

THURSDAY

This Town—That World

JURY RETURNS FOUR MURDER INDICTMENTS

Grand Jury Recesses Till Jan. 25; Stephens Named in Indictment

The grand jury went into recess at the conclusion of its sixth day of work last week and after voting about 35 indictments. It will return for the last three days of its sessions, Jan. 25.

Bank Capital Subscribed, Stephens Says; Charter To Be Sought From State

Establishment of a new bank in this county was assured this week when \$95,200 of the proposed \$100,000 capital stock was pledged, Henry C. Stephens, who is promoting the enterprise, said.

HALL, KECK SUE TEXANS

Federal Suit Demands \$250,000 Damages Each For Insurance Partners

Wade Hall, of Lexington, and Circuit Judge John A. Keck, of Sandy Hook, partners in a Lexington insurance agency, filed in U. S. district court Tuesday a suit for \$250,000 damages each, asserting their reputations had been damaged by "malicious and willful publication" of statements.

Dog Warden Cook Plans Return to Prestonsburg If Offered Co-operation

Roy Cook, of Drift, county dog warden, said this week he will return to Prestonsburg once again to make an attempt to enforce the state dog law here but that he must have police cooperation in order to do this.

STORE BREAK CASE SOLVED

Smith, Osborne Held In Burglary; 2 Others Arrested at Van Lear

Prestonsburg police announced this week that the two men who looted the Adams & George Hardware Store here last week have been jailed, but that identity of those who rifled the cash register of the Cooley Bros. Grocery in the Porter Addition of almost \$2,000 remains unknown.

TEST SHOWS 'BOMB' NOT DANGEROUS

Device Found Sunday At W. Prestonsburg Bears Death Warning

The suspected attempt to blast the First Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, Sunday night was a clever hoax, Prestonsburg police declared today (Thursday).

'Time Bomb' in Church, Hoax

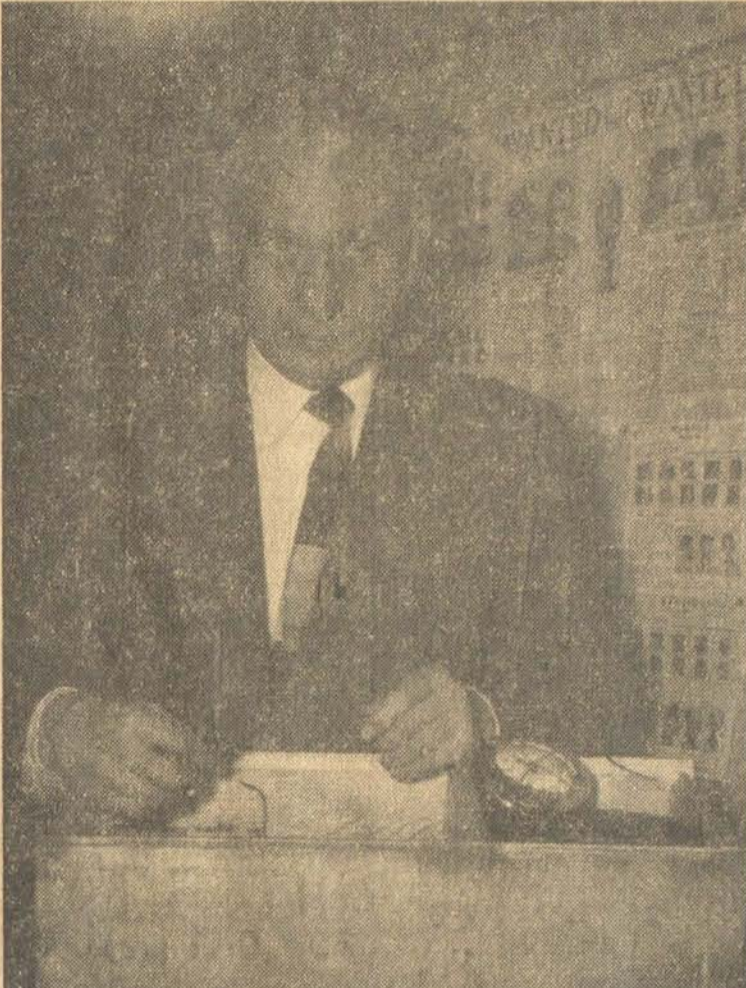


Photo by Quentin Allen Traffic Officer David B. Leslie is shown at police station here with box containing 'time bomb' found in First Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, Sunday night.

MASS POLIO CLINICS SLATED JANUARY 30

As a stopgap measure to meet this community's acute need for funds to continue care of polio patients, a check for \$2,100.00 from March of Dimes headquarters in New York was received last Thursday by the Floyd County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Goble Succeeds Spradlin As ASC Office Manager; Mrs. Howard Employed

Elder Goble, of Lancer, succeeded Alex M. Spradlin Tuesday to the position of office manager of the local Agricultural Stabilization Committee. His appointment by the State ASC was approved this week.

Blackburn Was Not Smith Confederate

Smith last week admitted breaking into the Cash Furniture Store here and taking three radios and a watch.

STUMBO TRIAL HERE DELAYED

Trial of Isaac Stumbo, of David, charged with the slaying of Frank Shepherd, was postponed Wednesday till Jan. 25 because of the illness of Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin.

PROSEUTOR'S ILLNESS POSTPONES TRIAL; TWO MORE MURDER CASES SET

Two other murder cases have been set for trial during the month. Trial of Bob Stephens, charged with the 21-year-old slaying of Lacey Hunt, is slated for Jan. 16, and that of Mitchell, Jr., for the knife-slaying of Daniel Akers is docketed for Jan. 23.

Banker Here Is Appointee

H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Prestonsburg banker, was named last Wednesday by Gov. A. B. Chandler to the State Board of Education as a complete new Board was appointed by the Governor to replace the members he had asked to resign a week earlier.

Visitors to Dewey Lake Set New Record in '55

The number of persons who visited Dewey Lake, the area's biggest attraction, last year established a new record for the impoundment, J. R. "Red" Weaver, reservoir manager, said this week.

Hughes Car and Whiskey Are Confiscated; Search Made Saturday Night

S. D. (Davey) Hughes, Prestonsburg man whose safe a few months ago defied for a time efforts of officers to open it in a search for whiskey, again was arrested Saturday night, and this time the search for the incriminating intoxicants was short.

Birth of Son Announced

Mr. and Mrs. DeGarmo DeRosette, of Prestonsburg, announce the arrival Tuesday of their first child, a nine-pound son, Gregory Ray, Mrs. DeRosette is the former Ruth Joy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Joy, of Prestonsburg.

Board Votes School Jobs

The Prestonsburg Board of Education at its Monday evening meeting issued a four-year contract to Chalmers H. Frazier as superintendent of city schools, and at the same time awarded continuing contracts to 10 teachers, four-year limited contracts of employment to 14 teachers and four-year contracts to six non-certified employees of the Board.

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# WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**—New Gulbransen and Cable Spinnet Pianos. Immediate delivery. **BROWNS PIANO STORE**, Prestonsburg, Ky., E. B. BROWN, phone 2148. 3-15-56

**EVINRUDE MOTORS**—New and used; also parts and repair services. **HOME FURNITURE CO.**, Phone 5121, Lancer, Ky. 3-13-56

**FOR FLOOR SANDING** see or call V. A. SMILEY, Phone 5653, Prestonsburg. 9-3-56

**PIANO BARGAINS**—All styles and finishes. For the best piano buy in the Tri-State see Zwick's, Ashland, Ky. 10-7-56

**DON'T BE DECEIVED**—Genuine Singer Sewing Machines, service and parts can be obtained only through our Sewing Centers identified by the familiar big red "S" on their windows. The shop that has Mingo, Pike, Johnson, Floyd and Martin counties is located at 5 Second Avenue, Williamson, W. Va. Prices from \$92.50 up. Terms if desired. Contact B. H. Clark, our representative for Floyd and Johnson county, at Mare Creek, Ky., Phone 2890, Laynesville.

**FOR SALE**—Purebred Aberdeen Angus, 13 and 14 months old, assemere breeding, Willie Turner, Innesville, Ky., at D. M. Allen farm, on Salt Lick road.

**FOR SALE**—House and lots, Joe Conley, Prestonsburg. 10-6-56

**FOR SALE**—Two nice lots in Mayo Addition of Prestonsburg, near Lancer. See or call Robert Wellman, Prestonsburg. 9-29-56

**FOR RENT**—Ground floor apartment, 5-rooms and bath. Reasonable. Mrs. Harvey Maynard, Allen, Ky. 10-12-56

**FOR SALE**—New modern home on Left Beaver Creek, just below the new plant at Price, Ky. This property has all modern conveniences, hardwood floors, furnace heat, hot and cold water. See or call Hugh Pogue at the York Store in Price, Ky., or call Price 3333. See the property any time. This property has been approved for GI Loan. It also has good garage and outbuildings. 11-10-56

**FOR SALE**—Concrete block building, five-room modern apartment, 30x30-foot storeroom and 2-room apartment downstairs. 6-ft. meat case, set of scales, meat slicer. Call 4333, Prestonsburg. 10-2-56

**RENTING ROOMS FOR RENT**—When privileges. Call Mrs. E. Goble, Phone 7084, Graham street, Prestonsburg. If no answer call J. E. Goble at 3351

**FOR SALE**—100-acre farm (4-acres bottom land) Three dwellings, other outbuildings, gas, electricity, on Cow Creek. See Mrs. Praley. 12-1-56

**FOR SALE**—House, 6 acres bottom land, John Mayo, Phone 3257, Martin, Ky. 10-27-56

**WANTED**—First-Class welders. Regular work. Hayes Metal Products, Hi Hat, Ky. 10-2-56

**FOR RENT**—7-room house on Second avenue. In good condition. Mrs. J. L. Hutinpiller, Phone 297, Prestonsburg. 12-29-56

**FOR SALE**—House, 6 rooms and bath, on lot 69 x 120 feet, located on South Highland. See Mrs. Belle Jarrell at property. 12-29-56

**FOR SALE**—4-room house with bath, also 2-room house at rear of 250 x 175-foot lot. Modern conveniences. Located at Betsy Layne, near highway. Galloway Hinton, 1412 Dana St., Willow Run, Mich. Phone 1062R. 12-29-56

**WANTED**—Orders filled promptly. Washed, screened sand, \$2 yard, or delivered. **MARE CREEK SAND CO.**, Phone Laynesville 65, Mare Creek, Ky. 1-5-56

**COAL MINE AND COAL SEAM FOR SALE OR LEASE**—One seam, 61 inches high, already open, fully equipped and for immediate operation. Another seam, 30 inches opened, but not equipped. On Bull Creek, one-eighth mile of Watergap, Marvin Marshall, phone 2378, Prestonsburg. 1-5-56

**WANTED**—Housekeeper over age 20 to stay all the time except Sundays. Call Mrs. Potter at 4541, Prestonsburg. 1-5-56

**FOR RENT**—Four-room furnished apartment on North Lake Drive. Phone 4252. 1-5-56

**FOR SALE**—400 bales of hay at 50¢ a bale; one coal heating stove x 12 feet rug. See Millers Prestonsburg.

## Thomas Anthony Jenkins, Former Weeksbury Man, Dies in Kopperston, W. Va.

Thomas Anthony Jenkins, 40, of Kopperston, W. Va., but formerly of Weeksbury, died at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, Monday of last week. He was the victim of a kidney infection.

Mr. Jenkins, a former safety inspector for Koppers Coal Company, at Weeksbury, held the same position at Kopperston. His wife, Mrs. Mary Roberts Jenkins, survives. Surviving also are the following children: Philip Mayo Jenkins, Stephens Jenkins and Virginia Elizabeth Jenkins, all at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Gordon Jenkins, in California, Bill Jenkins and Lewis Jenkins, both of Raven Cliff, W. Va., Margaret, of West Virginia, and Inez of Nevada.

Funeral rites were conducted at the Martin Church of Christ Wednesday of last week at 10 a. m., the Rev. H. H. Adams officiating. Burial was made in the Roberts cemetery at Martin under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## Frank Rister, 59, Garrett, Is Heart Attack Victim; Was World War I Veteran

Frank Rister, 59, of Garrett, died at home last Saturday at 7:45 p. m. of a heart attack. He was a veteran of World War I.

Mr. Rister was a son of the late Green and Mauricia Rister, natives of Lawrence county. His wife, Mrs. Maudie Rister, survives. Surviving sons and daughters are Jack Rister, Decatur, Ga., Frank Rister, Jr., Willow Run, Mich., Clarence, Eugene and Edgar Rister, all of Garrett, Charles and Chester Rister, both of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Carl Hodson, Danfield, W. Va., Shelia Jean, Patricia Ann and Betty Jewel, all at home. A surviving brother and two sisters are Brady Rister, Canton, O., Mrs. Rebecca Jean Bellamy, Dayton, O., and Mrs. Mary Fairchild, of Paintsville.

Funeral rites were conducted at the Stonecoast Regular Baptist church at Garrett, the Revs. Banner Manns, Russell Jacobs, Andy Moore and M. C. Wright officiating. Burial was made in the Campbell cemetery at Mouse under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## Alex Wright, 51, Hunter, Is Killed by Slate-fall At Holden, West Virginia

Alex Wright, 51, of Hunter, was killed at 2:15 a. m. Monday by a slatefall in No. 22 mine of the Island Creek Coal Company at Holden, West Virginia. He died instantly from a crushed head and chest.

Mr. Wright, a brakeman, was riding on the end of a loaded mine car and overhanging coal on the car knocked down a roof "header", allowing the slate to fall.

He was a son of George and Etta Rose Wright, of Dorton, Pike county, and was married to Annis Salisbury, who survives. Surviving children are Linda Faye, Marietta, and Carolyn Jean, all at home. Brothers and sisters surviving are Samuel Wright, of Detroit, Frank Wright, of Dorton, Mrs. Mattie Nitchie, of Hunter, Mrs. Rhoda Belcher, of Martin, Mrs. Della Adams, Covington, and Lester Wright, of Printer.

Funeral rites will be conducted at the home of Charlie Salisbury, his father-in-law, at 10 a. m. Friday, the Revs. Jerry Hall, Troy Nickles, and Hershel Huff officiating. Burial will be made in the family cemetery at Hunter under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## MILK SALES

Carroll county dairymen reported that sale of milk almost doubled after refrigerators were put in city schools.

## CLARK OFFERS LAB RECORDS

### Shows Tests for Rabies Resulted in Only Two Reported As 'Positive'

M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department, this week offered the record on 1955 laboratory findings from examination of heads of animals suspected of rabies in this county as proof that positive reports are not made by the state laboratory "as a matter of course," as was charged by Roy Cook, county dog warden, in a statement made to The Times last week.

Of 12 heads of animals from this county tested last year, this record shows, only three were reported by the laboratory as having rabies. All others were reported "negative."

Meanwhile, Dog Warden Cook said he has been given two dogs which last week killed a fox on the Left Fork of Abbott and which themselves are presumed to have been bitten by the fox. He proposes to keep the two dogs confined and to see if rabies develop.

Cook said that neither dog has been vaccinated against rabies. He quoted Early Williams, a gas company employe and a resident of the Abbott Creek section, as saying he met the fox in the road, threw a wrench at it and then put the dogs on it. In the fight the dogs yelped as if bitten, Cook was told. The dogs were owned by Junior and Banner Woods.

"It seems a shame," said Mr. Clark in a prepared statement, "to question, publicly, the ability of a state-accredited laboratory in making and reporting laboratory work on any disease. . . . We have been trying for years to keep the public posted, and to improve their faith in the laboratory work done on rabies. There is constantly those persons who are making the statement that all animal heads submitted to the state laboratory come back marked 'positive' for rabies."

"We have at different times prior to this run a list of the persons who have submitted animal heads for laboratory confirmation on rabies, and the laboratory results. Now we are again asking The Floyd County Times to list the names and addresses and dates, the kind of animal head and the laboratory results for the year 1955."

This data follows:  
Jan. 1, G. T. Whittaker, Harold, dog's head, negative; Jan. 26, Arnold Guess, Prestonsburg, Prestonsburg, dog, negative; Jan. 28, John Bartuka, Wheelwright, dog head, negative; Feb. 1, Kenneth Prater, David, dog, negative; March 22, Oscar Osborne, East McDowell, calf, negative; May 9, Albert Prater, Brainard, dog, negative; July 8, Mrs. Nola Perry, Topmost, cat, positive; Sept. 8, Bernie Moore, McDowell, dog, negative; Oct. 7, Chalmers Frazier, Prestonsburg, cat, negative; Oct. 21, Richard Stone, Blue River, fox, positive; Oct. 31, Paul Mullins, Bypro, dog, positive; Dec. 9, Thomas Combs, Langley, dog, negative.

Clark said that in the face of reports of rabid foxes appearing in the county he is interested only in learning the truth of the situation and that future action will depend upon what the truth really is and how serious the situation may become.

Commenting on the plan to keep under observation dogs which have fought with and killed a fox, he said the public should know that, according to all available scientific information, it would not necessarily mean that the fox was mad even if the dogs did develop rabies in a six-week observation period. "The dog's could have been infected by another dog or some other rabid animal unknown to any person before the fight with the fox," he added.

"It is a known and proved fact."

Mr. Clark said, "that not all animals or humans that are bitten by proven rabid animals contract rabies. In dogs it is estimated that only one out of each three or four bitten by a rabid animal would be expected to take rabies, and this might mean that at one time it might be none out of several, and maybe at another time three or four out of five. The one out of three or four is the average on all occasions."

"The public might also like to know that after each negative microscopic test made by the state laboratory technicians go on and make an injection of some of the brain tissue from the animal under test into white mice, then observe the mice for 30 days, reporting at intervals of 7, 21 and 30 days to the health department in the county from which the animal head was sent. If the white mice do not develop rabies at the end of this period, they conclude definitely that the animal tested did not have rabies. I might add that there has never been a positive reactor from Floyd county found in this way after the animal had been declared negative to start with the laboratory."

Clark said an animal suspected of rabies should be confined for a period of at least 14 days from the first day it is suspected. If the animal dies in that time a laboratory test of the brain will yield its most dependable results; otherwise, an animal killed at the outset of the illness might not be so likely to show a positive laboratory test, even though rabid. If the animal recovers within the 14-day period, it is reasonably certain that it isn't suffering from rabies. Moreover, he said, animals do not carry the rabies virus in their system at all times, as has been supposed, and consequently they may come down at any time with the disease.

## Life-Long Bonanza Man, Victim Monday at Home; Funeral Held Wednesday

James Whitaker, 79, of Bonanza, died at home Monday forenoon. The cause of death was not given. He was a farmer.

Mr. Whitaker, a life-long resident of this county, was a son of Bill and Serilda Whitaker and was married to Myrtle Frasure Whitaker, who survives. Surviving are also two daughters, Mrs. Annabelle Hunt, of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Mrs. Jean Cathoun, address unavailable. Brothers and sisters surviving are Branch Whitaker, of Prestonsburg, Menefee Whitaker, and Mrs. Sis Stone, both of West Prestonsburg, Willie Whitaker, of Beaver Creek, Mrs. Lou Wright, Ada, O., and another sister, her name not given.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at the Freewill Baptist church at Bonanza, the Rev. Sam Perry officiating. Burial was made in the Frasure cemetery at Bonanza under the direction of Carter and Callihan Funeral Home.

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## Former Floyd Student, Named Superintendent of Rowan County Schools

Clifford R. Cassady, former student of Maytown high school and native of Inez, Martin county, has been named superintendent of Rowan county schools. He was selected by the Rowan County Board of Education last week for a four-year term.

Mr. Cassady, who completed work for a master's degree at Morehead State College several months ago, will reside in the Rowan county seat. He is a nephew of A. R. Cassady, of Maytown, with whom he lived while studying at Maytown.

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**CAN ANNOUCE SCHEDULE**  
Roy M. Cain, District Representative of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Fund, will be in Floyd county to aid and assist veterans and their dependents in filing and prosecuting claims for benefits which they may be entitled from the Veterans Administration. Cain's schedule:  
Thursday, January 19, Wayland, at the Post Office Building, from 8 a. m. to 12.  
Thursday, January 19, Martin, at the Beaver Hardware, from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.  
Friday, January 20, Prestonsburg, at Tackett and Tackett's office.

Bill Campbell and Hugh Wyann, Lyon county, produced 126 and 114 bushels of corn an acre respectively.

Eight demonstrations in strawberries were given by county agent in Laurel county. New groups of farmers in way and Marshall counties joined the Farm and Home improvement program.

## To Organize C. I. in Extension Work

Wayne Ratliff, Floyd county agent, announced this week a representative of Morehead College will be at the Wheel high school Saturday, Jan. 14, 1 p. m., for the purpose of organizing extension classes.

Courses offered will depend on the needs of the teachers who attend this organization.

**U.M.W. Cares For Its Own...**

• The miners' Memorial Hospital at McDowell is one of the 10 fine U. M. W. hospitals shining in the hills of East Kentucky, West Virginia and Kentucky. The Hospital program has taken \$27½ million out of the Union's Welfare and Retirement Fund—but the Union feels they're more than worth it.

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GERALD GRIFFIN, of The Courier-Journal—East Kentucky Bureau wrote this story, "The Union Cares For Its Own," and took the photographs to illustrate it. Mr. Griffin, who started his career with The Courier-Journal in 1923, has covered East Kentucky with his trusty copy pencil and camera since the Bureau was established in 1950. . .

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David E. Leslie, Prestonsburg, saying the guns were taken to Johnsville, Pa., by a state police officer, Painesville, Meade and Floyd Depew, Frank Blackburn found the knives taken from Adams where they had been on an outhouse on the premises of Homer Thomas at Van

Thomas was brought to jail here booked on a charge of receiving stolen property. Willie Burchett, his vicinity, who was at the home at the time, was jailed on a breaking and entering charge. Police quoted Osborn as saying that he traded one of the guns from Adams & George to Leslie. Smith told the guns were cleverly secreted in the outhouse. Thorough search of the building, however, failed to uncover anything except the guns found Sunday night.

Police Officer Leslie said Thursday that one juvenile whom he caught here Monday night in the wrecking of a parking meter had located two other juveniles. No charges had been lodged against the three as of Wednesday noon.

Leslie said 18 parking meters have been broken into and either ruined or badly damaged. The cost of a meter, he added, is about \$60.

**UNCLASSIFIED AD**  
Woodrow Stephens asks us to say in this column that if the person who took his overcoat will apply at either the Moore Funeral Home or the Strand Theatre he will give him, her or it the lining to said overcoat which was overlooked.

**INFLATION**  
More than money is inflated these days. Heads, for instance. Even the language has suffered. Time was when a man was outstanding or distinguished or eminent or just plain good. But no longer. Now they have to use the double superlative and say Joe Doakes is the "most outstanding" in his group, even scuttle the language sometimes by declaring him a "most unique" personality when "unique" in itself makes him the "mostest" since it really means there is none other like him.

Gene are the days when a word like "colossal" served to over-emphasize the proportions or importance of a thing or event. Now it's "super-colossal," "super-duper," ad absurdum, ad nauseam, everything souped up.

**WE LIKE IT, ANYHOW**  
It's the smart thing, these days, to shy away from anything that smacks of sentimentality, and a lot of people miss good, old, honest sentiment while affecting an intellectualism and urbanity that becomes them no more than a pair of unbuckled spats.

Herman Hickman, the rotund and well-known football coach, is said to have a sentimental streak almost as wide as he is and he is wont to recite these lines which we like, sentimental or no:

**A LITTLE BOY PRAYS FOR HIS DOG**

Dear God,  
They say my dog is dead;  
He had the softest little head;  
He was so good, he'd always do  
Most anything I told him to.

Kind God,  
Sometimes he'd chase a cat,  
(He wasn't often bad like that).  
And if I called him back, he came  
The minute that I said his name.

Please God,  
If he feels scared up there,  
Won't You please let him sleep  
Somewhere  
Near You? Oh, please take care  
Of him,  
I love him so! His name is Tim.

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### "The Urgent Need" Is Told Again

The Kentucky Medical Foundation, in a thoughtful and beautifully executed brochure, has proved and emphatically stated the urgent need for a medical college at the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

The Foundation, which is composed of distinguished physicians and surgeons, dentists, farmers, educators and businessmen from all sections of the Commonwealth, titles the brochure, "The Urgent Need," and in the pages which follow traces the history of medicine from the days of early Kentucky to the present.

The Kentucky story shows that from a brilliant beginning, when the medical school established at Transylvania College, Lexington, was the fifth in the nation and regarded as the best of the five, the state has fallen into the category of backward states. Says the Medical Foundation: "In more than one hundred years the State of Kentucky has done virtually nothing to provide itself with adequate medical education."

Continuing with its powerful argument, the Foundation points out that in rural counties of this state the ratio of physicians to population is one doctor to 1,976 persons, and that the urban counties have one physician to every 816 persons. The national average is one physician to each 730 persons, and that ratio includes the sorry figures offered by Kentucky, South Carolina and some other states.

One Kentucky county with a population of 13,101 has one doctor; another does not have a doctor within its borders.

And still some argue that the University of Louisville with its medical college, the only such college in Kentucky, is sufficient to the state's needs!

In the face of the conclusions reached by the Medical Foundation—a shortage of 1,400 doctors in the state, Kentucky's infant death rate the heaviest in the nation, one out of every three Kentuckians rejected for military service during World War II because of physical or mental unfitness—in the face of these figures, we concur with the Kentucky Research Commission in its statement two years ago and with Governor Chandler's more recent statement to this effect:

"Shall more time be spent in more committees making more studies and more recommendations? It has been three years since the last committee made its last recommendation. The time has now come for action."

The Kentucky Research Commission, two eminent physicians appointed by the American Medical Association, the Kentucky Medical Foundation and the Governor of Kentucky, all have agreed that a medical college must be established at the University of Kentucky. One of these, or two, could be wrong, but not all of them.

**ATTEND MEETINGS**  
Strawberry growers in Perry county attended meetings where mulching and marketing were discussed.

## BERRY MEET SET JAN 18

**U.-K. Marketing Experts To Advise Growers Here, Is Announcement Made**

The University of Kentucky's marketing department is co-operating with the East Kentucky Strawberry Growers Co-operative Association to hold a one-day fruit and vegetable marketing clinic here. The meet will be at the courthouse, Jan. 18, beginning at 10 a.m.

A. J. Brown, head of the Department of Agricultural Economics of UK, will preside. A few of the speakers, in addition to Brown, scheduled to discuss problems connected with marketing are L. A. Vennes, marketing specialist, W. W. Magill, horticulture specialist, and W. I. Farmer, all of the Extension Service of the University.

"The purpose of the clinic is to offer an opportunity to the farmers of this area to obtain, first hand, from produce buyers, processors and experienced farmers, the information they have to give about the best way to market strawberries and other produce," County Agent O. E. Boggs said this week. "Also the clinic will provide farmers with an opportunity to gain knowledge of the problems encountered in fruit and vegetable marketing."

The clinic, slated for several months, will have morning and afternoon sessions. After talks by Vennes and Magill in the morning session, representatives of the produce trade will discuss what consumers demand in fruits and vegetables. Following that discussion, representatives of processors will explain what they must have in vegetables and fruits.

A discussion, beginning at 2:20 p.m., led by Farmer, will summarize the clinic and provide a question and answer period. "Farmers, bankers, merchants, chain-store representatives and all interested persons are invited to attend," Boggs said.

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## CLIFF

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackburn, of Wheelwright, spent the weekend here with his sister, Mrs. Tom Stephens, and Mr. Stephens. James Franklin Stephens has returned to his army base in Georgia after the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calhoun and son Lester have returned home after a three-week visit with their son, Chester Calhoun and family and daughter, Mrs. Guy Rorer, Jr., in Ohio.

Mrs. John Stephens underwent minor surgery at the Paintsville hospital, Saturday. She has returned home and is getting along nicely.

William (Chock) Kendrick, of Lancer, was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foley and daughters, of Auxier, and Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery, of Prestonsburg, called on Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Best and son Stephen, recently.

Mrs. Jack Best and son Stephen were business visitors in Maytown, Saturday.

Mrs. May Lawson and family have moved from McDowell to a residence on the Tom Moore farm here.

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**WEDNESDAY—**  
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### DEMONSTRATIONS

A demonstration in reforestation will be sponsored by the Bell County Agricultural Council.

A total of 1,400 feeder lambs were brought into Fulton county in one month.

## PACE, HAYES ARE HONORED

**For Service to Scouting With Big Sandy District; New Officers Installed**

Minor Pace, of Wheelwright and Arlie Hayes, of Hi Hat were the recipients Friday of statuettes in recognition of their services to scouting. The awards were made at Pikeville when new officers were installed for the coming year for the Big Sandy Boy Scout district.

Others who were presented with statuettes were Bill McGurk, Charles Justice, John S. Cline, Jr., Ed Venters, Dr. Charles Wilson and W. C. York, all of Pikeville.

The new officers, installed by Scout Executive John Dean, are Jarrett Wood, district chairman; Thurman Hibbitts, vice-chairman; Bill Zoellers, district commissioner.

B. F. Reed, chairman of the council finance committee, and also chairman of Region Four, presented George Tarleton, of Pikeville, with an award for his outstanding service as chairman of the 100 club.

S. M. Cassidy, vice-president of Pittsburgh Consolidation Coal Company, was principal speaker. His talk covered the future of the coal industry in Kentucky, pointing out that it had made a strong recovery during 1955.

He said the total for '55 was about 500,000,000 tons compared with 392,000,000 in '54. He also said that in the immediate future the requirement would reach 550,000,000 tons, and that a steady and increasing market could be expected, due to the fact that the steel industry, with more efficient production methods requires more high grade coal, and that also the export market and foreign consumption continues to grow steadily. He also predicted that the utilities demands for coal will increase approximately 10% per year.

Cassidy predicted that within a period of twenty years, or by 1975, the market annually for coal will reach a figure of 850,000,000 tons of coal. Mr. A. D. Sisk, former Chief of the Dept. of Mines and Minerals, of Lexington, was a guest at the meeting.

### HAND-MADE HATS

Members of homemakers clubs in Fleming county are making hand-made hats on about 300 frames.

## Mrs. Alka Thompson, Former P'burg Woman, Succumbs in Miami, Fla.

Friends and relatives here of Mrs. Alka Mellon Thompson, 52, have learned of her passing on January 5, at her home in Miami, Fla. Mrs. Thompson underwent an operation for a malignant tumor and did not recover from the anesthetic.

The daughter of the late Beverly C. Mellon and Mrs. Ella Mellon. Mrs. Thompson is survived by her husband, Allen Thompson, her mother and a brother, Joe Ed Mellon. She was born and reared in Prestonsburg and leaves many friends and relatives here. Burial was in Rose Hill Park, Ashland, Ky., after funeral services at the Methodist church last Sunday in Ashland.

## Wheelwright Youth Joins Marines at Louisville

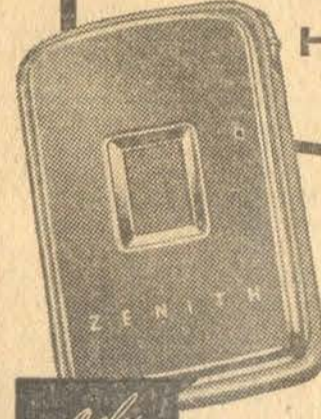
John T. McCoart, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete McCoart, of Wheelwright, was enlisted for a four-year period in the United States Marine Corps at Louisville and is now undergoing his recruit training at the Marine Corps recruit depot, Farris Island, South Carolina.

Upon completion of his "boot camp", McCoart will undergo four weeks advanced combat training at the Marine Corps base, Camp Lejeune, N. C. He will then receive a 10-day leave before reporting to his new duty assignment.

Members of 4-H clubs in McCracken county are feeding 20 calves for a fat cattle show and sale next October.

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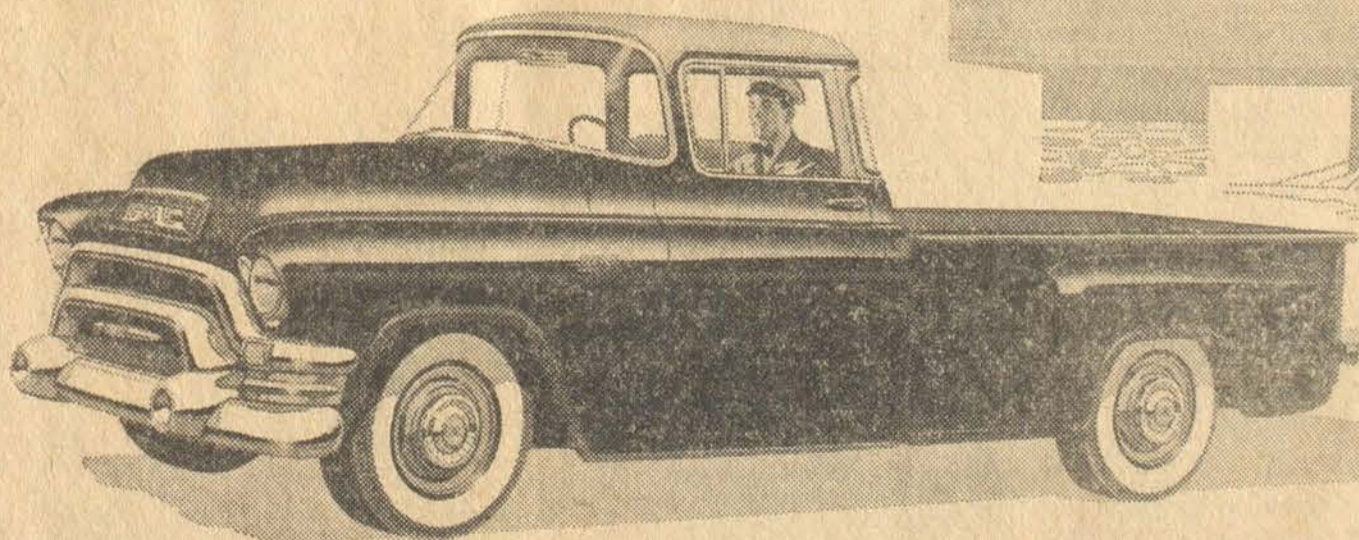
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GORMON COLLINS, Sheriff, Floyd County

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## Aged Hueysville Farmer Dies at Daughter's Home; Is Heart Attack Victim

Sol Patton, 94-year-old Hueysville farmer, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ada Howard, at 2 p.m. last Saturday. He was a victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Patton was the son of Henry and Nancy Patton and he was married to Susan Howard Patton who preceded him in death in 1939. One son and three daughters survive: Tom Patton, of Elida, O., of Hueysville, Mrs. Cora Stephens, of Corunna, Ind., and Mrs. Patsy Shepherd, of Shiloh, O. One sister, Mrs. Martha Handshoe, of Handshoe, also survives.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 10 a.m. at the home, the Revs. Banner Manns, Andy Moore and M. C. Wright officiating. Burial followed in the family cemetery at Gunlock under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

With more interest in poultry, farmers in Ballard county are considering organizing a graded-egg market.

Ohio Edison Company recently disclosed its plans for "electronic brain" supervision of 35 steam generators in mine plants across Ohio, including automatic determination to the heat content of the coal.

## Mrs. Crawford Presides At Woman's Club Meet

The David Woman's Club held its regular meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Walter Crace. Mrs. Crawford presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Oliver Marshall, treasurer reported on the Christmas card sale. Correspondence was read by Mrs. Jack Burtinett. There was a discussion on a Valentine party for the club but will be decided later. The committee on spiritual emphasis proposed a nursery to be held during Sunday school and the church hour. A motion was made and seconded that the club attend the David Church in a body the Sunday before Easter. Mrs. Earl Willis gave the program on the American Home. Decoration of the home was her theme.

During December the club was quite active. A workday held at the club house to repair old clothing and toys to be distributed for Christmas. Fourteen members spent a busy and profitable day working together. The annual Christmas party was held at the club house for members and husbands on Dec. 17. Games and dancing were enjoyed after dinner.

## ATTEND BRADLEY FUNERAL

Among those attending the funeral here Sunday of Wayne Bradley were:

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gande, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gande, and Howard Bradley, of Akron, O., Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Bradley, Orville Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradley, Mrs. Glenn Bradley, Mrs. Delcie Bergeron, Mrs. Irvine Briseddine and daughters, Shirley and Marilyn, James B. Atkinson, and daughter, Linda, Samuel Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Newman G. Moles, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Melton, all of Charleston, W. Va.

## CHILD DIES

Earl Jones, Jr., three-month-old son of Earl and Josephine Jones, of Betsy Layne, died at 9:45 p.m. Wednesday at the Beaver Valley hospital. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death. Besides the parents, a brother, Billy, survives. Funeral arrangements were incomplete today (Thursday), it was said by Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

## Burke To Study Finance In Course at Washington

Edmund Burke, Jr., a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and of Eastern State College, volunteered and was accepted into the regular army last week under the High School Graduate Specialized Training Program, according to an announcement by Sgt. Walke of the local Recruiting Station.

Mr. Burke, who is well-known as a musician with the local Kentucky Barons orchestra and who was formerly employed by the Bank Josephine, chose the Finance Procedure Course and was selected on his qualifications by the Adjutant General of the Army in Washington, D. C. He is presently stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he will take an eight-week basic training course prior to transfer to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana for finance schooling. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Sr., Third Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg.

An artificial breeding association is expected to breed 800 cows in Eastern Kentucky in its first year's operation.

Yields of tobacco in Woodford county are estimated at 10 to 15 percent below yields in 1954.

## CIRCLE 1 MEETS

Circle No. 1 of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Thomas LeMasters. An interesting program, entitled, "Mission to Neighbors—Chinatown, U. S. A.," was presented by Mrs. James Carter.

A dessert course was served by the hostess to the following members: Mrs. Phyllis Herrick, Mrs. Homer Wright, Mrs. Marshall Davidson, Mrs. Carl Watson, Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Mrs. Harold Dorsey, Mrs. Russell May, Mrs. James Carter, Mrs. Bill Fannin, Miss Charlotte Salisbury, and Miss Linda Stephens. Guests were Mrs. William E. Miller, Mrs. Jean Boggs, Mrs. Maxine McKenzie, Mrs. Fred Cottrell, Mrs. Lloyd Miller.

## CHURCH GROUPS MEET

The Presbyterian Auxiliary and Westminster Guild held a joint meeting Tuesday evening at the church with Mrs. Ray Howard and Mrs. Ralph Davis, co-hostess. Mrs. Marvin Music, president of the Woman's Auxiliary, presided.

At the business session a vote carried to buy a piano for the Sunday School rooms—a baptismal bowl and two candlebrae. The gift toward Christmas baskets this year will be \$25. Miss Catherine Reed and guest Miss Marjorie Mellon of Chicago conveyed greetings of good will from the McCormick Institute in Chicago where they are attending. The program "The Whole Way" was presented by Mrs. George Sizemore, Mrs. Ralph Davis and Miss Mary E. Powers. Miss Alma Collins and Mrs. Orville Cooley will be hostesses in February to the group.

A dessert course was served to mesdames George Sizemore, Belvair Friend, Cecil Willis, Frank Layne, E. R. Burke, Rainey White, Ralph Davis, Marvin Music, Ray Howard, Rex Osborne, Glenn Anderson, Orville Cooley, Everett Sowards, F. G. Heinze, Dan Reed, Jerry Lafferty, Jr., Orville Pearson, Clarence Martin, David Leslie, Misses Hazel Hill, Alma Collins, Catherine Reed, Daisy Miller, Mary Martha Williams, and guests Marjorie Mellon, Fanny Howell and Mae Howell.

## ATTEND WEDDING OF GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sutphin have returned from Johnson City, Tenn., where they attended the wedding of their grandson, Kenneth Price, to Miss Betsy West. Mr. Price is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Price, former residents of Prestonsburg.

## Floyd-co. Farm Program Is Approved, Hicks Says: Aid Offered, Outlined

"It is time to start thinking about farming and farm plans for 1956," William Hicks, chairman of the Floyd county ASC, wrote farmers cooperating with the organization this week. Hicks noted that approval of this year's program had been received and asked that farmers come in and discuss their plans with the office personnel.

"We can offer assistance on the following practices: Seeding pastures and meadows, liming land that has not been previously limed, forest tree seedlings, timber stand improvement, tile, drainage, ponds for livestock water, wells for livestock water, and many others."

"The program will be divided into two periods this year. The first period will run through June 30. If you are interested in carrying out practices in the first period (Jan. 1 to June 30) you should make your Farm Plan by February 15. If your plan is not made by February 15 no assistance can be offered to you in the first period."

"If you do not intend to carry out practices before June 30 you can wait until the second sign-up period which will begin July 1 and at that time sign up for practices to be done during July to December period."

## SCHOOLS—THE AWFUL TRUTH

Ten years from now 28% more children will be entering elementary schools than today, 55% more in high schools and 40% more in colleges. We will need some 600,000 more classrooms to accommodate them—a jump of about 60%, according to the Kiplinger Letter.

We'll also need 200,000 more teachers every year for ten years to cover school growth and to replace those who quit or retire.

The main problem, of course, is money, which in the end means more taxes. The total cost of schools, public and private, now is eight to ten billion dollars a year. In the next ten years this may double and most of it must come from taxes.

What kind of taxes will support the schools? Mostly property taxes for already 45% of the property taxes collected in states go to the schools. So there will be higher local taxes, higher property assessments, and fewer exemptions.

Tobacco growing is among the first subjects discussed at all meetings of farmers in Meade county.

## P'burg Woman's Club Holds Regular Meet

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting at Mrs. Winnie Johns. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Lon Hill. The correspondence was read by Mrs. Mary Ford.

The members nominated Mrs. Winnie Johns as Mother of the Year, and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe as the Club Woman of the Year. A radio program for July was planned by Mrs. Lon Hill, Mrs. Mary Ford, Miss Alice Harris and other members are to help if needed.

The next meeting, which will be in February, will be held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Cooley's and the D.A.R.'s are invited as guests, since the meeting is to be on Civil Defense.

Health cards are to be placed in all of the rest rooms by Mrs. Dolly Pettrey and Mrs. Vivian Hale.

The club decided to pay transportation for music students to Beattyville, Ky. for the music contest.

Mrs. Otis Spurlock was introduced by the program leader, Mrs. Edward May. She gave an interesting demonstration on basket weaving. In fact, she wove a nice size basket in about thirty minutes and explained the simplicity of the work. Mrs. Spurlock plans to teach classes to the club members at an early date.

A delicious dessert course was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Winnie Johns, Mrs. Claude Stephens, Mrs. Val Strahan, and Mrs. Wall.

Those attending were: Mrs. Edward May, Mrs. W. W. Cooley, Mrs. Maude Hale, Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Mrs. Bob Francis, Mrs. Alma Keenon, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. Lucy Regan, Mrs. Wm. Wallen, Mrs. Dolly Pettrey, Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Dick Roberts, Mrs. Mary Ford, Mrs. Edw. Leslie, Mrs. Lon Hill, Mrs. Woodrow Allen, Mrs. Carol B. May, Mrs. Brookie Lea Whit, Mrs. Greenville Spradlin, Mrs. James Donahoe, Mrs. W. E. Hunt, Mrs. Otis Spurlock, and Mrs. Evelyn Salisbury.

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## Free Hearing Aid Clinic

Robert M. Bean, BELTONE HEARING AID consultant, will hold his regular FREE monthly tests and demonstrations in PRESTONSBURG at the TURNER HOTEL on MON. JAN. 16 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and later by appointment. In PIKEVILLE at the PINSON HOTEL on TUES., JAN. 17, same hours and in WILMIAMSON at the MOUNTAINEER HOTEL on THURS., JAN. 19, same hours.

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## Roy Cook Learns Foxes Were Not Rabid Animals

Mr. Cook said this week he had checked on the two foxes killed by Ishmael Hicks; the other, by Joe Crum while working at a truck mine in the community. He said he had learned both were tame foxes that had been raised by a son of Willis Howard, of the Brusny Fork of Licking River, across the mountain from the Hippo section.

## ONE OUT OF THREE WOMEN WORK

There are more working women today than ever before—21 million with paying jobs. Before the war only 27% worked, in 1955 36% did. At present 30% of married women are working, twice as many as in 1940. The number is rising. Women's jobs are plentiful and young couples need the money to lift themselves in living standards. On the national average, the pay for women's jobs has risen less than men's.—The Kiplinger Letter.

## BIG BUILDING BOOM IN THE 60's

A building boom in the 60's is assured and it's likely to be almost twice as big as the present one, says the Kiplinger Letter. Marriages are the major factor in the demand for new houses. Marriages now are at the rate of 1.5 million, yet they justify 1.3 million houses. In the early 60's, 1.8 million houses a year will be needed to accommodate the 2.1 million new marriages.

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## MORE WIDOWS

On the national average, women live 5 years longer than men and are at the life expectancy of 74 years, while only 4% of men live to that age. Add this to the fact that their widows, and you see how much of the nation's wealth is in the hands of women.—The Kiplinger Letter.

# Announcing

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# STORE HOURS

Beginning Monday, January 16, the undersigned stores in Prestonsburg will adopt the following business hours:

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Men's Sport Coats (1 Group)  
Men's Sweaters  
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Men's Oxfords (1 Group)  
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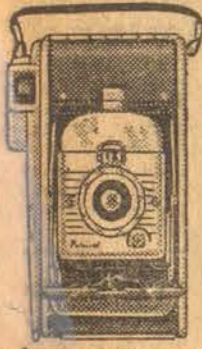
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**MARY'S**  
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**SURPRISE TRIP FOR BIRTHDAY**  
 Johnny Hill was a surprise guest of his parents, Judge and Mrs. E. P. Hill, on Christmas, with a 15-day furlough following, leaving last week by plane for his airbase at Fairbanks, Alaska. Mrs. Hill and Mrs. W. C. Remmer accompanied him to Cincinnati, O., where he boarded his plane.

**HOME FROM WASHINGTON**  
 Mrs. Lucille Mayo Herndon returned this week from a two-week visit with her sister, Miss Maurine Mayo, in Washington, D. C.

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**CHURCH CIRCLE MEET**  
 The Chaddie Salisbury Circle of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church met at the church Annex Monday evening, Jan. 2, with Mrs. Fern Hale, chairman, presiding over the business session.

Following the business session, an interesting program was presented on "The American Indian", by Mrs. Virgie Davidson, Mrs. Fern Hale, Mrs. Opal Dingus and Mrs. Ruth Moore.

Those present were Mesdames Ruth Isbell, Julia Harrington, Opal Dingus, Ruth Moore, Lucian Lafferty, Virgie Davidson, Sally Mae Goble, Myrtle Pate, Josephine Conley, and Marie Spurlock.

The Daisy Harris Circle of the church also met in the Annex Monday evening, with Mrs. Ruby Young, chairman, presiding over the business session.

An interesting program on "The American Indian," was presented by Mrs. Anna Feller, Miss Anna Martin, Mrs. Lois Parkins, and Mrs. Emma Jean Sirkle.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. Narcie Burchett, Mrs. Zella Archer, Mrs. Anna Feller, Miss Anna Martin, Mrs. Lois Parkins, Mrs. Ruby Young, Mrs. Olga Latta, Mrs. Dorothy Sturgill, Mrs. Emma Jean Sirkle, and Mrs. Emma Osborne.

The Julia Mayo May Circle of the church met at the Annex the same evening with the chairman, Mrs. Helen Clark, presiding over the business session.

An interesting program on "The American Indian," was presented by Mrs. Maman Leslie, Mrs. Dolly Petry and Mrs. Lucy Regan.

Attending were Mrs. Helen Clark, Mrs. Maman Leslie, Mrs. Dolly Petry, Mrs. Rebecca Rasmick, Mrs. Eva Collins, Mrs. Lucy Regan, Mrs. Ollie Burchett.

**Society**

Notes

Mrs. Fred Cottrell, Betsy Cottrell and Mrs. Joe Hobson were in Pikeville last Saturday on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. Salisbury, and children, David, Claudia and Evelyn, have returned to their home at Mt. Sterling after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens were business visitors in Ashland and Huntington last Monday.

Mrs. John E. Layne returned to her home in Ashland Saturday after a visit of a week with Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth Sowards.

Mrs. Arnold Compton and daughter, Polly Ann, have returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snaveley at Petersburg, Va.

Mrs. George Rorer and daughter, Mrs. Lucy Stephens, went Saturday to Huntington where Mrs. Rorer will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Winston Ford, Mrs. May Hyden, Mrs. W. W. Greenwade, Mrs. J. B. Ford were in Huntington last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gagie have returned to their home at Ft. Wayne, Ind., after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Byrd Goble, and Mrs. Ernest Osborne.

Mrs. Olga Latta, Clifford B. Latta, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May visited A. J. May at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington last week. Mrs. Latta has been at her father's bedside during his stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Ridda Finlayson, of Paintsville, visited her grandson, Joe Mayo Spradlin, at the Prestonsburg hospital last Sunday.

Mrs. Virgil Webb is a medical patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital this week.

Sam Garrett and daughter, Dianna Sue, of Hazard, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Laura M. Davidson, and family here Sunday.

Luther Shivel, C. & O. Railway dispatcher at Ashland, visited his family here this week.

Miss Louise Goble returned last week to Arlington, Va., after spending the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. H. L. Goble, and other relatives. She is employed by the Defense Department in Washington.

Mrs. French Combs has returned home from Lexington where she received medical treatment and visited her son, Dr. Fletcher Combs, and family.

**IN FLORIDA**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Rhinehart left last week for a 10-day stay at various places in Florida.

**CIRCLE 1 MEETS**  
 Mrs. D. L. Floyd and Miss Hazel Hill were co-hostesses to Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian church auxiliary Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Floyd at the Mayo farm, near Lancer. Miss Hill, chairman, gave the devotional program. Miss Bertha Parsley was appointed secretary and Mrs. David Leslie treasurer of the circle. "The May and Mayflower" and "Bible Study". Mrs. Frank Layne presented an interesting program on the chosen study, "The Way and Wayfarer." Mrs. Ralph Davis, leader of the program, discussed "Christian Living, Family Style." The hostesses served dessert and coffee to Mesdames Mary E. Branham, James Lafferty, David Leslie, Clarence Martin, Ralph Davis, Orville Cooley, Clarence Martin, Rex Osborne, Frank Layne, D. A. Floyd, Misses Mary Martha Williams, Mary E. Powers, Alma Collins, Hazel Hill, Bertha Parsley.

The February Circle meeting will be entertained by Miss Alma Collins.

**RETURN FROM TEXAS**  
 Mrs. Marvin Ransdall, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Schroeder returned last week from Abilene, Texas, where they were holiday guests of Mrs. Ransdall's daughter, Mrs. Jay Shields, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Shields will soon move from Abilene to Ft. Worth. Mr. Shields having been promoted to the main office of the Chicago Corporation.

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 Rev. Ira McMillen returned Wednesday night from Louisville where he attended the Kentucky Evangelistic Congress of the Baptist Church.

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**RETURN HOME**  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Raybourne and sons, Misses Ann Dickens and Sarah Martha Dehart, returned to their homes at Olive Hill last week after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howard.

**IN NEW YORK**  
 Mrs. Tot Allen Cope left Saturday for a two-week stay in New York City where she is buying spring merchandise for the Things Unlimited shop. She is now operating her shop from her residence on Second street.

**SON BORN**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snaveley are announcing the birth of their second child, a son, Dec. 26 at a Petersburg, Va. hospital. He has been named Charles Goble Snaveley. Mrs. Snaveley is the former Armita Compton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Compton, of Prestonsburg.

**AT DILLSBORO RESORT**  
 Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and brother, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Sr., left Monday for Dillsboro, Ind., for a two-week stay. They were accompanied there by Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., who later returned home.

**HERE TO VISIT SISTER**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Minks and baby, of Scottsboro, Ala., were here this week to visit his sister, Mrs. Marie Archer, who is critically ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

**MOVED LAST WEEK**  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ley moved last week from the Bert Combs property at Cliff to the recently remodeled residence on Second street which formerly was the Methodist parsonage.

**JANUARY MEETING OF PEO**  
 The January meeting of Chapter "G" PEO, was entertained Monday night at the home of Mrs. W. A. Rose on Graham street. The president, Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, presided. She introduced Mrs. W. R. Callihan who gave a Founders Day program, with an imaginary visit in the homes of the seven members who formed the organization of PEO. Mrs. Rose served a salad course to the following members: Mesdames Earle A. Stumbo, Chalmers H. Frazier, Winston Ford, Marvin Music, Merle Wilson, George P. Archer, W. W. Greenwade, Tom Graham Dingus, Wm. R. Callihan, W. R. Rose.

**D. A. R. CHAPTER MEETS**  
 The January meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, with Mrs. John Hensley as co-hostess. The regent, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, presided. Mrs. W. W. Cooley conducted the ritualistic service. Mrs. Cooley read the goals of the Chapter, reminding the members of the chapter house goal set more than 25 years ago. The secretary read correspondence from the Pikeville D. A. R. Regent announcing the endorsement of Mrs. Collis P. Hudson, state regent of Kentucky, as candidate for corresponding secretary-general. Mrs. Hudson is a member of the Pikeville chapter, D. A. R.

A letter from Mrs. Hudson congratulated Mrs. Johns as regent on the local chapter's addition of the largest number of new members in the state the past year. Fifteen new members have been added to the chapter registrar's roll.

A card party will be given sometime during February. The marker fund netted \$2.15. Mrs. Greenville Spradlin gave an interesting program on "Civil Defense," pointing out its purposes during peace and war. She was appointed chairman of the Civil Defense project since she is well informed on it and knows its purposes. The prize picture of "The Signing of the Declaration of Independence," which was won by Miss Dolores May, on the WPRF radio quiz broadcast during Constitution Week, was shown to the group. The hostesses served a salad course to Mesdames Winnie F. Johns, Claude P. Stephens, Tom James, Greenville Spradlin, Everett Sowards, M. J. Leete, John Hensley, Joe Hobson, W. W. Cooley, David Herndon, Lyda Spradlin.

**PROGRESSIVE PARTY**  
 The Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a French progressive dinner party, Dec. 30, at which hostesses were Mrs. Devon Bourque, Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Mrs. Harold Dorsey and Mrs. John D. Marcum. Fifty members were guests.

**RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL**  
 V. A. Smiley, who submitted to a major operation recently at Central Baptist hospital, Lexington, returned Monday, and is convalescing nicely at his home here.

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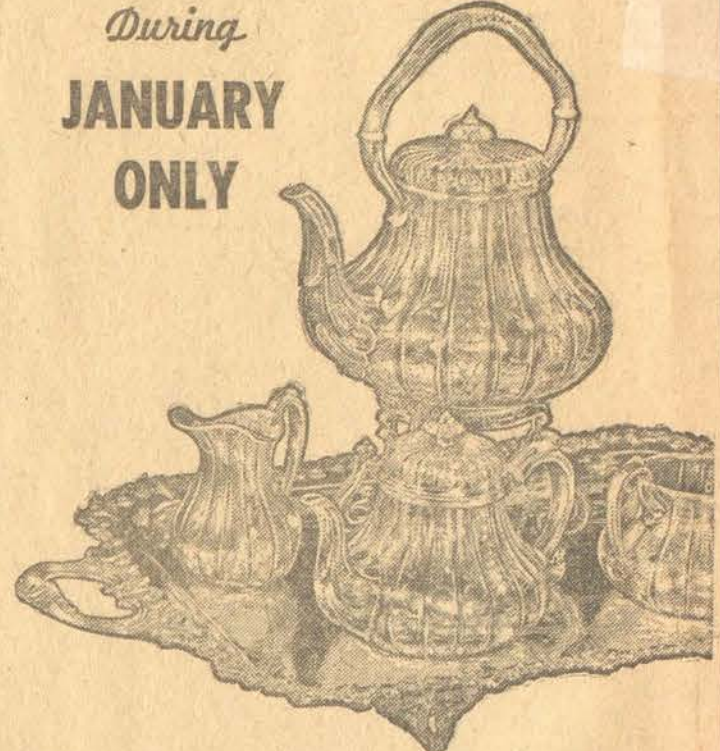
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**UCLA STUDENT VISITS RELATIVES**  
 Visiting relatives at Mare Creek last week was Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Scalf and children, of Amherst, Va. Accompanying them was their son, William Ronald Scalf, a student of nuclear engineering at UCLA.

**SUBMITS TO APPENDECTOMY**  
 Jo Mayo Spradlin is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, where he submitted to an emergency appendectomy last Saturday. He is doing nicely and will be able to return to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, this week.

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**Investors Mutual, Inc.**

Notice of 61st Consecutive Dividend.

The Board of Directors of Investors Mutual has declared a quarterly dividend of sixteen cents per share payable on January 20, 1956, to shareholders of record as of December 30, 1955.

H. K. Bradford, President

**JAMES E. GOBLE**  
 Zone Manager  
 Emma, Ky. Ph. Allen 2142

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Wright, Harold Dean Fraley, 21, Langley, and Ella Faye Franklin, 20, Hippo, James Caudill, 18, and Alberta Sloan, 18, both of Lackey, Loren Fraley, 21, Alger, O., and and Clara Moore, 18, Pyramid.

**PRICE THEATRE**  
ADMISSION 15c & 40c

**FRIDAY—**  
"Chief Crazy Horse"  
(Technicolor)  
Victor Mature, Susan Ball, John Lund  
(Susan's Ball's last picture before her death).

**SATURDAY—**  
"Bringing Up Baby"  
Katheryn Hepburn, Cary Grant  
"Lay That Rifle Down"  
Judy Canova

**SUNDAY—**  
"Foxfire"  
(Technicolor)  
Jane Russell, Jeff Chandler, Dan Duruya

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Mullins, and Kenis Hall and Allen Policeman Frank Crum, and from his car 14 cases of whiskey were taken. The whiskey was found on a search warrant issued by Magistrate John May.

Hughes was jailed here on charges of possessing whiskey and carrying a concealed deadly weapon. Joseph was booked on reckless driving and whiskey possession counts.

Officers said the car as well as the whiskey was confiscated.

He has not been given trial on the charge arising from the raid leading to opening of the safe at his place of business here and the discovery of a large quantity of intoxicants.

Others jailed within the week on major offenses:

Harold Hall, drunk driving, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Ed Amberg; Stanford A. McLean, absent without leave from the armed forces; Homer Thomas, receiving stolen goods; Dewey Osborn, breaking and entering; Homer Dudley and Otto Wireman, each accused of grand larceny in the theft of copper wire from a mine.

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**START DRIFT HOUSING JOB**

**Two County Officials Building 4 Residences For UMWA Physicians**

Excavation was begun Wednesday morning for the construction of four residences at Drift for occupancy on or about April 1 by doctors and surgeons on the staff of the new McDowell Memorial hospital now nearing completion as a project of the United Mine Workers' Memorial Hospital Association. The homes are being constructed by County Attorney Hollie Conley and County Clerk DuRan Moore, and involved in the overall project will be the expenditure of \$56,000.

Although the lease-agreement signed by Moore and Conley has not been given final approval of UMWA headquarters in Washington, Lester Bros., Inc., contractors on the project, were told Tuesday by an official of the UMWA to proceed with excavation. The contracting firm builds Lewco houses, which are pre-cut.

The lease covering the four houses is for a five-year period and provides a return of 12% on the cost of the structures.

Two of the homes, which will be 24 by 40 feet, will have full basements, which will include a recreation room and garage in each. The other two, which will not have a basement, will be of the same dimension, plus a 14-20-foot one. They will be three-bedroom homes, with two baths, brick veneer exterior and plaster interior.

Included in the work of the contracting firm in landscaping and lawn seeding. Owners are to make available to the residences water, gas and electricity.

Sites of the homes are on the W. S. Martin portion of the Alexander Martin estate at Drift, and are located on an elevation overlooking the town.

**MARTIN THEATRE**  
"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

**FRIDAY—**  
"The Crooked Web"  
Frank Lovejoy, Mari Blancard  
"The Naked Street"  
Farley Granger, Anne Bancroft

**SATURDAY—**  
THREE BIG SHOWS—  
"The Night of the Hunter"  
Robert Mitchum, Shelly Winters  
"Colt Comrades"  
Hopalong Cassidy

**SUN.-MON.—**  
"The Desperate Hours"  
Humphrey Bogart, Frederick March, Arthur Kenedy, Martha Scott, Gig Young

**TUESDAY—**  
"Kiss of Fire"  
Jack Palance, Barbara Rush  
"I Killed Wild Bill Hickok"  
John Forbes, Helen Westcott

**WED.-THURS.—**  
"Barefoot Contessa"  
Humphrey Bogart, Ava Gardner

**Seedlings Are Available For Reforestation Work In County, Johnson Says**

Price lists and order blanks for trees to be used in reforestation and wildlife planting are now available. L. R. Johnson of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service announced today. Although there are still several months before planting time, landowners who delay placing their orders may be disappointed in the spring. Johnson pointed out that frequently in past years, late orders were returned because the supply of desirable trees was exhausted.

Farmers and others who are cooperating with the Floyd Soil Conservation District will plant about 200,000 trees and shrubs in 1956. Last year, as part of their soil conservation program, they planted 133,000. These, plus the many thousands established since the soil conservation district was organized in August, 1950, are covering up bare, eroded soil, growing into useful products, furnishing valuable habitat for wildlife and are improving the general appearance of the landscape in this county.

Trees available for ordering are black locust, walnut, yellow poplar, loblolly pine, shortleaf pine, white pine and white oak. They can be ordered without money. They will be paid for by a purchase order of the ASC.

Order blanks may be had by calling at the State Forest Service, ASC office, or from Vocational Agriculture teachers, the Soil Conservation office, and office of the county agent.

**Conservation Discussed At Upper Cow-cr. School**

Fifty local residents besides the supervisors of the Floyd County Soil Conservation District and others met Monday evening with the Cow Creek Watershed Association at the upper schoolhouse there. The improvement association had scheduled the meeting for sometime. Woodrow Burchett, chairman, presided.

Roy Denney, vocational agriculture teacher of Maytown, presented a film, entitled "Woods As A Farm Crop." Talks were made by L. R. Johnson, soil conservationist, on how the Agricultural Stabilization Committee can help on conservation, County Agent O. E. Boggs on plant foods, J. B. Clarke, on the general picture of conservation and Burchett remarked on the aims of the Association and why the meeting was called. Present, and entering in the discussion, were Lloyd Wells, vo-ag teacher, of Prestonsburg, and Robert M. Jones, assistant county agent.

After the speaking a general discussion followed on what farmers could do about soil conservation and farm improvement.

**COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH**  
Harold W. Dorsey, Minister  
Sunday, Jan. 15—  
Prestonsburg, Ky.  
9:30 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "God Leads Us."  
10:30 a.m., Church school. Classes for all ages.  
Tuesday, Jan. 17—  
7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting.  
8:00 p.m., Choir practice.  
Thursday, Jan. 19—  
7:00 p.m. Women's Circle will meet at the church.

**STRAND THEATRE**  
"Where Friends Meet Friends"

**FRIDAY—**  
IN PERSON ON STAGE—  
"Preston, The Magician"  
See your friends hypnotized right before your eyes—see rabbits pulled out of a hat, "real live rabbits"—see a bird cage disappear right before your eyes.

"The Far Horizon"  
Technicolor  
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**SATURDAY—**  
THREE BIG SHOWS—  
"Hell's Island"  
John Payne, Barbara Rush

"Riders of the Whistling Pines"  
Gene Autry, Champion

"New Mexico"  
(Color)  
Lew Ayers, Marilyn Maxwell

**SUN.-MON.—**  
"Court Martial of Billy Mitchell"  
CinemaScope - Color  
Gary Cooper, Ralph Bellomy, Chas Bickford

"Colt Comrades"  
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**Philip Marion Dings, Hite Farmer, Is Victim Of Pneumonia, Sunday**

Philip Marion (Boy) Dings, well-known Floyd farmer, died at 11:20 a.m., Sunday at his home at Hite, a victim of pneumonia.

A son of Charles Wesley and Nancy Flannery Dings, he was born and reared in the community where he died. His wife, Dolly Osborne Dings, died in 1950.

Surviving are his five sons, Lacey, Russell, Wesley and Clyde Dings, all of Hite, and Ray Dings, of Betsy Layne. One brother, Bil Dings, of Hite, also survives.

His funeral was conducted Tuesday morning from the residence, the Rev. John P. Carr officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Turner & Ryan Funeral Home.

**Dickerson and Turner Takes State Positions**

Fred G. Dickerson, manager and part-owner of the Sparks Bros. Bus Company here, has been named field representative of the Division of Motor Transportation in Floyd and Pike counties.

Roe Turner, of Drift, has been named Floyd county forest warden, Division of Forestry, succeeding Forrest Burchett, of Sugar Loaf.

**DOES EDUCATION PAY?**

Yes, says the Kiplinger Letter. The average elementary school graduate will earn \$116,000 in a lifetime, the average high school graduate \$165,000. The average college graduate will earn \$268,000 during his working years.

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grand larceny, and Freddie Newsome, who had been indicted of drunk driving, resulted in "hung" juries.

Dismissed "for lack of prosecution" were these cases: Dee Noah, defrauding hotel keeper; Roy Hoover, forgery; Curt Sizemore, grand larceny; Willie Mae Tate, cutting and wounding; J. Hall, forgery; H. G. Clark, selling mortgaged property; Arthur and Clara Bentley, false pretenses; Pem Gearheart, assault; Jack Hamilton, assault and battery; Beverly Shepherd, Iline Holbrook, Helen Nelson and Jimmy Green, grand larceny; Anthony Newsome, cutting and wounding; Fred Hall, selling mortgaged property.


The charges of carrying concealed deadly weapons against George Thacker and Winfred Stone were dismissed because of former conviction, and that of knowingly receiving stolen property lodged against Donald Horn, was dismissed for lack of a new indictment. Three cases were dismissed on motion of the Commonwealth's Attorney, without reason appearing on the order; Andrew Mitchell and Orville Hall, each for assault and battery; Jack Eddy and Arthur Hamilton, shooting on the public highway.

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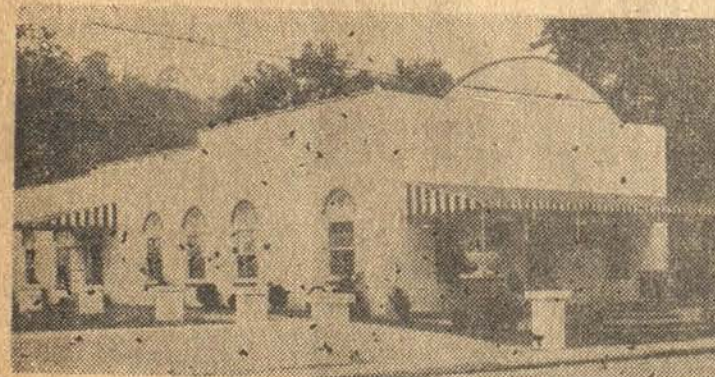
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### Nine Foreign Teachers Slated To Visit Schools In State For Orientation

Frankfort, Jan. 2 (Spl.)—Nine foreign teachers—four of them from Japan, and one each from Formosa, Brazil, Italy, Iran and Costa Rica — arrived here this week for a six-week tour of duty in Kentucky—January 4 to February 10—studying Kentucky's pattern of public education, it was announced today by Sam B. Taylor, Assistant Director of the Division of Supervision of the State Department of Education.

The entire group are teachers of English as a foreign language in their schools, and leaders of people in their communities, Taylor added. This week, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the group will study procedures within the State Department of Education, following which each one will spend time in various local school districts where they are being assigned.

The State Department of Education has been assisting the United States Office of Education in an International Teacher Education program, with the U. S. Office of Education sponsoring an exchange service for teachers with many foreign countries and brings many reputable teachers from abroad to this country for the purpose of studying our system of culture and system of education.

The foreign exchange teachers and the local school systems following this week's three-day orientation period are:

Mohamed Minal, Iran, to Carter county school system.

Tatsuo Iwasaki, Japan, to Lee county school system.

Mickiko Sakai, (Miss Sakai) Japan, to Scott county and Georgetown independent school systems.

Norboru Ichihashi, Japan, to Clark county and Winchester Independent systems.

Vittorio Tito Gozzer, Italy, to Bourbon county and Paris independent systems.

Francisco Pinto Da Poseca, Brazil, to Harrison county and Cynthiana independent school systems.

Chao-Chun Chou, Formosa, to Franklin county and Frankfort independent school systems.

Manuel Rojas Sanchez, Costa Rica, to Hardin county and Elizabethton independent systems.

Norboru Yokoyama, Japan, to Barren county and Glasgow independent systems.

Rabbit and hares don't dig, dive or climb for food, but they eat nearly every kind of plant or fruit they can nibble on the ground.—Sports Afield.

An enrollment of 900 boys and girls in 4-H clubs is planned in Ohio county.

### MARTIN

By Betty Preflatish

#### HALE-KILBURN

Miss Laura Hale, of Mantion, and Sgt. Bill Kilburn, of Martin, were married during the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Kilburn is a student-nurse in St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, Ky. Sgt. Kilburn is serving with the army and is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bradley spent a short holiday visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Dusini, at her home in Corbin, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Stumbo spent last week-end visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knight, in Kingsport, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Knight have a new baby. She is the former Doogie Sammons, of Martin.

Rev. George Nerbonne has returned here after spending two weeks' holiday vacation with his mother, at her home in Pennsylvania, N. H.

Mrs. Aaron Justice, Mrs. Dennis Martin, Mrs. Lenora Osborne, Louise Frazier and James K. Crisp were business visitors in Huntington, W. Va., last week. They went to visit Aaron Justice and Dennis, two patients in the C. & O. hospital there. Mr. Justice has undergone an operation and Mr. Crisp went to offer blood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill West, of El Paso, Texas, and their daughter, Louellen, were here for the funeral of her brother-in-law, Tommy Jenkins.

All of Bill Conley's children were here last week for his funeral: Hager, Dewey, John and Mrs. Edd Crisp, all of Martin, Kelly, Victor and Willie Conley. Mr. Conley's wife preceded him in death just a few months ago.

Miss Blanche Dingus is recuperating nicely from a recent operation. Her many friends are glad to hear this.

Hubert C. Hampton, of the Air Force, spent a 14-day furlough at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hampton during Christmas. He is stationed in Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Branham announce the birth of a daughter, Connie Faye, at Our Lady of the Way hospital during the week-end. This is their second, both girls.

Jack Mandt attended the basketball game in Lexington last week-end.

Mrs. Virgil Peters is undergoing treatment in the Beaver Valley hospital. Her friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Luther Jackson, of Muncie, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mallins, of Richmond, Ind., spent the week-end here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill, who continues to be all at her home here.

Mrs. T. T. Osborne, of Clarksburg, Ohio is spending some time here with her sisters, Mrs. S. J. Roberts, Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, Sr. and Mrs. A. B. Flannery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adams attended the funeral of his mother on Johns Creek Monday. Their many friends extend their deep sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hosler and Mrs. Rhoda Nofstter, of Clarksburg, Ohio, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. J. D. Adams, and other relatives here recently.

Sgt. and Mrs. Steve Frazier announce the birth of a son, Ray Michael, in Simbok, Germany, Dec. 28. Sgt. Frazier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frazier, of Martin, and is with the Air Force.

Miss Juanita Hackworth and Miss Phyllis Mayo, of Martin, entertained a group of friends from Prestonsburg and Martin. Rok and dancing were enjoyed.

### Pikeville Man Succumbs To Heart Attack, Sunday Attending Berea Meeting

Fred Lee Ramey, 44, of Pikeville, died Sunday morning in a Berea hotel, reportedly the victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Ramey had been attending an alumni meeting at Berea College.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Presbyterian Church in Pikeville by the Rev. Charles Moffett and the Rev. Everett Brown. Burial was made in Johnson Memorial Park, Pikeville.

Mr. Ramey was an insurance claims adjuster for the Bituminous Casualty Co. He was a member of the Pikeville Presbyterian Church and Masonic Lodge and was past president of the Pikeville Lions Club.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ramey, of Pikeville; the widow, Mrs. Ruby Ramey; one son, John Ramey; two daughters, Susan and Jane at home; one brother, Jack Ramey, of Chago and two sisters, Mrs. Ivy Wagon of Owsley, Ky. and Mrs. Otto Waer, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

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## Gov. Chandler Promises "Sensible" Government

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 9 (Spl.) — Governor Chandler appealed to the 1956 General Assembly for "close co-operation between executive and legislative branches of government" to the end that the people of the Commonwealth "achieve the benefits which will flow from our joint efforts."

In a 40-minute address to the opening session of the lawmakers, the Governor asked that affairs of the regular session be conducted with reasonable dispatch, following which special session will be called for consideration of such matters as the budget, road building and needed reorganization.

Establishment of a medical school at the University of Kentucky was asked by the Governor as a means of meeting an appalling lack of public health facilities.

"There is now a shortage of about 1,400 physicians in the State," said the Governor. "The situation is made more acute by the fact that the larger communities have more than their share of qualified medical skill."

The Governor pointed to repeated surveys made by medical groups which pointed to the need for added services, and all of which had recommended such a course.

"Shall more time be spent in more committees making more studies and more recommendations? It has been three years since the last committee made its final recommendations. The time has come for action."

Repeal of the public assistance law and measures to promote public safety on highways also were urged by Governor Chandler.

Governor Chandler asked the lawmakers, too, to recreate the office of Advisory Highway Commissioner and free engineering personnel of the Department to make the technical decisions that are necessary.

"I have always thought that the people were entitled to a representative of the Department of Highways closer to them than Frankfort. These Advisory Commissioners will hear petitions of our people for roads and, in turn, transmit

these petitions to the Commissioner of Highways with appropriate recommendations," the Governor added. "Engineers and technicians will be relieved of policy-making decisions and their time devoted to the building of roads and technical aspects for which they are well trained."

Governor Chandler suggested that the lawmakers consider the alarming increase in the public debts being created, under any ruse or device.

"Debt, personally or publicly, should be contracted soberly and after much consideration," said Governor Chandler. "It must be remembered that no Governor is authorized or empowered to place a burden of debt upon the people in excess of \$500,000 unless they vote approval of such indebtedness."

Committees were suggested by the Governor to investigate affairs of the penal and other institutions, as well as circumstances surrounding the failure of certain insurance companies doing business in Kentucky.

Governor Chandler promised to submit a "sensible, sane and adequate" budget message to a subsequent special session of the General Assembly that will fully meet the requirements of public health, public welfare and public education.

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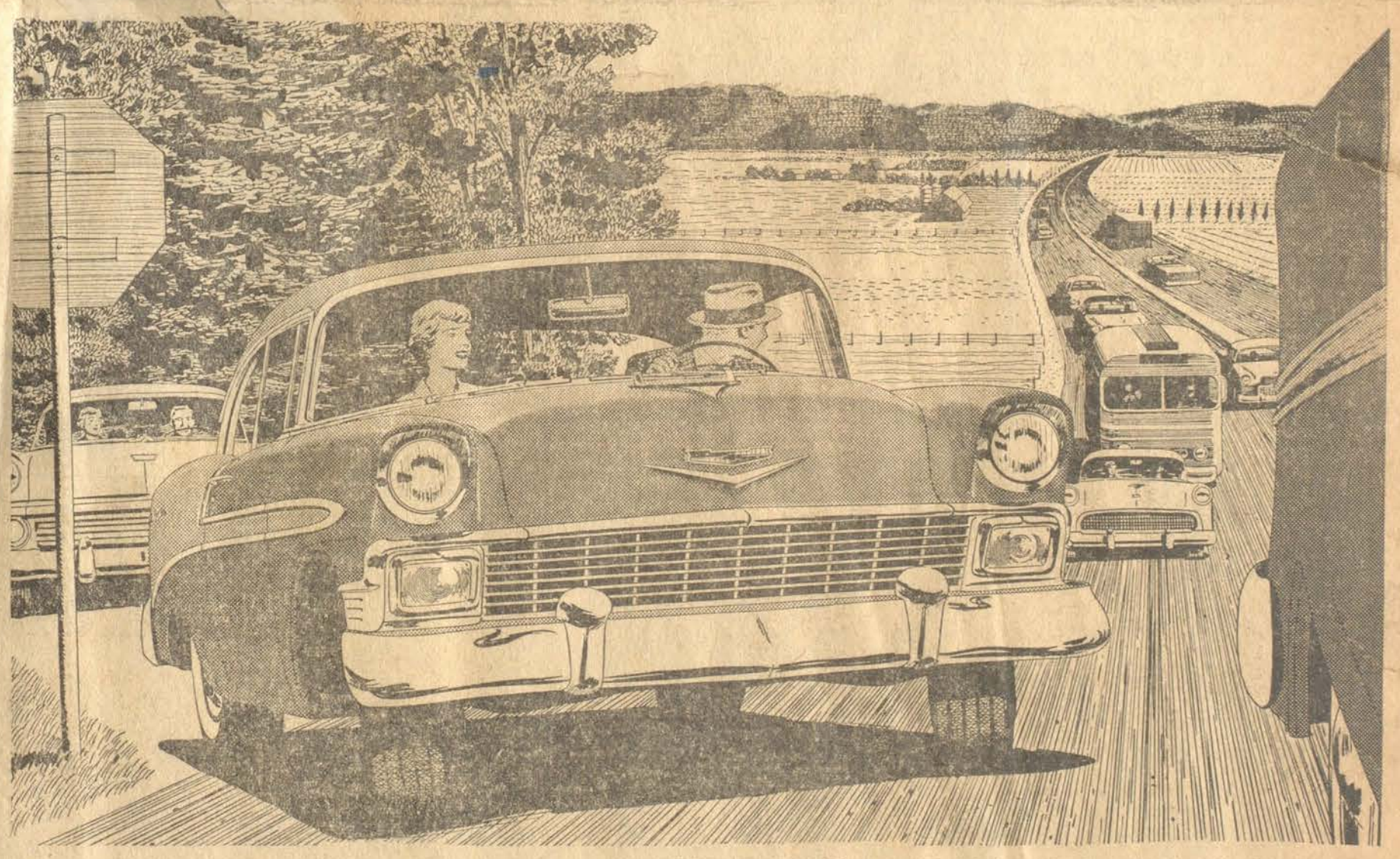
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**MARTIN**

**WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS**

The regular monthly business meeting of the Allen-Martin Woman's club was held Tuesday evening, January 3, at the home of Mrs. Rufus Stephens, of Dinwood. The president, Mrs. John J. Sherman, presided.

Mrs. Sherman asked for volunteers to assist in soliciting funds for the March of Dimes. Several women are to help in this, each one being assigned a special area of work.

Mrs. T. J. Allen gave a report on the purchase of trash cans which the club will place in Martin. There will be at least four placed there to aid in the street sanitation.

The club is to have at least two representatives, Mrs. John J. Sherman, and Mrs. T. J. Allen, at the winter board meeting in the Phoenix hotel, Lexington, January 10-12.

After the meeting adjourned a dessert course was served by Mrs. Stephens, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Millard Sizemore, to Mesdames T. J. Allen, Maurice Mitchell, John F. Sammons, William Martin, Russell Laven, Belford Ritz, George Laven, and John J. Sherman.

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**HOW FOREST CONSERVATION BENEFITS MY COMMUNITY**

By Verna Gearheart

The following took first prize in the annual essay contest sponsored by the Floyd County Soil Conservation District and The Courier-Journal.

My community is located in Eastern Kentucky. Next to water and soil, the forest is our most valuable natural resource. Coal mining is the main industry. There is also some logging done. We have some saw-mills and sell quite a bit of lumber. Lumber is needed for mining, too. It is necessary for supporting the interior of the mines. The people in my community depend upon others for their living, because other people must buy the coal and lumber taken from our land.

Once our land was covered with trees, but through the centuries they have been greatly destroyed by fire, insects, and diseases; moreover, many trees were destroyed by men who couldn't force the need for them. When the white men first came to America, they saw only their need for space for villages and farm land. So they cut the trees out of their way, and those that they couldn't use were burned.

This did not last, however. Gradually citizens became educated and informed, and they became interested in the conservation of our natural resources. They saw that they couldn't last forever if such waste continued. The men began to take steps to prevent the destruction of their forests. In 1875 the American Forestry Association was founded and its purpose was to make the people aware of the need for conserving forests. In 1899 Congress empowered the President to create national forests. In 1911 the Weeks Act provided for acquiring forest lands on the watersheds of streams. This is only a few of the first attempts at forest conservation. Many were made after the first ones. The United States Forest Service, created in 1905 from an

earlier bureau, is now a branch of the Department of Agriculture. It administers the national forests, conducts research, cooperates with the states, land-grant colleges, and with private owners, in connection with the management of our forests. We now have trained forest specialists and places for research and education of forest conservation for citizens who are interested.

There are still negative factors in forest conservation. Each year many trees are destroyed by insects, fire, and livestock grazing. The forest's greatest enemy is fire. Most fires are caused by man's carelessness. The need for us to be careful with fire cannot be emphasized too much. Insects, also, destroy many trees, as do different diseases. Livestock can destroy trees by gnawing the bark off, but they don't destroy our trees as much as do insects, diseases, and fires, because they aren't allowed to graze in our forests.

Well managed forests provide many necessary products that we could not have without wood. Our trees provide many things for our community.

Forests serve to protect and conserve our other two life-giving resources, soil and water. Under the trees in the forests, there is a thick layer of leaves and pine needles, with decaying matter underneath that. This covering is called humus and acts as a sponge to hold water for the use of the trees, and then the remainder of the water goes to make up our springs and mountain streams. Without the humus and trees, the rain and snow would fall on unprotected earth and would not sink in but would run off, carrying valuable topsoil and causing floods.

For the benefit of the community would prevent loss of rich topsoil and would prevent many of our floods, thus saving us both land and money.

Forests are also valuable as a shelter for wildlife and for keeping the streams clear for fish by holding the soil firm. In my community wildlife is at times used for food, and the furs are valuable.

Forests grow more and more valuable as recreational grounds as cities and towns grow larger. People need places to visit on their vacation and week-ends. After the noise and crowdedness of cities, it is always refreshing to drive through the country or to picnic at some forest park. When we practice forest conservation in my community, we are providing more places for city parks and county forest preserves, more and more highways bordered by trees and flowers and sparkling streams.

Conservation of forests pays well in my community in making it a more beautiful place in which to live. Whenever our land is mis-treated, our community is unattractive. Vacant lots covered with weeds and trash, bare roadsides, and streams used as garbage dumps, are plain unsightly and no one lingers near them.

Beautiful forests seem to have an inspirational quality. Most authors and artists find that they do their best work in the peace and quiet of our forests. Our forests are also of much value to nature lovers and photographers. Our trees in the fall lend beauty to any scene.

Forests are great suppliers of consumer goods. Lumber for building materials, finished wood products, etc. come from our forests. Wood from our forests is made into many useful things such as medicines, chemicals, explosives, plastics, rayon, and other synthetic materials—not to mention the food-nuts, maple syrup, and rubber supplied by our trees.

The forest is an employer of people. It employs many people for its protection, to cut our timber in the correct way without waste, to manufacture our raw materials, and to transport the lumber. Without these tasks, many men in my community would be unemployed.

In a war, our forests are vital for self defense. Our forests are needed for an unlimited number of articles necessary for war. Everyone should consider this seriously.

Conservation is the responsibility of everyone. If everyone in my community would accept his responsibility to conserve our natural resources, especially our forests, we would have no need for officials to enforce our laws for conservations, and my community would be a much better place in which to live. Truly, forest conservation is a gateway to prosperity.

**TURKEY CREEK**

By Ruby Gay Betley

Mr. and Mrs. Brucon Thacker and children were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. Pearl Ellis.

Andy Conley was visiting here this week with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hicks are the parents of a daughter born at Our Lady of the Way hospital. Mrs. Hicks is the former Anna Fay Reynolds. The babe was named Priscilla Jean.

Mrs. Ruby Gay Bentley's long-planned trip to Europe has been cancelled, due to a sudden change of plans of her husband, SP-3 Dennis W. Bentley, who at present is stationed with the army at Hanau, Germany, and will return to the states in November 1957.

Mrs. Toney Terry is home from the hospital.

Angelo Dudley was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday by her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Salisbury. Present were members of both families.

Miss Jewel Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Branham and daughter, Donna, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Salisbury, Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis W. Bentley and brother Bobby Randall, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Lottie Crisp, of Allen. Other guests were Linda, Wanda Lou, and Kay Francis Crisp, Ann Parsons and Mary Bentley.

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6:15 p.m., M. Y. F. (Senior and Intermediate).

7:30 p.m., Evening worship. Sermon topic: "Unto One of the least."

Monday, Jan. 16—  
7:30 p.m., Floyd County M. Y. F. sub-district meeting at Maytown.

Wednesday, Jan. 17—  
3:15 p.m., Wesley choir practice.

7:30 p.m., Weekly prayer meeting.

8:15 p.m., Senior choir practice.

Thursday, Jan. 18—  
1:30 p.m., Circle No. 2, W.S.C.S. meets with Mrs. H. L. Ley.

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3:45 p.m., Cherub choir practice.

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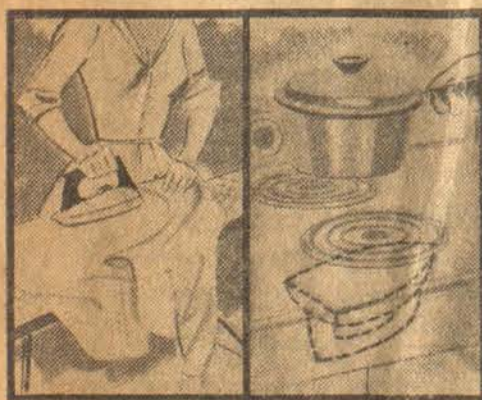
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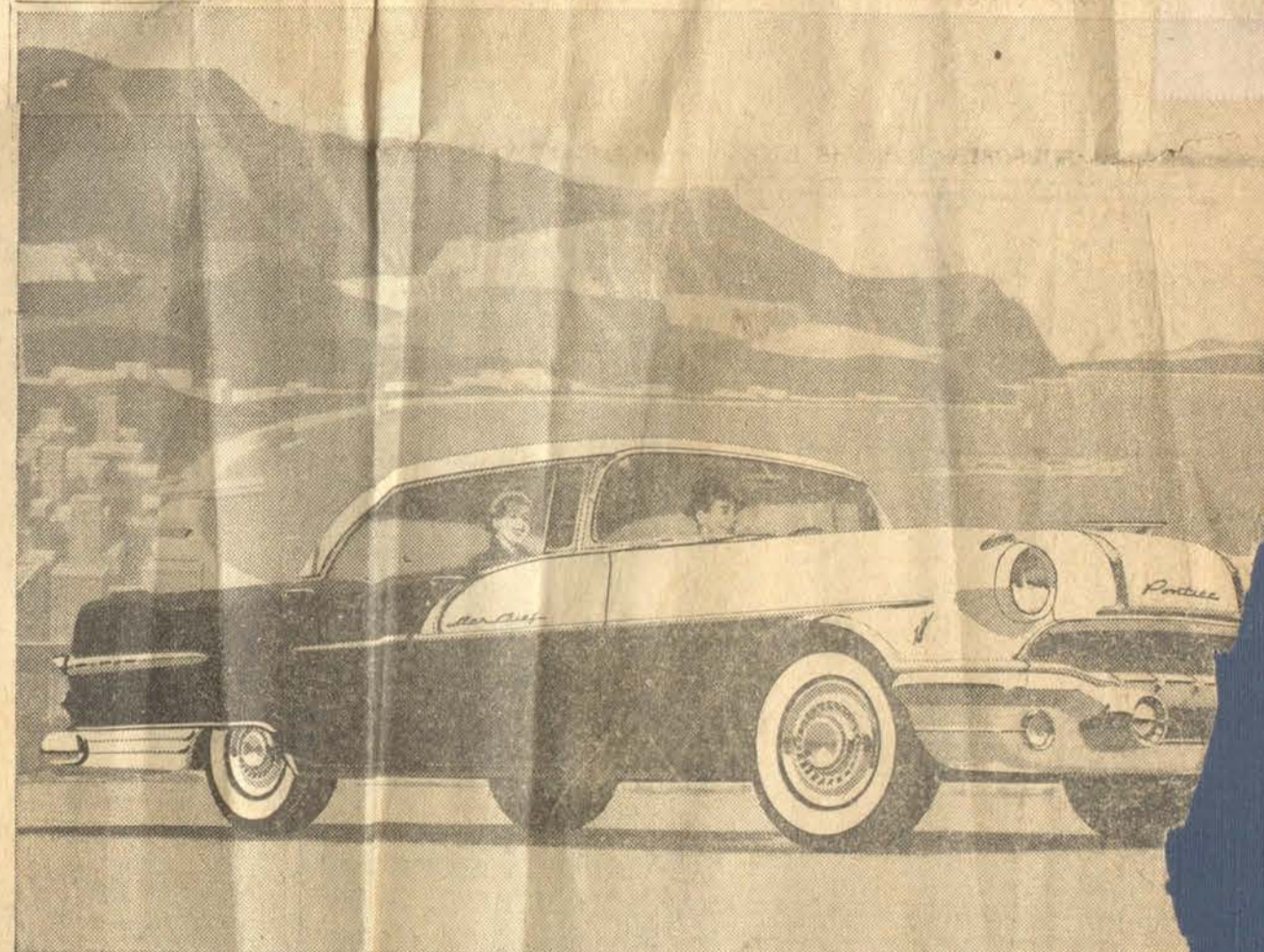
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## Age Increments Frozen Ending Thorough Study

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — Salary increments for state employees used on length of service were "frozen" on orders of the Governor's Cabinet, pending a thorough study of the entire salary situation.

Each individual case is to stand on its own merits, rather than giving employees an automatic increase following a stated length of service. The "freeze" order is mainly applicable in the Executive branch of government, and is not applicable in schools or the State Police department.

The study of salary question will be undertaken by a committee which includes Dr. James W. Marshall, Commissioner of Finance; Director of Economic Security Leo E. Barnes and James E. Tackett, Commissioner of Revenue.

## Internal Revenue Office To Answer Tax Queries

Personnel in the Internal Revenue Service will answer any question that you may have about federal income tax returns. The tax office, however, does not expect taxpayers to cooperate to the extent of actually filling out their returns.

That's the word from William M. Gray, district director of Internal Revenue for the Kentucky district, and he emphasized that agents of the Service will supply any technical assistance necessary.

Mr. Gray pointed out that technical assistance will be given on Fridays at Pikeville post office.

Tax forms and instruction booklets have been mailed to every taxpayer who filed in Kentucky for the year 1954, and forms are also available at most banks and post offices throughout the state. By following the instructions on the tax forms and in the instruction booklets, most taxpayers will be able to prepare their own returns without assistance, Mr. Gray said.

The director estimated that more than 425 Kentuckians will get refunds on their taxes this year. He stressed that tax forms must be complete and legible before proper credit can be given and refunds made. He added that legible returns which are not complete will be sent back to the taxpayers. Mr. Gray emphasized that processing of income tax refunds is automatic and that any refund due is mailed directly to the taxpayer after the processing is completed. You don't have to write about your refund. All you have to do is file a complete and legible return.

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## Eastern Section's Picture Is Brighter

By GERALD GRIFFIN (In The Courier-Journal)

The economic picture of Eastern Kentucky is brighter than it has been in several years.

Business is better generally, more men are employed and bank statements reveal increased deposits. In the main, this improved situation has been brought about by a pronounced upsurge in the coal industry, the life blood of the mountains.

Compared with the last 5 years, coal really is booming in this once economically-stricken area. And as coal goes, so goes prosperity, or the lack of it, throughout most of Eastern Kentucky.

The evidence is visible. Loaded coal trucks heading for tipplers again are seen frequently on mountain roads where such sights have been unusual in recent years. And long trains of loaded coal cars are seen on the railroads.

To quote W. W. Goldsmith, president of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators Association, "The coal situation is rosy and the consensus is that it will remain that way for at least three more years."

Goldsmith, of Charleston, W. Va., can't explain just how it has happened. He is certain, however, that the export of coal to foreign countries—an estimated 45,000,000 tons this year—has been a contributing factor. Then there has been a marked increase in the amount of coal consumed by the big utility plants.

Neither the export coal nor the fuel used in creating electric power has had a direct bearing on coal in the Big Sandy field but, as the operators' president explained, those two factors have relieved the market, thus causing more of a demand for Eastern Kentucky coal, especially in the Harlan, Hazard and Jellico fields. Mines in the McCreary county area are considered to be in the Jellico field, which extends over from Tennessee.

But there also has been a sharp increase in the demand for the by-products coal produced in the Big Sandy field. As this coal is used in steel manufacture, no doubt the increased production of steel has reflected favorably in the Big Sandy area.

Whereas no big new mines have been opened in recent years, Goldsmith explained, older mines have been reactivated and expanded with the employment of additional employees. Then the small truck mines

## "Sixteen Tons Company" To Be Enlisted by Navy

The officer in charge of the U. S. Navy Recruiting station in Ashland announces that a Navy recruit company called the "Sixteen Tons Company" will be enlisted from the area on January 18.

The company, which will carry the name of the song Tennessee Ernie Ford recently made famous, will be sworn into the Navy at the State Capitol in Charleston, W. Va.

Governor Marland of West Virginia will be present at the ceremony and will present the company with an autographed picture of Tennessee Ernie along with an autographed picture of himself.

The 70-man company will depart from Charleston for Bambridge, Md., on Jan. 18 where they will undergo recruit training. The company will remain together throughout their training period.

Men interested in enlisting in the "Sixteen Tons Company" can get full information from the nearest Navy recruiter.

## FASTEST GROWING STATES

Arizona, Delaware, Florida, Nevada and New Mexico are at the top of the list in rate of population growth. The Pacific Coast has slowed down a bit in the past four years and didn't grow quite as fast as it did from 1940 to 1950. Florida, with a gain of 19 per cent, has edged out California, which grew 18 per cent in the past four years. In actual numbers of people, however, California is the leader and its population will probably top even New York state in 1956—The Kiplinger Letter.

## DRIFT

### CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Drift Woman's Club held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Girdle Moore, Dec. 19. Miss Claudia Watson, chairman of the Fine Arts and Spiritual Values department, was in charge of the program, and the story of the song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," was told by Mrs. H. D. Hewlett.

The Rev. George S. Watson, pastor of the Drift Chapel Mission of the Presbyterian Church, was the guest-speaker, and in his talk he told of Christmas customs over the world.

The club members revealed Secret Sisters for the year, and gifts were exchanged. The hostess served refreshments to the following: Mesdames Joe C. Moore, Thelma Hall, Geraldine Ward, Audra T. Hall, Anna Hoffman, Peg Hewlett, Ruth Reed, Jackie Hall, Betty Sue Tackett, Barbara Stumbo, Betty Turner, Isabell Reed, Rebecca Reed, Amy Sue Turner, Irene Turner, Claudia Watson, Ruby Akers, Chadie F. Cochran, Orris Salisbury, Miss Rosemary Moore and the Rev. Watson.

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The baby boom continues, over four million were born during 1955. That means 25 new babies for every 1000 population. The record high was reached in 1947 with 26.6 babies per 1000. During the depression decade of the 30's, the birth rate was 18 per 1000.—The Kiplinger Letter.

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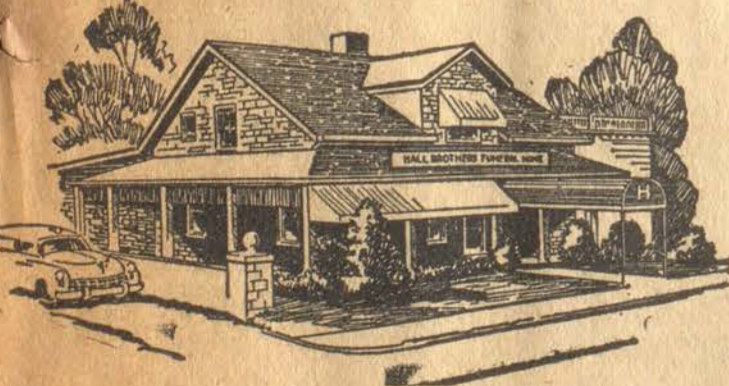
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## Beaver Valley Kiwanis Installs New Officers

Waldo B. Cummins, of Wheelwright, was installed as president of the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club at the organization's annual meeting Monday evening.

Cummins who is a charter member of the Beaver Valley Club, succeeds Cliff J. Aders as president of the service organization. Cummins is general office manager of Inland Steel properties office at Wheelwright.

Also installed at the Jan. 9 meeting were Robert Smith as vice-president, H. M. Wilkinson, Jr., secretary, and Paul Linkous treasurer, all of Wheelwright.

In accepting his new office, Cummins pledged his new administration to a continuation of the community services projects which the club has sponsored in the past in the Left Beaver area.

The new board of directors, installed at the same time, is composed of Ralph Banks, Bobby M. Grimm, Dr. Russell Hall, J. O. Bill Harris, Ralph Moore, H. O. Zimmerman, John M. Stumbo.

## HIGH INCOME GROUP

During the past five years, the \$10,000-and-up income group has grown by 90%. This class, which is economically important, includes the upper middle class, the well-to-do and the so-called rich. But it represents only 7% of the total number of families in the country.—The Kiplinger Letter.

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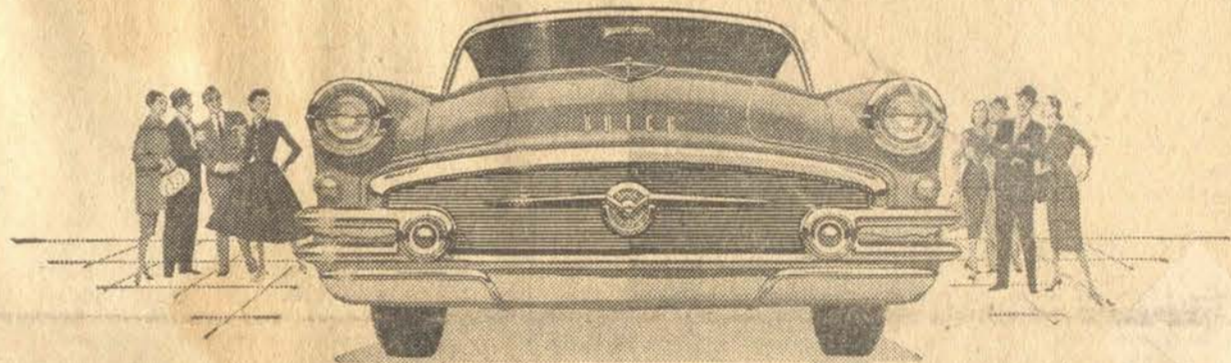
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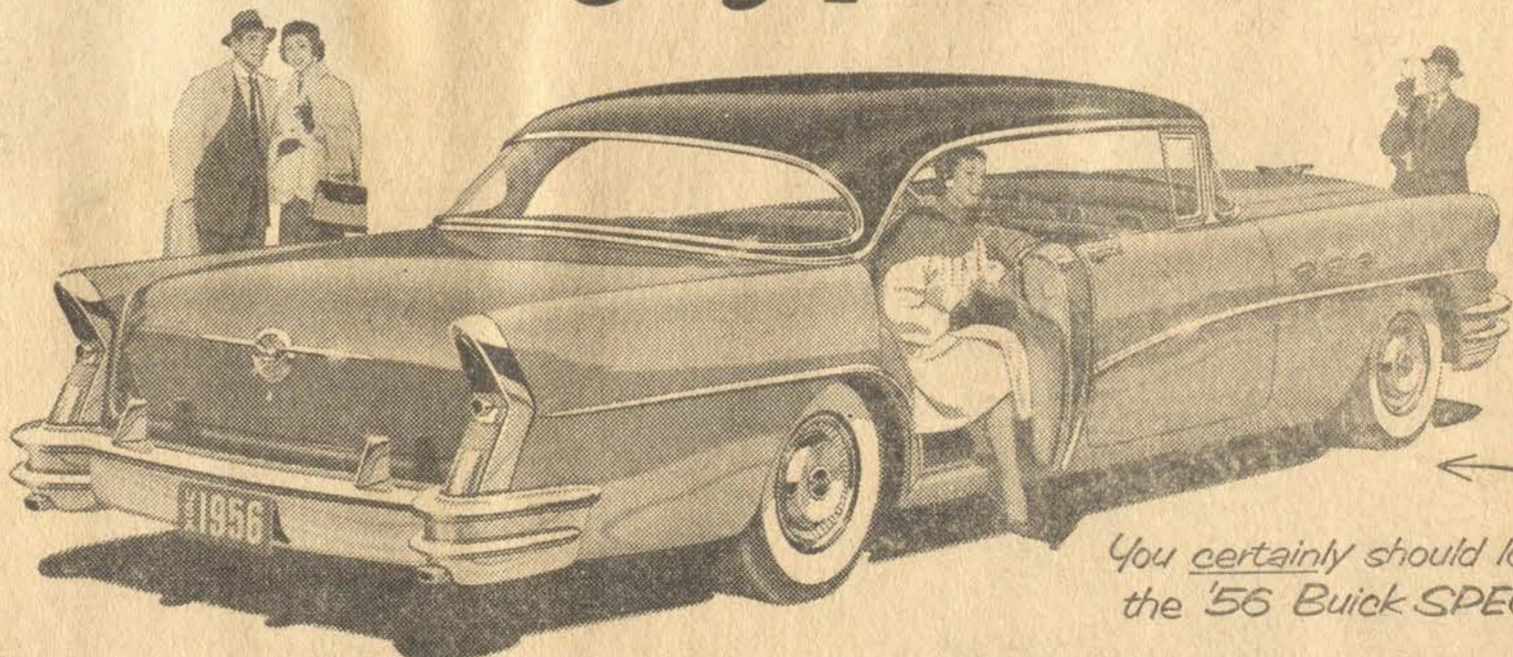
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## BASKETBALL

**FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE**  
Maytown at Wayland.  
Prestonsburg at Betsy Layne.  
McDowell at Auxier.  
Garrett at Elkhorn City.  
Wheelwright at Martin.

**Saturday's Schedule**  
Garrett at Maytown.  
Martin at Hindman.  
Betsy Layne at Wheelwright.

**LAST WEEK'S SCORES**  
Wayland 109, Meade Memorial 63.  
Wayland 87, Elkhorn City 72.  
Lucasville, O., 81, Prestonsburg 71.  
Maytown 78, Oil Springs 67.  
Maytown 75, Johns Creek 62.  
Garrett 79, McDowell 62.  
Wheelwright 84, Auxier 79.  
Betsy Layne 70, Martin 56.  
Martin 73, Salyersville 69.

**58th District Standings**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Betsy Layne	14	1	.933
Wayland	15	4	.784
Wheelwright	13	4	.764
Auxier	9	5	.642
Martin	10	8	.555
Garrett	8	9	.470
Maytown	6	7	.431
Prestonsburg	4	6	.400
McDowell	2	10	.166

**LEADING OFFENSIVE TEAMS**

Team	G.	Tl.	Avg.
Wayland	17	1422	83.6
Wheelwright	16	1283	80.1
Betsy Layne	14	1120	80.0
Feds Creek	10	734	78.4
Flat Gap	10	1161	77.3
Paintsville	8	610	76.2
Prestonsburg	10	735	73.5

**INDIVIDUAL SCORERS**

K. Coleman, Wayland	17	760	44.7
L. Hughes, P'burg	10	400	40.0
L. J. Adams, Van Lear	10	346	34.6
C. Osborne, Flat Gap	14	432	30.8
D. Thompson, Martin	18	448	24.9

**REGIONAL RATINGS**

1. Betsy Layne	96
2. Paintsville	95
3. Wayland	94
4. Wheelwright	94
5. Flat Gap	92
6. Feds Creek	91
7. Auxier	89
8. Pikeville	88
Martin	87
Oil Springs	86
Meade Memorial	85
Prestonsburg	84
Maytown	84
Garrett	84
Elkhorn City	83
Hindman	82
Lucasville	80
Johns Creek	80
Van Lear	79
Morgan County	77
Johns Creek	75
Louisia	72
McDowell	69
Blaine	65
Ezel	63
Dorton	62
Phelps	60
Sandy Hook	59
Heller	50

### Reporting Is Abandoned By State In Collecting Tax On Distilled Spirits

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — The State Department of Revenue reported today that it has abandoned the system of tax stamps fixed to every bottle of distilled spirits and wine in Kentucky. The department said it has abandoned the recently ordered stamping system by distilleries to save this tax liability.

Commissioner of Revenue James H. McMillin said he considered restoration of the stamp system to "protect the State's revenue" but thus scrapped an idea which his predecessor, Robert H. McMillin, had discarded the original stamp program in favor of the reporting system. Commissioner McMillin said he also urged the stamp program be returned as an aid to "enforcement" and "control."

Litigation recently established that the State's revenue from this source fell \$600,000 in a three-month period, following abandonment of the "stamp" system.

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## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

### REGIONAL RATINGS

The first ratings of the high school basketball teams in the 15th region appear elsewhere on this page. We suggest that you keep the family savings in the bank and not use these ratings as a basis for settling differences of opinion by wager.

### NO FISH—SO HELP ME (Sez Moore)

Ten witnesses, namely, Mr. and Mrs. Town Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Elliott and son, Forrest, along with Johnny Hall, Frank Heinze and J. Thurman Hughes will uphold the veracity of statement that yours truly did not catch any fish while vacationing in Florida. The weatherman (note: Miami Chamber of Commerce) eliminate any opportunity that we might have had to disprove the doubts of our sports-minded editor and others.

### BLEVINS INJURED

Betsy Layne's fine basketball team suffered a severe blow last Wednesday when its leading scorer and star junior center, Charles Blevins, suffered a broken collar bone in practice. He is recuperating in the Pikeville Methodist hospital, and it is highly doubtful if he will be able to play any more this season.

### DISTRICT OFFICIALS NAMED

Milford "Toodles" Wells, Prestonsburg, and Charles "Greasy" Hughes, Garrett, have been selected to officiate the 58th district basketball tournament at McDowell high school, February 26, 29 and March 1, 2, 3. The drawings for the annual play-off will be held one-week prior to the tournament.

### WALLACE LEADS

Grady Wallace, former Betsy Layne and Pikeville College cage star, is currently the leading scorer on the South Carolina University basketball team.

### DAMRON TRIUMPHS

Lucasville, Ohio, tutored by ex-Prestonsburg mentor, William Damron, stopped Prestonsburg, 81-71, on their home floor, last Saturday night. However, the Ohio five failed to stop the scoring of Lowell Hughes as he tabbed 37 points.

### PAINTSVILLE TOURNAMENT

Four Floyd county teams, Wheelwright, Prestonsburg, Betsy Layne and Martin, will vie in the fifth annual tournament that opens in Paintsville, next Wednesday night.

### Pvt. Robinson Graduated From Fort Lee, Va., School

FORT LEE, Va. — Pvt. Denver Robinson, 18, son of Joseph Robinson, of Wheelwright, Ky., recently was graduated from the clothing and textile repair course at the Quartermaster School, Fort Lee, Va.

In the eight-week course, Pvt. Robinson was trained to alter and repair individual clothing, light textile items and synthetic rubber raincoats.

Before entering the army last July, he worked for the Brethren Nursing Home in Port Huron, Mich.

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## Three 15th Region Teams Add Up Impressive Wins

Paintsville, Wayland and Flat Gap added impressive wins on the 15th region cage front over the past week-end and uncanny-scoring Kelly Coleman tallied 90 points in two games to up his season's output to 760 points.

Jim Wheeler's Paintsville Tigers turned back Pikeville, 71-61, Friday night for their seventh win against one setback. The speedy Tigers raced to a first period 25-19 lead and stayed in front throughout the fray.

Guard Phillip Estep pitched in 23 points, Byron Hall, 17, and Franklin Kennard, who returned to the starting line-up after a two-month absence, registered 14 for the victors. Guard Tommy Adkins paced the Pike countyians with 22 and H. L. Justice added 14.

Feds Creek, the surprise of the 57th district, fell before rangy Flat Gap, 80-72, as six-foot five-inch Charles Osborne, chalked up 32 markers for the Johnson county school. The loss was the second for the Johnson county school. The W. S. Risner's Feds Creekers in 10 games.

The free-scoring Wayland Wasps racked up their 13th triumph in downing Elkhorn City, 97-82, as the Blonde-Bomber, Kelly Colemaa, threw in 40 points, although he had four personal fouls levied against him in the second period. Coleman had hit for 50 on Tuesday night. Paul Bartley and Carl Looney hit 25 and 20, respectively, for Arthur Mullins' crew.

Betsy Layne, the winningest team in the region pisted Martin 70-56, and Hells, on Saturday night for their 17th and 14th victories. Playing without the services of 6-4 center, Charles Blevins, who broke his collarbone in practice last Wednesday, Betsy Layne had easy sailing in both games. Blevins will be out for the season. The operation on his shoulder required two hours.

Wheelwright bounced Auxier, 84-78, Friday night as forward Chet Curry scored 29, guard Homer Osborne 26, and center Otis Newsome 11. Paul Sester blazed the nets for 27 for the losing Hornets. Saturday night, the Maroons bowed to Pikeville in a 17-point loss.

Senior Guard Everett Varney hooped 39 markers as he sparked the Betsy Pirates to a 79-73 win over rival Dorton.

In other games around the region, Maytown added two victories, by taking Oil Springs 78-67 and Johns Creek 75-62. Martin edged Salyersville, 75-69 and Inez bowed to Louisville Manual 66-48.

Eleven games are on the card for Tuesday night with a doubleheader set at Paintsville. Prestonsburg vies with Hazard in one fray and Paintsville squares off in the other with Oil Springs. Wednesday night, on the same floor, Pikeville tangles with Flat Gap.

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## SPORTS AFIELD

By TED KESTING

Rabbit doesn't taste like the finest chicken — exactly. But it's close enough to excite a comparison which generally comes out with the rabbit leading by a "hare" (This dreadful pun, as well as the recipes that follow, are through the courtesy of out-door writer Erwin Bauer). Be that as it may, there are probably more recipes for cooking rabbit than any other kind of game. Here are two of my favorites:

**Fried Rabbit**—Parboil a pair of quartered rabbits in water containing two tablespoons of salt, a quarter cup of white vinegar, several whole black peppers and a large chopped onion. Right there is the secret; parboiling is the difference between this and ordinary fried rabbit.

Remove and dry the pieces; dip in flour, sprinkle with pepper, and fry in hot fat until tender. It's as quick and easy as that. Serve with cornbread and green beans.

**Rabbit Pie**—Place two jointed rabbits in a stewpan with a half a cup of water. Add salt, pepper, a generous amount of minced parsley, a large chopped onion, three cloves, four chopped stuffed olives and a half pound of diced salt pork. Boil the mixture until the rabbit is tender. Thicken with browned flour and, if necessary, add a little water. Let it boil again and add a half cup of butter.

Remove from the fire and bone pieces of rabbit. Mix in three or four diced, boiled potatoes and two or three diced, boiled carrots. Put the whole works in a baking dish lined with pie crust and cover with another crust. Cut several slits in the top crust to allow steam to escape. Bake until the crust is crisp.

## New Racing Commission Named By Gov. Chandler

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — A new Racing Commission was named by Governor Chandler to succeed the five members who resigned earlier in the week.

Heading the list of appointees was Leslie Combs, II, Lexington, head of the syndicate which paid more than \$1,250,000 for Nashua two weeks ago. Others named were Frazer LeBus, Lexington and Cynthia; Sam Look, Lexington, Catesby Clay, Paris, and C. H. Kirchdorfer, Louisville, all of whom have been active in the racing world.

## Teachers May Drive School Buses, Ruled

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — Kentucky school teachers also may serve as school bus drivers, provided the duties of one do not interfere with those of the other, it was ruled by Assistant Attorney General W. Keller in an opinion to L. D. Estep, Jamboree.

Only qualification drawn by Keller was that the combined salaries from the two positions not exceed \$7,200 a year—the constitutional limit.

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## Pfc. Roberts Playing Basketball In Alaska

Ladd Air Force Base, Alaska — Pfc. William W. Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ranel Roberts, of Harold, Ky., is playing basketball in Alaska with the 93d Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion team.

Pfc. Roberts, a radio operator in Battery C, entered the army in August, 1954, and received basic training at Fort Bliss, Tex. He arrived in Alaska in January, 1955.

The 21-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Betsy Layne high school.

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Knott county strawberry yields: Ben Adams, 550 gallons from a half-acre; Lawrence Williams, 300 gallons from a quarter-acre, and John West, nearly 500 gallons from a quarter-acre.

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### Gannon Succeeds Chinn On Strip Mine Commission

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — Paul P. Ganno, Nortonville, was named Director of the Strip Mining and Reclamation Commission to succeed Orville W. Chinn, who resigned to accept federal employment, it was announced by Commissioner of Conservation Laban P. Jackson. The Commission was established in 1954 following a four year battle.

Use of the right kind of fertilizer at the right time quadrupled strawberry yields in Martin county.

### Master Commissioner's Sale

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

J. Bert Layne, Et Als ..... Plaintiff,  
Vs.: NOTICE OF SALE  
James S. Layne, Et Als ..... Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the April term, 1955, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of January 1956, 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 on the George Lewis Fork of Mare Creek of Big Sandy River, in Floyd county, Kentucky, bounded on the North by the lands of M. S. Layne heirs; on the East by lands of M. H. Nunberry and Ike Davis; on the South by the lands of Ben Maynard, Nora Maynard and Shuler Cecil; on the west by R. E. Stanley heirs, containing 300 acres, more or less.

The surface of said property will be sold separately from the minerals, and the coal will be sold separately from other minerals.

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### Knights Appointed Publicity Associate

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 9 (Sp) — W. L. Knight, 45, active in the hotel management field for a number of years before becoming associated with state government in 1950, today was named associate director of Publicity by C. M. Pedley, director of the Division.

A native of Fairmont, W. Va., Knight came to Kentucky in 1941 when he became manager of the Ritz Hotel, Paducah, a position he held until 1946. He then became executive assistant manager of the Congress and Roosevelt hotels in St. Louis from 1946 to 1950.

Knight joined the state in March, 1950 as superintendent of Kentucky Dam Village, Gilbertsville; became assistant director of the Division of Parks in October, 1952 until 1954, when he was transferred to the Division of Publicity as assistant director. He held this post until December 1, 1955, resigning to enter the sales promotion field for a Lexington hotel.

Before coming to Kentucky, he was associated in radio and advertising fields in West Virginia.

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### ALLEN

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting in the church Thursday night, with Mrs. Peggy Sexton as hostess. Mrs. Tincy Crisp, the president, presided with Mrs. Nancy Louder, the program chairman, in charge of the worship program. The subject was, "The Changeless Gospel in a Revolutionary Age." Taking part were Maude Snodgrass, Iva Carr, Virginia Lushbaugh, Nancy Louder, Tincy Crisp, Edna Mae Callison, Flora Gray, Peggy Sexton, Euna Laven, Mrs. Lushbaugh was pianist.

During the business session plans were made to observe the World Day of Prayer, Feb. 17. Also planned is a study course, "to combine our Efforts for a Lasting Peace", which will be a church-wide study, with the pastor, the Rev. John P. Carr, in charge. This will be on the regular prayer service night. Mrs. Sexton, assisted by Mrs. Louder, served refreshments in the church dining room to Rev. and Mrs. John P. Carr, Mesdames Edna Mae Callison, Euna Williams, Euna Lavens, Virginia Lushbaugh, Tincy Crisp, Maude Snodgrass, Flora Gray, Pearl Kinzer, Bill Sexton, and a guest, Mrs. Grace Bryant, of Hinton, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, attended the basketball game between Prestonsburg high school and Lucasville (O.) high school Saturday night.

Jack Gray and children, Dallas, Ramona and Butch, of Walbridge, Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray Saturday afternoon. They were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh, of Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakie Wilson, of Lexington, spent last week here with Mrs. Julia Osborn and Mrs. Audrey Martin, and with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilson, in Martin.

Ed Austin, of Louisville, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kane.

Miss Judy Howard, of Prestonsburg, was visiting Miss Klora Lafferty, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Potter, of Paintsville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Tuesday.

Mrs. Olga Preston and son, John David, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett and son, Stevie, visited relatives near Huntington, Sunday.

A 3c Tom Porter has returned to an Air Force base after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Porter.

A 2c Jimmy Lafferty arrived here Thursday for a 4-day visit with his mother, Mrs. Goldia Lafferty. He is stationed in Massachusetts. Mrs. Lafferty had as other guests, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Lafferty and son, of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lafferty, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lafferty and children, of Inez.

A 2c Billy Holbrook left Tuesday for an Air Force base at Myrtle Beach, S. C., after spending Christmas and New Year's here with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. George Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore in Louisa, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cecil Porter of Michigan, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter and relatives at Prestonsburg over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett and son Stevie left Monday for their home at Richmond, Ky., spending the holidays here with Mrs. Brackett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston. Mrs. Preston and son, John David, accompanied them there. Another daughter, Mikell, accompanied them to Lexington where she is a student at the University of Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lafferty spent Saturday in Pikeville where Mr. Lafferty consulted a heart specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Malone left last week for Florida to spend the next few weeks. Their son, Cade, Billy Pat Malone, is also there as a student of Kentucky Military Institute.

Roy Key has been seriously ill the past week in the Beaver Valley hospital. He is reported slightly improved.

Mrs. Grace Bryant, of Hinton, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh, of Dwaile, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lushbaugh and daughter, Susan, accompanied her to Ashland Saturday on her return trip. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeMaster and children.

A 1c and Mrs. Eisel Salyers left last week for an Air Force base in Topeka, Kan., after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyers, of Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Baisden, of Dwaile. Airman Salyers has just finished study in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Laven and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crum attended the Masonic banquet in Prestonsburg, Saturday night.

Bill Sexton was a business visitor in Pittsburgh, last week. Mrs. Sexton and children, Pam and Jimmy, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sexton's parents in Louisa, and met Mr. Sexton at the airport in Huntington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Allen had as their guest recently his sister from Georgia. They had not met for 17 years.

### PEOPLE ARE MOVING LESS

Since World War II, shifting from state to state and place to place has lessened progressively. In the past year only five million people moved from one state to another, 128 million stayed put... same home, same city.—The Kiplinger Letter.

### Turner Writes Teachers Of Ranking System Set By Recent Legislation

County Superintendent V. O. Turner was concerned this week over the ranking of teachers under the Minimum Foundation Law next year and wrote all Floyd county teachers, suggesting they take steps to insure that their certificate status would not penalize them.

"For salary purposes the new school law classifies teachers in Rank I to Rank VII depending upon the number of hours the teacher has, and whether or not that same teacher holds a valid certificate," Turner wrote the teachers.

"Consequently we thought it important to you to know that under Ky. Rev. Statute 157.390 teachers are placed in Rank V who hold a certificate based on sixty-five to ninety-six semester hours of college training or the equivalent; provided, however, that persons holding emergency certificates shall not be classified higher than this rank.

"In other words if you hold an emergency certificate, even though you have a Ph. D. degree you would receive the same salary as a teacher with a regular certificate based on sixty-five to ninety-six semester hours of college training. Thus, failure to have a certificate, other than an emergency, could reduce you from rank I to rank V in salary."

### Holbrook-Vanderpool Marriage Announced

Miss Bobby Jean Holbrook and Mr. Glen Gene Vanderpool, of Chelsea, Michigan, were united in marriage Saturday night at the home of the Methodist pastor, the Rev. John P. Carr, of Martin. The single-ring ceremony was performed in the presence of a few close friends and relatives. Their attendants were:

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, uncle and aunt of the bride.

Mrs. Vanderpool attended Floyd county schools and made her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier, of Allen.

Mr. Vanderpool attended school in Salyersville and spent four years in army service. They left Sunday for Chelsea where each is employed, and will make their home there. Attending the wedding from Allen other than Mr. and Mrs. Louder was Mrs. Josie Frazier.

### System of Commitments Of Mental Cases Changed

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2 — Commitments to mental institutions must be according to circuit court procedure, with a 12-man jury rather than a six-man panel as in the county court, in operation, Assistant Attorney General Earle V. Powell advised the Department of Welfare. However, he pointed out that the county judge could preside over such a proceeding during the absence from the county of the regular circuit judge.

### MARRIAGE BOOM AHEAD

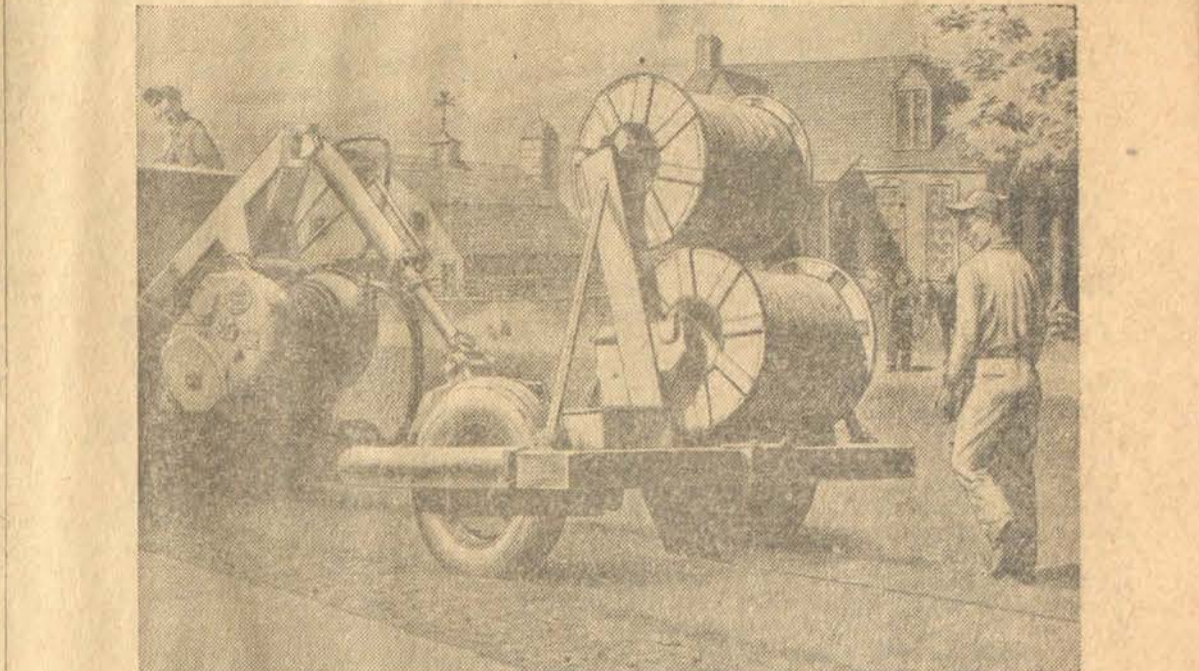
Only 1.5 million marriages occurred in 1955, as compared with 2.3 million in postwar 1948. But by 1960 there will be a new wave of marriages resulting from the boom in births in the 40's. About 2 million a year.—The Kiplinger Letter.

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## Hazard Plant Planned To Process Strawberries

Hazard, Ky., Jan. 9 — Plans to construct a strawberry-processing plant to serve a seven-county area were disclosed here today.

Announcement of the construction plans was made after a meeting of strawberry growers from Perry, Knott, and Letcher counties. They formed the Upper Kentucky River Strawberry Association.

Elmer Eversole, a teacher at Hazard high school, will operate the plant. He said the plant would provide about \$500,000 in added income to growers of the area by setting a local market for them.

Eversole, who has been promoting the plant in co-operation with the Perry County Development Association, said he would go ahead with its construction after he has received pledges from members of the strawberry association that they would market their berries here.

He said growers in Leslie, Breathitt, Floyd, and Owsley counties also would be served by the plant and that they are eligible to become members of the association.

It will be the first such plant here, although farmers for the past several years have been growing strawberries for the commercial market.

Eversole said the plant would have a capacity to handle 1,000 acres of berries.

He said the operation may also attract smaller industries, including those dealing in woodwork, insecticides and possibly fertilizer.

County Agent Paul Keen said Perry county now has about 80 acres of strawberries under cultivation and that it was expected to be increased by an additional 150 acres this year as a result of the new plant.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday of last week at Water Gap for Mrs. Tenie Davis, 59, of Louisa, who died Dec. 29 at home of a heart attack. She was a native of this county but had resided in Lawrence county for 15 years.

Mrs. Davis was a daughter of the late Joe and Mary Belle Calhoun Wallen, of the Bull Creek section, and the widow of Charlie Davis, her second husband, who preceded her in death in 1943. Her son, Curtis Sizemore, was the first World War II Marine to be returned to the United States for burial. Mrs. Davis was a member of the Freewill Baptist church.

Surviving are two sons and a daughter: Thomas C. Sizemore, and Joe W. Sizemore, both of Louisa, and Mrs. Charlie York, Long Beach, Calif. Surviving are the following brothers and a sister: Sam and Lee Wallen, both of Wheelwright, Scott Wallen, of Lancer, and Mrs. Jack Boccchio, San Fernando, Calif. Three grandchildren also survive.

Revs. Willie Moore and Gallie Isaac officiated at the funeral services and burial was made in the Sizemore cemetery on Bull Creek.

## Sara Jane Adams, 81, Succumbs at Residence At Virgie This Week

Mrs. Sara Jane Adams, 81, of Meta, died Sunday at her home. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at the Meta Church of Christ by George Gross. Burial was in Howard cemetery at Mayflower, Ky. Survivors include the husband, David Adams; six sons, J. D., of Martin, Luther, of Ashland, Delmon and Ferrell, of Zebulon, Lucien, of Detroit, and Clinton, of Meta; three daughters, Mrs. Mamie Oney, of Huntington, Mrs. Elizabeth McKinney and Mrs. Garnet Davis, of Detroit.

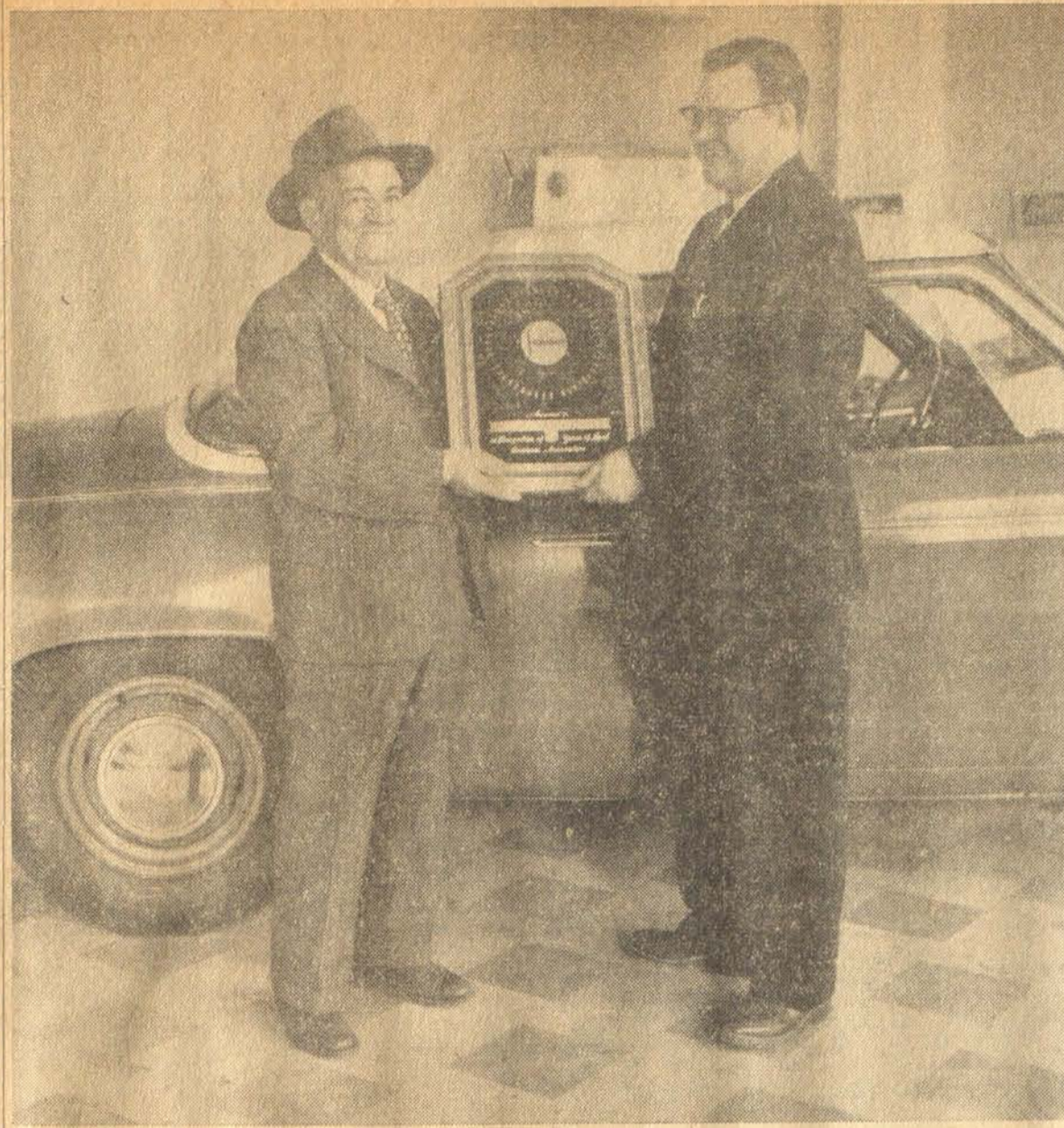
Gov. Marland, of West Virginia calls attention to the state's nation-leading coal production by passing out to business friends cuff links carrying dime-size bits of coal.

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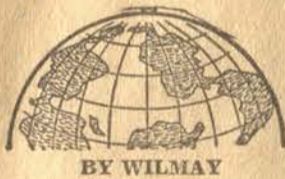
We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us upon the passing of our dear father and husband, George Ratliff, and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal service; especially to the ministers for their consoling words and the Baker Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

Mrs. George Ratliff and Children.

## AUTO DEALER HERE AWARDED PLAQUE



A. C. Carter, veteran Prestonsburg automobile dealer, is here shown receiving from Edw. Bozaman, district Studebaker Motor Company sales manager, a plaque for 10 years' loyal service and cooperation as a Studebaker dealer.



IT'S A GOOD WORLD

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

And the Courier-Journal picture of the Rev. O. P. Smith playing Santa to four counties proved it. Many recalled his nine years as pastor on Right Beaver, where everyone in Maytown grew accustomed to seeing him busy in loving service for others. Like Billy Graham, Bro. Smith was always deeply concerned with the problems of those around him.

Couldn't you just picture Charlotte Martin's face when she read that the Retarded Children's School in Martin would get \$4,500 this year? While several did much to make possible the newest project in Floyd county, Mrs. Martin conceived the idea and did not rest till prayer and effort brought it to fruition. Page that lady! She has enough ideas to put every man and woman in the county to work in spare time. May Floyd county have more like her.

A famous writer has said that every movement has someone at its center. Mary Lou Layne thought a Council of Church Women could do much for the county. Brother McMillin visualized many missions from his marvelous church. Wayne Ratliff foresaw what an Alumni Association could do for Caney Creek College, which Jarvis Allen longed to see endowed. Rev. Harold Black pictured the influence of an Alcoholic Anonymous program, that ultimately gave Floyd county some wonderful Christian laymen. Regina Roberts imagined her county free from deaths by T. B. She has seen the deaths drop from 35 to 3, in four short years. Mountain Clark wanted Cumberland Field Survey and a new Health Center for his county. It is easy to see why his department is one of the top five in the state, for his co-workers share his love of enthusiasm and service to humanity. Give Floyd county more people of vision like these.

Mrs. Ray Howard made a pertinent remark not long ago when she said, "We can do so much for our community and county, without spending a single penny. There are multitudes of things that can be done towards community progress, that do not require a dime." Hers is the spirit it takes.

How many of us realize that when Governor Chandler's survey is made in Eastern Kentucky the outcome will depend more on us than on what outsiders say or do? What kind of reception will they receive? If they cite unpleasant conditions or facts, will they be swamped with indignant letters from irate citizens, who denounced Dean Welch of U. K. for having told Congress about the ignorance and low standards of living among the needy here. Sometimes all of us admit there is a crucial need for help but simultaneously a few deny the very conditions that create the need we want remedied.

When such leaders are critical they do not mean it to apply to any except the ones it does describe. Instead of complaining, the rest of us should be doing something about it ourselves. When this new survey is made, will scores of interested citizens attend meetings and show genuine concern over the problems of the underprivileged, who are suffering most from lack of employ-

ment, etc., or will only a handful of overworked leaders, who have struggled almost in vain for years, appear and respond?

Walter Koch, of the Chamber of Commerce, said in The Courier-Journal that the community development associations in the Big Sandy Valley had died on the vine, not from the lack of leadership but due to the lack of cooperation by the people. Earlier, Bruce Walters, of Pikeville, had said failure to attract industries here must be attributed to a lack on the part of the people themselves, not outside factors. Neither referred to whom are interested in the welfare of the needy and the section, but only to the unconcerned.

If industry does come to select a site, will pull and pressure be exerted to get it to locate elsewhere, till leaders give up in despair, as occurred when a hospital was sought for the county? Will they find utter lack of cooperation as some did when Floyd county lost a teachers College to Morehead? There is no joy in calling attention to such sad aspects, but solution of problems, with or without help, is impossible till more understand factors responsible for past failures, and prevent a repetition in the future.

## BETSY LAYNE

### CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club held its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Edward Lykins. Miss Alice Williams, president, presided over a short business session at which correspondence was presented that she had received during the past month. A thank-you letter for the club's donation toward the Veterans' Christmas project was read. Announcement of the mid-winter Board meeting was made. A letter from the Seventy-third district governor, Mrs. C. K. Stacy, in which she urged all club members to join in a "Christmas for Christ" campaign, was read.

Mrs. Beecher Hardwick was in charge of the social hour. Several games were played, with Mrs. O. J. Williams, Mrs. Edward Lykins and Mrs. T. D. Salisbury winning prizes. The door prize was won by Mrs. Edward Lykins. Christmas carols were played on the piano by the hostess' daughter, Miss Patricia Lykins. Numbers were drawn for the gift exchange.

A salad-dessert course was served to the following: Mesdames Elizabeth Pritchard, Alex Davis, Beecher Hardwick, T. D. Salisbury, Wm. Humphrey, Glenn Blackburn, O. J. Williams, Miss Alice Williams, and the hostess, Mrs. Edward Lykins, and Miss Patricia Lykins.

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## DWALE

Paul Burchell, who is employed in Newark, N. J., is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidgel Burchell, of Van Lear and his sister, Janice Thomas, of Dwale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ray Fain and Carneadus Stone, of Columbus, O., are visiting their parents, Mrs. Ida Stone, of Dwale.

Harris Blair, who is employed in Cincinnati, is home visiting his wife, Loretta Blair.

Miss Emma E. Thomas spent the week with her sister, Mrs. William McGuire, of Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. McGuire accompanied her home.

Miss Shelby J. Burchell, of Van Lear, spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Janice Thomas and was accompanied home by her parents. Mrs. Janice Thomas and daughters, Terry and Debbie returned home Monday after spending three weeks with her parents at Van Lear.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Akers returned home this week after visiting their daughter in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Janice Thomas entertained several friends in her home, New Year's Eve. Games were played and refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Mrs. Sabra Akers, Mrs. Jo Ann Jones, Mrs. Miles Thomas, Mrs. Feby Sexton, Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh, Mrs. Anna B. DeRossett.

## Father of Weeksbury Woman Dies Last Week; Last Rites Held at Meta

Keene Ferrell Harmon, 88 years old, died Sunday at his home at Virgie. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday under the direction of the Baker Funeral Home at Pikeville. Burial will be in the family cemetery at Virgie.

He was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church and a former employe of the Elkhorn Coal Co. Survivors include one son, John H. Harmon, of Virgie; three daughters, Mrs. Lizzie Ray, of Weeksbury, Mrs. Julia Milam and Mrs. Greta Milam, of Virgie.

More than 50 per cent of the electric power produced by 13 electric utilities in New Jersey in 1954 was generated in steam-fired plants.

## Mother of Floyd Woman Succumbs in Pike County; Burial Made at Zebulon

Emma Charles Syck, 75 years old, died Saturday at her home at Zebulon. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at the residence. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Zebulon.

She had been a resident of Zebulon for 38 years. Survivors include the husband, Jacob Syck; two sons, Thomas Syck, of Zebulon, and Dean Syck, of Goody; three step-sons, Oscar, Joe and W. R. Syck, of Zebulon; two daughters, Mrs. Marilyn Ropp, of Weeksbury, and Mrs. Betty Gullett, of Pikeville.

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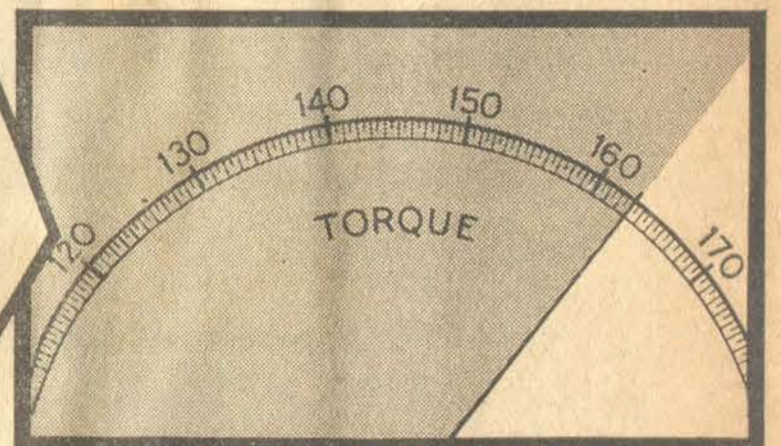
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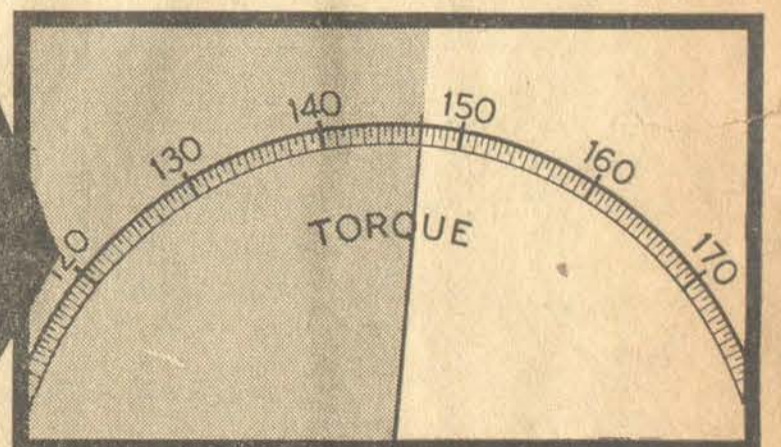
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