

THURSDAY

OCTOBER 6, 1955

This Town— That World

ANOTHER "WEEK"

This, my friends, is NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK.

The newspapers of the land are supposed to do some crowing this week, whether they have anything to crow about or not.

They are expected, we are reminded, to point out with considerable pride that they are the voice, yea, even the conscience, of their respective communities or areas.

They are reminded to cite the blessings won for the American people through freedom of the press.

Incidentally, they are supposed to berate all dictators such as Peron who have killed a free press that wasn't as obsequious as desired, and that we gladly do.

It doesn't say here if we are to mention our own pitiful shortcomings, but they are there, and we know it as well as you do.

We are going to skip most of the hoopla and simply say, this National Newspaper Week, that we are grateful for the fact that we're still around to do our bumbling best to record the life of Floyd county as it is lived, as accurately as possible, without prejudice against any individual or group, and determined that if ever the time comes

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SIX CHURCHES FORM COUNCIL

Mrs. Layne Named Head Of Local Churchwomen In Meeting Here Sunday

The Prestonsburg Council of Churchwomen, which is planned to develop in women of the church a greater social consciousness and active interest in civic affairs, was organized Sunday afternoon in a meeting of representatives of six churches at the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Frank H. Layne, of the Presbyterian Church, was named president; Mrs. R. V. May, First Methodist Church, first vice-president; Mrs. Ira McMillen, Jr., Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, second vice-president; Mrs. H. B. Wright, Assembly of God, third vice-president; Mrs. Ralph Breeding, Church of Christ, secretary; Mrs. Otis Cooley, Community Methodist Church, treasurer.

The nominating committee was composed of a member from each of the six churches represented at the meeting.

The Council will work with the Prestonsburg Ministerial Association, and it will function mainly through its executive committee. A program of work will be planned at an early meeting of that committee, it was said.

About 35 women attended the organizational meeting.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Inez Ward vs. James Ward, W. W. Burchett, atty. S. M. Hayes, etc. vs. Herman Halbert, et al. d/b/a; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Burnis Martin vs. John May; Claude P. Stephens, atty. Harry Justice vs. Anna Johnson; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Lula Mae Crum vs. Ellis Crum; Tackett & Tackett, attys.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James Arthur Vanhose, 23, Ed Hill, and Rita Jo Mullins, 17, married; marriage solemnized Sept. 30 by the Rev. J. C. Hager. Ervin Little, 41, Wheelwright, and Elizabeth Russell Simpson, 35, Hardy, Ky.; married here October 1, the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey officiating. Togie Salisbury and Mary Haddix, Charles E. Tucker, 22, Kensington, O., and Lou Jean Ousley, 16, David; married here Oct. 4 by the Rev. M. C. Wright.

NONE ACCUSED IN RUM CASES PAY PENALTY

One Acquitted in Trial, Three Cases Dismissed For Grand Jury Probe

Defendants in bootlegging cases were singularly successful last week during a busy quarterly court session in escaping fines and jail terms. The one case brought to trial resulted in an acquittal, and three others were dismissed.

Banner Hall was acquitted of a charge of possessing beer and whiskey in dry territory. Similar cases against Sonia Burchett and Banner Burchett were marked on the court order book as dismissed on motion of the arresting officers. Deputy Sheriffs Troy Mullins, Al Patton and Ed Amburgy. The case against Viola Handshoe was marked dismissed on the motion of Deputy Sheriffs Solmie Holbrook and Ed Amburgy.

Sheriff Gorman Collins said every search warrant under authority of which searches and arrests were made were under defense attack, and that the dismissals were asked in order to leave the cases open for possible grand jury action. He added that he understood that dismissal of such cases before juries were empaneled for their trial left them open for future grand jury investigation.

Also dismissed were the breach of peace charges against Sonia and Banner Burchett. These were charges growing out of their alleged opposition to search of their premises. A \$25,000 suit alleging false arrest was filed by Banner Burchett against Sheriff Collins and deputies following the raid.

The liquor possession case against S. D. Hughes, of Prestonsburg, was referred to Magistrate John May's court, from which the search warrant for the Hughes premises issued. Another dismissal was the peace warrant against Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin issued following an altercation between him and State Senator Doug Hays

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BENTLEY DIES IN CAR CRASH

Former Beaver Resident Succumbs Monday Night To Detroit Auto Hurts

Orville Bentley, 39, former resident of Beaver, this county, was fatally injured last Thursday night when an auto in which he was a passenger struck a street car guard rail in Detroit. He died there at Saratoga General hospital at 12:50 a.m., Monday.

Mr. Bentley was a passenger in a car with two friends when it struck the guard rail and wrecked. Injuries were sustained on the head, left arm and internally. The other passengers were not seriously injured.

The victim was a son of the late Andy Bentley, who survives, and Mrs. Martha Tackett Bentley, who survives. His step-mother, Mrs. Jettie Bentley, and his wife, Mrs. Hazel Newsome Bentley, also survive.

Surviving children are Bathus Bentley, Goldie Bentley and Patsy Bentley, all at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Andy Bentley, Jr., Joe Bentley, Mose Bentley, Charley Bentley, Troy Bentley, Bill Bentley, Opal Bentley, all of Beaver; Ermal Bentley, Arnold Bentley and Mrs. Betty Dillo, all of River Rouge, Mich.; Mrs. Marie Osborne, of Bevinville; Miss Arty and Ruby Bentley, both of Beaver.

Funeral rites were conducted Friday of last week at the Reynolds Community Church at Beaver, the Revs. Charley Jones, Tripp Hall, Oliver Meade, Joe Burke and Jonah Isaac officiating. Burial was made in the Elliott cemetery at Beaver under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Two Booked at Jail Fined by Magistrates

Two men booked at the county jail within the week drew fines in Magistrates' courts. They are Luther Messer, who was fined \$37 in Magistrate John May's court for possessing whiskey, and Frank Johnson, charged with driving without an operator's license and fined \$15 by Magistrate Ellis Martin.

Two others booked were J. O. Keller, arrested on a charge of drunk driving by Deputy Sheriffs Kenis Hall and Ed Amburgy, and Ellis Moore, who was arrested by Deputy Amburgy on child desertion charge.

CLUB IS HOST TO 1,500 TOTS

Kids Day at Drift Brings Youngsters for Contests And Enjoyment of Treat

Kids Day brought to an estimated 1,500 children of the Left Beaver Creek section last Saturday an afternoon of unmitigated fun and to the members of the sponsoring Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club hours of pure enjoyment as they watched the youngsters tear into the soft drinks and cakes with hungry abandon.

C. J. Aders, president of the club, attributed much of the success of the event to County Superintendent V. O. Turner for making school buses available for the transportation of children over a fairly wide territory and to the school bus drivers who worked as volunteers.

Among the awards made during the afternoon was a special blue ribbon which was presented to Mrs. Pet Salisbury as the oldest teacher present. Now teaching the Spurlock school, Mrs. Salisbury is in her 37th year of classroom work. This and other awards were presented the winners by Senator Doug Hays, a member of the Kiwanis Club.

The variety of athletic contests staged during the afternoon had all the ingredients of a regular field day. The winners:

Group I (Grades 1 through 6)—Clear Creek school, first with 35 points; Drift, second, 17, and Wheelwright, third, 16.

Group II (Grades 7 through 8)—Wheelwright, first, 30 points; McDowell, second, 25 points; Drift and Melvin tied for third place with 19 points each, and Drift was declared the winner by the toss of a coin.

Bicycle race—Somy Platkus, Ligon, first; Mike Leatherman and Billy Ray, both of Wheelwright, second third place winners, respectively.

\$12,000 BOND FOR MITCHELL

Man Named in Slaying Of Akers Makes Bail After Hearing Here

Malen (Junior) Mitchell, 25-year-old Mud Creek man, was held to the grand jury under \$12,000 bond last Friday by County Judge Henry Stumbo upon conclusion of Mitchell's examining trial for the alleged knife-slaying near Greethel, Sept. 26 of Daniel Akers, 24. He executed the bond to answer to action of the grand jury at the January court term.

Two witnesses testified for the Commonwealth and three for the defendant at the preliminary hearing. The defendant himself did not testify.

Azzie Newsome, one of the state's witness, said he pulled an instrument from Akers' throat which he could not identify in the darkness as a knife. He said the object, whatever it was, was five or six inches long. Newsome added that Akers and Mitchell had had a fight about four years ago.

Paul Frazier, the other prosecution witness, said he did not see

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Former Boxer Removes Gloves For Battling of Another Type

Life is a battle, any way you look at it, and some folks slug it out blindly, flailing away without choice of either foe or battleground, while others pick their ground and antagonist.

The Rev. Homer Martinez, evangelist who is now conducting a revival at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here, could have done his fighting in the "squared circle" and earned a lot of money as a professional boxer, but he chose a field where the gloves are off, to fight, as he puts it, "the good fight of faith."

He laid his gloves away two years ago after he had attained the finals of the Golden Gloves tournament in Chicago and had been offered a pro contract from a New Jersey promoter. Until that time he had fought on two fronts—as a crackin' good amateur prizefighter, lean, swarthy, fast and definitely a comer; outside the ring, as a youthful evangelist preaching the gospel to thousands up and down the land.

His story begins in San Antonio, Texas, where he and his family were members of the Roman Catholic Church. One day his



REV. HOMER MARTINEZ

brother Angel, then 13, was lured to a Baptist mission by the treats of food and drink it offered. The service so impressed the youngster that he went back again. By the time he had visited the mission the third time he was troubled. On the fourth visit there where services were held every night of the year the boy was converted.

Friction developed because of his decision, and the boy was forced to leave home for six weeks. This time he spent with the mission minister, the Rev. J. D. Salyers. His Mexican father and mother and other members of the family heard rumors that he was planning to preach, and out of curiosity ventured out to the mission to hear him. When the boy's sermon was over all the family, except the father, was converted. The father came later.

Homer Martinez says he started learning Bible verses when he was five and began quoting them in public at six. He preached his first sermon at the age of 11. "I remember," he recalls, "that my faith was mingled with a lot of fear on that occasion. I had quoted Bible verses, but that had taken only 10 minutes, and now I had to talk an hour. When 15 minutes had gone by my first sermon was ended. It was held in the same mission where my brother had preached. It was a church where the poor people gathered, and that night about

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HALBERT DIES BY OWN HAND

East McDowell Man, Korean War Veteran, Victim of Rifle Shot

Twenty-year-old Howard Halbert, of East McDowell, died in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, at 2 p.m., Saturday, a few hours after he had fired the bullet of a .22 calibre rifle into his head.

Halbert, a veteran of the Korean war, was found slumped beside the restaurant owned by his uncle, Bob Jones, a short distance outside Louisiana. He had been employed at the restaurant.

Lawrence county Coroner Byron L. Young quoted Jones as saying his nephew had previously attempted suicide by slashing his wrists.

The victim was a son of the late Bill Halbert and of Mrs. E. M. Bartley, of East McDowell. Besides his mother and step-father, he leaves one sister, Mrs. Rosetta Lewis, of Allen, a brother, Hillard Halbert, Fincastle, O., a half-sister, Mrs. Leslie Bartley, and a half-brother, Denver Bartley, both of East McDowell.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday afternoon from the home of the victim's mother by the Revs. Wayne Howell, Dosey Rudd, Babe Blair and T. Robinson, and burial was made in the family cemetery at East McDowell, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

EABE DIES

Wendell, day-old son of George and Virgie Daniel Prasure, of East McDowell, died Thursday of last week at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. He was their first child. Funeral rites were conducted at the home Friday of last week and burial was made in the family cemetery at East McDowell under the direction of Turner Funera. Home.

Lake Lowering Date Tentatively Set For Oct. 20; 15-Foot Drop in Level Planned To Permit Dredging at Dock

The Kentucky Division of Parks has asked the U. S. Corps of Engineers' district office, Huntington, W. Va., to lower the level of Dewey Lake to elevation 635, to permit dredging operations necessary in the installation of the new boat dock now under construction on Brandy Keg Cove.

Dredging is necessary to bring sufficient water to the new dock

Middle Creek Couple Raided by Stray Dogs Which Kill Chickens

It's not only sheep that dogs kill, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams, of the Middle Creek road, offer as proof the few chickens left of a sizeable flock.

Sunday night, the flock numbered 68. By daybreak Monday a dozen of the hens were dead, about 20 others were missing and still others were found mutilated but still living.

The dog warden is needed there to pick up stray dogs, the couple points out. Numerous dogs have been loosed in the community by owners who do not care to bear the expense of licensing them.

Mrs. Goldie H. Jones, 35, Heart Disease Victim At Martin Hospital

Mrs. Goldie Hamilton Jones, 35 years old, wife of David Jones, of Ligon, died at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, Tuesday. Heart disease was given as the cause of death.

Daughter of the late John and Belle Tackett Hamilton, she was a native of the Mud Creek section of the county, surviving, in addition to her husband, are five sons and a daughter, Clifford, Clinton, Tilton, Roy Dean and Madgie Jones, all of Ligon; five brothers and six sisters, Kennis, Clifford and Elijah Hamilton, all of Detroit, C. C. Hamilton, of Teaberry, Solomon Hamilton, of Caney Creek, Mrs. Estalene Hamilton, Mrs. Lee Hamilton, Mrs. Ruthie Hamilton and Mrs. Alice Hamilton, all of Teaberry, Mrs. Lula Hamilton, Pigeon, Ky., and Mrs. Margie Mullins, Detroit.

Funeral rites were conducted this morning (Thursday) from the residence, the Revs. Evan Hamilton, John B. Hamilton, Jerry Hall and Jonah Isaac officiating. Burial was made at Beaver, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

Little Paint Tot, Hit By Auto, Is Unconscious In Paintsville Hospital

Struck by an automobile while she was returning from school Friday afternoon, six-year-old Betty Jean Blackburn, of Little Paint, remained unconscious early this week in the Paintsville hospital.

The child, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blackburn, was hit by a car driven by James Owens, 26, of Wrigley, Ky. State police said investigation showed the tot stepped onto the highway in front of the auto. No formal charge was lodged against Owens.

GROWERS SET MEETING HERE

Area Strawberry Farmers To Organize Association Representing 10 Counties

A strawberry growers association to serve a 10-county Eastern Kentucky area will be formed in a meeting to be held at the courthouse here at 10 a.m. next Wednesday. It was announced this week by County Agent O. E. Boggs.

Business of the meeting will be, in addition to effecting a formal organization, the adoption of a constitution and by-laws, study of marketing and transportation problems and negotiation this fall for plants for planting next spring.

Each of the 10 counties—Floyd, Knott, Perry, Letcher, Pike, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, Lawrence and Carter—will be represented by two delegates at the meeting. Floyd strawberry growers are being urged by Boggs to attend the meeting, the third of an area-wide nature to be held.

Six hundred fifty acres of strawberries will be in production next year in the area to be represented at next week's meeting, it was estimated.

University of Kentucky specialists expected to be present at the meeting here next Wednesday are W. J. Farmer, field agent in fruit and vegetable marketing, and L. A. Venice, field agent in marketing.

INFANT DIES

Roger Deane, day-old son of Ola and Geraldine Jones, of Ligon, died at 9:45 a.m., at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, last Thursday. Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m., last Saturday, at the home of the child's grandfather, Bob Jones, of Ligon. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Ligon under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

MARTIN FILES SECOND SUIT

Last Suit Against May Brings To \$30,000 Total Of Damages Being Asked

A second suit filed by Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin last week brought to \$30,000 the total damages sought by him from Magistrate John May, of Langley.

Martin's first suit for \$25,000 against the Magistrate was filed late last Wednesday on the contention that a newspaper advertisement published by May was defamatory to him. The second action, seeking \$5,000 damages, was filed Thursday.

The action last filed is an aftermath of a meeting of the two men at the courthouse Oct. 4, 1954 when Martin was struck by May. Martin's petition, prepared by Claude P. Stephens, Prestonsburg attorney, says that at the time of the assault the plaintiff was engaged in the performance of his duties as Commonwealth's Attorney and that the attack was committed for the purpose of depriving him of his office.

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236 Men, Four Women Named for Poll Work

Two hundred thirty-six men and four women were named last Thursday by the new Floyd Board of Election Commissioners to serve at the 60 voting precincts at the November 8 general election.

The new board is composed of A. B. Meade, Democrat, W. B. Boyd, Republican, and Sheriff Gorman Collins as ex-officio member.

Names of the election officers follow, the clerk, two judges and the sheriff appearing in order in each instance: PRESTONSBURG, No. 1—W. B. Boyd, Mat Parsley, A. B. Meade, Wesley Howard. PRESTONSBURG No. 2—Mrs. Paul E. Hayes, Jarvis Allen, Kin Sparks, Virginia Stephens. DEPOY No. 3—Henry Harris, Sam V. Hale, James Green, Roe Green. AUXIER No. 4—W. L. (Fat) Wells, W. R. Ford, Johnnie Patton, Clifford Hubbard. MIDDLE CREEK No. 5—Henry C. Hale, Dewey Hicks, Frank Johnson, Dave Prater.

SPURLOCK No. 6—Hubert Stephens, Holbert Pitts, Malcolm Hubbard, Fred Tussey.

PORTER No. 7—George Sizemore, W. M. Boyd, Bill Vinegar Goble, Chaffie Burchett.

Johns Creek No. 8—Jeff Jarvis, Drew Spears, Buddy Blackburn, Ezra James.

COW CREEK No. 9—Bill Darby, Lewis Burchett, Togo Harris, G. C. Burchett.

ALLEN No. 10—Herman Porter, Tandy Cecil, George Snodgrass, Sam Cecil.

JIM BANKS No. 11—W. A. Willis, Richard Willis, Ashland Derosselt, Frank Lafferty.

JOHN POSSUM No. 12—Clyde Lester, Claude Flannery, R. C. Barnett, Will Jarrell.

HOLBERT No. 13—Lackey Salisbury, George Estep, Hargis Hayes, J. D. Salisbury. MOUTH MUD No. 14—Oscar Bush, Basil Hamilton, Ted Akers, Max Akers.

FAIR EXHIBITS ARE EXPECTED TO BE BETTER

Third Post-War Fair Here Opens Today; Livestock Show Set on Saturday

Barring rainy weather, the third annual post-war county fair which officially opened here this morning (Thursday) is expected to surpass preceding events of the kind in several respects, County Agent O. E. Boggs said Wednesday.

The livestock show and school exhibits, he predicted, will be outstanding. Sheep, an animal almost wholly missing from past fairs here, will in all probability be the main attraction in the livestock show, this development resulting from the sensational increase in sheep-raising in the county within the last year.

Hogs and cattle also are expected to be exhibited at the fair. All livestock exhibits must be in pens at the fairgrounds by 10 a.m., Saturday, and will be ready to be returned home by 4 p.m. At least part of the livestock judging will be done by Floyd county native, Grady Sellards, of the College of Agriculture Extension Department, University of Kentucky.

The school exhibits and commercial exhibits will add to the variety of displays at the fair. In addition to these will be canning and other home products displayed by individuals and groups.

Eight school bands will add a touch of color to the scene Saturday morning, with a parade to form at the Highland avenue side of the fairgrounds and from there to follow principal Prestonsburg streets. Participating bands will be those of the Prestonsburg, Betsy Layne, Drift, Martin, Maytown, Wheelwright, Wayland, Garrett and McDowell schools. From Highland avenue where a program of band music will be broadcast over Radio Station WPRT the parade will go to Court street, on to First avenue, up First to Graham, then to Lake Drive and north along Lake Drive to Friend street, up Friend and on to the starting point on Highland. The parade will start at 10 a.m.

In operation every night since Monday, the extra entertainment offered by rides, concessions will continue through Saturday night.

Beginning tonight, Court street in front of the courthouse will be roped off for square-dancing.

Struck by the plight of the fair board when the livestock committee could not procure pens for temporary exhibits, the fair board has

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WELCOME TO THE FAIR THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 7, 8

PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH
 Harold W. Dorsey, Minister
 8:45 a.m., Sunday School, classes for all ages.
 10:55 a.m., Morning worship, sermon topic—"It is Jesus Who Saves."
 6:15 p.m., M. Y. F.
 7:30 p.m., Evening worship, sermon topic—"Finding Peace of Mind." Good fellowship, good singing, Gospel preaching—COME.
 Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Methodist men's dinner; Dr. A. R. Perkins will be the guest-speaker.
 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Mid-week prayer service.

Miss Moles and Miss Hunt Wed Brothers, October 1 In Double Wedding Rites

The double wedding of Miss Anna Jewel Moles and Mr. Ballard Preston Scalf, Miss Deloris Jean Hunt and Mr. Wallace Julian Scalf was solemnized Saturday, Oct. 1, at the First Methodist church, Lebanon, Va. The pastor, the Rev. Floyd Davis, officiated at the single-ring ceremony. Several relatives and friends from this county attended the wedding.

Mrs. Ballard Scalf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moles, of Betsy Layne. Mrs. Julian Scalf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hunt, of Ivel. The grooms are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Scalf, of Mare Creek.
 They will reside at Columbus, O., where the grooms are employed.

To Whom It May Concern:

On and after publication of this notice I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by any person other than myself.

ROBERT HONDEL



THE PRIMARY IS OVER—Four of Kentucky's Democratic leaders clasp hands at a Louisville "Harmony" meeting, pledging all-out support for A. B. Chandler and the Democratic ticket at the November 8 general election. From left: Bert Combs, Earle Clements, Alben Barkley and A. B. Chandler. Barkley predicted a Chandler victory by more than 100,000 votes while Clements called on all Kentuckians to unite behind the ticket. Chandler said, "A winner can be magnanimous but a loser can be magnificent. I salute the magnificent Bert Combs."

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porary use at the fair this year, the board of directors of the Farm Bureau voted a \$150 appropriation last Thursday to finance construction of 25 pens. The amount made available provided only the lumber necessary, and Paul Dotson, livestock committee chairman is constructing the pens. These can be knocked down at the end of the fair and saved for future use.

The Farm Bureau has a long-range plan to finance all the livestock pens the fair will need. The number is expected eventually to reach 75 or more.

RETURNS TO BASE

Langley, Ky. — Wendell Jones, who recently spent a 30-day leave from the Sea Bees with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jones, here, has returned to his base at Fort Huachuca, California. He and his parents attended the Kentucky-Mississippi football game, after which he left Lexington for California.

BABY IS VICTIM

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Kitchen, Jr., of Hi Hat, died Monday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin. The parents and one brother survive. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Hi Hat, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
 Kelly Development Co., Plff.
 Vs.: Notice of Sale
 W. M. Meade & Co., Deft.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the September 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 24th day of October, 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 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being lot No. 48, Section No. 5, House MD3 of the property of Kelly Development Company, at Weeksbury, Kentucky, on Left Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, as shown on a certain map entitled, "Map of Weeksbury, Kentucky, Subdivision of surface tracts", of record in File Box No. 3, map No. 142, Floyd County Court Records, to which reference is made for a more complete description. Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the defendants for the sum of \$901.35 with interest from Oct. 13, 1954, until paid, and the costs of this action.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. Given under my hand, this 3rd day of October, 1955.

J. B. CLARKE,
 Master Commissioner
 Floyd Circuit Court
 (Cost of Adv., \$18.00) 10-6-55

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at the court house a few weeks ago. The dismissal was made on motion of the plaintiff's attorney and followed two earlier attempts at a hearing.

Quarterly court was in session five days last week, and its work for most of that time surpassed in interest the preceding circuit court term. These were fined:

Bennie L. Laferty, speeding, plea of guilty, \$10 and cost; Leonard Crum, drunk driving, \$250 fine and costs, license revoked; Darwin Walker, improper passing, \$25 and costs; Warner Willis, Jr., speeding, \$20 and costs; Leonard Stanley, drunkenness, \$10 and costs; Billy Van Goble, reckless driving, \$10; Ray Prater, passing a school bus while passengers being unloaded, \$10; Earnel Isaac, drunkenness, \$10; Hargis Adams, drunkenness, \$10; Alex Slone, drunkenness, \$10; George T. Williams, Jr., speeding, \$10.

Dismissals on motions of attorneys for the plaintiffs included these cases:

Ray Campbell, trespassing; Eugene Lewis, Sherman and Ade Hunt, Athene Scott, Josephine Hurd, Crennie Joseph, Robert Adkins, Frankie Mitchell, Roland Howell, Sam Eversole, each on a peace warrant; Johnnie Warrens, cold check; Woodrow Hurd, child desertion; Henry Benton, defrauding an inn-keeper; James E. Daniels, child desertion; Chester Fields, hunting without license; Paul Hughes, desertion; B. H. and Jack Cusley, failing to comply with dog act.

Filed away were charges of drunk driving and failure to produce operator's license against James L. Keathley.

Others acquitted were: Erman Poe, drunkenness; Jim Hall, setting woods on fire; John Branham, possessing whiskey.

The charge of carrying a concealed deadly weapon was dismissed against Coon Sammon after an examining trial was held.

Held to the January grand jury term under \$1,000 bond each after they had waived examining trial were Elmer Fields, accused of interfering with an officer in making arrest, and Jodie Collins, charged with false pretenses.

The jury in the trial of Vada Elliott, charged with fishing without license, failed to agree.

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100 were there for my sermon. They gave me an offering of 75 cents, and that was the most money I had ever had."

Youngest of his family, Martinez attended high school in San Antonio through his junior year. There he had competed in the city boxing tournament, gaining the runner-up spot. He also played a lot of football as quarterback and basketball as a guard.

Meanwhile, his preaching career continued. Arriving in Louisville on an overnight tour, he was persuaded to remain there to complete high school, which he did at Valley high. He decided to keep in condition by keeping up his boxing, and won the Kentucky Golden Gloves tournament by scoring three knockouts. Among the well-known professional fighters whom he numbers among his friends are Nate Brooks and Bobby Dykes, the latter a boxer who is rated No. 8 in the middleweight division.

His graduation from high school was followed by study at Georgetown College from which he received his degree. The Big Decision already had been made.

"Brother Homer," as he prefers to be called, has been preaching for 13 years now. He is 24. He has led 7,000 souls to a personal faith in Jesus Christ. He has held more than 150 revival meetings in his evangelistic tours that have ranged from New York to Florida.

Commenting on his tours, he says he regards himself as a mere transmitter who serves as a means to the greatest of ends. His nightly services, attended by capacity crowds, will continue through Sunday night.

CORRECTIONS

The Times was in error last week in stating the funeral of Daniel Akers was under the direction of Carter and Callihan. The funeral was directed by Hall Bros. Funeral Home, of Martin, relatives state.

BLOOD DISEASES FATAL TO PAINTSVILLE MAN

Paintsville, Ky., Oct. 3 — Howard Jenkins, 42, Paintsville, an oil-and-gas contractor, died of leukemia yesterday at a hospital in Boston, it was reported here.

Jenkins was associated with his father, Oliver Jenkins, for many years in extensive oil-and-gas operations in Eastern Kentucky. The funeral will be here.

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 10 A.M.

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WANTED—Five better houses for lease. Call **H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr.**, Phone 2266, The Bank Josephine. 10-5-2t

FOR SALE—Well stocked grocery store with all-new fixtures in 24 x 35 building. Stock room 14 x 25 on lot 50 x 120. Located on South Mayo Trail in Prestonsburg. All for price of \$9,500, cash or terms. See **L. T. May**. 9-29-tf

FOR SALE—Eight lots in Mayo addition, also one 25-horsepower motor, boat and trailer. **Phone 2836**, Prestonsburg. 9-30-tf

FOR SALE—Two nice lots in Mayo Addition of Prestonsburg, near Lancer. See or call **Robert Wellman**, Prestonsburg. 9-29-tf

FOR RENT—Excellent store location. Plenty parking ground furnished. **Alex H. Spradlin**, Prestonsburg. 10-6-tf

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SLATE DENNEY HERE, OCT. 11

Candidate To Speak Here On East Kentucky Swing, Is Announcement Made



Edwin R. Denney, Republican candidate for governor, will appear in Prestonsburg at 1:30 p.m. (EST) Tuesday, Oct. 11, according to **William Darby**, county Republican chairman, and **Edwin Stewart**, campaign chairman.

Denney, while here, is expected to give his views on state parks, a merit system, the state old-age lien on property owned by pensioners, the Minimum Foundation Program for school improvement and a plan which will improve Kentucky agriculturally and industrially.

The GOP nominee has said he is wholeheartedly against turning the operation of state parks over to concessions.

Denney also has said that he will work for immediate enactment of a merit system. Such a system would protect career employees in their jobs and protect them from mass firings from political purposes. The Minimum Foundation Program is designed to provide better schools, better transportation and better-paid teachers. It is one measure to counteract the loss of Kentucky teachers to other states. A factory in every county also is a plank in the Denney platform.

Mrs. Belle Dillon, 90, Sugar Loaf Resident, Passes Away in Sleep

Mrs. Belle Caldwell Dillon, 90 years old, was found dead in bed at 4 a.m. Last Friday at the home near Sugar Loaf of her son, **John Dillon**. She was the last of the family of **Morris and Kate Hunt Caldwell**, and was the widow of **Jack Dillon**, who died in 1927. Mrs. Dillon was a member of the United Baptist Church.

Surviving, besides her son, **John Dillon**, are three sons and two daughters, **Andy Dillon** and **Mrs. Maggie Campbell**, both of Thurman, O., **Robert Dillon**, Jackson, O., **James Dillon**, Springfield, Mo., and **Mrs. Emma Lewis**, of Banner.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Methodist Church at Emma, the Revs. **Isaac Stratton**, **Carl Layne** and **Abe Vanderpool** officiating. Burial in the **Leslie cemetery** at Emma was directed by the **Carter & Callihan Funeral Home**.

Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
Lula Leslie Lee Et Als., Piff.
Vs.: Notice of Sale
Darwin Douglas Roberts
Et Als., Deft.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the September 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 24th day of October, 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 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Big Sandy River, being lot No. 2, Beginning at a stone at the railroad right of way, a corner to lot No. 1; thence across bottom with No. 1, reversed, S 35 20E 940 feet to a willow at the river; thence upon the river 150 feet to a sycamore; thence N 35 35 W 905 feet passing a dogwood at the top of the bank and across the bottom to a stone at the right of way; thence down with right of way 150 feet to the beginning, containing three and twenty-six hundredths acres (3.26) more or less.

Hill Tract, Big Sandy River, Lot No. 7, beginning at an iron post at the edge of the railroad, a corner to L. C. Leslie; thence down with the railroad right of way to **Lula Bevins** line; thence up the hill with her line to the point; thence up the point with her line to the top of the hill; thence with the center of the ridge to a chestnut oak, a corner to lot No. 6; thence down the hill with lot No. 6, reversed, S 46 15 E 400 feet to a black oak; S 45 E 360 feet to a sugar tree; S 44 45 E 285 feet to a beech; S 46 E 370 feet to a dogwood on a point; S 42 30 E 550 feet to an iron post a corner to **L. C. Leslie**; thence with his line, S 30 45 E 278 feet to the beginning, containing twenty (20) acres, more or less.

A graveyard 100 feet square around the graves now located on said tract is not included, same having been excepted by prior conveyances.

Beaver Creek tract, Lot No. 5, Beginning at an elm in the bottom a corner to lot No. 4; thence S 84 45 E 200 feet crossing Beaver Creek to a stake; thence down said creek, N 4 E 26 feet to a stake; N 11 E 109 feet to a stake a corner to lot No. 6; thence with lot No. 6, N 82 15 W 200 feet crossing the creek to an elm; N 63 30 W 83 feet to a stake at the edge of the C & O right of way; thence down with said right of way, N 47 45 E 270 feet to a sycamore; N 30 40 W 410 feet up the hill to a poplar; N 37 20 W 920 feet passing white walnut, black oak and chestnut oak to a X on a rock on the main ridge; S 88 15 W 207 feet to a chestnut oak on a knob, a corner to lot No. 3; thence down the point with No. 3, S 6 30 W 250 feet to a hickory; S 4 E 121 feet to a black oak on a cliff; S 33 E 85 feet to a X on a rock below a large cliff; thence leaving lot No. 3, and with lot No. 4, S 41 E 207 feet to a small white oak; S 22 45 E 300 feet to a black oak; S 7 05 E 235 feet to a X on a rock; thence leaving the point and down the hill, S 58 15 E 515 feet to a stake at the right of way; S 50 E 85 feet, crossing railroad to a stake; S 67 30 E 134 feet to the beginning, containing eighteen (18) acres, more or less.

Emma Station tract, lot No. 6, Beginning at a stake at the street a corner to lot No. 5; thence with lot No. 5, reversed, N 38 30 E 318 feet to a stake; S 52 35 E 45 feet to a stake, corner to lot No. 7; thence with lot No. 7, S 39 30 W 320 feet to a stake at the street; thence with the street, N 51 W 40 feet to the beginning, containing thirty one hundredths (.31) acres, more or less.

The oil and gas rights in and to said four tracts of land are not included in the sale of the land.

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 3rd day of October, 1955.

J. B. CLARKE,
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
(Cost of Adv., \$45.00) 10-6-3t

More than 800 entries were made in the women's department of the Webster county fair.

CHAMBERLAIN WILL SPEAK

U. of K. Vice President Scheduled as Speaker At Founders Day Event

Special to The Times
Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 3 — **Dr. Leo M. Chamberlain**, vice president of the University of Kentucky, will address the traditional Founders Day chapel exercises at Pikeville College Thursday, October 13.

The first honorary degrees from Pikeville, which recently began its expansion from junior-college to four-year status, are to be conferred at the Founders Day convention. **Dr. A. A. Page**, college president, announced that they will go to a "few men and women who have made outstanding contributions to society."

Dr. Chamberlain's address will mark his first visit to Pikeville in his 26 years at the University. **Dr. Page** said, "Before becoming vice president nine years ago he was assistant professor and professor of education; director of the bureau of school service, registrar, and dean of the University."

He is currently president of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the principal accrediting agency in the southeastern United States.

Dr. Page, the Pikeville president, was **Dr. Chamberlain's** student in a course in educational administration at the University several years ago, he said.

The board of trustees of Pikeville College will hold its fall meeting on Founders Day, with almost all of the 16 members expected to attend. **Dr. Page** said. Presiding will be the **Rev. Samuel R. Curry**, Ashland, Ky., board chairman.

The day will close with a reception and open house at the new home of the college president, remodeled since its purchase last year from the heirs of the late **T. H. Harman**, until his death a trustee of the school. Members of the alumni association, the PTA of Pikeville's teacher-training grade school, and the college faculty will be hostesses.

The traditional interclass softball game will be played in the afternoon.

NOTICE
On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.
Charles May 9-22-3t-pd.

OUR ERROR
The statement made last week to the effect that **Daniel Akers**, who was killed near Grethel, died without seeing his parents, is erroneous. The Times has learned. **Young Akers** had spent most of the day of his death with his mother and did not see his father only because his father was working away from home.

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EVERYBODY INVITED

There will be a **Denney Banquet** at the **Keathley Theatre Bldg., Martin**, Friday, Oct. 14--7:30 p.m.

(Pol. Adv.)

"Spare That Tree"— A Plea To All

Although recent rains have delayed the "fire season," the respite is only temporary. A few days of sunshine, a few careless hands, and the full sweep of destruction will again visit Floyd county timberlands.

Whether a woodland fire is started maliciously or by a farmer burning brush, a housewife burning trash or a hunter using a smoke to rout game from a hole, the result is the same: trees destroyed that are a lifetime in the growing, acres denuded of protecting weeds and leaves to permit precious topsoil, which is equally as long in the making, to be washed down the slopes and into swollen streams to enrich level bottom-lands a hundred miles distant, streambeds choked with silt and sand, and watersheds so stark that there is no natural hindrance to flash floods.

Most people know a little of the consequences of man's carelessness and wantonness, but too few care enough about them. Every one of us has a stake in these hills, and consequently a responsibility to put a stop to the cruel senselessness of forest fires. The farmer's stake is greatest, and his interest brings us all into it. The timber, the soil and the water resources of the section mean a living to him and indirectly to us all. The hunter's interest in forest protection extends mainly to his interest in wildlife as a source of sport. Neither in the past has done what he should to protect his interest.

The plea, "Spare that tree," isn't directed only at the woodman, these days—it is made to us all, any one of whom may be an agent of destruction if we do not exercise thoughtful care.

We Hail The Workers

The Times at this annual county fair time offers its congratulations not to the winners of ribbons or the exhibitors, as important as they are to the success of the fair.

Our admiration goes to those who have done the work of organizing and preparing for this event in which all the county should take part. Some of the work has been extremely tedious, often disappointing, and those who stuck with it deserve the lion's share of the acclaim.

There is no reason that Floyd county cannot stage a fair every year on a par with, or better than, any held in the eastern part of Kentucky. Although not basically an agricultural county, its limited products of the farm are outstanding. Livestock-growing, particularly sheep, is increasing, and the county affords many industrial exhibits that will round out a good show. Home crafts later will play a more important part, and it strikes us that the mining industry could very well come into the industrial phase of the annual exhibition.

That is talking of the future. For the present we congratulate all taking part in any way. Most of all we hail those who have done the spade work, the pavement-pounding, doing those trying jobs that are a necessary part of the thing.

TIMES EMPLOYEE ILL
Henry P. Scaff, of The Times editorial staff, has been quite ill at his home on Mare Creek for the last week but expects to return to work soon.

that we are tempted to exercise whatever power of the printed word we may have to "get even" with somebody, to advance some "cause" for personal gain, or to insidiously oppose any worthy movement because of petty jealousy or fraudulent purpose of our own, to get out and stop disgracing the profession.

Yes, the newspapers of the country can and do perform great services. They are a necessity in a free land. May we all live up to their finest tradition.

If we do that, I doubt if we shall have to do too much horn-tootin' to call to the attention of our readers our sterling virtues.

WON'T TALK, EH?

What children can do to shatter the aplomb of parents and all others within sight or sound is plenty, but a certain Mr. and Mrs. Frank Licavoll, the newspapers tell us, found Junior just a bit more exasperating the other day than the usual run of urchins. For three-year-old Junior and his crew found his mother's purse lying atop a refrigerator and in that purse was the neat sum of \$2.58. And, lo! when she found the aforesaid Junior, a few minutes later down the street, he was swinging Mama's empty purse in one hand, with the other clutching five pennies—all that was left of the family hoard.

What makes the incident more exasperating is despite all the questioning the parents have done, with the help of police, neighbors and everybody but some of these child behavior experts, not a clue to the whereabouts of that missing money has turned up.

THE CATCH

I made my most unusual catch of years of fishing, last Saturday, over at Dewey. Casting a flyrod popper, I snagged a dive-dapper, one of those duck-like birds that convinces you he is a duck till you get near and he dunks himself. Caught him in the wing, and the result was ten minutes of battle royal, with the dive-dapper not wanting to get loose a bit more than I did. He had places to go, and I had a good flyrod that was having trouble staying as the bird tried to dive, then fly and, thwarted, would tear off swimming.

Well, we finally got disengaged. But what I started out to say—and shoot if you must, I insist on saying it—I had him fowl-hooked.

AND EVERYBODY'S HAPPY

Young Jack Hill has a baseball autographed by every member of the Cincinnati Redlegs team, including Manager Tebbets, and he didn't have to go around begging the Big Leaguers to sign up either. Wally Post did the leg work for him, and was glad to do it.

You see, Jack and other Pony Leaguers were in the stands at Cincinnati the day this season that Post hit two homers, one of which broke the Redleg home run record for right-hand batters. The enterprising Mr. Hill was right on the ball, so to speak, and he bargained with a colored boy who was in the street where the balls came down. Paid a dollar for each of them. Later, as Wally Post and other Redlegs were leaving their dressing-room Jack told Post he had his record-breaking home run ball. That did it. Post promised the boy that if he would let him have the ball for his own souvenir collection he would get him another and, moreover, would have every member of the team to autograph it.

The headline writers had fun with that Brooklyn story following the Dodgers' World Series victory: "Podres Gets Bums Rush" (describing the joyous charge of Brooklyn players as the lefty ended the game with a shutout) and of the wild celebration in Flatbush that night, "A Spree Grows in Brooklyn."

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Ill Last Two Years, Mrs. Naomi Ellis, 86, Dies As Result of Fall

Mrs. Naomi Ellis, 86, of Williamsburg, Ky., died at the Southeastern Kentucky Baptist hospital, at Corbin, at 11 a.m., Thursday of last week. She had been in ill health for two years but death came as the result of a fall when she suffered a broken shoulder and other injuries.

Mrs. Ellis was the daughter of the late Newton and Susan Parker White. She was married to Thompson Ward and after his death to John Ellis who also preceded her in death.

Surviving children are Rev. Ernest Ward, of Garrett, Guy P. Ward, Guileston, Herlan county, Birdie Ward, Garden City, Texas, William H. Ward, address unknown, Mrs. Mabel Ward, Cincinnati, Mrs. Jessie Thompson, Booneville, Ark., and Mrs. Ruth Bunch, in Tennessee.

Funeral rites were conducted, at 10 a.m. last Sunday, at the Little Union church on Stonecoal Creek, the Revs. M. F. Blanton, Buell Ferguson, Verman Hall, Everett Daniels and Jack Moore officiating. Burial followed in the Bentley cemetery on Stone Coal under the direction of Hall Bros Funeral Home.

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BIBLE QUIZ

By A. F. BARKER
(508 Euclid Ave., Bristol, Va.)

Q. Where and when do we find the name of Abraham first mentioned in the Bible?

A. In his genealogy or family tree dating back to the Flood. He was a descendant of Shem, one of three sons of Noah who came out of the Ark. (Genesis 11-10-16).

Q. Why is the name of Abraham of great importance in Bible history?

A. It marks the beginning of the Hebrew nation. God called this nation, "Israel." "I will make of thee a great nation . . . and in thee shall all the families of the earth be blessed." Gen. 12:1-3.)

Q. What was the plan and purpose of God in creating this new nation?

A. To set up His Name in the earth and to prepare for the coming of Jesus Christ the Savior of the world. "And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS; for He shall save His people from their sins." (Matthew 1:21).

Q. During these 2000 years what three important periods of time are marked equally by generations?

A. "So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations; and from David until the carrying away into Babylon are fourteen generations; and from the carrying away into Babylon unto Christ are fourteen generations." (Matthew 1:17).

Q. In the above connection what is the meaning of the word "generation"?

A. "Not the average lifetime of man, but the average period of activity of any body of contemporaries." (Cruden's concordance) for example: "And Joseph died, and all his brethren, and all that generation." (Exodus 1:8). "And he made them wander in the wilderness forty years until all that generation that had done evil in the sight of the Lord was consumed." (Numbers 13:32).

Q. Said the Jews to Jesus, "Art thou greater than our father Abraham who is dead?"

A. Said Jesus, "Your father Abraham rejoiced to see my day; and he saw it and was glad." (John 8:53-56). "As touching the dead, that they rise . . . I am the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob. He is not the God of the dead but the God of the living. Ye therefore do greatly err." (Mark 12:26-27).

SPORTS AFIELD

"'Tis a feat to fit the feet." So says Col. Townsend Whelen, camping editor of Sports Afield magazine. The size shoe you wear in the city may do well enough for the three or four miles of walking that the average sportsman does on an ordinary outing. But beware of this size for a daily tramp of eight to 20 miles over rough country, or even bird cover if it's a bit hillier. After three or four miles of trudging over rough country, your feet swell considerably, so the shoes you select for long and rough walking must be large enough to fit comfortably when your feet are in this condition.

It is highly important that you break in the shoes to fit your feet well in advance of a trip afield. The lasts on which good outdoor shoes are made are designed for normal feet, but when new they may bring undue pressure on parts of the foot. There are two ways of breaking in new leather shoes: First, by a gradual process of hiking two miles the first day, increasing the distance each day up to five miles. Second, stand in four inches of water for 15 minutes, then go for a hike until the boots dry on your feet.

Care of your feet is almost as important as the fit of your shoes. There are three precautions to take when making a trip. (1) Wear only well-fitting, fairly new socks with no rough or darned places. (2) If your feet are tender, dust them and your socks with foot powder. (3) And wash your feet each night and change socks daily—clean socks are very important to foot health.

Care of your shoes is important too. When they get muddy or wet they should be cleaned or washed, and then dried slowly in the air. If heat is used to dry them, it should be very mild since too much will make them stiff, shrink them, and may ruin the leather.

After they are dry, they should be greased with any good boot grease or with neat's-foot oil. Otherwise, leather shoes should be greased about once a week when in use. Greasing too often will make them soft if the leather is first warmed slightly.

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PLEDGE YOUR HELP



PREVENT FOREST FIRES!

THINK SAFETY

SAVE LIVES

IN THE HOME

Accidents in the home injure and kill more people than any other single cause. Like all accidents, those accidents which take place in the home can be prevented. All the pain and death and sorrow caused by accidents can be avoided if we will only THINK. THINK SAFETY. Most of us KNOW the safe way to do things if we will only THINK to remember them.

PREVENT FALLS:	PREVENT FIRES:
Keep halls, stairways clear	Use care with cigarettes
Provide handrails for stairs	Keep matches away from children
Provide grab rail for bathtub	Never let rubbish accumulate
Use ladder, not chair or box	Keep electric cords in condition
Eliminate slippery floors	Set stoves on substantial bases
No running in the house	Turn off that electric iron

Make Your Home Safe—And Happy

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

"MUTE, INGLORIOUS MILTON"

Thomas Gray, in discussing the great people of Stoke Poges who never had a chance to be great in the big world, mentions that in this neglected spot may rest "some mute, inglorious Milton." Sentimentalists the world over have loved that poem, for they like to believe themselves great world figures who never had a chance. On the other hand, the rest of us sometimes have felt the superior greatness of the local great ones and have wondered why they ever got the notion that they were great.

One of the passing institutions of our time is the local dictator or local demi-god. Automobiles, better education, travel, and all the gadgets of civilization have done much to de throne local heroes generally. It is very easy to drive a few miles away and be completely outside the range of their influence. There was a time when some one man or some one family seemed to own the county and the county seat. If actual ownership was out of the question, influence was not. In one small Kentucky county seat town nearly every phase of civilized life is dominated by the members and in-laws of a single family. They own the stores, the bank, the undertaking establishment; one is a dentist, another a lawyer, another a doctor. If you transact any earthly business or decide to take off for other worlds, you almost have to do business with this family or go miles away to another town, almost as completely dominated. For years I have wanted to name the numerous counties I have known well and place alongside the dominant family or families. I may have waited too long; besides, I probably would endanger my own standing with the ruling families if I did such a thing. It might look as if I were questioning the divine right of the royal families to rule Podunk and its adjoining county. With me, however, it is through no personal objection to this long-handed-down dominance; it is merely picturesque, especially since I have not had to live very much under such family domination.

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HEALTH NOTES

By Floyd County Health Department

COLOR IN YOUR LIFE

We all boast of being red-blooded Americans. But why do we say "Red"? All blood is red, even that of blue-blooded aristocrats. Color affects us all strongly, both emotionally and physically. Red makes us feel strong and our muscles react quickly to it. Blue relaxes and calms us. Advertisers use color to affect our feelings toward their products. We can use it in our daily lives to make ourselves healthier and happier. March is a good month to experiment. The outside world is drab and dreary. March is mud.

In this depressing atmosphere a cold in the nose can make anyone wish he were dead. But simply to blame the mournful dress of Nature will not solve the problem. Let's see what color can do to make our surroundings more stimulating.

A manufacturer redecorated his cafeteria in what he thought was a lovely feminine blue to please his women employees. Soon they complained of feeling cold and wore their coats to lunch. A color engineer advised slip-covering the chairs in orange and the complaints ended. The red side of the color spectrum is warm, and the blue-green opposites are cool. Dark colored objects seem heavier than light colored ones. Yellow can feel like sunlight, but the wrong shade can make you sick at your stomach.

It isn't necessary to buy a new wardrobe or redecorate the house from top to bottom. If you give thought to planning clothes, rooms, even meals, you will find you can use color for more health and happiness without extra expense. You can wear a bright scarf with an old dress. A small piece of material in a warm color will cover a sofa pillow. You can find stimulating pictures for your walls in magazines. You can cut branches of flowering trees and bring them to bloom in water. You can have spring in your house.

When the season changes, you can emphasize cool and restful colors that will give your family a more comfortable summer.

Two human cases of psittacosis have recently been reported in the state, the Kentucky State Department of Health has announced. The cases were the first human cases of psittacosis reported in Kentucky for the last three years.

A 40-year-old Boyle county woman contracted the disease as did a Jefferson county man who raises parakeets.

Psittacosis, sometimes called "parrot fever," is a disease of parrots, pigeons and parakeets. When transmitted to man, it is an influenza-type disease, with a hacking cough and usually a lung involvement. It is caused by a virus, and may be transmitted by a bird's nasal discharge or excreta which may be in dust or air.

If an individual becomes ill and the pet parakeet dies, the bird's body should be frozen, packed in a tin container and sent immediately to the Kentucky State Department of Health for examination. The ill person should also be sure to tell the family physician about the parakeet so that a blood sample may be taken for diagnosis, the Floyd county Health Department urges.

Issuing a warning to prospective parakeet owners, the health department said that a parakeet should be watched closely for two or three weeks after its purchase to be sure that the bird is well. A parakeet with ruffled feathers and an eye and nasal discharge may have psittacosis.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

By James Taylor Adams

BUSINESS TO THE VERY END

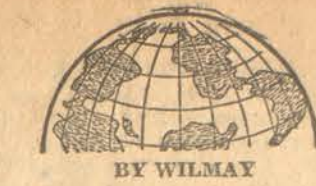
The undertaker in the little mountain burg was a very friendly, sociable sort of fellow and his little office became the gathering place for the town's cronies, particularly in the late afternoons and on nights when the proprietor of the place was not busy in the back room.

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IT'S A GOOD WORLD

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

A letter from an elderly friend, who devoted almost fifty years to a key position in the Southern Baptist Convention, mentions moving his membership to a church in Dallas after having belonged to another there for nearly twenty years. He changed because a dictator had taken the reins in his former church. A second acquaintance moved to another city some time ago because the dictator in his church could outswear a tramp and loved cocktails, etc.

Like some other evils, church dictators seem to be increasing. Dictators are no less a problem in churches than in governments. Thank goodness, there is none in my church. But most of us have known, seen or heard of them. Sooner or later they cause trouble, directly or indirectly. No church that has one becomes spiritually strong except when some godly pastor has courage to abolish the dictatorship.

Most modern church dictators are men of wealth who think the fact that they give more than a majority do entitles them to controlling power, and unfortunately some weak pastors let them get away with it. Nothing could be more wrong. Christ praised the widow for her mite, not for the size of her gift, but because it was all she had. What we give is measured largely by what we keep. God knows the motives behind our gifts. It grieves Him when men contribute huge sums just to get into a lower income tax bracket.

Such members are likely to say, "I built that church," or "I bought the pipe organ," if their gift to either was the largest made. In reality the child who gave ten cents to either cause may have been a more generous donor. Such members manage to have their way, by some means or other, and we unto any who block their path. When vacancies occur they ignore pastoral committees, invite whom they please, and select the new pastor themselves. They pull strings behind scenes, using stooges to do their bidding, while they seem to keep their own skirts clean. But they are the instigators. Sometimes they bribe others into siding with them, and scare some, in order to silence possible protest.

When issues are to be decided, if the conspirators lack a majority in their own clique, among relatives and close friends, who dare not differ with them, they may see to it that a church bus does not make a customary run. That would bring to services many known to oppose them. They employ various ways to whip into line any who would

resist their wily schemes. It is strange how many professed Christians are gullible enough to become their victims. Dictators do not hesitate to impose reprisals, to withhold friendship or jobs, or business, to remove any opposition that develops. Likewise they make tempting promises to those who will go their way. Long years ago, a dictatrix offered me a job to help out a pastor.

One can imagine how God feels about dictators in His house, and how He must suffer still more to see professed Christians and His leaders permit them to rule. Many who endure such corruption lack strength and character to end it. They see the crippling effects, but usually only a pastor condemns it openly. May the Lord be with one who does, especially when he treads on the toes of the offenders.

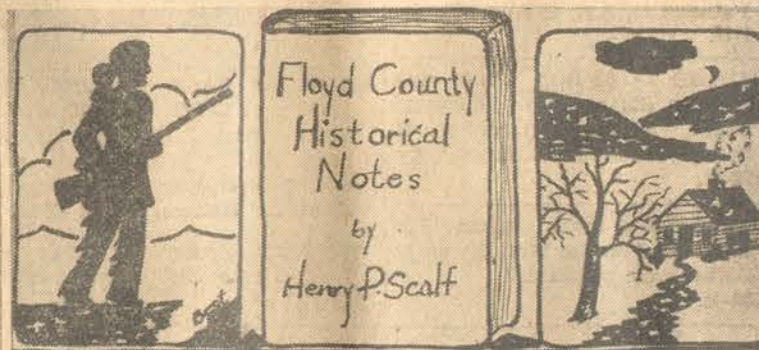
Sometimes the Christians who beg for a change are the first to desert the pastor when the going gets rough. Any pastor who denounces a church boss may expect to pay a heavy price unless his roll has no weak, anemic Christians on it. Some members, even church leaders, will play both sides. The guilty will decide to railroad the preacher at once. If they cannot obtain a majority vote they may stop giving altogether, or they may maintain a separate treasury and keep funds out of the church till later, to starve out the minister. Often those who wanted the dictatorship broken and promised to stand by will shift under pressure and claim to decide the church cannot get along without the usual large gifts from the monopoly. So they will and go against the pastor, instead of taking places in the front ranks of Christ's army against sin.

Jesus died from a broken heart. He suffered more from what His friends failed to do than from what His enemies did. All who attempt to dethrone church dictators will learn that lesson.

Tune in Saturday to hear returned missionaries from Africa speak over WPRT at 9:30 to 10. You will enjoy their account of life on the Dark Continent.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Louis Ware, president of the International Mineral and Chemical Corporation, Chicago, and graduate of the University of Kentucky College of Engineering in 1917, has awarded seven UK scholarships for the 1955-56 school year. These grants, awarded through the Louis Ware Fund, have a total value of \$3,200.



One of the oddities of things connected with genealogical research is that descendants of pioneer families, who emigrated westward during the early years of this county's history, are lost sight of for generations but then suddenly, out of the day's mail, someone, from somewhere, writes, asks about his or her people who must live back in Eastern Kentucky.

One of these families is the John Stratton and Dicea Alice Mayo Stratton family. This couple left this county in 1817 and went to Edgar County, Illinois, only there wasn't any Edgar county then. It was a land, tucked away on one side of the present state there wherein no one lived. Five families made up the total of the first settlers. Two of these families were the one mentioned and the family of Col. Jonathan May, Stratton's brother-in-law.

John Stratton and his wife, Dicea Mayo Stratton, had these children, according to a letter from Mrs. Neva M. Dalton, 1934, Iris Avenue, Sacramento, California, who is a descendant:

Elizabeth Stratton, born Oct. 8, 1809; Berthena H. Stratton, born Sept. 4, 1811; Sarah M. Stratton, born April 30, 1813; William J. Stratton, born August 1, 1815; Susan C. Stratton, born Aug. 25, 1817; Souleida J. Stratton, born Aug. 25, 1820; Jonathan P. Stratton, born Oct. 29, 1821; Mary Alice Stratton, born Jan. 12, 1823; Frederic Stratton, born Feb. 8, 1825; Henry Perry Stratton, Jan. 8, 1828; and Mayo Gordon Stratton, born Feb. 26, 1832.

John Stratton, father of these children was a son of Solomon Stratton and Jane . . . Stratton, pioneer residents of Floyd county, Solomon Stratton, one of George Rogers Clark's veterans of the Illinois campaign, aided Major Andrew Hoo, Mathias Harman, and John Graham to lay out Prestonsburg in 1797. He lies buried in the old Stratton cemetery at the mouth of Mare Creek.

John Stratton, born Feb. 15, 1877, in Virginia, died in Edgar county,

Illinois on April 5, the year not given in the family Bible. Dicea Alice Mayo Stratton, born Jan. 31, 1791, in Virginia, died Sept. 1, the year not given in the family Bible, but is stated by Mrs. Dalton as in 1849. Another date given by her is that Mary Alice Stratton died August 16, 1848, at age 25 years.

John Samuel Brown, born Floyd county, Ky., Nov. 9, 1805, married Berthena Harriet Stratton, daughter of John and Dicea Alice Stratton, in Lexington, Ky., Jan. 27, 1829. To this union 12 children were born. John Samuel Brown and his wife died and are buried in Edgar county.

Mrs. Dalton sends a copy of the funerary story of John Samuel Brown, as it appeared in the Paris (Ill.) Beacon. It follows:

"The funeral of John S. Brown, one of the pioneers of Edgar county, was preached by the writer at the old homestead, south of Logan on the 28th of January, 1887. The house was filled to its utmost capacity with persons who had come from all parts of the township, who had come to pay their last sad tributes of respect to the venerable landmark, who peacefully and triumphantly passed from the scenes of earthly trials January 26th, 1887.

"Father Brown was born in Floyd county, Kentucky, November 9th, 1805, consequently had lived to see the frost of fourscore winters. He came to Edgar county in 1825 and was united in marriage to Miss Berthena Stratton in 1829. His aged and faithful helpmate, who, with five children, survive him, is one of the two remaining persons, still living in Edgar county, who came here as little girls when the immortal five pioneers settled in 1817 on the North arm. Father Brown was known and loved far and near as an indulgent husband—a kind father, a good neighbor and an honest citizen. Blunt in speech, frank in manner, but a heart full of sterling worth. With faith strong and prospects bright, he fell asleep."

Wardrup's pine crest
WIENERS
 Sure to be tender
 "Another Mountain Industry"

ANNOUNCE BIRTH
 Airman and Mrs. Clinton E. Porter, formerly of Prestonsburg, now of Phoenix, Ariz., announce the birth on Sept. 15 of their second child, a daughter, Barbara Ann. Mrs. Porter is the former Dathine Jones, of Wayland.

A Times Want Ad will produce good results for you.

TOPMOST MAN AND CHILD DIE

In Separate Wrecks; Two With Tot Seriously Hurt; Racing Drivers Accused

Two residents of Topmost, a man and a three-year-old child, died last week as the result of widely separated automobile wrecks, and two other residents of that community were seriously injured.

Curt Hall, 44, died Sunday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, of injuries suffered Saturday when his car plunged over an embankment on Ky 7, near Kite.

Linda Gail Stone, 8, was killed at 6:15 Friday afternoon when two racing cars crashed through a street intersection at Hamilton, O., and rammed the auto of her father, Herman Stone.

The child's father and her mother, Mrs. Irene Masley Stone, are in a Hamilton hospital, both seriously hurt. He suffered a hip fracture, and Mrs. Stone is being treated for cuts, bruises and shock. Linda Gail succumbed to head and chest injuries.

One man figuring in the Ohio tragedy was jailed on a manslaughter charge, and another in a hospital faces the same possible charge. It was said. Name of neither was available here.

State police reported that Hall's car started around a half-ton truck it had been following, hit the truck and dropped over the embankment. Impact of the crash caused Rex Martin, driver of the truck, to lose control and the truck also left the road, crashing into Hall's car. Martin was unhurt.

Hall is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hall, three children and several brothers and sisters. Burial was made at Topmost.

Surviving the Stone child, in addition to her parents, are a sister, Wilma Jean, 9, and one brother, Danny Lee, 7. The body was returned to Topmost where funeral services were conducted Tuesday by the Revs. Hawley Warrens, E. V. Hopkins and Sherman Stone. Burial in the Hall cemetery at Topmost was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Society
 Notes

HOME FROM HOSPITAL
 Mrs. Alex L. Davidson returned home last week from Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, where she submitted to a goiter operation two weeks ago. She is convalescing nicely at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens, on Lake Drive. Her many friends are glad to welcome her home.

CELEBRATES 50TH ANNIVERSARY
 The 50th anniversary of the Kentucky Society, United States Daughters of 1812, was observed September 30 with an all-day meeting at the Capital hotel in Frankfort. Miss Mary Young Goff, the state president, presided at the meeting. The national president was present, also Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Curator national and other distinguished guests. About 100 members from over the state attended the meeting.

TREATED AT FRANKFORT
 Vickie Baker Harkins, little daughter of Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, warding off symptoms of pneumonia. She was improving today.

VISITING AT WEBSTER SPRINGS
 Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin left last Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mark Nichols, and Mr. Nichols at Webster Springs, W. Va. Mrs. John Hensley, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and Mrs. Greenville Spradlin accompanied her to Huntington where Mr. and Mrs. Nichols met her.

VISIT IN VIRGINIA
 David Hereford and Thomas Hereford, Jr. spent the week-end sight-seeing in Richmond and Petersburg, Va. They returned home Monday.

IN PIKEVILLE HOSPITAL
 Mrs. Virgil Webb entered the Pikeville hospital last Friday for medical treatment. She is improved this week, her friends here will be glad to learn.

FOUR YEARS OLD
 Bill Frazier celebrated his fourth birthday anniversary, September 28, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer H. Frazier, on Court street. About 30 little friends gathered at 3 p. m. to wish him a happy birthday, bringing him gifts. Games were enjoyed on the lawn until 4, when punch, cakes, candy and favors were served by his mother and his grandmother, Mrs. Earle A. Stumbo.

WEEK-END IN LEXINGTON
 Mrs. W. H. Jones and Miss Frances Jones returned home Sunday from Lexington where they spent the week-end.

HERE ON BUSINESS
 Mrs. Iley B. Browning, of Ashland, was here this week attending to business. She was the houseguest of Mrs. Reba B. Harkins while here.

RETURNS HOME
 Mrs. Alice Pruitt returned to her home on the Abbott road this week after ten days' treatment at Prestonsburg General hospital. She is improving.

CALLED HOME BY ILLNESS
 Mrs. Ethel C. Powers was called home last week from Lexington where she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dale Walden, and family.

IN PIKEVILLE ON BUSINESS
 Mrs. John Hager and daughters, Helen and Ruth, were in Pikeville last Saturday on business.

QUICK RELIEF FROM MOST ARTHRITIS — RHEUMATISM PAINS — OR YOUR MONEY BACK!
 Our new "wonder-tablet" — AR-PAN-EX, QUICKLY eases most pain from arthritis, rheumatism, neuritis or lumbago or . . . YOUR MONEY BACK!
 It's the HONEY with — this new, scientific preparation has freed thousands of happy folks from pains of stiff aching muscles, sore joints and miserable days and nights. Those who TRIED EVERYTHING and had to GIVE UP are happy now — thanking heaven for AR-PAN-EX.
 It's a shame — that thousands who COULD find RELIEF, but are beset by DOUBT, will continue to live in agony — look and act older than their years — be a trial to their loved ones — because they didn't have the 'get to' to use a modern pain relieving miracle. It IS true — it IS here — it's AR-PAN-EX. Use this wonder pain reliever . . . TODAY!
HUTSINPILLER DRUG
 Prestonsburg, Ky.

W.S.C.S. MEETS
 The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting in the Educational building at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Burl Spurlock presided. The program was the first session of the study course on American Indians presented by Miss Elsie Stephens.

Miss Charlotte Salisbury had charge of devotionals and Mrs. James Carter sang an American Indian hymn. An interesting film showing the changes in the lives of Indian Americans as shown by Miss Stephens.

The next session of this course will be held Monday, Oct. 10. Those attending were Mesdames Irene Dorsey, Geneva Carter, Patsy Wright, Peggy Spurlock, Mary Fay B. F. Combs, Helen Cooley, Margaret Archer, Vivian Hale, Eleanor Horn, Sylvia Nunnery, Green Allen, Ruth Worland, Thelma Wallen, Lena Brown, Phyllis Ranier, Francis Compton, Stella Spurlock, Doug May, Hazel Goble, Jean Boggs, Mabel Branham, Niece Kenny, E. L. Hopson, Misses Elsie Stephens, and Charlotte Salisbury.

VISITORS FROM LOUISVILLE
 Mr. and Mrs. Orville Burton, of Louisville, have been visiting Mrs. Mary Hyden, of West Prestonsburg.

Heart Attack Is Fatal To Mrs. Nancy Ousley; Burial Made at Dock

Mrs. Nancy Wright Ousley, 73 years old, wife of Bill Ousley, of Dock, died at the Paintsville hospital Wednesday at 2 a. m. Her death was ascribed to a heart condition.

Mrs. Ousley was a daughter of James and Sietta Wright and was a native of the county. Besides her husband, survivors include six sons and two daughters, John and Charles Ousley, of Martin, Henry Ousley, of Hippo, Ellis and George Ousley, of Dock, Jim Ousley, West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Myrtle Kendrick, Mt. Sterling, Mrs. Green Haywood, of Dock; three brothers and two sisters, the Rev. M. C. Wright, of Easton, the Rev. George Wright, of Martin, Jim Wright, Greenup, Ky., Mrs. Mary Collins, Plymouth, O., and Mrs. Susan Frasure, Greenup.

The funeral was conducted at 10 a. m. today (Thursday) from the residence by the Revs. Sherman Crum and Bill Justice. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Dock under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Ballard Osborne Dies Of Long Heart Illness; Was Former Gas Worker

Ballard Osborne, 58 years old, well-known West Prestonsburg man, died at 3:30 p. m., Saturday at the Paintsville hospital following a five-year illness of a heart ailment. He was a former station engineer for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company.

A lifelong resident of the West Prestonsburg community, he was a son of the late Granville and Julia Haywood Osborne. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Harris Osborne, two sons, Charles Osborne, Pompano Beach, Fla., and Everett Osborne, West Prestonsburg, a brother, John B. Osborne, West Prestonsburg, one sister, Mrs. Sola Elackburn, of East Point, and four grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, the Revs. Harold Dorsey, Jonas Miller and Charles Byrd officiating. Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery here under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Amos Gray, Malcolm Benjey, Albert Hammond, Henry Harris, Paul Rupert, and Willie Clark, Jr.

Honorary pallbearers: Albert Miller, Watt Hale, Sam V. Hale, Ballard Haywood, Burl Spurlock, Wood Meade, Charles Haywood, Bill Fitzpatrick, Lloyd Blackburn, Joe Blackburn, Cecil Kendrick, Lawrence Bray, Butler Stone, Fred James, Henry Wright, Tobe Perry, Theodore Burchett, Sam Hale, Bill Jack Stephens, Clyde Stephens, Bill Herald, Russell Horn, Tom Horn, Ballard Herald, Orville Elliott.

PRESBYTERIAN GROUPS HOLD JOINT MEETING
 The Westminster Guild and Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church held a joint meeting Tuesday evening at the church. The annual "thanks offering" was taken at this time. Mrs. Frank H. Layne presided. Special prayer was offered for missionaries in Pakistan and Haynes, Alaska. Mrs. W. C. Rimmer presented an interesting program on "Pioneering for Christ in America." Discussions were given on the topic by Mrs. Orville Pearson, Miss Hazel Hill, Mrs. George Sizemore, Mrs. Harold Ensminger, Miss Mary E. Powers was assisted by Miss Mary Martha Williams and Mrs. Ralph Davis in presenting helpful suggestions on "Those Little Lanes".

Mrs. Layne announced that the Presbyterian District meeting of church women will meet in Pikeville Friday morning at 9. New officers named by the nominating committee were: President, Mrs. Marvin Music; vice-president, Miss Mary E. Powers; secretary, Mrs. Belvard Friend; treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer; Chairman Circle No. 1, Mrs. E. R. Burke; chairman circle No. 2, Miss Hazel Hill.

Several members volunteered to help each Sunday with the nursery which will be at the manse adjoining the church. The hostesses, Mrs. Arthur Hager and Mrs. Harold Ensminger, served a dessert course to Mesdames Glenn Anderson, Everett Sowards, Ray Howard, George Sizemore, Cecil Willis, W. V. Bunting, Tom Allen, Orville Cooley, Orville Pearson, E. R. Burke, Frank Layne, Ralph Davis, W. C. Rimmer, F. L. Heinze, Rex Osborne, Rainley White, Arthur Hager, Harold Ensminger, Misses Mary E. Powers, Daisy Miller, Hazel Hill, Alma Collins, Beatrice Sturgill, Delores May, Mary Martha Williams, Mrs. Melvin Wells, Jr., was a guest.

FOURTH SON IS BORN
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborne are announcing the birth of their fourth son at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Sept. 30. He has been named Paul Larry. Mrs. Osborne and son will go home the latter part of the week.

STANLEY DEMONSTRATION
 Mrs. W. V. Bunting was hostess to a Stanley demonstration last Friday evening at the Presbyterian Church. The field representative from Pikeville gave a demonstration to about 20 members of the church. The church was beneficiary from all sales made.

D. A. R. TO MEET
 John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 with Miss Alice Harris at her home at West Prestonsburg. Miss Frances Jones will present the program. All members are urged to attend.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL
 Dr. G. D. Callihan returned home this week from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, where he has been receiving treatment for several weeks. He is improving slowly. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

RECOVERS FROM OPERATION
 Friends of Miss Helen Hager are glad to learn that she has recovered from an operation at the Methodist hospital at Pikeville. She has returned to school.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!

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 Fall flirtation — and sure to be your best love — is this skirt 'n blouse "couple" that pair together so well! The blouse, of worsted jersey with tabbed yoke and push up sleeves is a pretty partner to your other skirts. The multi-collared fleck in the soft tweed wool and silk skirt compliments any color top. Blouse in Green, Cognac or Blue; sizes 7 to 15. Skirt in Green, Cognac or Blue; sizes 7 to 15.

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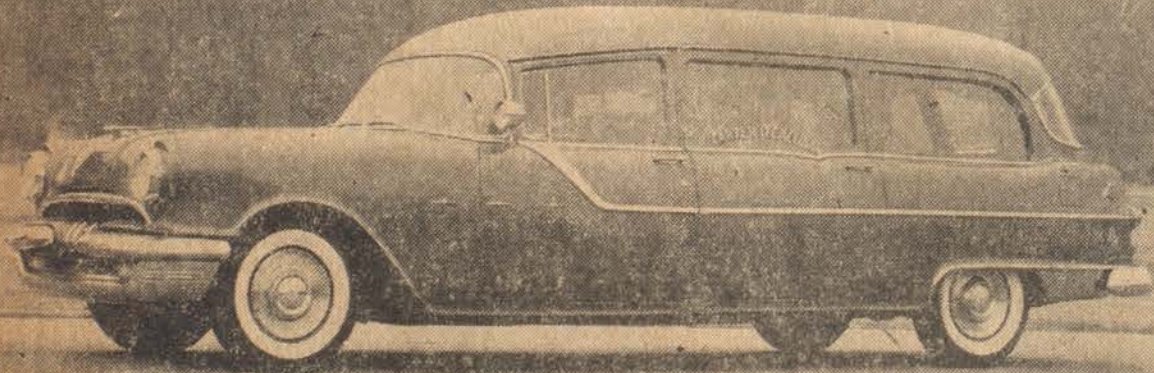
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pose of humiliating and degrading him as an official before the public and to interfere with his official duties.

On account of the "premeditated, aggravated and vicious nature of said assault . . . plaintiff is entitled to recover punitive damages or damages by way of penalty," the petition claims.

Magistrate May was fined \$1,000 by a jury which held him guilty of assault and battery in connection with the same incident. The verdict was appealed to the Appellate Court which has not yet made a decision.

PRESTONSBURG



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Double Feature—

"Black Eagle"

William Bishop, Virginia Patton

"Bowery To Bagdad"

Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall and the Bowery Boys

FRI.-SAT.—
LATE SHOW—

"The Big Chase"

Glenn Langan, Adele Jergens, Lon Chaney

SUN.-MON.—
Double Feature—

"Betrayed"

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TUESDAY ONLY—

"The Asphalt Jungle"

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Cartoon and News

WED.-THURS.—
Double Feature—

"Man Without a Star"

(In Technicolor)
Kirk Douglas, Jeanne Crain, Claire Trevor

"Terror on a Train"

Glenn Ford, Anne Vernon

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GAYHEART No. 59—Troy Morgan, Perry Newman, J. C. Moore, Rex Gayheart.

MARE CREEK No. 60 — Wick Hayes, Bill Hall, Walter Hall, Homer Parsons.

BABE DIES

Jo Ann, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Estill Hale, died at Lancer, Sept. 14, and burial was made in the Harris cemetery at Emma under direction of the Moore Funeral Home. Surviving, besides the parents, is a sister, Elsie Pay.

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FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—

"The Silver Star"

Edgar Buchanan, Marie Windsor

SATURDAY, 7 p.m.—

"City of Shadows"

Victor McLaglen

"The Black Shield"

(Technicolor)
Tony Curtis, Janet Leigh

SUNDAY, 2 and 7 p.m.—

"The Country Girl"

Bing Crosby, Grace Kelly

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a knife but that Newsome pulled Mitchell off Akers at the roadside at the mouth of the Red Morg Hall Branch. Both Newsome and Akers testified they heard Akers cry, "Get him off me, boys, he's cutting me."

The three defense witnesses, the defendant's wife, his sister, Mrs. Estill Blankenship, and her husband, testified they did not know who cut Akers, that the altercation was in darkness and they saw no knife.

Testimony heard at the examining trial claimed the victim, the accused man and Newsome and Frazier had been riding around in Akers' car and that they had stopped at three places where they bought beer or whiskey.

The Crofton 4-H Club of Christian county has obtained the use of an old church building as a club house for a period of 10 years.

Paralysis Causes Death
Of Rasser Martin, 76,
In Huntington Hospital

Rasser Martin, 76, of Hunter, died at 11:30 p.m., Sept. 22, at the S&O hospital in Huntington. Death was attributed to paralysis.

Mr. Martin was the son of the late Jobe and Julia Anna Martin. He was a retired railroad worker and farmer.

Surviving children are Jobe Martin, of Huntington, Cam Martin, of Hunter, Mrs. Betty Shelton, of Drift, Mrs. Dorothy Childers, and Mrs. Ferby Borders, both of Richardson, Ky., and Mrs. Lucy Lykins, of Hunter. Surviving brothers and a sister are Arthur Martin, of Printer, Crit Martin, of Drift, and Mrs. Ida Halbert, of Martin.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. at home, Sept. 24, and burial was made in the family cemetery at Hunter under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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WED.-THURS.-FRI.,
Oct. 12, 13, 14—



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10:00 a.m., Bible School.
11:00 a.m., Communion (Acts 20:7)
Sermon—"Where Is He That Is Born King of the Jews?"
7:30 p.m., Evening services.
Sermon, "The Lazy Bride."

TUESDAY—

7:30 p.m., Women's Circle meets.

WEDNESDAY—

7:30 p.m., Prayer meeting.
"Come with us and we will do thee good." (Num. 10:29).

Members of 4-H clubs in Whitley county plan to set about 40,000 forest trees next year.

ATTEND NAF CONVENTION

Attending the convention in Ft. Worth, Texas of the National Association of Foremen last week were J. R. Camicia and Walter Crace, of the Pecco Foremen's Club, David and Clayton Dickerson and Alton Roy, of the Inland Steel Company club at Wheelwright. Mr. Camicia is a member of the board of directors of the NAF.

DANIELS REENLISTS

Airman First Class James D. Daniels, son of Mrs. Margie Daniels Hi Hat, Ky., reenlisted in the U. S. Air Force for a period of 6 years beginning Sept. 26. Daniels was promoted to Staff Sergeant upon enlistment, and is assigned with the 2750th Air Base Wing, at Wright-Patterson AF Base, Ohio, as a training NCO.

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Eighth Grade Class Organized to Work

The eighth grade class of Floyd county school in Prestonsburg organized its room Friday, for work for the school year. Many items of business were discussed, rules and regulations governing the room suggested. It was decided a committee be chosen to develop certain phases of regulations necessary.

Another important item of business was the choosing of a name for a pet parakeet donated to the room by Mrs. Best, the teacher. The name, Tweetie, was chosen by secret ballot. His number, 55711, was also recorded in case of his escape. The number is on a leg band.

The following officers and committees were chosen by parliamentary procedure:

President, James Allen; secretary, Genevieve Whitaker; treasurer, Joe Hackworth; reporter, Bonnie G. Clark.

Committees are:
Rules committee—Joyce Bing-

ham, Stephen Dotson, Judy Hager, Jackie Rice, Jack Ousley, Carol Jean Bays, Virginia Crum, Patricia Music.

Finance Committee—Billy Haywood, Carl Bays, Robert Ousley, Glen Branham, Jannis Sue Salver, Lois Allen, Billy Osborne, Arnold Dimpsey, Paul Robinson, Charles Johnson, Greeley Dotson, Paul W. Honeycutt.

Program committee — Johnny Rose, Martha Harris, Claude Derosssett, Jo Ann Ousley, Betty Sue Ousley, Jo Ann Dimpsey, Lora Wright.

Room committee — Priscilla Blair, Naomi Robinson, Maxine Brown, Ruby Stone, Iona Johnson, Venice Shepherd, Phyllis Greene, Christine Robertson, Brenda Wright, Roger Fitzpatrick, Bill Montgomery, Dennis Warrick.

Refreshment committee—Beth Skeans, Ruben Dearl Hale, Leslie Jane Midkiff, Mary Lou Webb, Kenneth Hunt, Lola Lane, Lorn Allen, Peggy Poe, Nora Wright.

The cement industry in 1954 used almost one-third of a ton of coal for every ton of cement.

WHEELWRIGHT

P-T.A. MEETS

Wheelwright Parent-Teachers meeting was held in the grade school cafeteria, Sept. 22. Ralph Banks, president, welcomed all parents and teachers and expressed the hope that many more parents will attend the P-T.A. meetings this year.

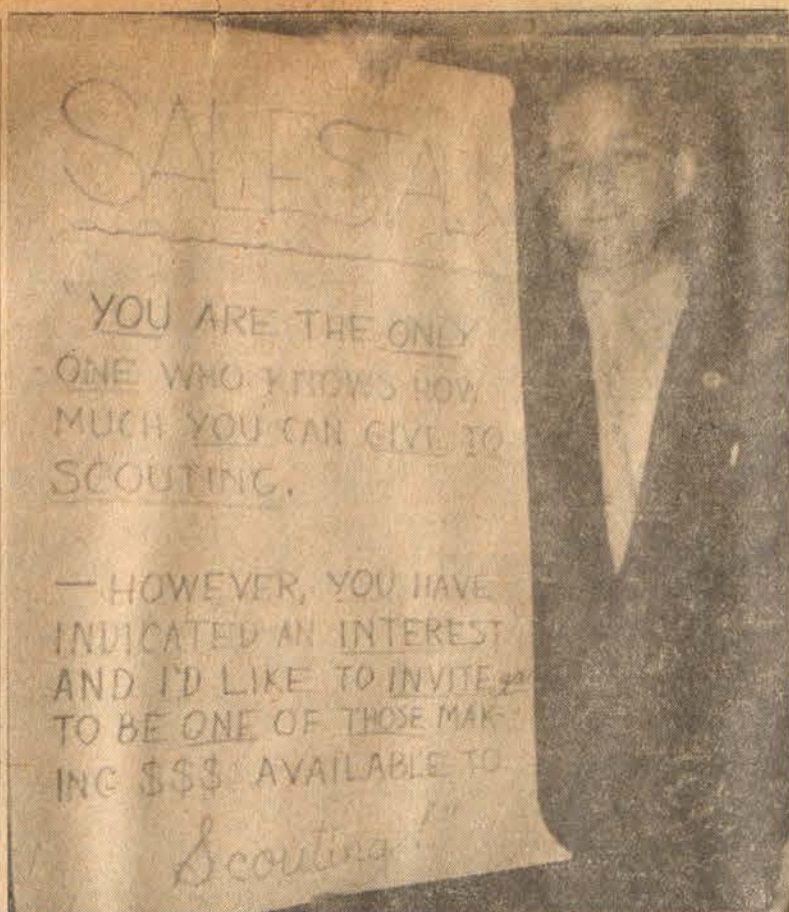
Business of the last meeting was discussed. The fire escape at the school was to have been installed this summer, but has not yet been done. Mr. Hays, the contractor, had been contacted and he said several things beyond his control had delayed, but that he will be on the job very soon.

Lockers for the freshman and sophomore classes were discussed. It was voted to make that the P-T.A. project for the year. A Halloween carnival will be given to help raise needed funds for the project.

Boone Hall, the new principal, was introduced. He expressed his appreciation for the many things the civic organizations of the community have done to welcome all teachers. In his short time at Wheelwright he has, he said, observed many things the P-T.A. has done for the school, but lockers are needed very badly.

A membership drive contest was explained by Mrs. Leatherman in which three prizes will be given to the teachers having the highest percentage of parents join the P-T.A. It was suggested the prizes be made larger this year. Mrs. Conway and Mr. Cook had the most parents present. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed by 149 parents and teachers.

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JACK BRANHAM
Campaign Chairman for Boy Scout Finance Drive

SCOUT DRIVE HEAD NAMED

Jack Branham Will Lead Fund Drive in District Starting October 18th

Jack Branham, manager of the Big Sandy Insurance Agency, Prestonsburg and Martin, will again serve as campaign chairman for Lonesome Pine Council's Boy Scout drive which will get under way in all communities of the Jenny Wiley district, October 18.

This is the third year that Branham has served as campaign chairman for the district. This district has led the Council in support of the annual budget, during the years that Branham has served as chairman.

The district fund goal is \$8,400. A. H. Mandt, president of the Council, said this week that there is a greater need for funds this year than ever before. Jenny Wiley district has a total of 1,350 boys who became eligible for the program of Scouting this year. At present the district has a Scout membership of 602 boys, including 98 Cub Scouts, 494 troop members and 10 explorers.

Mr. Branham announced the following objectives for the Jenny Wiley district finance campaign:

Maytown, \$400; Manton, \$250; Martin, \$500; Drift, \$1,200; Betsy Layne, \$100; Prestonsburg, \$1,500; Paintsville, \$1,200; West Van Lear, \$50; Allen, \$200; Wheelwright, \$800; Wayland, \$400; David, \$400; Inland Steel Co., \$1,400.

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Prestonsburg Soldier Completes Training

BAINBRIDGE, Md. — Robert H. Salyers, son of Orin H. Salyers, of Prestonsburg, Ky., has graduated from recruit training after completing 11 weeks of basic training at the United States Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

Before graduation, a recruit must complete intensified study courses in naval customs and traditions, gunnery, fire-fighting, citizenship, ship and aircraft identification, and ship's nomenclature, with practical application of all training phases where possible.

Upon completion of a 14 day recruit leave Salyers will report to N. A. S. Memphis, Tenn.

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Social Security Benefits Payable But Unclaimed, Says Ashland Office Head

A considerable number of widows, young children, and aged parents of working people who died between June 1940 and September 1950 have failed to claim the monthly benefits payable to them under a 1954 change in the social security law, announced Robert A. Flynn, manager of the Ashland social security office. Those who do not apply for their benefits before October 1, he pointed out, will not be able to receive benefits for all the months back to September 1954, the effective date of the new provisions of the law.

Under this provision, it is now possible to map monthly social security benefits to the qualified survivors of workers who died between June 1940 and September 1950 if the deceased wage earner had credit for as little as a year and a half of work under social security. The families of many of these workers applied for benefits at the time of the family breadwinner's death, Mr. Flynn said, but were told that they could not receive payments under the law, as it then stood, the worker had not earned enough social security credit to provide survivors benefits for his family.

Where a claim for social security benefits is filed within 12 months of the time a beneficiary is first eligible, the payments can be made to him retroactively for the whole period, Mr. Flynn pointed out. But if a claim is delayed for more than 12 months, benefits for some months will be lost. He therefore urged the survivors of workers who died between June 1940 and September 1950 to get in touch with their nearest social security offices before October 1, 1955. Qualified claimants who apply before that date can be paid benefits back to September 1954.

Monthly benefits under this provision may be paid to the aged widows of such workers who at the time of death had worked on jobs under social security for at least a year and a half to surviving children under 18 years of age, and to their mothers. Where no widow or children survived the worker, payments can be made to his aged parents if he was providing their support.

H. Glenn Holyfield, resident representative, will be at the Prestonsburg Employment Office each Monday and Tuesday, at 10 a.m., to answer any questions in connection with social security benefits.

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Coal Reserves Estimate Placed at 59 Billion Tons

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3 — Kentucky has recoverable bituminous coal reserves of more than fifty-nine billion (59,000,000,000) tons, or enough to last approximately 1,000 years at the present rate of production, a study by the Agricultural and Industrial Development Board disclosed today.

The study of mineral resources of Kentucky, compiled by Phil M. Miles and John R. Hutchins, of the Board's Maps and Minerals Division disclosed remaining reserves of 119,423,395,000 tons of bituminous coal, and estimated recoverable reserves at 50 per cent of that total.

Material used in the study was compiled from a number of studies on Kentucky's mineral wealth.

Kentucky's 1955 production of 63,635,507 tons of coal, included two-thirds, or 42,331,890 tons, mined in the Eastern Kentucky coal field.

"It is perhaps notable that Eastern Kentucky is considered to have the best reserves of by-product and coking coal in the eastern United States," according to the report.

"Much of the Western Kentucky field is devoted to strip or shaft operations. In general, the Western Kentucky coals are good domestic and commercial steam fuels."

The study made these observations about other minerals:

"Petroleum is Kentucky's most important resources with a 1953 production of 11,424,605 barrels.

"Natural gas production for 1953 was 71,335,000 thousand cubic feet, with reserves calculated to last 20 to 30 years.

"Limestone production in 1954 was more than 13,000,000 tons, bulk of which is for construction purposes. High-calcium limestones

are to be found about the rim of Eastern and Western coal fields.

"The Western Kentucky Fluorspar is part of the Kentucky-Illinois district, which produces about 80 per cent of the national production. The Kentucky portion of the belt, lying along the Ohio River, above Paducah, in portions of Livingston, Crittenden and Caldwell counties, produces about 20 per cent of the national production."

Clay deposits include the high grade refractory type, to be found in the Olive Hill district, and excellent ball clays from the Jackson Purchase region.

Sands and gravels, salt brines and iron are available in the state, too, according to the report.

The report indicated that "a program of brine sampling had revealed that in northeast Kentucky there are brines of sufficient density to warrant commercial consideration."

There also are several small iron deposits in Kentucky, the principal one being in Bath county, where cores indicate deposits of 5,000,000 tons—with smaller deposits in Western Kentucky, between the Tennessee and Cumberland Rivers.

PIKE COLLEGE STARTS TALKS

Improvement of Schools By Foundation Program Is Theme of Meetings

One of a series of twelve KEA-P-TA Conferences will be held in Pikeville College auditorium, starting at 10 a. m., (EST), Saturday, October 8. Attending the meeting will be school and lay people from the southern section of the Eastern Kentucky educational district.

Sponsored jointly by the Kentucky Education Association and the Kentucky Congress of Parents and Teachers, the conference will center on the theme of "Planning Together to Improve Our Schools under the Fully Financed Foundation Program." Similar meetings are scheduled for the same day in Covington and Louisville. The three meetings held this week will conclude the series of twelve meetings.

Dr. Adson Doran, of Morehead, president of the Eastern Kentucky Education Association, will preside at the Pikeville meeting and will serve as keynote speaker of the conference. Panel participants will include Mrs. R. M. Rael, Maysville; Denver Sloane, Morehead State College; Claude Farley, Pikeville; Miss Elizabeth Dennis, Lexington; Miss Lillian Lehman, KEA staff; and E. P. Hilton, State Department of Education.

Participants in the conference will discuss ways in which greater services to children will be available when the Foundation Program law, passed by the 1954 Legislature, is fully financed. Plans will be made for developing programs of information at the local district level, so that everyone may become better acquainted with provisions of the education law.

Floyd Girls Pledged At U. of K. Sororities

Two Floyd county girls who are attending the University of Kentucky are among 234 women students who have received bids to join social sororities on the UK campus.

They are Elizabeth Burchett, of Prestonsburg, who has pledged the Alpha Delta Pi sorority, and Carol Cooley, of McDowell, who received a bid from the Kappa Deltas.

Mrs. Sarah B. Holmes, UK dean of women, made the announcement of the girls chosen for sorority bids during the formal rush week.

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Vocational School Meet Planned for October 11

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3 (Spl.) — A meeting of co-ordinators of vocational training schools in Kentucky will be held at Lexington, October 11, for the purpose of discussing record-high enrollment at the institutions and other problems confronting the schools. Harold G. Wilson, director of industrial and distributive education, announced here today.

"We hope all Area Trade Schools will make an effort to place students in co-operative training programs this year," said Wilson. "Such a program also will help reduce the waiting lists because more students can be enrolled."

Last year, the Vocational Schools had a total enrollment of 11,347 persons in trade, industrial and distributive courses, the largest number in history of the schools. Total enrollment for last year was:

Ashland Vocational School, 1,255; Harlan County Vocational School, 653; Hazard Vocational School, 862; Jefferson County Vocational School, Valley Station, 359; Lafayette Vocational School, Lexington, 555; Louisville Vocational Schools, 2,106; Somerset Vocational School, 1,287; Madisonville Trade School, 990; Northern Kentucky State Vocational School, Covington, 329; Mayo State Vocational School, Paintsville, 988; Owensboro Trade School, 423; Highman Trade School, Paducah, 616; Western Trade School, Bowling Green, 474; West Kentucky Vocational School, Paducah 167 and High Schools, 283.

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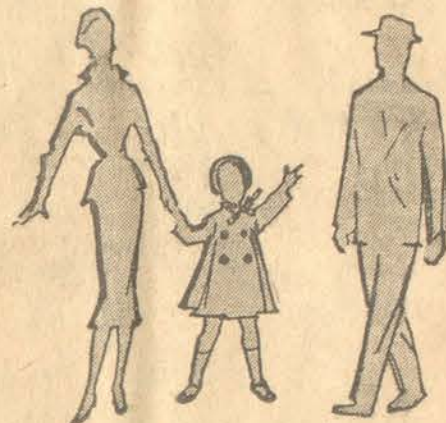
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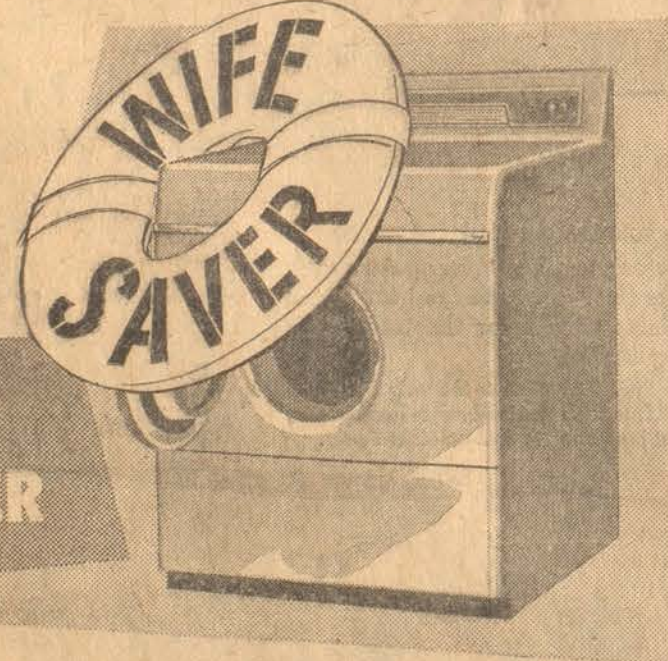
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CATS TROUNCE JENKINS, 25-0, FOR 2nd WIN

Coach Wallace's Eleven Finds Muddy Going Easy With Second-Half Rally

The Prestonsburg Black Cats copied their second game of the 1955 football season last Friday as they earned an easy 25-0 decision over the winless Jenkins Cavaliers before a small crowd.

Playing in four inches of mud, the Black Cats missed a scoring opportunity in the first two minutes when a holding penalty shoved them back from the 18 to the Jenkins 31.

Following Lowell Hughes' kick to the Jenkins 11, the Cavaliers failed to gain and James Gray kicked out of bounds on his own 13. On the next play, Paul Phillip Hughes fumbled and another scoring opportunity was lost.

Prestonsburg's forward wall, led by Bruce Howard and Billy Rorer, forced Jenkins to kick again and safety man Lowell Hughes returned the boot to the 40. Halfback Buford Crager and Lowell McKenzie alternated with P. Hughes to the Jenkins 20 before Lowell Hughes scampered to the 5 on an end sweep. Paul Phillip Hughes took his brother's handoff and went to paydirt a play later. The attempt for the extra point by L. Hughes went wide.

Jenkins made its first and only serious threat in the second quarter with three first downs to the Prestonsburg 25, but guard Dickie Leslie quelled a fourth down try for three yards by stopping James Molgan.

A Jenkins interception of a Hughes pass ended the first half with the Black Cats in front, 6-0.

Paul Phillip Hughes reeled off the game's longest trek in the third period after he took Lowell's lateral on his own 35 and raced to the end zone with end Carl Sizemore's block paving the way. Hughes' failure on the point after left the score 12-0.

Halfback Lowell McKenzie climaxed a 40-yard march in the final period by going 11 yards, and Hughes added the point. Coach Robert Wallace sent in his reserves for the next six minutes and when Jenkins made successive first downs, the first stringers came in to reel off another T. D., with Lowell Hughes netting the final ten yards.

The win left Prestonsburg's overall record at 2-1-1, and 2-1 in the E.K.M.C. The Black Cats meet conference-favorite Pikeville in Pikeville Friday night.

Seven electric utility plants operated in South Carolina in 1954 relied on coal to produce almost 70 per cent of the electricity generated during the year.



The "Merry-Go-Round" one of the oldest and still the most popular with young and old alike on the midway of the Gooding Amusement Company, playing the Floyd County Fair, Oct. 6-7-8, Prestonsburg, Ky.

FOOTBALL

Team	STANDINGS					E.K.M.C. Games				
	All Games	W.	L.	Tp.	Op.	W.	L.	T.	Op.	
Fleming	5	0	0	104	7	3	0	0	0	
Pikeville	5	0	0	159	9	2	0	0	0	
Hazard	4	1	0	96	59	3	1	0	0	
Paintsville	3	1	1	60	44	2	1	0	0	
P'burg	2	1	1	58	26	2	1	0	0	
W'burg	2	0	2	122	86	1	2	0	0	
Elk City	1	4	0	45	102	0	3	0	0	
Belfry	0	3	0	21	103	0	2	0	0	
Jenkins	0	5	0	0	90	0	4	0	0	

Team	LEADING SCORERS	
	Td	Ep
R. Meade, Whitesburg	8	3
E. Justice, Pikeville	6	2
H. L. Justice, Pikeville	6	0
James Ozee, Hazard	5	2
Jim Jones, Whitesburg	5	0
Lawrence Kuhl, Fleming	5	0
L. Hughes, Prestonsburg	4	4
P. Stidham, Hazard	4	1
Doug. Lawson, Hazard	4	1

FRIDAY'S GAMES
Prestonsburg at Pikeville, Whitesburg at Lynch, Paintsville at Belfry, Jenkins at Elkhorn City, Hazard at Irvine, Fleming (open).

LAST WEEK'S SCORES
Fleming 6, Paintsville 0, Whitesburg 25, Jenkins 0, Whitesburg 40, Hazard 12, Pikeville 38, Elkhorn City 6.

BOOKS ADOPTED
Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3—The State Textbook Commission completed the task of textbook adoptions for the year beginning July 1, 1955 with the naming of more than 400 approved texts. The books should result in a volume of business aggregating \$1,500,000 to publishers during the period.

The State purchases the book for elementary grades. The Commission approves the books, allows local school authorities to choose from among 10 texts recommended for use during a four-year period.

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Mayo Is Transferred To Office at Ashland

Harry H. Mayo, Jr., of Martin, has recently been transferred to the Ashland office of Bankers Life Company of Des Moines, Iowa. He will be associated with W. Bronston Steele, District agent for Bankers Life.

Prior to joining Bankers Life three years ago, Mayo attended Morehead College and worked several years with Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright.

ATTENDED POLICE GRADUATION

Mrs. Chloe Ousley, Mrs. Laura Vaughan, Mrs. Donald Goble, and Miss Billie Harris attended the State Police graduation and banquet Friday at the State Capitol Annex, Frankfort. Donald Goble was one of the 26 graduates. He will start work Monday at Hazard as a state patrolman.

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SPORTS CHATTER

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CAGE SEASON

Martin's and Maytown's "B" cage teams will battle in the Martin gymnasium at 7:30 Friday night in the first Floyd county contest of the season. Following the game there will be a "pie-social" in the gym. Proceeds of each event will go to the Martin Little League hospital fund.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Lowell Hughes, versatile all-state Black Cat athlete, was named the "Black Cat Player of the Week" in the Prestonsburg-Jenkins game last Friday. The weekly contest is sponsored by H. C. Francis, Jr., of the Francis Stores in Prestonsburg.

Excellent photos, donated by the Herb Burke Studios in Prestonsburg, of the winner are on display in the store's window each week.

PRACTICE AT HOME

The 1955-1956 edition of the Prestonsburg Black Cat basketball team will practice in the old high school building, which served some great local cage teams from 1921 to 1935. The partitions, which divided the spacious section into the library and science rooms will be removed. All games, however, will be played away from home.

BOWL GAME

Pikeville's Panthers will make their third appearance in the Paintsville fifth annual Big Sandy Bowl football game, Friday, November 11. The Panthers copped the first tilt from Louisa and lost to Cumberland last year.

Clayton Powers' eleven was under consideration for Mt. Sterling's Recreation Bowl game, but the Pike county school signed up with the Johnson county officials before the October 1st deadline, which is set by K.H.S.A.A. Commissioner Ted Sanford.

DEWEY FISHING IMPROVES

Fishing at Dewey Lake improved tremendously last week-end as Carl and Donald Horn and their wives along with local record-holder W. W. Grimm, brought in nice catches. The second shad poisoning operation is held largely responsible for the improved conditions.

Pikeville grid mentor, Clayton Powers, landed a 3 1/4-pound largemouth Sunday. His heavily favored Panthers battle Prestonsburg at Pikeville, Friday night.

WHITESBURG ELIMINATES HAZARD

Whitesburg virtually eliminated Hazard from the E.K.M.C. picture last Friday night as they blasted the previously undefeated Bulldogs, 40-12, with all-round halfback Robert Meade scoring three touchdowns to run his season's output to 51 points. Fleming moved into the top spot by edging Paintsville, 6-0. Thus the '55 conference title may be settled when Pikeville invades Fleming, October 15.

MORE COAL WANTED

Rising steel mill output in Western Germany is increasing the demand for U.S. coal. In the first three months of 1955, a total of 600,000 tons were shipped and another 400,000 tons have been ordered.



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BETSY LAYNE

A memorial meeting was held at the Loar cemetery Sunday by the Rev. Isaac Stratton. This meeting has been going on from year to year for 46 years.

Pen Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Leonard Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russ Layne, Rev. Isaac Stratton visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Loar, Sunday.

Mrs. Ferrell Williamson and daughter, were visiting her brother, Bud Mills, at Auxier Saturday and Sunday.

SISTERS REUNITED AFTER 43 YEARS

Mrs. Mammie Goble had the privilege of meeting her sister once again after 43 years. She was surprised as she had a caller to arrive at her home last week. Her name was Mrs. Mattie Hale from Brownfield, Texas. She did not realize it was her sister until she told her. Mrs. Hale returned Sunday to her home in Texas.

Mrs. Lou Crum was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Cord Clark, of Mare Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Stratton is employed at the Betsy Layne school lunchroom as supervisor.

Mrs. Perry Stumbo has opened a place of business in Ratliff's property, called the Fountain.

Tom Green, who has been in veterans hospital, Huntington, W. Va., has returned home. He is still very sick.

DO-IT-YOURSELF

The "do-it-yourself" fad has even reached the coal fields where some companies are making their own explosives for use in strip and open pit coal mining.

ALLEN

Mrs. Nancy Louder, Mrs. Harrison Frazier and G. L. Gray were in Huntington, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maek Elliott, former Allen residents, now of Sarasota, Florida, have returned to their home after visiting friends and relatives here.

Returning to school after the summer vacation were Miss Ella Faye Hayes to Louisville and Miss Octavia Hayes to Georgetown College.

Miss Alice Eden, of Columbus, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp and Rufus Crisp here last week. She also visited relatives in Honaker, Va.

The following attended the Miss-Ky. football game in Lexington, recently: Harry Snodgrass, John Snodgrass, Charlotte Snodgrass, Judy Snodgrass, Ray Carpenter, Lloyd Crum, Eugene Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Malone, Billy Pat Malone, Rev. John P. Carr and sons, Johnny and Jimmy.

Mrs. Mae Schroder, of Ashland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Kane. They attended the funeral of Mr. Skeans in Louisa, Wednesday.

Mrs. Oble Crisp and Mrs. Ray Crisp were business visitors in Huntington, Tuesday.

Mrs. Polly Akers has been removed from St. Joseph hospital in Lexington to her home and is much improved after undergoing surgery there. She is a teacher in the Allen school.

Miss Wanda Boyd left last week for school at Danville, Ky. She was given a going-away party in the Methodist Church basement by members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship before leaving. She received many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Laferty, of Mt. Sterling, are visiting relatives on Bull Creek.

Norman Crider, of Auxier, was visiting relatives here Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bingham, of Stone, were visiting Mrs. Mini Laven and other relatives here last week-end.

Miss Estaline Salisbury, of Lexington, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Clay, and family last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh, of Paintsville, were visiting relatives at Stone.

Candlelight communion services were held in the Methodist Church, Sunday night in observance of World-Wide Communion Day. The rites were administered by the pastor, Rev. John P. Carr, assisted by Mrs. Flora Gray and Mrs. Tincy Crisp. Mrs. Jane Allen was pianist in the absence of Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Laferty, of Hi Hat, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty here Saturday while enroute home from Pikeville.

A Tom Thumb wedding was presented in the school, Saturday night, by the teachers, Mrs. Goldia Short and Mrs. Betty Salisbury, of the first grade, and their pupils. A large crowd attended. Net proceeds were \$50, which will be used for floor covering of the first grade rooms.

Rev. Bill Amburgy, of the Free Will Baptist Church, administered the rites of baptism by immersion to Mrs. Tom Bell in Beaver Creek, near her home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh and daughter Susan were in Paintsville, Saturday. Susan, who is suffering with rheumatic fever, received a medical check at the Paintsville hospital, and is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Clark, of Mare Creek, were business visitors here Thursday afternoon.

Sam Tackett has resumed his duties as clerk at the C&O depot after a two-week vacation.

BIDS ASKED

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3 — The State Department of Highways called for bids to be received October 14 for improvement of 76 miles of roads and bridges in Breathitt, Breckinridge, Campbell, Estill, Fleming, Harlan, Hart, Gallatin, Henry, McCreary, Meade, Monroe, Montgomery, Perry, Pike, Wayne, Franklin, Lee, Whitley, Butler, Green, Madison, Metcalfe, Oldham, Scott, Bath and Christian counties.

Patricia Lykins, Floyd Native, Is One of 14 Admitted to Classes

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 3 (Sp) — Patricia Lykins, Betsy Layne, is one of 14 students in the two classes admitted to Pikeville College Academy this fall. Mrs. Carl P. Hatcher, Academy principal, announced today.

Miss Lykins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lykins, is a junior in the 66-year-old Academy, which was the first high school in Pike County, and which claims prominent Big Sandians as alumni.

Pikeville College, the former junior college which is now in the process of expanding to a four-year school, was an outgrowth of the Academy's "college class" in 1918, and became an accredited junior college in 1931. One class in the Academy has been cut each year, starting with the freshman class, since definite plans for expansion were adopted by the college two years ago.

Northernmost post office in the United States is Penasse, Minn., on American Point, a 50-acre island in Lake of the Woods.

Mayo Vocational School Enrolls For Night Work

Enrollment for evening classes in welding at Mayo Vocational School will be held Monday and Tuesday evenings, October 10 and 11, at 7 p.m. Arnold Mollette will be the instructor for both groups.

Students who wish to enroll for business subjects such as typing, shorthand and bookkeeping will enroll October 11, at 7 p.m. Miss Onie Hill will be the instructor for this class.

All evening classes will meet two nights each week for three-hour sessions.

Welding students who enroll October 10 will meet on Monday and Wednesday evenings, and all students who enroll on October 11 will meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Mines Move the Earth

Mining operations generally are huge earth-moving operations and surface coal mining is no exception. In 1954, for example, more than 1.2 billion cubic yards overburden were shoveled aside so coal could be mined.

MAYTOWN

Mrs. Shelley Terry was taken back to the Beaver Valley hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Newt Ratliff, who underwent an operation at the Beaver Valley hospital, is improving.

Mrs. Lawrence Hicks underwent an operation at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Snider, of Betsy Layne, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terry were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Terry, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Dudley, of Langley, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hoover in Robertson county, also Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wicker, of Mt. Sterling, and Mrs. Ava Watson, at Jeffersonville. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. Z. Presley and daughter, Zeda. Mrs. Martha Vanderpool has been sick.

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Among those from the county who attended the Democratic rally and harmony barbecue in Louisville, recently at Old State Fair Grounds were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, A. B. Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wellman, Paul Hayes, S. R. Hatcher, Clive Akers, Henry Hale, Joe Weddington, Burnis Martin, Alex L. Davidson, Wayne Stumbo, Ellis Martin, Sam Martin.

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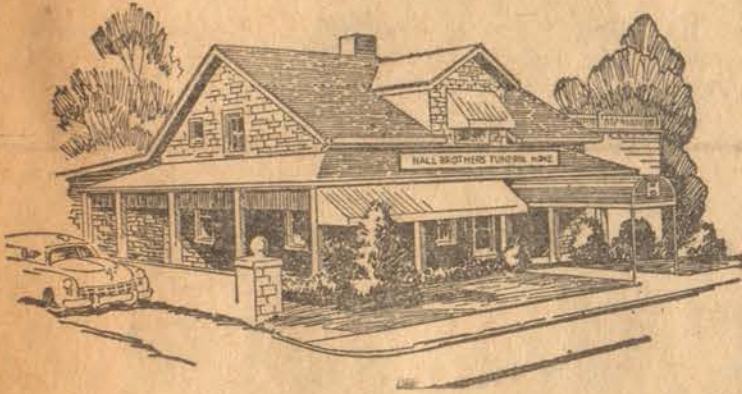


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Missionaries To Africa On Good World Hour

Rev. and Mrs. Alec Fellows will speak Saturday at 9:30 on the Good World Radio Hour over WPRT. Now guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Martin, they are missionaries to Africa, where they now serve a tribe which no white man had visited previously.

They will discuss the conditions among pagan people as they tell about their work and experiences among the black tribes. In the space of five years Rev. and Mrs. Fellows had only two white visitors in their home. They get mail once a month.

A Times Want Ad will produce good results for you.

Woman's Club Sponsors Style Show At Wayland

Wayland, Ky., Oct. 1 (Spl.) — The Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club sponsored a style show in the hotel at Wayland, Sept. 26.

Stores represented were: Francis, Leva's, Bob Francis, Apparel, all of Prestonsburg, and Major's Store, Hazard.

Mrs. N. D. Howard, club president, was general chairman of the show, and Mrs. Thomas Hatcher was the commentator.

Clubs attending were: Wheelwright, David, Allen, Martin, and Prestonsburg.

Door prizes were donated by the participating stores: Wright Bros., Jewelers, of Prestonsburg, Helena Rubenstein cosmetics were given as favors from Leva's.

On display at the ticket booth were two beautiful quilts belonging to Mrs. R. H. Messer which had won first and second prizes at the State Fair in Louisville. One of the quilts had been pieced by the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club.

Miss Billie Jean Blankenship, music teacher, presented some of the Wayland high school students in several vocal numbers. At the close of the show, refreshments were served, with Mrs. Fred Hall and Mrs. J. E. Miller, presiding at tea table.

This was the second year for the style show and club members hope to make this an annual affair.

DAUGHTER BORN

McDowell — Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ward announce the birth of their second child, Cheryl Lee, Sept. 28 at the Paintsville hospital. Mrs. Ward is the former Geraldine Hall.

STRIP MINE MAN ORDERED TO PAY SURFACE DAMAGE

A mining operator can be made to pay damages for destroying the surface land and timber, owned by others, on property where he has the right to strip mine his coal, the Court of Appeals ruled last week.

The court said the question decided "is a new one" in this state, which is among the nation's top coal producers.

The court held I. H. Buchanan could remove the coal from a Magoffin county tract by strip-mining under rights tracing back to a 1903 deed.

"But, the tribunal declared, 'the use of the surface and the extensive destruction of it are two different things.'"

Their surface rights, the court held, were not subordinate under the old deed to Buchanan's right to mine the coal he owned beneath the tract.

"Two distinct estates in the land" were created by the deed, the court said, listing them as:

1. The right to the coal and other minerals, subsequently conveyed to Buchanan, and 2, the right, now held by the Watsons, to timber not necessary for mining and use of the land for farming, "insofar as such use was consistent with the mineral rights and privileges of Buchanan."

The court said it had been established the top seam of coal underlying the land "may be feasibly mined only by the strip, 'augur,' or 'dead-lift' method, and that such operation will result in the destruction of timber and the surface overlying and adjacent to the seam."

Buchanan contended, the court said, that "since all of the coal was conveyed, it may be mined by any method," and the Watsons' surface right are subordinate to "his paramount rights."

On the other hand, the court said, the Watsons claimed that when the deed was executed separating the mineral rights from the surface rights, "it was not contemplated the process of mining would destroy the surface over a substantial area, and the surface rights may not be violated in this manner."

"The question is a new one in Kentucky," said the court relating: "The deed released the operator from 'liability or claim of damage' for his mining operations and al-

REGENTS RULE

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3 — The Board of Regents of Kentucky State College directed that Lincoln Institute, Shelby County, heretofore reserved exclusively for Negroes as a high school, be opened to members of all races. In addition, the Board authorized employment of teachers there without regard to race.

Sam V. Hale Is Not Candidate For Council

Contrary to reports that for some reason have been circulated, I am not a candidate for City Council. My brother, Watt Hale, is a candidate for the office and I expect to help him all I can.

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Newspaper Week Named By Governor Wetherby

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 3 — Gov. Lawrence W. Wetherby named the week of October 1-8, as "National Newspaper Week in Kentucky" and urged citizens to re-evaluate this guardian of our sacred constitutional rights and to rededicate this free press to the fundamental principle that freedom belongs to all the people.

"The newspapers expounding their ideals of liberty and justice, are a safeguard to our freedom and suppress the spread of foreign ideologies which are prevalent today," said the Governor. "The priceless documents of a free press serve to keep ours the best informed nation in the world—and in the battle for truth, this unheralded guardian strives to keep our democracy a real democracy."

The Appellate Court then held the operator could remove the coal by strip mining, but that it would result in an invasion of the Watsons' "surface rights not anticipated by the parties to the deed and not within the scope of the release from liability."

"For this reason, as the chancellor (Cornett) correctly decided," the court said, the operator "must pay reasonable compensation as damages to the extent he destroys, in the strip mining process," the Watsons' "interests in the surface and timber, which were not otherwise subordinate" to the "customary mining rights."

Latest statistics for 1954 show that last year there were 70 coal mining companies with annual production of one million tons or more, and that these companies accounted for nearly 60 per cent of the 392,000,000 tons mined last year.

Floyd County Times, Oct. 6, 1955 — Sec. 2, Page 5

Indiana, one of the six American states that has produced a billion tons or more of coal since 1800, has mined 1,069,869,000 tons or nearly 4 per cent of the 154-year total national production of 27.2 billion tons.

West Virginia mines today are producing more coal than mines in any other state and total production since 1865 has amounted to 5.6 billion tons, or 20.8 per cent of total U. S. production since 1800.



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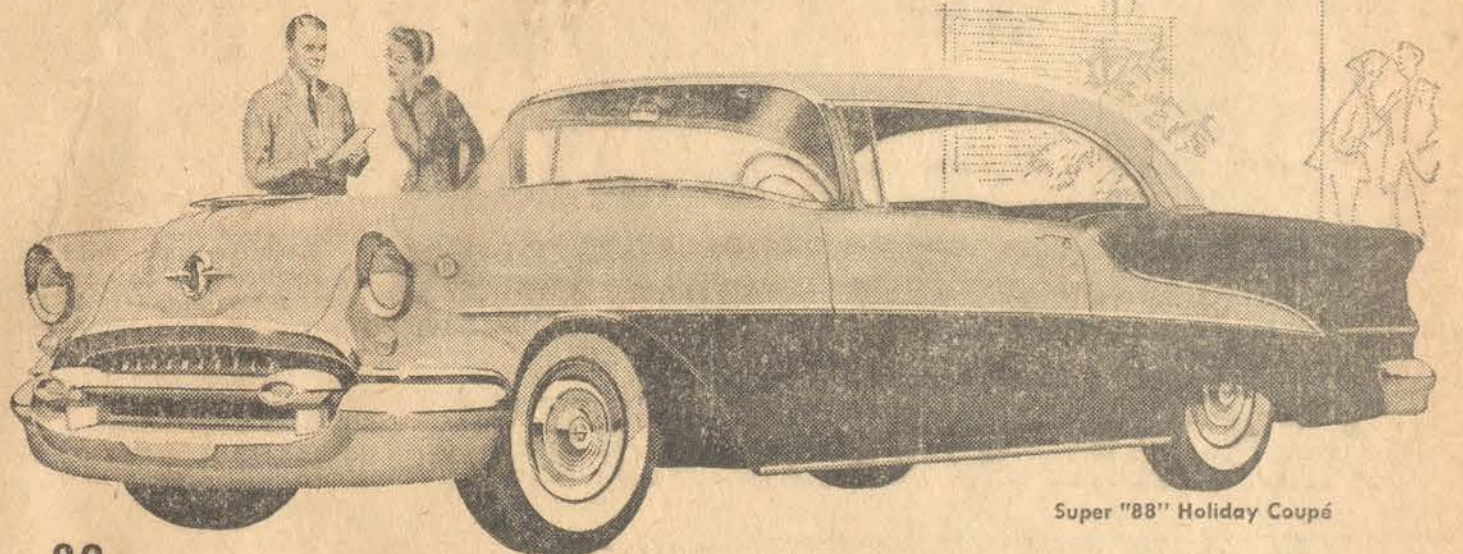
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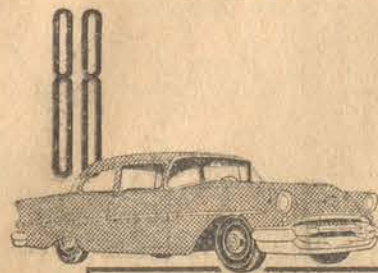


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The nation's cement industry in 1955 will use an estimated 8.3 million tons of coal, an item not frequently associated with cement or its manufacture.

State TB Hospitals Treat 743 Patients

The State tuberculosis hospital population at the end of August was 743 with 673 of the number receiving free treatment—the State Tuberculosis Sanatoria Commission reported today.

It costs an average of \$7.21 a day to maintain patients in the hospitals, with costs since July 1 aggregating \$159,895 at all the institutions, the report showed.

The population of the institutions increased by three during the month, with 141 admissions and 138 discharges.

The patient total at each hospital on August 31:

Madisonville, 100; Louisville, 236; Paris, 106; Ashland, 98; London, 102 and Glasgow, 101.

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Henry Ward Not Candidate For State Reappointment

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 24 (Spl.)—Henry Ward said in a statement released here today that he is not a candidate for reappointment as state commissioner of conservation.

"I deeply appreciate the suggestions made by many persons that I be reappointed to this post by the new governor," Ward said. "However, the circumstances are such that I should make it clear that I am not a candidate for reappointment."

Ward originally was named commissioner of conservation by Governor Earle C. Clements in 1948, in a move which surprised political observers because Ward had opposed Clements in the 1947 Democratic primary. He was reappointed by Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby in 1951.

During the recent Democratic primary, Ward actively opposed A. B. (Happy) Chandler, and Chandler said that Ward would be one of the first state officials he would fire if elected.

"The background of this political situation with Mr. Chandler makes it most improbable that he would ever consider me a desirable part of his state administration," Ward said. "Furthermore, I recognize that a governor is entitled to have as members of his cabinet supporters who believe in his policies and will give him wholehearted support. Certainly, Mr. Chandler would be entitled to a commissioner of conservation who had supported him."

"The same reasoning applies to the suggestion that Edwin Denney, the Republican nominee, reappoint me to this position in the event of his election as governor," Ward continued. "The head of a department ought to be in complete harmony with the governor if the program is to succeed."

The duties of the commissioner of conservation have grown materially in the past several years, and that fact needs to be considered in a discussion of this position, Ward added.

"Some of those who are asking that I be kept as commissioner of conservation are placing their emphasis on the fact that I have taken the lead during the past eight years in the development and operation of the state park system," Ward said. "This is true. I have devoted a major part of my time and attention to the parks and publicity programs."

"But there are other fields in which the commissioner of conservation must operate, and I believe that they are of greater importance than parks and publicity in terms of Kentucky's long-range future."

"The Division of Forestry, Soil and Water Resources and Flood Control and Water Usage also are in the Department of Conservation," Ward said.

"Furthermore, the commissioner of conservation is chairman of the State Strip Mining Commission. Since its inception in 1950, I have been chairman of the Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission. I am a member and have been chairman of the Ohio River Valley Water Sanitation Commission. I am a member of the Breaks Interstate Park Commission and am chairman of the State Soil Conservation Committee."

"These activities relating to the conservation, development and utilization of Kentucky's natural resources are of tremendous importance to the people of this state. Far too little emphasis has been placed on them."

"It is my considered judgment that the best approach to the Department of Conservation and its functions would be to continue to develop well-qualified and devoted directors and personnel in the various divisions. I honestly believe the welfare of the state demands that this personnel be given continuity of service, or the proper objectives cannot be reached."

"With such strong organization

within the divisions, the commissioner could then be a policy-making official who would represent the governor's thinking in the administration of the department.

"Insofar as I am personally concerned, I will confess that I have become devoted to these programs, and I hope that I will have an opportunity to continue my interests in them," Ward added. "I took this job in 1948 because I had become interested in Kentucky's welfare, both as a newspaperman at Paluch and as a long-time legislator."

"I have always recognized that Kentucky politics being what it is there is very little future in public service for an individual, regardless of how devoted he may be to programs."

"My present plans are to continue as best I can to discharge the responsibilities of this post until December 12, when I will resign. I have made no plans beyond that point. Admittedly, I would like to remain in Kentucky and work for the advancement of these programs in which I have such a deep interest. I have had offers from several other states, but I am a Kentuckian and want to remain here. I am not disillusioned about our prospects. I believe that with the right kind of leadership Kentucky is destined for greater things. I would like to continue in that fight."

"Actually, I believe that the people must recognize that much of the leadership needed to build Kentucky must come from outside those holding political positions. That course would provide the only assurance of the kind of continuing efforts which are essential to success."

W. PRESTONSBURG SOLDIER AT CAMP GORDON, GA.

Camp Gordon, Ga. — Pvt. Kenneth Calhoun, of West Prestonsburg, Ky., will be graduated this week from the Pole Line Construction course, one of the many courses offered at The Southeastern Signal School, Camp Gordon, Georgia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Calhoun.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our gratitude to all who helped in any way upon the recent death of our son and brother, Homer Allen. We are especially grateful to those who sent floral offerings, the good neighbors who brought food, and to all who helped in any way, to the ministers, Rev. H. C. Church, Rev. Sam Perry, Rev. and Mrs. Johnston, for their comforting words and to the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient service.

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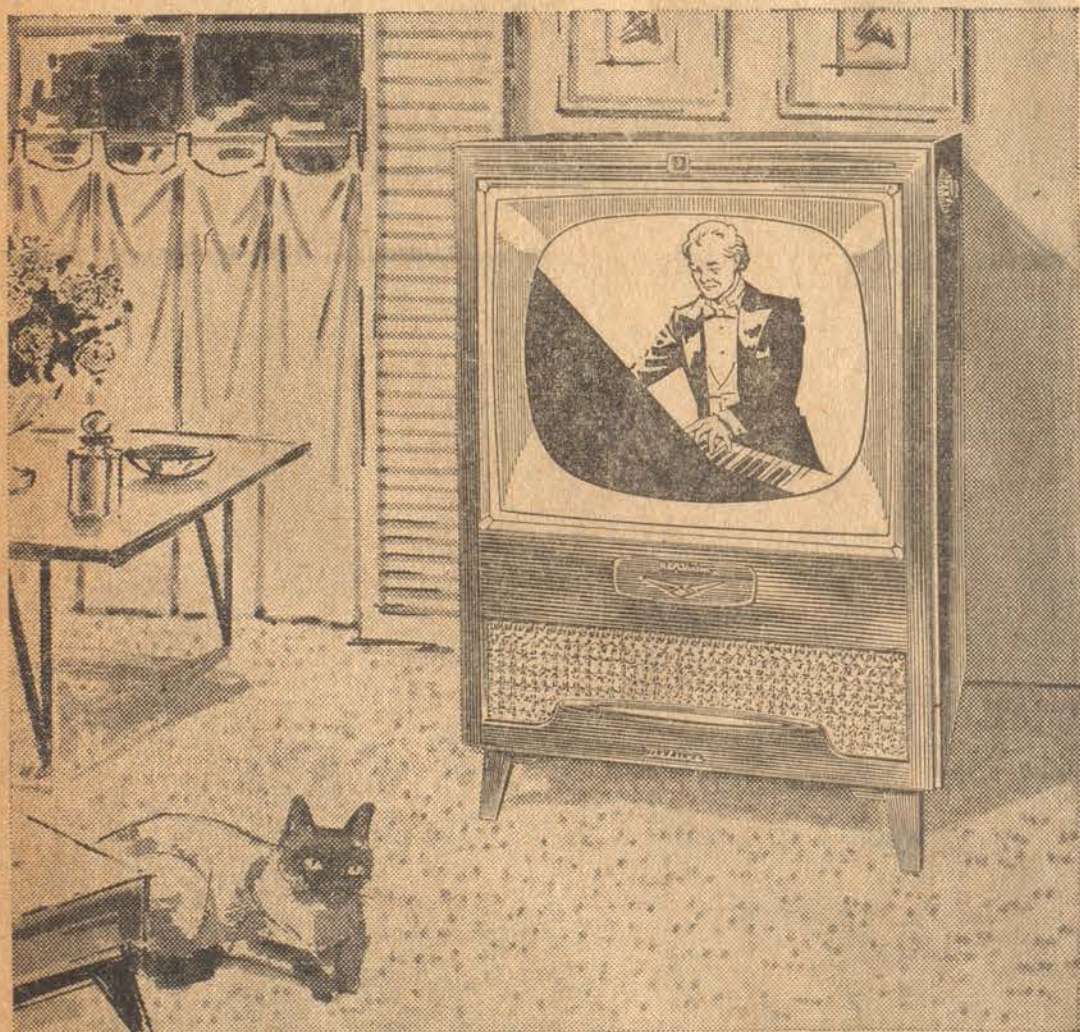
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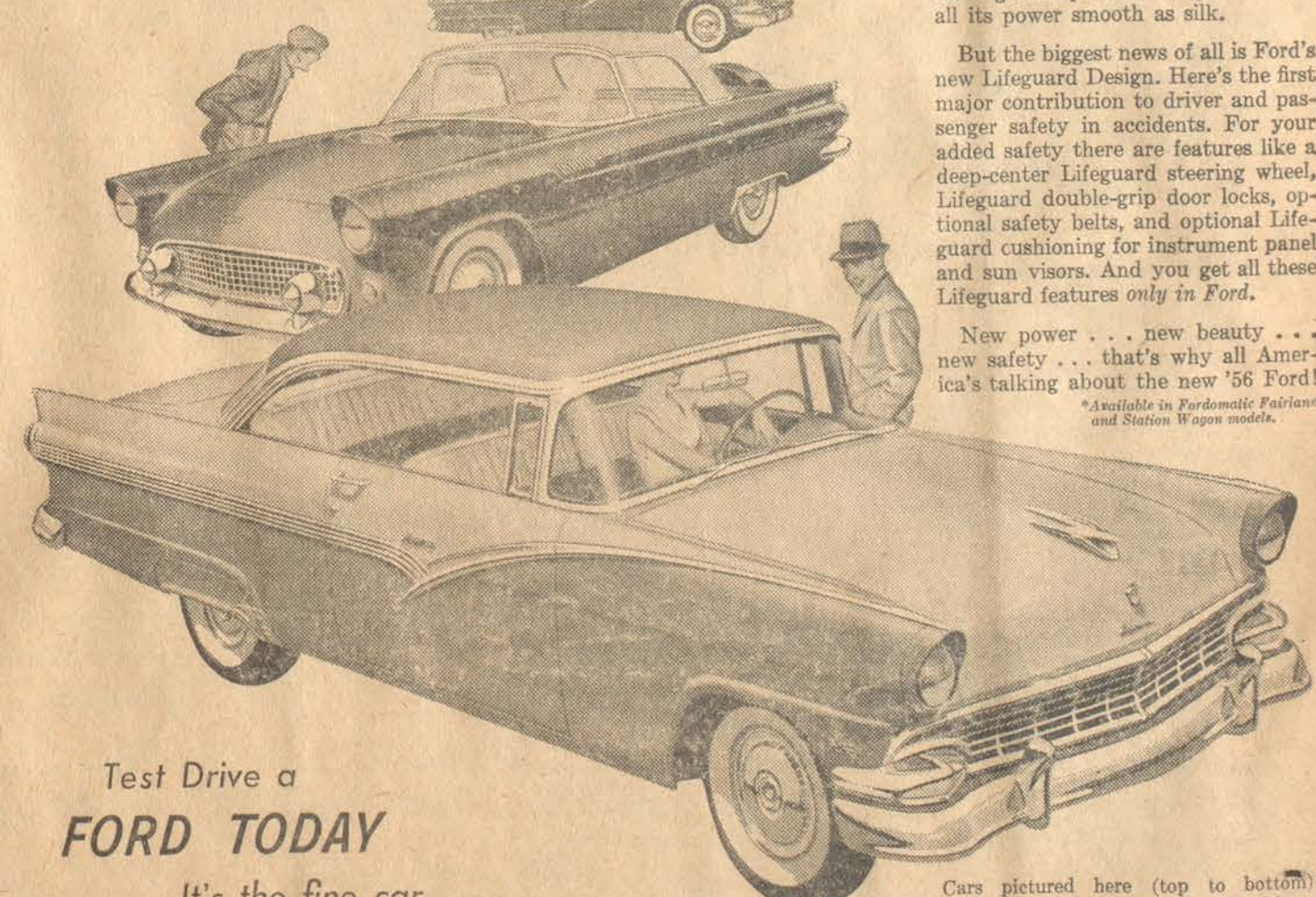
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