B. degree from Bethel College, McKenzie, Tenn., his M.A. from Peabody College, Nashville, and his Doctor's in Education from Columbia University. His climb in the field of education has been steady, beginning with a principalship in the Carroll county, Tennessee schools in 1932, and ranging through posts at Arkansas State Teachers College, Columbia University, University of Kansas, State Teachers College, Florence Ala., the University of Kentucky where he was director of the Bureau of School Service and associate professor in education, and dean of instruction at Peabody from 1949 till he became president at Morehead last year.

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Miss Hibbitts Named Pikeville May Queen

Pikeville, Ky., April 28 (SpI) — After attending one school for nearly 14 years, a young Pikeville woman will become its May queen Thursday night.

Starting in the first grade, Patricia Hibbitts, now a sophomore at Pikeville Junior College, went through the affiliated graded and high schools before entering the college proper in 1950, according to Dr. A. A. Page, college president.

Miss Hibbitts, daughter of Carson Hibbitts, Pikeville, United Mine Workers official, frequently won honor standing during her eight years in the Pikeville College Training School—the college's teacher-training grade school—and four years in Pikeville College Academy. She stands high in her college class, it was said.

The queen will be crowned by Dr. Page in the school's ninth annual May festival. She and Jack Allen, Inez, also a sophomore, were chosen May queen and King in a recent student election.

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Farm NEWS and VIEWS

By HAROLD B. RICE, Floyd County Agent

SWEET CORN

Sweet corn is a crop with which frost chances may be taken, and even at best one must wait 60 days for this delicacy, and every day gained helps. If the chance were to fall, only small seed expense has been at stake.

As a seed crop, it is benefited by high phosphorus, whether in stable manure and superphosphate or in 4-12-8 complete fertilizer.

In home-tended gardens, the rows may be as close as 30 inches, the seed dropped 10 to 12 inches in solid rows or in hills of 3 or 4 seeds, 30 inches apart.

Covering should be a half-inch. For the first planting, slight ridges may be made to combat cold and wet land; thereafter, planting should be level.

As to varieties, there is always Early Adams, not particularly good, but extremely quick. Just a few days slower is a really fine yellow sort, Gold Rush, 60 days. If Golden Cross Bantam were to be planted at the same time, there would be no gap, the Golden Cross coming in just as the Gold Rush is done. Thereafter, a 2-week planting schedule should be observed until about August 1, to have continuous corn all summer.

A criticism of Golden Cross Bantam is that it goes starchy in just a few days. For canning and freezing, this is an advantage, as the job can be done in one operation. For the table, the really fine corns, Ionana and Iochief, that hold their sugar longer, may be used. There are, too, the old time favorite white sorts, Country Gentlemen, Stowell's Evergreen and Aunt Mary's. All except Early Adams are fine "freezers."

A stalk of sweet corn may be assumed to bear an average of 1 1/4 ears, and 13 ears will can or freeze a pint.

No early pests bother sweet corn, but later, the European Corn Borer and the Corn Earworm may come.

TOMATOES

Tomatoes are a fruit crop, and so need phosphorus in their fertilizing. The general garden fertilizing suggestions in this column several weeks ago fit tomatoes.

Garden setting time is after all danger of frost is past, but one can rush the season a week or so by covering with any one of the several plant protectors now on the market. Glass jars or tin cans are not suitable; in fact, they've proved themselves worse than no cover at all, sometimes.

Tomatoes always have suffered from several minor diseases that killed the plants, leaf by leaf, but now is added the hazard from the late blight that caused so much disappointment in 1950. There is no telling, of course, but having come once, it may come again.

Some late blight was seen in 1945, and tests were got underway at the Experiment Station of all the control materials known. The findings follow:

The "coppers" that control late blight (the "bad" one) and that measurably stop the other tomato diseases are: Copper-A, C-O-C-S and Basic Copper Sulphate (with "sticker" added). Other acceptable spray materials are Dithane Z-78 and Parzate.

Only "wet" spraying was found dependable. Only in that way is there assurance of protection against blight germs that being wind-borne, may alight anywhere. Spreading the plants' spacing helps to speed their drying, as wet leaf tissue invites the blight.

For unstaked tomatoes, the rows should be no closer than five feet and the plants no closer than four feet in the row. Plants trained on stakes should have four feet between rows, and in the rows should stand no closer than 30 inches; three feet is better.

Because there is so generally the threat of the wilt disease, especially in old gardens, only the resistant varieties are safe to use. These are: early, Break O' Day and Valiant; midseason, Pritchard; main crop and canning, Marglobe and Rutgers. The "hybrids" though excellent in so many respects, have been known to succumb in wilt-infected soil.

Federal Pen Escapee Believed Man Jailed Here Last December

A man who escaped Wednesday morning from the federal prison at Summit, near Ashland, and for whom a general police alarm was broadcast, is believed to be the prisoner listed on Floyd jail records as Willie Williams last December 4.

Williams, also known as Coffey, was arrested here by Chief of Police Ep Laferty and Policeman Amos Gray on a drunkenness charge. At the same time he was being sought at Hite by Deputy Sheriffs Frank Crum and John Hobson. He was held for Ohio authorities who said he was wanted for taking an automobile.

Prison officials listed the fugitive as W. W. Williams, who had been convicted of taking an auto across state lines from Ohio.

Sale for Delinquent Taxes

The undersigned Tax Collector will offer for sale at the City Hall, Prestonsburg, Ky., on Saturday, May 17, 1952 the following tax bills for the year 1950 which are unpaid and delinquent, and to which are to be added penalty, interest and costs, including cost of advertising:

Adkins, Carl	2.89
Allen, Jerry	13.43
Allen, Mrs. Maxine	38.07
Allen & Spradlin	201.30
Arnett, Earl T., D.S.	8.63
Ball, R. D., Jr.	10.50
Bates, Mrs. Lucille	6.57
Big Sandy Realty Co.	9.00
Biggers, Bill	10.50
Blackburn, Bill	3.90
Branham, Bennie (balance)	16.24
Bray, James	2.92
Borders, Homer	16.65
Bowling, Elzie	21.09
Boyd, Wooley and Ella	27.83
Brown Bottling Co.	20.26
Brown, Everett	6.88
Burchett, Roland	3.38
Burchett, Lonnie	7.50
Burchett Pure Oil Station	10.13
Burke, George	10.69
Blackburn's Dairy Bar	21.00

Chandler, Russell	16.50
City Do-Nut Shop	1.24
Clark, Mrs. Nora	21.09
Clark, H. V.	12.75
Clark, Mrs. Rhoda Wilson (est.)	11.82
Clay, Mrs. Mollie	9.45
Collins, Ray	10.39
Collins, E. S.	35.95
Collins, Everett	23.21
Collins, Mrs. Thelma	9.39
Coburn, Leo	3.38
Coburn, J. P., Insurance	38
Conley, Frank (City Newsstand)	3.75
Conley, Hauley	5.39
Conley, James Dewey	10.39
Conn, Harold	5.13
Conn, Andrew	19.40
Cooley Motor Co. (balance)	86.44
Cooley, A. noid	5.51
Cornett, John Chris	6.08
Central Radio Service	1.50
Crisp, Ollie (Serv. Stat.)	1.88
Crum, Charley	51.01
Crum, Charley, Jr.	9.26
Clifton, Bill	14.07

Davis, Ralph	144.22
Davis, Ralph (clean press)	6.00
Derossett, Lee & Elsie	18.37
Dyer, Romeyn C.	13.50
Langus, W. A., estate	6.75
Finance, Pioneer (F.H.A.)	17.72
Fitzpatrick, Douglas	21.92
Fitzpatrick, Maude	12.09
Ford, Winston	490.59
Ford, Gwynne W.	7.50

Garrett, Gibson	12.30
Gill, G. W. (Bennie Sammons)	24.61
Glissen, Fred	2.33
Goble's Cafe	18.75
Goble, H. L.	6.64
Goble, Andrew	2.48
Greenwade, W. M.	257.89
Greenwade and Mary A. Ford (bal.)	5.63
Green, T.D.	9.75
Gypsa's Grill	7.50
Hall, J. Lee	12.19
Hall, Wade	123.63
Hall, J. M. (Hall's Cafe)	11.25
Hamilton, Lockwood (bakery)	5.25
Hammons, Chas. (Star Cafe)	3.38
Harman, Francis	6.11
Harry, Raymond	2.65
Hayes, Paul E. Atty.	17.05
Hicks, E. L.	7.24
Hicks, Elliott	11.49
Horn, Daisy	7.90
Howard, Nora	75.97
Hughes, James H.	7.31
Herald, H. C., estate	10.88
Hines, Virginia Leslie	44.93

Isom, Hargis, Grocery	22.69
Jarrell, Fanny	33.37
Johnson, Marvin	2.63
Joseph, Estill	3.56
Lafferty, Anderson	14.14
Lafferty, Charlie	22.51
Lecte, Maggie	13.00
Lavens, Daisy	35.34
Lewis's Service Station	6.56

Malkin, Martha Ann	18.62
Martin, Norman and May	31.50
Martin, May (Beauty Shop)	14.78
Mayo, F. M.	47.45
Mayo, F. M. & Sons	6.98
McIntosh, J. W.	7.73
Meade and Allen	285.47
Meade, Guy	12.31
Meadows, Bennie	3.08
Mecc, Fred	8.81
Merritt, Joe R.	5.51
Miki's Restaurant	5.35
Miller, Josephine	16.28
Miller, T. J. (Jeff)	63.81
Miller, Virgie	8.66
Montgomery, Henry Clay	1.84
Mountain Metal Company	37.50
Music, Gale (Srv. Station)	6.00

Neeley, Grace	1.45
Napier, Bill	16.50
Neeley, Elzie	3.94
Osborne, Dave (balance)	6.00
Pack, Jo	32.95
Patton's Garage	1.58
Patton, Charles	9.03
Pitts, John L.	12.60
Powers, O. P.	15.75
Price, Frank	62.10
Price, Billy	3.19
Price Elkhorn Coal Co.	3.33

Quality Fruit Company	50.81
Ratcliff, Geo. W.	9.06
Rowe, Jesse	28.17
Salyers, Jay	5.90
Shepherd, Mrs. Estill (B. Shop)	2.25
Shepherd, Maggie H.	14.44

Smith, E. H.	4.01
Sparks, Harrison	9.68
Spradlin, Woodrow	9.38
Stanley, G. C.	48.21
Stephens, Mrs. Annie	54.34
Stephens, C. P.	233.22
Stephens, W. M.	40.93
Strahan, Val	41.40
Strahan's Studio	18.38
Sturgill, B. L.	63.09
Sturgill, William	10.09
Sturgill, Ella	4.73
Superior Dry Cleaners	14.25
Smith, Mrs. Blanche	23.85

Tackett, Joe P., Sr.	7.01
Tackett, Foster	17.27
Tackett, Joe	23.85
Tolliver, Ollie	38.55
Wallen, Hargis	27.00
Wallace, Robert J.	10.91
Wallen, Millie	6.89
W. Pburg. Service Sta.	6.00
Whitten, Denzil	4.13
Whitten Motor Sales	41.96
Whittier, Cordelia	31.69
Wilson, Martin	3.89
Woods, Carl	24.97
Woods, Henry	18.87
Wright, Mrs. Edgar	40.51
Wright, Vernon	6.45

Allen, Kenneth	3.38
Allen, Lee	6.00
Barnett, Evan	1.50
Bentley, Hack	1.50
Bingham, Jack	1.83
Branham, Robert C.	9.75
Burke, Carrie	3.00
Burke, Doug	3.38
Carr, William	3.00
Caudill, Isaac	5.25
Clark, Thurman	15.75

Fannin, Wm. R.	11.81
Hall, Oval	2.21
Hatcher, Jimmy	1.50
Haywood, Green	7.50
Herald, Arnold	2.25
Hicks, Estill	21.00
Horn, Donald	3.38
Horn, John R.	3.38
Howard, Henry	2.38
Howard, Morgan	3.38
Hunley, Russell	21.00

Jones, W. H., Jr.	5.25
Kendrick, Chock	11.25
Lockwood, Ike	3.38
Mahan, Theodore	8.63
Martin, Burnis, Atty.	14.25
Martin, Norman	10.50
May, Hansford	1.50
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Miller, Wm. E.	6.75

Patton, Estill	9.75
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Smiley, V. A.	5.25
Smith, Willie	3.38
Sparks, Willis	7.88
Strahan, Val F., Jr.	6.00
Sublet, James	3.38

Tackett, Joe P., Jr.	7.13
Thornsbury, Fred	17.63
Wells, Virgil	10.50
Wells, Bill P.	3.38
Wells, Robert	3.00
Wells, Melvin, Jr.	4.13

BILL FITZPATRICK, Collector	
Drought is blamed by many Carlisle county farmers for the loss of their ladino and white clover stands in pastures.	
Pike county homemakers are using sewing machine attachments in making curtains, blouses, children's clothing and aprons.	

Collect Fines from 8 In Floyd Forest Fires; Other Cases under Probe

The recent epidemic of forest fires has already cost eight Floyd countians fines, two cases remain on the county court docket for trial, and still others are to be investigated, Forest Warden Forrest Burchett said this week.

Each of the following paid \$10 fines, plus costs, after entering guilty pleas:

Morrow, Hatfield, Jack Mosley, Dorothy Bentley, Henry Chaffins, Johnny Sparkman, Wilbur Layne, Bee Johnson.

Fires over a 10-day period ending with last week's rain caused heavy damage in practically every section of this county.

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The victim was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Maytown 4-H Club as well as the Boy Scouts, and was a favorite with all who knew him. He was in the eighth grade of the Maytown consolidated school.

Surviving besides his parents, Arnold and Elaine Stone Maggard, are five brothers and sisters, Paul, Chorlotte, Doris Anne, Linda Sue and Larry Arnold. The funeral from the Maytown Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon was marked by a gathering of hundreds of sorrowing relatives and friends of the family. Approximately 175 Boy Scouts, representing troops from all sections of the county, attended the rite and formed lines on either side of the highway as the funeral procession left the church.

Among the officiating ministers was the Reverend C. F. Allen, a former pastor of the church who organized the Boy Scout troop there. He urged the community to continue its work in Scouting and suggested that the troop be renamed the Morris Maggard Troop in honor of the tragedy victim. Other ministers taking part in the funeral were the Revs. W. J. Kenney, pastor of the church, Revs. Henry Mullins and J. D. Payne.

Boy Scouts were honorary pallbearers. Active pallbearers were A. R. Cassidy, Charles Tingle, Johnny Ison, Raymond Hopson, Thurmal Click and Taylor Reffitt. Burial was made in the Maggard cemetery near Hindman under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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There is one claim of approximately \$8,000 from the Bogie Equipment Co., as a balance due on a trade-in on a motor patrol grader. "The fact that Bogie Equipment is doing business here in Floyd is no evidence of fraud nor is it a reason the suit to void these claims is being brought," a director said. "We, the taxpayers, are like a man up behind another man on a horse. He has the reins and takes us for a ride. In this case we propose to reach around him and slow the horse down," he added.

Dr. Leslie, in commenting on the proposed suit to void claims in excess of the budget said: "These claims may all be in order and may be such that any just man would want to see them paid. It is just that we disapprove of any attempt to obligate the county finances before the money is available. The primary purpose of the suit is not to have declared void any particular claim but to guard against this annual obligating another year's budget. We will never have any money for roads and machinery that way."

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FRI.-SAT., May 2-3—Big Triple Bill Three pictures for the price of one. 20c and 40c. Show starts at 7:30 p.m.

"Barefoot Mailman" Robert Cummings, Terry Moore.

"Bongie Man Will Get You" (Look out! Thrills and Horror!) Boris Karloff, Peter Lorre.

"I Shot Billy the Kid" (A western packed with action.) Don Barry.

SUN.-MON.— "Here Comes the Co-Eds" Abbott and Costello.

TUES.-WED.—Double Bill— "Adventure of Gallant Bess"

"Ride, Ride, Ride" (The new Red Ryder in color.) Jim Bannon and Little Brown Jug.

— COMING — SUN.-MON., May 11-12— "The Prowler" Van Heflin, Evelyn Keyes.

Actress Visits Sister



Diane Hayes, star of stage and television, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Merle Ward, of McDowell. Miss Hayes is currently featured at the swank Yacht Club in Atlantic City. During her visit at Drift, Mrs. Ward arranged a family reunion, the first in ten years.

Miss Hayes left last week for her new show opening in Cottage City, Maryland.

Governor Lawrence Wetherby made the appointment Monday of Brady M. Collins as police judge of Lackey.

Mr. Collins, a son of Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins, succeeds P. D. Laferty as police judge.

Australia's director of defense production planning wants America's efficient coal industry to help develop coal resources in the land down under.

Convictions within the week follow:

John Gibson, breaking and entering, two years, and for trespassing, a fine of \$500; Clyde E. Ficks, Jr., trespassing, \$500 fine; Frank Bert Bryant, petit larceny, 90 days in jail; Lark Hunt, selling liquor, \$20 fine and 30 days in jail.

After a jury had heard all the evidence in the trial of Billie Hughes on a charge of knowingly receiving stolen property, and had failed to agree, the case against Hughes was dismissed on motion by the Commonwealth on the grounds that evidence is insufficient to convict.

The same disposition was made of the breaking and entering charge against him. Charges of selling liquor and of possessing alcoholic beverages against Arnold and Velma Salisbury also were dismissed.

Convictions of three were set aside:

Henry Hale, assault and battery, case dismissed; Sam Keel, disorderly conduct, case continued; Clarence Brown, cold check.

Block heating, whereby one boiler supplies hot water or steam for all buildings in a city block, is one of the significant developments in the heating industry.

Homemakers obtained the cooperation of merchants in McCreary county to carry only approved comic books for children.

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her an admission that a shot was fired inside the house which was not fired by either herself or Hibbins' wife. Her admission that the only other person in the house was Wesley Hibbins thus become damaging.

A small boy testified that he was crossing the bridge near the home when he saw Thompson walking away from the house, heard a shot fire and Thompson fall.

Calvin Lewis and Russell Gunnells were the other two to receive 21-year sentences. Cakie Lee Gunnells, third person charged with them in the shooting of Wayne Scaf when he surprised them at his store, has not yet been given juvenile hearing.

The two on trial claimed they were at home at the time of the shooting, and this testimony was corroborated by their parents. Gunnells and Lewis also testified they had been "at outs" with each other for some time and had not spoken to each other in a month.

Scaf himself identified the two as the persons fleeing from his store after he had been shot. He testified they passed him at the door and that he looked squarely into their faces.

Okie Lee Gunnells appeared as a Commonwealth witness and told how he and the other two during the day preceding the break into the store plotted the robbery. Russell Gunnells, he said, told him and Lewis he would be playing rook at the home of Tom Collins that night, and for them to wait for him, near the store. A whistle was the pre-arranged signal to them on his approach, he added. The boy testified he did not enter the store, that he was posted as a lookout while the other two entered.

Trial of White Smallwood, charged with the pistol-slating near Bevinville of 16-year-old Helen Johnson, is scheduled to begin today (Thursday). It will be the last murder case of the present court term.

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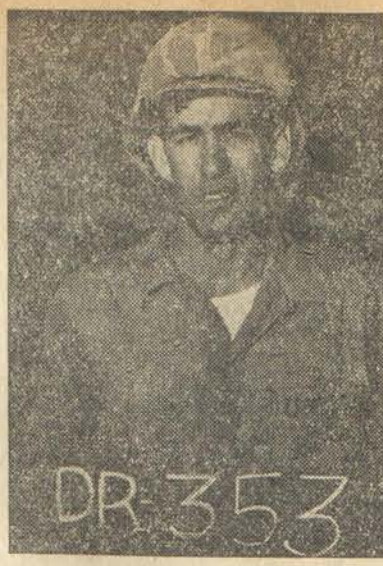
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Ermin Poe, shooting on public highway; Clay Daniels, cold check; Cecil Newsome, Dester Hamilton, Jerry Mitchell and Willis Booth, destroying public property, county road machinery, at Ligon on April 17; Ralph Hamilton, reckless driving; Paul Centers and Donald Watkins, grand larceny, theft of items from the home of Ellis Hicks, Hueysville, April 12; Delmas Pennington, possessing alcoholic beverages and selling liquor (separate indictments); Colet (Tvd) Branham and Bruce Branham, forgery; Charlie Stout and Jimmy Blackburn, each for selling liquor; Tolby Watkins and Roosevelt McKenzie, shooting on public highway; Fred M. Hayes, removing mortgaged property from state; Dave Slush, child desertion.

Wheelwright Marine Joins Mock Assault On Atom Bomb Area



Camp Desert Rock, Nev., April 29 (Spl.)—Marine Cpl. Harry G. Dempsey, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dempsey, of Wheelwright, Ky., today witnessed an atomic explosion, then joined in the mock assault on an objective near the center of the atomic impact area.

He is one of 2,000 Marines taking part in the latest series of atomic tests at the Atomic Energy Commission proving grounds here.

The exercise includes training in operations employing the use of atomic weapons, the handling and use of equipment exposed to an atomic explosion, and the newest developments in physical protection. Cpl. Dempsey is a member of a provisional battalion of Marines from Camp Lejeune, N. C., which with another battalion from Camp Pendleton, Calif., was flown to this desert site to participate in atomic attack problems. A two-letter man in basketball at Wheelwright high school, young Dempsey enlisted in the Marine Corps Oct. 15, 1950.

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torney advise any new Magistrate or other member of the fiscal court taking office of this matter, and that he sees that it be obeyed and that the law be rigidly enforced.

The evidence referred to by the grand jury was that submitted by Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin against Magistrate J. E. Harris.

The jury's report commended Jailor Guy Horn for "an excellent job done with the funds available." It recommended that separate cells be provided in the jail for the segregation of mental cases.

Major indictments returned during the last three days of the jury session follow:

Ermin Poe, shooting on public highway; Clay Daniels, cold check; Cecil Newsome, Dester Hamilton, Jerry Mitchell and Willis Booth, destroying public property, county road machinery, at Ligon on April 17; Ralph Hamilton, reckless driving; Paul Centers and Donald Watkins, grand larceny, theft of items from the home of Ellis Hicks, Hueysville, April 12; Delmas Pennington, possessing alcoholic beverages and selling liquor (separate indictments); Colet (Tvd) Branham and Bruce Branham, forgery; Charlie Stout and Jimmy Blackburn, each for selling liquor; Tolby Watkins and Roosevelt McKenzie, shooting on public highway; Fred M. Hayes, removing mortgaged property from state; Dave Slush, child desertion.

JUDGE STUMBO ILL County Judge Henry Stumbo has been a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, since Tuesday, threatened with appendicitis. His condition showed improvement Wednesday.

MOODY HITS SEIZURE ACT

Coal Leader Declares In Address at Pikeville Freedom Doesn't Exist

Hitting at President Truman's seizure of the steel industry in an address before the Big Sandy-Ekhor Mining Institute Saturday night at Pikeville, Joseph E. Moody, Washington, D. C., president of the Southern Coal Producers Association, declared that "freedom doesn't exist in the United States."

"The coal industry," said Moody, "is on the spot as far as safety is concerned. A mine disaster would mean government seizure of the coal mines."

The main purpose of the institute is to promote mine safety.

Seizure of the steel industry, Moody said, is the culmination of a trend that began in 1930 with the establishment of the N.R.A., which was held unconstitutional. He said the government operated the coal industry more than the operators did from 1940 to 1944.

Such action by the government as the seizure of steel, he said, indicates that "freedom doesn't exist in the United States." He would not agree that the government has authority to demand "membership in anything, including unions."

"We have reached the time," he said, "when bargains mean giving something."

The mine-safety record of the Big Sandy field is much better than that of the state at large, according to A. M. Ayers, president of the institute, who said the area had produced 1,600,000 tons per fatality during the past year.

J. T. Parker, Wheelwright, program chairman, introduced Moody. J. H. Mosgrove, institute secretary, presented safety awards to foremen whose crews had gone more than a year without a lost-time accident.

Three out of four traffic accidents happen in clear weather on dry roads.

PRESTONSBURG DRIVE-IN (Code No. 2483)

FRI., May 2—Double Feature— "Ma and Pa Kettle Back on the Farm" Marjorie Main, Percy Kilbride.

"Air Cadet" Stephen McNally, Gail Russell, Alex Nicol.

SAT.—Double Feature— "Davy Crockett, Indian Scout" George Montgomery, Ellen Drew.

"The Pirates of Capri" Louis Hayward, Binnie Barnes.

SUNDAY-MONDAY— A great first-run picture— "Deadline U.S.A." Humphrey Bogart, Ethel Barrymore, Kim Hunter. Cartoon and News.

TUES.-WED.—Double Feature— "Valentino" (In Technicolor) Eleanor Parker, Anthony Dexter.

"711 Ocean Drive" Edmond O'Brien, Joanne Dru. Cartoon.

DRIFT THEATRE DRIFT, KY.

FRI., May 2, 8 p.m.— "Something to Live For" Joan Fontaine, Ray Milland, Patricia Wright.

SAT., 8 p.m.—Double Feature— "Desert of Lost Men" (Rocky) Lane.

"This Is Korea" John Ford.

SAT., 11 p.m.— "Cave of Outlaws" McDonald Carey, Alexis Smith.

SUNDAY, 1 and 8 p.m.— "I'll See You in My Dreams" Doris Day, Danny Thomas.

MONDAY, 8 p.m.— "Cave of Outlaws" McDonald Carey, Alexis Smith.

TUESDAY, 8 p.m.— "The Steel Fist" Roddy McDowall, Kirstine Miller.

WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m.— "Darling, How Could You?" Joan Fontaine, John Lund.

THURSDAY, 8 p.m.— "When Worlds Collide" Richard Deer, Barbara Rush.

FRIDAY, May 9, 8 p.m.— "Submarine Command" William Holden, Nancy Olson.

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his brother-in-law was dead, he was near collapse.

The principals in the shooting are widely related and are well-known over the county.

The victim was a son of the late Smith Hicks. He is survived by his five sons and five daughters: Romie Hicks, Lima, O., Chris Hicks, Detroit, Mich., Greeley Hicks, Risner, John and William Hicks, both of Goodloe, Mrs. Robert Richards, McGuffey, O., Mrs. Richard Gass and Mrs. Orville Raywood, both of Lima, O., Misses Betty Lou and Thelma Hicks, of Goodloe.

The funeral will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m., from the home of Greeley Hicks at Risner by the Revs. Banner Manns, Alex Coburn, A. J. Moore and E. H. Howard. Burial will be made in the Hicks cemetery at Pyramid under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Other survivors are two brothers, Ernest Hicks, Pyramid, and Troy Hicks, Lakeland, Ky., four sisters, Mrs. Sallie Allen and Mrs. Lora Prater, both of Pyramid, Mrs. Josie Johnson, of Michigan, and Mrs. Mary Ann Prater, McGuffey, O., and the following half-brothers and half-sisters: Dave, Bill and Jasper Hicks, all of Pyramid, J. E. Allen, of Florida, Mrs. Lucy Ousley, Allen, Mrs. Jane Risner, McGuffey, O., Mrs. Margaret Prater, Goodloe, and Mrs. Will Chaffins, Garrett.

MARTIN THEATRE "WHERE THE CROWDS GO" 1,000-seat fireproof Bldg. Code 610

FRI.—Double Bill— "Purple Heart Diary" Frances Langford and G.I.'s.

"Man in the Saddle" (Color) Randolph Scott, Joan Leslie.

Late or last show— "Man Bait" George Brent, Margurite Chapman.

SAT.—Double Feature— "Cyclone Fury" Chas. Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

"Harem Girl" Joan Davis, Peggie Sastle, Arthur Blak.

Late or last show— "The Wild North" (In Color) Stewart Granger, Wendell Corey.

SUN.-MON.— "Jack and the Beanstalk" (In Color) Abbott and Costello.

TUESDAY— In Person on stage direct from WSM and His Country Boys Little Jimmy Dickens (Night show only) Admission: 40c and 90c

WED.—Double Bill— "King of the Wild Horses" Rex, Bill Jamney, Dorothy Appleby.

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"The Old West" Gene Autry, Gail Davis.

SUN.-MON.— "Room for One More" Cary Grant, Betty Drake.

TUES., 7:15 p.m.—Double Feature— "Buckskin Frontier" Richard Dix, Jane Wyatt

"The Strange Door" Boris Karloff, Chas. Laughton.

WED., 7:15 p.m.— "Honeychile" Judy Canova, Eddie Foy, Jr.

— COMING — FRI., May 9th— "Silver City" Edmond O'Brien, Yvonne De Carlo.

SUN.-MON., May 11-12— "Retreat—Hell!" Frank Lovejoy, Anita Louise.



Pvt. Lloyd Daniels, Jr., 19, arrived in Korea, a few weeks ago, where he is serving with Prov. Company S. E. 706. He is a son of Mrs. R. T. Allen, of Charleston, W. Va., and enlisted at Hazard, last August. Pvt. Daniels received training at Indiantown Gap, Pa., and Ft. Benning, Georgia.

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A GREAT IDEA The Times congratulates the community of Martin for the splendid start made toward an Easter observance which should become a Kentucky institution. This Passion Pageant idea is a great one. All Floyd county should work to make it a success.

WE POINT WITH PRIDE Clean Up, Paint Up. Prestonsburg has set the month of May for the herculean labor. Here, too, a fine spirit of cooperation and concerted effort is being shown by citizens and officials. What those youngsters in the schools and their teachers did this week to give impetus to the drive should not be forgotten, either.

WHEELWRIGHT LODGE No. 289 F. & A. M. Meets each second and fourth Wednesday

Advertisement for VAGABONDS CASUALS for MEN shoes. Features a large image of a shoe and text: "Leisure-time's coolest most comfortable shoe". Price: \$6.95 TO \$8.95. MARTIN'S SHOE STORE MARTIN, KY.

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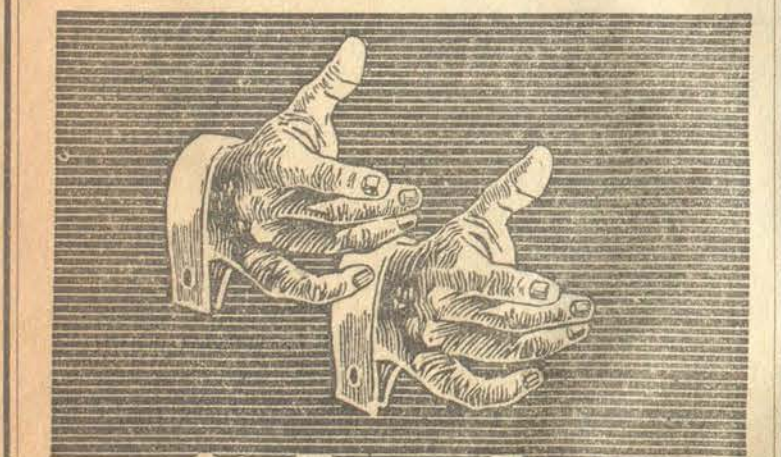
SUNDAY-MONDAY—

Advertisement for "Phone call from a Stranger" featuring Shelley Winters, Gary Merrill, Michael Rennie, Keenan Wynn, and Bette Davis. Directed by Jean Negulesco.

Don't miss this big first-run picture. News and Comedy.

TUESDAY— "Sands of Iwo Jima" John Wayne, John Agar, Adele Mara. Comedy.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY— "This Woman Is Dangerous" Joan Crawford, Dennis Morgan, David Brian. A picture you will enjoy. Comedy.



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TUES.-WED.—Double Bill— "Emergency Wedding" (If you miss this wedding, you'll miss a lot of fun.) Larry Parks, Una Merkel.

"Texas Dynamo" Charles Starrett and Frog.

THURS.—Bargain Day— "Here Comes the Co-Eds" Abbott and Costello.

— COMING — FRI.-SAT., May 9-10— Big Double Bill—

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BOYD COUNTY MAN KILLED

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Relatives Say Blackburn
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Harold Blackburn, 30-year-old owner of the Red Barn Restaurant, Catlettsburg, who was shot and killed Wednesday night, last week, at Catlettsburg, was a son of John Henry (Dodge) Blackburn, a former resident of the Johns Creek section, relatives here said.

Police Chief Ray Castle of Catlettsburg said Jay Meredith, 33, owner of the Gate City Cab Company, has been charged with the murder.

Haskel Meredith, a brother of Jay, who witnessed the shooting, told Castle that as far as he knew there was no ill feeling between Blackburn and Jay Meredith.

Castle quoted Haskel Meredith as saying he and Blackburn were talking in a storage room of his Kozy Korner tavern when someone knocked at the door.

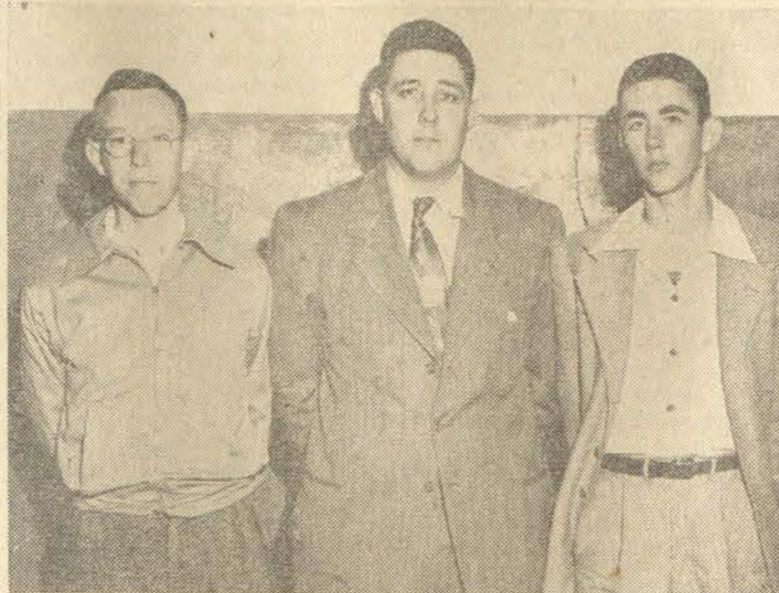
Meredith said he called for the knocker to come in. His brother, he told Castle, stepped in the door and shot Blackburn.

The chief said Blackburn died about 30 minutes later in an Ashland hospital. His wife and two children survive.

Castle said he would continue his investigation in an attempt to establish a motive.

"Dodge" Blackburn moved to Boyd county about 30 years ago, relatives said. He lives on Route 1, Catlettsburg.

Meredith has been named in a willful murder indictment and has been freed under \$15,000 bond, pending trial May 12.



William Johnson, center, Kentucky Utilities Company farm service adviser is shown with Future Farmers Billy Joe Bradley, Maytown, (left) and Fred Williams of Frenchburg, whose respective F.F.A. chapters won "silver emblem" ratings at the Eastern Kentucky F.F.A. field day held April 5, at Oil Springs high school.

Seven Future Farmers chapters in the Eastern Kentucky F.F.A. District received merit certificates entitling them to cash awards from Kentucky Utilities Company for earning top "gold emblem" ratings at the field day Saturday, April 5, at Oil Springs high school. Future Farmers from this county took part in the field day competition.

"Gold emblem" winners were Boyd county, McKell, Oil Springs, Sandy Hook, Owsley county, Pritchard and Johns Creek.

William Johnson, K. U. farm service adviser in the company's Bluegrass Division, presented each "gold emblem" chapter with a certificate entitling them to approximately \$15 of the \$100 Eastern District award.

The electric company contributes some \$1,200 in cash awards for district and state "gold emblem" chapters. This is the second year for the K.U.-F.F.A. award plan.

Chapters were judged on the basis of their showing in farm achievement contests and field day competition. The "gold emblem" rating is the highest followed by "silver emblem", "bronze emblem", honorable mention and participation awards.

"Silver emblem" ratings were given to the Frenchburg, Maytown, and Wolfe county chapters. Lee county and Virgie received "bronze emblem" ratings. Honorable mention and participation designations went to Betsy Layne, Breathitt county, Buckhorn, Ezel, Flat Gap, Morgan county, Prestonsburg and Salysville.

The Utility company also contributed the rating ribbons given to chapters and individuals entering the various contests.

Over 500 F.F.A. members, teachers and guests representing 15 counties and 20 Future Farmers chapters took part in the field day activities.

In farm achievement contests were:

First prize winners, tobacco, Thomas Murray, Flat Gap; hay crops, Darrell Everman, Grayson county; corn, Bob McGlothlin, Boyd county; home improvement, Bob Dixon, Boyd county; R.E.A., D. G. Cole, Owsley county; soil and water conservation, Bob McGlothlin, Boyd county; farm shop, Edgil Wilcox, Oil Springs; dairy, John E. Ross, Boyd county; hogs, Jerry Ringo, Frenchburg; beef, Paul Lemaster, Oil Springs; sheep, Cletus Blankenship, Boyd county; poultry, Paul Lemaster, Oil Springs; livestock cooperative, John Ross, Boyd county; farm underwriters, Sammie Stampfer, Lee county.

Chapters winning individual contests were treasurer's and secretary's book, Betsy Lane; scrapbook, Oil Springs; newsletter, Virgie; chapter meeting, Oil Springs; chapter music, Betsy Lane and community dairying, Oil Springs.

Fred Williams of Frenchburg won the impromptu speaking contest. Jerry Ringo of Frenchburg the public speaking contest, and Arnold Collins, Betsy Lane, won the individual vocal award. Other first place music awards were novelty, Steve Hughes, Morgan county; orchestral, Justin Turner, Maytown; and piano, Wallace Williams, Frenchburg.

Cpl. Justice Lands

Cpl. Harry Justice, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Justice, of Martin, landed in Tokyo, April 26, he writes his mother in a recent letter. He entered the army Oct. 26, 1951, and is at present serving in a chemical outfit. Cpl. Justice is a graduate of Maytown high school.

Morgan Men Confess They Beat Aged Man To Death in Elliott

SANDY HOOK, KY. — Two Morgan countians, who have admitted beating to death an old-age pensioner and robbing him of \$800, waived preliminary hearing on a murder charge here today.

The robbery victim, 84-year-old Sam Howard, died Saturday of pneumonia and blood clots caused by his injuries.

State Police Detective Arch Thompson said prisoners Harrison Patrick, 28, and Wayne McKenzie, 41, both of West Liberty, were brought here from Lawrence county jail for a hearing.

After they had waived to the Elliott county grand jury, he said, they were returned to Lawrence county. No bond was set.

Thompson said Patrick and McKenzie are being held in Louisa for safekeeping. They are allowed no visitors, not even relatives, he said.

The detective said the men admitted driving to Howard's home, about five miles from here, April 5 in a borrowed car. They told the nearly blind Howard they were his nephews.

Thompson said Patrick, who had lived near Howard, knew he carried his money in a purse attached to his belt because "he didn't believe in banks." The detective said the men left Howard for dead, but he regained consciousness and summoned neighbors with a farm bell.

Howard identified his assailants as his nephews, but a neighbor had seen the men leaving in the car and remembered part of the license number, Thompson said.

Both were arrested April 12, Patrick in Paris, Ky., and McKenzie in West Liberty.

GARRETT

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

George S. Ousley Unit 295 of the American Legion Auxiliary at Garrett met at the Post home, Wednesday night for their regular meeting. Olga Trusty and Roberta Stone were hostesses. Preparations for the Unit's Poppy sales were made.

Discussion of the Unit's party for veterans at Outwood hospital ended with the appointment of gift and refreshment committees. The party will be during the first week of May.

Girls' State was the main topic of discussion. Chairman Ellen Hornsby is to see Charles Clark, high school principal, and choose a Girls' State candidate. The Unit will send the outstanding girl junior to the U. of K. campus for one week in June when she will represent this Unit. There have been 130 girls registered from Kentucky and more are expected. They participate in educational programs and visit many places of interest.

The Unit will have meetings, the first and third Wednesday of each month. Hereafter, all meetings, regular and special, will be held at the Post home, with a member acting as hostess. The next meeting will be held May 7 at 7:30 with Virginia Draughn as hostess. Present at this meeting were Roberta Stone, Florence Pack, Virginia Draughn, Mable Bentley, Olga Trusty, Nellie Martin, Ellen Hornsby, Mae Turner, Betty Lou Hopper, Beulah Wanda Lawson, Helen Scott and Buretta Moore.

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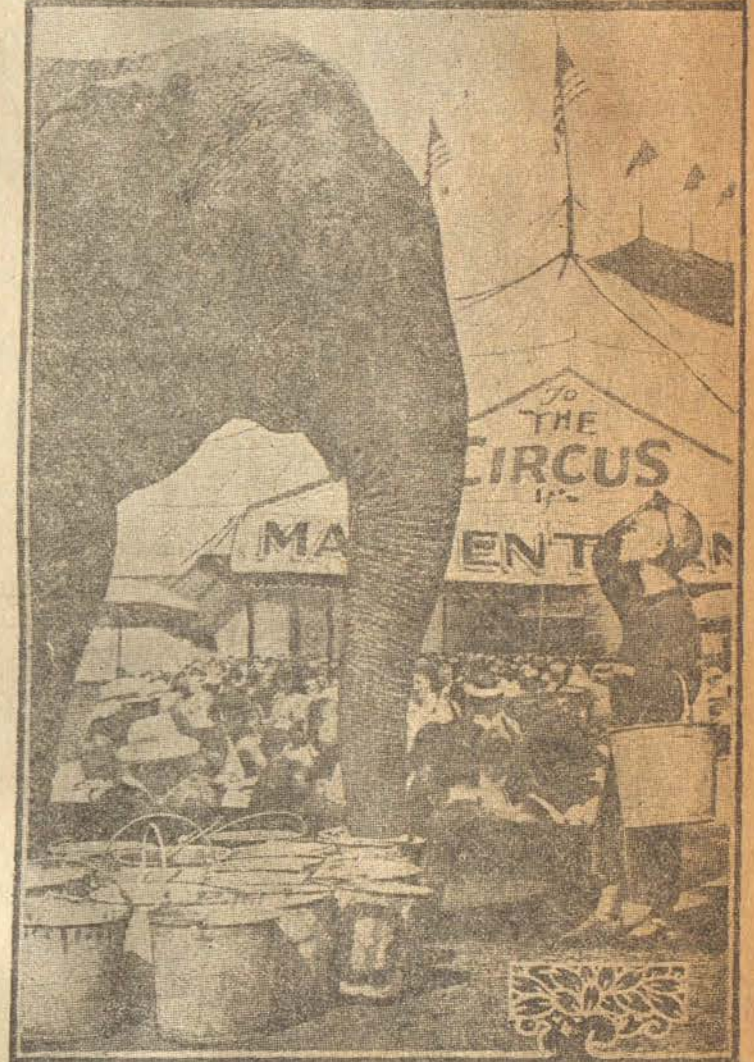
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ORDINANCE

An Ordinance setting out certain restrictions for the parking of motor vehicles on the streets of Prestonsburg, Kentucky; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

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

Section I. That it is unlawful for any person or persons to park a motor vehicle on either side of Lake Drive for two hundred (200) feet from the intersection of Lake Drive and Court street.

Section II. That it is unlawful for any person or persons to park a motor vehicle on Court street for twenty (20) feet from the intersection of Court street and Arnold Avenue.

Section III. That it is unlawful for any person to park a motor vehicle on Arnold Avenue for thirty (30) feet from the intersection of Court Street and Arnold Avenue.

Section IV. Any person or persons, firms or corporations, violating this Ordinance shall be fined not less than One (\$1.00) Dollar, nor more than Five (\$5.00) Dollars, and/or imprisoned in the City Jail for not less than one (1) day, nor more than five (5) days for each offense.

Section V. Any Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section VI. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from date of passage, after publication according to law.

/s/ CURTIS CLARK Mayor

Attest:
/s/ JUDITH D. ARCHER,
City Clerk.

Passed this 21st day of April, 1952.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Pfc. George Vaughan has just returned to Fort Devens, Mass., where he will undergo surgery. His wife, Mrs. Laura Vaughan, and mother-in-law, Mrs. Chloe Ousley, accompanied him to Huntington, W. Va.

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BY WILMA

With joy we note the nomination of Mrs. J. D. Mayo, of Prestonsburg, for the Distinguished Service Award. It was our privilege to meet this human dynamo of a woman the first year she came to Floyd county, in the horse-back riding days, when she went up hills and often had to spend the night in small villages because travel was slow and tedious.

Through all the years she has selflessly given her services to the public in religious and civic channels as well as that of personal friendship to those closer and dearer. Her entire personality radiates a spirit of helpfulness to mankind, specially to those less fortunate. Many carry their problems and troubles to her, realizing that she will either solve them herself or direct them to those who can.

She has had many honors but this will mean more to her than all others combined, for it represents the work dearest to her heart. While serving in her present capacity as T. B. nurse of the county she finds the opportunity to minister to the families suffering from this dread disease in other ways, too. Her car is always loaded with Christian literature, which she leaves in many homes, offering a word of prayer before departing. When there are financial worries she assists by contacting organizations willing to help.

Mrs. Mayo is devoted to her county and its best interests. She is a born leader, with sufficient vision to set new and higher goals each time others are achieved, whether for the individual, the community or the county fortunate enough to have her among its citizens.

The tragic passing of young Morris Maggard cast a gloom over the entire community. He was such a lovable youngster, bubbling over with life and full of fun. Not many kids are fortunate enough to possess the type of personality with which Morris was blessed.

He took a keen interest in everything round about him. He was fond of school, scouting, sports, and church work as well. Morris was the first member of his family to unite with the church. Usually parents lead the way, but Morris joined a year before his mother and daddy did. He was active in Sunday school and the MYF, and also sang in the choir. His bereaved family has the priceless consolation of knowing Morris is with God. We do not always know why these sad occurrences happen but we do know that Christ, too, wants some of the fairest blossoms for his garden up yonder.

Mothers are often inclined to worry after such incidents. Some have already said they are thankful theirs are not scouts. This attitude is wrong. When God wants us He takes us. Morris' precious young life might have been snuffed out, had he remained at home that evening. It is no more sensible, practical and right to say we will not permit ours to be scouts now than it is to say we will never ride again in a car because somebody we know has a motor accident. The principle is identical.

Boy and Girl Scouts constitute one of the grandest organizations in America. Scout work has no rival, no peer. Our youngsters need the valuable training it affords in countless fields of endeavor. The law of averages is small and one tragedy in a county with many troops is a splendid record. Certainly the hearts of everyone go out to the bereaved family of this fine, young boy whom we all loved so much.

The first scene of the Passion Pageant which will be enacted Sunday near Martin includes five sets of twins in its cast, it was said this week. These are Mesdames Dillard Howard and Denzil Halbert, Misses Ruby and Rose Maggard, Thomasine and Christine Griffith, and Kaye and Anne Allen, Masters Larry and Barry Qualls.

The girls all serve as musicians, playing while the Annunciation angel brings the strange tidings to Mary.

Rainy weather and commencement activities have delayed the moving of the stage to downhill, so it has been temporarily elevated, with further improvement scheduled for this week. Three different locations are under consideration for the stage to be moved to later, according to the Board of Directors.

The local financial drive, headed by Mrs. E. R. Coleman, and a committee of 10 or 12, netted funds to be used for additional stages, moving the platform, converting it into a building, etc., as early as possible. Committee members expect to cover the county when able to do so, since the pageant will bring attention to the entire section. Residents of the community predict that in a short period of time the Martin Pageant will be without superior.

If unfavorable weather should prevail next Sunday the pageant will of necessity be postponed.

APPLE HARVEST

G. W. Bernards of Russell county harvested 1,200 bushels of Golden Delicious apples from a three-acre orchard last year after following the spray schedule sent him by the U.K. College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

Sisk Named To Direct Ky. Publicity Division

Frankfort, Ky., April 14 (Sp.)—Appointment of Mack Sisk, administrative assistant to Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby, as director of the Division of Publicity, was announced today by Henry Ward, commissioner of Conservation.

Sisk has been publisher of the Dawson Springs Progress since 1946, and has had considerable experience in promotional publicity work. He became administrative assistant to Governor Earle C. Clements in 1950, and continued in that capacity with Governor Wetherby. His promotion had the approval of the Governor, Ward said.

The appointment of Marshall L. Peace as associate director of the Division of Publicity to specialize in advertising and promotional publications was also announced by Ward. Peace served as administrative assistant to the commissioner of Conservation for two years, and since January has been acting director of what was the Division of Public Information in the Department of Highways.

The appointments result from a reorganization of the state's publicity functions brought about earlier this year by Governor Wetherby. The highway department's publicity program was consolidated with the Division of Publicity in the Department of Conservation.

Ward said the division is being expanded to provide services for all state agencies. The division handles the state's program of newspaper, radio and magazine advertising of its tourist attractions, publishes in Kentucky magazine, numerous brochures and pamphlets, maps and other advertising material. It also provides a new release service for the state's press and radio stations.

Air Carriers Collected \$10,000.00 in 1951

Frankfort, Ky. — Scheduled and non-scheduled air carriers and charter operators in Kentucky did more than \$10,000,000 worth of business in Kentucky last year it was announced today by Commissioner of Aeronautics Charles H. Gartrell. Comparable figures are not available for past years.

Scheduled air carriers took in \$10,279,156.16 from 834,024 passengers at Kentucky points; non-scheduled air carriers collected \$81,346.25 from 6,370 passengers and charter operators \$29,435.20 from 3,126 passengers.

"The figures show clearly the public is taking to air travel," observed Gartrell.

He estimated the value of municipally-owned airports in Kentucky—some of which have not been completed—at \$23,472,000.

Four-H club members in Union county are feeding more than 50 calves, more than half of them being Herfords.

LOYALTY REQUIRED

The Kentucky Court of Appeals added the "loyalty" requirement for members of the legal profession by adopting a rule that applicants for admission to practice law be legal residents, of good moral character and the added proviso:

"No person who is a Communist the government by force may become or remain a member of the or who advocates the overthrow of bar of Kentucky.

DEDICATION SET

The William Whitley House, first brick residence west of the Alleghenies and a State shrine, will be dedicated May 7. Senator Thomas R. Underwood is expected to speak at the dedication.

The home, located near Stanford, was built in 1792 by Colonel William Whitley, famous Indian fighter and frontier leader. It was restored by the Division of Parks last year and has been refurnished with furniture of the 1792 period.

Income from cattle and dairy products in Adair county now exceeds that of tobacco.

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THE MOST POWERFUL CAR IN THE LOW-PRICE FIELD!

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Fordomatic, Overdrive, white sidewall tires optional at extra cost. Equipment, accessories and trim subject to change without notice.

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CHOICE OF TWO GREAT ENGINES... Whichever powerhouse you pick, the 110-h.p. Six or the 101-h.p. Mileage Maker Six—you get high-compression performance and the gas-savings of Ford's Automatic Power Pilot.

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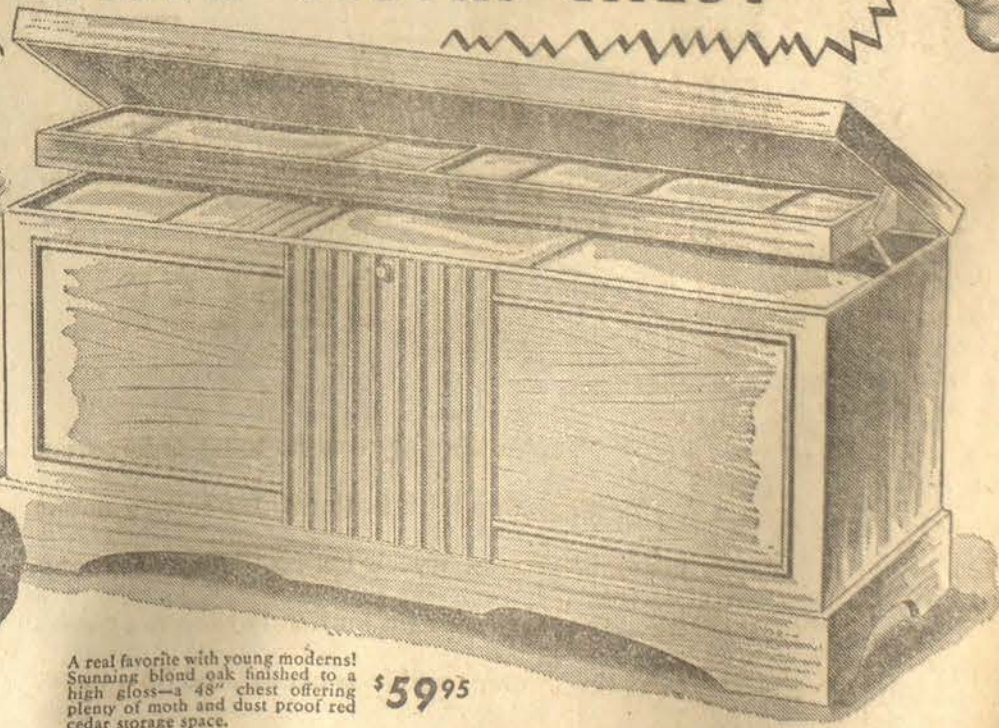
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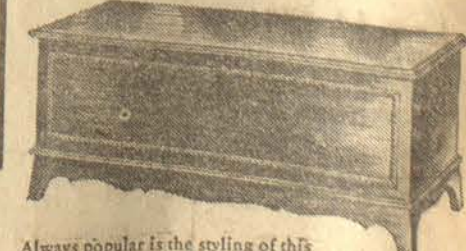
A real favorite with young moderns! Sunning blond oak finished to a high gloss—48" chest offering plenty of moth and dust proof red cedar storage space. \$59.95

With purchase of each Lane Cedar Chest one \$33.75 ladies' or men's wrist watch will be given for \$10.00 extra.

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TOURIST REQUESTS INCREASING

Kentucky's expanding tourist industry brought requests for information from 36,802 persons for the year ending April 15 and prospects are that the figure will increase during the current year. The number was up from 62,000 for the previous year.

PAROLES GRANTED

The State Department of Welfare paroled sixty-three prisoners from penal institutions during March—forty-three from the La Grange Reformatory, nineteen from the Eddyville penitentiary and one from the women's prison at Pine Bluff.

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IVEL

Mrs. Kit Childers attended the Free Will Baptist Conference at Cow Creek over the week-end.

Among those who attended the Odd Fellows dinner at Prestonsburg, Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. James Damron, Joe Smith, Kenneth Burchett, Hazel George, Jimmie and Georgianna George.

Friends here are glad to have Stanley B. James with them again. Stanley received a medical discharge from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. James Damron had as their dinner guests Sunday, Jim Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Sammons and foster daughter, Jackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blackburn, of Meta, Ky., were visiting her parents over the week-end. Mrs. Blackburn will be remembered by her friends as Frances Damron. They have just returned from a week's honeymoon in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Effert Reynolds and children attended church on Mud Creek, Sunday.

We are glad to learn of Paul Carpenter's recovery after a serious operation at Louisville. Mr. Carpenter is now receiving further treatment at Veterans hospital in Huntington.

Bill Endicott was an overnight guest of his sister, Mrs. Jessie Goble.

Billy Joe and Richard Reynolds were week-end guests of Joe Reynolds, Jr., of Mud Creek.

Several of the men here are employed at Lorraine, Ohio.

USE TIMES WANT ADS!

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance providing that trucks or vehicles weighing more than 5 tons are prohibited from traveling on streets in the City of Prestonsburg for the purpose of loading or unloading or other purpose unless special permits are obtained from the Council; and providing penalties for violation.

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

Section I. It appearing that the streets of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, are, as a whole, unsuited for traffic of heavy vehicles, it is ordained by the City Council that no vehicles weighing more than five (5) tons shall be permitted to travel on streets in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for loading or unloading purposes, or other purposes, without special permission of the City Council.

Section II. Any person, persons, firm or corporation violating this Ordinance shall be fined not less than \$5.00, nor more than \$10.00, for each offense.

Section III. Any Ordinance or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section IV. This Ordinance shall be effective from date of passage, after publication according to law.

/s/ CURTIS CLARK, Mayor

Attest:
/s/ JUDITH D. ARCHER,
City Clerk

Ranson Greer, of Abbott Creek, put in 211 feet of tile and the wet area, thus drained is now dry.



CPL. CARL E. HUNT

Cpl. Carl E. Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt, Lancer, is now serving in Europe where he has been located for six months. Cpl. Hunt entered the army in May 1951 and took his basic at Fort Knox, Ky.

ARGUMENTS HEARD

The Kentucky Court of Appeals heard arguments on whether it should reconsider a decision which holds radio and television station facilities are subject to ad valorem taxation since the equipment used does not come within the legal definition of manufacturing machinery—a commodity that is exempt. Radio stations are seeking reconsideration of the former decision.

BULL CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin James and baby of Jeffersonville, Ind., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Craft, for the past week. Bill O. Craft is now employed as patrol guard at Dupont plant at Charlestown, Ind.

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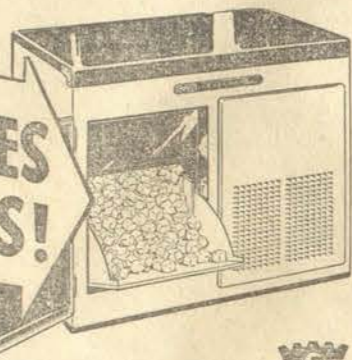
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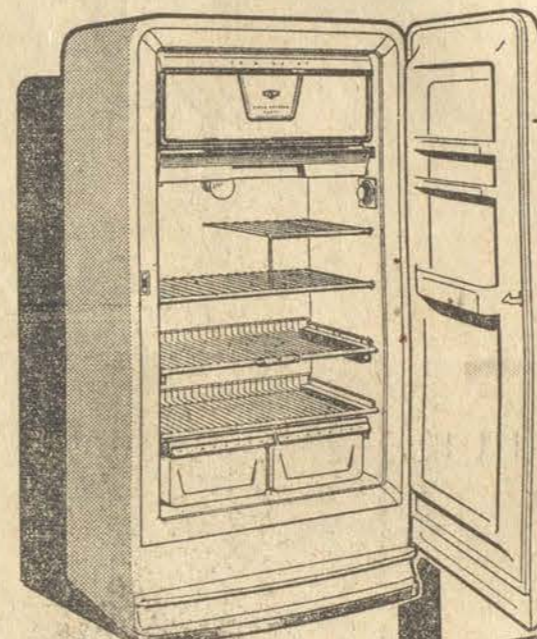
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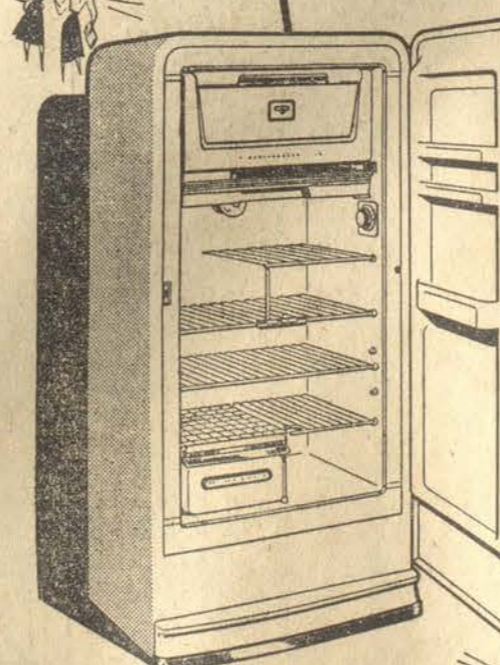
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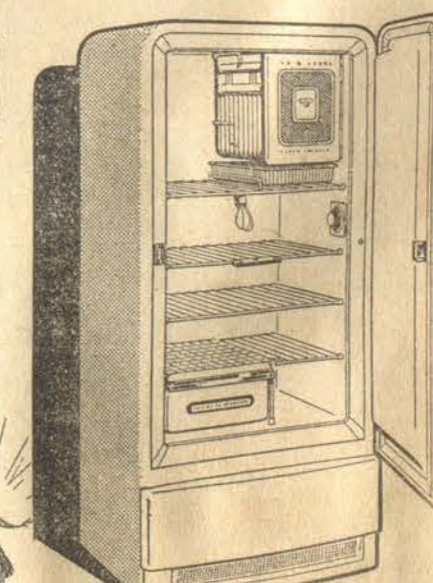
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- Spring-Powered Door Latch — seals in cold, opens, closes easily
- One-Piece All-Steel Cabinet Construction — can't twist or sag — heavily insulated
- Frigidaire Meter-Miser — simplest cold-maker ever built

Model SO-8.2 ONLY \$249⁷⁵
\$50.00 credit for your old refrigerator if in running-freezing condition.

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Floyd College Students In Pre-Draft Exams

Pikeville, Ky. — Thirteen young Floyd county men took the sixth Selective Service college qualification test at Pikeville Junior College, April 24.

They were members of a group of 53 draft-eligible college men from Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Martin, Knott and Letcher counties and West Virginia, who took the examination at the Pikeville testing center. It was given there and at more than 1,000 other centers over the United States, in the effort to find the men who could serve their country best by continuing their education.

Grades made on the test may be used by draft boards in considering applications for deferment.

Floyd countians in the group included Nelson Ray Baldridge, East Point; Coyet Bolen, Garrett; Billy Dings, Martin; Frank Grey, Allen; Paul Hager, Auxier; Arthur Douglas Haywood, Wayland; Billy Ray Howard, Estill; Donald Eugene Hughes, Gorrett; Samuel Krathley, Harold; Bobby Kitchen, East Point; Charles Clifford Prater, Goodloe; Mack Slone, Garrett, and Gene Tackett, Melvin.

Floyd Newton of Estill county is installing a water system in his home, poultry house and barn from a spring some 600 feet away.

Homemakers in Barren county estimated they saved at least \$457 by making garments at home.



PFC. STEPP

Pfc. John T. "Ted" Stepp, 19, of Lancer, entered the Air Force December 25, 1951, and took his basic training at San Antonio, Texas. He is currently stationed at Rome, N. Y., doing clerical work. Pfc. Stepp was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonah G. Stepp, the weekend of April 11.

Pfc. Stepp is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and has studied at Morehead and Richmond.

Seed dealers in Spencer county estimate that 1,000 acres will be seeded to Kenland clover this spring.

A total of 56,000 forest tree seedlings were distributed in Leslie county this season.



BETSY LAYNE CHAPTER
By Orville Hall, Reporter

The Betsy Layne FFA Chapter has undertaken an all-out drive to round up the steel and other scrap in the community to put it to work according to an announcement by Howard Branham, president of the Betsy Layne Chapter. This drive will continue until May 10.

It is a part of a concerted drive in the states of Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Wisconsin and Ohio planned jointly by the State Supervisor of Agricultural Education, and the Republic Steel Corporation of Cleveland to help meet the critical scrap shortage which threatens to slow down the steel mills of the country. As an incentive, the Republic Steel Corporation has offered an award of \$50 to each of the four chapters doing the best job of scrap collection in this state. The money raised from the sale of the scrap collected will be used to finance a trip to the State F.F.A. Convention.

Chapter President Branham says that getting in all of this scrap will serve many useful purposes: It will get rural scrap moving to the steel mills that are using half a ton of steel for every ton of steel they are producing, it will help insure enough steel for farm needs, inflation will be checked through providing more things for people to buy, farmsteads will be cleaned up, it will develop the habit of conserving an important national resource, and it will help the FFA boys to finance their chapter projects.

Irvine Senters has been appointed chairman of the Scrap Drive Committee. He asks that anyone in the community with scrap to pick up, contact some member of the Betsy Layne F.F.A. President Branham states that a survey shows that the steel no longer useful averages over 400 pounds per farm each year. Other surveys show that there are quantities of obsolete, broken and worn-out equipment and other junk steel in rural areas. Intensive drives in some communities have turned up surprising tonnages.

Our local chapter of Future Farmers of America has organized a softball team this year and games have been scheduled as follows: April 18—Johns Creek F.F.A.—Home April 22—Virgie F.F.A.—Away April 25—Pburg. F.F.A.—Home April 29—Johns Creek F.F.A.—Away May 6—Prestonsburg F.F.A.—Away May 9—Virgie F.F.A.—Home

Members of the team are: Dale Adkins, Emitt Adkins, Howard Branham, Jonce Cole, Arnold Collins, Vanidan Ferrell, Orville Hall, Brady Jones, Cleadis Keathley, Jack Rice, Irvine Senters, Micky Wagner, Charles Webb, and Price Wright. Managers of the team are: Jimmy Daniel, James King, and Virgil Fannin. Howard Powell is Official Scorekeeper. The team is coached by O. E. Stanley, Adviser of the Betsy Layne Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

Many Carlisle county farmers are planning heavy fertilization to raise corn yields on reduced acreage.

Williamson on Valcour
Visiting the colorful Persian Gulf port of Bahrain Island aboard the seaplans tender USS Valcour, is Glen Williamson, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Williamson of Betsy Layne, Ky. The Valcour, flagship for the Commander, Middle Eastern Force, will visit many of the principal coastal cities in the area during her five months tour of duty.

Perry Testing A-Bomb
CAMP DESERT ROCK, NEV. — Sergeant First Class Frank Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry, Prestonsburg, is taking part in the atomic test series being conducted at Camp Desert Rock, Nevada. Sfc. Perry is serving as a construction foreman at the camp. He is assigned to Company E, 369th Engineer Amphibious Support Regiment, Shore Battalion, which has been preparing for these tests at Camp Desert Rock since December, 1951.

MARTIN IN TRAINING
Now at the Fleet Training Center in Norfolk, Va., for a course in Damage Control is Edward Martin, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin, of Wayland, Ky. He entered the navy in March, 1951, and received recruit training at the Naval Training Center Great Lakes, Ill. He was graduated from Wayland high school and was employed by Philip Carey Mfg. Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Apprentice Flanery Reports
Among the men who recently reported to the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station at Whiting Field, Milton, Fla., for duty, was Thomas E. Flanery, airman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flanery of Langley, Ky. Flanery, who entered the Naval Service Dec. 11, 1951 and received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., is a graduate of Maytown high school.

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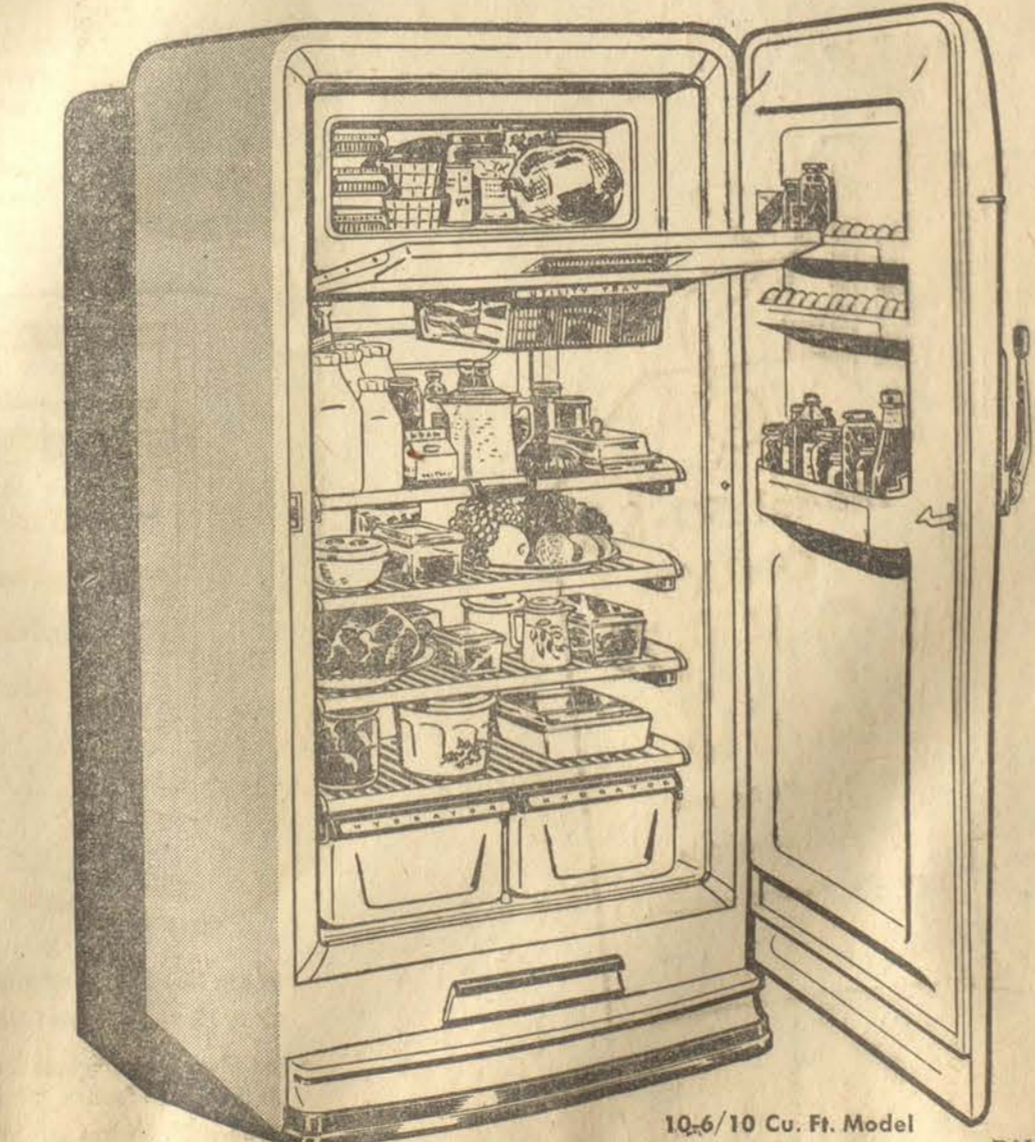
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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

What one individual, or two or three think of me doesn't concern me greatly as long as my conscience is clear. But for my standing in the county as a whole to be under attack is a thing which is disturbing. From what you have read in the newspaper, you would infer that this job of being Magistrate has been a financial windfall for me. On the contrary, it has been a liability, in that I have made no attempt to make it a paying office by trying to persecute every erring boy and collect a lot of money in fines; and the time the office has required has kept me away from my regular business affairs at which I could have earned much more.

You have been told that I received from the State \$1,844.35. I say, and the record will bear me out, that for the year 1950 I received \$287.04 and that for 1951 to the present time, Monday, April 28, 1952, I have received \$150.53—a total of \$437.57. That total is almost exactly one-fourth the amount I was expected to have received.

The people were told my family had drawn heavily on the public treasury. I tell the people there has never been one cent dishonestly or fraudulently taken by me from the county, the state or anybody else. My son worked and earned some money from the county, it is true, but that was a losing proposition for me; for the truck for which I had paid \$1,500 was wrecked on the job, and only the tires were salvaged.

The public is told I am subject to indictment and dismissal from office, among other things, because I sold lumber to the county. This may be true, technically speaking, but not as a matter of justice. In the first place, there was no skulduggery in this transaction. If there had been, it would never have been openly listed for all to see in my name; it could easily have been listed otherwise if I had deliberately and knowingly committed an unlawful act for the purpose of personal gain. In the next place, this lumber was bought at a time when I was not at my place of business, and certainly not on my order. The county, it should be remembered, cannot always buy anything it wants or needs on credit.

This is a good law, the one which forbids an official to sell materials to the division of government he represents, since some could otherwise take advantage of the people and through fraud make a fortune. I may have made mistakes, but whatever mistakes I have made have been errors in judgment and not a deliberate attempt to waste the taxpayers' money. Speaking of mistakes: For one thing, I signed the order raising the salary of the Commonwealth's Attorney from \$600 to \$1,200 a year. I also voted to pay his telephone bill.

Sometime ago, the Commonwealth's Attorney stated in The Floyd County Times that he wanted the county officials to get their house in order. He excluded the Magistrates.

But when I didn't vote to suit him on the matter of hiring a Commonwealth Detective he threatened me with grand jury action.

My vote against the Commonwealth Detective was not cast out of any personal feeling against anybody. I did so because I felt it was a waste of public funds to pay him a larger salary for doing work which could be performed by the peace officers and others of constituted authority. That was what I thought, and I had a right to express my opinion.

I differed on a previous occasion or two with some of our officials on matters of pay. These other gentlemen recognized my right to differ with them; there was no bickering and quarreling, and we are friends.

But this matter of the Commonwealth's Detective came up just before the organization meeting of the Taxpayers' League was held, and although the Commonwealth's Attorney was one of those instrumental in calling the meeting, he did not go upstairs in the courthouse to attend it. Instead, he spent the time checking on me. Was his only interest that of getting one man hired as Commonwealth's Detective?

Let me in passing say that I am for the audit asked by the Taxpayers' League. If my house is not in order, this audit will show it, and I want it put in order while I am here. Yes, I remember the old story about the Handwriting on the

Wall, and I thank God that I don't have to call in an interpreter to read what is going with the taxpayers' money.

Not long ago, I announced my intention to resign as Magistrate on July 15. The office has not become more attractive to me since that time. I know I will not succeed in getting for my district and for the county the roads they need. I know the office will have many headaches for me in the future, as it has in the past. I know that I often will feel like I have failed the people, for there was a time when I honestly thought I could do a lot of fine things for them.

Yet I shall not quit the office under fire. Many have urged me to remain on the fiscal court, expressing confidence that I will do the best job possible. For these reasons I have decided to continue in office.

And while I am in office I shall never use its power to strike out at any individual because we do not happen to agree on every detail.

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MAY LOSE ACCREDITATION

Unless enrollment is increased in 114 high schools in the State, rights of accreditation are faced by those schools according to Wendell P. Butler, Superintendent of Public Instruction. The schools lack the required enrollment of 100 pupils, teacher-pupil ratio of one teacher for each twenty pupils also must be maintained.

POLLUTION HIT BY NEW RULE

To Grant New Permits Only If Waste Treated, Handled Satisfactorily

From now on municipalities and industries emptying wastes into Kentucky's streams and rivers will be granted new permits only if they can show that they have adequate waste treatment facilities and a history of satisfactory operation.

The new policy was formed at a recent meeting of the Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission in Frankfort. Previously, permits were issued for one year periods with the understanding that the town or industry discharging waste into streams would work toward a solution of its pollution problems.

The Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission, formed in 1950, works as a member of the Ohio Valley Compact to abate existing pollution of streams and to prevent new pollution. Henry Ward, Commissioner of the Department of Conservation, is chairman of the Control Commission and Bruce Underwood, M. D., State Health Commissioner is secretary. Headquarters are at the Kentucky State Department of Health, 620 South Third Street, Louisville, Kentucky.

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Miss Porter, Mr. Duff To Be May Day Court Attendants at College

PIKEVILLE, KY. (Special) — Mary Sue Porter, Prestonsburg, and James Duff, Garrett, will be among the attendants to the May King and Queen of Pikeville Junior College when they are crowned May 1, it has been announced.

The King and Queen, Jack Allen, of Inez, and Patricia Hibblitt, Pikeville, will have for attendants the four young women and four men who ran closest to them in a recent student election. All are sophomores. Other attendants will be Geraldine Bevin, Pikeville; Lana Mae Charles, Phelps; Patricia Thornbury, Pikeville; Jimmy Adams, Ermine; George Bailey, Hindman, and Clovis Conley, Mousie.

About 35,000 strawberry plants were ordered by farmers in Letcher county as a new cash crop.

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Fifty-three 4-H boys and girls in Pendleton county are carrying an electrical project.

Oscar Grigsby of Trigg county is building a 78 by 58 pole barn to house his herd of 40 registered Jerseys.

NOTICE:

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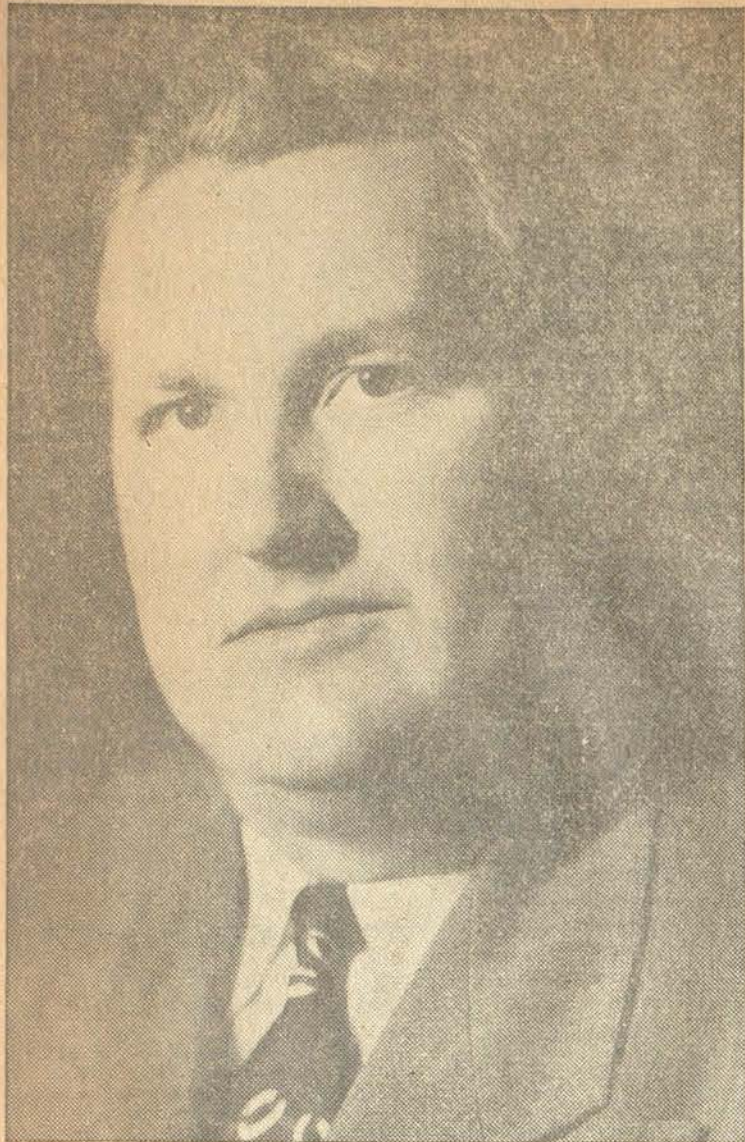
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PERKINS' CAMPAIGN OPENED BY FRIENDS



The United Mine Workers of America, District No. 30, sponsored a meeting which was held at Prestonsburg court house, Prestonsburg, Saturday, April 19, 1952, and attended by all Local Union officers from Floyd county and a representative group from surrounding counties.

Field Representatives from District No. 30 were in attendance, headed by Carson Hibbitts from the Big Sandy Field, and Edgar Reynolds, International Representative, from the Hazard field. Those outside the United Mine Workers of America invited to this meeting took in virtually every public official in the Seventh Congressional District, composed of County Judges, Circuit Court Judges, Sheriffs, Prosecuting Attorneys, County Court Clerks, ex-Judges, etc. A large number were in attendance from the teachers' groups of the mining communities, veterans' organizations, young Democrats, representatives of the State Legislature, both House and Senate; and many others of note, including:

From Letcher county — Dr. B. F. Wright, Seco, Kentucky, Judge Robert Collins, Whitesburg, Ky., Charlie Wright, County Court Clerk, Whitesburg, Ky., Sherman Fitch, President of LU 5790, Seco, Ky.

Representing Pike county — Dr. Roy Sanders, Dorton, Ky., former Judge Ed Stephenson, Pikeville, Ky., Claud Reed, Circuit Court Clerk, Pikeville, Ky., Mrs. Roy Conway, former Sheriff of Pike county, Mr. J. A. Runyon, Commonwealth Attorney, Pikeville, Ky., who assured the convention that Mrs. Bessie E. Arnold, County Court Clerk, Pikeville, Ky., and L. D. May, County Attorney, Pikeville, Ky., were wholeheartedly for Congressman Perkins.

From Knott county — John C. Cornett, Circuit Judge of Knott and Magoffin counties, Ruby Watts, Sheriff, Merd Stone, County Judge, Ben Adams, businessman.

From Martin county — C. C. Callahan and Frank Crum, businessmen, accompanied by Charlie Kiser, Representative, UMWA, District No. 17.

Representing Perry county — S. H. Linden, Democratic chairman of Perry county, Tolbert Combs, County Attorney, Taylor Porter, County Jailor.

From Floyd county — Representatives from all Local Unions, representing 5,000 miners; Bert Combs, Judge of the Court of Appeals, A. B. Meade, Sheriff, Duran Moors, County Court Clerk, Henry Stumbo, Judge, Woodrow Burchett, County Attorney, Henry Hale, State Representative, Doug Hays, State Senator, W. W. Cooley, Circuit Court Clerk, Bill Biggers, former State Representative, Fred Dickerson, President of Sparks Brothers Bus Company.

J. D. Mayo, of the Prestonsburg-Lancer vicinity, has planted 1,000 pine trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer had as last Sunday dinner guests Lucille Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Malone and children, of Ironton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and Mrs. Cynthia Prater, of Bull Creek, and Fred Miller Jr., of West Virginia.

Barbara Sue Allen and Donnie Laferty were among those who were in Washington, D. C., last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Workman and daughter, Lora Alice, have returned to Michigan after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hayes.

Mrs. David Louder is recuperating from an operation in St. Mary's hospital in Huntington, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Louder had as Sunday dinner guest, Rev. M. N. DeHaven, of Martin.

Cpl. Tommy Blanton is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Blanton, in Dwale. He has been in Korea several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Frances in Ashland. Mr. Snodgrass and other friends in Ashland, went fishing at Herrington Lake.

Mrs. G. L. Gray and sons, Jimmy Delano and Frank Gordon, and Galloway Laferty were in Pikeville, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and Arthur Stone visited Milton Stone in Dayton, Ohio, Sunday. He is a patient in a Dayton hospital.

Mrs. Willard Kinzer entered the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Monday for a major operation.

Mrs. Virlie Gill and daughter, Dolores, have returned to their home in Michigan after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Beverly, of Hager Hill.

Rev. J. C. Laferty, of Dwale, remains seriously ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Laferty, in Dwale.

Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty and daughters, Kloria and Rita, were shopping in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Mrs. Elsie Crisp is reported much improved. She underwent a major operation in a Huntington, W. Va., hospital some time ago and has been critically ill.

CLUB MEETS AT ALLEN

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met Monday evening, April 21, at the home here of Mrs. John Snodgrass.

The president appointed Mrs. Fred Hatmaker to go to Minneapolis, Minn., in May as a delegate to the national convention. Mrs. J. D. Mayo, R. N., of the Floyd County T.B. Association, was selected by the club for Kentucky outstanding community leader for 1952.

Mrs. Walter Frasure, program chairman, introduced Mrs. A. H. Mandt, who gave an interesting talk on Public Welfare and also showed a film, "A Life in Your Hands."

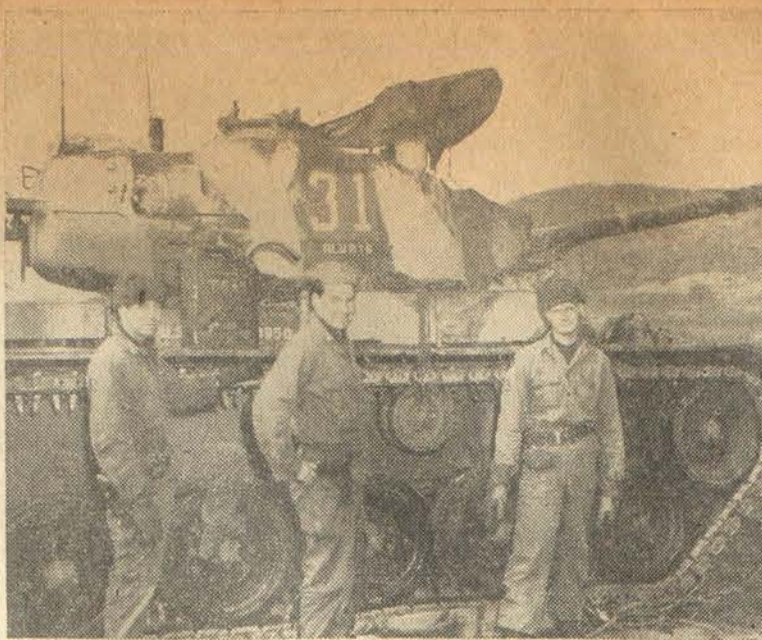
A salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Ted Akers, Lloyd Crum, Mack Elliott, Walter Frasure, Boone Hall, George Laven, William Lyon, John Snodgrass, William Stinnett, William Martin, Charles Marshall, Ann Scott, James Webb, Jr., Fred A. Hatmaker, Virginia Short, Louis Warren, John Sammons, and guest Mrs. A. H. Mandt.

His work in the Congress of the United States has been outstanding and over-reaches the boundaries of his own Congressional District. He is deserving of re-election and has the complete confidence of the union men and their friends throughout the Seventh District.

In closing, we ask every Union man, woman, and their friends in the Seventh District to start now and make an earnest effort to contact everyone they know, members tact everyone they know, members of all Local Unions, relatives and friends, to register and vote for Carl Perkins in the August primaries, all those who are registered on the Democratic ticket.

This campaign is now launched. We must show that we value honest, sincere service on behalf of the people in the Congress of the United States by not only re-electing Congressman Carl Perkins, but by giving him the biggest majority that a Congressman ever got from that District, to show him the people appreciate his honest efforts and intelligent representation in the Congress of the United States.

(Pol. Adv.)



—(U. S. Army Photo)
In Korea, members of Company A, 64th Tank Battalion, 3rd Division, replenish ammunition and supplies after a three-day mission at the fighting front. Standing beside their tank are (left to right) Sgt. Billie Blackburn, Drift, Ky.; Pfc. Leon Comstock, Newport, Ark.; and Sgt. Robert Knudsen, Hawthorne, Calif.

MORE SERVICE GRANTED

The Public Service Commission authorized North Central Telephone Co-operative, Lafayette, Tenn., to borrow \$1,357,000 from the Federal Government to finance construction of a dial telephone system to provide service to 700 rural customers in Allen and Monroe counties. The Commission also gave approval to Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company plans to deliver more gas to Northern Kentucky areas by extending its pipeline from Menifee county north.

WILL HELP GET PLANT

Agricultural and Industrial Development Board Executive Director George W. Hubley, Jr., said the Board's facilities will be placed behind any community that is desirous of obtaining the new A-bomb plant that AEC officials have indicated will be located in the Ohio Valley section and, at the same time, will not push any community's claim for which all-out community cooperation is not assured.

For Sale

The following property of the E. P. Arnold estate is offered for sale: One apartment building on First avenue, Prestonsburg, Ky., known as the Clark property; and one 6-room residence on First avenue, known as the Alice Turner property. W. W. COOLEY, Executor Estate of E. P. Arnold, deceased

Three Knocks Result In Raid Near Here; 2 Sought on Writs

Three knocks on the door were the Open Sesame for the thirsty to the place operated by Delmas Pennington, near Knotley Hollow, and knowledge of this led Sheriff A. B. Meade and Deputy Sheriff Frank Crum to the place last week, resulting in the confiscation of half a case of whiskey, three cases of wine and two cases of beer.

A warrant has been issued by County Judge Henry Stumbo for Pennington's arrest. He was missing when the officers arrived.

Search of the home of "Bear" Little at Weeksbury Wednesday by Deputy Sheriffs Frank Parsons and Ransie Marcum uncovered 24 half-pints of whiskey and 12 quarts of beer, the officers said. Little was in Pike county at the time, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest.

Jailed here during the week were: Farlen Warrens, drunk and possessing moonshine, and Chug Warrens, drunk driving and possession of moonshine, both arrested by George Hall, J. Burchfield and Hershel Lester; Willis Fitz, drunk driving, booked by Deputy Sheriff Ransie Marcum; Jordan Moore, selling beer.

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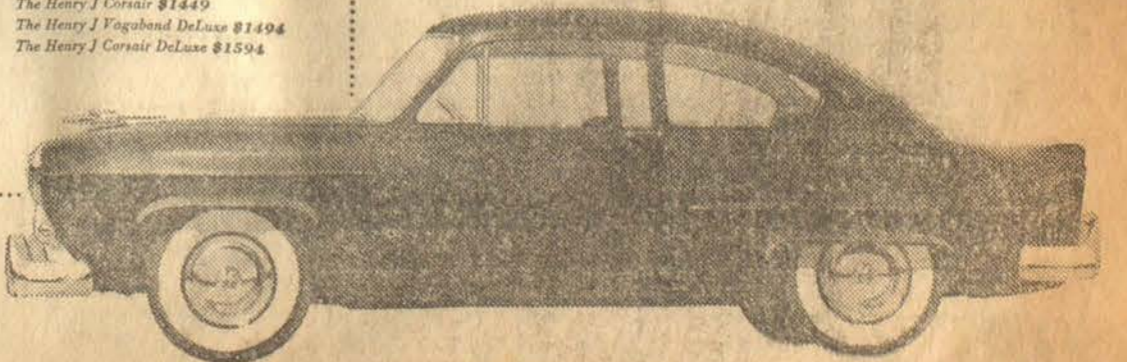
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REA APPROVES LOAN TO CO-OP

Big Sandy Cooperative In Federation To Get \$15-Million on Plant

Approval of a \$15,717,000 loan to the East Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, of Winchester, Ky., was announced this week by the Rural Electrification Administration. This is an addition to earlier loans of \$12,265,000.

The cooperative is a federation of 19 Kentucky electric distribution cooperatives, whose service has been inadequate. Included in this group is the Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative. The loans follow years of effort by REA-financed Co-ops in Kentucky to achieve better arrangements for their power supply.

The loan, together with previous loans, will enable the East Kentucky co-op to supply the power requirements of all of its 19 members. The 19 cooperatives are serving, or have plans to serve, some 125,000 rural consumers, principally farmers, in 84 counties.

The loan provides for construction of a 40,000-kilowatt steam generating unit and a total of 798 miles of transmission lines, with 35 switching structures and other related facilities.

A generating plant with two 20,000-kilowatt units, and a 600-mile transmission network, financed with the earlier loans, are under construction. When construction is complete, East Kentucky will have a steam generating plant of 80,000-kilowatt capacity, and approximately 1,600 miles of transmission lines, including facilities now owned by member co-ops.

It will also have an interconnection with TVA at Summer Shade, Ky., which will provide emergency standby and maintenance power on a reciprocal basis. The interconnection will further enable the cooperative to purchase secondary power from TVA, or to sell any surplus energy it might have to TVA.

The 80,000-kilowatt steam plant will be the largest single plant financed to date by the REA. Energization of the first two units, and completion of the transmission line provided for in the earlier loans are expected some time in 1953.

The previous loans included \$2,000,000 approved October 9, 1941, and \$10,265,000 approved November 23, 1949. They provided funds for facilities to serve 44 load centers, or about 80 percent of the power requirements of 13 of East Kentucky's member cooperatives. The power requirements of the remaining six co-op members, and the remaining requirements of the first 13 will be served by facilities constructed with funds made available under today's loan. A total of 80 load centers will receive service.

Inadequate electric service was cited both in the report of an engineering firm employed by East Kentucky, and in findings of the Kentucky Public Service Commission.

Three utility companies contended that the East Kentucky system would duplicate existing power company lines, but the Commission found that there would be no duplication. Construction is proceeding under a certificate issued by the commission in December, 1950, although an appeal by the power companies is pending in Kentucky courts.

In its decision granting a certificate of convenience and necessity to the cooperative, and the Commission said, "The record conclusively shows that if the proposed transmission facilities were constructed, they would not replace a single line now owned, operated and maintained by the utilities. All their transmission lines would still be necessary and useful in carrying the utilities' own loads."

The Commission cited the fact that one of the principal power suppliers in the area has found it necessary to purchase approximately 25 percent of the energy sold by it from sources outside of Kentucky at higher cost than it can produce power for in Kentucky.

"Since the applicant has shown to the satisfaction of the Commission," its report said, "that the service now rendered by the protesting utilities is not adequate and, since the record discloses that the utilities are now required and will be required under their proposed construction program to purchase power from without the state, the Commission is of the opinion that they have adequately shown that public convenience and necessity require the certificate be granted to construct the generating and transmission facilities."

Substantial savings in power costs to East Kentucky will be made possible by today's loan, taken into account the latest proposals offered by the power company suppliers.

The six member co-ops to receive initial service from East Kentucky's facilities under the loan are: Jackson County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, McKee; Made County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, Brandenburg; Licking Valley Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, West Liberty; Cumberland Valley Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, Corbin; Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, Paintsville; Grayson Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, Grayson.

MINNIE

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Thornton and children, of Cleveland, Ohio, were visiting friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benner, of Wheelwright, were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Moore.

Miss Deana Moore was the week-end guest of Miss Sue Williams.

Alvin Combs, of Carr Creek, was visiting friends here last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stumbo had as their guests last Sunday, Fanny Collins, Alma Collins and Betty Stephens, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Borders spent the week-end with relatives in Lawrence county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner and Mrs. Mary Combs attended church services last Sunday at Wilson Creek.

WAYLAND

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held, Monday evening, April 21, in the home of Miss Anna Lee Fraley. The meeting was called to order by the new president, Mrs. Charles Adkins, and the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting.

Stamps for Veterans were turned in to Mrs. Charles Adkins who is to mail them to the distribution director.

Mrs. Ruel Hicks requests that club members get their pocket-size novels to her this week in order that she may send them to the veterans hospitals.

Mrs. Edgar Decoursey announced that she has received a letter asking the club to help purchase a seeing-eye dog for a blind veteran.

Since this was the first meeting of a new club year, the evening was a very busy one and each member is determined that this year shall be as successful as the one just completed.

The following committees were appointed by the president to serve during the coming year:

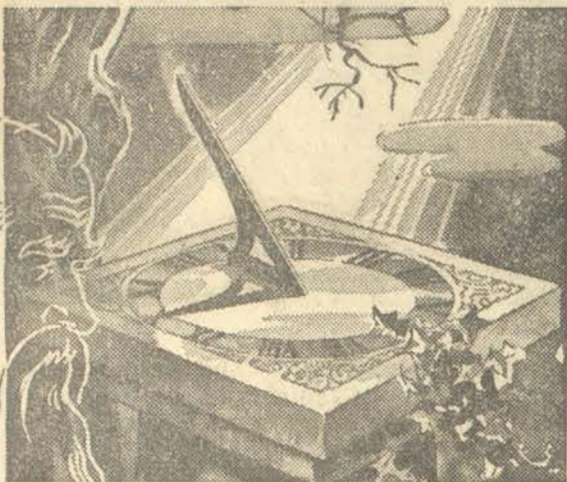
Publicity, Miss Faye Petry, ways and means, Mrs. Ruel Hicks and Miss Annabelle Falin, scholarship, loan, Miss Anna Lee Fraley, scrapbook, Mrs. A. N. Begeley, American homes, Mrs. Edgar Decoursey, flowers, Mrs. Ralph Wright, circulation, Mrs. Henry Fuitt, citizenship, Mrs. Herman Harman, membership, Mesdames A. N. Begeley and Jack Hammett, excuse, Mesdames David Sloan and Edgar Decoursey, Program, Mesdames Edgar Decoursey Charles Adkins, and Miss Anna Lee Fraley.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Herman Harman, Ruel Hicks, David Sloan, Charles Adkins, Edgar Decoursey, and Miss Annabelle Falin, Faye Petry and Anna Lee Fraley.

The next meeting will be May 5 in the home of Mrs. Charles Adkins.

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ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 949,566.75
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,051,412.50
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	141,974.96
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	25,000.00
5. Corporate stocks (including NONE stock of Federal Reserve bank)	10,500.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$355.20 overdrafts)	1,055,884.11
7. Bank premises owned \$12,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$15,645.00	27,645.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,861,983.32

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,606,904.53
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,340,093.50
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	17,281.88
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	465,929.43
17. Deposits of banks	43,696.42
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	27,452.92
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,501,358.79
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,501,358.79

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$100.00	\$ 100,000.00
26. Surplus	250,000.00
27. Undivided profits	10,624.53
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	360,624.53
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,861,983.32

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 510,000.00

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.

(SEAL) RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Cashier.

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B. M. SPURLOCK) Directors.
A. B. COMBS)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of April, 1952.
IRENE MCINTOSH, Notary Public

My commission expires May 17, 1955.

CENSUS RISE IN FLOYD-CO.

In '55, '60 Foretold By U. S. Census Dept.; 55,500 Seen in 1960

(Special To The Times)

New York, April 15—A look into the future of Floyd county, on the basis of state population forecasts made by the United States Census Bureau, indicates that there will be 55,250 people living in the county in 1955 and 55,500 in 1960.

The subject of future population comes to the fore at this time "because the demand for figures of this kind has been very considerable."

While admittedly subject to considerable error, they are realistic enough, it is deemed, to serve as a guide to the business man, manufacturer and government official making per capita estimates for future needs.

The projection method was used to arrive at the figures. The Census Bureau, using three different procedures, come up with low, medium and high estimates for the populations of the various states and regions.

Their results, taking the medium figures, were then carried one step further to obtain county populations. This breakdown was made only for counties that have been changing in population at rates similar to those of their states.

Floyd county, it follows, will be 3.5 percent more populous in 1955 than it was in 1950, going to 55,250. The 1960 population, 55,500, is based on a 4.0 percent rise over 1950.

The state of Kentucky, estimates the Census Bureau, will have a population of 3,064,000 in 1955 and 3,127,000 five years later.

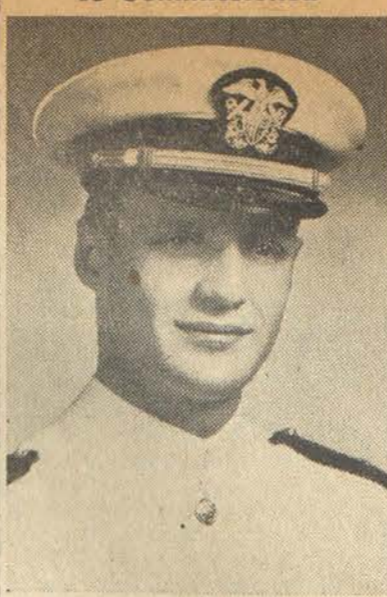
Looking ahead, a general leveling off in the population is foreseen. The rate of growth, which was phenomenal in the early stages of the country, national development has now reached the point where it is increasing less rapidly. This is the fact, despite the decline in infant mortality and the greater longevity achieved through medical science.

Cpl. Sexton Rotated

WITH THE 25TH INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA — Cpl. Leonard Sexton Jr., Garrett, Ky., recently left the 25th Infantry Division on the Korean front for rotation to the United States.

An assistant automatic rifleman in Company E of the 14th Infantry Regiment, Sexton entered the army in January 1951 and arrived in Korea in August, 1951. He has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Is Commissioned



Ensign Edmund A. Smith, Jr., and Mrs. Smith recently concluded a ten-day visit at the home here of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Graham street.

Ensign Smith, who received his commission in the U. S. Naval Reserve March 26 at Newport, R. I., is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith to be so commissioned. Waldo W. Smith and Paul C. Smith each achieved the rank of lieutenant during World War II.

He is currently stationed on the Aircraft Carrier, Saipan based at Norfolk.

Ky. Safety Conference Seeks Public Interest; Makes Recommendations

Frankfort, Ky. — All Kentuckians were asked to interest themselves with safety problems in Kentucky by delegates who attended the Third Annual Governor's Highway Safety Conference in Louisville early this month.

The conference requested that public officials, school officials and members of civic clubs, particularly, become familiar with recommendations made at the meeting and help put them across to the general public. Copies of the proposals will soon be printed and made available to the public.

Included in items recommended at the conference were:

Driver education in all high schools for students at legal driving age.

Organization of safety committees in all communities by public officials and fraternal and service organizations.

Organization of safety committees in schools.

Better safety measures for school buses.

Broadening of highway shoulders to permit mail vehicles and other vehicles stopping on the roadway to pull off the pavement.

Better safety training for highway engineers.

A comprehensive new program of highway lighting and rural side-walks where needed.

Better highway signs and better maintenance of signs.

Legislation to require drivers to take tests more often.

Education of drivers for better and more prompt accident reporting.

Uniform traffic laws in all municipalities.

"Each citizen having an interest in accident reduction should qualify that interest by study and understanding of the recommendations of this conference and he should unhesitatingly speak out for them and for other measures to bring accidents under control," the delegates declared in a resolution.

Some 500 persons from throughout Kentucky attended the conference.

Mayo State Alumni To Sponsor Contest

Mr. D. H. Sparks, President of the Alumni Association of Mayo State Vocational School, Paintsville, Kentucky, announced recently that the members of the Association voted in a recent meeting to sponsor a Project Contest. First prize for the best entry in this contest will be a full two-year course at Mayo State Vocational School with tuition and fees paid by the Alumni Association.

According to Mr. Sparks this contest is being inaugurated to stimulate interest in manual skills and technical training. He said, "According to a recent magazine article, fewer than 15% of the high school graduates attend college. This leaves a high percentage of our people unskilled and untrained for earning a living. Eastern Kentucky has furnished unskilled workers for too long. It is time for Kentuckians to gain the mechanical skill and technical knowledge so that Kentucky may have her rightful place in the mechanical and industrial world of today."

The person submitting the second best entry in this contest will have the opportunity to study for one year at Mayo State Vocational School, tuition free. Mayo School, in cooperation with the Alumni Association, will make this second prize possible, according to Mr. J. L. Patton, Director.

Any high school senior, boy or girl, who will graduate this year (1952) may enter this contest by submitting a project produced by manual skill. Rules of the contest and official entry blanks may be obtained by writing to President, Mayo Alumni Association, Mayo State Vocational School, Paintsville, Ky.

Annual Mother's Day Program

Sunday, May 11, at the Church of God, Prestonsburg, Ky. Services will begin early and continue late. Dinner will be served at the church. If you wish, bring a nice basket and spend the day.

There will be special singing and plenty of Gospel preaching. All churches are invited. Bring your music and singers. There has been much poisonous gossip about the church. Come and see how we do.

GUY RORER

Half Kentucky Farmers In 1952 ACP Program According to Wilson

Approximately half the farmers in Kentucky were enrolled in the 1952 Agricultural Conservation Program as of April 11, R. O. Wilson, chairman of the Production and Marketing Administration state committee, said here today.

A total of 107,166 had signed 1952 conservation plans, listing the practices they expect to adopt this year, on that date, the state PMA chairman said.

Farmers are required to sign up each year in order to be eligible for ACP aid in the form of materials, services, or payments on the conservation practices carried out on their farms.

The number now enrolled in the 1952 ACP is about 64 percent of the total of 166,320 Kentucky farmers enrolled last year, Wilson said. April 30 is the last day to sign up for the 1952 program.

The prospective demand for farm products in 1952 and future years emphasizes the need for conserving and improving our land, Wilson said. Conservation farming is the only effective method of using our land for producing what is needed and, at the same time, maintaining and improving the productive capacity of our soil to assure the needed increased production for the future.

The 1952 ACP offers assistance to each farmer in carrying out conservation activities which will enable him to contribute most to increased and sustained agricultural production, the State PMA chairman declared.

BABE DIES

Clara Stone, infant daughter of George and Opal Nelson Stone, of Prestonsburg, died in the Prestonsburg General hospital, April 24. Burial was in the Stone cemetery, April 25, at Blue River, under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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Fvt. Johnson in Korea

WITH THE 7TH INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA — Pvt. Fred Johnson of Prestonsburg, Ky., is now serving with the 7th Infantry Division on the rain-drenched eastern front in Korea.

Private Johnson, who arrived in Korea on March 20, 1952, is a tankerman in the 17th Infantry Regiment.

Johnson entered the army last September and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., before assignment overseas.

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In Class "F", this magnificent new engine won first place for a Saratoga 6-passenger sedan (125 1/2-inch wheelbase, 4010 pounds). In Class "H", it won first honors for a Saratoga model 8-passenger sedan (139 1/2-inch wheelbase, 4510 pounds). And in the top price and size, Class "I", it was again first, in a Chrysler

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