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This Town-- That World

HOW NICE! We begin this column on a happy... Mr. Lankhous adds, however, that The Times should have more news from Wheelwright. And he never spoke truer words.

A WOMAN'S WORLD

Out in the blue, big Pacific is a spot they call Orchid Island, and if what we read is correct the men-folk go to the plate with two strikes on them. The women are in absolute control. The men do most of the housework, and they labor under the constant threat of getting the old heave-ho at any moment.

To start with, all that's needed to effect a divorce on Orchid Island is for a gal to hand her husband the string of beads he gave her for their engagement, and bid him so-long with a flip of the beads. If she has no children, she blames it on hubby, and off he goes. If she has more than three children, she'll probably decide the family is getting out of hand and bid him change his bed and board.

It's true, fellers, that the husband gets to do a lot of fishing. But these female tyrants like one certain hard-to-catch fish (not Dewey Lake bass, either), and if the old Family Provider doesn't come home with a mess of these when expected, he can have his string of beads, leave his fishing-pole over there in the corner for his successor, and take a powder.

In some ways I'd say those tropic isles aren't so hot.

GIVE HER THE \$64!

We missed this, but we hear of The Floyd County Times getting on T-V again last week. It was on the Dave Garroway show originating in New York, with the announcer for WSAZ-TV, Huntington, breaking in at intervals with regional news or comment.

Bob Mills was the WSAZ com- (See Story No. 2, Page 3)

COURT DELAYS AUDIT ACTION

Receives Only One Bid On Fee Audit; To Act At Next Court Meet

The Floyd fiscal court decided Wednesday afternoon to postpone until its next meeting the awarding of a contract to public accountants on the job of making a general audit of all county fee offices for the year 1952 and all fees in criminal cases back as far as 1938.

Excluded from the proposed criminal fees audit are the years 1947 through 1951 which already have been audited.

The court received from the accounting firm of Nat H. Hager and Ray R. Allen a bid of \$1,500 for the 1952 general audit, and to audit criminal fees from 1946 back through 1938 without charge. It was explained these fees can be audited from 1938 to 1946 in less than a day's time. The firm proposed to do general audits of fee offices in future years for \$1,200 a year.

It was explained that awarding of the contract was deferred to give the court members time to consider and discuss the amount of the lone bid received.

The court's decision to ask bids on the auditing job was made at its September 23 meeting.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED The Bank Josephine vs. Clarence Brown, et al; Harkins vs. Harkins, attys. The Bank Josephine vs. C. C. Hunter, et al; Harkins vs. Harkins, attys. Mable Johnson vs. Marlie Johnson; P. K. Damron, atty. Edith M. Hopkins vs. Eugene Hopkins; R. Wellman, atty. Ernest Vannice, gdn. vs. Roy Hale; Joseph D. Harkins, Sr., atty. Noah Newsome vs. Mary Newsome; T. L. Hibbits, atty.

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AUTO WRECK CLAIMS TWO; THREE HURT

Crash into Bridge Pier At Betsy Layne Is Fatal To Caldwell and Stratton

Two Floyd countians were killed and three others injured, one critically, at 1:15 a.m., Saturday, when the auto they occupied struck a pier of the bridge which spans U. S. 23 and the Big Sandy river at Betsy Layne.

Herbert Caldwell, of West Prestonsburg, 40-year-old auto salesman for the Lincoln-Mercury Sales here, was instantly killed, suffering a skull fracture.

Seventeen-year-old Chalmers Stratton, of Banner, died at 2 a.m., shortly after arrival at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. He suffered a broken neck.

Carl Stanley, 28, World War II veteran, one of three brothers who were passengers in the car, is in a serious condition of head injuries. He has been removed from the Pikeville hospital to a hospital in Huntington, W. Va., it was reported here.

His brothers, Joe Wheeler, 19, and Ralph, 17, suffered lesser hurts. The three brothers are sons of Roosevelt Stanley, of Banner.

Charles Hamilton, of Banner, who said he was probably the first person to reach the scene after the wreck, said only Ralph Stanley was thrown from the auto after it had struck the bridge abutment on the lower side of the highway, then careened back across the highway into the ditch line. He said Caldwell and Joe Wheeler Stanley were in the front seat of the car and that Chalmers Stratton and Carl Stanley were in the rear seat.

The car was being driven toward Prestonsburg. High speed, a patch of fog and a curve in the highway were blamed as factors in the crash.

Caldwell was a son of the late James Caldwell and of Mrs. Jennie Layne Caldwell, of Tram. He is survived by his mother, his widow, Mrs. Norma Jean Cook Caldwell, and four children, Bernard Herbert, Martha Ann, Sandra Lee and Carolyn Kay, all of West Prestonsburg, and four brothers, Ollie and Shirley Caldwell, both of Tram, Kenneth Caldwell, of Emma, and Frank Caldwell, Man, W. Va.

His funeral was conducted Monday from the home of his mother, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne officiating. Burial in the Layne cemetery at Tram was directed by the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Chalmers Stratton was a son of (See Story No. 4, Page 5)

ISAACS SHOT BY NEIGHBOR

As Gas Line Dispute Involves Several; 2 Heard on Peace Writ

A neighborhood quarrel involving several persons and arraying members of the same family against each other burst into violence Monday afternoon at Reed Branch, near Hueysville, when Oraynor Isaacs was shot through the abdomen by a revolver bullet fired by Earl Thornsberry.

Though seriously wounded, Isaacs, a man of about 25, was said to be in good condition at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey. Thornsberry was jailed here, the afternoon of the shooting, by Constable Matthew Napier and Deputy Constable Kenneth Roberts.

As a result of alleged threats of violence two other residents of the community, James Hughes and Hager Thornsberry, were placed under peace bonds of \$500 each, Wednesday afternoon, by County Judge Henry Stumbo. Magistrate M. C. Wright said several other peace warrants had been issued and that these involve members of the families of Earl Thornsberry and his brother, Hun, who are on opposite sides in the trouble.

Monday afternoon's shooting apparently resulted from the attempt of Isaacs to make a connection to pipe into his home gas from a line jointly owned by Earl Thornsberry, James Hughes and Ed Hicks. Earl Thornsberry was quoted by officers as saying he could not go on taking abuse. Another report said he fired on Isaacs after he had been struck. Versions of the trouble were at variance.

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Bypro Fire Loss Believed In Excess of \$50,000

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Ben Franklin Store at Bypro this morning at a loss exceeding \$50,000. The blaze was discovered about 1:30 a.m.

The two-story frame structure and all its contents were completely destroyed, and spread of the flames to nearby buildings was prevented by the Wheelwright fire department. Warren Risner was manager of the business, a 10-cent store founded by his brother-in-law, Woodrow Taylor.

TELECAST SET TO TELL NEED

Of Section 186 Change; Governor Urges Voters To Amend Constitution

Kentucky's school people will tell the viewers of television via WSAZ, Huntington, W. Va., next Thursday at 2:30 p.m., the story of the state's educational needs and how amendment of Section 186 of the Constitution will help meet these needs.

The telecast originally was scheduled for Friday of this week. V. O. Turner, superintendent of Floyd county schools, will join Robert R. Martin, director of the department of finance, State Department of Education, and others in the program.

Meanwhile, sentiment for the amendment grows, with citizens, civic clubs and both political parties in this county supporting the change.

A stepped-up newspaper and radio campaign will be launched within the week. Superintendent Turner said. Community meetings also are figuring heavily in the campaign. Next of these will be at Auxier, Tuesday night. A meeting has been scheduled at Harold for the following Tuesday evening.

BOOKS CLOSED IN MINE CASE

Judge Swinford Acts On Stephens' Motion To Dismiss Charges

The U. S. government Monday dismissed the last seven of the 13 cases lodged against United Mine Workers for allegedly using violence and threats during a UMW organizing drive two years ago.

The dismissals, made in U. S. district court at Pikeville by Federal Judge Mae Swinford, resulted from a motion made Sept. 30 by Former U. S. Attorney Claude P. Stephens, of Prestonsburg, as one of his last official acts before being succeeded by Edwin R. Denney, of Mt. Vernon.

Similar action had been taken in one man's case last January 6 when a jury failed to agree in the case of the other 12.

On June 5, at the retrial of the men, five were freed and the jury disagreed as to the guilt of the remaining seven.

Judge Swinford sustained Stephens' motion as the federal grand jury was impeded at the start of a new term of court in Pikeville. Denney was present, but had no direct part in the U. M. W. proceeding.

The 13 had been indicted on charges of stopping carloads of non-union men en route to work at a Virginia mine and trying to force them to join the U. M. W. Government witnesses at the trial in June testified that they were beaten, threatened with death, and cursed by a group of men on a mountain road near the Kentucky-Virginia border. Some told of being forced to sign union cards.

The accused men said they merely had set up a picket line—and were picketing peacefully—to keep Kentucky miners from working in a Virginia mine where a strike was in progress.

Affected by Monday's dismissal order were Carson Hibbits, Joseph Davis, and Bob Newsome, U. M. W. officials at Pikeville; Milburn Hall, a former Letcher county constable, and Charles McInton, Carl Conley, and T. N. Fleming.

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FLOYD 4-H'ERS ARE TITLISTS

In District Competition To Enter Lexington Meet; Seventy in Contest Here

The Big Sandy District 4-H Achievement meeting held at the Methodist church Wednesday resulted in a number of Floyd county champions becoming district champions who will go to the state meet at Lexington.

Persons connected with 4-H work in this county are optimistic enough to predict that a representative of the club work here will be selected as a state champion to go to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Floyd countians selected as district champions and the field in which they had a project are: Palmer Keith Lowe, poultry; Zena Bradley, grooming; Donald Lowe, farm labor. District champions selected from other counties of the Big Sandy district are Patricia Ann Blackburn, junior leadership, Pike county; Barbara Runyon, house-keeping, Pike; Linda Lou Jackson, room improvement, Morgan; Marlene Joyce Lemaster, foods, Johnson; Frances Spears, clothing, Pike; Draxie Alice Newsome, frozen foods, Pike; Aquilla Conley, canning, Morgan; Lawrence Newsome, junior leadership, Pike; Phyllis Neeley, dairy, Martin; Anthony Whitt, swine, Magoffin; Jimmie Benton, beef, Morgan; Daniel Ward, garden, Johnson.

The program of the achievement meet had as its principal speaker the Rev. Harold Dorsey, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, who addressed the assembled 4-H'ers and the county and home agents from nearby counties. Dr. C. L. Hutsiniller, member of the Floyd County 4-H Club Council, gave the welcome address. The session, which began at 10 a.m., was opened by a solo by Margaret Ann Hatfield, Pike county song leader. A panel discussion was held in the morning session on "What are the needs of 4-H work in your county?"

Luncheon was at the dining room of the I.O.O.F. hall and was prepared by Miriam Lodge, Order of Rebekahs. Ninety persons were served. A film was shown by Ellis Boggs, Floyd county agent, and afterwards recognition was accorded county and district champions.

Seventy entries were made by the club members in the district championship competition. "The club members from this county did fine in the competition. They were up against some of the best 4-H'ers in six counties. I am proud of them," said County Agent Boggs.

COMBS AND PRICE AT GOVERNOR'S DINNER

E. R. Price, Wheelwright, state vice-chairman of the Boy Scout fund drive, and Judge Bert T. Combs, Prestonsburg, at the dinner in the governor's mansion at Frankfort, where the drive was organized.

The annual drive for funds for the Boy Scouts got underway in this state recently with a dinner given by Gov. Lawrence Wetherby, state drive chairman, at Frankfort. Attending the dinner from this area were Judge Bert T. Combs, Prestonsburg, E. R. Price, Wheelwright, B. F. Reed, Drift, Virgil Picklesimer, Whitesburg, and Norman Chrisman, Pikeville.

The campaign, slated to begin Oct. 20 and to last the remaining part of the month, will raise funds for next year's budget. It was decided that the finance drive for the Lonesome Pine Council will be in October hereafter instead of February, due to the great num-



ber of campaigns for funds that other organizations stage in February.

Jack Branham, Betsy Layne, has been appointed Floyd county campaign chairman and he has selected county chairman for the various Floyd communities. They are Prestonsburg, Fred Francis; Allen, Ted Akers; Martin, Denzil Halbert and Arnold Cassidy; Mantion, Byron Brashear; Wayland, Noah Howard; Drift, Alvin Reed, Wheelwright, Sonny Wilkinson.

Gov. Lawrence Wetherby serves in the drive this year as state chairman and is assisted by E. R. Price, Wheelwright, as vice-chairman.

Elliott County Man Appointed Supervisor For Seventh District

Special to The Times

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 8 — John Redwine, who for the past two months has been connected with the office of Earl Wallace as administrative assistant, has been named wildlife supervisor for the Seventh district. His appointment will become effective on October 15.

Prior to his connection in the office of the Commissioner the new supervisor had served since 1951 as conservation officer of Elliott county. Redwine will make his home at Paintsville. Counties in the Seventh district are: Floyd, Johnson, Breathitt, Pike, Perry, Knott, Letcher, Martin, Magoffin, Lawrence and Leslie.

CAREER NIGHT ATTRACTS 250

U.-K.'s Dean Terrell Is Principal Speaker At Annual Club Event

Approximately 250 high school sophomores, juniors and seniors, their parents and teachers, of the Garrett-Wayland area last Thursday evening at Wayland heard from professional men and women assurances of opportunity, how to prepare for it, and what to expect of it when it comes.

The occasion was the annual Career Night sponsored by the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club.

The principal speaker was Dean T. V. Terrell, of the University of Kentucky, who recently was elected president of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Accompanying him to Wayland, and taking part in the counselling of students, were Lowell Gregg, engineer in the highway material and research laboratory at the University of Kentucky, and Frank Grimes, Lexington, professional engineer.

"Anybody can get an education, regardless of his economic situation," Dean Terrell told the gathering. "You will need nerve to get it, and the will to do. Look for an opportunity and make the most of it. You can do anything you want to do, so make up your mind!"

In proportion to other sections of the state, Eastern Kentucky has a large number of young women and men now attending college, the speakers agreed. They urged each student to continue his education as long as possible.

It was estimated that 10,000 engineers will be needed in this country next year, and that Russia is graduating three engineers to ev-

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DR. THOMPSON HURTS VICTIM

Leader in Big Sandy Canalization Project Succumbs at Pikeville

Injuries suffered 10 days earlier when a tractor tumbled onto him at his farm near Pikeville resulted in the death at 1:10 p.m., Monday of Dr. O. W. Thompson, Pikeville dentist and for years a leader in the Big Sandy river canalization movement. He was 60 years old.

Dr. Thompson was injured internally and he suffered multiple pelvic fractures. He had undergone several operations at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, following the accident.

A native of Zebulon, Pike county, he was a son of Richard Thompson and the late Nancy Charles Thompson. After attending the Pike county schools he was graduated from the Dental College, University of Louisville, with highest honors. During World War I, he rose to the rank of captain in the U. S. Army Dental Corps.

Dr. Thompson was most widely known for his civic activities and especially his long fight for development of the Big Sandy section through river canalization. A former member of the State Game & Fish Commission, he promoted a wildlife conservation program in the Breaks area of Pike county and conducted a district-wide conservation drive. Later, he headed the Pike County Development Association and organized the Big Sandy Valley Association, of which he was president at the time of his death. In these activities he gave heavily of his time and financial resources.

To Aid Needy Student

Friends of Dr. Thompson wishing to send flowers for his funeral were asked by the family to contribute instead to the Dr. O. W. Thompson Memorial Fund to assist some needy student of dentistry or medicine.

Dr. Thompson was a director of the First National Bank, Pikeville, and of radio station WPKE. His only political venture was an unsuccessful campaign as the Republican nominee for Congress from this district in 1950.

He was an elder of the First Christian Church, Pikeville, a member of the Masonic Order, the American Legion, the Pikeville Kiwanis Club and Delta Sigma Delta dental fraternity. He was married Dec. 28, 1918 to Miss Hattie Weddington, of Coal Run.

Surviving are his widow, his father, one son, O. W. Thompson, Jr., a medical student at the University of Louisville, a daughter, Mrs. Betty Thompson Scott, Pikeville, two sisters, Mrs. Daisy Station and Mrs. Myrtle Blackburn, both of Pikeville.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m., Wednesday, from the home on North Mayo Trail by the Rev. Orville Skeans, pastor of the First Christian Church. Burial was made in Johnson Memorial Burial Park, the Baker Funeral Home directing.

OK PURCHASE OF BOAT DOCK

Commission's Action Seen As Indication of State's Intention To Found Park

Approval Tuesday by the Kentucky Property and Building Commission of the purchase by the state of the Brandy Keg boat dock was considered here as a definite move toward early founding in the Dewey Lake area of a state park.

The commission approved the purchase without setting the cost. Inquiries by The Times failed to reveal if a price agreement has been reached between the State Division of Conservation and owners of the dock, Joe W. Burchett and Mrs. Bradis Goble. The owners said they have had no late word from Frankfort. Conservation Commissioner Henry Ward is "out of town" his office in Frankfort reported.

Negotiations for state acquisition of the dock facility began about 10 days ago, and at that time a sizeable difference existed between the state's offer and the amount asked by the owners.

The dock would be included in approximately 700 acres of land the state will lease from the U. S. (See Story No. 7, Page 5)



DR. O. W. THOMPSON

'RED' WEAVER NEW MANAGER

At Dewey Lake; Starts Work Clearing of Lake For Added 5-Foot Depth

"Red" Weaver, the all-American center for the Praying Colonels of Centre College in the football heyday of the Kentucky school, assumed the duties of reservoir manager at Dewey Dam, Monday.

Mr. Weaver succeeds Noel L. Eveland, who has been transferred to Burr Oak, O., where he will be with the U. S. Corps of Engineers in the operation of Tom Jenkins dam. Weaver, who has been with the Corps of Engineers construction department in Ohio until his transfer here, was a ranger on the reservoir in the early days of Dewey Lake, leaving Prestonsburg in 1951. His wife and two children will join him Saturday to occupy the reservoir manager's residence at the dam.

Work was begun by reservoir rangers and two other employees this week on the job of clearing the lake in preparation for the addition of five feet to the depth of the impoundment, Mr. Weaver said. Operations currently are from Dick's Creek and above.

This work will remove posts and other obstructions which might be hazardous to boating when submerged by the added water.

An appeal to boat-owners who have left their craft along the shore line, partially submerged, is being made in an effort to make the lake more attractive. Many of these boats, it was pointed out, are serviceable or can be placed in good condition at little expense, and those which are worthless should be removed or destroyed.

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COUNTY BLOOD SHY OF QUOTA

For Blood Contribution This Year; Wheelwright, David Visits Scheduled

Approximately 500 pints short of this county's 1,400-pint quota for 1953, and with only three months remaining in which to improve on the record, the regional Red Cross Bloodmobile will make two stops in the county next week.

First of the stops will be at Wheelwright, next Monday, when Safety department, Inland Steel Company, will make a determined effort to meet the 125-pint goal. On the following day, the Bloodmobile will be at David where the blood drive is being sponsored by the Pecco Foremen's Club and the Woman's Club.

If both David and Wheelwright meet their individual quotas and the county supplies the requested 125 pints of blood when the Bloodmobile returns in November and December, the county would meet the year's quota, it was pointed out this week.

Despite the cessation of hostilities in Korea, the need for blood remains urgent, Red Cross workers and Floyd county volunteer helpers said. Use of gamma globulin next year on a national scale for the prevention of polio will require more blood, the armed forces still draw on blood resources heavily for wounded and sick servicemen, and civilian needs remain great.

To illustrate the demand for blood for the treatment of civilians in hospitals, Red Cross sources this week said the hospitals of the Tri-State area last month used 2,624 pints of blood. Meanwhile, blood donors of the area gave only 2,570 pints.

DROUTH GRIPS FLOYD COUNTY FIFTH MONTH

Serious Shortages Face Livestock Growers Here; Forest Blazes Threaten

The drouth now entering its fifth month in this county, unbroken but for scattered local rains, is conceded to be the worst in a long period, with the U. S. Department of Agriculture stating that the average condition for Kentucky on Oct. 1 was the lowest in 30 years. Local farmers declare it is the driest period since 1914, not excepting the prolonged drouth in the early '30's.

Early crops got off to a good start in the spring and maturity came to most early ones before the drouth became serious. But late corn production slumped from 35 to 50 percent. Hay production declined considerably due to the lack of September rains. Pastures were burned and stockmen began to feed this year much earlier than they had in years. This breaking on the winter feed supply makes the carry-over of cattle a serious problem for some.

The water supply, even for home use, became a problem several weeks ago but is now approaching the critical stage. Cattlemen and others are hauling water, mine openings being a favorite source of supply. It was pointed out by a health officer this week that these sources are a potential carrier of disease. "Periods of drouth are always a danger in the spread of disease," said M. V. Clark, health administrator.

At Lancer, near here, water has been hauled in barrels from Dewey Lake which itself is more than two feet below normal.

The PMA office here pointed out why the water supply in this county is so low. Contrasting the differences between 1930 and now, PMA says that in the former drouth there had been no serious depletion of the underground water.

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CONCERT ASSN. FORMED HERE

May Announces Plans For Membership Drive, October 19 thru Nov. 2

R. V. May, president of the newly organized Floyd County Family Concerts Association, has announced that a membership campaign will be held October 19 through November 2.

At a meeting recently at the Prestonsburg grade school, a group met to establish the concert association in Floyd county. Mrs. Irene Haaker, representative of the Celebrity Concert Service, presented the plan of operation. Three programs in Prestonsburg are definitely assured members of this organization, one of which will be a concert by the Virginia Orchestra under the direction of William Haaker.

Mrs. C. H. Frazier and Homer Wright were elected vice-presidents and will serve as campaign chairmen during the membership drive.

Other persons suggested to the Board of Directors are E. R. Price and Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, of Wheelwright; Alvin Reed, Drift; William Crawford, David; Mrs. Carl Martin, Martin; J. C. Wells, Wayland; Mrs. James Mitchell, Allen; Mrs. L. B. Brashear, Mantion; Jesse Elliott, Betsy Layne; George Franks, Estill; and Mrs. H. L. Ley, Miss Marian Salisbury, C. H. Frazier, Keith Barts, Mrs. Marian Wilson and Franklin Moore, all of Prestonsburg.

An annual dues of \$4.00 was set with a double membership of \$7.00, \$2.00 for students and an entire family may join for \$19. Members of the Floyd County Family Concerts Association are entitled to attend the three programs presented by the Pikeville Concert Association without additional charge.

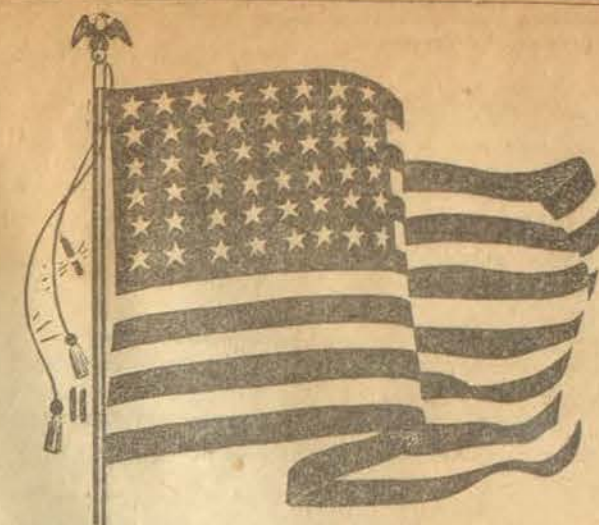
Mrs. James Camica and Mrs. Roberta Hubbard will be in charge of the concert arrangements; James Camica, hospitality chairman, and Mrs. John Heinze and Rex Osborne, publicity.

Individual tickets will not be sold at the door, since the programs are open to members only. Persons wishing to join the concert association may contact Mrs. C. H. Frazier or Homer Wright during the period, October 19-November 2.





# FLOYD-CO. REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

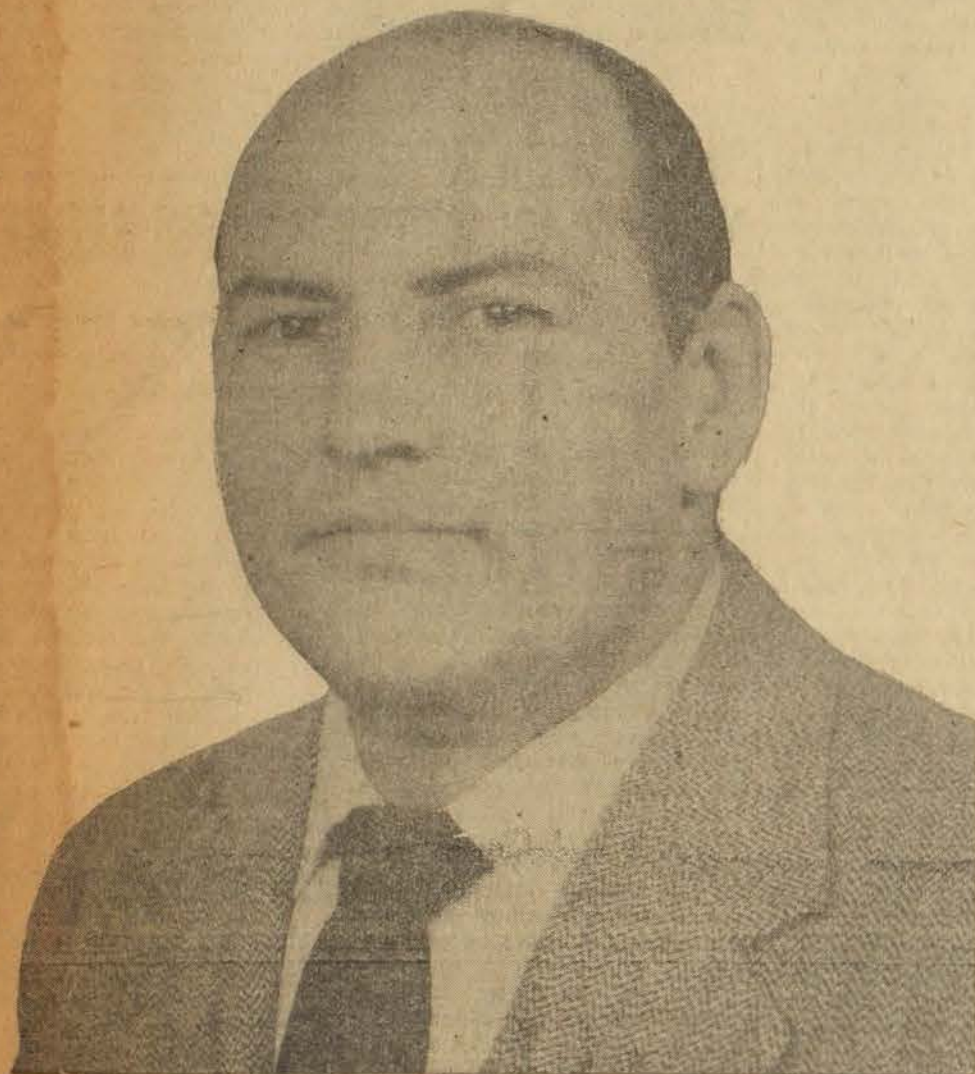


WE OFFER YOU NOT JUST PARTISAN CANDIDATES ON A TICKET. WE OFFER YOU MEN IN WHOM OUR COUNTY CAN REPOSE CONFIDENCE BECAUSE THEY ARE MEN OF INTEGRITY, BUSINESS EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION. THEY ARE KNOWN FOR THEIR GOOD CITIZENSHIP.



MEN OF INTEGRITY ASK FOR ONLY THE CONSTITUTIONAL LIMIT IN SALARIES. MEN OF BUSINESS EXPERIENCE CAN GIVE YOU AN ADMINISTRATION THAT IS COMPETENT AND EFFICIENT. UPON THIS BASIS WE SUBMIT FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES:

A STRAIGHT VOTE is a vote cast as your Conscience dictates, with the Public Good IN Mind-VOTE STRAIGHT



**GORMON COLLINS**

Lackey, Ky.

**FOR SHERIFF**

I'll give you four years of honest law enforcement.  
There will be no sell-outs to the lawless.

**N M. "BUD" WHITE**  
for REPRESENTATIVE, Dist. 96

**PAUL B AKERS**  
for REPRESENTATIVE, Dist. 97

**JOHN PARSONS**  
for CORONER

**WORTH MUSIC**  
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1

**CARL RAY FRALEY**  
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 2

**FOSTER "SID" MEADE**  
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 3

**EDGAR HOWELL**  
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 4

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WE ENDORSE REPEAL OF SECTION 186  
OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION



**LACKEY SALISBURY**

of Minnie, Ky.

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**

I'll restore honesty to the office of County Judge.  
All law violations will be prosecuted—drunk-driving cases will be vigorously prosecuted—not dismissed.



**CECIL NEWSOME**

Melvin, Ky.

**FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK**

I'll accept no more than my Constitutional salary.  
I'll employ only native Floyd countians.

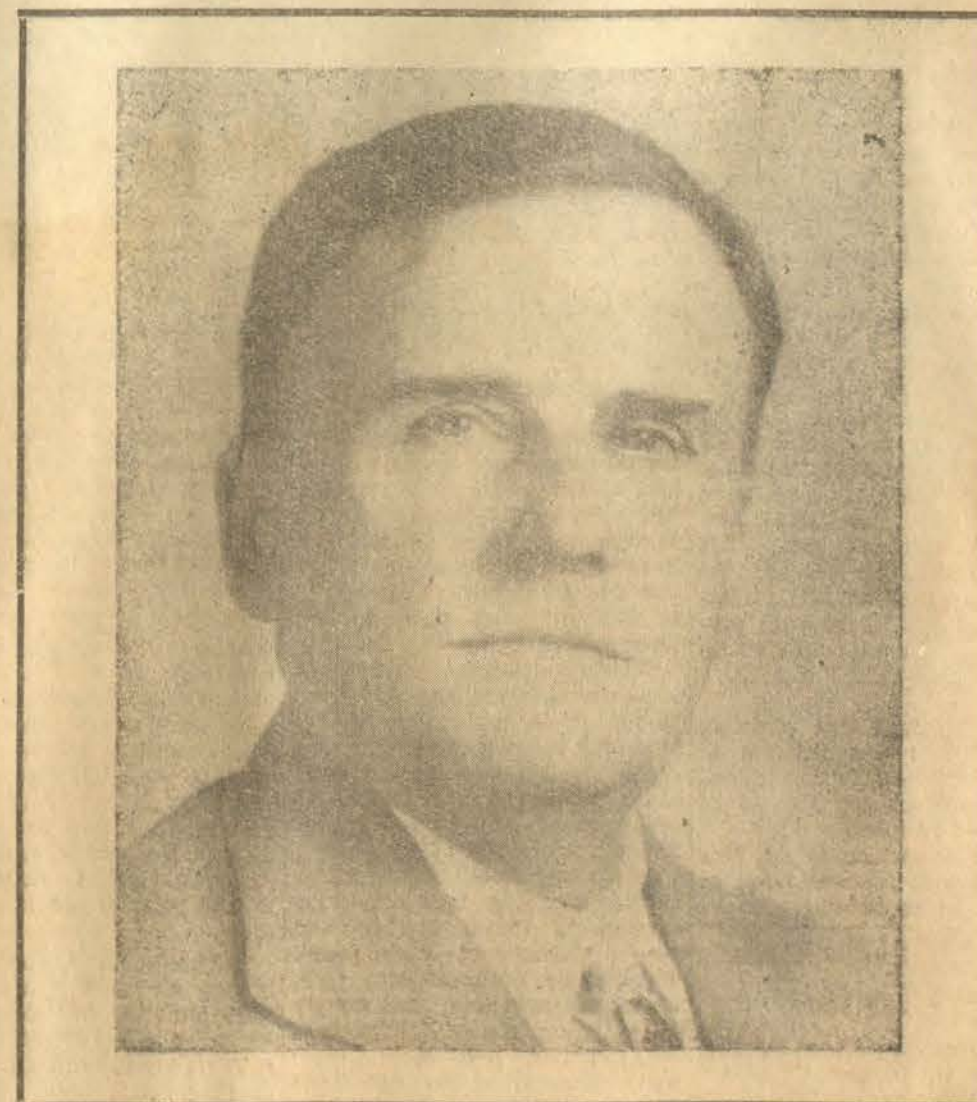


**W. D. STEELE**

Betsy Layne, Ky.

**FOR TAX COMMISSIONER**

I'll keep the office open five days each week, working impartially for your interest. — It's time for a change!



**W. F. 'Willie' CLARK**

Honaker, Ky.

**FOR JAILER**

A "NO-SLATE" Candidate—who hopes the jail doors can ever stay open but if you are placed in my custody "I'll treat you right."



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Eastern Kentucky Loses

DR. O. W. Thompson was a dreamer, but he also was practical. He dreamed and with thorough realism went to work to make his dreams of a greater Big Sandy and Eastern Kentucky come true.

Although many of the high hopes he held for this section were not realized during his sixty years, he would have been renewing the fight to make those dreams into reality, next year or the next, and on until the opposition faltered in the face of incessant attack.

Because he was a doer, a born leader who accepted his responsibility as a leader, this valley has suffered a grievous loss in his passing. We have too few such as he.

Proof of a Good Deal

SOUNDNESS of the credit of the Floyd County Board of Education is attested by the fact that the \$445,000 bond issue made recently for the construction of a high school building here was almost completely sold last week.

Floyd county banks—and who should know more about local credit?—bought approximately one-fourth the entire issue, while other banks in the valley invested in the bonds.

As a matter of fact, fiscal management of the Board has set a fine example for other governmental units over a period of several years.

Governor Draws the Fire Of Amendment Opponents

AS Governor Wetherby probably expected when he announced his support of Section 186 of the Constitution, he promptly drew a blast of criticism from opponents of the amendment.

All the more honor to the Governor in daring to incur the displeasure of the so-called Committee of One Thousand and those other residents of large population centers who believe only in maintaining the status quo—when the status quo favors them above all others. He took the step in favor of educational equality for all Kentucky's children, knowing full well the political consequences he might suffer while yet Governor and if he again seeks public office.

Robert H. Hays, of Lexington, chairman of the Committee of One Thousand, fired the first broadside after the Governor had urged the voters of the state to vote "Yes" on the amendment question. Mr. Hays declared the Governor had by his endorsement of the amendment sought to shift from himself "the blame for the school's plight onto the Constitution."

This statement is as devoid of merit as another, Mr. Hays made. The other statement was that in which he pointed out that the Constitution as it stands, without change, does not set any limit on the amount of money that may be raised for education by taxation.

The Kentucky Council for Education in a recent bulletin describes exactly how much it would avail if more money—much more money—were raised for education through taxation, while Section 186 unjustly prescribes its distribution:

"The lowest district allotment is \$40 per pupil actually in school, while the highest receives \$140. Under Section 186, if the state appropriated \$10,000,000 more for the common school fund they could increase

the per pupil allotment in the needy district to \$55, but, under the restrictions of the present 186, they must also send \$193 to the highest district. The rich get richer and the poor get poorer at a ratio of 3 to 1."

Doesn't it now become plain to even the most vacillating Doubting Thomas why this self-styled Committee of One Thousand wants to preserve the status quo by defeating this move to amend Section 186? Unchanged, that section will guarantee an even bigger windfall to the richer counties and those which, because of large parochial or private school attendance, draw heavily from state funds for each child actually in public school while being paid for all the children of school age in the district, whether in school or not. Unchanged, that section will guarantee that if the state appropriates more money after collecting more taxes the lion's share will go to those counties which do not need it. Unchanged, it will mean that the state could levy more taxes and spend more money on education—that is true. But for every \$10,000,000 the poor county would gain about \$15 per child while the richest county would gain more than \$50!

Let them berate the Governor. He doubtless is ready for it. Read their articles, listen to their discussions. But consider the source—and never let them fool you! Vote "Yes!"

Education in a Competitive World

(A Guest-Editorial) By Marcus Owens

Education is a wonderful thing. We need more of it. But what is it? I like to think of it as "helping John to see through himself in order that he may see himself through."

With this in mind, take a look around you. If you are a parent, teacher, or just a friend to the youngster around the corner, you will be shocked to see that many of our children are attending school in buildings less comfortable than the barns where some of our prime Holsteins are housed. As you think of this, remember that a youngster must spend one third of his life-span just learning to walk, talk and get along with others. Are we doing all we can to help John see through himself?

In this age in which types and choices of occupations our youngsters must choose between will increase, in which even grown-ups have great difficulty in differentiation, it has become necessary for youngsters to seek the answers. They must make choices in terms of a greater complexity of life. The "old line" school is too inconsistent with the beat of American idealism—an equal opportunity for all. Our youngsters have needs that must be satisfied now. We also hope they will develop desirable skills, attitudes and understandings.

Teaching, at its best, is an art. To become an artist in any field requires years of effort. Would you spend the time, money and effort required when you could make more money driving a truck? Well, many of our teachers in Floyd county do. However, I am not primarily concerned with the teacher, great as their needs are. It is our children who deserve and need a better chance.

I hope that those who read this may have the urge to do his part to see that every child has a minimum level of opportunity for an education that will help him survive in this competitive world.

Education in Kentucky has not stopped. However, I do believe it has slowed down to a point where something ought to be done. I sincerely urge every parent, teacher, and friend of our youngsters to support the proposed amendment to Section 186 of our state Constitution.

Parents from Mud Creek to the head of Skull know I would not knowingly urge you to do something wrong concerning the welfare of any child. I teach your children and I ask for no greater privilege than to continue doing so. Therefore, I repeat, professionally as a teacher, and earnestly as a parent, let's support this program and stop these inhuman travesties on education in the state of Kentucky.

Two from Floyd Named To Eastern Student Posts

Richmond, Ky., Oct. 12 (SpL)—Miss Billie Sue Click, of Martin, was elected by the freshman class to the office of secretary for the coming year at Eastern Kentucky State College, and Ronald Smiley, of Prestonsburg, was elected to serve as junior representative on the student union-faculty committee for the coming year.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Former Schools Head

For School Amendment Editor, Floyd County Times:

The Floyd County Teachers' Association and other groups and individuals in the county are to be commended for the sincere efforts which they are making to explain to the people of the county what it means to vote YES on the School Amendment.

All over the state people who thoroughly understand why our Kentucky School System can never keep pace with that in our neighboring states,—why our Kentucky children can never have the kind of school program to which they are entitled,—so long as Section 186 of the constitution remains unchanged will vote YES, simply because it is the right and just thing to do. Because in the long-run it will be the best thing for ALL the people of the state.

In the poorer counties of the state people who understand will vote YES on this amendment because it is the right thing to do and because their children will receive far greater additional benefits than the children in the richer districts and will thus have more nearly equal educational opportunities.

Unfortunately, there are some who do not regard the matter from a state-wide, long-run viewpoint. They can only see that their more wealthy districts will get proportionately less additional benefits than the poorer districts and will vote against the amendment.

These people are relying upon the voters of Eastern Kentucky and other equalization counties to help them defeat the amendment because of their "ignorance" of what the amendment means and their suspicion and distrust of their elected representatives.

It is my sincere hope that all of the voters of Floyd county will go to the polls with this Educational Amendment in mind,—that they will find it and mark it FIRST, lest they overlook it,—and that the Floyd county vote will be overwhelmingly YES. It is the first step that must be taken if any appreciable improvement in our Kentucky educational system is to be had.

Sincerely, Palmer L. Hall 705 Woodland Ave. Lexington, Ky.

FOOTBALL CHATTER



By GORDON MOORE

Pikeville's high school football team took on some of the offensive aspects of a college team in its 7-6 win over Prestonsburg last week. The Panthers used six different football formations—spread, short punt, T, I split-T and wing-T. It is customary for a high school unit to master one before trying a half-dozen.

The Whitesburg athletic department is expecting some 5,000 people to witness the Jenkins-Whitesburg football game in the Letcher county seat, Friday night. The inter-county rivals are duelling for first place in the E. K. M. C. and the possible championship.

This is the first season in the past five that a team from the Big Sandy area is not playing in a high school bowl game. Prestonsburg has appeared in three—twice in the Recreation Bowl at Mt. Sterling—and once in the Big Sandy Bowl at Paintsville. Paintsville triumphed in the Cumberland Lake Bowl in 1950. Pikeville won over Louisa in the Big Sandy Bowl in 1950, and lost to Bellevue in the Shrine Bowl in 1951.

Louisa has the best facilities of any football field on the river and will complete a concrete stadium by the beginning of next season.

Jenkins has filled its October 23 date with Lexington Lafayette. The contest will be played in Lexington. Whitesburg, who lost, 57-0, to Lynch last week-end, meets Lafayette in Lexington, October 30.

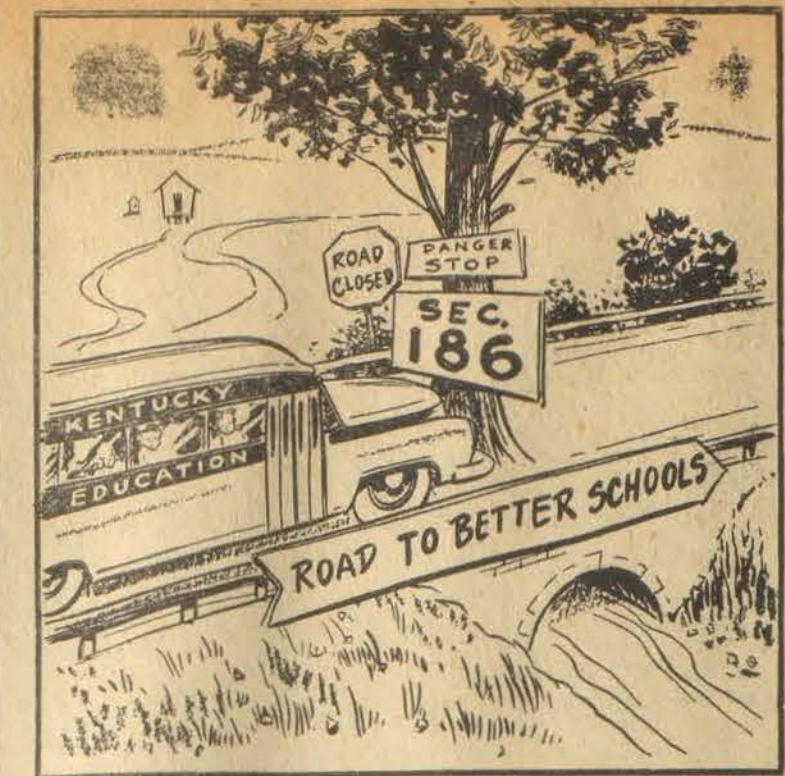
Wayland won its first game in the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference by whipping Fleming, 7-0, last Friday. The Wasps squashed numbers 17 inexperienced candidates.

CPL. HAYES REPORTS

Camp Lejeune, N. C.—Marine Cpl. Fred V. Hayes, 23, husband of Mrs. Laura A. Hayes, Hi Hat, Ky., recently reported to this base and was assigned duty with the Sixth Marines, an infantry regiment of the Second Marine Division.

Hayes enlisted in the Marine Corps in November, 1951. Before his enlistment, he attended McDowell high school and was employed as an auto mechanic.

THE ROAD CAN BE OPENED NOV. 3



If You Remember . . .

The old man read events to come in the shape and glow of the red embers. All the wide neighborhood knew this and brought their problems and troubles to him. He would pick up the old bayonet his father had used at the end of a Confederate gun and with it he stirred the fire. Children, even the grown-ups, were fascinated by the sudden blaze, the bright sparks and the red coals that rolled over and formed patterns in the fireplace. By the shape of these patterns and the shade of the glowing coals he read the events to come. Whence came his lore no one knew.

He was very old. He remembered events of decades ago that his neighbors and sons had heard vaguely from oldsters, now long since dead. He talked of the mountains and long hunts in the wilderness. He talked, too, of living in the Deep South and was wont to repeat the folk legends of the black man. He never talked of his nativity and this caused the gossip of old trones who said he had fled someplace for deeds of the past. Old trones will talk.

The old man had been ill a few times in life. Seriously ill a time or two but he had been cheerful about it. Some said that he stared at the fireplace and read his recovery there. Others scoffed and said the tales of how he read the embers were old wives' tales and that only the mountain folk that believed in witchcraft and sorcery could believe such things.

It was summer when the old man died—summer in the hills when, though the nights are cool, no one thinks of building a fire. The old man was sick and he would have a fire. His son built it and the backset placed on the andirons burned brightly and quickly for the warm days had dried it out. It crumbled into pieces and bright embers fell amid the ashes on the hearth. Some of the embers were bright red like the moon above the fair hills but all turned dark and died.

The old man's son remembered his father had not been cheerful in his illness as before. He remembered, that when the glow in the room from the embers had faded, he had turned to the bed and spoken to him and that the old man had not answered.

HEALTH NOTES

By Floyd County Health Department

The Tuberculosis Problem Where do we stand today on the problem of preventing and controlling tuberculosis?

This question is being asked in every community in the United States and will be asked again and again between now and Christmas, the closing date of the 47th annual Christmas Seal Sale, which supports the tuberculosis control work of the 3,000 voluntary associations affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association.

In brief, the answer is this: Tuberculosis today is being cured and it is being prevented, but TB can be fully controlled only with the total cooperation of all the people. Because tuberculosis is a chronic, communicable disease, which strikes without obvious symptoms, it is one of the major health problems in the United States.

Since the first Christmas Seal Sale in 1907, the death rate from tuberculosis has been reduced nearly 90 per cent and 6,000,000 lives have been saved that would have been lost had TB been permitted to kill at the rate of half a century ago. The death rate has been cut in two since 1945, when it was 40 per 100,000. Tuberculosis has been forced down from first to sixth among all causes of death in this country.

The progress made has saved many lives, but the concentrated fight to control tuberculosis is only just beginning. Look at these facts: 400,000 persons have active tuberculosis in this country today. More than 115,000 new cases are reported every year. TB kills 34,000 Americans a year, more than all other infectious diseases combined. It kills more persons between 15 and 35 than any other disease. It kills people of all ages. Even when it doesn't kill, TB can destroy. Its toll in human suffering, broken lives, broken homes, cannot be measured.

To bring this vicious killer under control is the work to which the National Tuberculosis Association and the 3,000 affiliated voluntary associations are dedicated. They work directly with the people, the medical and nursing professions, and the official agencies, in every part of the United States and on many fronts: In informing individuals and communities of the facts about tuberculosis and how it can be prevented; in working for improvement in facilities for diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation of persons who have TB; in campaigning for chest X-rays for all adults in the search for unsuspected cases of TB. Those who buy and use Christmas Seals support their work. And by so doing, they protect their own health and that of their neighbors. The fight against tuberculosis is everybody's fight.

mentator, and he told of the time he was doing a man-in-the-streets job for radio in front of the Cox Department Store here. Only the interviewee, in this case, was a woman. Mills asked this gal something (our source of information isn't certain) about Washington. And she quipped:

"I wouldn't know. I haven't read my Floyd County Times this week!"

ALLAN ANENT ALLEN And we didn't miss this. It was Allan Trout's comment in his "Greetings" column this week on the alleged baldness of yours truly. Said the old noggin was, when he saw it last, "as slick as a peeled onion." What a smile! Trout, who has something of a reputation for accuracy in reporting, should have said, "no more hair than a dried cocoon!"

The office cynic remarked after reading the piece that it's a pretty darned high price to pay to get your name in the paper, this business of losing your hair.

Several pieces of news are missing from the paper this week. Have a heart, be patient. We're printing ballots, and things just aren't normal around here.

BY WILMAY Career Night, annually sponsored by the Wayland-Lackey, Garrett Woman's Club, is one of the finest features any organization can conduct for young people. In addition to providing excellent speakers from many fields, the ladies kindly serve the students and guests a dinner, as well. When some of us oldtimers look back through the years to see what the good women of our county have done to promote education, civic pride and accomplishment in countless lines, any estimate of the value received in the communities served would be small.

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Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

A letter from Claude F. Beverly of Clintwood, Virginia, relative to the Hatfield-McCoy feud, under date of July 2, this year, is of interest. In regard to the church Devil Anse Hatfield was baptized into by the Rev. Dyke Garrett, this column understands, as does Mr. Beverly, that it was the Church of Christ. But another source states that Rev. Dyke Garrett was a minister of the Regular Baptist Church and that Anse became a member of that denomination. The Beverly letter throws some light on the matter. Part of it follows:

"I was over in the Hatfield-McCoy country one Sunday about four weeks ago with three others. We visited the cemetery in Logan county where 'Devil Anse,' Cap and others of the Hatfield family are buried. They have a rather imposing statue over Anse's grave. Best of all, we contacted and had quite a talk with Ransom Hatfield, a lawyer, of sort, who lives on the Blackberry Fork. He is 72, he says, and his father was a relative of Anse and the others. He recited from memory a great many things he heard his father tell about the feud. His father was a Justice of the Peace and a Primitive Baptist preacher (Hardshell). He was

neutral in his viewpoint. He showed us the spot where the trouble started at the county election in his precinct in 1892 and told us where the three McCoy youths were executed by the Hatfields on the banks of Tag River. He told us that Anse joined some church in his last years, but if he knew what church it was he did not say. I have heard that many of the younger Hatfields on the Pike county side belong to the Church of Christ and one of their ministers told me that the younger Hatfields said that Anse likewise belonged to the Church of Christ in his last years."

Thursa Stratton, daughter of Col. Harry Stratton, married first John G. Hatcher, March 1, 1892. After the death of Hatcher she re-married to John W. Powell, Sept. 22, 1943. Recently this column was handed an incomplete list of John W. and Thursa Powell's children. The list reads: James Henry Powell; Julla Powell, married a Peery and went to Oklahoma; William Powell, moved West; and George Powell, who went to Illinois about 25 years ago. If anyone has a complete list of these children with any dates and to whom any of them married, it would be appreciated if it were furnished.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

MY FOLK-MUSIC EDUCATION

The Negroes whom I knew at Fidelity were unconscious teachers of folk music. I can never evaluate properly how much I owe them for an interest in folk music. When one is born into a community with its own backgrounds and customs, its folk psychology and its established points of views, he accepts things as they are and sometimes never knows what influences were a part of his rearing. I suspect that my leaving home at eighteen has made me more conscious of some of these early formative influences than I would have been if my life had been spent at Fidelity.

Unlike many people who write about Negroes, I did not have a Negro mammy. There came many a Negro into our home, and I knew all of them quite well, but no one loomed much larger in my affection than another. As money was scarce, most of the colored folks had to pay the doctor with labor; that brought women to wash for us, men to chop wood or hoe the garden or work in the field, and a constant string of them coming to get medicine or to 'get the doctor to go, to see a sick member of their families. When they were around any length of time, as when they worked for us, they sang. And we soon learned what kinds of songs to expect from each one. Some were so pious that they would sing only the songs used at their church, Mount Zion; but they sang more melodiously than any white people that we knew. There was a sort of mechanical, unresonant sound about the white folks' singing that was earnest enough but sadly lacking in real music. There seemed always something strained about the whites' voices. But the Negro woman as she scrubbed the clothes or ironed or helped clean house could sing melody to her actions, making the menial service a poem of labor. Sometimes the words seemed very silly to us children, used, as we were, to the printed words in the songbooks that we superior folks used; but the melody was something that could not be picked out on an instrument; the overtones baffled us about as much as they have baffled the musicians who try to record on a musical scale the strange harmonies of the Negro's music.

After I got big enough, I worked in the fields with the Negroes and often got to hear them sing probably as naturally as they would have sung in their own homes or churches. One of the things I cherish most of all is the "holler" that every Negro man had. It would begin away up the scale and slowly and melodiously come down, a musical cry or moan that I wish I had skill enough to try to set down. To me through the years this holler seems to be the most musical of all the Negro's songs. In the fields, too, it was not wicked to turn one's self loose on even wicked songs. I heard many a blues song, long before the big world was raving about blues. Not often did I hear a Negro sing anything even remotely resembling a ballad; most of the songs seemed to begin anywhere and end anywhere, without any vestige of plot. Many of the songs were in praise of "my baby." I used to feel considerable surprise when a hired man would break forth into a sacred song right after some pretty earthy love song.

One of our older Negroes, Uncle Jim, was a sort of neighborhood institution, as he was the champion banjo-picker of our area. He was always in demand at picnics and such affairs, but many people felt that he sang songs that in no way were very enlightening. I was almost afraid to enjoy his marvelous

skill with the banjo, but I do recall that "Whoa, Mule" and "Tain't Gwine to Rain" as he sang them are the way they have become fixed in my mind.

At the tobacco factory, some two miles away, the Negro women who did the stemming sang so well that we often took our visitors to hear them. Mostly they sang religious songs, as most of the workers were members at Mount Zion, but they put into their songs rhythm, such as we whites could not achieve. Sometimes they would take up some popular love song and work wondrous with it. Right now I cannot recall ever having heard them sing "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," but the way they did "Were You There," now so very popular, would have delighted the most fastidious music critic.

Test your knowledge of the Bible. Allow yourself 10 points for each question answered.

BIBLE QUIZ

By A. F. BARKER

- 1. What word led to the slaughter of 42,000 Ephraimites because not one of that tribe could sound the letter "H"? Judges 12-6.
2. What did Elisha, the prophet do for a poor widow who cried to him that the creditors had come to take her two sons? II Kings 4:1-7.
3. Everything has been named except one thing that no man can tame. What is it? James 3:8.
4. What was Solomon talking about when he said, "At last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder"? Proverbs 23:29-32.
5. What great miracle did Peter perform after he had said "Silver and gold have I none"? Acts 3:1-5.
6. Who climbed a sycamore tree to see Jesus and was told to come down that he wanted to go home with him? Luke 19:1-5.
7. Who sent a caravan of ten camels to get his son a wife? Gen. 24:10-15.
8. Who was the oldest man ever to live upon the earth? How old? What unusual thing happened to his father? Gen. 5:27, Gen. 22-24.
9. What does Solomon, the wisest man who ever lived, say about the election of office holders? Proverbs 29:2.
10. Who was the only man ever to talk back from hell? What was it like down there? Was there any way for his escape? In what unusual way did he think his five brothers could be warned? Of what did Abraham remind him? Luke 16:19-31.

SOIL CONSERVATION

By L. R. JOHNSON

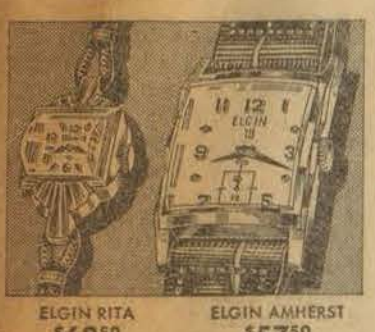
Ashland Shepherd, of the Good-Joe community, has made a big start on his 450 feet of tile line. Den Fairchilds, of Allen, is planning to put in approximately 1,000 feet of tile in the near future. Alex Derosssett is pleased with his soil conservation work. His diversion of the creek channel is in good shape for fall rains. His Ky. 31 Fescue is fine. James Wells, of the Auxier community, plans to dig a livestock pond. The Supervisors of the Floyd County Soil Conservation District voted to sponsor a contest of developing a wild life area in each high school vicinity. The details will be made known later.

Brass dressmaker pins, size 5 or 8, available by the box in notion departments, are a good investment, as they do not rust or mark fabrics, says Miss Dorothy Threlkeld, UK clothing specialist.





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Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Greenville Spradlin were hosts to a family group, Monday evening at six-thirty at their home on the Prestonsburg-Salyersville Road, honoring Mrs. Madge S. Hensley, on her birthday. A buffet supper was served to Mesdames Lida D. Spradlin, Jo M. Davidson, Lida R. Cottrell, Ruth D. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fields, Osa F. Ligon, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, John W. Hensley, Joe Mayo Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Greenville R. Spradlin. Following the cutting of the birthday cake and dessert, Mrs. Hensley opened her birthday gifts, for which she graciously expressed her thanks.

**CALL TO ALABAMA BY DEATH OF RELATIVE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson were called to Huntsville, Alabama, last Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Cottrell Bennett, an aunt of Mrs. Hobson. Mrs. Bennett was the sister of the late Fred H. Cottrell. Mrs. Everett Sowards, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, and Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin accompanied them to Huntsville.

**P.E.O. MEETS**  
Chapter G, P.E.O., met October 12, at the home of Mrs. Phil Schroeder. The president, Mrs. William Callihan, presided at the business session which was followed by an interesting program given by Mrs. Chalmers Frazier, on "Interesting Professional Women" and music.

A dessert course was enjoyed by Mesdames W. W. Greenwade, Winston Ford, Earle A. Stumbo, W. E. Callihan, Fred Francis, Marion Wilson, George Archer, Tom G. Dingus, Chalmers Frazier, Robert Hughes, Miss Margaret E. May. Guests were Mrs. Allan Hopkins, Carlisle, Ky., and Mrs. Marvin Ransdall.

Mr. and Mrs. Pen Friend, Route 1, Pikeville, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Friend here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Strahan returned here Sunday from Louisville, where they visited their son, Val, Jr., and attended to professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cope, Dallas, Texas, Mrs. C. S. Landrum, Lexington, Fred Cope, Hazard, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Allen over the week-end.

E. E. Clarke and Miss Marian Adkins, Ashland, were here Tuesday and Wednesday at the offices of Ky. and W. Va. Gas Co.

Mrs. R. H. Messer, Garrett, and Mrs. Crit Wells, Wayland, were here shopping, Tuesday.

Miss Eloise P'Simer and Miss Margaret Bevins, Pikeville, were shopping here, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garnett, Hazard, spent Monday and Tuesday of last week here with her mother, Mrs. Laura Davidson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson, Jr., Harlan, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, Miami, who has been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins, is the houseguest of her sister, Mrs. Iley B. Browning, in Ashland.

Mrs. Jimmy Vance and son, Pikeville, were here shopping, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Rice, Paintsville, were Sunday callers here last week.

Carl Colcord and B. P. Friend, Paris, were here last Monday on business. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Friend, while here.

A. B. Combs has shown slight improvement this week at the Prestonsburg General hospital. His many friends have been anxious about his condition.

George Banner, Charleston, W. Va., was here, Friday. Miss Barbara May accompanied him home, for a week-end visit with Mrs. Banner. She and Miss May were schoolmates at Center College.

Mrs. William Osborne is able to resume her work at the post office after an attack of illness.

Mrs. Margaret Atley, Pikeville, spent Sunday here guest of Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Dickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury spent Monday in Lexington, guests of their son, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holcomb and family, Huntington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd, on Westminster Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury were in Huntington, Monday, on business.

Add Holbrook continues to improve at the Prestonsburg General hospital. He may be able to return home soon.

Mrs. Gerge Vincel, Frankfort, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Salisbury, and Dr. Salisbury.

Woody Burchett, son of County Attorney and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, who underwent a spleen operation made necessary by an injury suffered in a recent football game, was able to be here this week, and is recovering rapidly. He expects to return to Millersburg Military Institute to resume his studies within a few days.

Opl. and Mrs. George Lindsay Stephens have returned to Hayward, Calif., after spending his furlough with relatives here. Opl. Stephens is in the payroll section of the Air Corps at a base near Hayward.

Mrs. Jerry French and son, Carson, of Oak Hill, O., and Mrs. Rue Mullins and daughter, Goldie, of Marion, O. were guests here last week of their brother, Denver Crabtree, and family. On their return, they were accompanied last week-end as far as Ashland by Mrs. Crabtree and son, Roe Crabtree.

John Frasure returned this week after spending some time at Fort Huron, Mich., visiting his children, and also fishing in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snodgrass spent four days at Gerlach's Motel at Burnside. He reports a nice catch of bass.

Patsy Jean Torrech of New York City spent most of her summer vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Roby Mareum here. She returned to New York recently.

Rev. Howard Church has discontinued revival services at Mare Creek but will resume Sunday evening.

**PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY MEETS**

Mrs. W. C. Rimmer was hostess to the Presbyterian Auxiliary, Oct. 6, at her home on Maple Avenue. Mrs. Ernest Osborne, the president, presided. The treasurer announced that the Plate Thank Offering would be collected at the November meeting. The Society endorsed the issue to vote "Yes" for publication, on the Minimum Foundation Program at the November election. Solicitations for entertaining twenty-five Y-Teen delegates in homes, for the conference here, Oct. 23, were made. Mrs. Frank H. Layne, Mrs. Orville Pearson and Miss Catherine Reed made reports on the Synodical Meeting held at Danville, recently. The program topic, "Together we seek to be victors" was presented by Mrs. Ernest Osborne, followed by the candlelight devotional by Mrs. Everett H. Sowards. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Orville Pearson, Everett Sowards, W. V. Bunting, Mary E. Branham, Rainley White, Dan Reed, Ernest Osborne, George Sizemore, Ray Howard, F. L. Heinze, Glenn Anderson, Cecil Willis, Frank H. Layne, E. R. Burke, Cleo Hale, Miss Alma Collins, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Miss Catherine Reed.

**GIRL BORN TO SHANNONS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shannon announce the birth of a daughter, October 10, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. She has been named Kerry Lee Shannon. Mrs. Shannon and baby are now at the home of her mother, Mrs. John W. Caudill, on Second Avenue.

**STUDENTS HOME FOR WEEK-END**  
U. K. students who visited home over the week-end, were Misses Julia Mayo May, Betsy Spurlock, Katherine Greenwade Carlos Horn, Yvonne Stumbo, Henry Lewis Mayo, Jimmy Mayo.

**RETURN FROM UTAH**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Branham and baby and Mrs. Fanny Branham returned last Sunday, from Salt Lake City, Utah, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. "Set" Branham. They visited historic places enroute.

**VISIT DAUGHTER HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hopkins, Oatfield, Ky., have been here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Fred Francis, Mr. Francis and family.

**VISITING DAUGHTER**  
Herbert L. Ley left Tuesday for Stamford, Conn., to join Mrs. Ley in a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Busch, Mr. Busch and new grandson, Karl Raymond Busch.

**RETURN FROM VACATION**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham, Court Street, returned home, Monday, from their vacation spent in Virginia near Norfolk.

**LEAVE FOR MIAMI**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis left Thursday of this week for Miami, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

**VISITING DAUGHTER AT FT. MEADE, MD.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick left Monday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. John O. Hardin, Mr. Hardin and son, Johnny, at Ft. Meade, Maryland.

**MOVING TO OHIO**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hale, Middle Creek Road, are moving this week to Piketon, Ohio where they will reside.

**SECOND CHILD**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carter are announcing the birth of their second child, a girl, born October 13, at the Prestonsburg General hospital. She has been named Mitzl Lynne.

**Woman's Club Busy With 'Operation Feedbag'**

The Drift Woman's Club had the biggest job of all when the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club entertained 700 youngsters at its annual Kids Day party at the Drift baseball park, Oct. 3.

Club members served 108 pounds of wieners, 1,100 buns, four bushels of apples and 1,600 bottles of soft drinks.

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**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Marcus Stone and Shelby Jean Atkins, Gardis Allen Bradley, 25, Langley, and Edith Marie Reynolds, 18, Martin; marriage solemnized, Oct. 9, by the Rev. Homer Swindall, Junior Adkins, 21, and Jennie Caldwell, 15, both of Trum; married here, Oct. 9, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating, James Milton Humble, 18, Printer, and Letha Conn, 15, Martin; married at Martin, Oct. 10, the Rev. S. D. Osborn officiating, Clifford Bailey and Olive Mae Bolen, Phil Thompson and Ethel Hibbins.

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VANIDAN FERRELL

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Preparations for deepening of the lake began after the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources had notified the U. S. Corps of Engineers it has received all except two waivers of damages which conceivably could result from five more feet of water. These two, one of which is an agricultural lease, are expected to be signed soon.

Addition of water to the lake will not be made till next spring. Because of drought conditions it is now more than two feet below its conservation pool of altitude 646 feet.

**IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**

8:45 a.m.—Sunday School.  
10:55 a.m.—Worship: "Why Did Jesus Come into the World?"  
6:30 p.m.—Training Union.  
7:30 p.m.—Worship: "John Three-Sixteen."

**TO ALL OUR RELATIVES, FRIENDS AND VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:**

Since it would be impossible to see you personally, we take this means of asking you to vote for and support our good friend and neighbor, Cecil Newsome. He is a very fine man and worthy of our support. We sincerely believe he will make us an honest and trustworthy Clerk. Please go out and help him. Your support will be appreciated and remembered.

Imogene's tragic accident was seized upon by RUTHLESS persons while in a helpless condition in the hospital. And VILE RUMORS circulated that is repugnant to all decent and right-thinking people. To all you who were interested and supported Imogene please go out and VOTE for Cecil Newsome for County Court Clerk.

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**AMENDMENT IS ENDORSED**

**Wetherby Urges Change In State Constitution; Repeal of Sec. 186 Urged**

Kentucky voters were urged last week by Gov. Lawrence Wetherby to change the state constitution so the legislature can adopt a new system for distributing the common school fund.

"There are disgraceful inequities resulting from the present method of distributing state school aid," Wetherby declared. He added, "Despite increases in the school fund, our school system remains sick."

"Therefore I endorse the amendment of Section 186 of the State Constitution and urge its passage on November 3."

The Governor issued this policy statement after a 40-minute meeting with leading educators on October 9. In it he outlined the position of his state administration.

Passage of the proposed amendment in the general elections, Wetherby said, "will allow the legislature, guided by skill advice from laymen and educators, to devise another method of allocating school funds."

The Governor said, "I urge all Kentuckians to have confidence and respect for the individuals who are elected to the legislature and to all other elected officials who will assume the responsibilities of developing a formula for the distribution of the common school fund when Section 186 has been repealed."

Wetherby's statement on what he will recommend followed generally what the State Advisory Committee on Educational Policy urged that the 1954 Legislature should do for education.

Mrs. Stanley Meyers of Bath county has set a record by refinishing 42 pieces of furniture in her home.

**Methodist Revival Date Set for Oct. 23-Nov. 1**

The Prestonsburg Methodist Church will participate in an area-wide revival, October 23-November 1, according to the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, Pastor. The local congregation is one of the many hundreds of Methodist churches sharing in this program, which is under the general chairmanship of Bishop W. T. Watkins of the Louisville area. The Rev. L. G. Jacobs of the General Board of Evangelism of the Methodist Church, Nashville, is the executive director of the movement.

Spiritual life visitors are being recruited from the local congregation to call on the membership of the church during the week of the revival. The local pastor will have the assistance of a visiting Methodist minister from another district, who will help him in directing the local campaign and in conducting evening preaching services during the East Phase of the Revival.

The Prestonsburg Methodist Church has been chosen as the meeting place for the ministers of this area to meet daily during the mornings of this revival. These periods train the pastors for the program of the Spiritual Life Revival in preaching and visitation to be held in the participating churches each evening.

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ery one completing training in the United States. N. D. Howard, general manager at Wayland of the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, emphasized the point that there are always scholarships in engineering that are never used and can be made available to qualified students.

Redford Dannon, of Pikeville College, urged those interested in teaching to observe such attributes of a good teacher as patience, tolerance and kindness before entering the profession.

L. B. Price and Charles Clark, principals, respectively, of the Wayland and Garrett high schools, commended the Woman's Club for its foresight in affording the youth of the area served by the club an opportunity to plan or begin a career now.

The students broke up into separate groups according to professional interests, with a consultant in charge of each group, as follows:

Law—Hollie Conley; engineering—N. D. Howard, George E. Evans, Jr. and University of Kentucky speakers; business—Farris Johnson; teaching—Redford Dannon; athletics—John Campbell of Garrett; medicine—Dr. C. B. Ison; nursing—Mrs. C. B. Ison.

Mrs. N. D. Howard, Youth Conservation chairman of the Laekey-Garrett Club, was in charge of the meeting.

**FRALEY RANKS FIRST**

Marvin Clifford Fraley, of Wayland, placed first in his section during the summer quarter at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine in Memphis, according to grade averages compiled by Miss Kate Stanley, registrar. He is continuing with his fourth quarter course of study which began Sept. 28.

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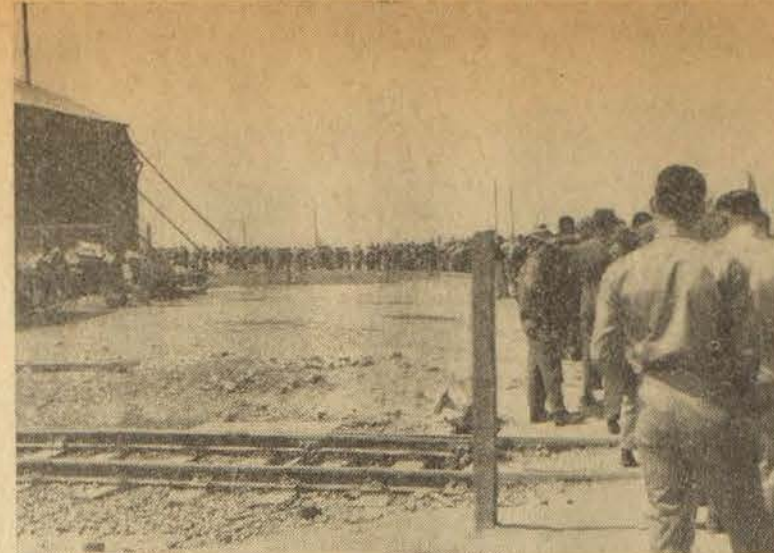
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**AIRMAN DILLON IN NEW CALEDONIA**



Airman Calvin Dillon standing at the end of a "chow" line in New Caledonia.

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Airman Calvin Dillon, Ivel, entered the army Nov. 5, 1942, and left the states May 22, 1943. He landed in New Caledonia June 12, and left that island for the states Dec. 24, 1945. He had completed 32 months overseas service. He re-enlisted Feb. 14, 1951, and is now stationed in France.

**PFC. MILLER IN 25TH DIV.**

With the 25th Infantry Div. in Korea—Pfc. Bill Miller, son of Mrs. Ella Miller of Cliff, Ky., is returning to the U. S. after serving in Korea with the 25th Infantry Division.

The 25th Infantry was rushed to Korea during the early days of the conflict and took part in some of the toughest battles on the peninsula. It is now undergoing intensive training to maintain its fighting strength.

Private First Class Miller arrived in Korea in October 1952 and was a gunner with the division's 27th Infantry Regiment. He holds the Combat Infantryman's badge and the Korean and UN Service Ribbons.

Corn yield in Breckinridge county is estimated at 90 percent and hay yield 40 percent of normal.

**BIDS SOUGHT**

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 12 — The State Highway Department called for bids October 23 for improvement of 72.6 miles of road in Bath, Breckinridge, Campbell, Carter, Cumberland, Green, Greenup, Harlan, Jefferson, Leslie, Magoffin, Meade, Ohio, Perry, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Todd, Warren and Whitley counties.

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Lancaster, Ky.

Bill Stratton, of Banner, and the late Octavia Conn Stratton, surviving, besides his father, are five brothers and one sister: Billy Elwood Stratton, Boston, Mass. Darrell, Jo Allyn, Johnny and Ernestine Stratton, all of Banner.

Rites for the youth were conducted Monday from the graveside in the Jones cemetery at Banner by the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne. Burial was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Some early seedings of grasses and hays in Hart county sprouted and then died.

**DO YOU WANT FOUR MORE YEARS WITH THE 3 B's**



In my all-out effort to make clear the issues of this campaign, I feel it necessary to remind the good people of Floyd county of a few facts admitted even by my opponent.

First: He informed you through the medium of this newspaper that he has promised two of Banner Meade's present deputies jobs if he is elected. One of these being Bev Sturgill. Now I have nothing personal against Mr. Sturgill. He has played a very important part in law enforcement, or the lack of it, in this county for the past four years. He has a record and you are the judge. Personally, I am not proud of it and will terminate his employment upon taking office, Jan. 1, 1954.

Banner, our present Sheriff, admits that he supported my opponent in the primary and is actively campaigning for him today. Then it's only fair to ask—"Where will Banner be if my opponent should win?"

Do you want to be stuck for four more years with the 3B's—Banner, Bev and Bill? Again I promise you four years of law enforcement with an administration brand-new in all its parts.

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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; 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 —

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**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 equal 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 Trilby 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.

**JOHNIE D. CAUDILL**

Hi Hat, Ky.

— For —

**CONSTABLE**

District 3



**JOE LYKINS, JR.**

Amba, Ky.

For **CONSTABLE**, District 4

Vote the **STRAIGHT DEMOCRATIC TICKET**



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directed a verdict of acquittal in the case of M. B. Bloomer, Letcher county. He said Bloomer was not identified in testimony as one of those taking part in the alleged disturbance nearly 2 years ago.

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**David Women Endorse Repeal**

At a recent meeting of the David Woman's Club a resolution was passed endorsing repeal of Section 186 of the State Constitution.

We urge everyone to vote "YES" on Nov. 3.

DAVID WOMAN'S CLUB

**FARMER CLICK T-V SHOW TO HAVE PATSY TEENAGERS**

Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 12 (Spl.)—A feature of Farmer Click's program on WSAT-TV in Huntington Saturday at 1:00 p.m., from down in the coal fields of Eastern Kentucky will come one of the most refreshing and entertaining groups of youngsters you'll ever run across. They're the Patsy Teenagers from David, Ky., a glee club organized as a youth project under the auspices of the David Woman's Club, and sponsored by the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, in whose mines the fathers of all the children work.

Also appearing on the program will be William Crawford, vice-president and general manager of Princess Elkhorn, and Clark Todd the company's director of industrial engineering. Mr. Crawford and Mr. Todd will discuss the coal company's scholarship program, under which 16 young people from the area are currently attending college.

Princess Elkhorn annually awards three scholarships to the sons and daughters of employees, and one scholarship to the outstanding student in Floyd county. A singing group with a varied repertoire of popular, folk and religious music, the Patsy Teenagers have outshone professional talent at their every appearance. They have appeared at conventions of various state and local coal associations, provided the Christmas Eve entertainment at the famous

Greenbrier Hotel in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., two years ago; and have made television and radio appearances in Huntington, Louisville, and Columbus, Ohio, among others.

More recently, the youngsters performed at the important American Retail Coal Association meeting in Detroit, before over 400 of the country's leading coal men. They received a standing ovation at the conclusion of their program. Under the direction of Mrs. Kathryn Frazier, of Prestonsburg, the Teenagers have acquired poise and skill which would be a credit to any professional group.

Ranging in age from 14 to 19, these nine girls and eight boys have the same keen and varied interests as their contemporaries throughout the nation. Their hobbies range from collecting pennies, earrings and match-book covers for the girls.

They are all active in youth activities in the community, including Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, B-Y and Y-Teens. Among the group you'll find a May Festival King and Queen; you'll find two youngsters who were valedictorians of their class, and you'll find one salutatorian; you'll find a guard on the high school football team and the Queen of the Music Festival in Floyd county.

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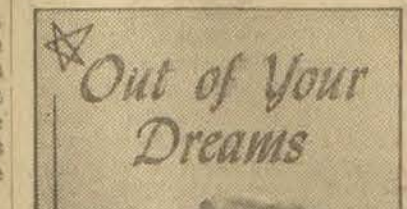
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**Beaver Valley Kiwanis Elects 1953-54 Officers**

John T. Parker, of Wheelwright, was elected president of the Kiwanis Club of Beaver Valley at the club's annual election of officers last week. **Cliff J. Aders** was elected vice-president; **H. M. Wilkinson, Jr.**, secretary and treasurer, and **Waldo Cummings**, secretary.

Directors named for the coming club year are: **Blaine Smith**, **E. Minor Pace**, **Leon Porter**, **Hotart Smith**, **C. R. Tankersley**, **Joe Perrino**, **B. Alvin Reed**.

**Roy Harned** of Peoria, Grayson county, is planning to construct two reservoirs to irrigate 2 1/2 acres of tobacco and 15 acres of corn.



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**WILSON OSBORNE SUCCEUMS**  
**At Wheelwright; Cancer Given as Cause of Death**

Wilson Osborne, 47, Wheelwright, died at home, last Saturday, at 4:05 a.m. Cancer was given as the cause of death. Mr. Osborne was a son of Lee and Minerva Brown Osborne. His wife, Pearl Jenkins Osborne, and mother survive.

Sons and daughters that survive are William Leroy, Roger Deane and Yonga Lou, all at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Eddie, Tommy and Dave Osborne, Columbus, Ohio; Lennie Osborne, Nippa, Ky.; Vonnie Osborne, Sitka, Ky.; Luther Osborne, Wheelwright; Mason Osborne, Lenore, N. C.; Arthur Osborne, Pound, Va.; Mrs. Lydia Chandler, Beaver, O.; Mrs. Delle Dixon, Nippa; and three others, names unavailable.

Funeral rites were conducted at the Church of God of Prophecy, at Wheelwright, at 10 a.m. Monday, the Rev. Charles Highbaugh, officiating. Burial was in a Pound, Virginia, cemetery under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

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I do thank you from the very depth of my heart and thank God there are still some who can think and do right and don't listen to wild and vile rumors. You have certainly shown me and others, that you are a fine and courageous group of 3,229 people, by voting for me.

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## Mrs. Jane Meade Hale, 93, Dies in P'burg Hospital; Burial on Toler Creek

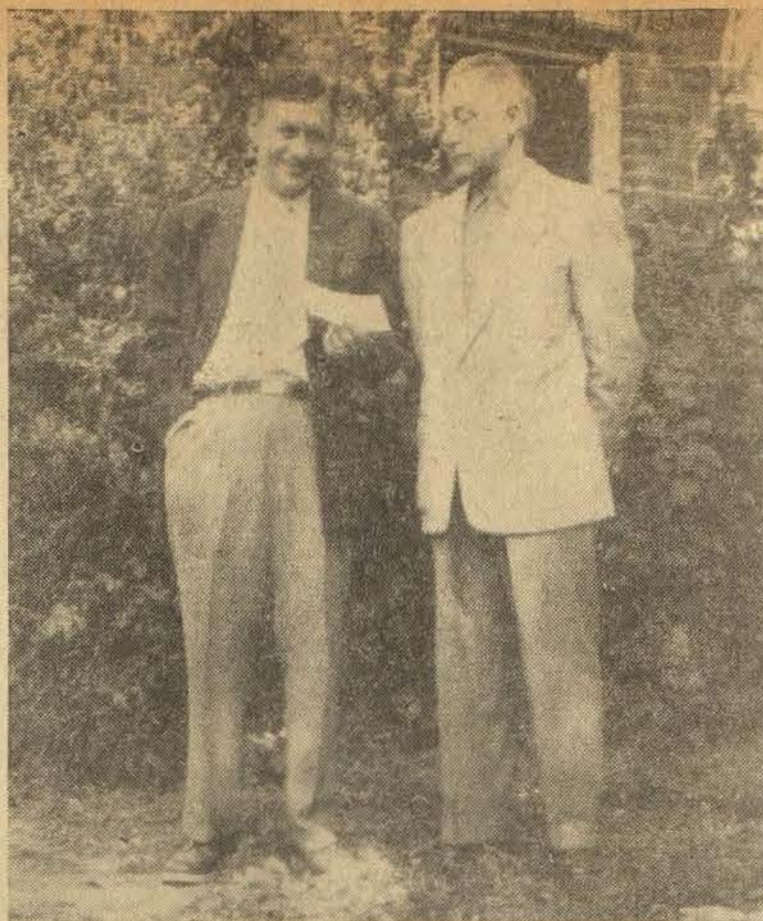
Mrs. Jane Meade Hale, 93, died at the Prestonsburg General hospital, last Saturday, at 11:20 p.m. Nephritis was given as the cause of death. Mrs. Hale was born in Floyd county, August 19, 1860, the daughter of Sam and Polly Gearheart Meade.

She was married to Jack Hale in 1880 and he preceded her in death in 1942. She was a member of the Church of Christ and resided in this county her entire lifetime.

Surviving sons and daughters are Malcolm Hale, Amba, Matt, Sam and John Hale, Harold; Mrs. Foesie Hamilton, Harold; Miss Bessie Hale, Amba. Grandchildren reared by Mrs. Hale who survive are Gene Hale and Mrs. Mary Allen Harold; Glenn Hale, Honaker; Miss Barbara Hale, Amba.

Funeral rites were conducted at the Church of Christ on Toler Creek, the Rev. Henry Parsons officiating. Burial followed in the Gearheart cemetery under the direction of Baker Funeral Home, Pikeville.

## FUNDS FOR POLIO FIGHT RECEIVED



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by Times

Ray Howard, chairman Floyd county chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, receives a check for \$6,800 from the National Foundation to apply on the expenses of the local chapter. Standing with him is Glenn Anderson, vice-chairman.

"We spent approximately \$24,000 on infantile paralysis in this county this year," said Ray Howard, chairman of the local chapter National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. "Some of the cases requiring aid go back to year before last," he added.

Since the drive for funds last year netted approximately \$6,200, one-half was turned over to the National Foundation. This makes the local chapter eligible for loans

in cases of need. The recent check for \$6,800 received is only one of a series the National Foundation has granted Floyd county this year.

"We are in debt some yet," Howard stated. "With a successful drive in January we will gradually become in better financial condition due to the probable lesser number of cases we may have. The need for funds is urgent though, and there must be no lessening of the fight," he emphasized.

## Mont Thacker, Alphoretta, Dies in Daughter's Home; Burial in Dingus Cemetery

Mont Thacker, 80, Alphoretta, died at the home of a daughter in Marion, O., Wednesday of last week. He had been ill for a year and at the time of his death had been visiting in Marion for about two weeks. Mr. Thacker was a retired farmer and had been a member of the Holiness church for two years.

A son of the late Madison and Sarah Thacker, natives of Pike county, he was married to Victoria Ratliff Thacker, deceased. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Fred Bishop, Alphoretta, and Mrs. Robert Salisbury, Marion. A brother, Will Thacker, in Pike county, and a sister, Miss Sarah Thacker, Lexington, survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 11 a.m., at Alphoretta, the Rev. Henry Mullins, officiating. Burial was in the Dingus cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## CHILD DIES

Chester Collins, Jr., age one month, son of Chester and Mary Lou Ritchie Collins, of Hamilton, Ohio, but formerly of Minnie, died at Hamilton last Friday. One sister, Judy Collins, survives. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at the home, at 11 a.m., Revs. Mitchell Chaffins, Troy Nickles and Quillen Beverly officiating. Burial followed in the Allen cemetery at Minnie under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks for the sympathy shown us in any way during the illness and death of our dear mother, especially the ministers for their consoling words, the Wayland and Garrett Methodist choirs for the hymns rendered, and the friends for the many beautiful flowers. We wish also to thank the Taul & Hornsby Funeral Home for the courteous way in which they conducted the funeral.

—The Barbara Pack Family

To save moisture, reduce cultivation and keep the fruit off the ground. Charlie Hempling of Boone county mulched four acres of tomatoes.

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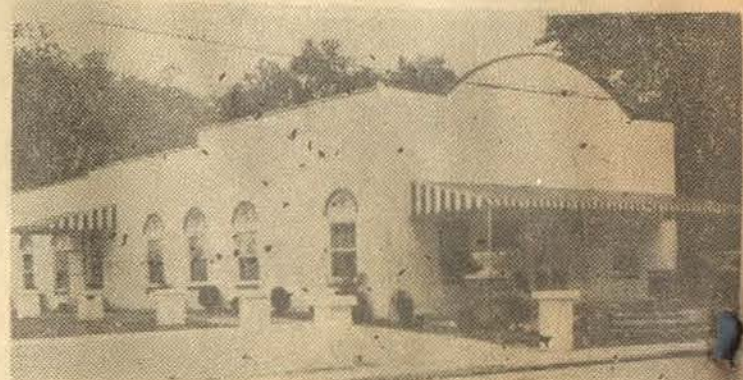
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Jeff Chandler, Marilyn Maxwell.

"Flat Top"

Sterling Hayden, Richard Carlson, Phyllis Coates. 25c and 60c

### SUN.—MON.—

"The White Witch Doctor" (COLOR)

Susan Hayward, Robert Mitchum. 25c and 60c

### TUES.—Double Feature—

"The Slaves of Babylon" (COLOR)

Richard Conte, Linda Christian.

"Safari Drums"

Johnny Sheffield, Douglas Kennedy, Barbara Bestar.

### WED.—THURS.—

"The All-American"

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Exactly the way people have different tastes in food, so do they have different preferences where emotional needs are concerned. A closeness to God is perhaps the best answer to the need for spiritual fulfillment. An appreciation of beauty—especially the beauties of nature is another feast for our emotional appetite. There is no set menu . . . the only important thing is that each person find his own way of attaining spiritual fulfillment, and when he does he should continue to nurse this phase of "appetite" as well as a hunger for food.

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## CRITICISM OF STATE PARKS ANSWERED BY W. P. CURLIN

Frankfort Ky., Oct. 12 — Criticism leveled against the state's highway and park systems by a former highway employe have been rebuffed briskly by leaders of the two departments involved.

Year Mann, former public information director in the Highway Department, presented the criticism in a speech at Middlesboro. He described the state's road system as "patchwork" and declared the park circuit was interfering with private enterprise aimed at attracting tourists.

W. P. Curlin, highway commissioner, branded Mann's remarks as "misleading." Henry Ward, conservation commissioner in charge of parks, said Mann's blast was "carping criticism based primarily upon political consideration."

In reply to Mann's blow at the highway department, Commissioner Curlin made the following points:

1. Mann was either misinformed or twisted the facts for "political sniping."

2. Kentucky has a \$60,000,000 road program this year—not \$61,000,000—and of the \$60,000,000 fund, \$1,600,000 goes for administrative purposes not \$3,000,000 as claimed by Mann.

3. The more populous states do not perform maintenance and reconstruction and much of their road money is distributed to the counties who do the work and spend most of the administrative funds. In Kentucky, the great percentage of all types of road work is directed and controlled from the state level.

4. The number of state highway employes has remained practically at the figure it was a few years ago, despite the fact about 1,000 miles of road are being added to the state system annually. Mann's comments "insult the hard-working people in the highway department."

5. Since January 1, 1952, Kentucky has been operating under a carefully planned road construction and maintenance program. It is true that Kentucky does not have a road system comparing favorably with the best in the nation. But road revenues are being assigned to the spots and routes where they are needed most.

In defending the park system, Commissioner Ward fired back:

1. No state in the nation has improved recreational facilities for its citizens and tourists more than Kentucky. "It has gained first rank and it would be a shame to lose that standing."

2. The public relations project connected with the tourist trade has striven to provide good facilities, excellent service and genuine Kentucky hospitality. This has been accomplished without the employ-

ment of a "high-powered" expert who would go about "bragging and back-slapping."

3. The number of tourists in Kentucky who spend time and money at state parks is small compared to the number of them visiting the state, being accommodated by private motels, restaurants, shops and other business ventures. The sharp influx of tourists has been to the general economic well-being of the state.

4. Rates charged at state parks are on a par with those levied by private operators. Kentucky will "not gouge the out-of-state tourists with the exorbitant rates that Mr. Mann seems to propose."

5. The park program has been built up in a space of about five years. "We had to build from scratch. You don't build a program by robbing your customers."

Mann worked in the Department of Highways during the former Republican administration and was let out when his highway agency was consolidated with the present Division of Publicity.

## Notice

Evelevyn Kelso, of Lancaster, Ky., has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation on U.S. 23 of the Roadhouse Drive-In.

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Keith Larson, Peggie Castle.

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"Salome" (Technicolor)

Stewart Granger, Rita Hayworth.

### TUES.—Double Feature—

"Safari Drums"

Family Night, 80c—

"Winter Serenade"

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### WED., 7 p.m.—

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**Floyd County Students Named to Class Posts**

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 5 (Spl.) — Three Floyd county students were elected to class offices at Pikeville Junior College as the freshman and sophomore classes of the school formed their organizations last week.

Paul Dean Wells, Auxier, was voted vice-president and Charles E. Phillips, Allen, secretary-treasurer of the sophomores. Gus Curry, Bypro, was named vice-president of the freshman class.

Presidents of the classes are Phenis Potter, Mouthcard, of the sophomores, and Thomas Caudill, Pikeville, of the freshmen.

The three Floyd countians represent three different high schools. Phillips, son of Edgar G. Phillips, Allen, was salutatorian of his class at Betsy Layne high school, as well as president of the class in his junior and senior years. Wells, whose father is Ernest Wells, Auxier, is an Auxier high graduate, and Curry, son of Ukie Curry, Bypro, is a graduate of Wheelwright high school.

Two Floyd county girls were chosen cheerleaders—one a regular and one an alternate—in student voting at Pikeville Junior College last week.

Kay Leslie, of Emma, and Gail Burgess, Pikeville, were elected to fill vacancies in the college cheerleading staff as the opening of Pikeville's basketball season approaches.

Yvonne Musick, Wheelwright, and Peggy Scott, Pikeville, were named alternates to fill in when any of the regulars are absent. Holdover cheerleaders from last year are Eleanor Keesee and Patty Wright, both of Pikeville.

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**LACKEY**

(Last Week's Correspondence)

Mrs. Glynn Owens, of Norfolk, Virginia, is employed as a teacher in the Norfolk City schools, this being her second consecutive year of teaching. Mrs. Owens will be remembered as the former Pauline Conley, who taught in the Floyd county schools for several years.

Jack Wicker, who is employed in Ohio, spent the week-end with his wife and children.

Mrs. J. B. Wicker spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Allen and children, of Mansfield, Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milford Conley over the week-end.

**IN "H.M.S. PINAFORE" ROLE**

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 12 (Spl.) — Bobby Elkins, of Harold, will play the part of Ralph Rackstraw in the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta "H.M.S. Pinafore," to be presented at Pikeville Junior College, Nov. 17 and 18.

**Three Floyd Students Enroll at Transy**

Three students from Floyd county have entered Transylvania College, Lexington, for the fall quarter. They are:

Miss Nancy Arne Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hughes, Prestonsburg, sophomore, majoring in speech, and a reporter on the college newspaper staff.

Miss Toby Jo Spradlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn C. Spradlin, Prestonsburg, member of the junior class and the Phi Mu sorority, and majoring in English; William L. Clair, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Clair, Sr., of Wheelwright, sophomore, member of the band and the choir. He is majoring in music.

**IS SAE PLEDGE AT U. of K.**

Richard F. Vinson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Vinson, of Wayland, has been pledged to Sigma Alpha Epsilon at the University of Kentucky.

**Floyd Well-Represented In College Choir, Band**

Six members of the 85-voice choir of Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond, are Floyd countians, and three of them are members of the college band. They are:

Edmund Russell Burke, Prestonsburg, now in his fourth year as choir and band member; Reginald R. Souleyrette, Wayland, in his second year of choir and band; Paul C. Hager, Auxier, fourth year with the choir and a member of the band and orchestra; Miss Charlene Akers, Prestonsburg, second year in the choir; Billie Sue Clegg, Martin, and Miss Bonnie J. Wells, Prestonsburg, new member of the college choir.

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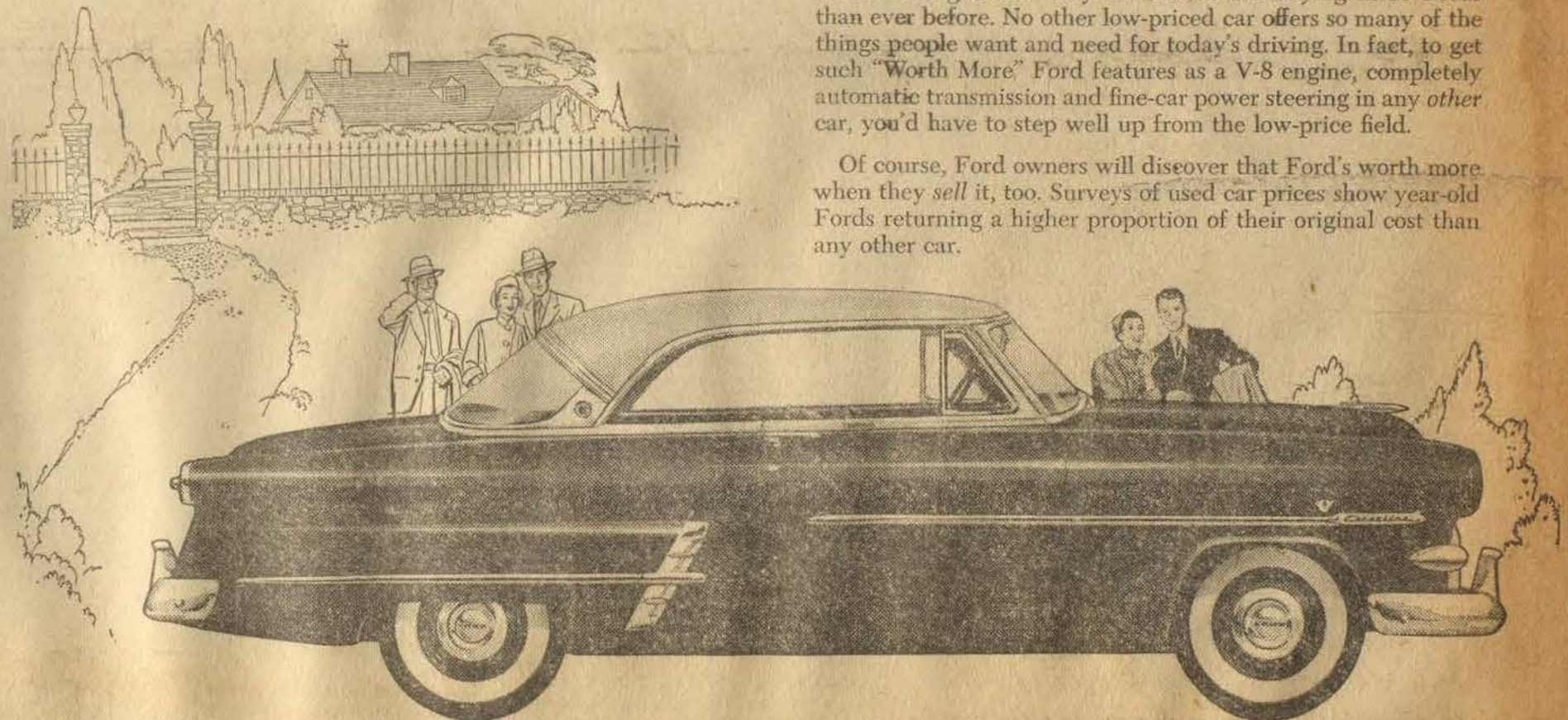
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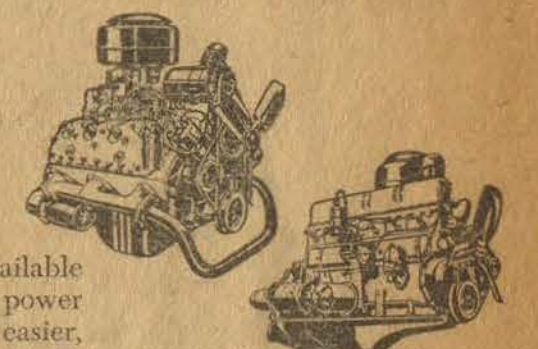
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# FAIR PRIZE WINNERS

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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 23rd, 1953, 10-1-3t

### Hollywood Hannah BY FLANERY & DINGUS



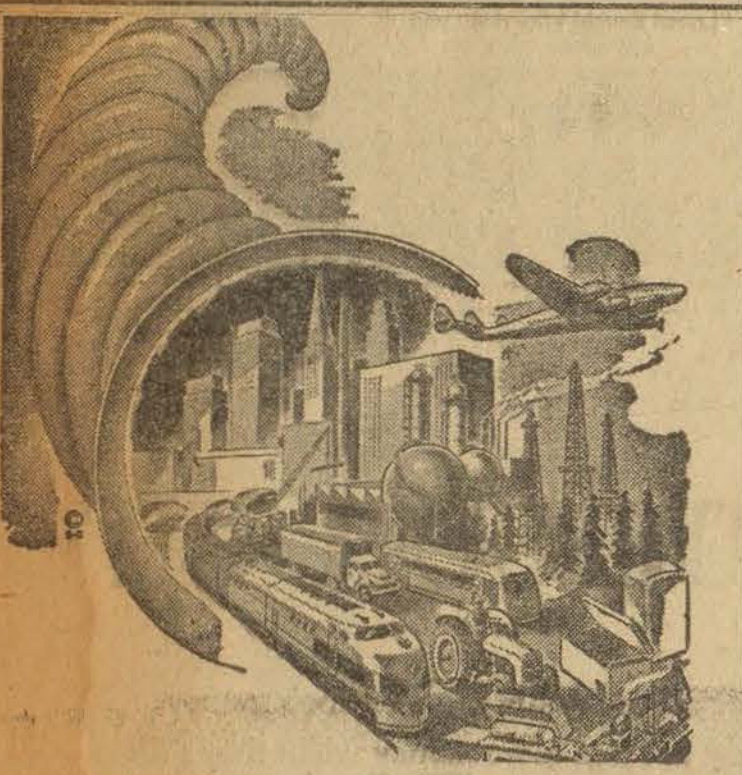
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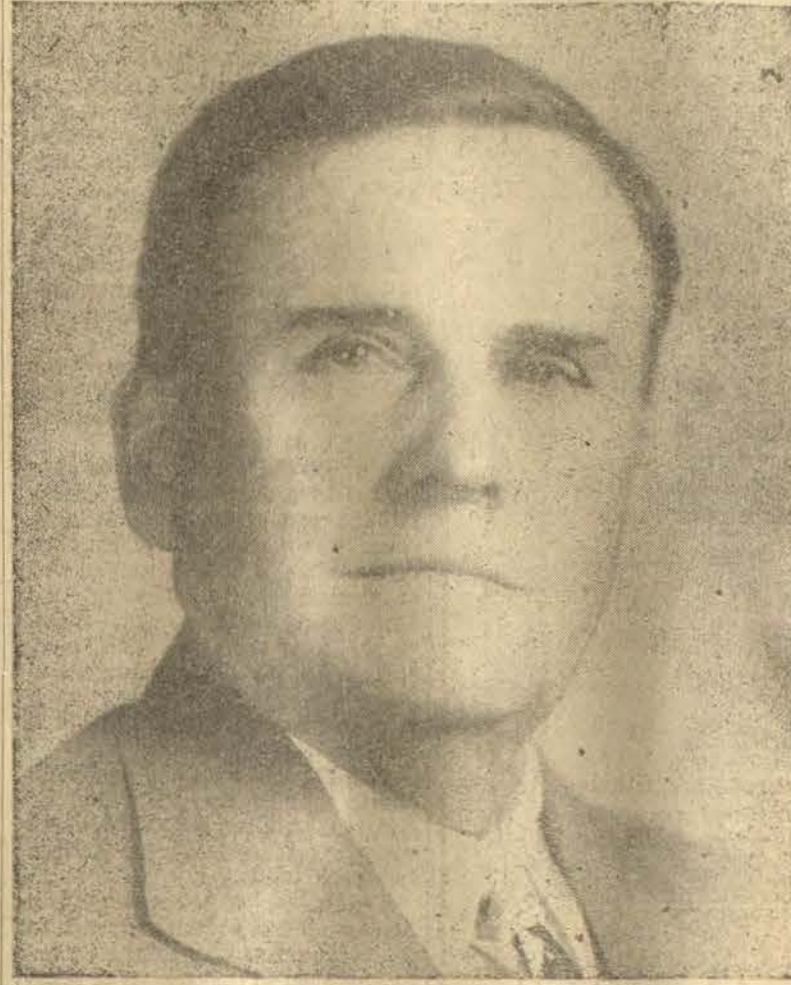
Capital and Surplus, \$150,000—Member F.D.I.C.

Prize-winning exhibits at the Floyd County Fair, held here recently, were announced this week. In the list which follows the first, second and third prize-winners appear in order:

**HOME ECONOMICS (Open Class)**  
 Quart Apples—Mrs. Grace Ford, Prestonsburg; Minerva Hicks, Prestonsburg.  
 Quart Peaches—Ora Howard, David.  
 Quart Cherries—Ora Howard, David.  
 Quart Rhubarb, Eastern; Ora Howard, David.  
 Quart Huckleberries—Ora Howard, David.  
 Quart Tomatoes—Claudina Lowe, Eastern.  
 Quart Green Beans—Ora Howard, David; Grace D. Ford, Prestonsburg; Claudina Lowe, Eastern.  
 Quart Greens—Mrs. Bill Wills, Prestonsburg.  
 Quart Baby Beets—Claudina Lowe, Eastern; Ora Howard, David.  
 Apple Jelly—Nealous Collinsworth, Prestonsburg.  
 Home Made Soap—Mrs. Bill Wills, Prestonsburg.  
 Pint Corn—Mrs. Bill Wills, Prestonsburg.  
 Pint or Quart Sweet Cucumbers or Peppers—Ora Howard, David; Claudina Lowe, Eastern; Ora Howard, David.  
 Pint or Quart Beets—Mrs. Greeley Hicks, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Bill Wills, Prestonsburg.  
 Pint Relish—Ora Howard, David; Ora Howard (Chutney) David; Quart Pickled Corn—Grace D. Ford, Prestonsburg; Claudina Lowe, Eastern.  
 Quart Kraut—Claudina Lowe, Eastern.  
 Pint Preserves—Ora Howard, David; Ora Howard, David; Ora Howard, David.  
 Raspberry Jam—Ora Howard, David.  
 Blackberry Jam—Ora Howard, David.  
 Pint or Quart Apple Butter—Grace D. Ford, Prestonsburg; Claudina Lowe, Eastern.  
 Baskets—Lucretia Spurlock (Bread), Allen; Lucretia Spurlock (Sandwich), Allen; Lucretia Spurlock (Cracker), Allen.  
 Bedspreads, other than crocheted—Mrs. J. H. Nunnery, Prestonsburg.  
 Patchwork Quilt—Mrs. H. C. Francis, Prestonsburg; Ora Howard, David; Laura B. Herald, Emma, David.  
 Appliqued Quilt—Mrs. John L. Patton, David.  
 Silk Quilt—Mrs. Goble Branham, Prestonsburg.  
 Baby Quilt—Mrs. Hern Burke, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Dan Nessler, Prestonsburg.  
 Hooked Rugs—Mrs. Goble Branham, Prestonsburg; Helen Ransdal Schroder, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Emma Osborne, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Bob Francis, Prestonsburg.  
 Crocheted Afghan—Lucy Ransdal, Prestonsburg.  
 Woven Rugs—Mrs. Winnie Johns, Prestonsburg; J. P. Turnley, Martin.  
 Woven Shoes—Mrs. Anna Feller, Prestonsburg.  
 Fullover Sweater—Mrs. Bob Francis, Prestonsburg.  
 Cardigan—Mrs. Emma Osborne, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Bob Francis, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Anna Feller, Prestonsburg.  
 Furse—Mrs. Rhoda Brickley, Prestonsburg.  
 Hat—Mrs. Rhoda Brickley, Prestonsburg.  
 Gloves—Belva Quisenberry, Prestonsburg.

Cup Cakes—Elizabeth Castle, Prestonsburg; Clara D. Merritt, Prestonsburg.  
 Yellow Hybrid Corn—Chalmer Martin, Maytown; Donald Lowe, Maytown.  
 White Hybrid Corn—Chalmer Martin, Maytown; Doug Rowland, Maytown.  
 Soy Beans Hay—Chalmer Martin, Maytown.  
 Barred Rock Hens—Lee Ed Caudill, Maytown; Junior Ousley, Maytown.  
 White Rock Hens—Junior Ousley, Maytown.  
 New Hampshire Hens—Chalmer Martin, Maytown; Junior Ousley, Maytown; Bill Elliott, Maytown.  
 Leghorn Hens—Donald Lowe, Maytown.  
 Hampshire Rooster—Paul Gayheart, Maytown; Bill Elliott, Maytown.  
 Lehigh Rooster—Donald Lowe, Maytown.  
 White Eggs—Donald Lowe, Maytown; Palmer Lowe, Maytown; Lee Ed Caudill, Maytown.  
 Brown Eggs—Lee Ed Caudill, Maytown.  
 Irish Potatoes—Donald Lowe, Maytown; Justine Turner, Maytown.  
 Sweet Potatoes—Donald Lowe, Maytown; Palmer Lowe, Maytown.  
 Sheep—Chalmer Martin, Maytown.  
 Baby Beef Heifer—Chalmer Martin, Maytown.  
 Baby Beef Calf—Chalmer Martin, Maytown.  
 Best Gilt (Duroc)—William Branham, Prestonsburg.

**FIELD CROPS**  
 Six Ears White Corn—Jim Clark, Cliff; Shirley Morrison, Cliff.  
 Six Ears White Hybrid Corn—G. S. Martin, Eastern.  
 Six Ears Yellow Hybrid Corn—Dan E. Bingham, Prestonsburg; Shirley Morrison, Cliff; Shirley Morrison, Cliff.  
 Open Pollinated Corn (Hickory cane)—Shirley Morrison, Cliff.  
 Tobacco—Lewis Burchett, Lancer.  
 Red Clover—G. S. Martin, Eastern; T. J. Martin, Eastern.  
 Soybeans—G. S. Martin, Eastern.  
 Six White Potatoes—J. L. Lafferty, Cliff; W. J. Wells, Prestonsburg, Box 253.  
 Six Sweet Potatoes—J. L. Lafferty, Cliff.  
 Tomatoes—Carol Johnson, Prestonsburg; Larry Johnson, Prestonsburg.  
 Carrots—Larry Johnson, Prestonsburg.  
 Six Onions—Shirley Morrison, Cliff.  
 Pimientos—Ora Howard, David.  
 Pumpkins—Jim Clark, Cliff; Billy Ray Belcher, Dock.  
 Cushman—Bill Wells, Prestonsburg; Jim Clark, Cliff.  
 Watermelon—Shirley Morrison, Cliff; Lewis Burchett, Lancer.  
 Egg Plants—Belva Quisenberry, Prestonsburg.  
 Quart Comb Honey—Frank Spradlin, Bonanza.  
 Quart Sorghums—Shirley Morrison, Cliff.  
 Display of Crops from One Farm—Larry Johnson, Prestonsburg.  
 (Remainder of Prize List Will Appear Next Week)



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- 1948 CHEVROLET, 4 Door Sedan, Clean.
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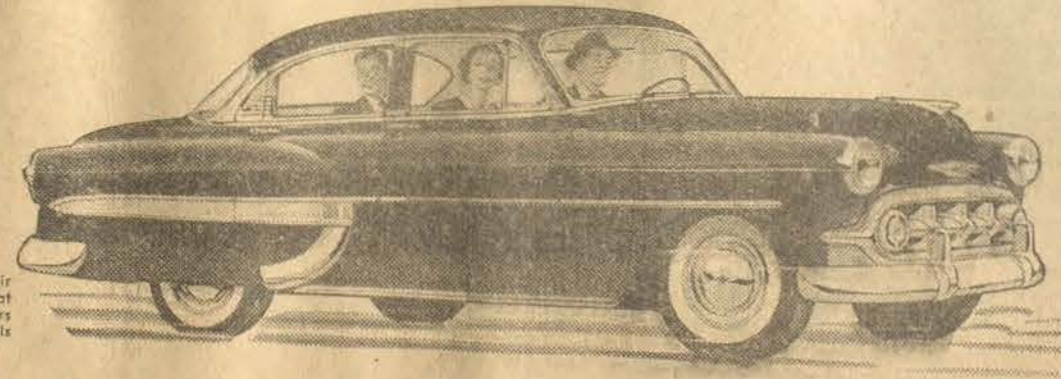
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## OIL PROGRESS WEEK

## OCTOBER 11-17, 1953

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When the first service station appeared at the turn of the century, a new institution was ushered onto the American scene. The service station became a kind of blacksmith shop, general store, watering trough and wayside inn rolled into one. As it developed and more stations sprang up, a new unique personality was evolved — the service station operator.

The man behind the gasoline pump is for the most part an independent small businessman (19 out of every 20 stations are owned or leased by individuals). He contracts for supplies from one or more oil companies. He pays his own costs, hires his own employees and sets his own prices to meet competition. He makes a reasonable profit by working hard long hours in all kinds of weather.

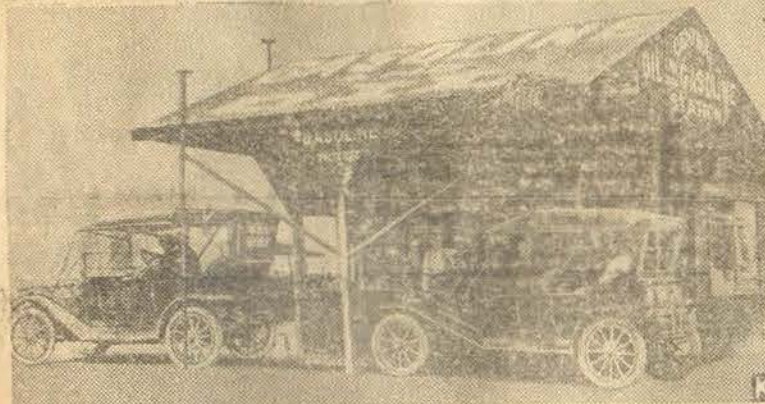
To keep pace with his rivals, he sells the best products available and sets high standards of personal service from free air to clean rest rooms.

What makes this competitive service possible? A far-flung complicated network of oil companies, terminals and wholesalers whose efficiency, high standards of service and intensely competitive methods are in the best tradition of American business.



**FAMILIAR SIGHT** — Approximately 200,000 service stations such as this dot American highways to supply the needs of more than 50 million motor vehicles.

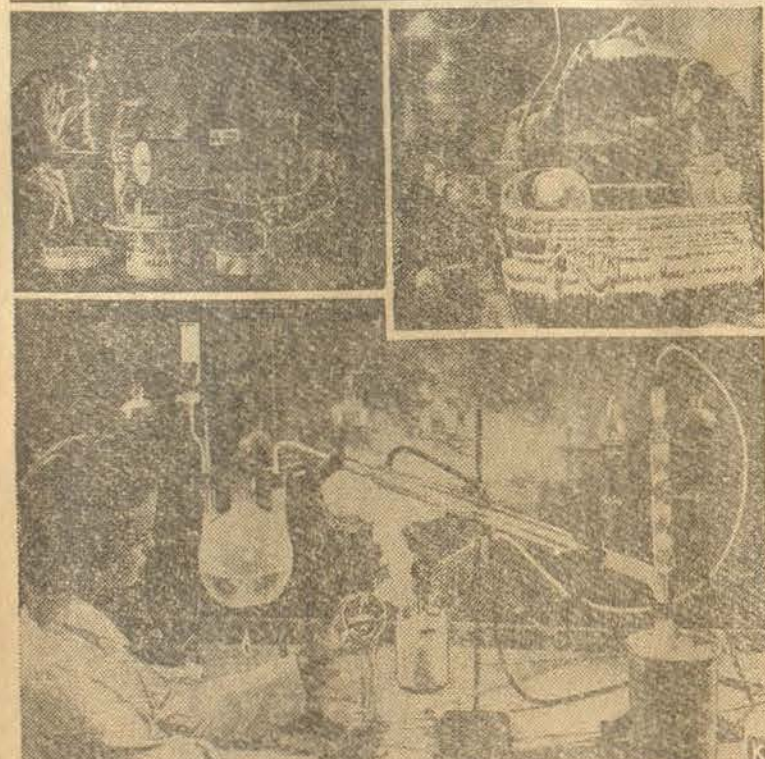
The next time you are at your favorite service station, bear in mind the words of the distinguished atomic scientist, Dr. Robert Millikan. He said, "Men who operate service stations have done more to teach the American people courtesy than all the professors in the colleges."



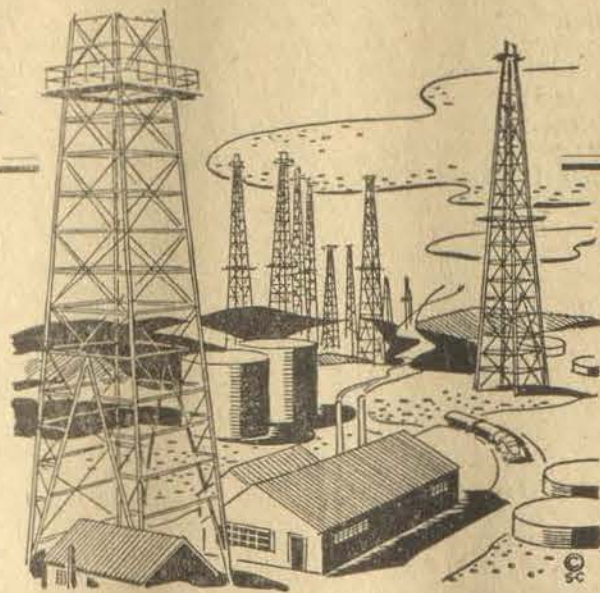
**DESIGNED FOR SERVICE**—It is easy to see that today's modern streamlined service station has come a long way from the days when the oil industry was young and gas stations were wide apart. Now, no matter how far one drives into the mountains or the desert, he will always find a station ready to serve him.

### World of Science

### Petroleum Research Pays Off



Atomic energy, with its soaring, burning rays; and sub-zero weather, with its spine-chilling fingers of ice, are poles apart in our normal lives; yet, in the petroleum industry's \$100 million a year research program, they are work-a-day "tools" which help bring about a never-ending flow of new and improved petroleum products. Atomic radiation helps test engine wear and improve lubricants, while man-made arctic weather helps perfect fuels and lubricants for all kinds of weather. In laboratories, too, test tubes and chemical magic enable researchers to probe the unknown. This ceaseless research program is one reason why the domestic oil industry has become a symbol of progress and free enterprise.



### Fuel Dealer "Mind-Reads" Your Oil Tank From Afar

It sounds like black magic. A fuel oil dealer can sit in his office perhaps miles from your home, and tell you within a few gallons how much fuel is in your tank. Known in the industry as the "automatic delivery system," it's generally accurate within two percent. Your dealer knows the capacity of your tank, how much it contained at the last refill, and has an idea about the efficiency of your oil burner.

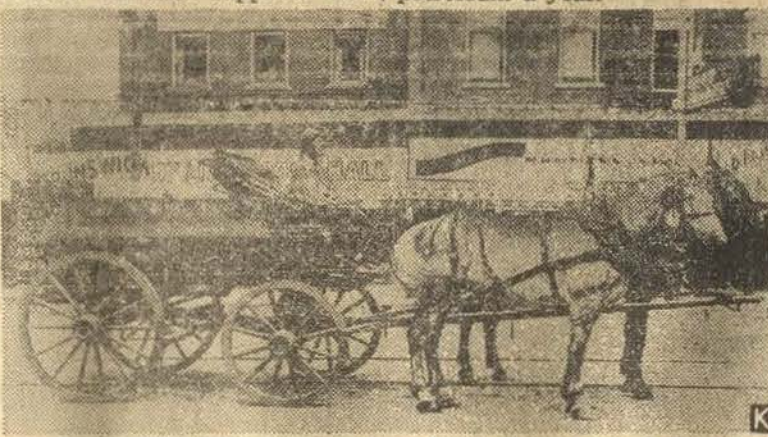
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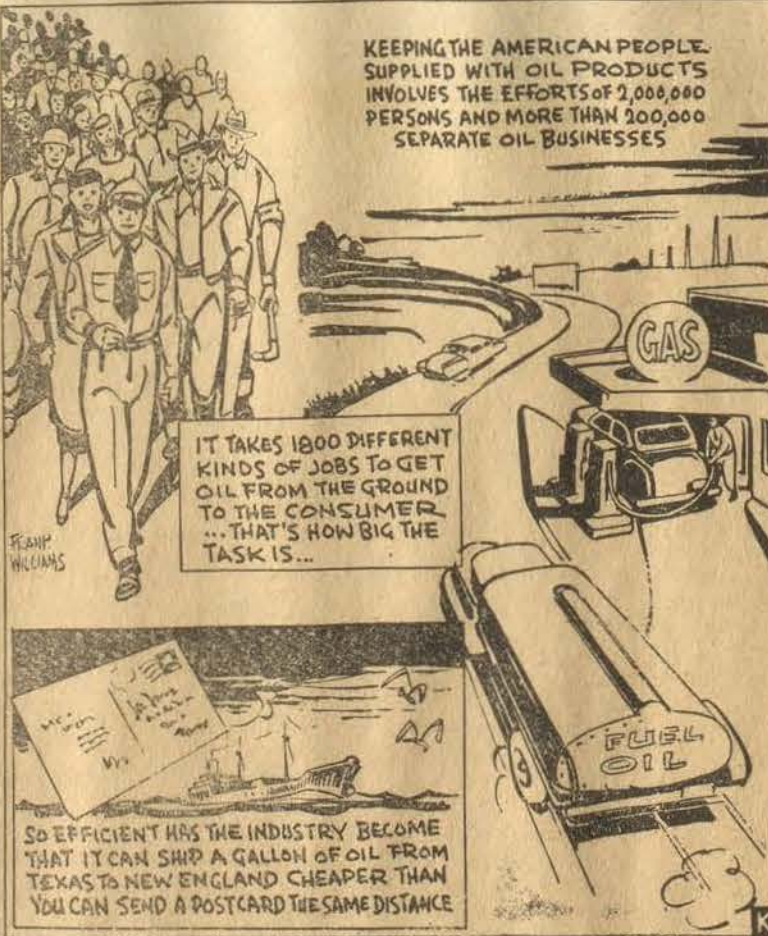
more than 2½ billion barrels of petroleum a year.



**A GREAT CHANGE**—Modern tank trucks have come a long way from the days of not so long ago when kerosene was the only major oil product and was peddled from door-to-door.

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### 50th YEAR OF FLIGHT Man Wins Dreamed-of Wings — With Aid of Petroleum

We might be celebrating aviation's 450th birthday this year—instead of its 50th—if Leonardo Da Vinci had possessed a gasoline engine. Just about the time Columbus was discovering America, Da Vinci, an equally famous Italian, was designing airplanes and even helicopters that could have flown if motive power and liquid fuels had been available.

Man could not win his wings until those fuels, together with good lubricants, were developed around the turn of this century to meet the needs of the infant automobile industry.

Wilbur and Orville Wright, two young mechanics of Dayton, Ohio, realized that the age of flight was at hand. After studying Da Vinci's drawings, they designed and built a rickety biplane in their bicycle shop. After studying the equally rickety automobiles that occasionally stopped at their shop for repairs, they designed and built a lightweight 4-cylinder, 12-horsepower motor.

They took the contraption to Kill Devil Hill at Kitty Hawk, N. C., for testing. They filled its tank with the uncertain mixture that passed for gasoline in those days. On December 1, 1903, they ushered in the Air Age.

From that brave beginning, American aviation has grown until, in 1952, the nation's sched-



**KITTY HAWK, N. C.**—The year 1903 ushers in the Air Age.

uled airlines carried approximately 25 million passengers a distance of 12½ billion passenger miles. At the same time Uncle Sam's Air Force in Korea was proving itself the world's best.

Constant improvement in engines, planes, airports, flight instruments, fuels and lubricants all have played their parts in this amazing growth.



**FIFTY YEARS LATER**—Somewhere in Korea a U.S. jet fighter fuels up, a far cry from the Wright Brothers' contraption of 1903.

### Oil Is Where You Find It

The greatest "treasure" hunt in history—one that overshadows the efforts of California's '49ers—is going on day and night. In America's deserts, mountains, plains, valleys—even its slimy sea bottoms—the search goes on ceaselessly at ever-increasing speed.

The "treasure" these prospectors seek is petroleum—oil to keep America's homes warm, the wheels of its vehicles and factories turning. Each year Americans demand additional vast quantities of oil, and each year an army of explorers toils to meet that demand, plus the additional quantities to build up the nation's proved reserves.

There is no magic formula for the discovery of petroleum. Like gold, it is "where you find it." Formulas that eliminate some of the guesswork have been developed, but it remains true that "only the drill can find oil." Four-fifths of all exploratory wells turn out to be dry holes. And only one well in 44 locates a profitable new field.

A whole host of scientists scour the countryside constantly for spots where oil is likely to be found. Geologists and other specialists make use of the most advanced scientific devices—such as the flying magnetometer and the seismograph — to chart underground rock structures.

Research goes on continually to refine the existing devices and to adapt the spectrophotograph, X-rays, radar and atomic isotopes to underground exploration. Such things will be needed in the exploration of the newest frontier—the continental shelf that extends into the seas from a few to several hundred miles from the shores of the U. S. This area of ten million square miles may contain the greatest petroleum resources yet encountered.

Tidewater areas of the United



**SWAMPY JUNGLES** present no barrier in the search for oil.

States already are being developed. Extensive surveys have been carried out by plane, by boat, and even by diving bell off the coasts of Texas, Louisiana, Florida and California. Numerous wells, some as much as 30 miles off-shore, have been drilled from huge floating platforms. And the bayous and swamps of Louisiana are being explored by crews in boats and in motorized marsh buggies having rubber tires half again as tall as a man.

So far, the U. S. has consumed almost two trillion gallons of oil. So far, explorers have located over a trillion gallons more and earmarked it for future use. Now, they are hunting for an additional two trillion gallons which lie somewhere beneath our soil.

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# GRAND OPENING SANDY VALLEY SPEEDWAY

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## Opening Races SUNDAY, OCT. 18

1:30 p.m.

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It's today's most thrilling entertainment.

Come early . . . Get your tickets and be set for the show of your life.

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Racing sanctioned by N.A.S.C.A.R.

### Local Advisory Board Members Are Selected

John Wallen, of Water Gap, and Johnny Neeley, of Cliff, were elected to the Southern States local advisory board for the Prestonsburg community at the annual meeting of the Southern States members of this area held here. The men will serve three-year terms on the local board.

At the same time Mrs. Grace Conley, of Bonanza, and Mrs. Alex Stephens, of Cliff, were chosen for three-year terms on the Prestonsburg Farm Home Advisory Committee.

The meeting featured a showing of the Southern states 30th Anniversary movie, "WE", which told the story of the cooperative's growth through the life of a typical farmer-member and his family. In addition, a unique "basketball" game was played between teams of men and women, with scoring based on the number of correct answers given by the players to questions about the cooperatives, its history, operations, personnel, and facilities. The team in this state making the highest score during the regulation 20-minute period of the game will receive all-expense paid trips for players and coach to the Southern States annual meeting in Richmond, Virginia in November. There the team will compete with winners from other states in the cooperative's territory for the regional championship.

Members of the winning team at the Prestonsburg meeting were: Homer Neeley; Robert D. Gunnells, and John Wallen, all of Prestonsburg; Billie Merritt, of Bonanza, and Harry Leslie, of Emma.

### BUCK'S BRANCH

The school here thanks the Floyd County Board of Education for its new water well, and appreciates the kindness of neighbors who furnished the school water before the well was drilled.

Lloyd Hall, Jr., of the fourth grade, won the prize offered the pupil who could first learn the 48 states.

The school is sorry to lose Carmel, Delano, Yvonne and Polly Conn, who moved away.

We welcome Jimmie, Dorothy and Shirley Ousley into the school. They have just moved into the district.

### State Distributes 62,119 Young Quail

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 12 — Sportsmen's Clubs throughout the state received 62,119 young quail during the past summer according to the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. The quail were hatched at the State Game Farm near Frankfort.

Also distributed to Sportsmen's Clubs were 282 coons and 849 chukkar partridge.

In addition, a total of 8,420 pheasants and 685 wild turkeys were hatched at the farm for distribution to selected, protected areas.

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### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

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

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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### Wayland Church Plans Part in Area-Wide Revival

The Wayland Methodist Church will participate in an area-wide Spiritual Life revival, October 23-30, according to Jim Gayler, pastor. The local congregation is one of the many hundreds of Methodist churches sharing in this program, which is under the general chairmanship of Bishop W. T. Watkins, of the Louisville area.

Spiritual Life visitors are being recruited from the local congregation to call on the membership of the church during the week of the revival. The local pastor will have the assistance of a visiting Methodist minister from another district, who will help him in directing the local campaign and in conducting evening preaching services.

Included in this area-wide Methodist program are a series of district revivals of power for the host and guest pastors, who will serve in the revival.

These will be held at district centers during the mornings of the week, October 26-30. These periods of power train pastors for the program of the Spiritual Life revival in visitation and preaching to be held in the participating churches each evening. Periods of power for the Ashland district will be held at Prestonsburg Methodist Church and Second Methodist Church in Ashland.

A series of district youth rallies will be held through the area on the Saturday of the week of operation. The youth rally for the southern part of the Ashland district will be at Mayo Memorial Methodist Church in Paintsville, Saturday evening, October 24.

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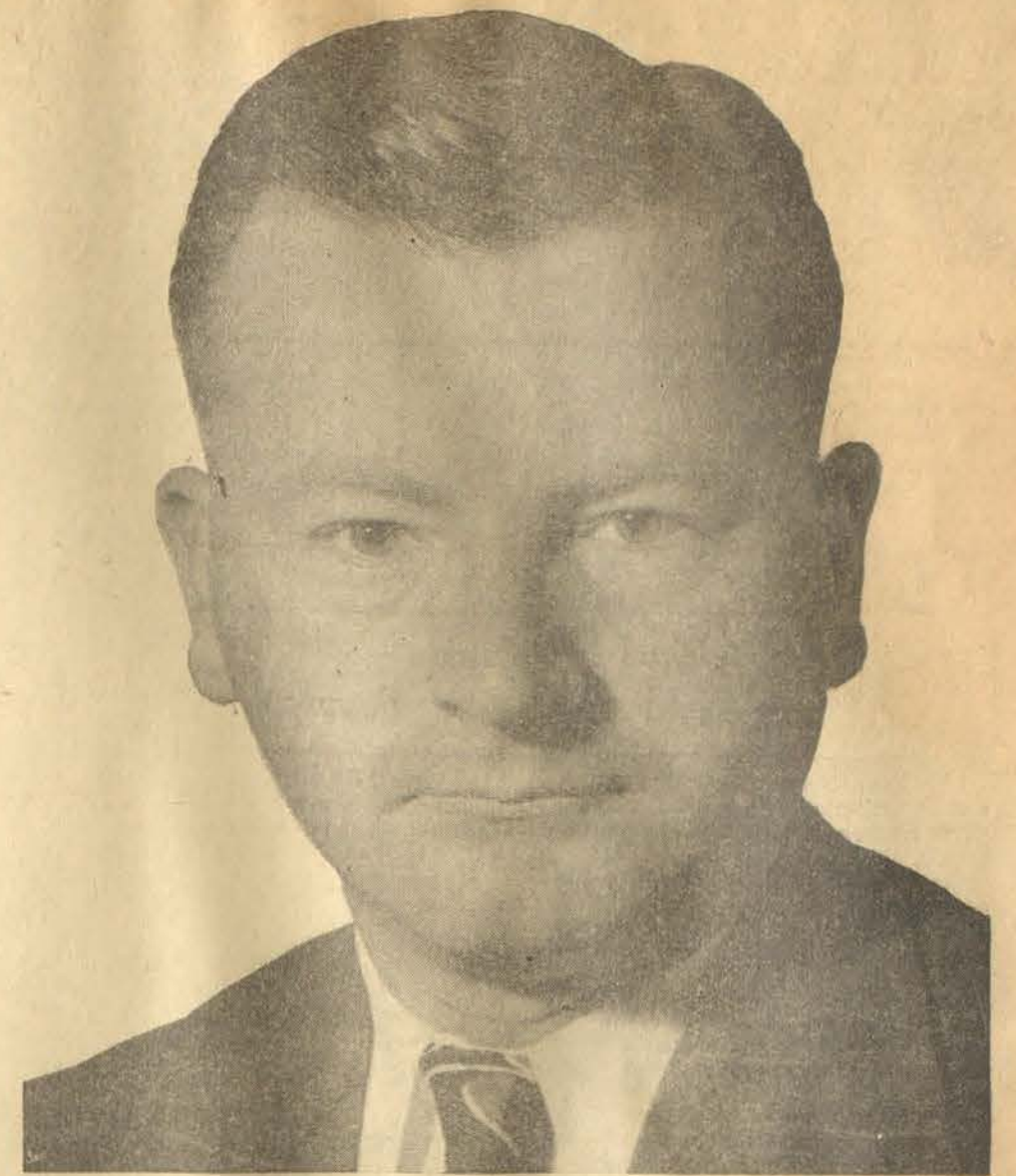
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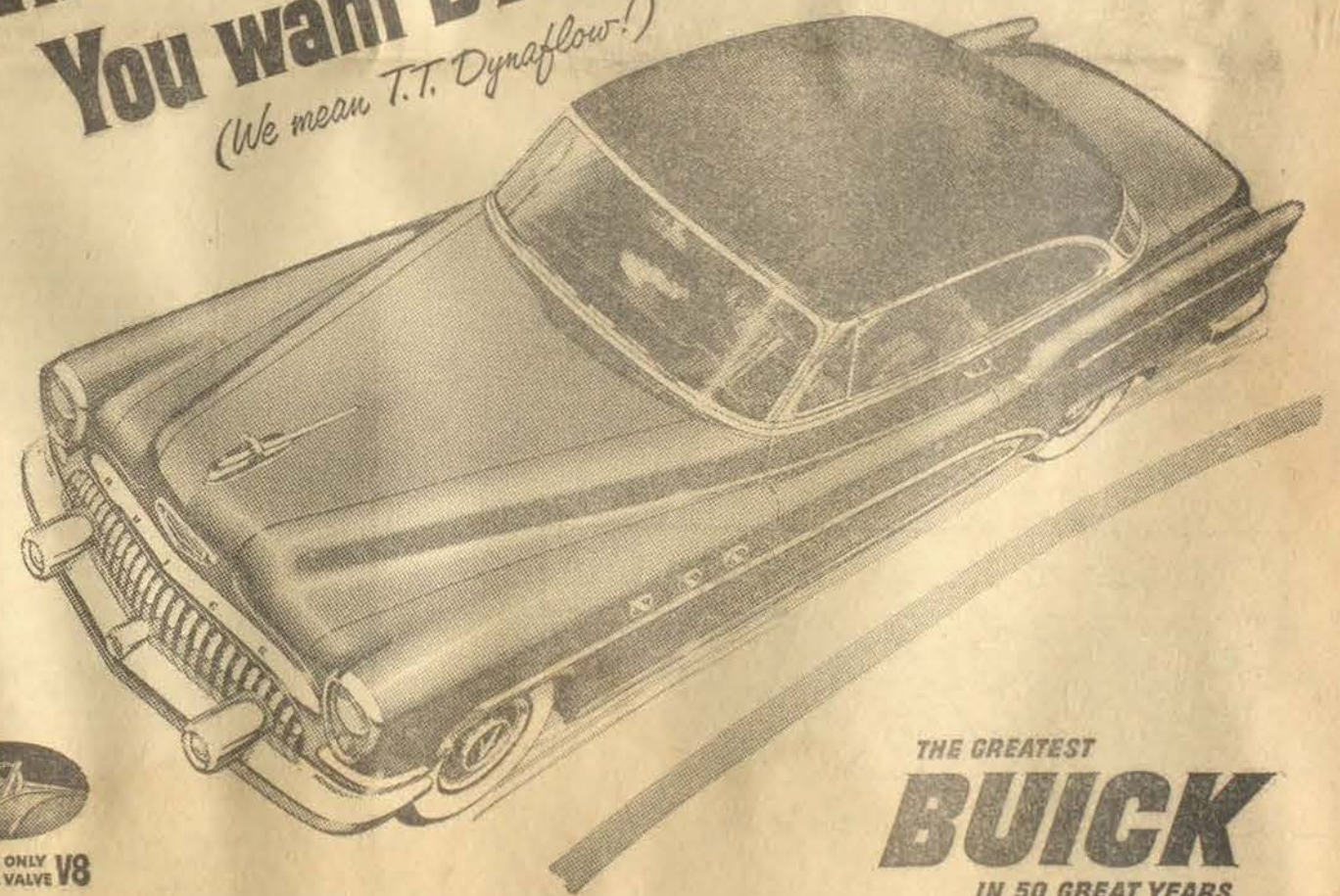
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## Martin Student Named Morehead Class Prexy

Morehead, Ky., Oct. 7 — Frank Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Demra Taylor, of Martin, has been elected president of the junior class by students at Morehead State College. Class officers are representatives to the Student Council, which serves as the student's voice in college affairs, not only in promoting social functions but in taking part in administrative affairs.

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## DRIFT

### WOMAN'S CLUB NEWS

The Drift Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Flotina Elam on Oct. 5. The proposed Girl Scout troop was discussed and a meeting of the girls and parents with Mrs. John Parker, of Wheelwright, was set for Oct. 26. A letter was read from B. Alvin Reed, finance chairman for the Girl Scout camp on Dewey Lake, asking for a contribution. The club voted to contribute \$100 to this worthwhile project.

A card party for the benefit of the Drift band is planned for Oct. 17. Tickets are being sold by members of the band and clubwomen.

The Fine Arts and Spiritual Values chairman, Miss Catherine Reed, gave a report on projects planned by that department soon. They are as follows: A Bible study group, planned for the second and fourth Thursday of each month. Everyone is welcome to join this group. It is interdenominational, and will begin the fourth Thursday of October, to be held in the Turner Elkhorn office building. An Art contest in the Drift and McDowell schools. Entries will be judged according to age and grade.

The club voted to inquire of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs about signs for either end of town.

A report was given on the Town Meeting where plans were made to iron out difficulties in the garbage collection system.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Dick Showers, Joe C. Moore, C. J. Cahill, H. D. Hewlett, Claude Martin, Norman Osborne, Oliver Elam, Bobby Hall, Lloyd Stumbo, Revis Hobbs, Fred Cochran, W. L. Reed, Glenn Ward, C. Alan Reed and Misses Ruby Akers, Jackie Hall, and Catherine Reed.

LOS ANGELES — George Dean, city manager of Peoria, Ill., was elected president of the International City Managers Association.

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NORMAN ALLEN, Editor  
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## GARRETT

### LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

The George S. Owsley Unit 295 of the American Legion Auxiliary held its first regular meeting of the year at the Recreation Center of the Methodist Church, October 7, at 7:30 p.m.

Members present voted to sponsor a basketball game between the townspeople and the school faculty, all proceeds to go to the school lunchroom.

The "Carol Lane" awards for traffic safety were discussed. They are the first awards which recognize and reward women's achievements toward the preservation of lives through safety programs in their state and community. Any American woman, not gainfully employed in the traffic safety division, is eligible, as is any women's or parents' club.

Also discussed was the Crusade for Freedom program and Radio Free Europe.

At the close of the business session, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby presented a program on "Benefits of Girls State." Mrs. Hornsby said, "Girls State brings to the girls of Kentucky a knowledge of the fundamental principles of American government through actual practice and control of state offices during Girls State. As future voters and office-holders, the girls should have an understanding of the problems of elective officials, their duties and functions. Girls State is a laboratory of practical political science." She then introduced Phyllis Noble and Barbara Pack who represented the Unit at the 1953 Girls State on the University of Kentucky campus, last June. The girls reported 180 girls representing every district in the state attended this meeting. They told of visiting Frankfort and participating in electing a Governor from their ranks.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served by Virginia A. Draughn and Fatty Collins to guests, Mrs. M. M. Collins and Mrs. Crit Wells, Barbara Pack and Phyllis Noble. Unit members served were Mrs. Roberta Sloane, Mrs. Olga Trusty, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Bessie C. Draughn, Miss Edna Conley, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby and Mrs. Nellie Martin.

The next meeting will be Oct. 21 at 7:30 p.m., at the Recreation Center of the Methodist Church, with Mrs. Olga Trusty and Mrs. Roberta Sloane, hostesses. At this meeting the 1953-1954 Unit officers will be elected. All members are urged to attend.

Neat is an old Anglo-Saxon word meaning ox or oxen. Neats-foot oil, used principally for dressing leather, is a fatty oil obtained from the feet of cattle.

## LIGON

(Last Week's Correspondence)

Eva Faye Adkins spent Saturday night with Ruby Mitchell of Beaver.

Miss Dacie Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Pennington were visiting Doss Baison, of Williamson, W. Va., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Mitchell visited Crit, Jr., in the Ashland Sanatorium, Sunday.

Foster Cross, Eugene Hamilton, and Clarence Booth returned from Detroit, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Herald Hamilton attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Pickle at Wales, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall attended church in Knott county, last weekend.

## URGES "YES" VOTE

The Wheelwright Woman's Club urges all people of Floyd county to vote "Yes" for the proposed amendment Section 189 in the November election.

—Mrs. R. L. Jones, President Wheelwright Woman's Club

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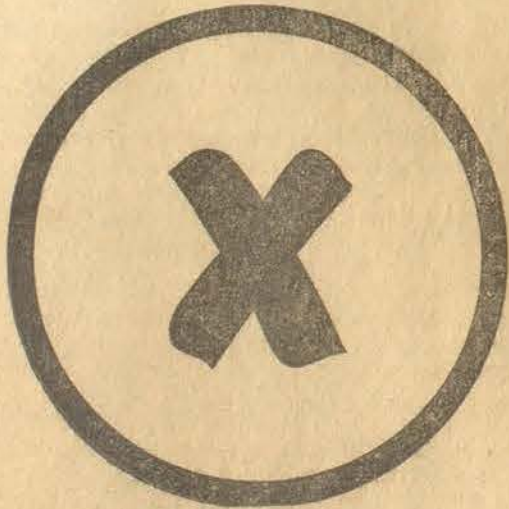
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**CATS LOSE BY LONE POINT FOR 3RD TIME TO PIKEVILLE**

The Pikeville Panthers and the Prestonsburg Black Cats staged their third one-point football game in four years last Thursday night as Pikeville won, 7-6, before some 2,500 frost-bitten fans.

In losing their third conference game of the season, Prestonsburg dropped into the second division of the E.K.M.C. for the first time under the tenure of Coach Doc Ferrell.

Although outweighed 10 pounds per man, Prestonsburg fought gamely with the veteran Panthers, and raised a possible 7-7 tie by falling two inches short on a line plunge for the all-important extra point.

On Prestonsburg's third play from scrimmage, fullback Gordon Mathews intercepted a Hughes aerial on the 45-yard line and raced to the Black Cat 12. Mathews and halfback Ralph Gilliam, who was the outstanding defensive player of the game, drove to the 2-yard line in three downs and Gilliam went

over for the tally. Mathews booted the extra point.

The Black Cats retaliated on the first play of the second quarter with Clifford Goble's final five yards climaxing a sustained 60-yard march. Hughes had completed one pass and ran 12 yards, and Goble picked up 20 yards to spearhead the drive.

Gilliam reeled off a 50-yard run to the 10-yard line midway the second quarter, only to have the elusive trek nullified by a penalty. Then quarterback John Lee Butcher led his team to the Black Cat 10 as the half ended.

The last half was primarily a kicking duel between Chester Shepherd and Butcher as the two lines kept any ground attacks at a minimum. However, Pikeville penetrated to the Prestonsburg 20 at one point in the fourth quarter by using six different offensive formations.

Prestonsburg was never able to combine passing with running on any series of downs and as a result was limited to three in the last half. Gilliam continually stopped any appreciable Black Cat gain by his fine pass defense and tackling.

Overall, the Black Cats have a 3-3 mark for the season with four games remaining, Louisa this Friday, Belfry, Wayland and Paintsville in succession.

Line-ups:

**Prestonsburg**  
Ends — P. Ousley, Caldwell, Laferty, Dixon; tackles—Wells, Spradlin, E. Ousley, Puckett; guards — Burchett, Salyers; centers—Tackett, Reatherford; quarterback—Hughes; halfbacks—C. Goble, R. Goble, Alexander; fullbacks — Thompson, Shepherd.

**Pikeville**  
Ends — Whit, E. Justice Grotz; tackles—Branham L. Justice, Radwan, Salyers; guards — Stephens, Clark, Blackburn, Conley; centers —Scott, H. Coleman; quarterback—Butcher; halfbacks—Gilliam, Deskins; fullback—Mathews.

	P'burg	Pikeville
First downs:	7	8
Penalties:	45	20
Fumbles:	0	0
Passes att.:	7	11
Completions:	3	4
Pass yardage:	27	15

Officials — Rupert, MacMillan, Chaffin.

Last week's scores:  
Pikeville 7, Prestonsburg 6.  
Hazard 6, Louisa 0.  
Wayland 7, Fleming 0.  
Belfry 9, Paintsville 6.  
Jenkins 50, Elkhorn City 6.  
Lynch 57, Whitesburg 0.  
Morgan County 20, Russell 7.

This week's games:  
**Friday**  
Prestonsburg at Louisa.  
Wayland at Hazard.  
Paintsville at Morgan County.  
\*Jenkins at Whitesburg.  
**Saturday**  
\*Pikeville at Fleming.  
\*Elkhorn City at Belfry.  
\*Conference game.

**UNITED NATIONS, N. Y.**—The Philippines have entered the race for the UN Security Council seat being vacated by Greece at the end of 1953.

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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 year; 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 Elden H. Jones, aggregating \$1088.94, 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.

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

J. B. CLARKE,  
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**ALPHORETTA**

The week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ratliff were Mr. and Mrs. William Frazier, of Martin, Grant Ratliff, of Fullerton, Ky., Mrs. Dick Shaw and daughter, of Alger, Ohio, Mrs. Whits Click, and U. H. Ousley, of Caney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Patton, of Eastern, were visiting Mrs. Willie Crisp, who has been seriously ill for some time.

A 2/c Kelly U. Adams, of Columbus, Ohio, spent the week-end here, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp and S. M. Ousley attended church at Salisbury, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Planery and children spent Saturday night at Warco, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Meadows, of Wilson Creek, were visiting here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams and son, Kelly, visited John Adams at Whitesburg, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hicks were visiting here, Saturday.  
Mrs. Billie Jean Hodel and daughter, Evelyn Teresa, are spending a few days here with Mrs. W. A. Ward.

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Hodel were shopping in Prestonsburg and Paintsville, Monday.

Thirteen hoemmakers club in Garrard county have a membership of 313 women.

**PARTY HONORS MISS RICE**

A birthday party was given Saturday, Oct. 10, at Cow Creek in honor of Sina Rice at the home of Mrs. Nelle Rice by Betty and Nelle Rice.

Those attending were Fiem Blanton, Harold Lemaster, Tom W. Fairchild, of Paintsville, Leo Rice, Louisa and Lorene Burchett, Bud Lingus, Mary Louise Wallen, Mary Ellen Stover, Walter F. Gearheart, Orange and Boots Curry, Wendell Roberts, Dale Adkins, Rose Ida Neeley, Archie Howell, Alma Blackburn, Harvey R. Gunnell, Lala Wallen, Howard Leslie, Betty and Sina Rice, Marshall Woods, Lucian Rice, Jeep Alexander, Chick Chaffins, Luther and Jack Rice, Adrian Harris, Edith McPeck, Joyce Blackburn, Norma and Clotene Senters, Dorothy Sizemore, Ina Jean McCoy, Evalena Spears.

Many gifts were received and appreciated. Those sending gifts were Bertie Bingham, Thursa Dotson, Billy Harris, Virginia Wilson, Billy Hunt, Wanda Griffith and Mildred Alexander.

**CLIFF**

One of the singing quartets from the Freewill Baptist Church at Cow Creek visited the Freewill church here Sunday night, Oct. 4. The quartet was composed of Braxton Thompson, Edgar Hunt, Russell Blackburn and Christeen Darby.

Connie Darby also attended church here.

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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 sublet 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 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".

**CINCINNATI**

Paul Norton of New York, regional vice-president of the New York Life Insurance Co., said a new type of group insurance now is available for small firms of 10 to 25 employees.

**Sec. 2, Page 6—Floyd County Times, Oct. 15, 1953**

**CLEVELAND** — Mrs. Eda Sherwin Prescott, a member of two socially prominent Cleveland families, died at 76.

**CLEVELAND** — Two more polio cases were reported in the Greater Cleveland area, bringing the total for the year to 309.



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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.

Yours for a better Floyd county,  
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# LET'S LOOK AT THE RECORD



In his attempt to smear my personal and official reputation through an advertisement and handbill filled with half-truths and insinuations, my opponent has deliberately failed to state one truth.

I say his failure to do so must have been deliberate, for the truth is there for all to see, in the VERY FIRST paragraph of the copy of the bonds sold in this so-called "deal". That copy is spread on Fiscal Court Order Book No. 6, Page 254.

This very first paragraph reads:

### KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

"That the county of Floyd, in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received, hereby promises to pay to the bearer the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS on the first day of June, 19....., and to pay interest on said sum on the date hereof at the rate of ..... per cent (.....%) per annum, payable semi annually on the first days of June and December in each year, upon the presentation and surrender of the annexed coupons as same mature, OUT OF AND ONLY OUT OF THE INCOME FROM A PUBLIC PROJECT CONSISTING OF THE COMBINED GAS SYSTEMS AND WATERWORKS SYSTEM AS HEREINAFTER SET OUT, both principal and interest being payable at The First National Bank, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in such funds as at the time of the respective payments are legal tender for the satisfaction of debts due to the United States of America.

"This bond and the issue of which it is a part is payable only from and secured by an exclusive pledge of a fixed amount of the gross income and revenues to be derived from the operation of said public project, which amount shall be sufficient to pay the principal hereof and interest hereon as and when the same shall become due and payable, and which shall be set aside as a special fund for that purpose and identified as the "Waterworks and Gas System Project Bond and Interest Redemption Fund of 1953", and THIS BOND DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD within the meaning of any constitutional provision or limitations as provided in section 58.040 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes. Said county covenants that said public project will be continuously operated as a revenue producing undertaking and that it will fix or cause to be fixed such rates for services furnished by said project and will collect and account for income and revenues from such project sufficient to promptly pay the principal of and interest on this bond and the issue of which it forms a part, as the same shall become due."

Had you heard that every property owner in Floyd county has had his home and other belongings jeopardized by these bonds? You may have.

But the truth is, Floyd county acts merely as fiscal agent or as a "holding company" for the water and gas district, just as it often has acted in the past for the Floyd County Board of Education.

But a desperate Republican Party and its candidates who offer nothing but abuse in lieu of a platform, are trying to make it a vote-getter.

They even neglect to mention the Glo Gas System, which was one of the companies acquired by the water district. Do you know why? Could it be because George Evans, brother-in-law of Gorman Collins, who is a candidate for Sheriff on the Republican ticket, was a part-owner of the Glo System?

Ask yourselves this: WHY DID THEY FAIL TO ADMIT THAT FLOYD COUNTY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THESE BONDS? Why did they try to mislead the people into believing a debt had been loaded onto them without their vote, knowledge or consent? Perhaps they were guided by the old axiom that desperate situations demand desperate measures!

This whole transaction is a matter of public record. It is on the record books. It was considered and talked in open court. The purchase was made when officials of the water district—good, reputable citizens—decided it would be a public improvement.

It was not my idea, I assure you, but I acted then as I will in the future for the good of Floyd county. It was not the fiscal court's idea but they acted as I in the interest of the people of Floyd county. We acted in good faith, representing a group of citizens who in turn represented the water district.

I ask you as intelligent men and women to read the WHOLE RECORD in the County Court Clerk's Office, pertaining to this bond issue.

And I would warn you against an array of half-truths veiled insinuations, which shun every truth that does not blacken some individual's reputation.

Sincerely,

HENRY STUMBO

## ALLEN

### CLUB MEETS, OCT. 5

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club held its regular meeting October 5 at the home of Mrs. John P. Sammons. The president, Mrs. Russell Laven, presided.

An invitation was welcomed from the Wheelwright Woman's Club for November 6. Mrs. I. D. Thompson will be the guest speaker for the evening and a social hour will follow.

The president read a letter from Miss Lois Leslie, chairman of Libraries and Scholarships for KFWC, asking the club to send magazines and books to Manila. Each club member is to bring her old magazines and books to the next meeting.

It was announced by the president that the Drift club will have a luncheon for all who plan to attend the convention. The reservations must be made in advance, and the luncheon will be held at the McDowell school.

A letter was also read from Mrs. George Cohan asking the president to appoint a motion picture chairman to work with the local theaters to assure good movies for our children. Mrs. Lavan appointed Mrs. Marie Elliott.

Mrs. John P. Sammons was appointed to work with the committee for the preparation of the skit for the convention.

Mrs. Maurice Mitchell reported leaders were found to lead the Girl Scouts in Allen; however, Mrs. Marge Sammons has not been able to secure a leader for the Brownie troop in Martin. We are anxious to find someone who will take this Brownie troop. Any member who is interested or who knows of someone who is interested in this work should contact Mrs. Sammons.

After the business meeting the president introduced Mrs. Ambrose Mandt who gave a very interesting account on the progress made in Floyd county in the treatment of tuberculosis since the county has had a full-time TB nurse, Mrs. Mayo. Mrs. Mandt pointed out that the sale of the TB Christmas seals is the chief source of support for this work in our county. The club members will contact people in Allen and Martin who have supported this drive in the past. Mrs. Mandt urged each to support the TB work in the county by sending money in promptly for the seals received.

The meeting was closed with prayer. Refreshments were served to the following members: Miss Nelle Music, Mrs. Lloyd Gram, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mrs. German Vance, Mrs. Mack Elliott, Mrs. Walter Frasure, Mrs. Eoone Hall, Mrs. John W. Hall, Mrs. W. O. Huddleston, Mrs. Russell Laven, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. M. E. Mitchell, Mrs. Belford Reitz, Mrs. Pen Short and guest, Mrs. Ambrose Mandt.

LEXINGTON — Mrs. Margaret H. Jackson, kindergarten teacher at Russell school since 1923, died here. She was the only kindergarten teacher in Lexington's Negro schools until 1951.

### NOTICE

Roy M. Cain, contact representative of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's board, will be in Floyd county at the following places and dates, for the purpose of aiding and assisting veterans and their dependents in filing and prosecuting claims for benefits to which they may be entitled from the Veterans Administration.

Mr. Cain will be in the post office building in Wayland, Thursday, October 22 from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. he will be in the Beaver Hardware, Martin, Friday, October 23, he will be in Tackett & Tackett's office in Prestonsburg.



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## WAYLAND

### P-T.A. MEETS

The P-T.A. of Wayland high school met, Sept. 23, with the president, Mrs. Willard Castle, presiding. There were several parents and teachers present. L. P. Price, principal of Wayland school, introduced the teachers to the parents, then presented the parents to the teachers.

Plans were made for the year. It was voted to buy some new music and a new horn for the band. It was agreed to sponsor a Stanley party and a membership drive to raise money for the treasury—these two things to take place in October.

Fire Prevention Week was discussed. Fire drills in the high school and grade school were decided upon. In the smaller grades there is to be a poster contest on prevention of fires. These posters are to be put on the bulletin board at school and ribbons presented the best, then they are to be put downtown where the public may see them.

The next meeting will be election time for the new officers who will conduct meetings for the rest of the year.

### ENROLLS AT BOWLING GREEN

Arnold Moore, son of Ida Moore, is enrolled for the fall semester at the Bowling Green College of Commerce, Bowling Green, Kentucky. He attended Garrett high school before entering college.

## DAVID

Mrs. J. E. Durham, who was ill in the St. Mary's hospital in Huntington, for several days, has returned to her home.

Earl Dawson is seriously ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. E. L. Talley and children, Mrs. Effie Wings, Mrs. Bessie Henson, all of Alabama, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Clark this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hale and daughter were visiting relatives in Johnson county, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Durham, had as their guests last week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durham, of Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Francis Stambaugh and brothers and sisters, were visiting their grandparents at Wayland last week-end.

Mrs. Lillie Kilgore, and Mildred Kilgore, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Deboard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas George and family, were visiting Mrs. Wesley Boyd, of Prestonsburg, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Childers, and children, were visiting relatives in Buffalo, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Music, of Mallie, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Forest Childers.

LONDON — The oSviet republic of Dagestan finally got around to firing ex-Soviet police boss Lavrenty Beria from his seat on the Dagestan Supreme Soviet.

## Altar Society Endorses "Yes" Amendment Vote

The Ladies' Altar Society of the Catholic chapel in Martin had its monthly meeting Tuesday, Oct. 6, and it was resolved at this meeting to support and vote "YES" the Minimum Foundation Program to be presented in an amendment in the coming elections. It was also voted to encourage the efforts in raising funds for the Floyd County Bookmobile, and to this end a contribution was made.

The hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Maurice Mitchell, of Allen.

### PLEDGES KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 12 (Spl.) —One girl from Floyd county is among 209 students who have been pledged by the 11 sororities at the University of Kentucky. The Floyd pledge is Betsy Spurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, of Prestonsburg, who has pledged Kappa Kappa Gamma.

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(Last Week's Correspondence)

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Mr. and Mrs. Oval Howard are visiting this week with his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, of Somerset.

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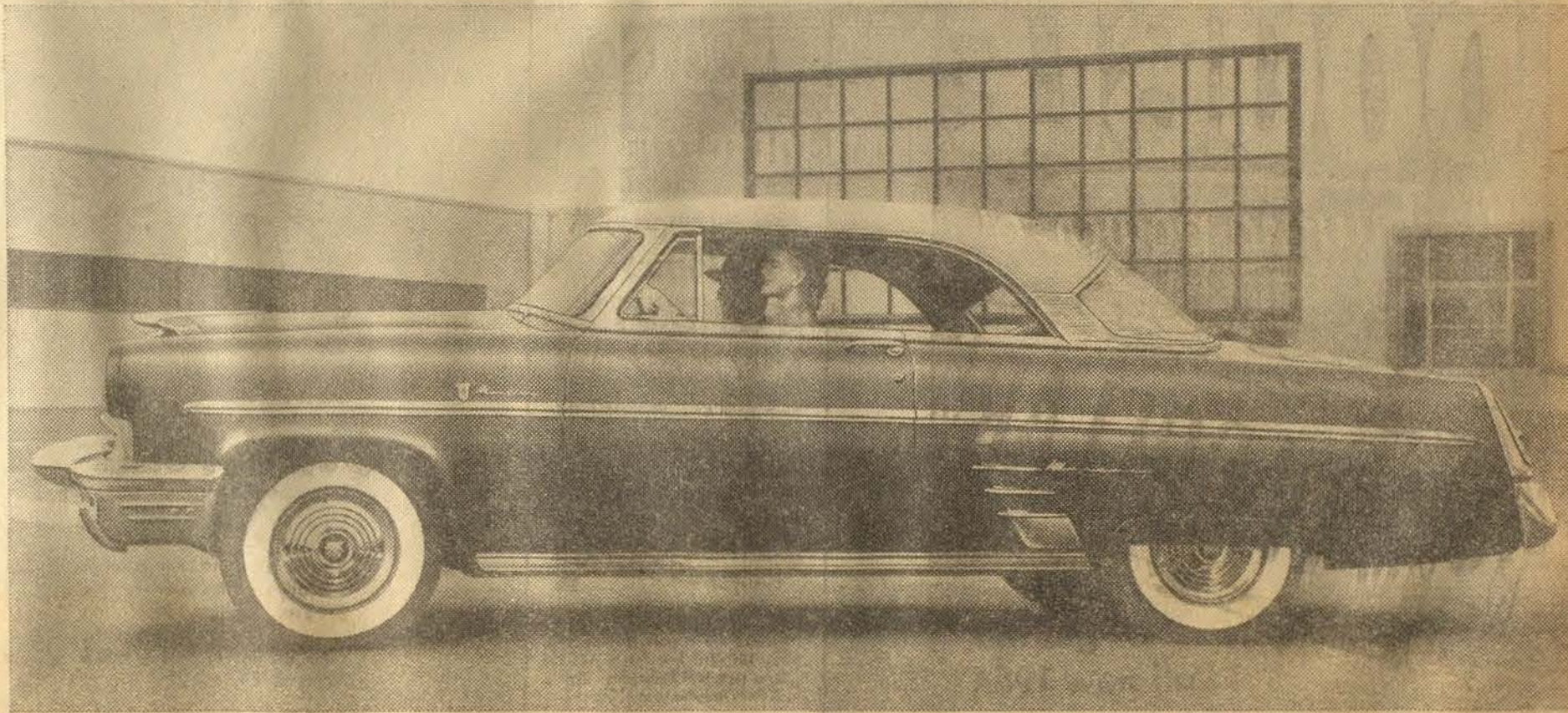
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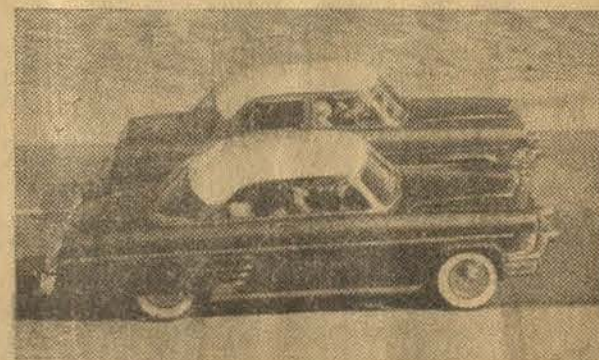
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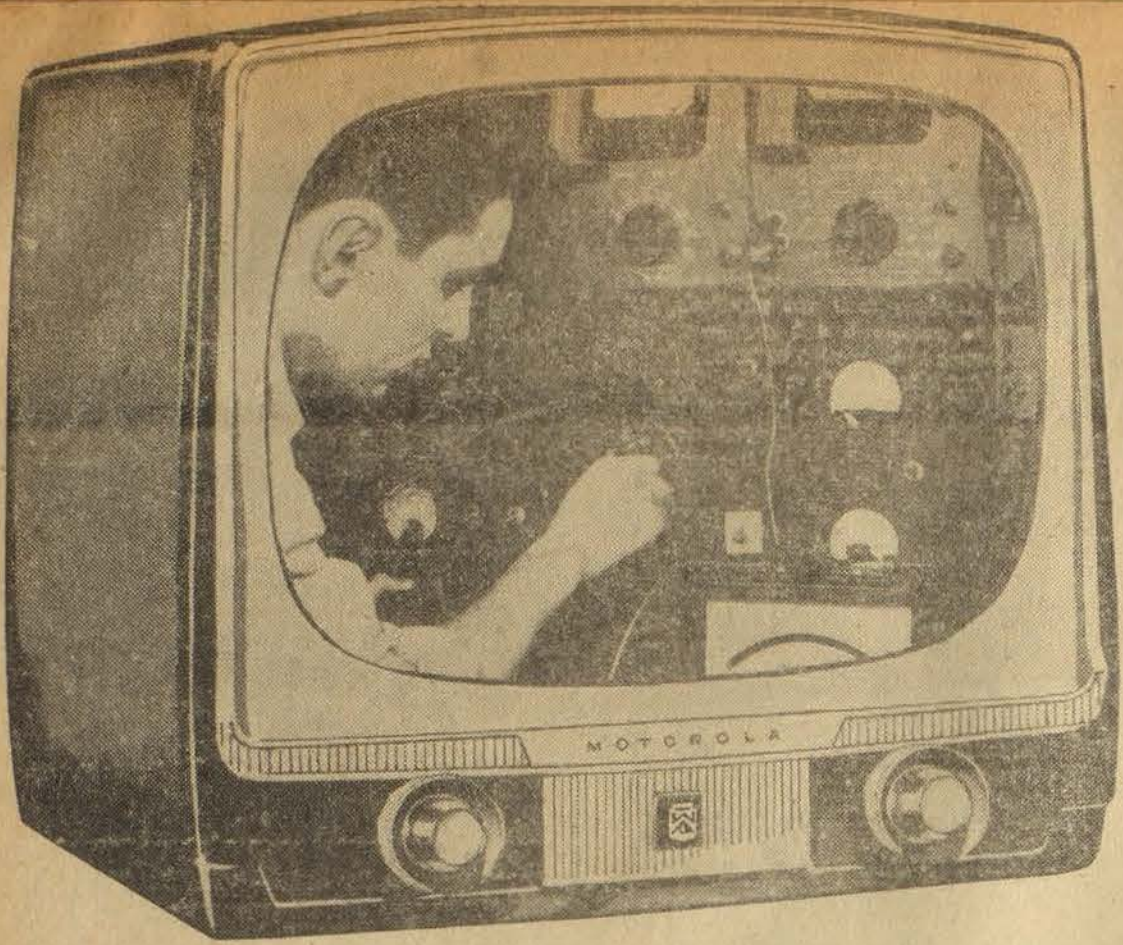
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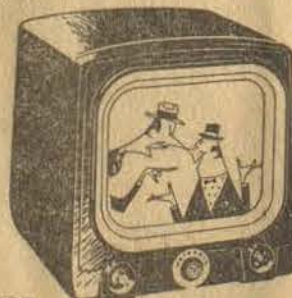
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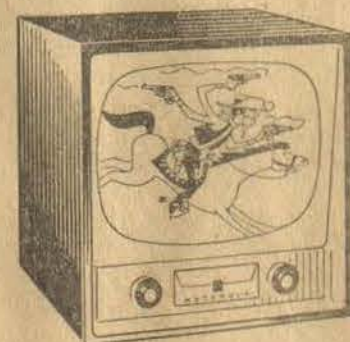
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