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This Town— That World

QUESTION

Almost as big a mystery as who killed Cock Robin or what is causing all those pitted windshields around the country, is where in tunket are all those big crappie that must be in Dewey Lake...

AH, MYSTERY!

Speaking of the pitted windshield mystery, a joker out in Centrailla, Wash., has come up with a solution of sorts. Sez he: "Glass is made from sea sand, and sea sand is flea-infested. The spring sun hatched out the flea eggs. Presto! the pocked windshields!"

If any pitted windshields show up around here I have my own solution of the mystery: pressure from crashing the sound barrier.

INHIBITED

The Kiwanis Club bulletin is now regularly edited by Lon Hill, and he's doing a good job of it. But the bulletin still lacks the verve of The Pecco Post when Lon was editor of that always-interesting publication.

CONGRATULATIONS

We've already congratulated our Henry P. Scalf, in our peculiarly bumbling way, on his winning the Kentucky Award given by Transylvania College. But we repeat here, we congratulate him on receiving this honor. Selfishly, you might say, we take pride in his selection because of his association with us.

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WEBB KILLED, 3 QUESTIONED

Laynesville Man Found Bludgeoned To Death In Pike

A Laynesville man was found bludgeoned to death at Phelps, Pike county, Sunday, and three persons were held, a day later, in Ham-tramck, Mich., for investigation.

The victim was Charles Webb, miner, aged about 40. His body was found in a ravine, brutally beaten with a weapon believed to have been a poker.

Webb, a son of Judge Webb, of Laynesville, had left home Saturday morning, reportedly to visit a woman-friend in or near Williamson, W. Va. Arrest of the three—Robert Wilburn, 46, his wife, Ora, 49, and Herman Hollingsworth, 54—was asked by Sheriff Alex Blackburn of Pike county on the basis of a statement to the effect that Wilburn and Webb quarreled, Saturday night.

Persons questioned in the tragedy were quoted as having told the Sheriff the argument arose over Webb's living at one time in the home of Mrs. Maudie Blankenship, 25, a daughter of Mrs. Wilburn by a previous marriage. The woman and two men arrested in Michigan in connection with the Floyd county's death visited Mrs. Blankenship at Phelps, Friday, it was said.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Celle Gibson vs. Clarence Ray Terry; Cordell Martin, atty. Willa Dean Crace Combs vs. Arnold Combs; Robert S. Wellman, atty. Donald Warren vs. Betty Warren; Combs & Combs, attys. American Fidelity & Casualty Co. vs. Sparks Brothers Bus Co.; Combs & Combs, attys. The Elk Horn Coal Corp. vs. Delbert Webb; Howard & Francis, attys. Geneva M. Thornsbury vs. Andrew Thornsbury; P. K. Damron, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Francis Elliott, Jr., and Shirleen Tackett. Melvin Hefer, 26, Paintsville, and Katherine Steed, 26, Luthersville, Ga.; married at Louisa, April 17, by the Rev. Charles S. Perry. Sterlon Newsom, 25, Mvlin, and Juanita Thornsbury, 20, Bypro; married at Bypro, April 17, by the Rev. Robert Bates officiating. Lloyd Daniels, Jr., and Joyce Elizabeth Hopson. Johnny Poe and Betty Krelender. Abe Parsons and Bircie Moore. Donald Edward Harris and Betty Rose Reynolds. Denver Lee Craft and Sarah Jane Elliott.

P'BURG BOARD STUDYING NEW BUILDING SITE

County Board Asks Decision by Courts On Voted Tax Levy

The Prestonsburg Board of Education is almost committed to the plan of building its proposed auditorium-gymnasium on the grounds of the grade school here, it was said this week after last Friday's action of the County Board of Education. The shift of sentiment to the grade school property came after the County Board last Friday in a special meeting set out as one of the conditions of making available a location for the auditorium-gymnasium on the new county high school grounds here that the City Board institute a suit for declaratory judgment to determine if the 5c-to-35c tax voted here recently shall be paid by residents of the independent district, as voted, in the event of a merger of the city and county school systems.

In the event that the Court of Appeals held that the tax is valid and that the taxpayers of the independent district must pay the full cost of the building, the site at the new school would be made available by the County Board; if the tax is not held valid and collectible from the taxpayers of the independent district, the site would not be conveyed.

The resolution adopted by the County Board noted that "it is widely reported in Prestonsburg that the City Board will submit a permanent plan of merger just as soon as it lets the contract for the construction of said auditorium-gymnasium."

One City Board member said the question of merger was before both boards long before the tax was voted, and that the question of liability on the tax that was voted had not been raised by the City Board. Dr. George P. Archer, chairman of the City Board, and City Superintendent Chalmers H. Frazier were not available for a statement.

The City Board at an earlier meeting of the County Board of Education had agreed to transfer to the County Board its part of the old high school property here in exchange for the site at the new high school. At that time both boards apparently were in full agreement, but they seemed far apart this week.

"We simply wanted to know where the County Board wanted the building put," H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., member of the City Board, said this

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TENTH MUSIC FEST, MAY 1

9 Bands To Take Part In Parade, Concert, Coronation of Queen

Nine school bands and the representatives of eight schools in brains and beauty will be featured here May 1 in the 10th annual Floyd County Music Festival, it was said here this week by Jesse Elliott, county band instructor and founder of the Festival.

Missing again this year will be the colorful floats of other festivals, but the band performances, the coronation of the Festival queen, the parade of bands and other items of the program are intended to make up for this loss.

The nine bands to take part in the Festival are those of Betsy Layne, Martin, Maytown, McDowell, Prestonsburg, Wayland and Wheelwright high schools, the Auxier-Allen combination band and a band from the Drift elementary school. Judges will be from Morehead State College, and band directors from Pike county will write criticisms of the marching concert bands.

There will be no rating of bands, Mr. Elliott said. The Festival will serve as a trial run for the State Music Festival soon to follow in Lexington, and the work of critics-judges will be to assess the strengths and weaknesses of the several participating groups.

Mobilization and inspection of bands will begin the day's program at 9 a.m., at the football field, and the parade through town will be at 10. After that, while judges are evaluating performances, each band will stage stunts they have employed during the school year.

The coronation of the Festival queen will follow on the high school campus. At 1 p.m., the concert bands will play at the grade school auditorium.

Rifle-Shot Exchange, Cutting of Cab Driver Among Week's Incidents

Two incidents which could have resulted in death by violence have taken place here within the week.

The first was an exchange of small-calibre rifle shots between Bill Hubbard and Bill Arnett, in the vicinity of Hubbard's home on First avenue last Thursday. Both men were placed under bond, and Arnett was booked at the county jail. The shooting followed an argument between the two.

The other took place Saturday night when Clifford D. Hall slashed James Lafferty, Prestonsburg taxicab driver, with a knife. Lafferty's hand was badly cut as he warded off Hall's thrust. Hall was jailed by Deputy Sheriff W. J. Sloan.

Others booked at the jail within the week, charges on which they were booked and names of arresting officers follow:

Billie Craft, improper fishing; Paul Eugene Crace, absent without leave from military service, arrested by Chief of Police Epp Laferty; Jonathan Travis, drunk driving and possessing whiskey, and Tommy Smith, robbery, both jailed by Deputies Obe Ousley and Al Patton; Alex Sloan, drunk driving, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Johnny Martin and Policeman Frank Crum of Allen; Jay Bates, Jr., grand larceny, jailed by Constable Johnny Caudill; Willard Harris, cutting copper wire; Steve Smith, grand larceny, booked by Chief of Police Epp Laferty; C. Bailey, grand larceny.

VD PROGRAM OFFERS TESTS

Free Tests To Be Given In County thru May 8th; Itinerary Is Announced

The venereal disease detection program in this county, jointly sponsored by the Floyd County Health Department and the State Board of Health, will get under way Monday at the Wayland school, according to a schedule worked out this week. The free blood-testing program will run through May 8.

The detection program was laid down last Thursday afternoon at a joint meeting of local and state health officials. Tests are to be made on high school pupils, with the end in view of getting as many parents as possible to take the tests. Meeting at the courthouse to lay the detection plans were Mary Lynn Waite, Sarah C. Stice, Oma Smith and Finley Booth, of the State Department of Health, and Montaine Clark, Regina Mayo and Catherine Wiechers, of the County Health Department. Miss Blanche Dingus, health officer of the Floyd County Board of Education, extended the cooperation of the County Superintendent's office in working out the program plans.

The mobile blood-testing unit will be under the charge of Finley Booth. A physician will be available at any time, if needed he said. All reports are to be confidential, he added.

Thousands of handbills will be distributed advertising the scheduled stops of the unit. The schedule of visits are to the following schools: Monday, April 26—Wayland; Tuesday, April 27—Maytown, a.m.; Tuesday, April 27—Bosco, p.m.; Wednesday, April 27—Garrett, a.m.; Wednesday, April 28—Lacey, p.m.; Thursday, April 29—Martin; Friday, April 30—Prestonsburg; Saturday, May 1—Ligon; Monday, May 2—Wheelwright; Tuesday, May 3—Melvin, a.m.; Tuesday, May 4—Weeksburg, p.m.; Wednesday, May 5—Betsy Layne, a.m.; Wednesday, May 5—Harold, p.m.; Thursday, May 6—McDowell; Friday, May 7—Auxier, a.m.; Friday, May 7—David, p.m.; Saturday, May 8—Drift a.m.; Saturday, May 8—Allen, p.m.

Band Twilight Concert To Include Composition On Theme of Pioneer Life

Among the numbers to be rendered next Monday evening during the Prestonsburg high school band's Twilight Concert at the football field will be an original composition by the band director, Keith Barts, on the pioneer theme.

The title of Mr. Barts' composition is "Harmon Station." Inspired by the fact that Harmon Station, which was located across the Big Sandy river from the present East Point, was the first white settlement in Eastern Kentucky, Mr. Barts has tried musically to give a view of what this pioneer outpost was like.

Other numbers to be played will be in the popular and semi-classical vein. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m.

RISNER MAN'S BODY FOUND

Bradley Drowning Held Accidental in Attempt To Swim the Big Sandy

Drowning of Henry Bradley, 51-year-old Risner man, in the Big Sandy river Monday afternoon, eight miles south of Louisa, has been termed an accidental death, Lawrence county Coroner Byron Young said.

The body was not recovered until 4:15 p.m., Tuesday, more than 24 hours after the Floyd countian's wife and children saw him disappear in the water. The body, recovered by Cecil Daniels, 18, a high school student, was found about 250 feet below the point where Bradley jumped into the water.

The tragedy occurred 200 feet below where Meade's Branch runs into the river. Coroner Young at first expressed the belief the drowning was a suicide, but his theory was not supported by the jury at the inquest held before the body was returned to Prestonsburg.

A wife bearing the Floyd man, his wife and 10 of his 12 children to Michigan broke down on U. S. 23 where the road skirts the river. Bradley, a coal miner, was recently laid off from work and he was enroute to Michigan, hoping to find employment.

Birdie Hicks, his nephew and owner of the truck, was attempting to repair the motor when Bradley took off his shoes.

"Here, take my shoes," he was quoted as having said to his wife. "It's about the only thing you'll have left."

Others in the group said he then turned to his son, Tavis, 18, and said, "I bet you I can swim to the other side of the river before you can," then ran to the water and jumped in. The river at that point is about 60 feet wide, and the Lawrence county Sheriff Ed Sparks told County Judge Henry Stumbo, Tuesday, that Bradley almost reached the overhanging willow branches on

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Biologists Initiate Fish Study At Lake; Dock May Be Moved

Biologists of the Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources began Tuesday a study of fish life in Dewey Lake which is scheduled to continue until next fall.

The biologists have set six gill nets between the road from Heger Gap and the dam itself, and are asking the public not to molest these nets which are highly important to their study.

The Division of Parks is expected to move the Brandy Keg boat dock from its present location to the former boat-launching site further back in the cove, and for that reason Tom Clark, dock manager, is asking all boat-owners who have their boats moored in the cove above the dock to move them at once.

The prosecutor's statement pointed out that he and Burchett had never been able to see eye to eye, that they have never received the proper cooperation from each other, that the former official obstructed, failed to cooperate with the Commonwealth's Attorney and attempted to do and did control the prosecution of cases. He added that Mr. Burchett's role in this case "is but for one purpose, to embarrass this Commonwealth's Attorney and impede, harass and disorganize the orderly procedure of the court in the prosecution of this case."

Mr. Burchett pointed out that he has been a practicing attorney almost 20 years, and that Huddleston sought him to assist in the prosecution of the Jennings case. He added that at that time "I advised him it was not necessary for him to secure and pay for counsel to assist in this prosecution." Huddleston told him, he stated, that he wanted help because of the bookkeeping

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Scalf Among 30 To Be Honored At Lexington by Transylvania

Henry P. Scalf, regional historian and member of the editorial staff of The Floyd County Times, has been selected as one of 30 outstanding citizens of the state who will receive from Transylvania College the Kentucky Citation during the three-day 175th Anniversary Convocation of the Lexington Institution.

Mr. Scalf and others so honored will receive their citations on the evening of April 23 at the Kentucky dinner at the Lafayette hotel, French Ambassador Henri Bonnet will be the principal speaker.

Mr. Scalf's name was presented for the honor by Floyd county civic, social and historical groups, and these were supported by practically every similar organization in this section.

"The loyalty of all these friends and the fact that my selection reflects creditably on this section of the state are my main sources of satisfaction," Scalf said. "Such things as this means much more than an honor to an individual."

The Floyd countian so honored is a resident of Mare Creek, for 19 years was a teacher in the Floyd and Pike county schools, and for two and a half years has been con-

JAYCEES ASK SPEEDING BAN

Fast Driving Hazards To Children Here Cited; Caution Light Promised

The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce in launching a safety campaign locally will ask the police department to crack down on fast driving through Prestonsburg streets, Gordon Moore, Jaycees president, said this week.

"Children may be run down on any street in town," Moore commented. He added that authorities will be asked to fine every violator, with no mercy shown, regardless of family connections.

In another safety move the Jaycees have asked that a caution light be placed at the intersection of U. S. 23 and the Brandy Keg road leading to Dewey Lake. They have been assued by Donald Lee Meade, department of highways representative, this will be done. The State Highway Department also has been asked to clean out the ditch in front of Collin's skating rink in the upper section of Prestonsburg where three motor accidents occurred last week.

The Jaycees are now making automobile bumper strips which will advertise Dewey Lake. These will be completed, the latter part of the week.

Big Sandy Reservoir Re-Study Is Approved

The following wire was received Tuesday by The Times from U. S. "At my request Senate Public Works Committee today approved resolution directing Corps of Engineers to make comprehensive re-study of flood control, power and water supply projects on Big Sandy and Tug and Levisa Forks."

APPELLATE COURT TO DECIDE ATTORNEY'S RIGHTS IN CASE

Can another lawyer assist a Commonwealth's Attorney over the official's objections in the prosecution of a criminal case?

That is the question the Kentucky Court of Appeals will be asked to decide in a situation arising in circuit court here last week. Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill held that the attorney is entitled to his place in the prosecution.

The case was that of the Commonwealth vs. Ira Jennings, who is charged with conversion of funds of the Ideal Cleaners at Martin, W. O. Huddleston, owner of the cleaning plant, who is the complaining witness, employed former County Attorney W. W. Burchett to assist in the prosecution.

Martin's objections to Burchett as an associate in the case and Burchett's statement in his own behalf occupy most of two pages in the circuit court order book and they form a part of one of the longest orders in the book.

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80 Louisville Leaders To Visit Prestonsburg

Prestonsburg businessmen will welcome 80 Louisville business and civic leaders May 20, when the 1954 spring Get-Acquainted Tour of the Louisville Chamber of Commerce comes to town.

The four-day tour, May 18 through May 21, will take in 23 cities in Eastern Kentucky on a sweep of 856 miles.

The Louisville party will travel in three air-conditioned Greyhound buses, behind a state police escort. A loudspeaker on the lead bus will announce the arrival in each city with the playing of "My Old Kentucky Home." Members of the party will wear the Louisville Chamber of Commerce Get-Acquainted Tour trademark—white hats with red brims—and will carry red-and-white umbrellas.

The Get-Acquainted Tour is a tradition with the Louisville Chamber of Commerce, as it was with its predecessor organization, the Louisville Board of Trade. It is a goodwill tour, staged with the idea

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Bentley Yet Unconscious 70 Days After His Injury

John J. Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bentley, formerly of McDowell, who suffered head injuries in a parachute jump at Camp Campbell, remained unconscious last Friday, the 70th day since his injury. He was hurt when a gust of wind swept him high into the air before he could collapse his chute after landing safely.

AIR ALERT SCHEDULED

An alert to the ground observers of the civil defense organization of Prestonsburg is scheduled for Monday, April 23, between the hours of 1 and 9 p.m.



Heading the Get-Acquainted Tour party from Louisville will be Tour Chairman Henning Hilliard, left, partner in the J.J.B. Hilliard & Son, Louisville investment firm; and Archie P. Cochran, president of the Louisville Chamber of Commerce and president of Cochran Foli Company.

WOMAN DIES OF GUNSHOT

Ike Conn Jailed Here In Slaying at Printer Of His Sister-in-Law

The first murder charge lodged against a Floyd countian in eight months was filed here Tuesday morning, a few hours after Mrs. Sadie Halbert, 32, of Printer, had died of a revolver bullet wound allegedly inflicted by her brother-in-law, Ike Conn, 37, also of Printer.

The woman, wife of Cecil Halbert, was shot in the forehead at 1:30 p.m. Monday, while she, her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Conn and others were at the nearby home of Willis Halbert. She died at 9:10 p.m., at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

Her death was the first in this county by gunfire since Otis Blankenship was killed last August on Stephens Branch.

The accused man volunteered a statement Tuesday afternoon when taken before County Judge Henry Stumbo. "It couldn't be helped," he said. "We were wrestling over the gun—it went off."

Asked how many shots he fired, he said, "I shot it empty after I saw what had happened. Her man grabbed me and I was afraid he'd shoot me. When it was empty I threw it down."

The husband of the dead woman said here, late Monday night when questioned by County Judge Stumbo and County Attorney Hollie Conley, that his wife was shot when she told Conn not to shoot his wife, who is her sister. He explained that the group of relatives were sitting on the porch of the Willis Halbert home, which is near that of Cecil Halbert. There was some drinking. "I was sitting on the end, and he (Ike) was over here, and he got up and went in the house, and he came back with a gun and his wife run, and my wife stepped up and told him not to kill her, and she stepped up and he shot her," the husband stated.

Halbert added he did not know how many shots Conn fired. "I was excited," he explained. He said he found some bullets at the back of the house. He took the weapon, a .38 Special revolver, away from Conn. Halbert claims Conn tried to shoot him. After the revolver was taken from him, Halbert said, Conn ran toward the home of his father, Maryland Conn.

The victim was a daughter of Arthur and Beulah Hays Martin, of Printer. Besides her parents and her husband, she leaves the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Ike Conn, of Printer, Mrs. Asa Belcher, of Drift, Miss Nora, Miss Bonnie Martin, Creed, Crit, Tandy, Dee and Wendell Martin, all of Printer.

Her funeral was conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Methodist Church at Printer by the Rev. Robert Martin, and burial in the family cemetery was made under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

The body was headless, and the hands and feet also were missing. The Pike county sheriff's office told The Times Wednesday that officer "went over Catfish Damron's place with a fine tooth comb." This source would not say if any tangible evidence has been uncovered.

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LAKES TRADE TO GIVE COAL SLIGHT GAINS

But Moody Sees Slump Till Costs Are Lower; Relief Load Is Heavy

The Great Lakes opened Wednesday, and almost simultaneously with their opening came from Joseph E. Moody, president of the Southern Coal Operators Association, the prediction made in Louisville that Eastern Kentucky coal business will experience a pickup, beginning in early June, of 5 to 7 per cent.

"There was some indication in this county that the pickup already had started, but this was only in scattered instances. Generally, the unemployment situation remains discouraging, and upwards of 7,000 persons are on commodity relief in the county.

Moody said there can be no major employment rise unless there's a cut in both freight costs and union benefits. Freight costs in some instances, he said, "are higher than the price of coal at the mine."

Moody said the June pickup will result from:

1. Increased orders from the steel industry, one of the biggest coal customers.

2. A leveling-off of coal stockpiles. Consumption has been greater than production since the first of the year.

3. The normal seasonal shipments of coal across the Great Lakes to industrial centers in the North.

At present more than a third of Eastern Kentucky's miners are out of work. Few of those still employed are on a full work week.

Some mines have cancelled their contracts with the United Mine Workers on the ground that the cost of the contracts is too high to do business under.

A U.M.W. spokesman was quoted in Washington recently as saying the union might challenge the cancellation in the courts.

Moody remarked that such a suit "would be very interesting." He explained that there is now no body of law to cover the legality of the cancellation question.

If the U.M.W. had access to National Labor Relations Board machinery, it could file charges of unfair labor practices against mines terminating their contracts, he noted.

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MURDER CASE BREAK HINTED

Army Serial Number May Identify Victim; Floyd Angles Studied

The investigation of the baffling case of torso found March 31 on Caney Fork of Johns Creek in Pike county, had two Floyd county angles this week, but the clue that may disclose the identity of the murder victim lies in an army serial number.

This clue reached Pike county Sheriff Alex Blackburn via an unsigned postal card from Portsmouth, O., which suggested that an army serial number be checked. The number written on the card was "1574198," but it immediately became evident one digit was missing.

Army authorities expressed the belief the missing number is the last in the series of figures, and this is true the clue narrows the identity of the victim to 10 men.

The Floyd angle to the bizarre case consisted of since-refuted rumors to the effect that blood had been washed from a rooming-place and the fact that the laundry mark found in clothing of the corpse has been traced to a Martin dry-cleaning business.

The laundry mark identification was brought out at last Friday's coroner's inquest. The coat bearing the mark had been sent to the cleaner last August from a pool-room operated at Boldman by Willard (Catfish) Damron.

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Smith, 42, Tram, Accident Victim
Man, West Virginia

Smith, 42, a native of this county, was fatally injured in a slate fall in the mines of the Pocahontas Fuel Company at Itman, Wyoming county, W. Va., Monday, at 7:45 a.m., shortly after he had reported for work. He was removed to the Stevens Clinic at Welch where he died at 3:45 p.m.

Mr. Smith had resided in West Virginia since 1930, except for one short period when he was associated with the Pike-Elkhorn Coal Company at Tram. He was a foreman in the mines where he was injured. At the time of his death he was living at Hatcher, W. Va. He was a son of Joe and the late Eddie Osborn Smith.

Surviving besides his father, is his wife, Dora Louise Ratliff Smith, a daughter, Lois Jane Smith, and a step-son, Charles Bernard, at home. One brother, George Smith, Tram, survives as do the following sisters: Mrs. Cinda Osborn, Tram, Mrs. Sude Wallace, Mare Creek, Mrs. Verlie Montgomery, Davin, W. Va., Mrs. Josie McKerrill, Baltimore, Mrs. Ruth Dillon, Ivel, and Mrs. Edith Calhoun, Newport News, Va. Two half-brothers, Freddie, of Tram, and Walter, of the U. S. Marines, North Carolina, and a half-sister, Betty, of Tram, also survive.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) at Hatcher, W. Va., and burial under the auspices of the Pineville, West Virginia chapter of the Masonic order followed in the Cook cemetery there under the direction of the Evans Funeral Home of Oceana.

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Reviewing The Plight Of Coal

Responsible coal operators are opposed to any movement which has as its ultimate aim the destruction of unionization.

They are opposed to such action for two reasons, both of which add up to the fact that they are good business men and are good citizens:

1. If this coal field, say, were unorganized, reduced wages and cuts in other benefits would be no guarantee of business for any mine. Price-cutting would snowball, the situation would be one of every man for himself, and the resultant price war would mean no economic gain to the operators.
2. Elimination of the union contract would permit, even force, operators to cut wages to the extent that the economy of the area would be wrecked, no matter how many men were employed. So they do not want a return to the old days of work from dawn till dusk, with miners barely earning a subsistence, any more than they seek a situation in which only the buyer of coal would benefit.

How much longer can the C. & O. expect to be able to boast it is the world's greatest coal-carrier if the present depression trend continues in the coal business?


The matter of freight rates is if not abstruse so complex that it defies analysis except by experts, and even that analysis is remarkably unclear to the ordinary person. We who are not experts only know that high freight rates place Eastern Kentucky coal in poor position to compete with other fields—fields which enjoy lower rates and the added advantages of water transportation—for the big coal markets. The railroad not only has failed in years when it was piling up its greatest profits to reduce coal transportation costs but it has fought every move to give this field an even break.

One coal operator asks, "Have C. & O. officials put forth any effort to have power plants or industrial plants located in territories where by Big Sandy coal operators would enjoy competitive freight rates?"

We can only answer with the obvious: Such areas do not have such plants, and the C. & O. wields considerable influence when it puts its heart into matters of this sort, as any proponent of Big Sandy canalization will bear witness.

The situation grows worse almost daily. Cannot there be a general review of the situation from all angles, as suggested in a recent address by David L. Francis, president of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, with all parties concerned considering not only themselves but also the region which is peculiarly at their mercy?

Presbytery Elects Pearson, Moderator



The Rev. Orville Pearson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, was elected moderator of Ebenezer Presbytery at the spring meeting, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Presbytery and Presbyterial in Lexington. He succeeds the Rev. Alan A. Kohler, of Maysville.

Ebenezer Presbytery extends from Maysville to Harlan, and from Pikeville to Lexington. The moderator has the responsibility for the spiritual care of the 47 congregations within this area.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—John J. Gallagher of Cleveland, candidate for the Democratic nomination for state treasurer, offered Gov. Lausche a plan to aid Ohio's unemployed. He proposed creation by the governor of a state citizens' planning committee with a full time executive director. The committee would provide technical and engineering help through state agencies to local citizens' committee.

WHEELWRIGHT LODGE
 No. 889
F. & A. M.
 Meets each second and fourth Wednesday

Clubwomen To Dedicate Clubhouse at Wayland, Observe Anniversary

The Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club will observe next Wednesday the 20th year of its organization and dedicate the clubhouse purchased a few months ago, it was announced this week.

Mrs. I. D. Thompson, state president, Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, will preside at the dedication ceremony at 2 p.m., and will address club members that evening at a dinner to be given by Mrs. C. B. Ison in the Recreation room of the Garrett Methodist Methodist Church.

The club will hold open house from 1 till 5 p.m., in observance of its 20th anniversary.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Oil cook stove for sale. See Miller's Store, Prestonsburg. 4-22 4t-pd.

Extra amounts of fertilizers are being used on corn and wheat land in Metcalfe county.

FOR SALE—Restaurant-size 20 cubic-foot ice-box. Cost \$800. Bargain at \$300. Also \$300 G.E. dishwasher, \$135. Antique bedroom suite, kitchen stove, small gas stoves, other items. Phone 2483, Prestonsburg. 4-22-2t.

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Thus coal-mining leaders view this subject. They look at the present situation and at what might be, realistically and with conscience.

They would like to see some changes made, true; in fact, they maintain that unless some changes are made the industry may not survive, and the union may go with it. They insist that the union, out of consideration for the miners themselves, could and should reduce the wage scale and set up under actuarial standards a lower per cent fee for welfare benefits. Thus, they say, coal would be enabled to compete with oil and gas as fuels, more men would be employed—still at high wages—and the union would collect dues from more working and satisfied miners.

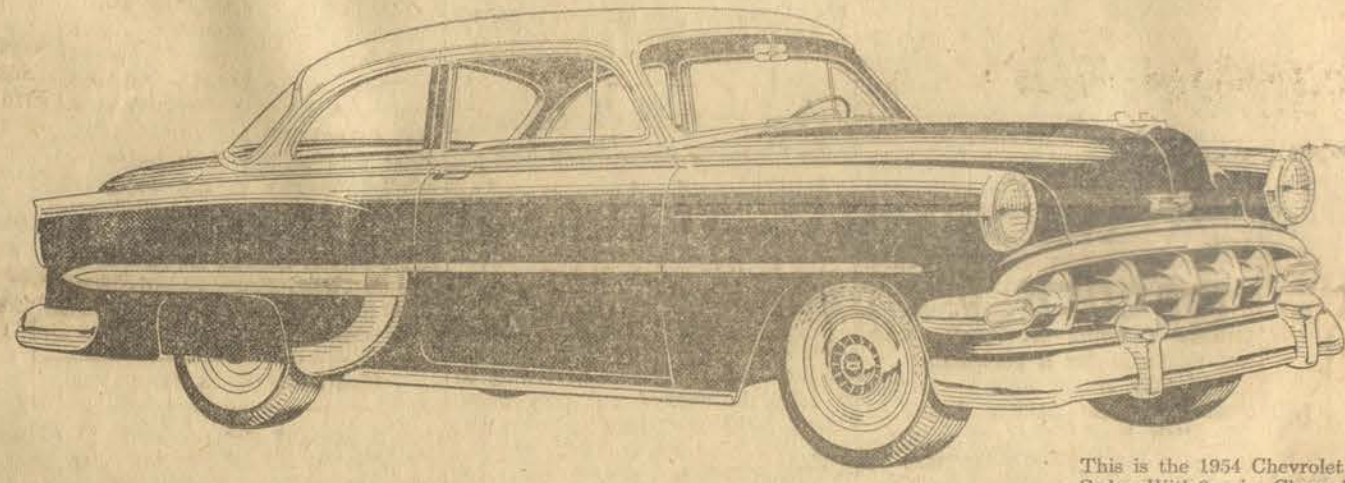
On the other hand, these operators—a bit late in the day, to be sure—admit coal must be given some consideration by the railroads, too. (In our case, "railroads" means the C. & O., the only system serving the Big Sandy.)

Here is the case of a railroad boasting that it is the world's greatest coal-carrier but hanging on to policies which are killing "the goose that laid the golden egg." Its policies are flexible only in those instances which will mean immediate greater profits to C. & O. The future may go hang.

Its dieselization is nearing the one hundred per cent mark. Last year C. & O. used only 819,474 tons of coal—2,219,569 tons less than it used only two years before, almost three-quarters of a million tons less than in 1952! What 2,000,000 tons of coal orders would mean to the mines from which C. & O. hauls coal!

At the same time, Norfolk & Western used last year 2,069,732 tons of coal. That railroad has shunned the use of diesel oil, and last year's tonnage was in line with its coal use dating back as far as 1940. N. & W. is not convinced it would save anything by converting from coal to oil.

It may be that N. & W. is looking farther ahead than C. & O., in the formulation of policies. It may reason that even if it could save a bit, here and there by using oil, the loss of its business would be the last straw for many of the mines it serves, that if these mines close it will lose some of that big coal-hauling revenue it enjoys, and so would wind up the loser itself.



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A good customer of ours was telling us the other day how he sizes up a new car. Because he's bought a number of them over the years, we were interested in what he had to say. We think you will be, too.

Actually, what he does is to ask about seven basic questions. The answers give a pretty complete picture of the car and its comparative value. Here's what he wants to know.

How well do I like its looks?
 That's one question, of course, that only you can answer. You're the one who buys the car and you, above anybody else, should be proud of its appearance.

All we can tell you is that we hear a lot of nice things about Chevrolet's new styling. People seem to like the new front-end and rear-end designs, and the way the bumpers curve even farther around the fenders. They like the new styling touches all around the car and the wide choice of bright new colors and two-tone combinations. A good many tell us that Chevrolet has a decided edge over the other cars in its field for smooth and graceful lines.

Who makes the body?
 This question takes in much more territory than the appearance of the car. It involves the quality of the

interior as well as the strength and safety of the body construction. That's why we think it worth your consideration that Chevrolet has the only Body by Fisher in the low-price field.

You can see the difference outside and inside. We'd especially like you to look over the new interiors. Just sit in the car, if you will. Feel the quality of the fabrics and notice the more generous use of vinyl trim.

In all these ways, you'll find evidence of superior quality and workmanship. And after all, isn't that what you would expect in Body by Fisher? As you know, Fisher is the largest and most famous manufacturer of automobile bodies in the world. Doesn't it stand to reason that Fisher can build extra quality into the Chevrolet body? It's there and you can see it.

What's under the hood?
 You hear a great deal of talk these days about engine power. The truth is that the number of horsepower isn't nearly as important as what the horsepower does for you.

In this year's Chevrolet, you get increased power in two finer engines. There's the "Blue-Flame 125" engine teamed with Powerglide automatic

transmission and optional on all models at extra cost. In gearshift models, you get the more powerful "Blue-Flame 115" engine.

But, actually, the increase in horsepower is only a sort of by-product of design changes made for other reasons. Chevrolet engineers were after greater engine efficiency, not just greater power. So, you get improved acceleration, with greater and safer passing ability. You get quieter, smoother operation. You climb the steep hills with new ease.

How hungry is it for gasoline?
 A car's reputation for, and record of, economy of operation is certainly an important consideration to most people. We'd be glad to have you compare Chevrolet in this respect with any car at any price.

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*This means simply that the engine compresses, or squeezes, the fuel mixture to a greater degree in order to bring more work out of it. That's how Chevrolet is able to give you an important gain in performance along with money-saving gasoline mileage—and on regular gas, of course.

Is it up to date in features?
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How popular a car is it?
 When you come right down to it, there's no better way to judge the satisfaction a car gives its owners than by its popularity. How many people buy it and keep on buying it? Well, as you may know, Chevrolet is by far the most popular car in this country. That's true today and it's been true for a good many years now. But it couldn't be true—or wouldn't be true—unless Chevrolet gave its owners an extra measure of satisfaction and value.

How much does it cost?
 There's a short, sweet answer to that one: Chevrolet is priced below all other lines of cars. This lower cost is made possible by the greater production facilities and purchasing power of the world's largest manufacturer of automobiles. That is why Chevrolet can offer you all the advantages we've told you about here—and many more, too.

We'd be more than glad to have you see all these things for yourself and to try out this new Chevrolet on the road. We'll be happy to see you at any time.

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MRS. LAFFERTY SUBMITS TO SURGERY

Mrs. Charlie Lafferty returned last week from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, and was admitted to Prestonsburg General hospital again. On Wednesday, she submitted to major surgery. She is holding her own at present. She has been very ill for many weeks.

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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Paul Pate was surprised on her birthday last Thursday evening when she returned to her home from church to find about forty friends assembled to wish her many happy returns of the day. She was recipient of many gifts, tokens of love and friendship. The hostesses Mrs. Johnnie Hale and Mrs. John D. Marcum, served refreshments after opening of the gifts.

Junior Woman's Club Installs New Officers

Officers for the coming year were installed at the monthly meeting Tuesday night, of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club. Mrs. John G. Heize, past-president, presented the following officers: Roberta Hubbard, president; Mary Martha Williams, vice-president; Mrs. Bob Wilhite, secretary, and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., treasurer. Mrs. Herbert L. Ley is sponsor of the club.

In appreciation of her inspiring sponsorship during the past year, the club presented Mrs. Ley a gift which she graciously acknowledged.

The hostesses, Mrs. Wilhite and Mrs. Hubbard Francis, Jr., served refreshments to the following: Mesdames Doc Ferrell, Eddy Ray, Pete Jarvis, Bill Damron, Herbert L. Ley, John G. Heize, Homer Wright, Adrien Blackburn, Roberta Hubbard, Robert Wellman, Fred James, Jack Hyden; Misses Mary Martha Williams, Charlotte Salisbury, Marion Salisbury, Barbie May, Bureita Gearheart, and new members, Mrs. Jack Hodge, Mrs. Mary Lou Waldron, and Mrs. Johnny Ellis, who were welcomed into the club.

ENTERTAIN OVER WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Moore entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wheatly, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lyle, and Mrs. S. S. Moore, Ashland, over the week-end, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Ley joined the family for dinner.

LUNCHROOM GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hale entertained to luncheon, Monday, at their home on Third street, Harold Jenkins, of Louisville, Mrs. Paul Pate, Mrs. John D. Marcum, Jr. and baby, Theresa Allen Marcum.

IN NEW YORK THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne and Miss Mary E. Powers left Monday for a visit of a week in New York with Mr. Layne's sister, Mrs. Miles Chaloupka, and Mr. Chaloupka. Mr. Layne is a delegate from Kentucky to the National Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous.



TWO-YEAR OLD HAS THEATRE PARTY

Theresa Allen Marcum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Marcum, Jr., was two years old April 6. In celebration of her birthday, she was hostess to sixty little friends at an all-cartoon party at the Abigail theatre. Following the show, refreshments were served to the many guests who brought her lovely gifts. Favors of hats with the numeral two on them were given to the guests.

Floyd Arnold Mann spent the Easter vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Tot Allen Cope.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts and Mrs. Roy Perry were in Huntington, Friday, on business.

Mrs. Russell Kirk and Mrs. Ked Kirk, of Paintsville, were here Easter calling on friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mabel Branham has as her guest, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters and daughter, Terry, and son, Arthur, of Dayton, O. Mrs. Peters is the former Myrtle Branham. After visiting here they traveled through the Smokey Mountain area before returning home.

Mrs. Ethel Powers who has been confined to her bed for several weeks, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Webb, on Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cottrell, Mrs. Lida Cottrell, Mrs. Joe Hobson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Huntington on business. Mrs. Cottrell consulted a specialist there.

Miss Laura Branham, student at Kentucky Wesleyan College in Owensboro, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Mabel Branham, over the Easter week-end.

Mrs. H. C. Francis and Paul Francis were in Hindman, last week, on business.

Harry Lee Jenkins, Louisville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, Paintsville, were supper guests of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Monday. Jimmy Garnett, Paintsville, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Laura Davidson, here last Sunday.

Miss Mary Louise Branham and friend, David Lee Olinger, of Dayton, Ohio, are here for a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Branham. The automobile, Miss Branham and Mr. Olinger arranged in is a French Renault and will travel a maximum of 50 miles on a gallon of gasoline.

Mrs. Thomas Connors has returned home to Estill, after spending several days in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. Minta Allen is convalescing from a serious illness at the home here of her son, John Allen.

Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Stephens left today (Thursday) to be guests at St. Matthews, Ky., of their son. They also will visit in Lexington before returning home Sunday.

Dr. Martha Ward, of the U.S. Public Health Service, was the dinner guest Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Clark.

WEEK-END GUEST OF CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Harris, of Lancer, were guests over the week-end with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Harris.

ANNUAL FRIENDSHIP NIGHT OBSERVED

Miriam Rebecca Lodge No. 31 held its annual Friendship night, April 20, at the IOOF Hall. Degrees were conferred on five candidates for Miriam Lodge and one for Queen Esther Lodge, Pikeville. At the close, refreshments were served to fifty members and guests.

W. S. C. S. MEETS

Circle No. 3 of W. S. C. S. met at the home of Mrs. Harry Ranier, April 15. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Ruth Worland. Mrs. Phyllis Ranier led in prayer and Mrs. Vivian Hall gave the scripture reading.

The treasure chests were opened. Those who were unable to attend the meeting and bring their treasure chests may turn them in now, either to Mrs. Lena Brown or Mrs. Eleanor Horn.

The May meeting will be the last one of the year, and it is hoped each member will be present.

Members present were Mrs. Ruth Worland, Mrs. Vivian Hale, Mrs. Sue May, Mrs. Harry Ranier, and Mrs. Lena Brown.

HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Montaine Clark entertained to dinner Sunday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sparks on their 10th wedding anniversary.

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Lt. Josh T. Williams, Air Force Nurse Wed



Lt. Agnes Teresa Ward, USAF-NC, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Ward, 169 Marlboro street, Wallaston, Mass., became the bride of Lt. Josh T. Williams, Jr., USAF, son of Mrs. Josh T. Williams and the late Mr. Williams, of Prestonsburg, Ky., on January 30 in the chapel of the Itazube Air Force Base, in Kyushu, Japan.

The Rev. Fr. Werr officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of white lace over satin. She was attended by Lt. Dorothy Watt, USAFNC, of Providence, R. I.

Captain Silas Bell, USAF, of Waco, Texas, was best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Kyushu Officers Club.

The bride is a graduate of Quincy high school and Quincy Hospital School of Nursing. Lt. Williams, a graduate of the K. M. L. attended Centre College and the University of Kentucky.

Both are stationed at the Itazube Air Base in Kyushu, Japan.

GUESTS OF DR. AND MRS. ARCHER

Dr. J. Duffy Hancock, Louisville, president of K. S. M. A. and Joe Sanford, executive secretary of K. S. M. A. were overnight guests of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer following the 14th K. S. M. A. Council which met here recently. Dr. John G. Archer is Councilor of the 14th district.

ATTENDING EBENEZER PRESBYTERY

Representing the Presbyterian Church at Ebenezer Presbytery, convening at Lexington this week were Rev. and Mrs. Orville Pearson, Daniel A. Reed, Mrs. E. R. Burke, Mrs. Ernest Osborne and Miss Daisy Miller.

ATTEND MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was given by the high school faculty at Martin, last Wednesday, honoring Mrs. James David Salisbury, nee, Miss Betty Hall. Bingo was enjoyed by a large group of friends bringing many useful household items. A door prize was given. Among those attending from here were Mesdames Ethel Cross, Harry Sandige, Herbert Salisbury, Curtis Clarke, Bess S. May, Homer Salisbury, Herbert Salisbury, Jr., Billie Hale, Wm. O. Goebel, Jr., Ben Ferguson, Jr., Lillian Ferguson.

SPENT WEEK-END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne returned to their home in Ashland, Sunday, after spending the week-end here with his sister, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

RELATIVES VISITED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Worland, M/S Robert Worland, Mrs. Worland and children, Ft. Bragg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Worland and family recently, at their home on Highland avenue.

VISITING IN MARYLAND

Miss Laura Virginia Roberts left Friday, for Ft. Holabird, Md., where she will visit her cousin, Mrs. R. L. Maranville, and Lt. Maranville, near Baltimore.

HOME FOR EASTER VACATION

Miss Pauline Hereford spent Easter week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Tom Hereford, at Cliff. She is teaching at Annapolis, Md.

SPENT EASTER IN LOUISVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and children went to Louisville to spend the Easter holiday with Dr. and Mrs. Salyers.

IN WASHINGTON THIS WEEK

Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Kentucky State President, United States Daughters of 1812, and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards are in Washington, D. C. this week, attending the national meeting of U. S. Daughters of 1812, convening at the Shoreham hotel. Mrs. Stephens will give Kentucky Chapter Reports. Mrs. Sowards is River Raisin Chapter delegate. They will return next week-end.

TEN-MONTH OLD BABY UNDERGOES OPERATION

Robert Mitchell Vanhoose, 10-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vanhoose, of Paintsville was operated on last Wednesday at St. Mary's hospital. He is doing nicely. His parents and grand- have been with him.

MR. CONNORS HONORED

A surprise birthday party was given Saturday evening in honor of Charles Connors. Those who attended were: from Prestonsburg—Mrs. Esther Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gunnels, Mrs. Mabel Branham; from Auxier—James W. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John Bayes, Jr., Mrs. Anne Music, Mrs. Bessie Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Candell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson and Forrest Music; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans, Ashland; Miss Laura Branham, Owensboro; Miss Mary Louise Branham, Dayton, O.; David Lee Olinger, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Geneva Cox, Warsaw, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Paris Music, East Point, Jack Williams, Cleveland, O.; Mr. and Mrs. James D. Wells, Harlan, Ky.; Charles Connors, Jr., Earl Connors and son, Harold Connors and son, Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Connors, all of Cleveland, O.; Charles Connors and Mr. and Mrs. James P. Connors and daughter, of Auxier.

HERE FOR EASTER DITH DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt, of Mt. Sterling, spent Easter here with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade, Steve and Donna Ann Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Puratt, Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt.

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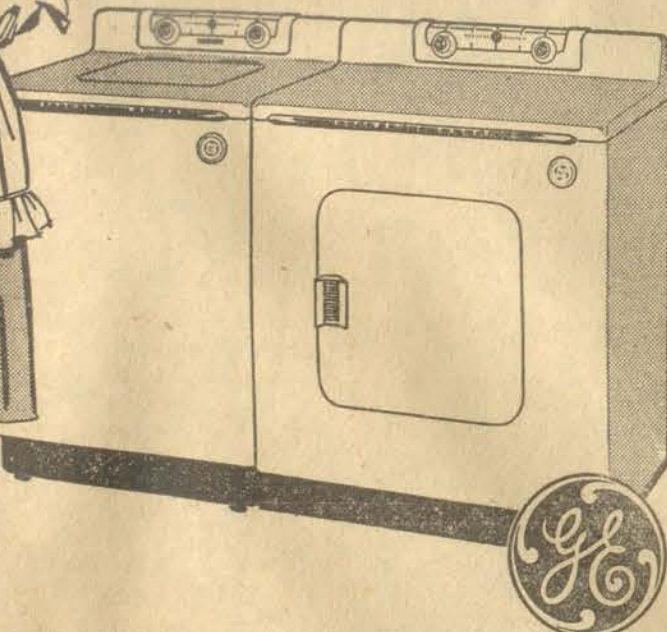
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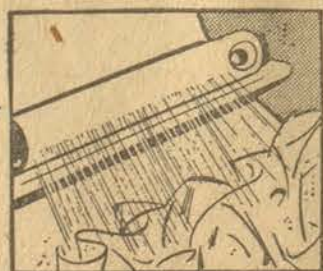
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technicalities involved, that he wanted a lawyer to study these books. Burchett said that in the conference room, which is off the main courtroom, he assured the Commonwealth's Attorney he desired to cooperate with him in every regard and to assist him in the prosecution of the case. "I have no desire to obstruct justice or obstruct him in the performance of his duties," the statement continued. He expressed the belief that personal dislike prompted Martin, adding that personalities should not enter into the trial of a lawsuit.

Judge Hill held that Mr. Huddleston had a right to employ Burchett, or anyone else, to assist in the prosecution, adding that the court is of the opinion the Commonwealth's Attorney has the legal right to control the prosecution of criminal cases and to decide all questions of policy. He ruled that Burchett may sit in on the trial of the case, attended conferences, make any objection or present any question of law to the court.

The Commonwealth's Attorney objected to the order, and his motion that the case be certified to the Court of Appeals was granted, expense of copying the record to be borne by the fiscal court.

In trials during the week, Clayton Calhoun was fined \$100 on his plea of guilty to cutting and wounding; Shirley J. Hayden was fined \$40 on a guilty plea to a charge of reckless driving; T. A. Bates, possessing beer for the purpose of sale, \$100 fine, 60 days in jail, \$1,000 peace bond (Bates is appealing the verdict).

The case of Dora Johnson, charged with possessing liquor, was continued till April 28. Both she and Bates were in circuit court on appeals from quarterly court verdicts.

Trial of Lloyd James Click on a false swearing charge is docketed for today (Thursday). The grand larceny charge against Lester Parsons was dismissed, and the same case against Kelly and Green Hamilton, who were indicted jointly with him was continued generally. Another case continued was that of Estill Spradlin, Erald Pope and Roosevelt McKenzie, charged with cutting and wounding. Their trial was set for Sept. 13.

STOCKHOLM — Sweden lowered its military conscription age from 19 to 18 years. Defense staff sources said this would not increase the number of men under arms, but would facilitate a more even spread of the call-ups.

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4-H Rally Day Meet To Be Held Saturday

4-H-ers from the several clubs in the county will meet here Saturday, April 24, at the city grade school auditorium. The meet, divided into the two divisions of junior and senior, will send winners to district Rally Day at Paintsville, May 28. The delegates will also go to Junior Week to be held in Lexington.

Response of county 4-H Rally Day, County Agent Boggs says, is to teach improved practices in agriculture and home economics thru the use of demonstrations, style revue and exhibits.

The meeting will be called to order by Lucille Hall, county president, and the judges are Prichard King, county agent of Magoffin county, Eugene Ball, assistant county agent, Pike county, Mrs. Sallie Newell, home demonstration agent, Pike county, Miss Edna Nickel, assistant demonstration agent, Pike county, and Mrs. Claudia Christian, Paintsville.

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of giving Louisville businessmen an opportunity to keep up old contacts and make new contacts with men they do business with in the Louisville trade area, to tell other Kentuckians about new things Louisville has to offer, and to keep abreast of developments in the area.

Get-Acquainted Tourists will represent every phase of business and civic life in Louisville—the Chamber of Commerce, city government, newspapers, radio and TV stations, insurance and investment firms, bankers, wholesalers, hotels, restaurants, industrial firms and manufacturers, and service businesses.

At meal stops, the Louisvillians will be joined by local businessmen for informal discussions. Lunch stops are scheduled at Sue Bennett College in London, VFW Club in Hazard, at West Liberty, and at the Morehead grade school in Morehead. Dinner will be served in private hotel dining rooms in Middlesboro and Ashland, and in the cafeteria of Pikeville Junior College in Pikeville.

Overnight stops will be made at Middlesboro, Pikeville and Ashland.

The Get-Acquainted Tour will visit these towns:
Tuesday, May 18 — Manchester, London, Corbin, Barbourville, Pineville and Middlesboro; Wednesday, May 19 — Harlan, Cumberland, Whitesburg, Hazard, Hindman and Pikeville; Thursday, May 20 — Prestonsburg, Paintsville, Salyersville, West Liberty, Sandy Hook, Louisa, and Ashland.

Friday, May 21—Grayson, Olive Hill, Morehead and Owingsville.

Ft. Campbell, Ky. — Brig. Gen. Walter M. Johnson, assistant 11th Airborne Division commander here, will leave for a new assignment in Okinawa.

PADUCAH, Ky. — M. Fine and Co. announced it will reopen its garment factory for full scale operations May 3. Poor business caused the plant to close April 2.

John Riley Bradford, 72, Succumbs on Middle-Crk.; Had No Close Survivors

John Riley Bradford, 74, Goodloe, died at his home, Wednesday of last week. He had been ill for only a week and a heart condition was given as the cause of death. He was born in Perry county, a son of the late Jack and Jane Patrick Bradford, but he had resided here for 24 years. Had no immediate survivors, George Bradford, Goodloe, a first cousin, being the nearest blood relative living.

Funeral rites were conducted last Friday at the graveside, the Rev. Steve Whitaker officiating. Burial followed in the Stone cemetery on Middle Creek, under the direction of Carter and Callihan Funeral Home.

THE HAGUE, Netherlands — The Dutch government has rejected Russia's March 18 note protesting against stationing of U. S. Air Force unit on Dutch bases.

In Harlan county, members of the Whitestar Parent-Teachers Association and the local 4-H club cooperated to raise money to buy a sewing machine for club use.

Miss Hughes, Mr. Turner Wed at Hindman Church

The marriage of Miss Lois Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Hughes, and Mr. Hatler Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner, of Wayland, took place Sunday afternoon, April 11, in the Hindman Methodist Church. The Rev. Ralph E. Hiney, Pippapass, performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Clancy Barnes, pastor of the church.

The bride wore a beige suit with a white orchid in the center.

Mrs. Tommy Wallace, of Wayland, was matron of honor and Mr. Wallace served as best man. Mr. Paul Blessing, organist played the traditional wedding music and Mark Rice, of Salyersville, sang, "I Love You Truly."

The reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wallace, Wayland, immediately following the ceremony.

VIENNA — Seven persons were sentenced to death by an Albanian court on charges of spying for the United States. A broadcast said Zenel Shehu, one of the group "confessed" that he was hired for the U. S. espionage system by Albania's former King Zog.

Floyd Countians Spend \$47,512 on Savings Bonds

Series E and H Savings bond sales for Floyd county, totaled \$47,512 during March. This brings the county's cumulative sales up to \$127,762 or 26.1% of the annual goal of \$439,200 at the end of the first quarter.

The sale of these bonds throughout the entire state during March was \$5,138,001. This is the second consecutive month that sales have topped the five million mark. The cumulative sales for Kentucky at the end of the first quarter totalled \$14,952,871, or 25.9% of the annual goal of \$57,800,000. This is the third consecutive month that the sales of Series H Bonds have topped a million dollars.

Burke Audition Wins Him Place With Famed University of Ky. Band

Bill Baker Burke, Prestonsburg high school senior, was awarded a music scholarship at the University of Kentucky and accepted for the University's famed Marching One Hundred band following an audition, Tuesday.

Young Burke, a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, will major in music. He is one of 15 to receive scholarships. His brother, Edmund, a music major at Eastern State College, Richmond, is now a student-instructor at Elkhorn high school, Frankfort.

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RAISE TO HIT FARM LANDS

In County As Commission Orders Assessment 'Floor' On All Kentucky Property

The new State Tax Commission minimum assessment rate of 30% of a fair market value on all Kentucky property will mean a raise of 3.3% on Floyd county for acreage but may not affect town lots values here, it was indicated.

Town lots in this county already are at the 30% minimum average while farm acreage is being assessed at 26.7%.

Pike county, on the other hand, has farm lands assessed at 32%, above the "floor" set for assessments, while town lots are being assessed at only 25% of their fair value. Knott county, like Floyd, is low on farm acreage, 25%, but has its town lots assessed at 32%. Johnson county will be untouched by the established level because of the raise put into effect there, a few years ago, when Department of Revenue help was called on for the assessment problem. There farm lands are assessed at 36.7% of market value while town lots are assessed at 32.7%.

More than half of Kentucky's 120 counties are due for blanket raises to bring their assessments of town lots and farm acreage up to the 30 per cent floor unless their tax commissioners or boards of tax supervisors voluntarily raise county levels before June 20.

For 1953 taxes, 71 counties assessed either town lots or farm acreage, or both, at less than 30 per cent of fair market value.

These counties are:

Adair, Anderson, Barren, Bourbon, Boyd, Breathitt, Calloway, Campbell, Carlisle, Casey, Christian, Clay, Clinton, Daviess, Edmonson, Estill, Fayette, Floyd, Fulton, Garrard, Grant, Graves, Grayson, Greenup, Hancock, Hardin, Harlan, Hart, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Jessamine, Kenton, Knott, Knox, LaRue, Laurel, Lawrence, Leslie, Lewis, McCracken, McLean, Magoffin, Marshall, Martin, Menifee, Mercer, Metcalf, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Muhlenberg, Nelson, Owen, Owsley, Perry, Pike, Robertson, Rowan, Russell, Simpson, Spencer, Todd, Trigg, Trimble, Union, Washington, Wayne, Webster, Whitley and Woodford.

In addition to this year's raise, the commission indicated that next year it will increase the assessment floor to higher levels, possibly to as much as 40 per cent of fair market value.

Kentucky's Constitution requires all property to be assessed at 100 per cent of its fair cash value. But this requirement long has been disregarded. Property assessments for 1953 range from 17 per cent in Magoffin county to 57 per cent in Wolfe county.

This means that a \$10,000 house is assessed at \$5,700 in Wolfe county and \$1,700 in Magoffin. A \$2 tax rate would cost the homeowner \$114 in taxes in Wolfe and only \$34 in taxes in Magoffin.

Boards of tax supervisors will begin their meetings in every Kentucky county on May 3 to review valuations of individual parcels of property within each county. When their work is finished, local tax commissioners must certify the final county assessments to the Kentucky Tax Commission by June 20.

Every county which has a total assessment lower than 30 per cent of the fair market value of all property within that county will be raised to the 30 per cent floor by the state commission.

The blanket raises will apply to 1954 assessments of real and personal property and will be reflected in 1954 tax bills.

The new policy was announced by Tax Commission Chairman Robert H. Allphin, who also is Commissioner of Revenue.

It won the immediate endorsement of Governor Wetherby, who said:

"This policy would set the state average on real estate of approximately 30 per cent as a floor below which no County assessment on real or personal property would be permitted to go.

"This is sound policy; it is a fair and reasonable approach to the problem of equalization among the counties and is an excellent start in the right direction. I wholeheartedly approve of the Tax Commission's new policy."

The Chief Executive said support of county and city governments and schools is a problem of vital importance to all Kentuckians.

"In government, as in business, we get what we pay for," Wetherby asserted. In many counties, we are not paying enough to adequately support good local government and schools. In Kentucky, the major source of paying for these local services is the property tax."

REVIVAL AT BETSY LAYNE

Revival services will begin at the Betsy Layne Methodist church beginning Monday evening, April 26, and continuing each evening at 7:30 through May 8. The evangelist will be the Rev. Arnold J. Roberts of Louisville. Special music will be provided each evening including the Betsy Layne Methodist choir, Sandy Valley Gospel quartet, and a local male quartet. Everyone is given special invitation to attend these services.

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SAMPLE

Somebody left this more or less orderly desk a trade publication, on the cover of which was written, "Good corn for column". They referred, I presume, to grist for this mill. So we reprint this sample:

Two Negro boys were having an argument about ghosts. One claimed he saw a ghost the night before. "What was dis here ghos' doin' when you last seen him?" asked the doubting one.

"Jes fallin' behin', mistah; jes fallin' behin'."

SOMETHING MISSING

One of the pieces of odd printing that reaches us points out that, aside from their beauty, dogwoods, flowering crabapple, Japanese cherry and evergreens also provide room and board for birds which will keep bugs out of your garden.

What I'd like to find now is a bird that will keep the bag-worms out of the evergreens.

We regret to report that apparently some of Riverside Drive's beautiful Japanese cherry trees have died. Surely they will be replaced.

SCOTCHING A RUMOR

Understand it was reported via radio that yours truly and party had some luck fishing, Tuesday afternoon. Beg to report truly that this party had nothing to do with such luck. Bill Ray Collins and I threw back that bluegill he caught. My son, who apparently is not a chip of the old blockhead in the matter of the piscatorial pursuit, caught the big'un—Not I.

Folks who write tell you of the travail they undergo to grind the stuff out. True. It pained me more than somewhat to indite the preceding paragraph.

NICE GOING

Superiors, right and left, in the regional speech and music festivals for their pupils are proof enough of how well Mrs. T. Cook, speech instructor, and Mrs. Kathryn S. Frazier and Keith Barts, of the music department, have labored this year in the high school here. Since that time, one of Mrs. Cook's pupils, Sally Hill, a daughter of Judge and Mrs. Edward P. Hill, has scored a superior at the state speech festival. And soon pupils of Mr. Barts and Mrs. Frazier will be giving proof of their talent and training at the music festival in Lexington. Incidentally, the boys and girls deserve credit, too. The best of instructors can't do something with nothing.

COMMISSIONERS, PODNERS!

I like this fishing story. There's something of poetic justice about it. It has to do with the two Parkersburg, W. Va., men and their teenage sons who fished Dewey Lake a day last week. The old boys had their own boat and motor, and they took off in style, leaving the boys in a rented boat, no motor.

Well, all the boys did was row around the point from Brandy Keg cove and return with two bass, one weighing five pounds.

Those who saw this 15-year-old boy tussle with the five-pounder on a six-pound-test line and a spinning outfit say it was an epic struggle. But what made the story for me—who has suffered under somewhat similar circumstances—is the fact that the old boys with their nice boat and motor thundered in, some time later, wondering why they took along that stringer.

George Ratliff, 59, Dies of Heart Attack; Burial Made at Lackey

George Ratliff, 59, Lackey, died at his home, at 10:30 a.m., Monday of this week. He was a victim of a heart attack. He had got into his automobile and was turning it at his home when witnesses say they saw him suddenly slump over. He was rushed to the hospital, but was dead upon arrival.

Mr. Ratliff was employed in the mines at Wayland as a brakeman at the time of his death. He was a member of the Freewill Baptist church. He was a son of the late Sam Ratliff and Rhoda Smith Ratliff, who survives. One son and two daughters survive: George Ratliff, Jr., Huntington, Mrs. Geneva Cantrill, Lackey, and Mrs. Dave Triplett, Mousie.

Brothers and sisters surviving are Otis and James Ratliff, Lackey; Johnnie Ratliff, Columbus, O.; Elmer Ratliff, Concord, Calif.; Mrs. Gladys Patton, Lackey; Mrs. Goldie Haycock, Denver; Mrs. Lizzie Prater, Garrett; Mrs. Alice Price, Whitehouse; and Mrs. McDaniel, Landville, W. Va.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Lackey Freewill Baptist church, the Revs. Doug Burkett, Chester Lucas and Willard Reed officiating. Burial followed in the Chandler cemetery at Lackey under the direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home, Martin.

ANKARA, Turkey — President Tito of Yugoslavia watched Turkish jet planes supplied by the United States fly over the Ankara Hippodrome to start off an hour-long military show in his honor. More than 7,000 troops marched before him.

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Local Masons Host To 13 Lodges Here

An estimated 125 Masons representing 13 lodges of this section attended the Saturday evening meeting of Zebulon Lodge here. Eight members of three Masonic lodges were raised to the degree of Master Mason.

Lodges represented, in addition to the host lodge, were Big Stone Gap, Va., Salyersville, Paintsville James W. Alley at Wayland, Van Lear, Pogue at Ashland, Pieratt at Lee City, Wheelwright, Hampton at Catterletsburg, East Point, Jake Rice at Blaine and Chandlersville.

Following routine business, Harold Ensminger, master of Zebulon Lodge, conferred the first section of Master Mason degree upon the following: Cecil Whitt and Charlie Fullerton, of Paintsville lodge; Sam Hall, of James W. Alley Lodge; Wayland; Joe David Weddington, John Parsons Carr, David Londer, John P. Wells and Clarence F. Martin, all of Zebulon Lodge, Prestonsburg.

The Paintsville degree team was in charge of the second section of work.

The original stipulations were these:

Mrs. Rebecca Newsome, 72 Is Heart Disease Victim; Burial Made on Mud Creek

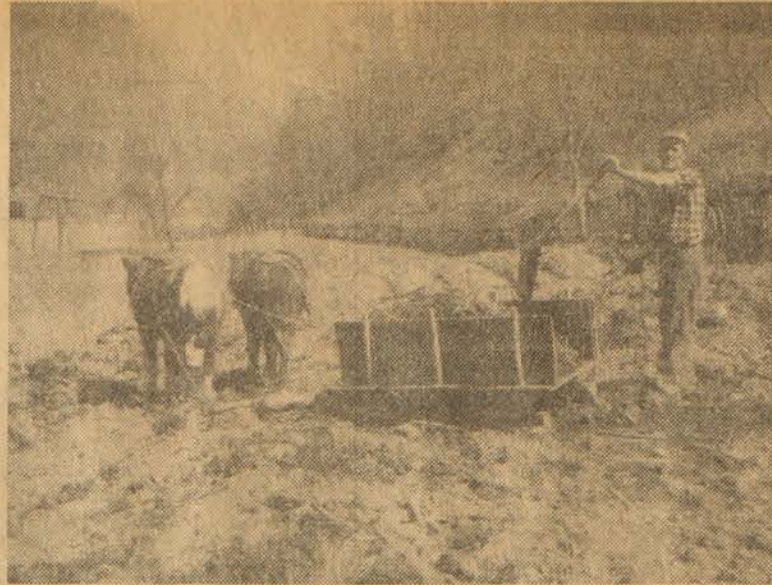
Mrs. Rebecca Newsome, 72, Ligon died at her home, Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. She had been ill only a few days. Heart disease was given as the cause of death. She was a daughter of George and Nan Tackett Jones, natives of the Mud Creek section and was married to William Newsome, who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Belva and Bill Ligon; Miss Sarah Jane Newsome, Ligon; Mrs. Hazel Bentley, Detroit; Mrs. Ada Slone, Ligon; Mrs. Mary Brown, McDowell; Mrs. Hannah Stewart and Mrs. Sadie Slone, Ligon. Surviving are the following brothers and sisters: Senny Jones, Melvin; Perry Jones, Beaver; Ambrose Jones, Jonancy, Ky., and Mrs. Hannah Tackett, Beaver.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 10 a.m. at the home of Berry Tackett, at Beaver, the Revs. Jerry Hall, Frank Hopkins, Charlie Jones, and Joe Jones officiating. Burial followed in the Tackett cemetery at Beaver under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

TAMPA — John (Dave) Rankin, 23-year-old three gun bandit who escaped from a Lima, Ohio, jail, was charged with six crimes ranging from possession of burglary tools to kidnapping.

Truck Miner Turns to Truck Farming



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by The Times
Charley Adkins, Tram truck miner, uses his mine ponies to farm since the Powell Branch Fuel Company closed. Adkins lives on Mare Creek.

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estimated that the victim was killed about six months ago.

Mrs. Damron testified at the inquest. After examining fragments of the victim's coat, she said it "looked like" a suit belonging to her brother, Clyde Crum, which was among garments stolen from the Damron home six or seven months ago.

Crum, convicted of attempted rape in December, 1951, is serving a sentence in the Jackson, Mich., state prison, Mrs. Damron testified.

Members of the Damron family contributed another possible clue to the slaying, although there was an air of mystery about their testimony.

Willard Damron's elderly parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Damron, live on Spring Branch of Hurricane Creek near Boldman. That is about five miles from where the body was found.

They told of a strange guest who arrived at their home in the middle of the night last August and stayed for a week without changing his shirt. The Damrons said they did not learn his name in all that time but that they thought he was from Alabama.

The elderly couple said the man, identified as an Army buddy of their son Willard—Cattfish's older brother—said he was looking for work, but that, strangely, he did not leave the house all week.

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the opposite side before disappearing.

Lewis Bradley, a brother, told The Times that if the victim could swim it was barely enough to keep him afloat. James Risner, a nephew, told Sheriff Sparks, "I never saw him swim in my life, and I don't think he could swim."

Tavis Bradley found a boat nearby and started to his father's rescue, but the boat overturned and he was forced to swim ashore.

Search for the body continued through Monday afternoon and until 11 o'clock that night. Tuesday, it was resumed and when the body was recovered between 30 and 40 persons were taking part.

Bradley was a son of the late Jim and Sarah Bradley. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nona Bradley, 12 children: Mrs. Arnold Click, of Manton, Adam, Mont, Lee, Dennis, Cleo, Betty, Renis, Arabella, Mimi Amis, and Lorel, all of Risner; two brothers, Frank Bradley, Stockdale, Mich., and Lewis Bradley, of Risner, and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Bradley, of Michigan. Harris Bradley, of Indiana, and Irvin Bradley, of Michigan, are his half-brothers.

Funeral rites were conducted from the residence at Risner this afternoon (Thursday), and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral home.

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Bembower To Speak At Church Service

The Rev. Philip Bembower, dean of Pikeville Junior College, and a quartet from the Pikeville College Ambassadors will take part in the morning service at the First Presbyterian Church of Prestonsburg, Sunday.

In observance of National Christian College Sunday, Mr. Bembower will preach on "The Reason for Church-Related Colleges," the Rev. Orville Pearson, pastor of the church, said. Several songs by the mixed quartet, which includes two Floyd county boys, will be included in the program.

The four members of the Ambassadors who will sing are Joe Jack Arnett, West Prestonsburg, Bobby Elkins, Harold, and two Pikeville girls, Eleanor Keese and Patty Wright.

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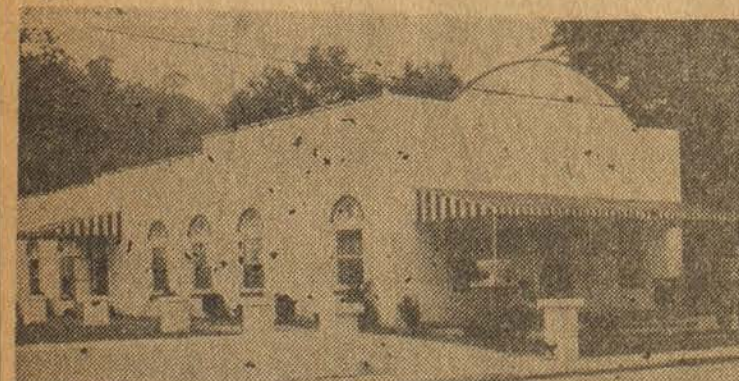
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FRIDAY-SATURDAY—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
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Gig Young, Mala Powers, Edward Arnold

"Texas Uprising"
Wild Bill Elliott

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Thunderbirds"
John Derek, John Barrymore, Jr., Mona Freeman

TUESDAY—
ALL SEATS 20c
"Sailor of the King"
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THURSDAY—
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Edmund O'Brien

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"Gentlemen Prefer Blondes"
(Technicolor)
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(Technicolor)
Jean Peters, Jeffrey Hunter, Constance Smith

SATURDAY—
"Tennessee Champ"
Shelley Winters, Keenan Wynn, Dewey Martin

"Forbidden"
Tony Curtis, Joanne Dru

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Drums of Tahiti"—3D
(Third Dimension-Natural Vision)
Dennis O'Keefe, Patricia Medina, Francis L. Sullivan
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TUESDAY—
"Ride Clear of Diablo"
(Technicolor)
Audie Murphy, Dan Duryea, Susan Cabot, Abbie Lane

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Humphrey Bogart, June Allyson, Keenan Wynn

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"Casinova's Big Night"
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Bob Hope, Joan Fontaine

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Thursday-Friday, April 22-23
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Way of a Gaucho"
(Technicolor)
Rory Calhoun, Gene Tierney

"The Kid from Left Field"
Dan Bailey, Anne Bancroft

Saturday, April 24—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Man from the Black Hills"
Johnny Mack Brown, Jimmy Ellison

"The Glass Wall"
Vittorio Gassman, Gloria Grahame

LATE SHOW—
"Road House"
Ida Lupino, Cornel Wilde, Celeste Holm, Richard Widmark

Sunday-Monday, April 25-26—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Gun Fury"
Rock Hudson, Donna Reed, Phil Carey, Roberta Haynes

"The Happy Time"
Charles Boyer, Louis Jourdan, Kurt Kasznar, Marsha Hunt, Linda Christian

Tuesday-Wednesday, April 27-28—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Niagara"
(Technicolor)
Marilyn Monroe, Joseph Cotten, Jean Peters

"Taxi"
Dan Dailey, Constance Smith

Thursday-Friday, April 29-30—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Mission Over Korea"
John Hodiak, John Derek, Audrey Totter, Maureen O'Sullivan

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DR. DUKE DIES AT AGE OF 80

Physician Described As "Best-Loved Man In Knott" Is Victim

Dr. John Wess Duke, Hindman physician for 58 years and the man who was described as "Knott county's best-loved citizen," died Friday night at his home in Hindman after suffering a heart attack. He was 80 years old.

Dr. Duke began practice immediately after his graduation in 1896 from the old Kentucky School of Medicine, now the University of Louisville. He was Knott county's first physician to hold a medical degree.

In his role of health officer, which he also took up in 1896, he assisted in two outstanding programs. First was a five-year study of trachoma made by the United States Public Health Service after a preliminary survey had been made by Dr. J. H. Stucky, Lexington, in 1902.

The other was a hookworm program started in 1915. The program practically eliminated the disease in the county.

Dr. Duke, who taught school for six years before he studied medicine, conducted a general practice of medicine under very difficult conditions at times. But he said he enjoyed every minute of it.

When he first started practice there were few roads. He rode horseback for miles over steep trails and creek beds to make calls on his patients.

In his isolated region, money was not plentiful. He collected not more than half of his fees. "I never in my life asked a patient if he had the money before I treated him," Dr. Duke once said. "When people need help they have to have it, whether they have money or not."

Dr. Duke was a Mason, a former member of the Hindman Settlement Schools's board of trustees, and for several years was superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Sam Belt, Paris, and Mrs. William Turpin, Ashland; two sons, Brodie Duke, Hindman, formerly of Martin, and James Duke, Bardstown, and a sister, Mrs. E. M. Adams, Hazard.

The funeral rites, conducted Monday from the Hindman Methodist Church by the Rev. H. L. Shumway and the Rev. Clancy Barnes, was attended by hundreds of friends and relatives of the doctor. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Hindman.

Farmers in Elliott county have purchased or are making equipment for several hundred colonies of bees.

Nancy Henry and Roberta Rainwaters of Pulaski county won a quiz in identifying parts of tractors and implements.

Father of Local Man Dies in Hospital Here; Was Native of Ironton, O.

Uriah Leroy Humphreys, 78, a resident of the Ironton, Ohio, area, and father of Everett Humphrey, West Prestonsburg, died last Friday evening at the Prestonsburg General hospital. He was a victim of a stroke. He was removed from Ohio to the home of his son here Monday of last week. Mr. Humphreys was a son of Uriah Humphrey, Sr., and Ruth Quick Humphreys, natives of Vincennes, Ind. Everett Humphreys is the only surviving child.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 2 p.m. at the United Baptist church here, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating. Burial followed in the Holbrook cemetery on Middle Creek under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

The beef cattle program in Owen county includes pasture improvement and feeding calves to heavy weights.

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Barry Sullivan, Dorothy Malone

"The Nebraskan"
(Technicolor)
Phil Carey, Roberta Haynes

SUNDAY, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.—
"Calamity Jane"
(Technicolor)
Doris Day, Howard Keel

TUESDAY, 7:30 p.m.—
FAMILY NIGHT, 80c—
"Veils of Bagdad"
(Technicolor)
Victor Mature, Mari Blanchard

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Plans Are Made Here For Boy Scout Circus To Be Held In Fall

At the monthly district meeting of the Jenny Wiley District held last Tuesday night in Prestonsburg, basic plans for the Boy Scout Circus to be held this fall were made. Originally the plan had been to hold the circus in Prestonsburg at the football field, but last night it was decided to hold the circus in the gymnasium in Pikeville.

Thirty-five men of the district attended the meeting. Final decisions were made on the program which will include a grand parade with all Boy Scout participation, a band concert, a chariot race, pageants of the early settlers and a disaster event, including first aid and many other Scouting skills.

Attending the meeting from Floyd county were, Rex Ankrom, James George, Bob Fuller, Jack Branham, Jim Donohoe, Bud White, Glenn Anderson, Ambrose Mandt, Chalmers Frazier, Lon Hill, Fred Francis, Kermit Tipton, David Adams, Edmond H. Tackett, Jesse Elliott, Paul Ross, Woodrow Castle, John Breeding, E. B. May, Jr., and Ray Stambaugh.

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Mrs. M. T. Dotson is critically ill at the Paintsville hospital, where she has been a patient for the past week.

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We take this means of expressing our gratitude to all who were helpful during the illness of our father, William H. Yates, and to all who in any way — through kindly deed or consoling word — made our burden lighter upon his passing. We would especially thank the ministers, Revs. Woodrow Branham, Douglas Burkett and Jonas Miller for their comforting words, those who provided food and sent floral offerings, and the Turner Funeral Home for its efficient services.

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Floyd Coaches Organize To Standardize Payment of Basketball Officials

The nine coaches of the 58th district organized the Floyd County High School Coaches Association here last week to standardize the payment of basketball officials and to promote a uniform athletic program for the various high schools.

John Campbell, Jr., Garrett net coach, was named president of the group, and Denzil Halbert, veteran Martin mentor, was elected secretary-treasurer.

The group unanimously passed a resolution that all basketball officials must officiate both the first and second team games next season, and that no official is to be paid more than \$15. This precedent is an attempt to alleviate the cost of basketball officiating, and thus far has created varied comments among the whistle tooters.

Through close cooperation and frequent meetings, the association will be striving to give Floyd county's 13,000 school children a uniform physical education and athletic program. At present, all schools are represented by basketball teams, five by baseball teams, three by track teams and two by football teams.

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Catches Rare Spoon-Bill



Holding a 10-pound, 40-inch shovel or spoon-bill, catfish, is Earl Lee Layne, Betsy Layne high school junior. He caught it from the river, April 10. The spoon or bill was nine inches long. The spoon-bill is rare in Big Sandy but a few wander here from their natural habitat in the Mississippi River.

CRUM SENT TO JAPAN

Parks Air Force Base, Calif. — A/1c Daniel F. Crum, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crum of Banner, Kentucky, has processed here with the 2349th Personnel Processing Group enroute to Japan.

Prior to his shipment to the Far East, Airman Crum was stationed at Carswell Air Force Base, Texas. Before enlisting in the Air Force, Airman Crum was employed as an optical lathe operator. He graduated from Betsy Layne high school in 1951.

SPORTS CHATTER

By Gordon Moore

The 58th district high school baseball tournament will be held in the Wheelwright park, May 5 and 6. Adrian Hall's host Maroons continue atop the standings in the season's race.

STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Wheelwright	2	0
Prestonsburg	1	0
Betsy Layne	1	1
Martin	1	2
Auxler	0	2

Last Week's Scores
Prestonsburg 10, Martin 6.
Betsy Layne 4, Auxler 2
Martin 5, Auxler 3

FISHERMEN OF THE WEEK

Fred Wells, of Lancer, and Heber Burke, Prestonsburg . . . Wells caught one of the largest bass ever taken from the waters of Dewey Lake by landing a 5-pound, 9-ounce largemouth on a fly rod last week. The prize was barely shy of 21 inches in length.

Burke, fishing with a fly rod and popper, landed a 4-pound, 19-inch largemouth bass, Sunday.

A new semi-pro baseball league may be formed in Eastern Kentucky next week. Negotiations are now under way for a loop composed of Drift, Wheelwright, Jenkins, Hazard, Pikeville and Williamson, W. Va. They hope to play two games a week.

Wheelwright has already entered the eight-team Tri-State League and will travel to Grayson for its first league game Sunday. All games are scheduled for Sunday only, at present.

Prestonsburg, defending E.K.M.C. track champions and regional runner-up last year, will start practice next week under the tutelage of Doc Ferrell. Bill Damron's baseball nine copped its opening baseball game with a 10-6 conquest of Martin, Monday.

Hazard invitational golf tournament is scheduled for July 3-5, and Harlan's for June 4-6.

Frogging season does not officially open until May 1st. Various lights along the streams and river at night indicate someone may be jumping the gun. After May 1st, a fishing or hunting license will permit legal catches.

Five Floyd Students Listed at Morehead

A total of 68 students enrolled for the short spring term at Morehead State College, according to Linus A. Fair, college registrar.

This brings to 766 the total students enrolled at the college for the second semester, Fair said. Pike and Johnson counties each have ten students for the spring term at the college. Others are Lawrence and Martin, each with eight; Rowan and Floyd, five; Magoffin, four; Elliott and Morgan, three; Breathitt and Letcher, two; and Boyd, Campbell, Carter, Lewis and Perry, each with one.

Peggy Joyce Bowling, Gladys Skaggs Conn, Minerva Holbrook, Angle Douglas Harmon, and William Paul Luxmore are attending from Floyd county.

Miss Leslie, Others In May Festival Roles

Pikeville, Ky., April 19 (Sp)—Kay Leslie, of Emma, has been selected as one of 20 college girls who will perform the traditional Maypole dance in the Pikeville Junior College May festival, May 7.

Young freshman and sophomore women from Floyd, Martin, Pike and Letcher counties are in the group, which also includes two West Virginians, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said. The winding of the Maypole will again be the climax of the annual festival's songs and dances, as it has been for the past seven years.

Other Floyd county students in both the college and Pikeville College Academy will take part in the pageant, "Stephen Collins Foster and the South," which will be the festival's principal feature. Janet Wells, Auxler, and Bobby Elkins, Harold, will reign over the festivities as Pikeville's May queen and king.

Miss Leslie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Leslie, is a sophomore in the college. She is a 1953 graduate of Prestonsburg high school, where she was editor of the school paper and active in debate and in the Y-Teens.

DIXON IN CALIFORNIA

A/3c John R. Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dixon, David, is enrolled in the Air Base Defense School at Parks Air Force Base, California. The training he is receiving teaches protection and defense of air force bases, a function which previously was the responsibility of the army. The student also is given courses in law enforcement and air force law.

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Miss Cury Receives Physical Therapy Pin

At the annual dinner for Boston University Sargeant College of physical education students held recently at the college, Miss Daisy Mae Cury, of Wheelwright, a junior at the college, was honored with award of the physical therapy pin presented to third-year students majoring in this field of study.

PAYMENTS UP

Frankfort, Ky., April 21—A total outlay of \$9,916,147 in unemployment insurance benefits for the first three months of the present year was reported by the Department of Economic Security—the highest amount on record for any three-month period.

During each of the months, the number of new claims has exceeded 21,500, an unprecedented event in the history of the Kentucky Unemployment Insurance program. The outlay of \$9,916,000 for the period included \$4,100,000 for March.

DANCE

A dance in a dance hall every night at Lake Elliott, Dwale, Ky. Admission \$1 per couple. Music by Hillbilly Ramblers. The lake is open for fishing. It is well stocked. Looking for another load in. The prize fish is still in the lake.

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Ten Floyd Contributions Made To Endowment Fund

Pikeville, Ky., April 19 (Sp)—President A. A. Page, of Pikeville Junior College disclosed that five Floyd county organizations and five individuals other than alumni have made pledges to the "living endowment" funds of the college.

The fund now consists of 404 pledges of contributions totaling \$11,701 per year, equivalent to the earnings of an invested endowment of some \$390,000, Dr. Page said. It has been growing slowly but steadily for the past year.

The groups which have made pledges of annual contributions to the fund are the John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Prestonsburg; the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary of Prestonsburg, and the Women's Clubs of Drift, Martin and Prestonsburg.

Floyd county professional people and other individuals who have pledged "living endowment" donations are the Rev. Orville Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, Gordon Moore and James M. Wells, all of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Ward L. Reed, Drift.

To Whom It May Concern

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ARNOLD ARTRIP
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PAROLES GRANTED

Frankfort, Ky., April 21 — The State Department of Welfare approved paroles for 51 prisoners in March, including four from the Eddyville penitentiary and the remainder from the LaGrange Reformatory.

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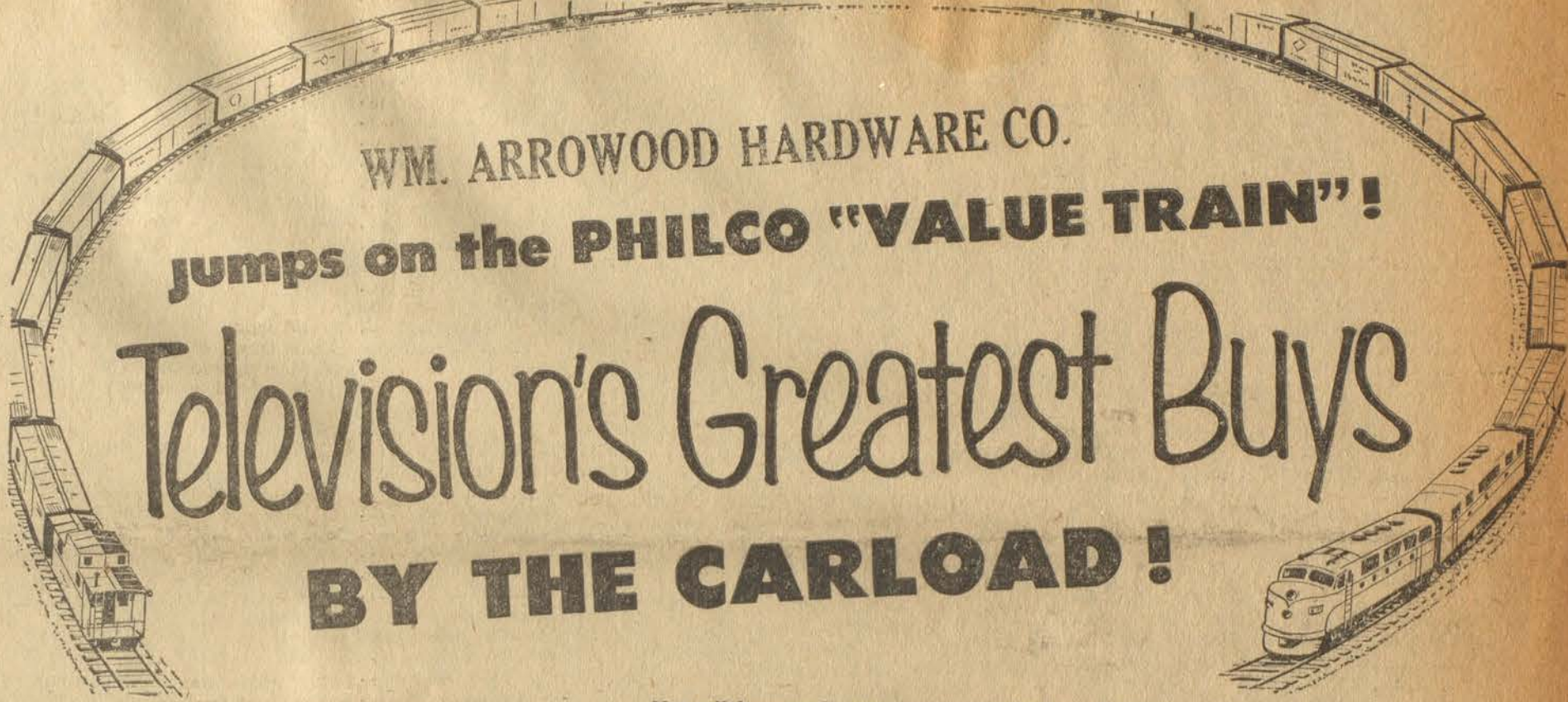
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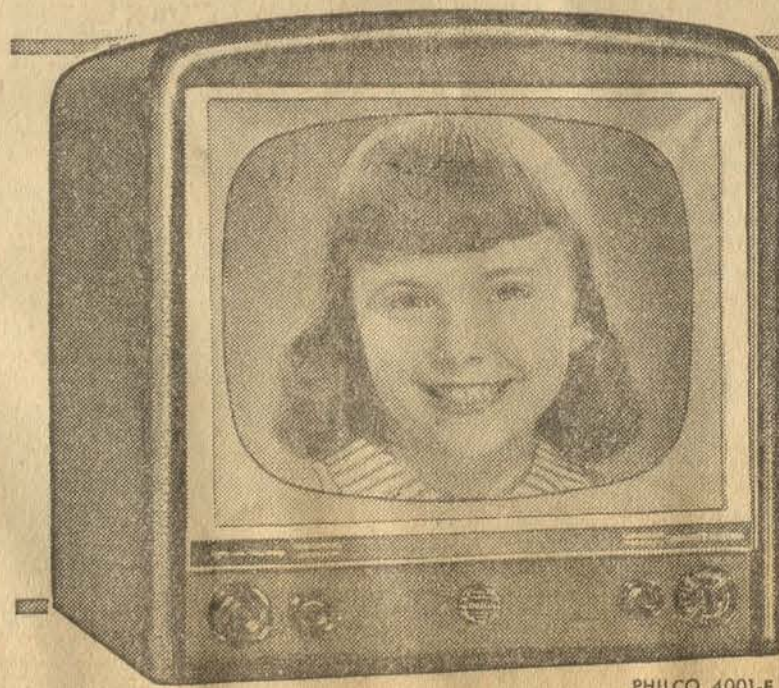


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GORMON COLLINS, Sheriff Floyd County, Kentucky

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C.; Dye, Jack; Diamond, Roe; Eden, Bert; Eden, Ira; Edna, Bessie; Elliott, Victoria; Elliott, Wilbur; Fannin, Otto; Farley, E. R.; Fraley, Martha Heirs; Ferguson, John M. & Georgia; Fitzpatrick, Laura; Flinders, J.; Fraley, Sam; Frazier, Alto O.; Friend, Mae & Robert; Gearheart, Milford Sr.; Gearheart, Milford, Jr.; Gearheart, Orris & Wife; Gearheart, Penny; Gearheart, Rebecca & Dingus; Gearheart, Roy; Gearheart, Willie; Gibson, Mary Ann; Griffith, Raymond; Hall, Albert; Hall, Alice; Hall, Alice Est.; Hall, Bertha Ella & Johnnie; Hall, Beulah; Hall, B. F.; Hall, B. H.; Hall, Bill; Hall, Carl & Ida; Hall, Charley; Hall, Chester; Hall, Dave & Hattie; Hall, Dick; Hall, Edward; Hall, Eftert; Hall, Elisha; Hall, Frank; Hall, Goble & Heirs; Hall, Harold; Hall, Harry; Hall, Joan Osborne; Hall, Lora; Hall, Lawrence Jr.; Hall, Lee; Hall, Leonard; Hall, Lillie; Hall, Lucrey; Hall, Madison; Hall, Marion; Hall, M. 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RESOLUTION Of Floyd County Board of Education

Prestonsburg, Ky.
April 17th, 1954

The Board of Education of Floyd County, Kentucky, met in special session at the courthouse in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on April 17th, 1954, at one o'clock P.M. on call by the Chairman and pursuant to due and timely notice specifying the nature, object and purpose of the meeting, duly given each member of the Board. The meeting was called to order and there were present James Greene, Chairman, presiding, and the following members of said Board: J. E. Campbell, and Dr. J. H. Allen.

Member J. E. Campbell introduced and caused to be read a resolution hereinafter set out in full. Member J. E. Campbell moved that said resolution be adopted which motion was duly seconded by Member Dr. J. H. Allen. The Chairman having put the question on the motion the roll was called and the following voted: Aye J. E. Campbell, Dr. J. H. Allen, James Greene.

Nay—None.
Whereupon the Chairman declared said resolution adopted as follows:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS the Floyd Fiscal Court, pursuant to a request made to it by the Board of Education of the Prestonsburg Independent School District, hereinafter referred to as the City Board) entered an order calling a special election for March 26th, 1954, in said Independent School District on this question: ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF LEVYING IN PRESTONSBURG INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, EACH YEAR FOR TWENTY FIVE YEARS A SPECIAL SCHOOL BUILDING FUND TAX IN ADDITION TO THE MAXIMUM SCHOOL TAX LEVY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, AT THE RATE OF 5c to 35c IN MULTIPLES OF 5c ONLY, ON EACH \$100.00 OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO SCHOOL TAXATION IN SAID DISTRICT, THE PROCEEDS THEREOF TO BE USED FOR THE PURCHASE OF A SITE FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETE EQUIPPING OF A NEW AUDITORIUM-GYMNASIUM THEREON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF RETIRING, DIRECTLY OR THROUGH RENTAL PAYMENTS, SCHOOL BUILDING REVENUE BONDS ISSUED FOR SUCH SCHOOL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING SUCH PROGRAM? and,

WHEREAS, at said special election held on March 26th, 1954, the votes cast for said proposal exceeded by about 300 votes the number of votes cast against said proposal, and

WHEREAS the said Independent School District, hereinafter referred to as The City Board has requested that the Board of Education of

Floyd County, Kentucky, hereinafter referred to as the County Board, convey to said City Board a site upon which said auditorium-gymnasium shall be constructed and which adjoins the high school building now being constructed by the County Board at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, the City Board, prior to said election, submitted to the County Board a preliminary plan for merger of the two districts, and

WHEREAS, it is widely reported in Prestonsburg that the City Board will submit a permanent plan of merger just as soon as it lets the contract for the construction of said auditorium-gymnasium building and,

WHEREAS the County Board of Education has grave doubts as to whether or not said tax, voted at special election, could be collected after a merger of the two school districts, now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, as follows:

Section One. That the County Board will convey to the City Board the site for the construction of the proposed auditorium-gymnasium, which is to be attached to and become a part of the high school building now being constructed by the County Board at Prestonsburg, subject however to the following conditions:

(a) The auditorium-gymnasium shall be constructed at the sole expense of the City Board, and shall not exceed in cost the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand (\$225,000.00) DOLLARS.

(b) The seating capacity of the auditorium-gymnasium shall not exceed thirty five hundred persons.

(c) At least two suitable rooms, in addition to dressing rooms, shall be provided for physical education.

(d) The plans for the auditorium-gymnasium shall be approved by the County Board.

(e) The auditorium-gymnasium shall be constructed so as to be in harmony architecturally with the new high school building now being constructed by the County Board at Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

(f) A suitable auditorium-gymnasium combination shall be constructed.

(g) The County Board does not assume any part of the construction of said auditorium-gymnasium building and this agreement shall not, in any event, be construed as creating any liability on the part of the County Board for any part of the cost of construction of said building.

(h) In the event of the City Board, or its contractor does not begin the construction of said auditorium-gymnasium building by January 1st, 1955, or said building is not completed by January 1st, 1956, the County Board, may, at its option terminate this agreement and in such a state of case the City Board covenants and binds itself to immediately convey said property to the County Board and to also surrender the possession of said property to the County Board. However, if due to strikes, labor troubles or any other cause, not due to the neglect of the City Board or its contractor the building cannot be completed by January 1st, 1956, the County Board, for good cause shown, will extend the time for the completion of said building for such time as is reasonably necessary for such purpose.

(i) If the State Board of Education or the State Department of Education does not approve the proposed bond issue of Two Hundred Twenty Six Thousand (\$226,000.00) DOLLARS, \$155,000 of which is to be financed by the building tax voted by the voters of the Prestonsburg Independent School District on March 26th, 1954, pursuant to the terms and provisions of Kentucky Revised Statutes, Section 160.477, this agreement shall at once terminate and in no event shall the County Board be required to execute the deed, herein referred to, until the State Department of Education or the State Board of Education shall have approved the said site for the construction of the auditorium-gymnasium and said bond issue.

(j) The City Board shall, simultaneously with the execution of the deed to it by the County Board, execute, acknowledge and deliver to the County Board a lease on said auditorium-gymnasium to be prepared by Chapman & Cutler of Chicago, Illinois, who are the attorneys who handled the bond issue for the high school building. Said lease shall, among other things, contain the following provisions:

(1) "The term of this lease is from year to year, with the privilege given the County Board to terminate this lease at the expiration of any renewal year by giving written notice of its intention so to do to the City Board ninety (90) days before the expiration of such rental year."

(2) "In the event in any year this lease is not terminated, as herein provided, the lease shall continue to be automatically extended from year to year for a full period of twenty-five years and until all of said bonds have been fully paid."

(3) "After all the bonds, issued against said auditorium building have been paid, the auditorium-gymnasium building shall be conveyed to the County Board of Education by the City Board or its vendee by apt deed of conveyance and with covenant of general warranty."

(4) Said auditorium-gymnasium property and the land upon which it is located shall not be conveyed to any person or corporation without the consent in writing of the County Board."

(5) During all the time said lease is in full force and effect the County Board shall have the sole supervision, control and management of the auditorium-gymnasium building, except that the building may be used for any community enterprise, the net proceeds of which shall be applied to the payment of the bonds, herein referred to, but no use shall be made of said building that will interfere with the school program.

(6) "The rental which the County Board shall pay to the City Board for said auditorium-gymnasium building shall be the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar per year."

(7) "The County Board, so long as it continues to lease said auditorium-gymnasium building, will, at its own expense, maintain and keep it in good state of repair and will procure and pay the cost of insurance on said auditorium-gymnasium building against loss by fire or lightning and windstorm, and that the amount of such insurance shall be, at all times, the full insurable value."

(8) The said lease shall supersede and control as to any inconsistencies with any prior agreement for the use and occupancy of said auditorium-gymnasium building."

(k) In accordance with the letter written to Superintendent of Schools, of the City Board by the State Department of Education on February 18, 1954, the City Board shall forthwith file in the Floyd Circuit Court a complaint, naming as defendants the County Board and a taxpayer residing within the limits of the Prestonsburg Independent School District. The complaint shall be filed under the Declaratory Judgment Act, identified as Kentucky Revised Statutes, Section 418.020 and including Section 418.090, for the purpose of determining, whether or not, the voted tax, referred to in item (1) and also in the introductory part of this resolution, will be a valid tax against the property now located within the limits of Prestonsburg Independent School district in the event the said Independent School District and the Floyd County School District are merged, either by joint section of the two boards, or by order of the State Board of Education or by an Act of the General Assembly.

This declaratory judgment action shall be taken to the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, and the judgment entered by the circuit court shall not be binding upon the litigants until the questions involved have been determined by the Court of Appeals.

If the Court of Appeals shall determine that the merger of the two districts does not affect the validity of the said tax referred to in item I and in the introductory part of this resolution, whether it was levied before or after the merger of the two districts, then, this agreement shall be put into immediate effect, subject to the terms and conditions of item H of this resolution.

But if the Court of Appeals adjudges that the voted tax, referred to in item I and in introductory part of this resolution, cannot be collected after the two districts are merged, or if the Court of Appeals concludes that if any levy made, pursuant to said voted tax after the merger of the two districts, cannot be collected from the property formerly located within the limits of the Prestonsburg Independent School District, or if the Court of Appeals decides that no justifiable controversy was presented by the declaratory judgment action and for that reason it makes no declaration as to the rights of the parties, then, in either of the above events, this resolution shall be of no effect and the County Board will not be required to convey said site for said auditorium-gymnasium building.

In the adoption of this resolution, it is the declared intent of the County Board that this resolution will be null and void and of no force or effect unless it is finally determined in said declaratory judgment action that the tax, voted on March 26, 1954, by the voters of the Prestonsburg Independent School District, is a valid tax and will be in effect after a merger of the said Prestonsburg Independent School District and the Floyd County School District.

(l) Before this resolution is effective, it shall be approved by the State Department of Education and also by Chapman & Cutler, bond attorneys of Chicago, Illinois.
(m) The tract of land, upon

which said auditorium-gymnasium is to be constructed, is to be located by an engineer, and shall embrace only the ground upon which the auditorium-gymnasium shall be constructed.

Section II. The Chairman and Secretary of the County Board are authorized and directed to execute an agreement to the City Board, carrying out the terms and provisions of this resolution, but no such contract shall be executed by the said officials of the County Board until the City Board accepts this proposal by resolution duly entered on its records and duly signed by its Chairman and Secretary.

Legion Post Officials Here Told of Annual Citizenship Program

Local Legion post officials are in receipt of advice that this year's annual youth citizenship program of the Kentucky Department of the American Legion is to be held during the period of June 10 through 18, inclusive.

Under the name of Bluegrass Boys State, 300 high school boys, representing every section of the Commonwealth, will be assembled at Fort Knox for a week of intensified training in the theories of American government. The program seeks to teach youth the fundamentals of good citizenship and governmental operations through the actual operation of city, county and state offices as organized under the plans of this mythical 49th state.

Within the physical framework of Bluegrass Boys State there will be four mythical cities and two counties. The program operates on a bi-party system. The members of each party develop its program without interference, except that adult counselors are present as advisors.

The boy citizens organize and conduct their own elections. The elected officials familiarize themselves with the duties of their respective offices by actually performing the duties prescribed. In legislative assembly the duly constituted legislators introduce and argue their own bills. The laws enacted are administered by their own enforcement agencies and in their own courts.

Again this year, Dr. Paul L. Garrett, president of Western Kentucky State College, will direct the program.

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 We would especially thank our friends and good neighbors for every courtesy extended to us through flowers, food and personal services. The staff of the Prestonsburg General hospital, the special nurses, Mrs. Ethel Merritt, Mrs. Lucy Humphreys and Miss Ella McGuire, for their tender, efficient services, also the Nazarene Trio and Mrs. Mary F. Howard, pianist, the Rev. Jonas L. Miller, Rev. Howard C. Church and Rev. Glen Harris, of Gary, W. Va., and the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient services.
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Kentucky Author's Latest Novel At Top in National Critic's Poll

Special to The Times

New York, April 20—Kentucky-born Harriette Arnow has made her native state the mainspring of her new novel "The Dollmaker" published today by the Macmillan Company. The novel ties for first place in the Saturday Review's nationwide Critics' Poll of Spring Fiction.
 In "The Dollmaker" Harriette Arnow is remembered for her 1949 best seller "Hunter's Horn," which was laid in Kentucky and which like "The Dollmaker" was a critic's favorite. Gertrude Nevels of a remote Kentucky valley moves with her family to wartime Detroit, advertised as a haven of high salaries, new homes with electricity, and new schools with playgrounds. What they found there makes up the story, and leads Gertrude's little daughter to declare, "My country is Kentucky."

W. G. Rogers of AP says in his review of "The Dollmaker": "Gertrude is so fixed in her hill-country ways, so close to the woods and fields of the Kentucky she loves, that no big city can spoil her. But the immense, overwhelming, metropolitan vulgarity threatens to infect her family; and in fact as we see in one instance, the barbaric city kills the good natural spirit nourished by the clean country... 'The Dollmaker' is a major creative accomplishment by a born writer."
 Harriette Simpson Arnow was born in Wayne county, Kentucky, received her early schooling in Burnside, attended Berea college and later took a Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Louisville. She taught school in Pulaski county and for a short time in Louisville, then moved to Cincinnati and began taking odd jobs that would allow her more time "trying to write," working as waitress, cashier, and clerk in a lending library. In 1939 she married and with her husband bought a farm of sorts in the Cumberland National Forest and lived there for five years as writers and farmers, mostly farmers. During the war, the Arnows lived in Detroit. Their home is now near Ann Arbor, Michigan.

William Martin Suffers Fatal Heart Attack At Ashland, April 12

MARTIN

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met April 5 at the Sea Cafe in Martin.

A report was made by Mrs. Russell Laven, president, on the state music contest. The club's contestant, Miss Phoebe Caldwell, of Allen, won the district contest and represented this club in Louisville for the state contest. The contestants were on television in Louisville last Sunday.

This was a business meeting and plans were made to raise money for the coming year. The club voted to give \$25 to the Martin fire truck. Next Monday was the date set for collection of books in Martin for the bookmobile.

A letter was read from Mrs. Betty Wellman asking the club to nominate Henry Scalf as the outstanding citizen from this section of Kentucky. The club voted to nominate Mr. Scalf.

A letter was read from Gordon Moore, asking for a nomination of an outstanding junior citizen between the ages of 10-17. The members were asked to think of someone for the nomination by the next meeting.

The following members were present: Mrs. Myrtle Hardwick, Mrs. Russell Laven, Mrs. Dorothy Martin, Mrs. George Roven, Mrs. W. O. Huddleston, Miss Nelle Music, Mrs. John W. Hall, Mrs. Marge Sammons, Mrs. Charles Marshall and Mrs. Walter Frasure.

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4-H NEWS
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SPRING RALLY
 The annual 4-H Club Spring Rally will be held Saturday, April 24, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Prestonsburg grade school building. Practically all of the Floyd county twenty-two 4-H clubs are planning to enter some of the activities. This year we are dividing all the contests into two divisions, the senior division for boys and girls over 13 years of age and the Junior division for boys and girls under 13. Some of the activities are: Public Speaking, demonstrations, judging and dress revue. The senior division winners will compete in the District Rally to be held in Paintsville, May 28, and will be eligible to attend 4-H Club Week to be held on the University of Kentucky campus, June 8-12. We are looking forward to this being our best 4-H club rally.

UPPER PRATER 4-H CLUB
 The Upper Prater 4-H Club met April 9, reports Virgie Rose Boyd. Several demonstrations were given and the girls participated in a community style revue by showing the clothing which they had made in their projects.
 The meeting was adjourned after everyone enjoyed an Easter egg hunt which was sponsored by the 4-H Club members.

SEWING CONTEST
 The Cotton Council and Singer Sewing Machine Company are sponsoring a "Sew with Cotton Bags" contest to the 4-H Clubs of Kentucky. The awards will be two portable sewing machines which will be given to the two 4-H clubs winning the contest. The rules are that we in Floyd county have at least two clubs entering this contest and that a county contest be held and the club having the best exhibit enter it in the state fair.
 This exhibit must consist of five articles or garments or outfits which must be made by five different 4-H club girls. Any clubs that are interested please contact the extension office immediately.

WAYLAND 4-H CLUB
 The last monthly meeting of the Wayland 4-H Club was held in the Wayland high school auditorium, reports Bob Hatcher. Glen Rice, president, conducted a short business session. Songs and games were enjoyed by 60 club members and six guests. Plans were made for demonstrations which will be given at the next club meeting and at County Rally Day, April 24.

BRANDY KEG 4-H CLUB
 Fourteen girls at the Brandy Keg 4-H Club have had five project meetings in the first and second unit of the foods project. The following girls have been studying under the leadership of Mrs. Norma Stepp:
 Charlotte Akers, Frankie Harris, Anna Francis Hyden, Ondaldis Stephens, Gwendolyn Webb, Janet Goble, Patricia Harris, Shelia Ratliff and Brenda Crum.
 Five girls have been studying Foods II Project under leadership of Mrs. Opal May. They are Alphaeda Campbell, Christine Ratcliff, Joyce Ratcliff, Jo Stephens and Lorraine Stephens.

NOTICE
 Effective March 6, 1954; That business known as Service Station Supply Company, owner Estel McKinney, dealer in B. F. Goodrich products, has this date been purchased by Robert Rogers, Pikeville, Kentucky.
 Notice is hereby given that no responsibility will be accepted for debts or liabilities incurred by Service Station Supply Company prior to March 6, 1954. Signed Robert Rogers, D.B.A. Service Station Supply Company, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.
 4-3-54

EXTENSION DENIED
 Frankfort, Ky., April 21 — Extension of the federal government's drought relief program on hay beyond the April 30 deadline has been denied Kentucky farmers by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It was announced by Commissioner of Agriculture Ben S. Adams.
 Under the program, farmers in drought-stricken areas are reimbursed up to 50 per cent of transportation costs on hay purchases. Adams had sought an extension of time to "protect the state's pasture crops until they acquire more extensive growth."

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TO FORMER STUDENTS OF CANEY CREEK SCHOOLS
All former students of Caney Creek schools, at Pippapass, are requested to attend a very important meeting at 3 p.m., Sunday April 25 in the Garrett school. Please help inform others, and do your best to come. You will be glad you do!

A Carroll county cooperative association is considering establishing a grain-crushing and feed-mixing mill.

Floyd County Needy Received \$42,524.00 From State in March

Needy residents of Floyd county received a total of \$42,524 in public assistance payments in March, it was disclosed this week by the Department of Economic Security. Payments were to recipients of old-age assistance, aid to dependent children and aid to the needy blind. Division Director Aaron Paul reported the following allocation of funds among the various programs: Old-age assistance, \$22,499; dependent children, \$18,051; needy blind, \$1,974.

Statewide totals were \$3,134,260, Paul said, up slightly above the \$3,117,718 total in February. Distribution of the funds for the month showed \$1,940,433 for old-age assistance; \$1,096,922 for aid to dependent children, and \$96,905 for the needy blind.

The average old-age assistance check was \$35.02; families of dependent children received an average of \$60.99 while needy blind payments averaged \$36.89 last month.

PERMIT SOUGHT

Frankfort, Ky., April 21 — The Kentucky Utilities Company made application to the Public Service Commission for permission to build a new \$18,000,000 generating unit at Dix Dam in Mercer county.

Original Smokey The Bear Was Saved From a Forest Fire When Only a Cub

Smokey the bear, with his jaunty forest ranger's hat and blue jeans, is fast becoming an international symbol of forest preservation.

The real Smokey was snatched as a cub from a flaming New Mexico forest nearly four years ago and brought to a new home in the federally run zoo at Washington.

Ever since, the Forest Service has used his picture—all tugged out in ranger's gear—to drive home its fire-prevention message on highway billboards and trolley advertisements. Smokey has been in the movies, on radio, and on television.

Now his fame has spread to other lands. Youngsters in South America, Canada, and even France have joined with a million or so American children in a corps of "junior rangers," pledged to "save and faithfully defend from waste the natural resources of my country."

Smokey is spearheading a \$6,000,000 campaign by Federal and State forestry, officials and private advertising groups to plug for protection of the nation's woodlands from the ravages of fire.

Fires annually destroy about a billion dollars worth of timber in the United States, but some progress has been made and Clint Davis, national director of co-operative forest-fire prevention gives Smokey considerable credit for this.

Federal law protects Smokey from commercial exploitation and authorizes the Forest Service to license the manufacture and sale of "Smokey the Bear" toys and appliances to put across fire-prevention messages. Royalties go for fire-prevention work.

About 240,000 Smokey Teddy bears were sold last Christmas. A song about him is selling in sheet-music form and on five different phonograph records. His life story is to be published soon in book form.

Some of Smokey's recent accomplishments:

He crashed a Boston Pops Orchestra concert in Constitution Hall.

He became an honorary assistant chief of the District of Columbia Fire Department.

He is featured in the Boy Scouts' fire-prevention program and his picture will appear on 500,000 Scout posters.

President Eisenhower posed with a Smokey doll and urged "every man, woman, and child to join" in the drive against forest fires.

What better tribute could there be to Smokey's influence with the younger set than a letter from a woman who wrote that her children have stopped watching their favorite spaceman since Smokey went on TV.

NOTICE: Pursuant to a warrant of seizure and monition issued by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, I have attached one 1954 Ford Tudor Sedan, Motor No. U4UG103300, which is now detained in my custody at Cox Motor Company, Paintsville, Ky., with a copy of the warrant of seizure and monition attached thereto; and 58 1/2-pints Colonel Lee Whiskey, 8 1/2-pints Country Aged Whiskey, and 38 12-oz. cans Pabst Blue Ribbon Beer, which are detained in my custody at room 105, Federal Building, Pikeville, Ky., with a copy of the warrant of seizure and monition attached thereto. All persons claiming the same or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned as forfeited to the use of the United States pursuant to the prayer of a libel filed on behalf of the United States in said Court are hereby notified to be and appear before said court at Pikeville, Ky., on the 7th day of May, 1954, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, otherwise on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, then and there to interpose a claim for the same and make their allegations in that behalf. S. S. Porter, U. S. Marshal. It.

Mrs. R. C. Minix Rites Held at Paintsville, Wednesday Afternoon

The death of Mrs. R. C. Minix, at the home of her son, Maurice Minix, Paintsville, came as a shock to her many friends here. Mrs. Minix, mother of Mrs. Carol M. May, visited here frequently. She died of a cerebral hemorrhage.

She and her late husband, R. C. Minix, lived here for many years as proprietors of the Elizabeth hotel, and were widely known. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the First Methodist church, Paintsville, and graveside rites were held at the Bluegrass cemetery, Salyersville. She is survived by her children, Maurice Minix and Herman Leete Minix, Paintsville, Mrs. Carol Adams and Mrs. Solomon Mann, Salyersville, Mrs. Chester A. Bach, Jackson, Mrs. Will J. Patrick, Miss Thelma Arnett, Dayton, Ohio and two brothers, Arba and Clarence Arnett, both of Salyersville.

CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us upon the passing of our brother, Pfc. Russell Duvall, and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially we are thankful to the ministers for their consoling words, and Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

Mrs. Virgil Hamilton
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Prestonsburg Students At Transy Invite Their Parents to Special Day

Parents of two Prestonsburg students have been invited to attend special Parents' Day services at Transylvania College Sunday morning, April 24, followed by a Parents' Day luncheon, it was announced recently by Charles Robert LaMarr, junior student in charge of the event.

Those invited to attend are Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Spradlin, parents of Toby Jo Spradlin, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hughes, parents of Nancy Hughes.

The Parents' Day observance was inaugurated three years ago by the students in connection with the annual Transylvania Day activities. Parents and alumni are invited to attend Transylvania Day exercises, which this year will be held on Saturday, April 24.

Highlight of the week-end activities this year will be the appearance of President Eisenhower the preceding Friday, April 23, for the dedication of the college's new library building. A three-day convocation program has been built around the annual Transylvania Day festival to open a year-long celebration leading up to Transylvania's 175th anniversary next May.

Theme of the three days is "Priorities in a Confused World." Prominent speakers who will appear during the week include Dr. Colgate W. Darden, president of the University of Virginia; Dr. Charles Allen Thomas, president of the Monsanto Chemical Company and leading atomic scientist; Henri Bonnet, French Ambassador to the United States; A. B. Chandler, former senator and governor of Kentucky; and Dr. Raymond McLain, former president of Transylvania.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Kinchele announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, in April at the Norton Memorial Infirmary, Louisville. The babe has been named Frances Lea. Mrs. Kinchele is the former Elsie Thompson.


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SHORT TERM

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WHEELWRIGHT

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS
The Wesleyan Service Guild held its monthly meeting last Thursday evening. The Guild members attended communion services at the Wheelwright Community Church, and afterwards met in the Community Hall for the business meeting. The following officers for the coming year were elected:

Mrs. John Muir, president; Mrs. John McNeil, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Eugene Stevens, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Creed Oney, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Waldo Cummings, treasurer.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames John McNeil, Jr., Eugene Stevens, Waldo Cummings, Dewey McKnight, Steve Benedict, Roy Souleyrette, R. L. Jones, Creed Oney, Jr., Frances Petrey and Hazel Hughes. Hostesses were Mrs. Roy Souleyrette and Mrs. Steve Benedict.

Survey Under Way To Aid Landowners Market Timber Crop

Landowners who have wanted to sell their timber in the past have often faced the problem of finding a buyer. And it isn't always as easy as it sounds. A survey designed to help farmers and landowners to market their timber crop is being undertaken. The University of Kentucky, Central States-Forest Experiment Station, and the State Division of Forestry are working together in making a list of all the buyers of forest products in each county in the state. The survey in this county will be made by James A. Newman of the University of Kentucky Extension Service.

The list will include the name and address of a buyer and will tell whether he buys mine props, sawlogs, veneer, stavebolts, pulpwood, or railroad ties. It will also say whether the buyer is interested in standing timber or just the delivered products. This list will probably be completed by the last of the year and can be obtained from the county agent.

According to Newman, the survey is another step forward in helping timber owners get the most from their timber crop. The information provided will allow the owner to be in touch with several buyers, not only from his own county, but from nearby counties as well. The Kentucky Experiment Station has a responsibility for providing up to date information on timber buyers, specifications for various timber products, and marketing conditions in order to help forest owners get better returns from their timber, Newman added. It was also pointed out that periodic lists of prices being paid for forest products are made available through cooperation with the State Division of Forestry.

Farmers in Ohio county will grow 40 acres of strawberries for the Bluegrass Prosted Foods Company.

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FOR SALE—Four-room house, out buildings, one acre ground, ten minutes to high school. Price \$2,375. See Bethel Deskins, Betsy Layne, Ky. 4-15-2t-pd.

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FOR SALE—Modern home, 6 rooms and bath; floor furnace. On Carter Avenue. \$9,000. R. Taylor, Phone 7784, Prestonsburg. 4-22-2t.

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McCreary Democrats Urge Native of Floyd To Make Congress Race

McCreary county Democrats have passed a resolution urging that Mitchell S. Fannin be drafted as a candidate for Congress from the Republican Eighth District.

He is a native of Floyd county and was reared at Betsy Layne.

Fannin is the only Democrat in McCreary county history to win a majority of votes in that Republican stronghold. He was elected to the General Assembly in 1949 from the 83rd Legislative district, which includes McCreary and Wayne counties. He is the only Democrat ever to hold this office.

Fannin is a representative of the State Auditing Department in a 30-county area.

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The work, available in any county, is being undertaken at request of the Grant county fiscal court. The state will furnish a director and a technical personnel for the work, which is expected to be completed in time for the county tax commissioner when he begins his work next January 1.

WALLEN ANNOUNCES



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This shameful waste must stop! And it can be stopped. Nine out of ten forest fires are caused by people—people like you—through carelessness, pure and simple. Please be careful this year. Make it a point to be extra careful with matches, smokes, campfires, rubbish and clearing fires, with any fire. The preservation of our forests rests in your hands.

DAVID

Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford and son, Johnny are spending an extended vacation in Fort Myers, Florida.

We wish to take this means to express our sincere thanks to the many fine folks of David, and elsewhere, who donated so liberally of eggs for our grand Easter egg-hunt. Also we wish to thank the women and girls who cooked and colored the eggs, with the boys and girls who solicited the eggs and gathered them up. Over 60 dozen were brought and sent in.

The David Community Church, by the Pastor.

Mrs. Hester Prater and Ralph Prater, of Wayland, were visiting Ray Stambaugh and family here Sunday.

Fred Mollet is suffering from injuries received in the David No. 1 mine, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall and daughter were visiting relatives in North Carolina, last week-end.

Mrs. Curtis Fitzpatrick is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammonds had their guests last week Mrs. Richard Holycross, of Ohio, and Mrs. Dewey Hammonds, Middlesburg, Ohio.

Mrs. Forest Childers, who was ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital last week, has returned to her home here, and is reported as better.

We invite you to hear Rev. Don Fraley in a revival service, beginning next Sunday night, 7:30 o'clock, at the David Community Church. Please don't miss the first service. Bring your friends.

CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us upon the passing of our dear husband and father, John Click, and for every courtesies extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially we are thankful to the ministers for their consoling words, and Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

Mrs. John Click and Family.

BETSY LAYNE

CLUB AIDS CRIPPLED CHILDREN

The Betsy Layne Woman's club held its regular monthly meeting, April 15, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Chandler.

The program was under the leadership of Mrs. W. P. Howell, who gave a review of the book, "A Man Called Peter," by Catherine Marshall. The president, Mrs. Edward Lykins, presided over the business meeting.

It was voted to send a contribution to the Crippled Children's Association. Each member brought dress materials or school supplies to be sent to Greece. An intermediate Girl Scout group has been organized and sponsored by the club, with Mrs. N. O. Wright as leader and Mrs. Alberta Maddox as co-leader.

Plans were made to sponsor a bake sale, May 8. It was voted to collect eyeglasses to be sent to "New Eyes for the Needy," a non-profit organization of volunteers who have these glasses tested and classified and sent to charitable agencies and missions all over the world.

An invitation was read from the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club to attend its open house and clubhouse dedication, Wednesday, April 28.

A letter was read from the president of the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce asking the club to participate in the contest to find the outstanding junior citizen of Floyd county.

At the close of the meeting a dessert plate was served, and corsages made from flowers from Mrs. Chandler's garden were presented to the following guests: Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, Mrs. O. J. Williams, Miss Alice Williams, Mrs. E. P. Davis, Mrs. G. H. Blackburn, Mrs. Clyde Blackburn, Mrs. W. P. Howell, Mrs. Edward Lykins, and the hostess, Mrs. T. J. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Howell, of McDowell, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins, Sunday evening.

Furman Walker and family of Wheelwright, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall, Sunday.

Eva Adkins was in Martin Saturday, shopping.

Bobby Stewart and James Adkins were at Dewey Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walters, of Hamilton, Ohio, were visiting their grandmother here, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins and children were visiting in Ligon, Sunday.

Crit Mitchell was an Easter guest of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Adkins.

Tax Commissioners In Meets This Week

Robert H. Alphin, commissioner of Revenue and chairman of the Kentucky Tax Commission has announced a series of meetings with county tax commissioners throughout the state is being conducted this week.

The purpose of the meetings is to discuss the policy of the Kentucky Tax Commission as it relates to property assessments. Two groups of Department of Revenue personnel are conducting the meetings simultaneously.

The conference should be of interest to other county officials who are responsible for the fiscal affairs of their county and schools, Alphin said, and these officials have been invited to attend. Notices have been mailed to tax commissioners advising them of the meeting places.

WON'T PUT UP WITH IT

In only five of 148 different human societies studied by a Yale anthropologist are adulterous relationships condoned, writes Dr. Abraham Stone in the May Reader's Digest.

IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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9:45 a.m.—Sunday school for all ages.

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.

6:30 p.m.—Training Union.

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.

Mission Sunday Schools

9:30 a.m.—Lancer Baptist Mission.

11:15 a.m.—Holbrook Baptist Mission.

2:00 p.m.—Benedict Baptist Chapel.

2:00 p.m.—Blue River Baptist Mission.

You are invited to attend the Sunday school nearest you.

All members of the church are urged to be present at the Sunday night service for an important business meeting. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the service.

NOTICE

At a meeting of teachers at Martin high school, Monday night, April 19, Morehead State College agreed to offer any two of the following courses as extension work in the county during the summer: History, sociology, or geography. Persons wishing to enroll for these courses should contact Otis Spurlock, Floyd County Board of Education, Prestonsburg. If there is great enough demand for some other courses perhaps they can be offered.

Veep Tells How He Rid Self of Name That Might Have Hampered His Career

Former Vice-President Alben W. Barkley last week confessed for the first time that the name his parents bestowed on him at birth was Willie Alben.

In his autobiography starting serially in the April 17th issue of The Saturday Evening Post, the Veep reveals that as soon as he was old enough to assert himself, he let it be known firmly that his official name henceforth was Alben William Barkley.

"Just imagine," he comments, "going through a Kentucky childhood with the name of Willie and later trying to get into politics!"

In later years, Barkley says, he often considered introducing a Federal bill which would make it mandatory for parents to postpone the naming of children until the youngsters are old enough to be consulted.

The first of eight installments of the Barkley story, "That Reminds Me," also finds the 76-year-old Kentuckian saying, "I have had my

moments of sorrow and disappointment, but there has been no prolonged period when I have not found life filled with joy and zest."

And he reports that he has no bitterness, no rankling disappointment about the fact that he never became President.

The autobiography tells that Barkley attended country schools, did a man's work as a boy on the little farm his father rented and later worked as a janitor to put himself through college.

When the Eisenhower Administration took office last year, Barkley had completed 40 years as representative, senator and Vice-President.

But, he reports he has had no time to get rusty or start feeling sorry for himself. Speech-making, television appearances, writing and other occupations have kept him "busier than before."

Barkley declares that he is "intensely proud" of being a southerner and states that in all his full life he has disliked but few men and hated no one.

IMPROVE SCHOOL GROUNDS

A year's accomplishments of the Cedar Point 4-H club in Pulaski county include improving school grounds, purchasing a movie projector and employing a song leader.

ATTEND GARDEN MEETS

More than 400 people in Pike county attended a series of garden meetings conducted by John Gardner, garden specialist from the University of Kentucky.

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