

THURSDAY

## This Town— That World

Yea, Wayland!

### VOTE OF THANKS

All Floyd county owes Wayland high school a rousing vote of thanks. And not simply because Kelly Coleman & Co. are representing the county in great style, athletically, either. We all should be grateful to the team and the school because in them good, old Floyd, beset by dissensions, jealousies, dark stratagems, etcetera, finds something on which we can all agree and be in unity for once in a lifetime. And if that isn't something, I'll take on the job of guarding Kelly Coleman myself.

### MR. WELLS

It pleases us, no end, to find "Toodies" Wells one of the referees at the state tournament. Despite all Pikeville criticism, the kid must be good. My knowledge of basketball refereeing is what you might call nil. I tried it on one occasion, had no trouble with the fans, for there were none, but one of the players seized upon the first board hands and had at me for one of my calls. For this reason I am not in position to say if a referee is right or wrong, though, like most, I may say so anyhow.

One thing I can say, however: The rotund Mr. Wells may have erred on occasion, but not of malice aforethought, and certainly not out of fear of either or both teams, their coaches and fans.

Pikeville should remember that it was this same "Toodies" Wells who ejected "King Kelly" Coleman from a basketball game this year—an act he knew would not make him a popularly contested winner at Wayland.

Maybe they ought to let the opposing coaches referee the games, and then call time out, every minute or so, for a free-for-all and a chance to remove from the floor the wounded and dying.

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## SEEK STUMBO ON 3 COUNTS

### Policeman at Martin Says Prisoner Evaded Jail by Gun Threat

Floyd officers said Wednesday that Grover Stumbo, Jr., of Minnie, is a fugitive sought on three warrants after he allegedly took at gun's point two half-pints of whiskey and forced his escape from Policeman Herschell Lester Tuesday afternoon after officers had arrested Stumbo and two others.

Stumbo later was brought to Prestonsburg by his father, then disappeared while County Judge Henry Stumbo was taking the affidavit of Policeman Lester late Tuesday afternoon and issuing warrants for the young man's arrest. He had not been found, early Wednesday night.

The warrants name Stumbo on counts of reckless use of a deadly weapon, armed robbery and drunkenness.

Policeman Lester in his affidavit stated that he arrested Stumbo, Elmer Hall and Garner Halbert and took a half-pint of red whiskey from each, Stumbo and Hall. He then got in Stumbo's car with the three others and started to jail with them. At the upper traffic light in Martin where he was to make a right-hand turn toward the jail Stumbo told him to drive straight on and not turn to the right. Lester turned his head and saw Stumbo with a gun cocked at the back of his head, the statement continues. Lester quoted Stumbo as telling him to do what he said or he would blow his brains out. He drove on.

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## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Billie H. Harkins, gdn., etc. vs. Joseph D. Harkins, III, et al.; Paul C. Combs, atty. Gillis Conn vs. Ruth Conn; W. W. Burchett, atty. Estill Spears vs. Marie Spears; W. W. Burchett, atty. William M. Cook vs. Inland Steel Co., et al.; C. W. Napier, Jr., atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

John F. Billips, 28, Martin, and Emma Grace Quillen, 26, McDowell, Donna Sparks, 37, Burning Fork, Ky., and Myrtle Kilgore, 17, Blue River. Ralph E. Hopkins, 20, Louisville, and Janet Howes, 18, Louisville. Ellis Jervis, 26, and Rosalie Endicott, 18, both of Endicott.

## COURT ASKS REAPPRAISAL AID BY STATE

### Assessment Equalization, Not Tax Increase, Is Aim, Ballard Says at Meeting

The Floyd fiscal court this week petitioned the State Revenue Department to make an equalization of the county's property assessments, with the state bearing most of the cost.

The court's unanimous vote to ask state help on the job followed a meeting of its members Tuesday afternoon with Edw. Ballard, of the Revenue Department staff.

Mr. Ballard explained that reappraisal of property values would not mean that the overall tax base would be raised and that the total assessment would be increased only by the finding of omitted property and of new buildings. "It is physically impossible," he said, "for a Tax Commissioner to see every piece of property in a county and to put a valuation on each item."

He emphasized the point that the law authorizing such reappraisals provides that reappraisal shall not be a subterfuge to increase taxes. Necessity of reappraisal has become apparent in many counties of inequalities in taxation, with some property-owners listing their holdings at high values and others low, and many not listing at all. Because of these and other facts, he pointed out, all property-owners are not paying taxes on the same basis.

Mr. Ballard estimated that the overall cost of a reappraisal in this county would cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000 and would require a year's work. He did not attempt to make an estimate of the cost to Floyd county, but it was said later that the county's part of the expense will not be more than \$1,000 to \$2,000.

County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner was called into the conference, and he agreed with the court that equalization work should be done and omitted property should be located and listed for tax purposes. It is probable that the Floyd County Board of Education will share with the county the local government portion of the cost, it was said. Such sharing of costs is often done in other counties, the Revenue Department Representative said.

Except for a limited number of trained personnel from the Department of Revenue, the work would be done by Floyd counties after they had been given specialized training by department technicians.

Here is how the reappraisal plan would work, as explained by the Department of Revenue.

The department provides a limited number of trained supervisory personnel and hires and trains a number of local people to assist in this work. The local enumerators do

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## BLACKTOPPING SEEN ON ROAD

### Hill Says Engineers Ask Caney Fk. Surface; Walk To School Here Is Near

District highway engineers last Friday recommended that the Caney Fork road connecting Left Middle Creek with the Stephens Branch Dinwood road be given bituminous surfacing with three-inch compacted base 18 feet wide. Representative Lon C. Hill, of Prestonsburg, wrote The Times this week.

J. B. Wells, Commissioner of Rural Highways, later told Hill the project could be included for new work as soon as funds become available for the new fiscal year beginning July 1.

Representative Hill said he also learned at the Highway Department that plans for sidewalks to accommodate pupils at the new high school in Prestonsburg were due in Frankfort Wednesday, and that immediate action on sidewalk construction is expected. This was one of Governor's Chandler's promises made during the final election campaign.

Relocation of U. S. 23 along the river from the vicinity of Hager Hill to the lower limits of Prestonsburg is not expected to be done this year, Mr. Hill learned. Highway officials took a favorable attitude, however, toward Hill's request for gravel and oil on the Auxier road, pending new construction, the Representative said.

"While no contracts have been let on roads in Floyd county, I am much encouraged in the belief that progress is being made on at least these three projects," Hill said.

## QUESTION 32 IN NEW SUITS

### Deputy Sheriffs Sit In On Stormy Hearing Here On Tax League Petitions

Floyd deputy sheriffs sat in on the proceedings Monday in a peace-making role as a hearing was held in the county courtroom to determine if those listed as intervenors in the new Tax League actions to void rulings of Special Judge Lawrence Grauman were bona fide intervenors, aware of the situation and determined to proceed with the suits.

Thirty-two witnesses were examined. Of the 31 listed as intervenors, only two said they were willing to remain as plaintiffs, according to untranscribed shorthand notes of the court reporter.

The persons whose names appeared on the suits as intervenors were asked if they authorized anybody to use their names in an intervening role. Twenty-nine said they did not know the action would involve them in a lawsuit, and none admitted they were informed that they were to be parties to a suit, according to the court reporter.

Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin told The Times, however, that several persons who wanted to testify to their readiness to remain in the case were not called.

The cases at issue are styled, Polk Saunders vs. DuRan Moore, Joe H. Cooley vs. Troy B. Sturgill and the Good Government Taxpayers League vs. A. B. Meade, with present and past members of the fiscal court named as co-defendants in each suit.

Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin, as a taxpayer and "interested party", cross-examined a few witnesses and himself testified. Jesse K. Lewis, Lexington attorney, who filed the petition, could not be present for the hearing because of a federal court

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## TO ASK STATE ELECTION AID

### Stumbo, Other Judges See State Help Needed To Meet Primary Costs

County Judge Henry Stumbo said Tuesday that he is in accord with a plan suggested by Roy Stewart, president of the Kentucky County Judges Association, to seek heavier state aid for the counties in bearing the increased election expense created by the new law changing the primary date to May.

Floyd and many other counties of the state are caught short, it was explained, by the fact that the new election law calls for an election which was not foreseen when the 1955-56 budget was prepared by the counties. Funds were budgeted for the August and November elections of last year, and it was thought the next election would be financed by the next budget, which becomes effective July 1. But the law recently enacted brings on another election with the new primary date last Tuesday in May.

Wrote Judge Stewart last week: "As you are aware, the legislature passed a bill changing the primary election date in Kentucky from August to May, which change finds all of our counties with a budget depleted of election funds, and I am informed by a number of county judges that they have no funds in their budget from which to transfer money necessary for election cost."

"Of course, the law is already passed and I am sure nothing can be done about that; however, it has been suggested to me that there might be a possibility of getting the state to share a larger amount of this burden, and that something might be done during the budget session of the legislature."

Judge Stumbo said he is contacting State Senator Doug Hays and Representatives Lon C. Hill and David Martin, Jr., asking their support of a move to get state help.

Unless such help is forthcoming, spending in excess of the budget will be necessary. In that case, printers of ballots, election officials, tabulators and others rendering election services would wait till the new fiscal year for payment.

Although excess budget spending is illegal under state law, the Kentucky Constitution provides that elections shall be held, and the constitution would justify emergency "violation" of the budget act, it has been argued.

## Hazard Pastor Slated For Holy Week Services At Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Lamar Williamson, pastor of the Harveston, Ky., and the Hull Memorial Church, of Hazard, will be the guest-preacher at the First Presbyterian Church here during Holy Week services of that church, March 25-30.

Mr. Williamson, who is a native of Monticello, Ark., was graduated from that city's high school in 1942. He was graduated with an A. D. from Davidson College, Davidson, North Carolina, in 1947. He interrupted his college career for a year of service with the U. S. Air Force. Mr. Williamson received the B. D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in 1951. In 1952, he did work with the Faculte de Theologie Protestante, of Montpellier, France. For this work he received the B. Th. degree.

Mr. Williamson served a clinical year as a mission pastor near Elkins, W. Va., while in Seminary and became pastor of his present two-point field in 1952. He is an appointee of the Board of World

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## Overseas Visitors Here For Oil Marketing Study



From left—J. B. Overstreet, district manager, Gulf Refining Company, Lexington, Ky.; Heikki Tormanen, manager retail sales, Gulf Oil Corporation, Helsinki, Finland; W. W. White, real estate representative, Gulf Refining Company, Lexington; Bengt G. Fahlander, manager of advertising and sales promotion, Swedish Gulf Oil Company, Stockholm, Sweden.

In Finland it's the Gulf Oil Corporation; in Sweden, the Swedish Gulf Oil Company, and in the United States it's the Gulf Refining Company—but it's the same product everywhere, declared two foreign representatives of the company's farflung operations here last week while making a three-month study of Gulf's operations in the United States.

The visitors from overseas were

## New Lake To Be Three Times Size of Floyd's Dewey Lake

A second Eastern Kentucky man-made lake, this one expected to be three times the size of Floyd county's Dewey Lake, is near its beginning, word from Washington indicates.

The new lake will be created by the Buckhorn dam across the Middle Fork of the Kentucky river, just above the village of Buckhorn.

That the project has passed the stage of wishful thinking is the belief of proponents of the impoundment. The federal government is expected to appropriate \$1,000,000 this year to start construction, total cost of which is expected to be \$7,500,000.

The 12,000 or more members of the Buckhorn Watershed Association are confident that their years of effort have not been in vain. William Dewey Gorman, president of the group, explained that the lake to be formed behind the dam will have 110 miles of shore line, extending from Buckhorn to the vicinity of Hyden.

Primarily, a link in a vast flood-control project, according to Gorman, the lake will bring many advantages to an isolated area, flooding only a small acreage of agricultural land.

Gorman pointed out that the reservoir will be a big step toward water conservation in Eastern Kentucky and will be of great value in stabilizing pool stages in the main stem of the Kentucky River for navigation purposes.

Also, he added, it will provide water for irrigation and create an industrial pool of uncontaminated water, as there are no coal-washing plants above the dam site.

And, besides being a tourist attraction with recreational facilities, Gorman said the project will form the first flood-control reservoir in the entire Kentucky River Valley—more than 400 miles long.

Actual construction of the dam will get under way, he said, early next September and should be completed within three years.

Officials of the watershed association credit Col. W. D. Milne, engineer in charge of the Louisville district for the Army Corps of Engineers, with helping get the project started.

Reporting on the project, Colonel Milne said: "Flood problems of varying magnitude exist from urban communities and agricultural lands downstream from the proposed Buckhorn Reservoir. Major floods may be expected at Beattyville—at least one within 10 to 20 years—and at Frankfort at least once in 20 to 50 years, while minor floods at these two points may be expected about once in five years."

"The maximum floods of record occurred below Lock and Dam 10 on the Kentucky River in 1937 and above this point in 1939.

"A recurrence of these floods would result in damages amounting to about \$17,500,000 for the 1937 flood and \$1,450,000 for the 1939 flood. Of the damages that would result from a recurrence of the 1939 flood, about \$250,000 of the amount would be to property on the Middle Fork, including the town of Buckhorn.

"The proposed Buckhorn reservoir would virtually eliminate flooding on 3,500 acres of Middle Fork bottom land, reduce flood stages and flood duration at Beattyville, and reduce the stages of major floods at Irvine-Ravenna, Frankfort, and the farm land lying in the overflow area of the Kentucky River."

"The Buckhorn Reservoir would also be a unit in a chain of reservoirs for flood protection in the Ohio River and Mississippi River basins.

"It would be the purpose of the Buckhorn Reservoir to retard, or temporarily shut off, the flood flow in the Middle Fork and reduce the peak flood stage along the main stem of the Kentucky River."

Whereas the dam is the main

project of the watershed association Gorman points out, that is not its only aim.

Organized in 1953, the purposes of the association, he said, are "to secure and maintain all soil and water-conservation practices and flood-control measures as are necessary to alleviate flood damages and further deterioration of the soil, water, forest, and wildlife resources within the boundaries of the three forks of the Upper Kentucky River Valley."

Along this line, the association has sponsored a tree-planting campaign in the area in Breathitt, Clay, Owsley, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Perry, and Knott counties. During the past two years some 2,500,000 pine, poplar, walnut, and locust trees have been planted.

The students at Witherspoon College at Buckhorn have set out 100,000 pines on a 100-acre tract near the school. These students are looking forward to the completion of the dam, since they are driven out of their gymnasium and church frequently now by high waters.

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## COAL STUDY BILL CLEARED

### Legislation Proposed By Saylor Is Similar To Perkins' 1955 Bill

A resolution providing for a full study of a research and development program for the coal industry was cleared for floor consideration by the House Rules committee Tuesday.

Its sponsor, Representative Saylor (R., Pa.) said the study is needed to give the industry a chance to get back to a healthy economic state.

Similar legislation was introduced last year by Congressman Carl D. Perkins, Hindman, who said Tuesday, "I'm 1,000 per cent behind the Saylor resolution."

Saylor's resolution would have the study conducted by the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs or its subcommittee.

Saylor said he would like to see an effective research program for coal developed "in the same organizational basis, as those which have been and are now being conducted by the Atomic Energy Commission, the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, the National Science Foundation, and similar groups."

He said the research should cover coal production, transportation, markets, and coal utilization in conventional forms, plus a general appraisal of all coal technology.

Saylor urged an inquiry into the production of synthetic liquid fuel and the construction of a plant for the conversion of coal into such fuels.

"Economic projections of future industrial requirements are in general accord that, so far as the energy supply is concerned, greater dependency must be placed on coal, which has the largest reserve of any of our known fuel sources," Saylor said.

"Paradoxically, the federal government is appropriating billions of dollars for research and development projects in the field of new energy sources, but little or no consideration is given to a study of the possibilities for wider utilization of coal."

## SHERIFF SAYS RAID PLANNED ON COCKPITS

### Deputies Say Drinking Evident on Left Beaver Where Cockfighting Held

Sheriff Gorman Collins said this week that chicken-fighting, a sport that has developed outside the law, is on its way out in Floyd county.

The proposed crackdown followed receipts of anonymous complaints and demands that the Sheriff's office take action. Before announcing his intention to act, Collins sent three deputy sheriffs to Doty Creek last Saturday night to observe for themselves the conduct there where a large building has been erected to house the cockpit and various concessions.

One of the deputies reported: "There were at least 150 cars there, some Cadillacs among them, and from West Virginia and Ohio as well as Kentucky. Drunks were staggering all over the place; three staggered up against our car. Men, women and children were in the place, and two girls came out while we were parked outside and dumped a large boxful of beer cans and bottles."

Complaining of the noise and other conditions, an anonymous letter-writer last week wrote Sheriff Collins:

"There was 75 drunk men up there. He has no pop license, no cigarette license, no restaurant license. It is time for something to be done. If you don't I will put a ad in the paper and let the people know what you stand for."

Existence of the cock-fighting center on Doty Creek, near McDowell, has for several years been one of the county's most open secrets.

The deputy sheriffs who were there Saturday night did not inside the building, and were

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## COURT VOTE MARTIN AP

### Three Magistrates Vote To Permit Prosecution Naming of Assistant

The fiscal court this week voted to permit Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin to name a person of his choice to work in his office at the minimum salary provided by law.

This reversed a previous decision by the court which declined to re-employ the wealth's detective, a postmaster January, this year, by Alex Lester, son of Prestonsburg.

The prosecutor's new appointee, however, will not work in the role of detective. Martin indicated in a prepared statement Tuesday afternoon following the court's action.

He said a woman who can take shorthand and dictation rapidly and who knows the general duties of office work is preferred.

The motion to permit employment of such an assistant was made by Magistrate Grover Holbrook, and Magistrate Ellis Martin, and Edgar Howell voted for the measure. Magistrate John May and County Judge Henry Stumbo voted against it.

The minimum salary for such an assistant is \$1,800 a year. County Judge Henry Stumbo indicated later that the court action may be contested.

## "King Kelly" of Wayland Packs 'Em in at Lexington

Kelly Coleman set a new state basketball tournament record Wednesday night with 50 points as Wayland defeated Shelbyville in the opening game of the meet, 87 to 76.

Whether Wayland high school returns to Floyd county next Sunday with the state basketball championship in tow or not, it is taking to the annual round-robin of the state's schoolboy best in athletics the greatest drawing-card ever to pack fans into a Kentucky gymnasium.

Kelly Coleman—variously known as "King Kelly," "King Coleman," "Machine-Gun Kelly," "Blond Bomber of the Mountains," and so on—is an athletic phenom whose reputation has burst out of Floyd county and the hills till his name is heard more often on the streets of Lexington and other cities of the state than any other high school player.

As early as Tuesday all tickets for the Wayland-Shelbyville game opening the tournament Wednesday night were gone, and the scalpers were in clover.

To document the record of the fabulous Coleman, and intrigue the interest of fans from all parts of the state, Gordon Moore, Prestonsburg insurance man, this week had 3,000 handbills printed which he will distribute in Lexington, in and

out of Memorial Coliseum where the big event is being held.

And Adolph Rupp himself, famed coach of the University of Kentucky Wildcats, did his part to arouse interest in the big Wayland youth after seeing Coleman in action at Pikeville last Friday night. "The greatest high school player who ever lived," declared the veteran Rupp who has seen as many prep stars as perhaps any man in the country.

Following their team and the scintillating Coleman to Lexington is a large part of the population of Wayland, and these are being joined, en route, by well-wishers of the team from other Floyd county towns, including a large delegation from Prestonsburg. Coal mining in the Wayland vicinity, it was reported here Tuesday, is at a standstill as employees headed for Lexington, creating a manpower dearth at the operations.

The following, written by Billy Thompson in the Lexington Leader, pertains to Coach Rupp's impressions after seeing "King Kelly" perform:

"The greatest high school player who ever lived. . . . A combination of Cliff Hagan, Frank Ramsey and all the other great stars who have played at Kentucky."

The quotes are from Adolph Rupp, veteran University of Kentucky basketball coach.

And the player to whom he is referring is Kelly Coleman, the crackerjack cager at Wayland.

Rupp, who has been watching basketballers for 10 to these many years journeyed to Pikeville Friday night to see the heralded Wasp warrior in action.

"He is fantastic. You have to see this boy to believe what he can do—and I still am not sure I believe it."

"He can shoot any sort of a shot. Mostly, though, he fires one-handers from the head of the circle.

"He dribbles behind his back as good as any player I have ever seen. He came down the floor in the second quarter last night, dribbled behind his back and the ball was stolen from him. A few minutes later, he did the same thing, faked his opponent out of his shoes and hit the nicest shot I have ever seen. The boy doesn't guard too closely, but he sure knows what a basketball is for."

"He resembles Frank Ramsey coming down the floor. He is big (6-3 and weighs 212) and his shots don't hit the rim and roll in. They are dead center. The net swishes upward as the ball glides through."

"He can do more with a basketball than Cliff Hagan, and that is saying a lot," Rupp added. (Both Hagan and Ramsey were All-Americans at Kentucky.)



—USAF Photo  
An experience that comes rarely to men in the recruiting service of the armed forces was that of T/Sgt. Lewis Murphy, Jr., Air Force recruiter here, when he recently enlisted his brother in the Air Force.  
Kermit, 19, son of Mrs. Paul Murphy, of Wayland, and the late Lewis Murphy, Sr., is shown in photo (above) receiving the oath of enlistment from Capt. George Williams, of the Ashland Air Force recruiting detachment, as T/Sgt. Murphy takes more than a passing interest.



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## FIGHT BREWS FOR GOP POST

**Sheriff Collins Seeking District Chairmanship; Series of Meets Set**

A fight for the Republican chairmanship in the Seventh district is in the making as party organizational meetings are slated this month and next.

Sheriff Gorman Collins, of Prestonsburg, was said to be a contender for the chairmanship now held by Dr. M. D. Flanery, of Pikeville. Flanery is a candidate for re-election.

G. O. P. precinct elections will be held at 2 p. m., Saturday. A chairman and chairwoman will be named from each precinct. The precinct representatives then will be named from each precinct. The precinct representatives then will meet at the courthouse here at 2 p. m., March 31, to elect a county chairman and other organizational officials.

On Saturday, April 7, at 10 a. m., the Republicans will meet to select delegates to the state convention in Louisville, April 14.

The same day, April 7, another meeting likely to be held at another point, the district chairmanship will be settled.

Floyd county will send 21 delegates to the state convention where 10 delegates and 10 alternates from the state at large will be named to the national convention which will convene Aug. 20, in California.

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able to report on gambling from first-hand information.

Sheriff Collins said he had had persons whom he considered to be good citizens tell him that the sport was causing no disturbance on Doty Creek and that the place was orderly. He commented this week that they apparently had accepted the word of others as to conditions.

"The law is being violated, and citizens have asked that I do something, so the place will be raided," the Sheriff declared.

Walter K. Bowling Post 5838  
Veterans of Foreign Wars

Meets the first and third Friday in each month at 8:00

## To Lead Crusade For Christ Here



Pictured above, from left, are Al and Ivy Walsh, Chamblee, Ga., musicians, and Evangelist Vince Cervera, Greenville, South Carolina, who will lead the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church in a revival and Crusade for Christ this summer. The dates for the revival are June 10-24.

Arrangements are being made to procure a tent and facilities to accommodate at least a thousand people at each service. Evangelist Cervera will be remembered by many in this area for the successful revival he conducted in the local Baptist church in November of 1953. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh were active in the entertainment of service men in V. A. hospitals before devoting their full time to evangelistic music. They are talented musicians and their musical ability will delight the revival audiences.

## STATEMENT OF BURNIS MARTIN

KRS 69.110: "They shall assist the Commonwealth Attorney in all the manner he designates."

In my case, it means taking statements of witnesses, serving processes, preparing affidavits, searching the records for prior convictions, clerical duties in my office, preparing action for the Commonwealth, taking shorthand in the interview of witnesses and in the many other hundreds of ways connected with duties of my office in the preparation of criminal and civil cases. Qualifications will be a woman who can take shorthand and dictation rapidly, who knows the general duties of office work and one is preferred who has had experience in a circuit court clerk's office, circuit court stenographer, clerk or stenographer for a county or Commonwealth Attorney.

I expect that my good friends who oppose me politically will try to make much political propaganda out of the action of the fiscal court in allowing me to name a person to assist me in the duties of my office and in the preparation of my cases. I thank the members of the fiscal court for their fairness, and it is my judgment that the majority of the citizens will join with the members of the court in the belief that inasmuch as the County Judge, the County Attorney, the Sheriff, the Tax Commissioner, the County Court Clerk and the Circuit Court Clerk, the Jailer, all have at least one person and most times two to five in their offices to assist them, that it would not be unfair to accord to the Commonwealth Attorney the same consideration.

Adv. Burnis Martin

## Help Floyd County Reach Its Goal

Since the only resources of the Red Cross are funds put up by the people appreciative of its work, the present matter boils down to this: American people must dig deeper in their pockets if the Red Cross is to stay on the job.

It does not stretch the imagination very far to realize what would happen if another national emergency should come along, with the Red Cross off the job.

The Red Cross deserves your support in its current drive for funds. SUPPOSE, FOR instance, the recent Eastern floods had occurred without the Red Cross on hand to spend \$18,000,000 for the salvage of human lives; or that the more recent northern California floods had been unrelieved by the available \$8,000,000 of Red Cross money.

The pyramiding of human tragedy in either of those events would have been a frightening thing to contemplate.

Help the Floyd county drive for funds.

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## ALLEN CITY CORPORATION ALLEN, KENTUCKY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR OF 1955

CASH IN BANK, JANUARY 1, 1955 \$1,167.90

### RECEIPTS:

Taxes Collected	2,277.12
Fines Collected	3,521.64
License Fees Collected	52.50

\$7,019.16

### DISBURSEMENTS:

Electric Service	524.74
Telephone Service	123.93
Water Service	18.00
Gas Service	60.00
Insurance	12.60
Town Marshal's Salary and Commission	3,560.82
City Judge—Commission on Fines Collected	355.16
Clerk-Treasurer Salary	100.00
Tax Collector—Commission	130.08
Labor—Misc.	37.00
Supplies—Misc.	33.93
Printing	8.25
Prisoners Meals	66.50
Bank Service Charge on Checks	2.08
CASH IN BANK JANUARY 1, 1956	1,939.07

\$7,019.16

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. SNODGRASS, City Treasurer

## MAYTOWN RALLY

The Maytown 4-H Club had 250 attending their community rally. Sandra Hicks, Edith Hale, Claudena Lowe, Pam Combs received blue ribbons for speeches they gave on 4-H work.

Pam Combs, Milda Ann Conley, Ruby May Gayheart received blue ribbons for their demonstrations and Mary Cooley, Sonja Fay Ousley, Julia May Lumpkins and Phyllis C. Burton received red ribbons.

Mrs. Arnold Lowe, Mrs. Ralph Spencer, Mrs. Otha H. Hopkins, Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart, Mrs. Garland Martin, and Mrs. Champ Gibson are the leaders for the Maytown 4-H Club. Due to the interest of these leaders Maytown has become one of the best clubs in the district.

## ROUGH AND TOUGH 4-H RALLY

The club at Rough and Tough has only ten members and it is their first year in club work, but they had a successful rally.

Fauline Prater, Shelby Jean Nelson, Barbara Dotson and Geneva Nelson received blue ribbons for their demonstrations and Barbara Prater also received a blue ribbon for her sewing project.

Junior Nelson made a lamp out of the top part of a glass coffee maker and received a blue ribbon for his exhibit. Darwin Spears and Mearl Adams received red ribbons on their woodworking projects.

Mrs. Mitchell Dotson is the leader of the club, and has a very successful working 4-H group.

Plans have been made to provide telephone service for 55 additional farm families in Boyd county.

## FOOT SAVING EDUCATION



By H. C. Francis

Does sleeping posture effect walking habits? I have heard only one lecture that touched upon the subject. It was the opinion of this authority that there has been an increase of cases of pigeon toes and splay-foot (like a duck) since it has become popular to train babies to sleep on their stomachs. The speaker pointed out that other animals that are anatomically similar to humans sleep on their sides.

My experience in the shoe store has been that almost all pigeoned toe children sleep on their stomachs, with their toes turned in. Three mothers who retrained their children to sleep on their sides have commented on improvement in walking.

It is interesting to note that the left foot of a right handed child is more likely to toe-in than the right foot is.

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## David C. Stephens, 79, Native Floyd Countian, Dies At Salyersville

David C. Stephens, native Floyd countian, died March 7 at his home in Salyersville after an illness of nine years. He was 79 years old.

A son of Samuel and Sarah Stephens, he was born and reared at what is now Alphoretta, but had lived in Salyersville the last 48 years. He was a retired farmer. Mr. Stephens was a veteran of the Spanish-American war, had long been a member of the Methodist Church and was well-known in Magoffin and Floyd counties.

His widow, Mrs. Louise Martin Stephens, also of this county, to whom he was married in 1902, survives. He also leaves two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Lillian Ferguson, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Marie Salisbury, Martin, Claude B. and Edward Morris Stephens, both of Salyersville; one sister, Mrs. Mary Johns, of Eastern, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Friday from the Salyersville Methodist Church, the Rev. Stoneking officiating. Burial was made in the Bluegrass cemetery.

## Carpentry Course Starts At Mayo Trades School In Response to Requests

Mayo State Vocational School will offer a short course here for carpenters and others who are interested in building, it was announced this week.

The four-meeting course, "The Framing Square and Its Use in Cutting Rafters," will begin March 21 at 7:30 p. m., at the Prestonsburg Vocational Shop, an extension of Mayo State Vocational School, and will meet each Thursday night. John Wayne Picklesimer, carpentry instructor for the course, Mr. Picklesimer said that the class will be taught in a very informal manner, with questions and discussion invited from the members of the class.

The course is in response to requests from carpenters who have encountered difficulties in full use of the steel square. There is no charge for enrolling in this course, which is a service of Mayo.

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## NOTICE

Wavis Alley has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation of Alley's Restaurant at Martin, Ky.

DuRan Moore, Clerk  
Floyd County Court

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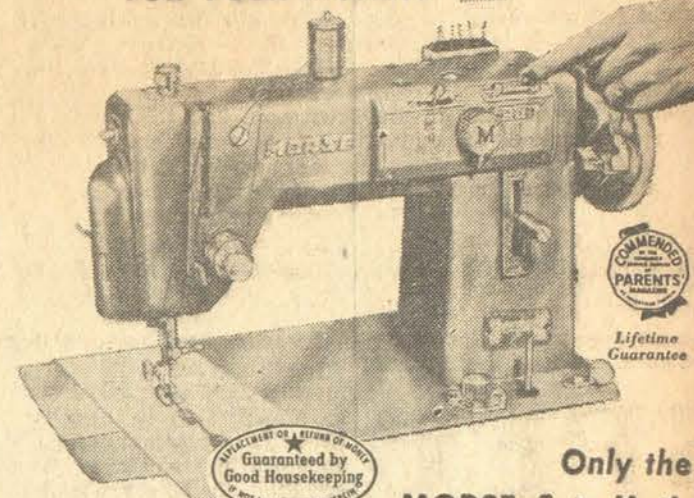
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## FLOYD MEDICS TELL POSITION

### On New Medical College After Medical Society Holds Recent Meeting

The Floyd County Medical Society went on record at its recent meeting as opposing the founding of a medical school at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, and as favoring the spending of any available money on the lower levels of education rather than on higher levels such as a new college of medicine would represent.

At the same time the Medical Society voted to cooperate, as it had on previous occasions, with the Floyd County Health Department and to sponsor a third series of polio clinics in Floyd county next month.

Dr. John G. Archer, secretary-treasurer of the Medical Society, this week expressed the personal opinion that "if any group or any individual would be at all interested as to why the Floyd County Medical Society, along with most all Kentucky physicians, is opposed to a new medical school, then any of the members will be more than happy to attempt to explain why the medical profession is opposed . . ."

Another member of the Medical Society explained that doctors feel that, even if the number of doctors is increased, the situation in rural communities would not be improved, since most graduating doctors would seek more urban communities for their practice. Examples pointed out were some medical students who were granted scholarships contributed by individual doctors, or a group of doctors, a condition of each scholarship being that when the young man completed his training he would return to his own section for rural practice. In two instances cited the young men upon graduation repaid the scholarship donors and located wherever they pleased.

This source also explained that most doctors feel that for the same expense a new medical school would entail the University of Louisville's College of Medicine could educate twice as many doctors as are now being graduated. "We aren't against the graduation of more doctors," he said. "But we do feel that twice as many doctors could be graduated without all the expense of constructing, equipping and staffing a new school."

He also pointed out that the opening of UMWA memorial hospitals in this area will serve to overcome the doctor shortage in this part of the state, in particular. The McDowell hospital opening, for instance, he said, added eight doctors; Pikeville's added 18, and Hazard's from 8 to 12.

Attending the Medical Society meeting were:

Dr. M. V. Wicker, Wayland, president; Dr. C. L. Allen, Langley and Martin, vice-president; Dr. John G. Archer, Prestonsburg, secretary-treasurer; Dr. J. A. Stumbo, Dr. A. J. Davidson, Prestonsburg; Dr. Russell Hall, Wheelwright; Dr. Charles L. Roach, Lackey; Dr. Frances Sherman, Martin; Dr. George P. Archer, Prestonsburg.

County Judge Henry Stumbo and Health Administrator M. V. Clark met with the doctors prior to the meeting of the Medical Society.

### Heart Attack Victim At Tampa, Fla., Hale Was Floyd-co. Native

J. L. Hale, 75 years old, former Prestonsburg resident died at his home in Tampa, Fla., March 3, victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Hale was a Cheapeake & Ohio Railway Company foreman for about 50 years and had resided in Florida since his retirement. He formerly resided in Ashland, where he was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ida G. Hale, four sons, Claude L. and Charles H. Hale, both of Ashland, Earl Hale, Bethany, W. Va., and Everett Hale, Tampa, Fla., five daughters, Mrs. Irene Eves, Mrs. Gladys Williams and Mrs. Mildred Gwynn, all of Warner-Robbins, Ga., Mrs. Maude Waulk, Hillsboro, O., and Miss Blanche Hale, Lexington; three brothers, Watt and Sam Hale, both of West Prestonsburg, and Warren Hale, Prestonsburg. He also leaves 20 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Burial was made at Tampa, Florida.

### NOTICE

Floyd Post No. 129, American Legion, will meet at the Legion building here Monday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

M. H. BLEVINS,  
Commander

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case in which he was counsel.

The open hearing was initiated by the defendants, and the testimony was by deposition. Yet it often was stormy and noisy, with tempers flaring. The officers were present at the request of Commonwealth's Attorney Martin. Attorneys Barkley J. Sturgill, Paul E. Hayes, James Wine, J. B. Clarke and Cordell Martin represented the defendants.

Circuit Judge Edw. P. Hill has disqualified in the new actions, and a special judge has not yet been designated. The new petitions attack Judge Grauman's dismissal of the Tax League suits against the officials, contending that he heard the cases here in violation of a statute which prohibits a circuit judge of a court of continuous session from serving as a special judge elsewhere. Since the actions were filed a few weeks ago, names have been dropped as intervenors, others added, and finally the addition of 67 names brought the total to past 70.

None of the new list as of Wednesday officially asked that their names be dropped from the suits.

### CAIN TO BE HERE

Roy M. Cain, contact representative, Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Board, announced this week his forthcoming Floyd county itinerary:

Thursday, March 22, 8 a.m. till 12 noon, at the Postoffice building, Wayland; 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Thursday, at the Beaver Hardware, Martin; Friday, at the law office in Prestonsburg of Tackett & Tackett.

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## Aged Prater-cr. Native Victim at Son's Home; Burial in Boyd Cemetery

James Elias Kidd, 83 years old, died at 1:30 p.m., Wednesday at the home at Harold of his son, Green Kidd, of an illness attendant upon advanced age.

Mr. Kidd was a retired farmer and was a member of the Regular Baptist Church. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Martha Kidd, five sons, John Kidd, of Tram, Green Kidd, of Harold, Charlie Kidd, Conway, W. Va., Frank Kidd, of Virginia, and Don Kidd, of Boyd county. He also leaves one half-brother and a half-sister, Watt Akers, of Amba, and Mrs. Lizzie Boyd, of Dana.

The funeral will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, and burial in the Boyd cemetery on Prater Creek will be directed by the Hall Bro. Funeral Home.

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Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U.S. to the Belgian Congo and is expected to begin his new work later this year.

Mr. Williamson has served as the director of the Senior Hi Conference of Area Five for the past two years and has served as adult adviser to the area's youth program.

Theme of the week services here will be "Life in Christ," and Mr. Williamson will preach twice daily. The 7:30 p.m. sermon titles follow: Sunday: "The Assurance of Faith"; Monday: "The Incentive of Love"; Tuesday: "The Gain of His Gospel"; Wednesday: "The Fellowship of His Sufferings"; Thursday: "The Power of His Resurrection"; Friday: "The Joy of His Service."

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### BABE DIES

Carolyn Jean, three-day-old daughter of Sam and Betty Jean Warren, of Hi Hat, died Tuesday at the Paintsville hospital. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Warren residence and burial was made in the Boyd cemetery at Hi Hat, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

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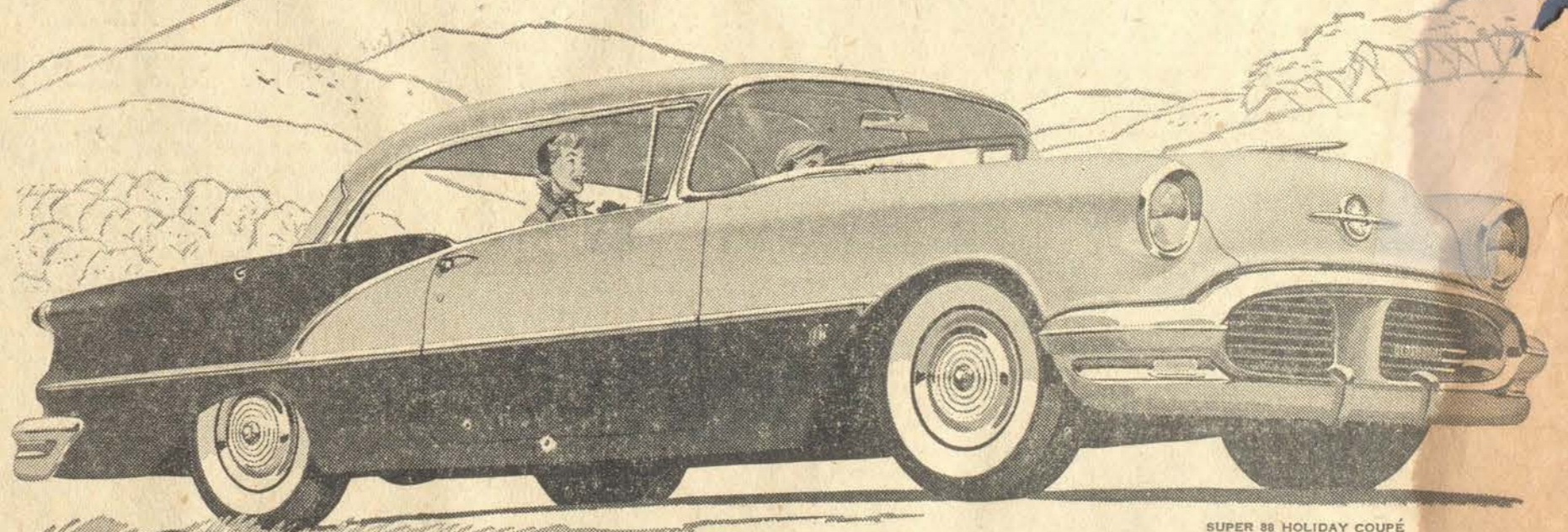
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#### HAROLD 4-H RALLY

Under the leadership of Mrs. Earl Brooks, Mr. W. D. Steele, Mrs. Mae Akers, and Mrs. Regina Daniels, the Harold 4-H Club held its community rally on March 8.

Elizabeth Taylor, Scarlett Lee Plannery, Mable Kidd, and Maudie Ruth Cecil gave demonstrations and received blue ribbons. Billy Joe Elkins and D. D. Cole received red ribbons for the demonstrations. Maudie Ruth Cecil, Elizabeth Taylor and Mable Kidd received blue ribbons on their clothing project.

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Although the association is accomplishing its objectives for the benefit of a large area that has been under economic pressure due to unemployment, ravages of floods, and impoverishment of farm lands, leaders of the movement had a hard time getting the ball rolling, Gorman declared.

But with the dam assured, people in the area are no longer skeptical although at first they "made fun of the idea," he said.



Jack Hodge, former Boy Scout executive here for the Jenny Wiley district, has accepted a position with Wright Brothers, jewelers, in their Prestonsburg store. He assumed his duties March 1.

Mr. Hodge, a native of Big Stone Gap, Va., and a graduate of Berea College, class of 1950, is a veteran of 38 months in the Navy in World War II and of a year in the Air Force. He served as Scout executive here for three and one-half years and at Shelbyville, Ky., as executive in the Old Kentucky Home district for 18 months.

Mr. Hodge, although having severed his official connection with the Scouts, is still much interested in the movement. "I'm still deeply interested in Scouting but, of course, only now on a volunteer basis," he says.

The former Scout executive is still living in Shelbyville but plans to move here soon.

#### Brownie Troop Sponsors Mother Daughter Banquet

Brownie Troop No. 15, sponsored by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church, under the leadership of Mrs. Harold Dorsey and Mrs. Thomas Lemasters, entertained with a Mother and Daughter banquet March 8, at 6:30 p.m. in the Methodist church basement.

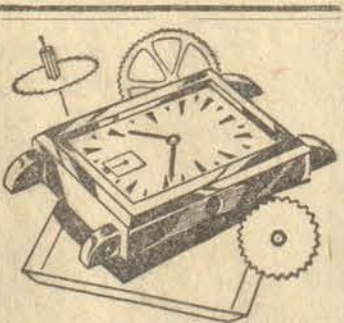
The tables were decorated with white candles, yellow flowers, with green and brown girl figurines as favors. Members of the troop made the invitations, favors, planned the menu, and served on the decorating, table-cleaning and dish-washing committees.

After the banquet, Miss Chalmer Frazier led the group in Girl Scout songs. Mrs. Zella Archer spoke briefly on "The Value of Scouting." The traditional Friendship circle completed the troop's activity. This was a part of celebrating Girl Scout Week for Troop 15.

Those who attended were: Mrs. Zella Archer, director of the Sandy Valley Council; Mrs. John Hardin, neighborhood chairman; Mrs. George Archer and Mrs. Mary J. Harkins, Troop 15 committee; Miss Marthann Archer and Miss Sally Moore, guests.

Mothers and Daughters—Mrs. Willard Burchett and Barbara, Mrs. J. D. Conley and Rita, Mrs. Don Ball and Donna Ruth, Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Jane Mayo, Mrs. Ballard Fleming and Shelby Jean, Mrs. Chalmer Frazier and Elizabeth Lynn, Mrs. Willie Hicks and Brenda, Mrs. W. E. Jackson and Judy, Mrs. Thomas Lemaster and Kay, Mrs. Henry Messer and Laura Lemasters, Mrs. Hayden Milligan and Wanda, Mrs. Bill Hines and Judy Leslie, Mrs. DuRan Moore and Betty Carolyn, Mrs. Walter Price and Linda, Mrs. H. G. Salisbury, Jr. and Lynn, Mrs. Harry Sandige and Harriette Ann.

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### HEARING SET FOR TUESDAY

#### Big Sandy River Survey Funds To Be Considered In Appropriation Study

U. S. Senator Earle C. Clements and Congressman Carl D. Perkins wired The Times Tuesday that the House Appropriations sub-committee on public works will hold a hearing next Tuesday of all U. S. Army Corps of Engineers projects, with similar hearings before the Senate sub-committee tentatively set for the following day.

"We plan to request sufficient funds to complete the Big Sandy survey next year," the telegram said.

Clements said he will ask higher appropriations on virtually all Kentucky projects.

He listed the following projects with amounts covered in the budget first and the amount he wants second:

Big Sandy River, \$30,000; \$76,000.

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Lower Cumberland Dam, \$200,000 (for planning); \$500,000 for planning plus \$800,000 for construction.

Nolin River Dam, \$50,000; \$150,000.

Buckhorn Dam, \$1,000,000; \$1,500,000.

No money is provided for four other river surveys. Clements will ask \$20,000 for the Little Sandy River and Tygart's Creek; \$10,000 for the Laurel Dam and flood control project; \$15,000 for Clarks River, and \$17,000 for Cypress Creek.

Forestry improvement in Edmonson county includes the setting of 80,000 seedlings this spring.

#### Hindman Pastor Receives Award for Mission Work

The annual Outstanding Mountain Minister of the Year award for 1955-56 will go to Dr. J. S. Bell, pastor of the Hindman Baptist Church, it was announced this week by Kenneth S. Clendaniel, director of public relations, Clear Creek Mountain Preachers Bible School, Pineville. The presentation will be made at the 11 o'clock service, March 21, of missionary day exercises at the school.

Dr. Bell has served the Hindman church as pastor for 16 years, and he pioneered in the establishing of a church-centered mission program. "He was the overwhelming choice of Associational missionaries and church leaders who made nominations for the award from pastors in the whole Appalachian mountain region," Dr. Clendaniel said.

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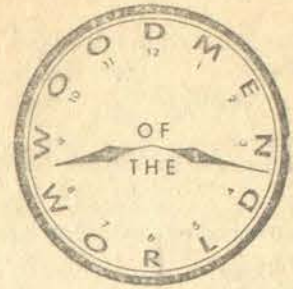
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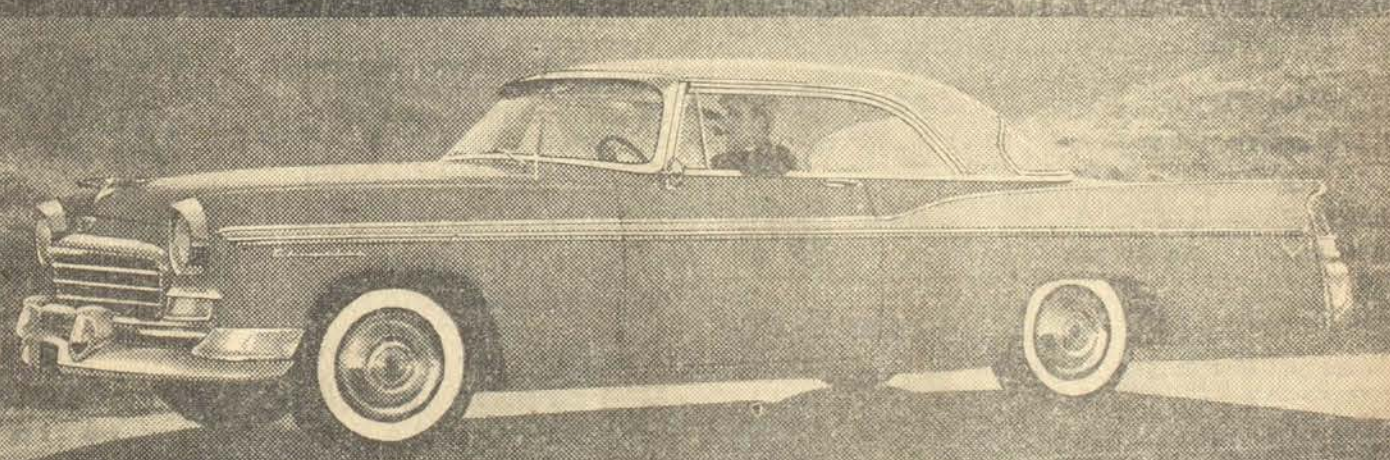
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In the beginning God created heaven and earth (Gen. 1:1). First mention of a Governor was Joseph (Gen. 42:6). It would be good for all God-fearing men and women to read all the story of Joseph, of the baker, butler and Pharaoh and their dreams and fulfillment. Government (Isaiah 9:6): For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given, and the government shall be upon his shoulder and his name shall be called Wonderful Counsellor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

The above picture is an outside view of my door entrance. I am holding a picture of Christ. In a horseshoe-shaped frame is a picture of our Governor of Kentucky, Hon. A. B. Chandler. First miracle of Christ (John 2:5): And his mother saith unto the servants, Whatsoever he saith unto you do it. Verse 9: And the Governor of the feast called the

bridegroom. Governor is mentioned in Psalms 22:28; St. Matthew 2:6; Acts 23:24, 25, 26. As Easter is mentioned only once in the Bible and we are nearing Easter, I wish to call attention to praying women and a woman's house. Easter (Acts 12:4); praying at the house of a woman (Acts 12:12). Memorial of a woman (Matt. 26:13). Whole world to know a woman; poured ointment on Christ.

I want all readers of The Floyd County Times to know I have been very busy helping Evangelist Billy Graham, Oral Roberts, Thomas Wyatt, and others carry the Gospel message around the whole world, as Christ commands me to write. My advice is free and postpaid. Thanking you all for your prayers and protection. Sincerely and prayerfully  
**EVA MEADE HALL**  
(Pd. Adv.)

### Thomas Jefferson Lewis 87-Year-Old Ivel Farmer Victim at Home, Monday

Thomas Jefferson Lewis, 87-year-old farmer, died at 2 p.m. Monday at his Ivel residence.

Son of Thomas Jefferson Lewis, he was a native of this county. He had been a member of the Free-will Baptist Church 60 years. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Victoria Hunt Lewis, and the following sons and daughters: Bert Lewis, Dante, Va., Ulysses S. Grant Lewis, Thomas Jefferson Lewis, Jr., and Johnny Curtis Lewis, all of Ivel, Mrs. Maxie Burchett and Mrs. Polly Hunt, both of Mare Creek, Mrs. Ella Spradlin, Mrs. Della Osborne and Mrs. Reba Goble, all of Ivel. The funeral was held from the residence this morning (Thursday) by the Revs. Carl Layne, Pem Hunt and Wallace Lewis, and burial was made in the Layne cemetery at Mare Creek under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**SPRING RALLY** Spring rally will be held at the Allen grade school, Saturday, March 17. The program will begin at 9 a.m. There will be demonstrations, speeches, clothing exhibits, style revue, and judging for all. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Morgan Stumbo, 79, Price Dies After Long Illness; Was Left Beaver Native

Morgan Stumbo, 79 years old, well-known Left Beaver Creek man, died at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at his home at Price, victim of a 15-month illness of dropsy.

A native of the Left Beaver Creek section of the county, he was a son of John and Jane Sizemore Stumbo. He had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church 45 years. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Rosa Moore Stumbo, six sons and five daughters: Amos, Ray and L. G. Stumbo, all of Price, James Stumbo, of Minnie, General Stumbo, Willard, O., Richard Stumbo, McDowell, Mrs. Ada Moore, Mrs. Rebecca Moore and Mrs. Julia Moore, all of East McDowell, Mrs. Ella Gayheart and Mrs. Maxie Moore, both of Price.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete, it was said Wednesday afternoon at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home. Burial will be in the family cemetery at Price.

**BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT** Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gene Haney, of Highland avenue are the parents of a son born at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Wednesday. This is their first son, second child.

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not value but gather information to be used in making an appraisal.

Field enumerators gather information about the amount and type of land, the number and type of buildings thereon and the location of each property. Present-day cost of building is figured and depreciation for age is allowed. A local committee assists in setting values for each type of land, and the values set are applied to every property. The type of road on which the property is located, the distance from a trading center and other factors are considered, and adjustments are made in the appraisal to arrive at a uniform valuation.

When this work is completed the Tax Commissioner will use the records provided him as a basis for making a fair and uniform assessment. These records will consist of maps of the county showing each farm and lot and property record cards showing the number of acres of each type of land and the number and type of buildings, and appraised value of each property.

All properties in the county would be appraised by the same methods. This includes residences, farms, commercial buildings, industrial plants, and land.

Under the equalization program some property will be increased while others will be decreased. Remainder of the property assessments will remain substantially unchanged. Each person will have the assurance that the value placed on his property has been determined uniformly and fairly and that his assessment is on the same basis as that of his neighbor.

When the work is completed all property owners will be notified and asked to come in to discuss the appraisal of their property. None of the rights of the property owner, either in the assessment or appeal procedure, are in any way affected by this work.

### AWOL Soldier Caught With 50-Gallon Still

Officers of the federal Alcohol and Tax Division and military police joined recently in the capture of a 50-gallon moonshine still in the River community, Johnson county, at the same time nabbing Troy D. Martin, former Prestonsburg man, as an army deserter.

The still was found in the basement of the Martin home on the Banjo Branch, near River. Martin was taken to Ft. Knox to face court martial proceedings. He had been AWOL since last October.

The charge of possession of a moonshine still will have to await his release by the army.

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### Bonanza 4-H Club Holds Meet, March 6

The Bonanza 4-H Club held its rally March 6 at the Bonanza school. The club although small in number had one of the best rallies in the county. The girls gave eleven demonstrations and the boys gave six demonstrations. Club members that received blue ribbons on their demonstrations were Lois Greer, Arlene Ousley, Janet Spradlin, Glenda Sue Merritt, Mary Lou Miller, Phyllis Ray Howell, Judy Hackworth, Jerry Greer, and Donald Ward, Phyllis Conley, Florabell Church, Betsy Lou Howell, Cecil Ward, Jr., Frankie Snipes, Billy Ward, and Darwin Hackworth received red ribbons for their demonstrations.

There were nine woodworking exhibits; Cecil Ward, James Alex Holbrook and Cecil Ward, Jr., received blue ribbons. Donald Ward, David Gene Howell, Davie Gene Akers, and Billie Ray Ward received red ribbons and Raymond Cassidy Howell and Frankie Snipes received white ribbons.

Girls that received blue ribbons on their food exhibits were Phyllis Conley, Arlene Ousley, Betty Lou Crum and Glenda Sue Merritt. Betsy Lou Howell, Jane Spradlin, and Polly Morgan received red ribbons.

Darwin Hackworth and Billy Ward received red ribbons on their electrical exhibits.

The girls in the first year of sewing displayed and modeled their aprons and pot holders. Florabell Church and Phyllis Conley received blue ribbons and Pauline Morgan, Diana Elliott and Betty Crum received red ribbons. Glenda Sue Merritt and Jeanette Spradlin are in the second year of clothing and made school dresses and received blue ribbons.

Arlene Ousley, Patsy Howell, and Lois Greed made pajamas and house coats in their third year of clothing and received blue ribbons.

The Bonanza club should be complimented for their wonderful community rally. Everyone did a good job, especially the girls in their sewing. A lot of the credit must go to Mrs. Edna Saunders who has been helping the club members this year.

### Drunk Driver, Leading Officer on Long Chase, Is Arrested at Martin

Luke Woods, of Bull Creek, was jailed here Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Silas Derossett on charges of drunk driving and speeding after leading the officer a wild chase of several miles.

Derossett said the chase started on Bull Creek, led from there to Dwale, on to Allen and the nearby golf course, back through Allen and on to Martin before he overhauled Woods.

Booked at the jail Friday by Deputy Sheriff Joie Maynard for drunk driving was Herman Isaac. Three others have been jailed this month on the same count: Robert Johnson, arrested by State Trooper Farmer; Bill Hubbert, by Deputy Sheriff Kelly Frasure, and Mart Reed by Deputy Sheriff Ed Amburgy.

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### Child Struck by Car Sustains Severe Hurts

Nine-year-old Marion Lee Ethington, of Betsy Layne, is in a Lexington hospital suffering from serious injuries received March 3 when he was hit by an auto driven by Gordon Lee Williamson, of Harold. His jaw was broken and he sustained hip injuries.

It was reported here that the boy stepped from behind a Pikeville city bus at Betsy Layne directly into the path of Williamson's car.

### CO-HOSTESSES AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Fred Francis and Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins entertained to luncheon Wednesday, March 7, at the Francis home on North Arnold avenue. Jonquils and forsythia afforded a springtime color scheme throughout the house and luncheon tables. Place cards seated Mesdames Harold Dorsey, Woodrow Burchett, James Camicia, R. V. May, N. M. White, Frank Layne, E. R. Burke, Osa F. Ligon, J. B. Clarke, Bert T. Combs, E. P. Hill, W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. Modena Hodges, Okolona, Miss.



### UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Harvey Howard is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital, having submitted to surgery last week. She is doing nicely, and will return to her home soon.

### ILL AT HOME

Elder Ball is unimproved at his home on Earle street, where he moved the first of the week. His many friends regret to learn of his illness.

### SECOND SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Hansford May announce the birth of their second son at the Baptist General hospital, Louisville, March 4. He has been named Ralph Thomas.

### DINNER HONORS

Mrs. and Mrs. Tom James were hosts to a family birthday dinner, honoring Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Jr., Sunday evening at 6 o'clock at their home on Central Avenue. Decorations of daffodils and forsythia carried out the yellow and white color scheme. Place cards seated Dr. and Mrs. Salisbury and children Evelyn, Elizabeth, Nancy Conway, Chaddie Johns, Herbert, III, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stephens, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. James, Mrs. Salisbury was recipient of many attractive gifts from the guests to whom she expressed her appreciation.

### VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green, of Columbus, O., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Green, of West Prestonsburg, and other relatives in the county last week.

### CHILI SUPPER

The Ladies Circle of the Community Methodist Church will sponsor a chili supper in the church basement, Friday, March 23, from 5:30 till 7 o'clock.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or from persons selling them.

### SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Misses Carlos Horn and Mabel Martin, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with relatives here.

### HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Donald Horn was pleasantly surprised on her birthday last Friday with a party at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Vinson Shepherd, of West Prestonsburg. Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Dave Sizemore, Mrs. Mary Mahan, Mrs. Cecil Vanhoose and Mrs. Manis Gray were co-hostesses. Refreshments were served to about 22 guests. The honoree received many gifts from her friends, to each of whom she expressed her appreciation.

### HERE FROM NORTH CAROLINA

Charles Graham Porter, of Asheville, N. C., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Porter.

### MR. BALL PROMOTED

Printess L. Ball, formerly of Prestonsburg, was recently promoted to the post of branch manager of the Huntington division of Universal C. I. T. Corporation. His wife, Christine, and son are staying with his mother, Mrs. Alice Ball, and Mrs. Lula Lafferty until they find a residence in Huntington.

### D. A. R. MAKES CONTRIBUTION

The March meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ed May at Lancer. Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, regent, presided. Mrs. Gwynn Ford conducted the ritualistic service. At the business session a gift of \$100 from the membership was given to Duncan Tavern, Kentucky D. A. R. shrine at Paris, to pay on the real estate recently bought adjoining the property. A \$500 contribution was made to the Red Cross.

Correspondence from Mrs. C. P. Hudson, state regent, told of the 60th annual state D. A. R. conference which will meet in Louisville this week. At this time the new Chapter, "Elizabeth Campbell Russell," will be added to the 17 new chapters in Kentucky's D. A. R. membership.

The regents annual report was read by the secretary, the high light of it being ten new members having been accepted during her tenure of office, with two papers pending. Four Revolutionary graves have been located in the county. The dime collection was \$2.35.

Mrs. Gwynn Ford, the program chairman, read her radio broadcast given in September, "The Purpose of D. A. R." Mrs. Tom James asked for volunteers to the Ground Observers Corps. An attendance of 21 enjoyed Mrs. May's hospitality. Members present were Mesdames Jo M. Davidson, J. W. McIntosh, Everett H. Sowards, H. L. Mayo, Greenville Spradlin, M. J. Leete, C. P. Stephens, Lon S. Moles, Osa F. Ligon, O. T. Stephens, Ray Collins, Norma Stepp, Tom James, Mae Kendrick, Edward L. Allen, W. W. Cooley, David Herndon, Winnie F. Johns, Harry Sandige, Gwynn Ford, Ed May.

### ENTERTAIN AT PIKEVILLE

Mrs. W. C. Rimmer and Mrs. J. B. Clarke were co-hostesses to a luncheon at The Leonard Tea Room, two miles south of Pikeville, Tuesday. Covers were laid for Mrs. Effie Milby, of Lexington, Mrs. Modena Hodges, Okolona, Miss., Mrs. Carol M. May, Mrs. James Camicia, Mrs. Rimmer and Mrs. Clark.

### PARTY HONORS VISITORS

Mrs. Reba H. Mayo entertained to a samba party Monday evening at her home, honoring Mrs. Effie Milby, of Lexington, houseguest of Mrs. Carol N. May. First prize was awarded to Mrs. Homer Salisbury, and a guest prize to Mrs. Milby. Refreshments were enjoyed by Mesdames R. V. May, W. C. Rimmer, Homer Salisbury, Carol M. May, Effie Milby and Miss Ella Noel White.

### BIBLE CLASS ENTERTAINS

The Men's Bible class of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church was joined by the Philathea and Fidelis classes at a covered dish supper, Tuesday evening at the church annex. A. C. Harlowe, teacher of the Men's Bible class entertained the group with an address, "The Power of a word," from Shakespeare, which was greatly enjoyed by the 40 persons present.

### HERE FROM LEXINGTON

U. S. Marshal and Mrs. Curtis Clark, of Lexington, are spending a few days here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jack Hyden, who has been seriously ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

### RECENT GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kinder, of Dayton, O., were recent guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Green.

### Premiere of Musical Play Written by Keith Barts, Is Slated At Pikeville

The first performances of the musical play, "Keep My Secret", written by Keith Barts, former high school band director here, will be given at 8 p.m., Thursday and Friday nights, March 22 and 23 at the Pikeville grade school auditorium.

Mr. Barts, who is now director of the Pikeville high school band, believes the play to be entirely original in the field of music education since it not only features dialogue, singers and dancers but also a dance band with a story background. Influenced by the mountainous surrounding of Eastern Kentucky, Mr. Barts wrote a historical descriptive composition for band entitled, "Harmon Station", the Big Sandy outpost considered the first white settlement in eastern Kentucky. This composition was performed in a concert by the Prestonsburg high school band.

Mr. Barts studied music composition with Peter Freulich at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

### P. E. O. Elects Officers At Meeting Tuesday

Mrs. Chalmer Frazier was hostess to Chapter "G" P. E. O., at her home on College Lane, Tuesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, the president, presided.

At the business session the following officers were elected: Mrs. Fred Francis, president; Mrs. Winston Ford, vice-president; Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, recording secretary; Mrs. Merle Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. William Rose, chaplain; Mrs. George P. Archer, guard.

The program and social hour was dismissed so that the members could attend the family Concert association presentation at the grade school. Members attending were: Mesdames W. W. Greenwade, George P. Archer, Robert Hughes, W. R. Callihan, Merle Wilson, Winston Ford, Fred Francis, Phil Schroeder, T. G. Dingus, Chalmer Frazier, Earle A. Stumbo, Wm. R. Rose, H. L. Ley, Sidney Garland, Miss Margaret Elizabeth May.

### TO CONFER M. M. DEGREE

Zebulon Lodge No. 273, F. & A. M., Prestonsburg, will at its regular meeting Saturday night confer the M. M. Degree. All Masons are invited to attend.

### SPONSOR BAKE SALE

The Senior Woman's Club will sponsor a bake sale at 10 a.m., Saturday, March 17, at the Martin and Martin Supply Company.

### CELEBRATES 7th BIRTHDAY

Tish Clark celebrated her seventh birthday with a party at her home on Seventh street at 2 p.m., March 10. Games were enjoyed by the large group of children who came bringing her lovely remembrances. A decorated cake with seven candles was cut and served with ice cream and punch by her mother, Mrs. Edward Clarke. Forty little friends enjoyed her hospitality until 4 o'clock.

### ATTEND STAFFORD FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin and Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin attended the funeral Tuesday of Ray Stafford at Paintsville, Mr. Stafford, 64, died March 11 at the Paintsville hospital after a heart attack. He was retired from the U. S. postoffice as postmaster and had been suffering from a heart ailment for several months. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Julia Stapleton Stafford, and three children.

### HOSTESS ON BIRTHDAY

Jane Ann Kendrick was hostess to 50 little friends March 11 at her home on Central avenue at 2 o'clock. The party celebrating her eighth birthday began with an egg hunt. Five dozen colored eggs were hidden for the hunt. Nancy Conway Salisbury found the greatest number and was as a prize the basket of eggs to take home. A beautifully decorated cake was cut and served with ice cream and drinks. The little hostess was presented lovely gifts from her guests.

### REV. BEMBOWER, SPEAKER

Rev. Phillip Bembower, dean of Pikeville College was guest-speaker at the Men's Fellowship group dinner Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian Church.

### MISS HUGHES ILL

Mrs. Robert Hughes left by plane from the Huntington airport Wednesday night for Boston, Mass., where her daughter, Miss Nancy Hughes, is seriously ill.

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### ATTEND MEETING AND RECEPTION

Mrs. E. D. Stephenson, Pikeville, past president of the Woman's Democratic Club of the 7th district and Mrs. Oina Hamilton, assistant district director, attended a board meeting of the Woman's Democratic Club at the Seelbach hotel in Louisville, March 7. They also attended the reception in the afternoon honoring Mrs. A. B. Chandler, Kentucky's First Lady, and the Jackson-Jefferson dinner in the evening the same day.

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**Student at Ohio College Dies After Ball Practise; Was Wheelwright Resident**

Collapsing after basketball practise at Central State College, Wilberforce, O., James Robert Fields, 23, colored, of Wheelwright, died shortly afterward of a pulmonary embolism, and his body was returned to this county for burial.

Young Fields had entered college after ending his army service Feb. 10. He was a native of Overton, Ala., the only child of Robert and Jerlena Gray Fields, who survive.

The body was brought here to the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home, and was taken today (Thursday) to St. Mark's Methodist Church, Wheelwright, where the funeral was conducted by the Rev. E. Reuell. Burial was made in the family plot of the Weeks-bury cemetery.

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**J. Edgar Hoover Advises Parents**

Should children be forced to attend Sunday school and church?—that is a question that has puzzled parents for a long while. Some child psychologists have relegated parents to the role of bystander in the home, there only to suggest but never to assert authority even when authority is obviously a crying need.

J. Edgar Hoover, veteran head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, is not one of those who believes in letting the child, inexperienced, wilful, even rebellious, dictate what he shall do. On the matter of Sunday school and church attendance—compulsory attendance, if necessary—Hoover says.

"Shall I make my child go to Sunday school and church? Yes! And with no further discussion about the matter. Startled? Why? How do you answer Junior when he comes to breakfast on Monday morning and announces to you that he is not going to school anymore? You know! Junior goes. How do you answer when Junior comes in very much bemuddled and says 'I'm not going to take a bath.' Junior bathes, doesn't he?"

"Why all this timidity, then, in the realm of his spiritual guidance and growth? Going to let him wait and decide what church he'll go to when he's old enough? Quit your kidding! You don't wait until he's old enough to decide whether he wants to go to school or not—to start his education. You don't wait until he's old enough to decide whether he wishes to be clean or dirty, do you? Do you wait until he's old enough to decide if he wants to take medicine when he is sick? Do you?"

"What shall we say when Junior announces he doesn't like to go to Sunday school and church? That's an easy one to answer. Just be consistent. Tell him, 'Junior, in our house we all go to Sunday school and that includes you.' Your firmness and example will furnish a bridge over which youthful rebellion may travel into rich and satisfying experience in personal religious living.

"The parents of America can strike a telling blow against the forces which contribute to our juvenile delinquency, if our mothers and fathers will take their children to Sunday School and church regularly."

Please note this. Mr. Hoover does not suggest to parents that they send their children to Sunday school and church. Instead, he talks of the home in which "we all go to church and Sunday school"—and that means Mom and Dad should take the children there.

**Who's Crazy?**

From a distance of some forty miles we attempt to get the thought processes of twelve jurors as they decide that a woman who killed her husband with a piece of pipe and hacked off his legs, the better to conceal her crime, was guilty only of voluntary manslaughter and should be imprisoned for a mere six years.

We do not expect to succeed in this attempt, for such thought processes, if any, are, besides being intangible, beyond analysis. But let's have a try at it.

The victim was 59 years old; his wife, 17 years younger. Did the jury decide he was too old for her, or she was too young for him, and that this was one way out of divorce?

The unfortunate head of the house was arthritis-ridden and for that reason unable to hold a job. Did the jury consider him such a burden on his wife and in such misery himself that she should be permitted to act in the dual role of mercy killer and protector of the family finances?

The husband drank to excess and beat his wife on occasion. So murder and mutilation were justified—did that idea enter into the thinking of the jury?

The defendant was found asleep in the home beneath the floor of which her husband's body was half-buried, so the crime must have been one of sudden passion, without premeditation—was that the reasoning of the jury?

Crazy, you say? Yes—very.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Editor, The Times:  
 Will you be so kind as to send me for exhibition purposes, a copy of your paper:

**THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES**

Here is the reason for my request: The Arkansas Press Association will hold its summer meeting on the University of Arkansas campus on June 15 and 16. The meeting will feature seminar-type sessions. As a large majority of those attending will be from the weekly newspaper field, the problems and achievements of the weekly press will be stressed. The program is being planned jointly by our Department of Journalism and the Arkansas Press Association but because of my wide experience in journalism I am assisting the Department and the Association in planning the program.

It is desired that we have for this meeting an exhibit of newspapers from every state in the Union which are representative of the best practices of weekly journalism. Your newspaper has been adjudged worthy of inclusion in this exhibit. Frankly, I have no recollection of having ever seen your newspaper, but I have conducted a careful survey—with the aid of approximately 75 experienced newspaper people in every section of the country—and I assure you that the nomination of your paper came from a competent journalist who is personally acquainted with it.

Sincerely yours,  
 William J. Good  
 Assistant to the President  
 University of Arkansas

**JIGGING PRODUCING RESULTS**

Pikeville football coach, Clayton Powers, is the No. 1 "jig-fisherman" at Dewey Lake this far in the season. Last Saturday, he landed four in the neighborhood of two pounds each, then Sunday he and I landed four that totaled 10 pounds, the biggest weighing in at 5½ pounds. Although the water was too muddy for ideal fishing conditions, several were run off the banks in the windy expedition.

**Permanent Home Offered To P'burg Youth Center, James Tells Supervisors**

Tom James, former commander of Floyd Post, American Legion, told supervisors of the Prestonsburg Youth Center that the Post intends to make its property a permanent place for youth recreation.

The Legion building is located on Lake Drive, about a quarter-mile from the center of town. Mr. James said Floyd Post already is taking steps to increase outside lighting and that he feels certain it can make whatever long-range improvements that are necessary to make the location attractive to young people.

The Center is still attractive to boys, a supervisor said, but attendance of girls has fallen off since the location was moved farther from the center of town. It was at first located in the Municipal building.

Cooperation of the Legion Post was predicted by Mr. James during this week's meeting of the nine members of the Center's board of supervisors and four members of the Youth Council. After a discussion of changes needed, the Youth Council members voted to use membership fee funds in the purchase of another ping-pong table to add to the one now loaned the Center. The supervisors voted to ask high school service clubs to sell cookies and sandwiches on Youth Center nights. The treasurer announced that a monthly financial report has been sent to all contributors.

**State's Progress Depends On Conservation of Land, Water and People, Said**

(This is the first article in a series on water conservation, issued by the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with the Kentucky Soil and Water Resources Commission.)

Are there "water problems" in Kentucky today? Let's take a look at the situation, remembering that there may be a problem of water in connection with supplies for household use in cities and villages and on farms, supplies for livestock, for industries, for growing crops, for recreation. The problem also may extend into the realms of storage, purity, chemical content, and erosion.

It is, sometimes said that Kentucky's progress will depend in large degree on balancing the productive use of its land and waters with the needs, numbers, and abilities of its people in an age of industrialization and modernized agriculture.

Kentucky's greatest resource, its people, is growing in numbers. From 1930 to 1950, the increase in population was 329,857—or an average of 16,500 more people to feed, house, and clothe in Kentucky each year during the 20-year period. Since 1950 the rate of increase has been greater still, though not so great as in the country as a whole.

The total land area of Kentucky on the other hand, has of course remained unchanged for generations. This does not mean, though, that the amount of land available for farming has remained the same. More and more highways, airports, industrial plants, housing developments, military installations, and reservoirs have taken thousands of acres out of agricultural production. From 1910 to 1950 the net loss in "acres in farms" in Kentucky was nearly 3 million acres. During the past 10 years this loss has averaged 35,000 acres a year.

That's the same as 425-two-hundred acre farms going out of production in Kentucky each year! And this doesn't take into account the loss of productivity through erosion, flooding, and water-logging of soil.

The picture in regard to land resources is not entirely gloomy, however. Farmers, in recent years, through programs of county agents and soil conservation districts, and with the help of various state and federal agencies, have begun a state-wide program of good land use and of soil and water conservation. Better farming methods, better equipment, more fertilization, improved plants and livestock have also helped to offset the fewer acres in production.

What about the water supply? Old-Timers often say the climate is changing and we have less rainfall than in earlier years. The record proves them wrong. During each 10-year period since 1940, Kentucky rainfall has averaged 44 to 46 inches a year, though droughts and wet seasons cause considerable variation from year to year.

For storage of water for municipal, industrial, and recreational use, we now have many more reservoirs than in earlier years—but the threat from silt we have with us still. Silt washed from unprotected farmlands and roadsides constantly encroaches on the storage space, and has filled entirely some of the older reservoirs and lakes!

Quality of water, too, has in some areas been changed for the worse by pollution from silt and industrial and human wastes.

Indeed there are water problems in Kentucky!

THE NATION is probably well aware of the fact that the national Red Cross organization has had the biggest job in its 75 year history in consequence of major floods in widely separated areas and has done its best job in meeting the emergency.

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. J. R. Camelia and mother, Mrs. Modena Hodges, of Okalona, Miss., were in Huntington, shopping, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wheatley, of Ashland, spent the week-end here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ley.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble Branham were shopping in Lexington recently.

Mrs. Essie Hayes has returned home from the Prestonsburg General hospital where she has been taking treatment.

Mrs. Effie Milby has concluded a week's stay here with Mrs. Carol M. May and has returned to her home in Lexington. She was extensively entertained during her stay here by old friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Effie Milby and Mrs. Carol M. May were luncheon guests of Mrs. Reba Mayo at the B. & W. Cafe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick entertained to dinner Monday evening at their home his sister Mrs. Effie Milby, Lexington, and Mrs. Carol M. May.

Mrs. Paul Francis and Mrs. G. R. Allen spent the day in Salyersville, Wednesday visiting Mrs. Francis' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige spent Wednesday in Huntington, W. Va., where she received medical treatment.

Miss Velva Kendrick and Miss Mary E. Powers were business visitors in Paintsville Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCormick, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end here with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Henry Stumbo.

Mrs. Sidney Garland and Mrs. George Branham, of Paintsville attended "Sabrina Fair" here Monday evening.

Mrs. Carol M. May returned home last week from a two-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. O. Allen, and family in Pikeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vernon Leake and children, of Ashland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Leake, at East Point, and Mrs. Louis Burchett at Cow Creek over the week-end. Mrs. Burchett has been a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital for more than a week.

Fred Cottrell went to Cincinnati Sunday to buy merchandise for the I. Richmond Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Adams, Hebron, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams on the Middle Creek road last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Conley, Silver Lake, Ind., visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Stephens and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens, Jr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen visited relatives and friends in Jackson, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens were in West Liberty, Monday on business.

Mrs. T. G. Dings and daughter, Elizabeth Graham, Chalmers Frazier and daughter, Kay Ann, were in Lexington Friday on business.

Miss Joy May, student at Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed May. Paul Hazer accompanied her on her return to Richmond, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens, Jr. were Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Cynthia Fitzpatrick on the Middle Creek road.



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GORMON COLLINS, Sheriff Floyd County, Kentucky

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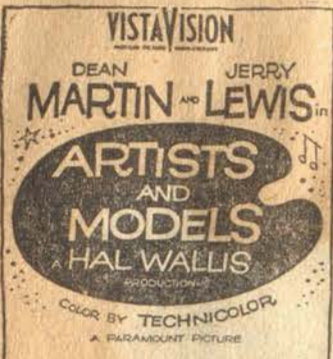
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## Collins, Bond Drive Head, Given Treasury Medallion

Adrian Collins, Floyd county Savings Bond sales chairman, was awarded the U. S. Treasury Department medallion Tuesday for patriotic service as the leader of the department's bond sales in the county over the last several years. The award was presented by Hugh P. Finley, Louisville, areas sales manager, U. S. Savings Bonds.

Mr. Collins, who is cashier of The Bank Josephine here, is a member of the Treasury Department's "100% Club," since the county exceeded its 1955 bond sales of \$491,381. The Floyd county quota this year is \$535,000; the state's \$67,800,000.

## rites for Babe

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the chapel of the Moore Funeral Home for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hyden who died Saturday at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

## MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY—

"The Fighting Phantom"  
Kent Taylor, Gail Patrick

"The Informer"  
Preston Foster, Heath Angel

"No Holds Barred"  
Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall,  
Bowery Boys

SATURDAY—

"The Spoilers"  
Anne Baxter, Jeff Chandler,  
Rory Calhoun

"I Married A Witch"  
Frederick March,  
Veronica Lake

"The View From  
Pompey's Head"  
Richard Egan, Dana Wynter,  
Cameron Mitchell

SUN.-MON.—

"The Rains of Ranchipur"  
CinemaScope-Color  
Lana Turner, Richard Burton,  
Fred MacMurray, Joan Crawford

TUESDAY—

"The Last Command"  
(Color)  
Sterling Hayden, Richard Carlson,  
Anna Marie Albergetti

"Column South"  
Audie Murphy, Joan Evans

"24-Hour Alert"  
Jack Webb

WED.-THURS.—

"There's Always  
Tomorrow"  
Barbara Stanwyck, Joan Bennett,  
Fred MacMurray

## RETAIL SALES IN BIG JUMP

Local Business Increase  
Accompanied by Heavier  
Payrolls, Report Says

(Special to The Times)

NEW YORK, Mar. 12 — Mounting business activity in the retail stores in Prestonsburg in the past few years has been accompanied by a corresponding rise in payrolls.

The 69 local retail establishments chalked up \$6,323,000 in business during the year 1954 as compared with \$5,935,000 six years earlier. The increase was 66 percent.

At the same time their payrolls rose to \$556,000 from \$389,000. This represented an increase of 43 percent. The number of employees was 247 in 1954.

These sidelights on local retail operations are brought out in the Government's 1954 Census of Business, just released. It is the first such study made by the Census Bureau since 1948. It covers every state, county and urban place in the country over 2,500.

It reveals that Prestonsburg's 43 percent payroll rise was greater than that shown throughout the United States generally, where the increase was 23 percent. In the East South Central States there was a 36 percent improvement.

The census, which has been eagerly awaited by the business community of the country, is expected to contribute answers to the many questions.

One of these is: how have central city retail sales been affected by suburban development? Another: has the expansion of retail outlets been in line with population trends?

The big guns of retail activity locally during the year were stores selling food, eating and drinking places, and automotive equipment establishments.

The food stores and eating and drinking group accounted for \$654,000. Automotive was \$2,416,000.

Similar gains were noted in the various other categories of retail trade locally.

Despite these satisfactory results, warn the economists, consumers will not continue buying at such a rate in the near future unless they are persuaded to do so. A harder selling effort will be needed, it is felt, to induce them to dig into their huge backlog of savings.

George Smith received a \$50 bond for having the highest corn yield in Clay county—148.6 bushels an acre.

In Logan county, 252 wood trays were refinished or decorated by homemakers in their club meetings.

## NOTICE

Dr. R. H. Messer will re-open his dental office at Garrett, Ky., on Monday, March 9 upon his return from Bonita Springs, Florida. 3-15-56.

## STRAND THEATRE

"Where Friends Meet Friends"

FRIDAY—

"Inside Detroit"  
Pat O'Brien, Dennis O'Keefe

"Night Freight"  
Forrest Tucker, Barbara Britton

SATURDAY—

"The Fighting Phantom"  
Kent Taylor, Gail Patrick

"No Holds Barred"  
Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall,  
Bowery Boys

"I Married A Witch"  
Frederick March, Veronica Lake

SUN.-MON.—

"Bottom of the Bottle"  
CinemaScope-Technicolor  
Van Johnson, Joseph Cotten,  
Ruth Roman

"The Redhead from  
Wyoming"  
Maureen O'Hara, Alex Nicol

TUESDAY—

"Fighting Chance"  
Rod Cameron, Julia London

"Meet Me at the Fair"  
Dan Dailey, Diana Lynn

WED.-THURS.—

"Quentin Durward"  
CinemaScope-Color  
Robert Taylor, Kay Kendall

"The Lawless Rider"  
Johnny Carpenter, Frankie Darro

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above the Ideal Market, a short distance above the traffic light, and at the request of Stumbo got out of the car. He added that he walked back down the road while Stumbo held the gun on him and Stumbo had taken both bottles of whiskey.

The officer placed the time of the incident at between 2 and 2.30 p.m.

Officers later went to Left Beaver in search of Stumbo but failed to find him. Deputy Sheriff Troy Mullins said the young man's father told him he would bring his son here and avoid trouble of any kind.

This he did, and they stopped at the jail. Refused permission to use the jail telephone, the younger Stumbo left, and when Deputy Sheriff Clyde Lester, brother of Herschell, left the County Judge's office with the warrants he found Stumbo gone.

Drunkness charges were lodged against Hall and Halbert.

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As a part of their training they were assigned to a week with J. B. Overstreet, district manager, in the Lexington district, and spent the better part of two days and one night in Prestonsburg, in company with Marvin Music, local Gulf distributor.

Gulf marketing of petroleum products in both Sweden and Finland is very similar to that of the United States. The same product names are used, and the service stations are built according to the same plans. Prices of products are somewhat different, however, with the price of gasoline being in the neighborhood of 60c per gallon in both these countries, half of which is tax.

## LOWER LITTLE PAINT RALLY

Tommie Robinson, Ronald Robinson and Claude George received blue ribbons in the speech contest. Three members gave demonstrations, they were Alta Hyden, Doris Vaughn, and Donald Rice. All received blue ribbons. Girls receiving blue ribbons for their clothing were Ruth Ann Delong, Tommie Sharon Robinson, Janita Music, Doris Katherine Vaughan, and Alta Hyden.

Under the able guidance of Miss Douglas Harmon, the Lower Little Paint 4-H Club has developed into one of the better clubs in the county.

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## THIS AD PAID

The Fountain Korner here recently advertised in The Times' Want-Ad column that it had old-fashioned clay pipes for sale. The result was the sale of three dozen or more of the pipes, with one dozen going to Clyde O. Burchett who mailed in his order from Riverside, California.

We aren't spoofing anybody when we say advertising in The Times pays. I must admit, however, that my own ad announcing that I want to buy a boat hasn't produced the desired results. In any event, that ad would have cost the advertiser instead of paying.

## THIS IS A CHALLENGE

Although Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt have moved to Middlesboro, they are still interested in Floyd county. Mrs. Mandt writes this week about the Easter Seal drive to raise funds for crippled children. Mr. Mandt was named chairman of the drive before he left the county, and writes Mrs. Mandt, "Not being in Floyd county, it will not be easy this year, but since we could not find anyone to take over we will work from here by means of letters."

If that isn't a challenge to those of us still in the county, what would you call it?

Willie Hall, Martin, Ky., is treasurer of the Easter Seal drive. Send your money to him.

## PRICE THEATRE

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FRIDAY—

"Pirates of Tripoli"  
Paul Hendrid, Patricia Medina  
Plus

Cousin Ezra and The  
Lonesome Pine Fiddlers  
(IN PERSON)

SATURDAY—

"Women's Prison"  
Ida Lupino, Howard Duff  
(Gals on rampage in  
prison riot)

"Secret Venture"  
Kent Taylor, Jane Hylton

SUNDAY—

"Francis in the Navy"  
Donald O'Connors, Martha Hyer

## DINNER TO HONOR MARTINS

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin, president of Sullins College at Bristol, Va., and his wife, with their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Bailey, wife of the registrar at Sullins, will be guests of honor at a dinner meeting of the Sullins College Tri-State Alumnae Association to be held April 20 at the Henry Clay hotel in Ashland. Alumnae in this area who are interested in attending the dinner are asked to contact Mrs. Ben Feaganes, Jr., 3264 Louisa Heights, Catlettsburg, by April.

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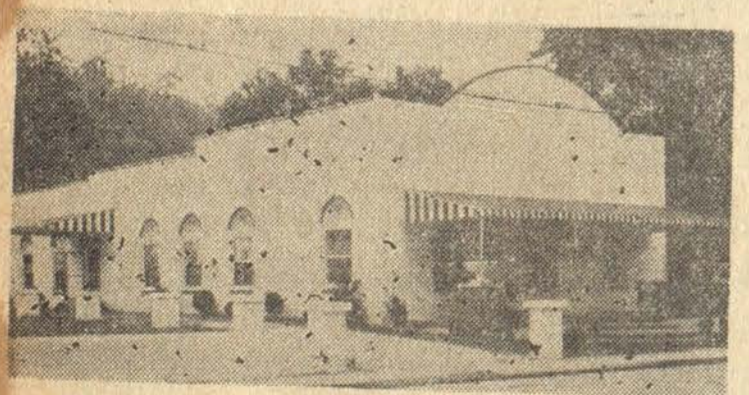
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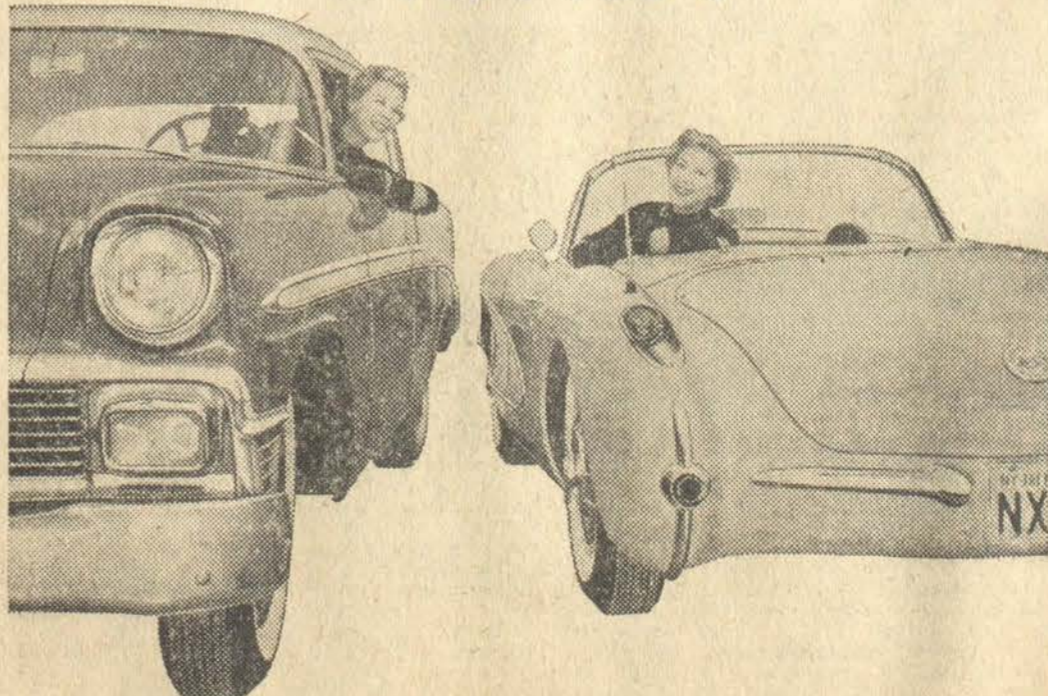
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# Divisive Force of Goebel Still Present in Frankfort

By Allan M. Trout (In The Courier-Journal)

Frankfort, Ky.—The divisive force of William Goebel continues to make itself felt upon Democratic politics in Kentucky—and Goebel has been in his grave 56 years.

Governor Chandler, for example, is sponsoring a bill in his first special session to make the secretary of state chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners, instead of the clerk of the Court of Appeals.

The immediate effect would be to demote Charles K. O'Connell, the appellate clerk who ran on the primary slate of Bert T. Combs, Chandler's primary opponent for Governor last August.

At the same time, it would promote Mrs. Thelma Stovall, of Louisville, the secretary of state who ran on Chandler's primary slate. In this manner, the Governor can obtain control of County election machinery before his candidates for the United States Senate and Congress get to the primary May 29.

In the first place, what the Governor wants to do is fair game in politics, as the art is practiced in Kentucky. In the second place, the clerk of the Court of Appeals has been an illogical chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners for 56 years.

But had it not been for Goebel's strong will, the appellate clerk today would not be in position to be stripped of political power. And the two factions of the Democratic party today represent the same partisan disadvantage that Goebel was trying to overcome.

The story began in 1895, when William O. Bradley became the first Republican ever to be elected Governor of Kentucky.

The defection carried over into the national race in 1896. Kentucky Democrats, as elsewhere, split on gold and silver. William McKinley carried the state over William Jennings Bryan. Never before had Kentucky gone for a Republican candidate for President.

Goebel, then a State senator from Kenton County, noted the trend

with grave concern. He vowed that never again would the Republicans be permitted to carry this state.

At his bidding, the 1888 Legislature enacted what came to be known, odiously, as the Goebel Election Law. It was designed to do precisely what Goebel, a silver Democrat, wanted it to do.

The law was cursed with equal vehemence by the gold Democrats and the Republican Party. It cast an ominous pall over the 1898 race for Governor between Goebel and William S. Taylor, the Republican nominee.

Despite an election law triggered against the Republicans, the face of the official returns gave Taylor a plurality of 2,383 votes. Goebel and his running mate for lieutenant governor, J. C. W. Beckham, filed a contest of the election. The Democratic Legislature was expected to decide in their favor.

Before the contest got under way, a rifleman, still unknown, felled Goebel on January 30, 1900. He died February 4. Meanwhile the Legislature hurriedly had declared the contest in his and Beckham's favor. Goebel was sworn into office on his deathbed in the Capital Hotel. Beckham succeeded to the office after serving two days as lieutenant governor.

On August 28, 1900, Governor Beckham called a special session to repeal the hated Goebel Election Law. The new law that replaced it was a model, for its day and time, of mild-tempered fairness for both parties. The law today is essentially the same that was passed at that time.

But the Beckham Administration, while willing to right a public wrong, was not willing to commit a political wrong in so doing. It prudently decided that the chairman of the new three-man commission should be pegged to a constitutional office.

That is why the law was written to make Sam J. Shackelford, then clerk of the Court of Appeals, chairman of the new Board of Election Commissioners. But it was not without sound political reason that the executive branch thus invaded the judicial branch for a manipulator perform in the Governor's best interest.

The constitutional officers below Beckham were all Democrats. But all except Shackelford were subject to contest suits by their counterparts on the Taylor ticket. Hence, it

could not be assumed that any of them had reasonable security of office.

As a matter of fact, Clifton J. Pratt, of the Taylor ticket, later won his contest suit against Attorney General Robert J. Breckinridge, the Democrat.

But Shackelford, alone, was secure in his office. Because of a mandate of the 1890-91 Constitution, he had been elected to a special six-year term in 1897. There was no cloud of contest over him.

So it is not new that one faction of the Democratic Party is tinkering with law to gain an advantage over the other. The party that William Goebel helped split in 1896 is still split and the fire he fanned in 1898 is still a flame.

Only twice have both factions come together. They united in 1903 to nominate and elect Beckham to his full term of four years. And they united behind Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby in 1951. For the rest of the time, for half a century plus one full decade, no quarter has been asked or given.

## Legislation Favorable To Kentucky Educators, Martin Says at Hazard

Eastern Kentucky educators were told this week by Dr. Robert Martin, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and the executive secretary of the Kentucky Education Association that Kentucky education has received at the hands of the General Assembly, with the support of the Chandler administration, more favorable legislation and has defeated more unfavorable legislation than at any previous time.

This report to school people was made Tuesday night at Hazard, and at Morehead, Wednesday. The meetings, being held in various parts of the state, also are intended to prepare for school planning under the minimum foundation program.

H. D. Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg, member of the State Board of Education, and City Superintendent Chalmers H. Frazier attended the Hazard meeting. County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner attended the meeting at Morehead.

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## February Payments To Floyd Needy Cited

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 (Spl.)—Needy residents of Floyd county drew \$48,783 through the State Department of Economic Security in February which administers the public assistance programs. It was announced today by Commissioner of Economic Security Vego E. Barnes.

Total old age assistance grants for the month were \$22,989; while aid to dependent children grants in the county were \$23,261, and needy blind grants totaled \$2,533.

Total outlay for public assistance during the month was \$3,254,326, of which \$1,949,210 went for old-age assistance; \$1,191,296 for dependent children, and \$112,820 to the needy blind.

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## Moral, Spiritual Values Discussed by Teacher

Whenever a teacher teaches a child the difference of right from wrong, in the right spirit disciplines a child or teaches a child to respect the rights of others she is teaching moral and spiritual values. Miss Elsie Stephens, first-grade teacher here, told members of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club last Thursday in an outstanding talk on "Moral and Spiritual Values in Education."

The teacher discussed how teachers instill in their pupils moral and spiritual values without bringing religious doctrine into the classroom. She cited the U. S. Supreme Court decision under which pupils may be granted time from classroom work for religious instruction outside the school and mentioned the schools of Paris, Paducah, and Danville as places where pupils receive such instruction.

Miss Stephens, who received her M. A. in Education from the University of Kentucky, has taught in the Breckinridge Training School, Morehead, the Pikeville Training School of the University of Kentucky, in addition to her work here.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. R. D. Francis. The club voted to hold a bake sale March 17 to raise funds to pay delegates expenses to the state convention, and asked that members should contribute in baked products or cash \$2. The club donated \$5 for chicks for Equador. Mrs. Merle Wilson was named to head a committee to look into the need here for a course in Family Living and Family Responsibility. A committee to look into the facts of city Government in Prestonsburg and to report at the April meeting was named. Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel was elected to membership.

Attending last Thursday's meeting were the hostesses, Mrs. R. D. Francis, Mrs. Mark Reed, Mrs. John Allen and Mrs. C. F. Baldrige, and Mesdames Grover Lowe, Estill Hyden, Marvin Music, Edward Music, W. M. Wallen, Bill Pettrey, Woodrow Allen, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., John Hale, Victor Hale, E. V. May, Ira McMillen, W. W. Cooley, James Donohoe, John Roberts, Merle Wilson, Frank H. Layne, W. H. Brown, J. H. Numery, Leland McCabe, Harold D. Dorsey, Francis Harmon, J. H. Keenon, W. E. Hunt, Lon Hill, and Miss Alice Harris.

## State Banks Report Net Profit for Year

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 (Spl.)—Kentucky's 280 state chartered banks reported net profits after dividends last year of \$4,759,226.10—compared with \$6,344,412.91 for the 284 banks under state charter at the end of 1954, it was reported today by State Banking Commissioner S. Albert Phillips.

The Banking Commissioner reported that current operating earnings of the banks totaled \$39,711,493.31, while operating expenses were \$23,361,955.90, leaving a net figure of \$16,349,539.41. Recoveries and profits of \$1,012,183.20 were reported. Losses, charge-offs, and reserves of \$3,178,362.31 were experienced, leaving a profit before income taxes of \$14,183,366.30. Taxes on net income reduced the latter total to a figure of \$17,976,179.25. Dividends declared on preferred stock totaled \$3,215,953.15.

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## 'Wilderness Road' Author Selected by Foundation To Receive '55 Award

Berea, Ky., March 1 (Spl.)—Paul Green, author of WILDERNESS ROAD, has been selected by the Freedom Foundation as a recipient of the George Washington medal for 1955.

The awards, which are announced on Washington's birthday each year, are designed to give recognition to outstanding patriotic documents, sermons, editorials, cartoons and school programs are eligible, as well as radio and television programs and all other forms of public entertainment.

Mr. Green was selected for the distinction on the basis of his newest symphonic drama, WILDERNESS ROAD, the story of Kentucky in the days before the Civil War. Produced here in a setting of native folk music and dance, it deals with a young man who has a deep unselfish love for his Kentucky valley and all the people in it, and who is willing to place their welfare above his own. It is a convincing and a human story, so well as one which serves to deepen the appreciation for the American heritage of freedom. Its popularity last year brought about a decision to continue it in 1956, in a season beginning June 30.

The Freedom Foundation was created in 1949, at Valley Forge, Pa.

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**CERF:** Is there really that much difference between the way you and other manufacturers make cars?

**ROMNEY:** All the difference between yesterday's railway coach and today's streamliner. Other cars still use a principle old as the oxcart: A flat frame bolted under a separate body. In our cars, frame and body are welded as a "single unit". It's the biggest stride since the all-steel body.

**CERF:** And this makes a safer car?

**ROMNEY:** Twice as safe. Instead of a flat frame underfoot, our frame is a steel, box-girder enclosure as big as the car. It gives you "wrap-around" protection in front, rear, sides and top.

**CERF:** That sounds like real protection.

**ROMNEY:** That's not all. Flat frames others use are stiff, so they transmit collision force throughout the car. Our big steel box-girders up front absorb most of the impact. They take the brunt of the punishment instead of passengers.

**CERF:** What about performance?

**ROMNEY:** That's a real plus. "Single unit" construction gives a better power-weight ratio. It's stronger and safer, but eliminates useless weight and bulk. Our cars have set many racing records.

**CERF:** And economy?

**ROMNEY:** They're tops. Rambler holds the gas mileage record in Mobilgas Economy Runs. Again, because our "hard-muscled" single unit avoids dead weight.

**CERF:** I like room and comfort.

**ROMNEY:** Nash and Hudson have more room inside than any high-priced car. Rambler equals medium-priced big cars. As for ride, the greater strength of our "single unit" lets us use larger springs, and superior front suspension.

**CERF:** Isn't resale value important?

**ROMNEY:** You bet. Rambler has top resale value in the low price field. In addition to other advantages, welded single unit cars last longer, make better used cars.

**CERF:** If all you say is true, why don't the Big Three make cars your way?

**ROMNEY:** You see, mere "bigness" can be a handicap in advanced automobile engineering. One of the biggest of the "Big 3" was years behind others in adopting the all-steel body. The bigger you are, the more factories you have—the more it costs to change.

**CERF:** I can understand that.

**ROMNEY:** Beginning in 1940, we spent over \$50,000,000 to develop the "single unit" car. Today, it will cost the biggest companies billions to re-tool for our method.

**CERF:** Do you think they will follow you?

**ROMNEY:** No doubt about it. Our major competitors will probably make the change gradually—piece-meal—or one model at a time. Frankly, we will be happy to see our "single unit" construction adopted, because it will mean better, safer cars on American highways.

**CERF:** Well, I'm about ready for another car. I'm going down to look at American Motors cars.

**ROMNEY:** All I ask anyone to do is see and drive our modern "single unit" cars at a Nash or Hudson dealer's. The rest is up to you.



Edward Collins of Calloway county reports a net profit of approximately \$500 from an acre of dark air-cured tobacco.

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**Rural Couple's Baby Delivered By Veterinarian**

By Jack Wild

Does Kentucky need more doctors? In a remote corner of one Kentucky county, an anxious young husband, humble and poor, tried desperately to get a doctor to attend his wife, who was about to have her first child. No doctor came. The young man, frantic, appealed to a neighbor for help, and the neighbor suggested that a veterinarian be called. The veterinarian delivered the baby.

This is a true story. The Kentucky Medical Foundation has facts to support it. Other similar cases in the same county are not unheard of. The old practice of midwifery is common in that section. The people living there want more doctors and better medical attention. Local doctors are said to oppose the opening of a second medical school in Kentucky.

The critical shortage of doctors is not limited to one section of the state. In 1949 over 5,000 births—most of them in rural areas—occurred with no physician in attendance. In the death of infants under one year of age, the Kentucky rate was higher than that of all but three other states.

It is estimated that rural Kentuckians get less than half as much medical care as city dwellers. Rural counties have an average of one doctor for 1,976 people, while eight urban counties have an average of one doctor per 816 people. One county in Kentucky has only one physician for its population of 13,000. Another does not have even one doctor living in the county.

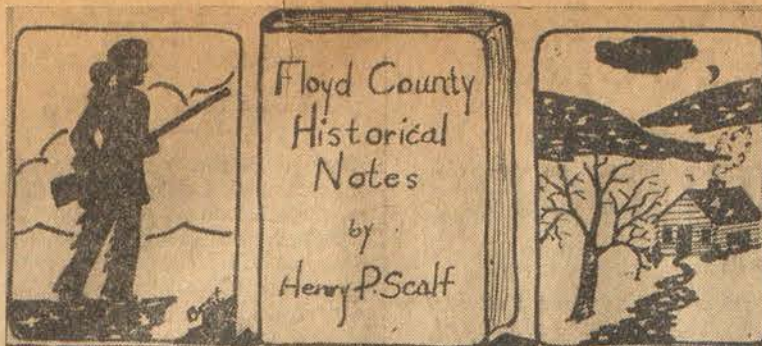
Kentucky, with some 3,000,000 people, has 2,375 doctors. Great numbers of Kentucky's residents do not receive adequate medical attention. It is generally agreed. More doctors must be trained. The answer to the problem, according to the Medical Foundation, is the early establishment of a state-supported medical college at the University of Kentucky.

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Digging into the mail, a letter from R. Lee Stewart, of Morehead, is found relative to the story on the Hargis-Cockrell feud in Breathitt county which was published by The Times three weeks ago.

"I read your article on the Jackson trouble. John Hargis was killed by Jerry Cardwell, who was a special agent for the L. & E. Railroad and I believe they were returning from Lexington when the killing occurred. He was never convicted over it. Many years later, when there were saloons in Jackson, and it is only hearsay evidence, Ben Hargis, a fine looking young man and a very large one at that, sent for Tom Cockrell to come to the saloon. I do not know what passed between them but when the fight was over Ben Hargis was dead and Tom Cockrell was shot and down on the floor. He saved a shot for an emergency. I do not think Tom was tried over it. His brother Jim was Chief of Police and he arrested some of the faction and he was killed from the courthouse as he was preparing to go to the depot to leave on the afternoon train. I never could understand why they killed Jim instead of Tom."

Many wonder why Jim Cockrell was killed in the Hargis-Cockrell feud instead of Tom, just like Mr. Stewart. That is one of the mysteries of the feud. All this reminds that Curt Jett who killed the attorney, J. B. Marcum, on the steps at Jackson, is dead. Dr. Bennett H. Wall of the Department of History of the University of Kentucky was in The Times office, Feb. 3, discussed the feud. Curt Jett came into the conversation and both Dr. Wall and this columnist thought he was living. When Wall returned to Lexington, he wrote back that Curt Jett actually died the exact day we were talking. Just where he was living at the time of death was not stated.

Former County Judge Ed Hill, Sr., who now resides at Mt. Sterling, writes about the article on the ride of Billy McCoy to Frankfort to procure a pardon for the condemned Abner James, the story having appeared in The Times a few weeks ago.

"We have some folks here of the same family. (Judge refers to the Dean family.) One of my grandmother's sisters married Jim Osborne of Menifee county and he has some grandchildren living here, one of whom is Mrs. Nell McNarma, who has been County Superintendent of Schools here for 18 years but resigned last fall. Another family, Hamiltons, who sprang from the same Jim Osborn, reside here also. I gave them the copy of The Times and explained to them that Pernina Dean James was a sister to their great-grandmother Wireman."

W. N. Stevens, Route 1, box 391, of Boise, Idaho, is seeking a copy of Life Among the Hills and Moun-

**UK Announces Program For Visiting Students**

The University of Kentucky's Department of Physical Education has planned a careful supervised program of recreation for high school students who will be on the UK campus from March 14 to 17 for the state basketball tournament.

Students from all sections of the state are invited to take part in the activities, which will include swimming in UK's Memorial Coliseum pool, bowling, and meetings with the various UK religious groups. Details of the program will be announced from time to time during the tournament, also staged in Memorial Coliseum.

The program is being sponsored by business and professional persons in Lexington and will be directed by recreation leadership students at the University. Co-ordinator will be Dr. Earl Kauffman, member of the UK physical education faculty.

Four states each produced more than 10 per cent of the bituminous coal mined in the United States in 1954, namely Illinois, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

**UK Host on March 23 To Young Journalists**

Approximately 500 Kentucky high school students are expected to take part in the annual Kentucky High School Press Association's publications clinic, scheduled for Friday, March 23, at the University of Kentucky.

More than 20 specialists in the various phases of journalism will serve as speakers during the day. Among these will be Cary Robertson, Sunday editor of the Louisville-Courier-Journal, Dr. Bennett H. Wall, member of the UK history faculty, will address the young journalists.

Stevens has asked this column to aid him in the search. Anyone having a copy for sale, write him. Also Mrs. Wilma May, Tollesboro, Ky., is looking for a copy.

A letter from Paul T. Wayland, Batesville, Box 59, Arkansas, thinks the town of Wayland here may have been named for one of his Wayland relatives. "My great-grandfather came from Kentucky sometime after 1800 and I am naturally interested in knowing for whom Wayland, Ky., was named. I do not know for sure which part of Kentucky my great-grandfather lived but perhaps there might be some of your readers who have information that would be of interest to me and help in establishing his Kentucky residence.

"His name was Nevil Wayland and his wife was Parmela. He evidently was a farmer for he brought a number of slaves with him when he came to Arkansas. These were sold later."

Carl Corbin, Prestonsburg engineer, says that Wayland was named for one of the original stockholders of the Consolidation Coal Company. He thinks that Frank Harman, of Wayland, would be able to answer questions relative to when and for whom the town was named.

This column would like to extend its thanks to all who have recently sent material. Special acknowledgments are due Juble Tackett, of the Johns Creek high school, Route 1, Pikeville, for information on the Tackett family which originated in Georgia and emigrated to Eastern Kentucky.

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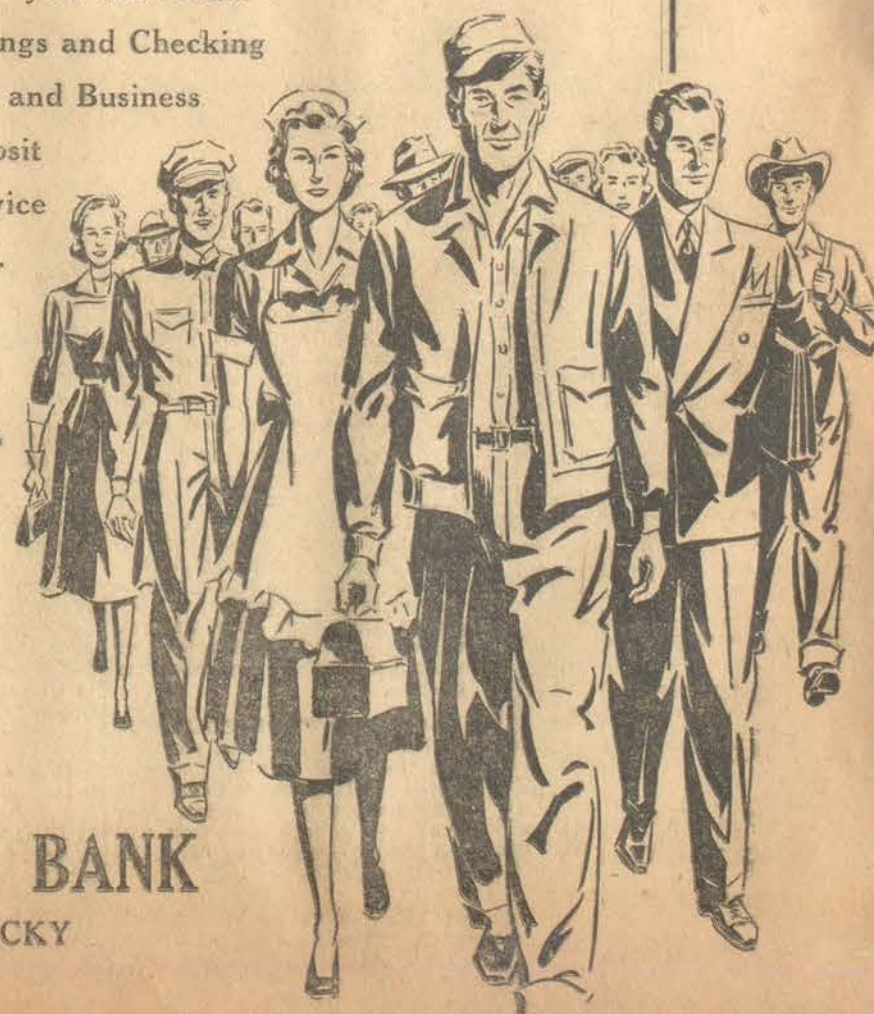
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### Mrs. Farinda Spears, 79, Native of Floyd County, Dies at Pike Hospital

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. March 3, at the home of Mrs. Farinda Spears, 79, of McCombs, who died the preceding Thursday at the Methodist hospital at Pikeville. The cause of death was not given.

Mrs. Spears was born in Floyd county, March 2, 1887, the daughter of Marlon and Lila Adkins Justice. She had made her home at McCombs, on Johns Creek, for 77 years. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Her husband, Jeff Spears, preceded her in death November 3, 1947. Surviving are two sons, Proctor and Oscar Spears, both of McCombs, and the following daughters: Mrs. Bessie Blackburn and Mrs. Alma Hite, also of McCombs; Mrs. Jane Young, of Varney, Pike county; Mrs. Mellie Lowe, Big Rock, Va.; and Mrs. Elva Foley, Hatcher, W. Va. Two brothers, William Justice, of McCombs, and Jerry Justice, of Osborne, this county, also survive.

Burial was made in the Spears family cemetery at McCombs under the direction of J. W. Call and Son Funeral Home.

### TURKEY CREEK

By Ruby Gay Bentley

Mrs. Olive Thacker returned home this week from Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dottie Hagans, of Ashland, was visiting Mrs. Maude Hagans and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Hayes, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Morris have moved from Martin to the Creed Martin place.

Mrs. Ila Ellen Hayes has been slightly ill with flu this week.

Mrs. Martha Vanderpool, who has been confined to her home by sickness for the past two months, visited her daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Akers and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Hoover visited Mrs. Felix Dudley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lawson, of Garrett, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Snyder, of Betsy Layne, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Terry, Sunday.

Mrs. Georgia Goble, of Indiana, was visiting her brother and father, and Mrs. Felix Dudley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Gayheart visited their daughter at Ashland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Labon Gibson, of Columbus, were visiting their parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Salisbury and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Taylor at Lovely, Ky., this week.

Morris Thacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brucon Thacker, is now stationed with the army in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lemaster recently moved to Johnson county.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bentley, of Ohio, recently visited their parents here.

Thanks to somebody for reading Earl Lawson "Letter to the Editor"—our roads have been fixed and are fairly good.

### New Bridge Recommended By State Highway Dept.

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 — Construction of a new \$12,570,000 six-lane bridge across the Ohio River connecting Covington and Cincinnati was recommended to the State Highway Department by the consulting engineer firm of Hazlett and Erdal.

The proposed span would be located some 800 feet downstream from the existing Chesapeake and Ohio river bridge. It would connect with the Covington expressway at Ninth street, but exclude the Cincinnati approach. Engineers recommended the location as the "most economical" and providing the most direct route for the connection between the expressways in both cities.

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### MAYTOWN

MRS. WILEY, HOSTESS

The March meeting of the Maytown W. S. C. S. was held Tuesday evening at the parsonage. Mesdames H. M. Wiley and Charles Patton were hostesses and Mrs. Elizabeth Allen was program leader. Following the program the business meeting was held. It was reported that the final payment was made on the piano in February. The next project to undertake was discussed, but nothing definite was decided.

After the close of the business meeting, a social period, with refreshments, was enjoyed by the 21 members present.

Hostesses for the April meeting will be Mesdames Raymond Crum and Thomas Combs with Mrs. George Patton as program leader.

Mrs. George Begley was admitted to the Pikeville hospital early Sunday morning, suffering pneumonia.

Jody Begley was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor Begley, of Boldman.

Sandra Sue Patrick spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick. She was accompanied home by Miss Carol Brooks, also a student at Morehead College.

Members of the Maytown band attended a concert given by the Georgetown College ensemble at Martin, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Click and daughter, of Detroit, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Click, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frasure and daughter, of Morehead and Mr. and Mrs. Buel Spears and children, of Mossy Bottom, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen.

Other students from Morehead spending the week-end at home were Miss Charlotte Maggard and J. G. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Morris have moved from Martin to the Creed Martin property on Turkey Creek.

Miss Bonnie Hopson spent the week-end with Anna Faye Dixon and family in Prestonsburg.

### Wheelwright Woman Attends National Meet

The National Dry Cleaning Convention held this year in Dallas, Texas, March 1 through March 5 was attended by between 8,000 and 10,000 members, including Mrs. Daniel Autore, personnel supervisor of Clark's Laundry and Cleaners at Wheelwright.

Entertainment this year, for the registrants, was exceptionally good and exceeded that of previous conventions she has attended. Mrs. Autore stated. Included were style shows, discussions of the trade and of a visit to the famed Stephen F. ranch for a Texas-style barbecue, rodero and dance.

### Evans, 31, Appointed Insurance Examiner

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 — Appointment of Robert B. Evans, 31, as senior examiner for the Department of Insurance was announced today by Commissioner of Insurance Cad Thurman.

Since 1954, Evans has been associated with a Louisville firm of certified public accountants. He will be assigned to the central offices here, but his work will take him across the state to examine insurance companies to determine if they are financially sound.

### Miss Pitchford, Mr. Hicks Vows Set, March 30th

The wedding of Miss Jimmie Pitchford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zurl Pitchford, of Scottsville, Ky., to Mr. Ronald Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hicks, of Allen, will take place on Friday, March 30, at 4:30 in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Bowling Green, Ky. The reception will be immediately following the ceremony in the church Fellowship Hall. No formal invitations will be issued.

Miss Pitchford completed the college secretarial course at the Bowling Green College of Commerce and is now employed at the America Fore Instruction Group in Bowling Green.

Mr. Hicks is a senior at the Bowling Green College of Commerce where he will be graduated in May.

### Pike Speech Festival Will Find 13 Schools In Regional Debate

Ten high-school debating teams will lead some 225 students from 13 Eastern Kentucky schools into the Pikeville regional speech festival, March 23 and 24.

Floyd County (Prestonsburg) high school's debaters are among 22 students entered from the Prestonsburg school.

All activities of the regional festival, usually held on the campus of Pikeville College, will be conducted in the new education building of the Pikeville Methodist Church, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, announced today. Public speaking, debating and 11 other speech events make up the festival program.

The two highest-ranked debate teams, the first-place winner in public speaking and all students rated "superior" in other events will advance to the state speech festival April 19-21 in Lexington. In addition, up to two entrants winning "excellent" rankings in any event in which there are no "supervisors" may be qualified by the judges for the state meet.

Dr. R. D. Johnson, of the University of Kentucky, will head a board of four judges from the University, Dr. Page said.

Debaters also are entered from Beltry, Benham, Dorton, Elkhorn City, Hazard, Hellen, Napier, Virgie and Whitesburg high schools. Other entrants are from Lynch and Paintsville high schools and Pikeville College Academy.

Consumption of coal to produce electric power will total more than 167,000,000 tons a year by 1959, or more than doubled the tonnage of only 10 years before.

### Notice of Sale

Notice of public sale of a 1954 Ford Motor No. R4FV191961 to be sold at 10:00 a.m. on March 19, 1956 at the Floyd Motor Co., Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Bids must be for cash at time of sale. This car is stored at and may be seen at the Floyd Motor Co., Inc., Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

### NOTICE

Dr. R. H. Messer will re-open his dental office at Garrett, Ky., on Monday, March 9 upon his return from Bonita Springs, Florida. 3-15-56.

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## Ferrell New Head Coach At Lafayette Hi School

Doc Ferrell, former Prestonsburg high school grid coach, has been named head football coach at Lafayette high school, Lexington, it was announced in Lexington this week.

Ferrell, one of the state's top grid mentors, will leave Owensboro high where he began coaching last fall after leaving Prestonsburg, to take up his new duties.

The change to Lexington will be in the nature of a homecoming for Ferrell, since he was a regular performer on the UK football team there from 1946 to 1950. He was an all-state high school gridder with Madison high at Richmond.

After his graduation at the University he came to Prestonsburg where he compiled an outstanding record. In one of the years of his tenure here he was named Coach of the Year in Kentucky. As Black Cat coach he developed Delmar Hughes, now UK's quarterback, and Lowell Hughes, brother of Delmar, who is slated for a Wildcat uniform. Both boys were members of the all-state football eleven.

Ferrell will succeed Tony Salvato as Lafayette's head grid chief. Salvato, the General track coach, was promoted to head football coach last season when Bill Schaffnit resigned to enter the automobile business. Ferrell and Schaffnit played together at UK in 1948.

When Ferrell left Prestonsburg to take the Owensboro position, he was given a three-year contract by the school. However, it was reported that the Owensboro Board of Education will release Ferrell from the

contract to accept the Lafayette post.

It was also reported from Owensboro that Ferrell wasn't satisfied with the setup at the school and that is the main reason he is departing. The Red Devils posted a 4-4-2 record last season and several times stories of grumbling among the players was reported.

Ferrell is considered one of the top prep coaches in the state and is expected to produce good outfits at Lafayette.

Owensboro officials reported that the school board there will be seeking a "big name" coach to succeed Ferrell, and they will begin looking for a new man this week.

### Concert Association Elects New Officers

Preceding the Monday evening performance of "Sabrina Fair" by the Barter Theatre of Virginia at the grade school auditorium, the Family Concert Association held a business session electing officers for the coming year. The continuance of entertainment was planned by the group electing the following officers:

John Straton, president; Mrs. W. W. Cooley, first vice-president; Dr. Herbert Salisbury, second vice-president; Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Johnnie Ellis, secretary; Everett Patton, publicity chairman; Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, arrangements chairman.

Directors elected are Mrs. H. L. Ley, James Camicia, Mrs. Arthur Haywood, Mrs. William Crawford, David; B. Alvin Reed, Drift, John Snodgrass, Allen, Mrs. Sarah Clay Stephens, Miss Laura Virginia Roberts, and Miss Barbara May.

### Automobile Insurance Investigation Begun

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 — Insurance Commissioner C. P. Thurman said today his department has started an investigation to determine whether Kentucky automobile buyers were being overcharged by some finance companies on collision insurance coverage.

Thurman said "a regulation has been sent out to all companies writing automobile collision insurance, directing them to mail a questionnaire to each individual insured aimed at determining the number of vehicles improperly classified."

Misclassification of vehicles, he said, could result "in higher insurance premiums to the policy holder."

### PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH

Harold W. Dorsey, Minister  
Prestonsburg, Ky.

SUNDAY, March 18—

9:45 a.m., Church school. Classes for all ages.

10:55 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "Denomination? The Answer is God"

5:55 p.m., Senior M. Y. F. meets.

6:15 p.m., Intermediate M. Y. F. meets.

7:30 p.m., Evening worship. Sermon topic: "Love's Extremes."

Monday, 7:30 p.m., M.Y.F. sub-district meets here in the church.

Wednesday, 9:00 a.m., Morning devotions, WPERT.

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

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

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

### I. O. O. F. MEETING DATES

Prestonsburg I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 293 announces meeting change from each Thursday, to the second and fourth Fridays of each month. Our next meetings will be Friday, 7:30 p.m., March 9th and Friday 23rd.

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### George, Of Betsy Layne, Is Outstanding Observer

James George, of Betsy Layne, has been selected as Kentucky's outstanding observer in the Civilian Observer Corps for the month of March.

Mr. George has been supervisor of the Betsy Layne observation post since 1952, and during that time his post has missed participating in only two practice "sky-watch" sessions. On several of the sky-watch sessions that lasted for 24 hours Mr. George served as many as 18 hours.

George is a member of the Methodist Church, and is president of the Betsy Layne Men's Club. He is also a flight lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol, and is Scoutmaster of a Boy Scout group. Besides all these activities, he still finds time to catch a few bass at Dewey Lake.

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### Camp Earl Wallace Will Open May 28, Baldrige Says

Camp Earl Wallace located at Cumberland Lake will open on May 28 for Junior Conservation boys, boys from Floyd county will attend camp June 4 through June 9, Bernard Baldrige, district Junior Conservation supervisor, said this week.

About 2,500 boys and girls attended this camp last year. Application blanks are now being placed in the hands of boys in 19 schools in this county. The regular camp fee is \$7.50 for the week. Of this amount, \$5 goes for food, \$1.00 goes toward paying transportation and 50¢ for an insurance policy to cover the boy until he returns home.

"This is one of the best camps in the United States, and over the past 10 years there hasn't been a major accident there," Baldrige said.

In camp boys are taught many phases of conservation. Some activities swimming, archery, boating with both motors and oars, safety practices, nature study, casting, first aid, and plenty of fishing. Camp sports include basketball, tennis, softball, horseshoes and other games.

Baldrige said about 100 boys from Floyd county alone are expected to attend the camp.

The Floyd County Fish & Game Club is helping some of the boys go this year by letting them sell membership cards. Each Junior Club member who sells as many as 15 memberships get a free trip to camp.

### COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Harold W. Dorsey, Minister  
Prestonsburg, Ky.

SUNDAY, March 18—

9:30 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "Forgive Us As We Forgive."

10:30 a.m., Church school. Classes for all ages.

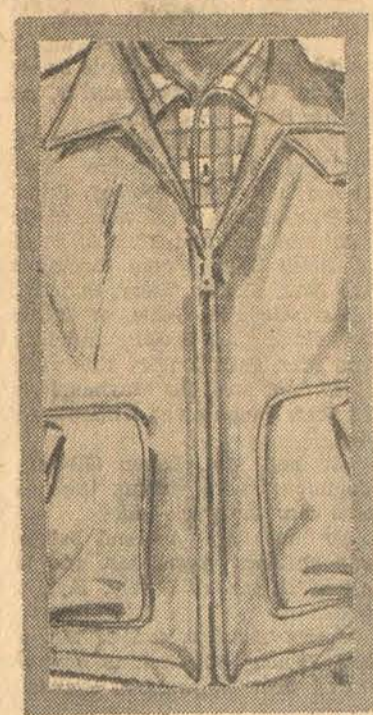
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### ALLEN

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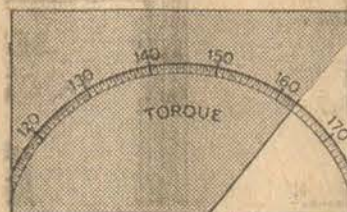
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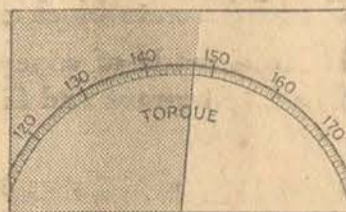
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**DEPUTY WARDEN NAMED**

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 — Lloyd Armstrong, 42, Marion, was named as deputy warden at Kentucky State Reformatory at La Grange to replace Cecil Thacker who had held the position for four years. Armstrong was deputy warden at Kentucky state penitentiary in Eddyville for several years, but resigned last November and accepted a post with the Kansas state penitentiary.

All electric power in the State of Virginia is produced by coal-burning plants and one, Virginia Electric Power Co., uses about 6,000 tons of coal daily.

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Thomas Spears, Betsy Layne.  
Grant Howard, Johns Creek.

The Wasps of Wayland high school, headed by the redoubtable "King Coleman", won the regional basketball tournament at Pikeville Saturday night in a scoring display that was matched only by the spirit and all-around ability of the team as a whole after it had lost its great scoring star, Coleman, on fouls in the third quarter.

And so the Floyd school earned the right to represent the 15th region in the state tournament at Lexington this week. This will be the third state tourney trip taken by "Copper-John" Campbell and his Wasps since 1947.

Wayland reached the big state meet, the hard way. It suffered from the draw, meeting a strong Betsy Layne team in the first round last Wednesday night. The Wasps won that one, 92-84. In the semi-finals Wayland's opposition was Paintsville, a team that had won 28 games while dropping only two, and the Floyd countians rose brilliantly to the occasion, dumping the Johnson countians, 96-72. That took the Wasps into the finals, to meet the Pikeville Panthers on the Panthers' own floor Saturday night.

Before a packed house, with tense fans howling and hooting on every play, the great Coleman staged the greatest first half of his four years of high school net play. Unstoppable, he racked up 36 points in the first half to give his team a 54-45 halftime lead over Pikeville. He tallied eight more points to bring his total to 46 before fouling out of the fray with 1:29 to go in the third period.

The departure of Coleman was hailed with delight by Pikeville fans, with Wayland supporters suffering the opposite emotion. There were nine minutes, 29 seconds yet to go,

and few believed the Wasps could hold their slim lead with the fabulous Coleman sidelined. But they saw Elmon Hall take up the starring role where Coleman had left off, saw the whole Wasp-nest swarm out with greater spirit than ever. Hall, unruffled by the disastrous turn of events, tossed in 14 points in those nine minutes to ice the cherished victory, 96 to 90.

Yet winning this epic struggle that had fans saying things they perhaps now wish they hadn't said wasn't as easy as that. Pikeville, encouraged by Wayland's loss of Coleman, came roaring back to trail by a lone point with four minutes to go and four of the Panthers regulars on the bench via the foul route. Substitute Larry Phillips was scoring almost at will for the Panthers. Meanwhile, Wayland had lost another regular. Altogether, Pikeville lost six players on fouls, leaving that team with only four players on the floor, the last 39 seconds of the game.

Wayland opened the annual "Sweet Sixteen" state playoff at Memorial Coliseum, Lexington, last night against Shelbyville.

In 37 games, the run-and-shoot Wasps have burned the nets for 3,368 points for an uncanny 91-points-per game mark.

The No. 1 scorer in Kentucky's all-time basketball history is six-foot-three, 215-pound Kelly Cole-

man, the "blonde-bombshell" of the Mountains. Coleman, an excellent dribbler, rebounder, and a terrific shot from any spot on the floor, is agile as any little man and has a nifty change-of-pace. His 1,734 points in 37 games to date is unquestionably the highest in the country. In three regional tournament games, sometimes playing with three mgn on him, he hit for 53, 50 and 44 points for a three-game total of 147.

Elmon Hall, 5-11 senior, is a good shot from the floor and sports a 17-point-per-game mark, and center Melvin Robbins, 6-1, 15-year-old sophomore, does a capable job on the boards and at guarding his much taller center opponents.

Forwards Billy Fultz and Billy Combs, both 6-1 juniors, never played basketball before this year and their improvement during the season has been remarkable. Both are fine shots from the outside and their speed and rebounding strength have been big factors in Wayland's success.

Front-line reserves are James Hall, 6-2 senior, Curtis Stone, 5-10 sophomore guard, Jackie Thornberry, 5-8 senior, Bobby Bentley, 5-10 junior and Jackie Greathouse, a freshman.

Robinson has clipped in at a 13-point-a-game pace, and Fultz and Combs both have averaged over ten per contest.

This is "Copper-John" Campbell's third attempt at the state title. In 1947 with all-state Ed Decorsey Wayland lost out to Owensboro, and in 1951 with Fred Fraley and Paul Hopper Wayland was eliminated by Manual in the quarter-finals.

**"Outstanding Service," Tribute To Red Cross Made by Gov. Chandler**

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 — Praising the Red Cross for its "inestimable service to people throughout our nation and the world," Governor A. B. Chandler proclaimed the month of March as "Red Cross Month in Kentucky." He urged that Kentuckians support the aims of the Red Cross liberally.

Another proclamation designated the week of May 6-12 as "National Hearing Week" and suggested that all citizens "lend their best efforts to the campaign for better hearing."

## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

**ALL-STATE TIME**

The 1956 Courier-Journal All-State high school basketball team will be announced Sunday, April 1. No doubt, the 15th region will be represented by Wayland's Kelly Coleman, with Prestonsburg's Lowell Hughes and Flat Gap's Charlie Osborne coming in for considerable recognition.

"Copper-John" Campbell should be one of the overwhelming favorites for Coach-of-The-Year honors.

**CALLED ALL SHOTS IN REGIONAL TOURNAY**

The weekly basketball rating that we ran in The Times each week during the season proved to be accurate in every instance in the 15th regional tournament as shown below.

**Our Ratings and Actual Difference First Round**

Paintsville over Johns Creek by 27, Paintsville by 25.

Wayland over Betsy Layne by 6, Wayland by 8.

Flat Gap over Morgan County by 20, Flat Gap by 54.

Pikeville over Sandy Hook by 51, Pikeville by 67.

**Semi-Finals**

Pikeville over Flat Gap by 4, Pikeville by 9.

Wayland over Paintsville by 1, Wayland by 24.

**Finals**

Wayland over Pikeville by 4, Wayland by 6.

**COLEMAN SCORES**

In playing 37 minutes in three regional tournament games, against three of the best teams in the mountains, Kelly Coleman scored 147 points, a 1.69-point-per-minute pace, something almost unheard of if we hadn't seen it, we would seriously doubt it.

**CARR CREEK LOST IN '23**

In answer to several phone-calls, Carr Creek lost to Ashland in the finals of the state high school tournament in 1928 by 13-11 in four overtime periods.

Carr Creek and Wayland, the two mountain teams that could keep the state title in this section, could meet in the semi-finals of the tourney, if both win their first two games.

In two meetings during the season, Wayland won at home, 70-68, and lost, 79-75, on Hindman's floor.

Hazard copped the crown last year, and Inez in 1954.

**CAIN ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE**

Roy M. Cain, a contact representative of the Kentucky Ex-Service Men's Board, will be here, at the law office of Tackett & Tackett, Friday, March 23, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will also be at the postoffice building in Wayland, Thursday morning and at the Beaver Hardware store at Martin Thursday afternoon.

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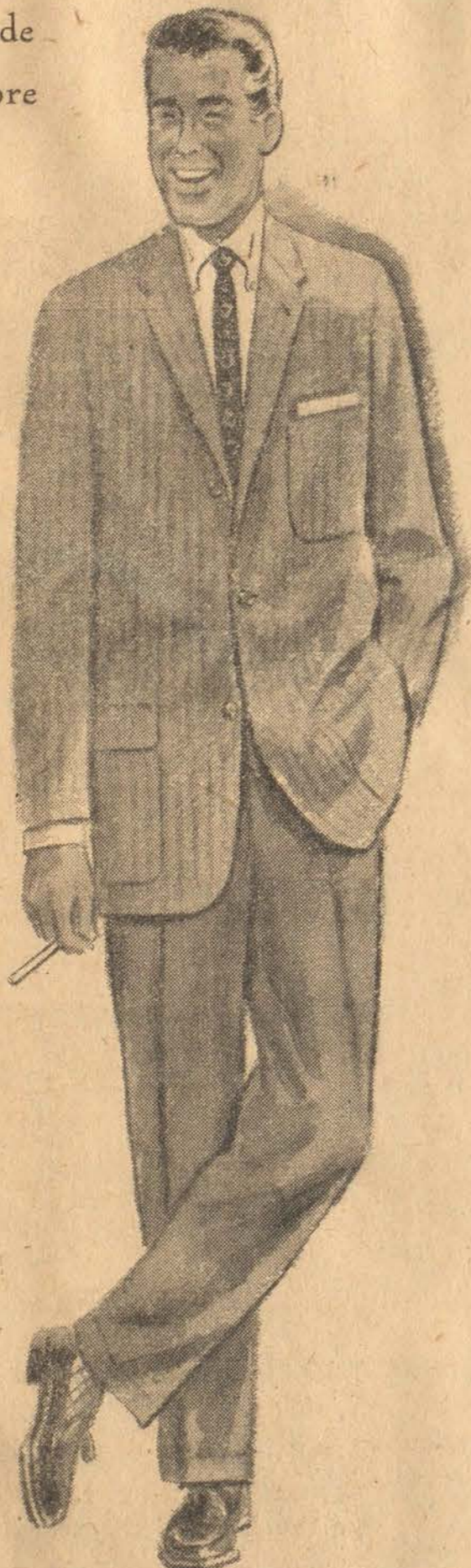
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**LINE-UPS**

**First Round**

P'ville (89)	Pos. J. Creek (64)
Daniels (18)	F. Damron (23)
B. Hall (14)	F. Helvey (3)
Kennard (18)	C. Howard (21)
Estep (18)	G. Taylor (15)
C Hall (4)	G. Bevins (2)
VanHoose (4)	Edmonds
Butler (8)	Reynolds
Hensley (1)	Thompson
Meade (2)	Branham
Bailey (2)	
Paintsville	11 32 54 89
Johns Creek	11 31 43 64

Wayland (92)	Pos. B. Layne (84)
Combs (10)	F. Daniels (19)
Fultz (10)	F. Clark (10)
Robinson (3)	C. Blevins (19)
Hall (16)	G. Spears (18)
Coleman (53)	G. Hopson (8)
	Roberts (8)
	Bush (2)
Wayland	19 40 63 92
Betsy Layne	20 35 58 84

Flat Gap (114)	Pos. Morg. Co. (60)
Cantrell (8)	F. Adams (29)
Burchett (19)	F. Bailey (10)
Osborne (64)	C. Wheeler (12)
Salyer (9)	G. Rose (3)
Butcher (8)	G. Haney (6)
Conley (4)	Mercer
Lemaster (2)	Tyra
Flat Gap	23 53 76 114
Morgan County	13 24 40 60

Pikeville (102)	Pos. S. Hook (35)
Lockhart (18)	F. Banks
Elkins (4)	F. Green (2)
Smith (16)	C. Ison (4)
Adkins (12)	G. Kazee (5)
Justice (17)	G. Manning (7)
Rutherford (4)	Lewis (6)
Allen (10)	Rice (6)
Scott (4)	Fraley (40)
Phillip (9)	Harris (1)
Coleman (6)	
Pikeville	25 49 75 102
Sandy Hook	12 17 25 35

**Semi-Finals**

Pikeville (84)	Pos. Flat Gap (75)
Lockhart (23)	F. D. Cantrell
Elkins (4)	F. Burchett (21)
Emith (6)	C. Osborne (34)
Adkins (16)	G. Salyer (8)
Justice (21)	G. Butcher (8)
Allen (6)	Conley (4)
Scott (5)	H. Cantrell
Phillips (3)	Lemaster
Pikeville	22 44 61 84
Flat Gap	17 40 53 75

Wayland (96)	Pos. P'ville (72)
Combs (9)	F. Daniels (13)
Fultz (13)	F. B. Hall (14)
Robinson (12)	C. Kennard (6)
E. Hall (12)	G. Estep (4)
Coleman (50)	G. C. Hall (19)
	VanHoose (2)
	Butler (12)
	Hensley
	Meade (2)
Wayland	18 41 72 96
Paintsville	17 37 53 72

**Finals**

Wayland (96)	Pos. Pikeville (90)
Combs (9)	F. Lockhart (20)
Fultz (15)	F. Elkins
Robinson (4)	C. Smith (13)
E. Hall, (24)	G. Adkins (22)
Coleman (44)	G. Justice (10)
J. Hall	Rutherford
Stone	Allen (4)
	Scott (4)
	Phillips (15)
	Coleman (2)
Wayland	30 54 75 96
Pikeville	19 45 68 90



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**Name Hindman Native  
Cumberland Park Head**

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 (Spl.)—James E. Draughn, native of Hindman and owner of a men's clothing store in Lexington, has been appointed superintendent of Cumberland Falls State Park, according to Mrs. Ben Kilgore, director of state parks.

The appointment was approved by Laban P. Jackson, commissioner of conservation. Draughn's appointment became effective March 1, Jackson said.

He attended Hazard high school and the University of Louisville. Now 46, he was for 14 years a wholesale bakery goods distributor in Hazard. He is an international councillor of Lions International and past president of the Hazard Lions Club. He also is a Mason and Shriner and a member of the First Methodist Church, Lexington.

**S 3/c Dennis R. Bentley  
Stationed in Germany**

Frankfurt, Germany — Specialist Third Class Dennis R. Bentley, 20, whose wife, Ruby, lives at Langley, Ky., recently took part in a field training exercise held by the 4th Infantry Division in Germany.

Training received by the "Ivy" division, part of the U. S. Seventh army, includes intensive maneuvers and realistic field problems.

Specialist Bentley is an armor in Battery A of the 46th Anti-Air-Craft Artillery Battalion. He arrived overseas 14 months ago from Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Before entering the Army in July, 1953, he was employed by the Ohio Machine Shop, Columbus, Ohio. His father, Sol Bentley, lives at McArthur, Ohio.

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**HEALTH NOTES**  
By Floyd County Health Department

**The Carrot or The Stick**  
Since the world began, getting people to do what's good for them has been a major problem. This has always been particularly true, and especially important, in the field of medicine.

Persuading a child to take some bad-tasting medicine because "it's good for him" is a problem every parent faces. When we grow up we presume that we are sensible enough to do what's good for us, particularly where our health is concerned. But are we? Take a look at tuberculosis, for example.

Tuberculosis is a disease whose power to kill and cripple has been reduced as a result of recent medical advances. Today its victims have an excellent chance to overcome their disease and lead useful lives if they find the disease early and listen to their doctors after they begin treatment. But often medical science is hindered by the fact that people themselves haven't changed very much.

If all victims of tuberculosis followed medical advice carefully, much greater progress against the disease could be made. But tuberculosis is a disease that often requires much self-discipline during a long period of treatment, a disease that may bring in its wake heavy financial and personal problems. Because tuberculosis patients are people they find it hard to "take their medicine."

Sometimes patients walk out of hospitals or sanatoriums before their doctors say they should, or disobey his instructions after they are permitted to return home and continue their treatment "on their own." One might say, "What's the difference? — they're only hurting themselves."

But that's not always the case. Many persons who leave tuberculosis hospitals "against medical advice" endanger their communities because they can spread infectious TB germs. What to do about these people who don't know what's good for them—and their communities—is a problem.

There are two schools of thought on what to do. The "carrot" group is against compulsion, believing that proper education of the patient will convince him that he must obey his doctor. The "stick" wielders feel that anyone who is a danger to the community should be forced by law to remain under treatment. Some states, subscribing to the "stick" theory, have passed laws making hospitalization compulsory for certain tuberculosis patients.

Until all patients learn what's really good for them, the question of "the carrot or the stick" will be an important public health problem.

**Director Gives Dates  
For Opening of Parks**

Frankfort, Mar. 12 (Spl.) — Kentucky's state parks are rapidly being prepared for the host of people who will visit them this year. Operations at the parks have been stepped up because of the recent good fishing and indications that outing weather is "just around the corner."

Mrs. Ben Kilgore, director of parks, issued a statement giving the opening dates for all the state operated recreation spots. She also requested that "home folks" make immediate use of the parks and enjoy them before they become crowded in the summer season.

The "big four" parks, Cumberland Falls, Kentucky Lake, Kentucky Dam, and Lake Cumberland are in full operation at all times, Mrs. Kilgore said. Opening dates as announced by Mrs. Kilgore for other parks are:

Open all year—Audubon (cabins—May 1), Constitution Square, Dewey Lake, Jefferson Davis, My Old Kentucky Home, Pioneer Memorial, Dr. Thomas Walker, William Whitley House, and Old Mulky Meeting House.

Open April 1—Blue Licks, Cherokee, Levi Jackson, and Lincoln Homestead.

Open April 15—Penryle (restaurant—May 15).

Open May 1—Carter Caves, Columbus-Belmont, Natural Bridge, Pine Mountain, and General Butler (boat dock—April 15).

Approximately 400 homemakers in Pulaski county took part in the polio drive, collecting more than \$1,740.

Each 4-H club in Harlan county will set at least 1,000 tree seedlings supplied by local banks.

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**Sports Accidents  
Claimed 28 Lives  
During Past Year**

Frankfort, Ky., March 12 (Spl.)—A total of 28 persons lost their lives while hunting and fishing in Kentucky during 1955, according to a survey recently completed by the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

Sixteen of the fatalities occurred as a result of fishing activities, and 12 were killed while hunting. In addition, 19 persons suffered non-fatal hunting injuries and four were injured while fishing.

The report showed that five of those killed in hunting accidents were under the age of 15, five were between the ages of 16 and 20 and two were between 20 and 40 years old.

Eight of the 12 persons died from shotgun fire, four persons were shot by others; two were shot with their own gun; two children died while playing with guns used in hunting and left unattended and one person died of a heart attack while hunting.

Of the 16 drowned, five were between the ages of 20 and 40, six between 41 and 65 and three over 65. Ages of two were not listed.

Eight of the persons were drowned in major lakes, six in rivers and two at Cumberland Falls. The major cause of drowning was listed as capsizing boats. Five persons died in this manner.

Increased production of sorghum syrup will add to farm incomes in Lawrence county.

**Centre College Fraternity  
Initiates 'Bucky' Burchett**

Danville, Ky., March 6 (Spl.)—Joe (Bucky) Burchett, of Prestonsburg, has been initiated into Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity chapter at 137-year-old Centre College here. Centre has six national fraternity chapters, all with their own chapters houses on or near the campus.

Burchett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Burchett, of Prestonsburg, and is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school where he was a leader in various school activities. He was a guard on Centre's unbeaten football team last fall.

**Magazine To Feature  
Hancock Sorghum Fest**

Frankfort, Ky., March 12—The Sorghum Festival held each October at Hawesville, Hancock county, will be featured in the Saturday Evening Post's issue of March 17.

Roscoe L. Downs, editor and publisher of the Hancock Clarion, said the two-page feature showing the parade floats and other festivities will be done in color.

An effort is being made to have telephone service in all sections of Trigg county.



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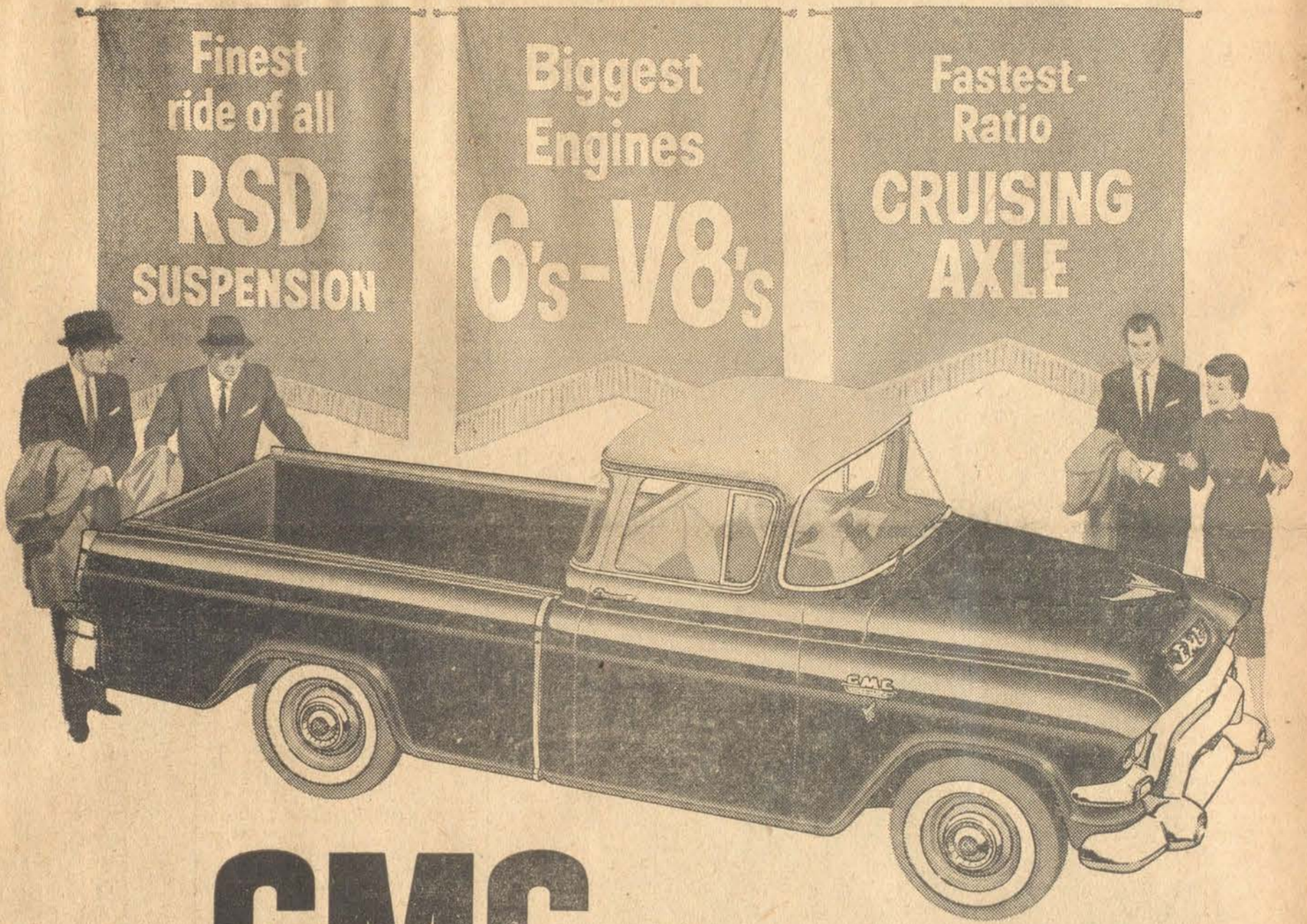
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