

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

FEBRUARY 11, 1954

This Town—
That World

PLANT FUND
TO TOP GOAL
TODAY, BELIEF

Mayor Wires Company
Community Is Ready
To Supply Building

Mayor Curtis Clark expressed confidence today (Thursday) that the entire \$150,000 sought locally for the purchase of a site and construction of a building for an industrial operation here will be subscribed by end of the day.

As of Wednesday afternoon, \$138,000 had been pledged.

Mayor Clark said he had wired the Dura Electric Lamp Bulb Manufacturing Company that funds needed to supply a site and building for its plant are ready and that the community is ready to go ahead with the project.

He has received no further word from the company, however. Last week, it was said selection of a site had narrowed to two communities, Prestonsburg and Hazard.

Business leaders here are going ahead with the fund-raising campaign on the theory that the community will be strengthened in its search for new industry, even if the plant presently proposed locates elsewhere. "If we lose this," Mayor Clark said, "we will still have out of our way the handicap of not having funds ready to guarantee any other manufacturer the community is able and ready to do its part."

Funds subscribed for the site and building would be repaid in rent over a 20-year period with 3% interest.

BLOOD YIELD
HERE CLIMBS

Bloodmobile Call Gains
85 Pints, Although 16
Rejected During Day

But for the rejection of 16 persons who were ready and willing to give blood, the regional Red Cross bloodmobile would have exceeded the 100-pint mark here Monday for the first time in months.

As it was, the visit added 85 pints to the blood supply. One hundred seventeen persons were scheduled as donors, and of these 59 appeared. There were 42 volunteer "walk-ins."

During the day, four persons became members of the "Gallon Club" after having given during the blood procurement work here eight pints of blood. They are Mrs. Shirley Hughes, Harry Sandige, Robert S. Wellman and W. E. Wells. An even earlier member of the Gallon Club here is Alex Howard.

Fifteen persons who never before had given blood appeared as donors

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Says Contest Story
Erred As To Tucker

Commenting on The Times' recent story on the Newsom-Moore contest suit testimony, Charles George Tucker, of Melvin, asserted last week that he did not buy any votes and did not receive any money from any source. Mr. Tucker pointed out the published report was erroneous in that it indicated he received money from Reed Johnson.

GROWING OF STRAWBERRIES
OFF TO START IN COUNTY

Orders for 20,000 strawberry plants have been given to County Agent O. E. Bogge, he said this week. The plant orders and a part of the program to establish this county as a strawberry producing area. These plants are sufficient for four acres, Bogge says.

Community planning meets are being held in an effort to enlist farmers to grow the berries. Friday evening, Feb. 12, at 7:30 p. m., a meeting will be held at Walter Hall's store at the mouth of Mare Creek. Other meets are planned, but the time has not been set for them.

End of all the community planning meets will bring a county-wide meet at the courthouse here Feb. 17 at 1 p. m. Clifford Wills, president of the Licking Valley Strawberry Cooperative, will be present as well as a strawberry specialist of the Extension Service. The total acreage pledged to production will at that time be known and if it is sufficient to justify a cooperative, one will be formed.

Plants are scarce this year but the Licking Valley Cooperative is holding plants available for this

Industrial Survey Team Here Today

Ten Registrants Leave
Wednesday for Induction

Ten Floyd draft registrants left Wednesday morning for army induction, and four of the group were volunteers.

Those volunteering were: Troy Donald Calhoun, West Prestonsburg; Cecil Edward Hyden, Cliff; Lonzo Miller, West Prestonsburg; Orris Flannery, Prestonsburg.

The remaining six were: Z. L. Newsome, Teaberry; Robert Lee Burchett, Lancer; William Robert Gilbert, Jr., Wheelwright; James Robert Fields, Wheelwright; Euhlan Ray Akers, Dana, and Douglas Cleon Jones, Drift.

COAL MINING
IN 14% DROP

On Basis of '53 Figures,
Association Says; Even
'Captive' Mines Lose

Coal production of the mines represented by the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators Association decreased 14.2 percent in January under the same period last year, according to a report of the Association this week. This percentage decrease represented 145,370 tons of coal. Total tonnage this year reached 875,000 tons by Jan. 30 but the figure for January last year was 1,020,870 tons.

The week ending Jan. 30, 4530.2 cars of 50 tons each were loaded by the mines that have a daily rated capacity of 1328 cars. Average days of each week worked in January this year increased to 4.03 from 3.51 last year.

Branch Mining Company, Johnson Mining Company and Glo Valley Coal Company are reported by the Association as temporarily closed.

Even the captive mines are slumping from last year's production. Last January these operators loaded 3757.8 cars but this January only 3294.3 cars were loaded or a difference of 463 cars. Truck operators are still lagging in production. Last January they loaded 295.2 cars but the same period this year only 131 cars were loaded.

COLLINS SAYS
HELP LACKING

Says Refusal To Swear
To Search Writs Hurt;
Hits at 'Wild' Rumors

Sheriff Gorman Collins was complaining this week of the citizens who want bootleg establishments raided but refused to swear out a search warrant or even give their name. Collins says he receives "bales of letters," the majority unsigned, complaining of bootlegging and, sometimes, a house where prostitutes gather, but nobody offers to aid the law with a search warrant. Persons even call him on the phone to offer information but will not give their names.

Collins said that sometimes it is possible, after arresting a person on a drunken charge, to induce him to swear out a warrant. This will result, however, in little effect on bootlegging, he added.

"The officers here don't belong to the officeholders. These officers belong to the people. The people can help run them by cooperating with the officeholders. The search and seizure laws are so designed to guard a man's home, and we can't enter to search without a warrant. This is where the people can help," the Sheriff said.

One search warrant for a Garrett place of business failed its purpose Monday when conversation of deputy sheriffs was overheard at Martin. Deputies in an auto driven by Frank Crum chased at 80-mile-an-hour speed Howard Stone from Martin to Garrett where Stone arrived, four minutes ahead of the officers. Search of the place under suspicion yielded nothing. Stone was jailed here and fined \$30.50, including court costs, for reckless driving. Sheriff Collins said he was told other charges could not be filed against Stone, although officers chasing him said he raced through school zones and passed at least one car at an intersection.

In a statement issued Wednesday to the public Sheriff Collins said:

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SURPLUS FOOD
HANDLING NOT
YET ARRANGED

In Floyd, One of Several
Counties Listed for Aid
As Unemployment Result

County Judge Henry Stumbo said Thomas A. Lewis, director of the Division of Commodity Distribution, State Department of Agriculture, called at his office in his absence, Wednesday, during a swing through the counties affected by the unemployment situation. Still, details of the plan and the date when foodstuffs may be expected are not known. Lewis indicated foodstuffs designated for this county may be shipped to Pikeville, and from there returned to this county for distribution.

Details of the handling of surplus foodstuffs to be distributed to the needy in this county through federal and state channels had not been worked out this week, it was said at the office of County Judge Henry Stumbo.

The decision to send surplus food into Eastern Kentucky was announced late last week.

Governor Wetherby announced that the Division of Commodity Distribution of the State Department of Agriculture will allocate commodities to families whose need is certified by county welfare directors.

Commodities available for distribution are creamery butter, canned beef and gravy, natural cheddar cheese, and nonfat dry milk solids. It is unknown how long these foods will be available. Other commodities might be received later.

Distribution of the food was arranged by Wetherby, Senator Earle C. Clements, Congressman Carl Perkins, Hindman, whose represents the Seventh District, and Commissioner of Agriculture Ben S. Adams.

Wetherby said conditions are worst in the counties of Pike, Letcher, Floyd and Perry. He said there are hundreds of families who need food in these and other East Kentucky counties where coal mines have been closing down.

The Governor's office, and agencies at Washington, have received numerous telephone calls from county officials in this section asking for food for unemployed miners and their families.

Procedure for obtaining the surplus commodities is this:

The Division of Commodity Distribution must have an agreement with welfare directors before foodstuffs can be allotted to counties. The welfare directors must arrange

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TWO FROM COUNTY BRAVED
GUNS TO VOTE FOR "ABE"



LINDSAY LAYNE

Two men voted for Abraham Lincoln for president in 1860 in the party at Baltimore the preceding summer, dissidents of the party of Jefferson had met in the same city in May and nominated John Bell of Tennessee for president and Edward Everett of Massachusetts for vice-president. The Bell group took the name Constitutional Union party and carried Kentucky by a substantial majority.

Floyd county was a seething cauldron of political division in 1860. In the Laynesville precinct lived adherents of the north and south. James S. Layne, father of Lindsay, was a slaveholder but

Prominent Oil, Gas Man
Succumbs at Allen Home;
Was Madison-Co. Native

J. C. Kindred, who for years had figured prominently in independent development of oil and gas properties in this section, died at 1 a. m., Sunday, at his home in Allen, victim of a heart attack. He was 67 years old, and had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. Kindred was a native of Madison county, Ky., the son of the late Curtis and Lily Owen Kindred, and had resided at Allen since 1941. He had been a member of the Christian Church 45 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Pearl Davenport Kindred, two brothers, Ray Kindred, Lexington, and Roscoe Kindred, Dallas, Texas, and one sister, Mrs. N. E. Kyle, Latonia, Ky.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday afternoon from the Allen Baptist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Bert Caldwell, officiating. The body was taken to Harrodsburg, Ky., where burial was made Wednesday in City cemetery, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

WOMAN FILES
\$25,000 SUIT

Alleges Indictment
On Cold Check Was
Malicious Action

Emily Lyons, of Allen, filed suit in circuit court here last Wednesday, claiming of Chappell's Dairy, its president, J. F. Chappell, and a dairy employe, Fred Schwartz, \$25,000 damages, alleging malicious prosecution by them on a cold check charge.

The Allen woman in her complaint, which was prepared by Atty. Joe Hobson, stated that she was indicted by the Harlan circuit court grand jury in January, 1952 on a charge of uttering a \$704.94 worthless check with intent to defraud. This indictment, it is alleged, was made on evidence produced by Schwartz at the direction of Chappell's and its president.

She claims the evidence given the grand jury was false and malicious and that the defendant knew at the time the indictment was made that she had not committed the offense charged in the indictment. The case, the complaint adds, was continued from time to time and no effort was made to have it tried or disposed of until Mrs. Lyons' attorney asked a trial at the May, 1953 court term. The case was continued till October, 1953, with Circuit Judge Astor Hogge serving notice to all parties the case would be tried at that time. On Oct. 9, 1953 the case was dismissed on motion of the Commonwealth's Attorney for lack of prosecution.

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MOTHER OF SEVEN, FIRST
WOMAN IN 'GALLON CLUB'



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by The Times
Mrs. A. H. Mandt, (left) Floyd blood procurement chairman, awards Mrs. Mary Boggs the pin distinguishing her as the first Floyd woman to become a member of the blood program's "Gallon Club."

"Financially, I'm unable to help, but by giving blood I can," Mrs. Mary Boggs, 49-year-old mother of seven, said here Monday after receiving from Mrs. A. H. Mandt, county blood procurement chairman, the pin which marks her as the first Floyd woman to have given eight pints of blood since the bloodmobile began coming into this county.

The Drift woman, wife of a long-disabled miner, is not one to require solicitation for a blood contribution, either. She has never signed a donor card. She made her first trip to the blood procurement station at Martin as a volunteer on the second visit of the bloodmobile there, and she has been going back ever since—the last two times by bus, paying her own way.

She became the first woman of the county to be a member of the Gallon Club when she gave her eighth pint of blood at Martin, last December. Her emblem of service she wore proudly while others gave blood at the Methodist Church here, Monday. "I'm just proud to be able to help," she said. "Giving blood has never hurt me, and I know it will help others."

Mrs. Boggs and her husband, Walter, have lived at Drift since

SIGN LEASE
ON BUILDING

Action Brings Belief
Health Study Center
Location Here Near

Location of Prestonsburg as the center for the proposed U. S. Public Health Service survey of intestinal-borne diseases in this area became more of a certainty with the receipt here last Friday by Drs. George P. Archer and John G. Archer, of a lease on the old Prestonsburg General hospital building in West Prestonsburg.

The lease, providing for extensive alterations in the interior of the structure, was signed and returned Saturday by the Archers to D. J. Schieissman, Atlanta, Ga., assistant chief technologist, Division of Public Health Education, U. S. Public Health Service.

Plans for the remodeling work were received by the Archers Wednesday

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Hit-Run Driver
Blamed in Crash
As Osborne Hurt

A hit-run truck driver is believed to have struck the car driven by Emory Osborne, 24, Ivel, last Sunday evening and started it in a plunge over the road embankment at the mouth of Mare Creek on U. S. 23. His back broken, Osborne kicked out a window of the car and crawled toward the highway. Roy Stratton, passing about an hour later, around 9 p. m., saw his head lifted above the roadside and took the injured man to the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin.

Residents near the scene of the accident heard a noise at 8 p. m., but thinking it was made by a car suddenly swinging into the Mare Creek road, did not investigate. Next morning, an Ohio truck license tag was found near the scene and it is thought it fell from the truck that struck Osborne's car. Osborne said he was struck from behind and the sudden push caused him to lose

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GROUP MEETS
WITH LEADERS
ON AREA NEED

New Industry, Possible
Result of Study Made;
Surplus Labor Studied

The Commerce Department survey of industrial facilities and economic opportunities in Kentucky labor surplus areas got under way Monday morning in a joint meeting at Frankfort between officials of the Department and representatives of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce and the Commonwealth's Agricultural and Industrial Development Board, it was announced by Senator John Sherman Cooper.

The survey party will arrive in Prestonsburg for a conference at 2 p. m. today (Thursday). Senator Cooper notified Mayor Curtis Clark. The survey, designed to help solve the unemployment in Eastern Kentucky areas, was ordered by Commerce Secretary Weeks at the personal request of Senator Cooper. In a letter to Governor Wetherby announcing the prospective departure of the survey team, the Secretary of Commerce said:

"The problem was brought to my attention by Senator John Sherman Cooper. Several of his suggestions for dealing with conditions were discussed by him with Assistant Secretary Teator and myself. At the Senator's request, I directed a group of specialists from the Department's Area Development Division to make an examination. The members will arrive soon, and will avail them-

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ALLEN WRECK
CLAIMS TWO

Huntington Man Dies
Instantly, Injuries
Claim Wife, Monday

A Huntington, W. Va., man was instantly killed and his wife was fatally injured Sunday afternoon when their auto left U. S. 23, a short distance above Allen, and plunged approximately 100 feet to the river's edge.

George Delbert Davis, 66, guard at the Sylvania plant in Huntington, died of a crushed skull. Mrs. Davis, 70, succumbed to internal injuries at Memorial hospital, Huntington, Tuesday morning. Mrs. Davis sustained a broken arm and was not believed to be in critical condition when removed from the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin to the Huntington hospital, Monday, by Hall Funeral Home ambulance.

Cause of the wreck is unknown. The couple was driving toward Virginia for a visit with relatives at the time of the tragedy. Davis' body was taken to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home. Joint funeral rites were held Wednesday at the Central Methodist Church, Huntington, and burial was made in Ridgeland cemetery there.

Surviving are two sons, Fred Davis, of Huntington, and Homer Davis, of Maryland; three daughters, Mrs. John Woods and Mrs. Guy Smith, of Huntington, and Mrs. W. L. Bartley, of Norton, Va., and seven grandchildren. Mrs. Davis' surviving sisters are Mrs. Albert

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Killing of Third Deer
Leads to Investigation

Killing of the third deer of a herd of 20 released about two months ago in the Dewey Lake game refuge resulted last week in an intensive investigation involving one or more residents of Martin county.

The deer, John W. Redwine, Hager Hill, supervisor of the Seventh conservation district, said, apparently had been killed at Christmas-time. He and other enforcement officials learned of the violation only last week. Mr. Redwine and seven conservation officers spent all day Friday in the area where remains of the deer were found, picking up scattered bits of evidence.

"We're positive we know who killed the deer, but we still lack the eyewitness evidence we want before going into court," Mr. Redwine said this week.

Between 15 and 20 Martin countians will be summoned for a grand jury investigation at Inez. The deer was killed in the head of Wolf Creek, a stream which heads up against Johns Creek, impoundment of which forms the lake. Head and feet of the deer were found beneath a pile of rocks. A reward of \$100 has been posted by the Floyd County Fish & Game

Club for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons guilty of killing deer, and Martin county sportsmen have offered a \$20 reward. Redwine told Martin county citizens a total of \$120 reward will be paid for information resulting in an arrest and conviction in the Martin county case.

The other two deer killed were victims of dogs in the vicinity of the Brandy Keg Cove. Several of the deer released in the refuge have been seen in the Wolf Creek section, officers were told.

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VACATIONING IN FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Alex L. Davidson left Sunday for Ft. Pierce, Fla., where they will spend the next two months.

CUB SCOUT BANQUET

The annual Blue and Gold banquet of Cub Pack 6 will be held at the Presbyterian Church, Monday evening, February 22. All Cub Scouts and their parents are invited to attend.

Dr. H. C. Salisbury, Jr.

DENTIST

Offices in Layne Bldg.
Office Phone 2676 Res. Phone 2612

CRITICALLY ILL

Relatives here and at Pikeville were summoned to the Veterans Hospital, Huntington, Monday, to the bedside of Tom Fitzpatrick, who formerly resided here. His condition is serious after having suffered a heart attack. Mrs. C. M. Bowers, a sister, became ill on arrival, suffering from ptomaine poisoning after eating lunch en route. Another sister, Mrs. Walter Walters, Pikeville, was affected by the same food. Mrs. Bowers was hospitalized at Ironton, Ohio, where Mr. Fitzpatrick lives. Mr. Bowers left Tuesday to visit her in Ironton.

STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL

Among the students who returned to their studies after a week's vacation at home, were Floyd Arnold Mann, Billy Webb, Nancy Spurlock, Betsy Spurlock, Carlos Horn, Bonnie Wells, Nora Ann Davis, Quentin Allen, Paggy Jo Spradlin, Barbara Jean Hale.

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Stephens-Luedeke Vows To Be Said Here Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Stephens announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dora Elizabeth, to Mr. Virgil Luedeke, at an open ceremony, Sunday, February 15, at 2:30 p.m., at their home on Maple avenue. The Rev. A. C. Harlowe will officiate. No formal invitations are being issued, but friends and relatives of the family are cordially invited to attend. A reception will follow the ceremony.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steinau, of Louisville, announce the birth on Jan. 26 of their second child, a daughter — Claudia Ann. Mrs. Steinau is the former Alka Hopson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson, of Prestonsburg.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Charlie Hall honored her sister, Mrs. Arnold R. Moore, with a miscellaneous shower at her home near Lancer, Saturday evening, Feb. 6. Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Whit.

Indoor games were played and refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jarrell, Rev. and Mrs. Ira McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Derossett, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hurd, Mrs. Troy Whit, Mrs. Woodrow Hurd, Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mrs. Goldie Stapleton, Miss Joyce Terry, Miss Flo Weddington, Miss Christine Darby, Miss Emogene Darby, Linda Hall, Katie and Bucky Jarrell.

Mrs. Moore received many useful gifts.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SECOND DAUGHTER

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Tackett announce the birth on February 3, at Camp Stoneman Army hospital, of their second daughter, Joni Dionne. Mrs. Tackett is the former Emmalene Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall. Lt. Tackett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Sr., and is now stationed with the Judge Adjutant's office at Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Society Notes

DINNER GUESTS

Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer entertained with a buffet dinner, Friday evening at six o'clock, at their home on Arnold avenue. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis, Mr. and Mrs. James Camiecia, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Frazier.

Mrs. James Salisbury and daughters, of Martin, were here shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Betty Keathley Hall, Martin, was here shopping, Monday.

Mrs. James Archer, Paintsville, was calling on relatives here this week-end and shopping.

Miss Flotina Elam, of McDowell, was shopping here Saturday.

Mrs. Lida Cottrell and Mrs. Joe Hobson spent the first of the week in Ashland, where Mrs. Cottrell received medical treatment. They returned home Wednesday with Mrs. Fred Cottrell and Betsy, who went to Ashland to accompany them here.

Mrs. Petry and daughter, Faye, Wayland, were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Petry, Saturday.

Miss Anna Belle Falin and her mother, Wayland, were shopping here, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice invited relatives here Tuesday evening.

Miss Nora Ann Davis returned to Louisville, Sunday, to resume her studies. She spent the mid-year vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis, on Abbott Road.

John C. Hopkins, Jr., Lexington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr.

Mrs. J. C. Hager, Van Lear, spent several days here this week with Mrs. Earle A. Stumbo and Mrs. Kate Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and children spent the week-end at Jackson and Hazard visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Taulbee, Mr. and Mrs. John Jett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vance, Pikeville, stopped here for a while Tuesday enroute to New York for a business trip.

Mrs. Marion Wilson and Mrs. W. V. Bunting were in Pikeville, Tuesday, on business.

Mrs. Betty Greene, Lima, Ohio, and Mrs. Martin Wallen, Warsaw, Ind., were here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Modena Hodges arrived last week from Okalona, Miss., for a two-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Camiecia and family on Central avenue.

Mrs. Rebecca Dingsu entertained to supper Monday evening, Mrs. J. C. Hager, Van Lear, and Mrs. Grace D. Ford.

Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., and daughter, Vickie Baker, are in Florida visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holliday, for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Howard and baby son have returned to Lexington after a week's visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sutphin will move within the next few days to Lexington, where Mr. Sutphin has enrolled as a student at the University of Kentucky.

Pvt. A. L. Green, of Ft. Knox, Ky., is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Green, of West Prestonsburg. He has completed basic training with the Third Armored Division.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Maggard, of Ledford, Va., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Green.

WESTMINSTER GUILD MET MONDAY

Miss Mary Martha Williams, president of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church, was hostess to the guild at her home on Graham street, Monday evening. Miss Williams conducted the devotionals. At the business session, a committee was appointed to assist the auxiliary at "Open House" of the manse to be given later. Miss Hazel Hill and Miss Sylvia Helen Davis will serve on the committee. The guild will maintain the powder-room in the church where remodeling has been completed.

Expenses of one child will be paid to summer camp by the Society next summer. Mrs. Anita Krazer will assist Mrs. E. R. Burke with revival of the choir in the future. The program "Christ Calls us to Witness in Our Community", was ably given by Miss Sarah Clay Stephens. A dessert course was served to Mesdames D. K. Goble, Belvard Friend, Anita Krazer, Tom Allen, Orville Cooley, Hubbard Francis, Miss Alma Collins, Hazel Hill, Catherine Reed, Sylvia Helen Davis, Mary Belle Layne, Daisy Miller, Mary Martha Williams, Sarah Clay Stephens.

ENJOYS 79th BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Willis entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting and Mrs. Minnie Lindy, Petersburg, Indiana, to dinner, February 8 at six o'clock at their home on Richmond street. The occasion was the 79th birthday of Mrs. Lindy, the mother of Mrs. Willis. A birthday cake centered the dining table. Gifts were placed around it. Happy returns of the day were extended to her by all.

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The Wesleyan Service Guild met at the home of Mrs. Geo. P. Archer, Jan. 26, when Mrs. Keith Barts presented an inspirational program on "Christianity in Southwest Asia." She was assisted by Mesdames Mae K. Roberts, Sue May and Marian Wilson.

Members present were Mesdames Elizabeth Collins, Carlos Haywood, Marian Wilson, Sue May, Carmen Strahan, Irene Stephens, Regina Mayo, Mae K. Roberts, Fanny Runnels, Vada Barts, Miss Agatha Oppenheimer and the hostess, Mrs. Archer.

BAKE SALE

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold a bake sale Saturday, starting at 10 a.m., at Layne & Layne's Insurance office on First avenue.

MANY HEAR HARP TRIO

A number of family concert members from here were privileged to hear the excellent harp trio at the Paintsville high school, Monday evening. Among those from here attending were Mesdames Everett Sowards, Winnie F. Johns, George H. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stephens, Gwynn Ford, Russell Pelphry, Joe A. Spradlin, W. W. Cooley, and Mrs. Keith Barts, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Nicey Kinney, Betty Hale; Misses Margaret E. May, Jessica Ann Smiley, Alice Harris, Joyce Mae, Patty Pelphry, Winnie Sue Cooley, Laura Virginia Roberts, Barbara May, Mary Jo Shivel, Margaret Ann Collins, Harold Cooley, Roger Marshall.

CALLED HERE BY DEATH

Mrs. Tom Turner and Miss Bonnie Martin were called here from Waynesboro, Va., by the death of H. H. Stumbo, who died at Minnie last Friday after a long illness. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Earle A. Stumbo while here.

D. A. R. WILL OBSERVE LINCOLN DAY

Mrs. Bess S. May and Mrs. Harry Sandige were co-hostesses to the John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. May on Second avenue. Mrs. Gwynn Ford, the regent, presided.

At the business session the application of Mrs. G. R. Spradlin was presented for membership in the Revolutionary service of John Fitzpatrick. The treasurer was instructed to order two D. A. R. grave markers for deceased members. Letters were read from Senator Clements and Frances Barrett Lucas, National Defence chairman, acknowledging receipt of the petition sent by the chapter in regard to the Bricker amendment.

Mrs. Tom James, radio chairman said that a Lincoln Day program will be broadcast Friday, Feb. 12, at 12 noon. The speaker, Claude P. Stephens, will present an interesting talk on Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday folks on this date. Mrs. Gwynn Ford will introduce Mr. Stephens. Elected as delegates to the State convention which convenes at the Brown Hotel in Louisville, March 2-3-4-5, were Mesdames Gwynn Ford, Winnie S. Johns, Grace D. Ford, O. T. Stephens, Osa F. Ligon, Jo M. Davidson, Everett H. Sowards, Claude P. Stephens, Lida D. Spradlin, Harry Sandige.

Mrs. Tom James presented an interesting and educational program on folk music. She read a paper on origin of folk music and dance written by Henry P. Scaif, who could not attend. Mrs. O. T. Stephens spoke on old Hymns and Spirituals, reading many articles and songs written by her niece, Sarah Helen Hubbard, of Gallion, O. Miss Margaret Bradford Boni, composer of folk songs and spirituals, held an interesting part in this program.

Concluding the program, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens read the article written by Henry P. Scaif, "Sometimes a Phantom Dog Howled at Yuletide, and Death Followed."

During the refreshment and social hour following, Mrs. James played records of folk music.

Members present were Mesdames Gwynn Ford, John Hensley, Everett Sowards, Winnie F. Johns, Claude P. Stephens, Olga M. Latta, Bess S. May, Harry Sandige, O. T. Stephens, Lida D. Spradlin, Jo M. Davidson, M. J. Leete, Osa F. Ligon, Grace D. Ford, Miss Laura Virginia Roberts and Miss Barbara May were guests.

Famous Duo Piano Team To Be Presented Here

The first in a series of Family Concerts will be presented here Thursday, February 25, when Nelson & Neal, noted Australian-American duo piano team appear at the Grade school auditorium, under the sponsorship of the Community Concert Series. The well-known team has toured the United States for several years with outstanding success.

"We're proud to be able to present this program for our membership," said R. V. May, president of the newly formed organization, "and we feel sure that it will appeal to all ages."

CHERUB CHOIR TO SING

The newest addition to the music program of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist church is a Cherub Choir composed of more than 20 boys and girls between the ages of four and eight years. This new group is under the direction of Mrs. Ira McMillen, Jr., and will sing at the morning service next Sunday, according to an announcement by the pastor this week.

The choir has been organized only three weeks. Plans call for the group to sing at one morning service and one night service each month during the year. Rehearsals are held each Friday afternoon from 2:30 until 3 o'clock at the church. Parents who are interested in their children appearing in the choir may bring their children at that time.

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Woodrow Collins and Anna B. Spears, Emil Slone and Nancy Lee Ratliff, Richard Elkins and Nora Mae Rorer, Leander Miller and Rennie Ethel Meadows, Rufus E. Prater and Willie W. Bennett, Haswell Smallwood and Elsie Collins.

Farmers in Laurel county will set 360 acres of strawberry plants this spring.

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nesday, and it is possible work will be started this week.

In addition to interior painting and general renovation, the work will include removal of partitions on the first floor, elimination of linen and laundry rooms and space for sinks used in the hospital and this space converted into rest rooms, preparation for a laboratory on the second floor and numerous other changes.

W. D. Patton, Prestonsburg contractor, has been employed to do the work.

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"Since taking over the sheriff's office wild rumors to the effect that I have men who collect from bootleggers or abet the bootlegging so rife in this county. Stories are being circulated that some of my friends have approached Veterans' clubs with propositions to let them bootleg upon the payment of a fee. I know these rumors are being circulated to injure me and the administration of my office in the minds of the public.

"I have been repeatedly approached by men who wanted to bootleg under paid protection from my office. It has been necessary to firmly inform several persons that I will not tolerate protection of the bootlegger, but will use every means at my command to bring him to justice. If anyone brings you a wild rumor, it is your duty to inform me of it. I know how to deal with anyone using my name in an effort to protect the nefarious occupation of bootlegging.

"I have political enemies like every man in office. I know that some of these rumors originate with them, that they have planned to defame my character and destroy the people's confidence in my administration for purely political reasons. I have a duty to enforce the law that I intend to do. Any one circulating reports I am offering protection to the bootleggers is an enemy to law enforcement and decent government."

CPL WELLS IN KOREA

3D DEV. IN KOREA—Cpl. Ralph E. Wells, 22, whose wife, Helen, lives in Bonanza, Ky., is serving with the 3d Infantry Division in Korea.

The "Rock of the Marne" division which saw bitter fighting in the Iron Triangle and at Outpost Harry, is now training as part of the U. S. security force on the peninsula.

Corporal Wells, son of Mrs. Nancy D. Wells, 216 S. Main, Winchester, entered the Army in April, 1952, and arrived in Korea last September from Fort Dix, N. J.

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GOOD TIMING?

The stork has been in another race, and this time it was with an insurance company. It seems the family had health and accident insurance, and one of the provisions of the policy was that the company was not liable for illness incident to a maternity case unless 10 months had elapsed from the date of issuance of the policy.

The expiration of this "waiting period" was approaching. So was the stork. The excluded period expired on the stroke of midnight, and the long-legged bird arrived exactly three minutes later. Oh, happy day!

The insurance company paid off after the family doctor certified to the exact time of the birth. Can't you just see that stork hunting a stiff head-wind to slow him (or is it her?) down till the clock struck twelve?

BOTH LOADED

Then there is the story of the oldtimer who had a grandfather clock which he prized beyond all his other possessions. When the family decided to move to another house in the city he would not permit the treasured clock to be loaded onto a truck with the other household belongings; insisted, instead, on carrying it himself to wherever they were going.

No, he didn't drop the clock. He just ran into a drunk. It was at a busy intersection. Grandpa staggered hurriedly across with his burden, and the drunk staggered across with his load. And they met.

Startled by what he saw, the inebriated citizen looked up and remarked, "Don't know as it's any my business, my friend, but I'd like to inquire—why in the heck don't you get a wrist watch?"

A sign of spring as infallible as the robin: The cheeping of young chickens and a certain odor around postoffices that hails not from Araby the blest.

A 44-YEAR RECORD

This may be a Floyd county record. We'll be glad to hear about any that has it beat. It is the period of time Clayborne Bailey, well-known Justell man, has been a notary public without a break in his years of service. Last Friday, he filed with the Secretary of State application for his eleventh four-year appointment. Mr. Bailey received his first notary commission in 1914—back when a notary in the community was truly appreciated—from Governor McCreary. Until the present administration, all notary commissions were signed by the Governor. Mr. Bailey's new commission will be issued by the Secretary of State.

Nobody said anything about taking time by for the forelock, but that disabled Beckley, W. Va., miner, who used his last UMWA pension check for the purchase of moonshine still equipment wasn't depending on anybody to loan him the wherewithal to get started. It doesn't say here if he saved enough to pay his fine and keep the family while he is away from home serving a jail sentence after having been caught with a gallon of his product.

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selves of the cooperation which you offer. I know this cooperation will be most helpful and necessary to us, and I believe that our joint efforts will result in help for the people of Kentucky."

The survey is headed by Victor A. Roterus, chief of the Area Development Division, Business and Defense Services Administration of the Department of Commerce. Members of the party will discuss with responsible community and business leaders the problems of each labor surplus area and try to develop facts which will lead to increased participation in government contracts and to the location of new industry in Kentucky.

These stops were listed for the survey party:

Tuesday afternoon—Middlesboro, with leaders there and from Barbourville and Pineville.

Tuesday morning—Corbin, for conferences with leaders there and from other cities including Williamsburg, Manchester, and London.

Wednesday Morning—Harlan, with leaders there and from Hyden.

Wednesday afternoon—Hazard.

Thursday morning—Pikeville, with leaders there and from Barbourville and Pineville.

Thursday afternoon—Prestonsburg, with leaders there and from Salyersville, and West Liberty.

Friday morning—Beattyville.

Friday afternoon—Irvine.

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control of his car. The rear of his car was smashed.

Osborne is said to be in a critical condition, and was removed Monday to Huntington for treatment by a specialist.

Eli Hall, 51, of Minnie, Victim of Tuberculosis; Burial in Allen Cemetery

Eli Hall, 51, of Minnie, died at 10:30 a.m., February 6, at the Beaver Valley hospital, a victim of tuberculosis. He had been ill for the past four years.

A son of the late John Ireland and A'alfair Bentley Hall, he was a former miner.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Blankenship Hall, and the following sons and daughters: Eli Hall, Jr., Drift, Malcolm, Clifford, and Thomas Hall, all of Minnie, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Drift, and Mrs. Sherman Moore, of Minnie. Also surviving are seven brothers and one sister, Elisha, and Isom Hall, of Orkney, Levi and Johnny Hall, of Drift, Willie and Isaac Hall, of McDowell, Bill Hall, and Mrs. Squire Hamilton, of Ashtabula, O.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Monday, the Revs. Hawk Moore, Troy Nickles, Jerry Hall and Mitchell Chaffins officiating. Burial was made in the George Allen cemetery at Minnie under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Thomas, of California, and Mrs. Bert McLaren, of Lexington, Ky.

Mr. Davis is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Morgan Davis and Mrs. Powell Colley, Dickenson county, Va., Tollie Davis, Mrs. Jenny Owens and Mrs. Nola Davis, all of Norland, Virginia.

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Tom Tussey, 69, Risner, Victim of Heart Ailment; Rites Conducted at Home

Tom Tussey, 69-year-old retired miner, died at 9:30 p.m., February 7, at his home at Risner, the victim of a heart ailment.

He was a son of the late Bill and Lula Ann Tussey, and was married to Ella Prater Tussey, who survives. He had been a member of the United Baptist Church for the past 30 years.

Surviving besides his widow, are two sons, Gordon, of Risner, Grover, in France with the U. S. army; two daughters, Mrs. Sage Frazier, of Risner, Lou Jean, at home, and the following brothers and sisters: Mason Tussey, Plymouth, O., Lindsay Tussey, Mrs. Frank Clark, Mrs. Jim Sammons, all of Garrett, Lewis Tussey, Ashland, and Mrs. Ernie Clark, of David.

Funeral services were conducted from the home at 10 a.m. Wednesday, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Banner Manns, and Alex Coburn officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Oma Jarrell, 69, Dies At West P'burg Home

Mrs. Oma Jarrell, 69, died at her home at West Prestonsburg, at 1:25 Tuesday afternoon, of a heart ailment from which she had suffered for the past three months.

She was a daughter of John and Minerva Woods, and the widow of the late Alex Jarrell. Mrs. Jarrell was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving besides her parents, are two sons, Lonnie Jarrell, of Emma, Green Jarrell, of Albion, Mich., and two daughters, Mrs. Cordelia Collins, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Rosie Jarrell, West Prestonsburg. Two sisters, Mrs. Kate Woods, of Emma, and Mrs. Nora Woods Burkett, of Louisa, also survive.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Wednesday morning, it was said by Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Far Short of the Shining Ideal

The bill will probably be enacted by the General Assembly—if it is an Administration measure, as we are told, change that word, "probably" to "certainly"—but it will still fall far short of what we voters were dreaming of when we piled up last fall a quarter-million majority for a minimum education foundation for Kentucky.

One provision of the bill is particularly objectionable in the light of that shining ideal that was held before us last November. One of these reads: "The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall, on or before July 1 each year, ascertain for the school year the amount of the per capita account to which each district will be entitled according to the number of children listed in the census nomenclature."

Clements' Bill Would Aid Enforcement

Senator Clements has introduced in the Senate a bill which would require a public listing of all liquor dealers in "dry" counties who purchase a federal stamp for retail liquor dealers.

This sound piece of legislation would require that a list be posted in the main postoffice of the county seat in each county where the sale of liquor is prohibited by state law and would bear the names of all those in that county who had bought a federal stamp.

So would be provided one of the most powerful weapons of law enforcement yet made available. If the dealer in liquor bought, under this legislation, a federal stamp to protect himself from the "revenooers" his name would be available to every peace officer and also to every citizen who might have enough interest in law enforcement to see that the bootlegger is penalized by the government which he is flouting here at home.

At one time 15 to 20 bootleggers in Floyd county were known to have federal stamps as a protection against federal prosecution. After that, they took their chances with state and county. Thus the United States government assured the violators of state and county laws immunity from federal prosecution. The stamps are still available, and in all probability are being purchased.

Then why shouldn't those who are halfway within the law and halfway out be known to the public? Senator Clements said he was prompted to introduce the bill by his long-affirmed belief in the principle of home rule. He argues that the laws of the state of Ken-

tucky give to citizens of the state the right to vote on the wet-dry issue and that, once the issue is resolved, it is the duty of the federal government to respect the result. And why shouldn't it?

What Might Have Been

The Times finds it difficult to set down in so many words its reaction to the news that again surplus food-stuffs will be sent into this section for the relief of needy families.

This newspaper has never been one of those to rail against relief, in whatever form required, when human beings are in need and have no means of meeting the crisis through their own efforts. It realizes the emptiness and irony of those stirring phrases, "rugged individualism" and "free initiative," at a time when children are hungry. It approves the spirit of federal and state agencies which recognize human needs and do something about it.

But we cannot resist the temptation to compare this pitiful situation with what might have been—with what would have been infinitely better if it could have been. How much better the people and the country as a whole would have fared, had these great producing sections of the land been afforded a chance for economic survival and their inhabitants an opportunity to earn their own bread!

Surplus foodstuffs are now going to two groups of workers—to farmhands idle because of the farm slump and to miners out of work as mines close or operate only a day or two a week. Necessary as this food is, it is an economic loss. It will keep body and soul together, and no more. It will add nothing to the national or local economy. It will develop nothing in the way of tax revenues to pay the cost of federal, state and local governments.

Could not farm and mine products be shipped overseas,—given away, if necessary, in lieu of cash,—by the federal government in its program to aid foreign countries and curb the spread of communism, and at the same time provide work for men on the farms and in the mines? The need for work in the sorely affected areas of this country would thus be filled; good, American citizens who seek a chance to work and not charity would be given employment and independence—and the needs of our foreign friends still would be filled.

Naturally, we think of the Big Sandy, our own people, when thought of crises such as this arises. We could enumerate what we think would have prevented the present emergency and stabilize the economy of the section, but none of steps on the list has been taken and none appears to be an immediate possibility. We refer to lower freight rates on coal, the barring of cheap residual oil importation in competition with coal, the canalization of the Big Sandy river and the locating of new industries, including plants pertaining to the national defense, in the valley.

Some of these things will some day come to pass, but in the interval between this date and that hoped-for time people must live. And living on the largess of government is not their idea of the pursuit of happiness in the richest country on earth.

DAMS WON'T CLOSE

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8.—U. S. Engineers have assured Kentucky officials here that they have no intention of closing locks and dams on the upper reaches of the Kentucky River in Eastern Kentucky, according to Joseph H. Taylor, executive director of the Agricultural and Industrial Development Board. Brig. Gen. C. H. Chorpene, U. S. Army Engineer, assured both Senator Earle C. Clements and Taylor that no such steps were contemplated immediately, but on the contrary, that substantial improvements will be undertaken on the River above Lock No. 4 during the coming year. The improvements are being undertaken because of the prospect of increased commercial use of the river facilities, according to General Chorpene.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, Floyd County Times: The time has come that we must do something to preserve our livelihood in the area where we now live, which of course we all love as it is our native homeland, the place we grew up in the good old mountains of Kentucky in the Big Sandy Valley where wealth by the millions abound, yet we can not make it a wealth unto ourselves as we have no way of moving this wealth so as to create a profit for us all.

The time is ripe for us all to push for a means of moving this vast wealth our mountains have in store for us, which is the finest, highest grade coal in the land. Now is the time our government is in position to help us from our plight. By canalization of the Big Sandy River. It is noted with appreciation Congressman Carl D. Perkins, of Hindman, just recently went to bat in our behalf before the House of Representatives in Washington, stressing the need of help to the people in Eastern Kentucky, stating the need of canalization of the Big Sandy, that it would relieve unemployment in this area.

It is also noted our President outlines his steps toward strengthening the economy, his sixth step being as follows—make improvements in planning of public works programs. This, my friend, ties in with the thinking of our Congressman. This is the time for us to tie our thoughts in to the same thinking, and to push for the thing most needed for the good of our living.

Those who were once opposed to canalization of the valley will not be again, as they are not making any gains under the present method of movement.

The railway should be for it as they would benefit from revenue in the valley as well as moving coal from the many long tributaries in the valley into the canal, their business into the valley should increase tremendously, and their revenue from coal would be much greater after canalization, as the handling of coal would be much cheaper, therefore creating a great volume of business and we all would benefit from it.

The unions should be in favor of the project as it is simple to see they would be in much better position with more members than they are with members having to leave for other sources of living and the organization losing strength. It is better for us all to work together in strength figuring profit for all, than it is for a few to work, and in the meantime seeing the whole economy of the territory disintegrate.

We must fight for this project as our own businesses in general are tied in around the business of coal. Coal is our economy, our strength in this area, we have no other livelihood. We must find a means of disposing of it, we must arrange to offer it competitively on the market and make it attractive to the consumer so that we can make a continuous movement of it, and the water system is our means of making it cheap to our consumers. We have the quality, we have the best.

Instead of getting down to the point of looking to charity, we will give to charity.

Instead of being on state and government assistance, we will give to the state and government in revenue.

Instead of leaving our homeland to go to other sections for employment we can remain in our beloved mountains and prosper, and leaving the job we would go away to seek, for some one in another area who needs to work, thereby making it better not only for us but for others, as we would not go into their territory seeking employment.

Observe Anniversary During Floyd Visit

While visiting relatives at Wayland and vicinity recently, Capt. Edmund Castle and Mrs. Castle, the former Betty Brooke, observed their eighth wedding anniversary. They were accompanied on the visit by Janet, one of their four children. Capt. Castle, a son of the late Vernon Castle, of Estill, is an army veteran of 15 years and is now residing on Long Island, where he is with the general staff corps, assigned to naval research. Two months ago, he received his appointment to the Society of Professional Military Inquirers. He entered the army as an infantry private at Ft. Knox, Ky., and served in the European theatre during World War II. A brother, Lt. Richard Castle, was military escort to the King and Queen of Greece during their recent visit to this country.



If You Remember...

The Eastern Kentucky congressman stood beside his desk at home, the dim light scarcely dispelling the shadows of the late hour. Slowly he slit open the day's mail, throwing some of the letters into a tray to examine further or discarding others of no importance. Some were from men who asked for jobs or desired a favor or implored him to run some miscellaneous errand that would serve the more to increase the hectic hours of his crowded days.

The big clock ticked away the minutes, the pile of letters decreased in size. More slowly now he slit the envelopes, pausing only to look at his bed. It was midnight. Well, he would soon be done. He picked up one of the few remaining letters and noted the postmark, Louisville. He slit the edge of the envelope and, unfolding the missive, read the salutation: "My Dear Son." It was a mistake of the postmaster, he thought. He had no parents, they had been dead a long time. His mother had died 18 years before. He took a pencil and wrote on the back of the envelope: "Not for me. Opened but not read." Finishing his nightly task, he went to bed, thinking he would sleep.

Sleep results not merely from the mechanics of getting into bed, of beating down the pillow or adjusting a cover. It demands the exclusion of the day's fretfulness and the denial of any psychic vagaries that intrude from the past. He knew this from long service of difficult days in public life, and as he closed his eyes he cast aside the hectic day, piece by piece, incident by incident, until he came down to the hour of midnight, when he was opening his mail. The task neared completion, welcome drowsiness hovered over him and in a moment he would sleep. He mentally slit the last envelopes of the day's mail. Slowly he handled the letters again until he came upon the one that was not his, that was addressed by some parent to a dear son. There came now vagaries of thought that centered about his mother, the mental fragments synthesizing into an etching of remembrances.

It was 18 years ago when she had died. He had hurried home from Washington to be near her, had stood by her bedside two days and nights. They had talked of the past, of his youthful escapades and his public career. They had always talked this way, of the little things and the big things, but chiefly of the little things of life that are, after all, but a summation of the big things when pieced together. He remembered how she had always written him when he was away, how she wrote of trivial incidents of the day. Those letters had bound him to the earth and her.

She had been a woman of the mountains, hard-working, God-fearing. She had smoked the traditional clay pipe of the hills. Early she had called him Cricket because of his inordinate activity and sprightfulness. When he was in Congress and a national figure she still called him that. In her many letters, although she had addressed the envelope formally for mail delivery, inside, somewhere she called him Cricket.

His thoughts drifted back to the hour of her death. He was standing by her bedside, talk had become intermittent and flecked with many pauses because she was frail and the hour was late indeed. Trying to turn in the bed and falling, her lips moved weakly with the words: "Cricket, if you will get my pipe for me, I think I will smoke, if you will light it for me." He had taken the clay pipe, lighted it at the fireplace and she had tried to smoke. It was no use, she indicated by the weary hand that gave it back to him. Turning her head slightly, she closed her eyes. He sat quietly, thinking she was asleep.

After this remembrance he lingered helplessly in the deep trails of the past. He was at the Galt House in Louisville, managing the gubernatorial campaign for a friend. But the letters always came. Strange, he thought, how he seemed to be moved by something from out of the past, how some psychic prodding always brought him back to the letters, her letters that called him Cricket and were written with distinctiveness by an aged hand. The handwriting, the remembrance of its distinctive drawing caused him to arise from bed and go back to his desk.

DEATH STRIKES AT FIFTY

The alarm went off at 8:30—this was early for us on Sunday morning unless Ben was teaching a Sunday School class out of town. Usually we slept until 8 which gave us plenty of time for a leisurely breakfast and still make Sunday School at 9:45. Ben was superintendent of the Franklin Presbyterian Sunday School.

But this was a special Sunday. Ben was to preach the layman's sermon at the Methodist Church in Hodgenville.

I jumped out of bed and went downstairs to get breakfast. It was a gorgeous spring morning—just the kind that makes one want to sing. Though it was early, our 16-year-old daughter Betty joined us for breakfast. Her father had been on the go so much lately that she took every opportunity to have breakfast with him.

We started our breakfast as usual by joining hands and saying the morning prayer that had been handed down in Ben's family.

Shortly we were in Ben's new car that had been given him on his 50th birthday and left on the 100-mile drive to Hodgenville. I drove all the way to spare Ben and to give him a chance to review his sermon notes.

After a pleasant day spent with friends we returned home with me driving most of the way. Ben slept much of the time, perfectly relaxed. When we went to bed that night the last thing Ben said to me was, "I have a song in my heart—I have never been happier or felt better in my life."

At 4 the next morning Ben was awakened out of a deep sleep with a severe pain in his left chest and extending into his arm. The doctor at once pronounced it a heart attack.

For one month my husband put up a most valiant fight for life. Each day he lived was a miracle. If it were God's will he was ready to go but he prayed for ten more years with his family.

Ben, Jr., came home from the University of Kentucky to be with his father. Ben joked with the children, the nurses and me. Though he was desperately ill, I never gave up hope. There were so many things he had planned to do.

Four weeks after he was stricken, he passed away from this life. Up to this time I hadn't thought much about heart disease. Later I found out he was a perfect example of the kind of person the doctors say are stricken by coronary thrombosis. He was a living dynamo—never sick—on the go constantly—always promoting something. He was a candidate for governor of Kentucky at the time he had his attack.

As soon as possible after the funeral the children and I went to my sister's cottage at the seashore for a rest.

The first Sunday we were there a 14-year-old boy visiting in the cottage next door was called home. His father had died suddenly that morning of a heart attack.

The father of this boy was unlike Ben in his attitude. He was a man who never drove himself or worried about anything. He had inherited a small fortune and took life easy, a friendly likeable person. In August, carrying out Ben's plans, I took Betty to Washington to see the capital. I was eager for her to meet her father's friends there. While walking through the capitol with U. S. Senator Thomas Underwood we were stopped by a friend of the senator's who told of the sudden heart attack of Stephen Early. He died a few days later.

Here's How Bookmobile Operates

How does a Bookmobile operate, once it's paid for? Very well, thank you, if it is anything like the one that has been in use for more than two years in Lexington.

The Lexington library's Bookmobile makes 13 stops a week, ranging in time from half an hour to eight hours, according to the demand for books in various areas. And, says Miss Virginia Hayes, the city librarian, it's like having 13 branch libraries.

Serving an urban area, the unit naturally has more customers than could be expected in more thinly populated sections of the state. As the length of its service grows, so does its circulation.

Already, it circulates some 4,000 volumes a month to men, women and children. Parked at the curb in the various locations at set times, the cream-colored unit attracts many persons who otherwise would not think of stopping by the main library.

It is convenient and informal. Its staff consists of a librarian, Mrs. John Wright, and a driver and general handyman, Jess Napier. Between them, they handle a demand that has grown steadily since the Bookmobile went into operation in September 1951.

There is a steady daily change-over in books, but Mrs. Wright has found that there are definite patterns followed by her patrons. They are about equally divided, for instance, between adult and juvenile readers. Most of the adults are women, but they often take home books for their husbands. For themselves, the most often sought non-fiction tomes concern such things as cooking, sewing and "making-it-yourself."

But the general trend, both juvenile and adult, is to fiction—about 75 per cent of the books checked out, ordinarily. Sometimes, though,

Upon our return to Kentucky we learned that Harry Walters, commissioner of agriculture, had died—heart attack. In October Dr. Patterson, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Bowling Green, was a victim of this terrible killer. Some time later Congressman John Whitaker died in his office of a heart attack.

These are just a few of the men whose deaths at 50 from heart attacks have come to my attention since Ben was taken.

What does this all add up to? We have a Frankenstein in our midst who is killing off our men at the age of 50 and younger at a terrific pace.

Heart diseases kill three and one-fourth times as many people as cancer. Heart disease is the outstanding cause of death in the United States. It kills 14 times as many as tuberculosis and six times as many as are victims of accidents. More children are disabled as a result of rheumatic fever than from attacks of polio. I have worked for years on cancer drives. I, as you, have bought TB seals and have read and talked constantly of safety. Do not misunderstand me. I am 100 per cent for fighting these other killers—but we must make up to the fact that heart disease is by far the greatest threat to America today.

What precautions can we take to guard against heart disease? Why does it strike so many men in the prime of life? Why does it strike more men than women? What can surgery do? Can an operation be perfected? What are the warnings of an attack?

What about the use of certain drugs for the prevention of a coronary thrombosis? Is there a cure?

All these questions are being studied by heart associations—the national, state and local groups. Part of the funds collected by these groups are used for research. In this age when the world so badly needs sincere, honest, capable men we cannot allow this destructive disease to march on unchecked. We must devote more of our time, our talents, our money to discover the causes, preventions and cure of heart disease.

Therefore, I appeal to you, Ben's friends, to send in your contributions to the Kentucky Heart Association today.

MRS. KILGORE

Mrs. Ben Kilgore, author of "Death Strikes at Fifty," is the president of the Kentucky Heart Association.

Her husband, the late Ben Kilgore, victim of a heart attack, was known throughout Kentucky. For 10 years he was executive secretary of Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation.

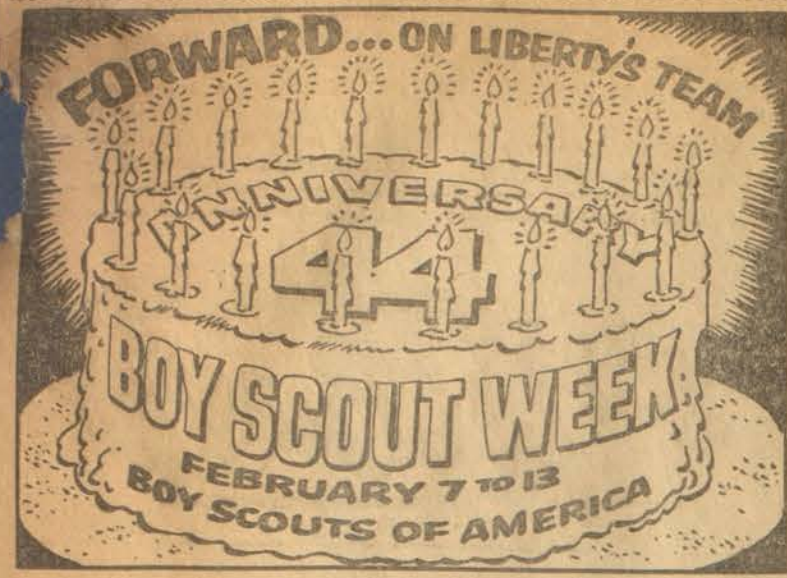
Mrs. Kilgore consented to give this personal account of the last illness of her husband in the hope it will persuade others to support the work that is being done to conquer America's No. 1 killer.

SEAMAN MAY ON DESTROYER

NORFOLK, Va.—Scheduled to arrive here from the Mediterranean, Feb. 3 aboard the radar picket destroyer USS William M. Wood is Paul F. May, seaman, USN, son of Henry B. May, of Alpharetta, Ky.

The Wood left the States in November. She operated with the U.S. Sixth Fleet performing duties as plane guard for carrier air operations and anti-submarine operations.

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91-Year-Old Who Divorced Wife From This County Marries Again

Booker Wright, 91-year-old Spanish-American War veteran who won an uncontested divorce from 64-year-old Martha Bell Wright of this county last Dec. 22, has remarried, the Pike County Clerk's office said Tuesday.

Records disclosed Wright, a resident of Virgie, and Rebecca Johnson, 47, of Etta, applied for a license last Friday. The clerk's office said the license had been used, but it

had no other details.

Wright, believed to be the oldest person ever involved in a divorce proceeding in Pike county, charged cruel and inhuman treatment in his suit against his former wife. He said she left him alone at home for hours to go into the woods to dig roots which she sold to makers of patent medicines.

His previous marriage took place in January, 1952.

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Hugh H. Stumbo, 70, Dies of Heart Disease At Home of Daughter

Hugh H. "Dumpy" Stumbo, well-known Floyd county man, died at 4:55 p.m., Friday, at the home at McDowell of his daughter, Mrs. Otis Vanderpool, of heart disease. He had been in failing health for some time.

A son of the late W. M. (Bill Buck) Stumbo and Mary Allen Stumbo, he was born and reared at Minnie, and spent almost his entire life in this county where he had many relatives and friends. Surviving are his two sons, Woody and Wentz Stumbo, both of Minnie, and his daughter, Mrs. Vanderpool, of McDowell. He also leaves five brothers and three sisters, O. H. Stumbo, Lexington, Grover Stumbo, McDowell, Earl and Taylor Stumbo, both of Prestonsburg, Dewey Stumbo, of Minnie, Mrs. Mousie Stumbo, of Minnie, Mrs. Elizabeth Myers, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. W. H. Mathis, Waynesboro, Virginia.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 10 a.m., from the McDowell high school auditorium, the Rev. Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the Stumbo family cemetery at Minnie under direction of the Turner Funeral Home.

Mrs. Worlie Hurd, Ivel, Succumbs at Paintsville After Illness of a Year

Mrs. Worlie Hurd, 45, died at the Paintsville hospital, at 11:45 p.m. Wednesday. She was a victim of asthma and a heart condition and had been bedfast a year. She was member of the Freewill Baptist church 19 years. A daughter of the late James H. Click and Mary Hall Click, she was married to Isom Hurd, who survives.

Surviving besides her mother are the following sons and daughters: Shular Hurd, U.S. Army; Joe Ed Lorenzo Donald, Graydon, Gordon and Gary, at home; Mrs. Esta Freeman, Whitaker, Ky.; Mrs. Catherine Slusk, Auxier; and Mrs. Mary Ellen Spencer, Wabash, Ind. Surviving brothers and sisters are Mrs. Lizzie Dameron, Tram; Mrs. Celia Stratton, Ivel; Joe Click; and George Click, Detroit.

Funeral rites will be conducted Saturday at 10 a.m. at the home, the Rev. Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial will follow in the J. K. Stratton cemetery at Ivel under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

his son had refused to own any human chattels, Lindsay, who was afterwards a lieutenant and quartermaster of the 39th Ky. Mounted Infantry, and who still later was county judge, lived at the mouth of the Coldwater Branch. His son Moses was now full grown but unmarried and at home. Here in the vicinity of the present Harold lived several families of Confederate sympathies—Hatchers, Meades and others. Union sympathizers were going to vote for Bell and Everett. Men, who were inclined to vote for honest Abraham Lincoln, and voting was open by calling out your name and the candidate's name, faced censure and threats.

Election morning, and word was passed around that men with shotguns would enforce the ban on Lincoln votes. It was an hour of grave consideration for Lindsay Layne but he decided to go and cast his vote as he had planned. Moses, his son, wanted to do the same and there was considerable discussion, with the son receiving a paternal order to stay at home. Lindsay trudged alone up the river road to the polls.

Around the voting place was assembled a group of men. Some sat with shotguns in their hands, awaiting Lincoln voters. Lindsay must have waited sometime before he voted, since we know he had left home alone but when he pushed in to cry out his vote, Moses was behind him. "Mark one down for old Abe," called out Lindsay. "Just mark down another one," was cried over his shoulder by Moses. The clerk wrote the two votes down, the only two Lincoln received in the Laynesville precinct.

Having voted, father and son turned away and started home. Not a word was spoken by the crowd, not a gun was lifted to fire. Men everywhere have recognized and respected courage.

Moses "Saint" Layne was married, the following month and lived for years at the mouth of Tom's Creek near the present Ivel. He lived to a great age, dying in the late 1920's. One of the proudest moments of his life, he was wont to recall for his children, was when he stood behind his father and in the face of guns voted for Abraham Lincoln.

Soil-Testing Program Initiated Here By ASC

The Agricultural Stabilization Committee is conducting a soil-testing program in this county in an attempt to improve permanent pasture and hay crops, Alex Spradlin, office manager of the agency, said this week. The fee for the work is two dollars and this covers the laboratory charge at Louisa. Testing is done by the Lawrence County Soil Testing Laboratory there.

Tests are made for calcium, phosphorus and potassium. The amount of nitrogen in the soil is estimated from the field history. Federal funds are now available to pay an employe of the ASC to visit farms and take the samples. Fifty advance fees from farmers have already been paid and testing is expected to get underway at once.

The Clay County Livestock Improvement Association is planning to hold a show and sale March 7.

HICKS STUDYING ACCOUNTING
Ronald Hicks, son of Ellis Hicks, Garrett, is enrolled for the spring semester at the Bowling Green College of Commerce, Bowling Green, Ky. He attended Garrett high school before entering this institution. He is pursuing a course of study in higher accounting.

NOTICE

State law requires that automobile and truck license plates must be displayed by March 1. Those who have not purchased license plates are urged to do so at once and avoid the rush.
DuRan Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court
2-4-54.

Weed control on river bottoms is listed as a major problem in Henderson county.

NOTICE TO VOTERS AND AUTO OWNERS

I will establish branch offices for registration of voters and licensing of motor vehicles, as follows:

Friday, February 12, 8 a.m., till 5 p.m., at Wheelwright, Ky.
Monday, Feb. 15, 9 a.m., till 5 p.m., at Martin, Ky.

From 12 noon till 6 p.m., I will also be at the following places, on the dates shown below, to license motor vehicles:

Main Company office at Weeksbury, Tuesday, Feb. 16.
Stumbo Service Station at Harold, Wednesday, Feb. 17.
At Wayland, Ky., Thursday, Feb. 18.
At Garrett, Ky., Friday, Feb. 19.

This itinerary has been planned for the convenience of the public. Please remember the dates and places.

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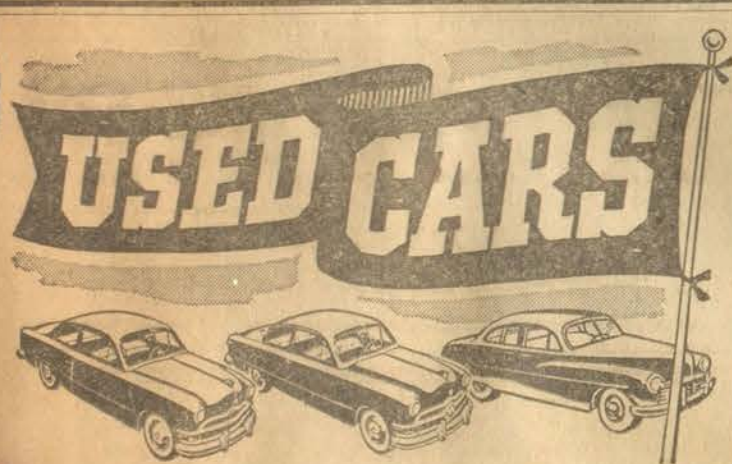
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- 1949 FORD V-8. 2 Door Sedan. Good.
- 1948 Dodge. 4 Door Sedan. A Real Buy.
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The Wayland Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a pie supper and baby contest Saturday at 7 p.m., at the Wayland grade school auditorium.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY— TRY THEM TODAY!

HAYS BILL WOULD PERMIT LOCAL DISTRIBUTION DISTRICTS

Frankfort, Ky.—Gas distribution districts would be permitted to be organized in areas where that type utility service is not now available under terms of a bill proposed in the Senate by Senator Doug Hays, Democrat, McDowell.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—New Gulbransen and Cable Spinet Pianos. Immediate delivery. **BROWN'S PIANO STORE**, Prestonsburg, Ky., E. B. BROWN, phone 2148. 3-15-tf

For your Fuller Brush needs call or write M. C. HYDEN, Prestonsburg, Phone 2642. 3-20-tf

WINEUDE MOTORS—New and used; also parts and repair service. **HOME FURNITURE CO.**, phone 5121, Lancer, Ky. 3-13-tf

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FOR SALE—6-room house and bath on Riverside. Call 4911 Prestonsburg. 10-17-tf

FOR RENT—Two houses, also furnished and unfurnished apartments on North Lake drive. T. E. NEELEY, phone 3031, Prestonsburg. 5-21-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. A. C. Harlowe, Phone 5461, Prestonsburg.

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

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

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FOR RENT—6-room house. Highland Avenue. Maude Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg. 1-24-4tpd

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FOR SALE—Elkhorn graded coal at Tipple, Birchfield Coal Company, Betsy Layne, Ky., Phone 6514. 1-7-tf

FOR RENT—Modern three-room house, floor furnace, and shower. Phone 5411 1-7-tf

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WANTED—Farmer to tend Beaver Creek farm. House and garden plots. **MRS. H. H. MAYO**, Martin, Ky. 2-11-4t

FOR SALE—Good 5-room home, with bath, floor furnace. On Bull Creek; 80 to 90 acres land. Good outbuildings. About 8-minute drive to Dwale gas plant, 10 minutes to Prestonsburg. Good road, school bus route, near two good stores, church and school. Some good timber. **JESSE WALLEN**, Water Gap, Ky. 2-11-2t

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FOR RENT—Modern 3-room home with bath, on Dingus Street. Phone 6641, Prestonsburg. 2-11-tf

FOR SALE—1949 Jeep—Excellent condition. Good tires. Enclosed cab. \$500. Phone 3384 Drift. 2-11-2t

FOR RENT—Office rooms, modern, newly renovated. A. C. Harlowe, Phone 5461, Prestonsburg. 2-11-tf

CITIES MAY TAX—Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8 — Cities have the right to levy an unloading license tax on vehicles loading or unloading goods within the city, provided the tax is applied equally to all, both residents and non-residents, it was held by Assistant Attorney General Walter C. Herdman in advising Jackson officials of their authority in such matters.



Left to right are Judy Allen, Peggy Music, Mrs. Milton Cyrus, Kay Roberts, Elizabeth May and Sherrie Sirkle.

The Girl Scouts in the photograph above are only a few of the many who have been busy this week doing their bit for their permanent camp on Dewey Lake. All funds go toward buying a unit for the camp, and they are going to sell their quota.

Maysville Observes 121st Anniversary

Maysville observed its 121st anniversary as an incorporated city, Jan. 31. The General Assembly of Kentucky established Maysville as an incorporated town January 21, 1833. But the history of Maysville, one of the oldest towns on the Ohio River, dates back to 1771. The first evidence of a stop being made at Limestone Creek, the dividing line between east and west Maysville, was in 1771. Simon Kenton entered Kentucky by the northern border. He liked the region so well that he established himself at Simon Kenton Station, three miles south of Maysville in Mason county, on the land now owned by James Nicholas, a native of Greece.

In 1773, a company of 10 men came down the Ohio River from Pittsburgh and camped for several days at the mouth of Limestone Creek, where Maysville is now situated. Captain Hedges, one of the men, named the town Limestone, and thus Maysville was known until 1805. Consisting then of 100 acres, which was the nucleus of present-day Maysville, the town site was the property of Simon Kenton and John May, from whom the city derived its name. It was a part of the state of Virginia and was organized as a town by Virginia, December 11, 1787.

Maysville, nestling between seven hills and the Ohio River, is five miles long, but only six blocks wide. It has a population of 8,500.

Parade and Ball Game To Mark Homecoming

Martin high school will have its annual homecoming Friday, and the day's festivities will begin in the afternoon with a parade of the school band through Martin and Allen, with the basketball game between Martin and Breckinridge Training that night the climactic event.

Before the game, a pep rally around a bonfire will be staged, and at halftime the homecoming queen will be crowned. A dance will follow the game.

FRANKFORT, Ky.—A resolution honoring Marvin Bertie Hollifield, veteran assistant attorney general and prominent Baptist lay leader who was 82 years old Monday, was introduced in the Kentucky Senate.

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TUESDAY, 7 p.m.—"Family Night, 80c—"The Vanished" John Payne, Jan Sterling

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COMING FRI, FEB. 19—"Arena" Gig Young, Polly Bergen

SUNDAY, FEB. 21—"Scared Stiff" Jerry Lewis, Dean Martin

NOTICE TO WARRANTHOLDERS

Floyd fiscal court warrants, Nos. 28883 to 28889 are hereby called for payment. Interest on same ceases on Feb. 6, 1954.

W. J. May, Treasurer
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SPURLOCK NO. 6—

Martha Bradley, Anna Derossett, Maggie Hicks, Nocha W. (Mrs. J. M. Horn) Howard, Imogene Hubbard, Charlie Johnson, Bertha Ousley, Melvin Ousley, Ballard Robinson, Claude Robinson, Delmon Robinson, Dotty Tussey, Sallie Stephens.

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Lackie Blackburn, Nellie Fay Blackburn, Jennie Branham, Shellie Branham, John W. Burchett, Roy Burkhardt, Donald Burkhardt, Charles Butcher, Rommie Childers, Eugene Cline, Laura Collins, Thurman Daniels, Ballard Goble, Earliest Goble, Stella Goble, James Gunnell, Joda Gunnell, John E. Harris, Nelson Hays, Darvin Herald, A. B. Hunt, Ada Hunt, Lou Hunt, Rosie Kendrick, Bertie McComis, Simons Minter, Nella Mosley, Sam Mosly, Merlin Virgie Sanders, Ressie (Rissie) Sexton, James Sherman, Ruby Sherman, Mary Yates, Ashland Walters, Dora Wheeler.

MOUTH OF BEAVER NO. 10—

Cecil Adkins, Lewis Adkins, Bobbie Branham, Mollie Brown, Ambrose Carr, Frankie Carr, Isaac R. Clink, Dixie Collins, Manerva Craft, Betty Crum, Tine Goble, Clarence Frazier, Harry Hamilton, Kate Honaker, Henry Jarrell, Lakey Johnson, Earl Laferty, Robert Mosley, Jr., Julia Porter, Mrs. Vance (Georgia) Porter, Vance Porter, Virgil Porter, Bonnie Stephens, Sarah Stephens, Walter Shepherd, Everett Stratton, Octava Stratton, Cecil Webb, Burns Workman.

JOHN POSSUM NO. 12—

W. M. Balsden, Nora Barnett, Parker Brown, Mrs. Parker Brown, Edna Clark, Elbert Clark, Mark Elswick, Mrs. Mark Elswick, Amos Flanery, Birdie Flanery, Ann L. Goble, Robert Goble, Keen Goodman, Mrs. May Goodman, Joe Hughes, Maza Hughes, Rupert Hunter, Charles Justice, Sim Justice, Evelyn Kelso, Lucinda Alice Kidd, Mrs. Ottilie Lester, Ervin Litton, Josephine Litton, Kruger Martin, Norabelle Martin, Clifford Murphy, Pokie Ann Ousley, Silas Tackett, Guy Taylor, Opal Taylor, Ballard Thompson, Josephine Thompson, McKinley Turner, Burr Wright.

HALBERT NO. 13—

Edna Conn, Ethel Cooper, Clyde Crisp, Charles Fife, Nannie Fife, Bob Griffith, R. B. Halbert, Geo. W. Hamilton, Paul Haygood, Andy Lee Martin, Johnnie Martin, Edythe McGlothen, Morton McGlothen, Trimble Meade, Tempus Ann Mitchell, Sallie Moore, Joe Patton, Claudie Robinson, John D. Robinson, Fred Rowe, Bob Salisbury, Virgie Salisbury, Irland Slone, Annie Stumbo, Frankie Stumbo, Richard Tackett, Ruth Ulmer.

MOUTH OF MUD NO. 14—

Fannie B. Adkins, Garfield Adkins, Simon Akers, Joe Taylor Begley, Frank H. Burton, Thelma Burton, A. J. Case, P. S. Clarke, Edna Clifton, James Clifton, W. R. Collins, Ewart Conn, Ida Conn, Lois Conn, Mabel Ferrell, James H. Honaker, Golda Hoyle, Robert Hoyle, Forrest Kidd, John S. King, Ollie King, Joe Layne, Walter Layne, Frank Marrs, Mella Morris, Jack Parsons, Joan Roberts, Merlin Stanley, Edgar Turner, Helen C. Turner, Jim Wagner, Mary D. Wagner, Golden Wilburn.

ANTIOCH NO. 18—

Leary Adams, Jay Bryant, Vina Bryant, Edith Burke, Jose Cross, Mrs. C. L. Elliott, Joe M. Hall, Mary Belle Hall, Butler Hamilton, Charley Hamilton, Dorothy Faye Hamilton, Ellis Hamilton, Emert Hamilton, Harold Hamilton, Hiram Hamilton, John L. Hamilton, Laura Hamilton, Lee Hamilton, Liza Jane Hamilton, Louise Hamilton, Sallie Hamilton, Abba C. Henson, Adam Martin, Della May, Cumberland Meade, Mrs. Tilda Meade, Isaac Mitchell, Morg Newsome, M. C. Reynolds, Harvey Riley, John E. Riley, Vertie Riley, Bertha Roberts, David Roberts, David Sluss, Andrew Tackett, Hampton Tackett, G. V. Tackett, Robert Vance, Sil Vance, W. M. Vance, J. C. Walker.

CLEAR CREEK NO. 21—

Bertha Adams, Ransom Akers, Millard Brown, Bobbie Dawson, Marie D. Elkins, Shird Elliott, Nealice Elswick, Arthur Frasure, Jerry Gayheart, Barth Gearheart, F. M. Gentry, Eugene Hager, Archie Hall, W. P. Hayes, Milford Henson, L. Johnson, Levi Moore, Dave Mullins, Riley Newman, John Henry Newsome, Daisy Ross, Virginia Sammons, Jeff Thacker, Fanna Tackett, Bill Waugh, Goldie Waugh, Cecil Wright.

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Income Tax Withheld For Non-Residents

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8 (Spl) — Kentucky employers who pay wages to residents of other states are required to withhold Kentucky income tax from their wages, for the full year of 1954, the State Department of Revenue reminded today. This withholding requirement on non-residents who earn income in Kentucky has been in effect since 1936. The new withholding law for all persons receiving wages does not take effect until July 1.

At the present time the employer is required to withhold the approximate amount of tax due from non-residents, according to a tax table furnished by the Department of Revenue. This is usually a flat amount for each payroll period and is a very small amount compared to the Federal income tax withheld. At the end of the year, the employer sends the amount withheld to the Department of Revenue.

The employee must file a non-resident return if single and receiving a net income of \$1,000 or a gross income of \$1,500. Married couples must file if their combined net income is \$2,000 or combined gross income is \$2,500. Many nonresidents may be due a refund, which can be determined only if a return is filed.

Persons living in other states which tax income may, under certain conditions, be allowed a credit against their Kentucky tax for income tax paid their home state.

The deadline for filing both resident and nonresident returns is April 15.

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Biographical Briefs Of 7 Floyd Freshmen At Morehead College

Morehead, Ky., Feb. 8 (Spl)—Biographical sketches of the seven Floyd County freshmen attending Morehead State College follow:

Peggy Jean McCarthy, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCarthy of Allen; was graduated from Martin high school in the class of '53. Majoring in music, she is cheerleader, a member of the Mystic Club, campus pep group and the Morehead Players.

Mary Louise Sexton, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Sexton, of McDowell, is majoring in home economics. She is a member of the Home Economics Club and the Morehead Players.

Betty Sue Gibson, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gibson, of Minnie, aspires to teach commerce in high school. She is a member of the Mystic Club and Women's Recreation Association.

Beverly Jean Taylor, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor, formerly of Martin, is a freshman art major who wants to be a commercial artist. Her hobby is working with scrapbooks. She is a member of the Mystic Club and the Morehead Players.

Ruth Eleanor Scott, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Scott formerly of Betsy Layne, was graduated Betsy Layne high school with the class of '53. She is majoring in home economics and has an academic scholarship. She is a member of the Home Economics Club, Women's Recreation Association and the Readers Club.

Alice Gwen Hall, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hall, of McDowell, is majoring in home economics and wants to have her own nursery school in the future. She is a member of the Women's Recreation Association and the Home Economics Club.

Joe Bradley, Jr., 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bradley, Sr., of Wayland, was graduated from Wayland high school in 1949 and is majoring in pre-law.

Voter Registration Notice

In compliance with Section 117.620, Kentucky Revised Statutes, the voting registration books for New Martin precinct No. 41 and John Possum precinct No. 12 will be closed at midnight Feb. 24, 1954, because of the special local option election to be held in said precincts on March 6, 1954.

DuRan Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court

2-4-54.

DRIFT

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stumbo returned last week from Florida, where they spent a month. On the way back they visited their son, Harold and family in Arkansas.

Miss Pat Hewlett spent the week-end in Ashland, visiting relatives and attending the Martin-Ashland basketball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin and baby daughter, of Richland, Va., and Mrs. Billy J. Turner and baby son were Huntington visitors over the week-end.

Mrs. Maggie Hopkins is visiting her brother, Ed Hall, who remains seriously ill in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pughate and daughter, Laura Fay, were in Louisville the past week. Laura Fay is receiving eye treatment.

Miss Shirley Ann Porter, of Lexington, spent the week-end in Drift. Jack and Leman Dingus were home for the week-end.

Mrs. Alan Reed and new baby daughter have returned home from St. Mary's hospital in Huntington.

Mrs. Emma Scott, of Roderfield, W. Va., spent the past week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Damron and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fridley have moved to Columbus, O., from Arlington, Va. Mrs. Fridley is the former Virginia Hewlett.

Mrs. Lewis Warren, of Martin, was guest of Mrs. Howard Stiekler, last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. D. Hewlett entertained to dinner last Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Jones and Mrs. Belle Turner.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

The firm of R. V. May Company now doing business at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

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Mine Hauling Fatalities Analyzed by Mine Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 — The Bureau of Mines said today that employees were responsible for 47 per cent of 88 hauling fatalities in bituminous coal mines in 1953.

Fatalities totaled 92, the report said, but four of them were not analyzed by the bureau.

The report said 28 per cent of the accidents were the responsibility of management. The management responsibility total was 25 compared to the employees total of 41. Sixteen fatalities were classified as the joint responsibility of employees and management, or undetermined.

Six fatalities were listed as not the responsibility of the coal mining industry. These included three charged to the normal course of mining and three to mechanical failure of equipment used but not serviced by the mining company.

By using irrigation, William Birk of Daviess county grew an average of 2,200 pounds of burley tobacco an acre on 12 acres.

SEAMAN SHEPHERD IS GRADUATED

PARRIS ISLAND, S. C. — Promoted to Private first class, USMC, during the month of Jan. were 1265 Marines who successfully completed 10 weeks of intensive training at the East Coast Marine Corps Recruit Depot here.

Graduating with Platoon 406 was Coy Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shepherd of Hueysville, Ky.

The job of transforming the recruits into Marines necessitated many hours of field training and classroom lectures. In addition to their training, the recruits are also given various aptitude tests to determine the type of duty for which they are best fitted.

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The production of tobacco in Carter county has almost doubled since 1934.

WASHINGTON — Scott McLeod reported that the State Department, of which he is top security officer, has dismissed more than 500 homosexuals in six years. McLeod said also that "around 300" employees whose security was open to question were ousted during 1953.

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Floyd County Board of Registration And Purgation

List of Voters Submitted for Publication and Purgation

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WAYLAND NO. 25—

Billie Ray Adkins, Charles R. Adkins.
B. K. Bentley, Joe Bradley, Curtis Collins, Earnest Collins.
Edgar Dale, Edgar J. DeCoursey, Patricia S. DeCoursey, John Duke.
Claude P. Frady, Jr., Mrs. Fannie Frady.
Joe Gibson, Jr., Ray Gibson, Mrs. Ray Gibson.
Glenn Harold Hall, Noble Hobbs, Burton Howard.
Ruth E. Irish, Robert O. Irish.
Joe B. King.
Rev. Robert L. Meyers, Mrs. Dora Meyers, Pete Mills.
Eunice Napier.
Gertrude Ousley, Newt Ousley.
Glady's J. Polly, Maynard R. Polly.
Starlin Samons, Alma Souleyrette, Roy (David) Souleyrette, Tracy Salsbury, Jim Sparks.

LITTLE PAINT NO. 27—

Effie Baldridge, J. B. Baldridge, Mrs. W. L. Baldridge, Jr., W. L. Baldridge, Jr.
Sarah Coburn, Anna C. Gox, Charlie Lee Cox, Lizzie (Mrs. Herschel) Crider.
Charles W. Elkins.
W. T. Foley.
Effie George, Tom George.
Chas H. Hager.
Forest W. Meek, Emily Music.
Claude D. Rice, Curtis Rice.
Lon Shavey.
Lewis Webb, Rubin Whitaker, Velia Whitaker.

LACKEY NO. 33—

Joe Ashby, Jullie Ashby.
Susie Blankenship.
J. W. Campbell, G. H. Caudill, Ivan Childers, Mrs. Ivan Childers, Fannie Conley, Hiram Conley, Cora Crabtree.
Everett Daniels, Jr., Elmer Dixon, Florenzie Dixon.
T. D. Gibson, Mrs. T. D. Gibson, Beatrice Hall, Homer Hall, Dennie Jackson, Denver Mosley.
Homer V. Ratliff, Leonard M. Roberts, Nellie Roberts.
Dave Trusty, E. B. Trusty, Lola Trusty.
Florence Whitt.

NEW ALLEN NO. 57

Leslie Beckham, R. L. Beckham, Irene (Campbell) Foster, Dorothy Newman Hall, Fred Hall, Margie E. Livingood, Robert H. Livingood.
Martha Mace, Worley Mace, W. D. Martin.
Lawrence Scott.

MARE CREEK NO. 60

Leonard Adkins, Mary Adkins, Wilburn Adkins.
South C. Bevins.
T. J. Chandler, George Collins, Hassel Collins, James Collins, Walter Collins, Arthur Crider.
Mary Dawson.
Ellen Garrett, Garland Garrett, Julie Garrett, Ben Gunnels, Louisa Gunnels, Floyd Kilen, John King.
Goldia Lewis, Sam Lewis, William T. Lewis.
Erie (Mrs. R. L. Hall) Ratliff.
Rusha Fannin Sellards, James Smith, Roland Smith, Henry Stratton, Mae Stratton, Millard Stratton, Thora Stratton.

School Honor Roll

Honor students for the third six-week period of Prestonsburg high school follow:

Seniors — Violetta Allen, Aileen Branham, Doris Boyd, Phyllis Cline, George Ford, Phyllis Hager, William Hall, Jackie Hensley, Pauline Hicks, Cloyd Johnson, Gracie Justice, James Lafferty, Wanda Lee Leake, Fred May, Wilka May, Anna McComas, Helen McKenzie, Kathleen Meade, Laura Music, Lois Oasley, Pat Pelfrey, Effie Prater, Dorothy Rowe, Ruth Ann Rowe, James R. Shepherd, Dorothy Sizemore, Josephine Stone, Charles Spradlin, Joyce Varney, Gabriel Wallace, Charles Warrick.

Juniors—Martha Archer, Albie Burchett, Libby Burchett, Virginia Burchett, Ester Burke, Ruby Calhoun, Donald Capelli, Patty Lou Clark, Margaret Collins, Winnie Sue Cooley, Joe Crider, Peggy Crum, Bert Dixon, Johnny Eversly, Ronald Goble, Wanda Green, Shirley Hager, Kathryn Hale, Scotty Hamilton, Dorothy Herald, Ronald Goodman, Clarence Lafferty, Ollie Lafferty, Joe Marshall, Joy May, Marie Maynard, Mary Lou Miller, Betty Lou Moore, Rose Ida Neeley, Dickie Prater, Douglas Ratliff, Barbara Reed, Betty Reynolds, Donna Jean Shimp, Jackie Smiley, Phyllis Smiley, Phyllis Snipes, Peggy Spradlin, Maxine Spurluck, Linda Sue Stephens, Pauline Stephens, Carl Tussey, Myrtle Tussey, Denzil Walker, Randall Wells, Lois Ann Reed.

Sophomore—Vonnice Allen, Minerva Arnett, Lotta Arnett, Sue Bingham, Eugene Gray, Deneith Watkins, Ed Clifton, Rebecca Conley, Johnny Cook, George Cury, Wilma Emsinger, Gerald Green, Billie Green, Christine Hale, Dawn Hughes, Dolores Hughes, Ronnie Leslie, Ruth Meade, Mabry Newman, Sewama Prater, Phillip Price, Paul Stepp, Jackie Stumbo, Barbara Clark, Sonia Johnson, Mary L. Mahan, Phyllis Patton, Carl Scutchfield.

Freshmen—Nedra Carver, Donna Jean Derosette, Clara Jean Hager, Delores Hager, Barbara Isbell, Minnie Sue Martin, Joanne McKinney, Susie Stephens, Ada Lee Spradlin, Betty Sue Williams, Alice Curry, Joy Ann Sammons, Lillian Snipes, Rose Worland, Nancy Rose, Ronald Frazier, Batty Goble, Sally Compton, Helen Hager, Ethel Haywood, Helen Howard, Vivian Morris, Earnestine Prater, Judy Snodgrass, Robin Goble, Randy Horn, Gardis Prater, Billy Ray Tussy, Mikie Rice, Darryl Brown, Joe Hale, Jr., Virginia Puckett, Tealie Salmons, Melvin Stewart, Ronald Stricklin, Nola Dean Allen, Hattie Loucille Baldridge, Mary Sue Leake, Wanda E. McKenzie, Nancy E. Marshall, Ruth Rowe, Jessica Lynn Smiley, Jessamine Sturgill, Ora Thompson, Garnet Sue Woods, Nancy Carol Young, Aster Lee Cornette, James Buford Crager, Troy Hall, Jr., James Hubbard, Kermit Ramey.

ENFORCEMENT STARTS

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8—Kentucky law enforcement officials began enforcement of its registration drive against Ohio trucks by virtue of cancellation of an agreement in the latter state against trucks registered in this state.

Assistant Attorney General Squire N. Milliams advised a Cincinnati law firm that cancellation of a reciprocal agreement meant that each state would have to fully comply with the latter's laws. Termination was brought about by a recent Ohio legislative act imposing an axle-tax against trucks initially licensed in other states.

"Reciprocity means mutuality," Williams held as he held Ohio trucks subject to the same type license fees in Kentucky, to which that state subjected Kentucky-licensed vehicles.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to everyone who did so much for us at the passing of our dear husband and father, Charles Edward Friend, on February third. Every courtesy extended to us, through tokens of love and flowers, food, personal services, and any other act of kindness are deeply appreciated. Especially are we thankful to those who, during his illness gave their time, cars and many other favors, to take him to the hospitals in Pikeville and here. To the ministers, Rev. Harold Dorsey, Rev. Orville Pearson and Rev. Isaac Stratton for their consoling words, and the physicians and nurses, and to the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home for their efficient services, we are most grateful.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

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Tillie Wallen, David, Ky., admx., estate of Charles M. McGuire; Arizona Clifton, Allen, Ky., admx., estate of C. W. Clifton; Laura Chandler, Betsy Layne, Ky., admx., estate of T. J. Chandler; Willie Hall, McDowell, Ky., admx., estate of Joe Grand Hall; Denver Nelson, Dwale, Ky., admx., estate of John J. Nelson; Pauline Blankenship, Manton, Ky., admx., estate of Odie D. Blankenship; Jerry Hall, Ligon, Ky., admx., estate of Charlie Katozo; Mabel Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx., estate of J. D. Fitzpatrick; Emma Layne, Harold, Ky., admx., estate of Joe Layne; Willie Tackett, Ligon, Ky., admx., estate of Green Tackett; Ola Katses, Wheelwright, Ky., admx., estate of Charles A. Pappas; Tilden B. Friend, Prestonsburg, Ky., admx., estate of Judith D. Friend; Oma Robinette, Pikeville, Ky., admx., estate of William Akers.
DuRan Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court

A total of 4,651 mailboxes were improved by homemakers the past year.

ORDINANCE NOT VIOLATED

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8—Establishment of a nurses' home in Paducah to accommodate nurses who work at Western Baptist hospital in the town did not violate that city's zoning ordinances which defined the area in question for "family" purposes only as distinguished from "commercial" areas, the Court of Appeals held in affirming a McCracken circuit court term.

"Family" is an elastic term, the court commented, as it pointed out the nurses merely "slept" and "kept house" in the nurses' home, but ate their meals at the hospital some distance away.



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CLUB TO SPONSOR RUMMAGE SALE

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club held its regular business meeting, February 1, at the home of Mrs. German Vance, of Martin, with Mrs. Russell Laven presiding. Suggestions were asked on money-making projects to raise the necessary funds for sending a delegate to the national convention at Denver, Colorado in May. After some discussion it was voted to have a rummage sale as the first project on Saturday, February 20, in Martin at the usual stand near Puro Service Station.

An invitation was read to the club to attend the annual meeting of the American Cancer Society at Dupont Lodge, Cumberland Falls, March 3-4. Another invitation was extended from the Drift Woman's Club for the Mother Club to be guests at a dinner on Monday, February 15, 7 p. m. All members voted to cancel the next meeting in favor of going to the dinner at Drift.

Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mrs. Lawrence Scott, and Mrs. T. J. Allen were named as nominating committee to select candidates for next year's officers to be elected in March.

After all business was completed, a going-away gift was presented to Mrs. Louis Warren by Mrs. William Martin. Mrs. Warren, who has faithfully served the club as an officer and a willing worker since the year it was organized, plans to move from Martin soon. In appreciation of her service and friendship, the club members purchased a 6-piece place setting of Lumt's sterling in her chosen pattern. After acknowledgment of the gift, color snapshots were made of the party assembled at the dining table which was decorated with a huge centerpiece of red roses, flanked by red tapers on a white damask cloth in the traditional Valentine style.

Scrabble, the popular word game, was enjoyed while party sandwiches and a salad course were served by Mrs. Vance and co-hostesses, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, to Mesdames Russell Laven, Louis Warren, Lawrence Scott, M. E. Mitchell, George Laven, T. J. Allen, Wm. Martin, Charles Marshall, Ben Short, Miss Nelle Music and guests, Mesdames R. R. Allen, C. H. Martin, Earle Martin and the hostesses.

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The Allen Group in the Martin church Monday night. Games were played and refreshments were served. Mrs. Dortha Allen and Mrs. Iva Carr were in charge of the games. Attending from Allen were, Wanda Boyd, Barbara Sue Boyd, Klora Laferty, Betty Lou Crisp, Betty Martin, Kay Crisp, Jenan Smith, Jimmy Delano Gray, Billy Holbrook, Hene Campbell, Pauline Campbell, Donald Ray Scalf, James Caudill, Peggy Jo Hayes, Janelle Branham, and Mrs. G. L. Gray. The youth meeting are held in the Martin church each Sunday night at 8:15 and in the Allen church each Sunday night at 8:30.

Mrs. Millard Thomas, of Michigan, arrived here Sunday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Bobby Laven, and brother, Luttrell Laven.

Lt. M. E. Lemaster with his wife and son, George, of New Zealand, visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lemaster and Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh and Susan, Monday. They were the overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skeens, of Dyale. They left Tuesday for Spokane, Wash., to visit relatives there.

Mrs. Willard Adkins is reported improving nicely from a major operation at the Paintsville hospital.

James W. Lafferty and Palmer Crisp were business visitors in Huntington, Monday.

Mrs. Carl Comstock, who has been in Louisville for some time, arrived here Sunday for a week's visit at her home. She will return Sunday to Louisville where she and her daughter and Mr. Comstock will reside for a while.

Mrs. Mary Elaine Allen, of Milton, W. Va., is visiting Mrs. Mary Allen here.

Donald Ray Scalf underwent a tonsillectomy at the Paintsville hospital, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen arrived here Monday after spending several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer and sons, Terry and Jerry, were in Lima, Ohio, Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Kinzer's mother, Mrs. Fred Miller. Mrs. Kinzer underwent a major operation at the Beaver Valley hospital, Wednesday, and is reported improving.

Miss Betty Lou Crisp has as her guest, Miss Jenan Smith, of Indiana.

The February meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Thursday night in the church, with Mrs. Galloway Laferty hostess. The president, Mrs. Galloway Gray, presided, with the program director, Mrs. David Louder, in charge of the devotional program, "The Methodist Church Helping Rural Negroes" a film, "The Color of a Man," was shown and the following gave talks: Maude Snodgrass, Eunice Martin, Nellie Laferty, Peggy Sexton, Nannie Ancier, with a trio by Flora Gray, Tincy Crisp, Maude Snodgrass. Mrs. Peggy Sexton was in charge of the games. Mrs. Laferty, assisted by Mrs. Tincy Crisp, served a dessert and punch to Mesdames Nancy Louder, Nannie Auxler, Rebecca Harmon, Peggy Sexton, Maude Snodgrass, Pearl Kinzer, Eunice Martin, Euna Laven, Jewell Allen, Flora Gray. The March meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Charles Callison.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jenkins spent the week-end in Lexington, visiting relatives.

Miss Barbara Sue Allen, of Morehead College, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messer and Mrs. Belle Ellis, of Prestonsburg, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray here Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith received news Friday their son, Sgt. I. J. Smith of Ft. Knox, had undergone surgery last week. Sgt. Smith recently returned from several months in Korea.

Manis Gray was a business visitor in Indiana this week. His wife and daughter are visiting relatives in Prestonsburg during his visit there.

Rev. John P. Carr was a business visitor in Paintsville, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mynhier and daughter, of Michigan, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Baldrige.

Mrs. Billy Mynhier and daughters, of Michigan, have returned to their home after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter.

Billy Sexton returned home Wednesday from Virginia where he had worked the past week.

Miss Olga Frances returned to Eastern State Teachers College, Tuesday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston.

The many friends of the Rev. James Roark, of Grayson, were sorry to hear of his death. Sunday, sympathy is extended to Mrs. Roark and family.

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FORT BLISS, TEXAS — Pvt. Gene Howard Boyd, husband of Mrs. Mary Deadrick Boyd, Petersburg, W. Va., and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd, was recently assigned to the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement training center at Fort Bliss, Texas, for the second eight-week cycle of basic training. Pvt. Boyd previously was stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

During the second phase of his basic training, he will be expertly schooled in the firing of light and medium antiaircraft artillery weapons at low-flying and high altitude aerial targets on the one-and-one-half million acre Ft. Bliss ranges.

Upon completion of the cycle he will be graduated at a formal parade and retreat ceremony, and then be eligible for assignment in a permanent antiaircraft artillery unit.

RULING GIVEN ASBURY

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8 — Asbury College authorities may admit negroes to courses of study where similar courses are not available to negroes within the State, Assistant Attorney General M. B. Hollifield ruled. He added they are not required to admit them, as the matter rests entirely within the discretion of college authorities.

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Mr. Cain will be in the post office building, Wayland, Thursday, February 18, 8 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. He will be in the Beaver Hardware, Martin, Friday, February 19, Tackett and Tackett's office in Prestonsburg.

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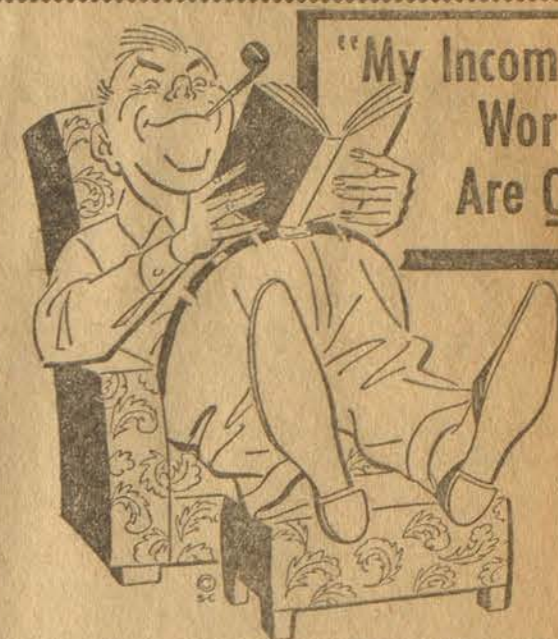
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TAXPAYERS

Kentucky property owners are required to list their property with the county tax commissioners by March 1. The listing is on property owned as of Jan. 1 and is the basis for 1954 property taxes, the State Department of Revenue reminded today.

Many persons find out too late that their property has been omitted from the tax roll. They are then required to pay a penalty of 10 per cent plus interest because their property was omitted. While the county tax commissioners use all available means in an effort to assess all property, it is still the taxpayer's responsibility to list his property.

All real estate, tangible and intangible property owned by a person should be listed with the county tax commissioner. Tangible property includes automobiles, household furnishings, inventories, farm machinery, and livestock, to name only a few classes. Intangible property includes such items as stocks and bonds, mortgages, notes and accounts receivable.

Property owners listing property with the county tax commissioner should compare the assessed values of their property with those values assigned to similar properties. In this manner, the owner can be assured of a more equitable assessment.

CLIVE AKERS,

Tax Commissioner

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IKE INVITED

WASHINGTON—President Eisenhower was invited to attend the home builders week celebration in Portland, Ore., Feb. 26 to March 7. The invitation, inscribed on a piece of Douglas fir plywood, was presented to the Chief Executive by Rep. Angell of Oregon.

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RESOLUTION

JOSEPH D. HARKINS

Joseph D. Harkins was born on April 24, 1884; died on January 3, 1954, and was buried in Harkins Cemetery, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on January 5, 1954.

He was the eldest son of Walter S. Harkins and Josephine Davidson Harkins. His father was one of the incorporators of The Bank Josephine, named as such in honor of his mother in the special Act of the Kentucky Legislature, passed February 25, 1890, by which Act the bank was incorporated.

Upon his graduation from the law school of the University of Virginia in 1906 and his admission to the practice of law in the State of Kentucky, in that year, he became associated with his father in the general practice of law at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and as such served as attorney for The Bank Josephine.

His father passed away on February 24, 1920 and Joseph D. Harkins thereafter served as an attorney for the bank until his death. He was elected a member of the board of directors of the bank on June 19, 1920, and on November 2, 1938, was selected as Chairman of the Board of Directors of this institution, and served with distinction to himself and honor to the bank in this capacity so long as he lived.

As the chief executive officer of the bank, he had one purpose in mind, and that was whether or not a certain act would or would not be beneficial to the best interest of the bank. He attended the regular meetings of the board even at times when his health did not permit him to do so.

He took a special interest in the remodeling of the bank, which was completed just a short time before his death, and despite his falling health was able to and did attend the formal opening of the bank, as remodeled, and took tremendous pride in the fact that the bank had been improved.

His judgment on all matters was sound, and the bank has lost a painstaking executive and a faithful friend.

We mourn his loss and extend to his widow, his children and grandchildren our deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

FIRST: That a page be set apart upon the records of this board whereon shall be recorded these Resolutions.

SECOND: That no further matters be hereafter entered upon the original record book of this board subsequent to the minutes of the meeting at which these Resolutions are adopted and entered.

THIRD: That a copy of these Resolutions be furnished to the family, and to the Floyd County Times for publication.

Dated February 4, 1954.

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AIRMAN KING AT LACKLAND
Lackland Air Force Base, Texas—Leroy King, 17, son of Henry King, Printer, Kentucky, is completing his Air Force basic military training course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

His basic military training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work.

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the site of Air Force basic military training for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of the USAF Officer Military School.

DAVID

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kilgore, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Clark, here Sunday.

Harley Dillard Kilgore was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Debord, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John A. Conley at Martin, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Gene Cooper, of Logan, W. Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eno Van Gelder here Sunday, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Patton had as their guests last Sunday, his cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Patton, and daughter, Karen, of Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prater and daughter, of Wayland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas George visited her sister in La Porte, Indiana, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall and daughter were visiting in Van Lear, Sunday.

Claude Edward Wallen, of the U. S. Army, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wallen, here last week-end.

Mrs. Willard Debord, who has been ill at her home, is better. The church in your community stands for the best things in life for you and your children. Stand by the church by attending its services. The church where you now live is calling you. Come to church next Sunday night. The David Community Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Durham are visiting her relatives in Louisville this week.

FRANKFORT, Ky. — The first move in a new campaign to induce the federal government to locate a proposed U. S. Air Force Academy in Kentucky was taken by Gov. Lawrence Wetherby. He named Joseph H. Taylor chairman of a committee to be formed to press Kentucky's plea for the school.

LONDON — The London Daily Telegraph reported today that Russia is strengthening its ground and air forces in East Germany.

Cabs Must Show Legible Signs

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8 (Sp)—Taxicab operators throughout Kentucky were reminded today by Lyle E. White, Director of Qualification in the State Department of Motor Transportation, of the requirement that a sign must be painted on all cabs of "sufficient size as to be readily legible."

The company number of the vehicle must be prominently displayed on each side of the vehicle. The cab card issued must also be prominently displayed, White said, and the name of the driver must be shown. Lettering on the vehicles must be made with permanent type paint, and not with readily removable paint or placards. Some violations of these regulations have been noted recently, White said.

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Twelve producers owning flocks of 500 to 1,200 hens have joined the graded-egg project in Grayson county.

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AIRMAN NOBLE AT LACKLAND

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His basic military training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

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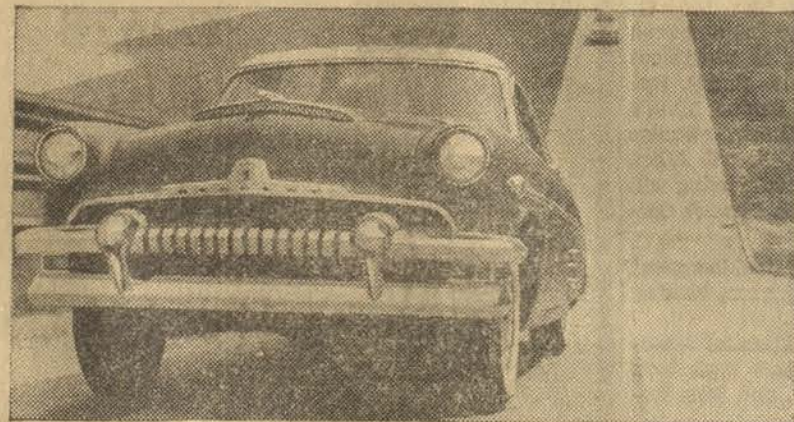
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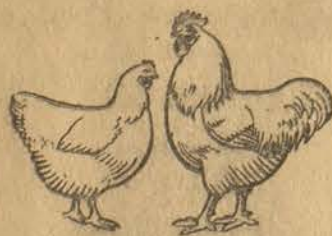
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WASHINGTON—The Labor Department ordered Detroit placed on its list of "distressed areas" having "substantial" unemployment and entitled to preference in obtaining government contracts.

INCHON, Korea—A shift left for India with 88 Korea War prisoners who refused to return to Communism but insist on going to neutral countries. That leaves in Korea's demilitarized zone only 17 of the more than 22,000 prisoners once held there while the Communists and Allies argued over their fate.

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29 Floyd Students At Pikeville College For Spring Semester

Pikeville, Ky., Feb. 8 — There are 29 Floyd countians among the 200 students enrolled for the spring semester at Pikeville Junior College, it was announced today.

Three emergency teachers in Floyd county schools, taking part-time work at Pikeville toward their legal certificates, are included in the dozen women in the Floyd county group. Eight of the 29 are taking the teachers course at Pikeville, and the same number are taking a business course, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said.

Other registrants at Pikeville come from Johnson, Martin, Martin, Knott, Letcher, Magoffin, Perry, Harlan and Pike counties, Kentucky; West Virginia, Virginia and the Republic of Cuba.

The Cuban is Manuel Fernandez, Havana.

Floyd countians enrolled at Pikeville are Barbara Allen, Risner; William G. Allen, Risner; Joe Jack Arnett, West Prestonsburg; Glenda Blackburn, Betsy Layne; Ellis Castle, East Point; Ezra Click, Manton; Sam Paul Combs, Betsy Layne; Faye Crum, Prestonsburg; Gus Curry, Wheelwright; Robert Daniels, Prestonsburg; Bobby Elkins, Harold; Benny Fannin, Betsy Layne; Joan Hatfield, Water Gap; Martin Luther Johnson, Melvin; Tommy Jones, Melvin; Kay Leslie, Emma; Rozella H. Lewis, McDowell; Christa Mathews, Beaver; Tommy May, Betsy Layne; Yvonne Musick, Wheelwright; Charles Ed Phillips, Allen; Ralph Roberts, Putney; Donnie Stumbo, McDowell; Maudie Lou Sturgill, Harold; Doris Turner, Drift; Grady Wallace, Mare Creek; Janet Wells, Auxier; Paul D. Wells, Auxier; and Paul H. Wells, Auxier.

Paul Dotson of Floyd county reported a monthly income of \$218 a month over feed cost from 10 dairy cows.

The schedule:
Sept. 16, Kentucky "B" at Morehead; Sept. 25, Marshall at Huntington, W. Va.; Oct. 2, Tennessee Tech at Cookeville, Tenn.; Oct. 9, Western at Morehead; Oct. 16, Middle Tennessee at Murfreesboro; Oct. 23, Eastern at Morehead (homecoming); Oct. 30, Murray at Murray; Nov. 6, Louisville at Louisville; Nov. 13, Morris Harvey at Morehead.

After R.E.A. demonstrations in electrical repair and lampmaking, about 50 Meade county boys and girls signed up in the electric project.

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Bill Provides Three On Veterans' Board To Be Combat Vets

A bill to provide that the state Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board contain three appointive members who "shall be veterans with service during time of war or hostilities wherein American troops were engaged in conflict with an armed enemy" has been offered in the House by six representatives.

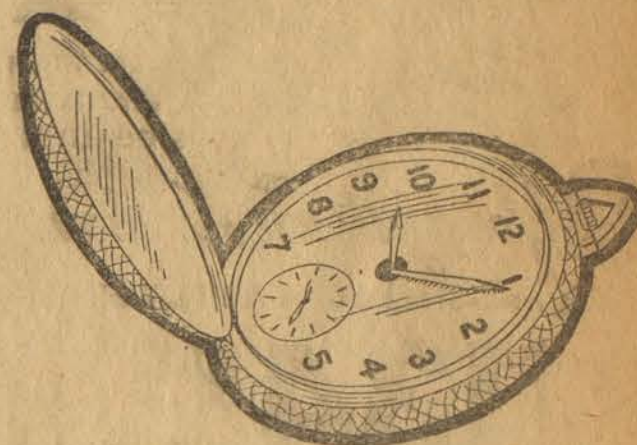
The present law says the appointive members must be on lists submitted by the American Legion. Authors of the proposal are Harry M. Caudill, Whitesburg; William B. Wells, Louisa; W. E. Maglinger, Owensboro; E. H. Stumbo, Harold; Walker H. Wiseman, Winchester; and Owen Billington, Murray.

PONTIAC, Mich. — Mrs. Lucy Cartrette, 23, was sentenced to 1 to 15 years imprisonment in the triangle love-affair slaying of her husband. Mrs. Cartrette said worry over "another woman" in Scarborough's life caused her to blackout and claimed she didn't remember shooting her husband.

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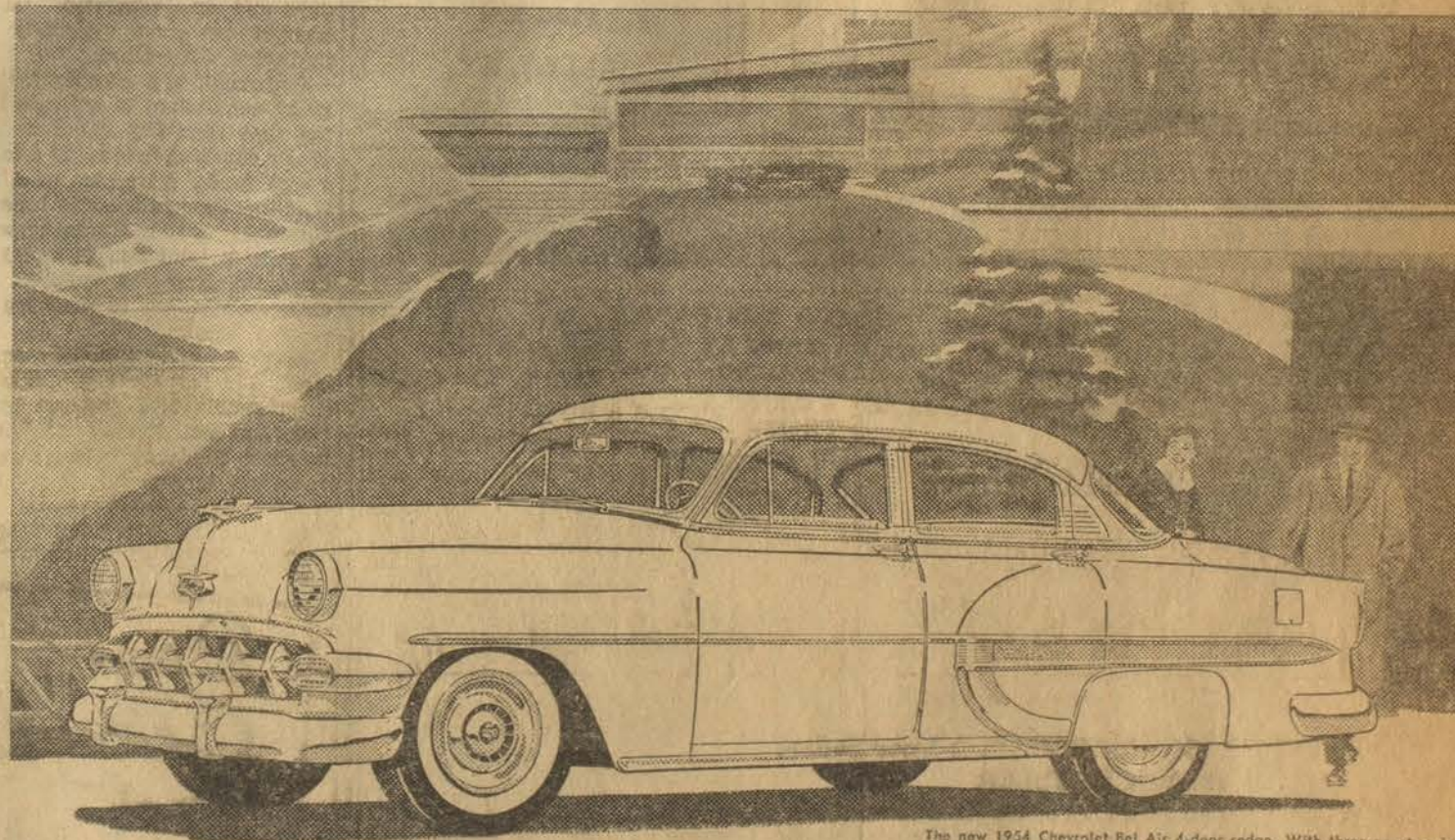
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RIGHT TO WORK AND DOG BILL

By Tom

Frankfort — Several highly controversial legislative proposals face the state's law makers as the Kentucky General Assembly moves this week into the final half of the 1954 session.

Those attracting most interest in the legislative halls and among the public are the proposed time change, the right to work bill and the two so-called dog bills.

The time proposal, suggested by Governor Lawrence Wetherby, has drawn the ire of rural population while its adherents chiefly are from urban sections. The bill would put approximately half the state on Eastern Standard Time and retain Central Standard Time for the western half of the state. The time zone line would be almost due south from the western boundary of Jefferson county.

The arguments for and against the time bill are taking on new vigor, sparked by public committee hearings in the Senate chamber Tuesday.

Representative William L. Jones' measure to require rabies vaccinations for dogs and establish a system for control of stray and roving dogs has run into administration opposition. This came in a measure proposed by the Kentucky State Health Department which would require vaccination at a fee of \$2.00 per dog and omit the control feature contained in Jones' proposal. Jones' bill sets the vac-

60-... administration and appropriations measures, a strip mining bill and a few so-called house-keeping measures, the House settled down to approve 18 measures on Thursday. None of the measures was controversial. Only one roll call of the day appeared in doubt. That was on a motion by Representative Walter Moorman of Breckenridge county for a recess on Friday and Saturday. It carried 43 to 30 and was the closest roll call in the House this session.

Moorman made his motion after the House, in almost staccato fashion disposed of every measure ready for final action. Earlier, Moorman criticized the legislators' failure to buckle down to business, saying "This is the do-nothingest legislature I've ever seen."

This same sentiment was expressed on the floor of the Senate by Republican Senator Homer Losey of Somerset and by Democratic Senator Carl Ruh of Covington. Both said they had been questioned by constituents about legislative lethargy.

The House passed a measure allowing members of the General Assembly and the lieutenant governor \$10 a day expense during the session. This amounts to \$600 for each member. This bill was approved 63 to 27 and was given first reading in the Senate Thursday.

Public hearings on successful days and on unrelated matters brought out some seemingly contradictory declarations. Proponents of a sales tax for Kentucky emphasized in a House hearing that Kentucky children were poorly educated because of a lack of school funds. Advocates of a constitutional amendment to lower the voting age to 18 in Kentucky sought to show a joint Senate and House committee how well equipped Kentucky youths are to participate in political affairs.

Another constitutional amendment due for General Assembly consideration is a proposal by the Constitutional Review Commission to allow Kentucky Governors to serve two terms.

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