



# Combs-Wyatt Day in Prestonsburg

Not less than 7,000 Eastern Kentuckians heard Bert Combs and Wilson Wyatt speak at Prestonsburg, Saturday. The thousands came at their own free will, undriven by any state machine, in the greatest token of support ever accorded any candidate in the mountains.

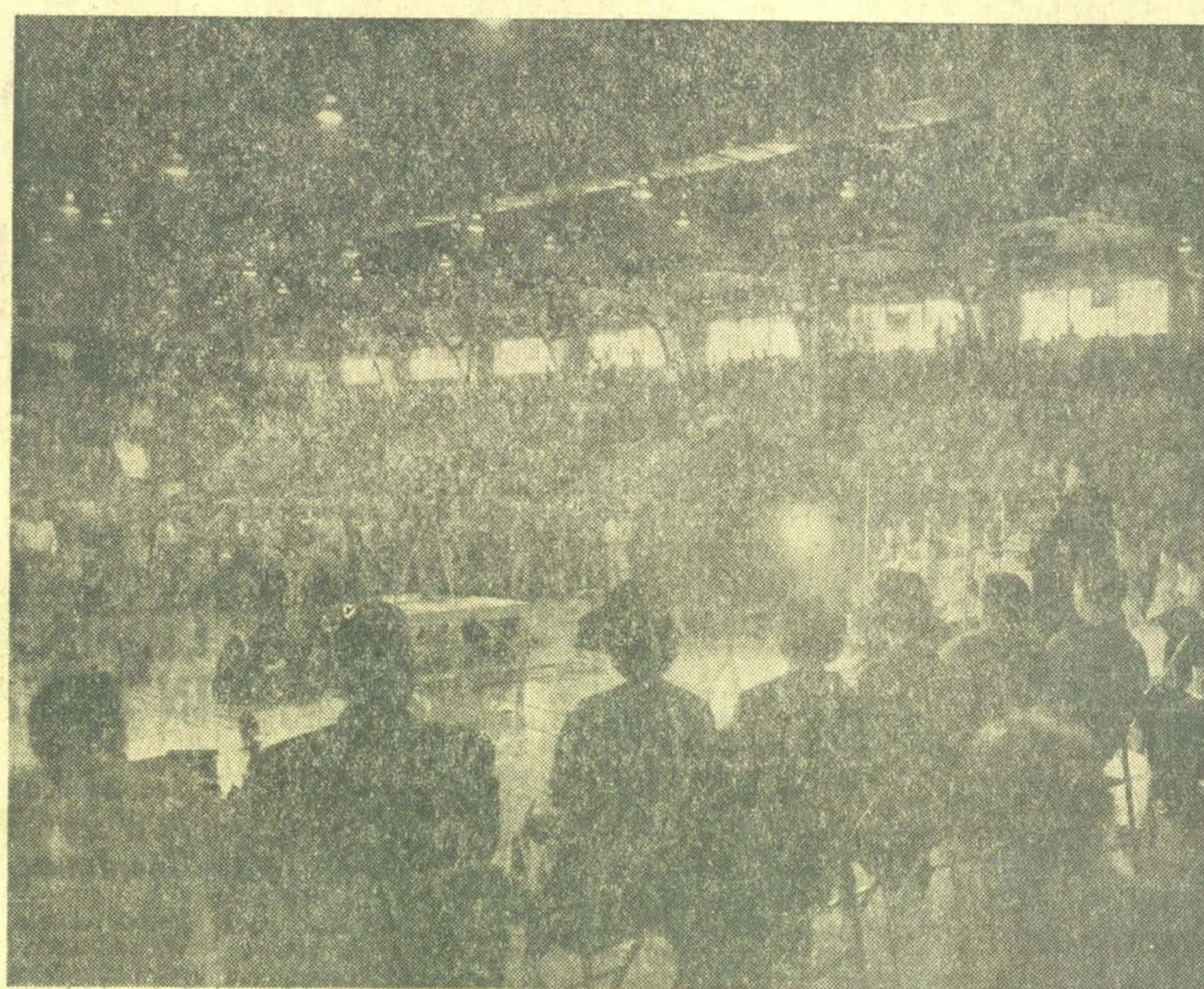


Eastern Kentucky's answer to Waterfield. Over 7,000 persons, neighbors, relative and friends of Bert Combs came to Prestonsburg, Saturday, in a massive demonstration of the answer to Chandler's puppet candidate: "We, who know him best, like him best."

Bert Combs speaks to a crowd of over 7,000 persons from the Seventh Congressional District at Prestonsburg, Saturday. The day was officially designated Combs-Wyatt Day by a proclamation by Mayor Bill Napier. A crowd jam-packed the Prestonsburg high school gymnasium with all seats full and an estimated 1,000 standing. Approximately 2,000 were in the halls, outside or listening to the radios as parking was well-nigh impossible in the area.



A view of the crowd in the right side of the gymnasium. Standing room at a premium.



Center view of the gymnasium crowd listening to Bert Combs bring a message to his people.



Wilson Wyatt, candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, shakes hands with Dr. M. J. Lecte who impersonated Prince Albert (Happy Chandler). Bert Combs smiles with the crowd. Shown in the picture are J. K. Wells and G. Mack Ward, of Paintsville, Ora Curnutte, union leader, Bill Hale and others.



Mayor Bill Napier, center, introduces Bert Combs and Velmar Hall as Floyd County Judge Henry Stumbo, left, and Wilson Wyatt, right, look on. (Pol. Adv.)



The crowd gave an ovation to Mrs. Combs and Mrs. Wyatt when they appeared on the platform. Left to right, are Mrs. Wyatt, Bert Combs, Mrs. Combs, Wilson Wyatt, unidentified, Mayor Napier, Charles Clark, principal of Garrett high school, Rev. Paul Bingham, pastor of the Prestonsburg Presbyterian Church, and Velmar Hall.



Hollie Conley, Floyd County, Commonwealth's Attorney and Combs-Wyatt campaign manager, speaking. Shown is Mrs. Combs, Mayor Napier and Charles Clark applaud.

# An Area's Greatest Political Meet



Bert Combs, in a characteristic gesture of deep sincerity, speaks to thousands in the Prestonsburg high school gym.



Wilson Wyatt, candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, enjoying what he termed "real mountain hospitality," speaks to the overflow crowd.



Ladies for Combs-Wyatt did their own spade work for the huge rally at Prestonsburg, Monday, preceding the meet, chairwomen from the various counties of the Seventh Congressional district met to hear Mrs. Geneva Blue, of Louisville. In the front row are Mrs. Peggy Spurlock, Mrs. Bert Combs, unidentified woman, Mrs. Olney Hamilton, Mrs. Bradis Goble, Mrs. Sarah Hall and Mrs. Opal Davis. State Representative Ann B. Hall has back to camera.



Dr. Joe Taylor Hyden, Floyd county co-chairman for Combs-Wyatt, waves at the enthusiastic crowd. In the picture are Knott county Sheriff Carlos Huff, Knott County Court Clerk Roy Mullins and Knott County Tax Commissioner Delmar Draughn.



Bert Combs speaks as Velmar Hall, Wilson Wyatt and Ora Curnutte listen.



Prince Albert (Happy Chandler), who was impersonated by Dr. M. J. Leete, Prestonsburg, poses with a Magoffin county supporter of the Combs-Wyatt team who brought along a goose to commemorate the now famous Crippled Goose hunt by Happy Chandler.

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BERT COMBS -- WILSON WYATT  
IS A TEAM  
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Acres of cars near the Prestonsburg high school gym and in many other parking areas symbolized the support accorded the team of Combs and Wyatt at the rally.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to our many friends who were so helpful and kind in our time of sorrow upon the death of our husband and father, Thomas A. Roache.

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The one-year terms given Ted Prater and Loren Allen after they had pleaded guilty to breaking and entering charges, were probated. The two were arrested shortly after they had taken alcoholic beverages which had been confiscated and stored in the office of County Judge Henry Stumbo.

Others who pleaded guilty, the charges against them and terms given follow:

Lacy Miller, robbery, theft of a purse containing more than \$400 here recently, one year; Shell Spencer, arson, accused of setting woods afire, 10 days in jail.

Those whose cases went to trial and the results: Tommy Brown, Jr., selling alcoholic beverages, hung jury; Juanita Meadows, assault and battery, \$100 fine; Nelson Prater, reckless driving, \$10 fine.

A change of venue has been asked by the Commonwealth for the April 29 trial of Bill Allen, who was named in an involuntary manslaughter indictment in the auto death of a boy.

Joe Allen, who was granted a retrial of the murder charge against him, will be given trial next Monday after a continuance.

The grand jury will re-convene next Wednesday for the last three days of its work.

Cases dismissed within the week: Johnny S. Ward, falsifying, case to be resubmitted to the grand jury; Warner Willis and Arvin Meade, assault and battery; and these cases for lack of evidence: Clarence Hayes, breaking and entering; Freddie Castle and Harlis (Peanut) Stone, shooting into a dwelling house; Heston Scarbury, failure to stop and render aid.

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**VISIT IN LEXINGTON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer spent several days in Lexington last week visiting their niece, Mrs. Don Harris, and family. They returned home Saturday.

**CAMP AT LAKE**  
Miss Judy Leete had as her guests last week during spring vacation her college mates, Miss Peggy Oswald, Dayton, Ky., Miss Sheila Gilrath, McKee, Ky., and Miss Norma Vinson, Wayne, Michigan. The girls spent half the week camping at Dewey Lake, Friday evening they entertained to supper, camp style, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete. They returned Sunday to Eastern State College, Richmond, where they are students.

**OPERATING MOTEL**  
During the two weeks absence of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Carter who operate the Kentucky Motel here, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Garratt, of Flemingsburg, are taking charge of the motel. The Garratts formerly resided here. Mr. and Mrs. Carter are spending their vacation in Florida.

**SECOND SON BORN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Torrech, Norfolk, Va., are announcing the birth of their second child, second son, on April 14 at a hospital in Norfolk, Va. He has been named Larry Edwards. Mrs. Torrech is the former Patsy Marcum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robie Marcum, of Prestonsburg.

**CONFERENCE REPORT GIVEN**  
The April meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the America Revolution, was entertained by Mrs. Mary Auxier Ford at her home on Maple ave., April 14. The regent, Miss Alice Harris, presided. Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, the Chaplain-pro-tem, conducted the ritualistic service. Plans were made for the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage to Frankfort, May 9, when the chapter Good Citizenship girl, Miss Barbara Baldrige will join the Citizenship Pilgrims from over the state to tour scenic places in Kentucky's capital, with a tea at the Governor's mansion climaxing the tour. The pin which will be given to Miss Baldrige for her honor will be a gift from Mrs. Everett H. Sowards.

Following the business session, Mrs. Sowards gave a detailed report of the 63rd annual state DAR convention which convened in Louisville at the Brown hotel, March 24, 26, 27. The report was filed in the chapter archives.

The program, presented by the chairman, Mrs. David Herndon, was given by Wayne Ratliff on "Does Patriotism Ever Die, Or Does It Just Fade Away?" The chapter gave Mrs. Ratliff a vote of thanks for his appearance on the program.

A dessert course was served by Mrs. Ford assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Mary Ford Hale, to Wayne Ratliff, a guest and the following members: Mesdames A. C. Harlowe, Grace D. Ford, Everett H. Sowards, Lida D. Spradlin, Ed May, John R. Clark, Winnie F. Johns, Greenville Spradlin, David Herndon, J. G. Stepp, Ben Ferguson, Jr., Mae Kendrick, Tom James, Miss Alice Harris, Mary F. Hale, Mary A. Ford, and S. R. Auxier, a guest.

**SHOWER FOR MRS. MINNIX**  
Members of the Presbyterian Church gave a miscellaneous shower at the church last Friday evening for Mrs. Minnie Minnix who lost all of her household goods in a recent fire. Many friends sent gifts for her household needs which she greatly appreciated. Refreshments were served to those present.

**ATTEND EBENEZER PRESBYTERY**  
Attending the Ebenezer Presbytery and Presbyterial of the Presbyterian Church in Ashland this week were: Rev. Paul Bingham, Ed McMillen, pastor at Cana, Mrs. Paul Bingham, Mrs. Marvin Music, Mrs. F. L. Heinze, Mrs. Frank H. Layne, Mrs. W. V. Bunting, Mrs. Ernest Osborne.

**UNDERGOES SURGERY**  
Perry Greene underwent major surgery recently at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. He is recuperating nicely and will probably return to his home here this week.

**VISIT IN OWENSBORO**  
Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Allen, of Pikeville, were here Sunday, enroute home from Owensboro where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gibson. They were accompanied as far as Louisville by Mrs. Garland Godsey, who visited her husband there where he is a dental student.



Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville called on Mrs. Jo M. Davidson Saturday evening, returning home after an informal supper.

Mrs. John R. Clark returned to her home in St. Albans, W. Va., Monday after a two-week visit here with her mother, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bocook, in Ashland, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. W. A. Dings and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards were in Huntington, Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davidson were in Huntington last week on business. Mrs. W. V. Bunting visited Mrs. Marion Wilson in Louisville several days last week, and her son and daughter, Robert Bunting and Mrs. Al Gross, and their families in Lexington.

Mrs. John R. Clark, and Mrs. Osa F. Ligon were informal luncheon guests of Mrs. Joe M. Davidson last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, visited their daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, student at Union College, Barbourville, last week-end.

Mrs. Richard Webb and children, Lillian Pittman and Dickie, returned to their home in Lexington, Sunday, after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Lillian Rimmer.

Bill Pettrey attended the Baptist Brotherhood meeting at the Baptist Church at Garrett last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis P. Hudson, of Pikeville, called on friends here last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ella Mellon has returned to her home in Ashland after a visit here with Mrs. Ollie Davis.

Rev. Paul Bingham, Earle Flower and Glen Anderson attended the Upper Big Sandy Presbyterian Larger Parish meeting in Pikeville, April 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Huber, Cincinnati, O., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen, here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt, of Middlesboro, were houseguests of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer last week-end.

Mrs. Ella Noel White was luncheon guest of Mrs. James Camicia, Tuesday.

Mrs. Addie Mayo visited her son, Clarence Crum, at Betsy Layne over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day, of Dayton, Ohio, have been here visiting their parents, Mrs. Amy Day and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wallen, also visiting Mr. Carl Day and Mrs. Donald Ball while here.

**LUNCHEON GUESTS**  
Mrs. Virginia N. Stephens and Mrs. G. R. Allen entertained to luncheon last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Stephens, State Senator and Mrs. Charlie Davis and Mrs. Hugh Needham, of Jackson, and Mrs. Robert Hadden, Mt. Sterling, who were here attending the Combs-Wyatt rally.

**VISIT SON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins spent the week-end in Louisville, guests of their son, Pete Collins and family.

**HERE FROM MARYLAND**  
Mr. and Mrs. Phil Schroder, of Bethesda, Md., were guests here of Mrs. Schroder's mother, Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Thursday of last week till Monday.

**VISIT IN LEXINGTON**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughes were recent guests in Lexington of their son, Lowell Hughes, and family.

**THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Harold W. Dorsey, Minister  
9:45 a.m., Sunday School, classes for all ages.  
10:55 a.m., Morning worship; sermon topic, "Consider the Little Things." Broadcast over WDOC. Nursery facilities provided for the small children.  
2:00 p.m., Brandy Keg Sunday School.  
5:00 p.m., M. Y. F. Senior meet for fun, fellowship, and worship.  
6:15 p.m., The Intermediates meet.  
7:30 p.m., Service dismissed for music program to be given by the Wheelwright choir at the Community Methodist Church.

**Monday—**  
7:30 p.m., The Commission on Education meets.  
**Tuesday—**  
8:15 p.m., The Young Adult Fellowship dinner. The program will be on the organizations at work in the First Methodist Church.  
**Wednesday—**  
7:30 p.m., Mid-week prayer service.  
8:15 p.m., Rehearsal for the Chancel Choir.  
**Thursday—**  
3:45 p.m., Cherub and Wesley Choirs meet.  
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**WATSON-SIZEMORE VOWS SOLEMNIZED IN MICHIGAN**

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Watkins, of Olivet, Michigan, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Shirley Watson, to Mr. Don Sizemore, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sizemore, of Prestonsburg, on April 4, at Marshall, Michigan. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Ernest Wallen. The couple will live in Marshall, Michigan, where they are employed.

**REV. McMILLEN RETURNS**  
Rev. Ira McMillen, pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, returned home last week from a two-week revival campaign at the Baptist Temple in Clarksburg, W. Va. He is making preparations for a revival starting next Monday when the Rev. Mel Dibble will conduct a revival here.

**KEA VISITORS**  
Mrs. George Stephens and Mrs. Robert Hughes were among the teachers attending K.E.A. in Louisville, last week.

**U. D. C. CHAPTER MEETS**

The April meeting of Greenville Davidson Chapter, U. D. C., met April 20 at the home of Mrs. Osa F. Ligon on Arnold avenue. Miss Ligon presided at the business session. A report of the national board meeting held at Richmond was read from Mrs. Walter C. Ellis, Kentucky division president. The chapter delegated Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and Mrs. Everett H. Sowards to represent it, April 25, at the Perryville district meeting at Frankfort. The chapter will present at the meeting four minute books of the Kentucky division and one national minute book to be bound as one volume with the name of the Chapter on the book exterior. Mrs. Ligon, the chapter president, and Mrs. Sowards, recorder of crosses and organizing secretary of the Kentucky division, will give their reports. Members present were Mesdames Bess S. May, Lida D. Spradlin, A. J. Davidson, Tom Fields, Osa F. Ligon, Everett H. Sowards, Joe Hobson, Mary A. Ford.

**VISIT SON**

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke and Miss Judy Baldrige returned Sunday from Ft. Knox where they visited Pvt. Bill Baker Burke.

**VISITORS FROM LOUISVILLE**

Mrs. Robert Steinau and children and Miss Sandra Steinau, of Louisville, were here last week visiting Mrs. Steinau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson, on Riverside Drive.

**RETURN FROM FLORIDA**

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weddington, who have spent several weeks in Florida, returned to their home here last week, much benefitted by their stay there.

**HOME FROM TEXAS**

Mr. and Mrs. Harvy Howard returned home last week from El Paso and Fabens, Texas, where they visited relatives. They made the trip by plane.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!

**VOTE FOR**  
**Clarence "Ollie" Robinson, Jr.**  
OF WPRT FOR  
**REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 96th DISTRICT**

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Greaser) Robinson, of Maytown. His father and brothers are members of the United Mine Workers at Maytown. His wife is the daughter of Elzie and Susie Baldrige Neeley, of Prestonsburg.

Ollie is a life-long Democrat. An employee of radio station WPRT since 1952, he is a graduate of Maytown High School and attended Lee's College.

He is a member of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club and Chairman of the Public Relations Committee. He is active in church, civic and school activities; is a friend to labor, school teachers and veterans.

We urge all voters to give this young Democrat a chance to serve. He is sincere, honest and aggressive, not riding on any coat tail.

**Vote for Progress—Vote for Clarence "Ollie" Robinson, Jr., for Representative.**

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**FLOYD COUNTY VOTERS, PLEASE NOTICE —**

# What Bert Combs "Traded" Away!

The details of the big Combs-Wyatt Merger Deal dictated by "Boss Clementine" now begin to unfold.

Following the all-night confab of Earle Clements and Wilson Wyatt in a Louisville motel room, most people knew that someone had lost either his ambition, his independence, or his integrity. The first question was, who and to what extent? The next question was "What price did Bert Combs pay for the opportunity to run as top man?" Then "what made Wyatt accept the second spot?"

The big half page editorial in the Sunday, April 19, 1959, Louisville Courier-Journal—explaining "Why Voters Should Back Combs, Wyatt"—tells us what Bert Combs "traded" away for the Louisville newspaper's support

Here it is—the three cornerstones of the Combs-Wyatt platform:

- (1) **HOME RULE FOR LOUISVILLE.** To free the big city from the authority of the State Legislature.
- (2) **MERIT SYSTEM.** To perpetuate their own cronies and the courthouse crowd in office, after first firing all present state employees.
- (3) **ELECTION LAW REFORM.** Nobody knows what this means. Does it mean doing away with the primary and going back to the selection of party candidates by convention?

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(Pol. Adv.)

Democratic candidate for

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Paintsville, assistant director; Jesse Elliott, Betsy Layne, participation chairman; Frank Harmon, Prestonsburg, finance and budget chairman; Bill Lookin, Wheelwright, and Mrs. John R. Bevins, Paintsville, publicity co-chairman; Donald G. Martin, Allen, staging and program chairman; Byron F. Pennebaker, Pikeville, judging committee chairman; Ezra Robinson, West Van Lear, special events chairman.

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Turning to jibe at the two per cent assessments of state employees, he charged that the Chandler crowd trusts nobody, and that, as a result, the money finally wound up in Cubs where it was impounded by Fidel Castro.

**THE TROUBLE**

The man appeared deep in melancholy, but he vowed he wasn't. His brow was furrowed, his eyes heavy-lidded; his head hung low.

No, he wasn't worried about the election—like everybody else, he was certain he knew its outcome; the family was all well, thank you; bank note renewal time was at least two months distant, and he had scraped up enough to pay his taxes. He declared he was at peace with the world.

But there was an air about him that hinted of desperation, his friend was convinced. Or could it be sadness, or anger? Perhaps it was fear that enveloped the poor man.

But patiently, time and again, he assured his solicitous friends. There was nothing, basically wrong.

Then he finally confessed: "I took this way because I'm trying to figure out what is a 'thinking man's filter!'"

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Waterfield is "tarred with the brush of Chandler," Combs said. Waterfield has been Governor over 200 days in the last three and one-half years and he could have called the Legislature and made it possible for the unemployed to draw an additional 13 weeks of unemployment benefits.

Wyatt, in his speech introducing Combs, also attacked Waterfield's record in the Legislature and jibed at Chandler's race for President. He showed a picture of Chandler in Europe wearing a derby and posing as a statesman and dubbed him "Prince Albert."

Wyatt charged that Chandler supported the Republicans in the last Senatorial races, refused to meet Adlai Stevenson when he came to the state but did meet President Eisenhower.

"We are going to bring you roads, factories, tourists and an opportunity for a first-rate education at home," the candidate for Lieutenant-Governor said. He pledged the next administration to set up an effective merit system for state employees and industrial development.

"You have the people and the resources here to make this section the industrial garden spot of Kentucky," Wyatt observed. "We will pioneer a new day for Kentucky."

The meet was presided over by Commonwealth's Attorney Hollie Conley and Garrett high school principal, Charles Clark. Delegations from 19 Eastern Kentucky counties were recognized.

A 30-minute program of the Combs-Wyatt Day activities were televised by WSAZ-TV, Huntington, Tuesday evening.

**UNDERGOES OPERATION**

Mrs. D. C. Mosley underwent surgery at the Methodist hospital last Thursday. She is doing nicely.

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SUN.-MON., April 26-27—

Double Feature—  
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Brian Donlevy, George Jessel  
"Hey, Boy! Hey, Girl!"  
Louis Prima, Keeley Smith

TUESDAY, April 28—

"The Fuzzy Pink Nightgown"  
Jane Russell, Keenan Wynn, Ralph Meeker  
Plus Cartoon

WED.-THURS., April 29-30—

Double Feature—  
"Damn Yankees"  
(Technicolor)

Tab Hunter, Gwen Verdon  
"Street of Sinners"  
Geraldine Brooks, Nehemiah Persoff

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

FRIDAY—  
"Desert Fury"  
Burt Lancaster, Tony Curtis

"The Delinquents"  
Tommy Laughlin, Peter Miller

SATURDAY—  
"Criss Cross"  
Burt Lancaster, Joan Weldon

"Four Boys and a Gun"  
Frank Sutton, Tarry Green

"Gunfire at Indian Gap"  
Dale Robertson, Vera Ralston

SUN.-MON.—  
"Separate Tables"  
Rita Hayworth, David Niven  
Burt Lancaster, Wendy Hiller

TUESDAY—  
"Curse of the Faceless Man"  
Richard Anderson, Elaine Edwards

"It-Terror from Space"  
Marshall Thompson, Shawn Smith

WED.-THURS.—  
"Up Periscope"  
(Technicolor)

James Garner, Edmond O'Brian

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ter the shooting, by Chief of Police Herschell Hitchcock, of Wheelwright, and Deputy Sheriff Harold Johnson.

Surviving the victim, besides his widow and son, are his father, Luther Johnson, of Halo, and three brothers, Estill R. and Gary Norman Johnson, both of Halo, and Johnny Wesley Johnson, Willard, O. three sisters, Mrs. Bernice Bates, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Georgene Johnson, of Melvin, and Mrs. Virginia Lee Hall, of Dry Creek; and by the following half-brothers and half-sisters: Catherine and Homer Johnson, both of Halo, Russell, Fayette and Luther Johnson, Jr., all of Melvin.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday at 10 a.m., from the home of the victim's father at Halo, the Revs. Johnny Jones, George Cook and others officiating. Burial was made in the Tom Johnson cemetery at Halo under direction of the Call Funeral Home.

**IN HOSPITAL**

T. J. Allen, of Martin, is a patient at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

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

FRIDAY—  
"Space Children,"  
Adam Williams, Peggy Webber

"Battle Shock"  
John Hodiak, Rod Cameron

SATURDAY—  
"Hell's Outpost"  
Rod Cameron, Joan Leslie

"Hit and Run"  
Cleo Moore, Vince Edwards

"Ride Back"  
Anthony Quinn, Lita Milan

SUN.-MON.—  
"The Perfect Furlough"  
(Technicolor)

Tony Curtis, Janet Leigh

TUESDAY—  
"Kill Her Gently"  
Marc Lawrence, George Mikel

"The Snorkel"  
Peter Van Eyck, Betta St. John

WED.-THURS.—  
"Stranger in My Arms"  
June Allyson, Jeff Chandler

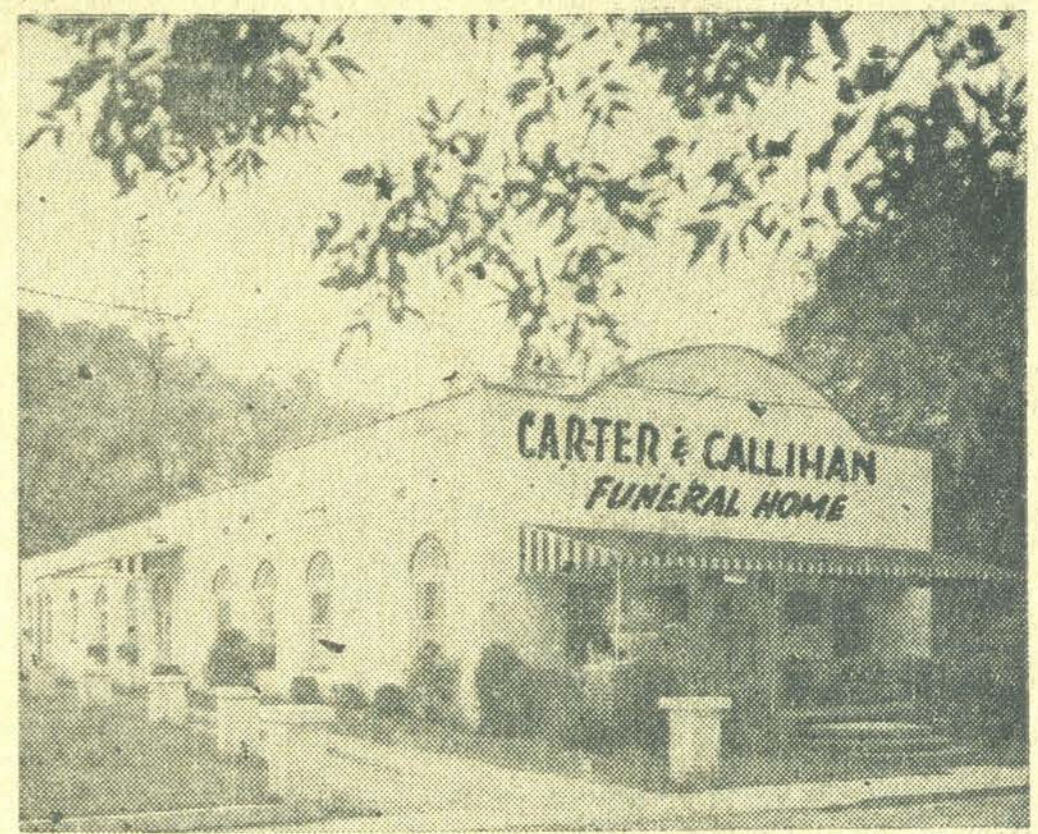
Corn should be planted in Eastern Kentucky areas before May 23 to get top yields, Kentucky Experiment Station researchers concluded after a two-year planting-date test at the Experiment Substation at Quicksand, Breathitt county.

There were 24,830 pedestrians injured crossing intersections with the signal in their favor during 1958 in the United States.

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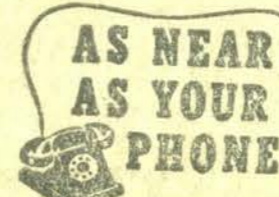
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**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation and gratitude to all persons who were so helpful and kind during the long illness and upon the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Betty Laferty. Especially, we thank those who spent so many nights with us, those who sent food and flowers; the pallbearers; the ministers, Rev. Leroy Sanders and Rev. Floyd Laferty, for their consoling words; the Allen Methodist Church choir, the organist and the soloist for their beautiful songs; and the efficient services of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.  
The James W. Laferty Family

**Notice—Public Hearing**  
Notice is hereby given that the City Planning Commission for the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky will hold a public hearing at the Municipal Building, in Floyd county, Kentucky at 7 o'clock, P. M., on April 27, 1959.  
The purposes of the meeting are to conduct public hearings on the proposed Zoning Ordinance for the City of Prestonsburg, and the proposed division of Prestonsburg into Zoning Districts, and the classification of such districts. The Zoning Map and Zoning Ordinance are to be considered by the City Planning Commission for inclusion as part of the General Plan for the development of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and this hearing is being conducted as provided in KRS 100.670.  
Copies of the proposed ordinance and map may be examined at the office of the City Clerk in the First National Bank Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky; and attendance at the hearing by all interested parties is invited.  
**CITY PLANNING COMMISSION,**  
PRESTONSBURG, KY.  
THOMAS G. DINGUS  
Commission Chairman  
JUDITH D. ARCHER  
Commission Secretary  
4-9-59.  
Speed was blamed for more than 40 per cent of the traffic deaths and injuries in the U.S. during 1958.

**Capitol Notebook**  
More authority is needed by the State to stop child-labor violations, says Industrial Relations Commissioner Oscar J. Coke.  
In a report to Governor Chandler, Coke said 791 establishments found by the Industrial Relations Department to be violating one or more child-labor provisions last fiscal year committed 1,139 infractions. Of 1,080 minors employed by these establishments, 978 were hired in violations of the law, he added.  
Coke declares: "This certainly demands the attention of the 1960 Legislature."  
**SAFE PEDALING**  
Kids, put on your pedal pushers and stand at attention while Safety Commissioner Don Sturgill outlines a few safety rules for riding bicycles.  
These might save your life some day:  
Always ride on the right side of the street. Don't stunt or weave. Ride in single file. Don't carry passengers. Stop for red lights and stop signs. Don't hitch onto autos, trucks or street cars. Avoid riding after dark, but if you must make certain lights and reflectors are in good condition. Know and obey all traffic rules; they apply to bicycles as well as autos.  
**KENTUCKIETTE**  
Out-of-State Visitors find chimneys of old log cabins in Kentucky interesting. The question most frequently asked about the log chimney is, "Why didn't it burn?" The answer: Pioneers lined their chimneys with stones and clay and the fire baked the mixture into a lining similar to brick. As an added precaution against losing the cabin to fire, the pioneer built his chimney so that if it did catch fire he could pull out a key log and collapse the burning chimney away from the cabin.

**ALLEN**  
Rev. Leroy Sanders was a business visitor in Campbellsville, Ky., last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Effort Reynolds and son, Richard, were business visitors in Flemingsburg, Saturday.  
Mrs. G. L. Gray and son, Jimmy Delano, were business visitors in Huntington, Saturday.  
Miss Josie Laferty is visiting Mrs. Belle Ellis in Prestonsburg.  
Out-of-town persons who attended the funeral services of Mrs. Betty Laferty last Tuesday were, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Laferty and Jesse, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hardee, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard and Barbara Lynn, Mrs. Lewis Patton, Mr. and Mrs. John Branham, Mrs. Denzil Whitton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Stella Copley, Miss Annette Akers, Dr. M. J. Leete, John Garrett, Mrs. Jerry Laferty, Sr., Rev. Harold Dorsey, Mrs. Belle Ellis, Mrs. Rebecca Messer, Mrs. June Gearheart, A. C. Carter, Leo Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hatfield, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garrett, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Joe Wheeler Jarrell, Mabel Jean LeMaster, Patsy Evans, Frank Derossett, Robert Derossett, Rev. Fred McGinnis, Mrs. Gracie Robinson, Mrs. Mary Laferty, of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spradlin, of Bonanza; Mrs. R. E. Butler, Hager Hill; Charles Potter, Shelbyville; Vernon Kruse, Huntington, W. Va.; J. P. Brodt and C. G. Hayes, Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Jones, Drift; George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh, Paintsville; Mrs. Ralph Chaffin, P. D. Laferty, Jeffersonville; Nelson Baldrige, East Point; Mrs. Susie Tackett, Alphoretta; Mrs. Leonard Layne, Mrs. Everett Adkins, Evel; James E. Carey, Mrs. Shirley Garrett, Vernon Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Belvard Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leslie, Miss Bertha Weddington, Mrs. Ruth Weddington, Harry Weddington, Bonnie Walters, Gayle Walters, Mrs. Shelly Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods, Jr., Mrs. Don Woods, Mrs. Beecher Woods, Mrs. Ira Leslie, Mrs. Ruca Hamilton, of Emma; Lena Jean Sword, Mrs. Homer Derossett, Mrs. Rebecca Laferty, Mrs. Paul Salyers, Mrs. James Steffey, Mrs. Amy Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thomas, Mrs. Nelle Carey, Mrs. Green Calhoun.  
Mrs. Sabra Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elkins, Medley Garrett, Raymond Cooley, Mrs. Everett LeMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Branham, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Branham, Betty Lou Branham, Sharon Gay Branham, Mrs. Clifford Branham, Elder and Mrs. Wayne Blanton, Mary Webb, Lily Banks, of Dwale; Mrs. Estill Wyatt, Point Pleasant, Ohio; Mrs. Marie Pitts, of Ohio; Rev. James Kirk, Wheelwright; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wallen, Hi Hat; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lushbaugh and Susan, Volga, Ky.; Charles Laferty, J. D. Payne, Mrs. Everett Tackett, Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Sanders, Joan Sanders, Libby Sanders.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Comstock, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Branham, Mrs. J. W. Peters, of Martin; Mrs. Iva Burcham, Plymouth, Mich; Mr. and Mrs. Urban Peters, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Rebecca Setser, Van Lear; Mrs. Maxine Caldwell, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ratliff, Jimmy Ratliff, Maytown; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Branham, Royalton; Mrs. Glenna Collins, Howard Collins, Rosella Lewis, Mrs. Gladys Conn, of Dana; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burchett, Emma; Rev. and Mrs. Clark Laferty, Arthur Laferty, Garrett; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Laferty, Mrs. Ange Laferty, Bill Laferty, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. Asland Derossett, Mrs. Belle Derossett, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Laferty, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wills, Ollie Ellis, Mrs. Lack Laferty, Roland Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Laferty, Mrs. Tina Crum, Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Wess Campbell, Marcella Laferty, Rev. Jack Derossett, Belle Jerrell, of Water Gap; Bud Shepherd, Edford Clark, Marie Spurlock, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Bill Ambury, Glenda Ambury, of Emma; Mrs. Kelsa Elliott, Virgil Hamilton, Betsy Layne; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Owens, of Banner; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Branham, Martin; Leroy Baldson, Dwale.  
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Willis has been returned to their home here after being a patient in the Prestonsburg General hospital last week. He is much improved.  
James W. Laferty was a patient in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, Thursday through Monday of last week. He was returned to the Prestonsburg General hospital Monday and was moved to his home Saturday. He has been ill for the past eight weeks but is improved. He was visited in Huntington by his daughters, Mrs. G. L. Gray and Mrs. Palmer Crisp, on Sunday. His son, Galloway, visited him on Saturday. He was accompanied there by another son, Bennie Laferty, and was accompanied home by J. B. Laferty.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Louder were business visitors in Huntington, Monday of last week. They also visited Melvin (Pappy) Ines who is a patient at the Cabell-Huntington hospital.

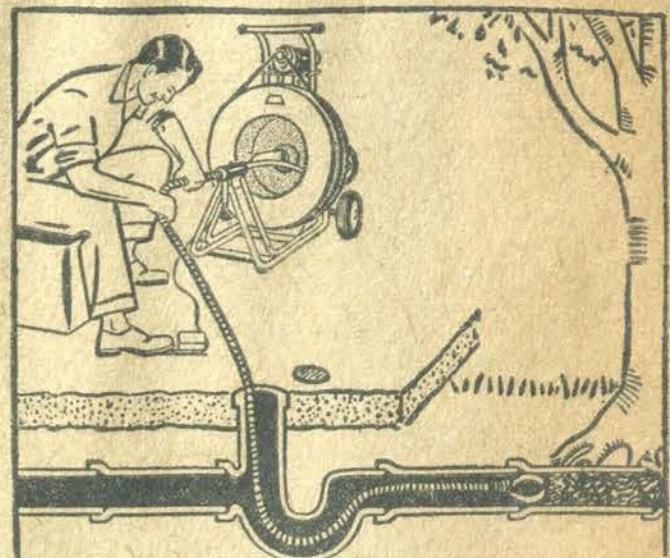
**College, Hospital Group Sign Training Agreement, Adron Doren Announces**  
Morehead, Ky., April 15 (Spl.)—Morehead State College and the Miners Memorial Hospital Association have signed an agreement establishing a program to train medical technologists at Morehead, President Adron Doren said today.  
Morehead State College will offer a three-year program in medical technology with students completing their fourth year of study in the school of Medical Technology at the Beckley Memorial hospital.  
Students completing the four years will be granted a Bachelor of Science degree with an area of concentration in Medical Technology from Morehead State College.  
The affiliation is the second in the past year between Morehead State College and the Miners hospital Association. Morehead already offers one year of academic training for students enrolled in the School of Professional Nursing of the Miners Memorial Hospital Association.  
**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**  
W. J. (Bill) REYNOLDS, JR., Of Martin, Ky., candidate for REPRESENTATIVE  
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Relatives and friends of many of the new Marines were on hand to witness the graduation ceremonies.  
The 12-week training schedule included drill, bayonet training, physical conditioning, parades and ceremonies, and other military subjects.  
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7. The State Health Department being moved from Louisville to the State Capitol at Frankfort where it belongs.  
8. State Highway machinery building county roads up the creeks.  
9. Sober State officials.  
You will recall the four years under "Clementism" when the lowly-paid school teachers were not only refused any part of the \$30 million state surplus but were scorned and insulted for even asking, and the Sgt. of Arms in the Legislature actually pulled a revolver on a member. Later in the U. S. Senate, "Clementism" meant voting to give the Tideland Oil millions to Texas, California and Louisiana instead of to Kentucky's school children.  
You will also recall the four years of "Weatherbyism" when a sourmash breath was the rule, rather than the exception, among Department Heads in Frankfort; and when the Governor announced to the press that he would "let the people know" who to elect Governor whenever he had a "picked."  
The people of Floyd County and Kentucky know the rest. Clements and Wetherby "picked" Bert Combs to run for Governor in 1955—and the voters found him wanting.  
These two former governors have again "picked" Bert Combs for Governor, but this time the people have their own candidate—Lt. Governor Harry Lee Waterfield, who has proven his ability and sincerity by a lifetime of service to his fellow Kentuckians.  
If you want a "picked" candidate and two "isms," you may vote for Bert Combs; but if you want more progress and real benefits for the people, instead of the bosses, THEN you will vote for Harry Lee Waterfield for Governor.  
(Pol. Adv.)

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**BENTLEY IN GERMANY**  
SP/4 Benny Bentley, son of Edd and Thelma Bentley of Garrett, is serving with the 29th Signal Battalion in Germany. Bentley was a student at Garrett high school before going into the army in December, 1957.

**MARTIN**

**SHOWER HONORS MRS. WALLACE**

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. John F. Wallace, nee, Pauline Workman, was given on the evening of April 7 at the Church of Christ here. Hostesses were Mesdames L. L. Lynch, Franklin Wallace, David May, Paul D. Hager, Earl Branham, Blake Radliff, Betty Preflatish, Estill Newsome, Charles May, Henry Reitz, Johnny Maddox, George Billips. Those present or sending gifts were:

Mrs. May Ellen Roberts, Mrs. Jim Green, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Maureen Martin, Mrs. M. C. Reynolds, Mrs. Pearl Hicks, Miss Betty Clark, Mrs. Wanita Newsome, Mrs. Hazel Lester, Mrs. Verlie Vanhoose, Miss Shelby Jean Hall, Mrs. Geneva Crisp, Mrs. Ruthine Howell, Mrs. Nova Moore, Miss Rose Patton, Mrs. Lizzie Terry, Mrs. Ann Robinson, Mrs. Mary June Allen, Mrs. Myrtle Dingus, Mrs. Jobie Click, Jr., Mrs. John Billter, Mrs. Demra Taylor, Mrs. Francis Phelps, Mrs. John P. Sammons.

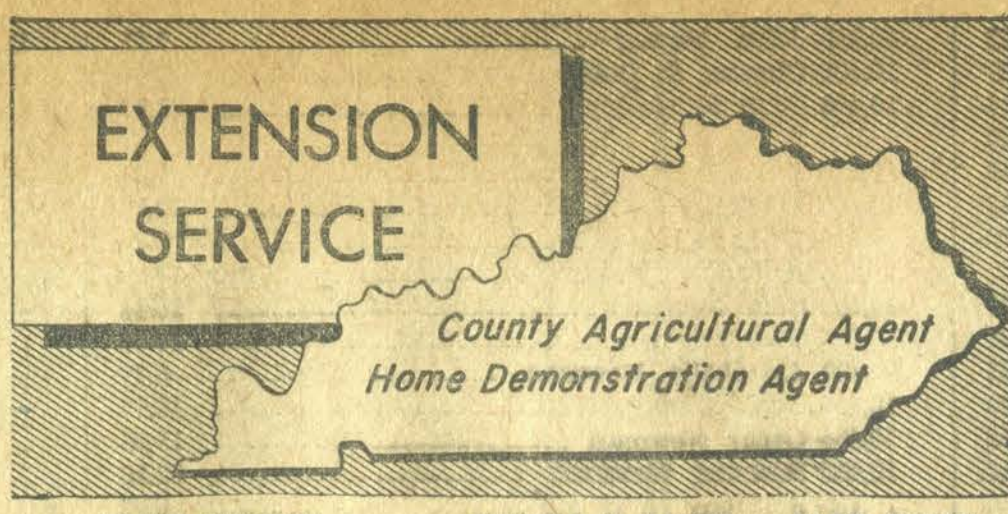
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Mrs. Russell Crum, Mrs. Beecher Woods, Mrs. L. B. Kiser, Mrs. Graham Burchett, Mrs. Margaret Mosley, Mrs. O. K. Wallace, Mrs. Lora Johnson, Miss Helen Sammon, Dr. J. J. Sherman, Dr. Frances Sherman, Mrs. Mary Dermont, Mrs. Lyda Branham, Mrs. Edna Meadows, Mrs. Audrey Salisbury, Mrs. Joan Dingus, Mrs. C. C. Hunter, Mrs. Ess Ell Reed, Mrs. James Wallace, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. Virginia Brashear, Mrs. Hazel Sammons, Mrs. Sam Sam Stamper, Mrs. J. E. Campbell, Mrs. Henry Martin, Sisters of Our Lady of the Way hospital, Mrs. J. D. Hampton.

Bessie Halbert, Mrs. Emma Caudill and nephew, Virgil Halbert, were visiting Mrs. Elsie Osborne Freeze and family in Springfield, Ohio, recently.

Mrs. Osborne is a former resident of Martin.



**EXTENSION SERVICE**  
FLOYD COUNTY  
EXTENSION STAFF  
ROBERT M. JONES JACK FRIAR  
FRANCES HOWLAND HARRY WHITE

The new heading for the Extension news column, is probably familiar to most readers. It is a copy of the sign used in front of the Post Office Building, where the extension office is located. The Extension Service is a part of the University of Kentucky. It is also a part of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. As the name implies, Extension is a service to all people in the county. The first responsibility is to farm people, but there are many phases where non-farm people can take advantage of the Extension Service.

**SPRING GARDEN**

Many more people are interested in producing a family garden, than were last year. A series of garden meetings will be held in the following communities: Brainard, Bonanza, East Point, Dwale, Tram, Big Mud, Caney Creek, Prater Creek. If other communities would be interested in having such a meeting in their community, get in contact with our office and we will be glad to set a date.

To produce top quality vegetables, be sure your soil contains enough plant food. One hundred pounds of 5-10-10 fertilizer per acre will supply sufficient plant food for the average garden. Leafy vegetables such as greens, cabbage, and onions, should be sidedressed with nitrogen, use one pound of ammonia nitrate to 100 feet of row, or one bushel of poultry manure to 300 feet of row.

A word of caution, don't spread lime on your garden, without first soil testing. Many gardens have been overlimed. Most vegetables like a slightly sour soil. Potatoes will be scabby in a sweet soil.

First planting of sweet corn and beans should be made by the middle of the month. The first planting should not be very large, unless you are planning on selling on the market. Plantings should be made in a block, rather than one long row. This will give better pollination.

**SAVE MORE PIGS**

Have you had trouble saving at least eight pigs per litter. If so, you may want to try using a farrowing crate. Johnny Lafferty, Jr., made a farrowing crate, and was able to save 45 pigs out of 48 farrowed from four sows. The crate can be made of scrap lumber, at practically no cost. Plans are available at our office for making farrowing crates.

**Strawberry Chain**

Twenty-four 4-H Club members have been selected to receive strawberry plants under the Sears, Roebuck Foundation project. These club members will receive the plants, fertilizer and chemical free of charge.

Club members receiving plants this year are: Dianna Sue Fraley, Bonanza; Curtis Slone, Johnson Club; Priscilla Haywood and Ruby Robinson, Prestonsburg Senior Club; Alan Stevens, Harold; Vance Akers, Betsy Layne; Ray Hunter, Spruce Pine; Davie Howell, Bonanza; Robert Robinson, Prestonsburg, Sr.; Ray Mullins, Drift; David Hall, Banner; Dianna Elliott, Bonanza; Don Wallen, Prater Club; Darrell Calhoun, Forks of Bull Creek; Larry Hale, Spruce Pine; Lloyd Case, Printer; Arlow Hall, Printer; Willis Newman, Wheelwright; Nadine Hammons, Prestonsburg, Sr.; Clarence Goble, Betsy Layne; Marvin Hughes, Risner; Hugh Church, Prestonsburg Club; Gary Newman, Betsy Layne.

Paul Greer, Bonanza Club, will receive raspberry plants under this same program.

**HAROLD COMMUNITY RALLY**

The Harold 4-H Club recently held their 4-H community rally with 55 club members taking part.

Many articles of clothing, food and woodwork were displayed by the members.

Members giving demonstrations were: Brenda Akers, Arnel Akers, Carolyn Jones, Barbara Hunter, Jonalyn George, and Beulah Roberts.

**WAYLAND**

**OBSERVES 76th BIRTHDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin had open house all day Sunday. The occasion was Mr. Martin's 76th birthday.

The children who spent the day with their parents were: Anna, Beatrice, Janet, Ben, George, Palmer and Shirley Roger. The others who were away and sent birthday greetings and gifts were:

Myrtle, Virginia (Tommie), Jesse Lea Blaine, Cox, Walter, Jr., James Eugene, Edward Jenkins and Phyllis. Others present were his son and daughter-in-law; Gilbert L. Williams, Archie Beverly, Della Martin, Rosezel and Margaret Martin. His grand-children were: Mrs. Mary Ellen Morris and her husband, Winford, Mrs. Martha Jo Harmon and her husband, Mancy, and Ben's children. Also Mr. and Mrs. Lee Martin and Palma Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Martin and many more relatives and friends. Mr. Martin has been very ill for the past two years due to a heart condition.

Mrs. Lewis P. Martin and son, Darwin, spent the past two weeks here visiting her brother, George Hall, and Mr. Martin's relatives. This coming week, they will spend in Prestonsburg with her sister, Mrs. Bert T. Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Morris and children, Winford Thomas and Linda Kaye, of Belleville, Ill., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation and gratitude to all persons who were so helpful and kind in our time of sorrow upon the death of my sister, Jenny Kremer. Our special thanks to the ministers, Dillard Reed, Jim Reed, Tony Hall and Jeff Derossett, for their consoling words, also to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.  
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The new Cumberland Gap National Park near Middlesboro will be dedicated this summer.

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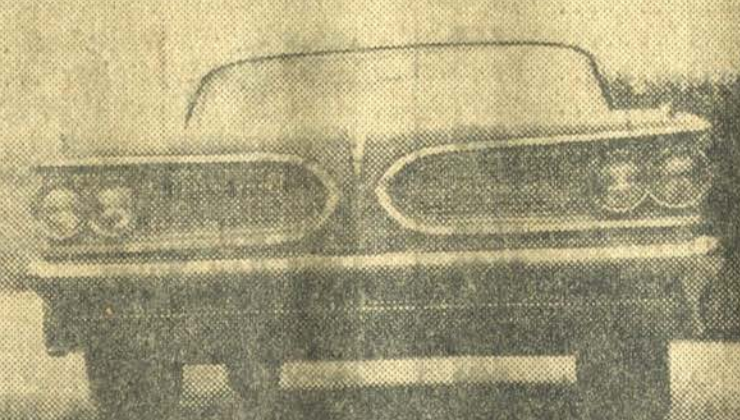
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**ORA CURNUTTE, MINE UNION PRESIDENT ENDORSES BERT COMBS FOR GOVERNOR**

**DAVID UNION LEADER REPUDIATES STATEMENT OF WATERFIELD GROUP**

Sometime ago the Floyd County Times carried an article stating that the undersigned, Ora Curnutte, had been appointed on a Labor Committee for Harry Lee Waterfield.

It was also an erroneous report that James O. Cavins was President of Local Union 7788 at David, Kentucky, and that the Local Union had endorsed Harry Lee Waterfield.

No one was given permission to use the name of Ora Curnutte in any connection with the Harry Lee Waterfield campaign. James O. Cavins is not President of Local Union 7788, and it has not endorsed Harry Lee Waterfield.

The undersigned Ora Curnutte is President of Local Union 7788 and is for BERT COMBS FOR GOVERNOR. This is written for the purpose of correcting a mistake and removing any false impression that was given.

**ORA CURNUTTE**  
President, Local No. 7788.

**FIRST WHITE SETTLEMENT WAS AT PAINTED STONE**

The first white settlement in the Shelbyville area was at Painted Stone. There, in 1779, Squire Boone, brother of Daniel, built a fort that for more than a year was the only refuge on the road between Harrodsburg and Louisville.

**Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Virnus Isaacs, of Topmost, Ky., announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Jean Dawson, of Conesville, Ohio.

Miss Isaacs, who is a teacher in the Plainfield, (O.) school, is a graduate of Knott county high school and attended Morehead State College. Mr. Dawson is a graduate of Conesville high school and attended Columbus Barber College.

No definite date has been set for the wedding.

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**Libraries Start Circulation Of Art Masterpieces**

Kentucky's six regional libraries are inaugurating a picture loan service, the State Division of Library Extension announces.

During April 12-25 the libraries are exhibiting more than 100 framed reproductions of art masterpieces. After the exhibition period, the division announces, the pictures will be distributed among four of the libraries. The division hopes eventually to supply enough pictures for circulation in all regional participating libraries.

The agency said the pictures will circulate on borrowers' cards, just as books do.

The regional libraries are at Prestonsburg, Columbia, Eminence, Princeton, Glasgow and London.

Eighty-six Kentucky counties are participating in some phase of the State Department of Agriculture's brucellosis control program. Twelve are "modified certified brucellosis free"; 21 are in the testing phase.

**Notice—Public Hearing**

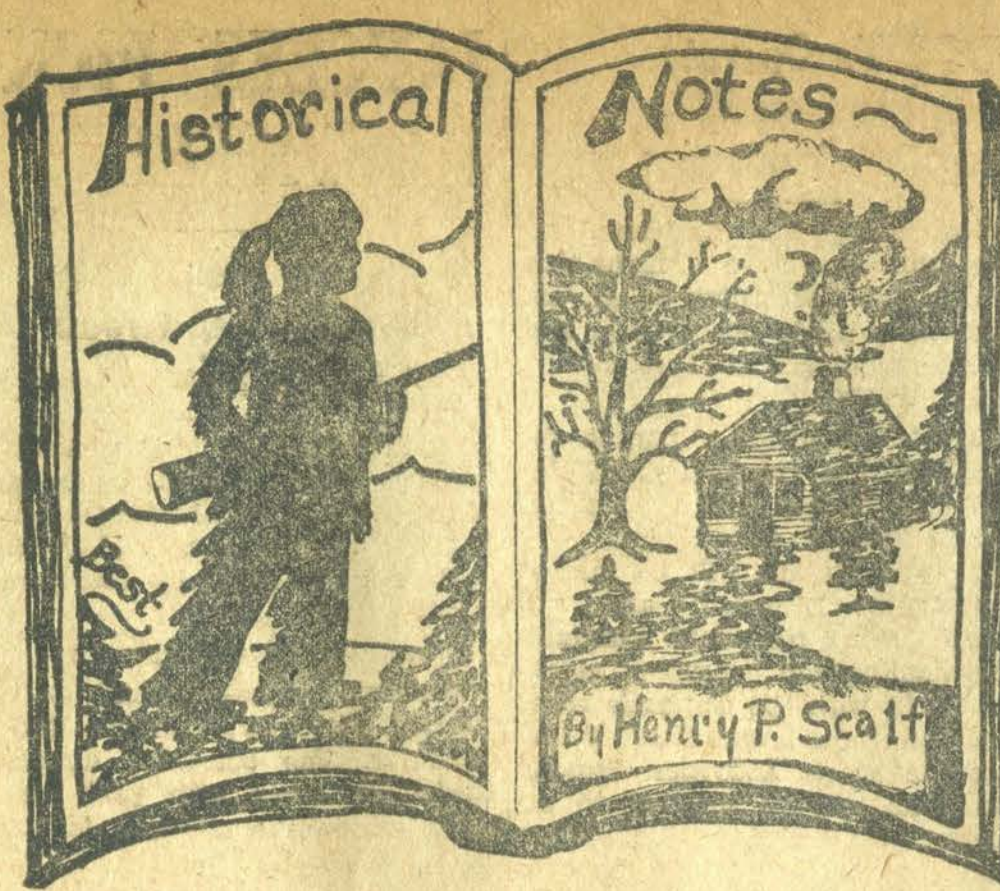
Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, will hold a public hearing at the Municipal Building, in Floyd county, Kentucky, at 8:00 o'clock, P.M., on April 27, 1959.

The purposes of the meeting are to conduct public hearings on the proposed Zoning Ordinance for the City of Prestonsburg, and the proposed division of Prestonsburg into Zoning Districts, and the classification of such districts. The Zoning Map and Zoning Ordinance are to be considered by the City Planning Commission for inclusion as part of the General Plan for the development of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and this hearing is being conducted as provided in KRS 100.670.

Copies of the proposed ordinance and map may be examined at the office of the City Clerk in the First National Bank Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and at the Municipal Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky; and attendance at the hearing by all interested parties is invited.

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**Letters of Pvt. William Jones**

**The Siege Of Atlanta**

Saturday evening, Aug. 6, 1864, William Jones, wrote again from "Camp of 7th OVC, Near Atlanta, Georgia."

He received letters from his wife, Mary, just a few days before, but they were not in the right number sequence. Some of the higher numbers came first and a few of the lower numbers came last. "So you see that is according to Scripture," he wrote. "The last shall be first and etc."

"We are still pounding away at Atlanta. We are gaining ground every day but by inches. We are now massing our forces to the right on the railroad. If we can get that Atlanta will not be of much value to the Rebels for it cuts off Richmond with the South and of course cuts their supply."

"You have heard of the raid that Gen'l Stoneman made. We are under him and we were the luckiest fellows in the world. The messenger that was sent to tell us to meet him at a certain point to go with him on the raid got lost and we did not go. Of course you have heard of this failure and capture with nearly all his command and some considerable killed."

"I have just looked up and saw the new moon over my right shoulder. I made my wish and that was that this cruel war was over. I suppose you will say Amen to that."

Jones details the news of the siege of Atlanta from a soldier's view point, tells little incidents of a negro escaping the Confederate lines and "not knowing any place to go."

The regiment spent much time in scouting from all sides of Atlanta.

"All the danger we are in is scouting around and getting bush-whacked and captured. One of Company's B's sergeants were captured on picket and he watched his opportunity and took the guard's gun and killed him with the butt of it and made his escape. He had just come to the regiment after serving a term at Richmond and of course he did not want to go back again."

The regiment received orders to move to another camp and he told his wife to direct her letters to Atlanta, "Stoneman's Command."

Only four pages of a multiple page letter is in the Jones archives, dated Aug. 13, 1864, and headed, "Camp of 7th OVC, Near Atlanta, Ga." They had been "scouting and picketing" for a week.

"We had to go out . . . to watch the flank while the 23rd Army Corps got into position further on the right. We still keep extending our lines on the right nearer the railroad and at the same time crawling up on Atlanta."

He drops a discussion of military movements, saying he "did not plan to write a history of the war."

He asks Mary to tell Uncle George he is proud of him for his faith in the government and then he opens up with an attack on sympathizers of the Rebels. "They do more harm than the Rebels in arms," he added.

Jones was kept on the move as the regiment was being used for various duties, chief of which was scouting. His next opportunity to write was Aug. 13.

"We have been down and tore up the railroad twice. I think we will be able to hold it before long. Then Atlanta is gone up. We have news that Mobile has been taken by our forces and that a part of that force is coming up the railroad to this place. If that is the case and they are successful in getting here then, good bye, Southern Confederacy; but then it may not be so. We hear many false rumors in camp so I don't believe all I hear."

"I have been in some pretty tight places but always come out safe. About the only fear I have is being taken prisoner. We are taking prisoners every day and they seem very willing to be taken."

Aug. 26 Jones wrote as if there were letters besides the present one succeeding the Aug. 13 letter. He was getting ready to move but he didn't say. He was no longer in "Stoneman's Command," but letters now were to be directed to "23rd Army Corps, Atlanta, Ga."

In preparation for marching he had washed and put on clean

clothing. By constant "skirmishing" he had "got clear of the Giggers."

He wrote again the next day, informed Mary that her letters were coming through and that he kept them all. He tried to cheer his wife, as he did in most all his letters, and revealed he was worrying a great deal when he said: "I have my solemn moments. Many a tear hve I shed when thinking of the trouble and sorrow you have to endure."

"We start tomorrow with a large cavalry force in company with the 14th and 23rd Army Corps. It is believed we are going to operate on the railroad south of Atlanta."

The 23rd and 15th Kentucky regiments were attached, he thought, to be the 14th Army Corps and he anticipated "seeing some of the Brooklyn boys."

There are several pages of letters which seem to be part of three or four letters and the dates are missing but they were written, we infer from the contents, right after the fall of Atlanta.

The 7th OVC was camped near Decatur for awhile, destroyed the railroad and everything else in its path. Jones describes the twisted rails, the burned homes, the pilfered personal effects and gives a vivid picture of ripped featherbeds. He depicts how they lived off the country, killing hogs and gathering Confederate beans the Southerners had raised to feed their armies.

He found \$2700 worth of Confederate money hidden in a barn and gave much of it to others as souvenirs, promising to save some for Mary. He almost decided to

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**Pharmacist's Funeral Held At Ashland, April 7th**

Funeral for Golden W. Curnutte, 66, a registered pharmacist who died April 5 of a heart attack, was held April 7 at John Steen Funeral Home, Ashland.

A native of Lawrence county, he had been a pharmacist for 34 years and had lived in Ashland for the past 18 years. In semi-retirement the past few years, he worked at the Ashland Drug Company.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mabel Mayo Curnutte; two sons, G. W. Curnutte, Jr., and Robert L. Curnutte, and a daughter, Mrs. Fred Gross, all of Ashland, and two sisters, Mrs. Maude Bloss, Kenova, W. Va., and Miss Florence Curnutte, Ashland.

Attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salisbury, Mrs. Lucille Mayo Herndon, Mrs. Olga May Latta, Clifford Latta, Jr., R. V. May, Mrs. Regina B. Mayo, Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, Mrs. William O. Gobel, Jr., Henry Louis Mayo, Jr., of Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Mayo, Russell Springs, Ky.

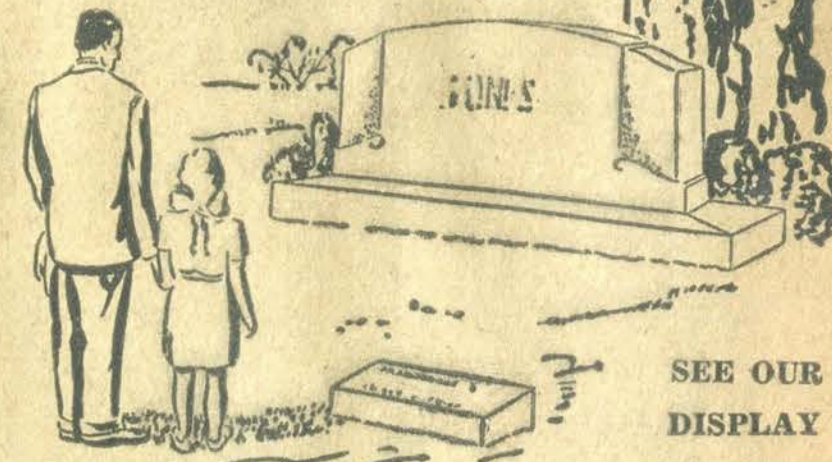
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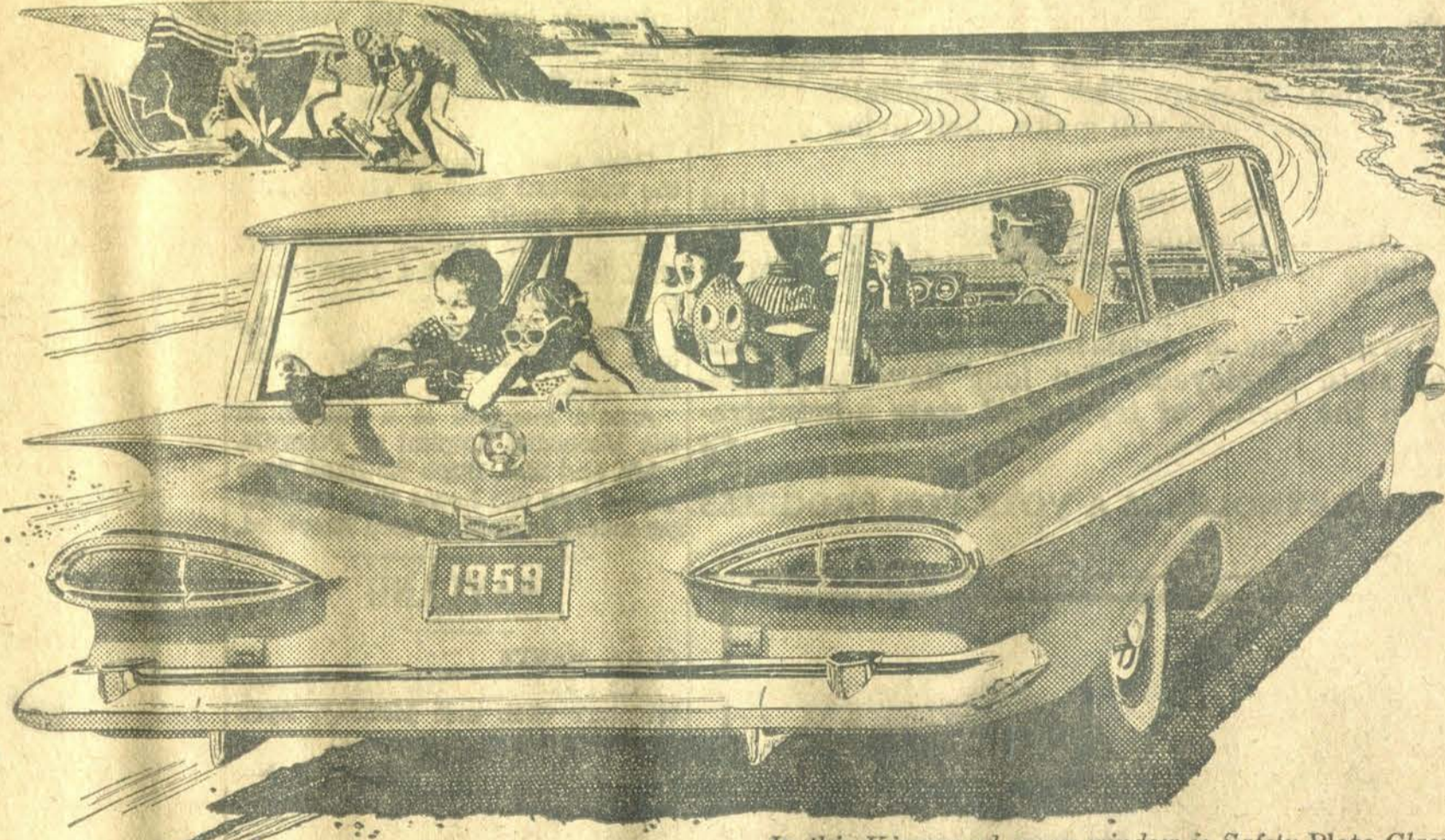
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  3. He will appoint a committee of Floyd county educators and laymen to advise on the needs of the educational program. This will enable him to offer realistic legislation in this field.
  4. He will sponsor a branch of one of our most outstanding educational institutions in Floyd county. Other sections of Kentucky have branches of colleges and if one is established here the cost of additional education will be less.
  5. He will seek relief in the matter of weight tag cost for short-haul truckers. This will materially benefit thousands of truckers who will make their living hauling coal.
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**MAYTOWN**  
**MRS. BRADBURY, GUEST**  
 Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, governor of the Seventh district of the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs, presided over the installation of officers for 1959-60 at the regular monthly meeting of the Maytown Woman's Club in the church basement, Thursday evening.  
 Officers installed in the candle-light service were: President, Mrs. Paul Borders; vice-president, Mrs. George Patton; secretary, Mrs. Roy May; treasurer, Mrs. C. L. Allen.  
 Mrs. Thomas Patrick and her girls' trio entertained the group with several musical numbers.  
 Mesdames Jones Tallent and James Allen were hostesses to the covered dish supper. Members present were Mesdames Roy May, Theodore Gibson, C. L. Allen, George Patton, Paul Borders, David Reed, Roland Burchett, Edward Robinson, John Ison, Charles Patton-Wilbur Hayes, Beverage Refitt, Charles Felker, L. E. Roberts, Miles Gibson, Jones Tallent, James Allen and Miss Charlotte Maggard, the club's newest member. Guests were Mrs. Arthur Bradbury and Mrs. Roy Souleyrette, of Wheelwright; Miss Connie Burton, Bowling Green; Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Myra Gibson, Bonnie Hopson and Linda Maggard.

**REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN**  
 Revival services will begin at the Maytown Methodist Church Friday, April 24, and continue through May 3. Rev. Jim Stratton, of Liberty, Ky., will be the guest-evangelist, and Jim Wagner of Worthington, Ky., song leader. The public is cordially invited to attend the services which begin at 7:30 each evening.

**MISS GIBSON AND ALLEN, WINNERS**  
 The Maytown Woman's Club presented its fifth annual spring style show in the school lunchroom, Saturday evening. All of this season's latest fashion's were shown—styles ranging from sportswear to formal dress for both young and old. Mrs. Theodore Gibson did an excellent job as commentator for the show, and Miss Sandra Sue Patrick sang during intermission. The door prizes were donated by stores in both Maytown and Martin and soft drinks were given by the Coca-Cola Company. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of Miss Springtime and the Little Princess. Miss Springtime was Miss Myra Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson and a junior in high school. She was crowned by the 1958 winner, Miss Bonita Hall. Runner-up was Miss Claudene Prater. Winner of the Little Princess was Miss Emma Jane Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, and a first-grader in school. She was crowned by last year's winner, Miss Gloria Gibson. Runner-up was Miss Virginia Ann Osborne. Both winners were given Winner's Cups. Miss Teddy Allen, who was chosen to represent Maytown as Festival Queen at Prestonsburg in May, modelled the gown she will wear.

Miss Connie Burton, of Bowling Green, was the houseguest of Charlotte Maggard and family last week.  
 Students home for the week-end were Glennis Ramey, Jimmie Hopson, Linda June May, Sandra Sue Patrick, Babs Patton, Doris Maggard and Judy Gibson.  
 Gene Dillman, student at UK, was the week-end guest of Thomas Patrick and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Vaughn and children, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with relatives.  
 Baisden Osborne enjoyed a few days fishing at Watts Bar, Tenn., last week.  
 Arnold Maggard is a patient at the Methodist hospital at Pikeville.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rowland have moved into the house they recently purchased from Mrs. Ellen Shepherd.

**WAYLAND**  
**CLUB MEETS**  
 The Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club met Monday, April 13, for 6 o'clock dinner and a regular program meeting, with the president, Mrs. L. B. Price, presiding.  
 Program for the evening was on Civil Defense, with Mrs. N. D. Howard as leader. She gave a very interesting program, listing the necessary items for emergency sanitation, such as safe drinking water, safe food, cooking, sewage disposal, also gave facts on preparing a bomb shelter, fallout protection, first aid. Booklets on all of these subjects were distributed.  
 After the dinner and program, a brief business session was held. The flower show scheduled for May 12 was cancelled due to the illness of Dr. R. H. Messer. Mrs. Messer was to be in charge of the show which will probably be planned for a later date.  
 The following members were present: Mrs. N. D. Howard, Mrs. Milton Trusty, Mrs. John Reed, Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Mrs. Glenn Paek.  
 Hostesses for the dinner were Mrs. Harry Sherman, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. L. B. Price and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Beginning March 16, I will be in my dental office daily from 10 a.m. till 12 noon and from 2 to 4 p.m.  
**Dr. H. G. Salisbury, Jr.**

**WDOC To Operate Night-Time on FM, Manager Announces**  
 Prestonsburg and Eastern Kentucky will soon have a night-time radio station, according to an announcement made this week by Rex Osborne, manager of Prestonsburg station WDOC.  
 WDOC has filed a permit for night-time FM (frequency modulation) broadcasting with the Federal Communications Commission.  
 The new station will be located atop Abbott Mountain and will operate from 6 p.m. until midnight. Programming will consist of sports and music, with the emphasis being placed on major league baseball and statewide sports activities. Sunday afternoons will be devoted to an experimental period as the station plans to broadcast stereophonic sound in conjunction with WDOC AM.  
 WDOC's night broadcast will be located at 95.5 megacycles on the FM band with a power output of 16,000 watts.

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 quit tobacco as he had to pay \$2.00 for a plug "in greenbacks." Jones was so elated when Atlanta fell that he wrote with enthusiasm. Afraid that one of his uncles would celebrate the capture of the Southern city with a bit of imbibing he advised him not to "take a Big Drink but to take a Big Smoke and holler with all his might."  
 "I was in the tightest spot the other day that I have been in since the war (started). I was in the advance guard ahead of the regiment and we ran into some Rebel infantry. We have to go till we are ordered to stop. They sent three men after us. Before we got the word and I tell you if it ever hailed lead it did then and strange to say not one of us got a scratch. One horse was shot after we got back to the regiment."

He describes the burial of the dead and the marking of the graves. "... He was a drummer boy and his grave is marked with head and foot board with name and regiment. They are generally buried where they fall or die. I see so many graves going through the woods of both sides."  
 "It is no uncommon thing to meet ambulances bringing up the dead from the skirmish lines but the most horrible sight is a train of them with the wounded..."

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**JAYCEES PICK 4 OFFICERS**  
**Hereford, New Prexy; Mayor Praises Group For Outstanding Work**  
 David Hereford, Prestonsburg business man, was elected president of the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce, in the annual election held Monday night by the young men's group.  
 Other officers named were: Roy Ramey, vice-president; Calvin Herriek, secretary; Edmund Burke, treasurer. The board of directors elected to serve with past presidents of the organization is composed of Bob Burchett, Harvey Gunnell and Paul Hager.  
 The new officers will assume their duties, June 1.  
 Prestonsburg Mayor Bill Napier attended the meeting Monday and told the group that their services to the community and Floyd county were outstanding and their many civic projects on behalf of Prestonsburg were the bright spots in his term of office.  
 H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., local banker, reported the progress of the Big Sandy Valley Flood Control Committee, and asked the Jaycees' support in furthering work on the vital project for Eastern Kentucky. He asked the local club to spearhead a drive to have every Eastern Kentuckian write to Congressmen Clarence Cannon and William Natcher, urging passage of the bill for construction monies for the Pound, Virginia, Fishtrap and Haysl dams on the Big Sandy and Pound rivers.  
 The Jaycees also voted to pay all expenses of the Rev. Harold Dorsey to attend a hearing in Washington, April 28, to plead for passage of the construction bill.

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**Clay County School Gets \$250,000 Help**  
 An anonymous donor in New York City has given \$250,000 toward the erection of a new dormitory at Oneida Institute, in Clay County.  
 The modern concrete and brick structure will raise the housing capacity of the school to well over 200. This increase should cause the enrollment to reach the 300 mark. In addition to housing 104 girls, the building will also include recreation rooms, a room with washers and dryers for the girls' laundry, and a kitchen and dining accommodations for more than 200.  
 Plans are also being made to re-equip the science labs and the home economics departments in order to meet the demand of colleges for better trained students in this field.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We gratefully acknowledge every kind and helpful act and expression of sympathy during the last illness and upon the death of our husband and father, Albert Lee Dotson.  
 Especially we thank the Rev. Will Horn, Rev. Moses Kitchen and Rev. Howard Church for their comforting words, and the Moore Funeral Home for its efficient service.  
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 For Governor

**WILSON WYATT**  
 For Lt. Governor

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# Know the Truth About Copperas Creek Road; And How Courthouse Gang Fails Floyd County

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## INTER-COUNTY UNITY STRESSED AT MEETING

### 3 COUNTIES REPRESENTED AT GATHERING

#### Floyd, Johnson, Pike Men Study Plans To Enlist Aid On Dewey Lake, Other Jobs

A group representing three counties—Floyd, Pike, and Johnson—met Tuesday night at the B&W Cafe to consolidate their efforts in working for the development of Dewey Lake and the Breaks of the Mountains parks.

Action taken includes the scheduling of a meeting with Lieutenant-Governor Harry Lee Waterfield at Frankfort, Thursday. Among the list of desirable projects for the two parks, the group said, are the building of roads and a sizeable lodge at Dewey Lake.

One of the developments which precipitated the meeting was the recent news that only \$50,000 is proposed to be spent at Dewey Lake out of a huge park development fund. Civic leaders insisted Dewey Lake State Park deserves much more.

Walter P. Walters, of Pikeville, pointed out that it is time for the three counties to pull together instead of against each other. The opinion was expressed that the lack of cooperation of the mountain counties with each other has been a major stumbling block in bringing anything to Eastern Kentucky.

Herman Wheeler, of Paintsville, told the group that they must approach state officials without any selfish motives. He cited progress in Paintsville as the result of work performed by a few unselfish men for the benefit of the many. He indicated that in appealing for highways the group should not argue about minor

problems as to exact location, etc. "We should work for the benefit of the area and let the state officials put roads or anything else where they want to," he declared.

Representative Lon C. Hill, of Prestonsburg said the meeting was especially timely since the time to ask for money—with a chance of getting it—is from now till March. He added that it is advisable for the group to ask for completion of roads surveys so that the road bonds, when sold, can be used to build these roads as part of Eastern Kentucky's share.

Commenting on the study made to determine the feasibility of park development at Dewey Lake by the state, Jerry Fonce Howell, of Price, said, "I'm sick of surveys that get nothing done."

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They say that if we get such and such we can get something else. Consequently we get nothing." He added that it is time to shoot with "both barrels to get money for Dewey Lake" and that the group should try to get money from all angles.

Highways are a fundamental need, it was pointed out by Dr. W. P. Smith, of Belfry.

It is this matter of a highway that has been a basic handicap to Dewey Lake, proponents of the park there have pointed out. No road along the lake to the site of the proposed lodge and vacation cottages has been built, and so materials cannot be taken to site, nor could visitors reach the lodge except by boat, even if it were built.

State Department of Highways officials recently promised a Floyd delegation a survey of the road to connect existing highways at Goble Branch and Stratton Branch.

Marvin Music, Prestonsburg business man, presided at Tuesday night's meeting here.

### "Mudslinging" Smears State Efforts To Build Roads For Floyd Countians

One of the most malicious things that has happened in Kentucky in recent years has been the deliberate, mudslinging attack upon me personally and the state administration in general for our efforts to build new roads and improve the old one around Dewey Lake in a sincere effort to move ahead on development of the lake as a primary tourist attraction and source of revenue to the people of Floyd County and Eastern Kentucky.

I have refrained from answering the attack up until now, in the belief that decency and a sense of fair play would finally prevail upon those who made the attacks. But it is entirely obvious that I was being foolish when I expected my opponents to display anything like a sense of honor.

Therefore, I have purchased this full page advertisement to bring home the simple truth and to let the record speak for itself. I have full confidence in the people of Floyd County and the decision they will make, once they know the full facts.

Three articles published in the Floyd County Times are reproduced. The first one, dated August 22, 1957, shows that public spirited citizens of Floyd, Pike and Johnson counties met to map out a plan for development of Dewey Lake and the Breaks of the Mountains parks.

The second article, dated August 29, 1957, shows that a plan for road improvements was adopted, and that the plan was taken to Frankfort, where it was approved by Lieutenant Governor Harry Lee Waterfield; Highway Commissioner Robert Humphreys, Rural Highway Commissioner J. B. Wells, Conservation Commissioner Laban Jackson, and State Parks Director Mrs. Violet Kilgore. The program was widely publicized in Eastern Kentucky newspapers and the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Once the plan had been adopted, things proceeded at a rapid pace and the highway construction work rapidly got underway.

AUGUST 29, 1957

## ROADS AND PARK WORK PROMISED FLOYD MEN

### LAKE ROUTE, MORE FUNDS ARE PLANNED

#### Lt. Governor Waterfield Assigns Officials To See That Plans Carried Out

Following up last week's inter-county meeting here to plan a unified move for sectional improvements, representatives of Floyd, Johnson, Pike and Martin counties called for and received from state officials at Frankfort last Thursday definite promises of road construction and improvement in this county.

The trip to Frankfort followed by only two days a visit to Prestonsburg and other Big Sandy towns by Highway Commissioner Robert S. Humphreys. While here Mr. Humphreys and others toured the Dewey Lake area, and locating engineers were at the lake at the same time for a study of the routes which access roads are to follow.

At the Frankfort meeting with Lieutenant-Governor Harry Lee Waterfield, Highway Commissioner Humphreys, Rural Highway Commissioner J. B. Wells and Conservation Commissioner Laban Jackson, the Eastern Kentucky delegation was given definite promises that these projects would be given top priority.

1. The survey of the road from the Dewey Lake State Park boat dock to Hager Gap to connect with the existing road from there to the dam, all preliminary work to be completed in time for construction next spring. Acting Governor Waterfield assigned this project to Mr. Humphreys.

2. Widening and blacktopping of the Cow Creek-Buffalo road from the end of the blacktop on Cow Creek to the bridge at German. Waterfield delegated responsibility for this work to Rural Highway Commissioner Wells.

3. Widening of the road from the boat dock to Stratton Branch, with guard rails to be installed along that sector of road later.

4. Walkways for the two

bridges just outside Martin on Ky. 80 and the Cow Creek bridge on U. S. 23.

In addition to roads, the state officials and delegation from this section discussed at length those things needed to make Dewey

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Lake State Park a reality. Members of the delegation, said they left with the definite impression that early development of the park is a certainty.

Acting Governor Waterfield assigned the responsibility to planning an increased appropriation for Dewey State Park to Conservation Commissioner Jackson.

The Floyd delegation, which heavily outnumbered the Johnson and Pike county representatives, called on state officials for these improvements at the park, in addition to roads:

1. A 50-room lodge.
2. Fifty vacation cottages.
3. A dining room at the lodge large enough to accommodate at one time 200 persons.

Representing Floyd county at the meeting were State Representative Lon C. Hill, H. D. Fitzpatrick Jr., Marvin Music, Burl Spurlock, Homer Wright, County Judge Henry Stumbo and John Hardin, all of Prestonsburg, State Senator Doug Hays, of McDowell, Tax Commissioner Clive Akers, of Drift, and Jerry F. Howell, of Price.

It was explained by state officials that not \$50,000 but about \$105,000 has been earmarked already for Dewey park improvements as the sale of bonds is planned. Additional appropriations, it was noted, will be asked of the Legislature when it convenes in January.

Road construction from the dock to Hager Gap along the lake and to make accessible the lodge site will be done with federal aid funds on a 50-50 matching basis, it was said.

State control of the entire Dewey reservoir area has been expected to become effective but still hinges upon approval of a state-federal agreement by officials in Washington, it was learned here.

### Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club Requested That Copperas Creek Road Be Built

The third article reproduced here is dated August 7, 1958—a full year after the road and parks development plan was adopted, and after the actual construction work was well underway.

It seems that some local politicians made the startling discovery that I happen to own some land near Dewey Lake, and that one of the roads being worked on happened to be by my property. This is known as the Copperas Creek Road. At this point, they cry "politics" and charge the road was being built to improve the value of my property. They have kept it up ever since.

They knew at the time they made the charge—and they know now—that it was not my decision to build the road—but was the decision of a large group of civic leaders representing Floyd, Pike and Johnson counties who got together and mapped the plans at the request of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club.

Truth of the matter is that the Copperas Creek road is not a new road. All the State did was to widen an already existing road, using right-of-way already owned by the State. Not a single foot was built on private property. The

AUGUST 7, 1958

## ROAD AT DEWEY LAKE DRAWS HEAVY ATTACK

### OATES ORDERS HALTED WORK BE RESUMED

#### Howell Denies Project Designed To Help Him, Though Farm Is Nearby

The construction of 2.2 miles of highway from the bridge across Dewey Lake at German to Copperas Creek was halted last Friday on order of Highway Commissioner Ward J. Oates after the project had been subjected to heavy attack but work was resumed Tuesday on the Commissioner's order.

Oates not only directed the work to be resumed but ordered gravel for its surfacing. He indicated he would have a statement to release later to the newspapers.

The stop-order was issued by Oates after former Floyd countian Paul R. Jordan, of the Associated Press, had inquired in Frankfort about the purpose of the road which follows the old county road right-of-way on the east side of the lake to Copperas Creek.

Locally, County Clerk DuRan Moore said the road is being built for political purposes. He said

only one family lives along the route and that it is being built to improve the value of the nearby property of State Senator Jerry Fonce Howell, of Price.

Howell said he does own property on Copperas Creek but that the road was one agreed to for development of the park before he was elected Senator and at a meeting in Frankfort attended by several from Prestonsburg, Paintsville, and P. C. who are interested in development of the lake area.

Describing the attack as a "deliberate attempt to smear somebody," Howell said the road does not cross his land and that the whole project "is open and above board."

Commonwealth's Attorney Hollie Conley said work on the road has advanced a few feet onto Senator Howell's land.

"I think they've tried to make me guilty by association," Howell told The Times.

"I called the Highway Commissioner as soon as this newspaper story broke," he said, "and requested that he come, see the whole thing for himself. He came Monday and he was shown every foot of it. And after seeing it, he agreed it is pure politics, that it is a sound project and should be completed. He ordered the men to go back to work the next morning and also directed that gravel be got for it."

George H. Hailey, director of the Division of Rural Highways,

### Courthouse Crowd Has Held Up Building 3 Floyd County Roads With State Money

wisdom of the action can be measured every day by the large numbers of campers and fishermen who use the road, and by the fact that a new boat dock has been built along the route. Furthermore, the road will eventually give the people of Martin County access to the lake.

If I am to be criticized because the road happens to pass in front of my land, then by the same token we should all criticize Bert Combs because the State is spending \$1,500,000 for a new road by his property. But that would be ridiculous and I'm not going to do it.

I have devoted endless hours of hard labor during the past few years to Floyd County, using every ounce of energy that I possess to bring about a better situation for our people. I have worked with no selfish motives in mind. It is very disheartening to find that my every effort is subject to deliberate smears and misrepresentation. It is unfortunate for any public official to find himself attacked and his integrity questioned at every turn by two-by-four politicians who have never concerned themselves with the basic problems of the county.

The attacks that have been made upon me are a good example of the kind of smear that keeps too many of our better citizens from taking an active role in our government, at a time when men of integrity are needed.

There is one further thing I would like to say on the subject of roads. The State surveyed, blueprinted and prepared deeds more than a year ago for three new roads in Floyd County. These are the Bill Hall Branch-Big Mud road, Frazier's Creek road, and Spewing Camp road. Those deeds are still gathering dust in the Courthouse. The roads are not being built because the Courthouse crowd says it does not have the money to buy the rights-of-way. This is the first time in history that the State wants to build roads in Floyd county and the County says it doesn't have the money for the rights-of-way. It is beyond my understanding that the same men who would spend all the County's money and bring us to this condition now harp and criticize when the State does go ahead and build roads on State rights-of-way at no cost to Floyd County.

*Jerry Fonce Howell*

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**These Figures Spell Economic Tragedy**

Figures quoted by the Kentucky Press Association and the Kentucky Department of Public Relations tell, without intending to do so, the tragic Eastern Kentucky story in terms of dollars and cents.

These figures tell what 100 new industrial jobs can mean to any city or community. That many new jobs would, it is pointed out, mean:

- \$500,000 more personal income per year.
- 175 more job opportunities for others.
- 300 more citizens in the community.
- 112 more households.
- 107 more passenger cars.
- Four more retail stores.
- \$300,000 more retail sales a year.
- These 100 new jobs would mean \$100,000 more business for grocery stores and restaurants; \$70,000 more for automobile dealers and service stations; \$70,000 more for department and clothing stores, \$120,000 more for other retail businesses of various kinds.

All of which vividly emphasizes what Floyd county or any other county loses in unemployment from whatever cause. And the loss to Floyd and other Eastern Kentucky counties is nothing short of staggering.

From these figures we deduce that economic survival means for us a fight on three fronts in a war for which we appear to be ill-prepared:

1. To ally ourselves with, and seek help from, every possible source to create new jobs;
2. To fight to get men back at work in the jobs they have lost;
3. To battle grimly to hold the jobs our people now have.

It is estimated that 175,000 additional good-paying jobs are needed in Kentucky to realize the national standard of "full employment." That means an annual personal income of \$875,000,000 that needs to be added via Kentucky payrolls. And the sad part of this picture for us is that the eastern section of the state is where unemployment is heaviest and employment is most remote.

It is now obvious, if it never was before, that the secondary industry, coal mining, is not enough, and that other new industry must be found to take up the slack or more thousands of our people must leave.

To list the area's needs would be to repeat ourselves and only to parrot what has been said by others so many times in the past. All know that transportation, flood control and water power are basic requisites to new industry.

They also know that the federal government is dragging its feet with deadly effect on the Big Sandy flood control situation, that water transportation remains only a dream and that an effective system of highways for Eastern Kentucky is, as of this date, merely an interesting topic of conversation.

Frankly, the outlook is discouraging. And it will not grow better until we of this section grow better in, first of all, our relations with each other to the end that we can at least stick together on matters of economic life-and-death.

Call us Gloomy Gus if you will—it appears at this stage of the game that we shall all hang, if hang we do, separately, even if we starve together while getting ready for the hanging.

**Judge Talks On Child Discipline When Teacher Freed For Paddling**

A Putnam county, W. Va., teacher, having been fined for paddling a pupil a few weeks ago appealed to Circuit Court where a jury reversed the lower court. Judge John W. Hereford, of Huntington, made the following statement after the teacher's acquittal to a packed courtroom in Winfield:

Ladies and gentlemen, what I wanted to say to you was and is that I think your verdict is a correct one. I am saying this not for the benefit of only the teachers, but parents and pupils as well.

The law of West Virginia is that if the parent has a legal right to punish his child then the teacher who, under the law, stands in—a Latin phrase—loco parentis, in the place of the parent, a teacher who stands in the place of the parent, loco parentis, has the same right as the parent to require discipline, even to the point of meting out punishment. So that if the parent has the right to punish the child, the teacher has a like right, if the child does not mind and if it is necessary for the maintenance of discipline.

The thing that occurs to me is that who would have thought of procuring a warrant if the parents of this little girl, Mr. and Mrs. Asbury, had punished the girl the same as the teacher did? I don't think anybody would have accused Mr. and Mrs. Asbury of using unreasonable punishment on the child had they punished her for disobedience or insubordination of failing to observe proper discipline.

I think I am old-fashioned enough to have the feeling that the old adage of spare the rod and spoil the child is too much neglected in this day. I think that a part of the standard equipment of a good modern up-to-date classroom should be a paddle.

I went to the trouble of taking the record that you made, and which was recorded on your record cards, to see how many children were represented by this jury. And I found that this jury has 37 children. Every one of you eight women on this jury are mothers. Three of you four men are fathers.

And I think it also bespeaks some expression that on this jury there are left eight women and four men. Most of the men were struck off. I don't believe there were any women that were struck off the entire panel of 20. And I think that bespeaks a fact that this jury and you mothers and you fathers have the feeling that teachers have the right and the duty to maintain discipline in their schools.

I want to say this to the parents, and in particular to Mr. and

Mrs. Asbury, whom I am sure were motivated by the very best of intentions. But this to this jury and to the parents here, and through you and all of you to the parents all over Putnam County and all the other counties as far as my voice could reach. There are three institutions in this world that touch the very soul and spirit of your child. One of them is the home; another is the church; and the third is the school. And when you do something to build up disrespect and hate in the soul of your child toward any one of those three institutions that touch your child, and have more influence on it in life than anything else in this world, you have done something to the very soul of your offspring, and your own child.

Don't ever tear down the home in which your child lives and desecrate and build up hate in your child's soul for that home.

Don't ever tear down the church of the living God where your child learns lessons that will enable it to grow up in fine manhood or womanhood and teach it to hate the church.

And don't ever build up hate and disrespect for your school, the school that is charged with the education of your child.

There are in America today places where there are no schools on this Wednesday, on this 11th day of March, 1959; where children are not having the opportunity and privilege of attending school to further their education and to build their character and build their souls and their spirits like we have here in West Virginia. Very much to the shame of places in the South, the schools are closed because of hate and spite that is in the souls of some of the people. And let's not, in West Virginia and in good old Putnam County do anything that will harm our schools or to cause our children to hate our schools or to disrespect them. Let us, as parents, do everything that we can from here on to make those three institutions that touch the very soul of our children loved and respected by our youth.

And if we have any fault to find, any crow to pick, and gripe to dispel toward a teacher or the principal of a school, let's be man enough to call up that principal and say "I want an appointment with you," and without your child knowing how you feel about it, walk down to the school house and march into that principal's office and sit down like a gentleman or a lady with that principal, and have him call in that teacher. And if the teacher is wrong, see that the teacher apologizes, not to run and attempt to prosecute.

Let's keep West Virginia's and Putnam County's schools respected by our youth. Of course that carries with it also a responsibility on the part of teachers to see that the power that is in their hands is not abused.

This jury sat and correctly found that the child was not punished to the point of cruelty. The parents got aggravated. I know that. And I am a parent. Bragging about the number of children you have, I have six of my own. Most of them are gone. And lots of times when a teacher would spank them I feel a little bit upset about it. But I always had enough possession about me not to go and jump on the teacher about it in the presence of or hearing of my child.

Don't jump on your church, your home, or your school in the presence of your child.

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**Floyd Woman's Husband Dies In Pennsylvania; Burial, Collins Cemetery**

Edward Murphy, 69, Coreapolis, Pa., died at 9:30 p.m. Friday of a heart attack. He was the husband of Patsy Combs Murphy, formerly of Dema.

Mr. Murphy was a hotel manager and a native of Boston, Mass. His father, mother and several brothers and sisters died in a Massachusetts fire when he was a child. He had no surviving children.

Funeral rites were conducted at 1 p.m., Monday from the graveside in the Collins cemetery at Dema, the Rev. Sherman Stone officiating. Burial was made under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.



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Floyd County Democrats



**Church Membership And Crime Both Soaring In United States**

America is having "both a religious revival and a moral decline," says William Hard in a May Reader's Digest article, "How Law-Abiding Are We—Really?" He urges observance of Law Day, May 1, with pledges of respect for the laws of America and God.

Church membership, in proportion, was 36 per cent in 1900, 49 per cent in 1940 and 61 per cent in 1957 but, in what Hard terms "a woeful paradox," we have the growth of dishonesty and violence. Since 1950 our crime rate has increased four times as fast as our population.

Bank robberies? In fiscal 1957: total of 157. In 1958: 270. Bank losses to robbers? In fiscal 1957: \$944,713. In 1958: \$1,621,561.

The cost of employe dishonesty in American business enterprises can be safely estimated at between 500 million and one billion. And it is increasing. Bonding companies paid two and a half times more in dishonesty losses in the last full fiscal year than they did the year before.

Nor is such white collar crime limited to poorly paid employes. The head of a business investigation firm in New York says that 60 per cent of dishonest behav-

ior in business is by supervisors and executives. Women account for 70 per cent of dishonesty turned up in recent months. Dishonesty now costs America many times more each year than fire. Fraud is the most rapidly increasing type of crime, with bad checks written in 1958 having a face value of eight million dollars.

In an attempt to reverse the trend, recent Presidential proclamations have established Law Day, to be marked each year on May One. It is being promoted by such organizations as the American Heritage Foundation, United States Conference of Mayors and General Federation of Women's Clubs. The American Bar Association is supporting the movement.

A Times Want Ad will serve many of your advertising needs.

**Adams Bids \$184,914.00 On Road Surfacing Job For 13.5 Miles of Roads**

The Kentucky Highway Department has received a \$184,914 low bid from the Adams Construction Corp., Pikeville, for bituminous surfacing of 13.5 miles of roads in Floyd county, it was announced last week.

The three projects to be surfaced under the contract are:

The Prestonsburg-David road from end of MP 36-196 F at David to the Magoffin county line, 1.276 miles.

The Banner-Prater Creek-Harold road from US 23 and US 460, near Banner, to near northwest end of bridge over Mud Creek, 7.429 miles.

The Maytown-Garrett road from Ky. 80 at Garrett extending northeast, 4.890 miles.

Cars that did not have the right of way injured 608,400 and killed 3,890 persons on U. S. Highways in 1958.

**William Gibson, 71, Of Louisa, Is Victim; Was Retired Coal Miner**

William Gibson, 71, of Louisa, died Wednesday, April 8, at his home.

Funeral services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. the following Saturday at the Young Funeral Home by the Rev. William W. Moore.

Mr. Gibson, a retired coal miner, was born February 16, 1888, near Louisa, a son of the late James and Mary Moore Gibson.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Frances Cox Gibson; two daughters, Mrs. Edgel Blackburn of Weeksbury, Ky., and Mrs. Rudolph Preece, of Louisa; three sons, Raymond Gibson, of Wheelwright, Ky., Charles Gibson, of Dayton, O., and Claude Gibson, of Holden, W. Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Martha Hughes, of Prestonsburg and Mrs. Julius York, of Louisa; a brother, John B. Gibson, of Prestonsburg, and 16 grandchildren.

Many of the designs now used by Churchill Weavers at Berea follow patterns traditional among early Kentucky mountaineers.

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**Here Are the Facts!**

**STATE SUPPORT UP \$1,665,980.00**

State funds received by schools in Floyd county for the three fiscal years ending June 30, 1959 total \$4,226,305.00—compared to \$2,560,325.00 for the previous three years—AN INCREASE OF \$1,665,980.00!

**17% MORE MONEY PER PUPIL**

During the 1957-58 school year (figures for the current school year not yet available), our schools had an average of \$141.00 per pupil to pay teachers' salaries, supplies, books and school buses.

**AVERAGE TEACHER PAY UP \$277**

The average annual salary paid teachers in Floyd county schools increased from \$2,280 to \$2,557 during the Chandler-Waterfield administration.

**32 MORE TEACHERS**

Thirty-two (32) additional teachers were employed to relieve the crowded conditions we had under previous administrations.

Compare this progress and these concrete improvements with the treatment you received under Bert Combs' sponsor, Earle Clements.

VOTE FOR CONTINUED PROGRESS

**Harry Lee Waterfield**

for

**Governor**

Democratic Primary Election, Tuesday, May 26, 1959

(Pol. Adv.)

One pair of rats could have 1,500 descendants in a year if all the animals lived. In three years, the one pair could have a total of 350 million descendants.

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## BUTLER'S BATTLE RECORD U. S. REGIMENT DISCOVERS PRICE OF HILLTOP IN ITALY

The following story was written by Sgt. Milton Lehman and appeared as a feature story in the Stars and Stripes on Saturday, December 25, 1943. Capt. Ben J. Butler is now a Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor. The story has been condensed by Fred Cottrell, Prestonsburg, Ky.)

"The name of the mountain was Pantano and it lies a few miles north of the road which leads to Cassino and then to Rome. From the mud-choked valley floor, its average rise is 30 degrees, reaching a rise of 60 degrees near the crest. The peak of Mt. Pantano is divided into four knobs, with an average elevation of 3600 feet.

"During the attack on Pantano, the weather was clear to begin with, but it quickly changed to fog, drenching rain and snows which made the trails and mountain top a slimy mire.

"The first battalion, with Company A as the spearhead, made its approach march early on the morning of Nov. 29. By 0445 hours, the battalion had closed in on the assembly area at the base of the mountain. The men adjusted their full field packs and waited for zero hour. A few minutes before 0600 hours, Capt. Benjamin J. Butler, Milton, Ky., made a last minute check of Company A. The men were tense waiting for the jump off.

"The rolling artillery barrage began and was pounding steadily over their heads when Capt. Butler raised his arm and swung it forward. The company in wedge formation moved slowly up the base of the hill. About 100 yards from the top of the hill 1, the first of Mt. Pantano's four knobs, Company A got rid of its field packs. The only light came from the artillery flashes ahead. When the company reached the crest, artillery was still pounding the top of the hill, where Jerry, not expecting visitors, was keeping down in his foxhole. The first elements of the company took care of Jerry. Only a few of the hill defenders managed to escape down the hill to give the alarm. The men of Company A began to dig in.

"It was quiet until noon when the Germans threw the first of their counterattacks against the company's right flank. The two forces met head on, firing at point blank range. When the smoke cleared, Germans and Americans were lying together on the muddy hilltop. The Company's right flank had been smashed, but the first counter-attack had been stopped. To buck up the broken flank, Capt. Butler sent two squads over from the left flank.

"That afternoon there was another counterattack and at dusk, following a heavy mortar barrage that splintered most of the trees on the hill, still another. The fog had already set in for the night.

"At noon on the second day, when the fog lifted and it began to rain, the battalion commander and Capt. Butler reconnoitered the valley leading to Hill 2. A German mortar shell wounded the battalion commander.

"While the litter bearer was preparing to evacuate him, the Colonel asked Capt. Butler: 'Can you take Hill 2?'

"We'll try it," Capt. Butler replied.

"Better hold what you've got," said the colonel.

"Capt. Butler went back to Hill 1 and organized his mortars preparing for an attack. Two of his gunners and a section leader had already been wounded and there was still no phone connection between the outposts and the guns, so Capt. Butler took the situation into his own hands. He crept out to the furthest foxhole and by chain voice command brought his mortars in on Hill 2. After five rounds for effects, the captain could hear the Germans on Hill 2 crying for their medics. Then Jerry returned fire.

"The first of Jerry's shells hit near the captain's foxhole, ripping the raincoat he was wearing. The second landed in a case of C rations and splattered meat, beans, and vegetable hash all over the hill. A third ripped open a shelter half the men had put out to collect rain water for drinking.

"Two more battalion commanders had been hit. The gun batteries were required to fire day and night and, at the peak of the battle, they operated at the highest rate of fire in their history. The Germans were assembled in

a draw just over the crest of Hill 1 (a short round would land in friendly troops, a long one would be worthless.

"The fourth morning on Mt. Pantano began with a heavy snow which lasted until noon. By this time, Hill 1 had been so thoroughly combed by the German mortars and artillery, as well as by our own artillery shorts, that not a bush or shrub remained standing. The snow spread a cover over the sodden hilltop, over the German and American dead, and drifted into the rain and mud-filled foxholes.

"The battle lasted six days. To hold the hill, 2,400 hand grenades, 5,000 rounds of 60 mm mortar and 6,900 rounds of 75 mm ammunition for the cannon company had been expended, not including the thousands of rounds of ammunition used by the supporting artillery."

"The regiment lost four hundred men and inflicted 1,200 enemy casualties in wresting Mt. Pantano.

Capt. Ben J. Butler stayed with the 168th "Rainbow" Regiment of the 34th Infantry Division. He had more than 400 days of front line combat. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, Distinguished Unit Citation, Silver Star, Purple Heart, Bronze Star, Combat Infantry Badge and eight other medals. He was Colonel Butler, the Battalion Commander, when the war ended, and also one of Kentucky's great leaders to come out of World War II.

Signed: FRED COTTRELL  
Prestonsburg, Ky.  
(Who was a member of this regiment.)  
(Pol. Adv.)

### Choir Presentation Planned By College; Scheduled Here, Friday

Richmond, Ky., April 15 — The Eastern Kentucky State College choir composed of 90 voices will present concerts in Eastern Kentucky Thursday and Friday. The choir will be under the direction of Professor James E. Van Peursem, head of the Department of Music at Eastern.

The choir will make the following appearances on Thursday, April 23; Hazard high school at 8 a.m.; Whitesburg high school at 11 a.m.; and Jenkins high school at 2 p.m. The choir will give an evening concert at the Pikeville high school at 8 p.m., on Thursday.

Friday, the choir will give concerts at the following schools: Prestonsburg high school at 9 a.m.; Paintsville high school at 11 a.m.; and Salyersville high school at 2 p.m.

The choir will present a program of choral music, including an arrangement of sacred and secular selections.



**ALLEN SLONE**  
for  
State Representative  
Democratic Primary,  
May 26, 1959

Here are some facts I want you voters to know about me.

Some know me as "Little A" Slone, who is the son of Charley and Osie Slone and the grandson of old Uncle Allen Slone and Sadie Bradley.

I married Marie Skeans, the daughter of Taylor Skeans and Callie DeRossett, a granddaughter of George Skeans and Rhoda Hamilton.

My wife and I have operated a business here on Middle Creek for the past ten years. I'm sure a lot of people who don't know me have done business with my father, Charley Slone, who has been in the grocery business for 18 years.

I see a lot of teachers who remember Charley Slone who has taught school in Floyd county for 20 years. I find a great many people each day while campaigning who went to school to my father.

I have also been a teacher of Floyd county and for the last ten years have been employed with the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David. I am a United Mine Worker and treasurer of Local No. 7788 at David.

I have never in my life been in trouble. I have never been in jail in my life. I'm honest, sober and dependable and ask of you your support because I am qualified to do the job as State Representative.

Your Support will be Appreciated.  
(Pol. Adv.)

### Regulations Are Eased On Septic Tanks, Said; Specifications Given

A regulation easing some requirements for septic tank installations has been passed by the Kentucky State Board of Health, effective April 22. The regulation is designed to have Kentucky's Plumbing Code more nearly conform to FHA specifications, according to Eugene F. Perkins, director of the State Health Department's Division of Plumbing.

Distinctions will no longer be made between buildings with basements and buildings without basements, Mr. Perkins said. Minimum distance from a septic tank to a building has been reduced to ten feet. Lateral drainage systems will be allowed no closer than 20 feet from a building, and seepage pits no closer than 25 feet. The regulation further provides that "no house sewer shall be located or installed within 15 feet of a well or cistern," a reduction of five feet.

Distances from a well or cistern to a septic tank, lateral drainage system or seepage pit are unaffected by the new ruling. They remain 50, 70 and 100 feet respectively.

Proper sewage disposal systems are necessary as health safeguards, Mr. Perkins added. Sewage-borne diseases include polio, typhoid, dysentery, and infectious hepatitis.

County health departments throughout the state have detailed diagrams for the installation at no cost.

### PLASTIC FRAMING

Michigan researchers have found that plastic framing can be used in erecting farm buildings. The plastics withstood the strains normally encountered in farm buildings without difficulty.

### EATING MORE CHEESE

The consumption rate of cheese increased 13 per cent from 1957 to 1958, according to the Agricultural Marketing Service. In 1957 it was 5.1 pounds per person, and the following year, 5.9 pounds.

A TIMES WANT AD GETS AMAZING RESULTS!

# Combs Wins \$16,000 For Floyd Mother

I keep reading in the paper and hearing rumors to the effect that Bert T. Combs is a company lawyer and does not represent the working man and woman. I am sick and tired of hearing these Chandler rumors.

My husband was employed at Wheelwright, Kentucky, for Inland Steel Company for many years. After his death I had several infant children to raise. My son, Ralph Johnson, was injured in an automobile accident over a year ago and has never regained consciousness since that accident. I went to Bert T. Combs and employed him to represent me against the company truck involved in this accident.

Bert T. Combs was successful in representing me and we were able to get \$16,000 in settlement of our claim against this company. Thanks to Bert T. Combs and his efforts in helping us. We now have money for food, clothing and for the care of my son.

I think the people should be told about these Chandler lies and false rumors and informed that Bert T. Combs is for the working people.

ROSE JOHNSON  
Price Kentucky

# IT SMELLS OF TEXAS OIL

--YET THE COURIER - JOURNAL  
MADE A DEAL TO SELL KENTUCKY SHORT

## HERE'S THE STORY

On Dec. 30, 1958, John Ed Pearce, editorial writer for the Louisville Courier-Journal, wrote:

"... it is obvious that most of the money being spent in Mr. Combs' behalf—and a great deal is being spent—comes from Clements sources. As one Wyatt supporter quipped after visiting Combs' well-staffed headquarters: 'It smells like Kentucky every day except bill-paying day. Then it smells like Texas.'

"The reference is to the popular assumption that Clements is in this race not for the Governorship but for control of the delegation to the next Democratic Presidential election, in order to promote the candidacy of Senator Lyndon Johnson of Texas."

On Jan. 21, following an all-night, secretive conference between Earle Clements and Wilson Wyatt, a director and general counsel for the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times, the Louisville papers reported:

"Bert Combs and Wilson Wyatt have united.

"Wyatt today withdrew from the Democratic primary race for governor and instead will run for lieutenant governor on a slate headed by Combs.

"The alliance was perfected... in negotiations that began in the utmost secrecy Monday night, at a conference at the Standiford Motel (in Louisville) between Wyatt and Clements who flew here from Washington.

"They talked all night, with a recess at about 7:30 a.m. yesterday. Combs and Richard P. Moloney, of Lexington, organization chairman for the Wyatt campaign, joined the discussion yesterday...

"Last Sunday Wyatt met at his home with his principal backers and advisers—including Moloney, Barry Bingham, editor-in-chief of the Louisville Times and the Courier-Journal, and Mrs. Lennie McLaughlin, secretary of the local organization.

"These advisers urged that a union be made..."

Earlier, the Louisville papers had reported Wyatt as saying, "I have no interest in bartering away any function of the government—administrative or political." Mr. Pearce told of "constant efforts of the Clements people to get (Wyatt) out of the race," but that Wyatt had given "his flat refusal to be bribed."

What do you make of this deal between Kentucky's most powerful newspaper and a ruthless absentee political dictator? What's in it for the Senator from Texas?

WAS SOMEONE PAID OFF—With Texas Oil Money?

## WHY -- IN FACT -- IS COMBS RUNNING?

Hardly ever heard from between Governor races and with absolutely no record of interest at other times in public affairs—not even the PTA—why is this man seeking office again! For the good of Kentucky? And its people? The Courier-Journal says no.

Read what Mr. Pearce has to say:

"The answer lies not so much in Combs as in wily, ponderous, secretive Earle Chester Clements, former Governor, Senator, and acknowledged power behind the Combs campaign."

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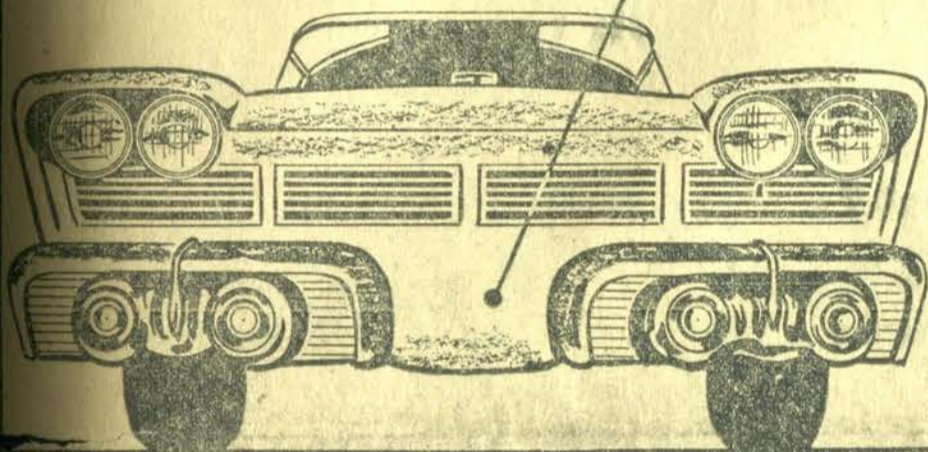
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You may hear Steve and Barb Musto in the revival services with Evangelist Mel Dibble, starting Monday night at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church in Prestonsburg. Services will be conducted each night at 7:30 and daily Tuesday through Saturday from 11:35 a.m. to 12:05. A warm welcome is extended to everyone to attend this Crusade for Christ. (Adv.)

**CAMP PENDLETON, Calif.** — Charles E. Hall, chief boatswain's mate, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hall, of Wheelwright, Ky., serving aboard the attack transport USS George Clymer, took part in the Pacific Fleet's second 1959 amphibious landing exercise, "Operation Big Land", April 1-10, off the Southern California coast and Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Designed for improving the amphibious warfare tactics in this atomic age, the exercise involved 25 ships and 12,000 personnel. Included in the assault landings were the use of the new troop-carrying helicopters which were supported by naval gun fire, frogmen and air operations.

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**Tidbits Of Kentucky Folklore**

By **GORDON WILSON, Ph. D.**

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

Everyone lives, sooner or later in his life, in three worlds: the world of his parents, his own world, and the world of his children and grandchildren. Men and women of my generation have done this strange triple living even more than ordinary people, for they have witnessed in their lives changes that make the patriarchs of song and story look like young upstarts. Every day of my teaching in the last twenty-five years it has been necessary to adjust my thinking, my vocabulary, my attitude to a world that had never been dreamed of in my youth. It is hard on youngsters to dump them into college life after twelve years of rather care-free life in the grades and high school; it is equally hard on the teacher. What their grandparents and great-grandparents were like I know; I grew up with those people. Often it is nearly impossible to meet on common ground when this present generation is around. And yet I have tried to keep in touch with successive college generations of youngsters and have often prided myself on having done fairly well with this hard job. But I wonder sometimes whether I do not seem like a museum to my students, even in the moments when I know that my thinking is as youthful as theirs.

It is certainly not necessary for me to enumerate again the vast physical changes that have taken place since I was born. What the earliest settlers had known was still common practice when I was born. We seemed only a generation or so removed from the patriarchs of the Bible themselves. Pioneers and other famous people were still living, customs had changed only slightly since colonial and Revolutionary days. To start with that and live on, with a youthful mind, into the so-called Atomic Age is a tremendous leap into unknown space. Human nature remains the same, but the outward forms of human conduct have undergone so many changes that we seem to be living on another planet.

In my efforts to avoid becoming an old fogey, I have often appeared much too young for my age, much too active, when the younger ones probably thought I was old enough to retire to a chair, nurse my old joints, and declare that the world is steadily going down hill, that only the old things were and are best. But I often find that my youngest students are much more afraid of life than I ever was or am now; that, with all our going to the moon or some other sort of fantastic effort to break out, few of them are basically other than ultra-conservative, fearful of learning anything that does not fit in to a very pigeon-holed universe as conceived by a small, back country neighborhood, such as Fidelity once was.

Students, though they might hate to admit it, are subject to growing pains, some of them as unanalyzable as those aches we adolescents used to have. But these college pains are mental rather than physical. Changes have come so suddenly, so unpredictably, that the youngsters do not know how to adjust. Having a high school diploma, often the first one ever owned in a whole family; attending college as a new experience, again for the whole family; hearing new views of things that seem far away from one's small little world of childhood—these do stir up the minds and cause queer mental aches. And who are we older ones, who still remember our aches and pains at similar happenings, to back off into a corner and let the younger generation fight it out? When I sit in the bleachers, so to speak, and cheer on the young team, I sometimes forget that it is after the middle of the twentieth century and have to pinch myself to realize that it is not a half century ago, and I am the puzzled young fellow who is having a hard time adjusting to my own world. And that is one of the reasons why I frankly say that I feel sorry for the oldish teacher who is struggling so hard to keep his head above water, to face a generation that has arisen—yes, two generations that have come into being—since I was shivering in my boots at the daily adjustments to life.

**Aged Gunlock Resident Victim At Paintsville; Rites Conducted Friday**

Willie Shepherd, 71, of Gunlock, died Wednesday at 5:30 a.m. at the Paintsville hospital. He had been ill two weeks.

Mr. Shepherd, a retired farmer, was a son of Joe and Frances Stephens Shepherd. His wife, Martha Howard Shepherd, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Ellis Shepherd, Mrs. Effie Crager and Mrs. Ruby Gearheart, all of Hueysville, Estill Shepherd, Silas Shepherd, Mrs. Marie Conley and Mrs. Sallie Salisbury, all of Gunlock, and Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Marion, O. Brothers and sisters surviving are Wilson J. Shepherd, of Gunlock, Cleve Shepherd, Shiloh, O., Mrs. Jane Oney, Greenwich, O., and Mrs. Rebecca Hale, of Pyramid. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday from the home, the Revs. Banner Manns, Jim B. Vanderpools, M. C. Wright and Ed Moore officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Gunlock under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

**Mrs. Melvina C. Campbell, Former Cow Creek Woman Victim At Jackson, Ohio**

Mrs. Melvina Crisp Campbell, former resident of the Cow Creek section of this county, died Monday at the home in Jackson, O., of her daughter, Mrs. Nora Gibson.

She was the widow of Wes Campbell, who died in 1953, and had lived in Ohio since that time. A daughter of Marion and Mary Hubbard Crisp, she was a native of this county. She was a member of the United Baptist Church. Surviving are four sons and four daughters, James C. Campbell, of Lowmansville, Anse Campbell, Mrs. Lizzie Hall, and Mrs. Nora Gibson, all of Jackson, O., Albert Campbell, Thurman, O., Alton Campbell, of Lancer, Mrs. Mollie Garrett, Hamden, O., and Mrs. Emma McSurley, of Drift. She also leaves one brother and one sister, John Crisp, of Tomahawk, and Mrs. Lorena Stephens, of West Virginia. Another brother, Bill Crisp, died only a few days ago.

The body was returned to her home on Cow Creek where funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) by the Revs. Wallace Calhoun and Johnny King. Burial in the family cemetery on Cow Creek was under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

More than three quarters of a million tons of corn went from Midwest states to the southeastern broiler belt in 1958.

**Robinson Forest Site of Outpost Of University**

A log cabin camp in the heart of Robinson Forest, 20 miles east of Jackson and five miles up Buckhorn and Clemons Fork Creeks, will be one of the University of Kentucky's educational outposts again this summer.

The rustic campus, consisting of five cabins—including office, kitchen, dining, sleeping and recreation areas, a bathhouse, and 15,000 acres of forest land—will be the scene of a six-week summer term starting June 16 and continuing through July 25.

Bernard M. Johnson, assistant professor of physical education at the University and director of the camp, said all classes for undergraduates will carry graduate credit. Students may take a maximum load of six hours during the term, choosing from eight courses.

The curriculum is designed primarily for teachers but is not restricted to them. It includes classes in drawing, painting, nature study, physical education, teaching of arithmetic, science and social learning, camping, and ichthyology (a study of fish). Five of the courses are now this year, Johnson stated.

Primarily a forest preserve, the Eastern Kentucky property of the University later was given the added function of serving as a site for summer education programs and is now becoming a popular location for workshops. Among its appeals is its quiet, out-of-doors, next-to-nature atmosphere, Johnson said. The camp has only one telephone.

The summer classes are being presented under the auspices of UK Extended Programs and the College of Arts and Sciences. Around 90 students are expected this year, Johnson stated.

He said new students — those who have not attended the University, either on the Lexington campus or at Camp Robinson for over a year—should complete registration forms at least a month before the June 16 registration date. Necessary forms will be sent upon application to Johnson at the University.

Johnson said classes are limited. Fees for a course carrying three hours of credit range from \$21 for undergraduates who are Kentucky residents to \$60 for out-of-state graduate students. Day camp fee for the course is \$10. A resident camp fee which provides for room and board is \$150.

USDA entomologists have observed and tested a strain of the spotted alfalfa aphid which is capable of surviving and reproducing on several non-dormant clones of alfalfa previously resistant to the insect.

**Expedition of Texas Oil Men Trails "Abominable Snowman"**

An international expedition financed by Thomas Slick and F. Kirk Johnson, Texas oilmen, is now in the high Himalayas seeking the "Abominable Snowman."

Three Soviet groups also are looking for "the elusive giant whose manlike traits drive scientists into furious controversy" and the answer may soon be found reports Albert Q. Maisel in the May Reader's Digest.

Previous expeditions have photographed the creature's tracks, found his droppings and interviewed natives who have seen him. A huge mummified hand in a monastery at Pangboche also has been photographed.

Along with snares and hypodermic guns (special air guns which propel hypodermic cartridges containing a temporarily paralyzing drug), porters of the Slick-Johnson expedition carry a portable X-ray machine to X-ray the Pangboche hand.

"The search has turned into a race," writes Maisel. "Man may soon be destined to meet his nearest cousin, Darwin's missing link."

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**Scouts Are Hostesses At Banquet Scheduled At Grade School Here**

The Prestonsburg Neighborhood Girl Scouts of America, will be hostesses at a Mother-Daughter banquet at the Prestonsburg high school cafeteria, the evening of April 23, it was announced Monday. A box-lunch will be served at 6 p.m.  
Each troop in the Prestonsburg area will participate in the program, which will be the first of its kind planned by local Girl Scouts.

Tobacco products brought six and a half billion dollars in 1958 from cigarette, cigar, pipe users, et al.

**Council of Churchwomen Hold Quarterly Meeting At Church of Christ**

The quarterly meeting of the Prestonsburg Council of Church Women was held at the Arnold Avenue Church of Christ, Wednesday afternoon, April 15.  
Mrs. Burl Spurlock opened the meeting with a short meditation and prayer and conducted the business session.  
Several items were discussed, and reports were given from various committees.  
Mrs. H. B. Wright reported that the Ten Commandments plaques will be ready for presentation to the grade school and high school before the end of the present school term. Mrs. Wright and the Council are grateful to many organizations and to the Floyd County Times for the financial support received for the making of these plaques.  
Mrs. Spurlock named Mesdames R. V. May, F. H. Layne and H. B. Wright to serve as the nominating committee. This committee will present a slate of officers at the August 19th meeting. This quarterly meeting will be held at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church.  
Those attending were: Mesdames Burl Spurlock, Thomas Hereford, Sam Hatcher, L. B. Fairchild, Glen Brickley, C. R. Halstead, Estill Hyden, Hern Burke, Otis Cooley, W. E. Hunt, H. B. Wright, Joe H. Arnett, F. H. Layne, Paul M. Bingham and Harold Ensminger.  
The ladies of the hostess church invited those present into the social rooms for coffee and cake.  
To definitely establish an excess of, or a lack of, certain components in the body as a predisposition to alcoholism would provide an approach to prevention not presently available.

**Roy A. Redmond For Railroad Commissioner**



A prominent Clay county Democrat threw his hat into the ring for the Democratic nomination for Railroad Commissioner of the Third District of Kentucky subject to action of the May 26 primary. He is Roy A. Redmond, of Manchester, Station Manager of Radio Station WWXL at Manchester, Ky.

Mr. Redmond, a graduate of Eastern Kentucky State College, said he is running independently of the gubernatorial aspirants, and would conduct a personal handshaking tour of the area covered by the Third District. He is currently Company Commander of the Army Reserve Unit at Manchester, Kentucky. The 35 year old Clay countian, is married to the former Alberta Gregory and the Redmonds have three sons and one daughter. He was formerly a commercial teacher at Clay county high school. Born in Maysville, Kentucky, Redmond spent most of his life in Northern Kentucky. He has been a resident of Clay county for ten years. He is a veteran, Mason and Civic leader. Vote for Roy A. Redmond, a true friend. Your vote will be appreciated. If elected, he will seek a favorable freight rate for the coal producing area of Eastern Kentucky.  
(Pol. Adv.) 4-23-4t.

Automatic feeders in poultry houses ought to be run at about half-capacity to cut feed wastage, a recent Georgia test noted.

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**Chemical Factor Perhaps a Cause Of Alcoholism**

**By J. COLLIS RINGO**  
**Executive Director Kentucky Commission on Alcoholism**  
Dr. Roger J. Williams, department of chemistry, University of Texas, is one of the true scientists in the world with a keen interest in the problems of alcoholism. Dr. Williams' studies and research projects have added much to the current knowledge on the subject.  
Dr. Williams says: "Environmental factors are potent and indispensable for bringing about alcoholism, but they do not do so unless the person involved possesses the type of metabolic individuality which predisposes to addiction."  
Two studies on "Metabolic Characteristics of Alcoholics" are reported in the current issue of the Quarterly Journal of Studies on Alcohol, based on a research project involving 22 male alcoholics, 20 of whom were patients. Twenty-two men who had no problem with alcohol served as controls. One study was concerned with response to glucose stress; one with serum copper concentrations in alcoholics.  
Portions of these reports are highly technical for a lay reader. However, there were statistically significant differences between the alcoholics and the controls. These studies corroborate Dr. Williams' statement of difference in metabolism individually between the alcoholic and the normal drinker. The marked difference of mineral levels in the blood of alcoholics and the control group is particularly significant.  
This laboratory study, made by Doctors Lorene L. Rogers, and A. M. Gawienowski, reports: "These data would suggest that the high copper levels found in the alcoholic group are not solely the result of years of excessive alcohol consumption, but may be important in a predisposition to the disease. More information concerning the metabolic role of copper, its relationship to other dietary factors, and the reasons for changes in its concentration in the body, is needed in order to resolve this question."  
The results of this study add weight to the theory that the disease of alcoholism is a physical illness. It is possible that further research by biological chemists may provide an answer to the perplexing question, "Why do approximately 7 individuals out of every 100 who drink become alcoholics?"

**Mrs. Rosa Hamilton, 78, Of Printer, Dies Sunday; Funeral Held Tuesday**

Mrs. Rosa Hamilton, 78, of Printer, died Sunday at 6 a.m., at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Wilburn Conn. She was the victim of the infirmities of age following a illness of five months.  
Mrs. Hamilton was a daughter of Hiram and Frances Patton Roberts and the widow of George Hamilton who preceded her in death in 1953. She was a member of the Church of Latter Day Saints for 14 years.  
A surviving son and three daughters, besides Mrs. Conn, are Green Hamilton, Fullerton, Ky., Mrs. Bertha Meade, and Mrs. Larkie Stephens, both of Printer, and Mrs. Graden Martin, of Langley. She had no surviving brothers or sisters.  
Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the Martin Church of Latter Day Saints, Elder Bill Flannery officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Printer under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

**William (Bill) Crisp, 82, Heart Condition Victim; Burial On Arkansas-Cr.**

William (Bill) Crisp, 82, died at the home of a son, Everett Crisp, at Banner, at 2:10 a.m. April 12. He was the victim of a heart condition.  
Mr. Crisp was a son of Martin and Mary Hubbard Crisp. His wife, Sarah Jane Sammons, preceded him in death. He was a retired miner and a member of the United Baptist church for 25 years.  
Surviving sons and daughters besides Everette Crisp, are Sol Crisp, Lorain, O., Jake Crisp, of Allen, Walter Crisp, Ashland, Verden Crisp, and Mrs. Nola Long, both of Martin, and Mrs. Bessie Hamilton, of Eanner. A surviving brother and two sisters are John Crisp, Tomahawk, Ky., Mrs. Melvina Campbell, in Ohio, and Mrs. Louraine Stephens, Square, W. Va.  
Funeral rites were conducted April 14 from the Bamer United Baptist church at 10 a.m., the Revs. Bert Conn, Willie Conn and Johnny King officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Arkansas Creek under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.  
(1.)  
At Paris in 1790 Jacob Spears erected one of Kentucky's earliest distilleries. The whiskey made here was called bourbon, from the county.

**BETSY LAYNE**

The W.S.C.S. of the Vogel-Day Methodist Church, held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Spears. The president, Mrs. Willie Caldwell, presided. Mrs. Lula Hobson presented the program on "A Rapidly Growing Nation."  
Mrs. Willie Caldwell will go to the annual conference to be held at Maysville this month.  
Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Pauline Stumbo, Ruth Stumbo, Della Stumbo, Gladys Barnett, Allie Bea Hall, Bradie Tackett, Jackie Kidd, Polly Kesner, Elizabeth Spears, Dorothy Morrison, Carma Sturgill, Raqua K. Spears, Minnie Hatcher, Lula Hobson, Hattie Mae Hall, Grace Stungill, Willie Caldwell, Arcolas Allen, Betty Layne, Sessie Adams, Alberta Williamson.  
The W.S.C.S. will have a bake sale at Watson's Department Store, Pikeville, April 25.

**HAMPTON ARRIVES**  
Pope Air Force Base, N. C., April 14 — Airman First Class Herbert C. Hampton, of Martin, Ky., has arrived at Pope Air Force Base for duty as a weapons mechanic with the 464th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron.  
The airman, 22, came here following a three-year overseas tour in Germany where he served at Neubiberg and Rhein Main air bases. In service since June, 1955, he attended a weapons and munitions school at Lawry Air Force Base, Colo., before going to Germany.  
A 1c Hampton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hampton, Martin, and he was graduated from Martin high school in 1955. He is married to the former Ingleberg Ziegenbalg, of Munich, Germany.

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**BETSY LAYNE**

The Betsy Layne Boy Scouts spent the week-end, camping out at the Boy Scout camp, Dewey Lake. They were accompanied by their leader, Jack Branham, Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Joe Fannin, Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Fannin, Jr., have returned from a fishing trip in Tennessee.  
Miss Norma Frances Crum Huntington, W. Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Crum during the week.  
Miss Patty Lykins, Eastern State College, spent spring vacation at her home here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Charleston, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Gene D. Davis were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis, of Justell.  
James George, Russell Stratton and Dr. W. C. Hambley, Pikeville, are in Tennessee this week on a fishing trip.  
Mr. and Mrs. Crit Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. John Newberry, and Steve, of Inez, were week-end guests of Mrs. Eliza Blackburn.  
Mrs. Glenn Blackburn visited in St. Paul, Va., this week, where Mr. Blackburn is employed.  
Mrs. T. J. Chandler, of Pikeville, visited in Betsy Layne Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Chandler is a former resident here.

**Mrs. Hattie F. McKenzie, Aged Johnson-Co. Woman Dies At Daughter's Home**

Mrs. Hattie Frazier McKenzie, 83 years old, of Meally, Johnson county, died of a heart attack at the home here of her daughter, Mrs. Charles M. McCoy, at 8:30 p.m., Sunday.  
Mrs. McKenzie's husband, Wallace B. McKenzie, died four years ago, and she had been residing here with her daughter and family for some time. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Frazier, and was a native of Johnson county. She was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church.  
Surviving, besides her daughter here, are five daughters, and one son, Mrs. Ethel Casparro, Mrs. Georgia Williams and Walter McKenzie, all of Columbus, O., Mrs. Nannie Price, Ypsilanti, Mich., Mrs. June Cooper, Man, W. Va., and Mrs. Dorothy Preston, Fairborn, Ohio.  
The funeral was conducted Tuesday at 1 p.m. from the United Baptist Church at Meally, the Rev. Elzie Bates officiating. Burial in the family cemetery on Little Mud Lick, near Staffordsville, was directed by the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

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**WELLS NAMED PRESIDENT OF MUSIC ORGANIZATION**

Morehead, Ky., March 26 — Randall Wells, of Prestonsburg, has been reelected president of the newly reorganized Northeastern Kentucky Celebrity Series.

Wells was formerly president of the Northeastern Kentucky Civic Music Association which with a membership of 2,300 brought leading concert performers from throughout the nation to Morehead.

The Association directors voted the change in name to pave the way toward adding dramatic groups, lecturers and jazz groups to the series held on the Morehead State College campus.



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A wide selection of Kentucky maps has been presented to each of the six state regional libraries in Kentucky by the Maps and Minerals Division of the Department of Economic Development.

The libraries are in Columbia, Eminence, Princeton, Prestonsburg, Glasgow and London. Map types distributed to the libraries include topographic, stream, land use, retail market areas, county data, physiographic, minerals, geologic, and pictorial. The libraries also received explanatory material on topographic mapping.

During the past two years, more than 12,000 map items have been distributed free by the division to public, high school and college libraries in Kentucky.

The State agency library also arranges educational exhibits of maps and map-making methods for public display.

The library carries more than 150,000 copies of map items and related publications in stock. In addition to the types sent to regional libraries, they include ground water, highway, coal mine, oil and gas maps, aerial photographs covering every section of the State, and other varieties of specialized mapping.

A catalog and price list of items sold by the map library is now available and will be sent to interested firms and individuals on request.

**Richard Stanley Named "Soldier of the Month"**

Hq. U. S. 7th Inf. Div., Korea —SP4 Richard Stanley was recently named Soldier of the Month for March by 3rd Infantry. He is a rifle team leader assigned to D Company, and has been with the unit since October.

The son of Mrs. Fannie Stanley of Prestonsburg, he is the fourth of her sons to serve with the armed forces.

**SPORTS CHATTER**  
By GORDON MOORE

**LOOP DEAD**

Efforts to reorganize the six-team Mountain Valley semi-professional baseball league for the 1959 season have failed, according to last season's secretary-treasurer, Don Sullivan.

Thus Eastern Kentucky will be without semi-pro baseball for the first time in a number of years. Sullivan said that economic conditions in Eastern Kentucky was the biggest factor in the loop folding.

Drawings for the Floyd county district baseball tournament placed the expected powers in the upper bracket.

Wheelwright drew a first-round bye and defending district champion McDowell is pitted against Martin in the first game at 10 a.m., Tuesday, May 12.

In the lower bracket, Auxier meets Betsy Layne at 12:30 May 12, and in the final game of the first day's play, Prestonsburg vies with Maytown at 3 p.m.

The upper-bracket semi-finals are scheduled for 12:30, May 13, and the lower round semi-finals for 3 p.m. the same day. Finals will be played

at 1 p.m., May 14. All games will be played at the Drift baseball park. In the event of rain the tournament will be shifted from day to day.

Manual and Flaget, expected to be two of next season's Louisville cage powers, have been named as two of the four teams that will participate in the annual Pikeville Invitational basketball tournament in December. Other than host Pikeville, one team will be announced later.

Paintsville high school will again serve as host to the Eastern Kentucky high school regional golf meet at the Paintsville Country Club, May 20. The defending state high school champions have only Joe VanHoose returning this season. Others on the Paintsville link team are: Farrell Bailey, Joey Rapier, Kendrick Wells and Bob VanHoose. David Butler and Harold VanHoose, who paced the Tigers to the 1958 state championship, are now members of the University of Kentucky freshman golf team.

**Cats' Baseall Record Evened by Auxier Win; Downed by Oil Springs**

Coach Bill Goebel's Prestonsburg Blackcats traveled to Johnson county for their season opener where the Oil Springs Wildcats put the damper on the Blackcats' bats for a 3-1 victory. It was a pitcher's duel between the Blackcats' portside, Arnold Cooley, and Oil Springs' Green. Green gave the Blackcats only three hits, one a bunt single. The Wildcats bunched three singles and a triple by Blair in the fourth inning to register their three runs and the victory.

The Blackcats evened their season record however, Saturday at Auxier defeating the Hornets 6-1. Last season Goebel was the coach at Auxier and his new charges defeated his former school as Bill Hall pitched a masterful two-hit game for his first high school victory, although one of the hits was a line drive home run by Paul Daniels. The Blackcats collected seven hits, including a triple by Ferman Akers and three doubles, two by Wendell Childers. The victory evens the Blackcats' record at 1-1 for the season.

Prestonsburg	AB	R	H	E
Anderson, 2b	2	0	1	0
Chaffins, 2b	1	0	0	0
F. Akers	1	0	0	0
Ousley, ss	3	0	1	0
Dotson, cf	3	0	0	0
Childers, 3b	2	0	0	0
C. Akers	1	0	0	0
Dawson, cf	1	0	0	0
DeBoard, rf	0	0	0	0
Leslie, 1b	3	1	1	1
Hughes, c	3	0	0	0
Cooley, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	24	1	3	1

Oil Springs	AB	R	H	E
R. Castle, cf	3	0	0	0
Van Hoose, 2b	3	0	0	0
Clay, ss	2	1	0	0
Grim, 3b	2	1	1	2
Blair, lf	2	1	1	0
Hackworth lf	1	0	0	0
Daniels, 1b	3	0	0	0
Pelphrey, rf	3	0	1	0
G. Castle, c	2	0	2	0
Green, p	2	0	0	0
Totals	23	3	5	2

Prestonsburg	AB	R	H	E
Dotson, cf	2	2	0	0
Ousley, ss	4	0	0	0
C. Akers, lf	4	1	1	0
Cooley, lf	0	0	0	0
Childers, 3b	3	2	2	0
Hughes, c	3	0	1	0
F. Akers, rf	4	0	2	0
Leslie, 1b	2	0	0	0
Chaffins, 2b	3	0	0	0
Clifton, 2b	0	0	0	0
Hall, p	2	1	0	0
Totals	27	6	7	0

Auxier	AB	R	H	E
Patton, 2b	3	0	0	0
Wireman, ss	3	0	0	0
Childers, cf	3	0	1	0
Curnette, c	3	0	0	0
Daniels, 1b	3	1	1	0
D. Wells, lf-p	3	0	1	0
Hopson, 3b	1	0	0	1
M. Wells, 3b	0	0	0	0
Taylor, rf	1	0	0	0
Litz, rf	1	0	0	0
Webb, p-lf	2	0	0	1
Totals	23	1	2	3

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**Commencement Plans For W'Wright Schools Announced This Week**

The schedule for commencement at Wheelwright high school is complete, Boone Hall, principal of the school said. The public is invited to attend any or all of the exercises.

The complete program follows: Senior play at the high school auditorium April 24, 7:30 p.m.

The Junior-Senior banquet and prom will be May 2; the Barnette All-Stars of Bluefield, Va., to provide the music for the prom.

Senior trip will be May 6,7,8,9. This year, the trip will be made by some 70-80 seniors. The group will be under the direction of their sponsor, Charles Curry, and will spend two full days in Washington, D.C., visiting the many historic spots in our national capitol.

The baccalaureate sermon will be held in the high school auditorium May 10 at 2 p.m. The Rev. J. S. Bell, of Hindman, will be the speaker. Class night will be May 12 in the high school auditorium.

Final graduation will be held in the high school gym, May 15, at 7:30 p.m. This, of course, will be the highlight of commencement week. Verne P. Home, former superintendent of schools of Johnson county, and now head of the Public Relations Department of K.E.A., will be the speaker for the occasion.

**14 From Floyd County Honor Banquet Guests At Pikeville College**

Pikeville, Ky., April 20 (Spl.) —There are 14 Floyd countians among the 103 Pikeville College students from seven Eastern Kentucky counties and six other states who will be guests at Pikeville's annual honors banquet tonight (Thursday).

The honor guests will be those who earned average grades of B or better as full-time students in the first semester of this school year. They represent all college classes, freshman through senior.

Included are students from Boyd, Floyd, Knott, Letcher, Martin, Montgomery, and Pike counties, Kentucky, and from West Virginia, Virginia, Ohio, Florida, New York and South Carolina.

Honor students from Floyd county are: Lois B. Allen, Martin; Chester Bailey, Garrett; Frank A. Bailey, Garrett; Douglas Chaffins, Garrett; Herschel Flanery, Langley; Janelle Hall, Allen; Sara N. Hill, Prestonsburg; Wilbur R. Jamerson, Bypro; Kenneth C. Leslie, West Prestonsburg; Martha M. Osborne, Bevinville; Mary L. Osborne, Bypro; Everett H. Patton, Prestonsburg; Raymond E. Ratcliff, Lancer; and Alice V. Williams, Betsy Layne.

**Little League Meet Set Monday Evening**

A meeting of all persons here who are interested in Little League baseball will be held at the Municipal building at 7:30 p.m., Monday, it was announced this week.

Kentucky supplied more than 75,000 soldiers to the nation during World War I.

**To Farm Bureau Members**

The Floyd County Farm Bureau will offer for sale on the highest bid offered by a Floyd County Farm Bureau member, on Saturday, April 25, at 11 a.m., at the farm of Lawrence Hale on Brush Creek, one purebred Guernsey bull calf, three months old.

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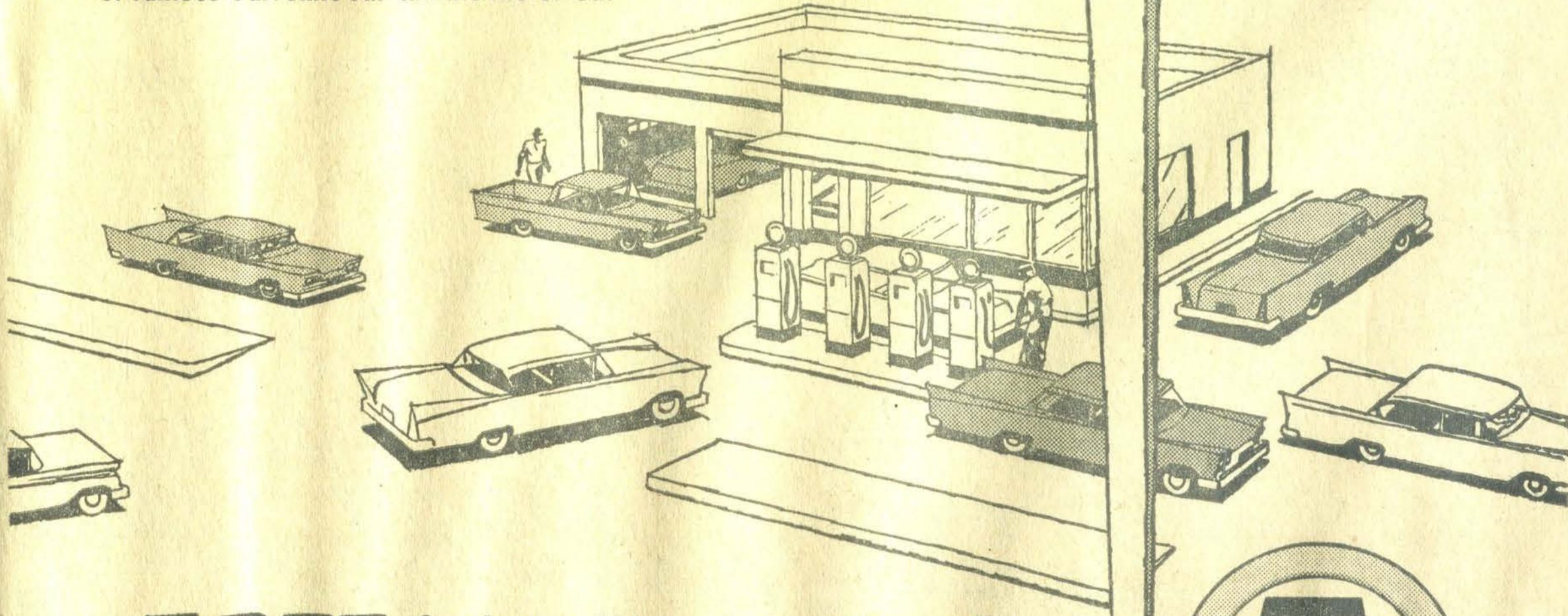
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