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THURSDAY

This Town— That World

Hope this gets into print before the job is finished. We want to warn all birds that our windows are being washed. Last time this was done one of our feathered friends tried to fly right through, evidently thinking the pane had been removed.

WHO'S AFRAID?

In the mail this week came a clipping telling of the suits filed in Boyd circuit court by County Attorney Calvin Gearheart (a former Floyd county boy, incidentally) to close places owned by two Boyd countians in moves against alleged gambling and bootlegging.

"I wonder if you've got the nerve to print this and ask why—doesn't do the same thing in Floyd county," the accompanying note read.

And I wonder, speaking of nerve, why the writer of that note didn't have nerve enough to sign his name.

HAVE A CARE

Those who go fishing this week at Dewey Lake are hereby warned to be more careful than usual as they toss plugs and flies around. If you're wild with your casts, you're likely to catch a buzzard.

We appreciate everything the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources has been trying to do for us who fish Dewey, but we're afraid the boys have done such a good job this time that the next thing that will have to be done is to restock the lake.

THIS WOULD HELP

It's getting so a peaceable citizen can't sit down before his television set and vicariously participate in a bit of mayhem by watching a boxing bout, the political speeches are being aired so often.

If some of our inventors could come up with a lie-detector that could be hooked to the cameras so that any time a speaker wandered from the paths of truth the picture and sound would black out, we might be relieved of this distressing situation.

ALLURING LADY

Harper Gattton, who spoke at Wheelwright Monday night, regaled his hearers with yarns from a repertoire that I suspect is well-filled. One of these had to do with the lady up north who went vacationing to Florida, leaving her husband behind, and wound up on a deep-sea fishing party from which she did not return in the usual fashion. In short, she fell overboard and drowned.

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NAME STUMBO MGR. AT PARK

Minnie Resident Picked To Succeed Bondurant Who Goes To Ky. Lake

Dewey Lake State Park had with the beginning this month its third manager in a period of nine months.

Wayne Stumbo, of Minnie, began his duties as park manager, Oct. 1, succeeding James E. Bondurant. Mr. Bondurant, who succeeded Fred Martin as park manager, is transferring to Kentucky Lake and will probably leave next week. Bondurant recently passed the state bar examination, and expects to begin the practice of law within a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Stumbo will move soon to the park manager's home constructed near the Brandy Keg boat dock last year.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Ruben Shepherd vs. Lucy Jo Shepherd; W. W. Burchett, atty. Myrna V. McDaniel vs. Robert McDaniel; C. P. Stephens, atty. Gladys Gayheart vs. Reginald Gayheart; R. S. Wellman, atty. James Ward, gdn. vs. James Ward, Jr.; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Esther Sammons vs. Richard Sammons; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Dewey Lawson, et al vs. Girdle Moore, et al; W. W. Burchett, atty. Effie Kozek vs. Albert Kozek; Carson Hibbitts, atty. Hiram Hicks vs. Jane Hicks; Hollie Conley, atty. Paul Duricka vs. Martha Alen Duricka; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Vernon Clark vs. Waverly and Lula King; D. H. Hatcher, atty. Anna Collins, et al vs. Bill McCoy; Joe Hobson, atty.

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GATTON SAYS BONDS VITAL TO KENTUCKY

W'Wright Meet Speaker Tells Area Kiwanians Importance of Program

Kiwanians from five clubs of a three-county area and their guests Monday night heard Harper Gattton, former president of Kiwanis International and vice-president of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, argue Kentucky's need of the proposed \$1,000,000 bond issue at an inter-club meeting at Wheelwright.

"My interest in this bond issue," said Gattton, "has been heightened by the endorsers of it." Among these endorsers he listed two ex-Governors, Keen Johnson, Democrat, and Flem D. Sampson, Republican, also the state Chamber of Commerce.

A dinner-meeting gathering that crowded the Wheelwright school cafeteria heard the western Kentuckian, long an intimate of Alben Barkley and a church, civic and business leader.

Pointing out that only 13 percent of the bond issue will be spent on the five roads which are classed as defense or inter-state routes, Mr. Gattton said, "We in western Kentucky are delighted to know they are not building these interstate roads in our section, because these are not access roads." In fact, he added, there will be an advantage to not living on these highways which will be used mainly for military purposes.

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HOLD MULLINS AFTER WRECK

Man Accused of Driving Truck into Car, Injuring Infant; Ohio Boys Held

Bertille A. Mullins, of Drift, was in the county jail this week, charged with drunk driving and driving without an operator's license, after he allegedly drove a truck into an auto occupied by Earl Glenn Bellamy, of Pikeville, and four members of his family last Sunday afternoon near Banner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy's baby was brought to the Prestonsburg General Hospital, suffering a facial injury.

The truck, owned by James Blanton, was classed a total wreck. Bellamy's auto was badly smashed. Blanton was quoted by Allen Policeman Frank Crum as saying Mullins took his truck without his knowledge. Crum arrested Mullins.

The officer said Mullins had driven not more than 500 feet from the vicinity of the Blue Bell Motor Court at Banner when the smashup occurred. Bellamy said the truck was weaving back and forth that he could not avoid the collision.

Three runaway boys from Ohio

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CLICK VERDICT AGAIN VOIDED

Appellate Court Opinion For 2nd Time Reverses Sentence for Slaying

Ray Click last week for the second time won from the Court of Appeals a reversal of a Floyd circuit court jury's verdict sentencing him to a prison term for the slaying of Otis Blankenship on Stephens Branch at Mantion.

Click has stood trial on four occasions on the Blankenship slaying charge. Two of the trials ended in the juries failing to agree on a verdict. His last trial, held this year, resulted in a five-year sentence.

The reversal was made on the grounds that Stephens Branch, the scene of the Blankenship slaying, was not identified in the trial as being in Floyd county.

The one-year pen term given Forrest Sturgill in circuit court here also was reversed recently. The Appellate Court reversed the jury verdict on the grounds that the indictment alleged that Sturgill stole copper wire from George E. Evans when in reality was the property of the Glo Valley Coal Company of which Evans is a majority stockholder.

Smith Picked As Head Of Wheelwright Club; To Assume Office, Jan. 1

Robert Smith is the new president of the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club, succeeding Waldo Cummings. He and other club officers were named at the recent annual election of officers. Others elected:

B. F. Reed, of Drift, vice-president; Paul Linkous, Wheelwright, treasurer, and H. M. Wilkinson, Jr., Wheelwright, secretary.

The club's new board of directors will be composed of H. O. Zimmerman, L. B. Jesse, Dr. Russell Hall, Rev. Jim Kirk, Bill Harris, Ralph Banks, Bobby Grimm.

The new officers and directors will take office Jan. 1.

HINES CLAIMS \$10,000 DUE

P'Burg Man Sues State, Heads Of Departments On Contract at Park

Judgment of \$10,000 is asked in a recent suit filed here by A. B. Hines, of Prestonsburg, against the Commonwealth of Kentucky, the Division of Parks and its director, Mrs. Ben Kilgore, and the Department of Conservation and its commissioner, Laban Jackson.

The suit is the outgrowth of cancellation of a contract Hines claimed he had with the Division of Parks and the Department of Conservation to operate in the Dewey Lake State Park horse-back riding, pony ring and soft drink concessions.

He also asks that his contract be restored for operation of the concessions during the 1957 season or that he be awarded \$10,000 damages for each year of a three-year period.

Hines' petition, prepared by Combs & Combs and Barkley J. Sturgill, claims that the contract granting him the concession rights was signed March 6, last, and that it was renewable from year to year during the present state administration. After that, it is claimed, agents and employees of the defendants selected a site and directed Hines to build at this location (the Stratton Branch recreation area) necessary facilities, including stables and other structures. Relying on the contract, Hines says he spent not less than \$10,000 and actually began operation of the three concessions.

The plaintiff claims he would have realized a net profit of \$10,000 on the venture this year and would have profited to the same extent each other year he was

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LEADER LOSS SAID \$10,000

Neon Transformer Blaze Causes Damage By Smoke To Prestonsburg Store

Stock of The Leader, Prestonsburg department store, suffered an estimated \$10,000 damage from smoke and water early last Tuesday evening.

Fire Chief Vernon Blackburn said the blaze which caused the damage started in a neon sign transformer in the upper front section of the store building. By coincidence, the fire department had just assembled for a practice session and was at the Court street scene of the blaze within two minutes after the call to the fire department had been made.

Dan S. Nesler, manager of the store, said the damage is partially covered by insurance. The building itself, which is owned by the W. H. Layne estate, had only minor fire damage.

Mrs. Martha Woods, 84, Victim at Emma Home; Rites Held Wednesday

Mrs. Martha Woods, 84, of Emma, died at 8:25 a.m., Monday, at home. A heart condition was given as the cause of death.

Mrs. Woods was a daughter of Marsh and Susan Woods and the widow of Press Woods. Surviving children are Ike, Alex and Fred, all of Emma, Astor, of Ashland, Mrs. Annabelle Hall, of Banner, and Mrs. Lonnie Blackburn, of Drift.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m., Wednesday, at the home and burial was made in the Woods cemetery at Emma under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Scads of Shad Are Killed But Bass Loss Heavy, Too

Fishermen who frequent Dewey Lake were certain this week that last week's poisoning operation killed an unprecedented number of shad, but many were concerned by the large number of big bass found dead.

Literally tons of shad were killed by the rotenone solution introduced to the lake from the bridge at German to the Hager Gap landing, a mile above the dam. In protected areas of the lake shad, carp and other fish gave the surface a snowy appearance, they floated in such great numbers.

But along the banks, where they had been drifted by wave action, were found countless other shad and carp—and bass. Two of the bass found weighed in the neighborhood of nine pounds. Many others—some said as many as 50—ranged from three to six pounds. The toll of small bass, crappie and bluegill has gone lit-

tle noticed because they are mingled in with rough fish of their size.

One Northern pike 33 inches long and weighing seven and a half pounds was found Monday in the lower section of the lake. At least two boaters reported finding numerous pike fingerling dead. Catfish, one of the hardiest species, did not entirely escape the rotenone.

Boating or attempts to fish on the lake have become nauseous undertakings within the last few days because of the stench created by the great number of dead fish.

Some fishermen expressed the fear that bass have been destroyed in such numbers that restocking of the lake may be necessary.

What happened to the 10,000 shellerackers introduced to the lake on the day before the poisoning operation began is not known.

FARMERS' GAS FEES ARE SET

PSC Sets Connection Fee, Rates for Gas under Law Requiring Added Service

The Public Service Commission this week established a \$50 fee for a new set of customers tapping natural-gas pipelines. It set their minimum monthly charge at \$1.60.

In compliance with a law passed by the 1956 Legislature, the commission set rates for:

1. Owners of property on which gas wells and pipelines are located.

2. Persons living within half a mile of producing wells or pipelines.

They will be charged 80 cents per mcf (thousand cubic feet) for the first 2,000 cubic feet, 60 cents per mcf for the next 28 mcf, 50 cents per mcf for the next 570 mcf, and 40 cents per mcf for all over 600 mcf.

Customers whose service is discontinued for nonpayment of bills will pay \$5 for restoration of service.

MINERS' PACT RAISES WAGES

Coal Prices Jump Also, Result of New Contract; Pay Raise Is \$2 Per Day

Higher pay for miners and higher prices of coal are to be the result of the new agreement reached Friday between the Southern Coal Producers' Association and the United Mine Workers of America.

Friday's action was the natural aftermath of the agreement made a day earlier between the UMWA and the Bituminous Coal Operators' Association.

President Joseph E. Moody, of the Southern Coal Producers' Association, announced in a press release that analysis of the new contract indicated it would result in increased costs for Southern operators of approximately 56½ cents a ton.

Before the Moody announcement, Appalachian Coals, Inc., at Cincinnati announced, "It will be necessary to increase the price of all A.C.I. coal in all sizes and grades in to all markets a minimum of 35 cents a ton at once in order to return to the producer the increased cost of mining bituminous coal." The announcement said the 35 cents would be in addition to the seasonal restoration of prices normally applicable at this time to certain grades, and that "as of April 1 prices will need to rise again to cover the additional wage increases scheduled for that date."

Following the pattern set in the previous contract, the new one provides for a \$2.00 per day raise for miners, \$1.20 of it effective Oct. 1 and 80 cents on April 1. In addition, vacation days are raised from 12 to 14, with 11 of them in the June 28-July 8 period, for which \$180 will be paid. Three vacation days will be observed Dec. 24, 26, and 31, for which \$40 will be paid, increasing from \$40 to \$220 the total vacation pay. Another change is a provision for double time or double rate for holidays when worked.

In district No. 3, which produces principally high volatile coal and includes parts of Southern West Virginia, Eastern Kentucky, Southwest Virginia and parts of Tennessee.

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DISTRICT CLUB MEETING HELD

Conservation Officers, Officials Attend; Plans 1956 Membership Drive

Thirty-three conservation officers and officials of the Sportsmen Club of the Seventh Wildlife District held a joint meeting at the Sea Cafe, Martin, last Sunday. John Redwine, district supervisor, and Dr. C. L. Allen, vice-president of the League of Kentucky Sportsmen, presided. Ten of the eleven counties of the seventh district were represented. They were Pike, Floyd, Leslie, Breathitt, Knott, Martin, Letcher, Johnson, Magoffin and Lawrence.

It was voted to again participate in the annual beauty contest sponsored by the League of Kentucky Sportsmen. Each club in the seventh district that is affiliated with the League of Kentucky Sportsmen is eligible to hold a local beauty contest in its town or community. The winners of the local contests are eligible to compete in the district beauty contest which will be held between May 1, and May 20, next year. The winner of the district contest will receive a \$50.00 savings bond and \$100.00 for expenses to attend the League convention in Louisville in June. The second place winner will receive a \$25.00 savings bond and the third place contestant ten silver dollars. The 1957 contest will be in this county.

An intensive membership drive, which will begin late this year, was planned. In 1955, the membership of the League of Kentucky Sportsmen in the seventh district was 3,027; in 1956, it was 2,757. For the first time this year, the president of the League, J. M. Smith, of Franklin, Ky., has set a quota for each district. The quota for the seventh district is \$3,700 which would mean an increase of \$943 over this year.

CHILD DIES

Gary Dean Conn, six-day-old son of Charles Edward and Gerilla Salisbury Conn, of Ivel, died at 1:05 a.m., Tuesday, at the Paintsville hospital. He is survived by one sister. Funeral rites were conducted at 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, at the home of the grandfather, Rev. George Conn, at Ivel. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Ivel under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

It is reported, however, the purchase price for the properties was \$25,000,000.

Pittsburgh Consolidation operates three mines in the area—204, 214 and Hendrix—that have a combined annual capacity of 2,500,000 tons of high-grade metallurgical coal.

The entire output of the company and its subsidiaries is 25,000,000 tons from 24 mines.

It was reported the sale would also include two cleaning, separation, and processing plants. One is at Jenkins and the other at Hendrix on Rockhouse Creek.

About 900 persons are employed in the three mines and two plants. The mines are among the most highly mechanized in Eastern Kentucky and together they are now producing an average of 12,000 tons of coal a day.

The mines are operated by Consolidation Coal Company (Kentucky), a subsidiary of Pittsburgh Consolidation with headquarters at Jenkins. George Tarleton is president of the subsidiary.

The firm opened its first mine at Jenkins in 1911 when most of the area was still a wilderness. It developed the town of Jenkins, which now has a population of about 7,000. The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway entered the area in 1912.

PLAN TV PLEA IN FUND DRIVE

Reed, Combs Are Among Leaders To Be Viewed In Scout Drive Sunday

Some of the outstanding leaders in the region will appear on a television program over WSAZ-TV, Huntington, from 5:30 to 5:45 Sunday evening, to speak on behalf of the state-wide Boy Scout finance campaign which will begin next Tuesday and continue through October 29.

B. F. Reed, Kentucky state chairman for the campaign, will tell about plans for the finance drive and make an appeal to residents of the area to support scouting.

Appearing with Mr. Reed will be: Fred Hazard, Hazard, secretary of the Buzzard Coal Operators Association, and publicity chairman for Lonesome Pine Council; G. O. Tarleton, vice-president of Lonesome Pine Council and chairman of the 100 club; Judge Bert T. Combs, of Prestonsburg; campaign chairman of Lonesome Pine Council; David L. Francis, of Huntington, Tri-State National Council representative.

Wallace Slone, 38, Dema, Dies at Shreveport, La.; Rites Plans Incomplete

Wallace Slone, 38, formerly of Dema, died Friday at Shreveport, La., in bed. A heart attack was given as the cause of death.

He was a son of Joe and Mary Owens Slone and was married to Audrey Warrens, who survives. Surviving children are Homer Glenn, U. S. Air Force, Franklin D., and Wallace, Jr., both of Wheelwright, Geraldine, at home, and Yvonne, at Wayland. Surviving brothers and sisters are W. P. Slone, Ypsilanti, Mich., Mrs. Arizona Slone, Saul Slone, R. T. Slone and Canton Slone, all of Dema, and Anton Slone, Marion, O.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete, it was said Tuesday at Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

COURT VOTES EXPENSE CUT

Would Curtail Outlay For Office of Sheriff; Mullins, County Police

The fiscal court last week voted to restrict expenses of the Sheriff's office to \$18,000 a year.

In a discussion of funds allowed for the official's office expenses it was claimed that the Sheriff under previous court permission could have exceeded \$30,000 a year on the cost of operating his office.

The decision to restrict expenses to a lower figure came on a split vote. Magistrates John May and Ellis Martin voted for the cut, Magistrates Grover Holbrook and Edgar Howell against. County Judge Henry Stumbo cast the deciding vote.

Troy Mullins, chief enforcement deputy with the Sheriff's office, resigned his post, effective Oct. 1, and on Oct. 3 he was named county policeman. No reason was given for his resignation from the Sheriff's force.

The county court order employing Mullins created a county police force as authorized by Kentucky statute, subject to rules and regulations to be made by the County Judge in conjunction with the fiscal court.

Mullins' services, the court order specified, are to be without cost to the county.

Owner of Stranded Dog Is Sought After Mad Animal Bites Five Tots; Lives of Unsuspecting Endangered

Somewhere in Floyd or surrounding counties is a man and perhaps members of his family who may be in deadly danger and yet unaware of their peril.

Last Friday morning a dog was tossed from a car at Buckingham, on Left Beaver Creek. Later, the dog bit five children. Suspected of rabies, the dog was confined, later died. Its head was rushed to the State Board of Health laboratories, and Tuesday the Floyd County Health Department received a telegram warning that the dog was rabid.

Anti-rabies treatment was immediately begun for the five children, and so little concern is felt for their safety.

But what of the dog's owner and his children, if he has children? Was one or more of them bitten, or licked on an open cut on their hands or other parts of their bodies?

"I'm wondering about this man and his children, if he has any," said Dr. Russell Hall, of Wheelwright, who called The Times for help in locating the owner of the dog. "I hope they can be notified, somehow, of their danger. This could be a terrible thing."

The rabid dog was a beagle, white, with brown spots. Nobody saw the dog dropped from the auto identified the driver or took the license number of his car.

TEACHER-PAY RATE AVERAGE BOOSTED 13%

Turner Says Allocation Of Funds Left Little Leeway on Salaries

The salary schedule for Floyd county teachers released this week from Superintendent V. O. Turner's office will show an overall average pay increase of 13.3 percent over last year, it was pointed out. This percentage increase represents a total of \$137,036.65.

"Notwithstanding almost total lack of discretion left us by the legislature we have finally wrestled out a schedule that we think is fair to all the teachers," Turner said. He explained that the teachers will actually receive several thousand dollars more than the state-matched funds provide. This will be paid from the residue of unmatched local taxation.

Funds available for teachers salaries last year for both the county system and the Prestonsburg independent system were \$1,028,265.18. This year the state under the Minimum Foundation Program provided for the merged system a total of \$1,165,301.83, the difference representing the 13.3 percent increase.

For teachers with no college credits and no experience salaries start at \$1,400 a year, gradually increasing with training and added years taught until the top figure of \$3,570 for teachers in Rank I who hold a master's degree and have earned 56 extra hours.

Ten years is the maximum number of years of experience that will be paid for in this top category and in the lower bracket of Rank II. Teachers in the lowest rank, VII, will be paid for

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HANGING ROCK REMOVAL SET

Abbott Mountain Boulder To Be Removed, Oct. 16, District Engineer Advises

Tuesday of next week the State Highway Department will begin the removal of a giant boulder hanging above U. S. 23 on Abbott mountain, according to M. F. Johnson, acting district engineer. The Department is fearful that freezing weather will loosen the rock sufficiently to slide it onto the highway.

Mr. Johnson originally scheduled the boulder's removal for this week but the notice for public information was received too late for publication last week. The new date of Tuesday, Oct. 16, is being set in order to properly inform the traveling public.

The engineer's letter to The Times says:

"We believe that the boulder can be taken out without interrupting traffic; however, it is possible that traffic may be interrupted for a short time. For that reason, we have decided to do the work at a time when it would offer the least interference to scheduled traffic, such as school buses, etc. We will begin this work at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 16."

Business Started in Depressed Area Now Advertises for Help in Detroit

Here's news that beats "man bites dog!" Two Detroit dailies appeared recently with advertisements asking immigrant Eastern Kentuckians in that city with certain skills to return to Floyd county for employment.

The want ads were signed by Hayes Metal Products Company, of Hi Hat, this section's only metal fabrication plant. This reversal of demand for skilled labor points up the success of Arlie Hayes, 40-year-old Merchant Marine veteran of World War II, who established the business in an area that economists said was industrially dead.

Three years ago Hayes, with little more than an idea, initiated the Hi Hat business, fought for a market for metal products of any kind the public wanted to buy. He envisioned that he could fabricate most anything and begged skilled neighbor-workmen to cast their lot with him and remain in East Kentucky.

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Three of the top personnel of the Hayes Metal Products Company, at Hi Hat, go over an engineering and design problem together. They are, left to right, Mrs. Arlie Hayes, management executive, Wm. Milton Damron, engineer, and Arlie Hays, founder of the company.

Walter K. Bowling Post 5839
Veterans of Foreign Wars

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

To Improve Facilities

Western Maryland Railway is spending \$5 million for improvement of its Patapsco River coal-handling port facilities at Baltimore, Md. The road carries West Virginia coal to Baltimore for water shipment.

**To The Parents and Voters Of
Educational Division No 5**

We earnestly solicit your help in electing a man to the Floyd County Board of Education who will put our children, their education and welfare first.

We beg you not to allow any other consideration to enter into your decision.

We want to free our schools and teachers of political domination. Our children will benefit enormously from this freedom.

Before you decide which candidate to support, ask yourself which one is most likely to work hardest for our schools?

Find out which candidate is endorsed and backed by politicians. If he is backed by politicians you can be sure it is not in the interests of our children or our schools to vote for him.

Only one candidate was persuaded by parents and parents alone to run for election.

He has two good reasons for accepting. Those reasons are his own two children.

He will not wait four years to begin to make improvements.

He will start immediately after taking office.

There are many who will be doing everything in their power to prevent his election. Be on the lookout for their tactics. Find out all the facts beforehand and don't let last-minute attacks alter your decision.

We are depending on the parents and good citizens of our district to elect James Arville Duff to the Floyd County Board of Education.

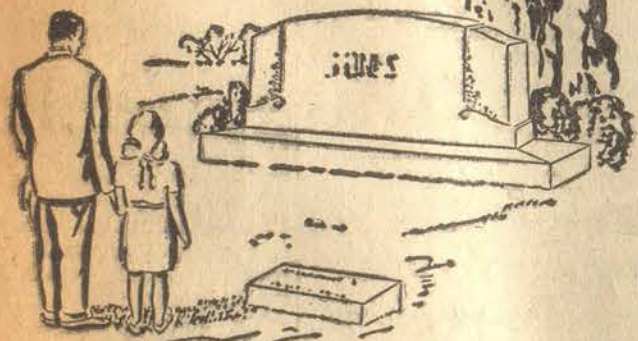
Ask for your school ballot Nov. 6, and vote for James Arville Duff. He is the parents' choice.

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Today the idea has grown into two plants employing 52 men. Several months ago he and his wife, June, who directs accounting and personnel management, formed a partnership with B. P. Bogardus, who left a job as district engineer with the Kentucky Power Company at Pikeville to work with them. Since then the business has continued up the ladder.

Complementing the Hi Hat plant is the Richlands Hayes Metal Products Company now serving Southwest Virginia and Southern West Virginia mining companies with metal truck beds and other equipment. It was organized with \$207,000 capital several months ago, part of it subscribed by Richlands businessmen, and employs 20 men. The company is now being absorbed into the Hi Hat partnership under a single head.

Other expansion is envisioned in the near future, too. "A small fabricating plant at Weeksbury will be a reality this year," Hayes said recently. A mine equipment research laboratory is being set up at Pikeville right now, and the firm plans development of a model mine to help operators solve special problems.

To care for expanding business at Hi Hat, which has a preliminary estimate of \$1,000,000 gross sales for this year, Hayes and Bogardus are building more floor space and installing bigger fabricating machines. A recent machine acquisition is a 120-ton steel press and shear that will stamp out sides and bottoms for huge truck beds in a continuous operation that formerly required hours of cutting and welding.

The truck mine industry is giving the firm a big business with its demand for huge coal hauling beds. On the floor of the Hi Hat plant last Friday was a 35-ton job designed for a trucker near Manchester. One load from that behemoth and a 50-ton railway car is seventh-tenths full. "We can manufacture that bed with a competitive price, too," Hayes and Bogardus say.

The manufacture of standard 12-foot truck beds constitutes about 50 per cent of the firm's output but the firm recently put on the market a line of 1-ton auto trailers for use on the highways and a 40-ton capacity truck bed demanded by the truck mine industry. Other fabricated products include complete metallic buildings, playground equipment and outdoor movie screens. It even does custom jobs for churches, too. The company built its second baptismal font recently.

Inventors are coming to Hi Hat from other sections, offering suggestions or asking for fabrication of some device as the Hayes Metal Products reputation for versatility is getting around. "Basically, we thrive on versatility," Hayes says. "The business was founded with that as basic requirement enabling us to survive and make progress."

Statistics tell a lot about the Hi Hat business. Hayes isn't reticent about them. The company had gross sales of \$83,000 in 1954, climbed to \$386,000 last year and is expected to pass the million dollar mark this year.

He'll show you the profit and loss sheet without asking. The partnership made a net profit last year of \$61,900. That's going a long way from the day when he left the Merchant Marine at the end of the war and came back to Hi Hat with only his discharge money and a dream.

Hayes Metal Products is not merely doing something for itself; it is doing much for local skilled workmen, too. There's H. L. Johnson, 25, who manages the Richland plant. William Milton Damron, 32, University of Kentucky graduate in '54, is design and production engineer. All the other employes also have been recruited locally. Just last week the firm employed a lay-out man from Marion, O. That man had been in the Ohio plant for a long time but had never ceased to dream of coming back to Kentucky.

Hanging over one of the several desks in the offices of the main plant at Hi Hat is the slogan: "The difficult can be done immediately. Only the impossible takes a little time."

That slogan recalls the time three years ago when pessimists said a metal fabrication plant at Hi Hat was an impossible dream. But it wasn't and it didn't take too much time, either.

**Puckett Is Graduate
Of Airborne School**

Pvt. Donald Puckett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Goble Puckett, of Prestonsburg, was recently graduated with the August class of the Airborne School at Fort Campbell, Kentucky where he was taught the proper way to jump from an airplane and what to do during descent. The last week consisted of actual jumping from a plane in flight.

Pvt. Puckett, a member of the 101st Screaming Eagles Division, is now stationed temporarily at Fort Lee, Virginia, where he is taking a 12-week course in parachute packing. He entered the Army in February, 1956.

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When they finally recovered the body, they found a strange denizen of the deep attached. The fish was so unusual that a museum offered \$5,000 for it.

The rescue party wired friend husband up north of his spouse's demise, of the fish that was attached to her body, and of the \$5,000 offer made for it. "What shall we do?" they wanted to know. And back came the quick reply: "Accept the \$5,000, and hurry up and rebait the hook!"

NICE ACCESSORY

Then there was the one—not Mr. Gatton's—about the sheepherder who got in a poker game, had a hot streak of luck and with his winnings bought a Cadillac. Not just an ordinary Cadillac but a limousine.

The dealer met him in town a few days later, and inquired how he liked the car.

"Say, that there is a real automobile. Shore do like that winder back of the front seat."

"But why?" the salesman wanted to know. "You don't have a chauffeur."

"Don't need no chofer, son," said the sheepherder. "But that there winder keeps the sheep from lickin' the back of my neck when I'm takin' 'em to market."

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permitted to operate the concessions. He contends that he performed all conditions set out in the contract, but that the defendants, without cause or reason, repudiated the pact and ordered him to abandon his concessions and get his horses and ponies out of the park.

**RESERVE PAY
OF SOIL BANK**

**Program is Explained
By Extension Service;
Deadline Set, March 15**

The conservation reserve portion of the national Soil Bank program will average about \$10 a year per acre for Kentucky farmers participating, says the U. K. Agriculture Extension Service economics section.

The actual rate of payment per acre in the state runs from \$8 to \$12, says Buel Lanpher, economist. Payments vary between counties according to productivity of the land. Deadline for the 1957 program is March 15, 1957.

A Soil Bank base must be established on the farm before land may be entered in the conservation reserve. All soil-depleting crops in general will be used to determine this Soil Bank base. In Kentucky, such crops are corn; small grains used for pasture; hay or grain production; tobacco; soybeans; commercial vegetables; and sorghum. (Small grains include wheat, barley, rye and oats).

Conservation reserve practices include grass and legume seedings; pond construction; and tree planting.

Farmers will be paid up to 80 percent of the average cost of seeding grass and legumes, i.e., costs of seed, fertilizer and actual seeding work. For ponds, payments also will be up to 80 per cent of the actual costs, if certain pond-building specifications are met. For trees, up to 80 per cent of the cost of establishing trees will be paid.

If land proposed for grass-and-legume conservation reserve already has a satisfactory grass cover, the farmer can choose a 3- or 5-year

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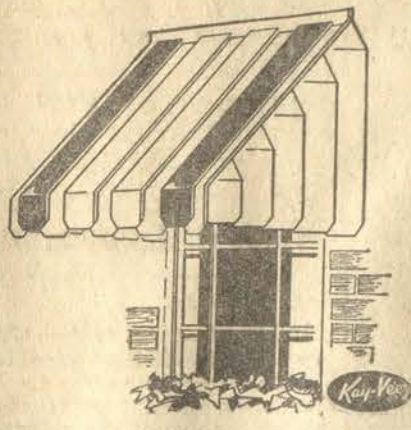
Sunday—
9:30 a.m., Morning service.
Sermon Topic: "What's a Church?"
10:30 a.m., Sunday School.
3:00 p.m., Local Council of Church Women at Church of Christ.
5:00 p.m. Busy Bees.
6:00 p.m. M. Y. F.
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Sermon Topic: "What's the Difference What You Believe?"

MONDAY—
7:00 p.m., Boy Scouts.
7:30 M. Y. F. Subdistrict meeting at Auxier.

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FOR SALE—Registered Boxer Pups, five weeks old. Millard Hughes, Jr., Prestonsburg, Phone 2015. 8-2-tf.

FOR SALE—The former Ballard Carter residence on Court street. Mrs. Ethel Powers, Phone 7511, Prestonsburg. 8-23-tf.

FOR RENT—4 good 4-room houses at Ivel, Ky., for \$15 a month. Each house has rich, level land for truck patches and gardens, also has gas and electricity. Have power harrow and tools for land cultivation. Safe place to park cars, good bridge across river. Postoffice and store at Ivel. Will rent only to good, sober men. J. K. Stratton, Ivel, Ky. 9-20-4f.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House and lot, 4 miles from Prestonsburg, on U. S. 23. Reasonable terms. Edw. P. Hill. 9-6-tf.

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FOR SALE—Living room suite, dining room suite, lounge chair, refrigerator, electric stove, heater, chest, bunk beds, end tables and coffee tables. If interested call Allen 4332 or see Mrs. Francis Cordrey, Allen. 9-20-3t.

FOR RENT—Apartment, three rooms and bath. Air conditioner. Over Home Food Market. Frank McGuire, Phone 4471, Prestonsburg.

WANTED—Settled, middle-age white lady, 45 to 55, wanting home and salary to help take care of small motel. Write and send photo to Anchor Inn Motel, Frankfort, Ky. 10-3-3t.

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period for keeping the land in reserve. If grass and legume cover must be established, he will be required to leave it in the program either for 5 or for 10 years. Tree land must stay in the conservation reserve for either 10 or 15 years.

There are certain restrictions on land put into the conservation reserve. For instance, the farmer must control noxious weeds; he cannot harvest any crops from the land, nor pasture it at all; must comply with acreage allotments (such as tobacco, corn or wheat); maintain a satisfactory cover for erosion control; harvest timber only by approved forestry management practices; not cut Christmas trees, greenery or ornaments; and not use conservation reserve ponds' water except for piping to land on his farm which is not in the conservation reserve program. Then, the water may be used only for livestock purposes.

Eligible land? It must be cropland or "tame" hay land. ("Tame hay" land in general is land from which hay has been cut in the last two years but which was not recorded as crop land.) County ASC offices have the cropland facts for most farms.

It would be possible for a Kentucky farmer to place practically all his farm land in the conservation reserve program, Lanpher said. He noted that before this can be done, a Soil Bank base must have been determined for that farm. County ASC offices or county agents have details on the procedure. Generally, the Soil Bank base is determined by taking an average of soil depleting crops for the two years immediately prior to the first year of the conservation reserve contract.

Not less than five acres of grass or legume land can be put in the conservation reserve and not less than two acres of tree-land, Lanpher pointed out. And the maximum payment any farmer may receive from conservation reserve practices any year is \$5,000.

A new bituminous surface mine at Freeburg, Ill., to be operated by Peabody Coal Co., will have an annual capacity of 2 million tons of coal and be the scene of operations of the company's new 70-cubic yard electric shovel—largest in the world. The mine is expected to get into production in 1957.

It has been estimated that 1956 coal consumption of Commonwealth Edison Co., of Chicago will be 11 million tons, or 2.2 million tons more than was burned in 1955.

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Consider the Handicapped

This is National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week, a period which is likely to be overlooked in the plethora of "Weeks" that are officially designated for some reason or another and sometimes for no apparent reason.

But this week, proclaimed by the President and the Governors of the several states, is one that deserves serious consideration. It has to do with women and men who must live out their lives, accepting the role of the handicapped among the millions of others who are fortunately sound of body.

Properly placed, these handicapped make efficient, reliable workers. Most of them need only a chance, and opportunity to adjust themselves, to become self-reliant and to take their rightful places in society. The handicapped deserve our consideration at all times. During this particular week, it is hoped, the attention of employers in particular will be focused on those who have by misfortune lost something physically—an arm, a hand, a leg or eyesight, perhaps—but who have not lost their innate ambition to be self-supporting and to be assets to their communities.

The Road Bond Issue

What is good for Kentucky? That is the only question the voter should consider in deciding how he or she will vote on the road bond issue that will appear on the November 6 ballot.

Old grudges, unsettled scores, have nothing to do with the right or wrong of this bond issue. The Kentucky Chamber of Commerce—perhaps the state's most conservative group, a body of business men from both major political parties—has not only endorsed the bond issue, it is fighting for its passage. The Democratic party organization in the state, the Republican state organization, the two Republican candidates for U.S. Senator, the Kentucky Education Association—all have endorsed the bond issue plan.

Farm-to-market roads during the next three years will, if the bond issue is voted, benefit from the expenditure of \$50,020,000; "through" or primary roads would get \$59,820,000; town and city streets would receive \$18,400,000; and defense highways, which will be accessible from side-roads not of-fener than every four miles, would receive \$103,330,000. Of the bond money, \$57,



The marriage of Miss Mary Kathleen Spradlin, of Auxier, and Mr. Burt R. Click, of Lancer, was solemnized at the bride's home, September 25 at 3 p.m. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Will Horn. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin and the groom is the son of Melvin and Sadie Click. Guests at the wedding supper at the home of the bride's parents in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Click, and Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Music, and daughter, Mrs. R. C. Bolling, Tommy Music, Mr. and Mrs. Spradlin, and Mrs. Julie Spradlin.

000,000 would be spent in these next three years. Left off that money for spending by the next state administration would be \$47,000,000.

All this money can be made available to Kentucky roads, we are told on trusted authority, without an increase in taxes, inasmuch as the 1956 General Assembly enacted legislation levying a tax on heavy trucks to amortize the bonds to be issued.

What is there in it for us? That is a question which naturally rises in the minds of Floyd countians and Eastern Kentuckians. Be we never so loyal to Kentucky as a whole and interested in the welfare of the state over its entirety, we of this section naturally want to know if we are to share in this windfall of spending for roads.

The Times believes our section will profit greatly from the huge program, and it trusts it is not being naive in so thinking. It does not believe Eastern Kentucky and Floyd county will be left only the dregs. Some things we must accept on faith, and we have faith that a part of Kentucky that so badly needs highways will not be neglected at a time when the state cannot possibly plead that it hasn't the money with which to do the work.

Besides, since bond issue funds are matched by federal funds, federal engineers will sit in as judges in the designation of routes to be built or improved. Governor Chandler has declared that the bond issue money will be expended on roads according to the recommendations of federal highway engineers and the Automotive Safety Foundation.

We must trust somebody. We cannot afford to distrust everybody.

Coal-Fired Generators
Two 450,000-kw coal-fired electric generators—one to be located south of Terre Haute, Ind.—planned by American Gas & Electric Co. will not only be the largest ever built but each will be capable of meeting all residential power needs of a city of 4 million persons.

Official Does Research On Morgan-co. History For Civics Class Pupil

Frankfort, Oct. 11—A member of the state's legal staff has laid aside knotty problems of law long enough to do some historical research for a school girl.

The student, Betty Lee Halsey, daughter of Morgan County Judge Reed Halsey, had written Atty. Gen. Jo M. Ferguson: "In our citizenship class, I have to find out how West Liberty and Morgan county got their names, when there was a first Morgan county, who named it and why. When and who built the first courthouse in Morgan county? And why is West Liberty the county seat?"

Betty Lee added: "Daddy told me I could write to you and probably find out." Ferguson referred her query to Asst. Gen. David B. Sebree, who came up with this information: "Morgan county was created by the 1822 General Assembly from parts of Floyd and Bath counties and named for Gen. Daniel Morgan, a Revolutionary War hero.

The next year the Legislature fixed the seat of justice on land by the Licking River and directed a courthouse be built. The land was established as a town named West Liberty. "East of the mountains," Sebree wrote, "many towns had been named Liberty in honor of America's fight for independence. Your county, lying west of the mountains, might have had the same desire, and to distinguish it from those Liberties founded in the East and to praise the victory won in the West, they named it West Liberty."

Sebree concluded his letter to Betty Lee with the hope that "when your paper is graded you will receive the highest grade given. Good luck."

Tests To Be Given For Social Jobs

Frankfort, Oct. 11—Applications for the state-wide Social Worker examination are still being accepted by Harry C. Martin, Merit System Supervisor. The examination will be given Nov. 3 at places determined by the applications received, Martin said. Present and future vacancies in the Public Assistance and Children's Service divisions in the Department of Economic Security will be filled from the registers established by this testing, Martin said.

Persons interested in the positions should contract their nearest Employment Service Office or write, prior to midnight Oct. 18, to the Merit System Supervisor, New Capitol Annex, Frankfort, Martin added.

UK OFFERS AID

The University of Kentucky's College of Education will offer a new type of cooperative educational program beginning with the fall semester whereby students will "earn while they learn."

The purpose of the plan is to prepare men and women for professional educational positions in industry, business or in vocational and technical schools, according to Prof. Maurice Baker and Dr. Charles V. Youmans, coordinators of the program.

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1. That our schools should be separated from county politics. I have no candidate seeking election next year to county office. If elected as board member I will not support any candidate for county office, nor will I express my preference to any candidate. Can my opponent honestly adopt this principle in his platform?
 2. I believe in job security for our teachers and school employees based upon merit and tenure and without regard to politics.
 3. I believe in our educational division sharing equally with other divisions in school money, buildings and improvements. Do you believe it has done so in the past?
 4. My number one interest will be the welfare of the children.
- (Adv.)

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An Open Letter To The Parents and Voters of Educational Division No. 5

I am offering my service to you as a member of the Floyd County Board of Education for one reason only—to work for you and with you for the improvement of our schools.

I am not obligated and I accept no obligation, except to do the best job I possibly can, always putting the welfare of the children and the improvement of our schools FIRST.

Our schools must be staffed with qualified and satisfied teachers, unhampered by political considerations, in order to do their best work.

Since announcing my candidacy, many situations and problems have come to my attention. Some will be easily solved and should have been solved long ago. Others will take time and careful consideration. I plan to hold meetings with the parents at each school and work out a solution to their problems with them. Then I will do everything I possibly can to accomplish it.

Our transportation system needs improvement. By wisely spending the taxpayer's dollar we can bring about better transportation and make much needed improvements in our schools.

I earnestly solicit your support in this election. I will work to gain every bit of knowledge I possibly can concerning school matters and will use this knowledge with fairness and justice to everyone concerned.

I was persuaded by PARENTS to make this race. Parents are raising the necessary funds for my candidacy.

I have been told repeatedly that no one can be elected to the school board unless they are backed by politicians. My answer to this is—I am backed by PARENTS

You can expect many and varied attacks to be made against me, such as the present rumor that I plan to move all the rural schools. This is false. It is easy to see the reason behind this charge.

Don't fail to ASK FOR YOUR SCHOOL BALLOT NOV. 6. It will be separate from the regular ballot.

Yours, for Better Schools
JAMES ARVILLE DUFF

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale, Miss Barbara Jane Hale and Mrs. Thomas Thompson visited Mrs. John Hale at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Jarrell, of Ashland, were visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Darby, on Cow Creek this week.

Mrs. Eddie Worland and Mrs. Arnold Clarke were in Huntington Saturday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts and Mrs. Luther Shivel were in Huntington, Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bocook, of Ashland, visited their daughter, Mrs. Sam Bingham, and Mr. Bingham here several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cottrell and Mrs. Joe Hobson were in Huntington on business last week.

Howard Miller, Bristol, Va., was here last week on business.

Mrs. Charles Dixon, of Dawson Springs, is the guest here of her daughter, Mrs. Ira McMillen, and family this week and next.

Mrs. H. C. Francis entertained to Sunday dinner at the B & W Cafe members of her family. Covers were laid for Mrs. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Francis and children, Mrs. Ruth Isbell, Barbara Isbell and Quentin Allen.

Mrs. John Hale, who has been a patient for several weeks at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, returned to her home here Wednesday, much improved. Her many friends are glad to see her home again.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence E. Mansfield were visiting friends here this week. Rev. Mansfield occupied the pulpit of the Arnold avenue Church of Christ, Friday night. He is a former pastor of this church.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Albright, of Nashville, Tenn., have been spending a two-week vacation visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crum, of Riverside Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Horn were business visitors in Huntington, W. Va., on Monday.

Miss Carlis E. Horn arrived here Saturday from Washington, D. C. for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Horn, of South Lake Drive. She left for Louisville, on Tuesday where she is the guest of Mrs. Richard Kessler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bradley have been vacationing in Florida. Mr. Bailey is employed by the Beaver Creek Consolidated Coal Company.

Game Club Makes Plans For Banquet; To Award Prizes For Food Plots

At the regular monthly meeting of the Floyd County Fish and Game Club, on October 1, Dr. C. L. Allen, Bernard Baldrige, and A. J. Turner were appointed as the banquet committee.

The banquet will be held in the Maytown lunchroom, the principal speaker and the date to be announced later.

Bernard Baldrige was appointed to check on the various wildlife food plots planted this year. A \$25.00 prize will be given to those who pass the requirements.

Raymond Copley, conservation officer, discussed the stocking of Dewey Lake with shellcrackers, and announced that eighty quails and eighty turkeys had been released in Floyd county. Charles Jafferty, of Martin, won the door prize.

Pikeville College Paper Staff Is Announced

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 7 (Spl.) — Lack of experience would alibi the staff of The Record, student newspaper at Pikeville College, this year.

The most experienced staff in The Record's history, including three of Pikeville's first seniors, will issue the 36-year-old publication as Pikeville becomes a four-year college for the first time.

Frank T. Welch, of Neon, a senior in his third year on the staff, will edit the paper for the second year in a row, Dr. A. A. Page, college president, announced today. Moses Clay Jude, Beauty, Ky., a junior, will be business manager for the second successive year, and another senior, Bernard Hackney, Mouthcard, Ky., assistant business manager in 1954-55, will return to the same post after one year's absence.

Other staff members appointed for the second year in succession are Thomas Norman, McCarr, Ky., art editor; Pejo Peeff, Harlan, Ky., a photographer for The Record last year and reporter and photographer this year, and Betty Stone, Garner, Ky., reporter.

The only beginners on the Pikeville publication's staff are Geraldine Smith, Sidney, Ky., assistant editor, and Howard E. Blair and Jimmie Lou Johnson, both of Pikeville, and Nita Sue Nelson, Williamson, W. Va., reporters.

The first of The Record's six issues this year is scheduled to appear Oct. 22. Miss Lucy E. Hole, teacher of English at Pikeville, is faculty sponsor.

CENSUS BUREAU TO OBTAIN SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FACTS

Questions on school enrollment will be asked in addition to the regular inquiries on employment and unemployment in the October Current Population Survey, according to Supervisor Robert A. Yerkey of the Census Bureau's field office in Cincinnati, which will participate in the survey.

The Current Population Survey will be taken locally and in 329 other areas of the country during the week of October 15. Information will be collected locally by Mrs. Mary Mitchell, of Allen.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the children of Tom Bates, wish to express our deepest appreciation to all the friends that assisted in any way upon the passing of our dear father, Tom Bates, and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially we are thankful to the ministers for their consoling words.

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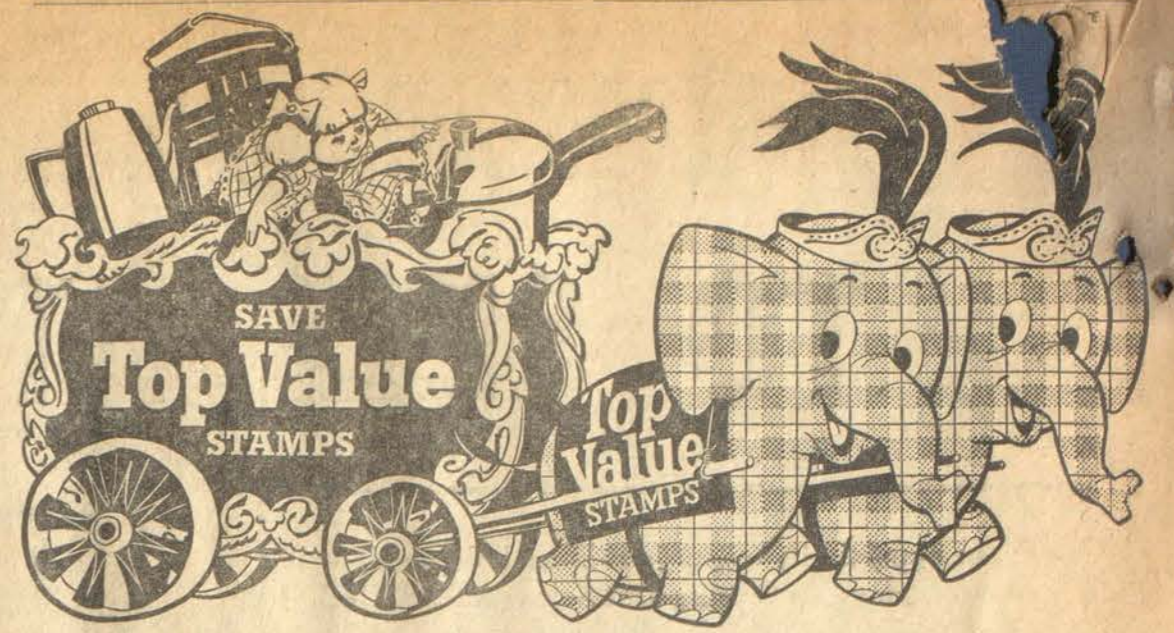
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John Hardin	2346	2293
Robert Jones	2668	
C. J. McNally	2189	2721
Barkley Sturgill	2391	2080
Homer Wright	7721	2114
Earl Castle	2191	2285
Freddie James	2828	2222
Team No. Two—		
Joe Hall, Chairman	2178	6611
Clyde Burchett	2734	2412
Earl Dillon	2128	
Woody Heaberlin	7552	7552
David Hereford	2020	4501
Russell May	2111	2122
DuRan Moore	2136	2650
Bob Wallace	2252	
Johnny Burke	7311	
Jesse Hagewood	2882	2292
Team No. Three—		
Frank Derossett, Chairman	2629	2718
Russ Cavander	2385	4732
Paul Hamer, Jr.	2385	
Frank Heinze	8-3430	2436
William May	2358	2356
Cliff Latta	7271	2257
Byron Thompson	2109	2536
Joe Burke	7311	2220
Jack Hyden	6761	4585
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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY GREETINGS
Mrs. C. L. Hutsiniller was surprised at her home October 5 by relatives and friends who dropped in with surprise birthday greetings and gifts. Callers were Mesdames John Hensley, Jo M. Davidson, Everett Sowards, Osa F. Ligon, Joe Hobson, Tom Fields, W. J. May, Lon S. Moles, Tot Allen Cope. Refreshments were enjoyed by those present.

SUFFERS STROKE
Belvard Burchett, of Emma, suffered a stroke at his home last week and was removed to the hospital here. His condition has been serious for several days. His family has been at his bedside constantly.

SPEND DAY WITH MRS. AUXIER
Mrs. Andrew E. Auxier was hostess last Sunday at her home on Radliff's Creek, near Pikeville, to dinner. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, of Prestonsburg, and Miss Mayo Davis, Pikeville.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hill entertained to dinner last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Cortland Dahlan, of David.

VISITING SON HERE
Mrs. Jessie Housah, of Louisville, arrived last Friday to spend the week with her son, Marshal Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson. She will return home Sunday.

HERE FROM CAMP LEJEUNE
Jack Davidson, who is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C., is spending his furlough here with his father, Dr. A. J. Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson, on Highland avenue.

ENTERTAINS TO DINNER
William R. Rowe entertained his bride-elect, Miss Margaret Ann Collins, and mother, Mrs. Ray Collins, to dinner last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rowe, on Carter avenue.

ARRIVE FROM TUCSON
Friends here are welcoming Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holcomb, of Tucson, Arizona, who arrived Monday for a visit with relatives and friends in Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia. They will be houseguests of her nephew, Victor Hale, and Mrs. Hale during their stay here.

ATTEND HOLBROOK FUNERAL
Joe Hobson, Jack Howard and Homer Salisbury went to Salyersville Sunday to attend the funeral of Kash Holbrook who died last Thursday of burns received from a high tension wire.

STUDENTS HOME
Among the students visiting their families over the week-end were Libby Burchett, Rebecca Conley, Judith Carol Leete, Johnny Cook, Bill Baker Burke, David Allen.

YOUTH TEAM HERE
During the absence of the Rev. Ira McMillen from the Baptist pulpit last week-end a youth team from Campbellsville College conducted the Sunday services at the church and at mission points in the county. They were houseguests of Mrs. Lucy Ransdell, Mrs. A. J. Davidson and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

AUXILIARY MEETS
The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the church, October 2. Mrs. Marvin Music, the president, presided. Plans were concluded for the rummage sale to be held soon, and delegates were appointed to attend the district meeting of Ebenezer Presbyterian at Ashland, Oct. 12. Mrs. Orville Pearson, the program chairman, led the program on "The Whole Mission of Life." Assisting on the program were Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. David Leslie, Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Elmer Collins, Miss Bertha Parsley, Miss Daisy Miller gave the devotional, assisted by Mrs. E. R. Burke and Mrs. Fred James. The hostesses, Miss Hazel Hill and Miss Mary Martha Williams, served refreshments to Mesdames Marvin Music, Ray Howard, Elmer Collins, W. C. Rimmer, E. R. Burke, Frank Layne, Harold Ensminger, Orville Pearson, George Sizemore, Rainey White, W. V. Bunting, Earle Castle, Donald Hunt, Orville Cooley, David Leslie, Jerry Lafferty, Rex Osborne, F. L. Heinze, Misses Mary E. Powers, Bertha Parsley, Alma Collins, Daisy Miller, Hazel Hill, Mary Martha Williams.

UNDERGOES MINOR SURGERY
Mrs. Grace D. Ford underwent minor surgery last week at the Berea hospital during a visit to her son, Carl Ford, and family in Berea. She will return home Sunday of this week.

MOVES FAMILY HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jordan and children have moved here from Huntington, W. Va., to the Gardner resident at the corner of Arnold avenue and Graham street. Mr. Jordan is manager of the meat department of the Kroger Store. Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick, of Huntington, Mrs. Jordan's parents, visited them here last week.

VISITORS FROM INEZ
Mrs. John Cassidy and Mrs. Verman Collinsworth, of Inez, were here last Thursday, guests of Mrs. Joe Hobson. Mrs. Cassidy attended an educational meeting at the high school building.

Society

Notes

CIRCLE ONE MEETS
Circle One of the W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr. on Monday.

The meeting was called to order by Miss Elsie Stephens in absence of the chairman, Miss Linda Stephens. Prayer was given by Mrs. James Carter.

A report was given by Miss Elsie Stephens about the recent rummage sale conducted by the W.S.C.S.

Miss Charlotte Salisbury reported on the study course on Southern Asia.

Date books were received and filled out by the members for the current year.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Robert McKenzie.

The program, "The Methodist Missionary in La Paz, Bolivia", was given by Miss Charlotte Salisbury.

Refreshments were served to Charleen Wallace, Roberta Davidson, Patsy Wright, Marian Salisbury, Emma Lou Hardin, Ditty Tackett, Libby McAllister, Margaret Blackburn, Mable Lemaster, Geneva Carter, Irene Dorsey, Phyllis Herrick, Madelyn Cottrell, Eve May, Charlotte Salisbury, Maxine McKenzie, Elsie Stephens by the hostess, Martha Fitzpatrick.

RUMMAGE SALE
The David Woman's Club will conduct a rummage sale Friday and Saturday of this week at the old Kroger store location on First avenue, it is announced.

SECOND CHILD BORN
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis Mayo, of Paintsville, their second child, a daughter, Tuesday, at the Paintsville hospital. The babe has been named Betty Ann.

SHOWER FOR MRS. BRANHAM
Mrs. John Ellis Branham was honored with a miscellaneous shower last Thursday evening in the parlors of the Presbyterian church. The refreshment table, covered with a low arrangement of pink and white asters combined with greenery, flanked by low crystal candelabra holding white candles. Presiding at the coffee service was Mrs. Martin Lee May. Mrs. Fred James poured punch. Cakes, mints and nuts were served by the hostesses, Mesdames Ray Collins, Ray Howard, Ethel Cross, Joe Wheeler Burchett, Wall Hamilton, Palmer Marshall, Jr., Earle McDonald, Leon Blackburn, Martin Lee May, and Miss Mary Ruth Day. Mrs. Branham was recipient of many useful gifts of linens, silver, china, crystal and miscellaneous items for house-keeping. She graciously thanked her many friends.

SPENDS WEEK-END HERE
Miss Barbara Jane Hale spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale. Miss Hale is teaching in the Paris, (Ky.) schools.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER
Mrs. Bud Click, nee Miss Kathy Spradlin, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower on October 6 at the home of Mrs. T. H. Music, of Spradlin Branch. Fall flower arrangements throughout the house added to the beauty of the occasion. Mrs. Click received numerous gifts of china, crystal, linens and miscellaneous household items. The hostesses, Mrs. T. H. Music, Mrs. Woodrow Grager, Mrs. R. C. Boling and Mrs. Herschell Howell, served refreshments to a large group of friends.

ANNIE ALLEN CIRCLE FORMED
The woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church announce the formation of a new circle Monday evening at the annex. Mrs. P. D. Meadows is the circle chairman. Name of the circle was given in loving memory of Miss Annie Allen, who died last year after many years of Christian service in Eastern Kentucky. The Circle is made up of women in the church who have never belonged to a Circle before and are new to missionary society work.

BIRTHDAY DINNER
Mrs. William Dingus was hostess at the B & W Cafe last week, honoring Mr. Dingus on his birthday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Dingus, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins. Mr. Dingus was remembered with many personal gifts.

VISITORS HERE
Judge and Mrs. Astor Hogg were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett. Judge Hogg, a cousin of Mrs. Tackett, and Mr. Tackett spent Monday in the county, calling on friends in connection with Judge Hogg's campaign for re-election to the Court of Appeals.

CHURCHWOMEN TO MEET
The Local Council of Churchwomen will meet Sunday at 4:30 p.m. at the Church of Christ for the installation of officers. All Churches are invited to be represented.

MRS. SULLIVAN IS HOST
Mrs. Don C. Sullivan was hostess to Chapter G, P.E.O., at her home on Francis Court. The president, Mrs. Fred Francis, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Sidney Garland introduced the guest speaker, William Bailey, of Paintsville, who gave an interesting talk.

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The class on flower arrangement conducted by Mrs. R. H. Messer, of Garrett, will hold a flower show at the First National Bank here Saturday. The exhibit is being sponsored by the Prestonsburg Woman's Club.

Those exhibiting will be Mesdames R. V. May, Marvin Music, Marvin Ransdell, Troy B. Sturgill, Winston Ford, Edward Music, William Crawford, Ora Howard, Francis Harmon, John Allen, Rex Osborne, Harris Howard, A. J. Archer, John Roberts, E. P. Hill, Geo. P. Archer, J. H. Nunnery, James R. Camicia, William O. Goebel, Kilmer Combs, John Allen and Miss Fanny Mae Howell.

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MRS. BUSSEY HEADS ADAH CHAPTER NO. 24, O. E. S.
In an impressive ceremony held in the Masonic Hall, Monday evening Mrs. Ora Bussey was installed as worthy matron of Adah Ch. No. 24, O.E.S. The hall was beautifully decorated with flowers.

Other officers elected and installed for the ensuing year were: worthy matron, R. T. Jones; associate matron, Florence Lemaster; associate patron, W. W. Grimm; conductress, Hester Preston; associate conductress, Mabel Jean Lemaster; secretary, Anna Belle Harris; chaplain, Betty Jo Salyers; Marshal, Jean Alley; organist, Lack Roberts; Adah, Patsy Evans; Ruth, Lucille Bingham; Martha, Irene Dorsey; Electa, Thelma Fugate; warden, Anna Branham; and sentinel, T. J. Bingham.

The installing officers for the evening were: installing officer, Mrs. A. J. Davidson; marshal, Mrs. Thelma Jones; chaplain, Mrs. Leatha Joy; warden, Mrs. Anna Lowe; and sentinel, Mrs. Clara Warren.

At the close of the installation Mrs. Bussey presented her installing officer, Mrs. Davidson, with a lovely gift. She then expressed her appreciation to all the members for electing her as the worthy matron. A lemon squeeze and refreshments were enjoyed by all in the dining hall.

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were being held in jail Monday. They were picked up by Deputy Sheriffs Al Patton and A. J. Reed. Jerry Stephens, of the Mud Creek section, was jailed Sunday by Deputy Sheriffs John D. Martin and Grant Akers on a charge of possessing moonshine whiskey. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lyons were booked by Deputy Sheriff Silas Derossett on a charge of contributing to juvenile delinquency.

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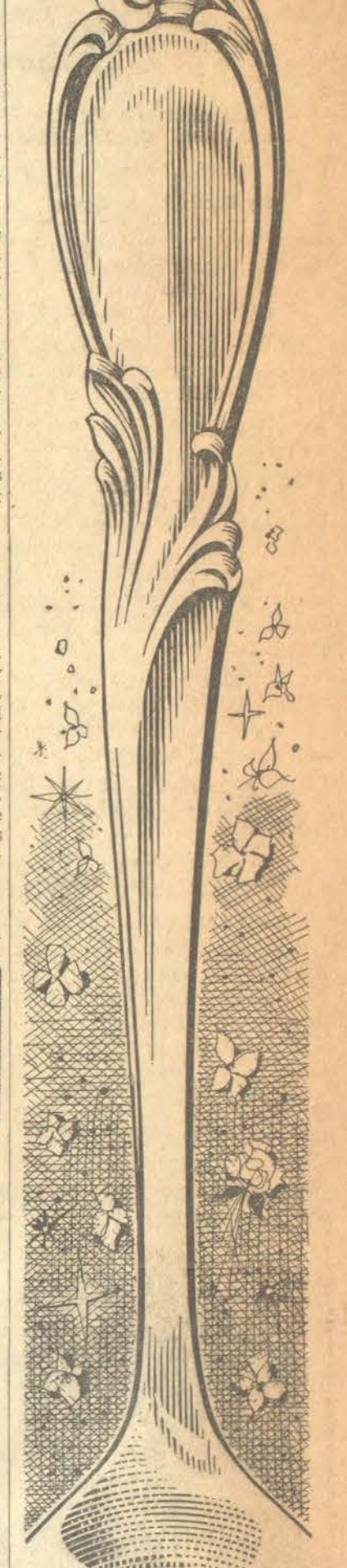
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Mrs. John Edward Shepherd and son Tim and Mrs. William C. Allen were shopping in Pikeville, Tuesday.



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THURSDAY—
“Gaby”
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Leslie Caron, John Kerr

FRIDAY—
“Autumn Leaves”
Joan Crawford Cliff Robertson
“My Darling Clementine”
Henry Fonda, Linda Darnell

SATURDAY—
“Seven Men From Now”
(Color)
Randolph Scott, Gail Russell
“Francis in the Big Town”
Donald O'Connor, Francis, Chill Wills

SUN.-MON.—
“Canyon River”
(CinemaScope-Technicolor)
George Montgomery
Marcia Henderson
“Hot Blood”
(Technicolor)
Jane Russell, Cornel Wilde

TUES.—
“Drift Fence”
Buster Crabbe,
Katherine DeMille
“Gunfighter”
Dana Andrews, Gene Tierney

WEDNESDAY—
“Comanche”
(CinemaScope-Technicolor)
Dana Andrews, Linda Cristal

Joe Thomas Fannin, 62, Of Glo, Victim Monday After Heart Attack

Joe Thomas Fannin, 62, of Glo, died at 4 p.m., Monday, at home. A heart attack was given as the cause of death.
He was a son of the late John and Lena Eastman Fannin and the husband of Olive Rice Fannin, who survives. Surviving children are Glenn, Glenford, O., Billy Joe, U. S. Navy, Mrs. E. L. Sellards, Canoga Park, Calif., Mrs. Bill Amburgey, of Emma, Mrs. William Childers, Columbus, O. Brothers and a sister surviving are Lewis, of Louisa, Sherman, of Ironton, Mason, Fairborn, O., Riley, Danville, Ky., and Mrs. Lizzie Webb, of Louisa.
Funeral arrangements were incomplete Tuesday it was said at Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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FRIDAY—
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SATURDAY—
“Gunfighter”
Gregory Peck
“Sudden Danger”
Bill Elliott, Beverly Garland

SUNDAY—
“Man with the Golden Arm”
Frank Sinatra, Eleanor Parker

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(These non-access roads were planned in 1947, and neither this area nor western Kentucky is touched by them. Non-access roads may not be driven onto from intersecting roads except at designated points.)
The speaker pointed out that “through” roads, farm-to-market roads, town and city streets—all will get their share of federal and state funds, with federal engineers and the Automotive Safety Foundation recommending those routes which shall benefit. “In the next three years \$231,000,000 of state and federal funds will be spent on Kentucky highways if this bond issue is voted, and 87 percent of that amount will be spent on 18,000 miles of Kentucky roads that aren't defense roads,” he pointed out.

Laws are already on the books, Mr. Gatton explained, which will amortize the bonds without the levy of additional taxes. The General Assembly at its last session levied a 2-cent gasoline tax on trucks of more than 42,000 pounds to pay off the bonds.

Paying high tribute to the beauty of Kentucky mountain scenery, Gatton urged his hearers to “strive to do something worthy to be remembered” and “to spend time to be enthusiastic, not indifferent.”

Waldo Cummings, president of the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club, presided at the meeting. Mr. Gatton was introduced by B. F. Reed, of Drift.

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“Top Gun”
Sterling Hayden, Karin Booth

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Humphrey Bogart, Ava Gardner
“Enchanted Valley”
(Colored)
Alan Curtis, Charley Grapewin, June Collier

SATURDAY—
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Jan Sterling Michael Redgrave
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(Color)
Linda Darnell, Sterling Hayden

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IN PERSON ON STAGE—
Dungeon of Death Show
COMING OCT. 21—
“Pardners”
Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis

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only three years' experience.
“In preparing this schedule we were limited by statute to seven ranks,” the Superintendent explained. “Each rank had a certain amount allocated to it by the state. We could not exceed that, as no money could be taken from one rank and spent on the other.” Turner added. “Our only function left by the state was to see that the money was spent in the manner and place for which it was allocated under the Minimum Foundation Law.”

UMWA President John L. Lewis told his convention delegates that “this contract encompasses all that the industry is able to pay at this time. There isn't any more. If there was, we would get it.” Mr. Lewis disclosed that most of the negotiating in behalf of the UMWA was carried on by Vice President Thomas Kennedy, who opened discussions with Edward G. Fox, new president of BCOA, last August, before Mr. Fox took office in Sept. 1. Mr. Kennedy described the new wage increases as “the greatest ever won” by the union and Mr. Fox said the contract guarantees more than 7 1/2 years without a major coal strike.

At a joint press conference following the signing, newspaper men wanted to know how the new wage agreement would affect the price of coal. Mr. Fox would not go beyond his earlier statement that “the resulting increase per ton on coal will vary with the productivity rate of each individual mine.” Mr. Lewis' comment was: “I haven't any doubt that the price increase on coal will be much less than the \$8.50 per ton increase on steel.”

In 1954, latest year for which full statistics are available, barges delivered 26 million tons of coal to power plants, steel mills and other consumers on the Ohio River.

The 20 per cent rise in consumption of coal by electric utility companies in 1955 emphasizes anew the economy and dependability of coal as a fuel and recognition that U.S. coal reserves are adequate to meet all and all future demands.

Barge traffic on the Ohio River in 1955 rose 30 per cent to 71,461,180 tons, of which coal and coke constituted 53.1 per cent, or 37,962,937 tons.

DRIFT THEATRE

WED.-THURS.—
“Lucky Me”
Doris Day, Robert Cummings, Phil Silvers

FRIDAY—
“The Lone Ranger”
Clayton Moore, Joy Silverheels

SATURDAY—
Double Bill—
“Hell on Frisco Bay”
Alan Ladd, Edward G. Robinson, Joanne Dru
“Steel Jungle”
Perry Lopez, Beverly Garland, Walter Abel

SUN.-MON.—
“Battle Cry”
Van Heflin, Aldo Ray, Tab Hunter

TUESDAY—
“Land of Pharaohs”
Jack Hawkins, Dewey Martin

WEDNESDAY—
“Never Too Young”
Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis, Diana Lynn

Two Colorado counties—Huerfano and Las Animas—have estimated coal deposits of more than 2.25 billion tons, according to the U.S. Geological Survey.

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6:30 p.m. Training Union.
7:30 p.m. Worship.

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Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor
First Avenue Prestonsburg, Ky.

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Also color cartoon

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WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Drift Woman's Club met Sept. 17 at the home of Mrs. William Hoffman, the president, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, presiding. A letter was read by the president announcing a new Community Betterment contest.

The club voted to buy a stove for the youth center. A committee was appointed to plan a card party. Mrs. Joe C. Moore introduced Mrs. Grover Sammons, formerly of Germany, who led an informal discussion on life in Germany.

Members present: Mesdames Joe C. Moore, C. J. Cahill, H. C. Stickler, Glen Ward, Bobby Hall, Kay Turner, William Hoffman, Lloyd Stumbo, Alvin Reed, G. W. Showers, W. L. Reed, B. F. Reed, Mrs. I. E. Reed, Mrs. Fred Cochrane, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett came in later after attending a style show held by the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club.

As far back as history records, no one knows which is older—the spear or the net.—Sports Afield.

CLUB VIEWS FILM

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met at the Martin high school auditorium, Monday evening, to view a film entitled, "Your Community."

The film showed several projects undertaken by clubwomen and civic-minded citizens of different southern towns. One major project was the stamping out of hookworms in Jackson county, Florida. The film was sponsored by the Sears, Roebuck Foundation which each year gives cash awards to communities selected as having the most worthwhile "Better Your Community" projects.

After the film showing, all members went to Frazier's Cafe for refreshments and a business session. After the secretary and treasurer's report a motion was passed to sell assorted candies during the holiday season and to take orders for fruit cakes.

A report on the State Board meeting held in Louisville last week was given by the president, Mrs. John J. Sherman. Mrs. T. J. Allen, vice-president, attended the meeting with Mrs. Sherman.

Announcement was made that Mrs. Zella Archer, of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club, is a candidate for recording secretary of the seventh district. Mrs. John J. Sherman was nominated for vice-governor of the district, and it was requested that cards be mailed to all clubs concerned announcing her candidacy in the election to be held at the seventh district convention, Pikeville, October 20.

Mrs. Rufus Stephens, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. John R. Sherman and Mrs. J. J. Sherman volunteered to assist with the T. B. mobile unit coming to the Martin school, Friday, Oct. 5.

Two guests, Mrs. Lola Ousley and Mrs. Eula Sizemore, were welcomed to the club.

All members were asked to present ideas for a skit report of the year's work at the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. George Laven, Allen, Oct. 15.

Alton Campbell, 51 Dies at Emma Home; Funeral Held Friday

Alton Campbell, 51, a resident of Emma, died suddenly at his home Monday midnight of last week. Mr. Campbell had been ill for some time with cancer but the immediate cause of death was thought to be a heart attack. Members of his household heard him roll out of bed and when they reached his side he was expiring, dying a few moments after being replaced in bed.

He was a son of Mrs. Melvina Crisp Campbell and the late Wes Campbell. His wife, Georgia McGuire, survives, as do two daughters, Novaline and Norma Jean Campbell.

Surviving brothers and sisters are Jim Campbell, of Endicott, Will Campbell, of Watergap, Albert and Anderson Campbell, both of Jackson, O., Mrs. Norma Gibson and Mrs. Molly Garrett, also of Jackson, Mrs. Lizzie Hall, Centerville, O., and Mrs. Emma McSurlay, of Emma.

Funeral rites were conducted last Friday, at 10 a. m., at the home, the Rev. Bill Amburgey officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Cow Creek, under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

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ONE OF THE BIGGEST political campaign crowds in Kentucky history welcomed President Eisenhower in Lexington, Monday. The President is shown greeting the crowd at Bluegrass Airport, and just behind him is John Sherman Cooper, Republican candidate for the U. S. Senate.

Former Resident of Prestonsburg Is Now Television Makeup Artist

John W. Adkins, former Prestonsburg resident, knew well in advance of most people what the brand-new '57 cars look like. For a few weeks ago to make up the models who appear on the commercials for the major automobile companies.

The Auxier native left Prestonsburg when the family moved to Covington, and in 1940 joined the Marine Corps, seeing action in the Pacific theatre of war. He returned to civilian life in 1946, entered the America School of Beauty Culture in Chicago and was graduated from the school after a two-year course.

"I have four sisters," he told a reporter recently, "and somehow I just got interested in makeup, probably from watching them." (One of his sisters, Georgia, married Savage W. Allen, former Floyd County Times employe).

Wrote Richard L. Gordon, business editor of the Cincinnati Post, of Adkins' work in Detroit recently:

He is a free-lance operator, and in this case he was working for Jim Hardy Enterprises, which made the commercials for 1957 models of General Motors, Ford, and Chrysler autos.

Each company, says Mr. Adkins, was most cautious about security for its 1957 models. "We were briefed, and rebriefed," he recalls. "It was like war. Doors had to be unlocked and locked as we went to and from the places where the cars were. Sometimes the cars were hauled out into the country, all wrapped up. They would be uncovered, and the commercials would be shot, and they would be wrapped up again and taken back."

Actually, while being an insider at such goings-on is interesting, Mr. Adkins is more interested in the future for makeup artists which he feels is inevitable when color television comes into its own.

"Color television makes a professional makeup man a necessity," he says. "Unless actors and actresses are made up properly, they will 'burn up' on the screen. That is, it looks a little bit like over-developing a picture.

"It's mainly a matter of toning down highlights, though it involves bringing up some spots too. Generally speaking, you have to be careful of overdoing the face. And you

BETSY LAYNE

CLUB HEARS SAFETY TALK

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club met at the Methodist church, Oct. 4. The program was an accident prevention. Earle Belue, of the Accident Division of the State Department of Health, was guest-speaker. He gave a short talk on the high rate of accidents in the home. Following this, he showed two related films depicting accidents and safety measures in the kitchen.

Several causes of kitchen fires were shown and methods of extinguishing them were presented.

Home safety calendars were distributed to the member guests. On these are to be listed all home accidents giving details as to time, place, cause, responsibility and prevention of future similar accidents.

At the conclusion of the program Mr. Belue showed several gadgets that can be bought or made at very small cost to help prevent accidents in the home.

Following the program, a brief business session was held, with Miss Alice Williams presiding. Final plans were made for the x-ray mobile unit to be held at Harold, Oct. 11, from 9 a. m. till 12 noon and from 1 p. m. till 3 p. m. Five members from the club will be there to assist the Health Department with the clerical work.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. O. J. Williams for a sewing session on Oct. 9 at 7:30 p. m.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, Prestonsburg, Mrs. O. J. Williams, Mrs. Glenn Blackburn, Mrs. T. S. Salisbury, Miss Emma Lou Sizemore, Mrs. Edward Lykins, Miss Williams and the guest speaker, Mr. Belue.

In 1955, 25 million sportsmen spent a total of \$3 billion for 500 million days of sports. — Sports Afield.

Consumption of all forms of energy in Europe in 1955, according to the Organization for European Economic Cooperation, was the equivalent of 730 million tons of coal and by 1975 is expected to reach 1,200 million tons.

In West Virginia, where coal is the only fuel used to power electric generators, 11 generating plants in 1955 used more than 6.5 million tons in the production of electricity.

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There will be another period of great advances in social welfare and legislation if the Democratic Party returns to power. Students of social legislative progress envision this as a logical sequence to the election of Stevenson and Kefauver, and assure us it will partially offset the dreary record of the Republicans in the last four years.

Reasoning in the light of recent history since 1932, it is observed that no legislation in the social field or any kind of economic reform has been initiated by the Republican Party. The Democratic Party has repeatedly challenged them to name a single bit of legislation envisioned or promoted or passed by them for the benefit of the common man.

Today the Republican Party, facing this Democratic record of accomplishment, offers no program, advances only the doctrine of the Indispensable Man. A man surrounded by every arch conservative and billionaire corporation head the Republicans could persuade to come to Washington.

THE POSITIVE DEMOCRATIC RECORD

Social security legislation, consisting of retirement plans, unemployed insurance, old age assistance and assistance to needy blind and dependent children.

Federal insurance of bank deposits up to \$10,000 and the Securities Exchange Act that restrained wild stock market speculation that initiated the Great Depression in 1929.

The Wagner Labor Relations Act which guaranteed labor the right to collective bargaining. As a direct end result of the right to join a union the United Mine Workers Welfare and Retirement Fund has built ten hospitals in the tri-state region—one at McDowell, in Floyd county.

Legislation looking to the conservation of our natural resources. The last four years of Republican rule has seriously impaired the program begun under the Democratic Party.

The election of Adlai Stevenson and a Democratic Congress will insure a new program of social legislation.

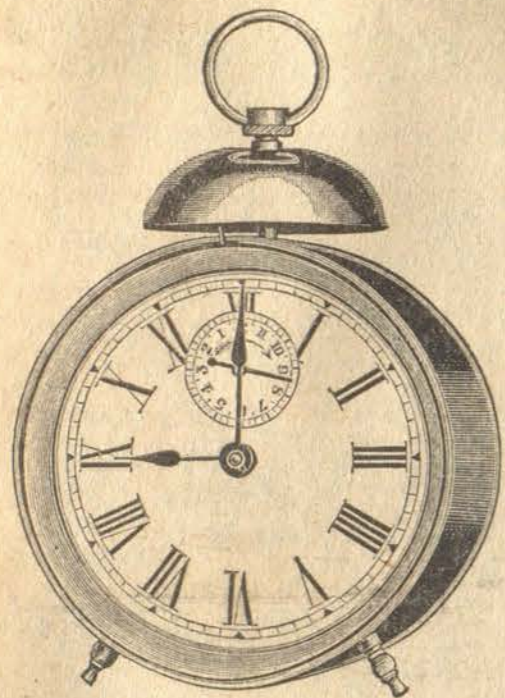
The Republicans offer only the Indispensable Man. The Democratic Party again offers a program for the people—the people in the street, on the farm, under the hill in the mines, and in the shops.

That Democratic Congress should include LAWRENCE W. WETHERBY and EARLE C. CLEMENTS in the U. S. Senate and Carl D. Perkins in the House.

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The wedding of Miss Charlene Akers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Akers, of Lancer, and Mr. James Thomas Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, of Louisville, was recently solemnized in First Methodist Church, of Prestonsburg.

The Reverend Harold W. Dorsey officiated for the double-ring ceremony. The church was lighted with tapers in candelabra and decorated with baskets of white gladioli. Nuptial music was provided by Mrs. George Stephens, of Ashland, and Mr. George Griffin, of Richmond, Ky.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Raybon Akers, wore a floor-length gown of white slipper satin covered with white nylon tulle with an occasional design of lace, embroidered with white sequins, fashioned with long pointed sleeves and doll's size queen's collar. The full skirt, worn over hoops, ended in a short sweep train. Her two tiered veil of nylon tulle fastened to an embellished crown with red pearls and iridescent sequins, she carried a white prayer book with white streamers and small carnations with ivy.

Mrs. Edsel Moore, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Benlavene Akers, sister of the bride, Mrs. Ray Brackett, of Allen, and Mrs. Solomon McGuire, of Prestonsburg. The matron of honor and bridesmaids wore dresses of aqua shantung taffeta with matching tiaras and carried bouquets of yellow gladioli.

Mr. John Irwin, father of the groom, was best-man. The ushers were Mr. Robert Regan and Mr. Jack Irwin, of Louisville, brothers of the groom, Mr. Ray Brackett, of Allen, and Mr. Bill C. Carrier, of Waynesburg, Ky.

The bride's mother wore a beige dress of soft cashmere with honey colored accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a brown dress with lace, beige accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

A reception was held in the church's fellowship hall following the wedding. Assisting were Mrs. Earl Moore, Mrs. Dick Roberts, Mrs. Wheeler Branham, and Miss Winifred Sue Cooley, all of Prestonsburg, and Miss Charlotte Sue Akers.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Cumberland Falls, Kentucky. The bride wore as her going away attire a beige sweater suit with brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The bride is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and of Eastern Kentucky State college, Richmond, where she majored in commerce. The groom is a graduate of Male high school, of Louisville, and Eastern State College, of Richmond, where he also majored in commerce. The couple is now residing in Lawton, Oklahoma, where Mr. Irwin is stationed as a Second Lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force.

Col. Collis Hudson Named Insurance Group Director

Cumberland Associates, Inc., of Louisville announces the election of Colonel Collis P. Hudson, Pikeville, to its board of directors. Colonel Hudson served in both the World War I and II, completing his Army career as a full Colonel. He was Grand Commander of the Knights Templar for Kentucky in 1947. Colonel Hudson is the owner of Cavalier Advertising Service.

Cumberland Associates, is a development and management company whose purpose is to buy existing insurance companies, consolidate them and bring into the state of Kentucky an additional insurance group with sufficient investment funds to aid Kentucky in its industrial development program. Currently the other members of the Board are Walter D. Aspley of Glasgow, Ralph McClanahan of Irvine, Mrs. Elinore Sedley, of Louisville and Henry J. Stites, of Louisville.

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This is the second in a series of articles containing questions and answers on the new 1956 Social Security law, prepared by the Louisville Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants as a public service in answering some of the questions on the latest changes in the Social Security law.

Q. How did the new changes help widows?

A. There is no reduction in the pension of a widow that retires before the age of 65. Widows are the one group of individuals with no penalties for early retirement. They receive full benefits at age 62.

Q. Are all widows eligible for pensions at the age of 62?

A. Not necessarily. For a widow to draw benefits it's necessary for her husband to have worked in a job covered by Social Security.

Q. How is the amount of a widow's pension computed?

A. She will draw 75 per cent of the pension that would be due her husband. The amount of the monthly pension will not be less than \$30.00.

Q. How about a widower?

A. Should your wife die, you can get a widower's monthly benefit equal to 75 per cent of what her retirement benefit was. To qualify for a widower's pension, you must have received at least 50 percent of your support from your wife when she died. Also, your wife must have been currently and fully insured when she died.

Q. Can a widow draw benefits before age 62?

A. Yes, if she has children under 18. If the children reach 18 before she reaches 62 all benefits for her will stop until she is 62.

Q. Will it be a good idea for a wife to retire before 65?

A. A married couple will have to decide whether to take a reduced pension at an earlier date or wait until age 65 for a larger pension. The difference can be important in amount. For a couple whose pension will be based on earnings of \$300 a month, the pension will be \$135.50 a month if the wife starts drawing at age 62. If she waits until age 65 the pension will be \$147.80 a month. A difference of \$12.30 a month. If the husband is forced to retire at age 65 it may be necessary for the wife to go ahead and take her pension before she is 65 because of the need for the extra money at that time. As a rule the wife generally out lives her husband and she then would be eligible for a widow's pension that would not be affected by reason of her not being 65.

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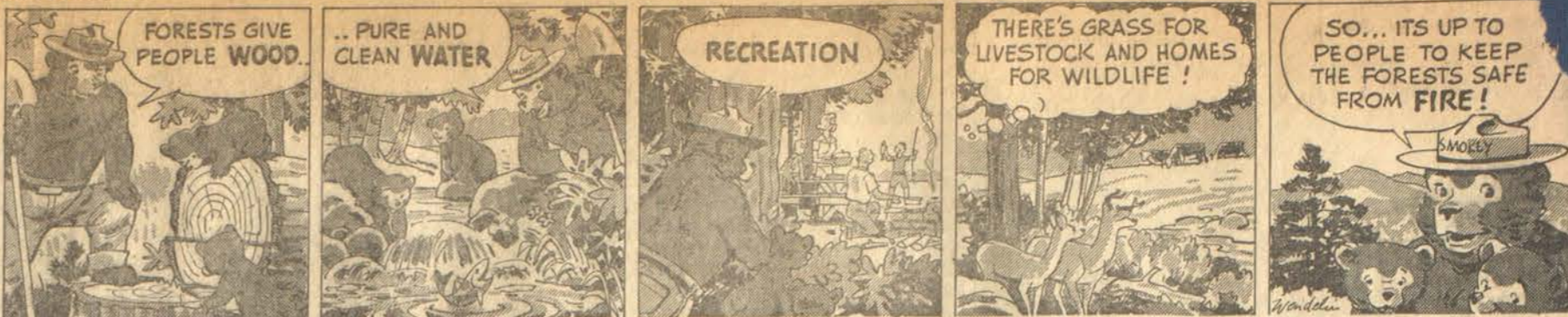
The Tampa Chapter of the Military Order of the World Wars held its 1957 installation of officers at 8 p.m., Oct. 2, at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club.

The new commander of the Tampa unit, Captain Walter D. Howard, who was re-elected by a rising unanimous vote said the ceremony will be attended by more than 50 top military figures in the state.

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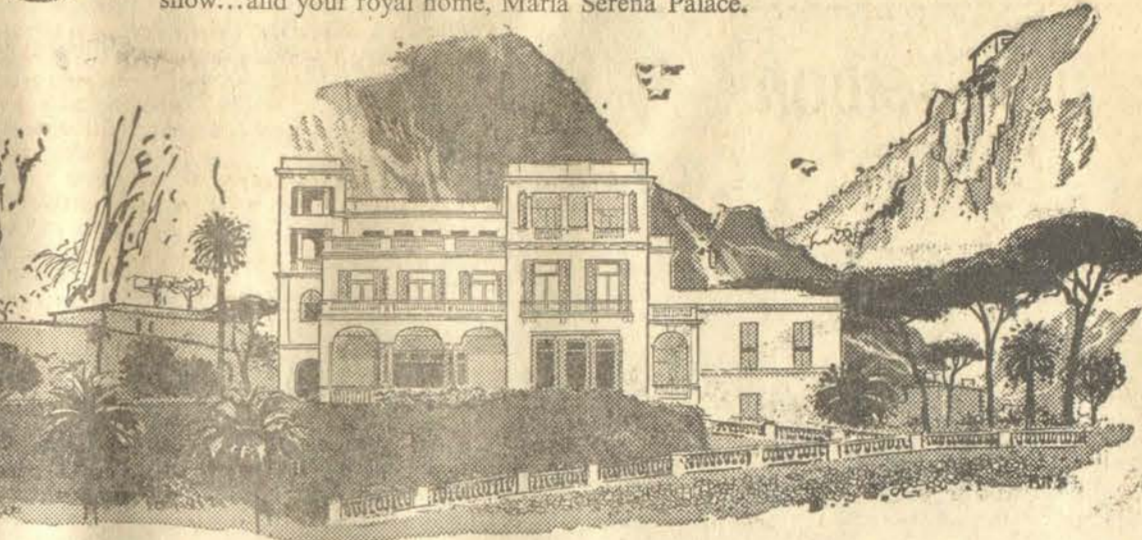


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Scott Craft will get in on the ground floor and work for what is good for Eastern Kentucky.

Mrs. Mary Edna Skeens, Age 51, of Martin, Dies Of Cancer, in Michigan

Mrs. Mary Edna Skeens, 51, of Martin, died Thursday of last week, at 1:30 p.m., at the Oakwood hospital, Dearborn, Mich., of cancer. She had been ill four months.

Mrs. Skeens was a daughter of the late Columbus Skeens and Mrs. Florence Stephens Crisp, who survives. Her husband, James Skeens, preceded her in death.

Surviving children are J. C. Skeens, of Martin, William G. Skeens and James E. Skeens, both of Detroit, and Mrs. Goldie Irene Hall, Danville, Va. A brother and two sisters survive: James Crisp, Mrs. Fanny Branham, and Mrs. Cea Billiter, all of Martin.

Funeral rites were conducted at noon, Sunday, at the Martin Christian church, the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt officiating. Burial was made in the Martin cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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Aged Honaker Merchant Dies at Martin Hospital Following 3-Day Illness

William K. Steele, 76, of Honaker, died at 2:15 a.m., Wednesday, of last week at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, of paralysis. He had been ill three days.

Mr. Steele, a Floyd county merchant for 35 years, was married to Nancy Kidd who preceded him in death.

Surviving children are Wallace Steele, of Betsy Layne, James Steele, W. K. Steele, and Orville Steele, all of Harold, Warren Steele, Louisville, Mrs. Rosa Belle Case, Mrs. Beulah Case and Mrs. Bessie Collins, all of Honaker.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m., last Friday, in the Betsy Layne high school auditorium, the Rev. Henry Parsons and others officiating. Burial was made in the Kidd cemetery at Honaker under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, October 14—
9:45 a.m., Church School. Classes for all ages.

10:55 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon topic: "The Command of Jesus."

4:30 p.m., Installation of officers of United Church Women at the Arnold avenue church of Christ. 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: "Keeping the Spirit of Jesus Alive."

Monday, 7:30 p.m., M. Y. F. sub-district meeting at Horn Chapel at Auxier.

7:30 p.m., Third session of the study course, "Southeast Asia." Tuesday, 10:00-12:00 a.m., District Missionary Institute at Louisa.

Wednesday, 8:30 a.m., Morning Devotions over WPRF. 3:45 p.m., Wesley Choir practice. 7:30 p.m., Prayer meeting. Dr. H. L. Moore will conduct Quarterly Conference session.

8:15 p.m., Senior Choir practice. Thursday, 2:30 p.m., Circle No. 2 meets with Mrs. E. A. Stumbo. Circle No. 3 also meets. 3:45 p.m., Cheruc Choir meets.

Production of bituminous coal in mines owned by steel companies totaled 65,282,063 tons in 1955, or 13.88 per cent of the year's total production, and came from mines owned by 21 steel companies.

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ORDINANCE

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Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky:

SECTION 1. The terms "Person" and "Taxicab", as used in this Ordinance, are defined in KRS 281.010, Paragraphs 1 and 17, respectively.

SECTION 2. Authority for this ordinance is KRS 281.635 Paragraphs 4, 5 and 6.

SECTION 3. No person shall operate a taxicab, or taxicabs, in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until he has been granted the right to operate by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg.

SECTION 4. No person shall be granted the right to operate a taxicab until he furnishes the City Council with the following information: Name of the owner of the taxicab, or taxicabs, if more than one; amount of insurance carried; State Certificate numbers of owners; Kentucky operator's license; name and age of driver (driver must be twenty-one years of age, or older); license number of taxicab the driver will operate. The driver must be of good moral character and must be approved by the City Council before he can operate a taxicab.

SECTION 5. Owners license to operate a taxicab, and the driver's license to operate a taxicab, must be posted in the cab at all times and shall not be transferable.

SECTION 6. No owner, or person in authority for the owner, shall change drivers unless he has permission of the Chief of Police and approval of the City Council. The Chief of Police may not grant such authority unless the driver has been approved by the City Council.

SECTION 7. Effective as of October 15, 1956, no person or driver shall be granted the right to operate a taxicab in the City of Prestonsburg, or own and operate a taxicab in said City, if they are convicted of drunk driving, transporting intoxicating beverages in a taxicab, illegally selling intoxicating beverages in local option territory, or in the opinion of the Council are not of good moral character; and the burden of proof shall be on the applicant.

SECTION 8. No person or owner of a taxicab license shall lease, or permit the use of their operator's license or taxicab, on a lease-lend basis. The owner of an operator's license shall be responsible for the operation of any taxicab licensed in his name. Penalty for violation of this paragraph shall be a fine of Nineteen Dollars and fifty cents (\$19.50) and the City operator's license of both the owner and driver shall be revoked; and each day of such violation shall be a separate offense. Trial shall be by the Police Judge without intervention of a jury.

SECTION 9. The Chief of Police and members of the Police Department shall be responsible for enforcement of this Ordinance. Failure to enforce any provision of this ordinance by any Officer in the employ of the City of Prestonsburg shall result in said Officer being fined not more than Ten (\$10.00) Dollars, and he shall be suspended by the Police Judge pending action of the City Council who may reinstate or permanently discharge the offending Officer.

SECTION 10. Upon conviction, the Police Judge shall revoke the license of the owner and driver convicted of transporting intoxicating beverages in a taxicab in the City of Prestonsburg, and each shall be fined the sum of \$19.50 by the Police Judge, trial to be by the Police Judge without the intervention of a jury. The burden of proof shall be on the owner and driver of the taxicab, and the past moral reputation of each may be admitted in evidence.

If convicted of making a false statement in the trial of these cases, the person so convicted shall be fined not more than \$19.50 by the Judge of the Police Court.

SECTION 11. Any violation of this Ordinance, or any of the provisions thereof, shall be heard and tried by the Judge of the Police Court without intervention of a jury. See KRS 26.400, Paragraph 4.

SECTION 12. All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 13. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after publication according to law.

Passed and approved October 1, 1956.

HARRY SANDIGE, Mayor
ATTEST:
JUDITH D. ARCHER, City Clerk

With any camping shelter, particularly, a lean-to, a backlog wall, about 3 logs high, set a foot behind the fire, will send the smoke straight up. In this way it will not bother anyone sitting around or cooking at the fire.—Sports Field.

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Lewis Said Favoring Merger of Companies

Merger of the nation's coal business into a few big firms is expected and even courted by the coal industry's labor organization, the United Mine Workers, it was said in Cincinnati this week.

John L. Lewis, UMW president, has put an accent on improving industry efficiency to pay for rising wages and workers' benefits and says industry combines will help advance that cause, this report said.

This policy has been made clear by Lewis during sessions of UMW convention sessions in Cincinnati, which resumed Monday for a second week.

Lewis told the convention that the new era of peaceful labor negotiations in the industry, contrasting with the former period of bitter strikes, is making possible larger combination of coal producers.

The UMW chief said the industry trend toward a few big operating firms is to be desired, not blocked. He said the pooling of capital, purchasing and managerial talent could only result in lower industry costs and enable producers to pay miners greater benefits.

"These great combines now being formed in the industry are able to save the enormous sums of money," he said. "That is modern operation. That condition is one which I think the industry now in its major sense is dedicated to continue."

The significance of the situation

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Cantrill, Jay Paintsville, Ky.		.02
McKenzie, Dillard, David, Ky.		1.00

COMPLETES NURSING COURSE

Mrs. J. C. Anderson, of 229 East Madison street, Sandusky, Ohio, was graduated from American School of Nursing, Sept. 27. Her husband is now serving in the U. S. Army and she plans to join him Oct. 3. Mrs. Anderson is the former Billie Marie Shepherd, daughter of Mrs. Virgie Shepherd, of David, Ky.

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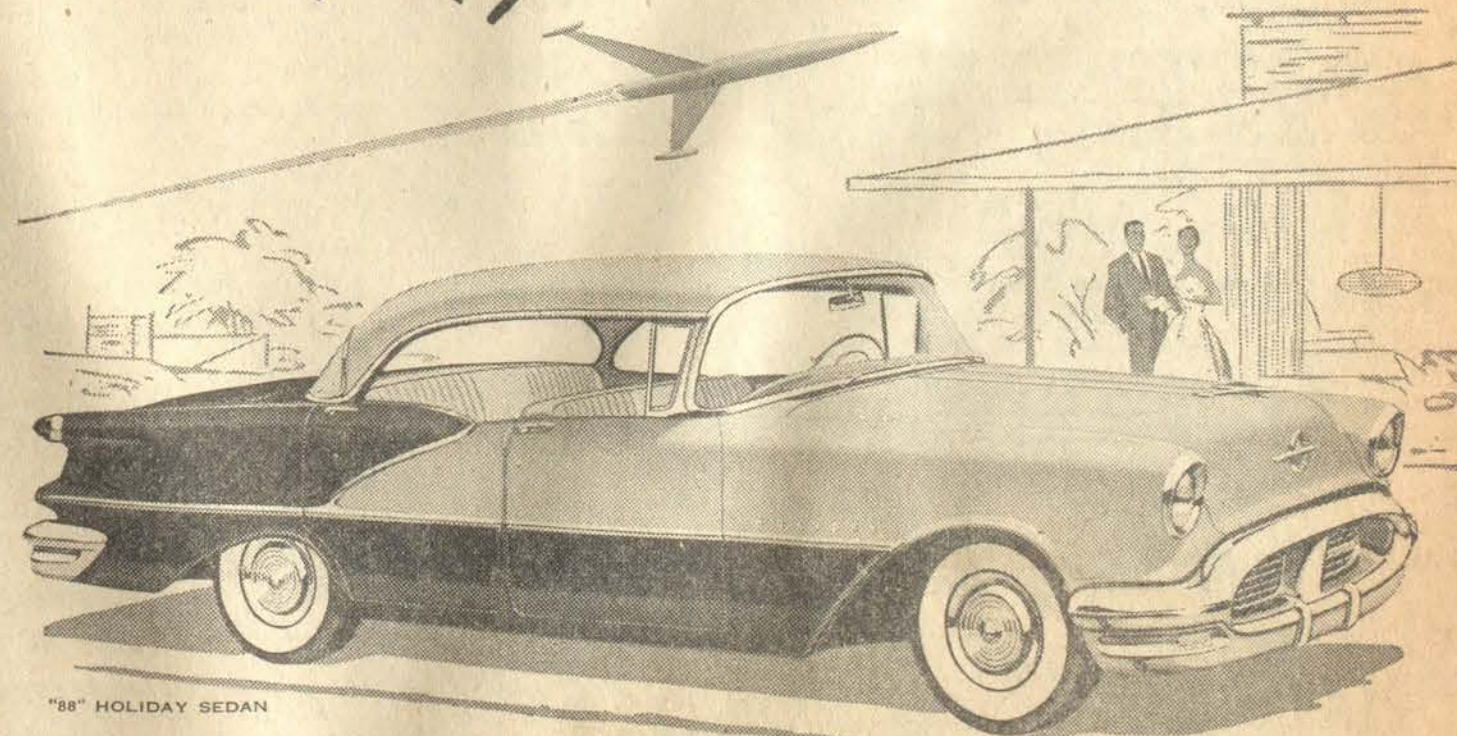
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Clayton Ferguson,
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10-10-31.

WHEELWRIGHT

FIRST P-T.A. MEETING

The Wheelwright P-T.A. held its first meeting of the year Sept. 27, at 7 p.m.

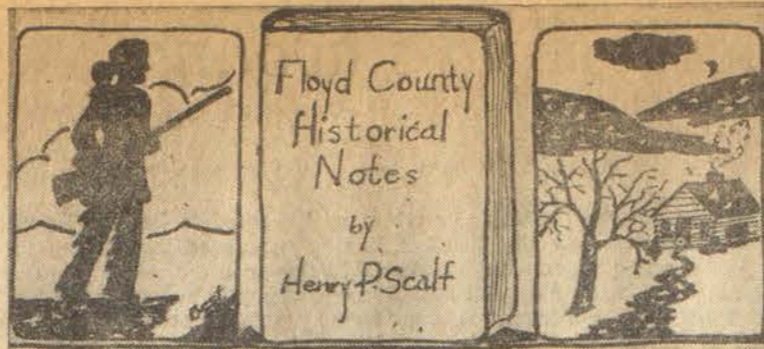
Projects of the year were selected and voted upon. It was resolved to buy vitamins for all grade school children in an effort to cut down on absences because of colds, etc. Second, the P-T.A. voted to buy and install bulletin boards in all Wheelwright high school rooms that lack such boards.

The annual carnival is in its formative stages, and, according to Mr. Harris, carnival manager, it will be one of the biggest and best yet held.

A cash prize is given to the room having the most parents in attendance; and it was quite evident pupils and teachers have been hard at work getting parents out for the first meeting. There was a large group of parents, and a tie came about between Miss Rainey's and Mrs. Reedy's grade school rooms. Duplicate prizes were awarded to them. At the high school the seniors took the prize for the most parents present.

A get-acquainted social hour followed the business hour. The next meeting will be held in the grade school gymnasium October 25, 7:00 p.m.

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This column is in receipt of a clipping from a Lawton, Okla., newspaper, dated April 6, 1932, on the death of Dr. A. H. Stewart, Eastern Kentucky native. Loan of the clipping came from R. Lee Stewart, Morehead, with other material on his father as this columnist is assisting in the writing of a short biography of the noted physician.

It is titled, "Pioneer City Resident Dies This Morning. Dr. A. H. Stewart succumbed; Suffered Paralytic Stroke."

"Dr. A. H. Stewart, 80, pioneer Lawton physician, writer and active worker among boys, died at 11:45 a.m., Monday, in a local hospital. He had been critically ill for two weeks, suffering from a paralytic stroke.

"Death did not come as a surprise to relatives. Both sons, R. B. Stewart, 712 E. avenue, and Lee Stewart, Morehead, Ky., were here Monday.

"No funeral arrangements had been made, pending arrival of other relatives. The body was removed to Ritter's Funeral Home.

"Dr. Stewart became ill while he was in the work of completing the final part of a book on science. Having written three other books, since being in Lawton, part of them on boys' life, he was vitally interested in completing the scientific book.

"The physician had been retired from active service for about 10 years. Since coming to Lawton in July, 1901, a few days prior to the opening, Dr. Stewart operated a drug store in Lawton, practiced medicine, both in this city and in Indiana, and worked with Boy Scout organizations, in addition to writing.

"Dr. Stewart served two terms in the state senate of Kentucky, from the 33rd district, 1887 to 1893.

"Alexander Hamilton Stewart was born near Hindman, Ky., Dec. 7, 1852. He resided in that state until coming to Oklahoma.

"After graduating from Ohio Medical college in 1882, Dr. Stewart returned to the mountains of Kentucky near Bosco, during a reportable incurable smallpox epidemic, and got it under control.

"In 1888 he was elected tenth congressional district chairman and served until 1892. In 1896-97 he was physician of the Kentucky Reformatory and deputy warden. While

there he supervised sanitation of the prison which resulted in the institution being cleaned up materially.

"During the Spanish-American war he and his son, R. B., returned to their native Kentucky mountain home community and organized Company K, Fourth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, with Dr. Stewart as captain of the group and the son, first lieutenant. The company was not sent across the waters but the two men served 10 months in the army.

"After coming to Lawton in 1901, Dr. Stewart started practicing medicine and opened the Green Tent Drug Store on Third Street between D and E avenues.

"He left here in 1902 for Indiana where he practiced medicine until about 1910. He was married to Miss Mattie Hampton at the Keegan hotel in Lawton, Feb. 28, 1907, who survives him.

"Returning to this city in 1910, Dr. Stewart renewed medical practice which he continued until retirement about 1923.

"While in Lawton he was active among the Scouts, Masonic lodge, Kiwanis club and medical societies. He was a member of the Baptist church.

"In 1928 he was sent from Lawton as a delegate to the international Kiwanis conference in Canada.

"His father, Dr. Jasper Stewart, died in Kentucky, May 3, 1914."

R. Lee Stewart, son of the Eastern Kentucky physician, adds in his letter the following:

"Father didn't have much education until after he had married. (He presumably means when he married the first time) and then attended school at Whitesburg, a school conducted by Dr. Mason, a noted mountain educator of his day at a seminary at Temple Hill, Virginia. He taught school for a few years and then decided to study medicine and spent three years at the Ohio Medical College in Cincinnati. I believe he had graduated there when the smallpox epidemic started at Bosco."

Lee Stewart notes that the Lawton story did not mention that his father married Laura Hargis at Richmond, Ky., March 2, 1892 and that she died in April, 1901.

A bit of human interest on Dr. Stewart's campaign for the State Senate in Kentucky is also added by his son:

"A man once told me on the Buffalo Fork of Johns Creek that when father came along as a candidate he found several men working in a corn field. One of them said to father that if he would get down off his horse and help them hoe the corn patch out they would all vote for him. Father came off the horse, pulled his coat. Candidate Stewart taught them how to hoe corn, they all vowed later. My informant said they all voted for father although all of them were Democrats."

NOTICE

Wesley N. Martin has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadhouse license in the operation of a restaurant at Allen, Ky.

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UMWA DELEGATES COMPLAIN OF UNEMPLOYMENT IN MINES

Delegates to the United Mine Workers convention at Cincinnati this week voiced complaints over technological unemployment in the coal fields. The complaints were offered despite the growing prosperity of the coal industry.

Delegates voted to raise union dues by 25 cents a month, but acted only after considerable grumbling that the increase, though small, would fall heavily on unemployed and pensioned members.

The debate underscored the problem that while new machinery has enabled coal producers to cut costs and pay higher wages and other benefits, the machines also have reduced the number of available jobs in the industry.

A force of approximately 200,000 miners now produces virtually the same coal tonnage as was mined a decade ago by twice as many men and before that by nearly 800,000 workers.

Fears of growing joblessness has taken the form of convention resolutions calling for more liberal state unemployment-compensation payments, for a short- and for Social Security retirement at 60 instead of 65.

John L. Lewis, U.M.W. president, said a shorter work day could come only at the price of lower wages, but he pledged that the U. M. W. would continue to seek higher state and U. S. public benefits.

The dues increase means working members will now pay \$4.25 a month instead of \$4 and unemployed and retired members will pay \$1.25 instead of \$1 a month.

The extra dues money is to go to local unions. Lewis said they need the money to carry on services for both the working and idled union members.

Lewis said that in hundreds of mining communities, mines have been closed down so that local union membership is virtually all either unemployed or pensioned. He said jobless or pensioned members have already been voluntarily paying the higher \$1.25-monthly dues rate to keep their locals going.

He predicted that growing demand for coal in this country and for export abroad will cause many closed mines to reopen and provide new jobs for miners 40, 50, and 60 years old who now are without work.

Lewis' predictions of expanded coal production were supported by Marling J. Ankeny, director of the Federal Bureau of Mines. Ankeny said in a speech that coal production now running at about 500,000,000 tons a year may double to a billion tons by 1975 or 1980.

Ankeny said sharply increasing demands for coal to produce electric energy and fill the requirements of the expanding steel industry, together with a rising coal export trade to Europe, present a promising picture for both bituminous coal and anthracite.

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Pioneer Beaver Creek Settler Carved Home in Wilderness

By HENRY P. SCALF

(This history of the Stephens family was written from a compilation of data gathered by Henry Stephens, of Prestonsburg, and his son, Edgar P. Stephens. This article is the first of a series.)

Samuel Stephens, progenitor of the Big Sandy branch of the family, emerges to history on the Floyd county, Kentucky, records when he married Florence Patton, July 26, 1821. Whether he was a child when he left Virginia and was brought to Kentucky by his parents or other relatives, or like many stalwart young men of the time immigrated westward by his own decision is not known.

There were others of the Stephens name in early Floyd county when Samuel Stephens and Florence Patton married. On December 11, that year, Andrew Stephens and Susanna Williams were united in wedlock. It is presumed Samuel and Andrew were brothers.

It was Jacob Mayo, deputy clerk of the Floyd County Court for many years, and afterwards clerk himself for years, who issued the marriage license and accepted the security that authorized the union of Samuel Stephens and Florence Patton. The license may be found recorded in marriage Book No. 1, page 158, being number 692 in the county since the records were rehabilitated after the courthouse burned in 1808.

It reads: "This shall license and permit you to join in marriage according to the rites and ceremonies of the church to which you belong Samuel Stephens and Florence Patton and for this shall be

your sufficient warrant. Given under my hand this 21st day of July 1821. Jacob Mayo, D.C.F.-C.C."

The marriage return was made by Stephen Harper, J. P., who wrote: "I hereby certify that the within named couple was this day joined together in marriage as the law directs by me, this 26th day of July, 1821."

Samuel Stephens at the time of his marriage was 20 years old, having been born Nov. 11, 1801, in that part of Russell county, Virginia, that became Wise county in 1856. His wife, one year older, was the daughter of James Patton and Florence Graham Patton, early Beaver Creek settlers.

In the first quarter of the nineteenth century land available for preemption in early Floyd was plentiful, except for the river bottoms. The huge John Preston survey of 100,000 acres had encircled a line around the Big Sandy river bottoms from the mouth of Johns Creek up stream for many miles but in the main the bottoms of the larger tributary streams were untouched. Samuel and Florence Stephens settled on Stephens Branch, near the present Alphoretta, gave their family name to the stream. In that almost unbroken sylvan barony of thousands of acres of land they raised 15 children and a foster daughter.

The Big Sandy valley in 1821 was sparsely settled. Only the year before Samuel Stephens married did anyone claim and settle on the bottoms where Martin now stands. Prestonsburg was a struggling little village of less than 50 persons. Pikeville was unheard of and long valleys, like the one where Stephens settled, were empty except for primeval trees an abundant games.

All the children of Samuel and Florence Patton Stephens lived to adulthood which was unusual indeed for, in the semi-wilderness of early Floyd county, the hazards of life and the lack of proper medical care lessened the survival rate. There were fields to clear of giant timber, long hours of almost intolerable toil in and outside the house, and epidemics of small pox that swept the land. Life was hard and back-breaking labor was eternal.

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hundred, a few, thousands of acres.

The order of birth of the Stephens children cannot be given. We know that Jenny, daughter of Florence, was born about 1818, possibly 1819. She was reared by Samuel and Florence, took their name, and reaching maturity, married John Stone, October 29, 1837. Her husband, while at work on Turkey Creek, cut his leg with an axe. He bled to death. Jennie, now a widow with five children, remarried Andrew J. Canady, bore him four children. Descendants of this later union now bear the name Kennedy.

Rebecca Stephens, one of the older daughters of Samuel and Florence, married George W. (Hopkins) Allen, April 28, 1840. They had sixteen children.

George W. Stephens, one of the older sons, married Margaret Handshoe, July 24, 1844. He settled on the Caney Fork of Middle Creek and reared ten children and died about 1900.

William D. Stephens married Rebecca Bradley, Nov. 3, 1857 and were the parents of eleven children. Reuben Stephens married Nancy Jane Hicks, April 21, 1859, and continuing the tradition of large families in the Stephens sept, had twelve children.

It is not known to whom Alexander Stephens was married. He, contrary to the dominant Southern feeling of his kinsmen, joined the Union army in either Ohio or Illinois, served through the Civil War as an officer. He came back to Stephens Branch after the war was over, willing to forget differences with his people. But his brothers were a bit embittered by the war and Alexander left for the west. It was rumored that he died in the Chicago fire in 1871, but this fear proved groundless. Decades later a son came back to Kentucky from Oklahoma to inquire about the division of the estate of his grandfather but finding no provision had been made for Alexander, returned to Oklahoma. Knowledge of this family does not exist with the Big Sandy Stephens descendants.

First to marry after the Civil War from the patriarchal home of Samuel Stephens was Mary. Oct. 11, 1865, she was married to David Osborne. To this union were born eight children. Samuel A. Stephens married an Osborne also, probably a sister to David. Samuel A. and Sarah Osborne were united in marriage, Oct. 10, 1866, and to them were born fourteen children.

John Stephens, born 1836, was never married. He was lured westward by the news of the California gold rush and did not return until about 1907 or 1908. He resided, after his return, with his sister, Cynthia Stephens, who married Samuel Hale, March 31, 1879. John died in 1910. Cynthia and Samuel Hale had only one child and it died in infancy.

Andrew J. Stephens married Rose Ann Carpenter; David Stephens married Margaret Daniels. Andrew and Rose Ann had nine children, David and Margaret had eleven.

Morgan Green Stephens, father of former County Superintendent John Stephens of Floyd county, married Malinda Jane Hale, February 11, 1864. Morgan Green and Malinda Jane Hale Stephens were the parents of ten children.

Darcus P. Stephens married George Carpenter, Jan. 29, 1869. To them were born twelve children. This family resided in Magoffin county.

Kash Holbrook Succumbs; Employee Killed Instantly In High-Voltage Contact

Kash Holbrook, well-known Magoffin county Democratic leader who was critically burned recently by high voltage electricity which claimed the life of an 18-year-old youth, died at the Paintsville hospital last Thursday.

James Caldwell, employee of Holbrook in the drilling of water wells, was instantly killed when the drilling rig they were moving on Mason Creek, Magoffin county, came in contact with a high-voltage line of the Licking Valley REA. Holbrook's legs and one arm were charred and he was badly burned about the body. Neither of his legs or his arm has yet been amputated.

Holbrook had been Magoffin county Democratic chairman for the last eight years.

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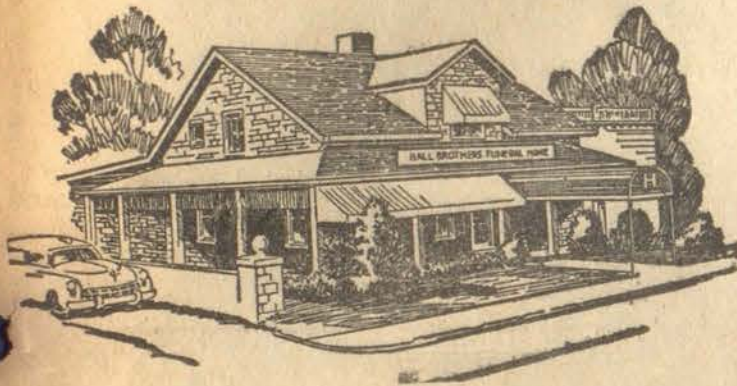
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Paintsville High, Madison Picked For Bowl Tilt

The Paintsville high school Tigers and the Madison Royal Purples, of Richmond, have been named as the participants in the sixth annual Big Sandy Bowl game to be played at Paintsville Memorial Field, November 9. The announcement was made by the Junior Woman's League following Paintsville's Friday night win over Fleming, the fifth straight victory for the Tigers. It will be Paintsville's first appearance as the host team since the beginning of the Bowl.

Madison will be the first representative of the Central Conference to participate in the Bowl. The Purples, who have scored four straight impressive wins, are coached by Roy Kidd, former Eastern star. Outstanding stars on the Madison team include All-Conference fullback John Green and the fleet Allen Hughes, son of the famous "Turkey" Hughes, now athletic director of Eastern State College.

The Tigers, coached by Walter Brugh, are enjoying their finest season in many years and have an excellent chance to win the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference. The Big Blue boast one of the fastest backfields in the state, featuring Jim Conley, outstanding candidate for All-State honors and Frankie Patton, the Conference's leading scorer. The fast, hefty line is led by big Jim Cyrus and Stanley Knight.

The Junior Woman's League which sponsors the Bowl, is planning the usual parade, beauty contest and band festival in connection with the Bowl game. New concrete stands have been added to the stadium to accommodate the ever-growing Bowl crowd.

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WEEK-END GRID ODDITIES

Pikeville's failure to recover the second half kick-off inside their 30-yard line last Friday night may have cost the Panthers the E. K. M. C. championship after the underdog Blackcats held the state's 11th ranked team to a 6-6 tie.

Evidently Pikeville's four fleet-footed backs thought that the second half kick-off was a punting situation and let the ball roll. Four would-be Prestonsburg tacklers were under the same influence until the crowd began yelling. Any one of the Pikeville quartet could have fallen on or picked up the oval and run but declined to do so, and after what appeared to be a minute's lapse, Wayne Dixon fell on the ball for the Black Cats.

Although both teams failed to score in the final half, Pikeville failed to muster a serious drive in the surprising second half.

In the Belfry-Paintsville fray a night later, Belfry played the entire fourth period inside Paintsville territory and twice had the ball on the Tiger four-yard stripe with first down and goal, but failed to score in losing, 20-14.

PIKEVILLE MEETS PADUCAH TIGHTLY

Pikeville's grid forces will travel 505 miles, October 27, to tangle with the state's third largest school, Paducah Tighman. Originally the Panthers were open but filled the date when Paducah invited them down to help dedicate the \$50,000 Paducah stadium.

PATTON AND HODGE NECK-AND-NECK

Paintsville's diminutive half-back, Frankie Patton, a 5-foot-5-inch 155-pound senior, and Whitesburg's bruising fullback, Lloyd Hodge, are staging the hottest individual grid scoring battle ever staged in Eastern Kentucky. The 190-pound, 6-foot, 2-inch Hodge trails Patton by one point, 98-99. Patton leads in touchdowns, 16-15, but trails in extra points, 8-3. Both have four regular season games left and each a "post-season" bowl game and no doubt both will break H. L. Justice's individual record of 123 points in a single season.

DIXON-MCKENZIE CO-WINNERS

Juniors Wayne Dixon and Lowell McKenzie were named Black Cat Players of the Week in the Pikeville game last week, according to Francis Stores, sponsors of the weekly selections. McKenzie intercepted a vital pass that set up the 'Cats' touchdown and was on the receiving end from quarterback Paul P. Hughes. Dixon personally stopped several Pikeville drives with his fine defensive play.

CAGE CLINIC ATTRACTS MANY

The annual Eastern Kentucky basketball rules clinic in Pikeville Tuesday night attracted the greatest number of coaches and officials ever to attend a clinic in this section. The new cage changes were discussed and reviewed by Charles Vettiner, rules interpreter for the Kentucky High School Athletic Association.

FOOTBALL

	EKMC		All G.	
	W.	L.	W.	L.
Hazard	5	0	5	0
Paintsville	4	0	6	0
Pikeville	2	0	1	5
Fleming	2	1	1	3
Prestonsburg	2	1	2	2
Whitesburg	1	2	0	4
Jenkins	1	3	1	3
Elkhorn City	1	3	0	1
Belfry	0	3	0	2
M. C. Napier	0	3	0	2
INDEPENDENT				
Wheelwright	0	1	0	

LEADING SCORERS

Name	G	Td	Ep	Ti
Patton, Paintsville	6	16	3	99
Hodge, Whitesburg	6	15	8	98
Fugate, Whitesburg	6	10	6	66
Phillips, Pikeville	6	7	0	42
Skaggs, Fleming	4	6	0	36
Justice, Pikeville	6	5	0	30
Maynard, Belfry	5	5	0	30
Elkins, Pikeville	6	5	0	30

WEEK-END SCORES

Jenkins 31, Elkhorn City 6.
Whitesburg 42, Lynch 12.
Pikeville 6, Prestonsburg 6.
Hazard 14, Irvine 7.
M. C. Napier 7, Wheelwright 6.
Paintsville 20, Belfry 14.
Fleming 46, Leslie County 6.

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

*Fleming at Pikeville.
*Belfry at Elkhorn City.
*Paintsville at M. C. Napier.
*Whitesburg at Jenkins.
Louisia at Prestonsburg.
Hazard (open).
*E. K. M. C. Game.

Prestonsburg high school's Black Cats zoomed into the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference limelight last week-end by holding the Pikeville Panthers to a 6-all tie and breaking the Pike countians' victory skein of 19 in a row.

The under-dog Cats, playing most of the game without the services of fullback Buford Crager, their best ground-gaining threat, thrilled a big gathering of hometown rooters with a powerful defensive game and a passing attack that was good enough to gain a tie with the heavily favored Panthers and that could have, with a break or two, won them the game.

The Big Three of the Conference—Hazard, Paintsville and Pikeville—ran into close frays last week-end. Paintsville and Hazard, however, won by one touch-down margin.

Paintsville's undefeated Tigers staved off two Belfry rallies within their five-yard stripe in the last six minutes to conquer the fighting Pirates, 20-14, for their sixth consecutive triumph.

Jim Caudill's Hazard Bulldogs overcame a 7-0 halftime deficit to down Irvine, 14-7, with two long marches in the final half for their fifth successive win and top spot in the conference.

In other games on the heavy card, Whitesburg sent high-scoring Lloyd Hodge and halfback Carlos Fugate over for four and two touch-downs respectively in dumping Lynch, 41-12, in a homecoming tilt, and Jenkins stopped Elkhorn City, 31-6. Saturday night, Fleming drubbed Leslie County, 46-6, and M. C. Napier edged past another beginner, Wheelwright, 7-6.

Pikeville, a team that has been ranked 11th in Kentucky high school football, marched 54 yards in 11 plays the first time it got the ball to send Buddy Elkins across for a 6-0 lead with eight minutes left in the first period.

Midway the second period, the defense-minded Black Cats tied the count as halfback Lowell McKenzie grabbed a Phillips pass on the Pikeville 40. Quarterback Paul Hughes, looking like his brothers, Delmar and Lowell, who starred before him for Prestonsburg, began filling the air with passes, and with McKenzie on the receiving end tallied in three plays.

Both teams threatened twice in the last half, but could never muster enough to push the ball over. Although limited to only 21 yards on the ground, Bob Wallace's vastly improved unit gained 152 yards in the air and played a masterful defensive game in holding Buddy Elkins, H. L. Justice and Larry Phillips to short gains.

Loss of fullback Crager in the first period kept Prestonsburg's ground attack to a minimum. The agile senior is probably lost for the season with torn ligaments in his knees.

Frankie Patton, diminutive Paintsville speedster, romped to three touchdowns in pacing the Johnson county team over Belfry to preserve their unbeaten record.

Patton reeled off a 38-yard t.d. run in the first five minutes of the game. Maurice Minix dived for the

WRIGHT IS GRADUATE

Sgt. Hansel Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wright, of Eastern, Ky., recently was graduated from the Seventh Army Non-Commissioned Officer Academy in Munich Germany. Wright entered the Army in December, 1953, and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

MISS CLARE IS LISTED AS STUDENT AT WESTERN

One student from Floyd county, Miss Sarah Louise Clark, of Wheelwright enrolled in Western State College for the 1956 fall semester. This marks an increase of 296 students over last year when 1953 students were enrolled in the college for the fall semester.

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