

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

OCTOBER 30, 1952

This Town-- That World

Watch for Allen's premeditated Presidential poll prognostication next week. It's already written, has been read by various members of our staff; and, right or wrong, is ready for the record. . . Would print it this week, but fear I'd be accused of swaying millions of voters.

GOODY!

For one thing I am deeply grateful, and that is the near approach of the election. It takes a great country to stand these things. Its Constitution is stronger than mine.

NO FUN

Why, the derned election has got so that I haven't found a thing on the funny side about fishing, even, in weeks. It may go so haywire--according to my way of thinking--that there won't be anything funny in future weeks, either.

CANDIDATES FOR BLACK EYES

Why in the name of all that's sensible any man would want to get into a race for the Presidency or into the White House as its chief tenant is beyond me. I've just been reading a new book, THE PRESIDENTENCY, which covers every presidential election since G. Washington got the job by acclamation. And were those guys gluttons for punishment!

You think Truman is the only President who ever got cussed? You should read your history. And if you think present candidates are being roundly abused, smeared fore and aft, and treated as mortal man never before treated outside an amphitheatre with a passel of lions for company, read more words.

During Term No. 1 George Washington, the Father of Our Country, was a demigod. He could do no wrong. Toward the end of Term No. 2, newspaper writers were referring to him as a tyrant, a dictator and "an impostor who should be hurled from his throne." The Philadelphia Aurora even said, "If ever a nation was debauched by a man, the American nation was debauched by Washington."

It is popularly supposed that

GROUP HEARS 2 SENATORS

Lake-Deepening Plans Talked by Underwood, Clements at Meeting

Sportsmen of the area heard last Sunday afternoon informal talks by Senators Thomas R. Underwood and Earle C. Clements which were intended to answer their questions on the possibility of a deeper Dewey Lake.

The meeting, which was not political in nature, was held at the Dewey Lake Restaurant. E. R. Burke, Seventh district supervisor, Division of Fish & Wildlife Resources, acted as moderator of the session.

The two legislators could give the group no definite promise of agreement on the part of the U.S. Corps of Engineers that a deeper lake is justified. They reviewed the action taken recently in Washington when

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Floyd Finance Co. vs. Wid Hall and Dollie Hall; Combs & Combs, attys. W. W. Cooley, executor, et al. vs. Lexie Vaughan; Marshall Davidson, atty. Ethel Lambert Hall vs. McKinley Hall; Paul E. Hays, atty. Harvey Patton vs. McGraw Engineering Co., Inc.; Combs & Combs, attys. Floyd Finance Co. vs. Harry Malkin; Combs & Combs, attys.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dial Hall, 20, and Helen Stewart, 19, both of Honaker; marriage solemnized at Honaker, Oct. 23, by the Rev. J. P. Hall. Melvin Ansel, 19, and Lois Jean Hager, 18, both of Ligon; married at West Prestonsburg, Oct. 23, by the Rev. G. R. Pannin officiating. Marion Hayes, Jr., 28, and Dorothea Claudette Hazans, 18, both of Langley; married at Martin, Oct. 25, by the Rev. Mearl Wadley. James F. Rowe, 18, East McDowell, and Lena Grace Hobbs, 18, Martin; marriage solemnized here, Oct. 25, by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Robert McCoy, 24, Salem, O., and Laura Belle Endicott, 18, Endicott, Ky.; married here, Oct. 28, by the Rev. Alex Stephens.

FOREST FIRES CAUSE HEAVY TIMBER LOSS

Floyd Forest Wardens Battle Woodland Fires On County-Wide Front

Korea has its firing lines and for the last week Floyd county has had its fire-lines as hundreds of acres of forest lands were swept by fire during one of the worst droughts to afflict this season.

Only the Left Beaver Creek section was comparatively free of woodland blazes, and for a week all Eastern Kentucky and a large part of neighboring West Virginia was shrouded by a thick pall of smoke through which the sun peeked as a blood-red ball.

Forrest Burchett, Floyd county forest warden, said no accurate estimate can be made of the number of woodland acres damaged. He added it will be a month yet before an accurate picture of the loss can be put together.

The first Floyd county fire started Sunday, Oct. 19, on Sand Branch, on the west side of the river between Emma and Lancer after a season unmarred by woodland damage. Others followed in quick succession till fire crews were unable to meet the situation.

Communities where destructive fires spread were the Dewey Lake-Auxier area, Stephens Branch, Prestonsburg-Lancer, Buck's Branch,

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DEPT. CLOSES THREE MINES

Truck Mines Ruled In Safety Violation; Judge Issues Writs

Three Floyd county truck mines on Big Mud Creek have been ordered closed by the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals for violation of the safety provisions of the mining laws.

Warrants charging illegal use of black powder were issued this week by Floyd County Judge Henry Stumbo. They are scheduled for serving by the Kentucky State Police.

One warrant named the Emert Hall and Son Coal Company's No. 1 mine at Teaberry, and two others named the operators of the Ernel Isaac and Emitt Jones Coal Company's No. 1 mine, also at Teaberry.

Kentucky mining laws, for safety reasons, prohibit the use of black powder as a blasting agent.

Four Pike county truck mine operators were fined \$25 and costs each recently on the same charge. Conviction carries a fine of from \$25 to \$100 on the first offense.

The Floyd county mines were ordered closed after an inspection by Senior Inspector Elmer Layne and Inspectors T. D. Thacker and Raymond See.

COAL STRIKE ENDS MONDAY

Pay Increase Review Promised, Report Heard; Lewis Ends Stoppage

The week-long mine strike which followed the Wage Stabilization Board's refusal to approve the \$1.90-a-day granted the miners in the new bituminous coal contract ended Monday night as John L. Lewis, UMW president, requested the men to return to work.

Some of the night shifts worked in this county Monday, and only those mines which lack orders were idle today.

Lewis called off the week-long strike, as he was asked to do by President Truman, amid reports the full miners' wage increase of \$1.90 will get the government's approval. The Wage Stabilization Board had cut the boost to \$1.50 in setting off the walkout.

The operators were taking a "wait-and-see" attitude. As one put it, "We never take anything for granted. When we see them back at work, we'll believe it."

Hammonds Enters Plea Of Guilty; Is Fined

Harold Hammonds, of Prestonsburg, entered a plea of guilty Sunday before County Judge Henry Stumbo to a charge of having received unemployment benefits totaling \$96 while employed.

He was fined \$10 and costs for each of the two weeks covered in the charge after agreeing to pay the Division of Unemployment Insurance the remainder of the \$96 due. He already had repaid \$20 of the amount.

RATLIFF HELD WITHOUT BOND

Martin Man Accused Of Rape; Examining Trial Held Monday

After hearing at an examining trial here Monday testimony that W. J. (Jack) Ratliff, Martin man, had raped a woman of that community, County Judge Henry Stumbo ordered that Ratliff be held in jail without bond and went a step further by requiring that Ratliff execute a \$5,000 peace bond.

Jailed Saturday night by Martin Policeman Herschell Lester, Ratliff was accused by Mrs. Ira Eden of seizing her as she walked past the rear of a Martin restaurant, overpowering her, threatening to kill her and of attacking her repeatedly.

A packed courtroom heard sordid details of the alleged crime.

Bert Eden, brother-in-law of the complainant, told of her arrival at his home Saturday night, battered and bleeding, and of her report of the incident. He said he called Martin police soon thereafter.

Ratliff testified he was in the theatre at the time the crime was said to have been committed.

Unless the accused man later produces evidence which may justify granting of bail, he will remain in jail till the grand jury convenes in January.

Estill Bolen was jailed here Monday night by Deputy Sheriff Ransie Marcum after Bolen had fled the county jail, shortly after he had been taken there and fingerprinted by State Detective J. C. Combs.

Bolen was arrested by Detective Combs on a charge of conversion after he allegedly had sold an automobile for which he had not paid and had not been issued a bill of sale.

Bolen fled before jail attendants had taken him to upstairs quarters in the building and as attendants' attention was attracted momentarily away from him. He was arrested at Auxier by Deputy Sheriff Marcum.

PERKINS HITS G.O.P. RECORD

Smoke Pall Prevents Underwood Appearance For Saturday Address

An estimated 500 persons at the courthouse here Saturday heard Congressman Carl D. Perkins laud the aims of the Democratic party as a program of elevating the living standards of all people and at the same time slam into the opposition as one of sad disillusionment.

The Congressman was to have been joined at the rally here by U. S. Senator Thomas R. Underwood, but smoke from forest fires blanketed this section and made impossible a landing of Underwood's plane at either the David airport or at Pikeville. He was forced to fly back to Huntington, W. Va., for a landing and to make the trip to this section by auto. He arrived here too late for the speaking date but appeared with Congressman Perkins, Senator Earle C. Clements and others at the rally sponsored by Young Democratic Clubs at Pikeville that night.

Declaring that "the Democratic party can furnish the leadership to save our freedoms," Perkins said the voters have been disillusioned because "Eisenhower is lined up with the Jenners and the McCarthys."

The Congressman said he was assigned in Congress to the same committee with Senator Nixon who at that time was a Congressman from California. "I know Nixon's views," he said. "Nixon supported the Taft-Hartley Act." He added that the federal aid to education bill which he sponsored was killed by one vote, and that was Nixon's.

Hitting at the Republican record in the 80th Congress, the speaker charged that the G. O. P. put appropriations for the Soil Conservation Service and Rural Electrification Administration. John Sherman Cooper, the Republican Senatorial candidate, he said, voted

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Stress Placed on Clean Election

LARGE GATHERING OF DISTRICT METHODISTS EXPECTED HERE SUNDAY FOR MASS MEETING; DR. JOHN H. HOLLISTER TO ADDRESS GROUP

Several hundred Methodists of the Ashland District are expected to attend a mass meeting at 3:30 p.m., Sunday at the First Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, it was said this week.

Principal speaker for the significant meeting will be Dr. John H. Hollister, Charleston, W. Va., a Methodist district superintendent.

The meeting will be one of seven being held in the eastern half of Kentucky to climax and conclude the East Unit of the Methodist Evangelistic Mission.

The evangelistic mission, biggest project ever undertaken by the Methodist churches of Kentucky and western Tennessee, is being conducted in two units. The East Unit, covering the eastern half of the state, began October 24 and will end Sunday. The West Unit, including western Kentucky and western Tennessee, will be concluded November 14-23.

Massed choir will sing in all the mass meetings, and there will be several special features on the programs.

BOARD CALLS PREINDUCTEES

College Test Dates Set, Board Here Announces; 37 Called for Nov. 3

A pre-induction call for 37 men to report for examination November 3 has been issued. The first induction call for the month will be for 15 men, November 12.

Miss Marian Salisbury, clerk of Draft Board 25, said dates for College Qualification Tests have been set. The first will be given December 4; the second on April 23. Application must be made by November 1. Those for the April test must be in by midnight, March 9.

Names and addresses of those to report for pre-induction examination follow:

Willie Howell, Craynor; Oakley Robinson, Martin; Wheeler Robinson, Martin; Charlie Howell, Grethel; Lonzie McKenzie (formerly of Brainard, now of Cary, O.); Ned Hall (formerly of Galveston, now of Dayton, O.); Bruce E. Watkins (formerly of Glo, now of Dayton, O.); John M. Hall, Weeksbury; Norman Chester Osborne, Prestonsburg; Hager Scott, Hueysville; John Henry Endicott (formerly of Endicott, now of West Liberty, Ky.); Russell Clark Galveston; Norris Johnson (formerly of Bypro, now of Detroit, Mich.); Roland Blackburn, Jr. (formerly of Emma, now of Ypsilanti, Mich.); Obra McKinney, Amba; Raymond Pinion, Auxier; Ballard Little, Jr., Weeksbury; Orville Moore, Dema; Dennis Delong, Banner; Ira Hamilton, Risner.

Russell Stephens Parsons, Allen; Daniel Edward Hughes, West Prestonsburg; Johnnie Lewis, Martin; Darwin Crider, Lancer; Jot Marson Marslett, West Prestonsburg; Melvin Howard, Jr., Wayland; Green-ville Stone, Blue River; Asbury Boyd, Ivel; Clyde Gearheart (formerly of Hueysville, now of Columbus, O.); Russell Keathley, Dony; Earl Allen Horn, Ligon; Willard Hughes, Hueysville; Freddie Hamilton, Teaberry; Woodrow Mullins, Bevinsville; Brewie Gene Turner (formerly of Martin, now of Tribby, O.); Kenneth Keathley, Teaberry; Carl Joseph, Prestonsburg; Revis Allen (formerly of East McDowell, now of Lorain, O.); Guy Milton Tibbs, Betsy Layne; Russell E. Boyd, Betsy Layne; William Isaac, Jr., Wayland; Carlus Wright, West Prestonsburg; Ellis Stone, Halo; Fred Samons, Martin; Henry Tackett, Beaver.

Individual first-place winners in the various events:
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RURAL PUPILS IN FIELD DAY

Four Gold Cup Awards Made, Result of Tie; Many Here for Event

In perfect weather, except for the smoke, the best rural school athletes of the county vied for honors here Saturday in the fourth annual Floyd county rural school field day, and their exhibitions of speed and skill were witnessed by a crowd of perhaps 1,500.

Four gold cups, not the three originally planned were awarded, because, said Otis Spurlock, rural school supervisor and manager of the field day, two schools, Clear Creek and Adams, tied for first place in the matter of total points in the 8-12-year age group. The Stone Coal school won the gold cup award for top performance in volleyball, and the Horn Branch school received the fourth for excelling in the 13-16-year group.

In fact, Home Branch won four first places during the day and came in second in one. The Clear Creek and Adams schools won three first places and one second place.

Outstanding individual performers in the meet were T. J. Jarvis, Jr., of Home Branch; Darryl Stone, of Needmore; T. J. Hicks, of Stone Coal; and Homer Osborne, of Salvers Branch.

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RADIO STATION SOON ON AIR

Work on Station WPRT Is Nearing Completion; Gets Permit Renewal

Radio Station WPRT, Prestonsburg, should go on the air shortly after November 16, the station owner, D. C. Stephens, and Rex Osborne, station manager, said this week.

The Mountain Broadcasting Company was recently granted a renewal of its permit and since that time has been rushing construction of installation on the Mayo farm on U.S. 23, a mile south of Prestonsburg. The station's 250-foot tower was raised Saturday.

The station will have 1,000-watt power and will be at 960 spot on the radio dial. Present plans call for a full daytime schedule, with broadcasts to include national and local news, sports, personality and public service programs.

Edwin P. Healy, installation and chief engineer, said late engineering techniques employed and quality equipment used in the station will give WPRT the best area coverage in the Big Sandy section. Formal opening date of the station will be announced later, it was said.

The Federal Communications Commission last week also granted a permit to the Elkhorn Broadcasting Company for construction of a second radio station here. Plans of the firm will probably be announced within the next few days.

Fall Frolic Planned By School Groups Here To Raise Needed Funds

Four groups of Prestonsburg high school, the glee club, band, H. Y. and Y-Teen Clubs, will stage the Fall Frolics at the grade school auditorium, the night of Nov. 3, to raise funds to defray expenses of school representatives to the Kentucky Youth Assembly at Frankfort and to the district and state music festivals.

The Frolics, beginning at 7:30 p.m., will include a fashion show, an amateur hour, with numerous side attractions, climaxed by the crowning of the school king and queen.

Patrons of the school will not be solicited for funds for these purposes in any way except to buy tickets for the Nov. 3 event, it was said this week.

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at Canada; 11:15 a.m., worship at McVeigh; 12:30 p.m., Sunday School at Ball's Fork, and evening services at Inez at 7:30. Wednesday night is prayer meeting night at McVeigh and Thursday night is church time at Ball's Fork. In addition, he carries on an intensive chapel program in the county schools and is in constant demand for college addresses and evangelistic meetings.

Before coming to direct the parish, Bembower held pastorates in Philadelphia, Pa., and Middlepoint, Ohio. He is a graduate of Wheaton College and Princeton Seminary.

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POLL NO. 2 SHOWS STEVENSON LEADING

Prestonsburg high school got into the straw vote business last week as an exercise in government for the pupils, and Democrats held an edge in the poll. The results: Stevenson, 242; Eisenhower, 196. Underwood, 247; Cooper, 178.

LIGHT DOCKET OF 134 CASES

Ready for Court Term Which Begins Monday; List 3 Murder Cases

The lightest docket in years--134 cases--will face the Floyd circuit court as it convenes Monday for the November criminal term.

Three murder cases are listed in the docket, and one of these, set for trial Nov. 12, names three persons, Milt Hunt, his wife, and Marlon Yates, as defendants. The second, docketed for Nov. 17, has two men, Ernest Scott and High Pitch, booked for trial. A third case, that in which Sid Conley is accused of the shotgun shooting of his wife, will not be heard during the term, since Conley is a mental patient at Eastern State hospital, Lexington.

As usual, child desertion cases comprise a heavy part of the docket. Twenty-nine of the 134 are for that offense.

Second trial of Gloria Cramer on charges of armed robbery and unlawful imprisonment, both growing out of her alleged abduction at gun's point of a man whom she allegedly forced to drive her from South Williamson to Betsy Layne, is scheduled for Nov. 19. The first trial at the September court term resulted in a "hung" jury.

Willis Clay Henry, Mt. Sterling man who was acquitted of an armed robbery charge here at the September term, is booked for trial, Nov. 25, on a charge of unlawful imprisonment. The charge arose out of allegations made by D. C. Stephens, Prestonsburg, that Henry and a companion robbed him and locked him in a vault at Stephens' dental laboratory.

Only a petit jury will be empaneled for the term. The next grand jury session will be in January. Names of petit jurors to serve at the coming court session follow:

Eva Horn, West Prestonsburg; Nora Brown, Garrett; Tilden Boyd, Emma; Henry Harris, West Prestonsburg; Ruth Isabell, Prestonsburg; Abel Hall, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Carrie Banks, Wayland; Nancy Caudill, Prestonsburg; Wm. Blackburn, Prestonsburg; Thomas Patrick, Langley; Daisy McGuire, West

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BLOOD TOTAL IS 98 PINTS

Mine Shutdown Holds W'Wright Total Down; Blood Need Is Greater

Wheelwright fell just shy of the 100-pint mark when the bloodmobile visited that community last Wednesday, it was reported here by Red Cross headquarters. The total received was 97 pints.

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\$1,100 RAISED FOR REWARDS LEAGUE OFFERS

County Clerk Reminds Election Officers Law Asks Name Comparison

The accent was being placed this week on a clean election in Floyd county next Tuesday.

Election officers and common voters were being reminded that this is a federal election and that violations are breaches of federal law.

The Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League had \$1,100 already pledged to use as rewards for the conviction of violators. It continued its drive for clean-election funds and this week was distributing 2,500 handbills offering a reward of \$100 for each person proved guilty of violation of the Corrupt Practices Act. The League also sent to each election officer a leaflet reminding them of the federal status of the election and warning them against the chain-ballot and other possible election violations. Poll officials were asked to cooperate by reporting all infractions.

County Clerk DuRan Moore also sought publicity for the state law which requires election officers to have each voter to sign a comparative signature book and to compare that signature with the voter's registration signature before issuing the voter a ballot.

"If they fail to do this, I'm afraid somebody may get into trouble," Mr. Moore said.

Interest in the election mounts with each day of the waning campaign, and the number of absentee ballot requests filed here was on indication of voter-interest. Approximately 300 persons had filed application for absentee ballots as of Tuesday morning with the County Clerk's office here. This was taken to mean that there is more interest, or that there is an unusual number of Floyd countians away from home; or it could mean both.

Reading from left to right, the Floyd county voters next Tuesday will be confronted by these names on his ballot:

For President and Vice-President: Adlai E. Stevenson and John J.

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GIRL SCOUTS OFFER HELP

To Act as Baby-Sitters For Women-Voters; Name District Officers for '53

Girl Scouts in Prestonsburg will do their part in getting out the vote next Tuesday by acting as voters' aides.

Harrassed mothers will find at least two intermediate Girl Scouts at the voting grounds from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. to care for and entertain children. Senior Girl Scouts will be available as baby-sitters at the homes of those who wish them. For morning hours, call Mrs. Ray Howard (2137). For afternoon hours, call Mrs. Arnold Compton (3821).

Troop 20, of Pikeville, was hostess troop to the semi-annual dinner of the Sandy Valley Girl Scouts Council at Pikeville, Tuesday, October 21. It was reported that the Camp Committee would go ahead with plans, get estimates and work out other details in order that work may get underway by spring on the proposed Girl Scout camp on Dewey Lake. Other activities discussed include the financial drive which will begin soon and the annual cookie sale which will be held during the latter part of March or early May.

Following are names of officers elected at the meeting for next year: President, Marie Summerville, Pikeville; Chairman of Board, Mrs. T. J. Parker, Wheelwright; Secretary, Mrs. Franklin D., Pikeville; Treasurer, Mildred Gilmore, Pikeville; Board of Directors, Mrs. J. H. Field, Wheelwright, Mrs. William Crawford, David, Mrs. Ray Howard, Prestonsburg; Membership Nominating committee, chairman, Mrs. George Leatherman, Wheelwright, Mr. Ora Howard, David, Mrs. Woodrow Burchett, Prestonsburg, Fanny M. Howell, Pikeville.

Betsy Layne was represented for the first time at this meeting. Until further organization, Betsy Layne, Martin, Allen and Maytown will each send one representative to meetings of the Council.

Chamber of Commerce Backs Search for "Mystery Metal"

The Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce Monday evening voted funds to carry on prospecting for a "mystery metal" which could with the aid of science not only save the county's coal business but eventually make it an industry more profitable than ever before.

The mystery metal is germanium, a grayish-white substance of crystal structure similar to diamonds which is worth \$350 a pound and which was brought into demand during World War II when its value became recognized in use for small electronic components. Already it has been found in West Virginia coal. The Chamber of Commerce hopes it is present in Floyd county seams.

The substance was discovered in 1898, in Germany, and takes its name from that country. It ranks in rareness with titanium and uranium.

Prospecting for germanium hitherto has almost exclusively been in the

hands of college professors. Not so here. The Chamber of Commerce here has named one of its members, Hansford May, chairman of a committee to handle coal samples which the public may submit, and the Chamber then will finance analysis of these samples. Concentrations of germanium are found in the organic matter of coal, usually in the top or bottom five inches of the seam, it was said.

The Corpse Smote the Mourners: Cats Defeat Belfry Hi, 26 to 14

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Washington declined a third term in order to avoid setting a precedent, but historians now believe the sad state of his once-great popularity may have had something to do with his decision.

Then there was John Adams, a gentleman for whom most of us have a right high regard. Back in his day, though, they described our second President as "vain, irritable, stubborn, egotistical and quarrelsome. Did they curl his peruke! They said, as many were later to say of others, that he was ruining the country."

In the election campaign which Thomas Jefferson won over Adams, one Timothy Dwight of Yale prophesied that if Jefferson and his followers were victorious, "our wives and daughters would become the victims of legal prostitution, soberly dishonored, speciously polluted." They later said Jefferson had openly declared that honor, integrity and love of the Constitution were not yet qualifications for the office. Jefferson paid off the national debt, the nation prospered during his administration—but, said his critics, he was trying to help the rich by repealing internal taxes and was trying to pull down the federal government.

And what they didn't say about the others—about the great Lincoln, for one. And Andrew Jackson, whose only regret when he left the White House was that he hadn't shot Henry Clay and hanged John C. Calhoun.

Right now, they're flinging charges round and about, and we think it's just awful, depending on whether we're hit or the other fellow is. But what about that campaign wherein James G. Blaine and Grover Cleveland had at each other?

Both Blaine, the famed "plumed knight," and Cleveland, an illustrious governor of New York, emerged from that scrap with cauliflower ears, so to speak. The Democrats gave wide publicity to charges that Blaine had received bribes from the Little Rock Railroad, and Cleveland was accused of fathering a son without benefit of clergy. And you should have seen the cartoons of the day!

Oh, well! It's a great country. Greater, even, than that country which claims it invented "beizbol."

BABE SUCCEDES

Funeral of Judy, three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Greer, who died last Thursday at the Beaver Valley hospital, was conducted Saturday by the Rev. Estill Hughes and burial was made in the family cemetery on Spurlock fork of Left Beaver, the Turner Funeral Home directing. The parents, two brothers, Dale Douglas and John Paul, and one sister, Brenda Sue, survive.

At the half Belfry carried out the "corpse" and blew taps for Prestonsburg, but the Black Cats took a page out of Mark Twain and proved to all and sundry last Saturday night at Williamson, W. Va., that the report of their death was greatly exaggerated.

At the halftime juncture, true, the Cats were doing a fairly good job of playing dead. They had scored a first period touchdown but after that had done nothing much while hitherto undefeated Belfry was rolling up 14 points.

What Coach Ferrell said during the intermission does not appear on the record, but the huge crowd saw a different Black Cat team with the beginning of the third quarter.

The result: The Cats went on to score three more touchdowns, hold the Pirates scoreless and pull the game out of the fire, 26 to 14. A series of passes and Dixon's 20-yard run set up Prestonsburg's early score, and Chaffins plunged over from the two. Before that, however, during an exchange of punts Belfry had scored and run the ball across for the extra point. Prestonsburg's kick was wide, leaving the Cats trailing Belfry, 7 to 6. The Pirates' early touchdown came when Dixon received a punt on his two, was hit hard and fumbled into the end zone as he started to run. King, of Belfry, covered the ball.

After Prestonsburg had brought the score to 7-6, Belfry took over and marched from its 45 to the Prestonsburg 20 on straight football. Then a pass to Moran annexed the Pike countians' second and last touchdown. The conversion attempt was good.

Coach Ferrell's boys came roaring back to start the third period. After Chaffins and Lowell Hughes had alternated in working the ball upfield on pitchouts from Delmar Hughes, Lowell Hughes raced 18 yards for the marker. The kick for extra point was good.

The Cats' quarterback added a

Korea Veteran, Killed In New Mexico Mishap, Buried on Abbott-Cr.

Funeral services were held Monday for Cpl. Carl Whitaker, Korean veteran, who was killed in an automobile accident October 21, as he was being taken to an army hospital in El Paso, Texas from Las Cruces, N. M. He was 22 years old.

Cpl. Whitaker entered the army in January 1949 and spent 13 months in Korea, where he was wounded. On his return to the United States, he was discharged from service. He later re-inlisted and was stationed at White Sands Proving Grounds, Las Cruces, N. M. He was being taken from there to El Paso for treatment of a leg wound received in Korea, when a blow-out caused the ambulance in which he was riding to overturn, killing Cpl. Whitaker.

He was a son of Minifee and Julia Wright Whitaker, of Abbott Creek, who survive. Also surviving are the following brothers and sisters, Cledis, Clyde, Edgie, and Raymond, all of Marion, O., Douglas, of Mishawka, Ind., Donald, at home, Mrs. George Ratliff, South Bend, Ind., Mrs. Orville Dotson, West Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites were conducted from the home at 2 p.m., Monday. The Revs. Alex Stephens and Paris Music officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of Carter and Callihan Funeral Home.

OBITUARY

Estill W. Collins, age 38, formerly of 824 Logan street, Louisville, Ky., son of Dr. G. C. Collins, of Martin, and Mrs. G. C. Collins, 824 Logan street, Louisville, expired of a long illness, Tuesday, Oct. 20, at 8 p.m.

Mr. Collins was a member of the Catholic Church and a graduate of Bardstown College, Bardstown. He is survived by his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Grasham, Louisville. Mrs. Grasham, N.R.A., who is a graduate nurse of St. Mary's and Elizabeth's hospital, Louisville, attended Estill during his last illness; also, Miss Edith Collins, R.N.A., Chicago, Ill., who is a graduate nurse of St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer M. Collins, Prestonsburg, Ky., and a son, Grover Mason Collins, Hite, Ky.

The body lay in state from Tuesday night through Friday at the Turner Funeral Home, Martin, and then was removed to the Miller Funeral Home, Ashland. The funeral was conducted from the Catholic Church, Ashland, on Saturday, Oct. 25, at 9 a.m.

The pallbearers were: Mr. Carl Kirk, Auburn avenue, Mr. Marcus Spradlin, Bath avenue, Mr. Harlow Stamper, Winchester avenue, Mr. Buck Goldstein, all of Ashland, and Mr. Ray Turner, Martin, Ky.

The funeral was under the direction of the Turner Funeral Home, Martin, it.

DENVER — The Rocky Mountain News in a copyrighted story claimed a survey by the paper shows the Colorado farm vote will go overwhelmingly to Eisenhower.

St. LOUIS — Sen. Taft R. Ohio said the Democrats deliberately create inflation before every election "to make it look prosperous."

NED DELHI — The Indian Defense Ministry announced completion of arrangements for the loan from the British of three frigates.

Susie Etta Francis, 4, Dies at Martin Hospital Of Burns Suffered Wed.

Susie Etta Francis, four year old daughter of Arvil Lee and Helen Francis died at the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin, October 24. She succumbed to burns suffered when her clothes had caught fire at an open fireplace on the preceding Wednesday.

Surviving besides the parents are two brothers, Thomas Lee and Roger Dale at home. Funeral rites were conducted at the home, Oct. 26, and burial was in the Tom Martin cemetery at Garrett under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Washington — The Pentagon says that no decision has been reached on reported plans to relieve General James Van Fleet as Eighth Army commander in Korea.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I want to talk to you about Tuesday's school race. During the three months I have been your Superintendent we have worked night and day to put a good school program in operation. In this undertaking we have had your cooperation and good will. And I am sure you wish to be just and fair-minded in regard to the School Board race. But lest the chicanery that goes with elections may mislead you I want to give you some facts. The facts are these:

Some of the candidates are running against the administration, yet in certain places they are saying they are for the administration.

We had nothing to do with their candidacy, but are trying to keep the Board free of next year's Sheriff's race. We are not trying to elect magistrates nor any other public officials. We are school people and not politicians.

For schools free of political interference, for a harmonious and progressive Board, for improved transportation, for lunch rooms, for better business practices, for more buildings and better teachers, I strongly urge you to support JOHN E. CAMPBELL in District No. 5, and JOHN M. (Lightning) STUMBO, JR., in District No. 3, for members of the Board of Education.

V. O. TURNER,
County Superintendent of Schools

Let the PEOPLE Know the TRUTH

I want to take this opportunity, just like my opponent, to state certain principles for which I stand and to set out for the record the position I shall take if elected your member of the Board of Education from District 3.

My opponent devotes 10 paragraphs to his statement. In eight of them he lambasts the Betsy Layne school system. From what we gather from his statement that school must be the only issue in this campaign. We wish he were right.

Let us look at the record. Instead of being hand-picked by the politicians from outside the district, I became a candidate at the urging of men and women from every section of the district—from Betsy Layne, Mare Creek, Little Mud, Toler, Big Mud Creek, Johns Creek and Ligon. I could name the people who urged my candidacy but their sponsorship is so well known to the general public that it is unnecessary to name them.

Let us look at those who sponsor Mr. Bush's candidacy if we can see through the smoke screen of the Betsy Layne high school issue he has thrown in to obscure his real intentions. Do you see any "big time" politicians working for him? Sure you do, and politicians work only for themselves.

You know my folks, and that there cannot possibly be anyone in my family wanting jobs. I would like to ask my opponent how many in his family are teachers. Would he tell us what he intends to do at Betsy Layne? Does he want to gather up all his people and cram them into the Betsy Layne school system? His folks are good teachers and have representation on the present faculty. But we wanted to ask. The public would like an answer.

Any school can improve but if a school satisfies the vast majority of patrons, then it is functioning well in our democracy. It certainly is not a below-standard school. If there has been any strife it has been because the administration there has resisted interference from groups who themselves would like to dominate the school. The school belongs to the people of the district—the entire river section it serves and Mud Creek. If it were to cease serving all the people all the time its excuse for being would cease.

It is unnecessary to remind my opponent and his supporters that in a democracy the people rule by the orderly process of the ballot. In this well ordered democracy we envision the minority accepts the verdict of the majority and cooperate to promote unity and progress. Agitation and destructive criticism only foster and thwart the majority decision. Let us join in this orderly expression of a people's will. Go to the polls and when the people have expressed themselves abide by it. It is the American way. All else is disunity and useless strife.

In soliciting your vote I will say that I am committed to no one. I owe no man a promise, for no man has asked it of me. All the promise I have made is to myself and my conscience. With that conscience as the guide and no "big time" politicians to serve, I will do a good job for you. Your support upon that statement of principle is solicited and will be appreciated.

JOHN M. STUMBO, JR.

(Pol. Adv.)

fourth touchdown for good measure after he and his mates had worked the ball to the three on straight football. His kick for extra point was good.

The starting Prestonsburg line-up: Ousley and Hill, ends; Prater and Goble, tackles; Grigsby and Wells, guards; Bradley, center; Delmar Hughes, Chaffins, Dixon and Lowell Hughes, backs.

Others who saw a lot of action in the game were Harris, Salyers, Shepherd, Baldrige and Laferty.

In the line Randall Wells, a sophomore playing his first year as a regular, Gordon Goble and Paul Ousley were outstanding. Shepherd turned in a fine defensive game in the backfield.

The Cats go to Wayland Friday night for their last game before winding up the regular season here against their traditional foe, the Paintsville Tigers.

Prestonsburg Women Presented in Concert

Mrs. Elizabeth Leete Stephens, soprano, and Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James were presented in concert by Miss Elinor B. Clay, president of the River Raisin Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812, in the Red Room of the Lafayette hotel, Lexington, Wednesday, Oct. 22.

Mrs. Doris Davis Owen, pianist for the Louisville Symphony Orchestra, was accompanist.

Saturday afternoon, Oct. 25, Mrs. George Lee Smith, president of the Saturday Matinee Musicale, Richmond, presented Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. James and Miss Laura Virginia Roberts in a lecture recital of folk music in period costume. Mrs. James has been re-appointed state chairman of Folk Music for the Kentucky Federation of Music Clubs.

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Sunday—
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 7:30 p.m.—Special prayer service for coming evangelistic services.

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

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they and Congressman Carl D. Perkins appeared before the Corps of Engineers and procured from the chairman of the Public Works committee a request that the engineers make a study of the reservoir, with a view to its deepening.

That survey has been authorized. The actual work, said Senator Clements, will depend on what the engineers see in greater recreational advantages, with all flood control values retained, as a result of a deeper body of water.

"A few years ago," he said, "there was a tendency on the part of most people to scoff at talk of recreational advantages and tourist attractions. But fewer and fewer people are doubting these advantages now."

The Senator saw more impoundments as one answer to the recreational and flood control needs of the section, adding that Dewey Lake will never be large enough to meet the demands of the area. Three flood control dams similar to Dewey were authorized for this section while A. J. May was chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, he recalled, adding that the Corps of Engineers is inclined to build the dam at Fishtrap in Pike county, next when and if defense needs drop to the extent that such projects can be undertaken.

Turning to the subject of river canalization, Senator Clements declared, "The whole future of this section is dependent on what is done with Big Sandy. The blight must be taken from these hills."

He suggested that the fight for canalization must be so organized that every interest in the section is represented and that technical information as to the value of the waterway to transportation now and in the future be assembled with such care that the data submitted will stand up under attack from the opposition.

Ex-Congressman A. J. May spoke briefly and movingly of the loyalty of the two Senators to him in his battle for canalization and other phases of his career.

Conservation Supervisor Burke pointed out that a larger lake will not only accommodate more people but will provide more spawning ground for fish and make fishing better. He added that it can no longer be denied—the impoundment lacks an adequate supply of fish.

Society
 Notes

Mrs. H. C. Francis, Mrs. B. F. Combs and Mrs. Cora Sturgill were guests Sunday of Mrs. K. J. Day after attending the Methodist evangelistic rally at Pikeville. Mrs. Hillard Smith and Mrs. Rebecca Cornett, of Deland, Fla., also were guests of the Days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel and R. D. Francis were business visitors in Lexington, Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Gatewood, of Huntington, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Combs, and family.

Miss Mary Belle Layne, student at Eastern State College, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts visited her brother, W. B. Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson in Lexington, last week.

Miss Laura Virginia Roberts spent the week-end in Richmond, the guest of Miss Mary Martha Williams, who is a student at Eastern State College.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cochran, of Wilmington, Del., were guests the latter part of last week of Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose spent several days at Cherokee Lake recently.

Mrs. E. S. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and little son, Stephen Reynolds were business visitors in Louisville, the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Forrest Skaggs and children, of Hazard, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy E. Sturgill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garnett, of Hazard, visited her mother, Mrs. Laura M. Davidson, and family here last week.

W. J. May and son, William James, Jr., returned home Wednesday from Louisville where they attended the 58th annual convention of the Kentucky Bankers Association. Mr. May is cashier of The Bank Josephine and president of the 9th District group of Kentucky bankers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Payne, of Glasgow, visited their daughter, Mrs. D. T. Ferrell, and family last week.

A/3c Malcolm Burke has returned to Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois, after spending a few days' leave with his parents at West Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fossett and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bias, and children, of Kalamazoo, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris, of West Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burke and daughter, of West Prestonsburg, have been visiting friends and relatives at Silver Lake, Indiana.

ATTEND WEDDING
 Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer and son, Raleigh, and Mrs. Fanny Archer, of Paintsville, returned Sunday from Corning, N. Y., where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Fanny Archer's nephew, Harry LaViers, Jr., of Paintsville, to Miss Barbara Sue Purple, of Corning. The ceremony was performed Saturday in a Corning Presbyterian Church.

GUESTS AT DAY HOME
 Mrs. H. C. Francis, Sr., Mrs. B. F. Combs and Mrs. Cora Sturgill were guests Sunday of K. J. Day in Pikeville after attending the Methodist evangelistic meeting in Pikeville that morning. Other guests at the Day home were Mrs. Harlan Cornett and Mrs. H. H. Smith, of Deland, Florida.

ATTEND FUNERAL
 Among the out-of-town friends and relatives attending the funeral here last Thursday of W. M. Dingus were:

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Osborne, Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Ford and son, of Berea, Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Dingus, of Hite, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen, of Martin, Richard L. Dingus, Cincinnati, O., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rappold, Huntington, W. Va., Frank Conley, East Point, Mrs. Sol Crisp, Martin, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Justice, Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Layne, Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Harmon and John W. Layne, of Owingsville, Jesse Blanton, of McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fulton, Coalwood, W. Va., J. E. Frazier, N. O. Allen, Alpharetta, Grover Stephens, Goodloe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dingus, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dingus, Martin, Leon Buskirk, of Inez, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb, Allen, Mrs. Tonia Blanton, McDowell, Russell Rice, East Point, J. L. Gunnell, Emma, Mrs. James Gunnell, Emma, Doug Hays, McDowell, Mrs. Harry Burke, Bonanza, Mrs. Charles Stumbo, Lancer, Mrs. Vera Pendleton, Jenkins, Bert N. Porter, Emma, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Dennington, Salyersville, Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Millie Gibson, West Prestonsburg, Sylvia Newman, Hi Hat, Mrs. Jimmy Davis, Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Newman, Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Newman, Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, Langley, Mrs. Orris Gearheart, Martin, Mrs. Elizabeth May, Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldrige, East Point, Mr. and Mrs. Mann Preston, Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Martin, Wayland.

Lancer Man Succumbs After 3-Week Illness; Was Johns-Cr. Native

Daniel Webster Blackburn, 65, died at his home at Lancer, Saturday, Oct. 25, after a illness of three weeks. He was a retired farmer and carpenter.

He was a son of the late William and Elizabeth Burchett Blackburn and was married to Minnie Curtis of West Virginia. He was born on Johns Creek and lived most of his life on Buffalo Fork. He lived for awhile, in recent years, in Lawrence county, but returned to Floyd county about six months ago.

He is survived by his wife and the following sons and daughters: Allen, Arthur and Otis, Columbus, Ohio; Everett, Williamson, W. Va.; Homer, Michigan; Willard, Coal Grove, O.; James Wesley, at home; Mrs. Anna Belle Goble, Lancer; Mrs. Cora Gilham, Cold Water, O.

Surviving are the following brothers and sisters: Cain Blackburn, Weeksburg; Crit Blackburn, Woods; Roland Blackburn, Emma and Mrs. Dixie Jarvis, Woods.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday, Oct. 27, 2 p.m., at the home, the Rev. Henry Crider officiating. Burial was in the Weddington cemetery here under the direction of Arnold Funeral Home.

Mrs. Isabelle Terry, Heart Attack Victim; Rites Held Wednesday

Mrs. Isabelle Hayes Terry, 37 years old, wife of Shelley Terry, died suddenly shortly after noon Monday at her home on Turkey Creek, near Maytown, victim of a heart attack. Mrs. Terry was stricken while at her household work and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Surviving, besides her husband, are three children, Clinton, Peggy Sue and Shelby Gene, all at home, her father, Garrett Hayes, of Langley, her mother, Mrs. Vina Allen Justice, Paintsville, two brothers, Chester Hayes, Inez, and W. M. Hayes, Ashland, and three sisters, Mrs. Lawton Waddles and Mrs. Clifford Williams, both of Middletown, O., and Mrs. Jack Hall, Torrance, California.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the Wilson Creek Baptist Church, the Revs. M. C. Wright, W. S. Akers and E. H. Howard officiating. Burial was under direction of the Turner Funeral Home.

Polly Sparkman Collins Succumbs to Paralysis; Was Native of Knott-Co.

Mrs. Polly Sparkman Collins, 72 years old, wife of John Collins, of Wheelersburg, Ohio, but formerly of this county, died at General Hospital, Ironton, O., Wednesday morning. Death resulted from a paralytic stroke suffered last Friday night.

Mrs. Collins was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samp Sparkman and was a native of Knott county. She and her family resided in the Hueysville vicinity for many years, moving to Ohio 19 years ago.

Surviving are her husband and the following children: Mrs. Betty Jo Potter, Rock Island, Ill., Monroe and Virgil Collins and Mrs. Virginia Allen, all of Columbus, O., Woodrow Collins, Rock Island, Ill., Mrs. Hazel Castle, Creola, O., and Mrs. Katherine Glandon, McArthur, Ohio. She also leaves two brothers, Henderson and Frank Sparkman.

Funeral rites were incomplete Wednesday. Burial will be made in Ohio.

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L. W. Benedict, Pastor
 Announcements for Nov. 2:
 9:30—Sunday School at Lancer.
 9:45—Sunday School at the church.

10:55—Morning worship, with sermon.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday School at Slick Rock.

3:15 p.m.—Preaching at Slick Rock, by Rev. Bert Caldwell.

6:30—Training Unions at the church.

Monday Night—
 Boy Scout Troop No. 20, and W.M.S. Circles meet.

Tuesday—
 Everybody vote.

Wednesday—
 3:30 p.m.—G.A.'s meet at church.
 7:30 p.m.—Praise and prayer, led by Deacon Ketterhagen.
 8:30 p.m.—Adult choir practice.

Thursday—
 7:00 p.m.—Praise and prayer and message by Deacon J. B. Clarke at Lancer.

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 5-room residence on First avenue, known as the Alice Turner property.
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Sparkman, Democrats; Dwight D. Eisenhower and Richard M. Nixon, Republicans; Eric Hass and Stephen Emery, Socialist Labor; Vincent Hallinan and Mrs. Charlotte Bass, Progressives; Stuart Hamblen and Dr. E. A. Holtwick, Prohibition Party.

For United States Senator: Thomas R. Underwood, Democrat; John Sherman Cooper, Republican.

For Representative in Congress: Carl D. Perkins, Democrat; Curtis Clark, Republican.

For Coroner: James J. Carter, Democrat, unopposed.

For Constable, Magisterial District No. 1: Jewel D. Fitzpatrick, Democrat, unopposed.

Then there is the separate school election ballot in three educational divisions of the county:
 Division 3: John M. Stumbo, Jr., and Oscar Bush; Division 5: John E. Campbell and Ralph Johnson; Division 4: Dr. W. D. Osborne, unopposed.

PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH

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Monday—
 3:30—Troop 15, Brownies.
 3:30—Girl Scouts Troop 2.
 7:30—W.S.C.S. meets.

Tuesday—
 3:30—Scout Troop 6.

Wednesday—
 3:15—Wesley Choir.
 3:45—Troop 8, Girl Scouts.
 7:30—Mid-week service.
 8:30—Chancel Choir practice.
 8:30—Official Board.

Sunday Sermons—
 10:55 a.m.—"From Faithless Death to Deathless Faith."
 7:30 p.m.—"Let's Get Good out of the Way of God."

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for the Taft-Hartley Act and never at any time appeared to testify in behalf of Big Sandy river canalization.

Referring to an advertisement in The Floyd County Times attacking the so-called "mortgage requirement" in connection with old-age benefits, Perkins reminded the crowd: "That law was not enacted in Washington; it was enacted in Frankfort."

EX-Congressman A. J. May drew a tremendous round of applause when he was urged to the speakers' stand. Mr. May's address drew sharp contrast between the principles of the Democratic and Republican parties.

State Senator Doug Hays, Democratic campaign chairman in this county, introduced Congressman Perkins, "Taft will be the head of everything if General Eisenhower is elected," he declared.

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(Pol. Adv.)

What Has Our Present Congressman Done For Eastern Kentucky?



Defense plants have been built by the hundreds in Western Kentucky and all parts of the United States. Did our Congressman get one of these factories for Eastern Kentucky?

Did he get any contracts from the Government to buy Eastern Kentucky coal? The Government is one of the biggest users of coal. Isn't it a fact one-half of our coal mines work only two or three days a week because of the lack of orders? Did he protest when the railroads changed from coal-burning engines to diesel oil thereby causing 1,000 coal miners and railroad workers to lose their jobs? Did he get the ATOMIC PLANT for Eastern Kentucky or even one of the steam generating plants that will require millions of tons of coal and would have brought prosperity by giving jobs to thousands of people in Eastern Kentucky?

DID HE FIGHT FOR CANALIZATION OF OUR RIVERS?

When he was first elected the Army Engineers had approved the Big Sandy as a worthwhile project. One year later after our Congressman had been elected the engineers decided that it was not a good project.

WHY?

Did he oppose the Lien Law on old people's homes, whereby they take a mortgage on your home if you are to get Old-Age Assistance? Has he worked to get good roads around Dewey Dam, to build a swimming beach to attract tourists? Can you lease a cabin-site like people do at other lakes? Is the lake well stocked with fish? Now just before election he says he is for improving Dewey Lake but why did he wait THREE YEARS TO DECIDE?

Has he ever done anything about the COMMUNISTS, the FIVE PERCENTERS, or the crooks in the Federal Government? We say he hasn't.

If you want a Congressman who will work to bring factories to Eastern Kentucky so our people can have jobs here at home, who is opposed to the "MORTGAGE LAW" on our old people's homes and is for increased assistance for people past 60, who will work to get our rivers canalized and bring prosperity to Eastern Kentucky, to get Dewey Lake improved, to get the crooks and Communists out of our government.

THAT MAN IS

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What We All Saw This Week

THE blue haze that out of the nature of things cloaks in beauty the hills merged, this Indian Summer, into a dark, oppressive pall of smoke, and there was little of beauty about it at all.

Youngsters since time immemorial have pondered the cause of the misty blue of Indian Summer, and have perplexed their elders with their questions. But there was nothing of the unknown about this week's shroud of smoke. We all knew the cause. All knew it was man-made, the work of man, the destroyer.

We saw destroyed in fifteen minutes the work of nature over as many years. We saw prepared destruction in years to come from flood and erosion. Carelessness and wantonness are both to blame.

How indignant we all would be, if we could pin the blame on one individual—a peace officer, say, or a public official. How indignant are we, now that plain, un-sung citizens are to blame and glad to remain anonymous?

The loss in precious timber would reach appalling figures, surely. Young trees which, some day, would have taken the place of earlier forest giants felled by the woodsman's axe are dead. The leaves which, one day, would have added to the fertility of the soil have been whirled away in ashes by the wind. The leaf-bed which would have absorbed next year's rainfall and held back the water to prevent flash floods and gutted hillsides is in many sections non-existent.

One man saw destroyed by fire a thousand young pine trees he had planted as a reforestation measure and as an investment for his grandchildren. Nearing 70, he sadly remarked, "I am too old. This is my last attempt." This is one such individual tragedy. Multiply it by perhaps a dozen in this county, by a hundred or more over Kentucky.

This section does not stand indicted alone for this crime against nature. Careless or wanton destruction has visited almost every section of the country where there is forest-land to be scorched.

By next spring, a few more leaves will fall. The weeds will die. And so another "fire season" will roll around. Then the autumn, and more fire.

What is the remedy? There is no pat answer. Education of the young, strict enforcement of the law against the old who cannot or will not be taught, larger and well-organized crews of firefighters—these will help, and may have to suffice until we have so nearly depleted our timberland that the public becomes alarmed and seasonal all-outwar on forest fires is waged by local, state and national governments.

Washington — President Truman sent birthday greetings to the Sha of Iran.

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MAUDE FITZPATRICK
West Prestonsburg, Ky.

BABE IS VICTIM

Georgia Inis Oney, age four months, of Wayland, died at home, Oct. 24. She was the daughter of J. B. and Rosa Oney. Surviving besides the parents are the following brothers and sisters: Imogene, Curt, Bennie, Zetto Lee, David, Anna Rose and Herbert Ray, all at home. Funeral rites were conducted at the home Oct. 27. The Rev. James Duff, officiating. Burial was in the Collins cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

NEW YORK — More than 50 University of Notre Dame professors endorsed Governor Stephenson for president.

WASHINGTON — The Federal Civil Defense Administration announced plans to mobilize the nation's civilian population for home defense.

CHARLOTTE, N. C. — Governor Byrnes of South Carolina said that "carpetbaggers now control the Democratic party. He has announced his support of Gen. Eisenhower.

BUFFALO — William White President of the New York Central System, declared that many businessmen "have been giving the railroads a nudge in the direction of nationalization."

CHICAGO — Sen Lehman (D) N. Y., called "McCarthyites" and "McCarthyism" Stalin's unconscious helpers."

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court upheld a ruling that the government must pay the Bell Aircraft Corporation \$2,286,819 for fighter planes purchased during World War Two.

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Prestonsburg; Watt Hale, West Prestonsburg; Russell Rice, Prestonsburg; John Mullins, Boldman; Fred Stumbo, McDowell; Lloyd Harless, German; Vertner F. Clark, Prestonsburg; Elma Campbell, Garrett; Minnie Staley, Lackey; W. L. Music, East Point; Woodrow Allen, Prestonsburg; Dora Branham, Allen; Elder Goble, Prestonsburg; Mack McCloud, Drift; Green Bailey, Hueysville; Otis Vanderpool, McDowell; Mrs. Curtis Mosley, Emma; Erice Manuel, Wayland; James Stumbo, Printer; Rex Ankrom, Drift; Theop Sammons, Allen; A. J. Hall, Hueysville; May Ford Hyden, Prestonsburg; Ezra Osborne, East-ern; Harrison Stone, Blue River.

Evangelistic Meeting

NOVEMBER 3-14, 7:30 p.m.

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Philip Bembower, Guest Evangelist

YOU ARE WELCOME

PEACE? PROSPERITY?

FATHERS AND MOTHERS WILL REMEMBER!

Can any one call it peace when, in recent days, many communities have seen boys not too long out of high school come home with battle-front wounds; have read of local men who are prisoners of war; have stood at attention beside a flag-draped coffin bringing a local soldier who made the long, sad trip back home from Korea, sealed in silence.

Is it peace when a newspaper in a neighboring county reports that the contingent is the largest single-month draft call since reactivation of Selective Service. Is it peace when, in another county it is found necessary to order 23 men to report for their draft call on a Sunday?

PROSPERITY? Yes, of a kind. This is the bloodiest prosperity any nation ever bought. Let's not brag about it.

Since the fighting started in Korea in June, 1950, the U.S. has suffered 122,117 casualties. The toll for last week was 963. The United States now has about 500,000 men in Korea.

The "Bear Trap" continues. Millions of our young men face the draft. Next year, 19-year-olds will be taken.

If left to Truman and Stevenson the Korean War will probably drag on for years, costing thousands of American lives and billions of American dollars.

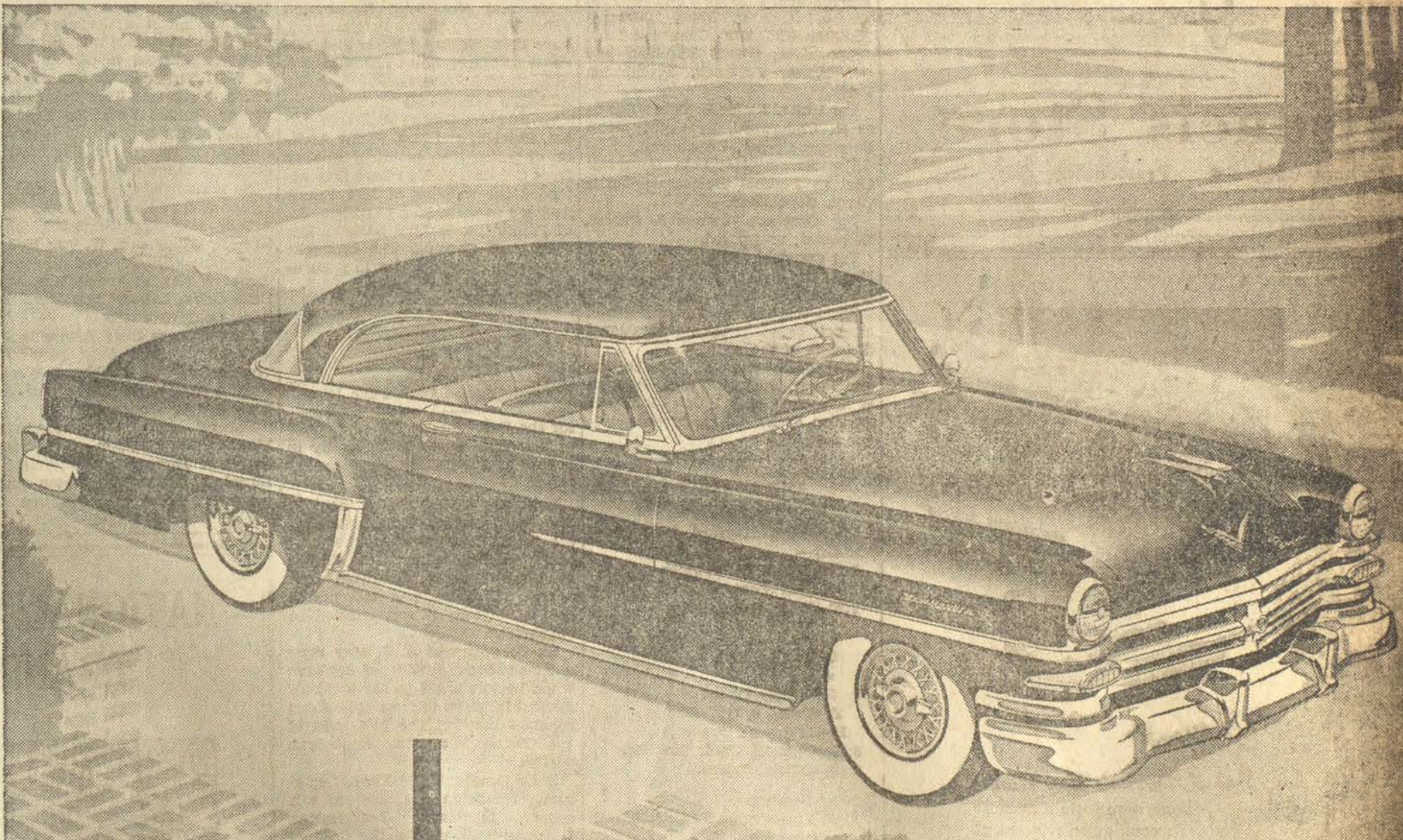
The Truman-Acheson-Hiss followers have a peculiar blind spot when they claim credit for a peace that does not exist and a prosperity that is bloody and borrowed.

You can reverse this ghastly trend—vote for Eisenhower and prosperity without war!

(Pol. Adv.)

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FOR RENT—Good houses, with electricity at Water Gap. ELDER WRIGHT, phone 5012, Prestonsburg. 12-20-tf

TRADE: Your old furniture for new. CASH FURNITURE STORE, phone 2151, Prestonsburg, Ky.

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

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ELECTRIC MOTORS—Rewound and rebuilt, good as new motors, at reasonable price. See ELECTRIC REPAIR SHOP, P.O. Box 27, Hi Hat, Ky. exp. 1-1-53 pd.

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Do you want to buy, sell, or rent real estate? If so, see a licensed real estate dealer, HANSFORD MAY, phone 7361 or 6471, Prestonsburg. tf

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WANTED TO BUY—Good clean, late model automobiles. Ford, Chevrolet and Oldsmobile preferred. Cooley Motor Sales, Prestonsburg, Ky., 1-1-4 miles on South Mayo Trail. 7-17-tf.

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FOR IMMEDIATE SALE—Carl Woods property on Graham street, Prestonsburg. Write C A R L WOODS, 3906 Main St., Columbia, S. C. 1-31-tf.

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FOR SALE—new molasses from Lawrence county. Contact Brown's Piano Store, Phone 2148, Prestonsburg. 9-11-tf.

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

FOR SALE—Large deep freeze, Frigidaire, stove and kitchen cabinet. All in good condition. TOT ALLEN COPE, Phone 3843, Prestonsburg. 9-25-tf.

FARM FOR SALE—Six-room house with bath, modern conveniences, on Route 23 at Hager Hill, Ky. Can be bought with down payment, balance at \$50 monthly. See MRS. FRANK COONLEY at City News Stand, Prestonsburg, Ky. 11-18-tf.

FOR RENT—Three apartments upstairs over Thompson's Store on U.S. 23, North Prestonsburg. MRS. B. M. THOMPSON, Phone 8351. 9-18-tf.

FOR RENT—Apartments, furnished and unfurnished. T. E. NEELEY, Phone 3931, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-23-tf.

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

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

RESTAURANT, equipment and stock for sale. Used about two years. BRACK CRAFT, Garrett, Ky., Box 115 10-2-tf.

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FOR SALE—M. M. Hall's Cafe, near Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. A profitable business. See owner at Cafe. -0-9-vt-pd.

MY LOSS IS YOUR GAIN—5½ rooms and bath with shower and tub in Piley Hall Addition to Allen. Hardwood floors, large front porch, brick mantle and fireplace; 52-gal. electric water heater; full-length screens, gas, water, electric, city and telephone; 66-in. double cabinet sink; 50x100-ft. lot and smokehouse. Will sacrifice for \$1,000 less than I paid. Reason for selling; Moving to another job. Must sell by Nov. 1. Phone Allen 2882. J. T. RATLIFF. 10-16-31-pd.

HOUSE—For rent or sale in Martin. See BESSIE HALBERT, Martin. 10-16-31-pd.

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

HOUSE FOR RENT—See Miller's Store, Prestonsburg. 10-16-44-pd.

FOR SALE—25 acres of land, 3 acres bottom. Five-room house, gas, lights, well, barn, chicken house, fruit trees. Left fork of Bull Creek. HANSFORD MAY, Realtor, office phone 7361. Home phone 7363. 10-16-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished house on North Highland avenue. MAUDE BENJENY, Prestonsburg. 10-23-tf.

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

FOR SALE—4-room house completely furnished, 8 acres land, garden. Three-fourths mile off Brandy Keg road on Corn Fork. \$3,500. See EUGENE WELLS, Lancer, Ky. 10-23-2t.

FOR SALE—House, five rooms and bath in the Riley Hall addition to Allen. See MAUDE BENJENY, Prestonsburg, or call Allen 2883. 10-23-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—Modern oak dress case and wall case with plate glass sliding doors. Perfect condition. At sacrifice price. Phone 3843, Prestonsburg. 10-23-4t.

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

WANTED—Used upright or spinet piano. ALVIN TAYLOR, Prestonsburg. 10-23-2t-pd.

FOR RENT—Nice apartment, three rooms, bath and good porch, almost new. Also for sale—the home occupied by Joe P. Tackett, including a two-apartment building, practically new, garage and workshop. Lot 60x120 ft., facing Mayo Trail, next to Sparks Bros. Bus Garage. A fine eight-room home, two halls, two baths and sun porch 8x28 ft., with nice income from apartment building. Call 2616 after 6 p.m., or 7921 daytime.

FOR SALE—5-room house with bath, on Dings street. \$3,000. GUY MEADE, Phone 7151, Prestonsburg. 10-30-2t-pd.

FOR RENT—two furnished rooms. MOLLY JOHNSON, phone 2621. 10-30-tf.

WANTED—Farm laborers for cattle, grain farm. Small family, \$1,600 per year. New house, vacation, meat, eggs, milk. State references. EVERETT E. TICE, Greenville, Ill. 10-30-2t-pd.

WANTED—Man or woman to take over route in Prestonsburg. Full or part time. To distribute Watkins nationally advertised products to established customers. Earnings unlimited. No car or other investment necessary. We will help you get started. Write Mr. C. R. Ruble, Dept. 0-5, THE J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, Memphis, Tennessee. 11-pd.

WAYLAND

CLUB HEARS MRS. VINSON "A nation is only as strong as the local community," quoted Mrs. R. F. Vinson from a letter written by Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, chairman of Americanism department, General Federation of Women's Clubs, as Mrs. Vinson opened the Americanism program given by the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club last Thursday evening at the Wayland high school auditorium.

This meeting was in conjunction with the General Federation's "Getting Out the Vote" campaign, which is striving to awaken the American people to their political heritage—the right to vote. "We must awaken from our lethargy, and do something, if only to hope, to pray, to vote," stated Mrs. Vinson.

"Democracy begins in our hearts, our homes, our communities," emphasized L. B. Price, Wayland high school principal, as he spoke on "Religion and Democracy."

"If the election doesn't go to suit us, it's our fault, since the plain American voter outnumbers the professional voter by 1,000 to 1," informed Mrs. Willard Castle, as she spoke on "Getting Out the Vote."

Presentation of colors was made by Geo. S. Oswley Post 295, American Legion. The pledge to the flag was led by Mrs. Thomas Hatcher, who also read the American Creed. Rev. R. L. Myers, pastor, Wayland Methodist Church, led in prayer.

Several selections were played by the Wayland high school band under the direction of Jesse E. Elliott. They included "Hail Columbia," "United Nations March," "March of the Victors," and "Liberty March."

The program ended with the playing of the national anthem, after which coffee and doughnuts were served by the Home Ec room by Mesdames Earl Castle and Ervin Mullins.

BELGIUM PREPARED NEW YORK—Paul Van Zeeland, Belgium's foreign minister said his nation is prepared to do "her full share" in any collective action in Korea.

DR. G. C. COLLINS DENTIST MARTIN, KY. Office Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. After 5 p.m. by appointment PHONE 2293

Body of Mrs. Gibson, Victim at Toledo, O., Returned to Floyd-Co.

Dorothy Layne Gibson, 26, died Monday, Oct. 27, at the Mercy hospital at Toledo, O., of Bright's Disease. She had been ill a month.

Mrs. Gibson was born in Floyd county and was the daughter of Everett and Maxie Burchett Layne, of Wheelwright, and the wife of Byrne Gibson, of Toledo. At the time of death, she was an employee of the Libby-Owens Glass Company of Toledo.

Surviving besides the parents and husband are a son, Larry Dean Gibson, and a daughter, Paulette Gibson, both at home. Brothers and sisters that survive are: Jimmie Layne, Mydam, N. C.; Billie C. Layne, Marion, Ohio; Ronald Dean Layne, Wheelwright; and Mrs. Magdalene Matney, Grundy, Va.

Funeral rites were conducted Thursday, Oct. 30, at 10 a.m., at the Toms Creek Freewill Baptist church, at Ivel, the Rev. Henry Crider and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was in the Layne cemetery at Tom's Creek under direction of Baker Funeral Home of Pikeville.

CHILD HAS APPENDECTOMY Barbara Allen, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martin, of Charlestown, Ind., formerly of this county, has returned to the home of her parents much improved from an attack of appendicitis. She was removed from the Goodman Clinic in Charlestown to the Paintsville hospital.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 p.m. from the Arnold Chapel, the Rev. Gerstle M. Hoggard officiating. Burial will be made in the family cemetery on the Abbott Road under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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Frank Anderson, 85, Succumbs at Martin; Was Retired Merchant

Frank Anderson, 85, of the Abbott Road, died Tuesday evening at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. He had suffered a stroke three weeks earlier, and his condition had been critical since Sunday.

Although Mr. Anderson was born in Lee county, Virginia, he had lived in this area since he was two years old. A son of W. M. and Lou Jones Anderson, he was a member of the Methodist Church and had been a member of the Masonic Lodge since 1903. He was a merchant and salesman by profession.

Surviving him is his wife, Mrs. Pearl Elam Anderson, two sons, Joe W. Anderson, Pikeville, Frank R. Anderson, Baltimore, Md., three daughters, Miss Ruth McCoy, Bradford, Va., Mrs. Lou Auvil, Huntington, W. Va., and Miss Gerlie Jones, Pikeville. Also surviving are a brother and a sister, John Anderson, Insko, Ky., Mrs. Cora Baldrige, West Prestonsburg, two half-sisters and one half-brother, Mrs. Esther Phipps, Middletown, O., Trenna Hubbard, London, Ky., Sam Anderson, Cincinnati, O.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 p.m. from the Arnold Chapel, the Rev. Gerstle M. Hoggard officiating. Burial will be made in the family cemetery on the Abbott Road under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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WAR DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES WEEKLY CASUALTY LIST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23—The Defense Department today announced the highest weekly U. S. casualty toll in the Korean War since the week ending July 2. The total for the week ending last Friday was 963.

This raised the total U. S. casualties in the Korean fighting to 122,117.

In the previous highest week, more than three months ago, the total U. S. casualties were 985.

The department's weekly report showed that 133 U. S. servicemen were killed in action last week, bringing the total number of Americans killed in the fighting to 19,184.

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FILM, "OUT OF THE NIGHT", SEEN AT DAVID GYMNASIUM

A nice crowd came to the gym at David Monday night and viewed "Out of the Night," a movie that, all agreed, exalted the Lord Jesus Christ. It is hoped that this first meeting in the interest of the teenage (and older) group will not be the last. The sponsors wish to thank those who allowed them the use of the gym and the projector, and the boys from the David school who helped so much.

The next film should be even better as we profit from the mistakes we made this time.

INFANT DIES

Patricia Ann Newsome, one month old infant daughter of Teddy and Arizona Newsome, of Craynor, died at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Oct. 28.

Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Franklin and a sister, Rose Ann, both at home. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday, at 10 a.m., at Bert Newsome's home, at Craynor. Burial was in the family cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dings were recent visitors at Cherokee Lake.

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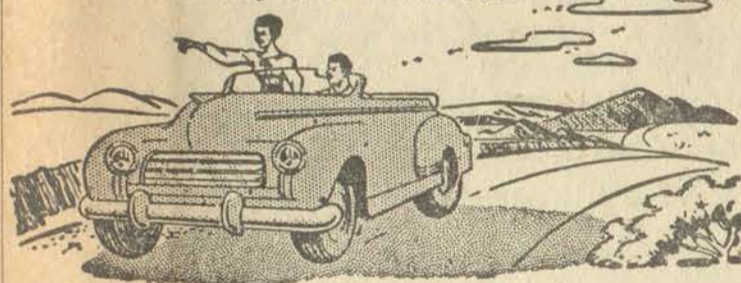
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Corn Fork, Garrett and David.

Cause of the widespread blazes are not definitely known. Some fires, it is believed, were caused by hunters attempting to smoke from hollow trees squirrels and opossums or by carelessly tossed lighted cigarettes aside. Others may have been deliberately set, it was said.

As a result of the fire situation, Governor Wetherby late last week declared a state of emergency, and the squirrel season was closed Monday by Earl Wallace, director of the Division of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

Palmer Crum, district forest ranger, has been required to give Magoffin county, a part of his area, some of his attention. He and Forest Warden Burchett organized fire crews totaling about 35 men to meet the varying situation in this county. Tuesday of this week, reports of fires were coming in so fast they could not reach them all. At times they were in the woods as long as 36 hours without relief.

State highway and maintenance workers and a crew of seven employees of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company joined the regular firefighters. A few men were drafted for firefighting, and some refused. Indictments may be filed against some of these. At David, a theatre crowd turned out to help fight a big woodland blaze.

The damage had been restricted to the woods in this county except for one empty building which burned at Emma. At Ivyton, Magoffin county a tenant house owned by Elza Dotson, brother of Dr. M. T. Dotson, was destroyed by flames starting in the nearby woods. He also lost a barn and two stacks of hay.

Firefighters worked much of the time in the dark—or in the smoke. "You'd be fighting one end of a fire like mad," said Forest Warden Burchett, "and you didn't know where the other end was. Men fighting on another section of the fire would backfire on us and that made it mean. It's a wonder they didn't burn us up. I'm going to indict some people for backfiring the woods."

The number of fires had dropped Wednesday morning and the wind and cooler weather which came with Monday night lifted the smoke. But the dry weather and the threat of other blazes contributed.

Over Kentucky—and few woodland sections were left untouched—it was estimated 77,000 acres of forest had been burned over.

Mission Representatives To Speak at Martin

Miss Erna C. Petznick and Miss Ruby M. Enyart, representatives of the Foreign Missions department of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, from Springfield, Mo., will be in Martin Tuesday night, Nov. 4, at the Upper Room of the Assembly of God Church, and in Prestonsburg Wednesday night, Nov. 5, at the First Assembly of God Church as guest speakers in the special missionary services on those nights.

The subjects they will speak on will be: "Operation of the Foreign Mission Department—Why Missions? To Whom Missions, You and Missions." These services will begin at 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. Vernon D. Wright, wishes to extend a cordial invitation to the public to come.

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"She Worked Her Way Through College"
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Good Pictures to be named

COMING, SUN.-MON., NOV. 9-10—

"Jumping Jack"
Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis.
Don't miss this picture, the one you have been waiting for.

COMING, SUN.-MON., NOV. 9-10—

"Where's Charley?"
Ray Bolger, Allyn McClerie.

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Brandy Keg; girls, 13-16, Rose Endicott and Edna E. Rice, Banner.

Standing broad jump: Boys, 8-12, Teddie Hamilton, Ligon, 85 1/2 inches; girls, 8-12, Lacey Bryant, Teaberry, 87 1/2 inches; boys, 13-16, T. J. Jarvis, Home Branch, 94 1/2 inches; girls, 13-16, Ora Thompson, Langley, 85 1/2 inches.

Standing high jump: Boys, 8-12, Richard Collins, Brandy Keg; boys, 13-16, T. J. Jarvis, Home Branch.

Running broad jump: Boys, 8-12, Darryl Brown, Needmore; girls, 8-12, Imogene Botts, Buckingham; boys, 13-16, T. J. Jarvis, Home Branch; girls, 13-16, Bessie Hale, Little Mud.

Seventy-five-yard dash: Boys, 8-12, Darryl Brown, Needmore; girls, 8-12, Lacey Bryant, Teaberry; boys, 13-16, Homer Osborne, Salyers Branch; girls, 13-16, Ora Thompson, Langley.

Running relays: Boys, 8-12, Larry Johnson, Tommy McCoy, Bennie Ricker, Ronald Creech, of Clear Creek; girls, 8-12, Nola E. King, Jean Akers, Anna B. Spears, Ruth Osborne, of Right Toler, boys, 13-16, Donald Hicks, Bobby Frasure, Charles Scott, Glenn Hicks, of Stone Coal; girls, 13-16, Lola E. Spears, Fannie Sturgill, Fronie Rogers, Nola M. Hall, Right Toler school.

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SUN., 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.—

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TUESDAY—Double Feature—

"The Mine with the Iron Door"

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"Arizona Trail"

Tex Ritter, Puzzy Knight.

WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m.—

"Where's Charley?"

(In technicolor)
Ray Bolger, Allyn McClerie.

COMING, FRIDAY, NOV. 7—

"Lone Star"

Clark Gable, Ava Gardner.

COMING, NOV. 9—

"Wait Till the Sun Shines, Nellie"

Jean Peters, David Wayne.

Margie Harmon Burchett Dies of Heart Condition At Paintsville, Yesterday

Margie Harmon Burchett, of Bays Branch, died yesterday afternoon, Oct. 29, of a heart condition at the Paintsville Clinic. She had been ill for a few weeks and became seriously so yesterday afternoon. She was rushed to Paintsville but died a few moments after arrival.

Mrs. Burchett was the daughter of Elige and Amy Miller Harmon and the wife of Bill Burchett. Her parents and husband survive. She was a member of the Prewill Baptist Church.

Surviving also are three children: Wanda Jean, William Lewis and Alice Karen, at home. Three sisters also survive: Mrs. Ruby Stanley, Russell, Ky., Mrs. Imogene Harmon, Langley, and Miss Douglas Harmon, Bays Branch.

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Thomas Wilson Crisp, 72, Succumbs at Martin; Funeral at Grace Chapel

Thomas Wilson Crisp, 72, died at his home at Martin, Oct. 24, at 7:20 a.m. A stroke was given as the cause of death. He was the son of A. S. and Caroline Crisp and was married to Lyda Margaret Crisp, who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Warner, O. B. and Mrs. Ella Crisp, all of Martin. J. M. Crisp, a brother and Mrs. Marion Ratlie, a sister, both of Martin, survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Oct. 25, at the Grace Chapel on Buck's Branch. The Revs. Ralph Martin and Dick Osborne officiating. Burial was in the Martin cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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JEEP MOTOR TO MOVE GO TO CHURCH

Jeep Motor Sales will soon move to their new quarters on South Lake Drive, according to Phil Schroeder, manager. The building to be occupied by Jeep Motor is the Gabe Hughes property, formerly occupied by Farm and Home Store. Removal date depends upon the progress of alterations, according to Mr. Schroeder.

LEGION POST TO GO TO CHURCH

The Walter Karr Bowling Post of the American Legion will go as a group to Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, Nov. 9, according to an announcement by Commander Marshall Davidson, this week. The event is in memory of Armistice Day. Commander Davidson urges all post members to attend.

DR. ORRIS GEARHEART

Announces the opening of his office in his former location at Drift, Kentucky.

General Practice

A MESSAGE for AMERICANS

From

General Eisenhower

ONCE BEFORE I had the honor and duty of leading a crusade for human freedom and dignity—in Europe during World War II.



That crusade was won not by Generals and Admirals but by the blood and effort of American G.I.'s and all the other forces fighting for freedom. Now in 1952 a different call to duty has honored me—as Republican nominee for President of the United States.

This time the effort is civilian—not military. But again, the crusade will be won not by me nor by the political leaders, but by everyday Americans who value their National heritage and are willing to go to the polls and vote to protect it.

The damage is done—and we all know what has been badly begun must be well ended.

BUT—shall we forget or forgive those who blundered? Will You? DO YOU DARE? Will you trust America's future foreign policy to those responsible for Korea? Is this official fumbling what YOU want for America? You know it isn't!

Not if you value the lives of your sons. Not if you value your own life and welfare and that of your family. NOT IF YOU VALUE THE PEACE AND PROSPERITY OF AMERICA.

No—you will want to clean house. You will want to sweep out of power and into the ash can the Administration that brought your country to this. You will RUN, not walk to the polls. You will vote eagerly, glad that you CAN make a change. You will.

JOIN THIS CRUSADE TO:

- SWEEP OUT OF GOVERNMENT the corruption and the scandal which have brought us dishonor at home and disrespect abroad.
- BANISH THE SUBVERSIVES and incompetents who have crucified both good public service and good public servants.
- BUILD A STRONG ECONOMY not based on war.
- SAVE OUR GREAT, FREE NATION from the reckless policies which are leading America down the road to bankruptcy—Socialism—and possibly even World War III.

I INVITE YOUR SUPPORT NOVEMBER 4.

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Oscar Bush, Candidate

For Member of the Board of Education,
Floyd County District No. 3

I want to take this opportunity to explain to the public my candidacy for member of the Floyd County Board of Education, District No. 4. I am not running in opposition to Mr. Turner, present county school superintendent, or his administration. It is my purpose to cooperate with Mr. Turner and other members of the board in improving the educational opportunities of this school district.

My opposition stems from the fact that my opponent is committed to support and continue the present administration of the Betsy Layne high school which is at the center of our school district.

The Betsy Layne administration has politically dominated not only the high school but the ENTIRE DISTRICT which the high school serves.

The Betsy Layne administration has taken the schools away from the people and delivered them into the hands of politicians which has resulted in schools that are not a part OF the community but APART FROM the community.

This offering of our children and our teachers on the altar of corrupt politics has caused the loss of many capable and progressive minded teachers who would not bow to such practices.

Furthermore my candidacy is the result of the urging of interested citizens WITHIN the district, thus giving the people a voice in choosing their candidate. The candidacy of my opponent is the result of the influence of a few politicians OUTSIDE the district in league with the Betsy Layne administration, contrary to the wishes of the people of the district.

I shall earnestly strive to remedy the above mentioned conditions and relieve the Betsy Layne high school of an administration that has been consistently falling below standard for several years, fostering strife, disunity, suspicion in the life of the community. Because of this state of affairs the Parent-Teacher Association has been unable to function as a community enterprise and all other community-wide activities have met with opposition from the same administration.

All efforts in the past, and they have been many, have failed to bring relief and I believe this school district deserves and must have such relief.

I promise as your Board member to administer the duties of my office free from political considerations and to work for the selection of teachers on the basis of character, training and merit qualifications. I promise to rescue this school district, its teachers and children from politicians and return it to its rightful owners, THE PEOPLE.

Finally, as a citizen of experience and MATURITY and a former teacher in the public schools of this section of Kentucky, I solicit your support at the polls on November 4th.

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LETTERS

TO THE EDITOR

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Editor, The Times:

England
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I am a GI stationed in England, and at times it gets lonely. So I wish to ask you a favor. Run this little ad in your paper. If it costs any money, let me know. I suppose you may think this somewhat unusual. But I'd appreciate it very much.

If any of you good people, young or old, would care to write I'll do my best to answer. I'm 20 years old, five feet-six, brown curly hair and my main hobby is writing letters and collecting photos. If you have the desire to write, don't hesitate.

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GREETINGS

From ALLAN M. TROUT

To grin and bear it was the stuff that pulled us through the depression of low prices in the 1930's, and the same stuff is serving us tolerably well in the depression of high prices in the 1940's.

The classic of that era, I suppose, was the farmer's prayer. It was printed, at one time or another, in every country paper in the nation with Democratic leanings.

Mrs. Leslie Hart, of Turner's Station, has sent me a yellowed clipping of the famous prayer. It was from the New Washington Courier, New Washington, Ind., and is dated March 5, 1931. This is how the lamentation goes:

"Lord, I am only a Ripley county farmer. Thou knowest that when wheat was \$2 a bushel I had flour and sugar in the house, and cake and pie every time I wanted them. Thou knowest I was not satisfied and voted for a change.

Thou knowest that I wore a Hoover badge and was faithful in all things to the G.O.P. Even so, Thou knowest I believed in the dawn of a new day when wool would advance in price and I would get \$3 for wheat and 20 cents for pork.

Lord, two years have gone by, never to return, and I am too poor to buy the necessary Rockefeller for my Henry. I still wear a Hoover badge, oh Lord, but it is on the seat of my overalls.

But, oh Lord, I am thankful that Hoover has been able to make the common rabbit taste good in the summer time. I pray that Thou will keep them replenished so I shall not want. I am glad, oh Lord, that thou hast prospered the railroads so they can put up freight rates when my own corn will not pay the expense of gathering. I pray that Thou will continue to uphold Mellon, that he may collect for years the interest on the funds in his own bank account for a righteous cause.

Our Father, who art in Washington, Hoover is thy name, his kingdom come, his will be done, even to beating soldiers out of their bonus.

Give us each day our daily cornbread, that Coolidge tried to make us eat for four years, and Hoover had us eating in three months. Lead us not into temptation to vote for another Republican president, for Hoover got all the power, Mellon got all the money, Rockefeller got all the oil and I got all the patched trousers forever and forever. Amen. (Advertisement)

THE FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

West Prestonsburg, Ky.
Sunday, Nov. 2—
9:45 a.m.—Teachers prayers.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
Church will take Communion. Rev. Harry Johnston will be speaking.
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic service

Tuesday, Nov. 4—
7:00 p.m.—Examination on past lessons.

Wednesday, Nov. 5—
7:00 p.m.—Guest speakers, Miss Erna C. Petznick and Miss Ruby M. Enyart, of Springfield, Mo.
(Note: Church bus will run for all Sunday and Wednesday activities.)

THE UPPER ROOM ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Martin, Ky.
Sunday
9:45 a.m.—Teachers prayers.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

Tuesday, Nov. 4—
7:00 p.m.—Miss Erna C. Petznick and Miss Ruby M. Enyart, of Springfield, Mo., will be guest speakers at the Upper Room in Martin.

Thursday, Nov. 6—
7:00 p.m.—Praise and prayer service.

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EXPECTED TO REFUSE
RENO—Senator McCarren (D.) of Nevada, predicted more employees of the United Nations will refuse to answer questions about Communist affiliations before his subcommittee on internal security.

Sees Planes Strike



Ben Conley, 22, son of Mrs. Grace Conley, of Bonanza, is with the 45th Division in Korea. He entered the service Dec. 26 1951, and received his basic training in Hawaii. He had one leave before he was sent to Korea, in July this year.

In a recent letter to his mother he says: "I'm sitting on top of a hill watching our planes make a strike on the enemy. Believe me, it is some sight."

Conley is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. He will start soon to take a four-week course that will make him a squad leader.

Donald Conley is a brother of Ben and is in the navy, stationed at Guam. On Ben's journey to Korea the brothers met in Hawaii and spent two weeks together.

Seoul—The Netherlands Secretary of State for the army, Dr. F. J. Kranenburg, told newsmen "it would be very difficult" for his country to send more troops to Korea. He added: "We wish we could."

DRIFT

ENTERTAINS "MOTHER CLUB"

The Drift Woman's Club entertained its mother club, the Allen-Martin club, to a dinner Monday evening, Oct. 29. The buffet table was decorated in Halloween motif. Favors were "Your Future in a Nutshell." Fortunes were put in a nutshell and tied with an orange ribbon. After dinner games were played and each club led its own business meeting.

Guests and members present were John Snodgrass, Wm. Lyons, Maurice Mitchell, Walter Frasure, Mack Elliott, James Webb, Jr., Boone Hall, Russell Laven, George Laven, R. L. Beckham, all of Allen, Earl Martin, Wm. Martin, German Vance, John P. Sammons, J. W. Hall, W. A. Woody, C. R. Marshall, Belford Reitz, George Sims, W. O. Huddleston, Tom Martin, Jr., Ben Short, all of Martin, J. C. Moore, H. D. Hewlett, Bobby Hall, Lloyd Stumbo, Alvin Reed, C. J. Cahill, Ray Turner, Alan Reed, Rex Ankrum, W. L. Reed, Misses Catherine Reed, Ruby Akers, all of Drift.

The Clean-Up campaign was very successful and the Drift Woman's Club entertained all the children who helped with a wiener roast at the playground Saturday evening. The club plans to have another clean-up campaign in the spring.

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Cooper and Morton To Speak, Saturday

Hear John Sherman Cooper, Republican candidate for U. S. Senator, and Congressman Thruston Morton, state Republican campaign chairman, speak at the courthouse, Prestonsburg, Saturday, Nov. 1, at 2:30 p.m. (Pol. Adv.)

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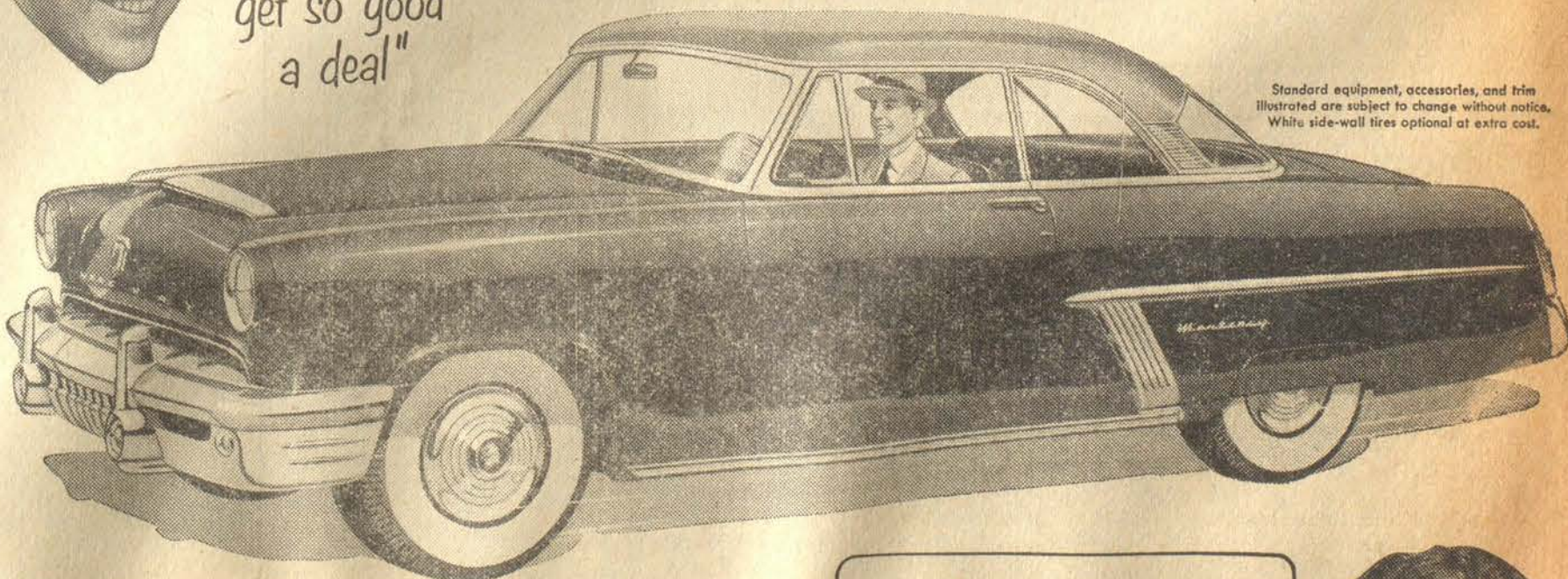
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Public Assistance Rolls Decrease During Year

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 27 (Sp.)—The number of persons receiving public assistance in Kentucky decreased during the year but the cost increased substantially, Aaron Paul, director of the Public Assistance Division of the Department of Economic Security, said today.

The three aid programs—Old-Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children and Aid to the Needy Blind—resulted in a total outlay of \$34,700,000 during the recent fiscal year, an increase of \$5,500,000 over the preceding year. The sum includes federal grants.

Old-Age Assistance recipients which were 67,122 last year, dropped to 61,709 in June of this year. Average old-age assistance payments, however, rose from a \$20.67 average in July, 1951, to an average of \$29.54 for June, 1952.

The Aid to Dependent Children program affected 19,827 families, representing 51,883 children, in June, 1952, for an average of \$37.34 a month, compared with 22,860 families and 59,002 children last July, for an average of \$41.86.

Aid to the Needy Blind program rose from 2,500 persons in July, 1951, to 2,525 in June, 1952, with average payments being increased from \$22.24 to \$31.82 a month.

Columbus—Lifting of all state and federal quarantines of Ohio swine for vesicular exanthema, was announced.

MARTIN

Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of Newcastle, Ind., is the houseguest of her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Prengre, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are the houseguests here of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt.

S/Is Owen Bahb, Jr., and Pvt. Tommy Hampton, of Fort Sill, Okla., spent a week here on furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hampton. They left Monday to return to camp.

Pvt. Lawrence Dingus is spending a furlough home from Fort Sill, Okla. His brother, Jack Dingus, went after him via automobile.

Rev. J. D. Payne, who has been seriously ill in Our Lady of the Way hospital, was taken to Lexington Monday. His wife, who has been residing in Wisconsin, will meet him there.

A/3c Bobby Branham is spending his first furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Branham. Upon completion of his furlough he will return to Texas.

Tommy Osborne, of the army, is spending a furlough here with his parents and sisters. He has been in the army about two years.

A. B. Crisp, of South Bend, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Warner Crisp, of Ohio, were called home for the funeral of their father, Wilson Crisp. Mr. Crisp died at his home here last week after suffering a stroke.

Several people attended the funeral of Estill Collins in Ashland last week. He died after several week's illness, at the home of his father, Dr. G. C. Collins.

John Henry Osborne is able to be out since his recent operation at the Beaver Valley hospital here. During Sunday he had the following visitors: Ray Dingus, his daughter and son-in-law, Rev. W. H. DeHaven, Mrs. Eva Allen, Bill Reynolds, Jr., Francis Phelps.

Mrs. L. L. Lynch and Betty Preflatish spent all day Wednesday at Culltsburg on business and attended the opening of Polan's new jewelry store in Ashland.

Bobby Billter, of the University of Kentucky, spent last week-end at home.

Jack Mandt, of the University of Kentucky, spent the week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Key, of Allen, and son, J. R. Key, of Martin, were visiting in Louisville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Astor Halbert and children, of St. Mary's, Ohio, were here for the funeral of John Robinson and his brother-in-law.

Clay Daniels, of Prestonsburg, was a business visitor in Martin recently.

Mrs. S. J. Roberts has returned to her home here after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Jenkins, of Kopperston, W. Va.

Mrs. Bessie Halbert, Mrs. Sam Halbert and Mrs. Lizzie Hill, of Martin, and L. M. Hayes, of Newcastle, Ind., attended church at Wilson Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Spencer were shopping in Pikeville this week.

Needlework, such as pillow cases, doilies and aprons, will be offered for sale at the Elliott Bible Class Bazaar, Nov. 22, at the Jewell Hardware.

Johnny Billips writes his mother, he will be put on inactive duty, Oct. 21 and is due to come home then. He has been overseas several months.

FALLS WHILE HUNTING

Billy Joe Deskins, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wells Deskins, of Betsy Layne, has been released from Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, after treatment for a skull fracture.

The young man fell from a cliff, Oct. 14, in the Pike-Floyd hollow while on a hunting trip.

Suits Filed To Collect Unemployment Payments Name Big Sandy Firms

Suits were filed against 18 Big Sandy firms by the Division of Unemployment Compensation of the Department of Economic Security, Wednesday, Oct. 22, to recover amounts due the Division for unemployment insurance contributions.

The suits, filed in Franklin circuit court, were for an overall amount of \$47,599.23 due from a total of 99 Kentucky employers. The Big Sandy suits were, in the main, against defunct coal companies, and are as follows:

Tackett & Tackett Coal Co., Beaver, Ky., \$154.11; Georgia Ann Coal Co., Harold, \$257.77; Grapette Bottling Co., Prestonsburg, \$120.90; Alexander and James Combs, Dorton, Ky., \$452.77; Dorton Elkhorn Coal Co., Dorton, \$455.74; Abbott Creek Cannel Coal Co., Prestonsburg, \$599.60; Rice Bros. Coal Co., Eitka, Ky., \$504.60; Brush Creek Coal Co., Martin, \$154.81; May & Stone Coal Co., Manton, \$125.19; Fred Frazier, Paintsville, \$241.51; Earl Ratliff, Paintsville, \$367.23; Press and James Ratliff, Paintsville, \$269.95; Nelson Motor Sales, Paintsville, \$600.65; Bruce Branch Coal Co., Sitka, Ky., \$101.67; E. C. Cassidy, Beauty, Ky., \$515.48; Wells Motor Co., Louisa, Ky., \$403.87; Dotson & Son, Feds Creek, Ky., \$210.59; Tom Sammons Coal Co., Meally, Ky., \$197.10.

PFC. REFFITT GRADUATES

Pfc. Beverage Reffitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reffitt, Langley, has graduated from the medical technicians course at Ft. Benning's U.S. army hospital. The young medical technician is assigned to the 932nd Medical Clearing Company, under Provisional Medical Group at Fort Benning. This unit is responsible for receiving, sorting, and providing temporary medical and surgical care for patients until evacuated.

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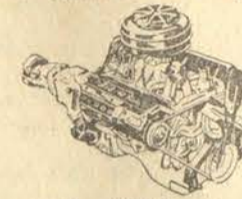
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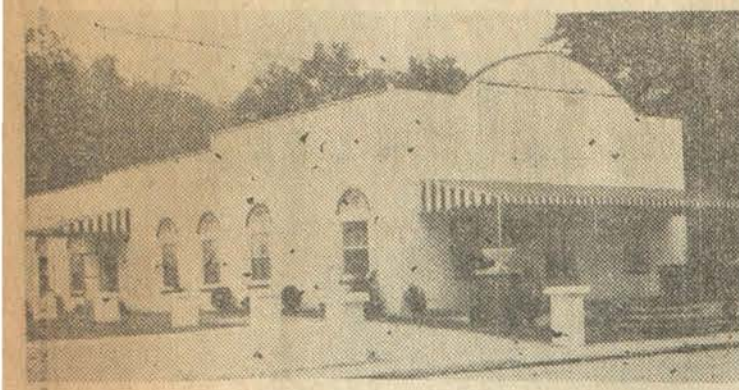
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TO MY FRIENDS, THE VOTERS OF THE 5th EDUCATIONAL DIVISION:

As the November 4th election draws near the end, I make my last and final attempt to show YOU, the people, why YOU must awake before we have that change that we, the common people, must have before we get the improvements our schools have so badly needed. After November 4th it will be too late for us voters to help our schools for a few more years. Are we to sit back in the comfort of our living rooms and discuss conditions of the schools as we have in the past? Can we as loyal, devoted fathers and mothers look our children and the teachers of our children in the eye after November 4th, if we have not made a supreme effort to help them?

We say that we are living in a democracy. Let's stop and see if we are practicing democracy in our schools. Are the parents, teachers, and pupils given an opportunity to help plan the experiences that our youth are to receive? Our main objectives are to teach our pupils the democratic way of life, make them responsible citizens, and give them something that will enable them to earn a living. Can we honestly say that we are accomplishing these objectives? I am from the school of thought that the best way to learn democracy is to practice it, and we can do this in our schools if you will get behind me and give me your all-out support.

Let's look around at some of our neighbors and see how our education compares with theirs. TEACHERS are well paid and, therefore, have more interest in the schools and children. THE SCHOOLS ARE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS. How many invitations have you received to visit the school or to make suggestions for IMPROVEMENT? How many other systems and states do not have PARENT-TEACHER and other community organizations functioning in their schools? I am of the opinion that a PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION is a MUST and should be represented by all parents having children attending school. Someone may say, "We have tried, but it just won't work around here." I adhere to the old slogan, "If at first you don't succeed, TRY, TRY again." WHOSE CHILDREN find it extremely difficult to succeed when they have a chance and decide to continue their studies after high school graduation? How many states are making an effort to provide for those who do not continue their studies after graduation and those who do not finish high school? Do other systems try to work out school bus schedules that will be advantageous for the student rather than that of the driver? Are the emergency teacher given a chance to become qualified? I don't think I need to mention buildings or answer these questions for you since they are so evident. Go visit your school, or ask your children attending, and the graduates of your schools, and you will find the true conditions and face the facts and the answers to the above questions and give them your IMMEDIATE ATTENTION because YOU are the PEOPLE who can do SOMETHING about them.

Is it not true that several school buildings have been started in order to sway votes in their direction camouflaging their efforts under the pretense of having the children's interest at heart?

YOU, the teachers, are letting the politician take away from you one of your most precious freedoms: THE RIGHT TO VOTE FOR WHOM YOU PLEASE. I promise ALL of you this, that your position will not be in danger because you did not support me in this election. You know that there is a shortage of teachers throughout the nation and that you cannot be cast aside simply because your thinking is not in line with certain parties. This practice can only continue as long as you are willing to be fearful of them.

From the beginning of my campaign, I have again and again stated, in our county paper and other literature, the type of service I will give you if given the chance. I have noticed the papers and literature to see what my opponent has to offer you, and I have not, up until the issue of this paper, seen anything except a poster with my opponent's picture on it stating, "JOHN E. CAMPBELL for SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER," and a sticker for automobiles stating, "CAMPBELL, OSBORNE, and STUMBO for SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER." Why has he not given you his views on our education? Could it be that he has had a chance to give you something better before now? Do not overlook this fact, on November 4th.

I do not say that these faults can be tacked onto any one individual, but I do think that they are the result of politics in our schools. I am not a politician. I have no intentions of personal gain, and I would like to see in the history of one Floyd County Election, a man put into office that through him the people may have a voice to speak which is so rightfully YOURS. THE CHOICE IS YOURS, DON'T CONSIDER POLITICS BEFORE YOUR CHILDREN. I shall serve only the children of Floyd county if given that chance. A vote on November 4th for RALPH JOHNSON is a vote for your BOY OR GIRL.

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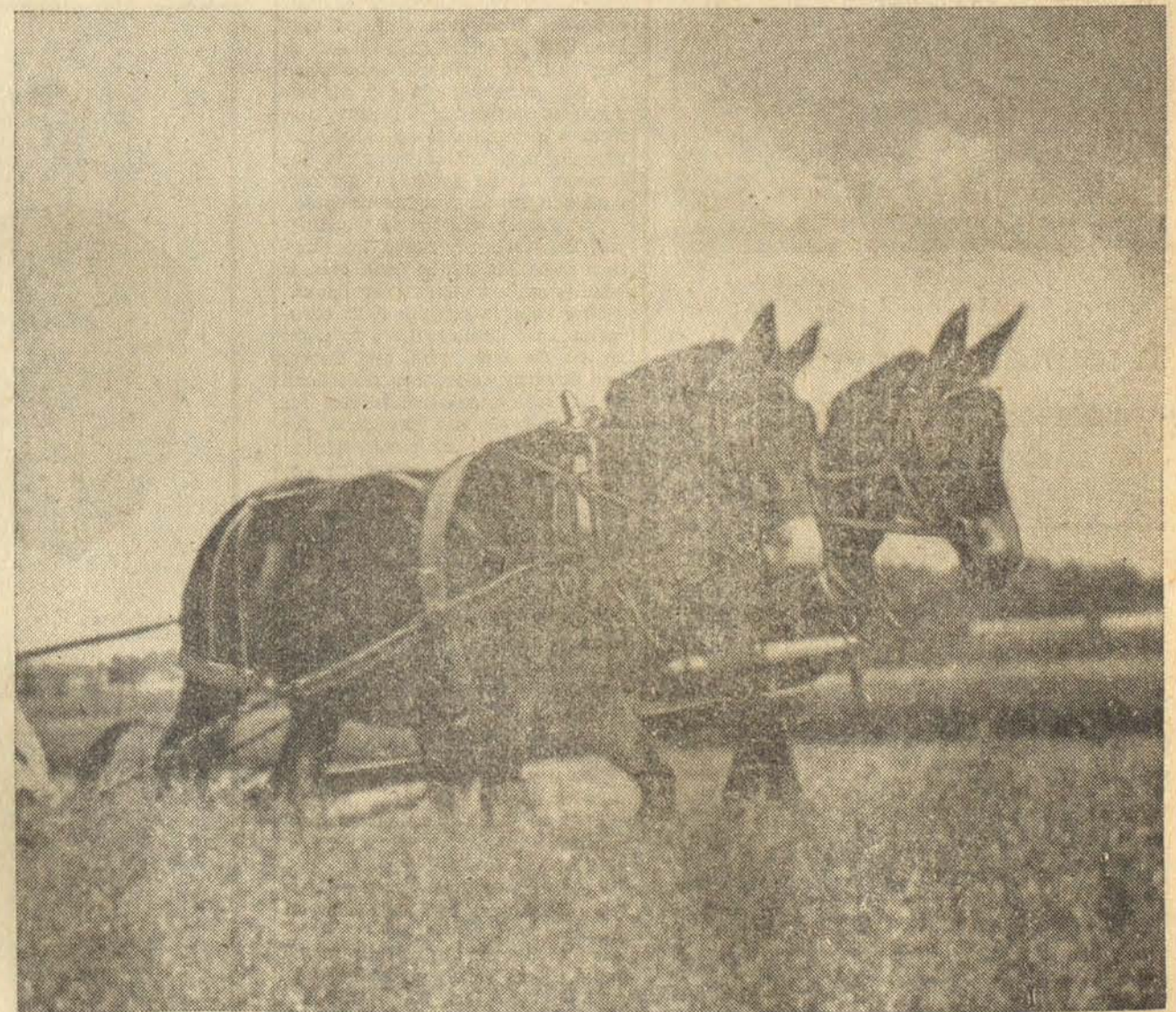
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Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

"SIC TRANSIT"

The Pacific Greyhound bus was howling along through fertile mid-western farms. As we passed a sign which read "Grand Army of the Republic Highway," one of the passengers asked what that term meant. The driver, who seemed above the average in intelligence, frankly said that he did not know. He thought it was the name of some organization, but he did not know what. From my seat a few feet away I felt that time is rapidly getting its revenge. Here we were in a country that had once swarmed with members of the Grand Army. If I as a boy had not known what the word meant, I would have been branded as very ignorant, in spite of the fact that all our Civil War veterans had fought on the other side. But it has been a long time since the Civil War ended as it had been since our fath-

ers brought forth a new nation," as mentioned by Lincoln at Gettysburg. It is highly probable that the passenger and the driver had never seen an ex-Federal soldier or an ex-Confederate, either. Just plain time has taken its revenge. "Sic transit gloria mundi!"

Some four or five years after I had left Fidelity, about 1910 or 1911, I was visiting at my mother's and decided to help her clean up the shed-room by the side of the smoke-house. My little nephew, big enough to be in the way but not big enough to help, was underfoot all the time, talking incessantly. He liked the best of the priceless, worthless junk stored in the shed-room the old spinning wheel that had figured so largely in my childhood. He gave the wheel a savage turn and then remarked: "Aunt Carrie says that Grandma used to run this thing." That was the first time it had dawned upon me that the spinning wheel had ceased to be an active part of my old home. As far back as I could remember, I had associated the long winter evenings with the drone of the wheel as Mother spun the yarn that she later would knit into stockings and socks for her large family. The spinning wheel seemed then as much a fixture as meat and bread. Now spinning wheels have become a symbol of antique shops and are as far from our everyday lives as oxcarts.

Some 25 years ago I went one Saturday to a neighboring county to attend a teachers' association, to help talk up an interest in a local high school. As I drove out from the county seat with the county superintendent, he remarked that I would see one of my passing institutions that day, dinner on the ground in unchanged style. Sure enough, the tablecloths were spread out end to end on the grass, and we ranged up and down, eating our fill. Apparently nothing had been changed since quarterly meeting days at Sulphur Springs in the early days of the century. What I did not feel very strongly that day, though, was that I was seeing the last genuine dinner on the ground that I had seen a witness to. I have been elsewhere when meals were served in the open, but paper plates, ice cream cones, and serving from the food arranged in a truck had taken the place of the older custom. We used to be perfectly unaware that there was anything unusual about dinner on the ground, and there wasn't. It was done everywhere. And now it has gone completely and vanished almost overnight.

Some weeks back I wrote, somewhat nostalgically, about the old book satchel. I cannot recall the last one I ever saw; I hope that there are several being used right now, but I suspect that the ones I saw when I taught my first school in 1907, just about ended the tradition for me. In my long years of studying birds I have made many accurate records of the spring arrivals. Just yesterday, let us say, there were two Brown Thrashers to be seen and heard; today one shows up in the treetop across the street from my house. Hereafter, until the fall migration, Brown thrushes will be a daily experience. And then, some fine morning the species will not be here, but I have been so accustomed to the sleek brown bird and its ventriloquial song that I hardly miss it. Just so we are with customs: they are here and everywhere, so common that nobody would even mention them; then they cease to be, they are superseded by other customs that are not better or worse but are just different. And no one is around to tell us when we are seeing the last days of a passing institution.

Local Radio Station WPRT Near Completion; Will Be On Air In Less Than Three Weeks

As the tower crew hoisted the giant red beacon into its final resting place atop WPRT's 250-foot tower, Prestonsburg finally decided at last it had a radio station. A piece of bare ground just two weeks ago now sports a new building and a bright orange and white tower.

According to recent reports from the owner, D. C. Stephens, and Manager Rex Osborne, WPRT should take to the air shortly after Nov. 16. WPRT is located one mile south of Prestonsburg on Highway 23. The station will have a power of 1,000 watts and will be at the 960 spot on your radio dial. The plans at present call for a full daytime schedule of broadcasting activity. This will include national and local news, sports, personality and public service programs.

Mr. Edwin C. Healy, installation and chief engineer, says the WPRT coverage area will be the best in the Big Sandy district. This area will include Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Perry, Knott, Martin, Magoffin and Morgan counties. This will be due largely to late engineering techniques and high quality broadcast equipment.

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The formal opening date for WPRT will be announced later. (Advertisement)

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Thacker works in the communications division of Admiral Carney's command which protects the southern European flank of the 14-nation NATO defense system.

During World War II, he served as a Marine in the Pacific theatre, participating in the famed battles of Bougainville, Guam and Iwo Jima. Following his Marine service, Thacker, a graduate of Martin high school, enlisted in the navy in January, 1946.

This is his second tour of duty in the European area, having served with the U.S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean in 1948.

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- 2 Established soil conservation service. Today four out of five of the nation's farms are included in the program. Almost 78 million acres of farm and pasture land have been restored, protected and improved under Democratic administration programs.

- 3 Helped farmers to own their own farms. For 50 years the trend had been the other way—toward tenant farming. More than 2,000,000 farmers have been encouraged to own their farms by loan help from the Farmers Home Administration.

- 4 Brought electricity to the farm. In 1932 only one farm out of ten had electric power. Today only one out of ten does not have it. The Rural Electrification Administration did the job.

- 5 Extended farm credit at moderate interest rates so that farmers could improve and expand their production.
- 6 Expanded Federal agricultural research.

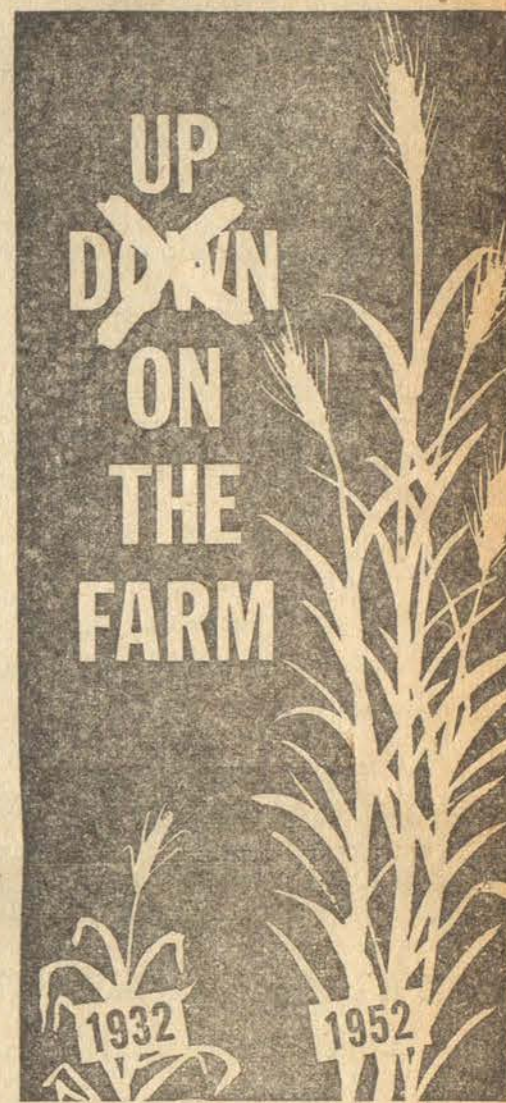
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Net income for the average farmer stood at nearly \$2,800 in 1951—almost ten times what it was in 1932. Allowing for the rise in prices farmers pay, the average farmer's income is four times what it was in 1932 and double what it was in 1929—the peak year of Republican prosperity.

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- 2 Reduced parity for several important commodities. (80th Congress.)
- 3 Reduced price floors by putting in a sliding scale of 60 to 90 percent of parity. (80th Congress.)
- 4 Prevented the Commodity Credit Corporation from acquiring new storage facilities to enable farmers to get price support loans. (80th Congress.)
- 5 Voted against an improved Soil Conservation Act in 1936. Voted to wretch on conservation payments in 1943. The 80th Congress voted to abolish soil conservation in 1948. The 80th Congress voted to cut the program in half.
- 6 Voted to kill the farm ownership loan program in 1947.



- 7 Voted to cut off one-third of the staff of the Rural Electrification Administration in 1947.
- 8 Voted to cut the budget of the Research and Marketing Administration by one half.

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JUNIOR WOMEN MEET

Regular meeting of the Wayland Junior Woman's Club was held October 20 at the home of Mrs. Charles Hughes. There was more discussion of the Seventh district convention to be held at Prestonsburg on Nov. 1. The president appointed Mrs. Jack Hammet and Mrs. Ruel Hicks as delegates and Mrs. Anthony Lyons and Mrs. Charles Hughes as alternates. Mrs. Jack Hammet was appointed to the Nominations committee in place of the president.

Mrs. Anthony Lyons was appointed chairman of the Motion Pictures committee. Education pictures to be shown to the club may be procured. The club voted to enter a Community Betterment contest sponsored by the Woman's Clubs, and Mrs. Edgar DeCoursey will be chairman of the project.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Edgar DeCoursey, Jack Hammet, Ralph Wright, Ruel Hicks, A. N. Begley, Charles Hughes and Misses Faye Petry, Anna Belle Pain and Joyce Terry.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Miss Faye Petry and Mrs. O. J. Williams, governor of the Seventh district, will be the guest-speaker.

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Mrs. Lee Phillips, of Jenkins, sister of Langley Patton, of David, is in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, recovering from an attack of rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Marcus Patton is in the Prestonsburg hospital, ill with tonsillitis. Rev. Ashland Shepherd, who has been ill in the Prestonsburg hospital for several days, has returned to his home and is some improved.

Charles Hager, of the air force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hager, is home on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clay and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffith here Sunday.

Reuben Shepherd, of the army, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fair Shepherd, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson were visiting at Jackson over the weekend.

Billy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey, who had been in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, for the past few days, is reported to be getting along nicely. It is thought that he will be able to come home in the next few days.

Jack Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, who was reported ill with appendicitis, was released from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, without having to undergo an operation.

Miss Annabelle Allen, of Abbott Creek, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prater here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hager, were visiting relatives in Charleston, W. Va., Sunday.

The times in which we are now living are dangerous, deadly times. Nothing but the Gospel of Christ can help a world, so sunken in sin as our world is today. Hear the Gospel of Christ preached in its purity at the David Community Church next Sunday night, 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bickers, of Aurora, Ind., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Capelli.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Harmon and children of David, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmon, of Wayland, spent last Sunday visiting on Johns Creek.

Mrs. Willard Deboard is ill in the Prestonsburg hospital.

Mrs. J. A. Hicks, Mae and Debora Hicks, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Bussey last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Davis, of Van Lear, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullett.

Chester Patton has returned from a fishing trip to Tennessee. We have not been able to find out how many fish were caught. But so far we have not smelled any frying, and we live pretty close to Chester.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

North Central Ave.

Sunday, Nov. 2—

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Worship service.

7:00 p.m.—Evening worship.

Thursday, Nov. 6—

7:00 p.m.—Preaching service, S. C. Honeycutt bringing message.

Every one invited to attend these services.

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One Hundred Attain P'burg Hi Honor Roll

Eighteen seniors, 18 juniors, 26 sophomores and 38 freshmen are on the Honor Roll of Prestonsburg high school, it was announced last week by Gerald G. Leslie after examinations for the first six weeks' work had been completed.

The honor roll follows:

Seniors—Joe Jack Arnett, Rose Marie Bayes, Clara Agnes Burchett, Mazie Brown, Julian Campbell, Robert Dean Gunnell, Lowell Hager, Delmar Hughes, Kay Leslie, George Lockwood, Sue Miller, Margie Neely, Angeline Perry, Evelyn Sammons, Kathryn Shepherd, Vyrone Smiley, Joy Waddie, Bonnie Wells.

Juniors—David Allen, Doris Boyd, Phyllis Ann Cline, George Ford, Jackie Hensley, Betty June Honeycutt, Cloyd Johnson, Grace Justice, Wilka Dean May, Anna McComas, Helen McKenzie, Fred May, Kathleen Meade, Laura Music, Patricia Pelfrey, Ruth Ann Rowe, Raymond Ratcliff, Gabriel Wallace.

Sophomores—Martha Archer, Elizabeth Burchett, Virginia Burchett, Esther Burke, Donald Capelli, Margaret Collins, Winifred Cooley, Joe Crider, Peggy Crum, John Everly, Ronald Goodman, Scottie Hamilton, Dorothy Herald, Pauline Hicks, Clarence Laferty, Joe May, Mary Marie Maynard, Mary Lou Miller, Edward Ousley, Dickie Prater, Phyllis Smiley, Jackie Smiley, Peggy Spradlin, Linda Sue Stephens, Myrtle Tussey, Ballard D. Wright.

Freshmen—Vonnie Allen, Minerva Arnett, Elizabeth Bingham, Barbara Clark, Ed Clifton, Jimmy Cline, Bonnie Collins, Rebecca Conley, Johnnie Cook, George Cury, Carl Billie Greer, Gerald Greer, Christine Hale, Phyllis Hammonds, Sallie Hill, Randall Honeycutt, James Hubbard, Downen Hughes, Dolores Hughes, Lowell Hughes, David Leslie, Clyde Lucas, Mary Lynn Mahan, Millie Marie McKinney, Ruth Meade, Carroll Wade Moore, Ernest Osborne, Joyce Ann Parker, Phyllis Patton, Donna Pressnell, Barbara Spradlin, Paul Stepp, Valeria Warrix, Janet Sue Whitten, Lois Faye Woods.

KIWANIANS SPONSOR TEEN-AGERS AT MEET

The Patsy Teen-Agers of David gave several performances which were enthusiastically received by the Kiwanians at their district convention last week at Knoxville, Tenn.

The Teen-Agers' appearance at the convention was sponsored by the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club. Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, director of the singing group, was accompanist for the performance. Mrs. William Crawford acted as chaperone.

The Teen-Agers entertained the Kiwanians at all their main functions. All in the Teen-Agers' party were given orchids at the convention banquet.

As an amateur singing chorus the Teen-Agers have appeared in several cities and on many radio and television programs. The Princess Elkhorn Coal Company is sponsor of the group.

Members of the chorus under the direction of Mrs. Frazier, are:

Shirley Hager, Clara Hager, Peggy Bartley, Donnie Ray Carver, Edsel Carver, Bill Titlow, Pee-Wee Capelli, Sue Thompson, Helen Hammonds, Johnnie Everly, Betty June Honeycutt, Roger Marshall, Joe Marshall, Elizabeth Ruth Castle, Peggy Bussey, Toby Bussey.

Cincinnati—Paul L. Smith, of Springfield, obtained a federal gambling stamp. He registered as an agent. The stamp was the 72nd issued.

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IT'S COL. JACK, NOW

It is Col. Jack C. York of Ironton, Ohio, Sub. Yessuh, the publicist of the Floyd County Sesquicentennial of 1950 has been honored by Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby with a commission as a full-fledged Kentucky Colonel.

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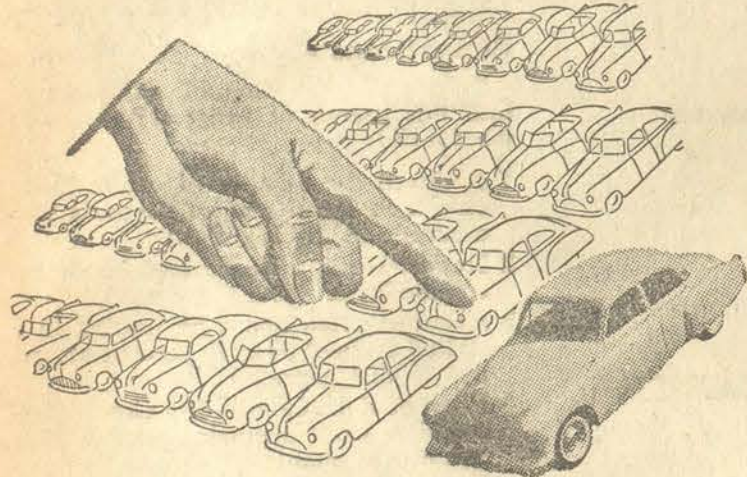
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Rural Highway Dept.
Lists Road Progress

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 27 (Spl.)—Kentucky's Rural Highway Department has contracted for \$9,509,044 worth of work since January 1, of which \$1,005,924 was federal aid—and covering 703 miles of road. Commissioner of Rural Highways B. T. Moynahan announced today.

All but 14 of Kentucky's counties are involved in work done under the program—these being due to either lack of plans or right-of-way problems—but all will probably have work contracted by January 1, said Moynahan. Counties included in this category are Carlisle, Livingston, Crittenden, Trigg, Jefferson, Oldham, Shelby, Mercer, Kenton, Campbell, Grant, Bourbon, Robertson, Mason and Leslie.

"We would be able to let work in Jefferson, Kenton, Bourbon, Mercer, Lincoln, Livingston and Estill counties within 30 days and the remainder by January 1, depending on the availability of suitable plans and clearance of right-of-way problems," Moynahan said. "It is contemplated that federal aid be obtained for work to be done in Jefferson, Marion and Mercer counties."

Moynahan also called attention to the gradual elimination of covered bridges throughout the state and substitution in their stead of modern concrete passable bridges. A covered bridge in Bourbon county was recently replaced, as has the one in Pendleton county.

Within the next year, four other covered bridges—in Greenup, Montgomery, Mason and Harrison counties—are scheduled to be replaced with modern concrete structures, Moynahan added.

IT'S A GOOD WORLD

BY WILMAX

To my Mother: Many happy returns on your seventy-first birthday. Mother dear, and may you have as many more as joyous as they come. Your hair is streaked with silver, and your face is getting lined. Your hands are worn with care, but it is loving care and serving and living, and we love you for it. The sacrifices you made to send six of us to college would fill a book. You will some day leave us a heritage all the money in the world could not buy.

You kept your house open to all our friends, and it was generally full. Remember how you used to set an extra plate at mealtime because we were sure to bring someone with us, and when we failed to Father did? You quit school to marry at 19, but I'd like to know spelling and the king's English as well as you do. You kept abreast of the times, and one has only to hear your friends by the legion say, "Mother Gunn," to know any community where you live regards itself as fortunate to have you.

You have good taste but a person's pocketbook cannot always afford to prove such, so there was a hodge-podge of mission oak and veneered pieces generally, but you could make a home of soap boxes and crotone, while some women with millions could never convert four walls into a home. This entire column could be devoted to you and still not be adequate to express my feelings.

You make our world go round,
'Tis the least I can say,
When God made you, he surely
Threw that one mold away.

Do not miss the beauty of our hills now for the few remaining weeks. Surely no section in the world can surpass ours when autumn splashes her tints upon Mother Nature's canvass.

We call attention to the fact that the Passion Pageant next spring will not be on Easter Sunday, which is too early to risk having suitable weather. Easter is April 5; the Pageant will be the 19th, third Sunday. Last Easter no leaves were visible. On May Day the hills were glorious. The season was late last year, so the Board voted to select a date when the leaves would be unfolded on the beautiful hillside where the event will be staged.

Examination disclosed that a huge, long wall of concrete, with a tremendous fill, would be needed if the settings were placed at the foot of the hill. And while Aunt Mandy Dingus, the dear old lady, has said, "Use the land for God's glory," no one wants to tear it up any worse. And funds for such an undertaking are simply not available. So the Pageant leaders are placing the group of eight or 10 new stage settings as high as possible on the hill. The former platform has been removed. Everybody will be able to see. A small admission fee will be charged next spring to help purchase a permanent home for the Pageant, which is to be featured in spring issues of a number of magazines.

Members of the cast are reminded to be at the hill Sunday at 2 p. m., in costume. Bring cameras and film to help make pictures.

A Martin visitor from Atlanta, Georgia, made the statement this past week that wherever Passion Pageants are presented they become a tremendous drawing power for churches, the community, etc. The answer is simple: Christ Himself is the central figure, and He was, is and forever will be the greatest drawing power in the world.

Pageant leaders and cast in Martin have sought to emphasize the spiritual side, to give all preeminence to Christ alone. Christ made it possible. He is the only one who can do so again. Workers are praying earnestly that the Pageant may be used to glorify Him in a large way. It is like a small revival when the Board gets together. Every member desires to thank the many who are assisting in countless ways.

Warsaw, Poland—Communist Poland and East Germany ratified their agreement fixing the frontier between them along the Oder-Neisse rivers.

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ALLEN

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met Oct. 6 at the home here of Mrs. Mack Elliott for the regular monthly business meeting.

Mrs. James Webb, Jr., gave a report on the progress being made on the Girl Scout troops in Allen. She said they had been organized and are now functioning. The Cub Scouts are being organized also.

The president, Mrs. Virginia Short, appointed a committee to plan for the president's report to be given at the district meeting in Prestonsburg, Nov. 1. The committee consists of Mrs. Russell Laven, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. Walter Frasure and Mrs. Belford Reitz.

After discussion of a kindergarten, Mrs. Louis Warren made the motion that the club sponsor a kindergarten in Allen. The move was voted and Mrs. Russell Laven was appointed teacher and to see about locating a place to teach.

The president asked for 10 women from the club to be in the Pageant at Martin as dancers. Those who volunteered were Mrs. George Laven, Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mrs. T. J. Allen, Mrs. Belford Reitz, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. Louis Warren, Mrs. W. O. Huddleston, Mrs. Earle Martin and Mrs. John P. Sammons. Mrs. William Lyon was appointed on the Excuse committee for Allen. Next meeting will be a dinner party at Drift.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames T. J. Allen, Mack Elliott Boone Hall, George Laven, Russell Laven, William Lyon, Belford Reitz, James Webb, Jr., Virginia Short, Charles Marshall, Walter Frasure, William Martin, and Louis Warren.

Columbus—The new Common Pleas Judge in Brown county is John H. Houston, of Georgetown, former prosecutor, appointed to the bench by Gov. Lausche to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Bagby.

NOTICE

Application has been filed with the Floyd County Court by Evelyn Kelso for roadhouse license in the operation of the Country Kitchen at Betsy Layne, Ky.

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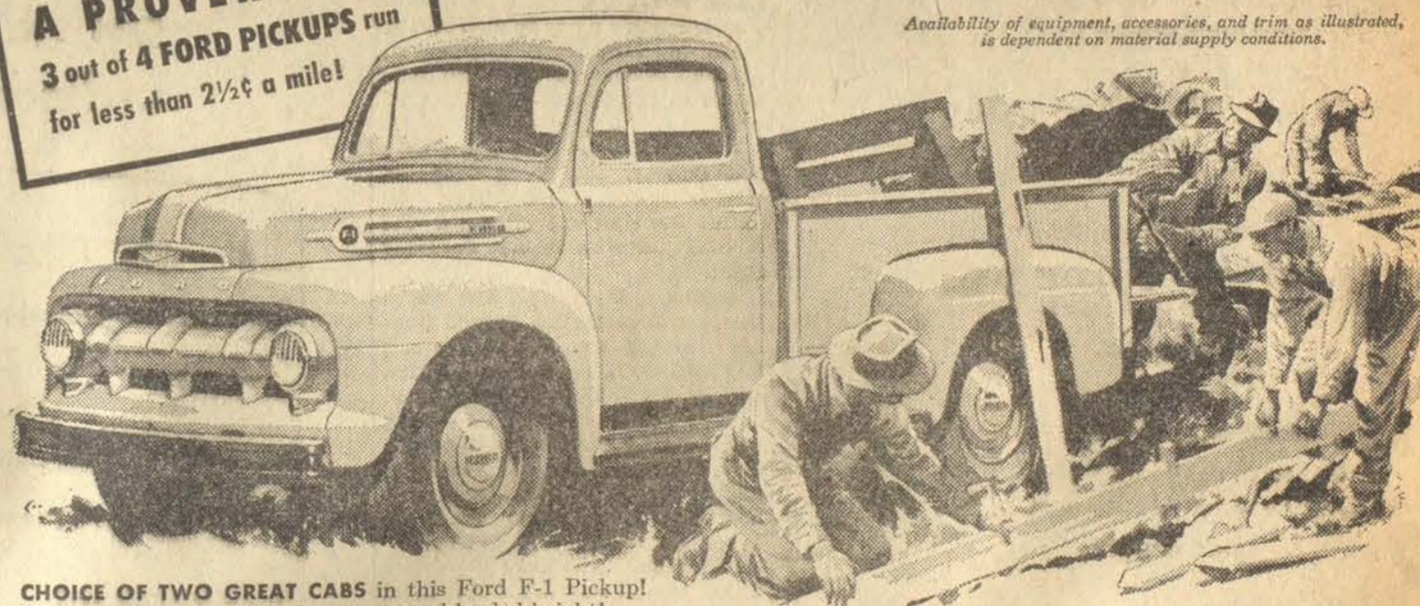
"For one reason or another, even a wisely led political party, given long tenure of office, finally fails to express any longer the will of the people and, when it does so fail to express the will of the people, it ceases to be an effective instrument of government. It is far better for such a political party, certainly far better for the state, that it should be relegated to the role of critic and that the opposing political party should assume the reins of government."

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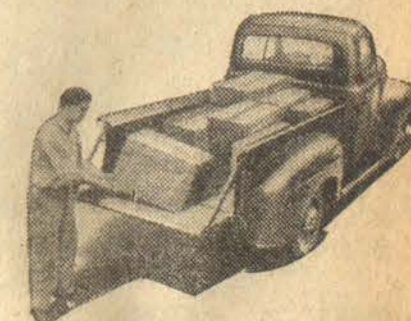
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Maytown Woman Urges Women Vote for Adlai E. Stevenson

Langley, Kentucky
October 25, 1952

Dear Friends:

As a member of the Floyd county campaign committee, it is my duty to reach every lady voter and urge them to come to the polls on November 4 and to vote. I am afraid I will not be able to see some of you and I am taking this means of contacting you instead.

The first item that I want you to think about is our present Social Security law. If a man is earning \$300.00 a month when he retires he will draw \$80.00 a month and when his wife reaches 65, she will draw \$40.00 a month. A widow and one child will draw \$120.00 and a widow and two children will draw \$150.00 with like benefits on down. I want you to think what a contrast that is to what we had to live on in the days of the Republican administration.

Second, we now have a retirement pension of \$72.00 a month for soldiers. If you remember after World War I, a few of the soldiers marched to Washington to plead for what was then called a Soldier's Bonus; and they were brutally abused and driven out by General Douglas MacArthur with machine guns, bombs and tear gas. That was under a Republican administration, and if you don't come out and vote under the Rooster, we may have to face just such as that again or even worse.

If the Democrats stay in power, we hope to eventually get the age for dependent widows lowered to 50 years instead of the present 65. There are many mothers today unable to work for a living and can't draw Social Security benefits until they are 65.

The Republican party is backed by Big Steel, Little Steel, Wall Street and all the big Corporations. The Democratic party is not only the Laboring Man's party, it is the party for us all. The fact that Eisenhower is backed by Taft and McCarthy is enough to show us what will happen to the laboring class of people if he should win.

When the age of retirement draws near, you begin to think seriously of those things and wonder what might happen if the Republican party should come into power and make drastic cuts in the present Social Security payments like they would have to do if they cut the budget like they say they intend to do.

Our nation is Democratic by majority if we all vote; but, if we win we must all vote.

Don't let anything keep you away from the polls on November 4.

Sincerely,
MRS. ED SUTTON

(Pol. Adv.)

ALLAN

Joe K. Howard, of Millersburg Military Institute, spent the week-end here with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray and Jean Delong were business visitors in Pikeville, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Preston and children, Mikell and John David, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore at Adams, Sunday.

Jimmy Delano Gray accompanied Wanda Boyd, Midge Boyd, Doris Boyd, Patsy Ann Click, of Emma, and Bob Burchett, of Lancer, to Belfry Friday night for the Belfry-Prestonsburg football game.

Jack Gray, Jr., and children, Butch and Ramona, of Walbridge, Ohio, and Jack Gray, Sr., of Prestonsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray Sunday afternoon, while enroute to Paintsville for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Stambough after a visit with relatives at Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Laferty, of Sloan, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Estill Wyatt, and family near Cincinnati.

Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh and daughter, Susan, of Dwayne, were business visitors in Paintsville, Sunday.

Frank Preston visited at his farm at Patrick, Sunday afternoon.

Laberta Stephens is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens, of Ashland.

Mrs. Fanny Kane, Mae Schroder and Tom Austin spent the week-end with relatives in Fallsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Frazier entertained with a supper in their home Saturday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier on their 40th wedding anniversary. Guests, other than the honorees, were Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray, Mrs. Rebecca Setser, of Allen, and Mrs. Everett Tackett and children, Sandra and Edward Gene.

Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Marcia Adcock, Barbara Sue Maynard and Goldia Shortridge attended the youth rally in the Mayo Memorial Methodist Church in Paintsville Saturday night.

Attending the Methodist Youth Fellowship and sub-district meeting in the Emma church Monday night were Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, youth leaders, and Mrs. Betty Stephens, Barbara Sue Maynard, Jimmy Delona Gray, Klora Laferty, Janet Spurlock, Donald Ray Scalf, Betty Jean Vanhoose, Jack Carr, Jim Carr, Bennie Lynwood Laferty, Charlotte Snodgrass, Goldia Shortridge. The following churches were represented: Allen, Auxier, Martin, Maytown, Prestonsburg, Wayland, Horn Chapel and Emma. Martin won the attendance banner with 29 present. Refreshments were served by the host church to more than 140 persons. The Rev. I. J. Myer, of the Mayo church, was the speaker. The November meeting will be in the Garrett church. During the business meeting, a letter was read from a school in India, where this sub-district is sending a boy to high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens, of Ashland, spent the week-end here guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lunda Carroll, Sunday, Oct. 26, a daughter. This is their fourth daughter.

Miss Jean Delong attended the football game at Belfry Saturday night.

Attending the revival services in the Martin Methodist Church Sunday morning and night, were Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Pearly Kinzer, Bennie Laferty, Dave Morgan Flanery, Betty Stephens and Karen Sue, Donald Ray Scalf and Klora Laferty. The evangelist is the Rev. Doug Mosley, of Park City.

Dick Hinton and Luke Woods received painful cuts and bruises in an automobile accident in Ohio last week. Dee Branham, of Bull Creek, owner of the car, was uninjured. The car was demolished.

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GARRETT

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Miller and son, Chipper, of Ashland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow Cox and children, of Evansville, Ind., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blanton and J. O. Damron, of Wayland, left Sunday to attend the Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Escam Murray, of Columbus, O., spent the week-end here with Mrs. Edna Martin and family.

Rudolph Spencer spent the week-end in Clifton Forge, Va., and visited Frank Raskin at the C. & O. hospital there.

Ruth, Edna and Clem Martin spent the week-end in Morehead. Mrs. Harold Bailey, of LaPorte, Ind., has been the guest several days of her brother, Bartee Estep, and Mrs. Estep.

Edith Irene Martin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buford Martin in Michigan.

Jimmy Messer, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, who has been in Korea the past several months, returned home last week.

H. H. Hornsby, of Jackhorn, visited friends here Wednesday afternoon.

Washington—The Supreme Court refused to review the conviction of Joseph L. Paoessa for the murder and kidnaping of Robert Leonard, 14-year-old son of a Poughkeepsie, N. Y., widow.

GARRETT BAPTIST CHURCH

E. C. Brewer, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a.m., Dr. A. N. Begley, Supt.

Morning worship, 11 a.m.

Mission service at Salyers Branch, 2:30 p.m.

Baptist Training Union, 6 p.m., Mrs. Ethel Sanders, director.

Evening worship, 7 p.m.

Prayer meeting and monthly business meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.

R.A.'s and G.A.'s meet Wednesday, 6 p.m.

Mission service at Eastern, Friday, 7 p.m.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

The State Tuberculosis Sanatoria Commission re-elected E. Murphy Josey, Frankfort, as its president and chose Dr. Paul S. Trover, Madisonville, secretary. Other members of the group are Dr. Oscar O. Miller, Louisville; W. W. Owsley, Cynthia and Commissioner of Welfare Luther T. Gohsen, the latter an ex-officio member.

Gallup, N. M.—Sheriff D. F. Mollica said that a man's body found Oct. 10 on a hill overlooking Gallup has been identified as that of Martin Leonard, 72, of Cincinnati.

Washington—Senator Karl Mundt (R-SD) said President Truman was guilty of "willful misrepresentation" in saying Republicans in Congress opposed social security.

Columbus—Timmons Construction Company of Columbus was low bidder on construction of two dormitories at the Orient State School. The total was \$337,151.

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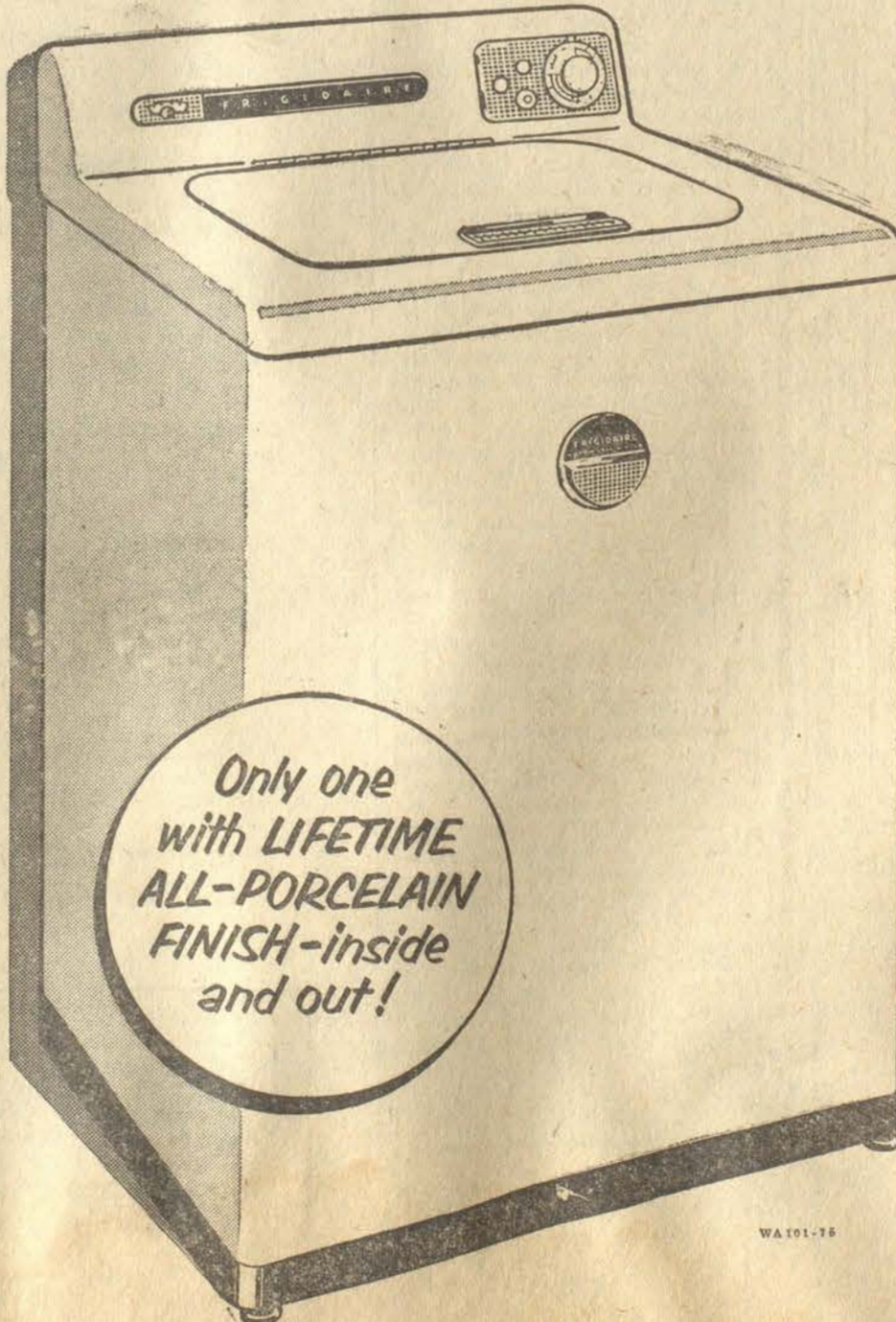
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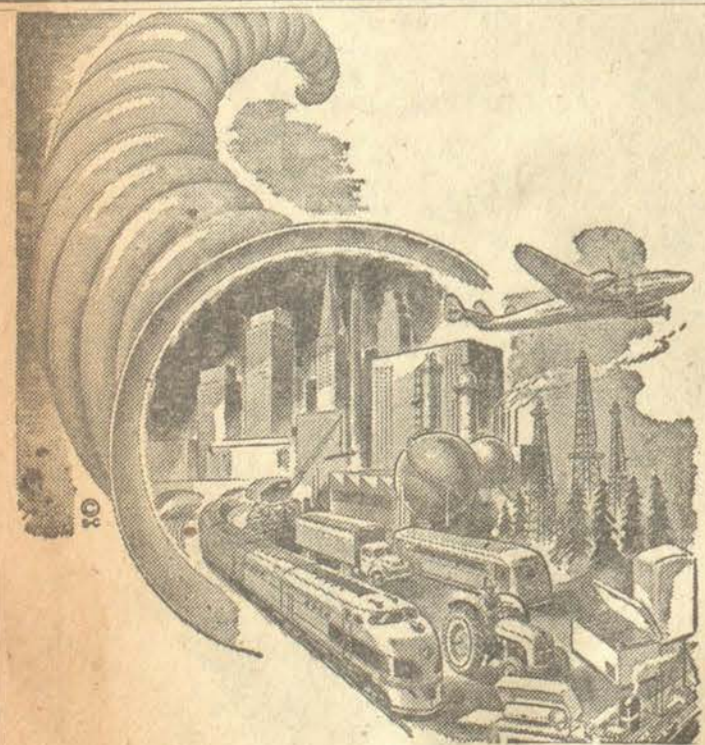
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MISS HAGER ELECTED

Miss Phyllis Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hager, of East Point, and a member of the Prestonsburg chapter, Future Homemakers of America, was elected to fill the vacancy in the office of second vice-president of the Ashland district Future Homemakers at the district meeting held at Sandy Hook high school recently.

Other district officers are:

President, Doris Ann Scott, Salyersville; first vice-president, Janet Littleton, Prichard; secretary, Lena Christy, Morehead; treasurer, Sylvia Patrick, Salyersville; chapter parliamentarian, Carol Bradley, Olive Hill; reporter, Louise Irvine, Morehead; recreation leader, Lucille Booth, Sandy Hook; song leader, Faye Fannin, Louisa.

Floyd Ranks Third In Number Enrolled At Morehead College

Students from 46 Kentucky counties, 13 other states, and one foreign country are included in the Morehead State College enrollment for the fall semester, it was reported this week by Registrar Linus A. Fair.

The campus enrollment of 698 represents a 15 per cent increase over last year, Mr. Fair said. An additional 382 students are enrolled in the campus training school and 455 students are enrolled in off-campus classes, he explained.

Leading the list of counties contributing to campus enrollment are Rowan, 108; Carter, 52; Floyd, 46; Bath, 41; Lewis, 33; Boyd and Pike, 28 each; Letcher, 24; Fleming, 23; Johnson, 22; Montgomery, 21; Elliott, 16; and Lawrence, Morgan and Perry, 15 each.

Students attending Morehead from Floyd county include the following: Wayland—Maxwell Evert Adkins, Thomas H. Meadows and Shirley Ann Spilman; Dana—Euhlan Ray Akers; Allen—Barbara Sue Allen; Eastern—Corinne Allen, Geraldine Allen and Lexie L. Allen; Hueysville—Nelson Robert Allen; Prestonsburg—Edgill Branham, Barbara Allen Carter, Zen D. Ferguson, Bill Goebel, Jr., Jesse B. Hagewood, Shirley Cole Hughes, Clyde Lafferty, Thomas H. Meadows, Harlin E. Newcome, Mary Lou Parker, Charles G. Porter, Evelyn Johns Salisbury and Hugh Winston Stumbo.

Melvin—Geneva T. Bryant; Martin—Alka Lanetta Dingus, Nancy Sue Dingus and Frank Douglas Taylor; Weeksburg—Jo Ann Fraley; Harold—Jack Elkins, Earl Perry; Martin and Clifton Steele; Emma—Virginia Spears Goble; Lancer—Dewey Greer and William Riley Harris; McDowell—Homer Lee Hall and Douglas Y. Hayes; Bevsinsville—Bobby Hall; McDowell—Homer Lee Hall and Douglas Y. Hayes; Hi Hat—Thillie Josephine Hall, Alberta Howell, Randal Earl Newman and Leo A. Osborne; Estil—Billy Ray Howard; Langley—Thomas Lee Jones and Wendell Jones; Wheelwright—Marvin Osborne; Risner—Bobbie Jean Prater and Willa Dean Prater.

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 5-room residence on First avenue, known as the Alice Turner property.

W. W. COOLEY, Executor
Estate of E. P. Arnold, deceased

Parish Council Meet Held at Shelbyana

The Parish Council of the Big Sandy Valley Larger Parish of the Methodist Church, met, Sept. 27, at the Methodist Church, Shelbyana, Ky. The work of the Parish was outlined for the conference year closing in August, 1953. Officers for the new year were elected: Kelly J. Day, chairman; Jesse Elliott, vice-chairman; Mrs. Henry Darnon, secretary; F. H. Sharp, treasurer. Churches composing the Parish area: Hardy and Freeburn, Rev. H. M. Wiley, pastor; Elkhorn City and Dorton, Rev. Lewis Adams, pastor; Shelbyana, Rev. Everett Brown, pastor; Salem and Shively Chapel, Rev. Charles R. Elswick, pastor; Betsy Layne and Vogel-Day, Rev. Robert L. Anderson, pastor.

The Parish has served this area for six years and is beginning its seventh year. During these six years, Rev. Robert L. Anderson has served as director of the program. His leadership will continue through the seventh year. This program of administering the work of the smaller churches has met with much success and has been copied in all sections of the church. The Parish was launched as an experiment in the Southeastern Jurisdiction under the sponsorship of the General Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension, New York, the Kentucky Conference Board of the Methodist Church, and the Methodist Church in Pikeville.

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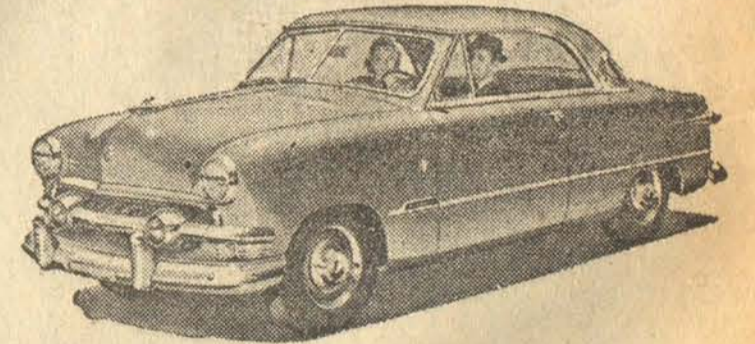
With the 25th Inf. Div. in Korea—Pfc. Donald R. Slavens, Lackey, is now serving with the 25th Infantry Division in the eastern Korea sector. Slavens, a member of the Third Platoon, Tank Company of the 14th Infantry Regiment, was stationed at Fort Meade, Md., before arriving in Korea last January.

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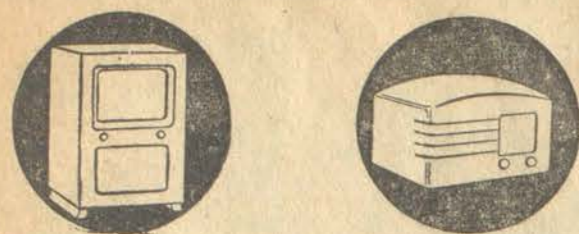
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CLIFF

(Last week's correspondence)

Mrs. Tom Stephens, who underwent a major operation at the Paintsville hospital recently, was returned to her home at Cliff, Sunday. She is convalescing nicely under the care of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Snyder, of Jenkins, who will remain with her until she has completely recovered.

Mrs. Will Stephens, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks at her home here, is slightly improved.

Stephen Lee Best celebrated his eight birthday with a party at school at the forks of Middle Creek, Friday, with all the pupils of his room as guests.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Jack Best, Sunday, were Miss Anna Woods and Miss Myrtle Pugsley, of Prestonsburg, and Marion Lilly, of East Point.

Calling Sunday on Mrs. Will Stephens, who is quite ill, were the following friends and relatives: Mrs. George Laven, daughter, Tommy Carol, Mrs. Boone Hall and Mrs. Russell Laven, all of Allen, Miss Myrtle Pugsley and Miss Anna Woods, of Prestonsburg, Marion Lilly, of East Point, Carl Horn, of Bays Branch, Mrs. Lee Miller, of the Auxler road, Mrs. Jim Shell and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Laferty and children, all of Cliff. Mrs. Woodrow Stephens called earlier in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best and Stephen Lee called on Mrs. Tom Stephens at the Paintsville hospital, Saturday.

Mrs. Clara May and granddaughter, Betty May, have returned to their home at Cliff after a short visit with her son, Clyde May, in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lilly, Jr., and children, of East Point, were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Clara May.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Calhoun and children, of Bull Creek, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rorer, Jr., Saturday night.

Doris and May Shell, of Cliff, are employed in Indiana.

Mrs. John Stephens and daughter, Phyllis, visited Mrs. Tom Stephens at the Paintsville hospital, Saturday.

There were 52 in attendance at Cliff Sunday School, Sunday. You are cordially invited to come, worship with us every time our church doors open. Tom Moore is superintendent of the Sunday School.

C. G. Stiglitz of Bullitt county sold turkeys of the small white variety at 21 weeks which averaged 10 pounds.



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Our submission to the doctrines of denominations, quacks, creeds, false teachers and false prophets has built a screen between us and that powerful light which would bring spiritual truth, understanding, exhilaration and peace of mind to every soul upon which its gentle rays fall.

Most of us need a good laxative to eliminate that damnable toxic condition which is consuming our very beings. We will not find a panacea for our poisoned minds, our restless souls and our weary bodies in the hallelujahs of some of our pharisaical denominations, we will not find it in the amens of some of its penitent followers. It is not hidden beneath the cloak of some preacher, priest or pope, nor is it found under the altar of some great cathedral, vatican or stylish synagogue. It is found within ourselves. All we need is the true formula for using it.

"Go forth under the open sky and list" to nature's teachings." There we will find the true formula which lets in the light of Truth and dispels the fog and darkness which poisons our minds and cramps and distorts our souls. Christian virtues, as demonstrated by our spiritual pilot, are: Love, Meekness, Mercy, Purity, Peacemaking, Righteousness and Sorrow. The greatest of these virtues is love. These are old landmarks made by the Original Surveyor and Abstractor, Jesus Christ.

Jesus seemed contented with living and doing good and leaving a clear, concise road map by which every human being might follow. If Jesus Christ had intended that His church should have been divided into hundreds of denominations He would have said so and made it one of the old landmarks. Or He would have said: "The plan of salvation is hardly complete. My church has not yet been divided. My time on earth is up and I must leave the finishing touches to man. Fifteen hundred years after I am gone let man begin dividing and sub-dividing My church into small groups. Each individual group shall select a name for itself and set up its own creeds and doctrines. The creeds and doctrines of each individual group shall be different from all other groups so that there will be no conflict as to the individual right of any group. You may establish as many groups as you wish, build as many churches as you wish and charge each member of your special group as much as you like. Each group shall have the power to convert people according to its own creed. Each group shall make a special effort to secure the largest membership of all the groups. Special award will be given to the group whose enrollment book shows the largest number of names."

ALPHORETTA

Mrs. M. D. Isaac attended church at Wilson Creek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams spent the week-end at Whitesburg.

Jim Manuel, Mrs. Walter England and daughters, Vincent Adkins and daughters visited at Eastern, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shepherd were visiting friends and relatives here, Sunday.

Crawford Stungill, Adam and Joe Dove motored to Big Rock, Va., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stith, Mr. and Mrs. Maryland Derossett and son were visiting here, Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Stungill and daughter, Mrs. Jim Manuel, were visiting at Greenup during the week-end.

Mrs. Willie Crisp and Jean Harris were at Wilson Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. Lowell Howard, of Langley, was visiting here during the week.

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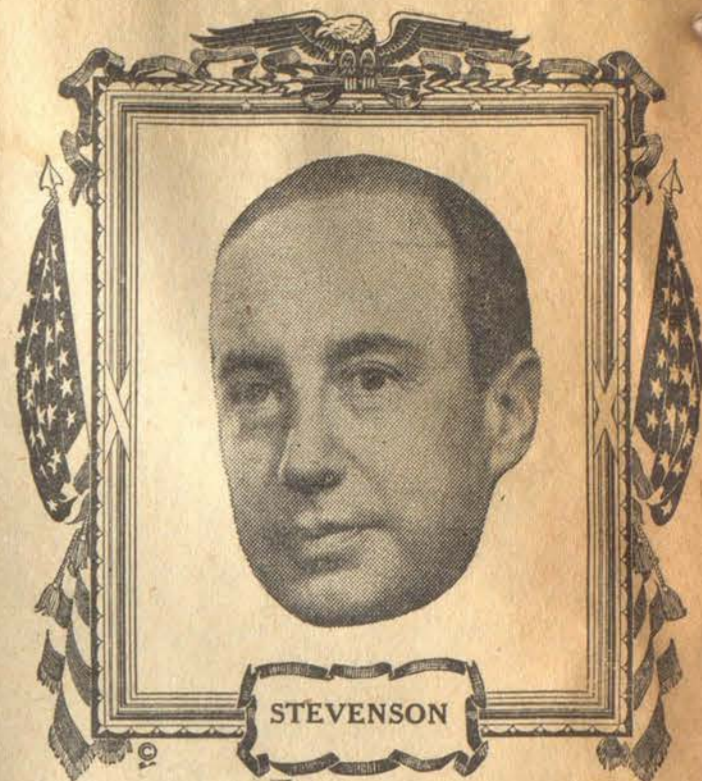
Beckley — Governor Patterson's withdrawal of support from Robert C. Byrd, Sixth District Democratic nominee for Congress, was commended in a resolution by the Young Negro Democratic Voters League of West Virginia.

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The Republican Elephant wants to forget that story. We, the elder Democrats, would like to pass it on to you. People learn by experience and we had the classic experience of a political party creating a real mess.

It began in 1929 and lasted until Franklin D. Roosevelt was elected. Millions were out of employment. No accurate count was ever made of these unemployed, but the figure was near 13 million. It is not misery to be unemployed if you have unemployment benefits as now, but back then the only thing you could do was beg or sell apples—or steal! Soup lines were everywhere. Veterans who had defended their country marched on Washington to seek relief, and met army bayonets under Hoover's order. Men who in desperation were appealing to their government were gassed and bayoneted out of Washington.

Thousands of books and articles have been written on the human suffering occasioned by the cynical and negligent Republican Administration's attitude toward the depression. Any attempt by us to add to that story would be futile, but we try. We want to tell the story, for the Elephant will not.

The roads were lined by refugees from starvation. They came from everywhere and were going nowhere. Only wearily drifting around looking for something to eat and hunting for a place to lay their heads. Compassionate people along U.S. 23 rolled old, dilapidated automobiles near the highway, so that these transient victims of the Hoover Depression could crawl into them and sleep.

Coal miners lived only in the night, for they never saw the day except on the Sabbath. They went to work anywhere from 2 o'clock in the morning and stayed until they "cleaned up." If they did not "clean up" they were fired. No union representative gave any protection—there wasn't any. Sometimes that "clean up" took until 10 o'clock at night. Long near midnight tipples were running to prepare coal and the workers stayed on the job. Maybe they made a dollar and a half. But if they did, they took it in trade at the store.

Coal loading by hand was in lots of mines not by shovel but with a fork. Yes, a big fork that let the fine coal drop through, for only the lumps went into the cars. The small egg and dust was thrown away with the slate and bone for nothing. If your scrapping was six inches thick you took it with a pick. The company would not give you a single stick of explosive to save you hours of work.

If a miner worked one or two days he and his family ate only those days, for the company allowed him to take out scrip for what he worked. What they ate, the rest of the week, God only knows. We do know that plenty of families did not eat at all except by charity.

At one mine in Floyd county the miners, in desperation, met secretly in the woods at night and discussed their plight. Next day they went, hundreds strong, to the commissary and with an appointed clerk handed out groceries. These groceries were charged on the books by themselves. Outside, the front office was plastered with Hoover signs—put up by a cynical crowd that asked a desperate people to vote a continuation of starvation and misery.

No Elephant's memory will be longer than a miner's when it comes to remembering that.

Not only the miner suffered. The farmer didn't sell hogs or cattle. He kept them. One Floyd county farmer shipped his cattle to Cleveland and received 12 cents a pound. Back in Floyd county, if he could possibly have sold them, he would have gotten about three cents. Hogs were so plentiful that motorists had to get out of their cars and shoot them out of the road. Some farmers seeing their hogs starve slipped them into a neighbor's lot in order that they would get fed. They weren't worth anything, anyway.

There was plenty of food, yet people starved. Corn was piled up in the Bluegrass fields and was offered at 17 cents a bushel. No takers. While people cried for bread this source of food rotted because the Republicans couldn't find a way to get it to where it was needed.

While we were in the depths of this human misery the Republican Vice-President and his friends at Washington threw a big party. They came in their furs, their expensive clothes and chauffeured automobiles. They spent enough on the "Big Blow" to feed all of Floyd county for a month. Yet this same old, cynical crowd now asks you, hoping you do not remember, to vote for them.

The Republicans talk about high prices. They ought to talk a little about low prices, for back under them prices slumped until they reached the point where, since there were no buyers, it would be useless to quote still lower prices. Cotton fell to a point that men looked back to Queen Elizabeth's day in England, before America was founded, to find a price as low.



A man put a nickel in a slot machine in Floyd county and "hit the jackpot." Out came \$7.50 in tokens to be spent in the store. He bought a bag of flour, bag of meal, six pounds of coffee and two cans of lard for that money. Things were cheap, just as cheap as the Republican negligence could make them. Labor was cheap, too. It would have taken 15 days on the farm, or five days in the mines, to have worked out that money.

Back in 1931 if you were out of a job you starved or lived on charity and only through the grace of a compassionate God. Now you draw unemployment benefits. If you became old and could not work you either lived on your children or your savings. Now you can draw old-age assistance. If a bank failed and you lost your savings, you were just out of luck. Now the government pays your money back. Three banks failed in Floyd county under Hoover.

We are prosperous in America today and it is not a false prosperity, either. Working men who were laboring under Hoover sometimes as long as 60 or 70 or even 80 hours a week to feed their families can now work 40 hours and afford an automobile. We eat and there is no cry for bread.

We have two candidates for President. One is a General whose place in history as a military chieftain is assured. The Democratic candidate is a man of that class of statesmanship to which Woodrow Wilson belonged. The same old cynical crowd that supported Taft because he was the Big Business Darling now support Eisenhower. This group of Economic Royalists started out with Taft. They saw defeat and switched to Eisenhower. A general takes orders from his superiors and the Taft crowd that has now moved in on Eisenhower will give the orders.

Stevenson said recently: "Under our Democratic Administration the people have bread." Under Hoover a few ate cake and the rest of the people lived on charity and by the grace of a compassionate God. Let us remember and as wise stewards keep what we have.

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