

This Town— That World

IT DIDN'T HELP

You'd think a solid week of doing nothing but read, hand out some money to the youngsters, read some more, hand out some more money, take an occasional salt water dip, sit and ponder matters great and small, discuss same with friends, hand out some more money—you'd think after a week of that we'd be bursting with ideas for this column. But as you shall see the lay-off brought more amusement than acquaintance with the Muse.

THE GREAT ALCHEMIST

If it isn't news, I'm all at sea about what news is. I refer to the fine rain of Wednesday afternoon after the days of burning heat. We are reminded that rain, picked up by evaporation from the earth, from the salt seas, cesspools, every source imaginable, pure and impure, returns wholly pure from above. You write your own moral to that one.

Then there was the horse-player who burned the woman up by calling her "bookie" instead of "librarian."

NOT ALL WERE MOURNERS

The story is told of the tragedy that shocked the whole mountain neighborhood. A mule had kicked the farmer's mother-in-law to death. Long before time for the last rites, the minister marveled at the crowd that had gathered, most of them men.

"She must have been a wonderful woman. So many men have left their work to attend her funeral," he observed.

"They ain't all here for Serry's funeral," the farmer who owned the mule replied. "Most of 'em want to buy the mule."

MOOD-SNAPPER

Fifteen miles or so outside Myrtle Beach, S. C., is Rookwood Gardens, one of the country's finest, which intrigues not only the interest but the fancy of the viewer. Here is beauty all around—the natural beauty of 200-year-old live-oaks bearded with Spanish moss, a dogwood garden, fountains and native shrubbery in profusion; and the beauty that isn't natural but which is created by human genius. This later is the statutory created by famous American sculptors and sculptresses.

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COURT ORDERS DAMRON BOND

Reasonable Bond Asked For Man Held in Torso Murder Mystery in Pike

Release of Willard "Catfish" Damron, Boldman poolroom operator, "under reasonable bond" in the Pike county torso slaying case was ordered Tuesday by the Kentucky Court of Appeals.

Damron has been in the Pike county jail since his conviction on a bootlegging charge several months ago. Day before that term ended, he was arrested on a murder charge in connection with the mystery slaying.

The victim in the murder was Clyde Jack Clements, who was an escapee from the Pike county jail while being held on a charge of possessing burglary tools. The head, hands and feet were missing from the body believed to be that of Clements, found last March 31 on Johns Creek in Pike county.

Damron was originally slated for trial late in June, but the case was continued till Nov. 9. Damron's attorneys sought his release on a writ of habeas corpus, but it was denied by Pike circuit court. The appeal from this denial resulted in this week's release order.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Edna Madison vs. Fred E. Madison; W. W. Burchett, atty. Juanita Jones vs. Clyde Jones; H. R. Burke, atty. Lackey Salisbury vs. Eugene Crisp; J. B. Clarke, atty. Luther Johnson vs. Veva Johnson; W. W. Burchett, atty. Homer Keen vs. Helen Rogers Keen; Chas. E. Lowe, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eugene Lewis and Elsie Marie Hunt. Manfee Patrick and Marjorie Benson. Clifford Conley and Deloris Patton. Bobby F. Ford and Rosa Lee Stephenson.

Court Decision Spurs Action on Building

LONG SEARCH FINDS VICTIM OF DROWNING

Garrett Merchant, 57, 10th To Drown In Lake, Is Victim Near German

Dewey Lake surrendered its 10th drowning victim at 2 p.m., Tuesday, when the body of Crit Conley, 57 years old, well-known West Garrett merchant, was recovered after a search of almost exactly 24 hours.

Mr. Conley's was the third death by drowning at the lake this year, and both tragedies resulted when attempts were made to swim across an expanse of water. He drowned in approximately 25 feet of water while swimming from the west shore of the lake to the other side at the former J. W. James home, a short distance downstream from the Boy Scout camp near German.

The tragedy was witnessed only by a woman companion, Delphia Breeding, of Bypro, who reported the drowning. She told authorities that Mr. Conley started to swim across the lake to where she was but became strangled and returned to the point of entering the water. She added that she told him she would get a boat for him but that he insisted he could swim, that he had merely tired. After walking a few yards up the bank he re-entered the water and had swum almost across the lake when the woman heard his call for help.

Boats of the U. S. Corps of Engineers, the State Conservation Department, fishermen and friends of the victim were quickly put to the long task of dragging the lake for the body. Friends continued dragging the lake and probing for the body through Monday night. After all attempts at locating the merchant had failed and as searchers wearied in Tuesday's mid-day heat, it was decided to attempt washing up the body by racing the heavy cruiser of the Corps of Engineers up the lake in the vicinity of the spot where the woman saw Conley disappear.

Before this boat got under way, however, a lighter boat operated by Rollie Manns, of Prestonsburg, raced in the vicinity. As it was out sharply toward the shore, the body appeared. Two watching friends of the dead man leaped into the water and brought the body to shore.

Use of grappling hooks failed because the victim's scant attire gave no purchase for the hooks. The only mark on the body was a slight abrasion at the tip of the nose.

A jury empaneled by Deputy Coroner W. R. Callihan decided Conley was a victim of accidental drowning.

The merchant, who was widely known in the Right Beaver Creek section of this county and in Knott county, was a son of Wiley F. and Savannah Wicker Conley. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minnie

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DAM SURVEY FUND MARKED

Engineers Allocate \$10,000 for Location Of Big Sandy Project

U. S. Senator John Sherman Cooper wired The Times Tuesday that the Army Corps of Engineers has allocated \$10,000 for a survey to determine where dams to create flood control and storage reservoirs should be located on the Big Sandy river.

This is one step toward the long-sought goal of canalizing the Big Sandy, but actual construction of the dams could not take place unless Congress appropriates money for the work.

The authorization for the dams has been in effect since 1938, but Congress has consistently refused to make an appropriation to do the job. Construction of the dams has been considered in the headwaters of the river.

Authorization for the survey was contained in a resolution adopted by the Public Works Committee and introduced by Senator Cooper.

Interest in the Big Sandy project has been spurred by the recent report of the President to spend \$2,000,000 for an Ohio River dam at Greenup. Such a dam would create slack water that would extend into the Big Sandy for a distance of 12 miles, to its second lock.

Next Chest X-Ray Survey To Be In County, Aug. 31

The State Department of Health notified the Floyd County Health Department this week that the next chest X-ray survey in Floyd county will begin Aug. 31. The itinerary for the mobile unit follows: Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, at court-house, Prestonsburg; Sept. 2 and 3, Martin high school grounds; Sept. 7, 8 and 9, Wheelwright; Sept. 10 and 13, Estill; Sept. 14 and 15, Harold.

COURT DELAYS PAYING BILLS

Frankfort Conference On Financial Straits Is Held, Wednesday

Beset with bills which it has not the money to pay, the Floyd fiscal court ordered at its meeting last Thursday that no claims be paid at that time.

It decided at the same meeting to arrange a conference with the Local Finance officer and the Attorney General in Frankfort, Wednesday of this week in an attempt to iron out some of its financial difficulties.

Although the official order of the court said the Frankfort meeting was being sought for the purpose of including in the budget more money for the old debt fund, THE TIMES was told by one Magistrate that the court hopes to gain authority to pay some of the outstanding hospital claims with funds raised by the one-year levy made in the abortive attempt to build a War Memorial hospital in this county.

These hospital claims rose out of treatment of indigents at county expense, and this fact gave hope to officials, it was said, that a part of the \$64,000 collected for the hospital construction might be used to pay them.

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FLOYD WOMAN WRECK VICTIM

Truck Driver Jailed On Four Counts After Mrs. Napier Succumbs

Mrs. Ila Napier, 57 years old, of Garrett, was fatally injured on Buffalo Creek Tuesday afternoon, and this was a tragedy growing out of that in which her fellow-townsman, Crit Conley, was drowned.

Injured were Mrs. Napier's daughter, Mrs. Glenna Skaggs, and her granddaughter, Miss Dolores Skaggs, both of Indianapolis, Ind. Their hurts were described as of a minor nature, although both were hospitalized at Martin.

Henry E. Blankenship, driver of a truck which smashed into the car occupied by the three women and driven by the youngest of the trio, was jailed here by State Trooper Howard and booked on counts of voluntary manslaughter, drunk driving without an operator's permit and driving on the wrong side of the road. Burchell S. Smith, of Salyersville, passenger in Blankenship's truck, was booked at the jail on a drunkenness charge. Blankenship was jailed after receiving hospital treatment for minor hurts.

The three women had been at the scene of the search for Crit Conley's body and were driving home, between 2 and 3 p.m., when the truck loomed ahead on the narrow road, almost midway between the German bridge and the junction of the Lower Buffalo road with the main highway leading upstream. Mrs. Skaggs and daughter said the latter pulled as far to the right as possible and that the truck at first drew toward the other side of the road, then cut back into the auto.

The injury causing Mrs. Napier's death was not definitely determined. She died shortly after arriving at the Beaver Valley hospital.

The victim was the wife of Alonzo Napier, and was a daughter of Lark and Elmira Draugh Perkins. She was a second cousin of Congressman Carl D. Perkins, it was said here. Mrs. Napier had been a member of the Church of God 15 years, and was widely related in this section.

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TEACHERS HIRED HERE

For City High School, Grades; Barts Resigns As Music Instructor

Two teachers in the high school and one in the grades remained to be employed after the Prestonsburg Board of Education last week; hired teachers for the coming school term.

One position to be filled is that of teacher of instrumental music. Keith Barts has resigned to accept a similar post at Pikeville high school. Another teacher-vacancy in the high school is in the mathematics department.

Teachers employed in the high school and subjects to which they have been assigned:

Earl Compton, commerce; Cora Cook, English and speech; Kathryn Frazier, vocal music; Elizabeth Goble, science and Latin; Altee Harris, English; Hazel Hill, home economics; Lillian McDonald, mathematics; Lucy Reagan, social studies; Laura Virginia Roberts, English; May K. Roberts, mathematics; Irene Stephens, English and science; Linda Stephens, librarian; Marian Wilson, English; William Wells, agriculture; Gerald Leslie, science and assistant principal.

The following grade teachers were hired but were not assigned:

Pauline Burchett, Barbara Carter, Margaret Collins, Leona Cooley, Roberta Davidson, Mary Ford, Shirley Hughes, Fanny Jarrell, Frances Jones, Anna Laura May, Margaret May, Elsie May Stephens, Victoria Spradin, Evelyn Salsbury, Ruth Willis, Mary Martha Williams, Minerva Cooley, Anna Martin.

GAS COMPANY SEEKS RAISE

United Fuel Says Four Factors Make Necessary Rate Increases on Gas

Cost increases for present and new sources of southwest gas and for wages prompted United Fuel Gas Company to file increased rates Tuesday with the Kentucky Public Service Commission for natural gas service provided approximately 20,000 customers in Eastern Kentucky. The new rates would be effective August 10.

Communities affected include Ashland, Catlettsburg, Russell, Raceland, Louisa, Greenup and others, besides rural customers in nine Eastern Kentucky counties, including Floyd.

B. B. Sloan, Ashland District manager of United Fuel, explained that four separate factors ac-

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Fish & Game Club Plans To Release 1,202 Quail

The Floyd County Fish & Game Club this week was planning the release of 1,202 quail at 120 points in the county, Jack Turner, of Langley, club secretary, said.

The 1,202 quail were reared from the 1,500 day-old chicks furnished by the Department of Fish & Wildlife. They were cared for by J. C. Moore, of McDowell, and the loss of only 298 birds was the smallest mortality percentage in the experience of the club.

BID OPENING SET FRIDAY

Howard Branch Route Is Slated for Contract; Other Bids Accepted

The Kentucky Department of Highways will open bids Friday on the work of grading, draining and traffic-bound surfacing of the David-Howard Branch road.

If a contract is let, the action will mark the successful conclusion of a long fight waged from the Prestonsburg-David section for this link with Magoffin county and access to the mining operations in Breathitt county.

The road is officially identified as the Salyersville-David-Prestonsburg route. The David-Howard Branch link to KY 7 is 3.9 miles. Of its proposed construction The Salyersville Independent last week said:

"There has been quite a little controversy between politicians in Floyd and Magoffin counties over this road, which lies in both counties and connects the mining operations at David, Floyd county and Evanston, just over the Magoffin county line in Breathitt. Some Magoffin county people, who oppose the road, claimed it would open up the Breathitt county mines to Prestonsburg to the detriment of business and labor in the Salyersville and Magoffin county area.

"However, we understand that any differences of opinion have been reconciled, and that all concerned now feel that anything good for one section of our area is good for the entire area."

A contract on these roads in Floyd and Knott counties has been awarded the Kentucky Road Oiling Co., of Frankfort on its low bid of \$63,045.72 for bituminous surface on the Drift-Wayland road from end of bituminous surface 1.1 mile east of Drift-Wayland road from end of bituminous surface, 1.1 mile east of Ky 7, to Ky 122, 1 mile south of Drift, 4.5 miles; the Garrett-Rock Creek county line road from Ky 80 in Garrett to the Knott county line, 1.4

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Sheriff Warning Poll Officials Statute Requires Them To Serve

As the Democratic and Republican campaigns for Congressional nominations from this district mounted in interest the Floyd county Election Board named precinct election officers Tuesday to carry out the voting at the polling places.

Sheriff Gorman Collins this week was having notices printed to be mailed to each election officer, citing statute which provides a fine of \$25 to \$100 for failure to serve.

Pointing out that this is a federal election and that the service as an election officer is as much a citizen's duty as jury service, the Sheriff is insisting that only illness will be accepted as an excuse for failure to serve. He also is reminding election officers of the state Comparative Signature law and requesting their compliance.

The Republican race for the Seventh district Congressional nominations, between Curtis Clark, Mayor of Prestonsburg, and Sam Ward, of Hazard, remained on the quiet side. The Democratic race between Congressman Carl D. Perkins, of Hindman, and James Wine, of Pikeville, is not a noisy affair, but supporters of the two men were making a stronger show than the G. O. P. candidates. A labor meeting was held Sunday at the Allen Golf course, with United Mine Workers leaders pledging

labors' support of the incumbent. The Perkins campaign committee last week announced 16 community rallies to extend till Friday night, Aug. 6.

Meanwhile his opponent, Wine is conducting an aggressive campaign. He was slated to speak at the courthouse here Wednesday night, and is stumping the district. Both men have campaign headquarters established here.

The precinct officers named by Election Commissioners Gorman Collins, W. B. Boyd and Marion Martin follow, the clerk, two judges and sheriff appearing in order in each instance:

Prestonsburg No. 1 — W. B. Boyd, Ben Ferguson, A. B. Meade, A. J. Archer.

Prestonsburg No. 2 — Paul E. Hayes, Martin Leete, Claude P. Stephens, Ken Sparks.

Depot — Henry Harris, Sam Hale, Woodrow Fitzpatrick, Taylor Stumbo.

Auxiliary — Virginia Childers, W. R. Ford, George W. Webb, Johnny Patton.

Middle Creek — Henry Johnson, Frank Johnson, Mont Ousley, Henry Owens.

Spurlock — John B. Ousley, George Ousley, Malcolm Hubbard, Green Haywood.

Porter — Fred Hunt, Wade Blackburn, Joe Crum, Tom Burchett.



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by The Times

GIFT of the United States Navy to Sea Scout Troop No. 8, this personnel command boat has been repaired at the vocational shop of Prestonsburg high school. The 24-foot Albatross has been launched in Dewey Lake. From left on the boat are Tom James, department vice-commander; L. B. Moore, past commander, and David Leslie, commander, of American Legion Post 129, Prestonsburg, which is sponsoring the Sea Scout troop. The Drift Sea Scout Troop last Friday launched a similar craft.

Plans of Floyd School For Retarded Tots Told

There are 104 handicapped children in Floyd county who are known to educational authorities but for whom nothing is being done beyond parental care.

"This fact was stated Wednesday by the Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Martin, in a discussion of their dream of a school in this county for such children.

"A large percentage of retarded or handicapped children definitely can be helped," Mrs. Martin said she had learned from national authorities on the subject. But no effort is being made to help them.

The minister and his wife stressed the point that they are not seeking to take the lead in this movement; that, rather, they are willing to work in any capacity to get established such a school with trained instructors. "We will work any place, and right now we are trying to get others interested," the Reverend Martin said.

The Association for Retarded Children has suggested to Mrs. Martin that two teachers be found who would take special training for work with handicapped children of the county. The problem of finding a building is considered a minor one, but that of raising funds for payment of teachers' salaries is viewed as more difficult.

Already Mrs. Martin has had promises of assistance from community leaders, and among these is County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner. Mr. Turner pointed out that

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COURT HOLDS P'BURG MUST PAY TAX LEVY

Next Board Meeting To Hasten Bond Sale; Merger Route Cleared

Acting on the assumption that a Court of Appeals opinion handed down Tuesday removed the last barrier to county-city cooperation on an auditorium-gymnasium for the new county high school here, the Prestonsburg Board of Education met Tuesday night to plan quick issuance and sale of bonds to finance the project.

The high court held that the special tax voted by patrons of the Prestonsburg independent district will remain in effect and payable by taxpayers of the district after merger of the two school districts.

This apparently cleared the way for the county board to make available a lot at the rear of the high school under construction here, so that the auditorium-gymnasium can be built as an integral part of the building.

The City Board will notify its bond attorney to be present for next Tuesday's meeting, so that sale of the \$226,000 bond issue authorized by the vote here can be made as quickly as possible. Representative of two architect-firms also will be asked to attend the meeting.

The Board has interviewed eight architects and has narrowed its choice to the two, it was said.

The City Board has not contacted the County Board relative to the auditorium-gymnasium site, since Joe Hobson, attached to the County Board, is out of town temporarily.

The Appellate Court opinion, written by Judge Parker Duncan, affirmed in part, and reversed in part, the judgment of Floyd Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill.

In general, however, the opinion has potential application in perhaps a dozen independent districts. This was the number estimated by Assistant Attorney General W. Owen Keller, assigned to the Department of Education, as having voted special school levies.

"I do not know that any of these districts contemplate merger with their county system," said Keller. "But if they do now, or in the future, the opinion seems to clear up one obstacle at least."

The situation here amounts to this: 1. The County Board of Education issued \$445,000 of revenue bonds to finance a high school in Prestonsburg. The project does not include a gymnasium-auditorium because the board could not finance the necessary additional bonds.

2. The voters of Prestonsburg on March 2 authorized the City Board of Education to levy a 25-year tax of from 5 to 35 cents to finance a \$226,000 gymnasium-auditorium on the grounds of the new high school.

3. The City and County boards, meanwhile, opened negotiations to merge the two systems. The question arose as to whether or not, in the event of merger, the special City tax would remain valid. The test suit followed.

The high court affirmed Judge Hill in holding that the special tax will remain valid in the event of

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Club can help forestry in Floyd county; a discussion by H. B. Newland, director of the Division of Forestry, of the topic, "Having an Income from Your Forest."

James A. Newman, field agent in forestry, University of Kentucky, will be master of ceremonies, and Henry P. Scaff, chairman of the Floyd County Extension Advisory committee, will be temporary chairman. Other features of the program will be a tree-killing demonstration at 10:45 a.m., by Bud Hafele, representing the Mead Corporation; a demonstration of the old-time method of making boards and planks by John Henry Canterbury, of Mare Creek; contests at 2:30 p.m., and completion of the Forest Improvement association at 3.

Displays will include Smoky the forestry bear, pulpwood and educational exhibits, machinery and equipment.

Floyd Forestry Field Day To Be 2nd Held in State

The second forestry field day to be held in Kentucky will be staged Saturday at the Adams school on the Prestonsburg-Salyersville road, and the occasion will see the completed organization of the Eastern Kentucky Forest Improvement Association, the first such group to be formed in Kentucky.

Both Henry Ward, Kentucky commissioner of conservation, and Earl Wallace, director of the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources, have been asked to attend. The program, which will begin at 10 a.m., will include:

An address by Wm. C. Johnstone, agriculture representative of the Kentucky Bankers Association, on how the American Association can help the forestry program; a talk by Earl Wallace or some other representative of the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources on how the Floyd County Fish & Game

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You marvel as much at one as at the other.

The place is a mixture of the old and the new, of natural and artificial beauty. It establishes a mood. You walk along a wall into which have been carved verses from well-loved poems. Most speak of nature. There is a verse from Thanatopsis bespeaking the serenity of the young Bryant as he pondered the inevitability of death.

Another plaque tells you that Theodosia Burr, daughter of Aaron Burr, who married an early South Carolina governor, lived here at The Oaks (one of the three great estates bought by Col. and Mrs. Huntington to make the Gardens and the wildlife sanctuary about them). You learn that Theodosia is said to have walked down these steps to embark on the ill-fated trip to New York during which her ship was lost or captured by pirates.

And then the mood snaps when you read this verse, engraved on the wall:

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Local Advisory Groups Of Farm Boards To Meet Here, Next Wednesday

Members of the Southern States Prestonsburg Advisory Board and the Southern States Farm Home Advisory committee, their wives, and husbands will meet next Wednesday at 7 p.m., in the Turner Hotel here to plan their local 1954 Southern States Cooperative annual membership meeting and to nominate persons to fill vacancies occurring this year on the Board and Advisory committees. Elections will take place at the membership meeting to be held later this year.

One of the questions to be decided at this session will be whether or not to hold a Farm Talent Round-Up contest as the highlight of the annual meeting. If such a contest is held, the winner will have the opportunity to appear in a district elimination contest to be held later this fall. District eliminations will be judged by a member of Ted Mack's Original Amateur Hour staff from New York.

Members of the local advisory board are Homer Neeley, Prestonsburg, chairman; Johnny Neeley and Alex Stephens, both of Cliff, John Wallen and Wallace Calhoun both of Watergap, and Billie Merritt, Bonanza.

Members of the Farm Home Advisory committee are Mrs. Woodrow Adams, West Prestonsburg, chairman, Mrs. Virginia Wright, West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Grace Conley, Bonanza, Mrs. Alex Stephens, Cliff, Mrs. G. G. Leslie, and Mrs. Earl Moore, both of Prestonsburg.

Ogden Stewart, manager of the Prestonsburg Farm and Home Store, local Southern States Agency, and Tom Combs, Southern States district manager, will also attend the meeting.

BOYS AND GIRLS DESIRE TO PAY FOR CHURCH FLOOR

To finish paying for the new floor in their Sunday School building is the desire of the boys and girls of Garth Church at Hite.

The youngsters are to sponsor a rally program July 28, at 7:30 p.m., with the offering going for the church floor. A gospel film, "Rock of Ages," will be shown. Highlighting the program will be a gospel lesson in magic given by Daniel Heintzelman, youth worker in Floyd county. The Junior choir of the Sunday School will furnish special music. Many of these children sing over the Children's Radio Chapel, a well-known children's program in this territory.

UMW LEADERS BACK PERKINS

In Speeches at Allen
As Locals Hold Meet;
Congressman, Speaker

In addition to discussing the business of the United Mine Workers at the meeting of local union officers at the Allen Golf course last Saturday, UMW leaders bespoke to these local union officers their strong support of Congressman Carl D. Perkins in his race for the Democratic nomination.

A fish fry accompanied the meeting, the public was invited, and the gathering exceeded 600, it was estimated. Local union representatives from Floyd, Knott, Pike, Letcher and Perry counties attended.

The Congressman was given the Union's endorsement. Speakers were Sam Caddy, Lexington, president of District 30, Tom Raney and Bart Bloomer, of the Pikeville UMW office, and Edgar Reynolds, of the Hazard office.

Congressman Perkins addressed the gathering, and he laid greatest stress on urging the people to vote. "This is one issue on which my opponent and I agree," he said later. "I would be delighted to see a heavy vote."

The Congressman also told his hearers of his efforts to place import quotas on residual oils competing with the coal industry, and of his protest in the House when the interior appropriation in 1953 failed to maintain the synthetic liquids plant near St. Louis. He pointed out that Germany produced all its gasoline from coal during World War II, that this country got German equipment for its synthetic production and that that production had been achieved at a cost commensurate with the cost of gasoline made from crude oil. When the Missouri plant was dropped a great potential use of coal was lost to an attack made by oil interests, he said.

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Annual Floyd Farm Family Field Day To Be Held Next Wednesday on Farm Of Lewis Burchett, Is Announcement

The fourth annual Farm Family Field Day to be held in Floyd county will be enjoyed by farm folk next Wednesday on the Lewis Burchett farm, Cow Creek. It was announced this week by County Agent O. E. Boggs. The event is sponsored by the Extension Advisory committee.

Designed to interest every member of the family, the program considers even the youngsters with entertainment to keep them happy while their elders are seeing the more serious side of modern farm life.

George Corder, field agent in agronomy, University of Kentucky, will be the speaker. For the women of the farm families there will be home economics demonstrations by specialists of the Kentucky Power Company, who will stress the preparation of foods for home freezers.

LOUISVILLE—Wine and popular-brand cigarets will cost more here, and presumably in the rest of the state when an increased state tax on the products becomes effective Thursday. Beer prices may go up to consumers also. Cigaret prices generally will rise a cent per package.

Paris—French Socialists, ending a four-day national convention, decided to pardon its members who opposed the European Defense Community on condition that they agree to respect party discipline in the future.

the packing of freezers and the use of modern laundry equipment.

The male portion of the gathering, expected to equal or exceed last year's 250, will tour the farm, one of the county's best. They will see an acre Corn Derby plot which is one of the best in the county, hay and pasture seeding, a demonstration of preparing a fall tobacco bed, a small orchard, strawberries, a tobacco demonstration using transplanter solution, hybrid corn variety test plots, and the family garden, also the taking of a soil sample and a demonstration of soil-testing.

Contests and awards will complete the program. Drinks for the gathering will be supplied by the three banks of the county. Families will take their own picnic lunches.

THE FACTS ABOUT SHERLOCK HOLMES

Millions of people all over the world think Sherlock Holmes is a living, flesh-and-blood man, a retired detective who keeps bees in Sussex. In the August, Reader's Digest, Wainwright Evans says letters still come to Holmes from all over, addressed to 221B Baker St., London, or care of Conan Doyle (now dead 24 years) or care of Scotland Yard. Some ask for Holmes' help; others write for his autograph or photo. Quite a few hopeful females have wanted to marry him or at least keep house for him.

LITTLE KNOWN FACTS FROM CURRENT READER'S DIGEST

Helen Keller, blind and deaf since the age of two, has developed her sense of touch to an incredible degree. In the current Reader's Digest, Van Wyck Brooks says Miss Keller can distinguish the Yankee twang and Southern drawl she has never heard by touching the throats of the speakers. She regularly weeds her flowerbeds, knowing by touch which plants are flowers and which are weeds. She can type with the neatness and precision of an expert stenographer.

In his long African experience, Dr. Albert Schweitzer, famous physician and missionary, has never seen a case of appendicitis among the natives, and says that cancer is virtually unknown. So reports John Gunther in the August Reader's Digest.

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W. H. (Hite) MARTIN

GARRETT, KY.

W. S. C. S. Circle No. 2 of the Methodist church met July 15 at the home of Mrs. Cecil Kendrick. Mrs. Arnold Compton, circle chairman conducted the business session, and Mrs. Ike Lockwood, program chairman, conducted the program. Those present took part in a lemon squeeze. The hostess served refreshments to members: Mrs. Gordon Francis, Mrs. Paul Francis, Mrs. Lon C. Hill, Mrs. Virgil Warrick, Mrs. Richard Spurlock, Mrs. Earl A. Stumbo, Mrs. Bill Brown, Mrs. Ike Lockwood, Mrs. Arnold Compton, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick and little guest, Lynn Blackburn.

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IKE APPOINTS STUDY GROUP

On Ills of Coal Areas; Cooper Says Hope Seen For Economic Crisis

President Eisenhower last week appointed the following persons to be members of the President's committee to study the problems of the coal industry:

Arthur S. Flemming, director, Office of Defense Mobilization, as chairman; Samuel C. Waugh, assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Thomas P. Pike, assistant Secretary of Defense, Supply and Logistics; Felix E. Wormser, assistant Secretary of Interior for Mineral Resources; Lothar Teator, assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic Affairs; Rocco C. Siciliano, assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower and Employment.

The appointment of a top-level committee is the result of a meeting arranged between President Eisenhower and a group representing the coal industry. The meeting took place on June 29 and the President announced at that time that he would appoint such a committee.

The coal industry committee was formed earlier this year under the sponsorship of Senator John Sherman Cooper. Meetings were first arranged with members of the cabinet, including Secretary of the Interior McKay and Treasury Secretary Humphrey, as well as with other officials of government. After these preliminary meetings, which served to help develop a general program, Senator Cooper asked the President to meet with the coal committee and hear their suggestions on methods to solve the economic crisis in the industry.

The formation of the President's committee, Senator Cooper said, gives "all of us great hope that the situation which has caused a serious economic depression in the coal fields of the nation can be solved. It indicates clearly that the President is concerned over the welfare of Kentucky. I shall continue to work with the industry representatives and the President's committee to find out a solution."

Lee Sammons, 70, Dies At Arkansas Crk. Home; Last Rites Held Sunday

An illness of a year resulted in the death at 12:10 a.m. Friday, of Lee Sammons, 70, at his home on Arkansas Creek, near Martin.

A native of this county, he was a son of the late Sol and Caroline Sammons. He was a farmer and for years had been a member of the Church of Christ. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lizzie Clek Sammons, three sons and four daughters, Maston, Lonnie and Hie Sammons, all of Martin, Mrs. Polly Crum, Mrs. Beanie Sammons and Mrs. Muncie Sammons, all of Martin, and Miss Alice Sammons, Stockbridge, Michigan. One brother, Newt Sammons, and two sisters, Mrs. Vick Walk and Mrs. Maude Sammons, all of Martin, also survive.

The funeral was conducted Sunday from the residence, the Revs. Estill Hughes and Roy Hall officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Sgt. Marcum, Miss Drury Wed In English Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Drury, of 92 Heddingham Road, Halstead, Essex, England, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Janet, to S/Sgt. Roby C. Marcum, of the U. S. Air Force, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Roby Marcum, Riverside Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. The ceremony took place Saturday, July 17 at 3 p.m., at the Andreos's Church in Halstead.

The bride was attired in a ballerina-length strapless gown of ice blue tulle, with a lace jacket, and carried red roses with fern. She was attended by her sister, Gladys, who was gowned in ballerina-length lemon yellow tulle.

After a reception at 92 Heddingham Road, the couple left to spend a week's honeymoon at Aidsburgh. Upon their return they will be at home in Halstead near where Sgt. Marcum is stationed.

VISITING SISTER AT MOSSY BOTTOM

Mrs. Myrtle Weddington left last Saturday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Jenny Statten, at Mossy Bottom. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Statten accompanied her there.

TWINS ARE ONE YEAR OLD

The twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, Elizabeth Lynn and Elissa Lea, celebrated their first birthday, July 14, at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell. Ice cream and punch was served to Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lovely, Hager Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hall, Lexington, Mrs. Cynthia Hatfield, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Joe Wheeler Jarrell, Bill Sherril and Johnnie Bailey. The twins received many attractive gifts.

ATTEND MRS. ANNIE KEEL'S FUNERAL

Among the relatives and friends from here and elsewhere who attended the funeral of Mrs. Annie Mayo Langley Keel at Paintsville, last Friday afternoon, at the Mayo Memorial Methodist church, were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keel, Mrs. Anna Laura Fleming, Mrs. Mary Alka Robinson, Mrs. Ellen Robinson, of Oceola, Ind., Mrs. Frank Todd and sons, of David, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett Sowards, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Dr. G. D. Callihan, Malcom Harris, Mrs. Thomas Hereford. Mrs. Keel, who had made her home for several years with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Langley Kirk, at Paintsville, had been an invalid for the past two years. She passed away at a hospital in Louisville. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Myers and interment was in the Mayo Cemetery at Paintsville.

VISITING HERE FROM WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mrs. F. J. Ribble and son, Johnnie, arrived Sunday from Washington, D. C., to make a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Huttsin, and family. They accompanied Mrs. Tot Allen Cope and Floyd Arnold Mann, home. Mrs. Cope and son will return to Washington soon to make their home.

FRIENDSHIP NIGHT

Adah Chapter, O.E.S. will observe Friendship night, Monday. The meeting will be preceded at 6:30 p.m. with a covered dish dinner. All members are invited to come and bring a covered dish.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Miss Judith Carol Leete, of Ashland, was honored with a picnic supper, at Dewey Lake, Saturday evening. Those present were Miss Leete and houseguests, Miss Wanda Porter, Susie Habern, of Ashland, Mrs. Maggie Leete, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete, Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Tom James, Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Stephens.

MYRTLE BEACH VACATIONERS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock and family, Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer and family, A. J. May, Mrs. Olga May Latta and Cliff Latta, Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Terry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Archer and family have returned home from vacations at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Alex Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garrett went to Lenore, W. Va., Sunday to attend the funeral of a relative.

SUPPER AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting, Mrs. Marion Wilson and family, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Reed, enjoyed a picnic supper at Dewey Lake, Saturday evening.

ATTEND SYNOD AT DANVILLE

Rev. and Mrs. Orville Pearson, Mrs. Frank H. Layne, Mrs. E. R. Burke and Miss Daisy Miller went to Synod of the Presbyterian Church, convening at Danville, Monday and Tuesday of last week.



LAWN PARTY

Fred Harris Francis was host to a large group of girls and boys on the lawn at his home on Arnold avenue. About forty guests enjoyed games and dancing until eleven o'clock when refreshments were served.

LEADERSHIP PHA TRAINING CAMP

Miss Hazel Hill left Thursday for Hardinsburg, with Miss Barbara Prater, District Parliamentarian and Miss Barbara Spradlin, Dist. Secretary, to attend the Leadership Training Course for Future Homemakers of America at the F. H. A. Camp there. The training will last from Friday through Monday.

GO TO HENDERSONVILLE, N.C.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson and guest, Mrs. Martha D. Carpenter, of Millersburg, left today (Thursday) for a two week vacation at Hendersonville, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davidson will occupy their residence while they are away.

VISITING DAUGHTER HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Reed, of Weston, W. Va., are here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marion Wilson, and family, on Riverside Ave.

PATIENT AT GOOD SAMARITAN

Mrs. Will Campbell, of Bull Creek, is a patient at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington. Mr. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Hatfield visited her last Saturday.

SPEND SUNDAY AT CAMDEN PARK

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen and family, Mrs. Hester Preston and children, Sonny Ford, and Miss Mable Martin spent Sunday at Camden Park.

CALLED HERE BY BROTHERS ILLNESS

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman and son, Billy, Holopaw, Fla., were called here Saturday by the illness of his brother, George Newman, of Hi Hat. Mr. Newman submitted to major surgery at St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, Monday.

CALIFORNIA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis had as their overnight guests last Tuesday, Miss Joanne Whitson and Miss Carol Bird, of Palo Alto, California, who are touring the East and parts of Canada before returning home, September first. Miss Whitson is a descendant of the pioneer John May family here.

John S. Sealf, of Knox county, has 2,500 hills each of watermelons and cantaloupes on 5 1/2 acres.

RETURN FROM BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick returned last week from Ocean City, Md., where they spent two weeks with their daughter and her family, Lt. and Mrs. John O. Hardin, III, and son, Johnny.

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Miss Greenwood To Wed Mr. Sullivan, August 1

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Greenwood are announcing the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Martha Catherine, to Don C. Sullivan, on Sunday, August 1, at 3:30 p.m., in the First Methodist Church, here. All friends and relatives are cordially invited to the wedding and reception.

CALL TO COLUMBUS, O.

Mrs. Herschell Graham was called to Columbus, Ohio, Tuesday, by the critical illness of her grandson, Tommy Johnson, Jr., who was stricken with polio, Monday.

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VISITORS FROM CONNECTICUT

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ley have as their houseguests, their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Busch, Mr. Busch and baby son, Karl Raymond, of Stamford, Conn. They will spend two weeks here. Mr. and Mrs. Ley met them at Huntington Airport, Monday.

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One Sore Thumb Less

"Kentucky is rough, now, ain't it?" Expressions to that effect have been heard for years, almost every time a motorist traveling north from Virginia hit that rough road at the Kentucky-Virginia line at the top of Pound Mountain. Kentuckians themselves have voiced the loudest complaints after leaving the smooth highway on the other side of the scenic divide. And now, at last, the Department of Highways is doing something about that stretch of highway which stood out by way of sharp and unfavorable contrast like the proverbial sore thumb. We are quite happy about it.

But we are not happy about all those other stretches of the same route—that patchwork of nomenclature, the Mayo Trail, US 23 and US 460—which remain untouched. The road itself is too much a patchwork, too sinuous, too narrow, too rough. The traveler from Paintsville to Jenkins may have more descriptive adjectives to add.

If this highway had been Central Kentucky, the state that would have suffered by contrast would have been Virginia. So what the motorists coming through the Gap have meant, all these years, was:

"Eastern Kentucky is rough, now, ain't it?" Referring to roads, of course.

Floyd County Does Not Forget

Thoughts that find their way into print have a way of returning, like bread cast on the waters. Sometimes they return to plague the writer; once in a great while, they come home to bring a new measure of satisfaction.

Of the latter sort is the piece we printed in our weekly column, THIS TOWN—THAT WORLD, 10 years ago. Those were war days, and thoughts of our own who were giving their lives in the world's greatest struggle at arms pressed down upon most of us. In such a mood the editor set down his dream of a living memorial to those war dead of Floyd county.

We have not perused our files that far back to re-read what was written. It perhaps would seem a bit on the sentimental side, or over-fanciful, to us now, 10 years later. But the thought has remained with others all these years, and now it appears that at last we may plant dogwoods to form a Dogwood Trail, a living memorial to our war dead, as was suggested back then.

Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, regent of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, is leading the move for such a memorial along US 23 here. Others are interested in a Dogwood Trail honoring the war dead of their communities. It is good to know that these still remember.

There is no conflict of interest among the several communities; the more community Dogwood Trails, the better. All will serve the same purpose, all will add a touch of springtime beauty to Floyd roadsides, all will beautifully express in the living, growing trees that are native to these hills the gratitude of a people who do not forget.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Times:
We believe that the Dogwood Trail will be a nice way for our county to show our respect for the soldier boys. We lost our son, Clyde, in Korea and we owe to him and to others who have given their lives a great debt. We are willing to aid in this project by giving several dogwood trees and also with the labor as much as possible. However, there is one question, we would like to have answered. What size trees should be marked now for the fall transplanting.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Willie R. Spradlin.

ENDORSES LIVING MEMORIAL

Editor The Times:
As the mother of two sons, who gave their lives for their country, I wish to express my appreciation and gratitude to you and your paper for endorsing the endeavor of Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, regent of John Graham Chapter, D.A.R. to sponsor a Living Memorial on US 23, this memorial to be a Dogwood Trail dedicated to those who lost their lives in World Wars. I believe that if everyone who had loved ones who gave their all will support and cooperate with this, as I expect to do, this beautiful tribute can be successfully completed.

Mrs. Frances Bolling
West Prestonsburg, Ky.

HEALTH NOTES

By Floyd County Health Department

It is estimated that about 400,000 persons in this country are suffering from tuberculosis, and that the disease is striking approximately 115,000 new victims a year.

These figures point up the fact that TB is a serious health problem for our nation. Yet we have made significant gains in the nationwide war against TB, launched at the turn of the century by the people themselves under the combined leadership of the medical profession, health departments, and the voluntary tuberculosis associations.

As the battle goes on today, hope for eventual victory over tuberculosis is greater as more and more people learn the facts about the disease. For people who learn the basic facts about tuberculosis are better equipped to protect themselves against the disease and to join actively in the fight against its spread which is being carried on in communities throughout the country.

For example, people learn that it is caused by a germ and that it is "catching." This knowledge can override much carelessness and superstition concerning the disease and help people act more intelligently in protecting themselves against exposure to TB.

Another important fact about TB is that one can have it without feeling ill or looking sick. People who know this and act on this knowledge will get regular physical examinations and chest X-rays without waiting for obvious symptoms.

Knowledge that tuberculosis can be cured can also encourage a person to check regularly on the health of his lungs more than if he erroneously believed TB was invariably fatal and "nothing could be done anyhow." It also helps to know that the disease can be best treated in a tuberculosis hospital.

In line with this, it is important for all of us to know that tuberculosis is easiest to cure when it is found early, and that the best way of discovering TB when it first strikes is by annual medical examinations and chest X-rays.

Another important fact is that once TB is diagnosed, the best place for the patient to go for treatment, for his own sake and to protect others, is a tuberculosis hospital.

These are just a few, basic facts about tuberculosis which can help people protect themselves and their communities against a disease which leads the causes of death from disease in the age group from 15 to 35. But they are important facts, and the more people learn about TB and use that knowledge for their protection, the closer we will be toward victory over the disease.

U. S. SAYS RUSSIA COOL
United Nations, N. Y., July 21.—United States Delegate Morehead Patterson told the U.N. Disarmament Commission yesterday the United States has concluded "the Soviet Union has no serious desire to negotiate on the subject of disarmament."

Patterson addressed the 12-nation Disarmament Commission as it opened debate on the report of the recent high-level secret talks carried on in London by a five-member subcommittee.

MAKE DRESSE

Breckinridge county homemakers reported making 132 dresses; 146 members used at least four sewing machine attachments, and 108 members cleaned their sewing machines, following a sewing project this spring.



BY WILMAY
(The views expressed herein do not necessarily reflect the views of The Times.)

Wasn't Phyllis Grigsby a gorgeous bride? She and Pete, Jr. have been sweethearts so long everyone expects their marriage to be truly outstanding in every way. Many remember him as the modest youth who played the Christus in the Passion Pageant. He baptized Phyllis recently, and his friends are conscious of his strong belief in the Bible and prayer.

Years ago Lassia Hatcher used to rave over the vivacious Cassie Martin. Ever since we have had a hankering to meet the young lady. The opportunity occurred at the Martin-Grigsby wedding, and the gal is as stunning as her friends maintain. Persons like Miss Martin prove why some folks had better not run down the hills in one lump! She is a good example of many cosmopolites who proudly call the mountains home.

One young man said folks can say all they please about Eastern Kentucky, and that it is true we lack much here and have numerous shortcomings, plus some undesirable traits in all of us, as you doesn't—but he added that no place excels the hills when it comes to appreciating the dignity of man. He says the individual is never forgotten in the mountains, while most cities lose sight of him.

Only a week or so ago, Mrs. Frank Izary of New York, formerly Minnie Allen, graduate of Maytown high, appeared on the Tide program on TV. She won every point. She did not miss a single answer in a wide range of questions.

Last summer one Mississippian, who spent eight months in our state wrote that he found the mountain people the most intelligent and charming of all in Kentucky. A writer points out that the worst kinds of vice is practically unknown here, as compared with metropolitan areas, bad as it often seems. Unless work is slack our section always makes a creditable record in its subscription to charitable and community drives, sometimes topping the list. One author mentions the low percentage of venereal disease found in the mountains as a whole. Leaders cite the enormous growth of churches in recent years. For example, Martin has four new ones, Methodist, Freewill, Mormon and Baptist.

Many ask why the state is the object of so much ridicule. Part of it can be attributed to jealousy. While Kentucky is the cowtail in some things, she makes headlines in others. Much of the criticism is sparked by her own sons and daughters, who get a kick out of the barbs and jokes aimed at her. The fact that so few reply to false accusations increases the furor.

Another reason is that so many of her own children underestimate Kentuckians, often en masse. Last spring we were amazed to hear a teacher say that mountain people who live ten or twelve years in other states cannot then be distinguished from natives there, and that they become good citizens in time. (Shucks! No one can tell our refined men and women from the urbanites the day they cross state lines! And they not only make good citizens from then on but sometimes make the leaders in their new homes, as numbers prove. (Names on request.) Her remark might apply to hills-folks of some classes—so to speak, (and every one despises the word classes, though it is in common usage.) We need to get rid of this inferiority complex some have thrust upon us by their wholesale denunciation, which in itself is the height of idiocy.

As for not being wanted in some localities, thousands of Kentuckians have transferred to dozens of states, for years, and no one ever knew or cared from whence they came. This applies to people from all over the state. Old-timers who still speak the quaint Elizabethan speech of centuries still do call attention to themselves when they settle elsewhere. And all of us admit there are still many here who are every bit as careless as the ones described by the lady whose letter quoted last week commended The Times for its work along these lines.

But none of us can afford to forget that those lacking in culture often have the biggest hearts. Numbers of them are more sincere and more humble than others. It is pathetic that many of the poorest, the world over, are so ignorant they do not know they are illiterate. Does not this in itself increase the responsibility of others to them? Should we not do everything possible to break down barriers that exist? One Woman's Club in the county is doing a notable work in this respect, particularly for young girls. Many geniuses have come from among the lowliest. And Christ himself was born in a manger. It is notable that most of his work was with, and in behalf of, the poor.

Authorities who have studied

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If You Remember . . .

By HENRY P. SCALF

"The spirit swept like a mighty wind," George O. Barnes, the evangelist, wrote in his diary about the Frankfort meetings in 1882. He had come from the Kentucky mountains, and here in the bluegrass, his evangelistic efforts were attended by the elite as well as the lowly of the capital and the surrounding towns. Governor Luke P. Blackburn and his wife, Appellate Judge Thomas F. Hargis and his wife, Anne, the judge's daughter, and a host of others listened and confessed.

The courthouse was crowded the night of June 23, the air was humid, and men stood, uncomfortable and perspiring, in the choked room. Some looked longingly at the empty bench, up near the evangelist and his daughter, Marie, who played the piano. This bench was for converts, for men and women who after seeking God and confessing, could sit down.

The opening songs were given and Marie Barnes, who had followed her father all over Eastern Kentucky, from Harlan to Pikeville, Prestonsburg, Paintsville, and many other courthouse towns, played the little piano, now scarred with the buffeting of long travels. The evangelist began to speak, after awhile gave an invitation. There was a push in the crowd from the rear, people turned and looked, the high and lowly, the Governor and his lady, Judge Hargis, his wife, and daughter Anne, the farmer and stable-boy, all looked as a Negro walked up, opened his heart, poured

out for all to hear, his many sins. Barnes blessed him, cried "Praise the Lord," the colored man sat down, alone, on the empty bench.

The invitation was renewed, but although men stood shaken and women were swooning with "the spirit like a mighty wind," none came. The barrier of color was between them and the lowly Negro who sat alone, peaceful with his God, on the bench. Barnes, sensing the cause of refusal, changed the tenor of his talk, began to speak diplomatically upon the man-made prejudices between the superior race and the "drawers of water and hewers of wood." All the fire went out of his appeal, he was laboring with expediency and the Word of God. He would not seat any white man by the Negro if any would come, he said, unless they were bold enough with their conscience and God to sit with the colored man. Having got this far in his efforts to resolve the difficult situation, his voice trailed away, in indecision: It was a moment of crisis for his meeting.

It was then that Judge Thomas F. Hargis arose from his seat near the governor, walked the few steps forward and sat down by the Negro on the bench. His friends followed, in a moment the seat was crowded, following the example of the old mountain judge of Breathitt, who knew no race or color when it came to his creed.

Crisis was gone, in its place was "the spirit that swept like a mighty wind" and the lone Negro sat on the bench with Kentucky's great.

HARVESTING OF PULPWOOD MUST BE DONE SENSIBLY

The harvesting and marketing of pulpwood has often been bitterly denounced by both conservationists and foresters. Pulpwood cutting has been called a robber of the forest by landowners. All of these folks are partly right and partly wrong. It is true, that if all the trees in a fine young stand of poplar are cut for pulp it does rob and run down the forest. And our forests are already in sad shape.

However the wise farmer or landowner who looks to the future will see other things. He will not follow a clear cutting practice unless he is clearing a piece of land or has a stand of young timber in which all the trees have been severely damaged by fire. A pulp market gives the wide-awake forest owner a chance to make some money and at the same time improve the young forest.

Thinning May Be Needed

If corn is too thick on the ground, all farmers know that it will develop and do better if part of the stalks are cut out. Young timber may also grow better if they are thinned.

Poplar often comes up very thick in old fields. All of the trees have highlanders of many countries give plausible reasons for the high percentage of so-called "unteachables" found in many mountain sections. When people are shut in for generations, geographical and climatic conditions, topography etc.—as well as heredity—play important roles in their makeup and traits of character. Only the strong come through unaffected; moreover, sometimes the records reveal "unteachables" who later become teachers!

We often read that the Acadians settled Louisiana. This was true, but it does not mean everyone in that state is an "Acadian." So when we read much that is written about the hills we can remember that not all of it applies to everyone, even if some author lacks the courtesy and kindness to say so, when they cite our failures and shortcomings. We can afford to be magnanimous, whether they are or not.

plenty of room while they are little, but as they grow larger each tree needs more room to grow. Soon they begin to crowd and fight each other for space, and the lower limbs begin to die and fall off. So far, so good.

As they grow into pulpwood size the fighting and crowding has become a deadly game, because none of them have the room necessary to grow good. The weaker trees are losing the battle to live, but the stronger ones are still crowded too close.

It is time for the owner to take a hand. And the wise land manager will step into the grim struggle between the trees with his saw and axe, and harvest part of them for pulpwood.

Spacing of Trees To Lay

The first question in the owners mind will be, "how many trees to cut?"

Young timber stands from 6 to 10 inches in diameter will be the size usually cut for pulp. Trees of this size need to be about 15 to 20 feet apart to have enough space to grow rapidly. This will leave from 100 to 150 trees per acre. The remainder of the trees large enough for pulpwood should be harvested.

INDOCHINA COST U. S. 3 BILLION

Paris, July 21.—The Indochina War cost France, the United States, and the Associated states a total of \$6,152,000,000, according to official French figures.

American aid as counted by the French, amounted to \$2,997,000,000. The cost to France was \$4,771,000,000.

The burden to the fledgling Indochina states was \$384,000,000.

SEED OATS

Louis Chippis, farm operator in Livingston county, seeded 3½ bushels to the acre on 11 acres of Clinton spring oats; he harvested 800 bushels from the field that he had tested and fertilized. Seventy-nine Harrison county

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TIMES



Sports writers, like the general public who are their readers, more often than not are grasping for the catchy phrase or saying that simply, appropriately and briefly sums up a particular situation.

While it is far from original, we are sure, the phrase idea comes to mind in attempting to explain the football schedule which the University of Kentucky's Wildcats will be facing in a little over two months from now. That phrase is "suicide schedule."

Why "suicide schedule?" well let's take a look at the formidable list of opponents who may "just look tough on paper" to the skeptic. The schedule was not the making of the present head coach, Blanton Collier, but was inherited from Texas-assone "Bear" Bryant. Not a great deal of material was left behind with which to build a team capable of handling the chores demanded by such a schedule ard, as if this were not enough, this will be Coach Collier's first year at the U.K. grid helm.

As one of the southern papers aptly put it, "he's jumping in deep water right off the mark. The major inheritance left him . . . was the league's toughest conference schedule." This newspaper did not take into consideration non-conference foes, but that certainly would only strengthen Kentucky's claim to the "toughest schedule" title.

How tough will it be? Right off the bat there's last season's national champion Maryland, who'll be a prime choice for the title again this year. Some powerful back and bruising linemen, well-experienced under team substitution plan in '53, move into graduation gaps and many say you wouldn't know last year's second stringers from the first.

Along about mid-season, Georgia Tech's Sugar Bowl Champion crew will provide the competition. Coach Bobby Dodd reputedly will have another top notch team in '54 and the finger already has focused on the Ramblin' Wrecks, as probable SEC titlists. Other conference toughies will include Auburn, Ole Miss, and Tennessee.

Everyone knows the Vols are going to have long memories about how the old "Beer Keg" sojourned in the Bluegrass state for the winter for the first time since 1935. Auburn's Plainmen are tabbed as a "coming" outfit that could be a darkhorse in both the SEC and national picture. Ole Miss has the best fullback in the South in Bobby McCoil and must be considered one of the best teams in the SEC.

That's just a sampling of the "suicide slate." There's more trouble in it than that, but then there is another saying too: "Hope springs eternal within the human breast."

A bit of freshness on the old-age matter of the bachelor and attitudes of high school students has been made available to educators and school administrators in Kentucky.

It came in the form of the summer issue of the Bulletin of the Bureau of School Service at the University of Kentucky. Of course the decision on the actual validity of the publication rests with Kentucky teachers, but parts of the booklet no doubt will offer encouragement to those concerned by the continued cries of juvenile delinquency and such.

Title of the publication, prepared by Dr. Ellis F. Hartford of the UK College of Education, is "Emphasizing Values in Five Kentucky Schools." It was published in connection with the program on moral and spiritual values in education, being conducted by the University, in co-operation with the State Department of Education, the four state colleges and the University of Louisville.

In one section of the booklet, while commenting on surveys conducted in 1953, Dr. Hartford declares:

"Factual material and a bit of data do scant justice to the fresh and encouraging outlook which the typical 1953 senior displayed in face-to-face conferences and meetings. Something in the way of a renewed confidence in high school youth should be recovered by many lay and educational leaders today."

Presented along with interpretative comments throughout, the bulletin were tables and charts which revealed results of carefully planned surveys in Kentucky high schools. Among these was a table listing actions and attitudes which seniors at one school considered as wrong.

Some of these, listed with the percentage of students who cited them as wrong, follow:
Drinking, 59 per cent; profanity, 39.1; cheating, 28.2; lying, 23.9; selfishness, 23.9; reckless driving, 15.3; snobbish, 13.1; non-cooperation, 13.1; harmful gossip, 13.1.

RENO—Aly Khan may fly to the Lake Tahoe region to see his former wife Rita Hayworth and his 4½ year-old daughter Yasmin, while attorneys go to work in earnest on a financial settlement for his daughter's support.

Mrs. Turner, One of Kentucky Authors To Be Represented in New Anthology Of Regional Writers' Fiction, Verse

The first regional paper-back volume of new writing to be published in the United States, will be released by Morehead State College on July 26, the date the third Writers' Workshop is scheduled to open. And a Floyd county woman—Mrs. Virginia Casey Turner, wife of County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner—will be one of the authors represented in its pages.

The volume, "Kentucky Writing," is a collection of new stories and poems by Kentucky authors and is to be sold in drug and book stores throughout the state.

Editor of the collection is James McConkey, associate professor of English at the college and director of the annual workshop.

Primary purpose of "Kentucky Writing" is to offer an outlet for outstanding prose and poetry written by Kentuckians. Although the majority of contributors will achieve first publication in the volume, work of such well-known authors as Jesse Stuart,

Hollis Summers, Janice Holt Giles and Joe Cleason will appear.

The Morehead Writers' Workshop, in the first two years of its operation, discovered enough talented authors to make the venture practicable, McConkey said. Authors who are published in "Kentucky Writing" and who attended the third Morehead Workshop will be honored at the banquet bringing the conference to a close. The two-week Workshop, with a staff headed by Pulitzer Prize-winning poet, Robert F. Tristram Coffin, will end Aug. 6.

Other authors to be published in "Kentucky Writing" are: Sylvia Auxier, Pikeville; Wendell Berry, New Castle; Robert Collier, Ashland; Chad Drake, Berea; Ann Felix, Ashland; Clavia Goodman, Paris; Virginia Hendrick, Hardinsburg; Jesse Hogg, Whitesburg; Patrick Madden, Lexington; William Martin, Ripley, Ohio; Wendell H. Maynard, Clifford; W. W. Pemble, Lexington; Albert Stewart, Vest; and Donald L. Weisman, Lexington.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

By James Taylor Adams

STRANGE SCRAP OF PAPER

Sidney Edwards looked up from the bird that he was carving. "I've heard them tell of a boy who could neither read nor write. He went down to town one day and was walking along Main street when a woman, walking just in front of him, dropped a scrap of paper. Being curious, the boy picked it up and called to the woman, intending to return it to her, but she had disappeared in the crowd."

"The scrap of paper had some writing on it. The boy was curious to know what it said. So he took it to the policeman on the corner. The policeman looked at the paper and then at the boy. 'I should run you in,' he said, 'for carrying this around.' And he handed it back to the boy."

"Well, that made the boy more determined than ever to know what the writing on the paper was. So he headed back up the hollow, trying to think of somebody who would read it for him. He arrived at the watermill. The old miller was a good reader and a friendly fellow. He'd read it for him. So he stopped by the mill and showed the paper to the old miller. The old fellow took one look and just flew all to pieces. Told the boy that he had a notion of getting a hickory and limbing him for packing papers like that around, showing them to people."

"The boy was more puzzled than ever. Wanted to know what the paper said more and more. Just before he got home, he met up with

the preacher. Now he thought, here's a man who will read my paper for me, without cutting up about it. So he went with the scrap of paper and handed it to the old preacher, asking him what it said. The old preacher took a look; his face turned red; and he went on to the boy a sight in the world.

"Well, the boy was almost crazy to know what the paper said. But none of his family could read a word of writing; none, but his brother in the army. There was nothing for him to do but wait till his brother came in on a furlough. When he finally arrived, the boy, who had found the paper, took him around behind the house and told him that he wanted him to do something for him; that nobody else would do. His soldier brother said, 'All right. Any time. What is it?'

"So the boy rammed his hand in his pocket to get the paper, and he'd lost it."

TOKYO—A 19-year-old striking silk firm employe walked to his death in front of an onrushing express train at Atami. Zenzuro Nakamura left behind a suicide note, complaining of a "calloused, harsh" management and "suffering" workers at the OMI Silk Spinning Co.

Basel, Switzerland—Jewish leaders from four continents convened here to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the death of Zionist pioneer Theodor Herzl.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College

Bowling Green, Ky.

"NAMESAKES"

Dr. Louise Found, emerita professor of English at the University of Nebraska, has done a lot of work with names, especially as they have been borne by students at her university. She has liked the odd names, the made-up names that many bear. Father and Mother wanted their first child to share their names; sometimes an actual double name made up of the Christian names of the two would be ridiculous enough, but the fond parents went nature one better by concocting a new name; with parts of the two parents' names woven fantastically together. And such names as resulted! But, here is something funny that we all know; any name ultimately seems to belong to the one who has inherited it. And that reminds me of the various namesakes of people, great and small, that I have known.

In looking over some enrollment cards today, I found George Dewey Johnson, Jr. I felt pretty ancient, for it was not too far back, as calendars go, that one out of a dozen of my young men students would be named Dewey, for the famous hero of Manila Bay, away back in 1898. Now it is a junior; time marches on. I first became conscious of naming people for famous persons along about the time of the Spanish-American War; hence my noticing George Dewey, Jr. Other great names along then were Richard Pearson Hobson, the great kissing soldier of that war; Schley, the naval officer who crossed swords in popularity and nearly otherwise with Sampson; Theodore Roosevelt, who later had an even greater flock of namesakes after he wielded the Big Stick and became one of our most picturesque Presidents. And then I kept on noticing this tendency; I wonder whether the great ones were flattered by their namesakes. Come to think of it, my name was from a great Civil War man, who was a great soldier and later a great healer of wounds between North and South. It was the later activity of his that gave me my name, for I was not born during or immediately after the Civil War, I assure you.

Now, here is a bit of folk custom about names that has amused me since my childhood. Not only the great world or national figures had their namesakes; even the local celebrities got their fair share of honor. One old fellow in my home county, ran for office over and over, but never was elected jailer, but all over the county, including Fidelity, people named their youngsters for him. At one time I was in school with two of his namesakes and knew another one or two of an older crowd when the perpetual candidate was just starting out on his political career. I fear that the namesakes that I knew were, mentally, at least, not any great honor to the runner-for-office.

My father, the country doctor, had many strange compliments paid him, one of them that children were named for him. Often that was his only reward. Since his name was Marquis, everybody called him Dr. Mark Wilson. His namesakes, usually from the other side of the thicket or the swamp, were just plain Mark, pronounced nasally. We never lost an opportunity to tease Father about his illustrious name as it was borne by all and sundry.

Our colored friends sometimes went us one better; they named a boy a girl's name, or vice versa. One family that I knew seemed to lack inventiveness. Their first child was a boy; they named him George. They hoped the next one would be a girl, he wasn't, but they had already selected Cassie Ann as a name, and that is what he was named, for his mother. However, to save appearances, he was called Bud.

We used to laugh at the strange names that Indians gave their children, names suggested by something first seen by the father, when he looked out of the wigwag when his child was born: Johnny Rolling-Snake, Betty Antelope. Well, how much improvement have we made over this primitive way of saddling forever on a helpless infant some name that will cause headache or bloody noses. "Come here, Percival and tell the man what your name is."

70th ANNIVERSARY
 NEW YORK — The 70th anniversary of France's presentation of the Statue of Liberty to the United States was commemorated at Bedloe's Island—site of the historic symbol. "Freedom day" proclamations were issued by Gov. Dewey and Mayor Wagner.

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73.6 miles resurfaced, 41 miles ditched and 23 structures repaired. Structures include bridges and culverts.

Statewide totals were 12,820 miles obligated for assistance, 59,525 miles graded, 6,108 miles resurfaced, 5,441 miles patched, and 2,130 structures repaired.

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DAVID TROOP ATTENDS CAMP



Scouts who attended Scout Camp during the summer season report the finest camping experience that they have ever had. A well-trained staff under the leadership of Jack Hodge administered the program.

Those attending from David are: Back row—Glen Deboard, John Deboard, Melvin Prater, Eddie Davis, Ronald Hager, Tommy Harmon; second row—Scoutmaster Ray Stambaugh, Tommy Dawson,

Ralph Wells, Tommy Compton, Chuck Wiechers, Tommy Castle, front row—Randall Honeycutt, Dexter Music, James Hager, Rex Music, Ken Deboard.

FRAUD WATCH IS REQUESTED

Wine Warns Election Is On Federal Level In Race for Congress

PIKEVILLE—Democratic Congressional Candidate James Wine this week said he has asked the proper authorities to watch for possible vote fraud incidents and "tampering with ballots" in the primary election August 7.

The candidate said he is also asking his supporters to be on the watch for irregularities at the polls. "I think it is necessary to remind certain persons," said Wine, "that this is a federal election and that the proper authorities have been asked to watch the counting of votes and also the activities in various areas both before and during the casting of ballots."

"It is reported authoritatively," Wine declared, "that in certain places in the Seventh Congressional District there are persons who have implicated themselves in vote frauds in the past elections and have never been prosecuted for their actions."

Wine said there would be no difficulty in being specific as to persons and places.

"Those elections," he continued, "were on a state or county level and the federal government was not involved. The primary race next month is a federal race and the 'fixers' won't have the usual protection they receive from their political machine."

FOUR-MONTH OLD TWIN IS VICTIM, SUNDAY

Sharon Fannin, four-month-old daughter of Southie and Margie Powers Fannin, died Sunday at her home on Siler's Creek. Surviving besides the parents are a twin sister, Karen, and one brother, Garry Lee.

Funeral services were held at the home of her grandfather James Powers, the Rev. Grover Fannin officiating. Burial was made in the Auxier cemetery under direction of Moore Funeral Home.

FACE PROSECUTIONS

NARABOO, Wis. — District Attorney Harlan Kelley said 20 Wisconsin companies face possible prosecution for making contributions to the "Joe-Must-Go" club that failed in its attempt to effect the recall of Sen. McCarthy. Kelley already has issued criminal informations against three Milwaukee firms on charges that the contributions to the anti-McCarthy movement violated a state law.

Judge Hill had decided the special tax would remain valid, whether merger is accomplished by negotiation between the boards, by order of the State Board of Education, or by act of the Legislature. The Court of Appeals found that he tried to cover too much ground. Judge Duncan, therefore, restricted validity of the special tax to merger by negotiation of the boards inasmuch as that is the method now being used.

The City Board at its meeting Tuesday evening set the tax rate as follows:

Property, \$1.50 per \$100 valuation; 35c school building voted tax; 40c per \$100 worth of bank shares, and \$2 for poll.

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LOUISVILLE — Dr. Anthony E. Coletti, a staff physician at Mendota State Hospital, Madison, Wis., became clinical director of Central State Hospital at nearby Lakeland.

CHICAGO — Adlai E. Stevenson departed on a tour of the Pacific Northwest and Alaska expected to last six weeks.

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Allen Boy on Vacation Lands Heavy String
 Larry Douglas Short, 13, Allen, vacationing in Sarasota, Florida recently went out in the Gulf of Mexico for an all-day deep sea fishing trip. He came back with a fine catch of seven fish, almost too heavy for him to lift. The fish were red and black grouper, fine eating fish.

COLUMBUS—The office of State Auditor J. Rhodes announced it had started an investigation into the "mysterious disappearance" of more than \$3,000 in Columbus Police Department funds.

Community Meetings

CARL D. PERKINS FOR CONGRESS

Hear Carl D. Perkins and others discuss the issues in his campaign for Congress at the times and places listed below—

Friday	July 16	7:00 p.m.	Harold, Ky.
Monday	July 19	7:00 p.m.	Antioch, Ky.
Tuesday	July 20	7:00 p.m.	Hi Hat, Ky.
Wednesday	July 21	7:00 p.m.	Mare Creek.
Thursday	July 22	7:00 p.m.	Allen, Ky.
Friday	July 23	7:00 p.m.	Wheelwright Junction
Monday	July 26	7:00 p.m.	Bull Creek.
Tuesday	July 27	7:00 p.m.	Ivel, Ky.
Wednesday	July 28	7:00 p.m.	Maytown, Ky.
Thursday	July 29	7:00 p.m.	Drift, Ky.
Friday	July 30	7:00 p.m.	Garrett, Ky.
Monday	Aug. 2	7:00 p.m.	Prater, Ky.
Tuesday	Aug. 3	7:00 p.m.	Abbott, Ky.
Wednesday	Aug. 4	7:00 p.m.	Betsy Layne.
Thursday	Aug. 5	7:00 p.m.	McDowell.
Friday	Aug. 6	7:00 p.m.	Wayland, Ky.

REMEMBER THESE DATES AND PLACES

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Lexington, Ky., July 21—Retail gasoline prices for most major brands in Lexington today were up 3 cents a gallon to 29.9 for regular and 32.4 for premium. The prices were about 2 cents below the level preceding a price war which began last month.

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Last week we asked the supporters of the present congressman to show his record to the people. To show the people one thing he has done for the people of the Seventh Congressional district. This has not been done. Therefore we will try to show the people the record, so they may better decide how to vote from the record.

The main issue in this campaign is this: WHAT HAS BEEN DONE BY THE PRESENT CONGRESSMAN IN WASHINGTON IN THE PAST SIX YEARS?

1. WHAT HAS BEEN DONE: Has he passed any bills which would benefit our district? NO.

Has any appropriation been authorized through the efforts of the present congressman to aid this district? NO. Every congressional district in Kentucky except the 7th district has been blessed with an appropriation. WHY CAN'T WE GET SOMETHING?

It is time some action come out of Washington. WE NEED ACTION NOT PROMISES, PROGRESS NOT POLITICS.

2. LOOK AT THE RECORD!

We hear every day that the STATE MACHINE is backing the present congressman. WHY? The state machine and the courthouse crowd—the same old gang singing the same old song "What's good for us is good for the people." What has the crowd in Frankfort done for us? They think they can send state workers out and tell the people how to vote. It seems to us that since the people pay these men they ought to be working and not politicking. The state Administration has passed the following laws—Have they helped our people?

1. They passed the OLD AGE LIEN LAW—this law robs our old people of their property before they can get their pension. Is this law fair?

2. They have raised our tax assessment at a time when we need help—not to pay more into the pot in Frankfort.

3. They vetoed the gas bill which killed any chance for small towns to give cheaper gas to its citizens.

4. They passed the DOG BILL, which will benefit the big Bluegrass farmer. This law will have all our dogs killed or license them. The slogan is "Tag old Tige boys. They want your money."

Does this look like the boys in Frankfort are for us? They want to dominate us, and through the boys in the courthouse, strangle any opportunity to better our lot.

Nothing has been done for us either from Washington or Frankfort. The people are tired of promises. We have been USED, CONFUSED, AND ABUSED LONG ENOUGH. The people are tired of having our congressman dominated and controlled. We want our chance for progress.

James Wine will represent all the people. He is young, intelligent, and will give us the kind of LEADERSHIP we need and deserve. He will be your kind of Congressman. Now is the time to fill the chair in Congress that has been vacant for the last six years. Vote for POSITIVE LEADERSHIP—VOTE FOR JAMES WINE FOR CONGRESS.

Floyd County Wine Campaign Committee

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miles; the Rock Creek road from the Floyd county line extending southwest up Rock Creek, 1.1 miles; the Wilson Creek road from Ky 80, 1 mile southwest of Maytown, extending up Wilson Creek, 1 mile.

The Adams Construction Corporation, Paintsville, was awarded a construction contract on these Floyd roads on its low bid of \$77,593.85.

Bituminous surface on the Prestonsburg-Harold-Amba road, from US 23 at Harold to Betsy Layne-Ligon-Clear Creek Junction road, one section from Banner-Prater Creek-Harold road to a point 500 feet south of Mud Creek Bridge, 4.7 miles; the second section from Ky 122 at Clear Creek Junction and extending in a northerly direction, 4.5 miles; a total distance of 10 miles.

TALKS TO AID COAL MINING

Is Prediction Offered By Fine, Who Praises Interest of Wetherby

The Governors' Fuel Conference, of which Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby is a member of the Executive Committee, has "opened the way for a program that will return the coal industry to a vigorous level of production," Chairman John S. Fine, of Pennsylvania, said Wednesday in appraising last week's meeting at Bolton Landing, N. Y.

"The interest shown by Governor Wetherby and the chief executives of other coal producing states at our special meeting is catching on among the governors of state outside coal areas," Governor Fine declared. "They are coming to recognize the importance to the national security as well as to the economic welfare of at least one-fourth of the states of the Union."

Governor Fine pointed out that while Kentucky is producing approximately 60 million tons of coal annually at the present time, far greater tonnages will be required to supply the nation's needs in the years ahead. He said that the 59 billion tons of coal still to be mined in Kentucky will provide a "substantial part" of the energy which will be required.

"The coal industry will grow in importance," Governor Fine continued. "Our problem is to prevent it from deteriorating during periods such as we are experiencing now."

Among the resolutions passed at the Conference last week was a recommendation for a Congressional study of the nation's fuel sources and their importance to the national security. The Conference also recommended that governors, senators, and representatives of coal-producing states meet in Washington immediately after the opening of the next session of Congress. Another resolution called for the formation of conferences within the states to implement the governors' program.

Mrs. W. M. Sexton, Sr. Is Heart-Attack Victim At Garrett Home, Sunday

Mrs. Martha Huff Sexton, 71 years old, widow of W. M. Sexton, died at 5:15 a. m., Sunday at her Garrett home, the victim of a heart attack following an illness of three years. Mr. Sexton preceded her in death four months ago.

A daughter of William and Oma Triplett Huff, she was a native of this county where she spent her entire life. Mrs. Sexton was a member of the Stone Coal Baptist Church and was one of her community's best women.

Surviving are her sons, William Sexton, Jr., Irvine, Ky., Lester Sexton, of Lackey, Willard, Edgill and Bert Sexton, Columbus, O., and Leonard Sexton, of Garrett. She leaves one brother, Robert Huff, of Miami, Fla., and three sisters, Mrs. Dot Martin and Mrs. Susan Patton, both of Hueysville, and Mrs. Lizzie Reed, of Wayland.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the Stone Coal Baptist Church by the Revs. Marion Chaffins, Alex Coburn and Raymond Howard. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Hueysville, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

Parents invariably do a poor job of teaching their youngsters to drive a car, according to Amos E. Neyhart in the current Reader's Digest. A recent study of the driving records of 1500 young people who were taught to drive by their parents disclosed that they were involved in three times as many traffic accidents and violations as an equal number who learned in high school.

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Toler's Creek — Virgil Hamilton, Willard Hamilton, Walk Salsbury, Luther Conn.

Maytown — Hollie Conley, Lula Martin, Arnold Cassidy, Rhomer Osborne.

Lackey — Millard Allen, H. D. Bentley, Gordon Collins, Bill Terry.

Ivel — Wallace Lewis, Halleck Hamilton, Ab Rice, John Burchett.

Jack's Creek — Tilden Jones, Johnny Jones, Levi Johnson, I. E. Johnson.

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Arkansas — Sol Samons, Newt Sammons, Jesse Lafferty, Hie Click.

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New Allen — Ted Akers, Boone Hall, Evelyn Conn, Russell Wallen.

Sizemore — Wayne Stumbo, Milt Little, Roy R. Denny, Morgan Howell.

Gearheart — Troy Morgan, D. Morgan, Silas Bryant, Woodrow Dye.

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Mrs. Annie Mayo Keel Victim at Louisville After 15-Year Illness

Mrs. Annie Mayo Keel, 70 years old, formerly of Dock, died July 14, in a Louisville hospital following an illness of 15 years.

Member of a prominent Floyd county family, she was born in Prestonsburg Nov. 8, 1875, a daughter of the late Judge P. and Lydia Spradlin Mayo.

Mrs. Keel, was the first postmaster at Dock, a position she held for 25 years. She also operated the Annie Keel Mercantile Company for a number of years, but was forced to retire because of ill health.

She was first married to Henry B. Langley, a brother of the late Congressman John W. Langley, and to this union was born one daughter, Mrs. Mary Langley Kirk, of Paintsville, with whom she made her home for the past several years.

After Mr. Langley's death, she was married to John D. Keel, of Pikeville, and to this union were born two children, Mrs. Irene Anderson, of Dock and Samuel H. Keel Mishawaka, Ind. Mr. Keel died in 1928.

In early life, she became a member of the Methodist Church. She was a devout Christian.

Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery at Paintsville.

Retired C&O Foreman, Millard McGlothen, 79, Is Victim of Stroke

Millard (Mac) McGlothen, retired C. & O. track foreman, died Monday at 4:10 p. m., at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, after an illness of two weeks. Seventy-nine years old, he was the victim of a paralytic stroke.

An employee of the railway company for 53 years, he moved to this county from Winchester in 1928, and since that time had resided at Printer. He was a member of the Christian Church for many years. He was a son of the late Edward and Lizzie McGlothen.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Kate Swartz McGlothen, and the following children: Russell, of Winchester; Morton, St. Mary's, O.; Hobert, Martin; Charles, at home; Mrs. Ora May Allen, of Martin; Mrs. Ada Osborne, Printer; Mrs. Mildred Halbert, St. Mary's O. One son, James (Mac) McGlothen, was killed in the Luzon Islands during World War II in 1945. Other survivors include one brother, Robert, of Middletown, O., 22 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at the home at Printer. Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery near Prestonsburg, under direction of Turner Funeral Home.

District 11, K.S.A.R.N. Meets at Hospital Here

The Kentucky State Association of Registered Nurses, District 11, met July 8 at the Prestonsburg General hospital, with Mrs. Bill Ackerman acting as hostess to the group. The following guests enjoyed a social hour before dinner was served them by the Prestonsburg nurses:

John Arms, Jack Hoppe, of Baxter laboratories, Pete Petry, Bill Crosswell, of American Hospital Supply, Arthur Witzleben, of Chicago, Dr. Charles Polin, of Huntington, Dr. Preston, of Paintsville, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer, Prestonsburg, John M. Stumbo, Ted Guglia, John Hill, Howard DeHaven, with County Health Dept., Miss Anna Price Sheets, of Bluefield, W. Va., Miss Virginia Hines, with the Cumberland Field Station, Mrs. Geneva Connelly, Mrs. Fred Meece, Mrs. Nellie Solleski, Mrs. Francis Murray, all of Pikeville, Mrs. Lula Bell Akin, Mrs. Angie Sammon, Mrs. Betty Stambaugh, Mrs. Fannie Blankenship, Mrs. Bill Tom Blankenship, Miss Mary E. Preston, Miss Kathleen Van Hoose, all of Paintsville, Mrs. Wm. Callihan, Mrs. Robert M. Sirkle, Mrs. Regina Mayo, Mrs. Ruth Whitmore, Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Charles A. Wiechers, Mrs. Bill Ackerman, all of Prestonsburg.

Preceding the business meeting, John M. Stumbo, sanitarian with the local health department, showed three films from the Baxter Laboratories on the latest intravenous treatments and one from the American Medical Association.

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Bailey Conley and the following sons and daughters: Bert and Monroe Conley, both of Garrett, Dalton Ray Conley, with the armed forces in Germany, Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. John Campbell, both of Garrett, Mrs. Robert Byers, Lexington, Ky., Mrs. W. E. Trojan, Cincinnati, O., and Miss Beva Rhea Conley, of Garrett. He also leaves three brothers and four sisters, Virgil and Rebel Conley, both of Garrett, Shelby Conley, Columbus, O., Mrs. Epp Collins and Mrs. Pete Chaffins, both of Wheelersburg, O., Mrs. Carlton Stone, of Pippasaw and Mrs. Robert Delaney, Jamestown, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. Tom Sutton and Henry Mullins at 2:30 p.m. today (Thursday), and burial was made in the Conley cemetery at Hueysville under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

DEWEY GETS BLACK BASS

1,000 Fingerling Added This Week; Biologist Reports on Findings

The black bass population of Dewey Lake was increased today (Thursday) by exactly 1,000 when employees of the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources released that number of largemouth fingerling in the impoundment.

Ellis Carter, department biologist who is conducting the fish study at the lake this year, said 400 bass fingerling were released in streams of the county.

Mr. Carter said that while the study he is making is as yet inconclusive and must not be considered otherwise, he thinks the bass situation at Dewey is "fairly good." In fact, he pointed out, the biologists have been more successful in finding bass there than carp, a species some think populate the lake in great numbers.

Despite the fact that the biologists baited the areas where their nets were placed, they have succeeded in thus trapping only 50 carp. At the same time they netted 75 bass.

This year's spawn of all fish varieties in the impoundment are too small to be netted, so population samplings have been made by poisoning three widely separated areas. In all three only one one-inch carp was found, Carter said. The bass spawn this year is good, he added.

Crappie are plentiful, but the biologists are concerned about the apparent failure of this species to grow as it should. Scale samples of these are being taken to determine their age. Bluegill are too numerous.

Fishing at the lake is slow, as in all other impoundments at this season. The most sensational of recent catches was the 36-inch Great Northern pike caught on a minnow by Mrs. Arthur Goble.

Biologists had previously netted a large Northern. Although it has been established that some of these fish which were released in Dewey last year have survived, the biologists have found no indication that they have ever spawned. Nor have they found any spawn of the white bass released in the lake this spring.

The study of Dewey Lake fish will continue till November. After that, with all the data in the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources hopes to know the Dewey Lake story and exactly how to continue it to a happy ending.

BIG COAL CONSUMER
T.V.A. steam plants which burned 4.4 million tons of bituminous coal for the fiscal year 1953, will burn annually more than 18.6 million tons after completion of plants now under construction. One plant with estimated annual coal consumption of 2 million tons was scheduled for completion in July. Three plants with estimated annual consumption of 11 million tons are due for completion in 1955, with two using coal at the annual rate of 2.5 million tons to be finished in early 1956.

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FOR SALE—14 ft. boat, equipped with windshield, steering wheel, padded seats and 16 h.p. motor. \$400.00. Mrs. W. G. Stiles, Phone 3691, Prestonsburg. 7-15-21-pd.

WANTED TO RENT—2 or 3 bedroom house in or near Prestonsburg. Call Charles Halfhill, Phone 7371, Prestonsburg. 7-15-21.

FOR RENT—4-room apartment, good closet space, wired for electric stove. Over Peerless Auto Store on South Lake Drive. Phone 4042, John D. Collins. 7-15-31.

FOR SALE—The Floyd Goble farm and home near Lancer. 11 rooms with bath. Barn, poultry house, other outbuildings. All utilities. See Mrs. Floyd Goble, Goble's Cafe. 7-15-41.

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FOR SALE—One 5-room and one 4-room house with bath. 2 lots. On South Highland Avenue, Prestonsburg, Ky. Mrs. Minnie Clark, Phone 3936. 7-15-41.

FOR SALE—The acre of ground belonging to the Old Abbott Methodist Church. Contact Superintendent, 2614 Lynwood, Ashland, Ky. 7-22-21.

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TEEN-AGERS TO BROADCAST, SUNDAY



The Patsy Teen-Agers will be heard over Radio Station WPRT, Prestonsburg, Sunday from 2:45 till 3:15 p.m., it was announced this week.

Organized four years ago, the Teen-Agers are sponsored by Princess Elkhorn Coal Company

as a part of its youth program. Children of Princess Elkhorn employees form the group which is under the direction of Mrs. Kathryn S. Frazier, of Prestonsburg.

The Teen-Agers have given concerts in several cities and

have appeared on numerous radio and television programs. Their program next Sunday will be made up of folk and popular songs recorded at a concert the Teen-Agers recently gave in Cincinnati.

MILK SOURCES ARE 95% SAFE

6 Dairies Rate Grade 'A', Health Department Says; Milk Dangers Are Cited

Ninety-five percent of this county's marketable milk supply is from safe, pasteurized sources, the Floyd County Health department announced this week. Listed as supplying both Grade A pasteurized and homogenized milk are the following dairies: Guyan Milk, Huntington, Borden Milk, Huntington, Daniels Milk, Paintsville, Pet Milk, Big Stone Gap, Southern Maid Milk, Bristol, Va., and Chappell's, Hazard.

Each of these milk supplies have been sampled on an average of once each six weeks, John M. Stumbo, sanitarian with the health department said, and is for the grading period ending July 1.

He further stated that while 95% of our milk supply is pasteurized, there still is the problem of protection for the farm producer. The diseases, bovine tuberculosis and brucellosis (Bangs disease) can be passed from the animal to the consumer through the use of unpasteurized milk, and cleanliness is not the only measure of protection to be considered here. "We urge every farm and family cow producer to comply with all measures of protection offered through your County Agent's efforts to get cows tested for tuberculosis and brucellosis," Stumbo continued. "Herschell Tackett, young Prestonsburg attorney, suffered a long, drawn-out illness from undulant fever, which came from drinking milk from a cow with Bangs disease, or brucellosis. This cow was traced down, tested, and destroyed when found to be infected. Mr. Tackett is always glad to warn anyone of what undulant fever is like."

He said that the proposed rates, when applied to estimated sales and expenses in 1955, would produce about \$750,000 additional annual revenue.

Because United Fuel has both retail and inter-state wholesale customers, its costs are allocated between both classes, and the former between Kentucky, West Virginia and Ohio customers. In this case, Mr. Sloan said, the total increased costs are \$53,000,000, with only a minor portion of this allocated to Kentucky retail customers.

United Fuel's application noted that the company is concurrently filing increased rates for its West Virginia retail customers, and has already applied for wholesale rates before the Federal Power Commission.

The company asks that the Kentucky Commission consider its application concurrently with hearings which the West Virginia Commission and Federal Power Commission will hold on rate applications in their jurisdictions. A similar request is being made of the two other Commissions.

Mr. Sloan said concurrent hearings if ordered would develop a joint record, so that the three Commissions may have the opportunity to arrive at a common understanding of United Fuel's problems and to adopt methods of allocating its costs which will be fair to all its customers and to the company and result in reasonable rates.

To show how the proposed rates compare with present rates, company officials offered the following tabulation:

5,000 cubic feet	\$ 2.76	\$ 3.83
10,000 cubic feet	\$ 5.36	\$ 7.46
15,000 cubic feet	\$ 7.96	\$ 11.21
20,000 cubic feet	\$ 10.56	\$ 14.96
25,000 cubic feet	\$ 13.16	\$ 18.71
30,000 cubic feet	\$ 15.76	\$ 22.46

The minimum monthly bill would be upped from \$1.20 to \$1.70.

Mrs. Meade Succumbs At Local Hospital, Victim of Cancer

Mrs. Myrtle Ellen Meade, 56, of Blue Moon, died July 14, at the Prestonsburg General hospital, a victim of cancer. She had been ill three years, critically so for the past three months.

She had for 32 years been a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan Case, her husband, Robert Meade, and the following sons and daughters: Lemuel and Linno Meade, both of Blue Moon, Ransom, of Harold, Woodrow, of Betsy Layne, Misses Mercedes and Almas Meade, both of Blue Moon, Mrs. Tworeta Ratliff, Mrs. June Harvey, Mrs. Rosa Jane Hux, all of New London, Ohio, Mrs. Estella Yates, of Omar, W. Va., Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, of Harold, and Mrs. Siltonie Yates, of Honaker. Also surviving are five brothers, Andrew and Hazel Case, both of Blue Moon, James, of Drift, Hursel and J. B., of New London, Ohio, and three sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Hall, Mrs. Pricie Kidd, both of Honaker, Mrs. Dolly Branham, of Drift.

Funeral services were held at the graveside at 1:30 p.m., Friday, the Revs. Tom Meade and Emory Hall officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery, under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Her survivors include four sons and six daughters, Vernon and Claude Napier, both of Dayton, Ohio, Elmer and Gregory Edwin Napier, both of Garrett, Mrs. Holly Conley, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Gladys Bauer and Mrs. Pauline Carrier, both of Lima, O. Mrs. Emma Gayheart of Eastern, Mrs. Annette Osborne, of Garrett, and Mrs. Glenna Skarqs, Indianapolis, Indiana. Surviving brothers and sisters are Will and John Perkins, both of Hindman, and Mrs. Lyda Tyre, of Indiana.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Wednesday afternoon, it was said at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

SUMMER SESSION
LEXINGTON — A total of 2,345 persons have registered for the summer session. The figure represents an increase of 149 over enrollment for last year's summer school.

EXTEND STATUTE
WASHINGTON — The Senate voted to extend the statute of limitations to make it easier to prosecute any criminal offenders uncovered in the multi-million dollar housing scandals.

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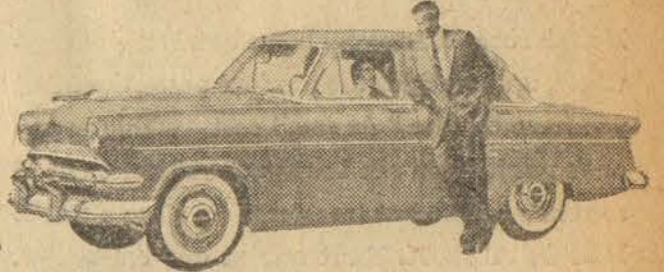
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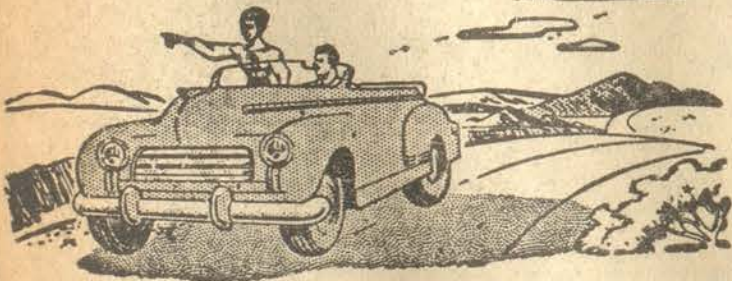
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Widow of Prof. Clark Is Victim at Ashland; Rites Held at Hindman

Mrs. Lucinda Clark, of Hindman, widow of Prof. George Clark, widely known Eastern Kentucky educator, died last Thursday at King's Daughters' hospital, Ashland, of heart disease. She was 79.

Mrs. Clark had been in failing health since suffering a paralytic stroke 15 years ago, but had been critically ill only a day prior to her passing. She was a daughter of Lewis and Margaret Everage Hays and was a member of a prominent Eastern Kentucky family. Her husband, who took education to Hindman in the days when it was a feud-town, died 13 years ago.

Surviving are one son, Bramlett Clark, of Hindman, and three daughters, Mrs. Thelma Small, Hindman, Mrs. Topsy Youngblood, Miami, Fla., and Miss Margie Clark, of Chicago. She also leaves two brothers and a sister, State Senator Doug Hays, of McDowell, Johnny Hays, of Vest, and Mrs. Rachel Stidham, of Jackson.

Her funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon from the Hindman Baptist Church, and burial was made in the Hays cemetery near Hindman.

Mrs. Frank McCoy, Meade county homemaker, made a saving of \$94 over a quoted price when she bought nylon frieze and reupholstered a couch.

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FRIDAY—

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SATURDAY—

Three Shows for Price of One—

"Bomba and the Jungle Girl"

"Duffy of San Quentin"

Lois Hayward, Paul Kelly

"Apache West"

John Wayne

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

TWO SHOWS—

"The Stranger Wore a Gun"

(Technicolor) Randolph Scott, Claire Trevor

"Ghost Chasers"

East End Kids

TUES.-WED.—

TWO SHOWS—

"Steamboat Around the Bend"

Ann Shirley, Will Rogers, Jr.

"No Holds Barred"

Bowery Boys

THURDAY-FRIDAY

"Dreamboat"

Clifton Webb, Ginger Rogers

PRESTONSBURG



THURS.-FRI.—

Double Feature—

"A Lion Is in the Streets"

James Cagney

"Hangman's Knot"

(In Technicolor) Randolph Scott

SATURDAY—

"Saddle Legion"

Tim Holt

"The Veils of Bagdad"

(In Technicolor) Victor Mature

SATURDAY, LATE SHOW—

"The Glass Web"

Edw. G. Robinson

SUN.-MON.—

"The Glenn Miller Story"

(First Run in Technicolor) James Stewart

TUES.-WED.—

"Titanic"

Clifton Webb

KY. SECOND IN RABIES

According to Figures Released; New Vaccine Is Effective 3 Years

The Commonwealth of Kentucky with 1,162 cases of rabies in 1953 had the nation's second highest incidence of this dreaded disease according to figures recently released by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Public health authorities are in general agreement that the only way rabies can be controlled is through a program of mass-vaccination of dogs which are responsible for more than 90 per cent of the rabies cases transmitted to man. Accordingly, Kentucky has made vaccination against rabies compulsory for all dogs as of June 17, of this year.

A relatively new type of vaccine, known as Avianized Vaccine, will be available for Kentucky's anti-rabies drive. Developed by Lederle Laboratories Division, American Cyanamid Company, it is a modified live virus vaccine grown in chick embryos.

Traditionally, many dog owners have been reluctant to have their dogs vaccinated with the older types of vaccine. Their objections have been that paralysis may follow the vaccination and it could be counted on to give only short term immunity to the disease, at best.

However, Lederle's Avianized Vaccine has been used successfully to immunize more than two million dogs to date and it protects upwards of three years.

The outstanding value of this rabies vaccine as an immunizing agent has been demonstrated in the 39 months' study recently reported by United States Public Health Service investigators.

Not a single case of rabies developed when dogs, vaccinated 39 months previously with a single intramuscular injection of Avianized Vaccine were challenged with massive doses of virulent street virus. The same challenge dose killed 86 per cent of the unvaccinated dogs, and 23 per cent of the dogs vaccinated with older types of vaccine.

Despite the high reported incidence of rabies in Kentucky, the figure is regarded as probably only a part of the actual incidence among both wild and domestic animals. Kentucky had 827 cases in dogs, 137 cases in cattle, 64 in foxes and the remainder in other animals. Dog owners who have their pets protected with Lederle Avianized Vaccine will receive a special tag, stamped with the name of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, to be attached to the dog's collar to identify him. In many areas, this tag showing he is immune to rabies will permit him to run at large rather than being on leash or confined.

Body of Hager Scott, 23, Victim of Ohio Accident, Returned To Hueysville

Body of Hager Scott, 23 years old, of Dayton, O., who was killed in an Ohio automobile wreck Sunday, was returned to the home at Hueysville of his parents, Elbert and Mattie Hoover Scott. Details of the tragedy were not learned here.

Mr. Scott was an employee of the Delco Corporation at Dayton. Surviving, in addition to his parents, are the following brothers and sisters: O'Dell, Oney, Tony, Cecil and Billy J. Scott, all of Hueysville, Verlie Scott, Dayton, O., Mrs. Dallas Francis, Paintsville, Misses Goldia, Dorean and Clova Scott, all of Hueysville.

The funeral was conducted from the residence at Hueysville, Wednesday, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Alex Coburn and Ed Moore officiating. Burial in the Allen cemetery was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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FRI, 7:30 p.m.—

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SATURDAY—

Double Feature—

"New Mexico"

Lew Ayres, Marilyn Maxwell

"Suspicion"

Cary Grant, Joan Fontaine

SUNDAY, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.—

"Escape from Fort Bravo"

Wm. Holden, Eleanor Parker

TUESDAY—

Family Night, 80c—

"Guy With a Grin"

James Stewart, Nancy Olson

"Mighty Nineties"

Bud Abbott, Lou Costello

COMING FRI, JULY 30—

"Flight Nurse"

Forest Tucker, Joan Leslie

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The court faces its direst financial predicament in years with claims amounting to a figure somewhere between \$60,000 and \$70,000, and only \$21,000 available for their payment.

County Attorney Hollie Conley last week announced he had called on the court to contract no further obligations this year unless funds to pay them had already been budgeted.

In the instance of one unpaid claim, suit was threatened against the county and against individual members of the fiscal court who had signed a note for the claimholder, who had procured credit at a local bank.

Hope of getting back on firm ground financially lies in curtailment of operations this year, one member of the court said. "This will be unpopular, for it will mean almost nothing done on roads and bridges, but I can see nothing else for us to do," he said.

Labor and all other costs have mounted while tax revenues have not advanced accordingly, is the explanation given for the county's financial straits.

Correct use of Chlorthane, Aldrin and Endrin, insecticides stocked in Clinton county for the first time, was explained to local merchants by UK County Agent D. R. Salisbury.

ALLEN THEATRE

ALLEN, KY.

ADM. ADULTS 40c; CHILDREN 20c

FRI.-SAT., JULY 23-24—

Double Feature—

"Rogue's March"

Peter Lawford, Richard Greene, Janice Rule

"Vigilante Terror"

Wild Bill Elliott, Mary Ellen Kay

SUNDAY, JULY 25—

"Long, Long, Trailer"

Lucille Ball, Majorie Main Desi Arnez, Keenan Wynn

THURSDAY, JULY 29—

"Trader Horn"

From MGM's Hall of Fame

To Conduct Revival Beginning On Sunday

The Rev. Ira McMillen, Jr., pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here, will begin a revival next Sunday at 3 p.m. in a tent located near the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burchett on Cow Creek. It was announced. Thereafter, services will be held nightly at 7:30 until the following Sunday when the revival will close with a meeting at 3 p.m.

The public is invited to these services.

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Loretta Young, Joseph Cotten

SATURDAY—

"The Golden Mask"

(In Technicolor)

Van Heflin, Wanda Hendrix

"The Neanderthal Man"

Robert Shayne, Richard Craine, Joyce Terry

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"The Student Prince"

Ann Blyth, Edmund Purdon, John Ericson

(CinemaScope)

TUESDAY—

"The Fake"

Dennis O'Keefe, Coleen Gray, Hugh Williams

"Man in Hiding"

Paul Henreid, Lois Maxwell

WED.-THURS.—

"Captain Kidd and the Slave Girl"

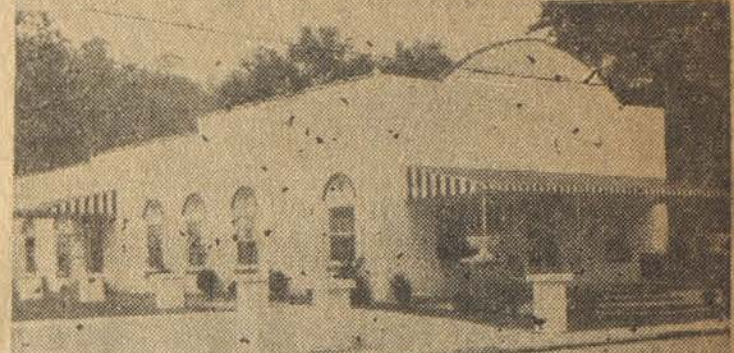
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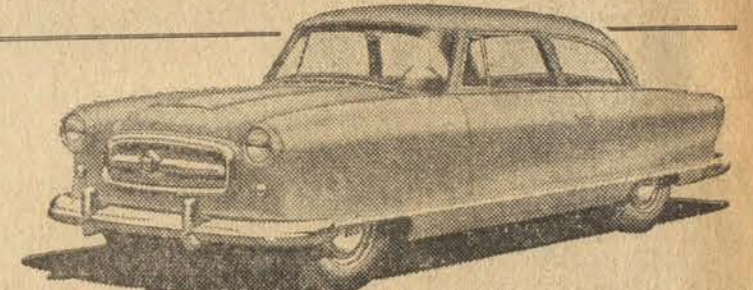


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40 From Floyd Attend U. of K. Sumer School

Forty persons from Floyd county are attending the University of Kentucky during the current summer session, it was announced this week by UK Registrar Robert L. Mills.

They are:

Darwin Hunt and Nelvia Lowe Hunt, both of Allen; Jewell Corrine Castle and William Lloyd Wells, of Auxier; Marion Thacker, Banner; John William Crawford, David; Love Forrest Clark, Drift; Hollie O. Wicker, Eastern; Annis Conley Clark, Homer Draught, Leona V. Fouts and Pollyanna Wiley, Garrett; Crawford Bradley, Hi Hat; Lowell Dean Martin and Robert Mullins, Hueysville; Kenneth Vanlear Miller, Langley; Florence Conley Meade and Foster Meade, McDowell; John Torney Mandt, Mantion; William George Goff, Jr., Martin; Alta Marie Osborne, Osborn; Vyvyan Combs, Jerry A. Hager, Barbara Jane Hale, Palmer L. Hall, Pauline Shepherd, Billy F. Hill, Henry Lewis Mayo, Jr., Lucy C. Regan, Wilmeda Shepherd, all of Prestonsburg; Howard Osborne, James R. Stephens, Price; Patricia S. Decoursey, Woodrow Hall, Richard Meek Harmon, Arthur Douglas Haywood, Mary Ellen Morris and Winford Marvin Morris, all of Wayland; Raymond Cook and Charles Fredrick Curry, Wheelwright.

A total of 2,345 persons registered at the beginning of the UK Summer Session, and several others enrolled later for short courses and workshops.

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By Betty Preatlisch

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Maegard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Francis and children and Ken Hill were picnicking and fishing at Dewey Lake, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skeans and daughter, Linda Kay and Mrs. Mary Skeans were motoring in Kentucky and Virginia, Sunday.

Betty Preatlisch was the Sunday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Black, of Huntington, were visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Skaggs, here this week.

Jack Mandt and a friend, of Lexington, spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt.

Mrs. Cleo Hale has been taken home from Our Lady of the Way hospital and is doing fine.

Millard McClothen is seriously ill in the Beaver Valley hospital. All of his children are home including Russell, of Winchester, Morton and Mrs. Aster Halbert, of St. Mary's, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters and son, Kenneth, and Florence Blitter left this week for an extended vacation trip to Los Angeles, Calif. While there they will visit Mrs. Peters' uncle, Russell Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blitter and son, John Paul, motored to Richmond, Sunday, to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blitter.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Crisp were the Sunday dinner guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snavely, of Prestonsburg.

Sandy Marrs and her parents, of Paintsville, have been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Marrs, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, of Water Gap, were the Sunday evening guests of his aunt, Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Miss Ruth Anderson, of Greenwich, Conn., is a nurse on the staff of Our Lady of the Way hospital, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Taubee Lykens announce the birth of a daughter, Carolyn Lee, born in the Beaver Valley hospital, last week. This is their first child.

Mr. and Mrs. Helton Hall, announced the birth of their son, David Lawrence, in last week's Times—but we left their last name, Hall, out. Sorry.

Sam Halbert celebrated his 89th birthday at his home here Friday, July 16. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caudill, of Morehead, Mr. Halbert's daughter and son-in-law were here for the occasion.

Edd Greer and John Paul Blitter were business visitors in Waverley, Ohio, this week.

Paul Bentley, U. S. N., of Ashland, was visiting friends here during the week-end. He was spending a leave home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bell Bentley, of Ashland.

Dale Gearheart, employed in Ypsilanti, Mich., has been visiting his parents at Eastern, and his sister, Mrs. John Hayes Turnely, in Martin.

Mrs. Howard Huddleston and children have been visiting her parents at their home near Knoxville, Tenn. Her father-in-law, W. O. Huddleston, drove them over.

Prof. M. J. Cox, of the chemistry department of Eastern State College, Richmond, was the week-end guest of Charles Gary Grigsby, at his home here. Charles is the son of mayor and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby. He is taking pre-medical studies at Eastern and is on the honor roll. He is second highest scholastically out of three hundred medical students.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, of Abbott Road, were the Sunday guests here of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Sisco. Donnie Sisco returned home with them and spent the night.

Rudolph Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Howell, underwent an operation in Our Lady of the Way hospital, this week. He is getting along nicely.

Charles Pinson motored to Huntington and took Jane Carol Vincent and Paul Mayo Vincent that far on their way home to Charleston. Their dad, H. H. Vincent, was to meet them there. The children had been here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, Sr., and other relatives.

Out-of-town visitors at Mass Sunday morning, in Our Lady of the Way hospital Chapel, were: Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Sr., of W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Jr. and children, including a new baby daughter, Jane Collins, born in the Paintsville hospital, recently, Mrs. John J. Sherman, of Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johns are leaving for Louisville, to spend a vacation with their children in Fort Thomas, Shelbyville and Charlestown, Ky., respectively. Homer and Betty Swindell are now residing at Shelbyville since Rev. Swindell has accepted a pastorate there. Mrs. Swindell is the former Betty Rose Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Imbergano, of New York city, have been the houseguests of Mrs. Virginia Short and her mother. Mr. Imbergano is a member of the faculty in the Manhattan school of New York. Mrs. Imbergano is a sister of Mrs. Short, and Mrs. Dewey Sargent, of Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Grigsby, Jr.

called from Salt Lake City, Sunday afternoon, to talk to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin. They have visited Yellowstone National Park, St. Anthony, Idaho. At present they are the guests of Elder and Mrs. C. Earl Alsop in Salt Lake City, where they will spend the week and enjoy the annual July 24th celebration given in honor of the Mormon pioneers. They plan to return home in two weeks.

Mrs. Virginia Short is spending a two-week vacation at Virginia Beach, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin and sons, Fete and Marina Grigsby, and children, with Prof. Cox, as guest of honor, enjoyed a picnic and swim at Dewey Lake, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray Shepherd have moved into an apartment in the Allen and Hale Grocery store. Mr. Sheppard is an employee of the store.

Sgt. 1/c William F. (Billy) Skaggs, writes his mother from Paris, France, where he is stationed. "I really like it fine here. It's a beautiful place. So many things of interest to do and see. I've seen lots of people I know. Met several of the boys and girls I used to go to school with. I met Mae Francis (formerly of Martin) the very next night after I got here."

The Mormon Red Sox baseball team will be honored with a private swim party at David swimming pool, Friday, July 23. A chartered bus and private cars will furnish transportation for all who wish to attend. Tickets are now on sale. See Jack Hutchinson, chairman, if you want to buy a ticket and join the fun. This project is sponsored by the Mormon Young People's Association and all proceeds go to pay for baseball equipment. The price per ticket is only \$1.00.

David Grigsby and Buddy Ratcliff went on an excursion to Cincinnati, Ohio to see a double-header baseball game this past week-end.

You parents should come out and see your sons play in the Little League. They are doing a bang-up job, and all that is lacking is a show of interest and co-operation from Mom and Pop. Two games are scheduled for this week. Martin Red Sox vs. Turner Cardinals, Thursday, and Friday, Martin, vs. the Dody Indians. Come out and give them a big hand. This is a worthwhile project and the Mormons and the Kiwanis Club of Martin are to be commended for their interest in our youngsters. We need more of the same from everybody, everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Justice are going on their vacation soon, to visit their son, Charles, who lives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Dingus and son, Charles Doug, and the Grigsby twins, Van and Jan, and their sister, Marena Ann, went to the Paintsville pool for an enjoyable swim party, Sunday afternoon.

Elder and Mrs. M. M. Miller, of Saint Anthony, Idaho, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby, Sunday evening.

Two Perry Co. Men Killed By Electricity, Monday

Hazard, Ky., July 19—Five men suffered electric shock today while working at a drive-in theatre near Hazard, resulting in the death of two of them.

Chester France Lovely, 21, and Willard Combs, 21, both of Perry county, died after a winch cable brushed a 6,900-volt wire.

Robert Fugate, Perry county, was hospitalized with minor injuries. The other men did not require treatment.

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WOMANS CLUB MEETS

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting July 15, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Chandler, with Mrs. Edward Lykins as hostess. Mrs. Lykins, president, presided at the meeting. She presented the Honor Certificate received by the club for successfully completing the requirements as outlined by the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs for the club year ending June 30, 1954.

Mrs. O. J. Williams, delegate to the State Federation of Women's Clubs convention held in Louisville in June, briefly reported on the convention. Mrs. Lykins read a card of appreciation from Mrs. W. P. Howell, expressing her appreciation for flowers and sympathy expressed upon the recent death of her mother.

Plans for Family Night to be held on August 27 were made. Family Night for the families of club members will be an ice cream social held on the lawn at Mrs. Lykins home. Final arrangements will be made at a later meeting.

The main topic of discussion was the outlining of the year book for the new club year beginning September 1. Hostesses were selected as follows: September, Mrs. Elizabeth Prichard; October, Mrs. W. P. Howell, November, Mrs. Edward Lykins, December Annual Christmas Party, Mrs. O. J. Williams and Miss Alice Williams; January 1955, Community Program, February, Mrs. C. H. Dickerson; March, Mrs. T. J. Chandler; April, Mrs. E. P. Davis; May, Mrs. Glenn Blackburn; June, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick. Committees were appointed as follows: Community Welfare, Mrs. Beecher Hardwick and Mrs. T. J. Chandler; Fine Arts, Miss Alice Williams and Mrs. C. H. Dickerson; Press and Publicity, Miss Alice Williams and Mrs. Glenn Blackburn; American Home and Spiritual Values, Mrs. E. P. Davis and Mrs. Elizabeth Prichard; Youth Conservation, Mrs. Glenn Blackburn and Mrs. Edward Lykins; International Relations, Mrs. O. J. Williams and Mrs. W. P. Howell.

The Community Program will be in the Public Welfare Department, with a program planned featuring work done by the Polio Association. Ways and means were discussed, with the club voting to have the first project of the new club year, the selling of Christmas Cards and other items.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Lykins to the following: Mesdames Beecher Hardwick, Glenn Blackburn, T. J. Chandler, O. J. Williams, C. H. Dickerson, Elizabeth Prichard, Miss Alice Williams, the hostess Mrs. Lykins and guests, Mrs. Wm. Humphrey and Mrs. Clyde Blackburn.

The next regular meeting will be Thursday night August 19, at the home of Miss Alice Williams.

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The processes of converting coal into oil and gasoline are now fully established. It is a question only of getting the cost of the synthetic liquid fuels down to a point that will be competitive with the natural products.

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Prestonsburg Board of Education ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

June 30, 1953—June 30, 1954

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like 'Balance on hand, beginning of year', 'From State and per capita apportionment', and 'Grand total, all receipts and balance'.

Bank balance as of June 30, 1954. \$ 14,886.04

JUNE, 1953

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JULY

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SEPTEMBER

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OCTOBER

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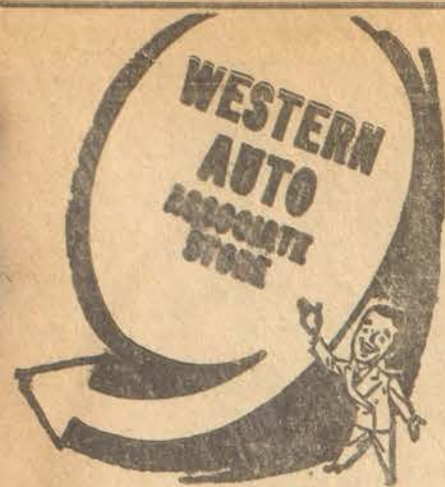
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U.M.W. Hospital Work Resumed At Hazard

Hazard, Ky., July 19—Work on the United Mine Workers Hospital was resumed today after a layoff that resulted from the July 10 dynamiting of a foreman's car.

Eighty construction workers were ordered to cease work when the automobile of general foreman Price E. Cole was dynamited. Cole was out of town at the time.

No arrests have been made in the incident.

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SPORTS CHATTER

By Gordon Moore

The turnout of 230 amateur and 15 professional golfers at the Paintsville Invitational golf tournament shows the tremendous interest in golf in Eastern Kentucky this year. Some 40 Floyd countians entered the 15th annual affair and their play merited considerable attention. Six came home with some of the \$2,000 worth of prizes.

Prestonsburg's Little Leaguers will be guests of the Cincinnati Redlegs at the Pittsburgh-Reds game, Saturday, August 28. Eighty players and four managers have been invited.

Coach Doc Ferrell's Prestonsburg Blackcats open their 1954 football season with Whitesburg, defending E.K.M.C. Champ, September 3. The '54 edition of the 'Cats should be one of the best teams in the school's history. One game is lacking on the schedule, October 29, but is expected to be filled with some central Kentucky team.

The Giants' Willie Mays is six games ahead of Babe Ruth's 1927 home run record pace of 60. Mays hit his 33rd homer Sunday in game No. 89. Ruth didn't belt No. 33 until his 95th game on July 26.

A Times Want Ad is a powerful salesman who works for little pay.

Kentucky-Born Lad, 11, Is Track Vet of 3 Years; Plans To Be Sulky Driver

Laying the groundwork for a career on the racing circuit, an ex-Kentucky lad, now of Wellington, Ohio, is at 11 already a veteran figure in the world of sulkies.

Mike Owsley, youngest exercise boy and helper at the Lorain County Fair Grounds in Wellington, has his future mapped out. "I'll work with horses till I'm 16, then go to sulky school and become a professional driver," he says.

Ever since he was eight and saw a sulky race at the fair, Mike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Owsley, of Wellington, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roby Hughes, of Garrett, has been in love with horses. He became a helper at the track that season.

He spends about eight hours daily at his present job of keeping two trotters in trim, and caring for a small pony. His duties include morning feeding, and currying as well as keeping the stalls clean and exercising his equine charges.

The ex-Little Leaguer has only one qualm: "I don't think I can shoe a horse. But I know the procedure," he adds quickly.

A level-headed youngster, Mike definitely does not plan to become a saddlehorse rider. "I can't get the knack of standing up like a jockey. Besides, it's too dangerous... just one mistake and you might not be able to race again."

"Watching the lad parade 'Snafu', the pony, a veteran observer noted, "See that boy, he'll make a good sulky some day. You just wait and see."

That prediction may well come true.



Shooting the sun with a sextant, a navigation instrument used for pin-pointing the ship's location while at sea, aboard the aircraft carrier USS Siboney is Midn. John T. Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, Sr., of Wheelwright.

USE EXPLOSIVES

West Virginia in 1953 used more than 42 million tons of explosives in mining 132 million tons of bituminous coal.

LITTLE LEAGUE STANDINGS

(Including games through July 19)

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Indians	2	1	.666	½
Yankees	3	0	1.000	—
Dodgers	0	2	.000	2½
Cardinals	0	2	.000	2½

Last Week's Scores

Yankees 13, Dodgers 4.
Indians 11, Cardinals 7.
Yankees 5, Cardinals 4.
Indians 16, Dodgers 9.
Yankees 13, Indians 9 (Protest)

Next Week's Schedule July 26th-29th (All Games 6:45 p.m.)

Monday—Cardinals vs. Yankees.
Tuesday—Dodgers vs. Indians.
Wednesday—Yankees vs. Indians.
Thursday—Dodgers vs. Cardinals.

FROG AT NIGHT

Frogs are most easily obtained at night, partly because they are most abroad then, partly because a bright light blinds and hypnotizes them so that they can be speared, netted or whacked with a paddle.—Sports Afield.

Two Field Men Named For Strip Mining Body

Two field representatives for the new Strip Mining and Reclamation Commission have been appointed and have taken over duties in the Eastern and Western Kentucky coal fields.

Herbert C. Ross will work in the eastern area with headquarters in Hazard, and Brucker Miller will have headquarters in Madisonville for the western area. Commissioner of Conservation Henry Ward, who is also chairman of the new commission, announced. Both men have had wide experience in both mining and reclamation problems, Ward said.

Ross, 41, is a native of the West Virginia coal producing area but has made his home in Eastern Kentucky for the last 22 years and is now engaged in timber and land reclamation operations in Boyd county. He previously was in strip mining business in the Paintsville area.

Both men will work with strip mining companies on reclamation projects under supervision of Orville W. Chinn, director of the Division of the Strip Mining and Reclamation Commission.

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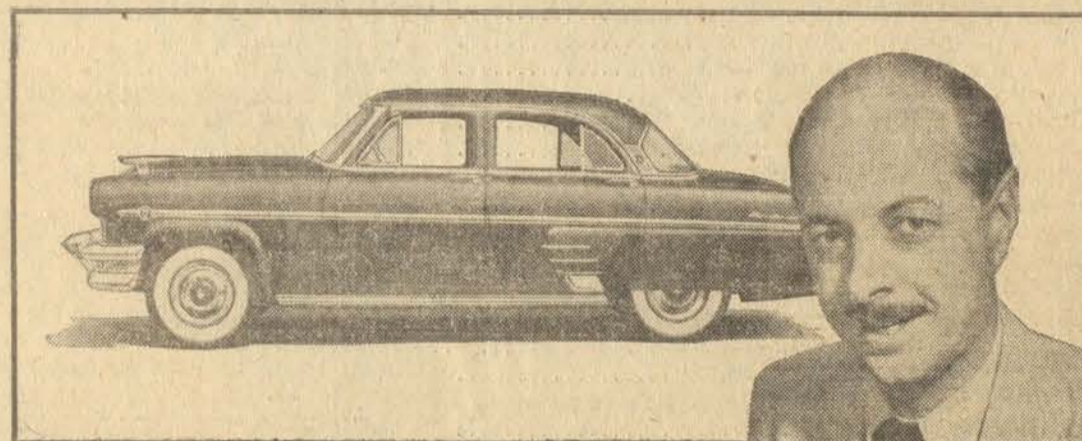
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State Treasury Grosses \$3,000,000 Increase Over '52 Receipts

Frankfort, Ky., July 20—Gross income into Kentucky's Treasury last fiscal year was \$204,428,756 an increase of more than \$3,000,000 above the preceding year's totals, according to the Departments of Revenue and Finance.

General fund income totaled \$74,307,127, compared with \$76,293,220 for the preceding year, while road fund income totaled \$71,133,599, up \$3,400,000 over the previous year. Agency funds were \$58,986,099 for the year.

June collections provided a gross of \$15,780,000, compared with \$16,009,000 for June 1953, with general fund receipts totaling \$4,643,066 as compared with \$6,199,440 for June 1953. Road collections were \$6,909,322, as against \$6,178,037 for June 1953.

The \$2,000,000 drop in general fund collections for the year was caused principally by declines from franchise tax yields and corporation income.

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APRIL, 1954

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MRS. W. J. MAY, Treasurer

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MAYTOWN

United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., Plaintiff vs. NOTICE OF SALE. Rosa A. Floyd, Defendant.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

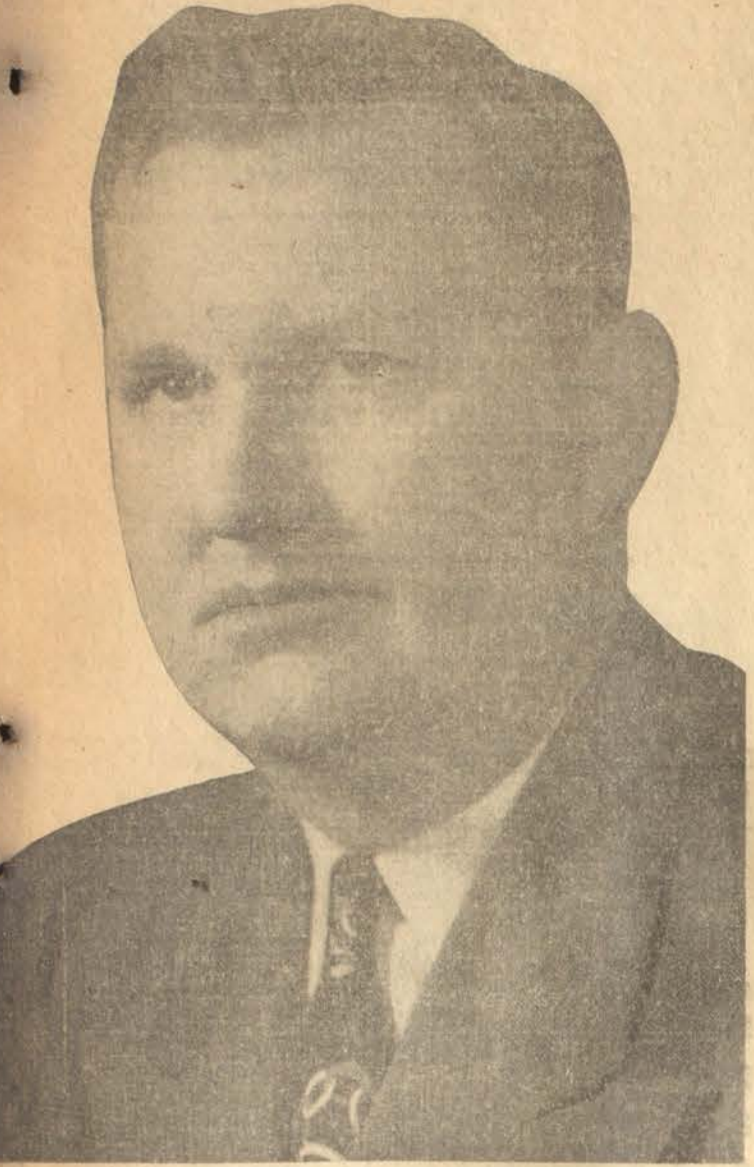
Keiley Development Company, Plaintiff vs. NOTICE OF SALE. George Wright, Defendant.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Notice of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the November term, 1953, in the above styled cause.

Ninth Tract, conveyed to M. C. Anderson by John Hopkins by deed dated Feb. 23, 1926, recorded in Deed Book 82, page 63.

WE SUPPORT CARL D. PERKINS
For CONGRESS



We support Carl D. Perkins for Congress because he has faithfully and conscientiously represented the interests of the people of Eastern Kentucky.

Here are some of the reasons.

His record of attendance at Congressional sessions is unexcelled.

We are for Mr. Perkins because he has led the fight for Federal Aid to Education.

We are for Mr. Perkins because during six years in Congress he has helped to secure greater coverage of employment with higher individual benefits in the social security field.

We are for Mr. Perkins because of his fight against the importation of cheap foreign oil which has reduced the coal markets.

We are for Congressman Perkins because of his interest in the industrialization of the Big Sandy Valley. He fights for Canalization of the Big Sandy Valley and for Locks and Dams to provide an adequate water supply.

Mr. Perkins has sought to relieve unemployment in our area by encouraging the federal government to declare our section a critical labor surplus area, a step in the direction of securing benefits for new industry and government buying of coal. He has secured government surplus commodities for needy persons.

His voting record is 100% for the laboring man, schools and old age assistance.

We are for Mr. Perkins because he is sincere, sober, and accommodating.

- DuRan Moore, Prestonsburg, Floyd County Clerk.
- W. W. Cooley, Prestonsburg, Clerk Floyd Circuit Court.
- Clive Akers, Prestonsburg, County Tax Commissioner.
- Henry C. Hale, Blue River, Farmer.
- Prock Hayes, Prestonsburg, Jailor.
- Earnest Hayes, Langley, Miner.
- Lewis Campbell, Allen, Teacher.
- Jarvis Allen, Prestonsburg, Attorney.
- Paul E. Hayes, Prestonsburg, Attorney.
- A. L. Davidson, Prestonsburg, County Detective.
- Burnis Martin, Prestonsburg, Commonwealth's Attorney.
- W. G. Biggers, Prestonsburg, Public Service Commission.
- Hollie Conley, Eastern, County Attorney.
- John Chris Cornett, Hindman, Circuit Judge.
- A. B. Meade, Prestonsburg.
- Henry Stumbo, Prestonsburg County Judge.
- Jno. Hall, McDowell, Lumberman.
- Jennings Martin, Garrett, Ky., Merchant.
- Hite Martin, Garrett, Dry Cleaning.
- Doug S. Hays McDowell, Senator, 29th District.
- Hillard A. Hall, Hindman, Ky., Engineer.
- Graydon Howard, Merchant, Pyramid.
- Melvin Laferty.
- Riley Hall, Allen.
- Carmen Strahan, Prestonsburg.
- Scott Frasure, Bonanza, Ky.
- Irkey Endicott, Banner, Ky.
- Bill Hall, Betsy Layne, Ky.
- Guy Horn, Ex-Jailor, Prestonsburg.
- Alex H. Spradlin, Prestonsburg.
- J. B. Clarke, Prestonsburg, Attorney.
- Betty Stephens, Teacher, Prestonsburg.
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- Joe P. Tackett, Prestonsburg.
- Manis Conley, Teacher, Prestonsburg.
- Janna K. McKinney, Teacher, Amba.
- E. H. Stumbo, Harold, Ky.
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- Vinson Shepherd, West Prestonsburg, Ky.
- Robert Lewis, Banner, Ky.
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- Frank Lafferty, Sloan, Ky.
- John Burchett, Banner, Ky.
- Ashland Derosssett, Sloan, Ky.
- Earl Samons, Martin, Ky.
- Fred Jarrell, Banner, Ky.
- Dewey Hughes, Risner, Ky.
- Sol Sammons, Allen, Ky.
- John Lee Garrett, Emma, Ky.
- Frank Stephens, Pyramid, Ky.
- J. D. Allen, Printer, Ky.
- Earl Garrett, Banner, Ky.
- Gomer Crisp, Allen, Ky.
- Frank Martin, Jr., Printer, Ky.
- Berlin Osborne, Hite, Ky.
- W. B. Parker, Prestonsburg, Miner.
- Earl Osborn, Ivel, Ky., Miner.
- Nick Damron, Ivel, Ky.
- Chalmer Roberts, Banner, Ky.
- James Damron, Ivel, Ky.
- Bert Conn, Banner, Ky.
- Bill Allen.
- Howard Castle.
- John May, Langley, Ky., Justice of the Peace.
- Joe H. Cooley, Prestonsburg, Auto Dealer.

CLIFF

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel E. Risinger and sons, James and Kenneth returned to their home in Port Arthur, Texas, Thursday, after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best and Stephen Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens were called to Wheelwright last week by the death of her nephew, Charles Blackburn, in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Martha Horne is suffering from a broken arm which she received in a fall on her front lawn, Tuesday. Her brother and sister, Albert and Anna Hibbits, of Tollesboro, Ky., spent the week here with her. Her son, Taylor Horne, also spent several days with her while she was receiving hospital attention.

Mrs. Will Stephens was the all-day guest of Mrs. Wm. Greenwood, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moore and daughters of Schenectady, N. Y., are spending their vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore.

Miss Cynthia Dotson is visiting her brother, Lewis Dotson, on Middle Creek.

Rev. Ira McMillen, Jr., of Prestonsburg, and Rev. A. E. Lacy, of Beaver Dam, Ky., called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best and Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens, Saturday.

Mrs. Celia Hackworth, of Bonanza, spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Will Stephens.

Mr. J. L. May, of Waynesburg, Ky., was the Saturday dinner guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Stephens, and Mr. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Keeney and children, Cheryl Raye and Bucky, returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, Tuesday, after spending several days here with her former college classmate, Mrs. Jack Best.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Lester, and Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Best, of Rose Hill, Ky., were the week-end guests of Mrs. Lester's brother, Jack Best and Mrs. Best.

Mrs. Jennie Horne, of Auxier, and Mrs. Edie George, of Little Paint, are spending the week here, guests of their brothers, John, Tom and Will Stephens.

Sam George is convalescing nicely at his home here after an emergency appendectomy at the C. & O. hospital, Huntington, on July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best and Steve were in regular attendance at the revival at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church during the past week. They are also attending Sunday School and church there each Sunday and are enjoying the fellowship of all very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens were business visitors in Paintsville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bingham and baby daughter spent their vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Vaughan and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bingham, and have returned to their home in Detroit, where Mr. Bingham is employed.

Driver Permit Deadline
Near for Ky. Motorists

Frankfort, Ky., July 22—Less than two weeks remain for some 400,000 Kentucky motorists, whose last names begin with "A" through "K" to obtain their new drivers' licenses. Their present licenses are not valid after July 31.

Circuit court clerks throughout the state report that license renewals are lagging far behind those of previous years.

The fee for the two-year license is \$2. The driver must appear in person at the clerk's office and complete a new application form, or if the license is purchased through the mail, the application must be notarized.

Drivers in the "L" and "Z" name group purchased their licenses last year. They expired July 31, 1955.

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DAVID

Michael, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton, who has been ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital, has returned to his home here, and is much better.

Miss Eulan Fitzpatrick has returned from visiting relatives in Garrett.

Ancil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Langley Patton, is ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Durham had as their guests last week-end their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Durham, of Morgantown, West Virginia.

Ray Stambaugh and family were visiting his mother, Mrs. Martha Stambaugh, at Martin, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall and daughter were visiting relatives in Van Lear, last week.

Robert Fitzpatrick, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Lloyd Hale was in Huntington, Saturday, to consult a doctor.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Durham have returned from a vacation in Washington, D. C., and Morgantown, West Virginia.

Don't take a vacation from God, come to church next Sunday night. Good singing, deep Gospel preaching. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. The David Community Church. Bring a friend with you.

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One Section 25% Off
SUMMER SUITS, reduced 20%
SUMMER TIES, were \$1.50, now \$1.00
Summer SPORTS SHIRTS 1/3 Off
Jantzen BATHING TRUNKS, reduced 20%
DENIM SPORTSWEAR 1/3 Off
STRAW HATS 1/3 Off

DAILY SPECIAL

T-SHIRTS 89c
One rack Summer COATS and SUITS \$14.99

FOR CHILDREN

FOR BOYS— (Tom Sawyer—Jack Tar)
SUMMER SHIRTS 1/4 Off
SUMMER LONG PANTS 1/3 Off
SUMMER SHORT PANTS 1/4 Off
SUMMER SHIRT AND PANTS SUIT, Reduced 1/4
NYLON SPORT SHIRTS \$1.69

FOR GIRLS

SUMMER DRESSES Reduced 1/3
SUMMER PAJAMAS Price Cut 1/3

FOR WOMEN

SUMMER DRESSES Reduced 1/3
SUMMER SHORTS Off 1/3
SUMMER HALTERS Reduced 1/3
Jantzen BATHING SUITS Off 20%
SUMMER BLOUSES 1/3 Off
One Section LINGERIE Reduced 1/3
ALL GIFT ITEMS 1/3 Off
Summer PAJAMAS and GOWNS Reduced 1/3
PEDAL PUSHERS 1/3 Off
SUMMER JEWELRY 1/3 Off
BATHING STOLES \$2.95
SALE SPECIAL—
81x99 SHEETS \$1.99

SHOE STORE

The following prices will be on all SUMMER SALE SHOES for Men, Women and Children.

Women's and Children's		Men's		Florsheim Summer Shoes
WERE	NOW	WERE	NOW	
\$ 2.95	\$2.49	\$ 5.95	\$4.49	WERE NOW \$17.95 \$14.90 \$18.95 \$15.90
\$ 3.95	\$2.99	\$ 6.95	\$4.99	
\$ 4.95	\$3.49	\$ 7.95	\$5.49	
\$ 5.95	\$3.99	\$ 8.95	\$5.99	
\$ 6.95	\$4.49	\$ 9.95	\$6.49	
\$ 7.95	\$4.99	\$10.95	\$6.99	
\$ 8.95	\$5.49	\$11.95	\$7.49	
\$ 9.95	\$5.99	\$12.95	\$7.99	
\$10.95	\$6.49			

ALL SALES
CASH

ALL SALES
FINAL

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Sale Starts Thursday, July 22
Through Saturday, July 31.

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VA Regional Office Sets Up New Measures To Handle G. I. Loans

The tremendous increase in the number of G. I. home loans received by the Louisville Veterans Administration Regional Office in the last few months has brought about new measures to cope with this unprecedented workload, Ray R. Adams, manager of the office, stated today.

Telephone service to the appraisal operation has been restricted to the hours of 1:00-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. This measure alone will allow the application of numerous man-hours to processing loans and appraisals that were formerly used in answering telephone inquiries and searching records for information.

Mr. Adams said that builders, lenders, and veterans who have appraisals or loans being processed by the Veterans Administration could materially help expedite the processing of the paper work by observing certain administrative principles:

1. Reviewing for accuracy all applications for guaranty or requests for appraisal of existing or proposed construction. In this case of requests for appraisal of proposed construction, the builder should submit plans, specifications, and other exhibits required by the Veterans Administration Pamphlet 4-8. Failure of the builder to consider Minimum Property Requirements has caused the VA Construction Analysts to spend considerable unnecessary time correcting this material.
2. Some veterans have been informed by builders and lenders to personally inquire at the Regional Office about the status of their applications or appraisals of a property. This is unnecessary and wastes valuable time. Inquiries ordinarily should be handled by the lender by mail. It was also pointed out that veterans should not visit the VA Regional Office to obtain their Certificate of Eligibility. Mr. Adams suggested that lenders, builders, and realtors submit the veterans' request for Determination of Eligibility and Available Entitlement, VA Form 4-1380, with the original discharge or separation paper for latest period of eligible service, along with the Request for Determining Reasonable Value for the property being purchased by the veteran. This procedure has been made possible by a

change in VA policy which allows the Regional Office authority to issue the Certificate without clearance from its Central Office, which makes possible quick issuance of the Certificate.

3. Personal visits by builders and lenders should be by appointment only, in such few cases where personal contact is necessary. Adams stated that every personal contact slows up the processing for both builders and veterans.

It was further emphasized that all lenders, builders and veterans over the entire state are entitled to the same consideration as those in the Louisville area.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the illness and upon the recent death of our wife and mother, Myrtle Ellen Meade. We also wish to thank those who sent flowers, the ministers for their consoling words, and Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its efficient services.

NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Floyd County Board of Education up and to Aug. 3, 1954, for the furnishing of coal to the various schools of the county. Bids may be submitted, either on mine run or screened coal. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

V. O. Turner,
County Superintendent
of Schools.

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF AIR RIFLES WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY:

That, whereas, it has come to the attention of the City Council that damage has been sustained by certain citizens of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, by the indiscriminate use of air rifles by persons within the City limits, and

Whereas, it is necessary that this reckless and indiscriminate use of air rifles be stopped.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the City Council of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, that:

Section 1. Any person or persons, of any age, found guilty of shooting air rifles within the City limits of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, will be fined not less than \$5.00, nor more than \$15,000, for each offense.

Section 2. Any ordinance or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in effect from date of passage, after publication according to law.

/s/ CURTIS CLARK,
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ JUDITH D. ARCHER,
City Clerk

This 6th day of July, 1954.
7-15-21.

Floyd's Needy Draw \$45,000 in Grants For Public Aid

FRANKFORT, Ky., July 21 — Needy residents of Floyd County drew total public assistance grants in June totaling \$45,199 it was reported today by Commissioner of Economic Security Vego E. Barnes. The grants include payments for old age assistance, aid to dependent children and aid to needy blind.

Old age assistance payments for the county last month were \$22,429; families of dependent children drew \$20,562, and needy blind grants totaled \$2,208.

Total payments of \$3,184,000 were disbursed in the state last month under the three public aid programs. The needy aged got \$1,954,148 for an average check of \$35.06; \$1,129,023 went to families of dependent children for an average grant of \$62.34 and needy blind payments were \$100,829 for an average check of \$36.85.

County Road Contracts Awarded for 232 Miles

Frankfort, Ky., July 20—Commissioner of Highways W. P. Curlin announced award of road improvement contracts covering 232 miles and involving an outlay of \$4,547,476 in Bullitt, Jefferson, Lewis, Martin, Mason, Perry, Pulaski, Barren, Breckinridge, Butler, Calloway, Christian, Graves, Lyon, Livingston, Crittenden, Morgan, Todd, Trigg, Floyd, Knott, Campbell, Letcher, Allen Carter, Garrard, Green, Hancock, Jessamine, Laurel McCracken and Webster Counties. It was the largest single letting in recent years.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

9:30 a.m., Morning worship, "Meeting God's Appointments."
10:30 a.m., Sunday School.
7:30 p.m., Fourth quarterly conference at the First Methodist Church; Dr. Fossett, district superintendent, will preach.

Bids To Be Taken On County Roads

Frankfort, Ky., July 20—The State Department of Highways advertised for bids to be received July 23 on improvement of 200 miles of roads in Barren, Boyle, Floyd, Magoffin, Franklin, Graves, Ohio, Pendleton, Rockcastle, Rowan, Bell, Clark, Jefferson, Lewis, Nelson, Kenton, Campbell, Bracken, Daviess, Laurel, Logan, Warren, Todd, Adair, Bullitt, Butler, Fleming, Green, Hart, Jackson, Johnson, McCracken, Meade, Menifee Morgan, Owen, Owsley, Pike and Russell Counties.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Harold W. Dorsey, Pastor
9:45 a.m., Church School (classes for all ages).
10:45 a.m., Morning worship—"Life's Stated Appointments."
6:15 p.m., M. Y. F. installation of officers.
7:30 p.m., Evening worship—fourth quarterly conference; Dr. E. M. Fossett will preach.

IN GERMANY

Kaiserslautern, Germany — Pvt. Paul Triplett, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbin Triplett, of Garrett, recently arrived in Germany for duty with the 27th anti-aircraft artillery battalion.

The battalion is a unit of the Seventh Army which forms a major part of the strong cordon of American defense forces stretching across the U. S. zone of Germany.

Private Triplett, a gunner in Battery D, entered the Army last January and completed training at Fort Knox, and Fort Bliss, Texas, before his assignment overseas.

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IN KOREA

U. S. Forces, Korea—Pvt. Marvin J. Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stone, of Garrett, is now serving with the 772d Military Police Battalion in Korea.

Stone is a policeman in Company B of the battalion, which provides traffic control throughout South Korea and guards UN installations and personnel.

He entered the Army in March 1953 and was stationed at Fort Hood, Tex., before arriving overseas last month.

Dr. Jack D. Salisbury

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