

This Town-- That World

MURDER—BRUTAL MURDER

Ever so often, I go soft and begin wondering if, after all, criminals aren't victims of circumstances beyond their control and if capital punishment shouldn't be abolished. At such times I agree with those others who argue that criminals are mentally sick, all twisted up inside, and that killing a man legally is a medieval way of gaining revenge for the illegal killing of another.

Then I learn of such cases as the Bobby Greenleaf kidnaping and murder—willful, wanton, needless murder. And out go all my humanitarian sentiments, and I unashamedly howl for the blood of the monster who killed this innocent, trusting child.

The frost is on the pumpkin and the toddler's in the shock—if it hasn't already been fed to starving animals in this area whose aridity Washington hasn't been able to recognize.

OPERATION PROCLAMATION

Governor Wetherby is downright practical. For instance: Instead of stringing the matter out, he sat down the other day and got his proclamations onto the production line. He issued four, that day, whereas a less practical man would have stretched them out over as many days and run the risk of getting mixed up in his dates and the occasions it was his duty to call to the attention of the people.

The four proclamations, incidentally, designated General Pulaski Day, Oct. 11; Business Women's Week, Oct. 11-17; Diabetes-Detection Week, Nov. 15-21, and Jane Todd Crawford Day, Dec. 13.

If they keep on hatching things up to observe, we'll wind up with more weeks than days.

Which reminds us—today winds up National Newspaper Week. I have properly observed it by sticking my nose into as many other folks' business as possible.

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RESCUE PARTY LOCATES MAN

Far in Abandoned Mine; Cox Lost for Ten Hours In Jones Fork Working

Press Cox, 45, was found unharmed far inside an abandoned coal mine on Jones Fork, near Lackey, late Monday, 10 hours after he had entered the workings in search of a neighbor's stray calf.

The search for the man brought rescue workers from neighboring Wayland and Glo mines, federal and state mine inspectors from Lexington, Pikeville, Hazard, Pineville, Middlesboro and Harlan and drew an anxious gathering of approximately 150 relatives and friends of the missing man.

Cox, who entered the mine opening about 8 a. m., was found at 6:15 p. m. A rescue party found him calmly standing against the rib of the mine, 2,200 feet from the point of entrance. He had crawled under low-hanging roof of a great part of the way, but, except for scratched hands and knees, was "in remarkably good condition," said Noah D.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Tom Maynard vs. Ida Maynard; W. W. Burchett, atty. Bess Daniels vs. Jackie Conley, etc.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Ada Mae Goble vs. Raymond Goble; Hollie Conley, atty. Morner Lafferty vs. Vernon Blackburn; Jarvis Allen, atty. Morner Lafferty vs. Nelse Gilliam, et al; Jarvis Allen, atty. Edna E. Conley, d/b/a vs. Andy Conley; Hollie Conley, atty. Lawrence Newsome, et al vs. Johnny Newsome, etc.; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Gladys Newman vs. Charlie Newman; Joe Hobson, atty. Emma Mae Jenkins Leach vs. Walter E. Jenkins. Pauline Williams vs. W. B. Williams; Hollie Conley, atty. T. J. Kaslofsky, et al, d/b/a vs. H. S. Bean, et al; Marshall Davidson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Clarence Mackley and Janetta Gray. Carl Mackley and Allene Stone. Eddie Smith and Betty Jo Wright. Walker Lee Jones and Louella Anderson.

DUTY NEGLECT CHARGE FILED AS 11 NAMED

Grand Jury Indicts Eight Poll Officials, Judge and Magistrate

Eight election officers, two county officials and an employe of the county were named by the grand jury in its closing session last week in indictments which accuse them of neglect of their official duties.

The election officers were named on the grounds that they failed to require voters, as provided by law, to sign the comparative signature book when they were issued their ballots at the August primary election. The two county officials and the county employe were accused of willfully neglecting to repair a county road.

County Judge Henry Stumbo, Magistrate Mill Stanley of the First district and Glenn Burchett, county road supervisor, were named in the road indictment. The grand jury alleged that they have neglected the road on the head of Rough and Tough and that the U. S. government has indicated the mail route to that section will be discontinued unless the road is made traversable in all weather by auto or truck.

James Prater, a resident of the community, was a member of the grand jury.

Election officers indicted are Daniel Akers, Eric Frasure, Orval Mitchell and Ella Mullins, of Tiokey precinct No. 16, and Ed Stewart, Lit Stone, William Stewart and Eugene Akers, primary election officials at Ligon No. 23.

Commenting on the road indictment, County Judge Stumbo said, "Anything can happen in an election year. As long as I am County Judge I will recommend that the taxpayers' money be spent where it will serve the most people and do the most good. Even though it is election year, I doubt if the grand jury would have made this indictment if it had known the law in the case."

He then cited the Madison county case in which the fiscal court appealed from the circuit court's mandatory injunction requiring the fiscal court to improve a road. The Court of Appeals' opinion follows:

"Section 129.409, K. R. S., requires the fiscal court of any county receiving state aid to appropriate sufficient money to keep all county roads in good repair and free from obstructions. Appellees argue that this statute is mandatory and that the fiscal court has no discretion in the matter. With this argument we cannot agree. This statute does not, and was not intended to, im-

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HONOR POW'S AT FAIR HERE

Gifts and Colonelcies Go to Four, Saturday; Dinner Honors Soldiers

Four Floyd county soldiers, home after long months in Red prison camps, were honored here last Saturday morning as a part of the program of the day at the county fair.

The four—Sgt. Mickey Whittaker and Sgt. Forrest Montgomery, both of West Prestonsburg, Pic. Taggett Aline, Cliff, and Opl. Charles Ray Boyd—and their parents rode in the parade from the high school grounds to the fairgrounds, accompanied by a color guard, of veterans, city police, the fire department and Floyd county school bands. On the preceding evening the four soldiers were guests of honor at a dinner given by Walter K. Bolling Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Each received gifts valued at approximately \$100.

At the fairgrounds Mayor Curtis Clark spoke briefly, paying tribute to the returned prisoners and calling on the people to continue to let "the boys know they are among friends" by greeting them on every occasion. E. H. "Ted" Stumbo, commander of the VFW Post, who acted as master of ceremonies, presented each a Kentucky Colonel's commission from Governor Wetherby. The invocation was said by the Rev. M. Robert Regan, and the national anthem was played by school bands.

Sgt. Raymond Shepherd, first of the prisoners to return, and who had been previously honored, was not present. Prisoners returned to other parts of the county have received honors in their own hometowns. The program here was jointly sponsored by the VFW, American Legion and 40 et 8.

Woodrow Burchett, Jr. Suffers Grid Injury

Woody Burchett, 16-year-old son of County Attorney and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, was seriously injured Friday night in a football game at Shelbyville, Ky., and Sunday underwent an emergency operation at Bourbon County hospital, Paris, for removal of the spleen. His condition, which was critical following the injury, is much improved and his complete recovery is expected. The spleen was ruptured, it was reported here.

Young Burchett, now in his second year at Millersburg Military Institute, and a senior in high school, played tackle on the M.M.I. football team. His parents have been at his bedside since news of his injury reached them.

TWO LEASES ARE VIEWED

For Dewey Lake Park; Ward Says Negotiation Begun To Purchase Dock

"We are making progress in working out details necessary to secure from the U. S. Corps of Engineers a lease on the Dewey Lake area which we desire to make into Dewey State Park."

So wrote Henry Ward, commissioner of the state Department of Conservation, late last week to John Gainey Newman, Paintsville, president of the Dewey Lake State Park Association.

In order to secure approximately 700 acres on the west side of the lake for the park the Department of Conservation plans the inclusion of two areas previously leased by the Corps of Engineers. One of these areas was leased to the Future Farmers of America for a camp site. The other is the Brandy Keg boat dock.

Officials of the Future Farmers of America have indicated their desire to relinquish their claim to the camp site in favor of the park, and negotiations for purchase of the dock are under way, Mr. Ward wrote.

Purchase of the boat dock site, Mr. Ward said, would enable the Department of Conservation to begin the first phases of park operation on Dewey Lake much sooner than otherwise would be possible.

Representatives of the Department were scheduled to visit the Lake area, Tuesday of this week, to make further studies regarding the park, and Commissioner Ward asked Mr. Newman to assure the people of this section of "the deep personal interest of both Governor Wetherby and this Department in the promotion of a state park on Dewey Lake."

"Complete development," he wrote, "of the proposed state park will depend to a large extent upon the building of roads to give access to the dam and the area along the lake between the dam and the Brandy Keg boat dock."

"We are working with the Department of Highways on plans for such development," he added.

MURDER CASE SET NOV. 16

Lone Trial of Kind Postponed Saturday; Civil Session Begins

The lone murder case set for trial during the September criminal term of circuit court—that of Ray Click, charged with willful murder in the slaying on Stephens Branch of Otis Blankenship—was continued Friday on motion of the Commonwealth till Nov. 16.

Preparations for trial were made on the preceding day as an attempt was made to empanel a jury. The regular panel was exhausted and 30 veniremen were summoned for possible jury service before the motion for a continuance was made. The criminal term was extended to include Oct. 3, and the October civil term began Monday. Results of last week's work in court included revoking of the probation of Brady Henderson who had been given a five-year term for child desertion. He was ordered committed to the state reformatory. Benjie Blackburn was fined \$200 on his conviction of drunk driving and his license to drive was revoked; Jack Abshire was fined \$100 for assault and battery on a plea of guilty, and Harlis Stone and Clarence Osborne drew \$50 fines and jail sentences of 10 days each upon their conviction of shooting at

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FUND DRIVE NEARING END

Larger Contributions To Bring Bookmobile Total to Goal Set

Although the cash actually on hand from the fund-raising drive recently launched is approximately \$1,000 shy of the \$3,000 needed, B. F. Reed, of Drift, Floyd county Bookmobile chairman, said Wednesday that at least one Bookmobile is assured.

"I reported at the Louisville meeting last week that we have the money in sight, and we do," Mr. Reed said.

Substantial contributions from major coal and gas firms remain to be reported, and these are counted on to guarantee the county sufficient funds for the purchase of at least one book unit.

Final meeting of committee members will be held next Monday morning at 7 at the Center Grill here. At this meeting complete results of the finance campaign are expected to be heard.

How soon the Bookmobile can be procured and placed in operation cannot be said at this time, Mr. Reed said. There is a possibility that it will begin the work of taking reading matter out to the people, soon after Jan. 1, it was said.

REPORT ASKS RECORDS EYED

Grand Jury Alleges Drunk Driving Not Fully Prosecuted

In its final report, submitted to Circuit Judge Edw. P. Hill Saturday upon its adjournment, the grand jury alleged that "practically all persons who have been arrested since April, 1953 for drunken driving and booked at the jail to the Magistrate courts or the County Courts have been dismissed without trial or changed to other offenses for which the jail records show that they were not booked for."

The jury requested "that the proper authorities and the next grand jury scrutinize very closely the disposition of every person's case who is booked at the county jail for drunken driving, and take whatever action is deemed necessary to enforce the law therein."

The report, signed by W. G.

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Dr. Thompson Recovery Held Doubtful; Leader Hurt Working on Farm

Recovery of Dr. O. W. Thompson, leader in the years-long campaign to canalize the Big Sandy river, who was injured late last Friday when a tractor overturned on him at his farm near Pikeville, remains doubtful.

Multiple fractures of the pelvis and internal injuries resulted from the accident. He is at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where his condition earlier this week was described as poor. At the time, however, it was said that he apparently was "holding his own." Little change had been noted Wednesday, The Times was told.

LAKE WAIVERS GO TO STATE

Most Damage Releases Needed for Deepening Of Pool Are Procured

Waivers signed by property-owners and leaseholders in the Dewey reservoir area, disclaiming possible damages from the addition of five feet of water to the depth of Dewey Lake, have been mailed to Minor Clarke, superintendent of the division of fisheries, Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources, E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg, who, with Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill, procured all except three of the waivers, mailed the documents to Mr. Clarke this week.

Last week, Judge Hill announced that J. W. James, one of the three remaining to sign, had signed a waiver. This leaves Mrs. Minta James, who is reported willing to sign, and the Hoeng Company, Oklahoma firm which owns oil holdings in the area.

Local interests have had an option on the Hoeng holdings, and this has delayed an agreement with the Oklahoma firm.

The U. S. Corps of Engineers is ready, it was learned here recently, to take the steps necessary to deepen the lake when all waivers are in its hands. Drought conditions, however, will prevent lake-deepening till next spring, however.

A deeper and large expanse of water has become desirable from a new angle, since founding of a state park in the reservoir area is considered imminent and water is regarded as a prime attraction to vacationists.

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GROUND BROKEN AT McDOWELL FOR UMW HOSPITAL BUILDING



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by Times
Doctors assembled at the ground-breaking ceremonies Saturday for the McDowell United Mine Workers Welfare Fund hospital. Left to right: Dr. Asa C. Barnes, area welfare doctor, Senator Doug Hays, Dr. John Newdorp, welfare doctor, Edgar Albright, architect, Dr. J. A. Stumbo and Dr. John Archer. Standing behind Dr. Archer is Congressman Carl D. Perkins. In the stand, left, is Sam Caddy, Jr., and with him is Judge Bert T. Combs.

From the porch of the home occupied at McDowell by County Judge Henry Stumbo and family before his election to county office ceremonies were held Saturday which started construction on the third of five memorial hospitals to be built in Kentucky by the Memorial Hospital Association of the United Mine Workers' Welfare Fund.

As several hundred miners, union officials, coal operators and interested citizens looked on, State Senator Doug Hays, of McDowell, turned the first spadeful of dirt in the groundbreaking ceremonies.

And it was B. F. Reed, coal operator from nearby Drift, who contributed to the program a speech expressive of management's deep interest in the hospital and the fight faced by both labor and management in this section to keep working under severe handicaps.

"We are going to be proud of this hospital which will mean so much toward the bettering of life and health of our people," he commented. "Some early operators had no regard for the welfare of the men in the mines. No good operator wants to return to that day."

Speaking of the present and future, Mr. Reed pointed out that 13 million tons of coal were shipped from the Big Sandy field this year, that \$45,000,000 is the sales price of that coal, and that \$5,000,000 of that total is Welfare money.

The Drift man hit at operations in nearby counties which are shipping one and a half times more than they did a year ago since they produce coal more cheaply through their refusal to recognize union wage contracts.

"I have been here 26 years," Reed added. "There is no better place to live than Kentucky, Floyd county and Left Beaver Creek. I would like to keep these mines running not only for you as workers but for us as management. We must all fight for our markets for bituminous coal. We must produce better. And we must do it better."

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COUNTY FAIR DRAWS 12,000 OVER 3 DAYS

Venture, First Since War, Held Successful; Nesler Reports Surplus

The Floyd county fair, held here the last three days of last week, attracted an estimated 12,000 persons and was a financial success, sources connected with the exhibition said this week. The entertainment phase, chief items of which were the talent show and square dancing in the street, sparked the fair with color.

"Financially, the fair was very successful," said Ellis Boggs, county agent, who initiated the exhibition. "We made mistakes, but we learn by experience and we plan to profit by those mistakes when we have our next fair," he added.

Dan Nesler, treasurer of the fair board, states that some money will be left over after all expenses and prizes are paid and that the balance will be used next year.

There were 11 departments, 48 lots and approximately 300 entries in practically every field of agriculture and homemaking. Exhibitions other than in the agricultural field were the antique and fine arts show that attracted wide interest. The antique exhibition, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Narcie Burchett, was held in the grade school building. The fine arts display under Mrs. Reba Mayo, local artist, brought out several items from local talent.

The square dancing on Court street was one of the most colorful events to be held here in recent years. James Phene Ross, director of recreation for the extension service, directed the folksy fun on Thursday evening but for the next evening James Salisbury, Martin high school principal, substituted. Ross returned for the next night. Hundreds watched from the sidewalks on the roped-off streets as old and young alike engaged in the tepichichorean fun.

Exhibits from 4-H and F.F.A. clubs were prime examples of youth work in the county. There were 52 FFA, 24 FFA, 110 4-H, 132 adult home ec., and 32 adult agricultural entries. There were a few curious and unusual entries like limes, cotton and a 16-pound rabbit.

County Agent Boggs in pointing out the small number of livestock exhibits stated it was due to the fact that this county was not engaged extensively in agriculture.

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WOMAN SUES FOR \$39,000

Fire Chief, Former Cop Named by Mrs. Lafferty In Circuit Court Suits

Two suits in which a total of \$39,000 damages is sought were filed in circuit court Friday by Mrs. Morner Lafferty, wife of Charlie Lafferty, Prestonsburg restaurant-owner.

One of the suits, growing out of injuries allegedly suffered when Mrs. Lafferty says she was struck and kicked by Vernon Blackburn, Prestonsburg fire chief, names Blackburn defendant, asking \$20,000. The other, which asks \$19,000, lists as defendants Nelse (Pie) Gilliam, Prestonsburg policeman at the time she was injured, and his bondsmen, F. L. Dickerson, Jake Weddington and W. H. Weddington.

Each suit asks \$1,000 medical expense, \$3,000 loss of wages, and \$15,000 for permanent injury to the plaintiff's eye, back and leg. The suit against Blackburn asks an additional \$1,000 as exemplary damages.

Gilliam and his bondsmen are sued because the petition prepared by Atty. Jarvis Allen alleges, he was present at the time the woman was beaten and failed to perform his duty as an officer.

A \$5,000 damage suit filed by Atty. W. W. Burchett for Bess Daniels against Jackie and Hollie Conley resulted from injury of the plaintiff last May 25 when she allegedly was hit by Hollie Conley's car, driven by his son, Jackie.

FIRST DAUGHTER

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Allen their second child, a girl, at the Paintsville hospital, Sept. 28. She weighed seven pounds and has been named Patricia.

American Legion Meet At Neen Is Announced

A special conference meeting of the Tenth district of the American Legion will be held at noon Oct. 18 at 1 p. m. (EST), it was announced this week by Robert G. May, Estill, district commander.

Veterans of all wars, including those home on leave, are urged to be present. The public is invited to sit in and hear the program especially the wives, widows, children and parents of veterans, Mr. May said.

The meeting has been called for the betterment of the future for the deserving, worthy dependents of our unfortunate comrades," he added.

Speakers from Department headquarters in Louisville are expected.

School Board Posts \$50 Reward For School Property Vandalism

A reward of \$50 was offered by the county Board of Education at its Tuesday meeting for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of breaking and entering any school building or destroying school property.

The move was made necessary by the wave of breaking and entering cases occurring recently. Police are now investigating two cases in addition to the most recent case that occurred at Dinwood Tuesday night.

"It simply has to stop," said V. O. Turner, county superintendent of schools. "If the citizens would help, it would be one of the finest public-spirited things they could do," he added.

Other items of board business included plans to improve the toilet system and to provide fire escapes at the McDowell high school building. An order was en-

tered releasing A. B. Meade, sheriff, from tax collections for last year as it was completed. Others ratified the school budget and teacher salary schedule which was the same as last year; granted a one-year leave of absence to James Brooks, Betsy Layne, who has gone to Ohio, and employed Mrs. Orville Pearson in his place; paid the various school coal bills and the tuition of four pupils who will attend the Van Lear school.

Ratification of the agreement with Knott county in which this county will accept 133 Knott county pupils in the Lackey, Garrett and Wayland schools was made. This agreement provides for the payment by Knott of \$87.50 to Floyd for each pupil Knott may send to either of the three schools.

Under the old arrangement, Knott paid the salaries of certain teachers in these schools, plus \$48 for each pupil. Superintendent Turner said new arrangement represents

an increase in pay for the service Floyd is extending Knott at these schools.

The teacher-salary schedule adopted by the board, the same as last year's, follows:

Basic salary, \$128 per month; 60 cents per college hour up to 128 college hours for undergraduate work; \$1.25 per hour for hours earned since the close of the 1952-53 school year providing the teacher taught full time last school year; 80 cents per graduate hour up to 30 hours; \$10 for extra services performed as a teacher of a rural school; \$3.50 for experience up to eight years; \$5 extra for being head teacher in a two-room school, \$10 extra for a three room school, et cetera.

The minimum teaching time in the classroom has been set at six hours of actual class room instruction. The maximum time is a gross of nine hours, counting recesses and noon time.

BURCHETT EDUCATES NIECE TO HELP "FOLKS ALONG"



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by Times
W. E. Burchett and his wife (right) with a niece, Betty Ann Burchett, whom he plans to educate.

W. E. Burchett comes back to Floyd county twice yearly to see "how the folks are getting along." He left the Clark Branch of Buffalo Creek a quarter of a century ago after a short career as teacher at his home school. He invaded the Hatfield political ball-wick of Mingo county, W. Va., beat a scion of the feud family for sheriff. Later he served as State Senator from Mingo and Logan, superintendent of state printing at Charleston, and finally was head of the West Virginia State Police. This fall he was back to take an orphaned niece to educate. His only daughter had married.

At the James cemetery on Johns Creek he met again the friends and people he knew intimately as a young man. There were handshakes and inquiries about ages. He was 55, he said. He was surprised at the ages of some of the oldsters he knew so well until he recalled the quarter of a century he had lived away.

Bill, as he is still known in the Johns Creek section, is a son of James and Elizabeth Burchett, of the Clark Branch of Buffalo. Both are dead. They fed, almost without doubt, more people at their table than any other people in a wide

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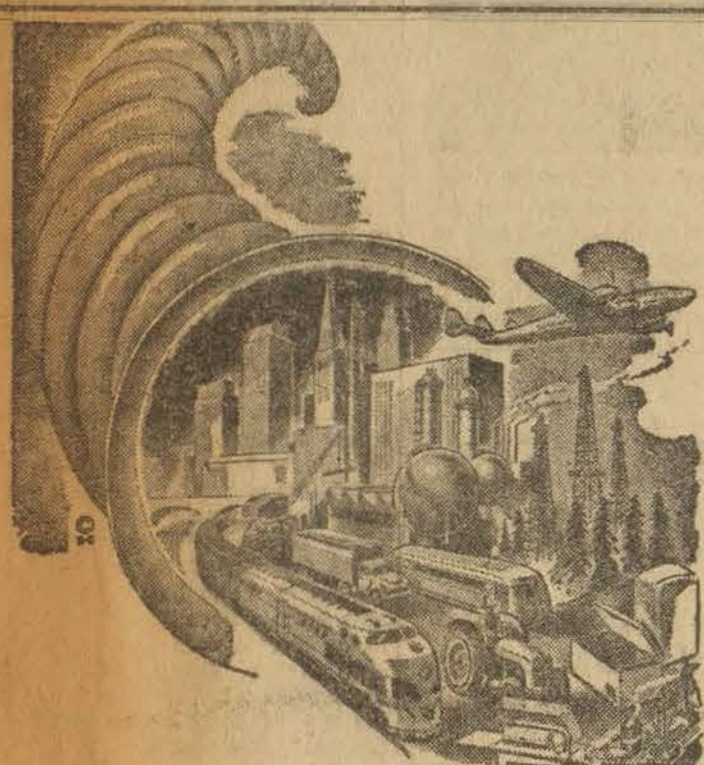
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FOR SALE—House and lot. First avenue, corner Ford street. Priced \$8,000. See EDWARD or C. W. MAY, phone 4781 or 2121, Prestonsburg, Ky. 7-2-tf

FOR RENT — Two houses, also furnished and unfurnished apartments on North Lake drive. T. E. NEELEY, phone 3691, Prestonsburg. 5-21-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Soda Fountain, pool room, theatre; also six-room house, bath and utility room—all on one lot in Auxier. See or write CHRISTINE PATTON, Auxier, Ky. 7-16-tf

WANTED TO BUY — Coal and mineral rights in Pike, Floyd, Knott and Martin counties. Call or write PRICE REALTY CO., Inc., Price, Ky., or J. F. HOWELL, phone 3351, Price, Ky. 6-25-tf

FOR SALE — House and nine lots. Mare Creek bottom. Priced to sell at \$3500. CLYDE JUSTICE, Mare Creek, Ky. 7-2-tf

FOR RENT — New home, south Prestonsburg. Good water and garden. J. G. STEPP, tel. 7282, Prestonsburg. 7-23-tf

FOR SALE—Modern home in good neighborhood. Large yard. Reasonably priced. Phone 6751—Prestonsburg. 8-23-tf

FOR SALE — 6-room house with bath. Kitchen equipped with sink and cabinets. All modern conveniences. Approx. 3 acres bottom land. Located 1/2 mile up Col. Creek. CHESTER PATTON, Tel. 3881, David, Ky. 8-6-tf

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FOR FLOOR SANDING see or call V. A. SMILEY, Phone 5653, Prestonsburg. 9-3-tf

FOR SALE — Grocery store doing business in Prestonsburg. Call 4261 or 3691. 8-27-tf

WANTED—More hungry people at the B & W Cafe who enjoy good food. 7-9-tf

FOR RENT—5-room house. Highland Avenue. Phone 7791, Prestonsburg, Ky. 9-10-tf

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FOR RENT — An eight-room house, large garden, free pasture, located in Louisa high school district, school bus at door. \$15.00 per month. If interested write R. G. MOORE, Louisa, Ky., Route 1. 10-1-71-pd.

FOR RENT — Apartment, furnished or unfurnished, ground floor. MOLLY P. JOHNSON, Riverside Drive, phone 2621. 10-1-tf

FOR RENT — 6-room house, bath. GUY MEADE, phone 7151, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-1-21-pd.

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than any minority which refuses to recognize the stability of constructive wage contracts of which I am justifiably proud in this area."

Pointing out that one objection industry has to the Big Sandy for the location of new plants is the lack of water, he suggested the need for storage dams to meet water needs. Another objection heard is "labor trouble," he said. "I never agree with that. We have as fine a people here as you will find anywhere."

Noting that the coal industry has "some very formidable competitive factors," which include oil and gas, he named the unrestricted importation of cheap foreign oil as the worst.

Reed estimated that this competition cost the coal industry about 30,000,000 tons of production last year. And he said the figure this year would likely be 40,000,000 tons. Reed called for the government to halt this activity.

When the speaker said, "Certainly we are going to amend Section 183 of the Constitution," Carson Hibbitts, district representative of the United Mine Workers, acting as master of ceremonies, commented that "we join in that 100 per cent." Amendment of the section is sought to improve education in Kentucky.

County Judge Stumbo, in his address of welcome, commented on the fine spirit in which the operators and the UMW joined on the occasion for the beginning of a fine hospital. Looking out over the site the hospital will occupy, he remarked, "I have played baseball many a day over this bottom."

Others on the program included Bert T. Combs, judge of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, and Dr. Gordon Friesen, Washington, senior hospital administrator for the Memorial Hospital Association.

Sam Caddy, Jr., secretary-treasurer of U.M.W. District 30, reviewed the strides in improving miners' working conditions in the past 20 years.

He said the Welfare fund, which has concentrated on pensions and benefits in the past now places the emphasis on treatment of the sick and injured. He said the shift has become possible since the pension and benefit program has become "stabilized."

Dr. Asa Barnes, Louisville, and Dr. John Newdrop, Washington, both U.M.W. welfare officials, explained how the new hospital would be integrated with other U.M.W. hospitals and the community.

All 10 memorial hospitals to be built in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia will be heated with coal, Dr. Newdrop said.

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James Sherman, Age 50, Dies of Heart Condition; Burial on Bull Creek

James Sherman, 50 years old, died Tuesday morning at his home on Abbott Creek to which he had only recently moved from the vicinity of Prestonsburg. A heart condition from which he had suffered for years was given as the cause of death.

Mr. Sherman was a son of the late Jack and Lucy Hubbard Sherman. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Eliza Campbell Sherman, three brothers, Woodrow Sherman, of Woods, Stewart Sherman, of Ohio, and Allen Sherman, Carpenter, O., and two sisters, Mrs. Marie Fraley Jarrell, of Woods, and Mrs. Anna Judd, Stewart, W. Va.

The funeral was conducted today (Thursday) and burial was made in the Jack Wright cemetery at Water Gap under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Several Kentucky county agents have reported yield loss from Stewart's disease in hybrid corn.

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Making quick use of what was at hand, Mr. Coleman tied a length of garden hose to a tree, lowered himself into the well and supported the lady above water until she could be raised to safety with a rope. Then he applied first aid before an ambulance arrived.

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Since my opponent for County Court Clerk is asking the good people of Floyd county to give him four more years in one of the highest paying offices in Floyd county, I feel that you are entitled to know these facts:

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(2) His wife swore before the grand jury that she was getting \$400.00 a month for clerical work. I maintain that is too much.

(3) He has never turned back into the County Treasury one dime from one of the highest paying offices in this county.

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He wants you to forget the fact that Boyd county, (which is a poorer county than Floyd), last year turned back into the County Treasury \$8,555.79. He don't want you to know that during the past 19 years the Boyd County Clerk has turned a profit of \$172,417.80 back into the County Treasury, and Floyd county not one penny.

(4) I promise you that if I do not turn over to the County Treasury at least \$8,000.00 for each of my four years, I will not ask to be re-elected.

(5) I further promise you that all my assistants will be native Floyd county people who will be paid a salary set by the Fiscal Court and not by me.

(6) I will keep the office open from 8:00 to 5:00 six days a week. I will not close the office during noon hour causing great inconvenience to many people as we have seen in the past four years.



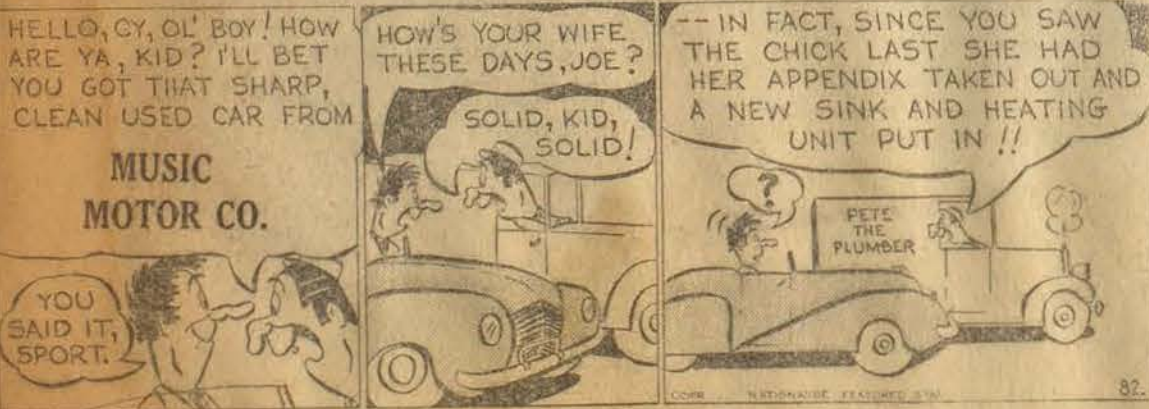
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Fertilizers Help Check Corn Injury

Fertilized corn in Hancock county was not as much damaged by drought as other corn, according to UK County Agent Charles L. Goff. This was especially true where nitrate was used. Hybrid corn also showed some resistance to moisture shortage, according to Goff.

Dave M. Hunter, 74, Ivel, Dies in P'burg Hospital, A Victim of Pneumonia

Dave M. Hunter, 74, Ivel, died at 12:45 p.m., Monday, at the Prestonsburg General hospital here. He had suffered a stroke sometime ago but the immediate cause of death was said to have been pneumonia.

Mr. Hunter was the son of Charley and Rebecca Frasure Hunter and was first married to Linda Hall Hunter. He was married the second time to Vina Conn Hunter who survives.

Sons and daughters surviving are Roma Hunter, Greasy Creek, Ky.; Dave Hunter, Jr., Elkhorn City; Mrs. Hazel Dillon, Ivel; Mrs. Opal Wiley, Mober, Mich.; Miss Bertha Hunter, Ivel. Two brothers, Harrison and John Lee Hunter of Martin, survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the home the Revs. J. K. Stratton and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial followed in the Stratton cemetery at Ivel under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

54 Arrests, 53 Convictions Recorded in 7th District

Fifty-four arrests for fish and game law violations were made in the Seventh district during the month of August, the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources reported last week.

Of the 54 arrested, 53 were convicted. In Floyd county, Conservation Officer Bernard Baldrige had two arrests and as many convictions: Claude Akers, Wayland, hunting without license; Teddie Caudill, Detroit, Mich., hunting without license.

Floyd County Conservation Officer Raymond Copley had five arrests and four convictions. Arrested by him and convicted were: John H. Robinson, Guilmore, hunting without license; Jos. L. Foley, Kopperston, W. Va., improper license; Emory Porter, Gary, Ind., fishing without license; Wm. Grey, Prestonsburg, fishing without license. All told, 851 licenses were checked throughout the entire district during August.

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SMALL PAPER JOB TOUGHEST

In Maintaining Freedom Of Press, Says Pearce At Kiwanis Meet Here

It isn't the big daily newspaper or the press wire service that has the toughest job in maintaining freedom of the press—the toughest is that of the smalltown weekly newspaper.

That statement was made in a speech delivered before the Kiwanis Club Wednesday evening in observance of National Newspaper Week by John Ed Pearce, editorial writer for The Courier-Journal and himself a former weekly newspaper editor.

"I know the social and economic pressures that can be brought to bear on the smalltown newspaper. . . whoever does so is violating the Constitution of the United States," he added.

Mr. Pearce, a native of Norton, Va., and formerly editor of The Somerset Journal, is the youngest member of The Courier-Journal editorial staff. Frank in his admission that he wrote the editorial relating to the economic plight of Eastern Kentucky which was so widely criticized by Courier-Journal readers in this section, a few months ago, he defended his position and that of his newspaper. "We want to help this section of the state. It would be idiotic for us to want to wreck this section," Pearce declared.

The speaker detailed the departmental set-up of the Louisville newspaper, stressing the independence of its news, editorial and business departments from each other. He cited as threats to freedom of the press the "mushrooming" of censorship in governmental departments, particularly the Department of Defense and the attacks by Senator McCarthy on such newspapers as the Washington Star, Washington Post, the Milwaukee Journal and others.

As an example of censorship, he cited the plane crash at Ft. Knox in which, he said, neither the national defense nor the military was connected. Yet reporters were barred from the scene for a period of 24 hours. Another instance, he said, is the Smythe Report on atomic energy which, although made available to other nations four years ago, is still banned from newspaper publication in the United States.

Mr. Pearce's talk was preceded by the Kiwanis Club's annual election of officers and directors. H. C. Francis, Jr., was elected president for the coming year; Dr. George P. Archer, vice-president; R. V. May, second vice-president; Homer Wright, D. S. Nesler, J. R. Camicia, R. D. Francis, W. C. Rimmer, Dr. Herbert Salisbury and Ed Music, directors.

E. L. Johnson, 70, Hi Hat, Victim of Heart Attack; Rites Held at Buckingham

E. L. Johnson, 70, Hi Hat, died at home, Monday, a victim of a heart attack. He was a retired miner.

Mr. Johnson was the son of John and Rhoda Martin Johnson, both deceased. He was first married to Sarah Thornberry Johnson who preceded him in death in 1943 and re-married to Martha Slone Johnson, who survives. Surviving sons and daughters are Henry Johnson, Louisville; Herbert Johnson, Hi Hat; I. B. Johnson, Buckingham; Ibery Johnson, Burton, Edgar Johnson, Detroit; Arthur Johnson, Columbus; Mrs. Myrtle Reynolds, Ligon; and Mrs. Mary Hicks, Lang-Jack and Dave Johnson, Bevinsville; Iley.

Brothers and sisters that survive are Coy Johnson, Buckingham; Mrs. Troy Slone, Middle Creek; Mrs. Tom Tuttle and Mrs. Rhoda Johnson, Bevinsville.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at the graveside in the Buckingham cemetery and burial was under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Grade Pupil Exams Here Show Visual Weaknesses

Tests made at the Prestonsburg grade school Tuesday and Wednesday by the Floyd County Health Department disclosed that principal defects of pupils are poor vision, bad tonsils and teeth, M. V. Clark, health department administrator, said.

The tests, made by Dr. John Sizemore, included 316 physical examinations, 261 vision tests and smallpox immunization for 38 pupils. Practically all pupils of the first, fifth and ninth grades underwent examination.

Dr. Sizemore donated two days of his time to do the work required, Mr. Clark said.

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4-H ACHIEVEMENT MEET SCHEDULED TUESDAY AT METHODIST CHURCH HERE; FLOYD CHAMPS SELECTED BY COUNCIL FOR STATE CONTEST

The district 4-H Achievement meeting for the Big Sandy district composed of the counties of Johnson, Floyd, Morgan, Pike, and Lawrence will be held at the Methodist church here, Oct. 13, it was announced this week. The district meet is an annual affair and comes here every sixth year. The judges will be Sally Newell, Curte Ferguson, Claude Christian, and Hobart Ball.

The work of the 4-H'ers is judged through their notebooks on the projects for the preceding year. County champions thus selected compete in the state meet later at Lexington. Champions from 13 districts in the state will provide the 28 outstanding boys and girls who will attend the National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago.

The Floyd county champions were selected by the local 4-H Council under the direction of Jesse Elliott. The Floyd champions are: poultry—Palmer Lowe, Maytown; junior leadership—Donald Lowe, Maytown; baby beef—Sanford Burchett, Emma; farm labor service—Donald Lowe; housekeeping—Reba Salyers; sewing—Claudena Lowe, Maytown; canning—Janice Allen, West Prestonsburg; foods—Claudena Lowe.

Speakers slated for the district

meet here are Dr. C. L. Hutsiniller, who will give the welcome address, Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, Arthur Crump, manager of Murphy's store, Pikeville, and Forrest Beeler, manager of Watson's store, Pikeville. Food will be provided by the Kentucky Chain Food Store Council and the dinner will be served by Adah chapter, Order of Eastern Star.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Martin Gas Company, a corporation, did on September 23, 1953, file with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky at Frankfort, Kentucky, in proceedings No. 2639, notice of adjusted rates to become effective for all gas service rendered and gas supplied on and after the 1st day of November, 1953, said adjusted rates being as follows:

Minimum	.....	\$1.50 per month
First 2,000 Cu. Ft.	.....	75c per M.C.F.
Next 2,000 Cu. Ft.	.....	55c per M.C.F.
Next 2,000 Cu. Ft.	.....	45c per M.C.F.
All over 6,000 Cu. Ft.	.....	40c per M.C.F.
Penalty 5% and not less than 10c if paid after the 15th of the following month.		

The hearing on said adjusted rates so proposed in said notice will be held at the offices of the Public Service Commission of Kentucky at Frankfort, Kentucky at 10 o'clock a.m., on October 28th, 1953. 10-1-31

Four 4-H clubs in Barren county had club project tours to visit the homes of members and observe the progress of projects.

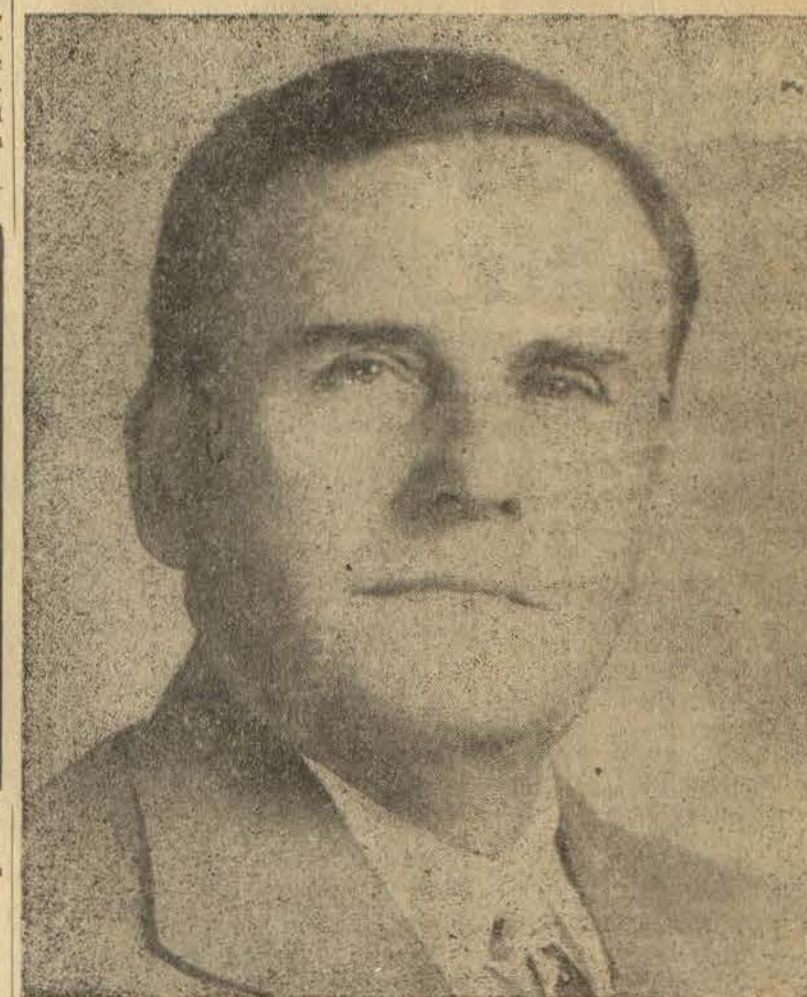
Bullitt county homemakers voted to take a series of four lessons on home care of the sick and two lessons on good grooming.

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Fred Parrish put about 100 tons of cane and corn in the first trench silo ever used in Metcalfe county.

Many farmers in Meade county will have dial telephones by the end of this year.

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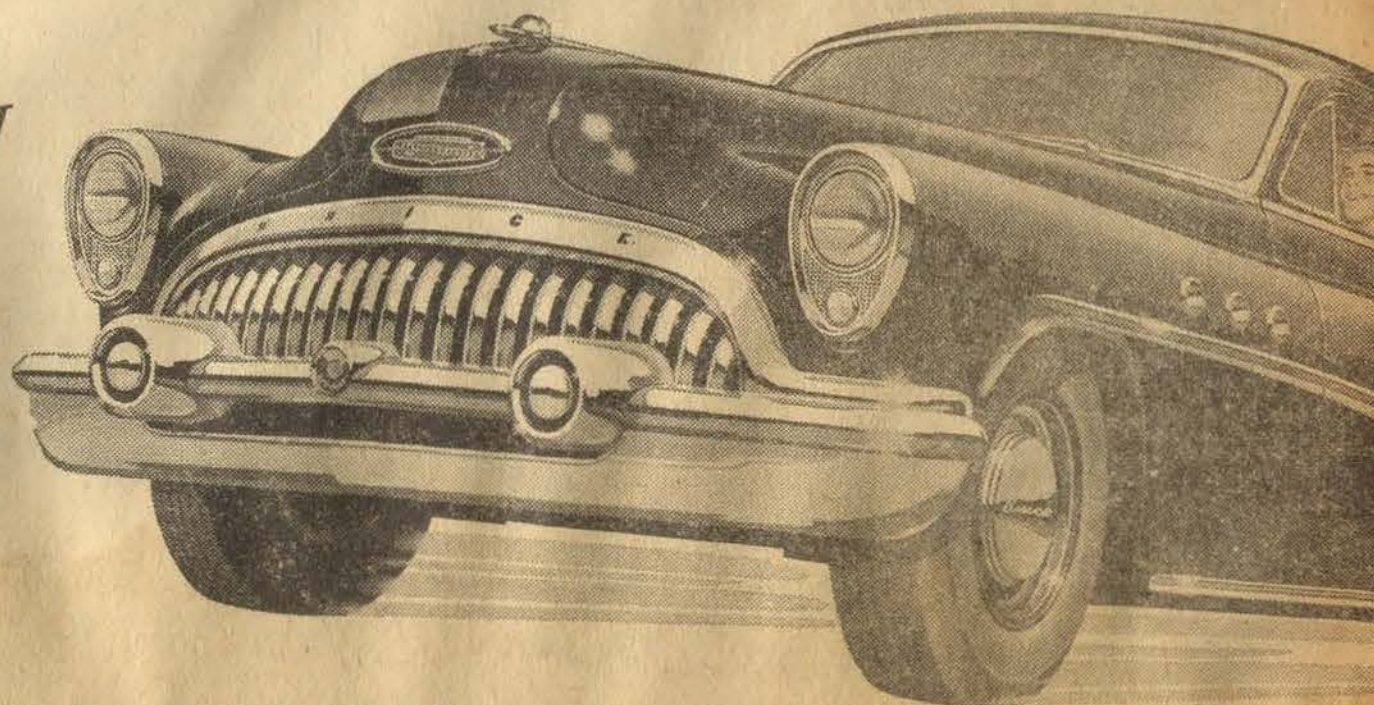
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Hampton-Estep Vows Said at Cynthiana, Ky.

The First Methodist Church, Cynthiana, Ky., was the scene of the marriage of Miss Patricia Hampton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hampton, of Cynthiana, and Mr. Bob Estep, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bartee Estep, of Garrett, at 4 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 5. The Rev. Frank C. King, of Ashland, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with white gladioli, greenery and lighter candles in candelabrae. A program of nuptial music was played by Miss Irene Smith, Cynthiana, organist.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. Her gown was of white chantilly lace over accordion-pleated nylon tulle and was made with a scalloped neckline edged with seed pearls and iridescent sequins, fitted bodice and long, pointed sleeves. The bouffant skirt terminated in a cathedral train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught to a cap of chantilly lace, and she carried white stephanotis.

Miss Phyllis Hampton, of Cynthiana, was her sister's maid of honor, and the bridesmaid were Mrs. C. J. McNally and Mrs. Kenneth Sadder, of Lexington, Miss Ann Florence and Mrs. Bonny Dailey, Miss Hampton and Ray Howard were in Louisville the alter part of last week.

Miss Mary E. Powers and her father, O. P. Powers, spent the weekend with Mrs. Clarise Reese at Lyndon, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Strahan went to Louisville, the first of the week on business. While there they visited their son, Val Strahan, Jr., and family.

Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher and twin daughters, Elissa Lea and Elizabeth Lynn, of Frankfort, are here spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Laffoon, of Lexington, visited Rev. and Mrs. Ira McMillen here this week.

Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Everett Sowards and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson spent the night with Mrs. Margaret Cottrell at Catlettsburg, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb attended the football game in Lexington, Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pritchard, of Har-old, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hatcher, here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spurlin who are residing in Louisville, arrived here last Saturday to spend some time on business.

Mr. and Mrs. McGuire and his mother, of Wichita, Kansas, visited Mrs. Fanny Jarrell here this week.

Mrs. M. M. Collins, of Lackey, was here transacting business Saturday.

Mrs. Jenny Staten, Route 1, Pikeville, visited Mrs. Myrtle Weddington last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Kelly, of Lexington, were week-end guests here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson. From here they went to Big Stone Gap, Va., to spend a few days.

A committee in Perry county has raised \$700 to finance 4-H club work next year.

Society Notes

ATTEND D.A.R. MEETING
Representing John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution at the Sixth district meeting at West Liberty, October 7, were: Misses Winnie Sue Cooley and Joy May, pages; Mesdames Winnie F. Johns, Claude P. Stephens, Grace D. Ford, Jo M. Davidson, Everett H. Sowards, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, Millersburg, Mrs. John W. Hensley, Mrs. Lida D. Spradin, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Allen.

REGISTERED AT K.M.I.
Carlos Neeley and David Stephens registered as sophomore students at Kentucky Military Institute, Lyndon, this semester. Fred Harris Francis is a first year student there.

SPEND SUNDAY HERE
Mrs. Fanny Jarrell had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher and twin daughters, of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hall, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lovely, Hager Hill, Mrs. Cynthia Hatfield, Bull Creek, and Joe Wheeler Jarrell.

GOES TO CONNECTICUT
Mrs. Herbert L. Ley left Monday from Huntington via plane for Stamford, Conn., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ray Busch, Mr. Busch and new grandson, Karl Raymond. Mr. Ley will join her there soon.

IN HUNTINGTON
Among those from here who were business callers in Huntington, Monday, were Mrs. Fred Cottrell, Betsy Cottrell, Mrs. W. B. Boyd, Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards.

AT KENTUCKY WESLEYAN
Laura Douglas Branham, daughter of Mrs. Mabel Branham, of Prestonsburg, was one of the Kentucky Wesleyan College freshmen who has completed orientation and is now attending classes at the Owensboro school.

BAPTIST CHURCH MEET
The Daisy Harris Circle met at the home of Mrs. Frank Conley, Mrs. Helen Clark, chairman of the circle presiding. The book "Let's Listen" was discussed by Mrs. Marvin Ransdell. A dessert course was served to Miss Annie Allen, Mesdames Marvin, Ransdell, Helen Clark, Zella Archer, E. P. Hill, Annie Lowe, Maude Hall, Nancy Caudill, Ira McMillen, Dottie Pettrey, Lon Sirkie, Fran Conley.

The Chaddie Salisbury Circle met with Mrs. Julia Harrington. Mrs. Marie Archer, chairman of Circle, presiding. The book "Let's Listen" was discussed by Mrs. Bill Hurt. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Opal Dingus, Marie Archer, Nealous Collingsworth, Ruth Isabell, Bill Hurt, Ruth Moore, Imogene Sirkie, H. C. Francis, Julia Harrington.

The Julia Mayo Circle met with Mrs. A. J. Davidson. Mrs. Ira Potter, chairman of Circle, presiding. The book "Let's Listen" was discussed by Mrs. Cora Cook.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames R. W. Feller, M. R. Regan, Harry Sandige, Bill Osborne, Hester Preston, Irene McIntosh, Jean Francis, Ed Leslie, Gwendolyn Dingus, Cora Cook, Ira Fields, Iva Potter, A. J. Davidson and Mrs. S. C. Carpenter, Millersburg, Ky., visitor.

DAVID

WOMAN'S CLUB MEET
The David Woman's Club held its first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. O. H. Marshall, Sept. 10, with the president Ora Howard, presiding.

Charles Clark guest speaker and chairman of the Citizens Committee was presented to the club by Mrs. Clark Todd. He gave a very informative talk on the proposed 185 amendment.

Mrs. James Camela was appointed chairman of a committee to investigate the books for children for the D. W. C. library. The David Woman's Club and the Peaco club will co-sponsor the Blood Mobile at David, October, 20.

A motion was made that we have the Birth-Date Calendar again this year, with Mrs. O. H. Marshall chairman. The club also agreed to sell Christmas Cards with Mrs. Bill Crawford, chairman of the committee.

The motion was made and seconded that we sponsor the square dances, to be given at the David Gymn, and donate the benefits to the Girl Scouts Permanent Camp Fund.

Miss De Le Vega, Panama City, Panama, sent here by Juliet Lowe committee, guest of the Sandy Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council, was entertained Sept. 18, at a buffet luncheon held at the club house.

The meeting was adjourned by the president and refreshments were served to the members by the hostess, Mrs. O. H. Marshall.

ATTEND D.A.R. TEA

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, Mrs. Lida D. Spradin, Mrs. A. J. Davidson and Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter were guests of Mrs. Sidney Trivette, of Pikeville, Thursday, at a tea honoring Mrs. Collis P. Hudson, state regent, Kentucky Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

SPEAKERS AT W.S.C.S.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Atkinson, of Wheelwright, were the speakers at the monthly meeting Monday of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church. They are former missionaries to India, and their talks, accompanied by pictures, interestingly discussed that land.

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P.T.A. Groups Joining In Fight for Amendment; David Meet Set Tuesday

Parent-Teacher Associations of the county are joining in the educational program necessary to show the people the need of amending Section 186 of the State Constitution so that a Minimum Foundation Program for Kentucky's schoolchildren can be put into effect, school authorities pointed out this week.

At McDowell the first P.T.A. meeting was turned into a rally for the amendment and an enthusiastic crowd of more than 500 parents heard Charles Clark, principal of Garrett high school, explain the benefits to derive from the change. The Association voted unanimously to repeal of Section 186.

At David next Tuesday evening the Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor an open meeting at the school gymnasium. Speakers will be County Superintendent V. O. Turner, Charles Clark, of Garrett, and, possibly, Wayne Ratliff, principal of Wheelwright schools. The public is being urged to hear the discussion.

Chester Patton, president of the P.T.A., said the group there officially added its support to the move for amending the Constitutional section. "If," said Mr. Patton, "the slogan, 'Kentucky's greatest asset is her people,' is to have any real meaning, the youth of Eastern Kentucky must be educated by modern standards."

WOODS PARALYZED IN FALL
George Lee Woods, of Allen, who was paralyzed by injuries suffered in a fall, has been removed from a Paintsville hospital to a hospital in Washington, D. C., for treatment.

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NEWS & NOTES

By: ROGER TURNER

"Fear is a cloak worn by the weak."

When the Lord created us, among the many feelings and emotions we were given, was Fear—a quickening of the pulse that arouses our senses and makes the mind work at double speed. A defense to be used for self protection against our enemies.

Through the generations, Fear became civilized with us and often slips into the wrong hooks and corners... but Fear was intended for self-preservation and we must be strong enough to keep it locked away for emergency only. There is no disgrace in using any of our feelings or emotions as they were originally intended.

Where there is strength of mind and character, there is no need nor use for Fear. When concrete danger is present we must summon all our forces, including Fear... but nature's greatest weapon should not be misused when we imagine there is a possibility of trouble in our midst. So let us be strong and not don the cloak of Fear... using this disguise to escape everyday problems... let us preserve it only for Stormy weather... when it can really help us.

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BOOKMOBILE UNIT VISITS FLOYD COUNTY FAIR



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by Times
Visiting the county fair here last week was this Bookmobile unit on loan from Breathitt county to publicize the drive for Bookmobile funds. Standing is John M. Stumbo of the health department, custodian of the unit.

Clinton Fraley, Age 74, Succumbs to Broken-Neck Suffered in Barn Fall

Clinton Fraley, 74-year-old farmer, and a former resident of East Point, died in a Cincinnati hospital Monday of a broken neck suffered in a fall from a hayloft near his home at Butler, Fleming county, last Friday.

It was said here that the fatal injury resulted from a fall of no more than five feet. A son of William and Betty Yates, he was well-known in Floyd county where he resided until his removal to Fleming county about 18 years ago. He was a member of the Prestonsburg Freewill Baptist Church for about 25 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Susan Spradlin Fraley, two daughters, Mrs. James Miller, of Cliff, and Mrs. John Branham, Prestonsburg, and five sons, Charlie Fraley, Prestonsburg, Willie Fraley, Indianapolis, Ind., Homer Fraley, Dayton, O., Elmer Fraley, Butler, Ky., and Forrest Fraley, whose address is unknown. One brother, Willie Fraley, of East Point, also survives.

The body was taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Miller, on the Abbott Road, and funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Freewill Baptist Church here, the Revs. Glenn Whitaker and Charles Rowe officiating. Burial was made in the Elliott cemetery on Abbott Creek, the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home directing.

Robert Elliott Allen, 38, Succumbs in California; Was Native of Floyd-Co.

Funeral rites for Robert Elliott Allen, 38 years old, who died late Thursday in Needles, Calif., were conducted at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) from the Full Gospel Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg.

The victim, a son of R. T. and Georgia M. Allen, was a native of Prestonsburg, who had resided in recent years in California. He was a veteran of World War II, and was well-known in the county. Cause of death was given as a ruptured stomach ulcer.

Surviving besides his father and mother, are two brothers and two sisters, Savage W. Allen, Covington, Ky., Homer Allen, Danbar W. Va., Ann Allen, West Prestonsburg, and Clara Belle Allen, of Belfry; also one half-brother, James Harmon, Jr., of the U. S. army.

The funeral was conducted by the Revs. Howard C. Church and G. R. Fannin, and burial was made in the Sally Stephens cemetery on the Middle Creek road, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

Floyd Fair Talent Show Won by Wright and Trio; Pianist, 4, Is Acclaimed

Ballard Wright, vocal soloist, and the Patsy Trio won first and second prizes in the talent show staged, Thursday and Friday evenings, in the grade school building as a part of the county fair entertainment. The prizes were \$100 and \$50 each. Young Quentin Terry, Jr., four-year-old musician, was accorded wide comment for his piano solo.

"The talent that was uncovered was proof of the latent ability that needs to be cultivated and given more publicity by such shows as this," said Franklin Moore, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Entries for Thursday evening were Daphne Martin, vocal solo; Fonda and Diana Martin, vocal duet; Mary and Sue Blanton, vocal duet; ensemble of Bonanza grade school, Cora Ruth Wright, vocal solo, John Pitts and Luther Ousley, vocal duet, and Mary Jo Shivel, vocal solo; girls' quintet, Bonny Hall, Elladean Mills, Hazel Hill, Justine Wright and Billy Jean Blackburn; Betsy Layne quartet, Geraldine Hall, Patty Damron, Chloine Senter and Jack Branham; Diana Whittaker, vocal solo; Patsy Trio; Kentucky Mountain Boys' string band.

Friday evening entries were the Martinette Trio, Janet Fraley, Janice Calton and Doug Smith; Sarah Jean Newman, vocal solo; The Hill Climbers quartet, Bill Martin, Doug Smith, Franklin Salisbury and Jerry Grigsby; Barbara Ann, drum major of Wayland band, baton twirling; Quentin Terry, Jr., 4½ years old, piano solo; Delores Hayes and Estelene Ricker, duet; Jimmy Ray Patrick, vocal solo; Buddy Osborne, harmonica solo; Pearl May Justice, vocal solo; Diana Herald, solo; Ballard Wright, solo.

In 1952, when the Blues won the league all-star game, the pennant and the playoffs, they drew 75,000 fans.

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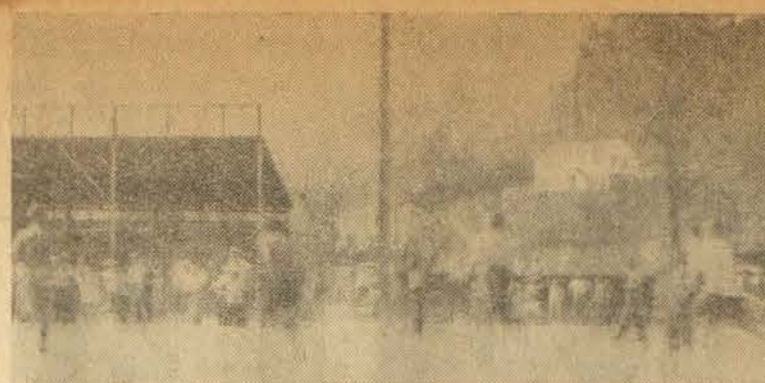
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CELEBRATE NATIONAL KIDS' DAY



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by Times
Scene at the Drift ball park last Saturday when the seventh and eighth grade school boys of Beaver Creek romped away in the 100-yard dash. Occasion of the event was celebration of National Kids Day under the joint sponsorship of the Kiwanis Club of Beaver Valley and the National Kids Day Foundation.

His first experience with irrigation, David Shipp of Hardin county this season irrigated 20 acres of tobacco and nearly 800 acres of corn.

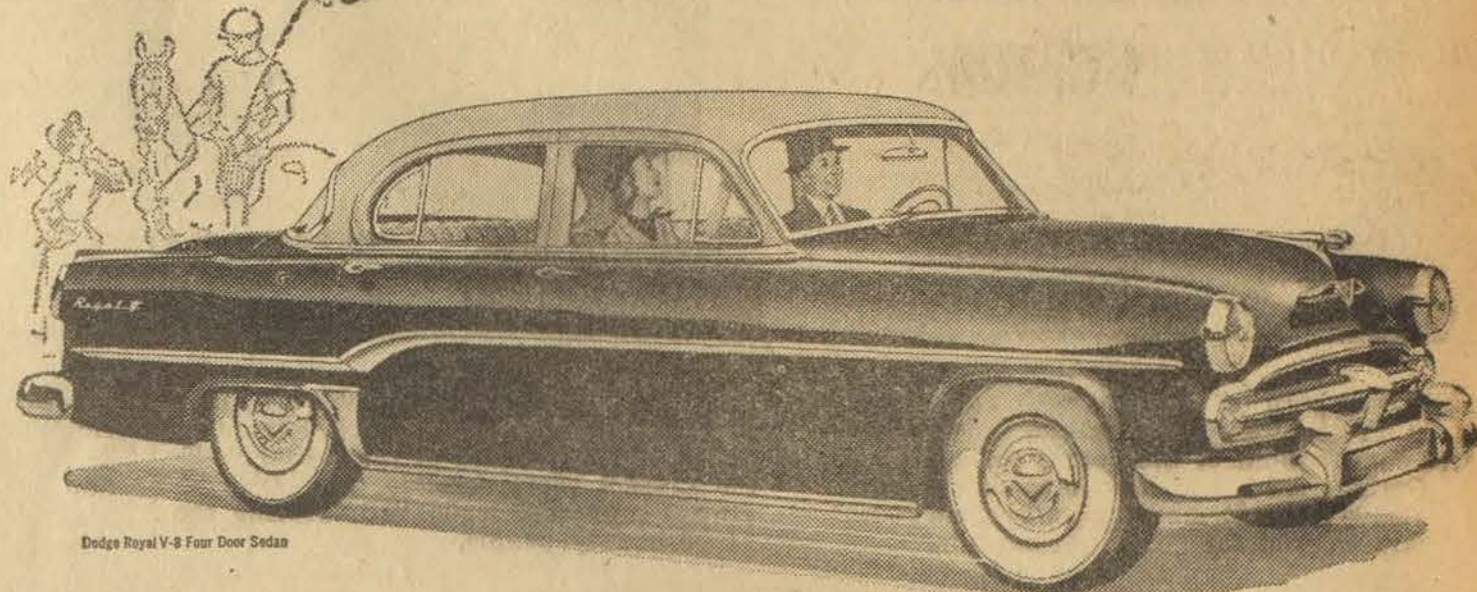
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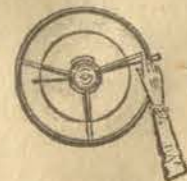
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LON C. HILL

Prestonsburg, Ky.

— For —

REPRESENTATIVE

District 96

Lon C. Hill was born on Abbott Creek and reared there and in Prestonsburg. His father, Edward P. Hill, Sr., was county judge of this county for 12 years. He married Corinne Allen and they have six children. He has been active in the Democratic party since youth and has always worked for good government.



E. H. "TED"
STUMBO

Harold, Ky.

— For —

REPRESENTATIVE

District 97

E. H. "Ted" Stumbo, Harold, Ky., is a son of John M. and Della Hopkins Stumbo. Served in World War II and was a prisoner of the Germans. Ted Stumbo is the present representative from District 97 and has always supported legislation favoring the interests of Floyd county people.



HENRY STUMBO

McDowell, Ky.

— For —

COUNTY JUDGE

Henry Stumbo, your present County Judge. Born and raised on Beaver Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky. Will continue to serve you in the future as he has in the past.



HOLLIE CONLEY

Garrett, Ky.

— For —

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Hollie Conley was born and raised at Garrett; is a graduate of Garrett high school, Caney Junior College, University of Kentucky and Duke University Law School. He is a veteran with four years service. He was admitted to the Kentucky bar, Nov. 1949. He has been engaged in the practice of law in Prestonsburg since June, 1952.



DURAN MOORE

Prestonsburg, Ky.

— For —

COUNTY COURT CLERK

DuRan Moore has served you the last four years as your County Court Clerk with efficiency and courtesy. He is 28 years of age, the youngest clerk in the state and is at present first vice-president of the County Court Clerk Association. Your friend all the time, not just at election time.



BILL HALL

Betsy Layne, Ky.

— For —

SHERIFF

Bill Hall, Betsy Layne. 47 years of age. Son of Kenis Hall and Phenie Newsome Hall. Born and raised on Left Beaver and Mud Creek. Married Ida Walker 24 years ago. Has two boys and five girls. A merchant in the county for over 25 years. Honest, sober, fair and dependable.



PROCK HAYES

Langley, Ky.

— For —

JAILER

Sixty-seven years old, a Democrat who has as a citizen served his county and a life-long Democrat, Prock Hays from Maytown, on Right Beaver Creek, deserves the support of the people of Floyd county for Jailer. The people in all parts of the county know he will do the right thing.



CLIVE AKERS

Drift, Ky.

— For —

TAX COMMISSIONER

Clive Akers, a former Floyd county teacher, is your present Tax Commissioner. Under him the administration of the office has been one of efficiency and courtesy. A vote for him is a vote for fair and equitable property assessment.



JAMES J. CARTER

Prestonsburg, Ky.

— For —

CORONER

James J. Carter, your present Coroner, is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school, attended pre-medical school at Eastern State College for two years and graduated with high honors from the Cincinnati College of Embalming. Veteran of World War II. He is a well-qualified man for an important office.



GROVER C.
HOLBROOK

West Prestonsburg, Ky.

— For —

MAGISTRATE

District 1

Grover C. Holbrook, a native of the Middle Creek section, has waded a lot of mud during his 58 years, attended country schools, knows needs of the people. Son of Boyd and Cynthia Fitzpatrick Holbrook; married Pearl Adams; veteran World War I; good neighbor, staunch friend.



JOHN MAY

Langley, Ky.

— For —

MAGISTRATE

District 2

John May, son of Felix and Susan Stephens May, married Tribby Allen, daughter of Melvin and Lula Allen. He has three children. He is engaged in truck mining. He is a former magistrate and the record shows he did much for his district.



ELLIS MARTIN

Minnie, Ky.

— For —

MAGISTRATE

District 3

Ellis Martin, 54, son of Marion Martin and Evelyn Hall Martin, married Virda Martin, daughter of K. F. Martin. He has four children. He is employed as store manager for Beaver Coal and Mining Company store. He is a life-long resident of Floyd county and is at present magistrate in District 3.



JEWELL D. "STINKY"
FITZPATRICK

Prestonsburg, Ky.

For CONSTABLE, District 1

MATHEW NAPIER

Lackey, Ky.

— For —

CONSTABLE

District 2



WALTUST
REYNOLDS

Teaberry, Ky.

— For —

MAGISTRATE

District 4

Waltust Reynolds of Teaberry, is a veteran of World War II and is a member of Local Union No. 8100. He is a son of Dock and Elsie Belle Reynolds. He knows the needs of the people of District No. 4 and is their friend. Ask his neighbors.

JOHNNIE D.
CAUDILL

Hi Hat, Ky.

— For —

CONSTABLE

District 3



JOE LYKINS, JR.

Amba, Ky.

For CONSTABLE, District 4

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The word has shrunk as distance has shrunk through speed. Friend is nearer and, by the same token, enemy is next door to enemy.

With all its advantages, its shrinking of time and distance, the invention put to the test by the Wright Brothers at Kitty Hawk, N. C., on a December day in 1903, has its Frankenstein aspect. It can carry the bombs which might end the civilization that gave it birth.

But the same could be said of other inventions which, in themselves, are marks of man's progress. Man's knowledge of biology—primarily a study for man's benefit—may be turned to germ warfare. The whole field of science, which which humanity would have dreamed in ignorance and to primitive cruelties may be turned to deplorable purposes.

So we hail the bold spirits that dreamed of the brilliant minds that conceived, that rude contraption which flew a few feet from Kill Devil Hill, in North Carolina, back there fifty years ago. It came into existence, to become man's responsibility. If stands today, a monumental achievement and a supreme challenge.

Well Done!

FLOYD county has just earned a "well done" with its renewal of the county fair after an interruption of years beginning with World War II.

The fair attracted large crowds. Its exhibits were interesting. Best of all was the cooperation on the part of business men, civic leaders and farmers. Such things show Floyd county at its splendid best—all one people, working with common purpose, to prove to ourselves as well as to others our ability to produce and accomplish.

Not in any spirit of criticism but in the hope of suggesting an improvement, The Times would suggest that a strong effort be made to bring to the fair next year such an array of exhibits, contests, plays or pageants and similar attractions that the fair will not in any sense play second fiddle to "side attractions".

The Floyd county fair with fine prospects — and financial condition, stable, mainly, to the support of county business firms, and with its 1953 experience as a guide in planning next year's exhibition.

COUNTIES MAY NOT PAY

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — A county may not pay the telephone bill or provide rented quarters for its justices of the peace to conduct official business in the absence of legislative authority.

Assistant Attorney General M. B. ... declared that such payments are not being authorized by law and may not be made and pointed out, at best, a magistrate's office is never in session more than four days a month. He said that duties of a justice of the peace require no telephone, and as accused persons must appear before him in person, and judgments must be issued by him in person.

Teacher Associations ... about the country now have 1,000 members. This is double membership of 1946.

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Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

A letter from Dr. Josiah H. Combs of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, to Mrs. Carl Livingston, Loyal, Ky., is of interest. He says:

It is always a pleasure to hear from some Combs or from somebody related to that family. I was born in Perry county but grew up in Knott.

Those syndicated articles on the Combses in certain papers got me into a lot of correspondence, in a number of states. The data you give me is hardly sufficient to enable me to identify Sarah Combs and Malinda Combs. If you can mention more localities and dates it might help, although I am not certain, even then that I can identify them.

You say William Lafferty and Malinda were married in Fayette county, Virginia. I suppose you mean West Virginia since West Virginia separated from Virginia in 1863 and Fayette county is now in West Virginia. If you are related to the Letcher county Combses you are related to me. Here is a thing that gets into the hair of genealogists: Three or four "sets" of Combses came to Kentucky from Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina and Pennsylvania!

Death of Perry D. Crider of the Buffalo section was next to the last of a generation stemming from a name about to disappear in Big Sandy. His sole surviving sister is Mrs. Cora Taylor, Kenova, W. Va. The maiden name of their mother was Carolina Turnmiah, born April 29, 1803, died Nov. 3, 1934 being 101 years of age at death. She was born in Johnson county, but her parents, Newton and Minna Turnmiah were from North Carolina. Few families lived on Buffalo parents, Newton and Minna Turnmiah Crider and her husband, John, set up housekeeping.

Howard, general manager of the Elkhorn Coal Corporation at Wayland, one of those directing the search.

Cox began the search for the missing animal at the request of its owner, Benny Caudill. The abandoned working he entered is on Triplett Branch of Jones Fork, a mile from Lackey. Cox had only a carbide light for use inside the mine, and his supply of carbide was in the lamp. After he had been inside the mine about 40 minutes, Mr. Caudill sent his two sons inside to look for him. They found the calf but could not locate Cox. Fearing they themselves would lose their way, they returned outside.

Then the alarm was spread to Wayland, and a search was made by George E. Evans and Harry Sherman. Failure brought state and federal inspectors to the scene. Preparations were made to stay at the job till the missing man was found; lights were strung for night operations; maps of the mine which had not been operated since 1940 were dug up; an ambulance stood by.

The mine was operated by the now-defunct Glogora Coal Company and is now owned by the Ohio Valley Coal Corporation.

Former Drift Resident Killed in Indiana Wreck; Burial in Hall Cemetery

Bert Fannin, 34, formerly of Drift, but now of Corunna, Indiana, was killed in an automobile accident near Kendallville, Ind., at 1:30 a.m., last Saturday. He was the lone occupant of the car he was driving and was passing a truck when the car left the highway and struck a telephone pole. It was said he died instantly.

He was a son of Leon and Virgie Preston Fannin and was married to Lena Case Fannin. His wife and father survives. Surviving also are the following children: Marlon, Wayne, Eddie, Kenney and Freddie, at home.

Surviving brothers and sisters are John Fannin, Yeager, W. Va.; Sylvia Lerveyden, Pekin, Ind.; Mrs. Elizabeth Daniels, Drift; Mrs. Mary Ously, Perkin; Mrs. Pauline Kidd, Mrs. Juanita Osborne and Mrs. Myrtle Osborne, of Osborne.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the Assembly of God church, the Rev. Ollie Sammons officiating. Burial followed in the Lacy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

There now are 45 broiler houses in Green county, with a total yearly production capacity of 1,125,000 birds.

Editor's note: And that was written several days before last Saturday night's Wildcat win over powerful Florida!

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the progress, prosperity and national security of the United States depend upon the conservation, through their wisest and most efficient use, of our rich heritage of natural resources and

WHEREAS Petroleum, which supplies the American people with more than 62% of their power needs, is one of this nation's most precious natural resources and

WHEREAS the two million Americans engaged in the oil business use the most up-to-date conservation practices in finding, producing, refining, transporting and marketing petroleum products and

WHEREAS the conservation of all other resources, such as topsoil, water, food, fibres, rubber and scarce strategic metals and chemicals needed by civilians and their Armed Services is made possible on a large scale through the employment of machines powered and lubricated by oil and by the growing use of plastics, synthetic rubber and other products made from petrochemicals and

WHEREAS residents of our community who are engaged in the oil business are desirous of illustrating their contributions to conservation through speeches, films and other means which explain their activities and the activities of their competitive, progressive companies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Curtis Clark, Mayor of the City of Prestonsburg, Ky., do hereby proclaim the week of October 11th to 17th, inclusive, to be FLOYD COUNTY OIL PROGRESS WEEK and do call to the serious consideration of all citizens the many services and contributions which oil men who live and work amongst us have made and are making to the betterment of our public, social, business and private lives, as well as to the security of our beloved country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Prestonsburg to be affixed.

(Signed) CURTIS CLARK, Mayor

All Hunting Banned In State As Drouth Poses Fire Danger

Because of the fire hazard, the Kentucky squirrel-hunting season was closed at midnight, October 1. While the squirrel season is the only one open now, all hunting of whatever nature is banned by the order which was requested by Governor Lawrence Wetherby and the Division of Forestry because of the fire danger to the woods and fields of Kentucky. The ban will be lifted by the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources only when it is deemed the fire hazard has passed.

Earl Wallace, Department Commissioner, pointed out that any hunting days taken from the season by the ban will be added onto the squirrel season which was due to end on November 5, so that the hunter may be assured he will get the full 33 days which now remain in the hunting season.

The Department, Mr. Wallace said, does not believe that the hunters are responsible for too many forest fires but the ban was declared to cooperate with other state agencies. The forest fire situation is not serious now, it was pointed out, but due to the high winds and the tinderbox condition of the fields and woods the move was deemed necessary as a preventive measure.

Harold Newland, director of Forestry, pointed out that at midnight last Thursday a law banning the burning of brush or trash within 200 feet of any woods is prohibited by law, except between 4:30 o'clock pointed out that this law is effective in the afternoon and midnight. He five throughout October, November and December.

Miss Leslie, Winner Of Work-Scholarship; Elkins, Soph Leader

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 5 (Spl.) — Kay Leslie, of Martin, and Onelda Lyons, Winifred, Ky., have been awarded work-scholarships to Pikeville Junior College, established by John M. Ward, publisher of the Pikeville Daily News.

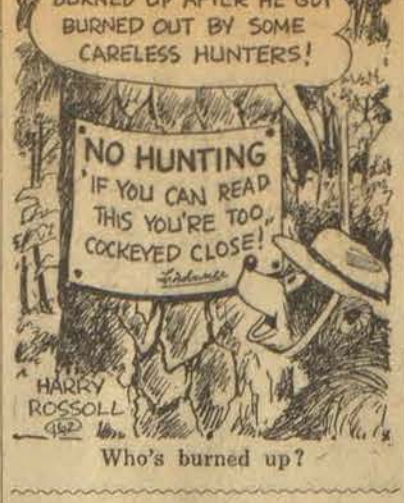
They were honored for their work last year on The Record, student newspaper at the college, it was announced today by Dr. A. A. Page, college president. Both also will be featured and general-news writers on the paper this fall.

A young Floyd county man was chosen in student voting recently as the first of five candidates for the title "Mr. P. C." The Record will announce in its opening issue, Oct. 8.

Bobby Elkins, Harold, triumphed over all other sophomore men at Pikeville in a surprise election held by the paper's staff at the college daily chapel exercises. Four more candidates will be chosen the same way during the year, and all five will be voted on for the title. The results will be announced in The Record's sixth issue in May.

Eleanor Keesee, Pikeville, was voted the first candidate for the corresponding title "Miss P.C."

Smokey Says:



Tobacco Bed Preparation

by O. E. BOGGS County Agent

The tobacco grower is intensely interested in having plenty of healthy, vigorous plants ready for transplanting early. To accomplish this, enough plant bed area should be prepared to furnish the plants needed for the entire crop at two pullings. To have such beds it is necessary to have a fertile soil on well drained land, high in organic matter; to have it prepared at the right time, and with a material that will control weeds, and to provide for the conditions that will control diseases and insects. Among the materials that are satisfactory for killing weed seeds in tobacco plant beds is Cyanamid. There are other materials that give good results.

If Cyanamid is to be used successfully there are a few basic ideas to keep in mind and to practice. The first, perhaps, is to have a soil well filled with organic matter. This may be accomplished by plowing under a heavy summer legume, or even a weed crop, provided it is tured before the weeds seed. Generally speaking, where permanent plant beds are used, if the bed is plowed as soon as setting is completed in June and seeded to cowpeas or soybeans, (12 to 15 pounds per 100 square yards), the crop may be tured in late August or early September, and two or three weeks after it is plowed the material will have decayed sufficiently for the Cyanamid treatment. This procedure fits well into the program to control leafspot disease.

The amount of Cyanamid to use in most Kentucky soils is 1-1/4 pounds to the square yard. After the soil is thoroughly prepared, 3-4 pound of Cyanamid should be spread on the soil with 1/2 pound of 20 percent superphosphate to the sq. yd. and disked into the ground about three inches deep. The soil is then raked and 3-4 pound additional Cyanamid added to the surface and raked into the top 1/2 inch of soil to complete the treatment. The bed should then be mulched and the soil watered heavily, using 500 gallons of water to a bed 100 x 9 feet. If the weather continues dry, an additional watering a week or so later will be helpful. To be effective the Cyanamid should be applied early in the fall when the weather is 60 degrees or warmer.

As soon as the plant bed site is made a deep furrow two or three feet should be plowed around the bed to protect it, throughout the winter and spring from surface water. Surface water flowing over the bed brings in weed seed and wildfire. Also, there is a possibility in a black shank area that black shank might be introduced through surface water flowing over plant beds to have healthy plants.

In late January or early February the mulching material should be burned or removed from the bed to permit drying out of the surface soil and the ammonia furnished by the Cyanamid will escape. Then the bed should be raked lightly (not over one inch deep) with a hard rake to provide loose soil for seeding. It is recommended that Cyanamid beds be seeded rather late, preferably from the 20th of March to April 1st.

In areas producing dark tobacco and on farms where black shank is a factor, permanent plant beds should not be used, but a site satisfactory for growing plants should be selected, plowed in May or June, then seeded to a summer legume, and the same method followed as outlined in permanent beds will give the same benefits as provided by the permanent plant bed and lessens the danger of losses from diseases in the plant bed.

Farmers who have followed the above plan in growing tobacco plants have been successful and it is believed that the above steps, if followed, will lead to the production of desirable plants on many farms.

INCREASES GRANTED

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — Two utility companies—Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company, Lexington, and United Fuel Company, Ashland—won \$815,846 in gas rate increases from the Public Service Commission because of increased wholesale costs of the product.

The Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company, which serves Lexington, Winchester, Georgetown, Mt. Sterling, Cynthiana, Irvine and Ravenna, won \$251,212 of the increases. Ashland and other Eastern Kentucky areas, obtained a \$364,633 gross increase.

HEARING SET

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — The Kentucky Railroad Commission set for hearing October 14 the plea of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company to abandon its 40-mile passenger operation between Hartford and Earlington. Freight service would not be affected. The railroad claims the line is operated at a substantial financial loss, that patronage is dwindling and "is no longer necessary." Towns served along the route include Bishop, Centertown, Kronos, Smallharts, Mooreman, Bremen, Lynn City, Millport, Newcoal, Anton and Madisonville.

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area. Everywhere, they were referred to as Jim and Bet. Oldsters now refer to Bill Burchett as Jim Henry's Bill. Bill had several brothers and sisters. The hospitality offered by the parents was extended by the sons and daughters. Here on weekends was to be found the school-teachers and the ministers. No wonder Aunt Bet was one of the best cooks found anywhere.

Bill recalls the few advantages offered him in the way of education. Not long ago, he was on the same platform with President Truman in Washington. The occasion was a national safety meet and after several big-wigs had their say he was called. The speech he made must have been all right, for the inevitable question as to his alma mater was asked that day. He was not so fortunate as Judge E. C. O'Rear who replied under similar circumstances that he was a graduate of the University of Camargo. Bill couldn't pull out of thin air a comparable name that sounded like a foreign university. He had known only the country school at the mouth of the Clark Branch.

One of the old schoolteachers who ate at the hospitable Burchett board for a long time was T. O. Nunnery, a cousin, who taught the local school for years. Bill Burchett says of him: "I owe a lot to Tom Nunnery. He instilled in me the desire to get ahead."

Get ahead, Bill did. He was a salesman for a long time on Tug River with headquarters at Williamson. He was interested in politics. Bill was young and full of drive. In his contacts with the Democrats of Mingo who were downhearted after a long series of defeats, he offered an aggressive leadership. He ran for sheriff. The Hatfield machine, well oiled with the necessary adjuncts of patronage and money, fell apart under the Burchett campaign. Perhaps one thing that did it was the message Bill brought them in his speeches. He spoke, everywhere he could find an audience.

Bill's career in West Virginia politics is well known to Floyd countians after that. He became a close friend of Gov. Patterson. "He was the most practical man I ever knew," says Bill. Patterson appointed him head of the state police. Just before Patterson's term expired he re-appointed Bill for another term. Some said it was a shrewd maneuver to keep an efficient man at the head of the state police, and to prevent the reduction of the police to mere highway patrolmen.

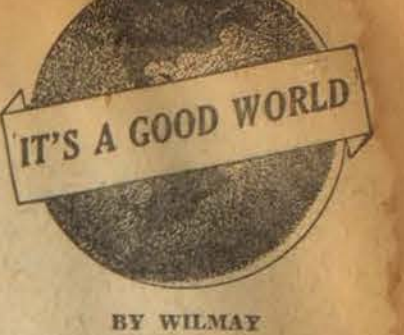
Bill hadn't been serving under Gov. Marland long, however, until the expected clash between the two occurred. Marland had his own ideas about the functions of the police, ideas that were opposite to Bill's. "I could have quietly eased out but I wanted to save the state police," the Floyd countian said. "My stand saved the force. It hasn't been stripped of its powers. The people wouldn't let Marland do it."

After Bill's resignation he went back into the drilling business. His only son, Bill, Jr., who graduates from Marshall college this year, is associated with him. Currently, he is exploiting a 3,500-acre tract for gas. Asked if he was done with politics, he said he was not, that he would be a candidate for State Senator from Cabell county when the time came.

Bill doesn't, but political dopsters do, say the basis of the trouble between him and Marland was that the political powers of the Mountain State toyed with the idea of running Burchett for Governor instead of the 34-year-old Marland. Bill does say that the reason he didn't run was the "loyalty he owed the group." The leaders finally picked Marland, although part of them wanted Bill. Bill offers little criticism of the Governor. "It is not his age. He just didn't have the public administrative experience he should have had before he was elected."

Next year when Bill comes back "to see how the folks are getting along" he may be engaged in a campaign that his friends here hope will be a steppingstone to the Governorship. This year his trip was to take a niece, Betty Ann Burchett, a daughter of his dead brother, Win, to educate. He is sending her to West Virginia Tech at Mont-gomery.

Bill Burchett may be an expatriated Kentuckian but his roots are still here. He takes out his pocket-book and shows you a Kentucky Colonel card. Governor Lawrence Wetherby appointed him, sometime ago. "I am proud of that commission," he says.



BY WILMAY

Last week the editor spoke of the fair treatment accorded our section in a recent issue of IN KENTUCKY. Not long ago, The Courier-Journal printed a letter from J. C. Munney, a Mississippian, who had visited over Kentucky for eight months. In it he stated that the mountain people are the most charming and the most intelligent of all, and that mountain scenery is beautiful beyond description. (And what do we do to advertise it?)

We hope no one missed the letter in The Times two weeks ago by C. L. Lafferty, of Cambridge, Ohio. Perhaps the editor will reprint it soon. It is worthy of the honor. Mr. Lafferty gave a candid analysis of the situation here, plus excellent suggestions for desired changes. His final statement was, "Ideals without action are worthless."

A few days ago, The Courier-Journal reprinted from a Washington paper an article by a Missouri woman, who told what Kentucky has that some states lack. These brighter aspects of life here are welcome, because present emphasis must of a necessity be on the darker side, while leaders seek to correct shortcomings. It is hoped no one missed the cartoon in The Times last week. It showed how good roads do not stop with county lines but better schools do! It shows why we must amend Section 186 in November when we vote "Yes!"

The story in The Courier-Journal Saturday of the little one-room school house in Clay county proves the urgent need for this amendment and the educational program recommended. Parents there had refused to permit their children to return to school after teachers saw how unsafe the building was. A few nights ago, a minor windstorm blew it down. Can a state as great as ours afford to let such conditions continue in many places? The quickest way to affect a change is by voting YES in November.

Last week, the Wayland P.-T.A. endorsed the amendment and the Minimum Foundation Program. Many prominent citizens throughout the county are lending their support to the cause. Among them are the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malone, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. May, Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Wicker, Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Allen, Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Castle, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Reed, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen.

Those of us who are inclined to let others do our thinking need to note that authorities claim only three persons out of every hundred think for themselves.

The newest method for preserving foods calls for neither freezing nor canning. Yet the foods keep years and are as good and as fresh as in the beginning. Truly we are living in a marvelous age. May all of us pray that mankind will have the good judgment not to destroy himself. While we are praying it may help if some remember to ask for rain, if God so wills. And do not forget this week, on the subject of Fire and Safety, to remind everyone in school and at home to be careful. Now, if this paragraph does not win the prize for the most conglomerrated we shall stop!

Reports on the County Fair are most gratifying. A giant bouquet to our livewire county agent and his co-workers, who included some of the best leaders Floyd has. Many insist they long to see it an annual event, bigger and better each year, with more exhibits sent to the State Fair annually. We have all it takes, if we use it. Our county needs such features to look forward to every year. Marston has the Fall Flower Show. Martin now has begun the Spring Style Show. Where can the Spring Flower and Hobby Show be? And what will be the of the Jennie Wiley pageant? Prestonsburg planned to make an annual event? There are reports of renewed interest in the Passion Pageant for next spring. Such occasions mean much to the section, particularly to children and young people. Have you heard Rex and Virginia, and Marena Grigaby on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays at 3:45—all plugging for Eastern Kentucky over WPRT?

Mention is made of the tender, loving care Mr. Tom Ellis' daughters all gave him during his long illness. Old folks deserve the best in love and devotion, but not all receive it. It takes so little on our part to make them happy, to bridge the gap between generations. Some day each of us must grow old, too.

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pose any duty upon fiscal courts to make repairs or improvements on any particular road or roads. It places upon the county the duty generally to keep its roads in repair and to appropriate the money that is available for that purpose, but it is within the discretion of the fiscal court to determine the road or roads which shall be improved and the time and method of such improvement.

Other major indictments filed by the grand jury during the last two days of the term follow:

Robert and Levie Ousley, reckless use of a deadly weapon; Lillian Hatcher, cutting and wounding; Ray Mosley, Jerry Butler, Ed Hicks and Newberry Tackett, each accused of drunk driving; Cecil Bartram, John Lee Spriggs, John B. Mitchell or Hall and Gardner Bailey, separate indictments for child desertion; George D. Howell, forgery; Bud Gray shooting into a dwelling; Sheila Hughes, possessing of alcoholic beverages; Perry Newsome, attempted rape; Henry L. Woods, obtaining money or property by false pretenses; I. N. Hall, Jr., forgery; Bud Blanton, cutting and wounding Edward Hill; Mathew Kidd, carrying concealed deadly weapon; Mark (Buddy) Henry, taking and damaging property.

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Ride Operator Fined After Striking Youth; Game Violator Nabbed

For his attack on Gabriel Wallace, an Eagle Scout, at the fair here last Thursday, Marvin R. Beacon, ferris wheel operator for the Klenke Attractions, paid \$30.50 in fine and costs. The incident arose, it was said, when Scouts threw a football in the crowd and a woman connected with the rides chased Wallace, tearing his shirt and both falling to the ground. Beacon struck the boy when the woman claimed Wallace knocked or threw her down. The youth and others said the woman's accusation was unfounded.

Another who was fined by County Judge Henry Stumbo last week was Lon Ratliff, of Hellier, who was booked on two counts connected with hunting in the Dewey Lake game preserve. When arrested in a boat on the lake by Conservation Officer Raymond Copley Ratliff was in possession of the squirrels he had killed. He claimed he had killed the squirrels outside the restricted area. His fines and costs totaled \$81.

Booked at the jail within the week on major offenses were John W. Baldrige, charged by the arresting officer, Herschell Lester, of Martin, with destroying public property and reckless use of a deadly weapon; and Willie Harris, arrested by Sheriff A. B. Meade and booked on a third offense charge of possessing liquor and beer.

IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor 8:45 a.m.—Sunday school. 10:55 a.m.—Worship: "Why Did God Permit Sin to Enter the World?" 6:30 p.m.—Training Union. 7:30 p.m.—Worship: "Revival and Jesus Christ."

Revival services will be conducted at Benedict Baptist Chapel in the Slick Rock community beginning Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Services will be held each week night at 7 o'clock. Rev. Ira McMillen, Jr., pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church will be the evangelist.

PRESTONSBURG DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Our mid-night Show, Saturday, October 17, closes our season. THURS.-FRI.—Double Feature—"Gunsmoke" Audie Murphy, Susan Cabot, Paul Kelly.

"It Happens Every Thursday" Loretta Young, John Forsythe. SAT.—Double Feature—"Cow Country" Edmond O'Brien, Helen Westcott.

"Destination Murder" Joyce MacKenzie, Stanley Clements, Hurd Hatfield.

Midnight Show, Saturday—"China Sky" Randolph Scott, Ruth Warrick, Ellen Drew.

SUN.-MON.—Double Feature—"Law and Order" Ronald Regan, Dorothy Malone, Preston Foster.

"The Juggler" Kirk Douglas, Milly Vitale. TUES.-WED.—Double Feature—"Meet Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" Bud Abbott, Lou Costello, Boris Karloff.

"The Lawless Breed" (Technicolor) Rock Hudson, Julia Adams.

THURS.-FRI.—Double Feature—"Wait Till the Sun Shines, Nellie" (Technicolor) David Wayne, Jean Peters, Hugh Marlowe.

"Return of the Texan" Dale Robertson, Joanne Dru, Walter Brennan.

SAT.—Double Feature—"The Marksman" Wayne Morris, Elena Verdugo.

"Drums of the Congo" Ona Munson, Stuart Erwin, Peggy Moran.

Midnight Show—Last of Season—"Scarlet Street" Edward G. Robinson, Joan Bennett, Dan Duryea.

This concludes our 1953 season. See you next spring. We wish to thank the public for its patronage.

Consolidated School Grade Teacher Meet At Martin Scheduled

Teachers of the grades in the consolidated schools will meet at Martin high school Monday when a demonstration of the teaching of geography will be given by Miss Helen Nesbitt, of the Silver Burdett Company, and will review films on the methods and philosophy of teaching. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m., and last till 3 p.m.

At the close of the meeting there will be a conference of elementary principals and all high school principals who can arrange to be present.

Foxhunters Association Scheduled at Carlisle

The Central Kentucky Foxhunters Association will hold its 21st annual field trials and bench show October 13-16, at Carlisle, Ky.

The bench show will be held at the stockyards in Carlisle on Tuesday evening, Oct. 13, at 8 o'clock. The first cast is October 14 through Oct. 16 at the Clay farm in Nicholas county, which is known to foxhunters as about the very best hunting ground in the nation.

This is to be a three-day hunt, two-day derby stake and three-day all-age stake, to be scored separately but run together. On Wednesday evening at the Carlisle National Guard Armory there will be a round dance with music furnished by Jimmy Gilpin, and on Thursday night there will be a square dance.

Everybody is invited and urged to attend.

PRICE THEATRE

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FRI., 7:15 p.m.—"Woman They Almost Lynched" John Lund, Audrey Totter.

SAT.—Double Feature—"South Sea Woman" Bert Lancaster, Virginia Mayo.

"Red River" John Wayne, Montgomery Cliff.

SUNDAY—"Francis Covers the Big Town" Donald O'Connor, Yvette Dugay.

TUES.—Family Night, 8:00—"The Big Frame" Mark Stevens, Jean Kent.

"Mighty Joe Young" Terry Moore, Ben Johnson.

WEDNESDAY—"Man on a Tight Rope" Frederic March, Gloria Grahame.

— COMING — FRI., Oct. 16th—"Sioux Uprising" Jeff Chandler, Faith Domergue.

SUN., Oct. 18th—"Salome" Rita Hayworth, Stewart Granger.

MARTIN THEATRE

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FRI.—Double Feature—"Savage Frontier" Rocky Lane, Black Jack, Bob Steele.

"Dangerous Crossing" Jeanne Crain, Michael Rennie.

SAT.—Double Feature—"The Sun Shines Bright" Charles Winninger, Stepin Fetchet, Arleen Whelan.

"So This Is Love" (The Grace Moore Story) TECHNICAL Kathryn Grayson, Walter Abel. 25c and 60c

SUN.-MON—"Hannah Lee" 3-D Three Dimension COLOR MacDonald Carey, Joanne Dru, John Ireland. U buy the glasses 10c pair On sale permanent glasses \$3.00 pr.

TUES.—Double Feature—"Bowery Battalion" Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall.

"The Stand at Apache River" TECHNICAL Stephen McNally, Julia Adams.

WED.-THURS—"War of the Worlds" Gene Barry, Ann Robinson.

— COMING — OCT. 16TH—"Wagons West"

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without wounding Wheelwright policemen.

The petit jury empanelled for the current civil term of court follows:

Brack Bentley, Garrett; L. A. Conley, Cliff; Mrs. Bill Gray Prestonsburg; Harrison Hackworth, Bonanza; Kermit Morgan, Cliff; Harris Conn, Harold; Fannie Collins, Prestonsburg; Sam Bays, Myrtle; Mrs. Wile Shepherd, Lancer; Mrs. Early Williams, Myrtle; George Wright, Martin; El Conn, Printer; Nola Miller, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. W. A. Johnstone, West Prestonsburg; John Bud Hyden, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. Grady Hubbard, Prestonsburg; Angeline Brown, Cliff; Belle Jarrell, Prestonsburg; John R. Prater, Hippo; Josephine Moore, Prestonsburg; J. C. Cooley, Glo; Mrs. Rhoda Kidd, Honaker; Mrs. Jack Jarrell, Dana; Lizzie Crager, Cliff; Amy Music, Cliff; Will Campbell, Water Gap.

Irrigation is estimated to have doubled tobacco yields on the farm of E. T. Wilhite in McLean county.



(Pol. Adv.)

STRAND THEATRE

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THURS.-FRI.—Double Feature—"Prairie Justice"

"North of the Klondike" Norbert Crawford.

SAT.—3 Shows for Price of One—"Border Saddlemates" Rex Allen.

"Werewolf of London"

"Wild Beasts at Bay"

SUN.-MON.—"The All-American" Tony Curtis. Also News and Cartoon.

TUES.-WED.—(Technicolor) "City of Badmen" Dale Robertson.

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DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

(Pol. Adv.)

FOOTBALL CHATTER



By GORDON MOORE

The winner of the Jenkins-Whitesburg game, October 16, should cop the 1953 Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference football crown. Jenkins virtually eliminated Prestonsburg from the race in downing the Cats for the second year in a row last Friday night.

Catlettsburg continues to run over every football team with ease. Maybe they will slow down when they tangle with the undefeated Cumberland Redskins in the Big Sandy Bowl at Paintsville, November 13.

The Lafayette Generals have signed to meet Lynch in the Recreation Bowl at Mount Sterling on November 13. Lynch has registered 17 successive football victories to date and is coached by Sam Porter, who guided the East Gridders to a 14-13 victory in the East-West high school all-star game.

Ronnie Cain, of Cumberland, who had a 10-point lead on Versailles' Zane Jenkins for the state prep scoring laurels, lost eight points of the leadership as he scored 12 points Thursday while Jenkins was picking up 20 against Winchester. Jackie Callahan, the other half of Cumberland's touchdown twins, has 79.

Ronnie Polly, former Wayland athlete who transferred to Lafayette this season, scored two touchdowns last week as his mates stopped Manuel, 35-0. Coach Bill Schaffnit calls Polly's signal-calling a "blessing" to his team and hopes his fine play will keep up the undefeated string.

COMMISSION NAMED

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — A commission representing the governors of five states was appointed to study the construction of a super highway connecting the Great Lakes area and the Gulf Area at a meeting of governors and highway officials at Kenlake Hotel.

William P. Curlin, Kentucky commissioner of Highways, was appointed temporary chairman of the Governors' Lake-Gulf Highway Planning Commission. Highway men from Indiana, Tennessee, Georgia and Florida were also named to the commission and Alabama and Mississippi are to be invited to send representatives.

The group will have its first meeting in November.

Many peaks in Kings Canyon National Park in California are from 12,000 to 14,000 feet high.

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Jenkins Defeats Prestonsburg, 24-7

The Prestonsburg Black Cats lost their second football game in five starts last week in falling before the Jenkins Cavaliers, 24-7, in a conference game that was marred by 235 yards in penalties.

Prestonsburg offered little resistance to the running of fullback Bobby Collier and halfback Burton Bradley, who gained yardage at will and kept Jenkins deep in Black Cat territory throughout the game. Jenkins scored before the game was three minutes old. Prestonsburg had taken the opening kickoff on the ten and failed to gain in three downs. Then Chester Shepherd booted to the 42-yard-line.

Collier moved the ball 30 yards in three plays and quarterback Raymond Ricketts passed to end Frank Asbury for ten yards on the two, from which point Bradley scored in two plays. Ricketts' attempted kick was blocked.

A fumble on the Black Cat 20-yard line set up the second Cavalier touchdown four minutes later, and Collier tallied from three yards out after Ricketts had whipped 20 yards to end Bobby Branham.

The Black Cats then made one of two first downs in the half, but poor offensive line blocking and virtually no pass protection for quarterback Lowell Hughes made any advance impossible from the Cat's 41 yard-stripe. A fourth-down attempted pass was incomplete and Jenkins started their third touchdown march on two long gains by Bradley and Burton and a 15-yard penalty. Ricketts picked up the six-pointer on a four-yard jaunt before the half ended to put his club ahead, 18-0.

The last half was an exchange of clipping and roughness penalties, and neither team could score in the over-heated third period. Prestonsburg started a march from midfield and advanced to the Jenkins 16 on Hughes' 12 yard run and 20-yard aerial to halfback Jeep Alexander, but the third Black Cat bobbie killed the threat.

Midway the final period, Jenkins ran the count to 24-0 as Ricketts fumbled the ball into the end zone and center C. Irwin pounced on the oval for the marker. Seven successive penalties—one for a 35-yard pass interference—had put the ball in scoring position.

Halfback Clifford Goble saved a shutout on the final kickoff by romping 80 yards to pay dirt against the Jenkins subs, who were eight at the time as coach McKenzie failed to send in the other three. Alexander plunged over for the extra point.

The Black Cats see conference action at Pikeville, Friday night.

Lineups:
Prestonsburg
Ends—Caldwell, Ousley, Burchett, Dixon; tackles—Spradlin, Puckett, Wells; guards—Salyers, Burchett, Ousley, Harrington; centers—Tackett, Reatherford; quarterback—Hughes; halfbacks—Shepherd, C. Goble, R. Goble, Lafferty; fullback—Thompson.

Jenkins
Ends—Asbury, Branham, Hounshell, Winchell; tackles—Tucker, Horner, England, Wright; guards—Bain, Elkins, Sexton, Blizard; Centers—Irwin, Gray; quarterbacks—Ricketts, Toth; halfbacks—Arnette, B. Bradley, P. Bradley, Mink; fullbacks—Collier, Bates.

Prestonsburg
First Downs 5 12
Fumbles 3 3
Penalties 115 120
Passes Attempted 9 10
Passes Completed 3 6
Yardage passes 28 114

Scoring Touchdowns: Prestonsburg—C. Goble; Jenkins—Bradley, Collier, Ricketts, Irwin.
Officials: Conley, Harris, Rudd.

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10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Tuesday—
7:30 p.m.—Weekly prayer meeting.
Thursday—
7:30 p.m.—Young Peoples service.

Caney Creek College Santa Claus Is Coming

Once again, for the 35th season, the Caney Santa Claus is preparing his thousands of gift boxes for the children of Knott, Floyd and near-by counties.

Teachers of grade and high schools should immediately send their lists to Caney Creek Community Center, Pippapass, Kentucky, stating the name, age and sex of each child in school.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
First National Bank, Plaintiff
of Prestonsburg, Ky.

vs. NOTICE OF SALE

Melvin Holt and Nora Holt, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the September term, 1953, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 26th day of October 1953, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on the Bill Hall branch of Prasures Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky, beginning at a sycamore near the Bill Hall Branch; thence running up the point with the line of Charley Perry, to the line of Ep Brown; thence with said Ep Brown line down to the point to the Bill Hall Branch to a marked rock corner; thence running with Bill Hall Branch to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the defendants in favor of plaintiff in the sum of \$394.00 due on the date of sale, and the costs of this action.

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

Given under my hand, this 5th day of October, 1953.

J. B. CLARKE,
Master Commissioner,
Floyd Circuit Court.

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Missouri Novelist, Native Of Morgan, To Conduct Conference for Writers

Mrs. Alma Robison Higby, of Lathrop, Missouri, a native of Morgan county, will conduct a writer's Conference at West Liberty, Oct. 17, and speak at a banquet meeting of the Morgan County Woman's Club.

There is no charge for the writers' meeting, which will begin at 1 p.m., but a charge is being made for the banquet, which is set for 6 o'clock.

In addition to these two activities, Mrs. Higbee will organize a branch of the National League of American Pen Women at a luncheon meet the same day. Any woman interested in joining this group may contact Mrs. Henry L. Stacy, West Liberty. Mrs. Stacy, associate editor of the Licking Valley Courier and vice president of the Morgan County Woman's Club, is also making the arrangements for the Writers' Conference.

Mrs. Higbee, who was born at Yocum in Morgan county, is the author of six novels and has written numerous poems, short stories and articles. She has won many literary awards and is included in Kentucky high school textbooks. Her novel, "Saplings," was a prize-winner in the Doubleday Doran-Curtis Brown book contest in 1941, and in 1943 her book of poems, "Songs for Mountain Men," won the Kaleidograph Book Publication award. The Kaleidograph Press also brought out her book of poems, "Sunmark on the Hill." She appears regularly in the Saturday Evening Post, Good Housekeeping, Ladies Home Journal, American Mercury and other magazines.

Regarding the conference, Mrs. Higbee says that she will bring her "never fail recipe for setting up a novel," and pass along helpful hints that other writers and editors have given her.

At the conference Mrs. Higbee, together with Katherine Amyx, Sylvia Auxier and John D. Engle, Jr. will compose a poetry panel to discuss poetry writing problems.

Both the conference and the banquet will take place at the West Liberty Methodist Church and are open to any resident of the Kentucky area who would be interested in attending.

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Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — Separate election ballots must be issued voters in communities electing officials other than on established political party ballots, it was held by Assistant Attorney General Walter C. Herdman.

A total of 11,187 harness horses raced throughout the country last year for a total purse distribution of \$13,119,753.

Notice

Susan Taylor has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation at Martin, Ky., of Taylor's Drive-In.

DURAN MOORE, Clerk
Floyd County Court
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But Bill Hall, is more than a good Democrat. He is a good citizen. Examine the record, ask his neighbors. Disregard the rumors started by his opponent and talk to those who know him, to those who trade with him, and to the many he has aided with personal endorsement. They will speak for Bill Hall from experience and speak well.

Years ago Bill Hall became a business man. By hard work and attention to his business he has accumulated a competence. He is not rich but he owns some property. He sends his children to schools and plans for their education. He desires that his children take their places with your children in our common activities. He wants his children to be one with yours in a good community.

In the light of these things let us ask ourselves, as voters, a simple question. What kind of deputies will Bill Hall employ to assist him in the Sheriff's office. Do you believe that a man of excellent character, of a high sense of party loyalty, of genuine attachment to his county, would inflict upon his people and friends a motley array of gun-thugs and fee-collectors as deputies? No one does. The opposition don't even believe it.

Bill Hall, has too much at stake to do it. He has his background, steeped in good citizenship, and he has his place in the hearts of the decent people. To say that he would throw everything away he has been years in building up by the employment of undesirable deputies is to speak from anything but the facts.

We offer you Bill Hall, the Good Citizen, for Sheriff. We have brushed aside the rumor and malice to portray him as he really is and as his neighbors and associates see him. You, as voters, were entitled to this. Bill Hall, as candidate and Good Citizen was entitled to it. Floyd county is entitled to a good Sheriff and good government. It will have both with Bill Hall.

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**State Writer's Poems
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A new book of poetry by Rufus Mitchell Reed, well-known Kentucky writer, will be published in mid-November by Pageant Press of New York City. Entitled "Lyrics of Life and the Outdoors," the volume expresses the writer's deep love for his native state and for the people who live in it. Mr. Reed, who is president of the Appalachian Poetry Guild, is a civil engineer by profession and is now chief engineer of the Ware Drilling Company. He belongs to the Kentucky Society of Professional Engineers. Born in Laura, Martin county, Mr. Reed is now a resident of Lovely. His mother, Ursula Fields, comes from the Fields family which furnished Kentucky with one of its Governors, William Jason Fields.

DRIFT

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Drift Woman's Club met in the Turner Elkhorn Office building, September 28, with Mrs. Chadie Cochran as hostess. It was a program meeting and Mrs. Sophia Cahill, chairman of the Americanism Dept. introduced the speaker. After the program a business meeting was held. A thank-you note for the baby gift from Mrs. Betty Sticker was read, also an invitation to a tea Oct. 2, given by the Kiwanians, of Prestonsburg, was read. It was voted to give \$50 to the Bookmobile campaign and the treasurer was instructed to write a check for that amount and give it to B. F. Reed, chairman of the campaign.

The club also voted to sponsor a Girl Scout troop, with Mrs. Geraldine Ward as leader. The club has been wanting to sponsor a troop for two years but has been unable to find a leader for the troop. More than one troop is needed and the club would probably sponsor other troops if leadership could be found. Miss Catherine Reed was delegated to make contact with proper authorities to learn how to go about the organization.

The Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club asked if the Woman's Club would help serve refreshments on Kids' Day at the Drill Ball Park, Oct. 3, and the club voted to do so. Mrs. Sophia Cahill is chairman of the committee.

The date for the district convention to be held at McDowell has been changed from Oct. 31 to Nov. 7, it was announced.

Mrs. Helen Ankrom was asked to contact Bernard Howell about holding a Town Meeting to discuss the garbage complaints. Mr. Howell was elected chairman of the Town Meeting which was organized last spring. The garbage collection system has been in effect since that time.

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Rex Ankrom, C. J. Cahill, Oliver Elam, H. D. Hewlett, Joe C. Moore, Alvin Reed, Ward Reed, Lloyd Stumbo, Fred Cochran, Glenn Ward, Sylvia Green, and Misses Ruby Akers, Catherine Reed, Jackie Hall, and Betty Turner.

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MAYTOWN

REVIVAL TO BE HELD

The officials and congregation of the Maytown Methodist Church are cooperating in the United Spiritual Life revival of the Louisville area of the Methodist Church, according to an announcement made by the Rev. W. H. Wiley.

This area-wide activity which will be carried on in the state of Kentucky and part of Tennessee, which comprise the Louisville area of the Methodist church, in about 700 charges, comprising about 1,600 churches is under the general chairmanship of Bishop W. T. Watkins, resident bishop of the Louisville area.

Committees have been appointed from the membership of the Maytown church to assist the Rev. W. H. Wiley in the various activities of the campaign. These committees will begin work at once.

The week of October 23 has been set aside for spiritual visitation of the membership and preaching services. It is anticipated that many will be brought into Christian fellowship through these special efforts, and spiritual lives will be deepened and holy habits established.

Labon Gibson was accompanied last Friday to the Annual Association in Pike county by Mrs. U. S. Allen, Mrs. Selton Gibson and Mrs. James B. Cline. Others attending during the three days were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gibson, Mrs. Julia Conley, Ellen Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Prock Hayes, James B. Cline and Mr. and Mrs. George Sallsbury.

Mrs. Vivian Davidson, of Zionsville, Indiana, spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Patton. She was accompanied here by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Neese and children and Mrs. John Neese who motored on to Columbia, S. C., for their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moore have moved into the apartment of Mrs. Elizabeth Baker. Virgil is now the operator of the Langley Service Station.

Earl Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bentley, was home on furlough recently.

Congratulations to Edith Patton and Elmo Green who were married last week. They have moved into their home near Hueysville.

Corkey Patton, who is stationed at Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patton and children have moved back to their home here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patton and children moved into the house they vacated on Turkey Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hicks, Jr., and children and Mrs. Judson Hayes and children, of St. Mary's, Ohio, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned May and children, of Detroit, spent last week-end with their parents here.

PVT. BRANHAM IN 40TH DIV.
WITH THE 40TH INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA — Pvt. D. C. Branham, 21, whose parents live in Allen, Ky., recently arrived in Korea for duty with the 40th Infantry Division.

Originally a California National Guard unit, the 40th Infantry Division was federalized in 1950 and filled with men from every state in the Union.

Owensboro, Ky. — Daviess county has recorded 20 polio cases since May 13. The latest victims hospitalized were Robert Earl Fenwick, 4, Owensboro, and Glenn Schaber, 16, Daviess county.

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LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 7 (Spl.) — Three Floyd county students are among 51 University of Kentucky men who have received pledge bids from the 20 fraternities on the UK campus. They are:

William G. Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, who pledged Phi Kappa Tau; Richard F. Vinson, of Wayland, who pledged Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and Quentin D. Allen, of Prestonsburg, who pledged Sigma Nu.



If you are against the million-dollar bond issue that the city administration has already passed, show your disapproval by voting for Henry Howard for Mayor.

(Pol. Adv.)

FLOYD COUNTY

**REPORT OF PROPERTY PRESUMED ABANDONED
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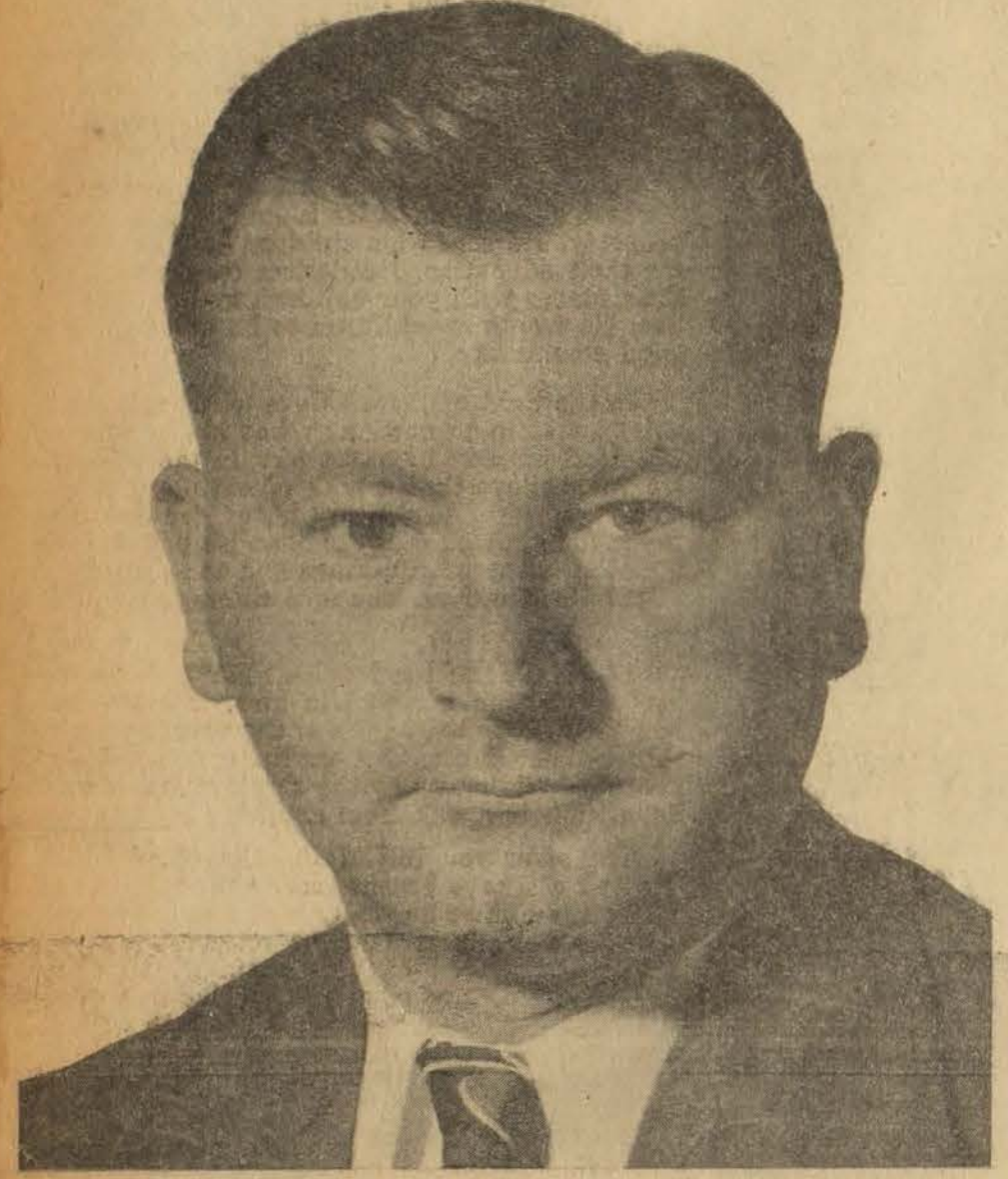
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THE HENRY STUMBO DEAL

TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

You people on Right and Left Beaver Creeks have lived for years under the Roosevelt "New Deal," the Truman "Fair Deal" and the Eisenhower "No Deal," and now the name of HENRY STUMBO that has signed the Fiscal Orders of Floyd county for 14 long, long years makes the headlines in one of the slickest, smoothest and rawest deals that has ever been played on an honest and hard working people, with the cards stacked in secrecy and every card that was played was dealt from the bottom of the deck.

Forty-five days before the August Primary 1953 on Page 253 Order Book No. 6 of the Floyd County Fiscal Court Henry Stumbo subscribed his name to an Order authorizing the sale of \$230,000.00 of Floyd County Bonds, bearing interest at the rate of 5%, and with said bonds purchased the Garrett-Bosco Gas works, allegedly worth \$10,000.00, for the outrageous sum of \$45,000.00; the Allen - Dwale Gas works, allegedly worth a fraction of the outrageous price of \$54,000.00; City of Weeksbury Water Works allegedly bought for less than \$1,000.00 and practically worthless for the unheard of sum of \$22,500.00; the Wayland Gas Works allegedly worth around \$15,000.00 for the price of \$67,500.00.

This writer has made an investigation of this latest outrage against the people of Floyd county and a confidential source who is thoroughly acquainted with the value of these Water and Gas Works and knows what he is talking about, has informed this writer that he would not give more than \$25,000.00 for the whole outfit.

Henry Stumbo as Chairman of the Fiscal Court on Page 258, Order Book 6 subset to the Beaver Elkhorn Water and Gas District, the operation of this disgraceful scheme, wherein one of the promoters has already boasted that he made \$60,000.00 out of the deal without leaving the City of Prestonsburg. Under the signature of Henry Stumbo for and on behalf of Floyd county, Henry Stumbo agreed that this outrageous project "WILL BE CONTINUOUSLY OPERATED AS A REVENUE PRODUCING, UNDERTAKING, AND THAT IT WILL FIX OR CAUSE TO BE FIXED, SUCH RATES FOR SERVICE FURNISHED BY SAID PROJECT".

On Page 257, Order Book No. 6 of the Floyd County Fiscal Court Order Book HENRY STUMBO made the taxpayers of Floyd county liable in the following words, and I quote from Section 7 on said page, "FLOYD COUNTY AGREES WITH THE BOND HOLDERS THAT THAT FLOYD COUNTY WILL FAITHFULLY AND PUNCTUALLY PERFORM OR CAUSE TO BE PERFORMED ALL DUTIES WITH REFERENCE TO SAID PROJECT".

The promoters of this money-making scheme evidently figured that an investigation might be made and in order to protect and safe guard their vast profits, placed Section 9 in the contract with the county which provides and I quote, "THAT IF IT SHALL EVER BE HELD BY ANY COURT THAT SAID AGREEMENT IS INVALID, IT IS AGREED BY THE COUNTY THAT THIS PROJECT SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY OPERATED BY THE COUNTY, and THAT THE COUNTY WILL IMMEDIATELY BRING INTO EFFECT ALL THE AGREEMENTS HEREIN PROVIDED FOR ON BEHALF OF AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE BONDHOLDERS".

This same man, Mr. Henry Stumbo whose name is signed to 230 \$1,000.00 Bonds as County Judge of Floyd county, Kentucky, told the people during the months of 1952, at a time when he was being sued for failure to pay into the Treasury of Floyd county sums due and long past due, that the charges were just politics and an effort to smear him and he had printed in The Courier-Journal that the Taxpayers didn't have a leg to stand on; yet several months after that, namely, in April, 1953, both Henry Stumbo and the Treasurer of Floyd county took the witness stand and under oath testified and admitted that Henry Stumbo on the 7th day of January, 1953, paid into the County Treasury the approximate sum of \$2,000.00 which the law prescribed that he should have paid into the County Treasury at the end of each month for the years 1950, 1951 and 1952. He tried to mislead you then, what about now?

This same Mr. Henry Stumbo is approaching another election on the third day of November, 1953, and in answer to this latest charge he will tell you people that this again is politics, that it is an effort to smear him and likewise he will have placed in the public newspapers a similar statement to the effect that the taxpayers of Floyd county haven't a leg to stand on, but this writer invites each one of you, and he feels that it is your duty before you cast your vote to come to the courthouse in Prestonsburg and read for yourselves as to whether this affects the taxpayers and whether or not this is just politics.

I have read for myself and when you read it for yourself you will be thoroughly convinced that the taxpayers of Floyd county have, without notice and without any benefits received, and for the enrichment of a few greedy promoters, have had placed upon their homes an additional mortgage of \$230,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of 5%.

These \$1,000.00 Bonds which Floyd county guarantees to pay were sold at a discount of 10%, in addition, they draw interest at the rate of 5% and this is the first time that this writer has ever known Floyd county bonds to sell below par, for it has been the common practice in the past for Floyd county bonds of \$1,000.00 to sell for more than \$1,000.00 because they are non-taxable, draw a good rate of interest and constitute a profitable investment.

This writer would have no objection if these bonds had been sold to build better roads for you people, if they had been sold to build better schools, and if they had been sold for the betterment of the people rather than to promote the selfish interests of a greedy few . . . AND I PROMISE YOU GOOD PEOPLE THAT IF YOU ELECT ME YOUR COUNTY JUDGE, THE MINUTE THAT I AM SWORN INTO OFFICE, THAT I WILL USE ALL THE POWERS THAT GOD HAS GIVEN ME TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO UNDO, ABOLISH AND ERADICATE THIS ABOMINABLE IMPOSITION UNJUSTIFIABLY AND WITHOUT REASON, PLACED UPON THE BACKS OF THE GOOD PEOPLE OF THIS COUNTY.

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LACKEY SALISBURY
Candidate for County Judge.

(Pol. Adv.)

Notice to Bidders

The Floyd County Fiscal Court will at 10 a.m., Oct. 14, 1953, receive bids from Certified Public Accountants on the audit of all Floyd county fee offices for the year 1952 and of all fees in criminal cases for a period of 15 years prior to the year 1953. Excluded from this audit are the years 1947, 1948, 1949 and 1950 for which an audit has heretofore been made.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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J. E. Bowman, Pikeville, president of the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company, is the only Kentucky member of the convention's arrangement committee. Area men who were named to a sub-committee on attendance are:

B. F. Reed, secretary-treasurer of the Liberty Elkhorn Mining Corporation at Drift; L. P. Johnson, president of the Crummetts Creek Coal Company, Crummetts; Lewis A. Hopper, vice-president of the Columbus Mining Company, Allais; S. J. Dickenson, general manager of the Mary Helen Coal Corporation, Coalgood; and Gilbert S. Meem, president of the Meem-Haskins Coal Corporation, Bluefield, W. Va. James D. Francis, formerly of Pikeville, president of the Powellton Coal Company, Huntington, W. Va., will preside at a session on the morning of Oct. 20. Harry La Viers, Paintsville, an association director, will give a membership report at another session.

Guest speakers at the convention will include Secretary of the Interior, Douglas McKay, Senator Everett M. Dirksen, and Congressman Richard M. Simpson.

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Located on Jacks Creek in Floyd county, Kentucky, beginning at Jacks Creek at a sycamore at the foot of the hill and Laconna Hall line; thence up the hill with Laconna Hall line to the top of the ridge; thence up the ridge between Willie Hall and Beaver side to a stone marked X; thence straight line down the hill to the mouth of a drain; thence straight line up the creek to the corner of the yard; thence straight across the yard to a marked rock; thence straight line down to lower end of Willie Hall's garden; thence straight out to the creek; thence back down with the creek to the beginning.

Said property will be sold to satisfy an indebtedness reduced to judgment in favor of the First National Bank of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and Tilden H. Jones, aggregating \$1089.94, and the cost of this action.

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

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GARRETT

WOMAN'S CLUB NEWS

The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met in the home of Mrs. Felix Coburn, of Garrett, September 24, with Mrs. Marie Coburn Mullins as co-hostess.

The major part of the evening was spent sewing on quilt pieces, with Mrs. W. T. Hatcher, in charge. During a business session with Mrs. C. B. Ison presiding, it was unanimously voted to contribute \$25.00 toward the Bookmobile project for Floyd county. It was also decided to co-sponsor a supper with the Junior Woman's Club at the Wayland Methodist Church with proceeds going to the same project.

The club voted to buy one copy of "Unity in Diversity."

Mrs. N. D. Howard, of the Youth Conservation committee, announced that "Cancer Night" for the sophomores, juniors and seniors of the Garrett and Wayland high schools will be October 8, at the Wayland school. Dr. Ferrell, of the University of Kentucky will be a speaker. A clubhouse investigating committee was also appointed: Mesdames C. B. Ison, J. C. Wells, Charles Hensley, M. M. Collins, N. D. Howard, Troy Webb, A. E. Quinlan and R. H. Messer.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. H. J. Sherman, October 22. The program will be on State Legislation, dealing with health, safety, education, and social welfare.

A salad-dessert course was served to three guests, Mesdames Leona Fouts and Avery Wiley, and Miss Marcella Coburn, and 23 club members.

Mrs. Hatcher to Speak At Language Conference

Mrs. Thomas Hatcher, Wayland high school faculty member, and three other teachers from adjoining counties will be among the speakers at the third Mountain Interstate Foreign Language Conference at Cumberland College, Williamsburg, Ky., Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Hatcher will speak on "Latin: How Dead Is the Language?" at a group discussion of classical languages Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Beth B. Brady, instructor in Spanish at Pikeville Junior College, Sister Mary Angelina Richter and Sister Mary Dempsey, of Our Lady of the Mountains High School, Paintsville, and others will speak. Five states in all—Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia, Tennessee and North Carolina—will be represented.

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Frankfort, Ky. — Six persons were killed in Kentucky traffic accidents last week end. This raised the year's fatality toll to 528, compared with 556 for the comparable 1952 period.

SQUARE DANCES
Most square dances are adaptations of 17th century English country dances.

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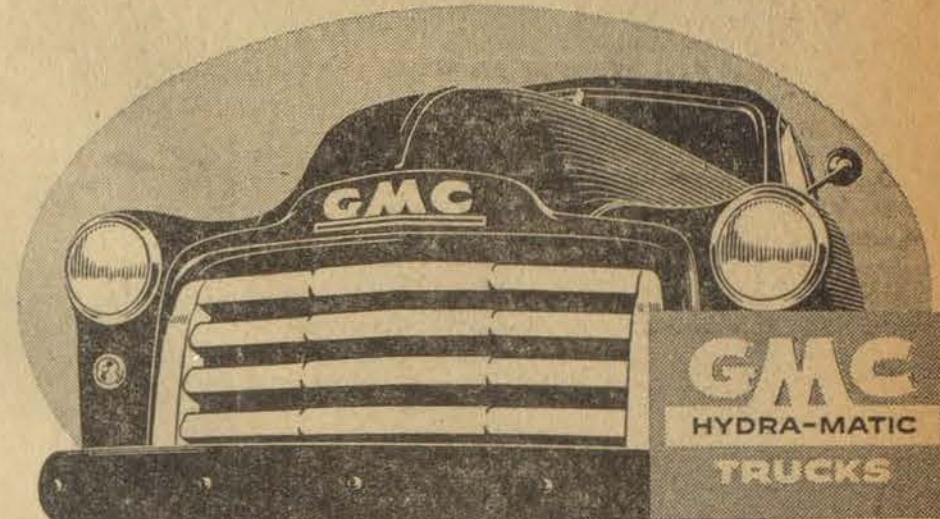
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Payment of Judgment May Be Made, 'Tis Said, To Paintsville Drivers

Paintsville, Ky., Sept. 28 (AP)—Attorney J. W. Wells said today that he believes the town of Paintsville will pay off a \$4,600 judgment against it in a few days to get rid of an attachment tying up about \$20,000 in municipal funds.

The attachment was obtained earlier this month by 33 taxi drivers. They were trying to force the Town to pay them the judgment awarded earlier this year for erroneous collection of license fees.

A hearing on the Town's motion to discharge the attachment was scheduled for today, but did not come off. Wells, a special attorney hired by the City to handle the case, said there probably will be no hearing on the city's motion.

A legislative act in the early 1940's prohibited municipalities from collecting license fees from taxi operators who already had State certificates. Paintsville was not immediately aware of the act and continued to collect fees for some time.

The taxi drivers brought suit to recover the amount of fees which were collected through error and were awarded the judgment. When

ALLEN

(Last Week's Correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Westfall at Spring Creek, W. Va.

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

Mrs. Rose Kinzer and Mrs. Pearl Kinzer have received news of the death of their father in West Virginia. They left Monday for funeral services.

Harry Snodgrass is spending a few days at Cumberland Lake, fishing.

Harrison Frazier and David Louder were business visitors in Ashland, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Salisbury and sons, of Sandusky, Ohio, are visiting her father, W. L. Rice.

Mrs. Bennie Laferty was honored with a surprise birthday party in her home, Thursday night. Miss Kay Akers and Miss Betty Lou Hall were hostesses. She was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Cake and punch were served, with Miss Akers presiding at the punch bowl at a table covered with handmade lace and crystal. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty and daughters, Klora and Rita, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mrs. G. L. Gray and son Jimmy Delano, Mr. and Mrs. Kenas Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyers, Dr. and Mrs. Irving Owens, Miss Glenna Boyd, Bennie Lynwood Laferty, Paul Donald Baldrige, Miss Betty Lou Hall and Mon' Hall, the honoree and Mr. Laferty and the hostesses.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Randall Allen, a daughter, the second of the family. They are residents of Martin. Mr. Allen is associated here with his father, Gene Allen, at the Mountain Printing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westfall is a student at Mayo Vocational School.

Paul Donald Baldrige, of Detroit, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Baldrige.

Mrs. Gertrude Louder returned to her home in Augusta, Thursday, after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. David Louder. They accompanied her home and visited Rev. M. N. DeHaven, former Methodist pastor here, who now is pastor at Augusta.

Mrs. Jimmy Porter and daughter, of Michigan, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter.

Pvt. Donald Ratliff, of Ft. Knox, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ganton Stone returned to their home in Cincinnati last week after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Osborn and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Laferty, of Paintsville, were visiting Mrs. Golda Laferty, Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and Mrs. G. L. Gray attended the Eastern Star Lodge in Prestonsburg, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Setser, of Van Lear, Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh, of Paintsville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier and Mr. Jack Gray, St. Sunday afternoon.

The two most precious things this side of the grave are our reputation and our life. But it is to be lamented that the most contemptible whispers may deprive us of one, and the weakest weapon, of the other. A wise man, therefore, will be more anxious to deserve a fair name than to possess it, and this will teach him to live as not to be afraid to die.

When a man asks the people to put him into a position of trust, and responsibility directly to the people, then his reputation is no longer private property, but is an open book with the pages of a man's life thrown open for the people to read, and to judge. This reputation, good or bad will go before him throughout the country side, either to give credit, where credit is due, or to discredit. The people of this county are the judge and the jury, who will decide what the verdict will be. The burden of responsibility lies upon the shoulders of our people as to who will be the sheriff of Floyd county for the next four years.

The people who are interested in a better Floyd county must check their officers closely, their past and their present, and upon their findings predict the future. The choice should be made wisely, and unselfishly. This election is not a fight between a Democrat and a Republican. This is a fight of the people of Floyd county for good government. The people of Floyd county, who are raising families, and want a decent place for their loved ones to live. A place in which there is no fear, where the officers of the law should be respected, instead of despised. Where the officers of our county are working for the interest of the people instead of, for themselves. A place where justice is meted out to the multitudes without favoritism. No longer a county of big I's and little U's, but as God intended, justice and equality for all.

You do not merely vote for a sheriff in November. You are voting for a man that you are willing to turn Floyd county over to, and have confidence enough in him that he will not betray his trust, that you could turn your family over to him and have no doubts as to the way he would conduct himself. Your sheriff and his force stand either with the lawless or between you and the lawless. He should stand for everything good that the lawless stands against. So choose wisely as this is your future. Vote a straight vote—a straight vote is a vote for good government.

I am anxious as your candidate for sheriff of Floyd county. Just anxious to deserve a fair name. I hope the people have examined my past and my present, and are willing to render a fair and unbiased decision in November. I hope my past has gone ahead of me and that I might find favor in the eyes of my people. I have the past and the present, my people hold my future and theirs.

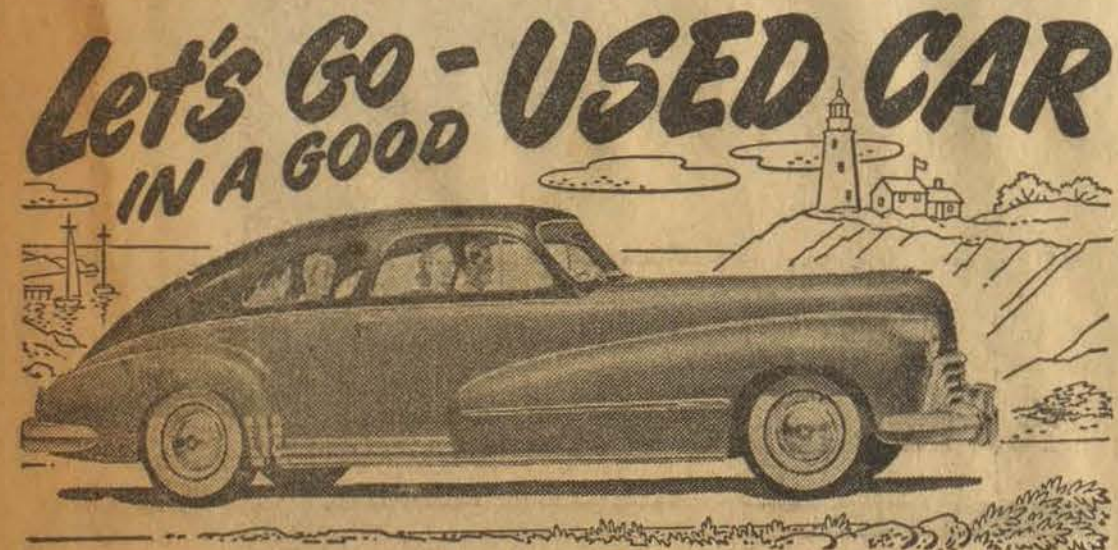
Will your choice be purely political or will your choice be on merits? Will your choice be a man that you can trust to dispense law and order fairly, to watch over your loved ones and to preserve something we haven't got—the peace in Floyd county. Will you cast your ballot for the good of your family, your neighbor, for your children or for the benefit of your political friends? Will you brag of how you made the rooster crow or the cabin shake, or will you be able to stand before God and your people and say "I cast my ballot for the good of my family, my friends, and the people of Floyd county." Will you say "I cast a straight vote." A vote for your family, your neighbors and clean honest government is a straight vote.

I am a veteran of World War II, I have fought for the principles of democracy and I feel that I have qualified myself—in the eyes of Democrat and Republicans alike to receive their vote.

"The greatest want in the world is the want for men who will not be bought and sold, men who in their innermost soul are true and honest, men who do not fear to call sin by its right name. Men who are as true to duty as the needle to the pine; men who will stand for the right though the heavens fall."

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Of course, there are a great many other satisfactions which a lady finds in a new Cadillac car.

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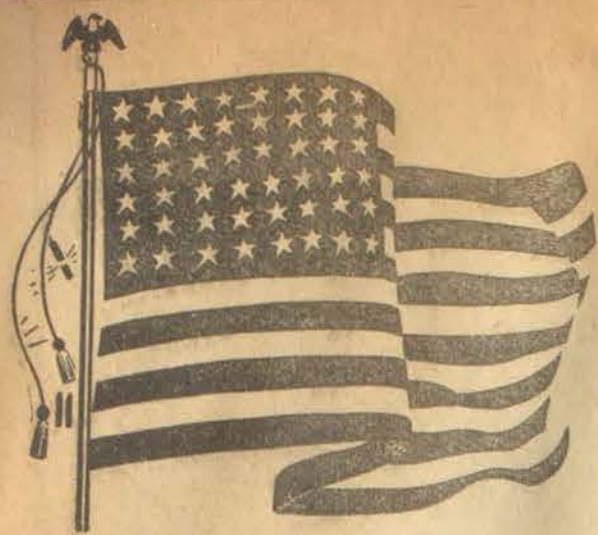
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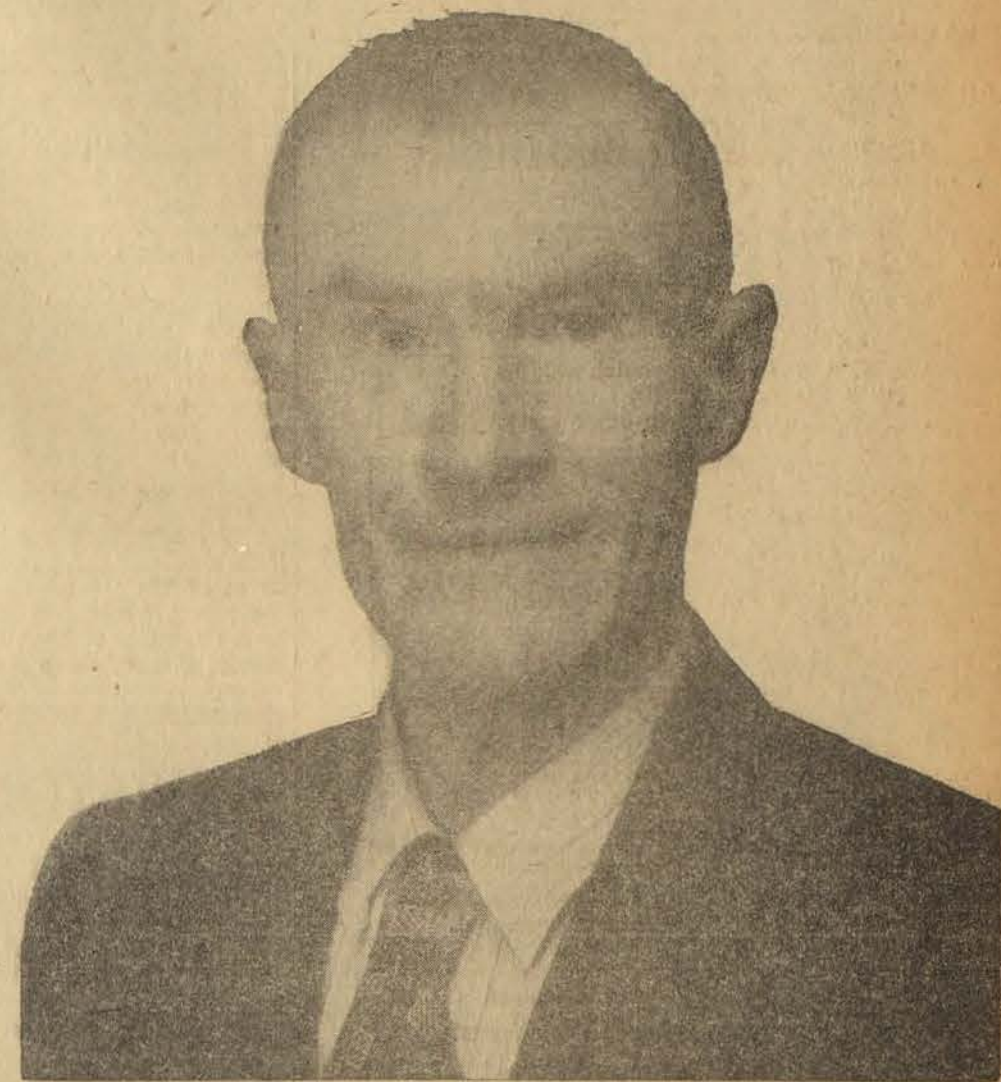
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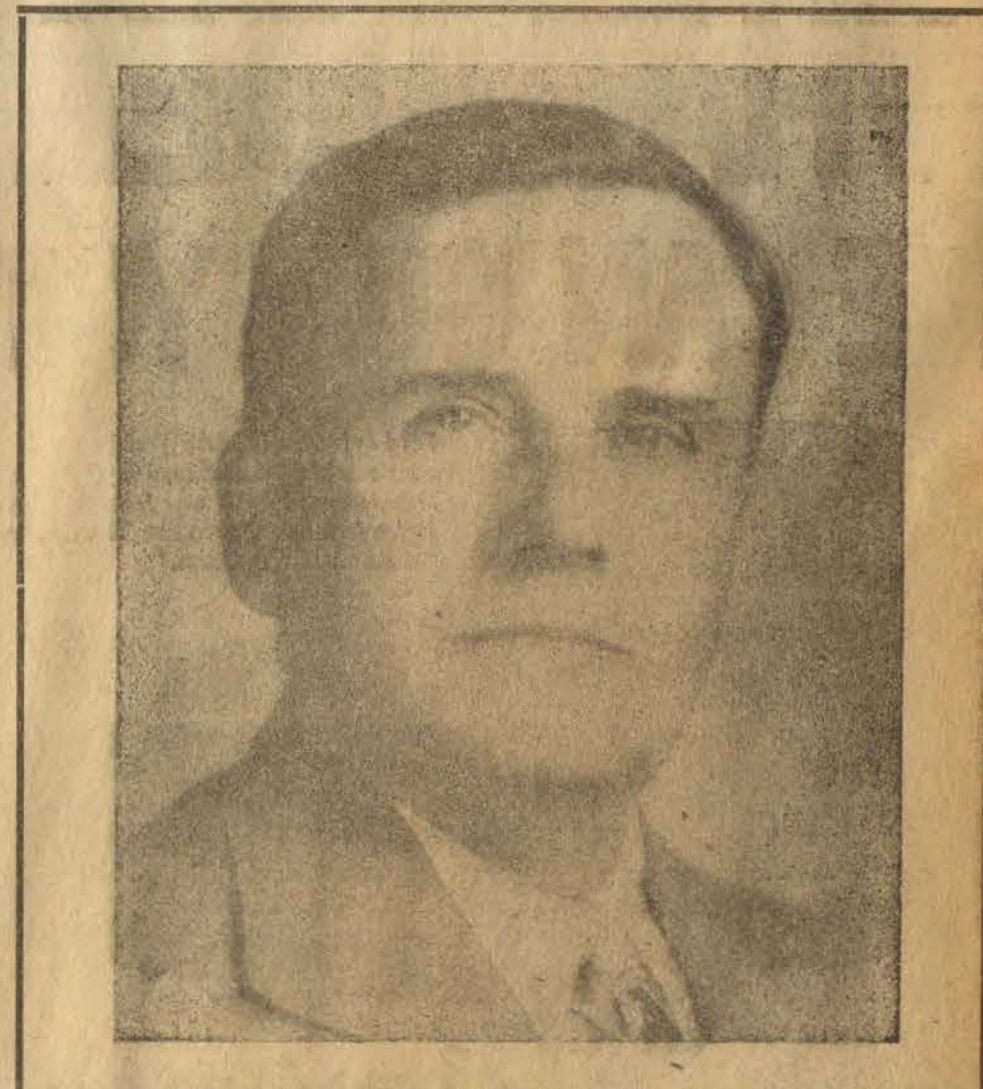


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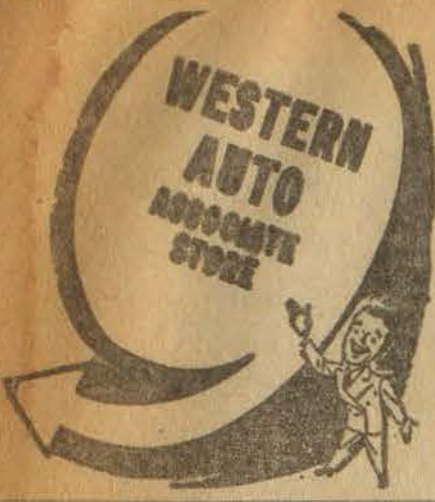


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Story of Martin Church Told in "Home Missions" So. Baptist Publication

The First Baptist Church of Martin is the subject of a feature story in the October issue of the Home Missions Magazine, published by the Southern Baptist Convention. From its beginnings six years ago, this church has grown tremendously in membership since the Rev. and Mrs. Merle Wadley, of Oklahoma, arrived there to do full time work. The Wadleys have perfected the organizations of the church, organizing those that did not exist and promoting others. Martin First Baptist Church now owns and operates two buses, which cover a wide territory, bringing people to services. The church, so new itself, sponsors the Hunter Mission, located at Hunter on Left Beaver Creek. Services are conducted there by Rev. Wadley several times weekly, with good crowds attending. The congregation has voted to build a new edifice, and decided to do so on the present lot, opposite the school building, in preference to the one first selected, at Moore's Service Station, above Martin.

MARTIN
By BETTY PREFLATISH (Last Week's Correspondence)

Miss Florence Billter spent several days this week as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billter, in Richmond, Ky. Jimmy Skeans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mary Skeans, is now in the merchant marines. He spent several days in Detroit, Mich., visiting his brother, Bill Skeans, and he was hired as a merchant seaman in Detroit. Opl. Paul Branham, stationed in Dayton, Ohio, spent the week-end home with his parents. Le Mayne Dingus, who is stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C., spent the week-end here with his wife and his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dingus. Marine Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Gene Preflatish visited Our Lady of the Mountains Academy in Paintsville. He attended school there prior to entering the marines. Opl. Cecil Adkins, who is spending a furlough home, was a movie-goer here this week. The postmasters picnic held at Dewey Lake, Saturday, was a huge success. It was well attended. Mr. Denzil Stumbo attended from here. Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Watson, accompanied by Mrs. Gypsy Collins, of Martin, and Mack Hyden, of Prestonsburg motored to Ironton and Portsmouth, Ohio, last Sunday. Paul Ritche, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritche, is now in Christ hospital in Jersey City. His condition is reported good. Mrs. Della Jackson, of Muncie, Ind., Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of New Castle, Ind., have been visiting their nephew and niece, marine Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Gene Preflatish, who were spending a leave home. Sgt. and Mrs. Preflatish will leave Tuesday for his new duty station at Cherry Point, N. C. Major and Mrs. David Marrs, Jr., who have been stationed in Sacramento, Calif., have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs, Sr. After his furlough he is to be stationed in Savannah, Ga. The Altar Society of Martin and Allen held a card party in the private dining room of the Sea cafe, Sept. 25. An enjoyable evening was spent by those attending. Several people from Prestonsburg and Allen attended. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Frazier have been spending a two-week vacation away. They took their son Don to school. Don is now attending University of Ky., Lexington. Mrs. W. S. Johns has been spending some time with her husband, who is a patient in a Huntington, W. Va. hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Astor Halbert, daughter Patricia Ann and her son, Donald Ray Martin, Mr. and Mrs. King, all of St. Mary's, Ohio, spent the week-end here and with her relatives at McDowell. Mrs. King was the former Freida McGlothen. Billie Jean Stith, Verle Frazier, Edith Luxmore, Hazel Adams, Birdie Maddox gave a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Rose Maggard Tackett at the high school library. There was a good attendance and a good time was had by all. Letty Jo Childers, who attends school in Lexington, came home due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Letty Childers.

Venters Is Appointed To Fill Federal Post Vacated by Pike Man

Edgar N. Venters has been named United States commissioner for Eastern Kentucky, succeeding his law partner, James W. Wine. Venters, a native of Pike county, is a graduate of the University of Kentucky Law School and served four years in the judge advocate general's department in World War II. He was elected Pikeville City Attorney in 1949. Wine resigned to seek the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Seventh district. Venters was sworn in at Lexington recently at the same time that Edwin R. Denney, Mount Vernon, took the oath as U. S. district attorney for Eastern Kentucky. Denney's appointment was announced some time ago. He succeeded Claude Stephens, Prestonsburg attorney.

AERMAN CONLEY IN TEXAS
SHEPPARD AIR FORCE BASE, Texas — A/3c Elmer G. Conley, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Watt Conley, Prestonsburg, Ky., has entered the Aircraft Mechanics School at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, the home of the largest technical school of this type in the world. Airman Conley attended Prestonsburg high school prior to his enlistment in the Air Force on May 5. Brisbane — Giant clams found on the reefs off Australia are often 35 ft. long and as heavy as 400 pounds.

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Notice

Charles Callison has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation at Allen, Ky., of the Triangle Restaurant.

DURAN MOORE, Clerk
 Floyd County Court

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ALLEN

Mrs. G. L. Gray was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church, Thursday night, for the October meeting. Mrs. Gray, the president, presided over the meeting with Mrs. Nancy Louder in charge of the worship program. Subject of the lesson was, "Scatter the Good Seed," with the following taking part: "The Rural Church," Mrs. Eunice Martin; "Mexico," Mrs. Maude Snodgrass; "South America," Flora Gray; "Africa," Tincy Crisp; "India," Mrs. G. B. Auxier; "The Philippines," Mrs. Iva Carr, and Scripture by Mrs. Edna Mae Callison.

During the business meeting the following officers were appointed, secretary of literature and publications, Mrs. Rebecca Harmon; secretary of status of women, Mrs. Eunice Martin; secretary of spiritual life, Mrs. Iva Carr; secretary of missionary education, Mrs. Peggy Sexton. One new member was added, Mrs. Iva Carr was appointed leader of the program for the quiet day during the week of Prayer and Self Denial, which is Oct. 18-25. The quiet day program will be in the church, Wednesday, Oct. 21, with all invited to attend. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gray, assisted by Mrs. Tincy Crisp, to the following: Mesdames Nancy Louder, Rosemary Osborn, Peggy Sexton, Eunice Laven, Eunice Martin, Lucy Kinzer, Edna Mae Callison, Rebecca Harmon, Nanny Auxier, Pearly Kinzer, Rev. and Mrs. John P. Carr and sons, Jimmy and Johnny. The November meeting will be held in the church with Mrs. Rebecca Harmon, hostess. Subject of the lesson will be, "Feeding the Modern Multitude". A film will be shown in accordance with the lesson.

Attending the conference in the Louisa Methodist church concerning the spiritual life revival Thursday, were Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Rev. and Mrs. John P. Carr, Rev. Wiley, of the Garrett-Maytown church, accompanied them. Dr. E. M. Fossett, Ashland district superintendent, presided with the principal speaker of the day, Dr. L. Glenn Jacobs, of the Louisville area.

Attending church services at Borders Chapel Methodist Church, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston and son, John David, Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Mrs. G. L. Gray, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh, of Duval. Mrs. Gray was in charge of the preaching services. A trio, Mesdames Lushbaugh, Gray and Snodgrass sang special songs, with Mrs. Lushbaugh, pianist. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boyd. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Russel Boyd and family, of near Louisa.

Communion services were held in the Methodist church Sunday night by the pastor, Rev. John Carr, in observance of World Wide Communion Day. It was held in the Martin church, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morgan Flanery have returned from a fishing trip at Norris Lake.

Miss Florence May, of Lexington, spent Saturday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Comstock.

Mrs. Anna Mayo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Flanery. She has been visiting at Flatwoods and will visit in Virginia later.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snodgrass spent last week-end fishing at Cumberland Lake.

George Lee Woods, who has been a patient at the Paintsville hospital for some time after a fall in which he was injured and paralyzed, has been moved to a hospital in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callison have opened a new drive-in restaurant at the "Y" in the Martin building.

PVT. HARRIS AT FT. KNOX
 3RD ARMORED DIVISION, FT. KNOX, Ky. — Pvt. William R. Harris, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Harris, Lancer, Ky., has completed army branch immaterial basic training conducted by the 3rd Armored Division here at Ft. Knox. During this eight-week period he attended classes on basic military subjects and was training in the fundamentals of basic infantry combat.

Notice:

There will be a regular meeting of the Floyd County Democrats at Campaign Headquarters on Court Street, Turner Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, this next Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m., and every Thursday evening until the November election.

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Noted Critic Praises Perry County History; To Go on Sale Saturday

The first published history of Perry county will be on sale at Hazard, Saturday, October 3. Written and published by the Hazard Chapter, D.A.R., and compiled by Mrs. Eunice Tolbert Johnson over a period of three years, the book is well footnoted with sources of information quoted at the conclusion of each family history.

Dr. Thomas D. Clark, noted Kentucky author and critic, and head of the University history department, in his review of the history says, "The kind of work which the authors have done in this book is not only a real service to Perry county and Kentucky but it will long serve as a useful source for people who seek information of the Kentucky mountains . . . a good history."

Undertaken with a two-fold purpose, the history serves to preserve old records of interest not only to Perry countians but also to many residents of Floyd and surrounding counties, and also to provide money for a scholarship fund for Perry county students. All profit from book sales will be applied to this fund for worthy students in Perry.

Also assisting with the history was Dr. Josiah H. Combs, of Mary Washington College, University of Virginia.

Floyd countians who wish to obtain a copy of this history may write to Mrs. Eunice Tolbert Johnson, Hazard.

HIGHWAY ACCIDENT RATE HIGHEST DURING OCTOBER

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5 — October was the high month for highway accident deaths in 1953 and is traditionally a dangerous month for motorists, Charles B. Jones, executive secretary of the Governor's Committee for Highway Safety, warned today.

In October last year 85 persons died on highways within the state, which was a rise from 64 killed last September. There were 755 highway deaths during all of 1952.

Jones said there is no apparent reason for October being more dangerous for motorists than other months but warned of congested highways on week-ends when football fans and persons looking at fall foliage are out in force. Also, twilight driving is especially hazardous this time of year, he said.

Kentucky has a good chance of bettering its 1952 accident record if it gets by October with fewer accidents than last year, Jones said. For the last two or three months the highway death total has been running about 30 behind last year. On Sept. 30 the total was 546 deaths, compared to 576 last Sept. 30.

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BANNER

(Last Week's Correspondence)
 The first meeting of the Banner 4-H Club was held, September 25, Mr. Woods presiding.
 The following officers were elected for the school year:
 President, Tommy R. Nelson; vice-president, Vannis Cook; secretary, Wanda Jones; club reported, Judy Meade; song leaders, Jeanette Akers, Clara J. Rice, Bobby Jones; game leaders, Winifred Hamilton, and June Banks.

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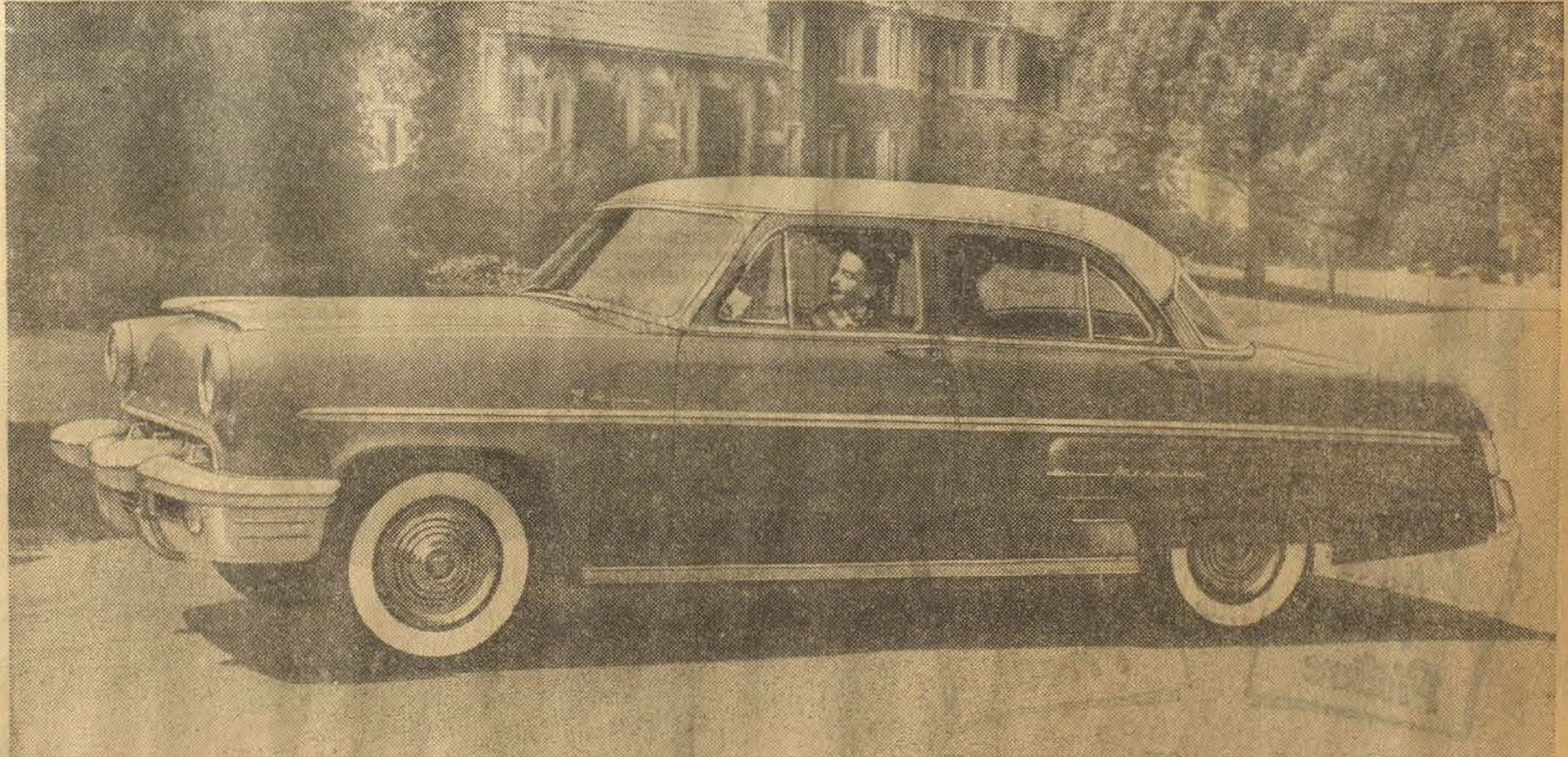
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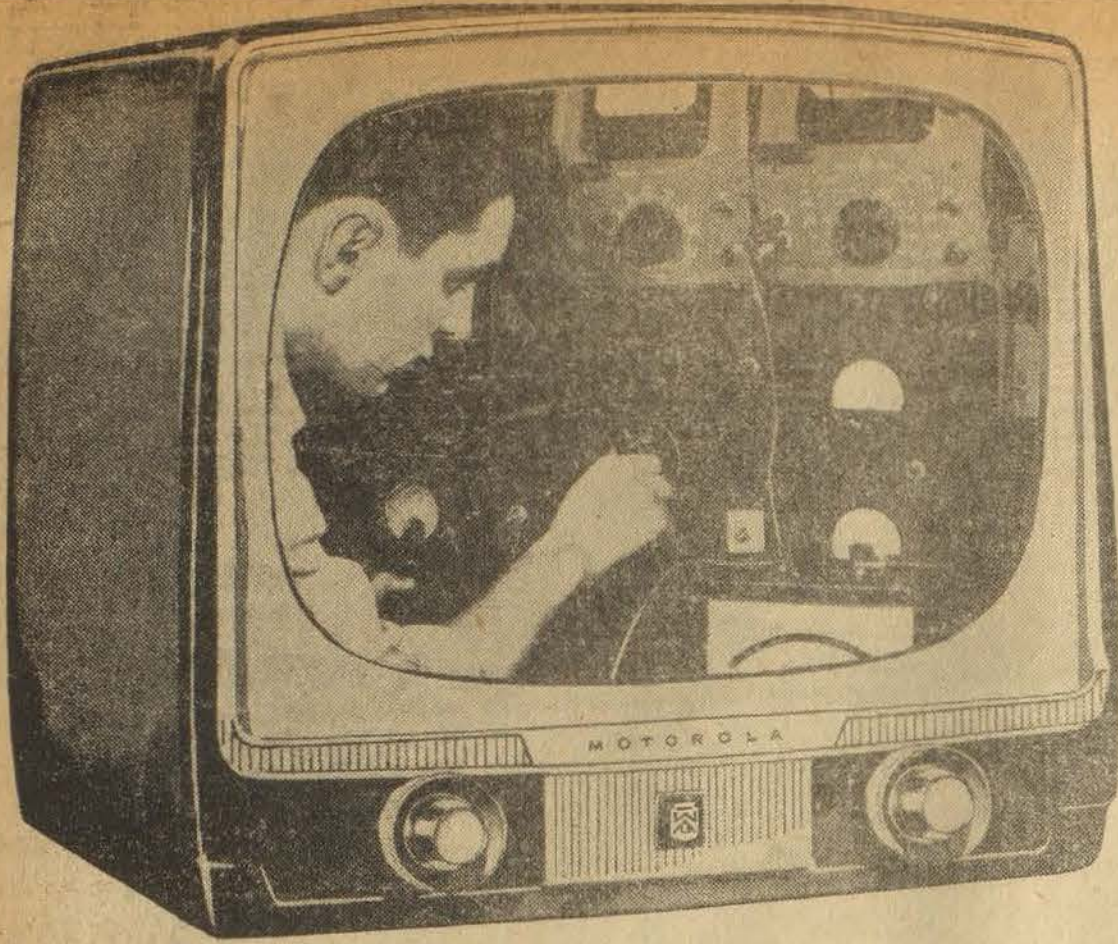
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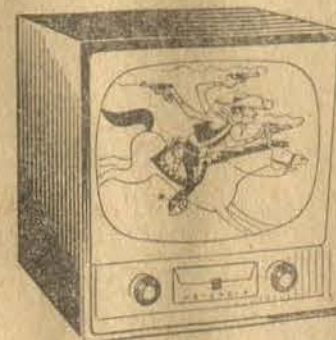
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