

This Town— That World

THE ANSWER

Fearing that our readers may wait with bated breath too long for the solution to last week's "brainteaser," and turn purple for lack of air, we hasten to give the answer here at the very beginning of this week's column. Here it is:

Manager—Mrs. Seeley. Assistant Manager—Mr. Abel. Cashier—Mr. Anderson. Stenographer—Mr. O'Connor. Teller—Miss Fields. Clerk—Miss Evans. Only those folks who clung to the idea that this is still a man's world and that the manager must be a man had any difficulty with this one. Correct solutions were supplied by Mrs. Orville Pearson, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Fred McGinnis, of Banner (both wives of ministers), Joe Burke and Woodrow Allen, both of Prestonsburg.

HUCKLEBERRY FINN

Almost every week we hear of a picture we wish we had. This would have been a good one:

While on a regular Bookmobile visit to Price, the driver-librarian, Robert J. Wallace, was overtaken by a red-head boy, Bert Conley, who came tearing up aboard a mule. In his hand was a brand-new copy of "Huckleberry Finn" which he presented to the Bookmobile.

HOMO SAPIENS

Man is the strangest of all earth's creatures. He has a mind and is unmindful.

He is the only creature with a heart that can be heartless. He was born to walk, and yet will crawl in the slime. He was made in the image of God and sometimes is Godless.

COLLECTOR'S ITEM

Over a considerable span of years my youngsters have populated our household with a lot of strange, sometimes wonderful, often frightening, creatures.

We started out with turtles, on the hoof, and then another of the boys collected butterflies and moths, and set up in business with a row of jars in which he hatched butterflies from the ugliest of worms. There came a time when the touch of a cold object had us sailing through windows.

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ASK GYM BIDS BY MAY 31st

City Council Acts To Get Contractors Bidding on Project

The City of Prestonsburg this week called for contractors' bids on the construction of the proposed gymnasium for the new county high school here.

The bids were asked after the City Council in its Monday evening meeting had enacted an ordinance authorizing the action. In its phase of the preliminaries to actual work the city acts in behalf of the Prestonsburg Board of Education.

The bids will be opened May 31, and a contract will not be awarded till 30 days later. In the interim from the opening of bids and the awarding of a contract, bonds will be advertised and sold to finance the big construction project.

The project is being advertised in several Kentucky newspapers in order to attract bidding from a large number of contractors. Except for its action on the gymnasium, the Council transacted little business of interest.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Goldie Hall Hamilton, et al. vs. Irie Hamilton; R. S. Wellman, et al. vs. Irie Hamilton; Bethel Daniels; Charles E. Lowe, et al. vs. L. Distributing Co., et al. vs. W. B. Williams; M. Davidson, et al. vs. Sam Nelson vs. John D. Collins; W. W. Burchett, et al. vs. Allegheny Home Appliance Co. vs. Maynard Hopkins; Marshall Davidson, et al. vs. Beatrice Pigman vs. John B. Pigman; Joe Hobson, et al. vs. Sam Nelson vs. Corbin Joseph; J. B. Clarke, et al. vs. First Federal Savings, et al. vs. John S. Ward, et al. vs. Wm. H. Lyon, et al. vs. Ollie Caldwell, et al., and Lawrence C. Woodall, et al. separate cases; J. B. Clarke, et al. vs. Melvin Hall vs. Mary J. Rae; Hollie Conley, et al.

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JURY REPORTS INDICTMENTS TOTALED 65

Final Report Claims Law Enforcement Lax, Commends 3 Officials

The grand jury concluded its nine days of work in the investigation of Floyd county crime last Thursday, and it reported that in all about 65 indictments had been voted. Of the total, 40 were reported on the last day of the session.

The jury's final report, signed by A. L. Spencer, foreman, expressed the opinion that law enforcement in the county is lax and that some of the county's magistrates have authorized the Jailer to release prisoners shortly after they have been booked for drunkenness. The report added the recommendation that these prisoners be confined "till they become sober".

Commended for his kindness and for the condition of the county jail was Jailer Prock Hayes; and for their cooperation and assistance to the grand jury, Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin and County Attorney Hollie Conley.

Fifteen of the indictments returned on the last day of the session were not signed by the foreman, but this oversight was later corrected.

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Two Wheelwright Miners To Get Medals of Honor

Two Wheelwright miners are among the 14 Americans who will receive medals of honor for saving lives last year.

The Floyd countians, Nathan Fleming and Richard Wells, employees of the Inland Steel Company at its Wheelwright operation, will receive the awards from the Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association. The annual awards voted by the Association were announced this week by John J. Forbes, director of the U. S. Bureau of Mines.

The Wheelwright men so honored risked their lives to save a fellow-miner who had been pinned between a heavy roof fall and a mine machine. The fall, which occurred last August 17, killed one man. Unable to move, the dead man's fellow-worker, Wesley Shumate, called for help. In spite of the danger of further fall of rock from the mine roof, Fleming, a crew foreman, and Wells crawled to Shumate and in a quarter-hour succeeded in extricating him and taking him across the rockfall to safety.

The two will receive their medals of honor at a regular safety meeting of the company, and a representative of the Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association will present the awards.

At the same time the Inland Steel Company mine will be recognized by the Association for mining more than 3,000,000 tons of coal without a fatal accident between April, 1951 and the date of the fatality last August, and five company employees.

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WIDOW SUES FOR \$25,000

Damages Asked of Man Convicted in Homicide On Mud Creek, Dec. 13

A total of \$25,000 damages is asked of Irie Hamilton in a suit filed in circuit court here by the widow and infant children of Bert Hamilton whom Irie Hamilton shot and killed last Dec. 13 on Mud Creek.

Plaintiffs are Mrs. Goldie Hall Hamilton, who also sues in behalf of her children, Vickie Lynn, Donald, Ralph and Leroy Hamilton. The complaint was prepared by R. S. Wellman, Prestonsburg attorney.

Irie Hamilton was convicted of the slaying of Bert Hamilton, his kinsman, at the April court term here and was given a 21-year pen term. Last week for the second time Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill denied Hamilton a new trial. The verdict will be appealed, it was said.

The suit asks \$15,000 damages, plus \$10,000 exemplary or vindictive damages. It alleges that the slaying was not in self-defense or in the slayer's apparent self-defense.

Judge Stumbo Denies Permit For Roadhouse After Hearing Held

After hearing witnesses testify pro and con and himself visiting the place in question, County Judge Henry Stumbo last Friday denied application of Corbin Joseph for a roadhouse permit in the operation of a place of business at Laner.

Judge Stumbo said the presence of two large piles of empty beer cans at the rear of the building was one of the factors influencing his decision. The place was closed by Sheriff Gormon Collins a few weeks ago on an order from the County Judge, but later had been reopened.

Five Laner women had requested County Attorney Hollie Conley to resist the application for a permit to operate. Their objections to the place were that its noise disturbed the community, that drunks came and went at all hours and that young girls stayed around the premises.

Weeksbury Miner Injured Seriously In Slate Fall

Leo Clouse, 34, of Weeksbury, was injured seriously in a mine accident at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Leslie Elkhorn Coal Company property there. He was the victim of a slate fall. Both legs were broken, one foot cut off and a severe back injury was incurred. He was removed to St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, by Turner Funeral Home ambulance. At this time (Thursday) doctors say he is in a critical condition.

CENTER STUDY ON MINE AREA

Field Station Offers Parasite Control Aid To Three Communities

The Cumberland Field Station in West Prestonsburg, working in cooperation with the Floyd and Letcher County Health Departments, has been studying children and adults in various mining camps to determine the degree of infestation with intestinal parasites. Results to date show that, on the average, over half of the children and many adults in the areas studied are infested with parasites, predominantly with Ascaris (roundworms).

Because of the frequency and severity of infection with roundworms, the field station and health departments are planning to offer treatment for roundworms in certain selected towns. The first towns to be offered treatment are Auxier, Manton and Hemphill. The treatment program is being started after consideration and approval by the Floyd County Medical Society, the Floyd County Board of Health, and the Kentucky State Department of Health.

It is expected that several other mining camps and towns which are now under study will be offered treatment during the summer months.

SCHOOL MEN BEGIN TOUR

Two Superintendents Ask Support of Combs; Floyd Chairwomen Are Selected

Two school superintendents started Monday on a tour of Eastern and Central Kentucky counties in behalf of Bert T. Combs, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor.

The superintendents are C. H. Frazier, Prestonsburg, and Shelton Clark, of Martin county.

Mr. Frazier said Saturday the tour starting Monday will be the first of a series he will make with Clark to work for the nomination of Combs. He said they will visit school officials and friends in Johnson, Lawrence, Boyd, Greenup, Lewis, Fleming, Nicholas, Bourbon, Bath, Menifee, Morgan, Montgomery and Magoffin counties during this tour.

The two officials said they "know Bert Combs will work with the legislature to see that the foundation program is put into full effect."

Frazier and Clark said their

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Floyd County Sues Former Judge

TUTOR HIRED FOR RETARDED

Training, Recreation Set for Retarded Tots During Summer Months

Actual work of training mentally retarded children will be done in Floyd county this summer, it was announced this week by A. H. Mandt, of Manton, president of the Floyd Council for Retarded Children.

Decision to employ a teacher of training and recreational classes for these mentally retarded youngsters was reached at a Council meeting at Martin Friday night after the Council had been given permission to use \$1,500 of the \$2,000 grant received this year for this purpose.

The classes will be held at Martin high school. Mrs. Joe Begley, of Boldman, has been employed as teacher. She was graduated from Berea College as a psychology major and did graduate work in psychology at the University of Chicago.

"We are most fortunate in finding a teacher of Mrs. Begley's qualifications and interest in these handicapped children," Mr. Mandt commented.

Prior to the beginning of the classes for the children, two training classes for volunteer workers will be conducted by Mrs. Begley, the first possibly to be held May 21.

On these volunteer workers the success of whole training and recreation program for the retarded heavily depends, Mr. Mandt emphasized. This aid, with only one instructor, is a necessity, and one problem to be solved is that of transportation of the children to and from classes. The senior and Junior Woman's Clubs of the county are being contacted to help recruit volunteer workers, and ministers of the county are also asked to make appeals for this help from their pulpits. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of all persons volunteering for this service should be sent to either Mrs. John J. Sherman at Martin or Mrs. A. H. Mandt at Manton.

Floyd is the pioneer county in Eastern Kentucky in the field of training and helping the retarded child, and is one of the six points in Kentucky having such a program.

New Store Is Planned For Martin By Turner

Turner Department Stores will open a store in the Keathley building at Martin within the next three weeks, it was announced Monday, Miss Ella Reed, who has been employed in the firm's Prestonsburg store, will be manager of the store at Martin.

Success of the Turner Department Store here influenced the company in deciding to open a store at a second point in this county, Lee Spickard, Prestonsburg store manager said.

Five Leave Thursday For Armed Services

Five registrants of Draft Board No. 25 here left this morning (Thursday) for armed forces induction. They are:

Quentin D. Allen, Prestonsburg; Harold Roop, Betsy Layne; Paul Stanley, Garrett; Billy Bates, Hueysville; Leo Hampton, Melvin.

SIRKLE HITS POLIO SCARE

Tells Teachers He Will Give Serum to Own Son; 'Make-up Clinics' Begin

Dr. R. M. Sirkle, of the Beaver Valley hospital staff, told Floyd county teachers in their meeting at Martin Monday that the scare developing from polio reports coming out of California should not worry them or the parents of Floyd county children.

"In fact," said Dr. Sirkle, "I will give my own son the Salk vaccine and will advise my private patients to take advantage of the vaccine as soon as it is available."

The physician and surgeon said he has been watching the upwards of 300 who were given the Salk vaccine in Martin and vicinity. He has noted no adverse effects. Wednesday was the eighth day since they received the vaccine. He pointed out that the vaccine under suspicion is from only one laboratory, that none of the laboratory's product came into this section, and that even this one laboratory is not yet proven guilty of producing an inferior product.

Fewer than the 2,000 expected to be immunized by the end of last Thursday were actually vaccinated, and the drop-off at Wheelwright and Allen was attributed to the story of polio cases developing in the west with children who had been given the Salk vaccine produced by the Cutter laboratory. Yet, Dr. Sirkle pointed out, the incubation period for the polio virus is from 10 to 14 days, and some of those who became ill in California had not had the vaccine more than eight days.

"Make-good" clinics are being held in the county this week to enable those children who missed last week's opportunity to get the initial shot of Salk vaccine in time to receive the second before the polio season arrives in this section.

Wednesday, these clinics were held at Harold and at the office of Dr. M. V. Wicker at Estill; today (Thursday), at the Health Department here, the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin and Dr. W. D. Osborne's office at Bypro; Friday, Dr. J. H. Allen's office at Allen and the McDowell school; Saturday, at the Health Department offices.

The Salk vaccine comes in 9-cc. bottles, and when a bottle is opened for the vaccination of the last

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Berry Growers Prepare for Big Crop



—Polaroid 1-Minute Photo by The Times

Unloading a car-load of crates here last Friday for Floyd county strawberry growers are, Elmer Music, of Cliff, grower, Virgil Smith, of Allen, grower and secretary of the Floyd County Strawberry Association, Everett Thompson, of Mare Creek, grower, W. I. Farmer, area marketing specialist of the University of Kentucky, and, in car doorway, handling crates, is Prichard King, county agent of Magoffin county.

BOOKMOBILE NEEDS ROOM

Number of Volumes And Rise in Interest Create Urgent Need

The most pressing need of the Bookmobile project in Floyd county is larger headquarters in Prestonsburg, the Library Board agreed at its recent meeting at the Sea Cafe, Martin.

This need is created by the growing number of books and the constantly increasing number of persons who are using the books. Not only storage space for books is needed but also a reading room, it was emphasized.

The Bookmobile project now has 3,450 volumes available for circulation, and the three members of the Library Board attending the Martin meeting voted to continue buying more new books that are suitable for Floyd county readers.

"Bookmobile circulation has passed the half-way mark," Robert J. Wallace, driver-librarian, said this week. He explained that the "half way mark" means that more than half the people in Floyd county have used books, magazines and other materials afforded by the Bookmobile.

The Floyd county Twenty-Year Teachers Club has adopted as its 1955 project that of supplying five books per member to the Bookmobile. The Library Board also officially noted the fact that members of the Fiscal Court and the

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JOHNSON DIES IN MINE FALL

'Kettle Bottom' Drops From Price Mine Roof; Victim, Marine Veteran

A "kettle bottom" dropping from the roof of the Inland Steel Company mine at Price Tuesday afternoon killed 26-year-old William Clem Johnson, of Price. His body was crushed and he died almost instantly.

The victim was a son of William Johnson, of Price, and Mrs. Bertha Johnson Shell, of Prestonsburg, and was a native of Burnwell, W. Va. He was a veteran of the Marine Corps.

Surviving, besides his parents, are his widow, Mrs. Monica Laferty Johnson, one son, William, four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Andrew Elkins, Paintsville, Mrs. Thelma Abram, Columbus, O., Miss Ruby Johnson, Prestonsburg, Miss Lillian Johnson, Price, Raymond Johnson, Putnam county, W. Va., and Kenneth Johnson, Maromet, W. Va.

Mr. Johnson's body was taken to the home here of his mother, and was removed today (Thursday) to Price where funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. Bert Caldwell and Cecil Wright. Burial was made at Price under direction of the Moore Funeral Home.

ONE KILLED, 3 ARE HURT

Sammons Dies in Wreck At Allen Early Sunday; Click, Laferty Injured

One Floyd countian was killed and three others were seriously hurt in auto wrecks, Sunday and Monday.

Instantly killed when the auto in which he was a passenger left U. S. 23 in the upper section of the Town Hall addition to Allen, at 1 a.m. Sunday, was 20-year-old Robert Sammons, Jr., of Arkansas Creek, near Martin.

Injured in the same wreck were: Elroy Click, driver and owner of the auto, broken thigh and fractured pelvis.

Don Laferty, of the U. S. Air Force, home on furlough; four broken ribs and a broken arm.

Both Click and Laferty are in Veterans hospital, Huntington, W. Va.

Dean Laferty, brother of Don, and Lloyd Sammons, brother of Robert, escaped uninjured.

The Laferty brothers are sons of Jesse Laferty, of Arkansas.

Face of Burnis Hicks, 28, of Risner, was crushed Monday midnight when his auto left the highway near Printer. He is a patient at Veterans hospital, Louisville, and is expected to recover.

The wreck in which Sammons died took place in front of the Allen Lumber Company. It was said that the car turned over when, driven at high speed, it was cut sharply across the road.

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SUIT ALLEGES DAVIDSON DUE COUNTY \$11,844

Former Official Says Court Knows He Is Not Indebted To Floyd-Co.

Floyd county filed suit in circuit court Tuesday seeking to recover from Former County Judge Alex L. Davidson, of Prestonsburg, \$11,844 which the petition claims is due on costs collected by Davidson on cases during his four years of office.

The complaint was filed by County Attorney Hollie Conley. In addition to asking that Mr. Davidson be required to pay to the county treasurer \$11,844, with 6% interest, the suit demands that the Floyd fiscal court be enjoined from further paying any salaries to Davidson until a proper accounting of his fees collections is made.

The salary referred to is that of Davidson as Commonwealth's detective.

Former Judge Davidson characterized the suit as "pure meanness." "I settled with the fiscal court, on their terms," he added. "They know I don't owe them anything. One thing the public doesn't understand, and that is that I didn't file a single expense account in my whole four years of office. I even bought my own stationery, legal forms and other office items. The truth is, if I am allowed expenses due me, the county owes me."

Tuesday's action alleges that Davidson collected cost fees as required by statute but that he failed to pay these fees into the county treasury as required by law, even though often requested to do so. It claims that he is indebted in the amount of \$4,500 for each misdemeanor case brought before him and upon the conviction of the defendant.

There were at least 2,630 such cases, the suit contends. It breaks the number down by years, as follows: 1,036 in 1946, 723 in 1947, 596 in 1948 and 227 in 1949.

UNITED FUEL CENTERS WORK

Gas Firm Operations Centralized As Offices Transferred to P'Burg

A centralized field office with a single office clerical unit was formed May 2 by United Gas Company at its present location on South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg.

Details of the change were announced Tuesday by Glover Spencer and Paul R. Jarrell, Southern division production department and compressor department superintendents, respectively.

They said that many of the operations of United Fuel's production, compressor, gas measurement, distribution, land, automobile, and radio departments center on Prestonsburg.

A common clerical unit here that will do clerical work for the production and compressor departments will cut down expenses and increase efficiency, they explained.

The compressor department's clerical work that is being transferred to the Prestonsburg office was formerly done in the Charleston headquarters of Charleston Group companies of the Columbia Gas System. United Fuel is one of the Charleston Group firms.

Wilson Stepp, now chief clerk of the production department in Prestonsburg, is in charge of the new clerical unit. Two men have moved into the Prestonsburg office to help fill out the new unit. Any additional personnel needed will be selected from local people.

Ralston R. Cavender is assistant chief clerk. He formerly worked in the Charleston compressor department office. He has been with United Fuel since 1950. He plans to bring his wife and twins, a boy and girl, to Prestonsburg around the first of June.

George Belcher, now a production department warehouse clerk in Allen, is stock control clerk in the new clerical unit. Mr. Belcher has been with United Fuel since 1935. He has a wife and two married children.

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Notes

VISITORS HERE FOR OPEN HOUSE

Among the out-of-town visitors at the "open house" at the Methodist Parsonage here last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Laviers, Mrs. Fanny Archer, Mrs. Ann Cameron, Mrs. Irvin, Mr. and Mrs. Trigg Dorton and children, Mrs. Ridda Finalyson, Paintsville.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Herschell Graham has returned from Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, where she was submitted to major surgery two weeks ago. She will soon be able to return to her "Artiste Beauty Shop" on First avenue.

ATTEND SHOWER AT INEZ

Mrs. Jessie Brown Hagewood, nee Miss Lou Ann Richmond, of Inez, Ky., was complimented with a miscellaneous shower last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Perry at Inez. Attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hagewood, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett Sowards, Mrs. John Hensley and Mr. Jessie Brown Hagewood.

DOLL'S SILVER TEA

The Presbyterian church Westminster Guild will sponsor a "Doll's Silver Tea" at 3 o'clock on May 14, at the church. Little girls will dress up as mothers and bring their dolls. Prizes will be given for the prettiest mother, prettiest, biggest, smallest and most unusual doll. All little girls in the community or elsewhere are invited to attend the tea.

ON HOUSEPARTY IN GEORGIA

Miss Inez Doss, Canton, Ga., is entertaining for ten days a group of friends here including her sister, Mrs. Edward P. Hill. Guests are Mesdames, W. C. Rimmer, A. H. Mandt, J. B. Clark and Miss Ella Noel White.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Mrs. E. R. Burke entertained to lunch last Thursday Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Iley B. Browning of Ashland, and Mrs. Osa F. Ligon.

VISITING IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Alex L. Davidson and Mrs. Cora McHone are spending ten days in New York City visiting Bill Dudley McHone. Mr. McHone is associated with C.B.S. there.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE

Mrs. Carl Horn and Miss Carlos Horn were hostesses to a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Jessie Brown Hagewood on last Thursday evening at their home on South Lake Drive. Spring flowers were arranged throughout the spacious rooms where guests enjoyed refreshments served by the hostesses. Mrs. Hagewood, the former Miss Lou Ann Richmond of Inez, expressed her appreciation for her many gifts.

BRIDGE AND CANASTA PARTY FOR JUNIOR CLUB

Mrs. Herbert L. Ley entertained members of the Junior Woman's Club to bridge and canasta last Thursday evening at her home on North Lake Drive. At the close of the evening's play prizes were awarded in bridge to Miss Barbara Jean May as top score winner, the second high prize to Mrs. Pete Jarvis. High and second high in canasta went to Miss Buerita Gearheart and Mrs. Adrian Blackburn. Mrs. Eddie Ray won the draw prize and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., the door prize. Mrs. J. H. Keenon, president of the Senior Woman's Club, was presented a guest prize. The dining table, covered with a lace cloth, was centered with pink snapdragons, flanked by candlesticks with pink candles. Mrs. Keenon, president of Senior Woman's club, and Mrs. Marshall Davidson, president of the Junior Woman's Club, presided at the parafait tray and punch bowl. Members present were Mesdames Herschell Tackett, Marshall Davidson, Pete Jarvis, Fred James, Johnny Ellis, Adrian Blackburn, D. T. Ferrell, Harris Howard, Joe P. Tackett, Jr., Homer Wright, Eddie Ray, Hubbard Francis, Wm. O. Goebel, Jr., Lloyd Miller, Misses Barbara Jean May, Charlotte Salisbury, Mary Martha Williams, Burieta Gearheart, guests Mrs. J. H. Keenon, Mrs. John Hardin, Mrs. Calvin Herrick and Mrs. Jean Haney.

INSTALL OFFICERS

The W. S. C. S. and Wesleyan Guild, had a combined meeting of the two societies, May 2 in the parlor of the Methodist Church, at which time the annual pledge service and installation of new officers were held. Miss Elsie Stephens presided. The devotional program was conducted by Miss Elsie Stephen, Miss Laura Virginia Roberts and Mrs. Eddie Worland. Rev. Harold Dorsey, pastor of the church, told of the "Aims of the Coming Year of Women of the Church." Officers installed by the W. S. C. S. for the coming year were: President, Mrs. Burl Spurlock; vice-president, Mrs. James Carter, secretary, Mrs. Hazel Goble; treasurer, Mrs. Cecil Horn; promotion secretary, Mrs. Harry Ranier.

OFFICERS OF WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

Officers of Wesleyan Service Guild installed were: President, Mrs. Walter S. Harkins; vice-president, Mrs. Fred Francis; secretary Mrs. Marion Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. George P. Archer; promotional secretary, Mrs. Winston Ford.

At the conclusion of the installation services, pledges for the year were made. Refreshments were served by both societies in the new administration building. At the business session plans were made for the Ashland District Service Guild to be held here June 10-11. Executive committees will meet on May 16 at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. W. S. Harkins.

Blair, Korean Missionary, To Speak At Church Here



The Rev. William N. Blair, D.D., retired Presbyterian missionary from Korea, will speak at the First Presbyterian Church here, Tuesday, May 10 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to hear him.

Dr. Blair first went to Korea in 1901, and for the next 45 years, until his retirement in 1946, he was in evangelistic and educational work in Pyongyang in northern Korea. Much of his time was given to rural itineration and to Bible institute and conference work. For a time he was principal of the Men's Higher Bible School, and for a number of years he taught in the seminary.

During the war Dr. Blair had to leave his work in Korea. He was engaged in promotional work for the Presbyterian Board, and for several years he served as stated supply of the Presbyterian Church in State College, Pennsylvania. Early in the fall of 1946, Dr. Blair made a special trip to Korea at the request of the Presbyterian Board. He was the first American civilian permitted to visit postwar Korea north of the 38th parallel. The purpose of his visit was to renew contact with the Korean Christian Church and its leaders preliminary to re-establishing the Presbyterian Mission in Korea.

CALLER HERE BY MOTHER'S DEATH

Billy Morrell, of Cincinnati, Ohio, James Morrell and daughter, Daurice Morrell, of San Angelo, Texas, were called here last week by the death of their mother, Mrs. Matty Rice Morrell, who passed away in a nursing home at Lexington, April 27. Mrs. Morrell's body was brought to the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home here, where services were conducted Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Burial was made in the Porter cemetery. Mrs. Morrell had lived here all her married life until five years ago when she entered the nursing home.

IN HOSPITAL HERE

Harry N. Cooley, who is critically ill, was removed from the home on Lake Drive to the Prestonsburg General hospital last Sunday evening and his condition is unchanged. Besides his family here, his daughters, Mrs. Mae Leddy, New York City, and Mrs. Julia Ruice, Jeffersonville, Ind., are at his bedside.

GUILD ELECTS OFFICERS

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met April 26, at the home of Mrs. Marion Wilson on Riverside Drive. The president, Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr., presided. At the business session plans were formed and committees appointed for the open house of the new parsonage and administration building on May 1. Devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Willie Mellon, assisted by Mrs. DeVon Bogue.

Mrs. Robert Branham sang a solo preceding the program, "Unity of Faith", presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Luther Shivel. Assisting in the presentation were Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Miss Francis Jones, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. Ann Harris, Mrs. Arthur Haywood. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr.; Vice-president, Mrs. Fred Francis; Treasurer, Mrs. George P. Archer; Secretary, Mrs. Marion Wilson, and promotion secretary, Mrs. Winston Ford.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Ann Harris, E. D. Roberts, Val Strahan, David Herndon, J. D. Mayo, Willie Mellon, DeVon Bogue, Luther Shivel, Betty Guess, Robert Branham, W. S. Harkins, Jr., G. G. Alley, Arthur Haywood, Gerald Jones, Winston Ford, George P. Archer, Fred Francis, Harold Dorsey, Miss Alice Harris, Miss Francis Jones, and guests, Mrs. Earle McDonald and Mrs. Claiborne Stephens.

MRS. SALLADA DIES

Mrs. Harry Sallada, sister of the late F. L. Heinze, died at her home in Ashland, Pennsylvania, April 15. Mrs. Sallada visited her brother and family here many times and had many friends in Prestonsburg who will be sorry to learn of her passing.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Bill Compton, nee miss Anna McComas, was honored with a miscellaneous shower last Friday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. Glenn Spradlin on Arnold avenue. Arrangements of spring flowers throughout the house made a beautiful setting for the many useful gifts on display. She graciously acknowledged her appreciation to a large group assembled and to the hostesses who served a salad course with green color scheme.

Hostesses were Mesdames Theckley Short, Fred Dickerson, Walter Snively, George Brown, Marion Wilson, Russell Pelphrey, Charles Weichers, Arnold Compton, Glenn Spradlin, Marvin Alley, Johnnie Hale, Cecil Willis, Carl Horn and Joe Burke.

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child or two at a clinic some is left. This will keep only six hours after it is opened and when all attempts to find a first or second-grade schoolchild to take the remaining shot or shots in the bottle fail, the vaccine is given to one or more pre-school children or to an older child. This is done, it was explained, when the only alternative is to let the serum spoil. The practice, however, has resulted in rumors of children receiving the vaccine when they are not eligible.

Jack Cooley, of McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooley, of Allen, Warren Cooley, of Dwale, and Mrs. James Stephens, of Cliff, were here Sunday to visit Harry Cooley who is very ill.

Billie Morrell visited Mrs. Minnie Morrell Friend and sons here last week, having been called by the death of his mother, Mrs. Martha Rice Morrell.

Mrs. Kilmer Combs and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Leake, in Cincinnati this week.

Mrs. W. V. Bunting is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Al Gross, and family in Lexington, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sturgill and children, of Columbus, Ohio, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Josh Williams, on Graham street. They will attend the Derby in Louisville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Johnston, of Welch, W. Va., Lt. and Mrs. E. J. Clayton and children, of Los Angeles, Calif. visited Mrs. F. L. Heinze here Thursday.

Mrs. Marguerite F. Harkins arrived Sunday from Danville to spend a few days with Mrs. W. S. Harkins.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, Mt. Sterling, were here last Wednesday on business and greeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury and granddaughters, Nancy Conway, Evelyn Elizabeth and Chaddie Johns Salisbury, spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. Robert Salisbury and family in Mt. Sterling.

Howard Miller, of Bristol, Va., was here this week on business.

D. A. R. TO MEET MAY 10

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet with Mrs. Tom James, May 10, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Jr. on Central avenue. Mrs. W. W. Cooley program chairman, will present "The Work of the F. B. I." All members are urged to attend.

OPEN HOUSE ON SUNDAY

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Dorsey, the W. S. C. S. and Wesleyan Guild, held open house on last Sunday from 3 o'clock until 5 at the new parsonage and new administration building of the Methodist Church on Arnold Avenue. Friends, members of all churches, and out-of-town guests called during these hours to see these two new modern and attractive buildings built by the church. Baskets of cut flowers were in profusion in both buildings.

IN HUNTINGTON HOSPITAL

Earl Moore, of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company here, was taken to St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., last week. An operation may be necessary, it was said.

IS HOSPITAL PATIENT

Eugene Allen, of Allen, has been a patient this week at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. His condition is improved.

MISS ANNIE ALLEN ILL

Miss Annie Allen, beloved Baptist missionary, was taken quite ill last Sunday enroute to her Sunday school at Lancer. She was removed to the Prestonsburg hospital.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARIES MEETS

The Woman's Auxiliary and Westminster Guild held a joint meeting Tuesday evening at the church. Mrs. Frank H. Layne presided. Following the singing of "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations", Mrs. Ralph Davis presented the devotional candlelight service preceded by a piano solo "Trees" by Mrs. E. R. Burke. Ralph Davis, Jr., showed a colored film "Decision on Thailand" which was greatly enjoyed. Glenn Anderson gave a most interesting report on the Seventh Men's Group of National Council of Presbyterian Men which met in Chicago in April. The third series of "Christian Women as Consumers" was presented by Mrs. Ernest Osborn. Mrs. Layne announced that Mrs. Ralph Davis had been elected as secretary of Social Education and Action at the meeting of Presbyterian in Ashland, April 19. Mrs. Burke announced that a rummage sale would be held May 13-14-16. Plans were made for talent money to be made in June. The Westminster Guild completed its plans for the "Doll Silver Tea" at the church, May 14.

Mrs. Layne announced that Dr. and Mrs. Blair, Korean missionaries, will be here May 10, guests of the church, where they will speak.

The hostesses, Mrs. E. R. Burke and Miss Hazel Hill, served a dessert course to Mesdames Cecil Wills, Everett Sowards, Ralph Davis, E. R. Burke, Frank Layne, Dan Reed, Rex Osborn, Ernest Osborn, Marvin Music, Orville Pearson, Ray Howard, Belvard Friend, F. L. Heinze, O. T. Stephens, Don Wyszam, Misses Mary E. Powers, Hazel Hill, Mary Martha Williams, Alma Collins, and Catherine Reed.

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Times Polaroid 1-Minute Photo
Assisting the health department in the work of administering the Salk polio vaccine here last week were members of the Prestonsburg Senior Woman's Club. Seated, left to right, are Mrs. W. W. Wallen, Mrs. J. H. Keenon, president, and Mrs. Raymond Sirkle; standing, left to right, are Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Mrs. R. M. Sirkle and Mrs. H. L. Ley. Not shown but assisting were Mrs. Lon Hill and Mrs. N. L. May.

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Ivy Creek, 2:00 p.m.
Blue River, 2:00 p.m.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis who were injured in a Lexington automobile accident sometime ago have been released from the hospital. They will spend two weeks with their daughter, Nora Ann Davis, before returning here.

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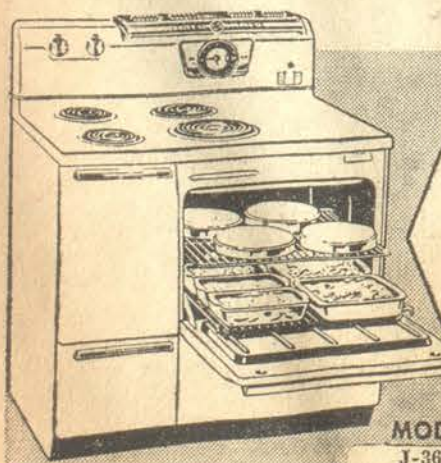
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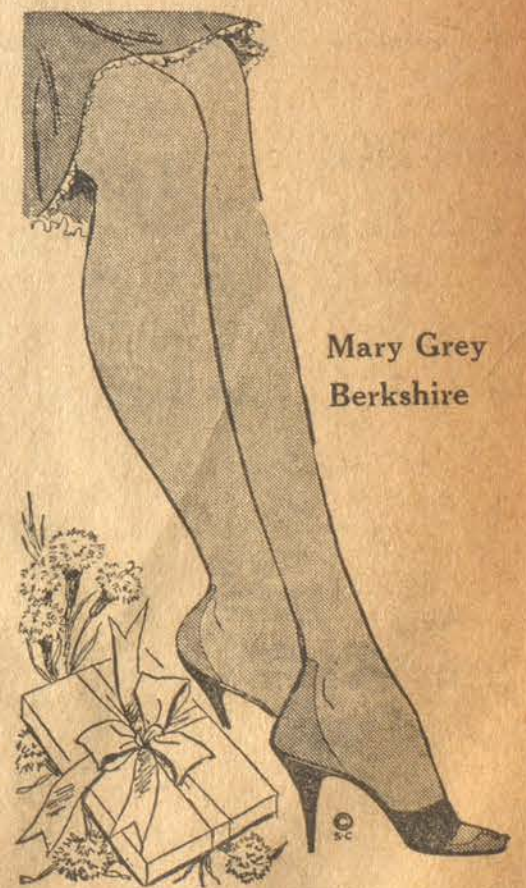
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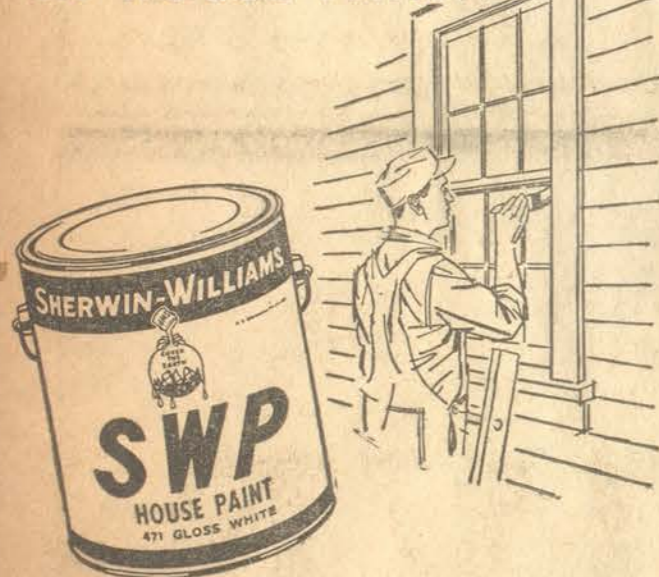
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Boom Days For C & O

Out of Richmond, Virginia last week came a news-story that is read in this part of the country with mixed reactions.

It is a story of prosperity for the C. & O. Railway Company, one which cites a three-month record of unprecedented prosperity at a time when much of the coal area served by this same company is deep in the economic doldrums.

The mixed reactions the reader of this story has come from two directions. To be just in his attitude, the reader cannot but be glad the railway company has showed this profit. The company is the biggest single taxpayer in practically every county through which its lines pass. On its economic soundness most local governments lean heavily. And it is encouraging, too, to business in general for a system of transportation such as this to be flourishing.

The stockholders of C. & O. must be satisfied with the company's management, and the individual who looks on from the outside must agree that its management must be sound.

Yet one cannot read figures such as these (see news-story elsewhere in this edition of The Times) without reacting with conjecture about why this company's earnings, both gross and net, are at record highs at a time when the coal fields it serves are deep in distress, with only a fraction of its mines operating, thousands of miners out of employment and a fourth or more of the population in many coal-producing counties on food relief. The fortunes of the ordinary business enterprise rise and fall with the fortunes of the people it serves. But C. & O. in those three first months of this year 1955, months which were so bitterly discouraging to thousands of workers and those who depended upon them, and which touched with dismay hundreds of business men in the coal fields, saw this railway company show all-time-high net earnings of \$16,400,000.

Our reaction to the whole matter is this: C. & O.'s management has a duty to perform for its stockholders, but it also has a duty to the areas from which it draws its unprecedented prosperity. It should reduce its freight rates on coal back to those 1952 figures, so that more coal can be mined in regions such as this where high production and transportation costs make competition with more favored fields and other fuels nigh-impossible.

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Days of Decision For Parents

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It is disturbing, true, to learn that in the West, mainly in California, several children who have been given the vaccine produced by one laboratory later became ill and that two died. But the fact remains that thousands of parents—men and women who have access to the most expert advice—are willing, anxious, to pay exorbitant prices for the vaccine and the vaccination of their children.

Many the loving, conscientious parent will out of fear refuse now to have their children given the polio vaccine, preferring to take a chance with the disease rather than with the preventive. Yet these facts should be given the most profound consideration before any mother or father denies his or her youngster the protection against infantile paralysis that is offered.

1. The Salk vaccine was tested for a long period of months thousands of children were given the trial "shots," and the results were given the closest, most meticulous study by medical science before the vaccine was declared a safe preventive and licensed by the federal government.

2. Although there always is a possibility that one laboratory producing any medicine or vaccine could err, it should be remembered that this is California's polio season and that the fact is, the number of cases there is below normal for this time of year.

3. Also to be considered is the possibility that some of those reported as suffering from polio are not suffering from the disease but from some other. This has been the frequent experience in Floyd county, and children have been examined at Morris Memorial hospital for days before it was determined their illness resulted from other cause.

Some of those who have fallen ill may also have carried the polio germ when they were vaccinated, with the result that the disease developed in spite of and not because of the serum.

4. In Chicago fifteen cases of polio have appeared within the last few days, and that is an all-time high there for this season of the year. Yet not one of those polio sufferers have had the Salk vaccine.

5. The Cutter Laboratory vaccine has been withdrawn from use and will not be used again unless and until it is proved beyond every shadow of doubt that it is not at fault.

6. Not one of all the thousands of children who last year received the Salk vaccine trial shots developed polio, random reports to the contrary.

The editor of this newspaper cannot presume to be able to advise other parents, but on the basis of knowledge at hand, and having a parent's natural desire to give his child every possible defense against this dread disease, he will see that his one child eligible for the vaccine will get the second shot, May 16.

County Board Requests Courses Be Continued; W'Wright Teacher Quits

Continuation of both Home Economics and Agriculture as courses at Betsy Layne and Maytown high schools as federal-aid projects was applied for by the Floyd County Board of Education at its meeting here Tuesday.
 The Board at the same time asked for continuation of Home Economics in all high schools of the county except Martin and Wayland.
 Resignation of Govan C. Slone as instructor in woodworking at Wheelwright high school was accepted. His successor was not announced.
 Bids of the Allen Lumber Company on materials for repair work and of the Sandy Valley Hardware Company, Allen, for various supplies were accepted as low.



Times Polaroid 1-Minute Photo
 The Maytown high school male quartette, composed of Nickie Turner, Justin Turner, Jimmie Hobson and Glenis Ramey, will sing Saturday morning on the Mother's Day special program on the Good World Hour over WPRT. The program will be one of surprises and interest to every Floyd countian.

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And now the youngest comes home, first with a dried-up lizard which he calmly produced from a pocket containing various other important articles. And this week a very dead green snake which he wanted to have as a keepsake without benefit of embalming. He was denied this somewhat doubtful privilege, and the snake was later found beneath a dresser where he had hidden it.

MOTHER ON THE JOB—AS USUAL

While the natural history class is in session let us tell about Gene Hager's experience. Wednesday afternoon, last week, he removed from the office of Dr. Edward B. Leslie here an air-conditioner which he loaded into a truck and took to his home at Lancer to repair. Arrived there, he began cleaning out the unit, came onto some straw, and wound up removing a bird's nest in which were four fledglings.

He took the young birds, nest and all, into his home, and his children fed the birds. Next morning, owners of a tank Mr. Hager had welded came for it and were loading it into their truck, when suddenly an adult bird sailed out of a tree and attacked one of the boys loading the tank.

While the bird was busily flogging the boy Mr. Hager caught it. When he called The Times last Thursday it was sitting on the nest containing the four young birds, on the Hager mantel.

Hager surmises that this mother bird followed his truck loaded with the air-conditioning unit and the young birds, all the way from Prestonsburg to Lancer, and that her attack on the boy was made because he was at a truck at the spot where she probably last saw her air-conditioned quarters and family.

MORE ABOUT BIRDS

And, speaking of birds, Tony Ranier reports that his parakeet has gone and hung itself. He sadly reports that he had fashioned a loop from a rubber band and had placed food for the bird in the loop, which was inside the cage. Although the food had long since been eaten, the bird resumed pecking at the loop again, he other night, got its head inside and thus died. Unless, it deliberately committed suicide.

The watch that State Senator Doug Hays was given by his General Assembly colleagues, and which the donors declared was a hundred years old, went on the blink last week, and not from old age, either, the Senator avers. Wright Brothers, jewelers here, repaired it without charge, as they had guaranteed they would if necessary.

SO APPRECIATIVE

Watt Hale says his faith in human nature got a "booster shot" recently. He has carefully explained why. Tells of the man who moved into the house of another and let the rent pile up to a hundred or so dollars. In fact, the tenant never did pay any rent.

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By way of farewell, he sent a message to his landlord, thanking him for the use of his house and for his kind treatment. "And," he added, "tell him I said that if there's ever anything I can do for him to just let me know."
 "Watt claims that was downright decent of the guy."

OF THE GREATEST WOMAN

A reader, thinking on Mother's Day, sends us Kipling's "Mother o' Mine." We could write reams on this subject and still fall so far short of the greatness of such lines, as these:
 If I were hanging on the highest hill,
 Mother o' mine, Mother o' mine,
 I know whose love would follow me still—
 Mother o' mine, mother o' mine.

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Major indictments reported last week follow:
 American Legion Club at Garrett, possessing alcoholic beverages for purpose of sale; Arthur and Clara Bentley, false pretenses; Virgil Moore, Bill Slone, Melvin Click, Allen Slone, Oval Hall and Viola Handshoe, each for possessing alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale; Columbus Compton, disturbing public worship; Paul Compton and Bud Hamilton, drunk driving; Delmos Pennington, grand larceny, accused of taking items from a railway car; Fada Tate, obstructing justice, accused of attempting to persuade Edna Hall, witness in a court case, to leave the county and state.

George W. Thacker and Winfred Slone, assault with intent to rob Roger Holbrook; Clyde Blackburn, resisting arrest; Bill Johnson, deserting his pregnant wife; Jack, Eddy and Arthur Hamilton, shooting on public highway; Willie James Sturgill, J. D. Sturgill, Naty Lawson and Wendell Lawson, shooting at without wounding Jewell Mesker, the same four also named in a robbery indictment for taking a gun from Mesker; John Wes Vance, grand larceny; Anthony Newsome, cutting and wounding Elva Newsome.

Beverly Shepherd, Iline Holbrook, Helen Nelson and Jimmy Green, grand larceny, accused of taking two guns and \$60 in cash from S. E. Craft, April 12, at the Blue Bell Motor Court; Fred Hall, selling mortgaged property; Pete Goble, Cecil Bartram, Ed Hall, Alex Patton, each charged with child desertion; Charles Wells and Bud Hamilton, giving liquor to another; Truman Hall, detaining a woman against her will, the complaining witness a 15-year-old Auxier girl; Raymond Fraley, obtaining money or goods by false pretense; Bert Tackett, forgery; Mrs. J. D. Rainey, false swearing.

Roy Cook Appointed Montgomery Manager

Olle W. Montgomery, Cambellsville, candidate for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant-governor, has appointed Roy Cook, of Drift, as his Floyd county campaign manager. The announcement was made by Montgomery this week.
 Montgomery, in an announcement coinciding with the appointment of Cook, stated he was a veteran of World War II, had served eight years as State Senator, was advocating repeal of the Old Age Lien law and was opposed to a tonnage tax on coal.

Perkins Urges Speed On Reservoir Project In River Headwaters

Kentucky's Seventh District Representative Carl D. Perkins, speaking to over 400 Dickenson county (Virginia) Democrats at a Jefferson-Jackson Day Dinner at Haysi, Va., Saturday, declared that the Army Corps of Engineers should speed up the survey of the proposed Haysi reservoir project.
 Perkins said he intended to "seek additional funds to expedite this survey." Perkins outlined the status of the reservoir, classified by Army Engineers as "deferred for restudy" in 1952.
 The reservoir is currently being considered in a survey of the Big Sandy River and its tributaries for which funds have been included tentatively for 1956.
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 Other speakers at the dinner praised Perkins' efforts in behalf of the Breaks of The Sandy area.

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Turner Campbell Dies In Lexington Hospital

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 Funeral arrangements have not been announced.
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 To the television people, for using my exhibit as news,
 To all teachers, over the county, and especially to the local teachers who lectured their children before and after their visit to help them enjoy the paintings.
 To my hostesses who were so helpful,
 To Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, and to Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock for lending the paintings which they own, for the duration of the exhibition.
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age. Jeep truck. Kaiser-Frazer
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Department of Highways
Frankfort, Kentucky
Sealed bids will be received by
the Department of Highways at its
office, Frankfort, Kentucky until 9:00
A.M. Central Standard Time on the
20th day of May, 1955, at which
time bids will be publicly opened
and read for the improvement of:
Floyd County, MP 36-3096-C
The Wheelwright Junction-Wheel-
wright Road from 1.00 mile within
the city limits of Wheelwright to
the NCL of Wheelwright, 1.000 mile.
Bituminous Surface Class C-1.
Floyd County, MP 36-96-D.
The Wheelwright Junction-Wheel-
wright Road from end of new con-
struction, S 352, 600 feet south of
Ky. 22 at Wheelwright Junction to
NCL of Wheelwright, 0.43 mile.
Bituminous Surface Class C-1.
The attention of the prospective
bidders is called to the prequalifica-
tion requirements, necessity for se-
curing certificates of eligibility, the
special provisions covering sublet-
ting or assigning the contract and
the Department's regulation which
prohibits the issuance of proposals
after 8:00 A.M. CENTRAL STAND-
ARD TIME on the day of the
opening of bids. Proposals will not
be issued except during official busi-
ness hours.
NOTE: A PURCHASE CHARGE
OF \$2.00 WILL BE MADE FOR
EACH PROPOSAL REMITTANCE
MUST ACCOMPANY REQUEST
FOR PROPOSAL FORMS. RE-
FUNDS WILL NOT BE MADE FOR
ANY REASON.
Further information, bidding pro-
posal, et cetera, will be furnished
upon application to the Frankfort
Office. The right is reserved to re-
ject any and all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF
HIGHWAYS
Frankfort, Kentucky
April 28, 1955.
5-5-2t.

Senior Scouts Announce
Remaining Five Players
To Battle On East Squad

The Senior Scouts of Pikeville
this week announced the remain-
ing five players chosen to perform
for the East squad in the East-
West all-star basketball games
scheduled May 31, June 2 and 4.
Of little surprise to any was the
announcement of the sensational
first team all-starter Johnny Cox
from Hazard.
The second of the five boys
announced was Doug Shively, the
pride of Lexington Lafayette.
Doug is the son of the University
of Kentucky's famed Athletic
Director, Bernie Shively.
The remaining three boys an-
nounced to play on the East team
were:
Dale Moore, who hails from
Inez, 1954 Kentucky state cham-
pions.
Don Jack Whitt, the "Jack of
all trades" from Pikeville who
helped see the Panthers through
two regional tournament cham-
pionships, in 1953 and again this
past season.
Vic Thorndals from Lexington
Henry Clay.
The complete East squad fol-
lows:
Donnis Butcher, Meade Memo-
rial; Ralph Gilliam, Pikeville;
Donnie Castle, Pirgie; Jimmy
Martin, Hindman; Jack Williams,
Paintsville; Kenneth Smallwood,
Carr Creek; Walter Ward, Hazard;
Dale Moore, Inez; Doug Shively,
Lexington Lafayette; Don Jack
Whitt, Pikeville; Vic Thorndale,
Lexington Henry Clay; Johnny
Cox, Hazard.
Information concerning tickets
for the games which will be play-
ed May 31 at Hazard, June 2 at
Paintsville and June 4 at Pike-
ville, can be obtained by address-
ing a letter or post-card to Senior
Scouts, Post No. 1, Pikeville, or
by calling Pikeville 941.

FARM NOTES
By O. E. BOGGS
County Agent

THE EARLY GARDEN
INSECTS
Among the first insects to come
to the garden are the plant lice,
on cabbage and peas. Their in-
jury is by draining the plants of
sap, and the sign is stunting of
the plants and ruffling of their
leaves. Because these sucking in-
sects do not eat leaf tissue, stom-
ach poisons are unavailable, but
the lice must themselves be hit
with materials that kill on con-
tact.
Such a material might be to-
bacco extract, except that it is ef-
fective only when the air tempera-
ture is 60 degrees or higher. As
the season for louse trouble on
cabbage and peas is cooler than
that, Malathion should be used,
as its effectiveness is not influ-
enced by temperature. Malathion
comes in 25% strength, for mak-
ing "wet" spray; 2 level table-
spoons per gallon of water. Also
it may be had as 4 percent or 5
percent dust, to be used "as is."
But dusting is only a poor second
choice to spraying. Spraying
should be done when the lice are
present. The killing should be in-
stantaneous, but if not, spray
again.
Another insect that comes early
is the black fleabettle, on pota-
toes just coming up. Its injury is
by riddling the leaves with many
small holes. Though these are in-
dividually small, added together
they constitute considerable loss
of leaf surface, and it is easily
seen why this pest is really a
serious one. Always it sets pota-
toes back, and at best, the crop
is cut down.
Because this is a chewing in-
sect, it can be killed with stom-
ach poison spray, at 50% Meth-
oxychlor, 2 tablespoons per gal-
lon of water. Or, second best, 5%
dust may be used. The program
consists of 3 applications, as fol-
lows:
(1) When the potatoes are 4
inches high.
(2) Ten days later.
(3) In 10 days, again.
That program has resulted in
hastening the table maturity of
potatoes as much as 15 days, and
because of the removal of the
fleabettle handicap, total yield
has been doubled.


Only one state—Tennessee—re-
ported a rise in coal production in
1954, a total of 6,154,000 tons, against
5,467,000 tons in 1953.

BOOK MANDT AS SPEAKER

Floyd Coal Operator
On Mining Congress'
Cleveland Program

Coal industry officials and op-
erating personnel from every coal
mining area of the nation will
attend the 1955 Coal Convention
and Exposition of the America
Mining Congress, May 16-19, in
Cleveland, Ohio, to study techni-
cal progress in coal mining and
to view the comprehensive ex-
hibits of more than 225 mining
equipment manufacturers.
Among the Kentucky mining
men who are scheduled to speak
at the Mining Congress is A. H.
Mandt, vice-president and man-
ager of the Stephens Elkhorn Fuel
Corp., Mantion.
An industry-wide committee,
headed by Hugh B. Lee, president,
Maumee Collieries Co., Terre
Haute, Indiana, has developed a
program which includes discus-
sions of modern practices and
trends in mechanical and contin-
uous mining, safety, strip mining,
mine roof support, haulage, man-
agement, and other topics.
The Exposition will include dis-
plays of machinery and equip-
ment for all phases of under-
ground and strip mining, as well
as for preparation plants, main-
tenance shops and power systems.
Completely filling the exposition
halls of Cleveland's Public audi-
torium, these exhibits will receive
intensive study by the thousands
of mining men who plan to attend.

Miss Childress, Bride
Of Dr. A. C. Kennedy



Miss Lettie Jo Childress, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Childress
of Lexington, and Dr. Audie Con-
way Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Audie Kennedy, of Henderson, were
married at 3 o'clock Saturday after-
noon, April 23, in the Chapel of
Memories at Central Christian
Church, Lexington, with the Rev.
Homer Swindall, of Mt. Eden, of-
ficiating at the double ring cere-
mony.
A program of nuptial selections
was played by Mrs. Swindall, or-
ganist.
The bride wore a white knit suit
with pale-blue hat and navy acces-
sories. Her corsage was a white
orchid carried on a white prayer
book.
Mrs. James Eddins, Jr., of Hen-
derson, sister of the bridegroom,
was the matron of honor, and Mr. Ed-
dins served as best man.
The ceremony was followed by a
reception at the home of the bride's
parents.
The couple will make their home
at 1600 South Limestone, for the
present. They will go to North Car-
olina for their wedding trip.
The bride is a graduate of La-
fayette high school and was a stu-
dent at the University of Kentucky.
She also attended school at the
Louisville General hospital, where
she took training as an X-ray tech-
nician.
Dr. Kennedy is a graduate of the
Morganville high school, and did his
premedical work at Murray State
College, where he was member of
Tri Beta honorary fraternity. He
received his M. D. degree from the
University of Louisville Medical
school in 1954 and is a member of
the Phi Chi medical fraternity. He
is now interning at the Good Sam-
aritan hospital.

Appeals Court Disbars Abner May, of Pikeville, Because of Misconduct

An order disbaring Abner May,
Pikeville, from practicing law in
Kentucky was entered by the
Court of Appeals last Friday.
It directed that May's applica-
tion for reinstatement be referred
to the Board of Bar Commission-
ers for consideration and a recom-
mendation to the court.
The board had recommended
that May be disbarred "because
of misconduct in the handling of
funds of a guardianship estate,"
the Appellate Court said.
It made the disbarment effec-
tive as of April 13, 1953, the date
on which May had surrendered
his license. He said he did not
admit "any of the matters set forth"
in the complaint, but did "not
desire to contest" it before the
bar association.
The Appellate Court said it had
issued an order November 2, 1953,
directing May to show why he
shouldn't be adjudged guilty of
unprofessional conduct, and be
disbarred, as recommended by the
board.
No response was received and,
the court said, "through inadver-
tence or oversight the matter lay
dormant until February, 1955,
when it was brought to the at-
tention of the court." Another
order was issued, May responded
and applied for reinstatement, fil-
ing "letters from a number of
Pikeville attorneys, certifying as
to his good character and conduct
since April, 1953."
However, the court said "no
cause had been shown why he
should not have been found guilty."
His good conduct since the
recommendation for disbarment
... can be considered only upon
an application for reinstatement,
following disbarment ...

Although bituminous coal mining
is generally considered to be an un-
derground operation, nearly one-
quarter — or more than 100,000,000
tons — of the soft coal mined in 1953
came from above-ground strip
mines, the latest statistics disclose.
Emptying coal cars quickly and
efficiently requires Paul Bunyan
methods. One now in use involves
picking up the car and turning it
over.

RHEUMATISM — ARTHRITIS
SUFFERERS OFFERED
AMAZING RELIEF
A truly remarkable new medical dis-
covery now offers wonderfully fast
relief from nagging, crippling agony
of Arthritis, Rheumatism, Neuritis
and Neuralgia. Sensational Ar-Pan-
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stream to bring blessed relief from
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muscles and nerves.
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worth living again—bring back rest-
ful nights—active days. Most stub-
born cases are helped by Ar-Pan-Ex.
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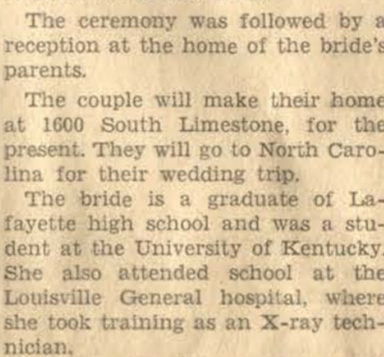
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must be left in the round. Bolts over 15 inches must be
split into quarters.
LENGTH:
All sticks must measure five (5) feet in length. Sticks
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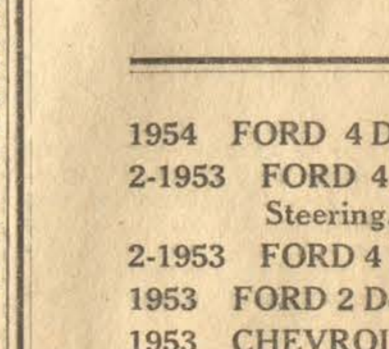
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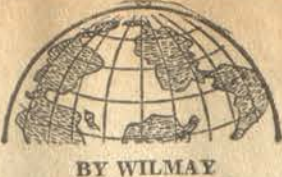


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SCRATCH-ME-NOT WITH ITCH-ME-NOT: In 15 minutes after applying Itch-Me-Not, if you have to scratch your itch, your 40c back at any drug store. Apply it for any externally caused itch. Ask for Itch-Me-Not today at Rose Drug.

A "baby" coke oven, electrically heated, has been developed as an aid in developing higher quality coals. Illustrating its diminutive size, this oven takes only 500 pounds of coal, compared with 18 tons in the standard-sized coke oven.



IT'S A GOOD WORLD

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

Since the editor has been correcting the spelling of this writer for over twenty-five years, it's hard to know who was to blame for PA coming out PAW last week.

A year ago this column predicted Bro. Caldwell would have a strong Baptist Church in Wheelwright in no time. All who read the marvelous report in the Western Recorder this week agree. Brother Burt leaves that kind of record wherever he goes. His whole family works.

It was a joy to meet Laura Virginia Roberts last week. Many believe her fine column on books will some day be syndicated. In addition to her remarkable literary talent the gal can really sing.

These sunny days are wonderful. Specially for gardeners. Mae wants my bonnet, and Mabel likes my yard-wide sunshade, but so far neither has asked for my hoe and rake! Got five rows of dahlias out, all kinds of annuals, marigolds, nasturtiums, zinnias, and so on. Last summer somebody—believe it was Mrs. Chaunce Osborn—asked Libs what kind of flowers she'd use in her bridal bouquet, and she said, "Baby zinnias, from Mother's garden." What's more, she'd have done it, if the button asters had not bloomed just in time.

Folks are worryin' 'cause the Dogwood Trail is not leafin' out properly. Some of the trees were pruned too closely, but they forget that Miss Winnie Johns is behind them. She'll find a way to scare the leaves out, if nothing else works. Some of the trees planted on the Maytown hill by the Maytown Woman's Club are leaved now, but theirs are six to ten feet tall. That club planted dogwoods all over town years ago, and now a tree in Mrs. Frank May's yard is in full bloom, with one limb only in pink blooms, while the oth-

ers are white as usual. Few of us could believe that but since Lillie herself told it we have to. For further proof she sent a blossom off it to me.

Speakin' o' clubs Ottis Spurlock has a fine suggestion. He says there should be a Floyd County Council of Women's Clubs, for they do so much good. The Club presidents have met a time or two in connection with the Good World Radio work, which they have done so much to promote. Mr. Spurlock also offers a free ride for any club women who can go with him to the Child Welfare Conference in Berea, June 13-16. Nice of him.

Got a curiosity on hand, a dahlia sprouting at the wrong end. We have had them before and Regina never would believe it. Can't wait till she sees this one, with eight to ten sprouts at its tip.

For years Mrs. Mayo has saved clippings about the family for her grandchildren, the little Spradlins and Damrons. Mrs. Henry Scaf has kept a scrapbook about her husband's late, famous mother, for their daughter. Nice projects, to develop family pride.

It was good to visit with Mr. Harry Cooley in Prestonsburg recently. The Cooleys are former next door neighbors of ours, and better ones cannot exist. His friends are much concerned about his illness.

Tune in on WPRT at 9:30, May 7, for a half-hour Special to Floyd County Mothers. You will be sorry if you miss it. It will be worth your time to hear the Maytown male quartette. Many say Nickie Turner has the best bass voice in the county. Deacon Terry has been invited to sing, if he is free to attend. And you want to know who wins the contest for the county Mother.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Times:

Friends and educators of the retarded may be interested in knowing of the following publications that deal with retarded children. Also I would urge every parent of a retarded child to write for the following literature which will prove a great help to them in helping their own child. These publications are also of value for other handicapped children, as one seeks to train them. A splendid bulletin (free) is "Some Suggestions for the Parents of Severely Handicapped Children." Write to Indiana State Teachers College, Special Education Clinic, Terre Haute, Indiana.

Another one is: "New Hope for the Retarded Child" (price 25c). Write to Public Affairs Pamphlet, 22 East 38th St., New York, N. Y., asking for this pamphlet by name.

A parent of a retarded child should contact the National Association for Retarded Children, 129 E. 52nd St., New York, N. Y., and ask for their literature and help. Much of it is free, and all of it is splendid.

Floyd county teachers should certainly study the following papers: "Literature of the Southbury Training School," Southbury, Conn.; "A Curriculum for the Trainable Child," Southern Wisconsin Colony and Training School, Union Grove, Wisconsin; "A School Program for Trainable Mentally Retarded Children," Association Help of Retarded Children, Inc., 323 Fourth Ave., New York, N. Y., and "The Severely Retarded Child Goes to School?" (25c), Address Supt. of Documents, Gov't Printing Office, Washington, 25, D. C.

Last but not least, the George Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn., offers some splendid courses in the training of all branches of Handicapped Children, including the retarded. It is to be hoped that a number of our teachers might investigate this famous school and perhaps fit themselves to help teach these children who have too long been forgotten and neglected. The courses are very cheap, room and board being about the only large expense.

A READER

OF THIS AND THAT Editor, The Times:

It's spring again in Kentucky, but there's not a leaf on the Dogwood Trail, let alone a flower. Most of the dogwood trees that were supposed to be planted in this place, the wind has blown them down, or the cars have run over them because they were not planted deep enough in the ground or put within four feet at the concrete on the highway. They should have been planted on the outer edge of the highway.

The ladies who sponsored this project must not have married ladies, or else they would have known better than to send husbands out alone to plant the trees. My husband generally digs up the flowers I plant. When I jump on him about it, he says, "Oh, I

thought they were old stick weeds." So to the ladies that sponsored the Dogwood Trail, my advice is not to trust husbands to plant them.

I may add that the dogwood trail is a small thing to worry about. Every day I see families going by with their little trailers loaded with a few household goods, leaving Kentucky especially this Eastern part—no doubt with sorrowful hearts, hating to leave their little homes to have to take their little children to live in any kind of place they can find. So they may find employment. I'd like to know what is wrong with this country of ours. We have natural gas, lots of coal, and anything else we need. Why can't they build factories here? It makes us people feel ill to see these big men coming here talking about what a bad economic situation Eastern Kentucky is in. They have been doing that far at least three years now. Not one thing has been done to help us out in any way. I guess the big salary they are getting is what is bringing them here. The next one that comes here to hold a meeting, some one should give him a sack and tell him on his next trip bring it full of commodities. It will help Eastern Kentucky more than his visits.

Anyway our highways are getting bad, I hardly see how the big officials and surveyors for the canalization of the Big Sandy river can get their cars in this part of the country. So maybe this is the answer; our highways will soon be so bad, so bad they can't come to see us and they say Floyd county is nearly in bankruptcy so she can't help any. And where did the money go that Floyd county should have? Pike county has a poor home to take their poor people to, but there are too many of us Floyd countians to go up there. Don't get me wrong what I say about the Pike county poor home. No wonder their officials take great pride in it. It is a wonderful thing for the poor. But we Floyd countians don't have one. We could use one if we had it, but they say we have no money.

So won't some one take this from here and tell us what to do? I am too confused to say another word.

MRS. RAY DINGUS Mare Creek, Ky.

BOOST PRODUCTION

Three West Virginia counties boosted bituminous coal mine production more than 2,000 tons each between 1940 and 1953, according to recently published statistics. Wyoming county produced 8,763,000 tons in 1953 and 3,497,000 tons in 1940. Harrison county 1953 production was 3,562,000 tons, and 3,939,000 tons in 1940. Mingo county, 7,131,000 tons in 1953 and 3,443,000 tons in 1940.

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MAN NABBED HERE PENNED

Baldrige Draws Life In Robbery Trial; Was Taken Here Last April

Robert Baldrige, 24-year-old Paintsville man who was arrested here recently by Prestonsburg police, was sentenced to a life prison term by a jury of the Johnson circuit court early this week.

Baldrige was arrested April 5 by police here after a series of holdups were reported in Paintsville. He was identified as the man who followed Chester Patrick from Pelphrey's Grocery in Paintsville to the Stafford Addition and after placing a gun to his side, ordered him to hand over his wallet. The bandit found only 30 cents in Patrick's pockets.

Baldrige had been convicted on two felony charges previously, and was given trial under the Habitual Criminal Act.

On the same evening Patrick was robbed, Elzie Wheeler reported that he was accosted by a bandit who held him up with a gun and took \$7 from his pocket.

A few hours earlier a .38 caliber revolver, belonging to Bill Johnson of the Turkey Knob section, Paintsville, was reported stolen.

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Allen 4-H Rally Set For May 7, Announced; Spurlock, Guest Speaker

Floyd county 4-H-ers will hold a rally at Allen, May 7. Joyce Ann Sturgill, county secretary, said this week. The meet will get under way at 9 a. m. and will be held in the grade school. Claudena Lowe, president of the county 4-H Club Council, will preside.

Features of the program will be public speaking, songs, demonstrations and pledges. Guest speakers will be Ottis Spurlock, Rev. Clarence Mansfield, Mrs. Kelsie Elliott and Mrs. Ottis Spurlock. Pledges, Christian, American and 4-H, will be given by Forks of Middle Creek, Brandy Keg and Spruce Pine schools. Among the visiting county agents from nearby counties, who will be present to assist in the judging of demonstrations will be Prichard King and Manuel Arnett. County Agent O. E. Boggs, of Floyd county, will judge a boys' seed identification contest. Lloyd Wells, Prestonsburg vo-ag teacher, will also assist in the day's activities as will many others.

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Three weeks ago we published in The Times part of the financial condition of Floyd county. We asked the Judge to give us a statement of what he intends to do about continuing this condition. We have been ignored since April 5, 1952, when the Taxpayers League, was organized. This condition must cease in Floyd county. We have a budget law that prohibits overspending in Floyd county. The judge has been a county official since 1939—sixteen long years.

It is our understanding that it would take 30 years to pay this county out of debt under the present set up at the court house. We ask you taxpayers: Do you want this dangerous liability to continue?

We warned the people in 1952 that there would be a blanket raise in taxes. Now you ask yourself: Did it happen? Yes, this happened, Mr. Taxpayer.

What we want to know: Do the taxpayers want an injunction filed in Circuit Court to stop this monstrous spending? That depends upon you, taxpayer. Do you or don't you? Let us know by mail or otherwise.

We advise all claimants against the county to file their claims by June 1.

Floyd County Good Government Taxpayers League

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COLLINS IN KOREA
I Corps, Korea — Pfc. Haskell G. Collins, whose wife, Sue, lives at Prestonsburg, Ky., recently was graduated from the I Corps Non-Commissioned Officer Academy in Korea.

A tank driver in the 7th Infantry Division's 32d Regiment, he received instruction in leadership of units, map reading and other military subjects.

Collins, a graduate of Prestonsburg high school, entered the Army in September, 1953, and arrived overseas last August. His father, Albert Collins, lives in Prestonsburg.



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Eastern State Choir To Sing Here Monday

Richmond, Ky., May 3 (Special) —The Eastern Kentucky State College Choir composed of 51 voices will present six concerts in Eastern Kentucky on May 9 and 10. The choir will be under the direction of Professor James E. Van Peursem, head of the Department of Music at Eastern.

The choir will make the following appearances on Monday, May 9: Paintsville high school, 10:45 a.m.; Prestonsburg high school, 1:45 p.m.; and Virgie high school, 7:30 p.m.

The choir will present a program of choral music including an arrangement of sacred and secular selections.

Seventeen members of the choir are graduates of high schools in Eastern Kentucky. Among these are Billie Blackburn, Betsy Layne, and Franklin Salisbury, Martin.

DAUGHTER BORN
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Cooley, Sunday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, their second child, first daughter, named Jennifer. The babe weighed eight pounds.



Chalk drawings, in color executed by the Rev. J. E. Durham, of David, are credited by the United Baptist Church at Brush Creek, near Hip-po, with the success of the Sunday School organized in the church by Rev. Durham, Alka Hicks, trustee of the church, said recently.

The accompanying drawing illustrated the Sunday School lesson for Easter Sunday, and shown in the sketch are a part of the city of Jerusalem, the hill of Calvary, the three crosses, the empty tomb and the Resurrection Angel.

The Sunday School meets at 10 a.m. each Sunday, and the public is invited to attend.

Rich Hayes, 77, Langley, Dies At Home Tuesday; Burial On Turkey Creek

Rich Hayes, 77, retired Langley farmer, was found dead in bed Tuesday of last week. A heart attack was given as the cause of death. It was said by relatives that he suffered two attacks some time ago.

A son of the late Hezekiah and Jemima Salisbury Hayes, he was married to Susan Rasmick Hayes, who preceded him in death. One son, Jack Hayes, of Terre Haute, Ind., survives.

Surviving brothers and sisters are Floyd county jailer Prock Hayes, and Bee Hayes, both of Prestonsburg, Marion Hayes, Kendall Hayes, and Mrs. Hala Webb, all of Langley, D. B. Hayes, of Pikeville, Mrs. Girlie Wallen, of Hindman, Mrs. Emma Turner, of Wayland, and Roscoe Hayes, of Martin.

Funeral services were conducted last Sunday at 10 a.m., at the Wilson Creek Baptist church, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Sherman Stone and Huff officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Turkey Creek under the direction of Turner Funeral Home.

MARTIN
By Betty Preflatish

Mrs. A. H. Mandt and four Prestonsburg women friends are on a motor trip in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Maggard, of Radford, Va., were visiting his mother and her husband, the Rev. and Mrs. Willard Akers during the week-end. Sunday, all of them were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Meade, of Prestonsburg. Mr. and Mrs. Meade brought Mrs. Akers home and while here visited Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Sammons and baby, of Lima, Ohio, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sammons, here over the week-end. A terrible accident occurred Saturday night when his young brother, Robert Jr., was killed.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rowe and son, Jimmy, of Calvert City spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Flannery.

Dr. and Mrs. John Sherman and daughter Sue and son Jerome were visiting Keeneland racetrack, Lexington, last week-end.

Polkie Prater, of the Caney Creek section, has returned to her home after spending several days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Frazier.

Paul Branham took Betty Preflatish to Muncie, Ind., to visit her sisters, Mrs. Della Jackson and Mrs. L. M. Hayes, and her niece, Mrs. E. E. Mullins. Her other sister, Sarah Jane Hill, who had been spending several weeks there, accompanied them home.

Lt. Frank Music, who is now Mr. Music, was visiting friends in Martin during the week-end. He had just returned after serving several months in Germany and was discharged at Fort Knox, Ky. His wife is still in Germany. She also is in the army, but is due home this month. They plan living in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Nola Hasto, of Cleveland, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Kelly Dings, and her brother, John Flannery.

Mrs. Lizzie Hill, Mrs. Oscar Branham and son Paul and Mrs. Rebecca Frazier were visiting relatives on Caney and Buckeye last week.

Denzil Stumbo and T. J. Allen have returned from a week's fishing at Cumberland Lake.

Mrs. Artelia Layne, 83, Dies of Stroke In Ohio; Was Floyd County Native

Mrs. Artelia Dotson Layne, 83, widow of Moses S. Layne, of this county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ora Baisden, at Oak Hill, O., Monday at 8 a. m. She was the victim of a stroke suffered some time ago and complicated with the infirmities of old age.

She was born April 9, 1872, in this county, the daughter of Andrew and Biddie Richardson Dotson. She was united in marriage to Moses S. Layne, June 7, 1894, and he preceded her in death in 1928. The greater part of Mrs. Layne's life was spent at Oak Hill, where she lived with her daughter, Mrs. Baisden. She was a member of the United Baptist church.

Besides her daughter, Mrs. Baisden, she is survived by one son, Elbert S. Layne, of Oak Hill, and a brother, Mitchell L. Dotson, of Oak Hill. Surviving also are two grandchildren, Mrs. Carl Livingston, Jr., of Columbus, O., and Mrs. Bill McNeil, of Oak Hill, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at a church in Thurman, Ohio, Wednesday afternoon, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne officiating. Burial followed in the Hill cemetery at Thurman under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.



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CHILD DIES

Martin Lou Stone, Jr., age ten months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stone, of Big Split, W. Va., who formerly of Prestonsburg, died last Friday. The child was the victim of pneumonia. He was an only child. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at the United Baptist church on Town Branch, Revs. L. P. Tussey, Ashland Shepherd, and Ted Nelson officiating. Burial followed in the Stone cemetery on Middle Creek under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

East McDowell Woman Succumbs In Lexington; Was Heart Attack Victim

Miss Margie Howell, 30, of East McDowell, died at a Lexington hospital, at 8:10 p.m., last Saturday. She succumbed to a heart attack.

A daughter of Johnny Howell, she was never married. Surviving brothers and sisters are Everett, Pearl, Granville, and Earmon Howell, all of McDowell, Mrs. Virgie Osborne, of Allen, Mrs. Sylvia Akers, of Franklin Furnace, O., Mrs. Bob Jones, of Louisa, Mrs. Louisa Bartley and Mrs. Milly Osborne, both of McDowell.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, at 10 a.m., at the home, Revs. Wayne Howell, Tink Osborne, E. M. Bartley and Joe Reynolds officiating. Burial followed in the family cemetery at East McDowell under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Highway Clean-Up

The victim was employed as a miner by the Laferty Elkhorn Coal Company at Maytown. He is survived by his parents, Robert Sammons, Sr., and Mrs. Patsy Click Sammons, of Arkansas Creek, and four brothers, Lloyd Sammons, of the Air Force, home on furlough from Germany, Ward Sammons, of Lima, Ohio, Ross Sammons, of the Marine Corps, Camp Lejeune, N. C., and Bermon Sammons, at home.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the Sammons residence, the Rev. Henry Parsons officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

The Christian county homemakers association will cooperate in a county highway clean-up campaign.

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plans to visit school officials and friends in the state came from their discussions on "how to help nominate Bert Combs for Governor."

Mrs. Olna Hamilton, Prestonsburg, has been appointed Floyd county campaign chairwoman for Bert T. Combs, Mrs. Amanda Sutton, Langley, and Mrs. Bertha Turner, Minnie, were appointed co-chairwomen.

The appointments were announced by Miss Pearl F. Runyon, state campaign chairwoman for Combs, and Mrs. T. C. Carroll, co-chairwoman, at the same time as were the chairwomen to run Combs' campaign in 9 other counties.

A six-member speakers committee for the women's division of Combs' headquarters also was announced recently.

The women's speakers committee consists of:

Mrs. Wilson Wyatt, Louisville, past president of Louisville Junior League of Women, and Younger Woman's Club of Jefferson county, state-at-large representative of the Democratic Women's Clubs in Kentucky; Mrs. Elgin Morison, Frankfort, former state president of Democratic Women's Clubs in Kentucky, vice-chairman of the central executive committee of the Democratic party in Kentucky; Mrs. Susan Bond Rutherford, Lawrenceburg, state campaign chairwoman for Alben W. Barkley, 1954, former member of the House of Representatives, presently Assistant Secretary of State of Kentucky; Mrs. J. Lee Moore, Franklin, first woman State Senator, active in Democratic women's and civic activities and educational work in Kentucky for many years; Mrs. Courtland Pollard, Lawrenceburg, former state president of Federated Women's Clubs of Kentucky and Democratic national committeewomen from Kentucky; Mrs. Queenie Grable, Lexington, former state president of Business & Professional Women's Clubs of Kentucky, national recording secretary of the same organization.

Women's advisory committees to work in each of the state's eight congressional districts for Combs were announced Saturday. A total of 50 women were named to the eight committees.

The committee for the Seventh district is composed of Mrs. C. K. Stacy, West Liberty; Mrs. Bevie Pratt, Hindman; Mrs. DuRan Moore, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Joe Foley, Hazard; Mrs. Chester W. Smith, Pikeville; Mrs. Marcus Mann, Salyersville.

Alumni Association Of Pikeville College To Hold Annual Meet

Alumni Association of Pikeville College and Academy will hold its annual business meeting at 7 p.m., Tuesday in "Old" Chapel on the college campus.

Plans for the alumni banquet, held just before Commencement at the college each year, will be set in motion at the business meeting, Sidney Ratliff, Jr., Association president announced. Election of officers for the coming year will be the other chief item of business, Ratliff said in urging all graduates and former students of both schools to attend.

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rear (in.)	34.2	35.9	34.0	34.6	34.9
Shoulder room, front (in.)	57.0	56.6	58.2	58.2	58.0
rear (in.)	56.8	56.4	56.7	56.7	57.8
Maximum trunk depth (in.)	48.9	48.4	46.0	46.0	55.0
Floor covering, front	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
rear	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
Foam-rubber seat cushions	YES	NO	NO	NO	Front Only
Two-stage front door checks	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Center-Fill Fueling	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Suspended brake and clutch pedals	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES
Horsepower, maximum (V-8)	182	180	188	185	175
Torque, maximum (lbs.-ft.)	268	264	256	320	240
Compression ratio (to 1)	8.5	8.0	8.4	8.5	7.6
18-mm. spark plugs	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Dual exhaust	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
4-barrel carburetor	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Ball-joint front suspension	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	192	178	185	192	174

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Father of P'burg Man Dies In Johnson County Following Long Illness

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bennie Rice, 38, and Audrey Burke, 22, both of Catlettsburg; marriage solemnized here April 23 by the Rev. Glen Whitaker. Bee B. Slone vs. Carole L. Hicks Klukowski, James K. Bentley, 22, Beaver, and Virginia Mullins, 16, Printer; married here May 4, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating.

Jesse K. Price, 76 years old, of River, Johnson county, father of Frank Price, of Prestonsburg, died in a Paintsville hospital Monday of a heart ailment of several months' duration.

A retired miner, Mr. Price was a native of Lawrence county, the son of Frank and Susan Franklin Price. He was married in 1898 to Sally Butcher, who preceded him in death six years ago.

Survivors include six sons, Otto Price, Freeburn, Ky.; Charlie Price, Dayton, Ohio; Frank Price, Prestonsburg; Bill and Russel Price, both of River, and Clark Price, Cameo, W. Va.; two daughters, Mrs. Maude Pigg, Paintsville, and Mrs. Ina Castle, Wharton, W. Va.; one brother, Silver Price, River, 40 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Burial was made in the family cemetery.

PRESTONSBURG

DRIVE-IN THEATRE

FRI-SAT., May 6-7—Double Feature—

"California Passage"
Forrest Tucker, Adele Mara, Estelita Rodriguez

"Paris Model"
Marilyn Maxwell, Eva Gabor, Paulette Goddard, Barbara Lawrence

LATE SHOW—FRI-SAT.—

"Naked Alibi"
Sterling Hayden, Gene Barry, Gloria Grahame, Marcia Henderson

SUN.-MON.—Double Feature—

"Dial M For Murder"
(In Warner Color)
Ray Milland, Grace Kelly, Robert Cummings

"Toughest Man in Arizona"
(In Tricolor)
Vaughn Monroe, Joan Leslie

TUESDAY ONLY—**"Playgirl"**
Shelley Winters, Barry Sullivan
Cartoon and News

WED.-THURS., May 11-12—Double Feature—

"Human Desire"
Glen Ford, Gloria Grahame

"The Gambler from Natchez"
(In Technicolor)
Dale Robertson, Debra Paget, Thomas Gomez

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Floyd County Board of Education recently demonstrated their awareness of the county's needs through their support of the Bookmobile.

Recent contributors of books to the project include: Carl H. Corbin, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Anna Jean Crum, Langley; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Effie Powell, West Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris, West Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hamilton, Harold; Wade Sloan, Hi Hat; Mrs. William Crawford, David.

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SAT., 7:30 p.m.—Double Feature—**"Tarzan and the Leopard Woman"**
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JURY PONDERES DAMRON FATE

Floyd Men, Witnesses In Trial of Torso Case; Goodman Tells of Bribe

The jury reported itself as "hopelessly deadlocked" in the Damron trial at 5 p.m. today and was discharged. It had deliberated 11½ hours.

A former jailer testified in the second murder trial of Willard "Cat" Damron the second day of the trial that Damron paid him to allow Clyde Jack Clements to escape from jail.

Damron, whose first trial resulted in a hung jury last December, was charged with killing Clements, a former Tennessee convict who fled the Pike County jail in May, 1953. He is being tried this time by an all-male Boyd county jury.

The Commonwealth witness, Claude Goodman, about 30, was deputy jailer at the time of Clements' escape. Goodman told the Pike Circuit Court that Damron paid him \$100 to let Clements escape.

He was to receive an additional \$500 later, the witness said, but he never got it. Goodman, whose testimony was vague at times, said he aided Clements by letting him trace the pattern of a cell-door key, on a piece of paper.

It was brought out at Damron's first trial that the key used by Clements may have been fashioned from a comb.

The witness also testified that he went to Damron's poolroom in nearby Boldman the morning of the day Clements escaped and told the defendant, "That fellow is ready to leave," apparently referring to Clements.

Goodman was convicted last December on a charge of having carnal knowledge of a female, but has never been sentenced. He said he saw Damron in November after Clements' escape.

The witness said Damron told him he had seen Clements in Detroit, and that he owned a new car, and seemed to be doing well.

Goodman, who lost his deputy jailer's job after the last election, said he never saw Clements again. The prosecution contends that it was Clements whose body was found without head, feet, or hands on nearby Johns Creek by a tenant farmer, Warren Lewis, a former resident of this county, in March, 1954.

Identification was based on a brown suit and other personal effects, including a belt, glasses, comb, and a magazine clipping.

Charles Raney, a driver for the Ideal Cleaners of Martin at the time of the incident, testified that he delivered a brown two-trouser suit to Damron's home August 14, 1953, that bore the laundry mark a-8251.

Three pairs of trousers, all bearing that mark, have been introduced as evidence, two by the defense and one by the prosecution. The prosecution contends that the victim wore the trousers it offered.

Another witness, William Huddleston, owner of Ideal Cleaners, verified that the mark appeared in his records.

Testimony of another witness concerned one of two Social Security cards found in the rotting clothing on the torso. One of the cards bore the name of the witness, Saul Crisp, an uncle of Damron's wife, Mrs. Blanche Damron.

Crisp said that while he was in the Army in the South Pacific he mailed the card to a brother, Walter Crisp, who lived then at Martin.

Walter Crisp, now of Catlettsburg, also testified, saying he never received the card.

The prosecution apparently tried to show that Clements might have obtained the card through Damron or his wife because of their relationship to Crisp.

The Commonwealth cross-examined William Huddleston Monday and brought out new evidence. He testified his records show the laundry mark 4-T-8251 has appeared only once on a two-piece suit with an extra pair of trousers.

Huddleston told the court that was August 11, 1953. He said such a suit was taken from Damron's home that day and returned Aug. 14.

The laundry mark appears on the trousers found on the torso. Huddleston reported that the number had appeared on other clothing, but never again on such a suit combination.

The Commonwealth also tried to link Damron with Clements in testimony. Damron's second cousin, Mrs. Ruby Mae Meade, and her husband, Felix, testified that a photograph of Clements resembled a man they saw at the home of Logan Damron at Hurricane Creek in August, 1953. Logan Damron is the defendant's father.

The Commonwealth, over defense objections brought out that the Meades signed notarized statements before the first Damron trial. Mrs. Meade said in the statement, "Yes that is the man."

Her husband in his statement commented, "If that isn't him it's his identical twin."

Monday, however, Mrs. Meade said the photograph resembled "just a little" the man she saw. And her husband testified, "I said it looked like him."

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Glover Spencer, division superintendent, James Stumbo, assistant division superintendent, William E. Osbourn, junior engineer, and Walter Gunnell, well-scout, all of the production department, will remain on the second floor of the present office.

Paul F. Jarrell, Southern division superintendent of the compressor departments, will move into a second-floor office from another location in Prestonsburg. Irvin Stumbo, distribution department foreman, will move downstairs from an upstairs office in the building.

Wilbur G. Stiles, division superintendent, and C. A. Compton, district meter inspector, both of the gas measurement department, will remain on the first floor. William H. Howell, leaseman of the land department, remains on the second floor.

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Edward Arnold, Virginia Gray

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BLACK CATS WIN TOURNEY

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Defending district and regional baseball champion Wheelwright and Prestonsburg meet on the Wheelwright diamond Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 in the first game of the K. H. S. A. A. district tournament.

Martin, last season's runner-up in the district, battles the winner for the championship at 1:30 Friday afternoon. The district winner will advance to the Grayson regional, May 26-27.

Coach William Goebel's Prestonsburg Black Cats won the northern division of the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference baseball tournament by edging Belfry 6-5 in 10 innings.

Righthander Bert Dixon went the route and limited the Pike count to 5 hits, while his mates pounded E. Hatfield for nine, including three by shortstop Lowell Hughes.

Second-baseman Scotty Hamilton tied the count at 3-3 in the fifth frame as he uncorked a double with three Black Cats on base, then Hughes gave Prestonsburg a 4-3 margin with a single.

In the seventh and Prestonsburg again behind 5-4, Hughes knotted the score with a single and that drove home centerfielder Ronnie Goebel who had singled.

Dixon won his own game with a safe blow in the tenth, following Melvin Stewart's walk.

Prestonsburg had advanced to the finals with a 15-14 rain-soaked win over Paintsville and drubbed Pikeville 17-3 as Clifford Goble tossed a 4-hitter.

Belfry gained the finals with a 3-1 decision over Elkhorn City. As soon as the Southern division is completed, Prestonsburg will vie with the victor for the E.K.M.C. crown.

Denzil Halbert's Martin Purple Flash stopped Louisa 4-2 Friday when righthander James Allen spun a 4-hitter. Catcher Jason Ousley drilled a singled with the bases loaded in the fifth to decide the fray.

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JACKETS EDGE PAST JENKINS

Whitesburg Wins Annual Conference Field Meet; P'burg To Play Hazard

Whitesburg high school won the fourth annual Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference track meet Tuesday afternoon by grabbing the last two events to edge by Jenkins, 35 to 27.

Elkhorn City finished with 22 points for third place and others were: Hazard, 13; Belfry, 11; Prestonsburg, 7 1/2; Pikeville, 7; Fleming, 5, and Paintsville, one-half.

Coach Edd Moore's Yellow Jackets broke their own loop mark in the 880-yard relay as Wig Sexton, Buddy Fields, B. Holbrook and C. Fugate reeled off the distance in 1:46.

Belfry's Charles Blackburn established a new conference mark in the mile run as he breezed home in 5:22, 13.2 seconds better than the 1952 record.

Pat Stidham, of Hazard was high man in the meet with 10 points, picking up one first place in the broad jump and high jump. He cleared 5 feet, 4 inches in the high jump, but failed to tie the conference record held by Delmar Hughes (Prestonsburg) whose mark stands at 5 feet, 5.

Prestonsburg high school athletes posted these records in the meet: Ronnie Goble, second in the broad jump and fourth in the 100-yard dash; Bert Dixon, fourth in the 440-yard distance; Jeep Alexander, third in the pole vault.

The same teams, along with Phelps, Ezel, Wolfe County, Martin, M. C. Napier and Stuart Robinson will vie for the regional crown May 13.

Hazard and Prestonsburg will vie for the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference baseball crown, Monday afternoon at Hazard. Hazard won its division by edging Jenkins, 7-6, in the finals, and drubbed Fleming, 10-1, in the semi-finals.

Members of 4-H clubs in Larue county made store window exhibits of their work during National 4-H Week.

E. M. Miller of the State Department of Agriculture conducted a series of bee-keeping meetings in Eastern Kentucky.

SPORTS CHATTER

By Gordon Moore

William Damron, ex-Prestonsburg high school basketball tutor, has resigned at Rock Hill, Ohio, to accept the basketball duties at Lucasville, Ohio, high school in Scioto county.

Contrary to popular belief that Florida and Michigan are the most popular fishing states in the United States, Minnesota is the leading fishing spot in America, according to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

The North Star state, with its 10,000-plus lakes, sold 1,277,917 fishing licenses during the year.

Not a Floyd countian was selected on the East Squad that will play a squad of West high school all-star cagers in three post season games in Pikeville, Paintsville and Hazard.

For local interest in the respective towns, Jack Gary Williams, of Paintsville, Ralph Gilliam and Don Whit, of Pikeville and Walter Ward, of Hazard, were chosen.

Probably selected on a more meritorious basis were Hazard's Johnny Cox, Meade Memorial's Dennis Butcher and Carr Creek's Kenneth Smallwood.

After that sixteen innings loss to the Giants, Sunday, the Reds are still losing, but it is now taking longer, if that is any consolation.

Lowell Hughes, an outstanding football and basketball player at Prestonsburg High, performed equally as well on the baseball field. In fourteen trips to the plate in three E. K. M. C. games the agile youth poled eight hits.

The bullfrog season opens May 15 and extends through December 31. Either a hunting or fishing license is required. The creel limit is 15 for a 24-hour period—noon till noon.

Contrary to several beliefs, there is no size limit on Black Bass or any other game fish this season, but there is a creel limit of 10 bass, 30 crappie, Musky 5, Pike 5, however it is highly doubtful if too many people will have to worry about an excessive creel limit.

A fisherman was taken to a hospital in Miami Beach after landing a fighting 8-pound mackerel.

As soon as the struggling fish was freed of the hook, it bit the angler on the leg and the wound required seven stitches.

BIDS ASKED

Frankfort, Ky., May 2 — The State Department of Highways called for bids to be received May 17 for fabrication and erection of all signs along the Kentucky turnpike and for the installation of roadway lighting at two toll plazas and service areas and four interchanges, including power supply.

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Mrs. M. G. Peak and Ernest L. Harris were honored as Extension leaders in Oldham county the past year.

Members of homemakers clubs in Trimble county have read 267 books so far this year, according to Mrs. Robert Loudon, county reading chairman.

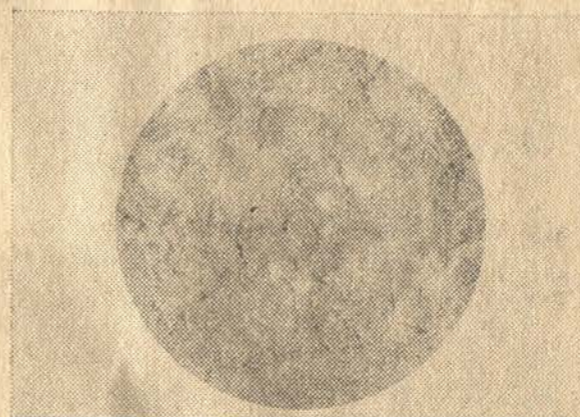
Dairy farmers in Anderson county are testing new chemicals in an effort to control wild onions.

The University of Kentucky has set up a five-year pasture demonstration on the Paul Choate farm near Hickman Fulton county.

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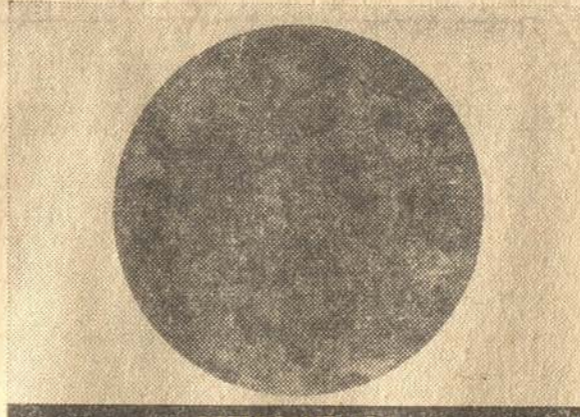
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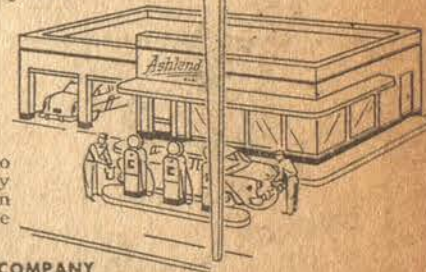


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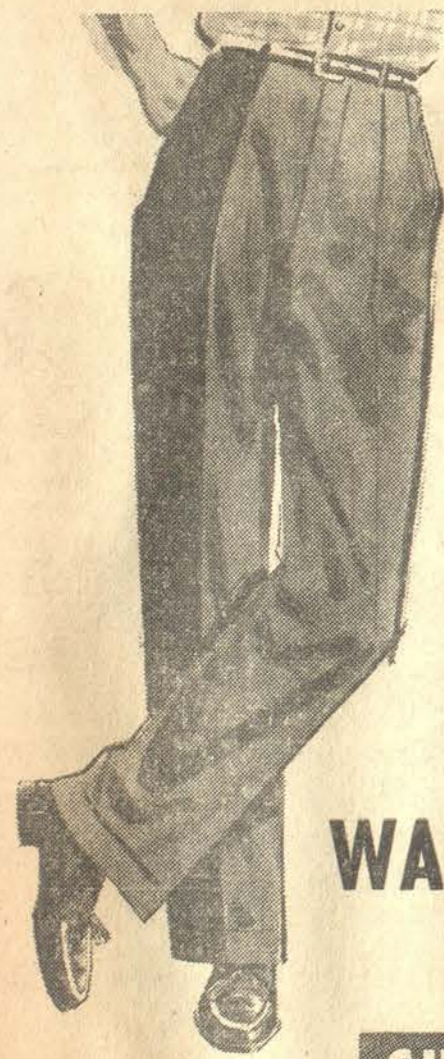
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WEEK PROCLAIMED

Frankfort, Ky., May 2 — Governor Wetherby named the week of May 16-21 as "Chemical Progress Week in Kentucky" and called upon citizens to encourage and promote its celebration for "substantial contributions" to "the progress of mankind."

COMBS MAKES NO. 1 PLEDGE

Says Minimum Foundation Financing, His First Aim; Stands By Parks System

Bert T. Combs, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, said Tuesday his first pledge is to put the foundation program for education into effect and provide money for it.

He told Democratic workers at a luncheon in Danville, his opposition (A. B. Chandler) had opposed the program two years ago.

Combs asserted the per capita outlay for schools increased only \$1.24 under former Governor Chandler and charged that the latter's administration "set the schools back 20 years."

Combs endorsed the state parks program and said he'd rather have the present system than see the parks sold to private interests.

The candidate claimed that if Chandler had a chance to dispose of the parks "he'd probably sell them to his friends and then the great movement will be in politics."

He said Chandler's cry has been to "take the state out of the motel business" but "I'll stand with continuation of the present program."

Combs charged his opponent "claimed credit for everything good in the state since 1900. But, during his administration he could legally claim credit for two things: The teacher retirement bill without money to make it operative, and helping to pay off the state debt."

Combs told the workers he stood for a decent, honest, progressive, and ethical program.

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The Republicans have COMBed Kentucky and are HAPPY to announce Denny for Governor. Tailgate will remain down until 5 o'clock, Nov. 8.

(Pol. Adv.)

ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. French Maggard, of Lexington, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Osborn and daughters spent the week-end with relatives in Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snodgrass spent the week-end in Ashland visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane were visiting relatives in Fallsburg, Sunday.

Mrs. Willard Kinzer, Mrs. Iva Carr and Mrs. David Louder attended the Woman's Society of Christian Service annual conference in Covington last Tuesday through Thursday. Mrs. Louder was a delegate of the Allen Methodist Church and Mrs. Carr was a delegate of the Martin church.

Attending the funeral of James H. Laferty on Bull Creek Friday were Mr. and Mrs. James W. Laferty and Mrs. G. L. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bingham, Mrs. Palmer Crisp and Mrs. Nellie Laferty attended the funeral services of Mrs. Evelyn Laferty Call in Pikeville Monday. Others to pay their respects by visiting on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty, and daughters, Rita and Klora. Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Laferty and daughter, Marcela.

Jack Frazier is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Baker in Ashland.

Mrs. Hobart Francis and children, of Ashland, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Lee Woods at the Beaver Valley hospital in Martin Saturday, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass were shopping in Huntington, Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Scalf entertained with a dinner in her home Sunday honoring her husband on his 78th birthday. Attending were Woodrow Scalf, of Oak Hill, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Scalf and children, of Oceana, W. Va., Mrs. Lula Young, of Hatfield, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scalf and children, of Gulnare, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Thomas and children, of Dwale, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callison and daughter, Dolores, and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and son, Ronnie, of Allen.

MAIDEN NAME OKAY

Frankfort, Ky., May 2 — A notary public who marries may continue to use her maiden name to attest official documents, it was held by Assistant Attorney General M. B. Hollifield. The married name may be added in parentheses following the maiden name in which the commission was issued, he added.

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SEALED PROPOSALS for furnishing all materials and performing all work for the construction of a gymnasium addition to the Floyd County High School Building, will be received at the office of the Mayor, Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, until 2:30 o'clock E.S.T., May 31, 1955, and will be opened by the Clerk and publicly read immediately after the time for filing such bids has expired.

Bid documents, consisting of one set of plans and/or specifications are on file at the office of the Superintendent of the Board of Education, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, F. W. Dodge Corp., American Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, F. W. Dodge Corp., 840 Barrett Ave., Louisville, Kentucky, F. W. Dodge Corp., 702 Pennsylvania Ave., Charleston, W. Va., F. W. Dodge Corp., 12 N. 3rd St., Columbus, Ohio, and may be examined by the bidders free of charge.

Two complete sets of documents, for the purpose of bidding may be obtained from Hayes and Payne, Architect and Engineer, 717-20 Second National Bank Bldg., Ashland, Kentucky or at the office of the City Superintendent of Schools, Prestonsburg, Kentucky upon a deposit of \$25.00 which deposit will be refunded to each bidder submitting a bona fide bid, upon return of bid documents in good condition within a period of ten (10) days after the opening of bids.

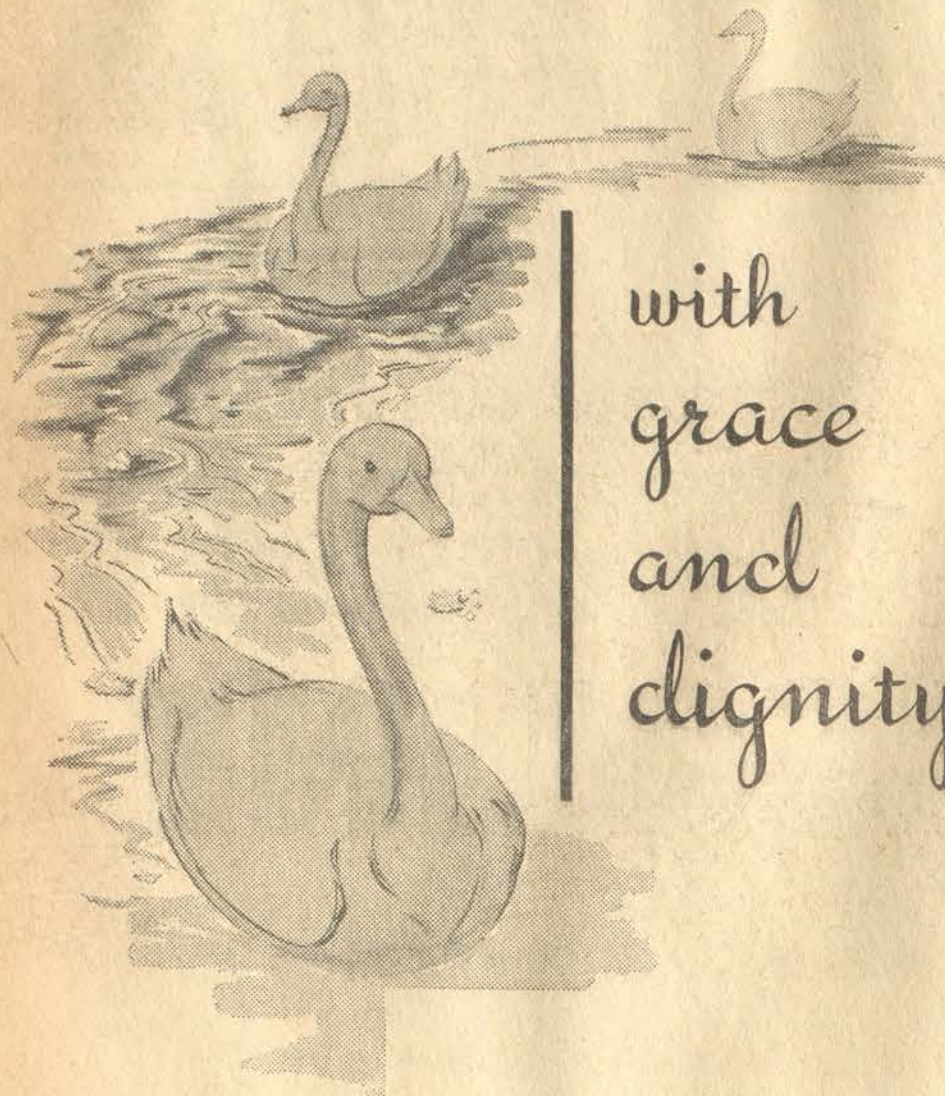
BOND or CONTRACT SECURITY. The contractor shall furnish a performance bond in an amount at least equal to 100 per cent of the contract price as security for the faithful performance of his contract and as security for the payment of all persons performing labor on the project under this contract and furnishing materials in connection with this contract.

Bid security in the form of a Cooperative Surety Bidder's Bond in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the bid, made payable to the City of Prestonsburg, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky and conditioned that if the bid is accepted a contract will be entered into and the performance thereof properly secured, shall accompany each bid.

The right is reserved, as the interest of the City of Prestonsburg may require, to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informality in bids received, and the further right is reserved to withhold the award of contract for a period of thirty days after receipt of bids.

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SPRING TERM ENROLLMENT

Reaches All-Time High At Eastern; Students Enroll from 17 States

Richmond, Ky., April 27 (Spl.)—College enrollment at Eastern Kentucky State College for the second semester and spring term 1954-55 reached an all-time high of 1,835. In addition to the residence enrollment, there are 419 Kentucky students enrolled in nine off-campus extension centers.

Students from 87 counties and 17 states are represented in the second semester enrollment. Kentuckians account for 1,734 of the campus enrollment. All enrollees in extension centers are Kentuckians.

The state of Ohio accounts for 29 of the 51 out-of-staters. The thirty counties having 20 or more enrollees are Floyd 46, Bell 39, Boyd 29, Boyle 40, Breathitt 22, Campbell 30, Casey 27, Clark 34, Clay 25, Estill 64, Fayette 24, Garrard 24, Harlan 91, Harrison 28, Jackson 30, Jefferson 76, Kenton 38, Laurel 33, Leslie 25, Letcher 40, Lincoln 46, McCreary 25, Madison 217, Perry 46, Pike 47, Powell 24, Pulaski 121, Rockcastle 67, Russell 23, and Whitley 21.

The Floyd county students are: James Douglas Adams, junior; Martin; Charlene Akers, junior; Floyd Beecher Allen, senior; Hueysville; Nelson Ray Baldridge, senior; Prestonsburg; Robert Eugene Blitzer, junior; Martin; Billie Jean Blackburn, senior; Betsy Layne; William Harold Breeding, junior; Hi Hat; John Forrest Brown, junior; Prestonsburg; Billie Sue Click, sophomore; Martin; Florence Conn, junior; Lancer; Otis Dathan Cook, senior; Wayland; Patricia Ann Deal, freshman; Wheelwright; Everette M. Dearing, junior; Wayland; Barbara Combs Dingus, sophomore; Martin; LeMayne Dingus, sophomore; Martin; Charles Gary Griggs, junior; Martin; Jimmie H. Johnson, senior; Bypro; John Kelly Jones, sophomore; Wheelwright; Donald Paul King, junior; Wheelwright; Bobby Lee Kitchen, senior; East Point; Wendell Ray Knight, sophomore; Wayland; Carl Little, junior; Drift; Blaine Cox Martin, graduate; Wayland; Edward Jenkins Martin, senior; Wayland; Joyce L. Martin, freshman; Wayland; Phyllis Deen Martin, freshman; Hi Hat; Donald Gene Moore, freshman; Orkney; Franklin D. Music, junior; Prestonsburg; Marion Neely, freshman; Prestonsburg; Bonnie Newman, freshman; Hi Hat; Janet Newcome, sophomore; Melvin; Mikell Ann Preston, Allen; Harry Hale Ranier, freshman; Prestonsburg; Robert Mario Ranier, freshman; Prestonsburg; Herma Lee Roberts, junior; Harold; Russell John Russo, graduate; McDowell; Franklin Delano Salisbury, freshman; Martin; Rodney Salisbury, junior; Martin; Mary Lee Shockey, sophomore; Wheelwright; Ronald Henry Smiley, senior; Prestonsburg; Glover Walter Spencer, Jr., senior; Martin; Jimmy Dick Spurlock, sophomore; Prestonsburg; Doris Rae Turner, sophomore; Drift; Ronald A. Turner, freshman; Hi Hat; James E. Wells, junior; Auxier, and Rawland Wright, freshman; Bypro.

Miss Patrick, Mr. Taylor Members of the Cast Of Morehead Play

Sandra Sue Patrick and Frank D. Taylor, Morehead State College students from Floyd county, are members of the cast of "Oedipus the King" which will be presented by 11 and 12. The performances are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. (CST) in Buton Auditorium on the Morehead campus.

Miss Patrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Patrick of Langley, is a freshman pre-medical student. She is a graduate of Maytown high school. Mr. Taylor, a senior and president of the Student Council, is the son of Demra Taylor, of Martin. He was graduated from Berea Foundation School.

"Sophocles' "Oedipus the King" is one of the most famous of the Greek tragedies, and interest in it is especially great at the college because freshmen and sophomore students have studied it as part of their course work in English. The play is under the direction of W. P. Covington III, assistant professor of drama and speech.

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ELECTED at recent Paintsville meeting of the Kentucky Petroleum Information Committee were Marvin Music, of Prestonsburg (left) as chairman of the Floyd county committee, and C. R. Marshall, of Martin and Weeksbury, secretary-treasurer.

BETSY LAYNE SCHOOL BAND

Gives Pikeville College Concert Under Direction Of William G. Sargent

Pikeville, Ky., May 2 (Spl.)—The 37-piece Betsy Layne high school band, under the direction of William G. Sargent, gave a brief concert for the student body of Pikeville Junior College last Thursday.

Playing at Pikeville's daily chapel exercises, the band received an enthusiastic reception from the college's 300 students and high praise from the professional musicians present. Dr. A. A. Page, college president, reported. The program included Hall of Fame (concert march—j. Olivadoti), Stormy Weather Fantasy (David Bennett), and Overture Militaire (JosefHaydn).

Band members who played at Pikeville are:

Cornets: Solo, Jackie Roop; first, Douglas Layne, Emmie Lawson, Ted Bush; second, Joyce Sturgill, Gary Akers, Sharon McGinnis; third, Jimmy Hall, Ralph Roop, Jerry Ratliff.

Clarinets: Solo, Janet Johnson; first, Mary Helen Tibbs; second, Janet Howes, Sonja Sue Lykins; third, Anita Daniel, Nancy Jo Burts; fourth, Gaye Hobson, Connie Caldwell.

Flute: Janelle Howard. Alto horn: Patricia Sargent; second, Madonna Williams; third, Anna Faye Stratton. Alto Saxophone: first, Sue Ratliff; second, Virginia Howell.

Trombone: first, Bessie Stratton; second, Kaye Tibbs, Donald Jackson; third, Darrell Hall, Betty Lou Thompson. Baritone: Bonita Hinchman, John Wesley Hatcher. Tuba: Jimmy Daniel, Jerry Hall.

Drum: Gerry Clark, Peggy Hamilton, Patty Stratton, Betty Stratton.

RAIL EARNINGS HIT NEW HIGH

C. & O. Quarterly Report Shows \$16.4 Million Net; Says Coal Future Good

RICHMOND, Va., April 28 — The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway will earn about \$6.15 a share in 1955. C & O shareholders were told today at their annual meeting by President Walter J. Tuohy.

Mr. Tuohy added that the figure does not include \$2,800,000 received this year as a cash refund on excess profits taxes paid during 1940-45.

April revenues and net income will set a new record for the month, Mr. Tuohy said. Earnings on a per share basis will be about 60 cents. This will bring net income for the first four months to \$16.4 million, highest in the history of the company for a comparable period of 1954 and \$1.59 in 1953.

"If the next two-thirds of the year equal the pattern of the first third," Mr. Tuohy said, "net income per share will be \$6.15, even better than the good showing of \$6.04 in 1953."

Mr. Tuohy told the 450 shareholders that "we see nothing on the horizon today that can so affect our business as to impair the dividend rate of \$3 a share."

The outlook for coal is good on the C & O, the nation's leading hauler of bituminous coal, Mr. Tuohy said. "Steady improvement in coal bears out that last year was the low point for coal. We think national production will run 425-450 million tons, well ahead of last year's 392 million tons. National production of bituminous coal is up 14 per cent. C & O originations are up 27 per cent."

"A very bright spot is the overseas export coal picture. The tonnage for the country as a whole is expected to reach 25 to 30 million, about double last year's 15 million figure. C & O export tonnage from Newport News are running more than twice last year's rate."

C & O merchandise revenues for the first four months of this year, compared with the same period last year, are up approximately \$4 million or about 10 per cent."

Mr. Tuohy referred to C & O's position among railroads as "only sixteenth in mileage but seventh in gross revenues, second only to the great Santa Fe in net railway operating income, and in net income preceded only by Union Pacific, Santa Fe and Southern Pacific."

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The U. S. Forest Service operates 115 national forests, totaling 181,151,000 acres in 40 states and Alaska and Puerto Rico.—Sports Afield.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Those from Ypsilanti, Michigan, who attended the funeral of Nora Gibson at West Prestonsburg, April 17 were: Her sister, Millie Wallen, her sons, Jerry and Parley Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tackett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hager Frazier and children, James Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Ousley and Gary Dale, Mrs. Rhoda Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Rose and children, Ollie Wallen and family.

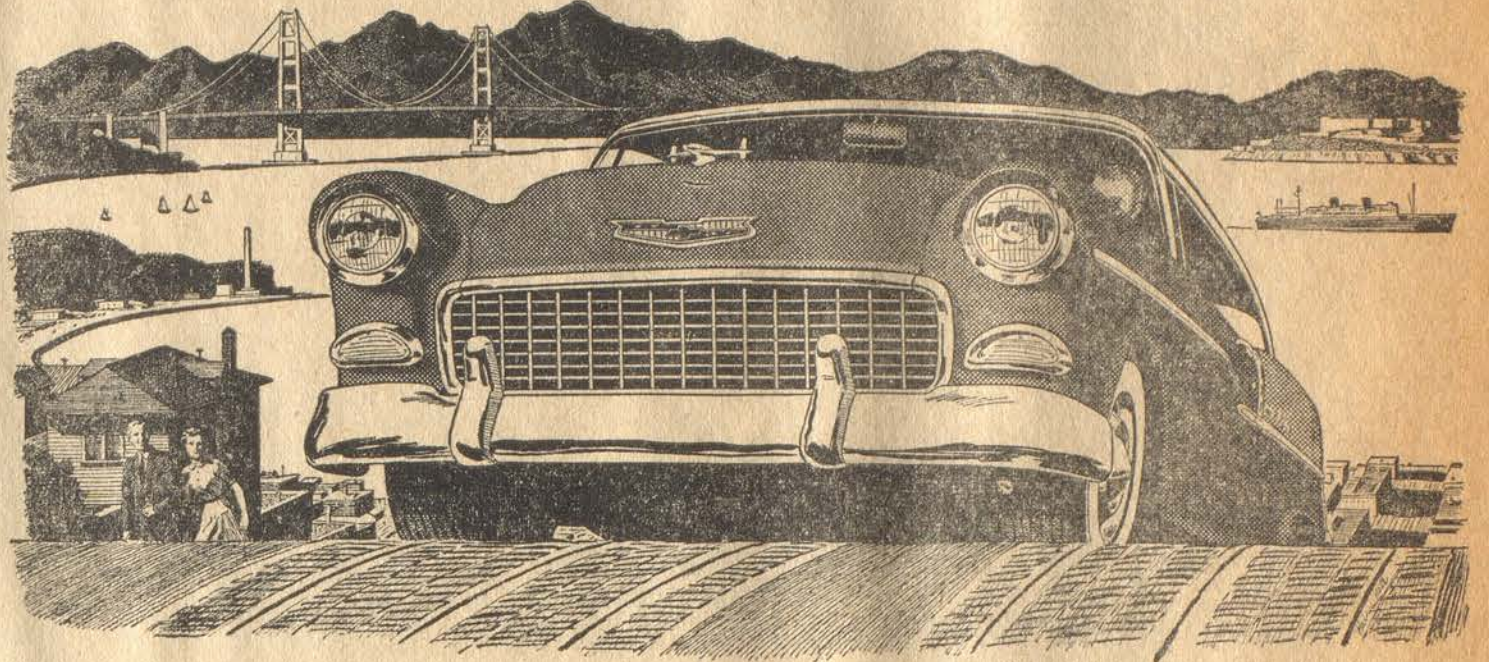
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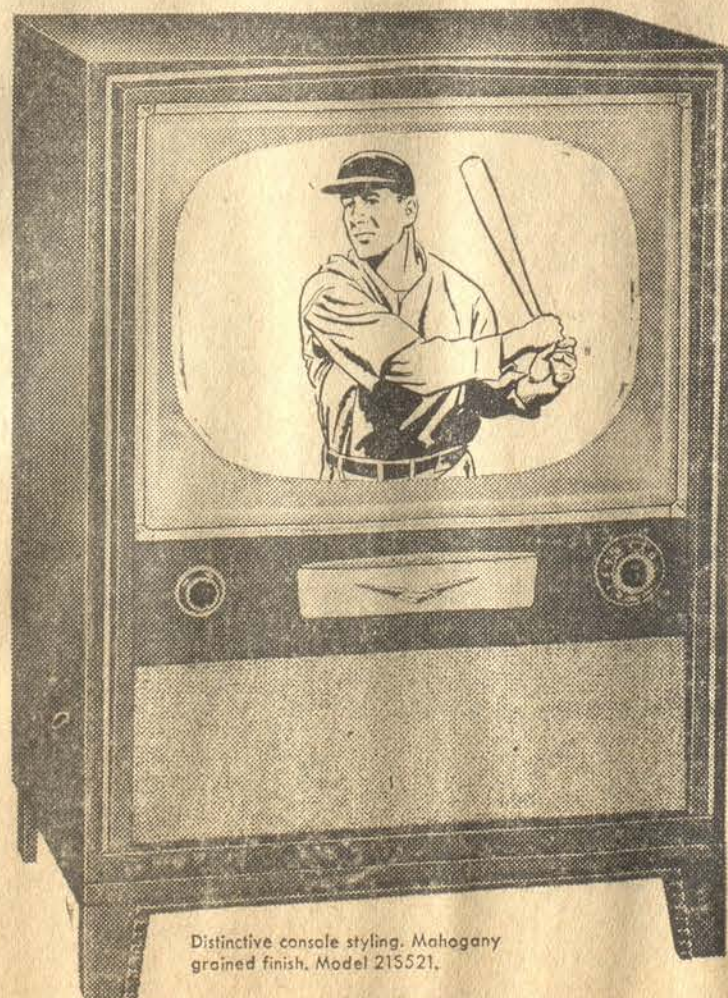
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Lemaster in Korea



Pvt. Millard F. Lemaster is now stationed with the 57th F. A. unit in Korea. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Payne Lemaster, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Evelyn L. Call, 34, Native Floyd Countian, Succumbs at Pikeville

Mrs. Evelyn Lafferty Call, 34 years old, native Floyd woman, was found dead last Saturday afternoon at her home on Cline street, Pikeville, by her husband, Raymond S. Call. A heart attack was given as the cause of death.

Mrs. Call and her husband had returned home around noon from a neighborhood store, and she died while he slept in an adjoining room. He found his wife on the kitchen floor, and she apparently had been dead two hours. Mrs. Call had suffered a previous attack, but her condition had not been considered serious. Her death preceded one day her 35th birthday.

Mrs. Call was secretary for the district office of the Kentucky Department of Highways in Pikeville. She was a daughter of John Bogue and Tiney Lafferty, of Hi Hat, a native of Garrett, she had lived at Pikeville the last 15 years. Mrs. Call was an active member of the Methodist Church, having led in Methodist Youth Fellowship work at Wheelwright and acted as pianist at Allen for youth gatherings.

Surviving besides her husband and parents is one brother, Durward Lafferty, of Cleveland, Tennessee. Funeral rites were conducted Monday afternoon from the chapel of the Call Funeral Home, Pikeville, by the Rev. J. W. Worthington, and burial was made in Johnson Memorial Park cemetery.

Usually smallmouths stay out of the sun.—Sports Afield.

Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
J. Bert Layne et als Plaintiff
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE
James S. Layne et als .. Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1955, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of May 1955, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

Tracts Nos. 1 and 2, located in Floyd county, Kentucky, on the waters of Big Sandy, tract No. 1, Beginning at a buckeye corner of the survey made in the name of Benjamin Branham at the mouth of the Broad Hollow, and with the lines of the same, N 75 W 20 poles to a small beech and dogwood, N 79 W 43 poles to a sugar tree and hornbeam, N 45 W 56 poles to three beeches by a cliff of rocks, S 64 W 23 poles to a white oak, same course 34 poles to a stake and two hickories and sugar tree in the line of the survey of L. D. Layne on top of the ridge in a low gap, S 1 E 26 poles to a chestnut oak, pin oak and hickory on top of the ridge, S 24 W 12 poles to four hickories on top of the ridge, S 14 W 96 poles to four chestnut oaks on top of the main ridge between Big Sandy River and Tolers Creek at the head of the Still House Hollow, S 10 poles to a white oak, S 32 E 21 poles to eight hickories on top of the ridge, N 69 E 265 poles to a black locust on top of the knob at the Pike County line, N 40 W 270 poles to the beginning (including 150 prior patented land).

Second tract, Beginning in Pike county on three small beeches and a sugar tree standing on a point of a ridge at the mouth of Hurricane Creek; thence S 83 W 20 poles to a white oak above a cliff of rocks; thence S 66 W 52 poles to a sugar tree and dogwood, S 77 W 26 poles to a buckeye at the mouth of a branch; thence N 75 W 20 poles to two small beeches and dogwood, 79 W 43 poles to a sugar tree and hornbeam, N 45 W 56 poles to three beeches standing by a cliff of rocks, S 64 W 23 poles to a hornbeam; thence S 34 E 42 poles to a stake, S 15 W 77 poles to a stake; N 83 E 88 poles to a stake, S 71 E 48 poles to a stake, N 19 1/2 E 70 poles to a stake, N 69 E 81 poles to a stake; thence N 1 W 3 poles to the beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 3, located in Floyd county, Kentucky, on the waters of the George Lewis Fork of Mare Creek, and bounded on the North by the lands of M. S. Layne's heirs; on the East by the lands of M. H. Nunnery and Ike Davis; on the South by the lands of Ben Maynard, Nora Maynard and Shuler Cecil; on the West by the lands of R. E. Stanley's heirs, containing 300 acres more or less.

Tracts Nos. 4 and 5, located in Floyd county, Kentucky, on the waters of Camp Branch, and are bounded and described as follows:

Tract No. 4, Beginning on a stump corner to John M. Layne's survey of 290 acres; thence South 42 poles and 19 links to four chestnuts on top of the fork ridge on the Camp Branch; thence down the ridge, N 84 E 8 poles to a stake; N 77 E 7 poles to a stake; E 9 poles and 9 links to a sourwood at a cliff of rocks; S 42 E 8 poles; S 42 E 6 poles; S 75 E 6 poles to a black oak by the fence; N 21 E 5 poles to a water oak on top of the ridge; N same course 16 poles to a sarvis and black oak and with the John N. Layne line 76 poles to the beginning, containing 14 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 5, Beginning at four chestnuts on the fork ridge of the Camp Branch and down the same N 84 E 8 poles to a stake; N 77 E 7 poles to a stake; 29 poles and 9 links to a sourwood by a cliff of rocks; S 42 E 8 poles to a stake; S 52 E 6 poles to a stake; S 75 E 6 poles to a black oak in the line of John N. Layne's survey of 290 acres, and with the lines of same reversed, S 21 W 41 poles to a stake, S 80 W up the hill to a survey in the name of William Rice and Jack Boyd of 490 acres, and with said line reversed North to the beginning.

The coal underlying Tracts 1 and 2 shall be sold separately from the surface, and the timber on tracts No. 1 and 2 will be sold separately, and then as a whole, and only the mineral will be sold on the Camp Branch tracts Nos. 4 and 5.

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

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of May, 1955.

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Floyd Circuit Court
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The usual trout stream is a succession of comparatively quiet pools with wide, shallow riffles between—a pool may be very long or merely a break in faster water.—Sports Afield.

Prestonsburg Student Is Outstanding Senior



Miss Barbara Jane Hale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale, of Prestonsburg, received an award as the "Outstanding Senior" of the University of Kentucky chapter of the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority.

The award, a sterling silver julep cup, was presented to Miss Hale by Mrs. Jess Gardner, fraternity educational director of Alpha Gamma Delta at the chapter's fourth annual International Reunion day dinner held recently at the Black Angus restaurant in Lexington. The dinner was attended by 150 of Miss Hale's sorority sisters and chapter alumni inclusive.

The qualifications for the award were based on campus activities, scholarship, and sorority activities with emphasis on willingness to work, attitude, efficiency, interest, and loyalty.

Miss Hale has served terms as Librarian and that of Treasurer for the sorority. Her campus organization affiliations include the Chamber of Commerce, Future Teachers of America, Women's Glee Club, and the University Chorus.

Scholastically, Miss Hale has an overall "B" standing for her four years at U.K. Last semester she made a perfect "A" standing in all of her courses.

Miss Hale is also one of the two Floyd county representatives on the "240 Committee" at the university. Her duty as a member is to relay information about the University of Kentucky to the high schools in Floyd county.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN

West Garrett.—There will be a revival meeting starting at the West Garrett church, May 8, by Dillard Reed and James Reed. Everyone is invited to come.

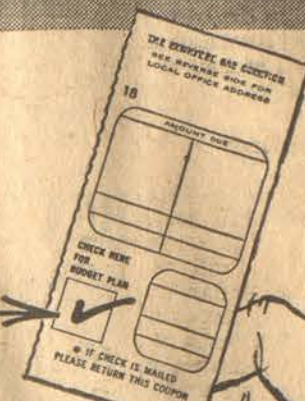
Frankfort, Ky., May 2 — County courts have the power to regulate or prohibit the operation of motor trucks on county roads in order to provide for the public safety and convenience, the Attorney General's office has advised Hardin county officials.

Beginning trout anglers are advised not to worry about patterns, to get some No. 10 or 12 wet flies that are mainly black, white, gray and brown, and trim about half the dressing from them.—Sports Afield.

In appearance the Brittany is a compact, leggy, short-eared spaniel that looks somewhat like a small English setter. In color he is white and orange, or white with liver, with some ticking.—Sports Afield.

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(Last Week's Correspondence)

The Harold school children had their first polo shots last Monday. Mrs. Mildred Cooley has resigned her teaching position at Harold, and Mrs. Dorothy Hall has filled the vacancy.

Rev. E. W. Damron is holding a revival at East Point, beginning Monday night.

Rose Ann, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sturgill, has been ill, but is much improved.

Enroute to Louisville to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Killey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gearheart and daughter, Nell, visited Cumberland Falls and Lincoln Memorial Park.

Sharon Lee Killey, the 10-year-old granddaughter of the Gearhearts, entertained them with a picnic supper cooked on a gadget she had learned to make in Girl Scout training.

Orville Steele, who was born and reared in this section, but has been in West Virginia for a number of years, has come to live here, and is opening the Red Ash Coal Company mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fred Gearheart made a trip to Chillicothe, Ohio, recently.

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Harmison Hale, Floyd County Native Is General Mills Department Head

One of Berea College's most apt pupils in the baking business was a Floyd countian, Harmison E. Hale, Class of '37, now manager of Bakery Sales Service Department, Sperry Division of General Mills in San Francisco, Hale, a native of Goodloe, learned the bakery business from H. Clyde Jones, superintendent of Berea College Bakery, and the story is told in the March issue of The Berea Alumnus, and is entitled, "A Mountain Man Goes West."

Harmison Hale came to Berea and during his four years as a college student he was employed at the College Bakery. On graduation he became an assistant in Pilot Test Bakery, Headquarters Products Control Laboratories of the General Mills Company. This was the beginning of a successful career with General Mills.

In 1942, Harmison became a member of the armed forces. Starting as a private he served for 13 months in the Pacific theatre, before returning to the States for assignment of Officer Candidate School. In 1943 he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant and in 1944 was promoted to 1st Lieutenant. With the promotion came an assignment as company commander with specific orders to report to Europe. Here he was assigned to General George Patton's Third Army and participated in Normandy invasion, the battle of the Rhine and battle of the Bulge. At the collapse of the German armies he was assigned to the occupation forces in Berlin.

In 1946, Harmison Hale returned to General Mills where he was given special assignments and helped with Sales Trainee Courses. In 1948 he was transferred to the Sperry Division of General Mills at San Francisco as a Bakery Sales Service representative. In this job he traveled the 11 western states and Hawaii and Alaska. His work was with a field salesman, bakery customers and as a speaker on various association programs. While he was in this job he conducted the first "Short Course for Bakers" held in the Hawaiian Islands.

Harmison Hale was a student in Berea Academy and a student worker at the Bakery. It was then that D. D. Davis, president of General Mills, Inc., wrote to President Wm. J. Hutchins and offered a scholarship to the outstanding young man



HARMISON HALE

employed at the College Bakery. Bakery superintendent H. Clyde Jones made the choice and Hale met President Davis in Cincinnati and rode back to Berea with him. (President Davis was on his way to Florida.) Davis evidently was impressed with the young man from Floyd county, because the scholarship was granted.

Hale learned the mechanics of baking and absorbed the business end of it from H. Clyde Jones. When he joined General Mills in 1937, he was sent to the middle west where he followed the progress of the wheat grain from field to mill. Several years later the Berea College Bakery requested a service representative for an annual check of operations. Mr. Jones called the Boone Tavern to ask that a room be reserved for this representative. There were no vacancies, but for a representative of General Mills, President Hutchins was willing to release one of the rooms normally held for college guests. Harmison Hale got a chuckle out of the situation when he realized he was the representative occupying one of the President's rooms.

Harmison Hale was married in 1948 to Miss Alice Marie Coleman, of Minneapolis, and they have three children. He is currently manager of Bakery Sales Service Department of the Sperry Division of General Mills, and works closely with the Products Control and Executive Sales departments.

Dr. Raymond B. Drukker, assistant to the president of Berea College, maintains a close contact with Mr. Hale on his trips to the West Coast. Of him he says: "Harmison Hale is a key Berean on the West Coast. The national significance of Berea College is genuinely illustrated in the life and work of this good man."

Mr. Hale is a son of the late Henry and Daisy Hale, of Goodloe.

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FRIENDS FORM HAPPY CLUB

Organization Planned To Help in Financing Of Chandler Campaign

Friends of A. B. "Happy" Chandler have formed the "Happy Club" to boost his candidacy and help raise funds for his campaign. Joe Weddington, county chairman of Chandler's campaign in Floyd county announced this week. Plans for formation of the club were announced at a standing-room-only meeting in Louisville Saturday that Weddington attended.

The club will be organized throughout the State on the county or local level, he said, with county chairmen and their co-workers soliciting and issuing memberships. Although Weddington said he expects most memberships will be obtained through personal solicitation, members also will be enrolled at Chandler's county campaign headquarters at Prestonsburg. The club will be promoted by newspaper and radio advertising.

Chandler, commenting on formation of the club, said, "Ever since I announced I was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, I have been impressed by the number of fine citizens who have voluntarily and unselfishly offered to help me."

"Many of these people are not able to put in enough time on campaign matters to accept major campaign posts."

"It has warmed my heart to be told by thousands of wonderful Kentuckians that they wanted to work in my behalf, and I am very glad that now, through the Happy Club, we will be able officially to recognize and gratefully accept their valuable assistance."

Each member of the Happy Club will be issued an identifying button and numbered membership card. Enrollment will be "at least \$5.00", and the member's duties will be to "solicit new members and to support actively Happy's candidacy by assisting the Chandler campaign leaders."

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NOTICE
T. B. Connors, of Estill, Ky., has filed a petition with the Floyd County Court to change the voting precinct boundary line between precincts, Lackey No. 33 and Estill No. 45, so as to make the boundary line at Hopkins Store, running east and west with the Kentucky Power Company's line.
DuRan Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court
5-5-31.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this means of thanking everyone for their kindness and sympathy on the death and at the funeral of our beloved mother and sister, Nora Gibson, of West Prestonsburg. We especially thank the Revs. L. P. Tussey, Robert Martin and Joe Combs for their comforting words, and all those who sent floral offerings.
Farley and Jerry Gibson,
Millie Wallen.

Farmers in Trigg county donated pigs to launch a 4-H pig chain in the county.

PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH

Harold W. Dorsey, Minister
9:45 a.m., Sunday school (classes for all ages).
10:55 a.m., Morning worship, sermon topic—"Honour Thy Father and Mother."
5:30 p.m., The M. Y. F. will sponsor a Parents Night Banquet.
7:00 p.m., Adult Bible Study Fellowship, Mr. Everett Patton, leader.
7:30 p.m., Evening Worship, sermon topic—"How Much Oil Is in Your Lamp?"
Tuesday, May 10, the Methodist Men's Supper, the Rev. E. T. Curry, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, Winchester, is the guest speaker.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Mid-week Prayer Service.

Smallmouths are seldom found in trout streams.—Sports Afield.

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Don't take our word alone that this is thrilling beyond all previous experience. Talk to anyone who's tried it. Or, better yet, come try it yourself. That way you can learn firsthand why Buick sales are soaring to all-time best-seller highs. Drop in this week, won't you?
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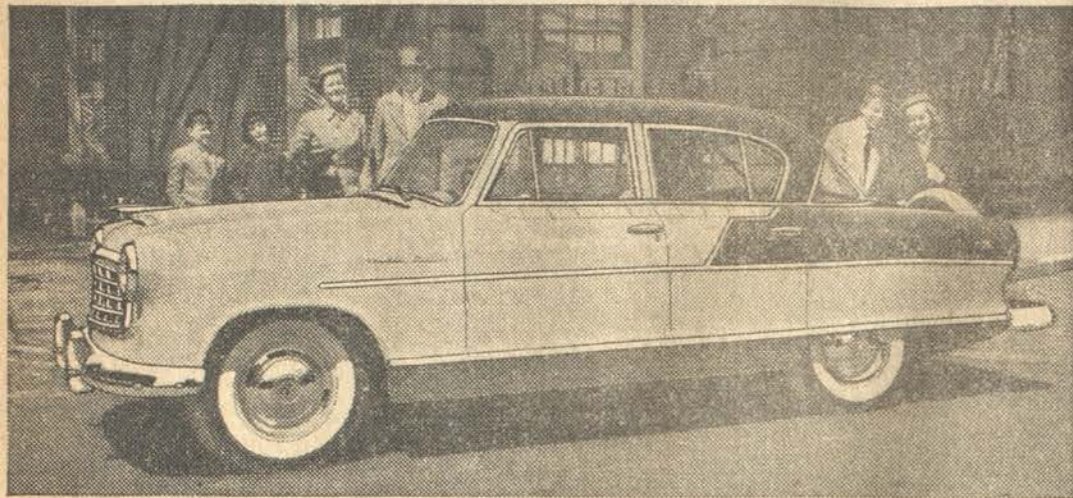
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Miss Newman Named From Wheelwright Hi

Miss Nancy Newman, (her name has been omitted in previous papers) representative of Wheelwright high school was a member of the music festival queen's court held here two weeks ago. She was also chosen Homecoming queen at her school, is a member of the Girls' Glee Club, and president of the Junior class.

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MAYO SCHOOL IS ALLOTTED \$115,000 FOR BUILDING JOB

Frankfort, Ky., May 2 (Spl.) — A \$5,000,000 building program in state and federal funds and bond issues was given approval by the State Property and Buildings Commission, with the state funds being allocated from an anticipated \$3,500,000 surplus in general fund revenues.

Allocations included \$1,353,500 to four state colleges, Eastern, Western, Morehead and Murray. Allotments included:

Eastern—\$250,000 for a new music building to cost \$600,000; Western—\$250,000 for two 200-bed men's dormitories to cost \$1,200,000 and \$13,000 for emergency repairs; Morehead—\$250,000 for a student union building to cost \$600,000 and \$13,500 for repairs, and Murray—\$250,000 for a 40-bed girls' dormitory to cost \$1,100,000 and \$21,000 for additional rest rooms.

The remainder of costs will be financed through bond issues.

The commission allocated an additional \$150,000 for construction of a receiving center at Eastern State Hospital, Lexington. Already \$650,000 had been set aside for the purpose. These funds are to be match-

ed by an equal amount of federal funds to bring the total outlay to \$1,600,000.

Other allotments include Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville, \$115,000 for shop and classroom building; Kentucky State Hospital, Danville, \$6,000 for repairs, and Kentucky Children's Home, Lyndon, \$30,000 for repairs.

IS ELECTED TO NATIONAL HONORARY MEDICAL GROUP

Marvin Clifford Fraley, of Wayland, has been elected to membership in Alpha Omega Alpha, national honorary medical society at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine. Members are elected on a scholarship basis from the upper 10 per cent of the eighth, ninth, 10th and 11th quarters.

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Army Offers Courses For Technical Training

Young men who are high school graduates can now choose a technical course in the U. S. Army prior to enlistment, according to an announcement by Sgt. Glenn R. Walke, of the local U. S. Army recruiting station.

This opportunity affords a young man the chance to specialize in one of the 180 different technical schools now available and at the same time serve any military obligation he may have in the future, Sgt. Walke added.

Qualified young men can now choose one of the following courses: Drafting, surveying, electricity, refrigeration, air conditioning, diesel engineering, heating and ventilation, crane and shovel operations, sheet metal working, plumbing, radio mechanics, radio operations, radar, machinist, welding, auto mechanics, airplane mechanics, helicopter mechanics, X-ray technician, dental laboratory, dental assistant, medical laboratory, postal operations, finance procedure, teletype operator, accounting, typists, guided missile, electronics, railway operations, cryptography.

Interested graduates are urged to get in touch with Sgt. Walke in the post office building in Prestonsburg.

MAYTOWN

Mesdames David Reed, Theodore Gibson and Paul Borders were shopping in Huntington, Friday.

Mrs. Edward Robinson underwent minor surgery at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Friday morning.

Mrs. Louise Webb was a patient at the Paintsville hospital for several days last week.

Mr. Hattie Howell, of Morgan county, was the overnight guest of Mrs. Viola Stewart, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Savage Cooley spent several days last week fishing at Watts Bar, Tennessee.

Members of the Senior class spent the week-end sightseeing in Washington, D. C. They were accompanied by Ed Stewart and Lexie Allen.

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of Rich Hayes, who died last week.

Miss Elizabeth Boughton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tingle and Richard Anderson accompanied Sandra Tingle, Thursday to Lexington, where she participated in the state music contest. Sandra's rating were excellent on her song, "Country Song." They motored to Ashland where she joined the rest of the Senior class for their trip to Washington.

Mrs. Cameron Williams and children, of Winchester, were visiting relatives and friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Miller, of Lexington, and Mr. Miller's mother, of Orange, N. J., have been visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John May.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Allen, of Morehead, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jones were visitors in Lexington, Thursday.

"Aunt" Mary (Mill) Osborne has returned from Lexington where she underwent surgery. Her condition is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey and James B. Click were business visitors in Huntington, Wednesday.

CHAIRS BOUGHT

Frankfort, Ky., May 2 — The State awarded a \$265,000 contract to Office Equipment Company, Louisville, to supply chairs for the coliseum and stadium at the new State Fairgrounds and Exposition Center, Louisville. The contracts calls for 6,112 chairs for the coliseum, and 20,285 for the stadium.

Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
R. J. Steely, Plaintiff
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE
Red Rock Bottling Co. &c, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1955, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of May 1955, at 10 o'clock, a. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six (6) months, the following described property, to-wit:

All of the bottling equipment contained in the bottling plant of the Red Rock Bottling Co., of Allen, Ky., including bottling equipment, soakers, mixing tanks, carbonators, heating and cooking equipment and all other equipment owned by and used by Red Rock Bottling Company, Inc., in the manufacture of soft drinks and contained in said plant.

Also all of the delivery equipment now owned by the said corporation and consisting of three bottle rack bed Chevrolet trucks and one (1) one-ton auxiliary Chevrolet truck.

The purchaser is authorized to pay cash in lieu of executing bond, if he so desires.

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

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of May, 1955.

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

Cost of Adv. \$17.00 5-5-55.

Chorus To Present Concert Next Tuesday

The Prestonsburg mixed chorus will give its Spring concert, Tuesday, May 10, at 8 p. m. There will be no admission charge, and the public is cordially invited.

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Combs FOR -- Chandler AGAINST Education Program

Although a member of the Floyd County Board of Education, I want to make it clear at the outset that I speak from my own heart; therefore, no views expressed in this open letter should be interpreted to reflect the feelings or opinions of the Board of Education or any other member. I write to you as voters because I have a deep-seated, personal interest in the educational future and well being of Floyd County's school children. This interest I have always tried to keep foremost in my mind, not only during the many years I have been associated with our schools in a public capacity, but I have ever urged the educational development of our youth as a partial solution of our economic ills.



In passing, I may remark that our county school administrators are doing the best job possible for our children and teachers with the funds available to us from County and State. While little increase may be expected from county revenues, we have a right to expect much improvement in financial aid from the State.

The interest and future of Floyd county's school children, teachers, and schools are now deeply involved in the result of the Kentucky Governor's race. That is why I expect to take a sincere and active stand for Bert T. Combs for Governor of Kentucky. I am only too glad to tell you why.

Both Judge Combs and his opponent tell us they are for complete financial support for the operation of the Minimum Foundation Program passed by the 1954 legislature. However, it is my positive belief that Judge Combs is sincere, while his opponent, Mr. Chandler, is

again planning to give the teachers, parents and educators "the run-around."

Mr. Chandler's record against education speaks so loudly we cannot hear his promises.

We know that during the summer and fall of 1953 while school teachers and their friends fought to bring about an amendment to Section 186 of the Constitution, which was the very beginning and backbone of the present Foundation Program, and without which amendment there could have been no Foundation Program, Mr. Chandler's newspaper, THE WOODFORD SUN, was publishing editorials urging voters to vote "NO" on this school amendment. To quote from this paper: "we are definitely against the repeal of Section 186 of the Kentucky Constitution."

On the other hand, we can believe Bert Combs when he says he will provide sufficient financial aid to put the Foundation Program into operation during his first year as Governor. Why?—because he is one of us, a mountain boy, of humble origin; his mother was a schoolteacher, and attended rural schools. Judge Combs fought with the teachers and with them won the amendment to Section 186. There is no fanfare or ballyhoo about him because he is not a professional politician. We can trust him because he has not deceived us. From personal and business association with him I know he is sincere, and I for one believe him wholeheartedly.

The hopes of Floyd county school children as well as the hopes of all Kentucky boys and girls ride with Judge Combs in his race for Governor.

I shall support Judge Combs with a confidence that educational progress will triumph over politics. A vote for Judge Combs is a parent's responsibility to his child and a teacher's interest in his own welfare.

J. H. ALLEN, M.D.

(Pol. Adv.)

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