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MEETING SET
The Sewing and Crafts committee of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club will resume its Tuesday night work on January 10. Those interested in making enclosure cards, note paper, Christmas cards for next year, etc., are asked to be present at 7:30 p.m. at the Reading Room of the Regional Library on that date for the beginning session of a class in linoleum block printing.

CHRISTMAS EVE HOSTS
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett entertained to dinner on Christmas Eve Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett and son, of Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Salisbury and children, of Martin, Ed Hill, Sr., of Ormond Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Ollie Hill.

VISITORS MONDAY
Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Fielding, of Olive Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens, Florence, Ala., Capt. and Mrs. Arm. Fields, Atlanta, Ga., were guests of Mrs. Reba Hale, Monday, at her home at Lancer.

VISIT O.E.S. CHAPTERS
Patsy Evans and Dr. William Blair made their official visit to Louisaville Chapter, O.E.S., Dec. 27. Buffet dinner was served to members and the honored guests before the meeting. Also attending from here were Leatha Joy, worthy patron, Marilyn Adams, Ruth and DeGarmo DeRossett, and Thelma Jones and Betty Faye Stiecker, of Del-R.

Mrs. Evans and Dr. Blair made their official visit Monday night, Jan. 2, to Stone Chapter, O.E.S. After the instructions were given by the deputy grand matron, Mrs. Evans, and the deputy grand patron, Dr. Blair, the meeting was closed and refreshments were served to the members and the following guests: Mrs. Evans, Dr. Blair, Leatha Joy, Ester Evans and Ruth DeRossett.

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MOVE HERE FROM DETROIT
Mrs. Lillian Pelphrey, of Detroit, moved last week into the property recently purchased from Delmar Baldrige at Lancer.

CONVALESCING IN FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hughes left Sunday for Pompano Beach, Fla., where Mr. Hughes will enjoy the sunshine following major surgery at the Cleveland Clinic a few weeks ago.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood entertained to Christmas dinner at their home at Lancer, Mrs. Reba Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranier, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hale Ranier, Tom Kay and Allan Ranier, Phillip and Rebecca Haywood.

HAS TONSILLECTOMY
Karen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Evans, underwent a tonsillectomy, Dec. 27, at the Paintsville hospital. She is recovering nicely at home.

ENTERTAIN FAMILY GROUP
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clarke entertained to dinner at their home on Arnold avenue, Dec. 20 honoring her father, Ed Hill, Sr., of Ormond Beach, Fla. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, Mrs. Ruth O'Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Lon C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, Jack Hill, Joe Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hewlett, Rochester, N. Y., and the honor guest.

DINNER GUESTS
Mrs. Joe M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett Sowards entertained during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne, Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, Paintsville, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Harris Howard entertained a group of friends to a New Year's party at their home on Arnold avenue, Saturday evening, from 9 until 12:30. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Egan, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goble, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Heinze, Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. Astor Méade, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hatton, St. Matthews.

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ENTERTAINS FAMILY GROUPS
Mrs. Rebecca Dingus entertained her family group on Christmas to dinner and supper. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray Collins and baby, Jerri Collins, Margaret Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Elizabeth Graham, Jim and Gwendolyn Carolyn Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dingus, Rash Harris. Other guests were Mrs. G. R. Allen, Miss Mary E. Powers and Troy B. Sturgill.

HOME FROM HONOLULU
William B. Wills arrived here last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Wills, on First avenue. He has been stationed with the U. S. Army in Honolulu for the past three years and received his discharge recently.

BURIAL IN CHICAGO
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keenon accompanied the body of his mother, Mrs. Lillian Keenon, to Chicago, Ill., Monday, via train from Ashland. Mrs. Keenon was buried beside her husband in a Chicago cemetery.

VISIT HEWLETTS
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fridley and sons, of Columbus, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hewlett and children, of Rochester, N. Y., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, here during the holidays.

DR. PAGE SUPPLIES PULPIT
Dr. A. A. Page, president of Pikeville College, supplied the Presbyterian Church pulpit here last Sunday at the morning service. Rev. Chisholm, the new pastor, is expected to arrive soon.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED
Announcement was made here this week of the birth of a daughter, Sarah Smythe Hill, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smythe Hill, of Chapel Hill, N. C. Mrs. Hill is the former Cleve Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, now of Mt. Sterling, formerly of Prestonsburg.

JOINS WACS
Miss Etta Wilcox left Friday for Ft. Knox where she was re-inducted into U. S. Army. Miss Wilcox will resume her nursing career in the army.

PRE-CHRISTMAS PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peltry and Miss Patty Peltry entertained a small group of friends at a pre-Christmas party at their home on North Lake Drive, December 22. The holiday motif was carried out in decorations of holly, cedar and tree. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Lida D. Spradlin, G. R. Allen, Osa F. Ligon, Everett Sowards, Joe A. Spradlin, John R. Clark, Myrtle Allen, F. L. Heinze, Miss Ella Noel White.

TO MEET JANUARY 10
John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Jan. 10 at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Gracie D. Ford on First avenue. Mrs. Harry Sandridge, the program leader, will present a program on the topic, "Who Makes Our Laws Today?" All members are urged to attend.

STORES ENTERTAIN EMPLOYEES
The Francis Stores entertained their employees to a dinner on December 18 at the Wise Cafe. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, Mr. and Mrs. Junior May, Mrs. Josephine Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Isbell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis, Billy Gordon Francis, Mrs. Ruth F. Isbell, and Mrs. Modena Hodges, Okalona, Miss., a former employee.

CHRISTMAS DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade entertained to dinner on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt, of Mt. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White and Miss Ella Noel White.

CO-HOSTESS TO COFFEE
Mrs. Olga M. Latta and Mrs. Clifford B. Latta, Jr., were co-hostesses to a coffee last Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Latta from 10 until 12 o'clock. The home was decorated in the holiday motif with pine, a decorated tree and burning red candles. The coffee table in the dining room was lovely with its cut linen cloth, centered with red and white carnations in a silver basket, flanked by tall branched silver candelabra holding red candles. Presiding at the tea and coffee urns were Miss Julia Mayo May and Mrs. James Williams. More than a hundred guests called during the morning.

MAKING EXTENDED VISIT
Mrs. Modena Hodges, of Okalona, Miss., arrived recently for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Camicia, and family. She will remain until early February.

SURPRISE PARTY
Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting Monday, Dec. 26. Preceding the meeting a surprise birthday party was given in honor of the chapter's Adah, Aveline Thompson. This party was given by her husband. The dining room was decorated, and in the center of the table was a huge birthday cake with candles. Happy Birthday was sung, and refreshments were served. A large number of friends attended.

BOWL GAMES PARTY AND DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus were hosts to the annual bowl games party and dinner at their home on Highland avenue, Monday afternoon and evening. Following the games, a covered-dish dinner was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. William O. Goebel, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Combs, Mrs. Billie Harkins, Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. James Camicia, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe, Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mahan, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Mandt.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mrs. Walter Scott Harkins, III, of Prestonsburg, announces the engagement of her daughter, Barbara Baker Harkins, to Mr. Charles A. Wiechers, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wiechers, Sr., of Prestonsburg. Miss Harkins is attending the University of Kentucky. She and Mr. Wiechers, a former University student, will continue their studies at the University this second semester.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis were hosts to a New Year's party at their home on Trimble Branch, Saturday evening. The holiday motif was carried out in decorations throughout the house. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mahan, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Ed Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Mr. and Mrs. James Camicia, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Short, Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Archer, Dr. and Mrs. William F. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hayes, Buford Short, Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Mandt and Mrs. Billie Harkins, Lexington.

FAMILY DINNER
Judge and Mrs. Edward P. Hill entertained a family group to dinner, Dec. 23, at their home at Cliff. Covers were laid for Judge Ed Hill, Ormond Beach, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Lon C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, Miss Sally Hill, Deland, Fla., Judge and Mrs. Hill.

OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS
Mrs. Earle Tackett, Gaston, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Dials and children were of Mrs. Lillian Pelphrey's, Arthur Haywood this week.

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RETURN TO NORFOLK
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Torrech and children, Mickey, Larry and Vickie Carole, returned to their home in Norfolk, Va., Sunday after a two-week visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robie Marcum. Mrs. Kenneth Verley accompanied them home and will also visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark at Hampton, Virginia.

CHRISTMAS DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin entertained to Christmas dinner Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, William Arnold Spradlin, Greenville R. Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Howard, Vickie Howard, Mrs. Ridda S. Findlayson, Mr. and Mrs. Mark G. Nicholas, and Miss Johnnie Findlayson.

NEW YEAR'S DINNER
Mrs. May Ford Hyden entertained her family group to New Year's dinner at her home Sunday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Torrech and children, of Norfolk, Va.

ENTERTAIN AT ALLEN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson entertained to dinner on Christmas and several days after at the home of H. T. Allen, on Court street. The Hobsons reside there and had as their guests Messrs. Allen and Mrs. Myrtle Allen.

ENTERTAIN TO DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis entertained to dinner at noon on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe, Miss Grace Marrs, Mrs. Wm. Osborne, Miss Anna Lou Allen, Pikeville.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS
Mr. and Mrs. Mark G. Nirhols, Webster Springs, Va., spent the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, and family. They returned home Tuesday after Christmas.

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Hominy, No. 2 1/2 Can	5c
Shawnee Peaches, No. 2 1/2 C	5c
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Peaches, 8 oz.	5c
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PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Men and children, of Pikeville, Jr. and Mrs. Herman Minix, of Paintsville, were Christmas guests of Mrs. Carol M. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis entertained to dinner on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb and children, of St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb, Jr., of Germantown, Ohio, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wrix and Mr. and Mrs. Bill May.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Bradley, of Paintsville, spent Christmas and New Year's Day here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige.

Mr. and Mrs. Hersh Graham spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson and children, in Columbus, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Pelfrey and Miss Patty Pelfrey visited relatives at Princeton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus spent Christmas Day with her sister, Mrs. Wayne Chett, and children in Pikeville.

Mrs. C. L. Prichard, Harold, visited her nephew, Sn Hatcher, and family here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. James Neske, of Mt. Sterling, spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. N.M. White and Mrs. Donald LeMeade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. LeHall and niece, Connie, of Lexington, Ky., Bill Bailey, Ft. Knox, George Glenn Hatcher, Frankfort, and Sherrid Bailey, of Beaumont, spent the holidays with Mr. Frank Jarral and family.

Miss Judith Carol Tate returned to Tallahassee, Florida, Sunday, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Florida State College.

Mrs. Louise Elkins has returned from Oklahoma and will remain here permanently.

Mrs. Lucy Ransom returned home last week from Bethesda, Maryland, where she spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Phil Schroeder, and Mr. Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Print Ball and son, of Huntington, spent the holidays here with Mrs. Alice Ball and Mrs. Lila Lafferty.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Clarke, of Lexington, spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Hyden, and family.

Debbie Stephens, of Mansfield, O., visited her grandmother, Mrs. Virginia Stephens, here last week. She returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansford and sons, Steve and Thomas, spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Linsinger, on and avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Estep and son, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren on Highland avenue.

Joe M. Davidson and Mrs. H. Sowards were supper of Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. in Paintsville, Thursday evening.

Turpin and son, of Irvine, Christmas houseguests of her mother, Mrs. Paul C. Combs, and

Loretta and Robin Goble, of Louisville, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick and Kendrick here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leake, of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent the holidays here with their daughter, Mrs. Kilmer Mr. Combs and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Howard returned to their home in Princeton, J., the latter part of the after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard.

Grace D. Ford spent Christmas-end with her son, Carl, and Mrs. Ford in Berea. J. O. Salyers, of Louisville, was the holiday houseguest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Patrick, Jr., and family.

Jane Day Auxier returned to Chester, Sunday, after spending the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Mary Auxier Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Bob Simpson and children, returned to Louisville after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dick, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. of Pikeville returned to their home in Ashland after spending the holidays here with Mrs. R.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and children, of Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Morton McMurray, of Paintsville, Tenn., spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Homer herisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, of Frankfort, were holiday houseguests of her mother, Mrs. Bess S. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Astor Meade and children, of Lexington, spent the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Ethel S. Cross, on Graham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandige entertained to dinner on Christmas Mrs. Myrtle Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne returned to their home in Ashland, last week after spending the holidays here with Mrs. Joe M. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Clark, St. Albans, W. V., spent the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Osa F. Igon, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson, Jr., and sons.

Mrs. Nannie Bowling joined Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowling and family, of Pikeville, and spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Azra Bowling at Warco.

Miss Mary Jo Newcombe, of Metuchen, New Jersey, visited Lucien Burke here this week before returning to the University of Kentucky.

Mrs. Billie Harkins, Vickie Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Harkins, III, and son, Joseph D. Harkins, IV, of Lexington, spent New Year's week-end here with Mrs. Reba B. Harkins and Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keenon, Silver Springs, Md., were here this week for the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Keenon. They returned home Sunday.

Miss May Beam, of Lexington, visited her sisters, Mrs. Bill Hubbard and Mrs. Pearl Bingham, here this week.

Miss Combs returned to Philadelphia this week after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lambert and children, of Huntington, W. Va., spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Sparlock.

Mrs. W. R. Gray and Mrs. Gladys Powell had as their dinner guests, Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. DeGarmo DeRossett and Gregory Ray.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. Thomas, of Kansas City, Kansas, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Allen Christmas eve. Also visiting the Allens through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Allen, and Ballard, Jr., of Louisville, and Mont Collins, of Prestonsburg.

ENTERTAIN CHOIR GROUP

Mr. and Mrs. Hern Burke entertained several members of the Community Methodist Church choir Friday evening. After choir practice at the church they returned to the Burke home for informal singing around the piano. Mrs. Burke, assisted by Mrs. Fred Dickerson, choir director, served refreshments to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crum, Mrs. Joe Weddington, Mrs. Paul Taylor, Miss Patricia Howard, Eddie Ward, John Warrick, Hern Burke, Della Lou Burke and Mary Margaret Ward.

IN HOSPITAL

Chester Meade is quite ill at the Paintsville hospital, and has received blood transfusions during the week.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Jesse Lafferty, Jr., underwent a brain operation at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, last Friday. Her condition is favorable to an early recovery.

NOTICE

Suits to collect city delinquent taxes have been filed in Prestonsburg police court against the following:

W. W. Cooley, Scott Craft, Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., Mack Harmon, Robie Howard, Henry Montgomery, Emmet Ousley, Willie Parker, Woodrow Salyer, Frank A. Vaughan. If your city taxes are delinquent and you do not want to pay court costs, come in and settle at once with your delinquent tax collector at the Municipal building, (adv.-11.)

In 1803, Thomas Lincoln bought the Mill Creek farm as a home for his mother.

Heart Attack Claims Jonas Stone, of Raven; Rites Held Wednesday

Jonas Stone, 62, former Raven, Knott county, postmaster, was claimed by a heart attack at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at home.

Mr. Stone was a son of Morgan and Susannah Stone and the husband of Nora Bolen Stone, who survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Lawrence Stone, of Raven, Mrs. Lula Hall Logan, W. V., Mrs. Ruth-alo Blackburn, Sarasota, Fla., and Margie Stone, LaGrange, Ohio. A brother, D. P. Stone, of Raven, and a sister, Mrs. Ardelia Stone, of Dema, survive.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, at the home, the Revs. Eppie Holbrook, Green Bradley, Hawley Warrens, E. V. Hopkins and others officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Raven under the direction of Turner & Ryan Funeral Home.

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BUTCHER SQUEEZES WOODS INTO SECOND PLACE; BEARS SHARPSHOOTER IS SETSER

Adding the rebounding lead to the first places he already held on the Pikeville College Bears, in scoring and assists, Dennis Butcher has squeezed Vern Woods into second place at the backboard art for the first time this year.

Butcher grabbed 31 rebounds in Pikeville's first two games in the Camp Lejeune Christmas tourney, the only games recognized by the colleges' national athletic associations since the third was against a service team, the Camp Lejeune Marines.

The 31 saves give him a total of 113 in eight games for an average 14.1, up only 0.4 from the previous week. But it's good enough to top Woods, whose 13.8 sagged to 13.6 as foul trouble shortened his appearances in the tourney contests.

A new sharpshooter appears in

Pikeville ranks as reserve forward Ronie Francisco shows the only improved field-goal accuracy on the club. Francisco, with a blazing five hits on six attempts in limited action, rose to 56.5 per cent with 13 buckets on 23 tries.

Paul Setser, the Bears' previous field sharpshooter, fell from 58.5 to 56.3 as the week's work gave him a total of 49 buckets on 87 shots. Butcher and Vern Woods held steady at 55.0 and 52.0 per cent respectively, while everyone else shows a poorer eye for the basket.

Everett Horn, last year's leader at free-throw percentage, has half a hand on that title again as both he and Butcher slipped from their earlier accuracies, 82.6 and 82.8 per cent respectively, to share the lead at 80.0. Butcher has canned 88 of 110 tries, and Horn 28 of 35.

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Millard, Travis, Joseph, Virgie Lee and Martha Lou Isaacs, Mrs. Mary Sue Johnson and Miss Jetty Verl Isaacs, all of Bypro, Mrs. Samantha Cornette, of Lexington, Mrs. Maudie Yates and Mrs. Fosten Johnson, both of Chicago, and Mrs. Aileen Dakceck, North Judson, Indiana.

Funeral rites were conducted from the residence of the victim's mother, Dec. 27, by the Revs. H. Bates, J. W. Bates and Henry Little. Burial was made in the Isaacs cemetery at Topmost, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home officiating.

Which buttons should be buttoned on a three-buttoned suit? There's no strict rule. Most men look best, and suits hang better, with only the middle one buttoned.

Refrigerator temperatures help to keep nuts from becoming rancid. Store in airtight containers to protect from air. Unshelled nuts keep better than shelled ones.

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Carbohydrates help you absorb calcium from the foods you eat. Dextrin, released as starch digests, coaxes calcium in your blood stream to work for you. For example, the carbohydrates in bread helps you get the most from its calcium and from the calcium of milk and leafy green vegetables.

THANKS TO FRIENDS
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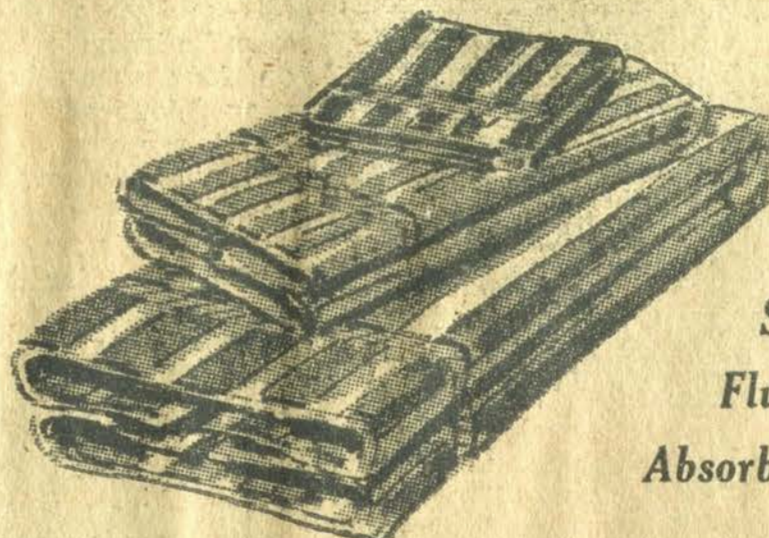
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Joe H. Johnson, 61, Of Melvin, Claimed At Martin Hospital

Joe H. Johnson, 61, of Melvin, died Wednesday, Dec. 21, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, following a stroke. A native of Knott county and a son of Henry and Hannah Hall Johnson, he had resided at Melvin for 40 years.

Mr. Johnson is survived by the following sons and daughters: Malen Johnson, Dow Johnson, Kelly Johnson, Mrs. Mary Tackett and Mrs. Lina Johnson, all of Melvin, Mandor Johnson, of Weeksbury, and Sonny Johnson, of Wales.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m., Dec. 24 at the Joppa Regular Baptist Church at Melvin, the Revs. Jerry Hall, Hershel Huff, Robert Bates and others officiating. Burial was made in the Tackett cemetery at Melvin under the direction of Merion & Call Funeral Home.

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TIDBITS of Kentucky Folklore

Whoever says he has no superstitions is either ignorant of what superstitions are or is handling the truth carelessly. You see, superstitions exist on so many levels that what seems like superstition to one person seems like gospel truth to another, and vice versa. Most people think of the lowest level of superstition when they mention the practices that certainly do go a long way back into the early history of the race and are known now chiefly among very crude and primitive people. Talismans and charms are among these superstitious things. My washerwoman when I first went away to teach school wore a human tooth around her neck. I did not know then just what significance that object had unless it was to prevent toothache. Later I learned that it was a charm against hoodoo. If she hadn't worn that tooth, nobody knows what terrible calamities might have come to her from an enemy or a rival. Undoubtedly she felt safe when she had that tooth hanging around her neck and thus tied herself to her ancient relatives in Africa. My ex-neighbor who tied up nine kinds of weed tops in a bag and then hung the bag inside the chimney, where it would dry up and disappear soon, felt sure that this rite would cure her daughter of chills and fever. It must have done good, so far as I know, she hasn't had a chill in fifty years. Charms against disease, the evil eye, all sorts of bad luck—most of us could name many. But most of us would turn up our noses if someone suggested that our amusement was wicked and might bring down some great calamity upon us.

A little amount of crude magic lies thickly associated with the weather. The weather signs have a grain of truth in them. I am afraid that hanging a dead snake, back down on a limb, to produce rain belongs with our most primitive customs. I did that once, somewhat sneakily, but no rain came soon. That somewhat destroyed my attempt to regulate the weather. I fell back on the almanac, which not only knew but had it all down in print. Print, in primitive or higher levels, is hard to argue with. I found that out some years ago when a book on Kentucky located Paducah on the Mississippi River rather than on the Ohio; it was in a book; who was I to suggest that the book might be mistaken? The typical classification of all objects of nature is as much a matter of superstition as some of the weather signs. Animals are good or bad, not according to any scientific study that has been made of them but because we heard some elderly person say so. Nearly every animate thing has some bad sign attached to it.

I was hurt when I found out, after leaving Fidelity, that the Whippoorwill is a bad omen when it sings near the house. At Fidelity we could get our wishes gratified by lying down wherever we were when we heard the first Whippoorwill and rapidly rolling over three times, meanwhile making our dearest wish. But even on the ridge that I could see from our tobacco barn this same bird, I was to learn after I grew up, was almost feared. To his good day most people look upon snakes and hawks as all vicious, worthy of death and extermination.

With all these levels of belief, however, more primitive people are rarely any more hedged in with superstition than the rest of us are. Half of our conception of history—and I mean OUR as referring to literate people—is pure legend, unsupported by any documents or worthy witnesses. Our political affiliations are equally intangible and prejudiced, though there are signs that some of this is passing. And it is sometimes the best evidence of folkishness to test some fellow on his religion, for most of us believe in the Law, the Prophets, and also a lot of traditional prejudice that we regard just about as highly.

CREEP-FED LAMB TEST
Lexington, Ky.—Will creep-feeding lambs always pay off? Not necessarily, if a University of Kentucky test run last season at the Princeton Experiment Substation is an indication.

EGG-GRADING SCHOOL TEST
Lexington, Ky.—A school on grading, packaging and marketing eggs will be held at the University of Kentucky here, Jan. 17-19.

REFUGEE OPENS DECEMBER 1
With one of the poorest seasons in a decade in 1959, Kentucky's farmers anxiously await this year's waterfowl season. And experts agree that an upswing in the duck and goose population along the Mississippi Flyway seems probable.

STATE SHEEP INDUSTRY
Lexington, Ky.—One meeting on the program of the 49th annual Farm-Home Week program here Jan. 31-Feb. 3 will be on revitalizing Kentucky's sheep industry.

TIDBITS of Kentucky Folklore

Clark ended by suggesting that the board forget "old board and new board nonsense" and rededicate itself to a good school program.

Discord broke out when there was an attempt to approve the minutes of the previous meeting with Hall saying he would vote for their accuracy but objecting to several orders he had opposed in December. He said that his vote for approval would be tantamount to agreement.

Howard's first resolution provided that the rules and regulations under which the board had heretofore been operating be repealed and that new rules and regulations be substituted. Howard spelled the new ones out in eight successive resolutions. One change was to move the time of board meetings from the first Tuesday in each month to the first Saturday and the meeting place from the superintendent's office to the circuit court room.

Resolution No. 1 provided that the administrative and educational divisions be administered by the county superintendent. It spelled out the powers and duties of the Commission of Property and Buildings to effectively concentrate the entire business management of the system in its hands. The director of personnel was empowered to classify and administer tests to all employees.

Frazier and Allen were voted salaries of \$100 a month as Commissioners. The order denied Clark any increase in pay for his services as Commissioner. Conley was voted a salary of \$500 per month as director of personnel.

Bill Blair objected to a vote on the first resolution, saying he hadn't had time to study the proposal. Howard pointed out that the "old board" hadn't given him and Hall opportunity to study matters.

"Then you are going to treat me the same way?" Blair inquired.

Superintendent Clark intervened here to say: "I want to tell you if your actions are illegal you are personally liable for the funds expended."

Howard ignored Clark's observation and offered his resolution to require the superintendent to compile and furnish data on all teachers and other employees in the system, curriculum, operations cost, and list of properties held. Blair voted with the anti-administration members for this but Stumbo abstained.

Resolution No. 6 provided that all employees of the school system be interviewed by the board on four successive days, beginning Wednesday in the circuit court room with assistant superintendents, supervisors, attendance officers and clerical employees being examined. Thursday was set for the material supervisors and employees. Friday was to be given over to interview of the maintenance forces, and Saturday devoted to interviewing the transportation director and employees under his supervision. To this resolution Howard, Hall and Cooley voted in the affirmative, Blair abstained and Stumbo voted "no."

One of Howard's resolutions was that the Property and Building Commission meet with the Floyd County Teachers Association and formulate a plan of hospital insurance for all employees of the school system and report to the next board meeting.

Following the resolution to stop plans to remodel the old high school building here as headquarters for the school system, the board adjourned from the superintendent's office to the upstairs courtroom. On the proposal to move upstairs the board was unanimous.

The meeting in the circuit court room, which began at 3 p. m., was a denial of action on practically all proposals by Clark as Howard countered that these matters were covered by the resolutions.

Besides a denial of action on several minor proposals of Clark with Howard's oft-repeated assertion that these matters were covered by the previous resolutions, the proposal to advertise for bids on the Big Mud Creek elementary school was stymied with a three-two vote. Clark argued that he wanted "to" have the building

ready by snowfall next year. Blair and Stumbo voted to advertise. It was noted in Resolution No. 9 that it was contemplated Federal funds would soon be available for this type of construction under the distressed areas program.

CANEY CHRISTMAS PROJECT SENDS 50,000 'PRETTIES'

The Caney Christmas Project this year has sent donated "pretties" to 50,000 schoolchildren of nearby mountain schools. The project began in October as the first parcels of donated gifts came into the Center from friends all over the county.

The Caney Junior College girls will continue to wrap and send "pretties," even after the Christmas holidays are over, to several schools that might rather get gifts in January than not at all.

Among the students and workers who gave their time to this work of bringing happiness to the children were: Patty Cochran, of Hunter; Sue Ann Whitaker, of Garrett; Betty Jo Lewis, of Mare Creek; Iawna Case, of Drift; Velda Dollarhide, of Whitesburg; Juanita Moore, of Garrett; Betty Grigsby, of Cordia; Norenda Coleman, of Printer (students); and Pearl Hansen, Iah Rickard, and Rild Watson (workers).

These gifts went to more than 1,900 school teachers, for the pupils whose name, age, and sex had been sent in to Caney Creek as far back as almost the first week of school.

Lists were still coming in when Christmas vacations arrived, and many teachers who had sent lists and postage quite early could not, however, receive presents for their room because of lack of time to

Frankfort, Ky.—The Louisville museum needs a new home, according to Col. Lucien Beekner, Director-Curator of the museum.

The present and unsatisfactory location of them useum is at 743 South 5th Street, in a for erschool building, erected in 1857 and occupied by the museum in 1949. The institution is a non-profit organization, supported by the city of Louisville, and is admissions free to the public.

MULKEY IN GERMANY

Mannheim, Germany—Army Pfc Willie J. Mulkey, son of Mrs. Lona Mulkey, Harold, Ky., participated with other personnel from the VIII Corps Artillery in Operation Flash Back in Europe. The 12-day exercise ended Sept. 30.

The exercise tested the efficiency of Seventh U.S. Army Support Command units under actual field conditions, and involved NATO land, sea and air forces.

Mulky, a mechanic in the artillery Headquarters Battery, entered the Army in 1941 and arrived overseas on this tour of duty in October 1957.

prepare so many. Caney Creek has the job of sending letters and turning postage to all these.

Among the handsomer gifts were the ones prepared for the Caney grade school and high school—of course, those for the Caney or college students and faculty.

Thus is continued a custom which Mrs. Alice Lloyd began because "she could see no excuse for doing something to make others happy, if she could only have the opportunity to do it."

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The Steering Wheel—A Death's Head

The Louisville Courier-Journal's editorial writers this year may reasonably be expected to cover a wide range of subjects with their usual high ability, but it is almost certain they will not again during 1961 achieve any editorial page as striking as that of January 2.

As many of that newspaper's readers will recall, that entire page was covered by a list, county by county, of those who died during 1960 in traffic accidents. The grisly necrology had as a "centerpiece" a death's-head steering wheel from which dangled the crepe of mourning.

As of December 29, 749 lives had been claimed on Kentucky highways during the past year. Thirteen of these who died so needlessly were from Floyd county.

Of the 13 claimed by traffic fatalities in this county, three were children, and not one of the victims had reached the age of 50. All could have reasonably been expected to have years of productive life and endeavor ahead of them.

Cancer is a terrible enemy of the race; heart disease claims its thousands in this country each year. But no malady known to man is so fraught with tragic consequences as the deadly peril that roams the highways.

Floyd county's record is a shameful one, as is Kentucky's and the nation's. But can it be bettered? Or shall we continue to run the gauntlet daily, take our chances, rely on fickle fate or Lady Luck, and do nothing to help ourselves?

It is sheer speed, bred in part by the tensions that rush man along to his doom, that wreaks such a ghastly toll. Speed, born of recklessness, drunkenness or plain foolishness, or a combination of these three, is the great enemy.

This folly may be taught against, and should be. But it must also be fought against. Drunken drivers, speed kings, the reckless who little regard the safety of others and themselves—these must feel the full force of the law. The "good fellows" who violate the rights of others on the highways must be made to feel the lash as much as those who are recognized as bad.

The automobile, an insensate thing, runs wild with the senselessness of the driver, regardless of his social position.

Then, besides education, strict enforcement of the traffic laws—a crackdown by the courts, state police and every other enforcement officer—must be put into effect.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation to everyone who assisted us in any way upon the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Minnie James. We are grateful for the flowers, food and the consoling words of the ministers, Rev. Isaac Stratton, Rev. Henry Crider, and Rev. Bill Amburgey. We express our sincere appreciation to the Moore Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

The Family

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!

Floyd Native Dies At Ashland, Monday; Was Victim of Cancer

Mrs. Lloyd Hughes, Ashland, died of cancer Monday night at King's Daughters hospital. Mrs. Hughes, a native of Floyd county, was the aunt of Paul E. Jordan, Frankfort correspondent for the Associated Press. Survivors include her husband and a son, Billy James; her father, Bee Hall, and a brother, Vennis Hall, both of Garrett, and a sister, Mrs. Versa Moore, of Frankfort.

PRESTONSBURG INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT

BOX SCORES

Monticello (51)	Martin (72)
Kennedy (7)	(4) Mayo
Keith (12)	Mullins
Edwards (11)	(3) Butler
Feyton (4)	(3) Bradley
Frye (11)	(10) Samons
Carter (2)	(29) Luxmore
Frazier (2)	(17) Lafferty
Eaas (2)	(4) Hampton
	(2) Osborne

Monticello	14	10	13	14-51
Martin	12	15	19	26-72

Clinton Co. (82)	(56) Prestonsburg			
Groce (3)	(1) Ousley			
Conner (39)	(4) Tackett			
Sewell (15)	(1) Blanton			
Reneau (7)	(34) Prater			
Denny (2)	(3) Robinson			
McFarland (9)	(13) Blackburn			
Weaver (7)				
Clinton Co.	19	16	23	24-82
Prestonsburg	18	11	12	15-56

Breathitt Co. (64)	(54) Virgie			
Roberts (31)	(1) Bartley			
Combs (5)	(14) Osborne			
Marshall (2)	(15) Blair			
Stevens (14)	(1) Mercer			
Deaton (4)	(17) Castle			
Herald (8)	(16) Adams			
Breathitt Co.	17	18	14	15-64
Virgie	16	15	14	9-54

Meade Memorial (74)	(69) Male			
Ward (16)	(14) Daniels			
Preston (13)	(2) Hedden			
Sturgill (18)	(18) Lawson			
Fraleigh (11)	(26) Winfrey			
Preston (16)	(9) Phelps			
Meade Memorial	17	27	13	17-74
Male	15	17	20	17-69

Clinton Co. (57)	(68) Martin			
Conner (23)	(5) Mayo			
Groce (2)	(11) Samons			
Sewell (12)	(10) Bradley			
Reneau (12)	(16) Luxmore			
McFarland (7)	(2) Lafferty			
Weaver (1)	(2) Hammond			
	(22) Hampton			
Clinton Co.	15	22	8	12-57
Martin	9	19	25	15-68

M. Memorial (67)	(66) Breathitt Co.			
Ward (9)	(16) Roberts			
Preston (7)	(16) Combs			
Sturgill (14)	(11) Stevens			
Fraleigh (7)	(15) Deaton			
Preston (30)	(8) Herald			
Meade Memorial	15	17	12	23-67
Breathitt Co.	17	20	7	22-66

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Meade Memorial (72) (77) Martin
Ward (6) (18) Mayo
Spears (4) (17) Samons
Preston (6) (1) Bradley
Sturgill (17) (15) Luxmore
Fraleigh (14) (24) Lafferty
Preston (25) (3) Hampton
Meade Memorial 12 17 25 18-72
Martin 19 19 22 17-77

A standard carving set is adequate for all-round carving of roasts and fowl. It consists of a knife, fork and steel. The knife has an 8 to 9 inch blade of top-quality steel that will take and hold a keen edge. Don't omit the steel in your carving equipment; it is necessary to true the blade and keep the knife in perfect condition.

BEARS SLATE HOME GAME To Host Yellowjackets Saturday; Ohioans Trail Pikeville Team In Games

The Pikeville College Bears, who pulled two upsets in three games last week, will appear at home only once in the next seven days, hosting the Central State (Ohio) Yellowjackets at 8 p.m. Saturday (Jan. 7).

The Yellowjackets, who trail the Bears 2-1 in past games, will come in as unknowns, not yet having played any opponent of the Bruins this year. Other games for the Bears in the next week, all in Kentucky, will be at Georgetown Thursday (Jan. 5), Cambellsville Monday and at Cumberland (Williamson) Tuesday.

Paul Butcher's Bears swept the third annual Camp Lejeune Christmas Basketball Tournament last week, topping Elon College 89-66, the highly rated Bees of the University of Baltimore 74-50, and defending champion Camp Lejeune 89-70.

In the final game the Butchermen spoiled the Marines' usual act of sweeping opponents off their feet in the second half. Leading 41-34 at midgame, they mixed possession ball with their fast break to stay at least five points ahead thereafter, and gradually pulled out to lead Lejeune by 21 points on three different occasions.

Donnis Butcher, named Most Valuable Player by vote of coaches and officials at the close of the tournament, went without a field goal for the first game of his life. The center of an admiring crowd of opponents whenever he had the ball, Butcher largely ignored the basket while he drew fouls, rebounded, and passed off assists to make the win possible.

Fouled 15 times—officially, that is by the Marines—he converted 15 of 26 free throws for his 15 points, and led the Bears with 17 rebounds and seven assists. In the three tournament games he totaled 75 points scored, 48 saves from the boards, and 18 assists to top his team in all three departments.

Careful attention from Pete Campbell and others held the Marines' highly touted All-American and Olympic star Jack Sullivan to 25 points, nine points below his current average. This score was high for the game, but well below the house record of 47 points he set on the same floor just three weeks ago.

Paul Setser, the Bears' second-highest scorer in the meet, did it the hard way, playing less than two and a half games. Setser, who landed on his head after colliding with three Baltimore players when Pikeville's semi-final match was some 13 minutes old, was benched for the rest of the game with a suspected concussion.

Complaining of nothing worse than "a sore noggin" by next night, he plunged into the championship game and took scoring honors for the Bears with 23 points, to total 49 in the tournament. He had gone out of the Baltimore struggle with only three points to his credit, earned with a field goal and his only charity fry.

Setser's injury, coming just after the Bears had broken out of a series of ties with Baltimore at 17-16, spurred the Bruins to an 11-point spree before the Bees scored again. Still holding nine points of the advantage, 32-23, at halftime, the Butchermen stretched it throughout, leading by as much as 74-42 before finishing with substitutes.

Holding exactly the same half-time lead in the first-round Elon encounter, 43-34, the Bears almost blew it as the second half opened and Elon's Fighting Christians fought to within three points, 45-42. Butcher headed a Pikeville surge, putting in eight of his club's next 16 points while Elon was getting two points on a fielder, and the Bears had the breathing room they needed to pull ahead as far as 28 points before the close.

Big Vern Woods, third scorer and second rebounder while assigned to guard a pivotman taller than he in each game, totaled 45 points and 39 rebounds; Campbell collected 27 points and 26 saves, and Everett Horn netted 31 points. Ronnie Francisco shone defensively in replacing the injured Setser and in relief of Campbell in the final game, and turned up as the squad's deadeye, sinking seven of eight field shots and seven of nine charities. John Hunt and Gerald Preston totaled two points each.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS OF FLOYD FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF PRESTONSBURG

To the Members of FLOYD FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF PRESTONSBURG:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of Members of FLOYD FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF PRESTONSBURG, will be held at the offices of the Association, DuRan Moore Building, South Lake Drive, in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the hour of Four o'clock p.m., EST, on Wednesday, January 18th, 1961, for the purpose of the transaction of any business that may come before said meeting.

DR. C. L. ALLEN, President
F. E. HARMON, Secretary
1-5-21.

SPORTS CHATTER
By GORDON MOORE




LITTLE LEAGUE BASKETBALL

Little League basketball will make its debut in Prestonsburg next week with 14 teams, involving sixth graders from the Prestonsburg grade school in a four team league and an eighth and seventh grade league of eight teams from Dwayne, David, Spradin Branch and Bonanza, along with four teams from the local grade school.

The games will be played in the Prestonsburg high school gym on two week nights and on Saturdays. Coaches and teams will be announced in next week's paper.

It's very seldom in an angler's lifetime that he ever becomes tired of catching fish, but this fisherman of less esteem than our editor can truthfully say that this occurred to him a couple of times last week in the Gulf of Mexico, off the coast of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Former Floyd countians Tom Hatcher and his son Robert, along with yours truly, were fortunate enough to find the locale of a school of sea trout both days. The net catch the first day was 58 fish, ranging from 1 1/2 pounds to 3 1/2 pounds for a total weight of 127 pounds, then the day following the number increased to 84 with a total weight of 179 pounds.

Eoh, on leave from the U. S. Coast Guard, was a commercial guide before moving into the armed forces in October, and he has the reputation of being one of the top anglers in the St. Petersburg area. His catches more than prove his know-how in the art of locating fish.

Fishing with spinning tackle and live shrimp for bait, we virtually caught some species of fish on every cast. The fight from a sea trout is almost equal to that of a Kentucky smallmouth bass.

FLOYD TEAMS DO WELL

Martin and Wheelwright upheld the prestige of Floyd county basketball in Christmas invitational basketball tournaments in Prestonsburg and Ashland.

Denzil Halber's Martin Purple Flashers walked off with the first eight-team Prestonsburg Invitational crown by stopping Monticello 72-51 in the first round, Clinton County 68-57 in the semi-finals and Meade Memorial 77-72 in the finals.

Don Wallen's Wheelwright Trojans edged Oil Springs, 74-72 in

the first round of the Ashland tournament, then bowed to host Ashland 79-82 in the semi-finals. In the consolation game, Louisville St. Xavier whipped the Trojans 71-60.

FRIDAY'S GAMES
Garrett at Martin
Maytown at Wayland
Prestonsburg at Carr Creek

SATURDAY'S GAMES
Wheelwright Doubleheader:
Virgie vs. Betsy Layne
Wheelwright vs. McDowell
Elkhorn City at Martin
Wayland at Fleming-Neon

TUESDAY'S SCORES
*Martin 52, Prestonsburg 47
Oil Springs 75, Betsy Layne 61
*Denotes overtime

58TH DISTRICT STANDINGS

Floyd County	
Team	W L
Wheelwright	10 2
Maytown	6 5
McDowell	4 5
Wayland	9 6
Betsy Layne	8 6
Prestonsburg	1 6
Martin	10 8
Garrett	5 10
Auxier	0 10

WAUGH IN TEXAS

Lackland AFB, Texas — Airman Danny J. Waugh, son of Mrs. Virgie Waugh, of Salyersville, Ky., has been assigned to a unit of the Tactical Air Command at Langley AFB, Va., for training and duty as an Administrative Clerk. He recently completed basic military training here.

Airman assigned directly to a duty station from basic training at Lackland will receive on-the-job training under highly-qualified technical specialists. Airmen are selected for these assignments on the basis of their interests, aptitudes, and the needs of the Air Force.

If you want to save time, take a few minutes to organize a complete menu plan for two or three days or even a week. This will help you estimate the amount of time you'll need for shopping and preparing the meals.

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Dress, Impersonation Of Another Woman Leads To Man Recovering Goods

Use of her name by another woman who was involved in a Christmas shopping incident here has caused Mrs. Melba Risner, of David, considerable embarrassment, and Fred Cottrell, of the I. Richmond Department Store, this week sought to relieve that situation.

Mr. Cottrell explained:

On the morning of Dec. 24 Ralph Mollett, of David, made several purchases at Richmond's, including a dress, all of which he placed in the trunk of his car, parked in the street outside, then went to another store to do further Christmas shopping. When he returned he found all his purchases had been stolen.

Reporting the loss to Cottrell, Mollett asked him to watch for any person who came into the store to exchange the dress. And about 3 o'clock that afternoon a woman did appear to make the exchange.

Questioned by Cottrell, who immediately recognized the dress, the woman gave her name as Melba Risner and said the dress was given her by her daughter. Apparently greatly perturbed, she left the store before the investigation could be continued or officers called.

Mollett later was notified of the name given by the woman who was in possession of the dress. What action he took is not known.

Tuesday of last week, Melba Risner went to Richmond's for identification. And this, the real Melba Risner, was another woman and had had no connection whatsoever with the whole matter except that her name had been used by another, Cottrell explained.

Mrs. Lillian H. Keenon, Of Prestonsburg, Victim; Burial, Oak Park, Ill.

Mrs. Lillian H. Keenon, 75, of Prestonsburg, died at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Dec. 30. A native of Chicago, she had resided here for 20 years.

Mrs. Keenon was a daughter of Thomas V. and Margaret Hobbs and the widow of Harold B. Keenon. She was a member of the Episcopal church.

During World War II, Mrs. Keenon was active in the Bundles For Britain program and in Red Cross work here. She was active in Methodist church work.

Surviving are two sons, John H. Keenon, Prestonsburg, and George B. Keenon, Joliet, Ill. A daughter, Mrs. Hazel Strietman, of Chicago, survives, as do five grandchildren.

Services were held here, Saturday at 8:30 p.m., the Revs. Harold Dorsey and O. M. Simmerman officiating. The body was taken to Oak Park, Ill., where final funeral rites were conducted Tuesday. Burial was made in the Forest Home cemetery at Oak Park under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

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Nationally, the 1960 census shows that cities and their suburbs are growing in population at a much faster rate than the rural areas. In areas, too, they have grown, spreading over the surrounding countryside, gobbling up nearby cropland.

It is estimated by the U. S. Chamber of Commerce that nearly two million acres of farmland are being drawn each year into factory sites, suburban housing, roads and airports.

However, the urban areas of the country, although they contain over 70 per cent of the nation's population, take up less than 7 per cent of the nation's land area.

With this trend toward concentrated living have come many problems for municipalities. They have had to provide new schools, more streets and sewerage lines, increased water supply and added police and fire protection.

In Floyd county, which has a land area of 402 square miles, the census shows that the population density at the present time is 104 persons to the square mile.

It compares with 54 per square mile in the United States and 76 in the state of Kentucky, excluding the cities over 1,000,000.

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that further changes in the trust-fund benefits will not be necessary.

Therefore, they said, no changes are being made in hospital and medical benefits. Nor will there be changes in benefits for widows and survivors.

The money for miners' pensions, hospital, and medical benefits comes from a royalty of 40 cents a ton paid by the coal operators to the union. From 1946 through the middle of 1959, the trustees had spent more than \$144,000,000.

Until a year and a half ago, income from the royalties had exceeded expenditures. But in the year ended June 30, 1959, outgo was greater than income, with a result that the rule was made 12 months later taking away medical and hospital benefits from those who no longer work in the mines.

The notice of reduction in pensions was carried in the United Mine Workers' Journal and signed by Miss Josephine Roche, director of the fund. The notice was not accompanied by any statistics to show how great the drain on the fund has been. It did say:

"It is not possible to state how long the reduced monthly pension amount will remain in effect. While all studies of the future demand for coal forecast a slow but steady increase, the constantly increasing number of pensions receiving trust-fund pensions makes it probable that the reduction will be in effect for some time.

However, at such time in the future that the trust-fund income reaches a continuing higher level, consideration will be given to restoring the monthly pension to its former amount."

Lois Combs Is Named Polio Drive Chairman;

Lois Combs, daughter of Governor and Mrs. Bert Combs, has been named Kentucky state chairman of "Operation Polio Clean-Up" by the National Foundation.

Miss Combs, a senior at Frankfort high school and until this year a Prestonsburg high school student, will lead Kentucky teenagers in an effort to persuade their parents and friends to begin their series of Salk vaccine shots now rather than waiting for polio outbreaks to occur.

Miss Combs said, "We were all urged to do our Christmas shopping early and, now, we feel everyone should do their health shopping early. It takes eight months to get your full series of shots so everyone should start now to achieve this protection."

The National Foundation recently issued an appeal to the public to begin protection with the Salk vaccine, a "killed virus," rather than waiting on the oral "live virus" which has been found suitable for use in the United States, but which may not be available until after the peak polio period in mid-1961.

This campaign to protect more people against polio will open the 1961 March of Dimes in January. Two years ago the National Foundation expanded its research program to include arthritis and birth defects, but patient aid expenditures for old and new cases of polio limited the funds available for patient care in their new fields.



PRESIDENT AND OTHER OFFICERS, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, for 1961. Upper, left to right—E. M. Pace, vice-president; Walter P. Walters, president; William J. Baird, vice-president. Lower, left to right—A. R. Barber, vice-president; B. F. Reed, Chairman of Finance; Raymond Gibson, Commissioner.

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4-H BABY BEEF PROJECT

An effort is being made this year to start a 4-H Baby Beef Project. Several boys are interested and will probably carry the project. This is one of the best 4-H projects to teach good livestock management.

The project is started this time of the year, with the purchase of a 300 to 400 pound beef calf. The calf is fed small grain throughout the winter and spring, along with plenty of good hay and pasture. Then in the summer, the grain ration is increased and the calf is kept in the stall most of the time.

In October, the counties in this area hold a 4-H show and sale at Catelettsburg. The sale is open to the public, and the calves usually sell one or two cents above market price.

Any 4-H member that would like to learn more about this project, should contact one of the county agents as soon as possible to get further details.

FORESTRY

Planning for forestry work to be carried out in 1961, should be started now. Each person will need to determine how many acres of trees to set on their land. Then follow up by visiting the ASC office to sign the necessary forms for government assistance. From the ASC office, visit the office of the Division of Forestry to get their help in determining the kind of trees best suited for the land.

If the existing timber needs improving and most of it does, ask about the "Timber Stand Improvement" practice. This is a forestry practice that needs much more attention. It isn't necessary to wait for government payments to consider improvement work. Farmers weed their corn crop, to increase yield. If the forests were considered as a crop, more landowners would kill out the weed trees, and increase the yield of timber.

Other forestry practices that should be considered are fencing out livestock, clean brush from tree planting made in earlier years, thinning dense stands, and getting fire fighting tools and equipment ready for the spring fire season. Many people who own tree plantations should build a fire lane around their trees. A fire could easily destroy a fine stand of trees in only a few minutes.

FARM RECORDS

Now that 1960 has ended, how many farmers have their farm record up to date so that they can determine whether a profit or loss was made for their efforts. I am afraid the average farmer does not keep an adequate set of records. Records should be considered a tool the same as a plow, tractor or wagon. If a farmer finds his records are not what they should be, now is the time to start to make the improvement for 1961.

We have a few farm record books in the Extension office, available on a first come first serve basis.

STATE PROJECT PLACINGS

Floyd county 4-H members placed in the top three in five projects in the recent record judging at Lexington. Each of the twelve 4-H districts enter their best record in each project to be judged for the state championship.

Melanie Ann Conley placed second in the good grooming project. Third place was awarded to Pam Combs, entomology; Freer Martin, rabbits; Melanie Ann Conley, recreation; Ronnie Hays, safety.

YOUR CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA

"Will my poinsettia bloom again next Christmas?" many homemakers ask. If you give it proper care, cuttings from this year's poinsettia can brighten your home during the holiday season next year.

The showy part of the poinsettia plant is not really a flower, but a bract or modified leaf. The flowers are the tiny yellowish balls in the center of the red bract. The poinsettia flowers in response to the length of the day; it sets flower buds, which causes the bracts around the bud to turn red, when daylight last 12 hours or less.

The blooms will last longer after they reach maturity if they have plenty of light, are kept in a cool place—about 60 degrees—and given proper watering. A window sill may give both light and cool temperature, if no radiator is located there and if the window does not leak too much cold air. Water the plant thoroughly until water drains from the bottom of the pot; then allow it to become rather dry before the thorough watering is repeated.

After the bracts begin to fade, the plant goes into a normal dormant or rest period. At this stage, let the plant get almost completely dry and keep it in a cool basement or storage place, but do not expose it to freezing temperatures. This spring, put the plant outside and pinch the tips to get more branches on the plant.

Cutting from the old poinsettia usually will bloom better than the original plant. These cuttings should be about six inches long and should be taken in late July or early August. Root them in a small pot or cutting bench with a peat and sand mixture. Put them in a very shady place to root and keep them quite moist; since poinsettias are very brittle, handle with care.

Give the young plants plenty of shade, and do not leave them outside very long in cold weather. Application of a liquid fertilizer every other week greatly increases the plant's size. Not later than the second week in September tips of stems may be pinched back again to induce side shoots.

During the winter, keep the poinsettia indoors where the temperature is at least 60 degrees at night. After Oct. 10, make sure the plant gets no more light than the usual day length; if kept in a lighted room, cover them completely when daylight ends with a box painted black inside. The bracts should start showing color about the middle of November and be in full bloom by the middle of December.

BLACKBURN SERVES

Airman Willard Blackburn, Jr., son of Mrs. Zella M. Blackburn, of Prestonsburg, Ky., has completed his initial course of Air Force basic training here. He has been selected to attend the technical training course for utilities maintenance at Sheppard AFB, Texas.

BRADLEY SERVES

Lackland AFB, Texas — Airman Thomas B. Bradley, son of Mrs. Dora Bradley, of Estill, Ky., has completed his initial course of Air Force basic military training here. He has been selected to attend the technical training course for Aircraft and Missile Maintenance at Amarillo AFB, Texas.

TRENDS IN POWER

Lexington, Ky. — Power-farming use of machinery to do the work, is rapidly increasing on Kentucky farms.

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acknowledging one who has me beaten in at least one department. Walter Hall on one fishing trip fished in five lakes and caught not one fish. And he had one or more witnesses, neither of whom did any better.

NEW LAKE

Incidentally, if you want to see a lake in these parts that isn't frozen, visit Buckhorn. It's now being filled. But don't yield to the temptation to wet a line. Fishing there is forbidden till next July 1.

UNUSUAL CHARACTER

Ever think back on the most unusual characters you've ever met? Somehow, I recalled at Christmas-time a mystery man I encountered as a boy and from whom I learned two big words I've never forgotten.

The old guy was salvaged from the creek near our home, one afternoon—in March, I believe—and he was half-frozen. Thawed out before a roaring fire in an open grate and garbed in dry clothing, he began a vague sort of conversation. He could not recall his name, he did not know where he was going, but spoke wondrously of a family somewhere. Otherwise, he seemed normal, certainly intelligent.

Next morning he showed up for breakfast wearing two neckties. But he seemed to be chipper, announced that he was fit to resume his journey, and we put the two ties down to absentmindedness and sent him on his way.

Two or three hours later, the mailman stopped at our mail-box as he came down the creek from Knott county and Handshoe post-office. There was a bulky sort of letter. Inside was my father's necktie which the old fellow had worn away, earlier in the morning, and in beautiful handwriting this note which was highly cryptic: I hauled down the old Webster's Unabridged:

"I have long known that I was a monomaniac but not until now did I ever know that I was a kleptomaniac."

The note wasn't signed. As I said, the old guy didn't know his name.

KENTUCKY LAKE FISHING

With the fall fishing fever prevailing throughout Kentucky, many of the infected anglers focused their attention on the second annual Kentucky Lake Fall Fishing Derby which opened Sept. 1st and continued through Nov. 15. The derby is an area promotion sponsored by resorts, boat dock operators, state parks, and civic organizations in the Western Kentucky area.

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Thomas H. Meadows, conversion of the property of another; Gene Osborn, child desertion.

John Lee Adkins, who had been previously convicted on a charge of obstructing a public road, was granted a new trial. The false arrest trial of Harold Johnson, former Floyd county sheriff, was continued till Jan. 26.

Cases dismissed and reasons stated for each dismissal follow:

Johnny Parker, Dewey Duff, D. M. Parsons, Jr., Alfred Tackett (two cases), Arthur Scott, each for child desertion; Raleigh Mills, robbery; Walter L. Stogner, cold check; Devey O. Butler, grand larceny; Virgil Hunt, striking and wounding; Paul L. Stanley, assault and battery with an auto; Namon Hall, forgery; Wilds Smith, obtaining goods under false pretense—all dismissed for lack of prosecution; Lee Hall, grand larceny, defendant of unsound mind; Homer Hall and Hershell Lester, child desertion, defendants now living with wives; D. B. Gibson, immoral practices with a female, Raleigh H. Layne, forgery, and Joe E. Gunter, child desertion, each case subject to being redocketed; Robert E. Huffman, cold check.

TIMES WANT-ADS PAY!

Mrs. Williamson Awarded Dryer by Utility Firm

Mrs. Jesse Williamson, of Fish-trap, Pike county, was awarded Dec. 22 an electric clothes dryer by the Kentucky Power Company in a recent dryer promotion. The award was made from registrations in appliance dealers' stores in the Pikeville District for the period Oct. 1 to Dec. 23. With two children, Janice Denise, age two, and James Edward, age 11 months, the dryer was a welcome addition to the Williamson household. Mrs. Williamson was registered with York Furniture Company, of Pikeville.

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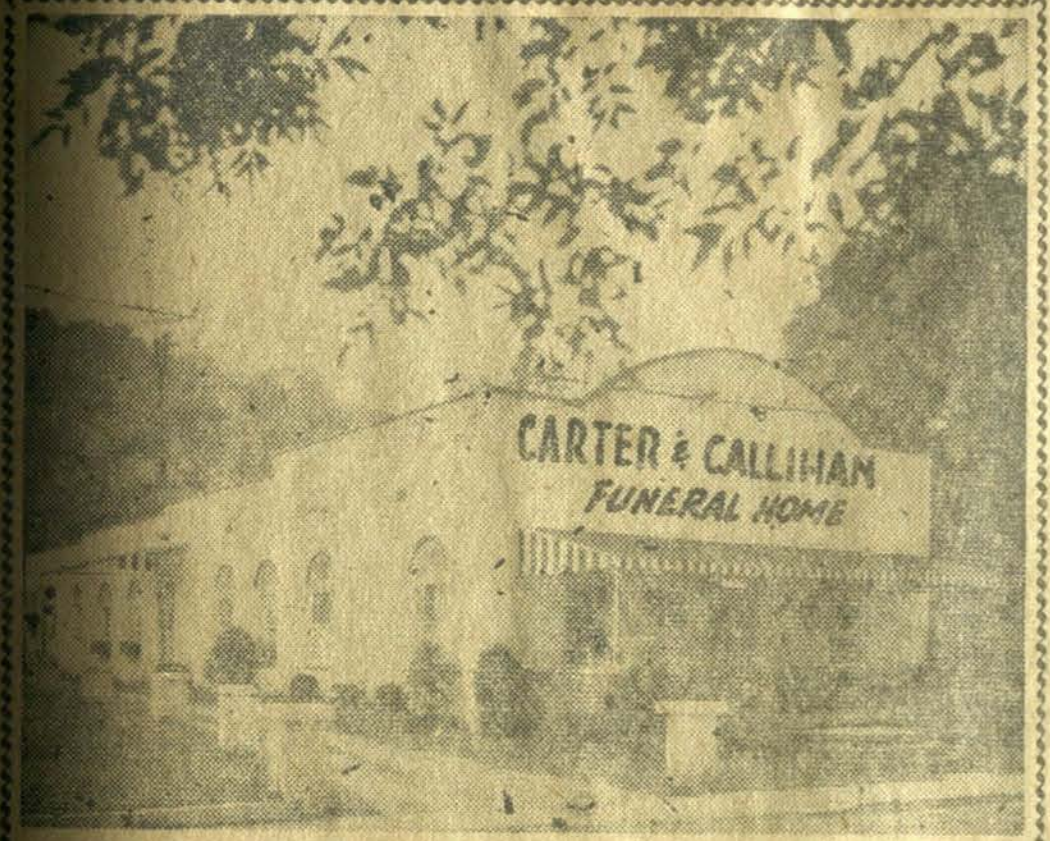
BETSY LAYNE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

A feature of the sports program at Betsy Layne high school under Coach Jul Harlowe three decades ago was the girls team, a worthy auxiliary of the famous F Cats.

Shown here, left to right, front row, in this 1929 photo, are Hazel Crum, Ru Branham, Violet Christian, Bessie Smith and Tempe Howell. Back row, left to right are Principal French Maggard, Mary Christian, Dorothy Clark, Eunice Deskins a Coach Harlowe.

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Aged, Blind Required To Be Ky. Residents For Only Six Months

Shorter length of residence requirements for the state's public assistance recipients were put into effect this month by Commissioner of Economic Security Jo M. Ferguson.

The aged, blind, and disabled were formerly required to have lived in Kentucky for at least three years before applying for assistance. They are now eligible to receive state aid if they have lived in the state for only six months prior to their application.

Needy children are eligible for public assistance grants now if they have lived in the state for a continuous six-month period, or were born in Kentucky within the six months prior to their application. The parent or other relative which the child lives with must also have lived in Kentucky for six months before applying for aid. Previously needy children and their parents had a one-year waiting period.

Commissioner Ferguson noted that in lowering the regulations, Kentucky is following a national trend. He pointed out that several states have no residence requirements, and others are lowering theirs.

(Applications for aid may be made through the Floyd County Public Assistance Office, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg.)

Ferguson said the new rule will be of considerable benefit to the state's indigent. "It will allow us to give much needed help to many Kentuckians who were unable to obtain it before," he said.

WRIGHT GRADUATED

Sheppard AFB, Texas — Airman Third Class Jack Wright, son of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Wright, of Melvin, Ky., was graduated recently from the Accounting and Finance Course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

He attended the Wheelwright senior high school, Wheelwright, Ky., and Draughon's Business College, Louisville, Ky., prior to his recent entry in the Air Force.

Airman Wright came to Sheppard from Lackland AFB, Texas, where he began his basic military training.

During his off duty hours he has been assisting in the office of Information at Base Headquarters.

Airman Wright will be reporting at Hickman AFB, Hawaii, for a three-year tour of duty on Dec. 10, 1960.

Kentucky taxpayers in all brackets received a sharp reduction in state income-tax January 1. Average reduction in Kentucky's income tax is approximately 40 per cent.



GAS EMPLOYEES GET POINTERS—Instruction on the servicing of late-model gas appliances is given to Billy R. Click, of Ashland, and Jack Stumbo, Prestonsburg, employees of Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. They have just returned from the Columbia Gas System's one-week customer service school at Washington, Pennsylvania. The appliance pictured here is an automatic gas dryer.

Beaver Valley Club Installs Mr. Bradbury As 1961 President

Arthur Bradbury, of Wheelwright, was installed as president of the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club for 1961 by Lt. Gov. Thurman Hibbits, of Pikeville, at the club's regular meeting Monday evening, Dec. 19, at the clubhouse, Wheelwright.

Bradbury, who is a charter member, succeeds Steve Clark as president of the service organization. The new Kiwanis president is assistant manager of Inland Steel Company mine operations at Wheelwright.

Also installed at the December 19 meeting were: Ivel Moore, vice-president; Robert Allen, treasurer; James O. Harris, secretary. The new board of directors is composed of Hugh Fugate, James E. Conley, Richard Shockley, Harrison Sparks, Dan Autore, Harold Wakeland and John Rupe.

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STATE'S NEEDY AREAS HOPEFULLY VIEW WORK

BY PAUL R. JORDAN

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 24—Kentucky's underdeveloped areas, with an unprecedented share of concerned attention in 1960, are watching hopefully the beginnings of action for solving their problems.

From Maryland to Montana, Governor Combs pleaded the case for economically distressed areas, notably his native Eastern Kentucky, and sought ways to help them at all levels of government.

A result is that the State's overall improvement program has won the acclaim of leading federal administrators, especially as it applies to the mountain sector.

Principally, the bulls-eye of Combs' target is expanded federal aid to underdeveloped areas such as Kentucky's 32 counties in the Appalachian region, which includes portions of nine other states.

Using the conference of Appalachian governors in Lexington last October as his forum, Combs spelled out the heart of his philosophy this way:

"Certainly we must find a way to meet problems that are national in character, but that occur within our states or regions, so that we may properly use the force of our Federal Government, while retaining the initiative and leadership of the states and local government." The conference adopted a resolution calling on local, state and federal governments to join with private and public forces in the operation of key facilities such as roads and water control.

Highways, parks, forestry, agriculture, education, mineral resources, airports, industrial and community development, health and welfare—none has been overlooked in the State's budgetary plans.

These expanded programs, financed by a record \$1,000,000,000 biennial budget built upon a 3 per cent sales tax, has been warmly praised by the Federal Government.

In a letter to Combs, Edmund Baxter, regional director for the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare at Charlottesville, Va., said in part:

"You should know that on several occasions in recent weeks this office has pointed with pride to the positive actions taken in Kentucky in the health, education and welfare fields."

With the election of Senator John F. Kennedy as president, underdeveloped areas hit the national limelight with the appointment of a task-force committee to study their problems.

Kentucky is represented on the committee by John Whisman, Combs' special assistant, who is also executive director of the Eastern Kentucky Regional Planning Commission.

Combs and Whisman will meet in Washington, Dec. 28 with Myer Feldman, Kennedy's assistant in charge of spearheading depressed area legislation in the forthcoming Congress.

Combs will also arrange for a conference with Senator Paul Douglas of Illinois, chairman of the task-force committee, before the first of the year.

Since last May, Combs has plugged for aid to underdeveloped regions at governors' conferences in Annapolis, Md., Glacier National Park, in Montana, Hot Springs, Ark., and Lexington, and at a political meeting in Charleston, W. Va.

In Montana, Combs called for federal aid for highways, soil conservation, public buildings and other facilities. He said Kentucky could cope with the problems itself if the Federal government would relinquish as little as a tenth of the revenue it derives from the state in taxes on tobacco and whiskey.

Shortly after taking office last December, Combs dramatized his aims for developing Eastern Kentucky by announcing plans for

building a modern highway into the rugged mountainland.

The first construction contract has already been awarded on a section of the toll road to extend from Winchester to Salyersville. Twin spurs will fan out from Camp-ton to Pikeville and to Whitesburg.

Here is a capsule look at projects either completed or projected in Eastern Kentucky in 1960:

1. Tree nursery in Morgan county with a potential for producing 20,000,000 seedlings a year.
2. University of Kentucky headquarters for agriculture research dedicated at Quicksand near Jackson.
3. Additional counties brought into the state-wide fire-prevention program.
4. State funds given for improvements at Harlan, Hazard and Pikeville airports, with other funds tentatively set aside for improvements at Middlesboro, London and Berea airports.
5. Establishment of money-lending agencies to finance marginal industries.
6. Funds for addition of three new extension centers for Mayo Vocational School at Paintsville which now has two centers—at Prestonsburg and Belfry.
7. Planned chain of lakes utilizing highway fills for construction of lakes ranging in size from 5 to 300 acres.

Wheelwright Woman, 66, Native of Alabama, Dies At Home of Her Daughter

Mrs. Emma Hall, 66, of Wheelwright, died Dec. 27 at 11:45 a.m. at the home of a daughter, following a short illness. She was a daughter of Alex and Marlie Kiddle Hall.

Mrs. Hall was a native of Alabama and had resided at Wheelwright for 14 years. Her husband, Goodman Hall, died in 1957. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving is a foster son, John D. Sanders, Detroit, Mich., and two daughters: Mrs. Edna Johnson, of Wheelwright, and Mrs. Elnora Briggan, Bessemer, Ala. A brother, Albert Kiddle, of Detroit, also survives.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, at the Friendship Baptist Church at Wheelwright, the Rev. John Henton officiating. Burial was made in the Wheelwright cemetery under the direction of Merion & Call Funeral Home.

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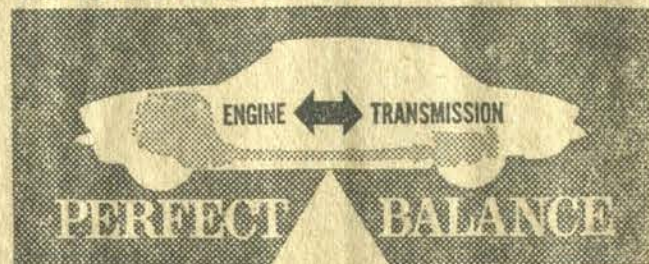
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Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday— Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
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Worship, 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday— Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.

Betsy Layne Methodist Church
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Sunday School, 11 a.m.
Tuesday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Community Methodist Church
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Charles Lake, Pastor
Sunday— Worship, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

David Baptist Chapel
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Worship, 11 a.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Lancer Baptist Chapel
Lancer, Ky.
Sunday— Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Thursday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ
Martin, Ky.
Sunday— Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Communion Service, 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday— Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

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Martin, Ky.
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Sacrament Service, 11:30 a.m.
Youth Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
Primary Children's Meeting, 3:15 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Martin, Ky.
Sunday— Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Worship, 11 a.m.
Training Union, 6:45 p.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday— "Hour of Power"—Prayer
Service and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.



Yesterday is gone. We tear its page from our calendar, for we live in the present.

But often we look back with nostalgia to the many yesterdays which make up the past. In a different mood we plan for the uncertain days ahead, sometimes filling them with happy expectations, sometimes with anxious forebodings.

Where is God in this time pattern of our lives?

Is He in the past alone, incarnate two thousand years ago in the great Teacher of Nazareth? Or does He walk with us through the present, our Companion each day? Does He remove all fear from the future with His promise, the promise of the living Christ, "And lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world?"

Come to Church and learn to know this Christ who is "the same yesterday, today, and forever."

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Isaiah	66	22-23
Monday	Luke	22	22-30
Tuesday	Psalms	34	1-8
Wednesday	John	14	1-4
Thursday	John	14	15-18
Friday	Matthew	28	19-20
Saturday	Isaiah	58	13-14



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Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday— Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

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Prestonsburg, Ky.
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Worship, 7 p.m.
Wednesday— Prayer Service, 7 p.m.
Friday— Young People's Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Assembly of God
West Prestonsburg, Ky.
Rev. Lori Vannucci, Pastor
Sunday— Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Worship, 11 a.m.
Worship, 7:30 p.m.

The Drift Presbyterian Church
Drift, Kentucky
Sunday— Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Worship, 11:00 a.m.

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Printer Man Succumbs While Sweeping Snow, Heart Attack Victim

Sam Elliott, 68, of Printer, died Dec. 22 at 3:30 a.m. at home. He was stricken with a heart attack while sweeping the snow from the steps of the home. He was a farmer and carpenter.

Mr. Elliott was a son of the late Green Elliott and the husband of Kate Meade Elliott, who survives. One daughter, Mrs. Virgie Spurlock, survives. Surviving also is a brother, Green Elliott, and a sister, Mrs. Mandy Meade, both of Printer.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday, Dec. 24, at 10 a.m. at the home, the Revs. Alaska Marshall and Emory Hall officiating. Burial was made in the Meade cemetery on Spurlock Creek at Printer under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Highways Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on the 20th day of January, 1961, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvements of:

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NOTE: A CHARGE OF \$2.00 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH PROPOSAL. REMITTANCE MUST ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FORMS. REFUNDS WILL NOT BE MADE FOR ANY REASON.

Further information, bidding proposals, et cetera, will be furnished upon application to the Frankfort office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive technicalities.

NOTE: Please do not call Department of Highways for lists of contractors purchasing proposals. Interested persons may secure this information by calling in person at the Department of Highways, Division of Design, Frankfort, Kentucky, where the lists will be made available for their examination.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS Frankfort, Kentucky December 29, 1960 1-5-2t.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to everyone who in any way assisted us upon the passing of our beloved son, William Lee Goble. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers, to the minister, Isaac Stratton, for his consoling words, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its thoughtful and efficient service.

THE ESTILL GOBLE FAMILY

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(Photo by Charles A. Thomas, Danville)

Three Floyd county girls—two from Prestonsburg and one from Hueysville—were among the Centre College women students who served as hostesses at a Christmas buffet and decorations contest staged by Centre coeds in Danville in honor of the faculty, administration, and staff. Shown above, left to right: Sharon Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rondal E. Hayes, Hueysville; Shraon Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen, Prestonsburg; and Jonelle Hall, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall, Prestonsburg.

Centre's present old women's campus is to be abandoned in 1961 in favor of a new women's campus next to the men's campus. It will be the first phase of Centre's \$8,500,000 ten-year development program and master plan.

VISITS IN MICHIGAN

Herbert Stratton, of Betsy Layne, visited his son, Jack D. Stratton, at Dearborn, Mich., during the holidays.

Governor Says Sales Tax Helps County's Needy

Gov. Bert Combs announced this week that the increases in public assistance payments will more than cover the sales tax paid by these needy people. He said the increased payments, resulting from the sales tax, will amount to \$7.7 million, when matched by federal funds, and that if the needy receiving the payments spend it all on taxable items (which is doubtful) they will pay only \$2 million.

Combs said statewide payments to public assistance recipients totaled more than \$5 million last month, representing an increase of \$612,229 over the November, 1959, payments when the sales tax benefits were not in effect.

Monthly checks are given to the needy aged, dependent children, needy blind, and the permanently and totally disabled. In Floyd county, the aged received an average payment of \$46.40; dependent children received an average payment of \$85.11 per family; the needy blind received an average payment of \$50.39; and the permanently and totally disabled received an average payment of \$51.14.

In Martin county, payments to the aged averaged \$44.41; payments to dependent children averaged \$84.75 per family; payments to the needy blind averaged \$48.82; and payments to the permanently and totally disabled averaged \$52.62.

These payments represent a total sum of \$115,938 coming into the two counties through the public assistance funds. Floyd, with 1,804 recipients, received \$82,900; and Martin, with 734 recipients, received \$33,038.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to every one who in any way assisted us upon the passing of our beloved brother, husband and father, Willie Case. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers; to the ministers, Emory Hall and others, for their consoling words and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its thoughtful and efficient service.

THE FAMILY

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to every one who in any way assisted us during the illness and upon the death of our beloved son, Martin McKinley Little. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers, or in any way helped us; to the ministers, Dan Heintzelman, Jerry Hall and Hershell Huff, for their consoling words, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

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Hospital Drive Reaches One Quarter of \$50,000, Chairman Announces

The "Save Your Hospital" fund drive for the Pikeville Methodist hospital has reached a quarter of its goal of \$50,000.

Contributions now total \$13,320, E. Bruce Walters, campaign chairman, announced today. "The community's concern for this effort," he added, "is shown by the fact that practically every civic organization in the town and many others in the area are taking an active part."

With P.-T.A.'s and church groups, as well as the civic clubs, sponsoring fund-raising activities, contributions have also been received from individuals and business houses throughout the region.

Among projects scheduled for the next few days to benefit the Pikeville hospital are a broadcast talent show over a Pikeville radio station and a motion-picture program at a local theater. Both are to be sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary to the Pike County Medical Society.

The radio program, termed a "talent telethon," will be heard over station WPKE from 6 p.m. till midnight Friday (Dec. 23). Musical acts, both soloists and groups, as well as some comedy skits, will be featured, and listeners will have the privilege of dictating the program by telephone in return for donations to the fund.

A double-featured western movie and a dramatic picture shown from popular stars will be shown Dec. 12 noon to 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 29, at Pikeville's Weddington Theater. A transistor radio will be given as a door prize.

When Abraham Lincoln was about two years of age the family moved to the farm on Knob Creek where they lived until 1816 at which time the family moved from Kentucky.

In December, 1808, Thomas Lincoln bought the South Fork of Nolichucky (Sinking Spring) farm. On Feb. 12, 1809, Abraham Lincoln, the future president, was born.

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Lumpkins Is Graduated As Equipment Operator

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana—Army Private Julia M. Lumpkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Othar Lumpkins, of Langley, Ky., was graduated from the Data Processing Equipment Operator Course, Class Number 4 here at the Adjutant General's School.

The training which Private Lumpkins received is designed to train students in the wiring of electrical accounting machines and in the principles of punched card accounting, including sorting, interpreting, reproducing and collecting.

The 19-year-old servicewoman is a 1959 graduate of Maytown high school, of Langley, and also attended Berea College at Berea, Ky. She entered the service July 12, 1960, and completed basic training at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

Following her graduation and a 14-day leave at home, Private Lumpkins will be assigned to the 98th Data Processing Unit at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

HAROLD

Miss Florabell Sizemore, of Louisville, spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Walter F. Gearheart, and family here. While here she visited with her father in Prestonsburg. Miss Sizemore returned to her work in Louisville, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kelly and daughter, Sharon, of Louisville, spent Christmas vacation with Mrs. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gearheart, here. Both Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are teachers in the Louisville schools.

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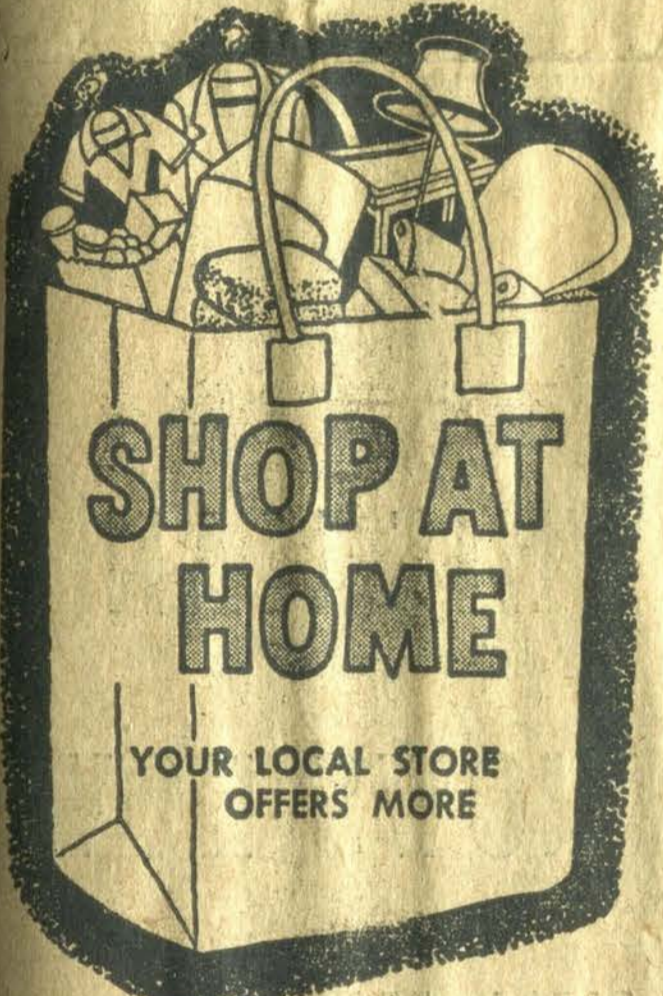


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Such is our job as we see it. We are trying to do it well and to do it better all the time.



Martin Announces Funds Reserved for Housing; Dormitories Are Planned

President Robert R. Martin recently announced that funds totaling \$3,375,000 have been reserved by the Housing and Home Finance Agency in Atlanta, Ga., to be used in construction of new dormitories and married student housing.

Dr. Martin said that the money will be used to construct a new men's dormitory to house 400 students, a new women's dormitory to house 300, and additions to the married student housing, to accommodate 64 student families.

Also included in the project is a cafeteria to seat 350 students, to be located in the new men's dormitory.

The amount of the requests were: \$1,870,000 for the men's dormitory; \$1,180,000 for the women's dormitory and \$825,000 for the married student housing.

Presently under construction are a men's dormitory, women's dormitory, and 80 units for married students. All are scheduled for completion in March.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to every one who in any way assisted us upon the passing of our beloved sister, Elizabeth Hoover Jones. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers, to the ministers, Tom Dawson, Russell Chaffins, Banner Manns and others, for their consoling words, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its thoughtful and efficient service.

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MUSIC CLASSES—Mrs. Edith F. James will begin her spring term of music, Saturday, January 7. 1-5-1t.

FOR RENT—4 room house with bath. Third house back of York Furniture Store. Phone TU 6-2442. **MRS. STAVE HARRIS**. 1-5-2t.-pd.



ESCAPES WITH SLIGHT INJURY—Denver S. Simmons, former Prestonsburg resident here but now living in Lexington, escaped with a mild concussion when his car and a trailer truck collided at New Circle Road and 21st Pike, Lexington, Wednesday of last week. Fayette county police said 24 hogheads of tobacco weighing 1,200 pounds each, were thrown from the truck. **Robert Claybourns**, also of Lexington, was identified as the truck driver.

ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tackett and children, Judy, Everett Gene and Sandra, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Baker, of Catlettsburg, and Billy Holbrook, of Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hicks and children, of Glasgow, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hicks and Brenda over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer and sons, Jerry and Terry, have returned from a week's vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and Jimmy Delano had as Christmas dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gordon Gray and children, Frankie and Betty Jean, Miss Cora Mae Goble and Bobby Vanhose.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Potter, Sr., of Paintsville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray, Saturday of last week, while en route to Virginia to visit Mr. Potter's mother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cecil Porter and family, of Wayne, Mich., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder were visiting relatives in Winchester, Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gary Thompson in Huntington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Frazier and sons, Russell Mont and Earsel Lee, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Flannery and daughters during Christmas.

The Rev. and Mrs. James Stratton and baby son, Stephen, were guests of his parents at Meta over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Taylor, of Prestonsburg, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chaffins at Jeffersonville, Ky., Tuesday of last week, while en route to Mt. Sterling to meet their son, Jimmy, from Ft. Knox.

Douglas Ratliff, who has been stationed with the U.S. Army in Germany, arrived here to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Effert Reynolds had as guests, Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reynolds and children, of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Mattison Hale, of Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lafferty were the Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sword and Cheryl Lynn, of Dwayne. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Branham, Medley Garrett, Stewart Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Branham and daughter.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. George Auxier and Mr. and Mrs. John Kane in the death of Mrs. Mary Austin, of Guthrie, Ky., Saturday of last week. Mrs. Austin was the sister-in-law of Mrs. Kane and the foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Auxier.

Miss Josie Lafferty spent the holidays with the Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Lafferty and Leo, of Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett and children, of Wheelwright, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Burchett, of Jeffersonville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp had as their guests, Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp and children, Timmy, Thursa Ruth, and Margaret Raye, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp and Patty Crisp, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spurlock, Jr., and daughters, Judy and Linda, of Springfield, Ohio. Miss Betty Lou Crisp, of Eastern State College, Richmond.

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HALL OF FAME CONSIDERED FOR KENTUCKY TEEN-AGERS

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 29—Kentucky is considering a teen-age hall of fame patterned after one unveiled in Ohio's Capitol early this year.

Child Welfare Commissioner Richard Clendenen said his department is interested in the Ohio plan and is thinking about recognizing youth in a similar way.

It might be, he said, that the "positive contributions" of Kentucky's younger citizens could be recognized in a manner more effective than the Ohio hall of fame. He said that nothing definite had been decided and that he had not received a reply from Ohio to a letter asking about the hall of fame.

Clendenen said youth is a "real contributing sector of society" and this poses a double-barreled problem:

1. Recognizing youth for what it does.
2. Accentuating the positive role that youth plays.

At Columbus, Ohio State Auditor James A. Rhodes, founder of the Ohio hall, said he had received this inquiry from Raymond T. Lathrem, supervisor in the Kentucky Child Welfare Department.

"We in Kentucky hope to be able to set up a teen-age hall of fame similar to the one you have in the state of Ohio. It is felt that there is a wealth of this type of achievements and accomplishments in our state."

Rhodes forwarded information on the Ohio hall along with 22 sketches of Ohioans who achieved distinction before age 20.

JOHNSON SERVES

Norfolk, Va.—Airman Jink Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, of Teaberry, Ky., and husband of Mrs. Darline Johnson, is now at the U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Commanded by Captain W. A. Hunt, Jr. Johnson is being transferred to the USS Forrestal.

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PAINTSVILLE, KY.

Illness of Six Years Claims Mrs. Blevins

Mrs. Sally Blevins, 63, of Tram, died Dec. 23 at home following an illness of six years, seriously so two months. She was the wife of Floyd Blevins, who survives.

Mrs. Blevins was a daughter of the late Fair and Eliza Mullins Osborne. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for 22 years.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two sons and two daughters: Walker Blevins, of East McDowell, Porty Blevins, Mrs. Lona Gibson and Mrs. Nova Tackett all of Tram. She has no surviving brothers or sisters.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. Dec. 26 from the home of her son Walker, at East McDowell, the Revs. Tink Osborne, Lonnie Wright and Elige Smith officiating. Burial was made in the Osborne cemetery on Frasure's Creek under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

BOYD COMPLETES COURSE

Long Island City, N. Y.—Specialist Five Arthur Boyd, Jr., whose wife, Geneva, lives at Paintsville, recently completed a radio servicing and repair course conducted by the U. S. Armed Forces Institute (USAFI) while serving with the Army Pictorial Center in Long Island City, N. Y.

The USAFI program offers correspondence courses at high school and college levels. Specialist Boyd is assigned as a color television cameraman in the center. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd, live at Lancer, Ky.

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SHEPHERD RECOGNIZED

24th Inf. Div., Germany—Specialist Ballard L. Shepherd, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brice Shepherd, of Goodloe, Ky., recently achieved recognition as a top Army marksman by qualifying for the expert marksmanship badge during range firing with the M-1 rifle in Germany.

Specialist Shepherd, a driver in Company A of the 24th Division's 34th Infantry, arrived overseas on this tour of duty in Dec., 1959.

Political Announcements

FOR SHERIFF
We are authorized to announce **TRULY FRANCIS** of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF Democratic Primary, May 1961 5-61



We are authorized to announce **FRANK (Cowboy) CRUM** of Allen, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its June, 1961 Primary

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK
We are authorized to announce **ERNEST TURNER** of Drift, Ky., as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK Democratic Primary, May, 1961

FOR JAILER
We are authorized to announce **CURTIS MANNS** (Son of the Rev. Banner Manns) of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY at the 1961 Democratic Primary

We are authorized to announce **DAN GOBLE**, the shoe shine boy for Jailer of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the May, 1961, Primary.

We are authorized to announce **FROCK HAYES** as a candidate for JAILER at the 1961 Democratic Primary

We are authorized to announce **Blind Grover C. Deskins**, the Court-house Pop Stand Operator, for Jailer of Floyd county subject to the action of the Democratic Party at its June, 1961 Primary. 11-61

FOR MAGISTRATE
We are authorized to announce **R. L. (Bob) PITTS** of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1 Democratic Primary, June, 1961 He solicits your vote and other persuasive assistance.

We are authorized to announce **H. GARDNER HICKS** of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2 Democratic Primary, June, 1961 12-8-5t-pd.

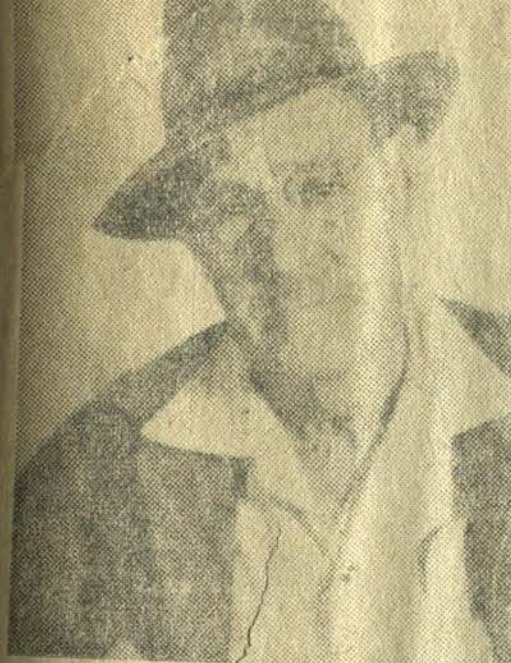
RE-ELECT
JOHNNY CAUDILL MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3 Democratic Primary, June, 1961 12-14-5t-pd.

We are authorized to announce **GRAHAM BURCHETT** of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. 1 Democratic Primary, June, 1961

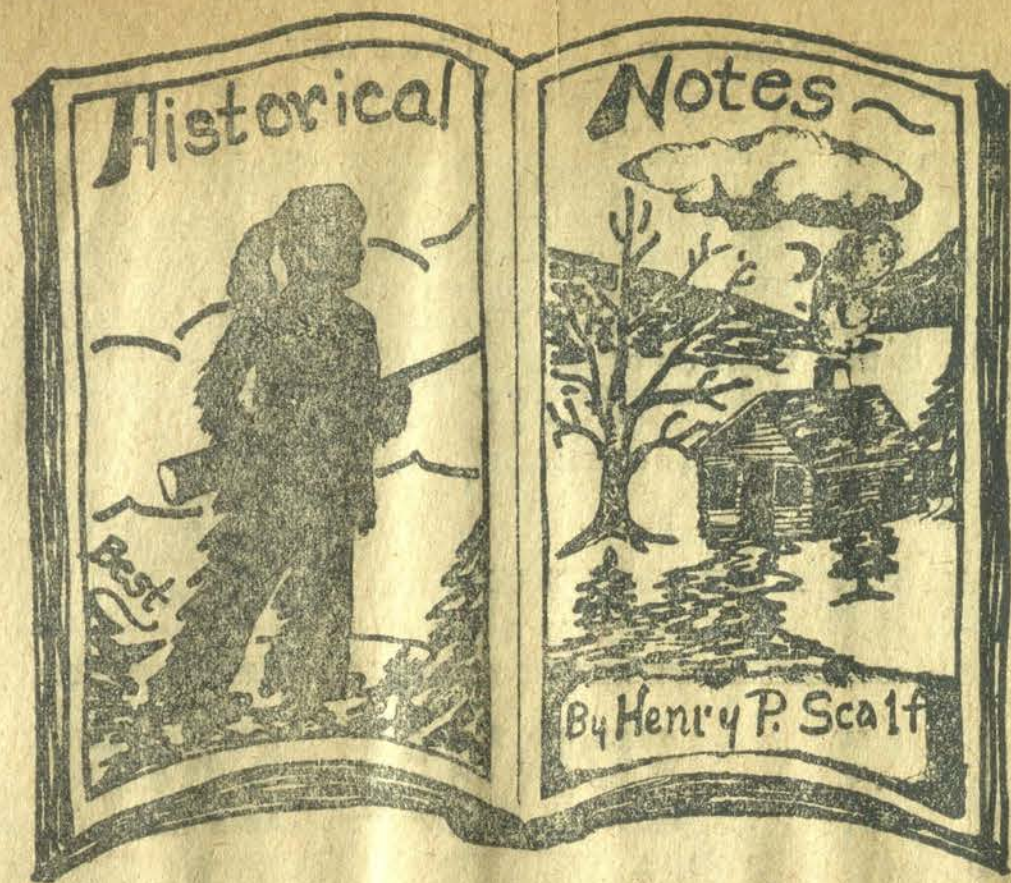
Vote for **ZEB OUSLEY** for MAGISTRATE at the Democratic primary He stands for better roads and all other improvements for the people. Sober, honest, justice to all. Your support, will be appreciated.

FOR MAGISTRATE
We are authorized to announce **MILTON HALL** of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2, Democratic primary, June 23, 1961

FOR CONSTABLE



We are authorized to announce **CORBIN JOSEPH**, of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at its May, 1962, Primary.



BOOKS AND ARTICLES ON EASTERN KENTUCKY

"Quantill and the Border Wars," by William E. Connelly. Published at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 1910. One of Quantill's men, Sylvester Akers, was from Floyd county.

"History of Greenup County, Kentucky," by N. M. Biggs. Published in Louisville, 1951.

"Fiddles in the Cumberlands," by Amanda McDowell. Edited by L. M. Blankenship. N. Y., 1945. 310 pp. Civil War diary describing conditions in Southeastern Kentucky.

"The Crucible—A Tale of Kentucky Feuds," by J. A. Burns, 1928. Oneida Press. 126 pp. Illustrated.

"A History of Laurel County, Kentucky," by Russell Dyche. Published in London, Ky., 1954. 292 pp. Illustrated.

"The Mountain People of Kentucky," by William H. Haney. Cincinnati, 1906. 196 pages. Illustrated.

"Ballad Making in the Mountains of Kentucky," by Jean Thomas, 1938. N. Y. 270 pp. Illustrated.

"Blue Ridge Country," by Jean Thomas. N. Y. 1942. 338 pp.

"The Singin' Fiddler of Lost Hope Hollow," by Jean Thomas. N. Y., 1938. 242 pp. Illustrated.

"Dawn of Tennessee Valley and Tennessee History," by S. C. Williams. Johnson City, Tenn., 1937. 494 pp. Illustrated. A fine volume for background reading on Appalachian history. Has a few references to Big Sandy valley.

"The Quare Woman," by Lucy S. Furman, 1924. Story of Knott county women.

"Ballads of Harlan County," by H. H. Fuson. Paper read before the Harlan county Historical Society, Sept. 5, 1931. 14 pp.

"Ballads of the Kentucky Highlands," by H. H. Fuson. 219 pp. London, England, 1931.

"Pike County Ballads," by John Hay, 1871. Published in Boston. Very rare.

"Economic Papers on Kentucky Geology," by Willard Rouse Jilison. Kentucky Geologic Survey, 1921. Contains two chapters, "The Sandy Hook Anticline," and "Paint Creek—Pirate," of interest to students of Eastern Kentucky geology and history. Illustrated.

"True Story of the Hatfield and McCoy Feud," by L. D. Hatfield, 1944. Jarratt Printing Company, Charleston, W. V. Moderately reliable and contains several interesting pictures.

"Kentucky's Famous Feuds and Tragedies," by C. G. Mutzenberg. N. Y., 233 pp.

"In the Land of Breathitt," American Guide Series, 165 pages, 1941.

"The Mother of Henry Clay and Genealogy of the Clays," by M. R. and Z. F. Clay. Louisville, 1899. 257 pages. Illustrated. Patience Clay, sister of Henry Clay, married George Chapman and moved to Lawrence county, Ky. They are buried in Lawrence county and hundreds of their descendants live in the Big Sandy valley.

"Stories of Kentucky Feuds," by H. W. Coates. Knoxville, 1942. 280 pages. Illustrated. Treats the feuds by counties.

"The Lonesome Road," by Lucy Furman, Boston, 1927. 316 pages.

"Patterns of Wolfpen," by Harlan Hatcher. Indianapolis, 1934. 332 pages. The Patterns were the Leslies who settled Johns Creek. Hatcher, now president of the University of Michigan, is a Leslie descendant.

"The Land of Saddlebags—A Study of the Mountain People of Appalachia," by J. W. Raine, 1924. 280 pages. Illustrated.

"At Home in the Hills—A Cross Section of Harlan County," by J. A. Spellman, 1939. 87 pages. Illustrated.

"Ballad Makin' in the Mountains," by Jean Thomas, N. Y., 1939. 270 pages. Illustrated.

"The Kentucky Mountains," by M. Verheoff. Louisville, 1911. 208 pages. Illustrated.

"Devil's Ditties," by Jean Thomas. Chicago, 1931. 180 pages. Illustrated.

"A Book of Strattons," by H. R. Stratton. Being a collection of

Nature Trails

BY RUFUS M. REED

THE DESPISED THISTLE

Most farmers despise the prickly thistle and do their best to get rid of them. Yet these are remarkable plants for many reasons. There are several species, the most common ones in our region being, Canada Thistle (*Cirsium arvense*), bull thistle (*Cirsium lanceolatus*), and tall thistle (*Cirsium altissimum*). In late summer, thistles bear flower heads of an exotic shade of purple.

The thistle is the national flower of Scotland, where it bears the honored name, "The Guardian Thistle," very appropriate since the thistle is equipped with formidable thorns! There is also a knighthood clan in Scotland known as, "The Order of the Thistle."

Once the savage Danes were invading Scotland, and on a dark night while the Scotch Highlanders slept, the Danes tried to steal a march on them, by removing their shoes and creeping barefoot. One of the Danes happened to plop his bare foot down on a thistle. He gave a wild screech and woke up the Highlanders, who repulsed the invaders. Not long after that, the thistle was proclaimed the national flower of Scotland.

Another remarkable property of the thistle is the intoxicating power of its nectar. Bees get tipsy on it and bump around crazy drunk. Thistle is highly nutritious food for livestock but few beasts know how to eat it. The old stubborn mule seems to be the only one that knows how to get its deep-down pulps goodness. He will first tromp the thistle to earth and then pulverize it with his hoofs. Then he literally gobbles up the good-tasting pulp.

LEARN TO KNOW THE WHITE-THROATS THIS WINTER!
Winter is the best time to get acquainted with the white-throated sparrows. These are called the sweetest singers of all sparrows, also the most handsome. Summers they go north to rear their families but in winter they return to the southern and central states to winter. If you walk along the brook or creekside and look in the tangles you will find the white-throated sparrows. They are larger than song sparrows. They have three black-and-white stripes on their crowns, and their breast is grayish-white. There is a large white patch on the throat and a yellow spot in front of the eye.

This sparrow's song is what sets it apart from other birds. Its song has been termed, "the most perfect expression heard in the bird world." The song consists of a series of soft, plaintive whistles, very sweet and pleasing to hear. Because of the song, the bird has been nicknamed, "Peabody bird," and "Peverley Bird."

The song begins with a soft, plaintive whistle, then another note on a higher key; then the song drops to a quavering trill. In New England, the song has been trans-literated and set to music, with these words, "Sow wheat, Peverley, Peverley, Peverley." In other parts of the country, the bird's song has been rendered as, "Old Sam Peabody, Peabody, Peabody." Up north, the bird's song has been put into these words, "Ah, poor Canada, Canada, Canada!"

A New England farmer was walking out in February, looking at the soil and wondering if it was about time to sow spring wheat. A white-throated sparrow flew up out of the brush and sang, "Sow wheat, Peverley, Peverley, Peverley." So runs the story of the white-throat's song in New England. The song is one of the very few that can be played on the E string of a violin, and must be played with a skillfully executed tremolo. The bird is also remarkable in the variations of its song, and it has more than nine different versions of the same song.

LEAVES "X" MARK
This is the great horned owl. Often his "X" mark is found in the winter snow, plainly imprinted beside the bones of a rabbit or some other animal he has slain and eaten. The owl marks the spot of his crime with an "X" made with his feet. Naturalists look for his mark, to identify the species of owl, and when they see the "X," they know for sure it was made by the great horned owl.

OLD INDIAN REMEDY
This is the lovely and handsome wild-touch-me-not, or jewelweed, of the Snapdragon family. The Indians and pioneers would pluck its juicy stems, beat them into a poultice and apply to stings or poison ivy, and it was said to give sure, fast relief. Most all farms have clumps of this lovely plant growing along the brook or creekside. Two species grow in our region: One bears pale yellow flowers and is, *Impatiens pallida*; the other has orange flowers with purple dots, and it is, *Impatiens biflora*. The ripened pods are most sensitive to the touch. They explode and toss the seeds to the four winds. The sepals of both species form petal-like spurs, and they always remind me of a tiny pitcher with a handle, holding sweets for the bees. These wild flowers are pollinated by bumblebees.

In the event of any serious accident, examine your dog's gums at short intervals. If they are white as if bleached he may be suffering from internal hemorrhage. If so, the body should be bound tightly with straps till you get the dog to a doctor. —Sports Afield.

Death Claims at 94 Former Pike Sheriff And Oldtime Logger

Will M. Smith, 94, of Winchester, Ky., Pike county's oldest former sheriff and one of Pike's largest landowners, died at 6:24 p.m., Friday, Dec. 23, at Winchester after a long illness.

Smith, known throughout Kentucky as "Uncle Will," formerly lived at Goody postoffice. A Pike county native, he was born on the Meathouse Fork of Johns Creek.

Smith, an old-time logger, lumberman and coal operator, was sheriff from 1902 to 1906. Accounts of his early activities said he "ran more logs down the Big Sandy and Tug River than any other two men in the county."

Smith had extensive holdings in the Pond Creek section, the Meathouse Fork of Big Creek and the Meathouse Fork of Johns Creek. The West Virginia-Kentucky Coal Corporation mines coal on his Pond Creek property.

Smith became interested in Western cattle ranches about half a century ago and owned ranches at Jackson, Wyo., and Piacho, Ariz., traveling back and forth between Pike county and the ranches for years. He dug one of the first irrigation wells in Piacho county, Arizona, about 45 years ago. He sold the ranches 10 or 15 years ago.

Smith was a brother-in-law of the late James Hatcher, who also had extensive holdings in Pike county and who built the Hotel James Hatcher at Pikeville.

He was a son of Jacob and Pricey Taylor Smith, and a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Jake D. Smith, of Winchester, and four daughters, Mrs. J. D. Cash, Mrs. Arthur Watson and Mrs. Ray Fields, all of Winchester, and Mrs. Octavia Foster, of South Pasadena, California.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Dec. 27, at the Scobee Funeral Home at Winchester. Burial followed at Winchester.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to every one who in any way assisted us during the illness and upon the death of my beloved mother, Susie Mims. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers, or in any way helped us; to the minister, Rev. Fred McGinnis, for his consoling words of comfort and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

FRANKLIN D. MIMS

BANNER

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Owens had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Cecil. That evening they went to Harold and visited Mrs. Garfield Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frasure and children had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Owens, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis and son, of Cincinnati, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sloan spent Christmas with John Burchett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Massey, of Huntington, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rice on Saturday before Christmas.

Bill Moore, of Prestonsburg, spent Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones, of Albion, Mich., and Allen Adkins, of Kenova, W. Va., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown and children, of Port Deposit Naval Base, Maryland, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones.

Mrs. Ray Campbell was in Huntington, Friday.

Charlie Akers is recovering from the amputation on his leg. He received his new artificial leg from Hindman, Dec. 29.

Linda Akers enjoyed Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Akers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy G. Conn and sons had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elder Conn, of Betsy Layne.

Under new provisions of the Kentucky income-tax law, a couple with two children can make a much as \$34 a week in 1961 and not pay state income tax.

Kentuckians no longer pay the surtax on state income taxes.

Giving a dog a pill can be very frustrating for the inexperienced owner. Best way is to clamp upper lips over jaw, force mouth open, pop in pill. —Sports Afield.

Kentuckians will pay about \$20,000,000 less in state income taxes in 1961 as a result of the Commonwealth's new tax program, the Revenue Department estimates.

For married couples with two children, the amount of income exempt from the Kentucky income tax has increased from \$3,000 to \$4,000.

Under Kentucky's new tax law, credits are increased from \$13 to \$20, and income taxes are reduced an average 40%.

Under new state tax provisions, a single person earning up to \$1,250 is exempt from paying income tax. The figure formerly was \$750.

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Cash on Hand and in Bank 160,561.28	Home Loan Bank 90,000.00
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock 24,100.00	Loans in Process 4,218.00
Real Estate Owned 11,920.00	Other Liabilities 323.28
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment, Less Deprec. 3,925.99	RESERVES:
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Other Assets 26.80	General 42,323.37
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C.-J. WRITER CITES PAINTSVILLE'S FACE-LIFTING WORK DURING DECADE

(By FRED W. LUGART, Jr., in The Courier-Journal)

Paintsville, Ky., Jan. 1—If the next 10 years are as kind to Paintsville and Johnson county as the past 10 have been, historians will be hard-pressed locating landmarks here in 1970.

This community of 4,200 has undergone a fantastic face-lifting in recent years. Educational and community services, business and residential developments, and recreational facilities have all been expanded at a phenomenal pace.

How has this all come to pass during a period when coal-producing Johnson county was getting the 10-cent as a depressed area with approximately 50 per cent of the people unemployed?

"The people here co-operate wonderfully," explains Mayor Ralph B. Preston, a dairy operator. "Our town is fortunate in that the business people and clubs don't hesitate to recommend to the Council. They send special delegations to show us how to improve the town."

The end isn't in sight on what the people here want to do to make their community a better place to live and a town where industry will locate.

Paintsville next spring will start construction on 52 units of low-rent, federal housing costing \$705,000. The homes will be built in the Blackberry section of town to replace substandard housing.

Planning calls for beginning of work the following year on a \$1,000,000 project that includes a new sewage-treatment plant and new sewers for much of the town.

The town has completed a \$350,000 city-owned filtration system for the city-owned water plant built in 1950. Work has already started on a 215,000-gallon water-storage tank to replace two 2,000-gallon tanks. The new tank and the installations of larger water mains will provide Paintsville with a water system adequate for a town three times its size.

A long-range program which the city hopes to complete in the next 10 years, Mayor Preston said, is a \$300,000 street-redevelopment program that will open up new streets, widen others, and a much-needed new bridge.

A \$450,000 concrete bridge across the Big Sandy River east of the city has been completed in the past 10 years. The State is now completing work on a second bridge over Paint Creek for a city bypass. It will cost \$440,000.

Within the past five years, mu-

nicipal development, which Mayor Preston says was largely started around 1950, by former Mayor J. B. Wells, has proceeded rapidly.

New junior and senior high schools and a gymnasium costing \$400,000 were completed; the Mayo Vocational School added two classroom buildings costing over \$400,000; a new \$24,000 fire truck purchased and other improvements made in the police and fire departments.

The city has annexed approximately 500 acres and new subdivisions are being developed. New street lights have been installed in the business section of the town.

Merchants have not been unconscious of these developments and have adopted programs of their own to improve the business climate in Paintsville.

In 1957, merchants subscribed to a \$50,000 nonprofit corporation and purchased land for industrial development. Every store in the business loop has installed new modern fronts.

When the \$1,000,000 U.S. 23-460 bypass was completed in 1958, an entire new business section was opened by merchants. New telephone and power-company buildings have been completed. Two local banks have built drive-in additions.

One of the top projects in Paintsville, however, has been in recreational facilities, an area of community development that is often overlooked in the mountains.

In addition to a new gymnasium, the town has a new \$250,000 public park, complete with swimming pool, tennis courts, and a baseball diamond with concrete dugouts and seating.

The football stadium has been modernized and now has concrete stands and dressing and shower rooms for the home and visiting teams.

A new \$275,000 12-lane bowling establishment has just been opened and is attracting bowlers from throughout the Big Sandy valley. The golf course has been expanded from nine to 18 holes.

The playground and improvements at the football field are both community projects largely spurred by the Paintsville Woman's League.

Women raised \$35,000 to buy the 16-acre park tract. The \$150,000 pool was financed with the water plant. Residents voted \$50,000 in bonds for other improvements in the park.

Profits from the Big Sandy Bowl football game, an annual project of the Woman's League's, provided much of the money for improvements at the football field and the baseball dugouts at the city park. Other clubs and organizations chip-

ped in when the women needed more money for the football stands, which now seats 6,000.

Mayor Preston is optimistic about his town's future. He notes that a new wholesale food house, an indicator of economic growth, has located in Paintsville. Another wholesale house has expanded its warehousing facilities.

The town, he believes, is on the threshold of halting its flood problem. Completion of the Pound River reservoir in Virginia will lower the flood level within town by approximately five feet. If Congress provides construction money for the Fishtrap reservoir, the flood level will be lowered eight feet more.

"We'll feel pretty safe from water then," the Mayor said.

He and other city and county leaders are hopeful the depressed-areas program of President-elect John F. Kennedy will open up other new avenues of development for Paintsville.

They would like to see U.S. 23 improved to attract tourists, tobacco acreage increased for Johnson county farmers, funds provided to further expand the Mayo Vocational School, money made available to retrain unemployed coal miners, and aid provided to attract and construct buildings for industry.

They also want the old Works Progress Administration started again to build roads, streets, sewers, parks and public buildings. More federal aid is needed by the city, the Mayor contends, to hasten construction of the proposed Paintsville-Prestonsburg airport and the town's sewage plant.

DAMRON GRADUATED

San Diego, Calif.—James R. Damron, apprentice petty officer third class, USN, son of Mrs. Charles C. Byrd, of Weeksbury, Ky., graduated Dec. 16 from nine weeks of Recruit Training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, California.

Apprentice petty officers are chosen from the ranks of the seaman recruits to assist Company Commanders. The selection is based on individual aptitude and leadership qualities.

BABE DIES

Derrell Bradley, two-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bradley, of Estill, died at 6:30 a.m., Dec. 27 at home following an illness of three days. Besides the parents, he is survived by several brothers and sisters. Funeral services were held at 10 a.m., Dec. 28 at home and burial was made in the Bradley cemetery at Estill under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

The penguin can't fly, but he can jump about five to eight feet out of the water and on to an ice floe. —Sports Afield.

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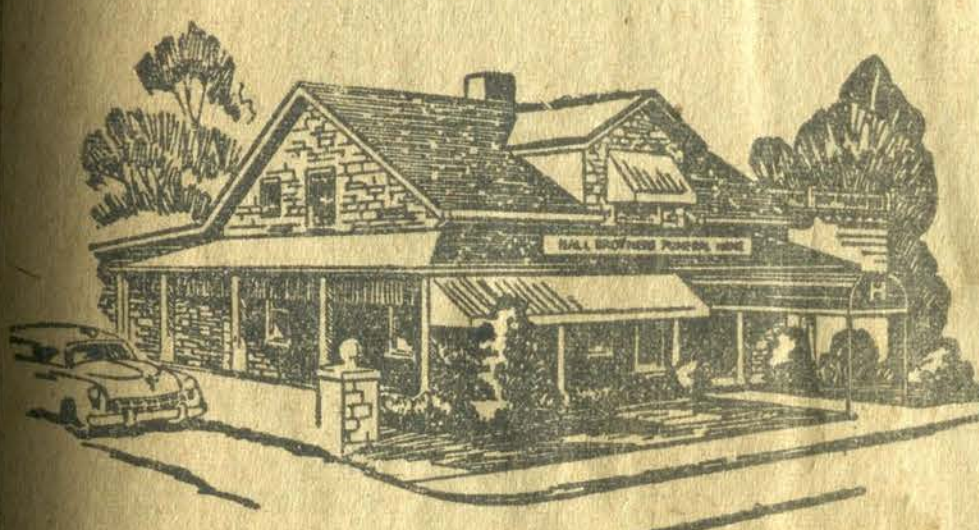
Rev. Woods To Lead Revival at Vogel-Day

The Rev. Harry Woods, of Milton, Ky., will be the evangelist in revival services at the Vogel-Day Methodist Church, at Harold, beginning Jan. 6. The service will continue through Jan. 15.

Miss Ruth Twining, Whitney Point, N. Y., will be the youth worker and leader of music in the revival. A youth service will be held each evening at 6:30, with the daily evangelistic service beginning an hour later. The Rev. Harry T. Barnett, Jr., is pastor of the church.

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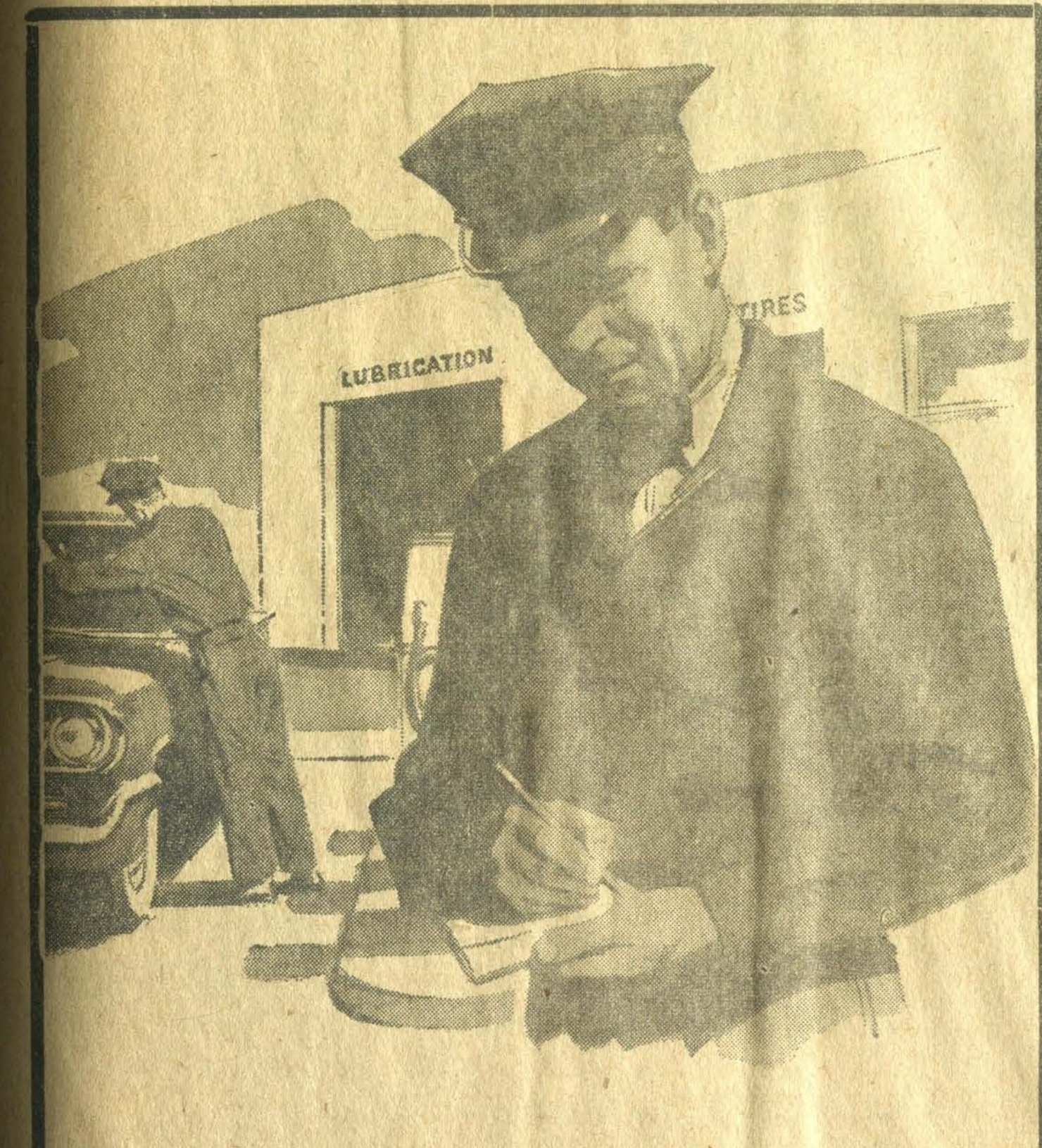
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Former Floyd Countian Is Wed to Arizona Girl

Marriage vows were exchanged Thanksgiving Day at the First Baptist Church, Winslow, Ariz., by Miss Bessie Lea Gore, of Winslow, and Airman Gerald D. Stratton, formerly of Betsy Layne. The single-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Milton E. Scott in the presence of the bride's relatives and close friends.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gore, of Winslow, and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stratton, of Betsy Layne. Airman Stratton is stationed at Winslow with the 904th A.C. and W. Squadron at the radar base.

For the wedding the bride chose a white knit jersey wool street dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. Mrs. Gore, mother of the bride, wore a blue silk dress with black accessories and a corsage of carnations.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents at 117 West Cherry street, Winslow. A three-tiered cake, baked by Mrs. Ella Gore, Flagstaff, Ariz., aunt of the bride, centered the table.

Mrs. Stratton is a 1960 graduate of Winslow high school and is currently employed at the Valley National Bank at Winslow. Mr. Stratton is a 1958 graduate of Betsy Layne high school.

Following a short honeymoon trip to the Grand Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Stratton are at home at 423 West Third street, Winslow.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to every one who in any way assisted us during the illness and upon the death of our beloved mother, Catherine M. Newman. We are grateful to the many friends and relatives who sent food and flowers, or in any way helped us; to the ministers, Johnny Hall, Talk Hall, Luther Conn and Walter Akers, for their consoling words, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

THE CHILDREN

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