

THURSDAY

DECEMBER 6, 1956

This Town— That World

INTERESTING IDEA Lieutenant Governor Harry Lee Waterfield's Clinton Gazette (weekly, even as The Floyd County Times) comes up with an idea yours truly has often thought about but has never had the nerve to put into effect. This is the idea: When anyone reports a news story to the Gazette, that one would be allowed to make any personal comment desired on the story for us to print under the story, perhaps in blacker type, signed with the name of the person commenting. In cases where we ask for information for stories, we shall ask for comments. Also, much of our own editorial comment may be moved from the editorial page and placed under the pertinent stories. That, I maintain, will guarantee any newspaper unusual reader-interest. But I fear the comment we might get here would be so vitriolic on occasion that the dove of peace would take to the stratosphere when passing over Floyd county.

PAGE MR. GALLUP Speaking of newspapers, Mrs. Eleanor Goble, Louisville, wife of the C.-J. James B., reports in her "Shoptalk" that 51 of 82 Kentucky editors in an October poll predicted Stevenson would carry Kentucky; 70 thought Clements would defeat Morton; 38 predicted Cooper's victory while 36 thought Wetherby would pull through. Eight wary individuals thought that the Wetherby-Cooper race would be too close for comment. Which puts a crimp in that old idea that a weekly newspaper editor is mighty, mighty close to the people and knows a lot about what (See Story No. 2, Page 8)

TWO ACCUSED IN SHOOTING

Brothers under Bond After Kinsman Shot On Arkansas Creek

Ernest and Noah Conn, brothers, have been released under bond for their grand jury appearance to answer to charges growing out of the shooting and wounding of their distant cousin, Lonnie Conn, on Arkansas Creek, near Martin, early last Saturday night.

ONE IS FINED IN RUM CASE

One report received here said the shooting was a Democratic precinct election aftermath. A factional fight developed in Arkansas precinct. Although Ernest Conn admitted firing the shot, he did not discuss the shooting further with officers or officials.

County Attorney Hollie Conley said he was told by the wounded man's kinsman that Lonnie Conn was standing in the road in front of the home of the brothers when he was shot. What provoked the shooting was not made clear.

Ernest Conn, who was booked for the actual shooting was released under \$5,000 bond. His brother Noah was accused of aiding in the shooting. His bond was set at \$2,000.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Wanda M. Stith vs. William O. Stith; Harris Howard, atty. Lawrence Keathley, et al vs. City of Martin, et al; W. W. Burchett, atty. Frank R. Patson vs. Mary Ann Patson; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Gracie Horne, ind. vs. Harry V. Horn, et al; Paul E. Hayes, atty. Zella Holbrook vs. Solmie Holbrook; W. W. Burchett, atty. Geraldine Thorpe vs. Ilie Thorpe; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Betty Jean Holbrook vs. Alex Holbrook; Mary E. Boggs vs. William Boggs; J.B. Clarke, atty. Big Sandy Wholesale Co. vs. Maynard Hopkins, et al; J. B. Clarke, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Elmus Shepherd, 21, David, and Ruby Owsley, 17, Dock; married here Nov. 28 by the Rev. M. C. Wright. Theodore Carl Bush, 19, Betsy Layne, and Sandra Sue Stapleton, 18, Harold Adrian Shepherd, 21, David, and Eunice Mae Shepherd, 19, Cliff Johnnie Newman, 18, Hi Hal, and Brenda Joyce Moore, 16, Ligon, Billy Alley, 19, Detroit, Mich., and Alice Faye Ball, 15, Prestonsburg.

PARTY PEACE IS REPORTED IN PRECINCTS

Few Contests Waged As Democrat's Stage Organization Polls

Party harmony prevailed throughout most of Floyd county's 60 precincts Saturday as committeemen and committeewomen were selected to govern the Democratic party's destinies for the next four years.

Little if any opposition to the Chandler administration forces was evident in the county. Last-minute changes reduced the number of actual contests to less than a half-dozen precincts. It was reported that local issues were the dominant factors in these contests and that all contestants are pledged to support the same county and district leaders.

Magistrate District No. 1 had only one contest, and that in Jim Banks precinct. Other contests reported were in the Rock Fork, Halbert, Arkansas and Toler Creek precincts. A 32-32 deadlock at the Halbert voting place is expected to go to the State Central Committee for final settlement.

Slated for election as chairmen at the legislative district meetings to be held Saturday morning are Woodrow Fitzpatrick, West Prestonsburg, and Magistrate Ellis Martin, of Drift. These chairmen in turn are expected to name Former State Representative Jerry Ponce Howell, of Price, as county chairman, and State Representative Lon C. Hill, Prestonsburg, as secretary.

An example of the absence of factional feuding was seen in the selection of State Representative Hill as committeeman for Richmond precinct in Prestonsburg. Hill's name was placed in nomination by Joe Weddington, 1955 county campaign chairman for Gov. A. E. Chandler, and the nomination was seconded by County Judge Henry Stumbo, campaign chairman for Bert T. Combs in the same election.

The longest tenure of party service terminated by Saturday's elections was that of Alex H. Spradlin, of Prestonsburg's No. 2 precinct, where he has served as committeeman for 36 years. Homer Salisbury succeeded Mr. Spradlin.

The example of most complete unanimity was found in the Abbott Creek precinct where approximately 50 people were present. One person placed the name of Polk Hill in nomination for committeeman, and every person present seconded the nomination.

Cases Dismissed Friday Draw Protest; Salisbury Gets Fine, Jail Sentence

Of 25 liquor cases called in circuit court within the week, one resulted in conviction and a fine of \$50, 12 were dismissed, one resulted in the acquittal of the defendant, and the others were continued to future trial dates.

The cases of six Prestonsburg defendants were dismissed Friday. Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin noted on each indictment the reasons for dismissal, among which were "unreliability of the prosecuting witness who has sworn different ways and whom the Commonwealth has convicted for taking money from others." It also was noted that this witness was the only witness against the accused.

The witness, Mrs. Carmen Strahan, strongly protested dismissal of the cases. Defendants in these cases were James Lafferty, Paul Crace, Thomas Lafferty, Denzil Whitten, Denver Joseph and Junior Joseph.

Another liquor indictment against Denzil Whitten had been dismissed earlier on the grounds of "mistaken identity." Charges against Thomas Lafferty and Denver Joseph were dismissed for "lack of identity." Another liquor charge, that against Jay Shepherd, was dismissed because the search warrant was defective, and one against Bill Slone was dismissed on the ground that the defendant had already been given trial and acquitted in Magistrate John May's court.

Allen Slone won an acquittal on his liquor trial. Henry Pitts was convicted and fined \$50.

Continued to Dec. 7 were the liquor trials of Norman Shepherd, Mack Hunt, Johnny Newsome and Gordon Carroll. Other similar cases continued without specific trial dates were those of Ballard Gibson, Oscar Hurd, Palmer Hall, Clyde Jones, Henry Boto (two cases), Emmitt Newsome, Ernest Campbell, Palmer Hall Keathley.

The charge of unlawful possession (See Story No. 1, Page 8)

Preparation of Heads Of Animals for Tests Is Subject of Ruling

The responsibility for preparing heads of animals for laboratory tests for rabies is that of the person concerned, M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department said this week.

Mr. Clark made the statement to offset the belief entertained by many that the responsibility is the health department's.

He cited State Health Department regulations issued in June, 1954, which provided that the heads of animals must be cut off, packed and shipped, prepaid, by the owner or interested persons to the laboratory.

The health department, however, is willing to, and does, pack heads of animals brought to the department here. The laboratory service is, of course, free, he added.

TWO SENIORS AT MOREHEAD

Named to 'Who's Who' Are Floyd Students; 16 Others Honored

Eighteen Morehead State College seniors, including two Floyd countians, were named recently to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. The 18 were elected by fellow-classesmates for outstanding accomplishments and academic achievement during their schooling at Morehead.

Elected to Who's Who from this county were Amos Salisbury, of Langley, president of the FTA, vice-president of the Les Courants and member of the student council, and Joe Bradley, of Wayland, president of the Cosmopolitan Club and a member of the Vets Club, Les Courants, Agriculture Club and the French Club.

Other students selected for the honor from this section are Carl Deaton, of Jackson, a member of the Mystic Club and FTA, Kentucky Track Man of the Year in 1954 and captain of a cross-country team; Ina Kay Adams, of Jenkins, president of the Field Hall House Council, vice-president of Kappa Mu, society editor of the Trail Blazer and secretary of Kappa Delta Pi; Rex Chaney, of Hindman, member of the Campus Club, Mystic Club, Baptist Student Union, vice-president of the junior class and member of the basketball and track team; and Howard Jordan, of Louisa, president of the Baptist Student Union, chaplain of the Vets Club and a member of Kappa Mu.

The remaining 12 students named to Who's Who are Steve Hamilton, Charleston, Ind.; Joyce Marie Johnson, of Ewing, Ky.; Lillian Burris, of Vanceburg, Bill Willoughby, Mt. Sterling, Ken Daugherty, Columbus, O., Arthur Willett, of Bellevue, Shirley Hamilton, of Raceland, Shirley Fannin, Morris, Ill., Russ Spaulding, of Covington, Sunglin Hong, Seoul, Korea; Ron Hamilton, Frederick, Ky., and Gus Stergeos, of Maysville.

ROAD BOND SNAG IS SEEN

Tight Money Situation Poses Problem for Sale Of 3% Road Bonds at Par

Developments in the money market have created grave doubts that the state's \$100,000,000 road-bond issue will find ready buyers at this time with the interest rate limited by law to 3 per cent at par, Allan M. Trout reported Tuesday from Frankfort to the Courier-Journal.

At the national level signs multiply daily, all in the direction of ever-tightening money. For example, the interest rate on P.H.A. loans has gone from 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. And banks may now pay 3 per cent on savings and time deposits, instead of 2 1/2 per cent.

If it is found necessary to increase the interest rate on the road bonds, Governor Chandler could call a special session of the Legislature to pass a new bond law. The issue then would have to be resubmitted to the voters at the next November election.

But two ominous warnings are at hand here in Kentucky. The first is that two issues of revenue bonds for school construction have sold at more than 5 per cent for the first time within memory of public educators here in Frankfort.

A \$200,000 issue for Leslie county school district sold at 5.15 per cent. A \$105,000 issue for the Cloverport school district sold November 21 at 5.19 per cent.

There was nothing wrong with (See Story No. 4, Page 8)

LINE TO TAP BIG GAS AREA

Kentucky West Virginia To Lay Line to Acceage Drilled by Local Firm

Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has entered into contract with the Allen & Miller Gas Corporation, Prestonsburg, to lay eight miles of line from the Martin county line, near Tomahawk pump station, to pass through a Lawrence county gas field which the Prestonsburg firm owns.

The line will afford a market for the product of 10 producing wells already drilled on more than 3,000 acres Allen and Miller have under lease. The drilling of 20 more wells over a two-year period has been contracted.

Line connection from individual wells and well development will cost an estimated \$150,000, in addition to the 10 wells acquired by purchase, it was said.

Drilling the Lawrence county acreage, which lies between Georges Creek and Louisa, extending toward Charley postoffice, was begun about two years ago by Jonas Miller and H. B. Ranier, both of Prestonsburg. The 10 wells they drilled have an open flow of 3,000,000 cubic feet from the Berea formation. Mr. Ranier's interest was recently purchased by John Allen.

Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is developing other Lawrence county acreage, this in the Charley-Norris area.

DATA SHOWS SPENDING UP

Beauty Care, Repair Work And Other Services Take \$447,000 Total Locally

(Special to The Times) New York, Nov. 28 — The buying public in Prestonsburg has been stepping up its spending for services. It is using more of its available income, after satisfying the demands of the butcher, the baker and the landlord, for those groups of intangibles called services.

These include beauty care, upkeep of clothing, automobile repair and storage, movies, howling and a host of other luxuries. In Prestonsburg, they have become a \$447,000 industry, with 32 establishments in operation. The volume represents spending at the rate of \$496 per local family annually.

This compares with \$377 per family so spent in the United States and \$274 in the East-South-Central states after ruling out cities over 1,000,000.

Excluded from the figures are the amounts going for house rental, or its equivalent in the case of home owners, and outlays for medical care and legal services.

Of the expenditures in Prestonsburg, \$125,000 went for the various kinds of personal service, \$76,000 for auto repair and storage, and \$246,000 for motion pictures, sports and the broad remaining group of general services.

The facts are disclosed in a report of the Department of Commerce, now being issued, based on a nationwide survey of the service industries. It offers the first comprehensive picture of this huge market since 1948. The data, covering the previous year, was gathered in 1955.

Great importance is being attached to the growth of these industries. While their gains have been part of the broad expansion of income and spending in recent years, the outgo of dollars for services has risen more sharply than for consumer goods.

The ability to spend more for (See Story No. 7, Page 7)

State To Check Atomic Fallout Into Waterways

Plans are being made to purchase monitoring equipment which will measure radioactivity in water throughout the Commonwealth. It was learned at the bi-monthly meeting of the Kentucky Water Pollution Commission that monitor stations will be set up as a safety measure to check any atomic fallout which might develop in Kentucky's waterways.

Members of the Commission include State Conservation Commissioner Laban Jackson; Attorney General Jo M. Ferguson; Fish and Wildlife Commissioner Earl Wallace; Dr. Russell Teague, Louisville, State Commissioner of Health; H. O. Zimmerman, Wheelwright, and Newton Neal, Henderson.

Princess Elkhorn Check Eases Fair Board Plight

Last week's story in this newspaper telling of the predicament in which the Floyd County Fair found itself after this year's fair, with a deficit of \$277, found sympathetic readers.

These readers, officials of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David, were so sympathetic that they mailed the Fair Board, via The Floyd County Times a check for exactly \$277.

The deficit had resulted from a prize list that cost \$831, an expense that had not been anticipated.

Wrote William Crawford, Princess Elkhorn vice-president: "I notice in the November 29 issue of the Floyd County Times that many of the prize winners who exhibited at the Floyd County Fair this year will not be able to receive the full amount of their prizes because of a deficit in that fund."

"We believe that Ellis Boggs and the committee for the Fair have made a distinct contribution to Floyd County through their efforts

in promoting the County Fair and we would hate to see the Fair receive a set-back because of the inability to pay full amounts to prize winners.

"Because of this we are enclosing our check of \$277 which is the amount your item stated would be needed to fully pay the prizes."

"We are certainly grateful to Princess Elkhorn for their interest in the Floyd county fair to the extent of making a contribution to liquidate the deficit," said Jesse Elliott, chairman of the Fair Board. "Such interest is stimulating to all who work for the success of the fair, and I know I speak for them all when I thank the company for its generosity. We will begin planning now and working to give Floyd county an even better fair next year."

Mr. Elliott announced that the Fair Board will meet at 7:30 Thursday evening at the courthouse, to conclude the 1956 business and to plan for the year ahead.

4-Principal Panel Talks of Discipline At Martin Meeting

"The aim of school discipline should be the development of intelligent self-control," George L. Moore, principal of the McDowell high school, said Monday evening as a member of a panel of school heads at Martin.

To secure good discipline there should be a common understanding of the schools as to what it constitutes, he added. The meeting presided over by Woodrow Allen, was attended by 27 school principals. The four-member panel, besides Moore, was composed of Charles Clark, principal of Garrett high school, who served as moderator; Lawrence Price, principal of Wayland high school; and Burnice Gayheart, Garrett grade school principal.

"Our aim is the improvement of (See Story No. 5, Page 6)

Miss Susannah Johnson, East McDowell Teacher, Dies At Home Last Week

Miss Susannah Johnson, 76, of East McDowell, a teacher for 30 years, died at 11 a.m. last Thursday at home. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson and was never married.

Miss Johnson, who had been ill three years, was a graduate of the old Prestonsburg Baptist Institute. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Brothers and sisters surviving are Eli Johnson, Wheelersburg, O., Marion Johnson, Hall, Ky., Mrs. R. C. Burke, of Betsy Layne, and Mrs. Nancy Jane Hicks, of East McDowell.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at the McDowell Regular Baptist church, the Revs. Sherman Crum and Ross Hopkins officiating. Burial was made in the Johnson cemetery at Hartley, Pike county, under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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Aged Eastern Resident Victim Saturday Noon At Son-in-Law's Home

William Gibson, 84, of Eastern, died at noon Saturday at the home of a son-in-law, Miles Martin, of a heart condition. He had been ill ten years, seriously so for six months.

Surviving are his wife, Catherine Moore Gibson, one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Martin, of Eastern, and a half-sister, Mrs. Amy Burchett, of Emma.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 10 a.m., at the Stone-coal Regular Baptist church, the Revs. M. C. Wright, Ed Moore and Hauley Warrens, officiating. Burial was made in the Allen cemetery on Goose Creek, the Hall Bros. Funeral Home directing.

per day and the American Rolling Mill Company requires 29,000,000 gallons. The municipal system at Ashland serving a town of 31,131 persons, uses 3,227,000 gallons, only about one-third of the Boldman plant consumption.

The report of the A. & I. D. Board, titled "Public and Industrial Water Supplies of the Eastern Kentucky Coal Field Region," points out the uses and amounts of water required in natural gas transmission.

VA SAYS RATE IS UNCHANGED

FHA Loan Interest Boost Effect To Be Watched; Money Grows Tighter

In connection with the announcement made Monday that the interest rate on Federal Housing Administration loans will be increased to 5 per cent, effective December 4, the Veterans Administration pointed out that its interest rate of 4 1/2 per cent is controlled by law.

VA said that although the increase in the FHA rate may have considerable bearing on the availability of money for GI loans, the actual impact may not be known for some time.

The situation will be closely watched, VA said, and if the amount of money available for GI loans should shrink to harmful proportions, the Agency will ask the president to recommend to Congress an increase in VA's interest rate.

As to GI loan commitments already made by lender, VA said it fully expects the lenders to close the loans at 4 1/2 per cent rate.

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Boldman Is Biggest Water User In Valley, A&ID Figures Show

The town of Boldman uses more water than any other town south of Ashland in the Eastern Kentucky coal field, according to a report by the Agricultural and Industrial Development Board of Kentucky.

The huge water-consuming system there, owned by the Atlantic Seaboard Corporation, pumps 8,642,000 gallons per day from the Big Sandy River to serve its compressor station.

Another big user of water in this area is the Dwale compressor station, owned by Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, which pumps 1,000,000 gallons per day. The various municipal systems of Pikeville, Prestonsburg and Paintsville, according to 1951-1953 figures, used only a percentage of this vast quantity. Pikeville heads the municipal list with 327,000 gallons. Paintsville follows with 312,000 and Prestonsburg consumes 203,000 gallons. (Municipal consumption since 1951 has materially increased, but exact figures on the several towns are not available.)

Indicative of water needed by an industrial section is the consumption of two Ashland plants. The Ashland Oil and Refining Company's plant there uses 34,560,000 gallons

percent of the water used for public supplies and 96 percent of the water used for industrial supplies, is the most important source in the region." It is stated, "Because no existing wells in the Eastern Coal Fields yield more than a few hundred gallons per minute large water supplies must come from surface water. Some water is pumped from all the principal streams of the area but most of the water comes from the Big Sandy River and its tributaries and the Ohio River."

Chief uses of water in the Eastern Kentucky coal field is confined to air-conditioning, chemical products manufacture, coal washing, food processing, gas transmission, petroleum processing and coal products manufacture, the railways, secondary recovery of oil and institutional supply. Heading the list in consumption is the petroleum industry which takes for the four companies using regional water a total of 45,098,000 gallons per day. Nearly all of it is pumped from streams.

A slight statistical table of the report shows that Allen is the biggest per capita user of water in the (See Story No. 6, Page 6)

Santa To Be in Town Two Hours Saturday

Santa Claus will be in Prestonsburg Saturday, The Times belatedly learned Wednesday.

He is scheduled to arrive here at noon and to greet the kiddies and treat them with candy till 2 p.m., when he will be off for other parts.

Santa's pre-Christmas visit is being sponsored by the merchants of Prestonsburg.

REFUGEE FUND PLEA IS MADE

Floyd Red Cross Seeks \$701 Quota for Relief Of Hungarian Refugees

"Are there among all the thousands of people in Floyd county who are giving lavishly to their own families this Christmas enough who care for others to give to the relief of Hungarian refugees?"

This was the question asked at Red Cross headquarters here this week as it was learned that the quota of Floyd Chapter American Red Cross, for relief of those who have fled the Red terror in Hungary is \$701.

The Red Cross has launched a nationwide drive for \$5,000,000 for Hungarian relief, and President Eisenhower has appealed to the people of the United States for generous contributions.

"Giving at this season for this purpose is giving in the true spirit of Christmas, since the funds raised during this drive will go to feeding the hungry, for clothing and shelter for the homeless and providing medical care and rendering many other services for those who have little or nothing left but their lives," the local appeal said.

BOARD HOLDS SAME METHOD

To Set Up Study Centers For Teachers To Study Textbooks To Be Used

The Floyd County Board of Education at its regular meeting Tuesday decided to initiate the same steps to select textbooks for the schools as were used last year.

Seven to 12 textbook study centers will be set up and teachers will study ten series of books for each series to be selected.

"The board explored our method of textbook selection," Turner said, "and it seems to us to be the best method. After all, the teachers are good judges of a good text. The system we are using is used in Louisville and other big centers and it has always worked to insure good selections."

Other business of the board was routine. The board accepted the high bid of Roy Cook to buy the school grounds of the now-discontinued Simpson Branch school and paid \$800 on an estimate submitted as to work done on a septic tank for the Betsy Layne lunchroom.

Teachers' salaries were paid, as were bills on hand. Adjournment was made to Jan. 2 when the next regular session of the board will be held.

HALL KILLED IN CAR WRECK

Former Floyd Officer Victim in Boyd County Early Tuesday Night

James B. Hall, 53 years old, former Floyd county deputy sheriff and restaurant-owner, was killed early Tuesday night when his car crashed into a tree on U. S. 23, 14 miles south of Cadetsburg.

Boyd County Coroner Russell Compton set the time of the wreck at about 7 p.m. Cause of the crash is not known. The tragedy was discovered by a passing motorist, who summoned an ambulance.

Mr. Hall's chest was crushed and his skull was fractured. The coroner expressed the belief that death was almost instantaneous. "The wreck occurred as he was driving alone from this county to Cleveland, O., where he owned a restaurant. He had only recently completed a home at Banner.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Josephine Hill Hall, his father, Willie Hall, of Bevinville, six sons and two daughters: J. B. Hall, Jr., Cleveland, O., Charles Raymond and Eugene Hall, Olympia, Wash., John W. Hall, U. S. Navy, stationed at Boston, Mass., Pfc. Donald Hall, U. S. Air Force, stationed in North Carolina, Miss Edna Hall, Boston, Mass., Mrs. Louise Harris, Belleville, Michigan. He also leaves four brothers, Ballard Hall, of Halo, Harry and Dewey Hall, of Bevinville, Scott Hall, Wheelwright.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Wednesday morning, it was said at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home where the body was taken Tuesday night.

VENUE CHANGE MOVE EVOKES COURT FIGHT

Special Judge Resigns After Dismissal Move; Jury 'Packed,' Claim

A day of verbal fireworks in circuit court here where the Commonwealth sought a change of venue for the trial of Astor Meade on a charge of striking and wounding Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin with intent to kill ended late Monday afternoon with the special judge sent here for trial of the case, E. D. Stephenson, of Pikeville, disqualifying himself as special judge in the case.

Incensed at the language of a dismissal order prepared by Commonwealth's Attorney Martin and Claude P. Stephens, special counsel, Judge Stephenson entered an order stating that "in view of the language in this motion... he could not proceed further in this case."

"The motion to dismiss cited the September, 1956 grand jury report in which it was alleged that the jury in the trial of the Meade case was 'packed,' that the Commonwealth's Attorney's life was in danger and that he had to be guarded by officers while in the performance of his official duties. . . . It is therefore the opinion and judgment of the representatives of the Commonwealth, including the employed counsel, that under such facts and circumstances the prosecuting witness, Burnis Martin, who was assaulted, and the Commonwealth of Kentucky whom he represents cannot obtain a fair and impartial trial, notwithstanding the court's opinion to the contrary."

"We therefore respectfully enter our motion that this cause be dismissed, rather than take the chance on going through with another trial, with a possible packed jury as before," the motion concluded.

Judge Stephenson presided at the September, 1956 trial of the case which ended in a jury deadlock. His order stated that he had planned to attempt the empaneling of a jury, and that if it then appeared to the court upon the qualifying of a jury for the trial that the Commonwealth could not obtain a fair trial from the jurors summoned on the regular panel, then the motion for a change of venue would be further considered and sustained to transfer the case to another county or to summon a trial jury from another county.

The application for change of venue alleged that: 1. A state of lawlessness exists in Prestonsburg and adjacent territory.

2. The Commonwealth's Attorney has from time to time required guards to be stationed outside (See Story No. 3, Page 3)

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Visitors are welcome always at Kentucky's State Capitol and other buildings of State government. Other points of interest in Frankfort are the Museum of the Kentucky Historical Society, Liberty Hall, Old Governor's Mansion, and the Frankfort Cemetery containing the graves of Daniel and Rebecca Boone.

Mrs. Ethel Hall Taylor Succumbs at Paintsville To Lockjaw, Pneumonia

Lockjaw and pneumonia were blamed for the death at 11:45 Tuesday night at the Paintsville hospital of Mrs. Ethel Hall Taylor, 33, wife of Elmon Taylor, of Amba. Death followed an illness of three weeks.

She was a daughter of Butler and Minnie Thompson Hall, of Amba. Besides her parents and her husband, she leaves three sons, Elmon, Jr., Gary and Don, two daughters, Anna Ruth and Eula Mae, all of Amba, and the following brothers and sisters: Wayne and Butler Hall, Jr., both of Wyandotte, Mich., Orville Hall, Detroit, Kenis, Gary Vernon and Billy Hall, all of Amba, Ernest Hall, Columbus, O., Mrs. Gladys McKinney, Accoville, W. Va., Mrs. Della Fagles and Mrs. Fanny Nickles, both of Columbus, O., Mrs. Irene Kimbrey, Ecorse, Michigan.

The funeral will be conducted Friday at 10 a.m., from the residence, the Rev. Jack Thomas officiating, and burial will be in the family cemetery on Toler Creek under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Taylor's first wife and three of his children lost their lives several years ago when the family car plunged into a West Virginia stream.

Roostless hen houses in an Arkansas experiment performed as well from a management standpoint as did the roost-type. Egg production, feed requirement, body weight gain and death losses were not significantly different.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

"AIN'T YOUSE GOT NO LAKES?"

The summer vacation of 1956 brought some delightful camping for me in the Great Smokies, in the Pisgah National Forest, and at Mt. Mitchell and along the Blue Ridge Parkway. Everywhere I camped there were many other people, from just about everywhere in America. My next-door neighbor at one place was from Florida; at another, from Massachusetts; at another, from Ohio. All of us, regardless of our place of residence, were enjoying the coolness and scenery of high mountains. I told a Massachusetts family my experience in Michigan some twenty-five years ago, when our next-door neighbor woman at camp asked me: "Ain't youse got no lakes in Kentucky?" I mentioned how wonderful the mountains of New England are and how much I would like to share them again. I was talking to the right people, for they knew their own scenic mountains and were eager to see others, in other parts of America. Right there I got a glimpse of what travel is doing for us Americans. Hosts of us are learning what is around the corner; I know of no group of people who are getting any nearer to reality, as it appears everywhere, than campers. Some of my camping friends had come well equipped, with hundreds of dollars worth of equipment. They were in no sense unable to stay at even expensive places. They chose, rather, to see mountains and woods and other things up close, to live with them. In winter, if they wanted to travel, they could stay in hotels or motels and wear fashionable clothing; but for summer they loved to don rough clothing, cook on a fire, eat on a crude table, and sleep in a tent. The fine fellowship at the camping places is among the finest experiences I have ever had. I have camped, within recent years, in

many national and state parks, in national forests, in trailer courts, in privately-owned tourist places. Within a few minutes I would be acquainted with many of the others who were sharing the experiences of being outside. Since I have sometimes been without a camping partner, people have gone out of their way to be nice to the fat old man who was without any one to talk to. I have found that a very large percentage of the people in such places are well educated, have traveled widely, and are just as eager as I know to more photographers—these constitute a large percentage of such campers. A pair of field glasses around my neck almost at once made friends for me. These people know an ornithologist when they see one; they are not suspicious of him, fearing that he is looking for a still. The children of such campers are just what you would guess: eager to hike, watchful of new things, talkative and approachable. It really makes a fellow proud to be a part of a country where a good-sized group—a very rapidly-growing group—know how to camp out and enjoy it.

There are so many phases of our complex life that we often imagine that the wide distances of our land might make us queer and different. But, thanks to modern ways of travel and radio, television, and the press, most of us have a broad foundation of common culture and common interest. People who camp out are largely family people, with boys and girls who will soon be entering school again. Most of the children, and some of the parents, have grown up in the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, in 4-H Clubs and F. F. A. and F. H. A. They have learned from childhood the very essence of camp life and enjoy it. These childhood experiences are building for us a generation who will more and more love the rough and tough experiences of touring America rather than in expensive but at the same time very intimately, seeing things that the ones who are fearful of getting themselves slightly dirty will never see and will never know. Occasionally some people who have become enamored of houses smile rather condescendingly at us rough-dressed campers, but none of us would change places with even the most arrogant of them. We feel, and rightly so, I think, that the ones to be envied are those of us who dare to rough it and work in a few days or weeks of primitive living to balance the long days and weeks that we must spend indoors.

Kentucky Called The Timber State In New Booklet

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — A new booklet, recently released and available to interested persons, describes in detail the opportunities for wood-using industries in south-east Kentucky.

The publication, "Green Gold," was developed jointly by the Kentucky Department of Economic Development and Conservation and the Kentucky Bankers Association. The book describes Kentucky as "the land of timber." More than 11 million acres or 45 per cent of the total land area of the state, are occupied by commercial forests, it says.

"For some years certain types of timber in Kentucky have been growing more rapidly than they have been out. As a result, there exists in the state today a large supply of wood that could serve as a dependable raw-material source for much additional manufacturing."

A sizeable portion of this surplus timber is found in the heavily-forested southern section of the Cumberland plateau, which lies in the southeastern part of the state. Here, in a 17-county area foresters estimate 65 million board feet of saw timber and 500,000 cords of pole timber are available annually for new and expanded industrial utilization.

Timber supply, according to foresters, will be available indefinitely, taking into account various uses, forest practices and management.

The economic considerations and factors which pertain to processing the timber and shipping it to market including water, transportation, power, availability of industrial sites and community attitudes, are generally described as more than adequate. The labor supply is considered large with an estimated 16,500 men and 13,000 women well distributed throughout the area and readily available for employment.

The 24-page booklet may be obtained free from the Department of Economic Development here or through the Kentucky Bankers Association.

BIBLE QUIZ

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

1. What parents were greatly distressed when they lost their 12-year-old son, and where did they find him? (Luke 2:41-52)
 2. What great temple was built without the sound of a hammer and how many years did it take to build it? (1 Kings 6:7 & 38)
 3. What splendid relationship do we have between capital and labor in Ruth 2:4?
 4. What estimate does Jesus place upon true greatness in Matthew 23:11?
 5. Whom does Jesus place at the top of the world's greatest men? (Matthew 11:11)
 6. How did Jesus estimate the gift of the poor widow's two mites? (Luke 21:1-4)
 7. What is the story of Dorcas and by whom was she restored to life? (Acts 9:36-43)
 8. What is the story of a beautiful queen who gave up her throne rather than appear before a drunken king and his court? (Esther 1:1-22)
 9. Where in the Bible do we find a true picture of a drunkard? (Proverbs 23:29-35)
 10. Identify the following great women in the Bible: For example, Mary, is the mother of Jesus. Then, Hannah, Elizabeth, Ruth, Eunice, Lois, Lydia, Deborah, Abigail, Martha, Naomi.
 11. "Five were wise and five were foolish." What is taught in the parable of the Ten Virgins? (Mat. 25:1-13)
 12. What happened that night to a man who had laid up treasures on earth and was not rich toward God? (Luke 12:16-21)
- Grade yourself by checking references on above questions.

CHILD DIES

Tatty Rister, three-month-old daughter of Clarence and Cuba Rister, of Garrett, died at 5:30 p.m., at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, last Thursday. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death. The child succumbed a few minutes after arrival at the hospital. Two sisters, besides the parents, survive. Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. at the home Saturday and burial followed in the family cemetery on Rock Fork near Garrett under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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Mrs. Polly Sturgill, 68, of Allen, died at 1 p.m. Monday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, following several year's illness, seriously so three weeks.

Mrs. Sturgill was a daughter of the late Alfred and Nancy Wilcox and the wife of Silas Sturgill. A son, Dave Cox, of Summersville, W. Va., and a daughter, Mrs. Bessie Parsons, of Allen, survive. A brother and two sisters survive: Sam Wilcox, Toccoa, N. C., Mrs. Hattie Yelton, Bakersville, N. C., and Mrs. Celia Hutchins, Irvine, Tenn.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Allen Methodist church, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and John P. Carr officiating. Burial was made in the Riley Hall cemetery at Allen under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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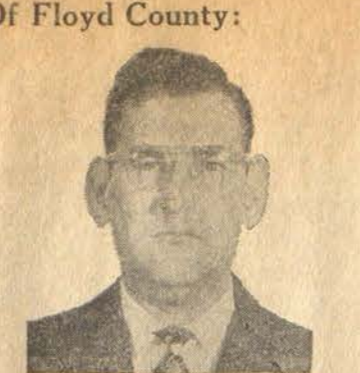
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I have conducted the office of Coroner in Floyd county as it should be, and I have been and am at your service at any hour, day or night. My plans are to remain your Coroner as long as you, my many friends, wish me to serve you, so I am soliciting your support in the May primary.

Your friend every day, not just at Election time.

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SPORTS AFIELD
By **TED KESTING**

Winter is the proper time to overhaul your fishing tackle, says Jason Lucas, Sports Afield's angling editor. By following his advice on off-season care of your gear, you will find everything in tip-top shape when you need it in the spring.

You may have heard that rubber waders and boots should be stored by hanging them up so that plenty of air can get to them. Don't do it; it will reduce their life to perhaps a fifth of what it should be. The best method is to dry them thoroughly, roll them up, wrap in heavy brown paper and put them in some cool place. To extend their useful life still further, seal them as well as possible from the air in a plastic bag or such.

Another thing to remember before putting your waders away is that oil and grease are very injurious to rubber, eat into it and soften it. So if there's the least trace of this on your waders, wash thoroughly with soap and rinse well.

A split-bamboo rod, even a new one with perfect varnish, will soon disintegrate, irreparably if kept in a damp spot. Storing in an extremely dry place will often cause ferrules to loosen. Glass rods can stand more abuse, but they also have their limits. And if left in a damp place the metal ferrules can corrode and be ruined, so it's best to store one in the same kind of spot you would a bamboo rod. Never leave any rod jointed up all winter, for if you do you may find the ferrules stuck so that you'll do damage trying to get them apart.

Nylon line doesn't seem to be subject to rot, but moisture will cause severe corrosion to a metal reel spool. So before putting your reel away for the winter, string the line out and dry it very thoroughly, then wind it back on.

Before putting your fly line away it's a good idea to smear it with some good fly-line dressing. Some of this may serve to keep it flexible, and it will also keep the air away from the surface.

Any reel should be taken apart at least once a year and thoroughly cleaned, oiled and greased. Give your tackle box a coat of wax before putting it away, to prevent rust. Flies are a favorite food of moths, so store them in an airtight box with plenty of moth repellent. Give the books on your lures a coat of grease. If you don't get around to these little overhauling jobs, at least keep your tackle in a completely dry place. Any old corner of a damp basement or garage just will not do!

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State barley fields have been hit fairly hard this year by mildew, a fungus spread by airborne spores, says S. H. Phillips, Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service agronomist.

CHURCH OF THE FIRST BORN



Read Ezekiel chapter 9, St. Luke chapter 13. Study 3 years—4-18, a woman and fruitless tree.

I was a widow of chief of police 18 years, murdered by a drunk man. Studying my Christian literature, I put out 1951 for my Bible neighbor, Judge Bert T. Combs. My key in 1956 is 884. It has been proved to be the Hidden Key. I never remember reading before that the key of our national election was Ky. until 1956.

It takes handsome men and courageous women to stand alone and fight for Faith and Freedom. I represent both Church and Statue of Liberty and adorn myself and my home, and a wise man can understand. I did not leave this town for two whole years, Feb. 13, 1954 until March 22, 1956. It has been said, if you live in Rome you will have to live like Rome. I know better. Read Acts 28:30-31. Paul dwelt two whole years in his own hired house and received all that came in unto him, preaching the kingdom of God and teaching those things that concern the Lord Jesus Christ with all confidence, no man forbidding him. Gen. 51:1. And it came to pass at the end of two full years that Pharaoh dreamed.

Now space will not permit me to fully explain to 1-2 no., 3-3 1/2, 4-5, 6-7-8, 13-40. But, if you will, read Acts, Chapter 5, Verse 7: The first church discipline, the woman lived about the space of 3 hours after her husband was struck dead, and then bring 7 men to fill the qualifications of Acts, Chapter 6, Verse 3 and see if my Head was Levi Hall's or Christ Jesus and one woman.

Sincerely and prayerfully,
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LIFE STORY OF VOLUME 3. THE PAST, THE PRESENT, THE YET-TO-BE

Past is finished and laid away. Present we read day by day; The last and best and yet to be is locked, we cannot see— God keeps the key.

You all know I work with Bible names and numbers and pictures. I used as my key 737 and doubled with 555 in 1955. It sure did work special miracles of 18 years' service.

Your Social Security — 1956 Model
Questions and Answers by Cost Accountants

You know now, if you didn't know before, that social security is complicated. Nevertheless, it is well worth the time and effort to find out just how it works. Today social security may be just a pay day nuisance. Someday it may be your bread and butter.

This is the last 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. Can dependent parents draw benefits?
A. Yes, if you die fully insured and do not leave a widow or any dependent children. But the parents must meet the following qualifications:

- (1) Father must be 65 and your mother at least 62.
- (2) Each must be receiving at least one-half of his or her support from you when you died, and
- (3) Must not be entitled to a retirement benefit equal to three-fourths or more of your retirement benefit.

Q. If a working woman retires at 62 instead of waiting until 65, how long will she be ahead in total benefits?
A. About 15 years. If she receives benefit for more than 15 years the total will not be as much as if she had waited for the higher pension at age 65.

Q. How much will benefits be increased by the 1956 law?
A. The 1956 law made no change in the amount of your benefits.

Q. What professional people did the 1956 law extend coverage to for the first time?
A. Nearly all self-employed persons are now covered by Social Security. Lawyers, dentists, osteopaths, optometrists, chiropractors, and naturopaths will be brought into the Social Security System as a result of the changes made by the new Social Security Law. They were covered as of January 1, 1956, but there is one catch. No benefits will be paid unless the newly-covered person lives at least until April 1, 1957. If he dies before that date, his family can't collect one cent. The reason is that benefits are not payable without a minimum of six quarters or parts of six quarters of coverage after January 1, 1956.

Q. Are doctors covered by Social Security?
A. No. They are now the only self-employed professional people not covered under the Social Security Law.

Q. Are railroad workers covered by social security?
A. No. These workers have their own retirement system.

Q. Did the new law increase the social security tax?
A. Yes. The rate remains at 2 percent for both employers and employees through 1956. The rate will increase to 2 1/4 per cent beginning January 1, 1957, and will stay at that rate through 1959, with further increases in the following years. The rate of tax on self-employed people was increased from 3 percent to 3 3/8 per cent effective in 1957. No change was made in amount of wages subject to the tax. The maximum amount of wages subject to tax remains at \$4,200.

Q. Are there any other changes?
A. Yes. There has been a concerted action against the Commonwealth's Attorney on the part of persons angered by his activities in the 1955 gubernatorial election.

Q. The jury at the September trial of the Meade case was "a flagrant miscarriage of justice" and was "packed" by friends and relatives of those who had opposed Martin in the gubernatorial election.
A. The defendant is widely related here; the chief of police and police judge sided with him when the assault was first committed.

Q. The Prestonsburg city government is dominated by relatives of the defendant.
A. Judge Stephenson heard testimony, pro and con, on the issue of a change of venue. Fisticuffs almost broke out on two occasions.

Q. Judge Stephenson did not rule on the motion to dismiss. The case will be certified to the Court of Appeals for another special judge.
A. The present court term will end Friday. The next will convene January 7.

Q. MORE FAMOUS PEOPLE.
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Foster Seriously Hurt In Wreck at Hueysville But Martin Uninjured

Don Foster, 13, of Garrett, is in serious condition at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, of a fractured skull resulting from an auto wreck near Hueysville Saturday afternoon.

After his car had hit a "point" at the roadside, at the mouth of Reed Branch, it hurtled a distance estimated at 50 feet, and he was thrown approximately 40 feet onto the roadway as the door of the auto flew open; it was said.

A Martin youth riding with him was uninjured.

It was said Wednesday that Foster will recover. He is a son of **Velton Foster**, of Garrett.

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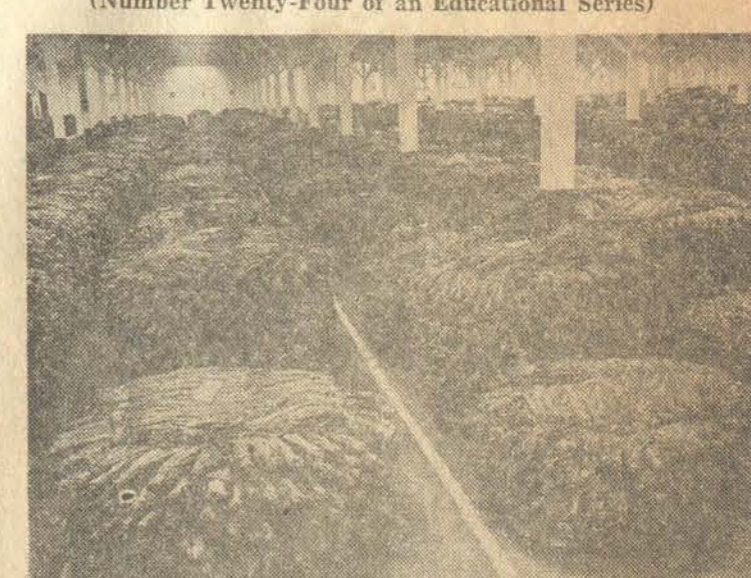
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When any registered voter moves from the precinct in which he is registered to a different precinct in Floyd county, the law requires that he shall make application to this office to have his voter's card transferred to the proper precinct.

If you are seventeen (17) years of age and you will become eighteen (18) before the November General Election you are eligible to register and vote in the May Primary.

Any voter whose name is changed by marriage or otherwise is required by law to re-register.

Any question you may have concerning your voter's registration, please do not hesitate to call on us. We are always glad to be of service.

DURAN MOORE, Clerk
Floyd County Court.
(Adv.)

McGuire - Baldrige Vows Exchanged November 22



Mr. and Mrs. William James McGuire, of Louisa, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emma Lorraine McGuire, to Mr. Thomas R. Baldrige, son of Mr. and Mrs. Heber Baldrige, Cliff, Ky., on November 22 at 11:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bowles, Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Luther Shivel played nuptial music preceding the solo by Miss Mary Jo Shivel, who sang "Because." Rev. Harold Dorsey, pastor of the Methodist church, read the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, John Doris McGuire, was attended by her sister, Mrs. Bowles. Mr. Bowles served as best man to Mr. Baldrige. Palms and white gladioli formed the altar decorations.

The bride wore a light blue taffeta dress with full skirt, semi-long sleeves, with jewel neckline, a tiny blue hat with soft veil attached. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid. Matron of honor wore a pink taffeta dress of princess lines with shoulder corsage of white roses. The mother of the bride wore navy blue with grey trim. The groom's mother wore grey with black accessories. Mr. Ellsworth Collins, Jr., served as usher.

After a brief reception the newlyweds left for a tour of Virginia and Tennessee where they attended the Kentucky-Tennessee football game. The bride's traveling costume was grey and gold with black accessories. They will reside in Prestonsburg.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McGuire and John Doris McGuire, of Louisa, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Timmons, Winchester, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. John Marvin Boggs and Fred McGuire, Ashland, Ky.

ATTEND WADDLE FUNERAL

Friends throughout this section regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Ritter Waddle, widow of Thomas Waddle, of Hindman, who died here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Caudill, on December 1. Her body was taken to Hindman, her former home, where the funeral was held Monday. Attending her funeral were Rev. Ira McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Mrs. Manis Conley, Mrs. Thos. Lemaster and daughter and Mrs. Ray Zemo, all of Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Combs, of Pikeville.

F. H. A. DISTRICT LUNCHEON

The Future Homemakers of America will have their district luncheon Saturday at Louis' Cafe, Pikeville. Miss Peggy Jo Prater, Big Sandy district president, will preside. Approximately 250 members will attend. The luncheon will be entertainment only. No business will be transacted. Counties in the Big Sandy district comprise Floyd, Johnson, Pike, Magoffin, Martin, Miss Prater, the president, is a Prestonsburg high school student.

OREGON VISITOR HERE

N. A. Epling, La Grande, Oregon, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Graham Porter while en route to Roanoke, Va., to visit his brother who is very ill.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Harold W. Dorsey, Minister 9:45 a.m., Church school. Classes for all ages.

10:55 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon topic: "The Bible Speaks". The Patsy Teen-Agers under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Frazier will sing for this service.

3:00 - 4:00 p.m., Senior choir practice for the Christmas programs.

4:00 p.m., Rhythmic choir practice.

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: "The Battle of Good vs. Evil."

Monday, 7:30 p.m., Cub Scout organizational meeting for Den Mothers and Scout Committee.

Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Methodist Men meet.

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

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

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

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

Friday, 7:00 p.m., District meeting of Methodist Men at Betsy Layne.

Society Notes

IN RUSSELL SPRINGS

Jimmy Mayo spent the weekend in Russell Springs, guest of his fiancée, Miss Gloria Richards. Mr. Mayo and Miss Richards will be married, December 29, at Russell Springs.

ATTEND ARMY-NAVY GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis and children visited her brother and family in Philadelphia, Pa., last week. They attended the Army-Navy football game on Saturday.

VISIT MOTHER HERE

Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher Combs, and children, Phil, Jim, Kenny and Byron French, of Lexington, spent Thanksgiving here with his mother, Mrs. French Combs.

SUPPLIES PRESBYTERIAN PULPIT

Paul Bingham, senior student at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, supplied the Presbyterian Church pulpit here last Sunday. The church has been without a permanent pastor since October 1.

MRS. BURCHETT IMPROVED

Mrs. Lou Burchett is improved this week from a serious attack of hypertension followed by nasal hemorrhage last week at her home.

VISIT BROTHERS AT HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Tom James visited his brothers, Hawk and Malcolm James, patients at the Methodist hospital in Pikeville last Sunday.

THANKSGIVING VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weddington entertained during the Thanksgiving holiday, her sister, Mrs. R. G. Osborne, and daughter, Miss Mary Lois Osborne, of Richmond.

RETURN TO HOSPITAL

Charles Graham Porter, Seattle Wash., spent the night here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Porter, while enroute to Ashville, N. C., on business. His parents met him at the airport in Huntington, W. Va., bringing him here. He returned to Seattle by plane last Sunday, from Ashville, N. C.

PICTURES ENJOYED

Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, Mrs. Everett Sowards and Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville were hosts Friday evening at the Davidson home, entertaining a group of friends with pictures shown by Mr. Rice who had made the film on trips to the West Coast, Canadian Rockies, Florida and South Carolina. Enjoying the scenic tours were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, Wm. James May, Robert Thomas.

ATTEND CONCERT SERIES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. George Prouditt, William Compton and B. A. Latt, of Pikeville, attended the Barter Theatre showing, the first of the Family Concert Series here, last Tuesday evening.

D. A. R. TO MEET

The December meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Dec. 11 at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. J. M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, Mrs. Gwynn Ford will present the program, "Christmas Tradition." Members are urged to attend at the home of Mrs. Davidson.

SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

Miss Emma Lorraine McGuire, bride-elect of Mr. Thomas R. Baldrige, was complimented with a personal shower, November 15, at the home here of Mrs. Dicey Collins. The house was arranged with late fall flowers.

Thirty guests present showered Miss McGuire with personal gifts. She replied with thanks of appreciation to the guests and to her hostesses, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Marshall Davidson and Miss Hazel Green. The hostesses served a dessert course.

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BAPTIST W. M. S. MEETS

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church met November 30 at the church annex for a study course on Foreign Missions. The book, "Japan Advances," by W. Maxfield Garrett, was reviewed by Miss Ella Payne Hayes, of Allen. Miss Hayes, a graduate of Georgetown College and The Carver School of Missions Southern Baptist Seminary is employed by the Kentucky Baptist Board of Home Missions and is now working in this area. The presentation of her subject, "Baptist Work in Japan," in the light of current political and economic situations was highly informative. Japanese literature, wearing apparel, pottery, arts and crafts and many items of interest were displayed. Japanese tea and small cakes were served at a social hour to 24 members of the W. M. S.

JUDGE FEILER SUFERS HEART ATTACK

Police Court Judge Richard W. Feiler suffered a heart attack last Wednesday night at his home on Riverside. On Friday he was removed by ambulance to St. Mary's hospital in Huntington where he is holding his own. His many friends here wish for him a speedy recovery. Mrs. Feiler is with him at the hospital.

ENTERTAIN WITH COFFEE SERIES

Mrs. J. B. Clarke and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer entertained last Tuesday and Wednesday with a series of coffee parties at the home of Mrs. Clarke on Brandy Keg, near Lancer. The dining room was decorated with fruit and flowers. Mrs. E. P. Hill and Mrs. N. M. White presided at the tea and coffee urns. A large group of friends attended both parties.

RECITAL TO BE GIVEN

The music pupils of the Edith James Studio will be presented in recital at the Christmas party at the American Legion building, December 14, at 3:30 p.m., and in the evening at 8 o'clock.

MRS. SNYDER DIES

Friends here regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Paul C. Snyder, of Ashland, following a brief illness at the Owensboro-Daviess county hospital, Dec. 3 in Owensboro. Mrs. Snyder, the wife of the late Paul C. Snyder, an Ashland banker was widely known here, where she had visited many times. She is survived by a son, James T. Snyder, of Ashland, a brother, Simon Smith, Owensboro postmaster, and a sister, Mrs. J. E. Barnhill, of Owensboro. The funeral was held today (Thursday) in Ashland.

ENTERTAIN ON THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Moore entertained to Thanksgiving dinner Mrs. R. G. Osborne and Miss Mary Lois Osborne, Richmond, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weddington.

VISITING IN WEST VIRGINIA

Mrs. Grade Hubbard went to Mann, W. Va., Sunday, to be guest of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Underwood, for awhile. Mrs. Hubbard is improved from a recent illness after having been hospitalized for a few weeks.

VISIT MRS. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Martin, and children returned to their home in Louisville last week after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Smith.

THANKSGIVING HOSTESS

Mrs. B. F. Combs entertained her family group on Thanksgiving. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher Combs and sons, Phil, Jim, Kenny and Byron French, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs, and children, Paul Stephan, Mary Lynn, of Prestonsburg.

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- Pioneer Belts
- Billfolds
- Alligator Belts
- Luggage
- Wool Shirts
- Raincoats
- Gloves
- Mufflers
- Ashtrays
- Superba Ties
- Silk Pajamas
- Daniel Green House Shoes

WOMEN'S

- DRESSES: R & K, Tailored Junior, L'Aiglon, Natlynn Juniors, Justin McCarty, Jonathan Logan
- SWEATERS: Catalina, Talbot, Koret of California, Maurice Handler, Jane Irwill
- COATS: Sportleigh, Moutons, Car Coats, Suede Jackets, Leather Jackets, Dorian
- ROBES: Dorian, Raymodes
- LINGERIE: Van Raalte, Luxite
- HATS: Beachurst, Betmar
- PURSES: Garay, Ronay
- RAINCOATS: Mainstreet, Sherbrooke, March & Mendl
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Miss Crawford, Mr. Spears
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Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, of Mallory, W. Va., are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Jane, to Mr. Joe W. Spears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spears, of David, Ky.

The ceremony was performed, November 1, by the Rev. R. R. Patton, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church in Lexington, Ky.

Mrs. Spears is a graduate of Pikeville Academy, Pikeville, Ky., and Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tennessee. She is employed by the Logan County Board of Education as a teacher in the Mallory schools.

Mr. Spears is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and will be attending the University of Louisville, Ky., where the couple will reside after the first of the year.

Fire Strikes
R. I. Prison

Howard, R. I. — Fire today swept the maximum security area of Rhode Island state prison with firefighters from three communities responding to the call to battle the blaze.

Prison authorities said no panic or injuries were reported. Warden Thomas Gough said smoke swirled through the cell block areas, but that there was no disturbance. He said extra security precautions were taken.

Thick smoke from the fire was visible for a half-mile. The blaze was centered in the second floor area of the combination kitchen-dining room.

The fire was brought under control by men and equipment from Cranston, Warwick and Providence.

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7 p.m., Prayer meeting.
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PERSONALS

Mrs. William R. Rowe, spent Thanksgiving holidays with her husband, Pvt. Rowe, in Columbus, Ohio. He spent the week-end here with Mrs. Rowe and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rowe.

Mrs. Virginia N. Stephens and daughter, Miss Sarah Clay Stephens, were in Huntington last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis spent the week-end in Huntington at the bedside of her uncle, Judge Richard Feiler, who is at St. Mary's hospital, suffering from a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett and Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett Jr., were in Huntington Saturday on business.

Mrs. Gardez Dingus, of Martin was here Monday, shopping.

Mrs. Jerry F. Howell, of Price was here shopping, Monday.

Dr. Robert Salisbury, of Mt Sterling, was here Sunday to accompany Mrs. Salisbury and children home after their visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury.

Mrs. Burl Spurlock visited her daughter, Mrs. Eddie Lambert, and family in Lexington, the first of the week.

Robert Jordan, manager of the meat department at the Kroger Store, is spending a week of his vacation in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Smith were in Huntington last week on business.

Mrs. Cora McHone, of Wheelwright, visited her mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins spent last week-end in Lexington with their son, Pete Collins, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bowles spent the week-end in Wheelwright with Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Collins.

Mrs. E. M. Points, of Ashland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen, here last Sunday.

Mrs. Ridda S. Findlayson, of Paintsville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, and family here, Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy R. Stephens was dinner guest of Mrs. Grace D. Ford, Sunday.

Mrs. Dicey Collins and children, Martha Jane and Rickey, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Harris, at Lancaster.

Judge and Mrs. E. D. Stephenson, of Pikeville, were here attending court this week.

Lakin Hensley, manager of the Kroger Store, is spending this week on vacation. Mr. Smith, of Ironton, Ohio, is here relieving Mr. Hensley for the week.

Mrs. M. V. Clark and Mrs. Willis Sparks were in Huntington last Thursday on business.

Wm. Ernest Osborne, student at Eastern State College, Richmond, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborne.

Randall Honeycutt, of Auxier, student at Eastern State College, Richmond, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Meade, of Paintsville, spent the holiday with their daughter, Mrs. Rainley White and Mr. White, on Mays Branch.

John Hensley returned home last week from the U. S. Veterans hospital at Outwood, where he had medical treatment for three weeks. He is improved.

Paul C. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson were in Cincinnati last week on legal business.

Z. S. Dickerson has been confined to bed by influenza. He is improved this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dingus, of Little Paint, had as their week-end guest their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rappold and children, Huntington, W. Va., and Roy Joe Salyers, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Lillis Jansen and son and daughter, who were guests here last week of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Archer, Jr. and other relatives, returned Sunday to their home in Lexington.

4-H Foods Workshop
Held at Maytown Hi

A 4-H foods workshop was held Saturday in the Maytown high school home economics laboratory, for leaders and members of that area.

Four leaders and 14 members attended. The members were those taking foods projects, and main emphasis was given those carrying the first unit. The group made cookies and a milk beverage, put these with sandwiches brought from home and bananas for their lunch.

Those who learned while doing were:

Pamela Combs, Rhoda Gayheart, Ruby Gayheart, Dana Hicks, Darleen Hicks, Sandra Hicks, Claudia Lowe, Alma Lumpkins, Julia Lumpkins, Diana Martin, Joan Martin, June Martin, Wanda Manuel, Ettie Patton, and Kathy Patton.

The leaders who stood by with answers or help, if needed, were Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart, Mrs. Alma Lowe, Mrs. Garland Martin, Mrs. Ralph Spencer and Home Agent Dixie Trapp.

It's a wise hostess who has simple but delicious dessert recipes at hand for use during the holidays. When rich foods make up the main part of the meal, light desserts are best.

Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hall, of Melvin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Billie Louise Hall, to Mr. Julian Von Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Campbell, of Prestonsburg.

Miss Hall and Mr. Campbell are students at Morehead State Teachers College. The wedding will take place December 29, in the Wheelwright Community church.

First Derby Winner

The first Kentucky Derby was run in 1875 and won by Aristides.

900 CLUB MEETS

The 900 Club met Nov. 16 at the home of Mrs. Fannie Runnels with 10 members and two guests present. Mrs. Sam Hatcher, president of the club, presided. Secret Sisters for 1956 were revealed and each received a present. Names of 1957 Secret Sisters were drawn. A poetry reading was given by Mrs. Joe Arnett, and Miss Anna Mae Harris read a Thanksgiving psalm. Mrs. Virginia Wright reported on the formation and plans of the new Floyd county chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, who was the recipient of a gift from members of the club. The next meeting will be held Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. Sam Hatcher.

VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steinau and children, of Louisville, and Curtis Hopson and son, Robert, of Cumberland Gap, were Thanksgiving guests here of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson. Robert Hopson at the time was on furlough from Robbins Air Force Base, Georgia.

Practically all Kentucky burley now is cured enough for bulking, but much of it still has green stalks which may cause heating while the crop is "in bulk," according to Russell Hunt, UK Agricultural Extension Service burley specialist.

NOTICE

Marion Hatfield, of Water Gap, Ky., has filed application with the Floyd County Court for road-house permit in the operation of the Dew Drop Inn on the Dewey Lake road, below Dewey Dam. DuRan Moore, Clerk Floyd County Court

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Sturgill Lee, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woods, of Cow Creek, was taken to Baptist hospital, Lexington, Monday evening. He suffered a badly broken left arm when he fell en route home from school.

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- SKIRTS
- SOCKS
- BUSTER BROWN
- SUITS AND SPORT COATS: Tom Sawyer Jack Tarr
- JACKETS & SUBURBAN: Tom Sawyer.
- SPORT & DRESS SHIRT: Tom Sawyer Jack Tarr
- SWEATER: Puritan
- GLOVES: Leather
- PAJAMAS: Tom Sawyer
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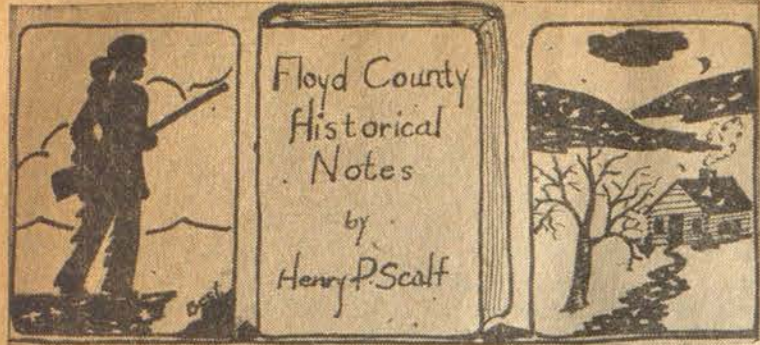
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A letter from Mrs. Inez Livingston, head of the home ec department of Union College, quotes a letter from Lexington relative to one of the Cecil houses:

In reading over some correspondence from Mrs. Mills in Lexington this morning, I found this material on the Cecils who were her mother's folks. I do not know whether you are using anything about the Cecils or not, but knew there were several in that county. She says: At the Christiansburg (Va.) courthouse, I copied many records of my mother's families and we went to the old home of my great-great-grandparents, Samuel Cecil and Rebecca White Cecil, Route 2, Dublin, Va., in Pulaski county, just over the line from Montgomery county. It was a 22-room brick of beautiful proportions — Grecian architecture built just after the Revolution. Beginning in 1785, it was a stage coach inn for the Wilderness Road. Samuel Cecil's father, John Cecil, born in England in 1616, came to Maryland with Lord Calvert, who named his son Cecil. Samuel and Rebecca were said to have been buried about fifty yards from the Cecil Mansion as my paper expressed it.

The house is truly a mansion to-

day, as well as in 1785 when friends of Lord Calvert and other notables entertained there. When the new highway was built, it was changed. The old house and its great fields with herds of grazing, white-faced cattle, are about four miles back off the road. Tenants live in a part of it and looked after the cattle, but the perfectly beautiful interior is rapidly going into dilapidation. The plastering is hanging in places, on both wall and ceiling, and one of the white marble mantles, with the simple elegance of Towle silver, recently fell over and crashed to pieces. It reminded me of the "Beauty that WAS Greece, and the glory that WAS Rome."

Mrs. Robert Martin, of Martin, contributes a letter she received from F. M. McConnell, Fayetteville, Ark., July 3. Mr. McConnell, who is in the real estate business, wrote Mrs. Martin:

"I have observed that the June, 1956, Communique issued by the Kentucky Historical Society, indicates that Floyd county historical society may be formed. I am quite certain that I would like to become a member of this historical society when it is formed.

"I am interested in Kentucky history for the reason that my wife's grandfather was born in Floyd county, and that many of the Daniel Boone descendants or relatives reside in this locality, some of my relatives being rather remotely related to some of the Boones.

"My wife's grandfather was George Washington Lewis, born May 30, 1821, in that part of Floyd county, which, as I understand later became a part of Johnson county. His father was Bracken Lewis, b. North Carolina, about 1801. The wife of Bracken Lewis was Matilda Preston. They were married at Paintsville, Kentucky, about 1820."

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instruction in the schools," said Wayne Ratliff, director of instruction, who attended the meet. V. O. Turner, county superintendent, reported on a recent meet of school officials at Frankfort on Civil Defense and Woodrow Allen gave a synopsis of the recent Cumberland Falls conclave of supervisors.

Principal Moore pointed out that McDowell school gives recognition to pupils for good conduct and the pupils there understand department grade is an important one on their cards.

An advisory council of students at the Garrett school has been set up. Gayheart told the panel, and problems of discipline at the school are brought before the faculty with recommendations by the pupils themselves for solution.

Price called discipline "regulated behaviour" and said that it had to be approached with tolerance and understanding.

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valley with 107 gallons daily per person. Prestonsburg uses only about one-half the water Allen does. Consumption here runs at the rate of 56 gallons per person. Only Cloplint and Olive Hill in the entire region uses more water per capita than Allen. Paintsville consumes 70 gallons, Auxier, 71, and Martin 49 gallons per capita each day.

"Water requirements in the region are varied," the report said. "The quantity needed depends upon the size of the town, industry or installation, and on the type of industry. The quality of water supplied a town or institution must meet the standards for domestic use but the requirements of industry depend entirely on how the water is used.

"In coal washing for example quantity of water is the only consideration but in steam generation the water must meet certain definite standards of quality. Temperature also is important for some uses, when water is used for cooling a low temperature is desirable; when it is used for generating steam, the temperature of the water pumped is important. Some industries, such as the chemical industries, require water with relatively constant temperatures."

The Board decried of the water situation in the Eastern Coal region takes a dim use of water here for industrial users. It says:

"Hardness is a significant factor and hard water may be unsatisfactory for many industrial users. Some industries require very soft water; . . . Many of the ground waters in the area are very hard."

SPORTS AFIELD

This year saw an increase in the number of two-boat families, and it is expected that next year even more families will find that one boat is not enough. Willard Crandall, boating editor of Sports Afield magazine, has some fine ideas as to the ideal "second" boat.

This second boat is most often used strictly for fishing. And 3 hp outboard motors provide all the power that can be used by most boats to handle well with oars.

The first requirement for an angler's boat is stability. It used to be that fishermen had to put up with tippy boats, but today's fisherman does not have to have a craft that quivers under him whenever he shifts a leg. Width, the chief ingredient in a steady boat, gives other advantages. It makes an altogether safer boat for the more peppy small motors of today. And a safer boat as waves roll up.

This ideal boat of ours should handle well with oars. That's not exactly the same thing as ease in rowing—straightaway—but there is a considerable relationship. The boat must start well at the oars' touch, and turn and maneuver well, too.

A wide boat, if short, swings too easily, but that can be offset by length, which in turn brings its own advantages such as quicker, easier response in any forward direction.

Our boat is taking shape now. Sides should be just high enough for safety on sheltered waters. Say 15 to 17 inches above the waterline. Beams we can put from about 50 to 60 inches. Length to go with it should not be less than 15 feet. That's for one or two anglers.

Bottom design is another important factor. Flat-bottom or round? Not too much to choose, in most cases. A round-bottom is less steady than a flat-bottom of the same width. But it's easier to push. Just narrow up the flat-bottom an appropriate amount, though, and it'll be acting much like the wider round. A flat bottom will tip less readily, but may seem to do it with more surprising jerks. It can also act better with only the driver aboard and at the stern though any lone angler with low power should rig up a side steering wheel or extension steering handle to avoid the loss of speed, stability and seaworthiness that comes with a stern sinking under weight.

Finally, the angler wants a boat that won't blow around or be buffeted by waves too much. Lower sides, a keel, a boat not too small and ultralight, all prevent this.

Kentucky Lake while primarily noted for bass and crappie fishing also produces tremendous catfish which are caught below the dam.

HIGHWAY CARNAGE MOUNTING

America has the highest living standard in the world. The nation's standard of living—wasteful, unnecessary dying—is also unequaled, for last year 38,300 persons were killed in traffic accidents.

National Safety Council figures show that, in 1956, carnage on the highway hit a new high of 3,570, and highway fatalities for the first seven months of the year topped all previous marks with a total of 21,730.

To a great many people, statistics are boring—but these NSC figures concern every man, woman and child in the United States. No one can afford to be bored by figures that disclose the vital statistics of life and death on America's highways.

There is no single over-all reason for the highway slaughter recorded daily in the nation's press. Many human factors are involved—including drinking, carelessness, inattention, deliberate risk-taking, fatigue and faulty vision. But other reasons are also important.

Foremost among these non-human factors is the condition of most rural roads—the roads that carry most of America's automotive traffic. These roads, the majority of which were laid down just after World War One, were not designed for the traffic they bear today. They

are, for the most part, narrow, poorly surfaced and inadequately marked and signed for even animal driving safety.

NSC figures show that three-fourths—or 28,550—of the traffic deaths in 1955 occurred from accidents in rural areas and in towns under 2,500 population. The NSC makes the further point that "night driving is considerably more hazardous than day driving, and the hazard is greater in rural areas than in urban areas."

One obvious means of reducing death and destruction on our rural roads is to work for the modernization of existing roads through local, state and national groups, and through representatives in state legislatures and in Congress. Such modernization is necessary, but it requires a great deal of time and money. A first step toward making these "everyday" roads safer for you and your family is proper traffic signing—and this is a step that can be taken immediately and at a mere fraction of the cost entailed in constructing new roads.

Marking of this sort, with reflective signs that do 24-hour, night and day duty in warning of danger ahead, can cut down traffic deaths, reduce accidents and help make your daily driving the safe pleasure it should be.

SGT. WILSON IN GERMANY RE-ENLISTS For 4 YEARS

S/Sgt. Alfred J. Wilson, son of Mrs. Lucinda Wilson, of Auxier, recently arrived in Germany with a Reconnaissance unit. He has served in the Air Force seven years and has re-enlisted for an additional four years. Sgt. Wilson was graduated from Auxier high school with the class of '49.

SCHOOL OFFICERS MEET

State education officials have been participating in meetings sponsored by the National Council of Chief State School Officers. Dr. Robert R. Martin, Kentucky's superintendent of public instruction, served on the finance committee of the council during its recent meeting in San Francisco.

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Christ in Christmas

A committee of the Local Council of Churchwomen has undertaken the task of emphasizing the need for "putting Christ in Christ- mas."

There are some who will dismiss the idea as idealistic and unpractical. Those who are unwilling to consider the move with open minds and hearts may as well dismiss the idea as such, for indeed it is not a thing that can be reduced to organization and direct orders and compliance with definite and urgent re- quests. The idea, on the other hand, will appeal to the hearts and minds of those individuals who see in Christmas not a Teuton holi- day but a Christmas observance.

Here are some of the sug- gestions given those who would give Christ consider- ation at Christmas:

Take time now to evaluate your customary attitudes in celebrating Christmas.

Remember that budgeting time is a part of Christmas stewardship.

Prune away non-essentials in favor of Christmas ob- servances.

Let children experience giving as well as getting. Let your Christmas benevolence be merely a continuance of year-round concern for the whole world community—not a sudden seasonal in- spiration. Make all functions Christ-centered.

Dedicate your home to the worship of the Christ-child.

Throw wide your wreath- ed doors to the wider family of the world without dis- crimination.

We add: Let us at this season think less of our- selves.

An Opportunity for the Governor

The Democratic party last Saturday began the de- vious process of effecting its county organizations in Kentucky. As a show, it wasn't much. There was har- mony, at least on the sur- face, because there was no- thing to be gained by oppo- sition. And, consequently, there was a minimum of in- terest.

The situation this year differs little from what it was four years ago. It is still as undemocratic as it was then. In 1952, in 1956 and for so many years the mem- ory of man runs not to the contrary, the faction in power has won in regular pre- cinct meetings; or failing there, it has gone into "rump" sessions and con- ducted affairs as it pleased. Then, with the precinct elec- tions held, the whole matter was dumped into the lap of the Credentials committee at Frankfort. If you do not know who wins in the Credentials committee, you just don't know the "a" of poli- tics, not to mention b and c.

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Most of us have heard how Communist rule is main- tained with only a relatively few party members. You do not have to carry a card, but if you vote you will have to have one. And if you vote you will vote as you are wanted to vote.

By party organization standards that isn't too un- democratic. For in Ken- tucky, although you are at liberty to vote in these pre- cinct elections as you please, the result will be tallied in the end as the faction in power pleases.

The same system applies to both major political parties. Because of Democratic party predominance in Ken- tucky, Democratic high- jinks happen to command more attention.

What we are attempting to argue is that our parties should be organized by the will of the majority, not by the power of the faction in control of the party machine.

If that day ever comes when the voter can express his or her preference for a precinct or county chairman and do so with the assurance that each vote will be counted and not remanded to some committee to be counted if favorable to those in power or to be tossed out if contrary—then we shall see more Democrats and more Republicans interested in and taking part, because they can truly have a part, in the organization of their parties.

That more truly democ- ratic process can be effect- ed by placing the names of candidates for these party posts on the regular election ballot. Then the vote would be secret, as it should be, and it would be counted as surely as the votes for other offices were counted. And if a contest did develop, it would not go to any Creden- tials committee which serves as a "packed" jury, but would be heard by a court of law, as it should be.

Governor Chandler dur- ing this administration has an opportunity to do the job that is needed to be done. He can get this matter of party organization onto the regular ballot every four years, as Indiana already has done, and at the same time surrender none of his power in the organization. For, effective with the end of the terms of party offi- cials now being named, such a law would not cause the Governor to surrender any hard-won powers until after the election of his successor.

Action of this kind would elevate Governor Chandler in the esteem of Kentuckians who believe in majority rule, in true American fashion— whether the majority favors one faction or the other.

Farm Electrification Near Complete in Ky. But Sanitation Low

Although 95 per cent of Ken- tucky's farms are electrified, only 26 per cent of these have running water, according to a May report of the Rural Kentuckian, official publication of the Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperatives.

Health officials are concerned over the lack of good rural facili- ties for running water and sewage disposal. "Poorly planned wells, cis- terns, and privies are a menace to the health of their owners and may endanger the health of their neigh- bors as well. In addition to making general household cleanliness much simpler and easier, a good running water system with proper sewage disposal facilities helps prevent pol- lution of wells, springs, and ground water," John M. Stumbo, sanitari- an of the Floyd County Health De- partment, said this week.

The Rural Kentuckian article added that convenience, low cost of installation and upkeep, and bet- ter sanitary conditions are argu- ments which urge the farmer to put running water in his house. The farmer must first determine wheth- er or not his present supply is ade- quate to provide water for his house. If not, he may need a deeper well or a new cistern. In almost all cases, the article stated, adequate water supply can be made available to support a running water system.

"Construction of additional wells and cisterns, septic tanks, waste disposal fields, or pit privies should not be undertaken without profes- sional advice," warns Eugene Per- kins, plumbing supervisor, Kentucky State Department of Health. Sanitary codes specify certain details about size, drainage, and other factors. Rural residents can get help and information from their local health department sanitarian and their county agent. Pamphlets and directions giving sanitary re- quirements of private running wa- ter systems are available through these sources.

Miss Riffe, Lt. Butt Are Married



The Central Baptist Church of Phoenix, Ariz., was the scene No- vember 10 for the wedding of Miss Mary Karlene Riffe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Riffe, of Phoenix, formerly of Prestonsburg, and Lt. Robert A. Butt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Butt, of McAlester, Okla.

The Rev. Roland A. Smith per- formed the ceremony at 7:30 p.m.

The bride wore a gown of im- ported French silk and rosepoint lace. The bodice was fashioned with a mandarin neckline, long pointed sleeves and was accented at the waistline by a silk cummerbund. The bell shaped skirt and the train were appliqued with lace motifs, and the train was designed with deep pleats secured with three bows. Her veil of silk illusion was held by a Juliet cap studded with sequins and seed pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of gardenias.

Miss Grayce Lou Riffe, sister of the bride, was maid of honor in a waltz length gown of rose chiffon fashioned with a long torso accent- ed with bluish-pink chiffon straps across the shoulders crossed and tied in a bow at the waist and flowing to the hemline. Her headdress was

of bluish-pink veiling and she car- ried rose carnations in a bow knot arrangement with pink ribbon.

Miss Jerri Roberts and Miss Shar- on Jones, both of Phoenix, were bridesmaids. Their ensembles were identical to that of the honor at- tendant except in reverse colors.

Lee Ann Perkey of Phoenix was flower girl.

Gordon Psalmonds, of Phoenix, served Lt. Butt as best man, and the ushers were Harold Hensley and Ed Durden, both of Phoenix.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Grayce Golden, in Phoenix.

The couple left for a wedding trip to southern California.

The bride is a senior at North Phoenix high school. She has won vocal scholarships and awards and is a member of the Phoenix Civic Opera and Arizona Symphonic Choir.

Lt. Butt attended Oklahoma A. & M. College and Eastern Okla- homa A. & M. A member of the U. S. Air Force, he will begin a tour of duty in Japan in late November.

PARENTS AND VOTERS OF EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 5

I wish to express my sincere thanks of appreciation to all who supported and voted for me in the past November election for Board Member.

I would like to congratulate Mr. Campbell on winning the race against me. I hope he will im- prove some things that need im- provement. I trust he will not feel hard at anyone who supported me.

May we work together for bet- ter schools and better communi- ties for our children and our- selves.

James Arville Duff Hueysville, Ky.

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Thompson Completes Recruit Training

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Delmar L. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Thompson, Martin, Ky., completed recruit training, Nov. 15, at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif. Relatives and friends of many of the new Marines were on hand to witness the grad- uation ceremonies.

The 12-week training schedule included drill, bayonet training, physical conditioning, parades and ceremonies, and other military sub- jects.

Three weeks were spent on the rifle range where the recruits fired the M-1 rifle and received instruc- tions in basic Marine infantry weapons.

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DRIFT

The Drift school has an enroll- ment of 265. There are seven teach- ers and eight grades. The children participate in the following schol- astic activities:

Junior Conservation Club, 40 members; leader, Lloyd Stumbo.

4-H Club, 42 members; leaders, Roland Jones, Edith Hopkins, and Clara Bradley.

Flute, 35 members; leader, Edith Hopkins.

Elementary band, 19 members; leader, Edith Hopkins.

Those who made the Honor Roll for the last six-week period are: First grade—Patricia Justice, Ann Reed, and Elmer Preston.

Second grade — Barbara Butler, Carl Hayes, Jake Fraley, Jr., Char- lent Castle, Raymond Wright, Con- nie Tackett, Juanita Tackett, and Gay Kidd.

Third grade—Billy Hull, Roger Martin, and Harrietta Bowens.

Fourth grade — Peggy Butler, Phyllis Butler, Sharon Fraley, Bet- ty Henry, Nova Shannon, Dianna Shelton, Sandra Tackett, Nedra Turner, John Reed, Bill Prater, Laura Fugate, Tony Allen, Judy Sexton, and Larry Salisbury.

Fifth Grade—Carolyn Hurst, Cor- rine Lewis, Terry Shelton, David Mullins, Barbara Martin, Eddy Law- son, Walter Castle, Judy Sammons, Phyllis Shelton, Stanley Hall, Phil- lip Miller, William Turner, Virginia Kidd, Janet Durham, James Hunter, and Larry Sexton.

Sixth Grade—Wallace Cook, Ish- mael Preston, Geraldine Wright, Billy Mac Jones, Junior Hager, Roger Akers, Violet Wright.

Seventh grade— Kathy Tackett, Meredith Turner, and Bonnie Par- sons.

Eighth grade—Roger King, Bob Joe Turner, Linzie Blackburn, Mary Ann Faulkner, Nolan Parsons, Pa- tricia Cooper, Scarlet Shelton, Rose- lane Robinette, Albert Lawson.

During National Education Week, several parents visited the school. Four of the parents, Mrs. Katherine Faulkner, Mrs. Genevieve Howell, Mrs. Susie Martin, and Mrs. Norma Turner, served soup to ap- proximately 50 children.

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Soviet Engineer Standard Drop

Ann Arbor, Mich. — A university of Michigan mathematician who recently returned from a tour of Russia said the Soviets may be lowering the quality of their engineers in the race to train more specialists than the United States.

Prof. Arthur J. Lohwarter, who spoke at a Russian scientific meeting in Moscow this summer, said: "I was able to talk quite freely with Russian mathematicians during my visit and found among them a fear that educational standards in their country were being sacrificed in order to turn out more engineers than we do."

"This does not mean that all of the engineering graduates are poor. But it does show that they are trying to make engineers out of students who are not fully qualified."

RECENT VISITOR HERE
Recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nesler were Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Nesler and daughter, Kathie, of Sciotoville, Ohio.

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Do We Want the Bootleggers Protected or Run Out?

In August, 1956 I was summoned forthwith before the grand jury and was told I knew about the different people in Prestonsburg who were bootlegging. This was the second time I had been called, but I was ill in a hospital the first time.

They had information that I had bought whiskey the day before from Paul Crace, which was true. The different members of the grand jury questioned me, and I under oath told them of the different ones I had bought whiskey from. Indictments were issued against Tom Laferty, James Laferty, Denver Joseph, Ernest (Cat Tail) Campbell, Denzil Whitten, Paul Crace and another Joseph whom I knew as Junior.

Before the date of the trial, which was last Friday, a person I never saw before claimed he was Junior Joseph, saying there are three Junior Josephs. But he was not the Junior Joseph I knew, so I had to say he was not the person (having three Junior Josephs in one family is, of course, confusing).

Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin contacted me by phone and inquired if I wanted the case against Joseph dismissed, and said that I was confused. I assured him I was not confused. He also said I had indicted these people before, which is not true. The records will show I had not. He accused Chief of Police Epp Laferty of making a deal with me to help catch them. This also is untrue. Epp Laferty is an honest officer, there was no deal.

Well, I appeared in court and talked under pressure to Burnis Martin and Circuit Judge E. P. Hill. I told them I bought the whiskey and that I had the bottles and was willing to swear to dates and places. They called me a liar and refused to allow the case to go to trial. Judge Hill later went into open

court and announced to the jury, in the presence of everyone, that I was not a creditable witness. This also is untrue. They treated me horribly and, after all, I was not on trial. I urged them to try the cases, and they even called in the defendants' attorney to see if the proceeding in the back room suited him. He declined to comment. Judge Hill said I drank the whiskey. All my neighbors who know me will swear I don't drink. I did buy it, but I did not sell it. Refusing to try a case when the complaining witness insists on trial is not, I believe, legal practice and is highly irregular. Why aren't our officials willing to let a jury say if men are guilty or innocent? Why should they assume the authority and decide for themselves? Bootlegging is being protected. I am not saying every taxi driver bootlegs, but some sit in taxis along the Mayo Trail here and hail you as you go along and ask how much do you want today. This is public knowledge. Won't some people who are decent and law-abiding citizens help me stop this? In closing this I want to point to this matter: I was deprived of my rights as a citizen. More than that I was insulted by men whose duty it is to uphold the law, and my character was defamed. Remember — I was not on trial. I believe those 12 people on the jury would have sentenced and fined these men. What is the use of getting evidence if the court won't allow it made public? Did I do wrong in telling the truth to the grand jury? Was abuse and insults my proper reward? I ask the good people of this county. CARMEN STRAHAN (Advertisement)

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of liquor against Cliff Allen was quashed, subject to resubmittal to the grand jury. Third trial of Colie Salisbury on a wilful murder charge ended last Friday in his conviction of assault and battery with his penalty fixed at \$200 fine and 30 days in jail. Cecil Jacobs, who entered a plea of guilty to a breaking and entering charge was given a one-year term. A plea of guilty to a charge of reckless use of a deadly weapon resulted in a fine of \$50 for Cecil Tackett. Douglas Osborne was convicted on an assault and battery count Tuesday and was fined \$100. He was granted right of appeal. Carl Reed, who entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of assault and battery, then disappeared from the courtroom Tuesday morning, was given trial in absentia, fined \$100 and given a 30-day jail term. Other cases called and their disposition: Cluett Messer, obtaining money under false pretense, continued to April 14; William Glenn Helton, seduction, continued; Clarence Nickels, rape, set for trial Jan. 29; Nellis Waddle, detaining a woman against her will, trial set Jan. 29; Nellie Jarvis, procuring another for prostitution, dismissed; Conrad Casebolt and Rudy Nicholas, both charged with rape, set Jan. 28; Jake Halbert, child desertion, continued; Herbert Salisbury, child desertion, set for trial Dec. 7; Bill McCoy, failing to support a destitute parent, dismissed.

CONGRATULATIONS
The contribution made by Princess Elkhorn Coal Company to the Floyd County Fair Board makes us glad some people have money. This is the kind of interest in county activities that is needed — the interest that leads firms and individuals to plank down the cash to get the job done. That was a freewill offering, mind you—no solicitation, no pressure; simply a spontaneous and inspiring reaction to the plight of a group that is working under difficulties to give Floyd county something of real worth.

HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THIS?
If you don't feel a bit guilty when you spend so much on your own family at Christmas-time and neglect to give for the relief of those heroic Hungarian refugees — children, women, men, without homes, food, needing clothing, needing sanctuary and friends—then there's something wrong. Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, is trying to raise from all the thousands of people in this county \$701. And if you think that's too much, you're wrong again. Mail your contributions in any amount to Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, Prestonsburg.

GOOD SHOOTING
Last week a Times news-story told about rabid fox attacks. We forgot one. Wilson Stepp, of Prestonsburg, was enjoying a recent hunt in Martin county till suddenly a fox appeared on the scene and sailed into his dog. It required two shots to kill the fox, but at that Stepp was doing pretty good shooting, since he didn't hit the dog.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to extend our sincere appreciation and thanks to our many friends and relatives for their loyalty and many kindnesses extended to us during the recent illness and upon the death of our beloved mother, Juda Allen. Especially do we thank ministers for their words of consolation, the choir, the pallbearers, the donors of the beautiful floral offerings and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service. Madge Casey Ward B. Allen J. R. Allen

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either issue. The high interest rates are simply the latest in a gradual increase that began in May.

The second warning may be indicated in failure of Kenton county to obtain a single valid bid last Thursday on a \$1,000,000 state issue. One was voted by Kenton county, the other by Kentucky. Both are general-obligation bonds, one backed by the full taxing authority of Kenton county, the other by the full taxing authority of Kentucky. Both are for road improvements. Both are limited to 3 per cent at par, which means that the bonds cannot be sold at less than 100 per cent of face value, nor can they bear more than 3 per cent interest. Bond experts said that, when Kenton county voted the issue 18 months ago, the prevailing average on class AA bonds was 2.58 per cent. Today, they added, the prevailing average is 3.21 per cent.

The reaction of official Frankfort is not to say that all is lost, but things can be worked out. Plans are proceeding, therefore, to file a testing legality of the bond issue. The suit possibly would be filed next week with the view of clearing it through Franklin circuit court before the Christmas holidays. Then it will go to the Court of Appeals for a reasonably quick decision. It will be late spring or early summer, then before the bonds will be ready to offer. Officials say the money market may be easier by then. Many top-level economists hold the same optimistic view. It also is hoped in Frankfort that, after the courts have construed the issue, the bonds can be classed as triple A. This rating would command for them a shade more preference than for the double A bond for which Kenton county got no valid bids.

If the market is not easier by mid-1957, but only slightly tighter, then the hopes of official Frankfort is that a small offering might be sold at 3 per cent on a short-term basis. The act creating the issue gives the state the right to determine maturity dates less than the limit of 30 years, and to sell in units of \$5,000,000 or more. If the market is substantially tighter, so that sale under any conditions is out of the question, then an alternate would be to call a special session of the Legislature to submit a higher interest rate to the voters at the November election.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Week beginning Dec. 9—
Sunday—
9:30 a.m. Revival services with Evangelist Geraldine Conway.
10:30 a.m. Sunday School.
5:00 p.m. Busy Bees.
6:00 p.m. M. Y. F.
7:30 p.m. Closing revival service with Evangelist Geraldine Conway.
Monday—
7:00 p.m., Boy Scouts.
Tuesday—
7:00 p.m., Choir practice.
8:00 p.m., Prayer meeting.
Thursday—
8:30 a.m., Your pastor has the morning devotions on Radio Station WPRT.
7:30 p.m., Board meeting.
Friday—
7:00 p.m., Subdistrict men's meeting at Betsy Layne.

FOR THE GAL'S?
A Holyoke, Mass. man writes us to say that he has the average woman's answer to the "girlie" calendars sold on newsstands and elsewhere and widely admired by males. This is the Mr. America calendar, no less—a picture for every month in the year of America's best-built men of today, with the January page graced by Mr. America of 1956. Now we shall start an argument about equal rights, about how silly can you get, etcetera, etcetera. Oh, brother!

they're thinking. I wasn't altogether wrong in this poll, but I did guess that Stevenson would carry the state and that Clements and Astor Hogg would win.

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"Tender Trap"
Elvis Presley

DECEMBER IS ANNIVERSARY OF TWO GREAT AMERICAN WARS

By John W. Woods
President, Kentucky Tuberculosis Association

Tomorrow (December 7) is the anniversary of two great American wars. One is history. The other is costing the lives of 15,000 Americans each year.

Fifteen years ago, today, the United States was forced to enter the greatest war in its history—World War II. American citizens were forced to defend their already established rights against foreign aggression. That war lasted nearly four years.

Fifty years ago, today, the people of the United States entered another war against another kind of aggression. That was the war against tuberculosis. Now, a half century later, we are still at war with TB.

Our best weapon for these fifty years has been the TB Christmas Seal. The sale of these traditional stamps each year provides the only source of income for the voluntary tuberculosis control movement in Kentucky and the nation.

But to TB workers Christmas Seals represent more than just a means of financing their work of health education, case finding, rehabilitation, and medical and social research. They have become a bond between the TB control movement and the American people—a contract to stick together until this dread disease has been eliminated. The drive against tuberculosis in Kentucky is conducted by the state and local health departments, and the 60 voluntary TB associations affiliated with the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association.

We've come a long way since Emily Bissell, a Red Cross worker in Wilmington, Delaware, mailed out the first Christmas Seals 50 years ago to raise money for a small TB hospital. We've seen tuberculosis reduced from a horrible plague to an illness that can be cured. Progress in the fight against

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Tired Eden Lands In Jamaica
Montego Bay, Jamaica, Nov. 24—
Prime Minister Sir Anthony Eden looking pale and tired, arrived in Jamaica today for three weeks of rest under the Caribbean sun.

PRICE THEATRE
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FRIDAY—
"The Leather Saint"
Paul Douglas, John Derek

SAURDAY—
Double Feature—
"The Toughest Man Alive"
Dane Clark, Lita Millan

"Powder River"
Rory Calhoun, Corinne Calvet

SUNDAY—
"The Kettles in the Ozarks"
Marjorie Main, Arthur Honeycutt

TUESDAY—
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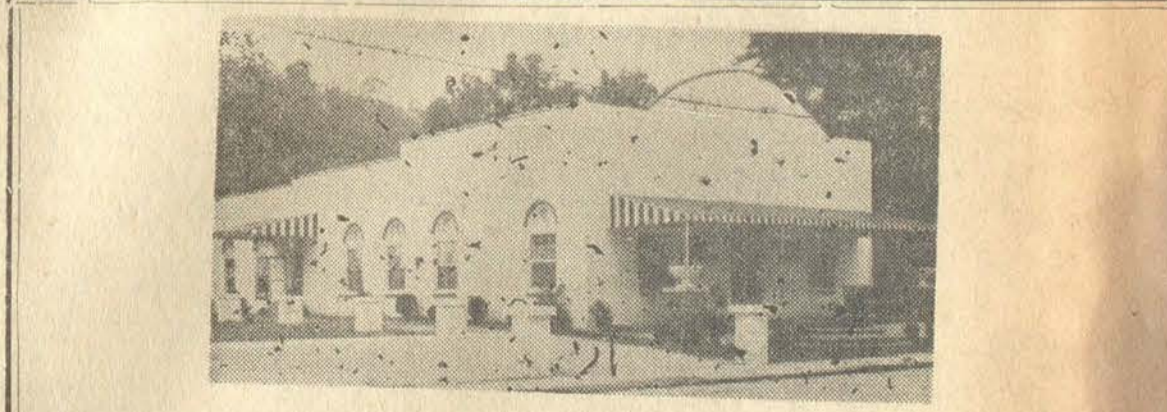
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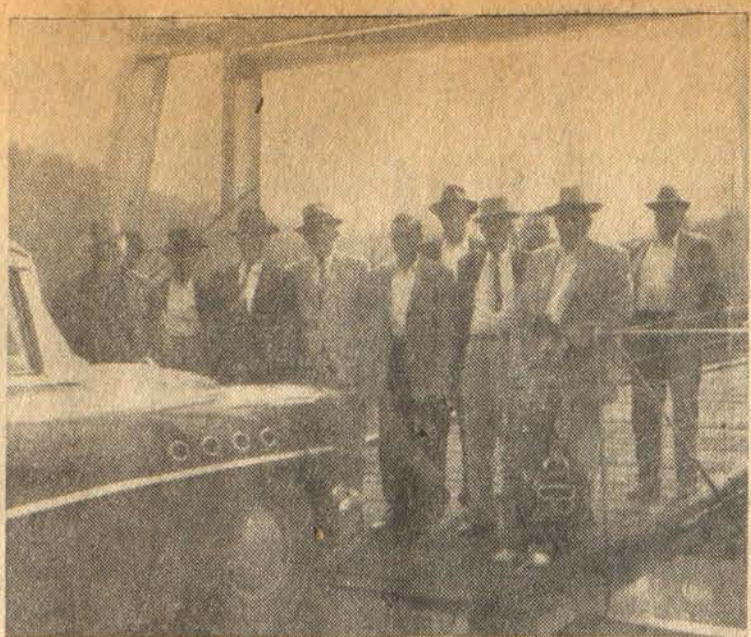
Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.)—Eminence was the first city to apply to the Kentucky Water Pollution Control Commission for aid under the new federal program for sewage treatment works.

Kentucky has been allotted \$1,067,225 for grants to cities. It will allocate 30 percent of the expenses of building sewage treatment works, provided the total cost does not exceed \$250,000.

Officials of the KWPCO emphasized that cities in Kentucky must make application before next March 15, if they desire funds for the current fiscal year.

Eminence is seeking \$33,480. Other cities which have started sewage works and are eligible for assistance are Owensboro, Hopkinsville, Owen and Jeffersonton.

Wool is now being treated to make it more resistant to shrinkage. Other new finishes make it moth and mildew resistant.



—Photo by The Times
Scene at the opening of the new Tram bridge to traffic recently. George Conn, contractor, is at the extreme right. Standing with Conn are County Judge Henry Stumbo, Magistrate Grover Holbrook, County Attorney Hollie Conley, Magistrate Edgar Howell, Banner Meade, John Conn, Joe Smith, Ballard Scalf and others.

The bridge was the culmination of years of planning and effort on the part of the community which raised a large part of the necessary construction funds to be matched by the Fiscal Court.

BETSY LAYNE

A revival meeting will begin at the Freeville Baptist church here Dec. 2. The speaker will be Rev. Bob Martin, of Martin. Every one is invited to attend.

Dr. Hershell R. Stratton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stratton, has completed a two-year course in pediatrics in Atlanta, Georgia. He is now located in Sarasota, Fla. A son was born Oct. 10 to Dr. and Mrs. Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sargent have moved into their new home here.

Perry Stumbo and family, and Mrs. Bob Parson, of Ohio, were visiting their mother, Mrs. Ann Jones, and grandmother, Mrs. Dixie Caldwell, on Thanksgiving.

A household shower will be given Dec. 7 at the home of Mrs. J. W. Johnson, for Earl Lee Layne and wife, who were married Thanksgiving.

Mack Elliott's son from Florida was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stratton last week.

The new room at the Betsy Layne lunch room addition will soon be ready to open.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Elliott have moved into their new home here.

Mrs. Alice Goodman was visiting her aunt, Polly Loar, last week.

Mrs. Joe May, who has been visiting her son in Michigan, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russ Layne were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Loar, Sunday.

Safety Campaign Begins in State

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — "Our aim is to make every citizen of Kentucky safety conscious."

Charles B. Jones, director of the Division of Accident Control, made this statement while explaining that each county in the Commonwealth will be visited by a field representative from his agency, "to initiate the formation of such groups."

"Particular emphasis will be placed on school, farm, industrial and home safety, in addition to a stepped-up campaign for safety on the streets and highways," Jones said.

The Division of Accident Control, a division of the Department of Public Safety, will establish regularly scheduled programs of public safety education throughout the state, Jones said.

"In addition to these regularly scheduled programs, the Division will be prepared to furnish speakers to any groups desiring them," Jones concluded.

Sister of Local Man Dies In Johnson-co.; Was Victim of Stroke

Mrs. Effie Stapleton, 69, of Kerz, Johnson county, died at her home Thanksgiving morning. She was a sister of Homer Crider, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Stapleton, who suffered a stroke two weeks previous to her death, was a daughter of the late Alfred and Elizabeth Wells Crider. Her husband, Montraville Stapleton, preceded her in death. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Two daughters, Mrs. Parley Bentley, and Mrs. Francis McKenzie, both of Kerz, survive. A brother, besides Mr. Crider also survives, as do the following sisters: Mrs. Julia Adkins and Josie Hazelitt, both of Paintsville, and Mrs. Bessie Hicks, of Detroit.

Funeral services were conducted at the Kerz Enterprise Baptist church, Nov. 24, the Rev. Bruce Daniel officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all who were so kind to us upon the passing of our mother, Sarah Stone. We especially thank the Revs. Banner Manns and M. C. Wright for their comforting words and the Moore Funeral Home for kind and efficient service.

The Family

POPULATION INCREASED

LOS ANGELES — Los Angeles County population has swelled by 50,000 persons in the last year, the Regional Planning commission estimates.

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BOOM IN COAL FOR '57 SEEN

Next Year To See Boost Of Over 22 Million Tons, Forecast Heard Recently

The National Coal Association estimates bituminous coal production for 1957 at 532,000,000 tons—an increase of 22,250,000 tons over production for the current year.

The forecast was computed by NCA's committee on coal economics and statistics, of which R. A. Picoir of Island Creek Coal Co., Huntington, is a member.

The committee also said that 1956 production has been estimated at 509,600,000 tons.

The estimates were the first ever undertaken by the national trade association of coal producers.

Tom Pickett, executive NCA vice-president, commented:

"The bituminous coal industry is essential to our national security and prosperity. Its level of operations must be high enough to maintain a stockpile of capacity to meet current needs and any emergency created by the course of events.

"An informed forecast for a year ahead, based on the best estimates available at the time computed, should be of service to producers in providing for equipment and in scheduling output to meet all demands; to railroads in furnishing an adequate coal car supply, and to Congress and public officials responsible for seeing that this country stays strong economically and in national defense.

"In view of the uniformly higher demands to be made upon this industry, this forecast should serve as a basic guide for the steps necessary to fulfill the energy demands of the American people."

In making public its figures, the committee said:

"Industrial production, holding at a high level, is estimated to continue to show growth in 1957—by a probable four or five points on the Federal Reserve Board Index. This will be backed by rising production in steel, a probable ten per cent rise in automobiles, continued growth in chemicals, a substantial increase in capital investment for plant and equipment, housing at no lower than 1956 levels, along with continued growth in electric utility generation.

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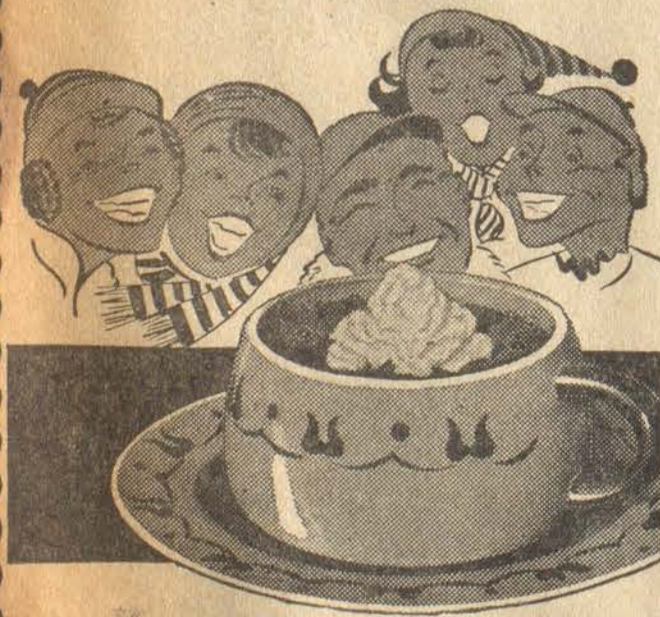
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Floyd County Students In Concert at U. of K. In Memorial Hall

Three Floyd county students are members of the University of Kentucky Concert Band, which gave a concert Sunday in Memorial Hall. They are Winnifred Cooley, B-flat clarinet; David Grigsby, tenor saxophone, and Bill Burke, baritone saxophone.

Miss Cooley is the daughter of W. W. Cooley, Prestonsburg, and is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. A sophomore in the UK college of Arts and Sciences, she is a member of Phi Beta.

Grigsby is the son of E. P. Grigsby, Martin, and is a graduate of Martin high school. He is a freshman in the UK College of Arts and Sciences.

Burke is the son of E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg, and is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school. He is a member of the University's "Marching 400", famed collegiate band.

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SPORTS CHATTER

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HONORABLE MENTION

The Prestonsburg Black Cats had four players listed for honorable mention on the 1956 Kentucky high school all-state team. They were: end, Monty Rice; tackle, Bruce Howard; center, Wayne Dixon, and fullback, Buford Crager, who missed the majority of the season with an injured knee.

RENEW LICENSES

Hunting and fishing licenses for 1957 will go on sale at the County Clerk's office by December 14. Your 1956 hunting license won't be any good for the remainder of the hunting season after December 31. The federal duck stamp, however, is good through the entire waterfowl season.

HUGHES ON FRESHMAN TEAM

Lowell Hughes, Prestonsburg's two time all-star football and basketball star, was the regular quarterback on the freshman football eleven at U. of K. and Saturday night saw service as the Kittens' starter in the Transylvania's junior varsity, 71-65, although he had only practiced three days with the freshman cage unit. Carr Creek's Bob Shepherd and E. A. Couch hit 16 and 4 respectively for the winning Kittens.

MAYTOWN'S FIRST

Maytown's victory in the 13th annual pre-season tournament last Saturday night was their first since the event has been held. Ray Heinisch's charges literally ran the opposition to death as the closest contest was 13 points.

Drubbing bitter-rival Martin in the finals was the most cherished win of Heinisch's career at the school. In the trophy department, Maytown's Bill Caudill won the free-throw trophy with 13 of 14 successful flings. Prestonsburg won the sportsmanship cup and had the best cheerleaders of the nine teams.

WAYLAND DOUBLEHEADER

Wayland has its second double-header of the season set for Saturday night as the Wasps tangle with Martin and Garrett tangles with Oil Springs of the 60th district.

FIVE PLAYERS HIT 30 OR MORE

Five players in the pre-season tournament hit at least 30 or more points in one game which indicates the offensive skill of today's teams, as compared to five years ago. Auxier's Porter Powers was tops with 47 points for one game. Other starring offensive shows were: Bill Caudill (Maytown), Edgar Rister (Garrett), Fred Lafferty (Martin) and Jimmy Joe Hall (Wheelwright). Betsy Layne's Charles Blevins hit 29 in one fray and McDowell's Jackie Little connected for 27.

Speedy Maytown Team Wins In Pre-Tournament Finals

Ray Heinisch's Maytown Wildcats won their eighth consecutive game in whipping their old rival, Martin, 96-63, Saturday night to cap the 13th annual Floyd County Pre-Season Tournament. Martin's defeat was the worst suffered by a Halbert-coached five in the past four years.

The host Wildcats breezed through the five-day affair by romping over Auxier, 104-67, in the opening round and eliminating favored Betsy Layne, 78-65, in the semifinals. Martin had gained the final round by stopping Prestonsburg, 71-59, and McDowell, 83-72, in the semi-finals.

Betsy Layne, sporting two of the brightest college prospects in Floyd county history, Charles Blevins and Ray Clark, both six-foot-four, nipped defending regional champion, Wayland, 73-72, in the first game and Garrett, 81-68, in the second game before bowing to Maytown. Blevins and Clark tallied 112 points for their mates.

The leading point-producer of the meet, however, was Maytown's agile senior forward Bill Caudill, who ripped the cords for 88 points in three games. Bill Elliott, the third leading scorer in the region, tallied 61 and Martin's Freddie Lafferty hooped 64.

LINE-UPS:

M'town 104 Pos. Auxier (67)
Caudill (37) F. Powers (47)
Elliott (20) F. Ford
Chick (6) C. E. Wells (3)
A. Prater (15) G. Sester (15)
Hensley G. C. Wells (2)
Ellis (14) Wilson
Reffett (2) Pickle
Hall (4) Webb
Cooley (2)
Allen (2)

Maytown 23 41 65 104
Auxier 21 36 44 87

Martin (83) Pos. McDowell (72)
Lafferty (33) J. Moore (10)
Chick (18) F. Hall (13)
Smith (6) C. Jones (15)
Carroll (12) G. King (8)
Allen (9) G. Little (11)
E. Martin (1) Martin (11)
A. Little (2)
Johnson (2)
W. Martin
Frasure
Martin 28 46 65 83
McDowell 23 50 58 72

B. Layne (73) Pos. Wayland (72)
Martin (12) F. Bra'ham (20)
Reynolds (18) F. Combs (17)
Clark (6) C. Rob'son (15)
Bush (4) G. G'house (6)
Blevins (29) G. Sturgill (13)
Slone (4) Jones (1)
Johnson
Frasure
Betsy Layne 20 33 50 73
Wayland 25 41 56 72

Martin (71) Pos. P'burg (59)
Lafferty (16) F. Hughes (16)
Chick (16) F. Hager (10)
Smith G. Howard (13)
Carroll (26) G. Stewart (2)
Allen (4) G. McKenzie (10)
E. Martin (2) C. Harris (2)
Ousley (4) S. Harris (6)
Hale (1) Dixon
Caudill (1) Anderson
D. Martin (1)
Martin 14 38 56 71
Prestonsburg 20 39 49 59

Alpha Delta Chapter Pledges Miss Hill

Alpha Delta Chapter of Delta Delta Delta Society has pledged Miss Sarah Noel Hill, a graduate of Prestonsburg high school, now a student in liberal arts at Stetson University, DeLand, Florida. Daughter of Judge and Mrs. Edward Hill, Miss Hill was recently named to the Woman's Council of the student government association at the university.

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Wayland Doubleheader
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Wayland vs. Martin.

58th District

Team	W	L
Maytown	8	0
Prestonsburg	0	1
Garrett	4	2
Wheelwright	0	2
Martin	7	3
McDowell	7	3
Betsy Layne	6	4
Wayland	2	6
Auxier	0	6

LEADING SCORERS

	G.	Tl.	Avg.
Powers, Auxier	6	231	38.5
Osborne, Flat Gap	2	73	36.5
Elliott, Maytown	8	211	26.3

FOOD LACK THREATENS CANADA'S SNOW GEESE

Montreal, Canada's famed greater snow geese are increasing so fast they may run out of food.

Prof. Maxwell Dunbar of McGill University's zoology department says all the snow geese are threatened because an inadequate diet will make them all prone to disease.

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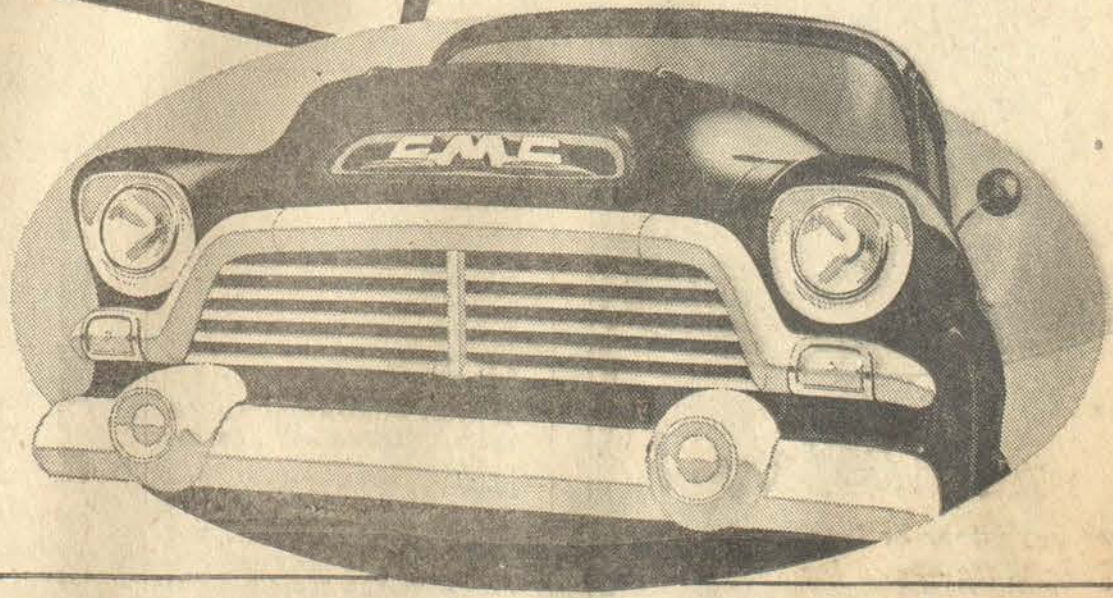
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Owner Is Victim Of Hoarded Gas
 Beauvais, France — Ferdinand Ledoux, 70, indirectly became the first French civilian victim of the Franco-British military action against Egypt.
 Worried that the conflict would cause a gasoline shortage, he was hoarding gas in his cellar. He went to the basement to check his supplies. The flame of his candle set off an explosion that killed him.

POINT SYSTEM SLATED SOON

Driver-Improvement Program Is Expected In Effect This Month

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 29 — Acting Commissioner of Public Safety Don S. Sturgill indicated today Kentucky's driver-improvement program, based on a 12-point system, will go into effect before Christmas.

Under the plan, an accumulation of 12 points by a driver could result in the suspension of his operator's license for six months.

Sturgill said motorists will have points assessed against them for these violations:

Misrepresenting or falsifying applications, 12 points; racing, 6; reckless driving, 4; passing on curve or hill (no-passing zone) or passing school bus loading or unloading children, 4; violation contributing to an accident, 4; exceeding speed limits, 3; and other hazardous moving violations, 3.

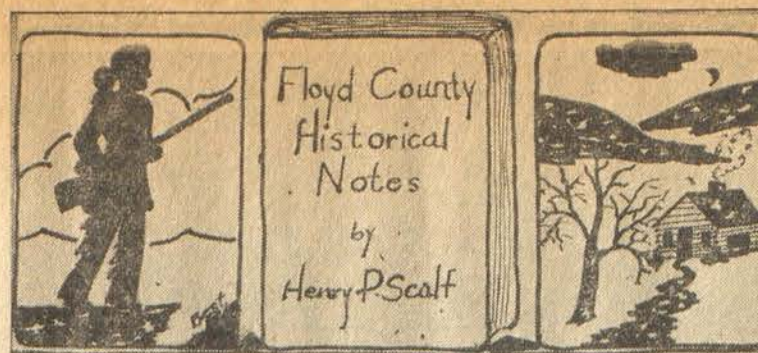
Violators will be allowed their 12 points over a three-year period. When three years elapse from the date of a conviction, the points assessed for a violation will be removed from the driver's record.

Sturgill repeated that the point system should be regarded solely as a driver-improvement program. It will be used as an administrative aid in determining if a person is an habitually reckless or negligent driver. Under Kentucky law, the Department of Public Safety has the authority to suspend the operator's license of such a person.

Sturgill stressed that the accumulation of 12 points will not mean automatic suspension or an operator's license.

If his department is given reason to believe that a violator has definitely tried to improve his driving record, that person will be placed on probation for a year. During that period however, if the driver is convicted of another violation, his license will be suspended six months.

Sturgill said there are several violations that, under State law, demand revocation of an operator's license. In those cases, such as driving under the influence of alcohol, manslaughter, and reckless homicide, the driver's license will be revoked automatically, without consideration of the point system.



In the mail are little bits of genealogy, and scraps of history that should be passed along to others. Some of them may be just the item of information someone is looking for and again the letters may offer a clue to data long sought. Anyway they help fill the column at times.

LOCKRIDGE AND HORNE

One from Mrs. Richard Y. Thorpe, 3612 Hampton Avenue, Nashville, Tenn., is in reference to three Kentucky families.
 "I have a friend here who is collecting information on the James family. I shall start to work on the Kentucky Lockridge and Horne families. I found a Thomas James, Esquire, of Hickman county, as the sole executor of one of the Lockridge wills which leads me to believe there is a connection between the two families."

BOB BAILEY, OF ARKANSAS

A letter from F. M. McConnell, of Fayetteville, Ark., mentions Bob Bailey, son of John M. Bailey, of Hindman, Ky.
 "Bob Bailey lives at Russellville, Arkansas, about 120 miles from here. I do not personally know him but I do know that he is a well-known attorney and that he has been prominently active in Arkansas politics. He served a term as Lieutenant Governor. He has a son named Bob Bailey, Jr., who is also an attorney at Russellville."

FIRST FREEWILL CHURCH

Last July Rev. F. S. VanHoose, of Paintsville, and Mrs. Neva Forrest, of Huntington, were visiting in Prestonsburg relative to the Van Hoose reunion later held in Johnson county. Mrs. Forrest, a Van Hoose before her marriage, is a genealogist and this columnist presented her with an old letter written, by John Van Hoose from the California gold mines, in 1850 to James S. Layne, of Lanesville. The letter was 156 years old. It was exhibited at the Van Hoose reunion, according to the Paintsville Herald.

While here Reverend Van Hoose stated the Freewill Baptist church was first organized in Johnson county in 1885. At hand is a letter in which he sets both of us right.

"When I was talking to you about the Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist church, I said it was organized in 1885. That was wrong. The church was organized in 1876." Incidentally the Tom's Creek church was the first Freewill church in Eastern Kentucky and the second in the state itself.

JEAN SCHMIDT BAISDEN

It is said that Jean Schmidt Baisden, progenitor of the Big Sandy Baisdens came to America to fight for freedom of the colonies under Washington and Lafayette. It was never stated though that he was at King's Mountain. Mrs. Inez Livingston, of Union College, Barbourville, Ky., a Baisden descendant, thinks he may have been there after all.

She wrote recently that upon examining Lewis Sumners' History of Southwest Virginia, that she found that Capt. Russell had a John Basdel under him at King's Mountain. Lafayette was, historians say, in general charge of the western Virginia Continental forces at the time and Baisden, who came to America with him, could have been sent along to King's Mountain. No pension papers of Baisden exist to resolve the matter though. Mrs. Livingston asks if there is a remote possibility that this John Basdel at King's Mountain was the John (Jean) Schmidt Baisden that traded considerably in Big Sandy and Tug River land. This columnist

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Gas Depletion Topic of Meeting

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — Representative groups from Barbourville, Manchester, London, Corbin and Burning Springs will meet next week with Chairman James F. Gordon and staff members of the Public Service Commission to discuss the gas shortage situation in that area.

The meeting will be held Dec. 10, in the courthouse at Barbourville, the chairman said.

Gordon, in a recent letter, advised people of the acute gas shortage in the area served by the Petroleum Exploration Co.

Local publicity for this meeting has been arranged through the cooperation of Mayor W. C. Asher, of Barbourville and PSC staff members.

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agrees there is—more than a remote possibility but it may take considerable research to establish it.

THE HARGIS FAMILY

And finally a letter from our old friend, R. Lee Stewart, of Morehead. Again he writes about the Hargis family of Breathitt and Rowan counties.

"I had an interesting letter last night from Lucien Beckner and he knew the Judge Thomas F. Hargis family. He stated that while in school at Louisville he would often spend the evening at the Judge's home. There were two daughters, an done afterwards died. The other married Johan Johnson and moved to Oslo, Norway. They had no children. Her husband was very wealthy and they adopted a number of Norwegian children of which they were very fond. Beckner kept in touch with them in Norway. He thinks Mrs. Johnson is still living and is now trying to get in touch with her.

"Beckner says that Judge Thomas F. Hargis sued Tom Green and the Maysville Eagle and that indicates he was not living in Jackson but on this side of the state. There was quite a stir over his candidacy either for Circuit Judge or Judge of the Court of Appeals but it must have been for Appellate Judge. It was alleged that Hargis wasn't old enough and I suppose the suit was the outcome of it. I think that Rowan county was a part of the judicial district to which Mason county belonged at the time.

"Kash Williams seems to think that both John Hargises lived in Jackson and that one was the uncle of the other. I think, though, his history is at fault."

Who knows the Hargis family intimately enough to resolve the questions of its genealogy?

Husband Found Pair Nude, Denied Divorce

London — Just because Stanley Clements found his wife and another man naked in a room together is not grounds for divorce, a court ruled recently.

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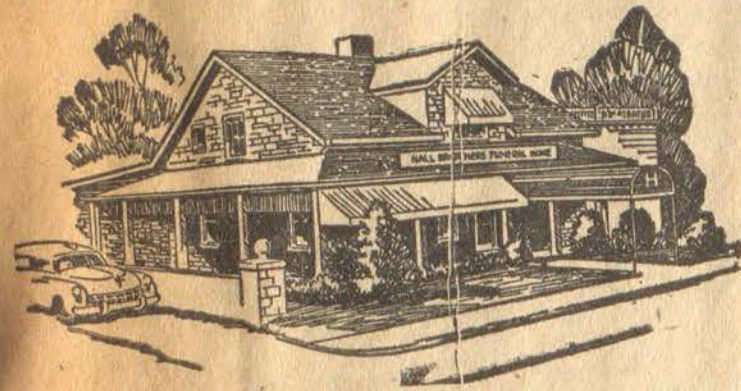
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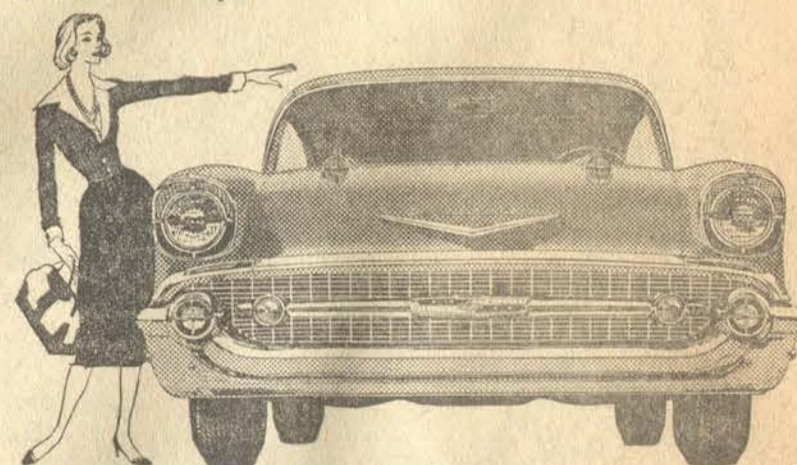
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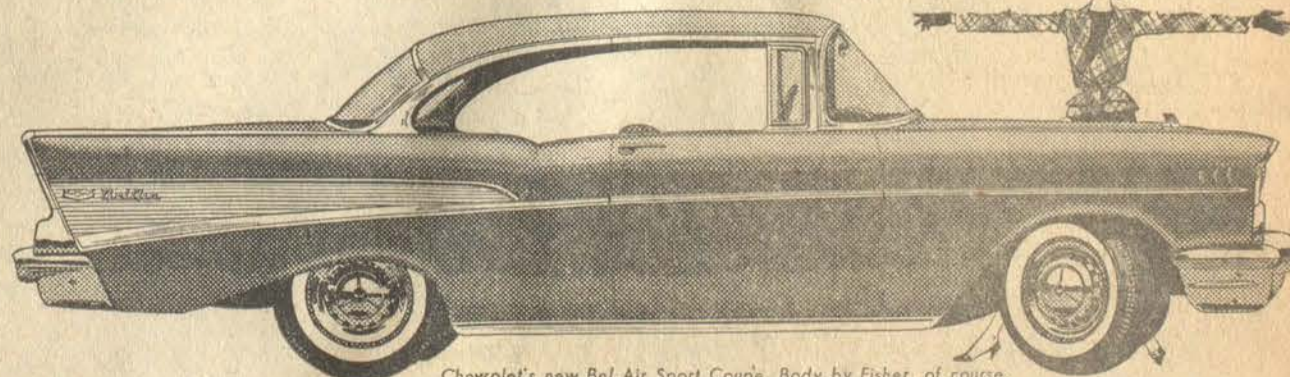
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'You're Kidding,' Waitress Said— Holdup Man Left

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Mrs. Steel said when the holdup man told her to open the drawer and give him all the money, she looked him right in the eye and said, "You're kidding."

The man clicked his apparently empty revolver several times, looked down the counter at another male customer and said, "I guess you're right," and walked out.

The trend in dairying is toward larger, but fewer dairy farms, says the USDA.

New Program's Benefits Told

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — Many young Kentuckians apparently are not aware of the Federal War Orphans Education program, since only 48 applications for assistance under it have been filed in the State, an official said this week.

Director R. R. Thomas, Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board, said Congress has enacted a law providing that young people from 18 to 23 years old whose parent died as a result of service in either of the World Wars or Korean conflict are eligible for the educational program.

Thomas said the education may be taken in colleges and universities as well as in schools below the college level. Regular high school training is not included, Thomas said, and courses below the college level must be vocational.

He said the new law provides for special restorative training for children with physical or mental disabilities. The federal government makes a grant of \$110 a month to eligible students attending full-time training.

The federal program, administered by the Veterans Administration, will not be affected by a new Kentucky law authorizing free tuition at state-supported colleges for children of Commonwealth servicemen who died as a result of injuries incurred in the armed forces, Thomas said.

Nall Gets Job To Build Trail

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — William C. Nall, Murray, has been named by Conservation Commissioner Laban Jackson to be general superintendent for construction of a scenic trail across Kentucky Lake.

Nall was moved from the Division of Parks to head the new project after being Superintendent of State Parks in Western Kentucky since January. He has 10 years of supervisory experience in park and public construction. Nall will serve as a member of Jackson's office staff during construction.

Nall said preliminary planning of the proposed "Kerby Jennings Scenic Trail" will begin this month.

There are seven galleries of original Audubon paintings in the museum at Audubon State Park, near Henderson.

MRS. ROBINSON BURNS VICTIM

Two Sisters Are Victims Last Week; One Dies Of Burns at East Point

Death last week from burns suffered at her East Point home of Mrs. Adeline Robinson, 77, was the second tragedy in her family within a week. Her sister, Mrs. Linnie Hall, 86, of Meally, Johnson county, died of a paralytic stroke suffered two weeks earlier.

Mrs. Robinson was fatally burned when her clothing ignited from a gas furnace in the cottage where she lived near her daughter, Mrs. John Auxier. Her body was found by members of the family who were attracted to the scene by smoke from the building.

She had been in ill health for several years, but her tragic death came as a shock to the East Point vicinity where she was loved and well known. She was a member of the East Point Church of Christ.

Surviving are three sons, Wm. Robinson of East Point; Jay Robinson, West Van Lear; George Ernest Robinson, Maytown, Ky., two daughters, Mrs. Stella Auxier, East Point, and Mrs. Dorothy Hall, Pon Du Lac, Wis.

Other survivors of Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Hall are two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Akers, of West Van Lear and Mrs. Lon Goble, of Lancer, Ky., and one brother, Wm. Music, of Auxier, Ky., also a number of grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held last Thursday at the East Point Church of Christ by the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt. Burial was made in the family cemetery at East Point.

Her sister, Mrs. Hall, died November 22, after suffering a stroke two weeks earlier. She was a member of the Church of Christ and had been a resident of Meally for the past 48 years.

She was born at East Point, and was preceded in death by her husband, Martin M. Hall, who passed away on November 14, 1945.

Four sons and three daughters survive. They are Jim Hall, Hatcher Hall, and Paul Hall, all of Meally; Virgil Hall, Logan, W. Va.; Mrs. Verna Music, East Point, Ky.; Mrs. Virgie Walters and Mrs. Lucille Short, both of Meally.

Services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ at Meally, with the Rev. J. H. Short officiating. Burial was made in the Hall cemetery at Meally.

Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Hall were the daughters of Abraham and Nan Jones Music.

Dunlap-Chandler Wedding Planned

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Dunlap, of Pisgah, Woodford county, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucie Cross, to Mr. Albert Benjamin Chandler, Jr., Versailles, elder son of Governor and Mrs. A. B. Chandler. The wedding is planned for February.

Miss Dunlap attended Margaret Hall School, Versailles, was graduated from University High School, Lexington and attended the University of Kentucky, where she was a member of Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Chandler was graduated from Darlington School, Rome, Ga., and the University of Kentucky, where he was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He was a first lieutenant in the United States Air Force, and served in Japan, the Philippines and Korea.

Mr. Chandler served as administrative assistant to U. S. Senator Robert Humphreys and is an official of the Coastal States Life Insurance Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Dad Fined for Hoarding Leaf from Birth Book

Kingston-on-Thames, England — Harry Tallentire was fined three pounds (\$8.40) for tearing a page out of the Government birth registry.

He said he was angry because his baby's name had been entered as Stephen Tallentire instead of John Stephen Tallentire.

Kentucky State Tree Is Little Known

Kentucky's official tree, the state tulip poplar, is perhaps one of the most little known and unrecognized of the many varieties abounding within the Commonwealth.

Next to the sycamore, the tulip poplar with its large beautiful flowers and unique, almost square leaves, is the tallest tree in the eastern United States, often reaching a height of 150 feet. Boards up to 5 feet in width have been sawed from the massive trunk.

Although its most widely used name is tulip poplar, in some areas it is called tuliptree because of its tulip-like flowers; canotree, as the Indians and early settlers used the wood for canoes; yellow poplar, because the heart-wood is pale yellow, whitewood, because the sapwood is white; and saddletree, because the leaves have saddle-shaped terminal ends.

The tulip poplar is a member of the magnolia family and not related to the poplar species as might be expected. In use it is one of the most valuable lumber trees. In 1899 approximately 900 million board feet were cut and in 1907 Kentucky was the leading producing state. The yearly production is now estimated at less than half of what it was in 1899.

In May, the large, waxen flowers two to three inches across, greenish white with orange band at the base,

appear. During the summer they develop into a conelike seed cluster containing many winged seed. The tree is usually chosen for its excellent shade and its ornamental value for large properties. It is generally considered too massive for small properties or street trees.

The tree is of only moderate significance to wildlife. The winged seed which ripen in the Fall, are eaten by several species of birds and by squirrels.

Rubber-Firm Chairman Dies

Canton, Ohio, Nov. 24 — Robert J. Himmelright, 58, president and chairman of the board of Monarch Rubber Company, of nearby Hartsville, died last night at his home in suburban Congress Lake following a short illness.

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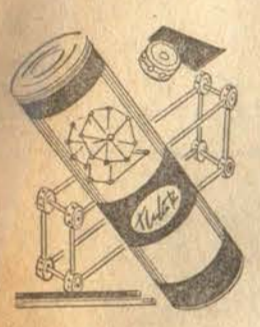
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Enlistees To Receive Leave of Fifteen Days

Personnel of the Floyd county area who enlist in the army during the period from December 15 to January 1 may be granted 15 days leave prior to reporting for basic training. Master Sergeant G. R. Walke, local Army recruiter, announced this week.

Sergeant Walke explained that this information was revealed recently in a message from Department of the Army. However, individuals enlisting during this period must specifically request the leave at the time of enlistment, Sgt. Walke said.

It was also stated that enlistees will be scheduled so that no enlistees will be en route to or scheduled for arrival at reception stations on Christmas or New Year's Day.

Kinzer Completes Air Force 'Basic'

Airman Bayliss Jerome Kinzer, 20, son of Mrs. Rose Kinzer, of Allen, has completed the first phase of basic military training at the "Gateway to the Air Force", Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tex.

He is now taking part in the advanced basic training course, following which he will qualify for assignment in one of the Air Force's 43 major career fields.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and upon the death of our beloved brother and father, Lester Judd. We also thank the ministers for their consoling words, and thanks to all who sent floral offerings. We especially thank the Turner Funeral Home for its many acts of kindness and service.
The Family.

ALLEN

Mrs. Galloway Lafferty and Mrs. Willard Kinzer were business visitors in Huntington, Monday.

Mrs. Mollie Ison and children, Stevie and Denise Lohr, of Mansfield, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen.

Wyatt Martin has returned from a two-week visit with his sisters, Mrs. Bertha Harry and Mrs. Jack Malone, and families in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane are vacationing at their home in Florida. They were accompanied by Mrs. Mae Schroder, of Ashland.

Mrs. Felix Crisp has been ill at her home the past week. She is reported improved.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rice and son, of Ohio, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fields over the week-end.

James Willard Sellards underwent an appendicitis operation at Our Lady of the Way hospital last week. He is now at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kinzer and baby, of Ohio, were visiting relatives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Lizzie Hall suffered a heart attack at her home Friday night. She is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital and is considered in serious condition.

W. H. Potter, of Paintsville, was a business visitor here, Wednesday.

Revival services are being held here in the First Baptist church each night at 7:30. The Rev. W. K. Wood is the evangelist. The pastor is the Rev. Irving Childers. Bob Martin is song leader.

Mrs. Jay Sublett, of Paintsville, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen, Monday.

Value of U. S. farm real estate continues to climb despite lowered farm income. Only six of the 48 states showed a decline to July 1, 1956, Kentucky and Florida being two of them.

CONTEST END SET SATURDAY

Soil Conservation Essay Deadline Nears; Subject Is On Conservation Work

Saturday is the deadline for students to turn in their entries in the 1956 Soil Conservation Essay contest to their school principals. The contest is being sponsored locally by the Floyd County Soil District, according to L. R. Johnson, soil conservationist.

Kentucky grade and high school pupils who submit the best essays on "How Fish and Wildlife Conservation Can Benefit My Community" are eligible for \$3,250 in U. S. Savings bond prizes in the thirteenth annual contest. District and county prizes will be given again, Johnson said.

Awards include a \$100 bond for the first-place essay; a \$75 bond, second-place, and a \$50 bond, third-place. These winners and their parents and teachers will be guests of honor, with all expenses paid, at the annual Farm Award luncheon in Louisville next February.

A district prize of a \$25 bond will go to the writer of the winning essay in each of the 121 soil conservation districts where at least five essays are submitted. District winners will be judged for the state awards.

Contest sponsors are The Courier-Journal, The Louisville Times, WHAS and WHAS-TV in cooperation with the Kentucky Association of Soil Conservation Districts and the State Department of Education. The newspapers and radio-television station conduct the competition in their farm incentive program.

Further information may be obtained from school principals, superintendents or from L. R. Johnson of the Floyd County Soil District.

Civil Service Sets Student Trainee Test

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the position of student trainee (engineering) with salaries ranging from \$2,990 a year to \$3,415 a year.

These positions offer opportunities to students enrolled in or about to be enrolled in engineering colleges, for employment during summer vacations, and also to students enrolled in engineering colleges on a cooperative basis. These positions are with the Corps of Engineers in Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati, Ohio, Huntington, West Va., and the U. S. Naval Ordnance Plant, Louisville, Ky.

Full particulars regarding the examination, or where such information may be obtained, can be secured at any post office; from the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Depts. of the Army and Navy, 445 Federal Building, Louisville, Ky.; or the sixth U. S. Civil Service Region, Post Office and Courthouse Building, Cincinnati 2, Ohio.

Applications will be accepted until further notice.

Conference Is Set On Rural Health

Frankfort, Dec. 3 (Spl.) — The American Medical Association has chosen Kentucky for its 12th National Conference on Rural Health.

The conference, sponsored by the Association's Council on Rural Health, will be at Louisville March 7-9.

Subjects of the meeting will include the need for frequent and thorough physical examination, the impact of modern living, rural economics in relation to health and the migrant labor problem.

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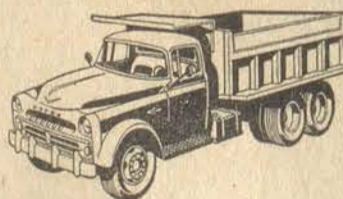
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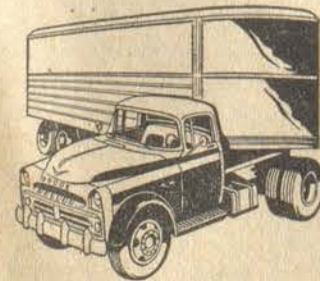
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