

THURSDAY

## This Town-- That World

The only eagle we heard screaming on the Fourth was one a friend of mine caught on a silver dollar.

We thought, all along, this younger Space Age generation would go for the rockets. But the stuff they were handling Tuesday night sounded like block-busters to us. . . There is a law against selling fireworks, just as there is a bit on the statute books against purveying liquor. But the bootleggers always have customers.

Personally, I don't mind a reasonable amount of cracking the welkin at Fourth of July time. It's this crazy business of making of Christmas a smoking, roaring bedlam that brings our blood pressure up.

### THE ORDER WAS FILLED

Walter Roschi, director of Finance for the State Department of Education, the other night did a bit of financing here which for a time almost literally gave him a corner on the local coffee market. It was Friday evening, and with the Floyd County Board of Education in session, he foresaw a long night ahead. So, when he and two others entered a local restaurant, he told the waitress, "Three cups of coffee--and 18 more after a while."

He got the three cups, which he and the others consumed after a while. But when he went to pay for the three he found that the waitress had taken him at his word, had decided a while had elapsed since he first came in--and there were 18 steaming cups of Java all lined up for him.

The director of finance paid up without a murmur, but left the coffee behind. And that was where he made his second mistake, since the meeting he attended did not break up until after 2 a.m. (See Story No. 1, Page 6)

## HILL ENJOINS JOB STOPPAGE

### Auxier Birdge Work Is Resumed Thursday; Seven Named Defendants

Defendants in the court action filed here after work was halted on the Auxier bridge because of alleged interference were enjoined last Thursday by Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill from "blocking, hindering, harassing or interfering with" the employees of the Mattingly Bridge Company.

The order was entered by agreement, and without hearing testimony, after Judge Hill had conferred with opposing counsel and had enumerated the rights of the parties involved.

Work on the bridge was resumed Thursday and continues without interruption. The Auxier case followed similar trouble at or near the site of a bridge the company is constructing across the river near Hager Hill. The contractor won the Hager Hill case in Johnson circuit court.

Named defendants in the Auxier case were Charles Meadows, Bob Jack and Henry Allen Ford, Archer Ford Childers, Gene Taylor and Bud Calhoun. The petition asking the restraining order also included as defendants "all others confederating and associating with" those named.

The court order specified that Mattingly's employees are not to (See Story No. 2, Page 4)

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Forrest Shepherd, et al vs. Harrison Terry, et al; Tackett & Tackett, attys. Brenda Wright Blair vs. Robert Dean Blair; Wellman & Stumbo, attys. Clyde Justice vs. John Milton Stumbo; G. C. Perry, atty. Amanda Neeley Hall vs. Lloyd G. Hall; J. B. Clarke, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Edgille Fouts, 23, Bypro, and Shelby Jean Johnson, 22, Halo. Howard Whitaker, 44, and Mabel L. Whitaker, 41, both of Paintsville. Den Hunter, 21, Honaker, and Geneva Howell, 16, Galveston. Graham Parsons, 24, and Tennessee Kidd, 16, both of Honaker. Charles Clay Warrick, 26, West Prestonsburg, and Anna Sue Stumbo, 25, McDowell. Glen Wilborn Hamilton, 21, and Donna Ankrum, 21, both of Columbus. O. Herbert Hayes, 32, Martin, and Virginia Sexton, 28, Mantion.

## RANIER BEGINS PIPELINE JOB FOR GAS FIRM

### United Fuel Spending \$5,312,000 This Year Seeking Natural Gas

The H. B. Ranier Construction Company, of Prestonsburg, has been awarded a contract on a United Fuel Gas Company project which will cost in excess of \$105,000, it was announced recently by J. R. Hussey, United Fuel's superintendent of transmission lines.

The work, which has been started, is to replace and relocate 5,233 feet of 20-inch line with 5,800 feet of line of the same size in the section lying between Johnson and Martin counties, crossing Ky. 40 about 10 miles from Inez.

The section of line affected links the United Fuel Beaver Creek compressor station at Warco with the Kenova, West Virginia, compressor station.

United Fuel is well advanced on its annual drilling program on which it will spend over \$5,312,000 this year in its search for natural gas in the Appalachian area.

James S. Phillips, president, said the company plans to drill a total of 102 wells, including 7 exploratory or test wells which will cost approximately \$338,000. In areas of known gas production, the company plans to complete 63 wells in West Virginia, 33 in Kentucky and six in Virginia.

Up to the present time, United Fuel is drilling or has already completed 77 wells. Of the 41 wells completed, 34 were productive and seven were non-productive. The producers have an open flow of 36.6 million cubic feet of natural gas a day.

Most of the company's drilling is being done in the following counties: West Virginia--Kanawha, Mingo, Wayne, Logan, Lincoln, Clay, Raleigh, McDowell and Wyoming; Kentucky--Pike and Martin; Virginia--Buchanan.

To gather the natural gas produced by the successful wells, United Fuel will lay 78 miles of field lines at a cost of over \$1,482,000. Most of the lines will be either four or six inches in diameter.

Considerable progress has been made on the company's exploratory well program. One well has been completed in Roane county, West Virginia, and drilling is under way on two additional wells, located in Roane and Clay counties. Two more wells are to be drilled in West Virginia. In Kentucky, the company has finished one test well in Lewis county and plans to drill still another in another county. (See Story No. 7, Page 4)

## Harold Stumbo Named Trial Commissioner

Harold J. Stumbo became trial commissioner for County Judge Henry Stumbo, effective July 1. Judge Stumbo was authorized by the fiscal court at a meeting a few weeks earlier to employ a trial commissioner.

Mr. Stumbo served as assistant County Attorney until his appointment by the County Judge, and at times has acted as office deputy for Sheriff Hershell Warrens.

Judge Stumbo was allowed a trial commissioner to relieve him of the heavy demands in the office itself and to afford him more time to devote to county roads.

## NEW MUD-CR. SCHOOL CONTRACT IS AWARDED

The new elementary school building to serve the Big Mud Creek area will contain 31,000 square feet, with 18 classrooms, making it the second largest school structure in the county. Only Prestonsburg high school is larger, it is pointed out.

The construction, awarded to the partnership of Meade, Dyer and Kendrick, of Prestonsburg, will be begun as soon as the bonds to finance are sold. Actual construction will probably begin in September.

The building is of conventional design, L-shaped, and, in addition to the classrooms, will feature a multi-purpose room which will serve as cafeteria, gymnasium and auditorium. Dining chairs can be folded and stored in a side room when sports or other events are scheduled.

Additional rooms are a library, music room, kitchen, clinic room, teachers' lounge and principal's offices.

Exterior construction material will be brick with a concrete block back-up. The blocks will be exposed on the inside and painted. Heating

## ALEXANDER CRITICISES BOARD POLICY LACK

The Floyd County Board of Education, at its meetings Friday and Saturday, had as guest observer, Samuel Alexander, assistant state superintendent of schools, Frankfort, who, after seeing the Board, as he said, "fumbling and monkeying around," assumed the role of "Dutch Uncle."

He played no favorites, applying his comments to both factions on the Board.

Alexander, who was accompanied by Walter Roschi, state Department of Education finance director, became critical of the Board's action in seeking to abolish assistant principals and principals' clerks.

"This Board has a real right to pass such action," he said, "but if you do you might lose several thousands of dollars. On the clerks, the state recommends it is much more advisable to hire clerks to keep books and release the principals from such duties. Your motion is too drastic."

He was highly critical of the practicalities of conducting a maintenance department by contract. He agreed that it would be legal but thought that emergency occurrence might close down schools. He said that in no place, none for certain in Kentucky, was maintenance operated on contract.

"Legal? Yes," he said. "Practical? No," he told the Board. "You'd close several schools down before the terms were out due to emergencies. You can't write specifications in a contract for every emergency that may arise. I don't know how under the sun a contractor could bid on these contracts. . . . The writing of the specifications for the contract is not going to be easy. It'll take time. Even to write a contract on painting. You have roofing specifications, many others. It might be advisable, on some work, to have an architect write them. You can't bid to put on an X roof. If you do you'll get from sorry to best."

Chairman Ray Howard reminded Alexander that he didn't know how hard it was to get unfit janitors off the payroll and asked if he expects the Board to rehire the unfit.

"No, I'd buck Superintendent Clark if he recommended such a man and go to the state," he replied. "It's time for everybody to think of the school system. If you have such a man as Ray says, get rid of him." Janitorial services are contracted in the eastern part of the county.

Howard noted at one point that Clark had never consulted the Board on janitor employment. He also explained that the plan to contract maintenance and janitorial work is intended to reduce expenses.

"There's not a thing this Board can do about having Mr. Clark as county superintendent," Alexander told the Board. "Clark has three men against him, I believe. Be reasonable and come out as best you can. We ought not to let a difference of opinion destroy a school system. Remember, you have 15,000 school kids."

Alexander elaborated the Board for lack of policy, asked that policies be formulated on many things. He said it was the duty of the Board to do so and then, "if Clark violates the rules he violates your rules. You can circumscribe Clark, and if he steps out you can halt

him. If he doesn't step out, you ought to hire whom he recommends for employment. If Clark won't stay within the rules, I can help you."

He told the Board that the members shouldn't ask the superintendent to hire certain persons but added that the superintendent should discuss employment with the Board members.

"It is not anticipated in the law that Board members pick employees," he continued. "The superintendent has a duty to pick the best man. The Board can establish policy all over the place, and the superintendent must follow, but you can't tell him whom to hire."

On the matter of clerks needed in the office, Alexander observed: "I don't think you know how many clerks you need. Casual observa-

(See Story No. 3, Page 5)

## NO FATALITIES RESULT HERE

### Highways, Lake Draw Crowds; Boy Injured Here Last Saturday

Eastern Kentucky highways were crowded with motorists over the long holiday week-end, the death toll over the nation mounted to near-record figures, but in Floyd county and the entire Big Sandy valley there was not a fatality.

In fact, even minor collisions were held to a minimum. The flow of traffic became heavier as Eastern Kentuckians working in other states returned home for the Fourth of July vacation.

At Dewey Lake both automobile and boat traffic was heavy as hundreds converged on the state park area for boating, swimming and camping.

In Prestonsburg, Larry Milligan, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Milligan, suffered a broken leg when the motor scooter he was riding and a car collided as he made a turn at the Crum Service Station. The youth was taken to St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, but is now at home. His leg was broken near the ankle.

The Fourth was Prestonsburg's quietest till fireworks of the noise-making variety were broken out by youngsters who kept up the "celebration" till late at night. The sale of fireworks is illegal in Kentucky.

The town of Martin staged a July 4th celebration in which an automobile and cash were given as prizes. The day's program drew a large crowd.

## EXEMPTIONS ASKED IN TAX WOULD COST \$32 MILLION

Exemptions of food, clothing and medicine from the much-discussed Kentucky sales and use tax would cost the state about \$32 million in revenue receipts during the 1962 calendar year.

That eye-opening figure, based on expected sales tax receipts estimated at \$100 million, was recently compiled by the research staff of the Department of Revenue. According to the study by revenue researchers the \$32 million in sales tax that would be lost to the general fund because of exemptions would be broken down this way: food, \$25 million; clothing, \$6 million; and medicine, \$1 million.

Gov. Bert Combs, speaking to newspaper representatives from all over the state at a Press-Government Seminar recently, said keeping the sales tax whole, without reductions or exemptions, is the most important single task Kentuckians now face.

Lt. Gov. Wilson W. Wyatt joined in to say he hopes that the people of Kentucky will not stand by and "allow holes to be punched in the sales tax program."

For the current fiscal year, education was appropriated 64.3 per cent of each Kentucky general fund tax dollar; health and welfare were appropriated 21.2 per cent. Together these programs, which are supported by the general fund, received 85.5 per cent of the State's general fund appropriation.

Included in education are Minimum Foundation allotments to school districts for salaries, textbooks, transportation, instruction and classroom equipment, and substantial aid to state colleges and the University of Kentucky, where attendance figures have soared and financial problems have increased proportionately.

## Library Board Accepts Resignation of Hall

The Floyd County Library Board at its meeting last week accepted the resignation of Homer Lee Hall, Bookmobile driver-librarian, and voted to advertise for applications for the post.

Mr. Hall resigned to return to the teaching profession.

## COUNCILMEN HEAR CHARGE

### By Mayor Edw. Leslie Against City Fireman; Deadlock Vote Broken

Darwin McGuire remains as head of the Prestonsburg fire department, the City Council splitting in its Monday evening consideration of charges against him.

When a motion for outright dismissal resulted in a tie vote, Mayor Edward B. Leslie broke the deadlock with his vote not to fire McGuire. The Council then voted to continue his employment on probation.

This action was taken in a private meeting, at which the fire chief was questioned by members of the Council. As a consequence, the report available to The Times comes from Council members, and these reports do not coincide in detail.

Councilman Watt Hale, who said he agreed to probationary action, said McGuire signed an undated resignation which will become effective upon his failure to comply with terms of the probation, which include provisions that no loafing, card-playing or drinking will be permitted around the fire department, and that the fire chief will rid the department of some undesirable elements.

Councilman Bill May, who offered the motion to dismiss McGuire, said the vote at first was 5 to 2 for firing him but that Mayor Leslie refused to confirm the vote. Finally, he said, one Councilman changed his vote to permit probation, which Councilman Hale joined those for probation, his vote creating the tie which Mayor Leslie broke.

May quoted Mayor Leslie as saying the meeting was being continued till next Monday and said Councilman Tom O. McGuire suggested that a definite decision be reached at that time.

Turning to other matters, the Council authorized Mayor Leslie to borrow from a local bank sufficient funds to pay the next month's city expenses, repayment of the loan to come out of 1961 tax collections. The Times was told the city this year has borrowed \$10,000 for operation expenses, in addition to the newly authorized loan.

Within the health and welfare program are aid to dependent children, aid to the permanently and totally disabled, old age assistance, aid to the needy blind, requirements for public health and rehabilitation and the support and maintenance of state tuberculosis and mental hospitals.

These programs, which are supported by the general fund, would be likely to bear a heavy share of a reduction in funds resulting from sales tax exemptions. If other taxes were not increased, the problem would inevitably arise: which programs must be reduced or eliminated?

William E. Scent, commissioner of the Department of Revenue, has pointed out that taxes are "only a means to an end, the end being necessary governmental service." He said decreases in total state revenues would necessarily mean a reduction in service.

(See Story No. 6, Page 6)

## Dr. Russell Hall Slated On Regional Conference

Dr. Russell L. Hall, Prestonsburg, health officer for Floyd and Martin counties, will appear July 12 on the program of the third annual Workshop on Urban Adjustment of Southern Appalachian Migrants at Berea. The workshop, which began today (Thursday), will run through July 22.

Dr. Marlon Pearsall, associate professor behavioral science, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, will appear with Dr. Hall on the morning program. At 3 p.m. there will be an open discussion period in which Drs. Hall and Pearsall will participate with Dr. R. Burke Smit, staff psychiatrist of the Harlan Memorial hospital.

## TRADING POST BREAK MADE

### Two Banner Men Charged In Theft Here Monday; Loot Valued At \$1,400

Approximately \$1,400 worth of rifles, pistols and watches were stolen before daybreak Monday morning from the Hatfield Trading Post at Ball Alley here, and warrants have been issued for two men in connection with the case.

Jackie Hall, of Banner, was arrested on a warrant charging him with knowingly receiving stolen property, and a similar warrant was issued for Darrell Stratton, of the same community. Hall was released on bond, but Stratton has not been arrested.

Jordan Hatfield, owner of the Trading Post, said 25 revolvers and pistols, 12 rifles and 60 watches were stolen. He said the weapons have an average value of \$20 each. The watches, 35 of which were hunting-case models, were valued at \$10 each, "at least."

Entrance to the building was effected by prying loose outside and inside padlocks. The loot apparently was hauled away in a car or truck. Curtis Hatfield, son of Jordan Hatfield, and operator of a radio and television service in the same building, said he did not hear any noise at the Trading Post during the night. He lives only a few yards away.

State Detective Chester D. Potter swore out the warrants for the arrest of Hall and Stratton. He said he recovered two guns and five watches from a car which Hall said was his own and on which Hall and another man were working when Potter arrived. The rifles, (See Story No. 4, Page 6)

## Justice Asks \$50,000 On Alienation Claim

An alienation of affections suit seeking to recover \$50,000 was filed in the Floyd circuit court last Friday by Clyde Justice against John Milton Stumbo. Justice alleges that Stumbo caused his separation from his wife, Magdalene Spears Justice. G. C. Perry filed Justice's action.

## FOOD STAMP AID NOTED

### \$58,000 Total Issued In June, Dopson Says; Applicant Number Rises

The pilot Food Stamp Program inaugurated in this county June 1 had by month's end resulted in the issuance of \$58,000 worth of stamps and improvement of trade with local food retailers to that extent.

The first month's stamp total was comparatively low as many of those eligible had failed to file application for food stamp assistance, but as of this week the total number of families applying for stamps had risen to 1,332, and these represent 6,690 persons. If all those certified as eligible take stamps, the value of stamps issued during July will approximate \$80,000, Arvid Dopson, U. S. Department of Agriculture representative here, predicted.

The average assistance the food stamp program is currently giving amounts to \$12 per person, or \$60 per family.

As eligible persons more fully understand the program and its benefits the number of applicants will increase, it is believed.

## OPEN HEARING BEING SOUGHT FOR CONTEST

### Hale Suit vs. Goble Awaits Ruling; Knott Contest Cases Decided

Scott Collins, attorney for Lawrence Hale, who is contesting the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Dan Goble, has filed a motion asking for an open court trial of the case.

Until a ruling is made on this motion further action will be delayed. Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill disqualified for hearing of the case, and Sidney B. Neal, Irvine, Ky., was certified by the Court of Appeals as special judge.

In neighboring Knott county, where quick hearings of two contest cases were heard, Bruce Martin was declared the Democratic nominee for Tax Commissioner. Delmar Draughn, incumbent, who won renomination by 2,358 votes to Martin's 1,808, has appealed the decision.

Martin claimed Draughn violated the Corrupt Practices Act by promising voters he would not list farm products and livestock for taxation.

Special Judge Laurence S. Grauman, of Louisville, dismissed the suit of Crady Combs contesting the nomination of Archie Everage for Knott county Court Clerk. The contestant claimed Everage's declaration papers failed to state he supported the party's nominees in last year's Presidential election and, therefore, was disqualified from seeking office. Grauman held the complaint was filed too late. The primary results showed Everage the winner, 1,593 votes to 1,207.

## REVOLUTIONARY CHANGES VOTED AT MARATHON BOARD SESSIONS

The Floyd County Board of Education, in a marathon meeting that began early Friday evening and extended into the wee, small hours of the morning, voted revolutionary changes in the maintenance and custodial arms of the system.

The new method of operating the maintenance department and of employment of janitors provides for contracts for the services to be let on bids. The new method was moved by John G. Hall and voted by the anti-administration members, Hall, Ray Howard, Ross Cooley and the usual administration supporter, Bill Blair. It was opposed by Superintendent Charles P. Clark who attacked its feasibility. John M. Stumbo cast the dissenting vote on contract maintenance but on contract janitorial service he was joined by Blair.

The Friday night meeting and that of the next day were attended by Samuel Alexander, assistant state superintendent of schools, and Walter Roschi, state director of finance. The meeting got under way in the circuit courtroom at 6 p.m., but adjourned in a short time to the office of the superintendent for an executive session, closed to the general public but open to press and radio.

Clark resubmitted his teacher placement list that had been offered a month previously and failed of approval by a tie vote. After a lengthy discussion Clark's placements were accepted with about 60 exceptions. The exceptions cases will be appealed to the Kentucky Department of Education.

Other actions of the Board, which in both meetings was in session, a total of 13 hours, follow:

1. Abolished the clerical help of high school principals and limited the principals to ten and one-quarter months of employment each year with pay same as a teacher. Voted, 3-2.

2. Rescinded the order limiting the number of assistant county superintendents to one. Voted unanimously.

3. The resolution abolishing the clerks of principals had tied to it a provision abolishing assistant principals but this part was withdrawn by Hall when Cooley suggested that they be retained if the superintendent would make a job classification of duties. Clark agreed to this stipulation.

4. Accepted the low bids on bus bodies; designated the successful bidders on school materials, lumber, paint, roofing and other materials needed for the operation of the school system for the ensuing year.

5. Employed Lee Shannon, architect, to assist in the writing of contract specifications on maintenance. Clark, in commenting on the maintenance contract, said: "We may be making history or we

may be just falling flat on our faces. I don't believe there is enough know-how in this room tonight to draw those specifications."

6. Hall moved to limit the number of clerks in the superintendent's office to four, to \$2,400 annually and two at \$2,200. This was voted by the usual 3-2 vote but the next day Hall asked the order be rescinded and this was voted unanimously.

7. Rescinded a previous order of director of transportation now filed by Oliver Allen until July 30. This done, Clark nominated Lewis Campbell to the job. The vote to rescind was given affirmative votes by Howard, Stumbo and Blair, with Hall and Cooley dissenting. On Clark's nomination of Campbell the vote was 4 to 1. Hall alone voting in the negative.

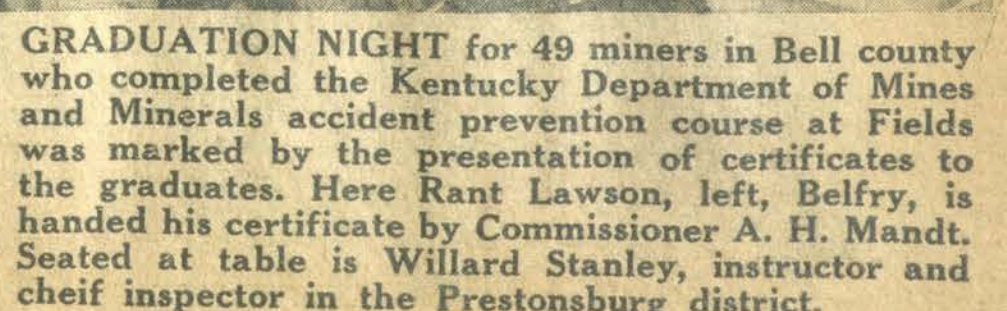
The fiscal year expired at midnight and Hall queried Alexander if the meeting was still in order. Alexander advised the stopping of the clock and Ratliff went out to do so. The Board continued an executive discussion of teacher placement. Hall moved the teacher list be approved with the exceptions, and this was voted unanimously.

A long, highly complicated parliamentary snarl occurred when Hall interpreted his clerk limitation motion to include the bookkeepers. Alexander disagreed that the word, "clerk," covered the bookkeeping department. Hall's interpretation died for lack of a second but only after Alexander had intervened to untangle the parliamentary involvement.

8. Clark recommended Mrs. Maude Sloan as textbook custodian but Hall argued she was a janitor and the job, according to his previously voted order, would have to be let on bid. At this point another parliamentary wrangle developed with motions, amendments, seconds and withdrawals all before the chair at the same time. Chairman Howard declared, "I'm lost," but order was finally attained by agreement on the parliamentary status. Hall moved to employ one bookkeeper, an assistant to the superintendent, and two assistant bookkeepers on a month-to-month basis until a study of office needs, as advanced by Alexander, can be made. This was voted unanimously.

Mrs. Sloan was finally employed as textbook custodian following another parliamentary period of chaos, with Stumbo and Hall both seeking to resolve the situation. She was hired on a month-to-month basis.

Hall moved that only two directors of pupil personnel be employed instead of three, but Clark, in opposition, noted that the system was entitled to three under the Minimum Foundation Law and a money loss would result from the state if only two were hired. Hall's motion, seconded by Cooley, passed with the usual 3-2 vote. (See Story No. 5, Page 4)



GRADUATION NIGHT for 49 miners in Bell county who completed the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals accident prevention course at Fields was marked by the presentation of certificates to the graduates. Here Rant Lawson, left, Belfry, is handed his certificate by Commissioner A. H. Mandt. Seated at table is Willard Stanley, instructor and chief inspector in the Prestonsburg district.

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Whose Liberty Would Be Lost?

The Times is unable, it confesses, to understand all this great concern professed about federal control of, or intervention with, education if federal aid to education becomes a law of the land.

State funds go to every school district in Kentucky, and the state—thank Goodness!—exerts powerful influence upon local school systems. This influence extends not only to the area of physical properties but also to teacher educational requirements, textbooks, even administration. And that is as it should be. Sometimes we think the state's hand rides too gently on the reins.

This being true, wherein would the federal government exert a greater, or a less beneficent, influence upon education at the local level?

One wonders how sincere are those opponents of federal aid on these grounds. State funds are welcomed, and state controls are willingly accepted. But the same people who see in this no infringement upon their freedom are horrified at the thought of the federal government having a hand in the matter. We give tongue to those shibboleths, "Freedom" and "Home Rule," but, really, how sincere are we?

Is not some such influence needed? Indeed, isn't it necessary?

County boards of education fail to meet many emergencies. The Carter county mess, for instance, needs a strong hand to effect a clean-up. With the federal government out of the picture, the state will perform the Herculean task, if it ever is done.

Perhaps if the federal government had had its strong hand in the Carter situation, such a mess would never have been created in the first place.

Bootleggers, we find, do not fear the counties of the state overmuch, are not fear-stricken by the state itself—but their respect for the federal government amounts to something little short of awe, and they are exactly careful not to scorn U. S. authority and its ability to deal with the situation.

It is true that this stripe of citizen does not belong with those in the field of education, but this serves to emphasize the point that the people themselves would not be losing any of their liberties if the federal government had more control of education. The losers would be those who would violate federal principles of freedom, justice and plain honesty.

Then the people should take with the proverbial grain of salt this propaganda which is so piously being peddled by those who profess to fear the loss of "liberty" to their own government.

Four College Students  
In Ft. Knox Training

Four college students from Floyd county are at Ft. Knox for six weeks of field training and practical work in the subjects and theories they have been studying at college. They have completed four years of ROTC work and each will be eligible to a second lieutenant's commission upon graduation. The summer camp is a major requirement in their military careers.

The Floyd countians are: Charles K. Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Childers, Wheelwright, and Cletis Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Richardson, West Prestonsburg; William H. Jones, III, son of William and Marguerite Jones, formerly of Prestonsburg, now of Louisville, and Charles R. Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wells, of Auxier. Jones and Wells are University of Kentucky students. Richardson and Childers have had their college work at Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond.

The late Col. E. R. Bradley had four Kentucky Derby winners—Behave Yourself, Bubbling Over, Brokers Tip and Burgoon King.

COOL CANTELOUPE

Store cantaloupe in the refrigerator a few hours before you want to serve it, but remember cantaloupe is best when served only moderately cold. Extra chilling causes it to lose favor. To prevent its odor from mingling with other foods in the refrigerator, wrap the cantaloupe in wax paper or place it in a plastic bag.

MARTIN

The Martin Branch Chapel of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints entertained the East District quarterly conference, June 18. A crowd of about 400 attended. Members came from Owensville, Maysville, Ashland, Boldman, and other places. A violin solo was played by Luke Ratliff, and a trio, singing The Lord's Prayer was composed of Mesdames Ruby Spencer, Pauline McKinney and Patty Sue Allen.

Mrs. Alma Ruth Edwards and son, Kenneth, have returned to their home in Detroit. They have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salisbury.

Rodney Salisbury, of Detroit, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lucy Salisbury, for the summer.

Mrs. Sonia Greer is attending Morehead State College this summer.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Attention, all R.E.A. members living in Floyd, Johnson and Martin counties. All members will soon be receiving their ballots by mail to vote and elect three board of Directors to serve you in Floyd county.

You can vote by mail or be present and vote on the grounds at the annual meeting to be held on July 14, 1961, at Prestonsburg Graded School, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The names of Bradis Goble, of Cow Creek, Ky., district number 5, John Edd Shepherd, of Middle Creek, Ky., district number 6, and Coett Handshoe, of Salt Lick Creek, Ky., district number 7, will be on your ballot for a better R. E. A. We ask for your support and vote.

Vote for three new members, Bradis Goble, John Edd Shepherd and Coett Handshoe of Floyd county, Ky. (Adv.-1t.)

DRIFT

**WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS**  
The Drift Woman's Club met June 19 at the Turner Elkhorn office. Mrs. McKinley Little was hostess for the evening.

The president read a letter informing the club that the donation for C.A.R.E. was sent to the Latin American countries.

Mrs. Glenn Ward and Mrs. C. J. Cahill gave an interesting report on the Big Sandy Area Development Workshop meeting at Prestonsburg. Mrs. Glenn Ward announced that the Woman's Club dance was planned for June 30, at the Minnie roller rink.

Members present at the meeting were: Mrs. Ben Martin, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, Mrs. Bill Lawson, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. B. F. Reed, Mrs. McKinley, Mrs. Bill H. Stumbo, Mrs. Clarence Turner, Mrs. Glenn Ward, Mrs. Clyde Moore, Mrs. C. J. Cahill, Mrs. Harry Martin, Miss Ruby Akers.

MAYTOWN

Mrs. Lena Dudley, Mrs. Ethel Presley, and Mr. and Mrs. Bee Jack Martin attended the funeral of Elbert Presley at Davenport, Va., Friday. Mr. Presley died of heart disease from which he had suffered for the past two years.

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U. S. Bonds ..... 2,257,403.98	Surplus ..... 400,000.00
Municipal Bonds and Securities 234,104.29	Undivided Profits ..... 73,526.01
Federal Reserve Bank Stock .... 18,000.00	Deposits ..... 7,583,005.29
Prepaid Insurance ..... 3,600.00	
Loans and Discounts ..... 4,771,140.02	
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The 20th annual Paintsville Invitational pro-amateur golf tournament will be staged over the country club course there this Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Qualifying rounds have been played throughout the week and will continue through Friday. Persons unable to qualify may send in their scores to the tournament committee.

Visiting pros will compete for \$250 in prize money while the amateurs will compete for a host of valuable prizes, as the winner and runner-up in each flight will earn a prize.

The pros will play 36 holes medal play, 18 holes Saturday and 18 holes Sunday. In the pro-amateur Friday, one pro and three amateurs will compete, with the winning pro to receive \$50.

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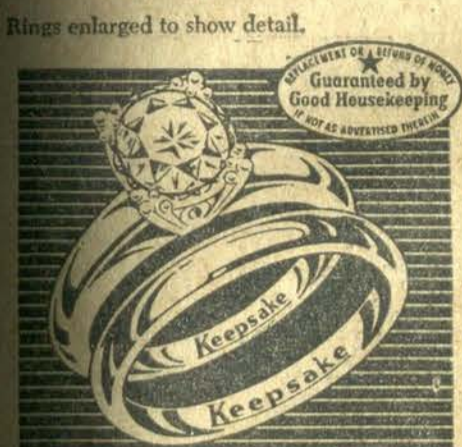
**UNDERGOES SURGERY**

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**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harris and daughter, Jeanie, Mrs. Maude Benjy and Mrs. Minta Hammond, of Columbus, O., and Mrs. Eunice Richmond, of Inez, spent Friday in Prestonsburg, en route home from Florida where they spent their vacation.

**O. E. S. TO MEET**

Mrs. Leatha Joy, worthy matron of Adah chapter No. 24, O. E. S., has announced that an initiation will be held Monday, July 10, at 8 p.m., at Masonic Hall. All O. E. S. members are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served in the dining room at the conclusion of the meeting.

**RETURN FROM FLORIDA**

Dr. and Mrs. George P. Archer and children returned home last Thursday from a vacation spent at Pompano, Florida. Dr. Archer has recovered from a recent heart seizure and has resumed his duties at the Prestonsburg General hospital for two hours daily.

**ATTENDING KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Arbor Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Music are in Toronto, Canada this week attending the Kiwanis International convention. Mr. Jones is president of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club. Mr. Music is a past lieutenant governor and treasurer of the Kentucky-Tennessee district.

**HAS PNEUMONIA**

Mr. Tom Lafferty was admitted to the Prestonsburg General hospital last week, suffering from pneumonia. She is improved.

**RETURN FROM VACATION**

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Callihan and children returned Saturday from a vacation at Pensacola, Florida.

**Society Notes**

Phone TU 6-3052

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wells Spurlock, of Lexington, and Mrs. Edward Lambert and children, of Huntington, are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock.

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

Mrs. Lula Lafferty, Mrs. Print Ball and Mrs. Robert DeRossett were in Huntington last Thursday, shopping.

Miss Judy Roberts, student at Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, on Dingus street. Miss Katherine Elizabeth Roberts accompanied her to Richmond for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Decker, of Lancer, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Edwards, of Estill, have returned home from a vacation of a week spent in the Great Smoky Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hobson, Dayton, Ohio, have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Virgie Whittaker, at Lancer.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Rowe accompanied their daughter, Libby, to St. Mary's hospital, Monday, for a checkup after brain surgery. Her condition is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson went to Ashland Saturday on business, returning home Tuesday evening.

Frank Hardin and children, of Rich Creek, Va., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill May on Lake Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brickley, of Kigsport, Tenn., spent the Fourth of July holiday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brickley.

Mrs. Birdie Simpson, Kittshill, Ohio, spent last week here with her sister, Mrs. Amanda May.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rose returned to their home in Columbus, Ohio, Sunday, after visiting relatives here.

Judge R. W. Feiler has returned to Cabell-Huntington hospital after spending only a few days at his home here from the hospital. His condition is unimproved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnson and son and daughter, Larry and Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Johnson enjoyed a few days camping and fishing at Cumberland Lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hale, of Lexington, were here last week, visiting friends. They were guests at Ivel of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dameron.

Mrs. Lesta Stephens Akers, of Louisville, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Stephens.

Mrs. Cecil Willis, of Boldman, visited Mrs. W. V. Bunting here last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Winston Layne Burke and two sons, of Lexington, and Edmund Burke, of Indianapolis, Ind., spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke.

Johnny Marcum, of Lexington, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stapleton have returned home from Washington, D. C., where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack F. Francis and son Jack Franklin, Jr.

Ballard Wright and family, of Lexington, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Wright, at Bonanza, over the week-end.

Mrs. Walter E. Snavelly and children, Charles Goble and Nena Jeanette, left for Okinawa to make their home for the next two years with her husband, Sgt. Walter E. Snavelly.

Mrs. Pearl Compton is home after spending three weeks in the Prestonsburg General hospital with a broken arm and sprained ankle.

Mrs. James Spurlock is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Compton while her mother has been in the hospital.

Polly Ann Compton Napier and son, Bobby Ray, left Monday for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Napier, in Louisville.

Mrs. Robert Sturgill, of Hindman, visited her sister, Mrs. Virgil Webb, here last week. Mrs. Webb is improved from second degree burns suffered recently. Dora Lynn Webb, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Sturgill, accompanied her here.

William Rowe, who is studying electronics in Chicago, spent the holidays here with Mrs. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, returned home last Thursday from Verdon, Nebraska, where they spent five weeks at their cottage. They were supper guests of Mrs. Joe M. Davidson here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newman, of Holopaw, Fla., who are visiting relatives here, visited his sons in Ashland, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lafferty and son, Mark, spent Sunday at Camden Park, near Kenova, W. Va.

**VACATION AT MYRTLE BEACH**

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Howard have returned from Myrtle Beach, S. C., where they spent their vacation.

**INDIANA VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Gibson, and children, of Warsaw, Indiana, were visiting friends and relatives here this week.

**FLORIDA VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tom Osborne, of Titusville, Fla., are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Emma Ellis Osborne, on Westminster street. He is stationed at the U. S. Air Base at Titusville.

**DANIELS REUNION**

Members of the Daniels family enjoyed Sunday, June 25, at the Jeff Daniels home at Cliff. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roma Penix and sons, Mrs. Mahala Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Daniels, Terry Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Daniels, Jr., Nick Daniels, Palmer Daniels, Albert Lee Daniels, Larry Daniels, of Williamsport; Sandy Daniels, New York; Mrs. Francis Daniels, Mrs. Tom Fraley and children, Loretta Smith, Thelma, Ky.; Mrs. Jerry Fraley and children, Oceana, W. Va.; Mrs. Estill Daniels and children, Van Lear; Mr. and Mrs. Norton Daniels, Paintsville; Elbert and Ershell Daniels, Smithers, W. Va.; James Kent Daniels, Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Junior White, Smithers, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam George, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sturgill, Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Gibson.

**RETURN FROM MICHIGAN**

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Salisbury and daughter, Chaddie, returned home last week from Detroit, where they spent their vacation with Mrs. Salisbury's father and family. Their daughters, Lynn and Nancy, are at the Baptist summer camp, Crestridge, in North Carolina.

**RETURN HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Tackett and children returned last week from Virginia Beach, Va., where they spent their vacation.

**ON VACATION**

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Camicia and children left last week to spend their vacation with Mrs. Camicia's mother, Mrs. Modena Hodge, at Okolona, Mississippi.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Thomas Crothers has returned to his home here from a Pikeville hospital where he received treatment for a serious ear infection. His condition is improved.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Jimmy Arnett, formerly of Prestonsburg, but now of Portsmouth, Virginia, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grade Hubbard here Monday.

**Girl Scout Day Camp Held At Chatterawha; Many Leaders Attend**

Forty-five girls and 21 adults kept things humming throughout this past week at Camp Chatterawha as Prestonsburg Neighborhood held its annual Day Camp. Mrs. Virgil Goble served as director again this year. She reported that attendance was up and that the enthusiasm of both girls and adult volunteers made the camp session a real success.

First-aid instruction was a new activity of intermediate girls this year. Mrs. John Graham, a qualified Red Cross instructor, taught a group of 16 girls from Troops 7, 15 and 40, how to apply bandages, dressings and tourniquets. The girls will complete the requirements for their first-aid badge when their troops resume their meetings in the fall. Other activities included canoeing, swimming, handicrafts, outdoor sketching, folk dancing, cooking, choral singing and nature study.

Adult volunteers and Senior Girl Scouts who assisted with the various activities included: swimming, Mrs. Paul (Joy) Hager, assisted by Miss Donna Ann Meade; handicrafts, Mrs. H. L. Midkiff and Mrs. Mary Auxier Hale; music, Mrs. Arthur Heywood; folk dancing, Elizabeth Lyn Frazier and Nancy Hall. Directing and assisting with other activities were Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. Ruby Spears, Mrs. R. E. May, Mrs. Clyde VanHoose, Mrs. Carl Chaffins, Mrs. Ray Collins, Mrs. Hern Burke, and the Misses Virginia Ann Adams, Elizabeth Rose, Pann Collins, Rita Conley, Mary Lynn Hall, Kay LeMaster, and Rae Lynn Blackburn.

**VISITING IN CHARLESTON**

Mrs. W. R. Joy and Mrs. Gladys Powell were in Charleston, S. C., recently attending to business. Mrs. Powell received medical treatment while there. They also visited former friends of Mrs. Joy and the late Mr. Joy whom they knew while residing in Charleston several years ago.

**VISIT PARENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson Dingus, of Chicago, arrived Saturday to spend the holiday week-end with his father, Joe S. Dingus, who is an operative patient at the Methodist hospital at Pikeville, and with his mother on Little Point.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. E. R. Burke returned home last week from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, having recovered from major surgery performed two weeks earlier. She is doing nicely.

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**VISIT RELATIVES**

Mrs. W. J. Dingus, of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Wayne Cornett and children and Miss Mabel Wright, of Pikeville, visited their brother, Astor Wright, and family in Dayton, Ohio during the holidays.

**ATTEND FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe attended the funeral of S. H. Barber at Ashland, Sunday. Mr. Barber was the father of Mrs. Iona Riffe, of Dayton, Ohio, sister-in-law of Carl Riffe.

**ENJOYS 6TH BIRTHDAY**

Gwendolyn Carolyn Dingus celebrated her sixth birthday, June 30, at Camden Park. Accompanying her were her mother, Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, her sister and brother, Elizabeth Graham Dingus and Jim Dingus.

**GREETED ON BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. J. W. Howard was surprised by a group of friends on her birthday, July 1, at her home on First avenue. They came to congratulate her, bringing her gifts. A birthday cake was cut and enjoyed with coffee and ice cream served by Mrs. Howard.

**CONCLUDE VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. Thomas, of Prairie Village, Kans., have returned home after spending their vacation, guests here of her father, Mont Collins, and other relatives.

**RETURN TO WASHINGTON**

Miss Maureen Mayo, Miss Mary Fogarty and Miss Bertha Pollack concluded a visit here with Mrs. Lucille Herndon, Sunday, returning to Washington, D. C.

**IN PIKEVILLE HOSPITAL**

Joe S. Dingus, of Little Point, is doing nicely at the Methodist hospital in Pikeville where he underwent surgery last Friday.

**RETURN FROM FLORIDA**

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel and daughter, Miss Mary Jo Shivel, have returned from a vacation in Florida and a visit with his sister, Mrs. Parsons, in Ft. Lauderdale.

**BUYS LOTS HERE**

George Lee Shannon last week purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Tom James nine lots on Central avenue. He plans to build a home on the property.

**VISITING SON**

Pete Collins, who is taking his internship at a Lima, Ohio hospital, is being visited this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins. He was graduated from the Louisville College of Medicine recently and has moved his family to Lima.

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- Jewelry ..... 25% Off
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The journey into Outer Space is near. The time is July, 1961. The place is the I. Richmond Company Department Store in Prestonsburg. Yes, they are blasting off from Prestonsburg. It will not be necessary to go to Cape Canaveral, Fla., to set out upon the awesome adventure to the moon. But Richmond's must lighten their load to enable them to get their large spacecraft into orbit. Prices come tumbling down, down, down.

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10. Clark recommended Clem Martin, Blanche Dingus, Anne Sue Stumbo and L. B. Price as supervisors. Hall moved they be employed on a basis of ten and a quarter months. Only Stumbo dissented.

11. The superintendent recommended Mrs. Mildred Kendrick for attendance work but Hall moved to abolish the position. Howard wanted to second but, being informed that he couldn't second a motion as chairman, he left the chair. Cooley became chairman and Howard entered the second. However, the motion to abolish the position of Mrs. Kendrick died with a 3-2 vote. A motion by Blair that Mrs. Kendrick be employed was entertained but Stumbo was stopped from a second, since he is her brother, and no one else offering a second. Howard declared the move to hire dead. Clark indicated he would consider her employed unless the matter was taken to the State Department of Education by opposing members.

12. Clark recommended three garage mechanics on a month-to-month basis. This was voted unanimously.

13. The night meeting adjourned at 2:20 a.m. The Board met again the next day in the circuit courtroom with the fiscal court to consider bids on construction of the Big Mt. Creek elementary school building. The contract was awarded to the partnership composed of Actor Meade, Romeyn Dyer and W. R. Kendrick on their low bid of \$312,426.63. Three other bids were offered, the one by W. D. Johnson, of Welch, West Virginia, being only \$173.37 higher. The contract will be officially awarded when the necessary bonds are sold.

14. Clark asked an order to rescind the previous order abolishing the position of materials specialist, filled last year by Former County Superintendent V. O. Turner. Only Hall voted against the move.

15. Permission was granted Clark to start all schools August 12.

16. The Board accepted the resignations of the following teachers: Birchell Moore, Wheelwright art teacher, Charles E. Baker, Wheelwright; Franklin Honeycutt, Prestonsburg high school; Joan Blackburn, Wheelwright; Virginia Caudill, Wheelwright; Hazel Hill, home ec teacher at Prestonsburg high, and Nannie Marie Hall, at McDowell. Nancy Marshall, of David, was employed to fill Miss Hill's position.

17. In order to relieve crowded conditions at Martin and Betsy Layne high schools, Clark asked for permission to advertise for bids for metal pre-fab classroom units, one in two rooms at Martin and two two-room units at Betsy Layne. This was approved unanimously.

18. Permission was granted Clark, with only Hall dissenting, to seek the state's approval to use emergency teachers where needed.

19. Clark advised the Board that a special meeting would be needed July 17.

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be interfered with in the free performance of their duties, or in going to and from their work, and that the defendants, individually, or others acting with them, shall not have in their hands or visible possession pocket knives or any other instrument that can be construed or used as a weapon. Forbidding any threats against plaintiff or any of its employees, the order did, however, give defendants the right to appear at or on the premises in a peaceful, orderly, lawful manner.

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Style Revue Winner



Miss Melanie Ann Conley, of Eastern, was Floyd county's entrant in the 4-H Style Revue at Lexington. Competing against county winners from 108 counties, Miss Conley wore a beige wool suit. The suit had a box pleated skirt, and waist-length double-breasted jacket. Her blouse and hat were made of matching material. She used brown accessories.

Aged Wheelwright Man Is Victim At Harlan; Was Alabama Native

Jack Green, 65, of Wheelwright, died at 1:30 p.m., Wednesday of last week at the Harlan Memorial hospital of a long illness. He was a native of Alabama.

Mr. Green was a son of the late Joe and Liza Isom Green and was married to Anna Todd Green, who survives. Surviving also is a son, Everett Green, Fort Knox, Ky. Surviving brothers and sisters are Henry Green, Mrs. Eva LeViny and Miss Emma Green, all of Evergreen, Alabama, Dehart Green, Birmingham, Alabama, and Miss Queen Green, Pensacola, Florida.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m., Sunday, from the Friendship Baptist Church at Wheelwright, the Rev. Adams officiating. Burial was made in the Wheelwright cemetery under the direction of Merion & Call Funeral Home.

One of the basic traffic regulations is this: The operator of any vehicle on a highway must operate the vehicle in a careful manner, with regard for the safety and convenience of pedestrians and other vehicles on the highway.

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Commenting on test drilling, Mr. Phillips said exploratory wells differ from regular production wells in that they are drilled on unproved acreage in areas farther removed from known production. "With our exploratory wells," he said, "we hope to discover new gas reserves in our own backyard."

"If more gas is found in the future, its cost would be lower than southwest gas and the overall cost of our total supply would tend to be correspondingly lowered."

Mr. Phillips said that Kentucky and West Virginia wells also are becoming important in another phase of the company's operations, the storage of natural gas. During the past 13 years, more than 300 depleted wells have been converted into underground storage wells.

United Fuel and its affiliates had approximately 147 billion cubic feet of gas stored in underground rock formations in their 22 West Virginia and Kentucky storage pools in the fall of 1960.

During the past winter, approximately 30 per cent of the stored gas was removed from storage to meet heating demands. During this summer, the storage pools will be refilled with gas transported from the southwest via transmission pipelines.

The companies' entire investment in underground storage facilities amounts to more than \$67 million.

United Fuel drills over 100 wells annually in the Appalachian area to maintain its local production. Sixteen years ago United Fuel obtained all of its gas from the Appalachian area, however, increased demands have caused this production to make up a declining percentage of the total amount needed.

"Altogether, we now have about 3,820 producing gas wells," Mr. Phillips said. "These wells and the privately-owned Appalachian wells from which we purchase gas, provide United Fuel and its affiliates with about 17 per cent of what we need to supply our customers."

"The other 83 per cent is produced in Louisiana and Texas and transported to this area through long distance pipelines."

Mrs. Mary Prater, 70, Dies Monday In Ohio; Burial Made At Pyramid

Mrs. Mary Ann Prater, 70, formerly of the Middle Creek section, died Monday of last week at Kenton, Ohio. She was a daughter of Smith and Lou Hicks. The name of her husband was unavailable.

Surviving sons and a daughter are Ellis, George, Richard and Mrs. Virgie Castle, all of Alger, Ohio. Surviving brothers and sisters are Bill, Dave, Ernest and Troy Hicks, all of Hippo, Mrs. Sally Allen, Mrs. Laura Prater, Mrs. Jane Risner and Mrs. Lucy Ousley, all of Pyramid.

Funeral services were held Thursday of last week at the home of a nephew, Ernest Prater, at Pyramid, the Rev. Ashland Shepherd officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who attended the funeral of our beloved father, Ellis V. Moore. We are especially grateful to the Revs. M. C. Wright, Banner Manns and others, for their words of comfort and for conducting the funeral service; to those who sent the beautiful flowers and other expressions of sympathy and friends and relatives who showed kindness and understanding in any way; and to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its efficient and sympathetic service.

HIS CHILDREN

Auxier, Wheelwright Lead Their Divisions In Babe Ruth League

Results of Babe Ruth League games since June 19:

Southern Division  
Garrett 11, Hindman 0; Wheelwright 11, Drift 10; Drift 8, Hindman 1; Wheelwright 13, Garrett 10; Garrett 5, Drift 4; Drift 9, Wheelwright 0 (forfeit); Garrett 8, Hindman 2.

Northern Division  
Martin 7, David 0; Martin 12, Prestonsburg 5; Auxier 8, David 1; Prestonsburg 8, David 4; Auxier 5, Martin 4; Auxier 12, Prestonsburg 2.

Standings:  
Northern Division  
W L PCT.  
Auxier ----- 5 0 1.000  
Maartin ----- 3 1 .750  
David ----- 1 4 .200  
Prestonsburg ----- 1 5 .167

Southern Division  
W L PCT.  
Wheelwright ----- 3 1 .750  
Drift ----- 4 2 .667  
Garrett ----- 3 3 .500  
Hindman ----- 0 4 .000

REVIVAL SCHEDULED

The Rev. Dewey Conley will hold a revival at the Katy Friend Baptist Church, starting Sunday, it is announced by Rev. Charlie Rowe, pastor. There also will be a foot-washing service on the third Sunday. The pastor urges the public to attend.

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Haden Crager, 44, Dies Of Heart Attack, Friday; Graveside Rites Held

Haden Crager, 44, of Garrett, died Friday at home of a heart attack. Death was sudden, it is said. He was a miner.

Mr. Crager was a son of the late Kendall Crager and Mrs. Dovie Shepherd Crager, of Hueysville. His wife, Florence Chaffins Crager, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are David, Delmas, Harold Dean, Wendell, Lorene, Chloett and Jeanett, all at home, and Mrs. Shelby Jean Crager, of Garrett. Brothers and sisters surviving are Hauley Crager, Kendallville, Indiana, Homer Crager, Ralph Lee Crager, Mrs. Laura Allen, Mrs. Sylvia Warrix, Mrs. Pearl Compton, all of Hueysville, Mrs. Eliza Handshoe, of Handshoe, Mrs. Alice Duff, Plymouth, Ohio, Mrs. Sarah Hicks, Glendale, Ariz., and Mrs. Gracie Dangler Waterloo, Indiana.

Funeral rites were conducted, Sunday, at the graveside, the Revs. Earl Lawson, Russell Jacobs, Banner Manns and Stewart Howard officiating. Burial was made in the Chaffins cemetery on Rock Fork under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

COW CREEK REVIVAL

A revival will begin at the Cow Creek Free Will Baptist Church Sunday night, with the Revs. Bill Ambury and James Harmon as evangelists. The public is invited.

William Vance, Sr., 44, Of East McDowell, Dies On Ohio Highway Job

William Vance, Sr., 44, of East McDowell, died of a heart attack while working on an Ohio highway, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Vance, a former miner, had only gone to work that morning and near noon was last seen alive going in the direction of a tool kit. He did not return and fellow workmen found the body seven hours later.

He was a son of the late Jesse Vance and Mrs. Jane Newman Vance, of Martin. His wife, Lizzie Isaacs Vance, survives. Surviving sons and daughters are James E. Vance, U. S. Army in Germany, Clarence, William, Jr., and Mrs. Ray Hamilton, all of East McDowell, Bernice, Charles, Robert, Barbara and Chattie, all at home. Brothers and sisters surviving are Robert Vance, Detroit, Jesse J. Vance, in Ohio, Jimmy Vance, Mrs. Mildred Randolph and Mrs. Ray Fritz, all in Michigan, Mrs. Earl Collins, Fort Knox, Ky., and Mrs. Nick Jones, Columbus, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday from the Clear Creek United Baptist Church, the Revs. Mitchell Chaffins, Ross Hopkins, Jonah Isaacs and others officiating. Burial was in the Newman cemetery at Hi Hat under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!

Winston in Address Before Kiwanis Club Tells of State Parks

The Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club at Wheelwright had as guest-speaker Monday night, June 26, Dick Winston, deputy commissioner, Department of Parks, Frankfort. His subject for discussion was, "State Parks of Kentucky, Their Growth, Number and Future Value to the State."

Mr. Winston, former executive secretary to Governor Combs, and for ten years in newspaper work, gave a detailed and informative talk about state parks, present and new.

His address was followed by a question-and-answer period.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bradbury are in Toronto, Canada, where Mr. Bradbury is representing the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club at the 46th annual convention of Kiwanis International.

TO ATTEND WORKSHOP

The Rev. J. Edward Cunningham, Lexington, has been awarded a scholarship to attend the 17th annual Church and Community Workshop at Emory University, June 27-July 13. Reverend Cunningham is employed by the General Association of Baptists in Kentucky as director of Mountain Missions Work and as associate superintendent in the Department of Missions.

Mrs. Minnie Conley, Age 68, of Van Lear, Dies of Brief Illness

Mrs. Minnie Conley, 68, of Van Lear, died at 6:58 p.m., Monday, June 26, in Memorial hospital, following a brief illness.

The daughter of the late George and Emma Hatfield Burchwell, she was born in Boyd county, November 7, 1894, and had resided at Van Lear and West Van Lear for the past fifteen years.

Surviving are her husband, Ervin Conley; a son, Billy Eugene Conley, Van Lear; a daughter, Mrs. Emma Jean Campbell, Water Gap; two sisters, Mrs. Ed Webb, West Van Lear; Mrs. Smith Conley, Water Gap.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p.m., Thursday from the Van Lear Free Will Baptist Church with James Lyons and Arthur Ramey as officiating ministers.

Burial was in the Conley cemetery.

CHORUS PRACTICE

The vocalists who will participate in the Civil War pageant, The Proud Heritage, will hold their final separate practice at the Community Methodist Church, Monday, July 10 at 7:30 p.m., it was announced this week. The remaining practices will be held with the rehearsals. All talking parts are urged to attend.

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 6th - 8 A.M. BE THE FIRST ONE HERE!

IT'S BEEN A SHORT SUMMER--IT'S SALE TIME AGAIN AND OUR STOCK IS BIG DUE TO THE COOL WEATHER. WE MUST MAKE ROOM FOR OUR NEW FALL STYLES THAT ARE ARRIVING DAILY--COME EARLY FOR BEST SELECTIONS AT BOTH STORES

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Francis

CLOTHING STORE

SHOE STORE

WOMEN and GIRLS

MEN and BOYS'

- SUMMER— DRESSES SKIRTS BLOUSES BERMUDAS SHORTS SLACKS BAGS PAJAMAS

1/3

GIRLS

- SUMMER— DRESSES PLAY CLOTHES

1/3

ONE GROUP—CARTERS INFANTS' WEAR

SUMMER—

- SPORT SHIRTS STRAW HATS BERMUDAS SLACKS SUITS SHORTY PAJAMAS GROUP SPORT SHIRTS \$2.49 (2 for \$4.50) BEACH COMBERS \$2.98

BOYS'

- SUMMER BERMUDAS SPORT SHIRTS SHORTS SHIRT and SHORT SUITS PAJAMAS

Summer—Women's and Girls

- VITALITY \$7.46 up PENALJOS \$8.96 up SANDLER \$6.71 up TRIMTRED \$5.96 up FLATS \$2.96 up SUMMERETTES \$2.96 up

SUMMER MEN'S and BOYS' FLORSHEIM—GROUP \$10

DISCONTINUED PATTERNS ALLEN-EDMONDS \$14.95

RAND and RANDCRAFT MEN'S SUMMER, \$5.96 up

MEN'S SUMMER CANVAS SHOES \$4.45 up

CHILDREN'S SUMMER SHOES REDUCED 1/4

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## CANEY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION IN MEET AT PIPPA PASSES

Pippa Passes, Ky., July 3 (Spl.)—Caney Alumni Association directors met Sunday afternoon in the reception room of the Caney Alumni Dormitory which alumni had built and dedicated last year for the use of Caney Junior College.

Alumni president Joe Taylor Hyden presided, received reports of the secretary-treasurer, Elizabeth Stone, and appointed committees to prepare for the annual meeting in September.

Alumni directors present were: Hollie Conley, Prestonsburg; Sylvia Newman, Hi Hat; Oma P. Elkins, Wheelwright; John Chris Cornett, Hindman; Devert Owens, Lexington; J. Commodore Stone, Pippa Passes; Charles Clark, Prestonsburg; Cordell Martin, Hindman; Arnold Lowe, of Eastern; Elizabeth Sloane, Larksville, and Dr. Hyden.

Other alumni members attending were: Dr. Palmer Hall, Morehead; Delmar Howard, Lexington; Rufus Fugate, Hyden; Emma Lois Flannery, Martin; Luther Ritchie, Hindman; William Hughes, Pippa Passes; Claude Stone, Frankfort; Marcus Owens, Bevinville; Ruby Akers, McDowell; Edward Madden, Pippa Passes; Alma Love, Eastern; Mrs. Rufus Fugate also attended. William Hayes, director of Caney Junior College, spoke of recent and important contributions of the Alumni Association to the renown and well-being of the college.

### FREE BOOKS AT CANEY

Grade school teachers are invited to pick out additional readers and supplementary materials for their school rooms from the stacks of elementary school books on the porch of Caney Junior College at Pippa Passes.

More than one thousand science and health readers, geographies, school histories and the like are

again ready for teachers to "come and get them."

### SUMMER TERM

One hundred fifty-two mountain students from Floyd, Knott, Letcher and Perry counties enrolled in Caney Junior College this summer. It is reported by William Hayes, director. This is the 39th annual summer term in the college.

The Caney Junior College summer term is shortened this year. Its new purpose is to introduce high school graduates to the more exacting college studies in a short term of three subjects only, instead of in the September semester.

Formerly many emergency teachers and others preparing to enter school teaching on a two-year certificate found summer terms useful for this short-range preparation.

The college is now able more consistently to emphasize the liberal arts general curriculum which leads directly to the degree programs in education, engineering, medicine, law and the other professions.

The summer school is shortened also to serve more evidently as a supplement of the academic year's curriculum, and not in place of it. The freshman year schedules in the fall will emphasize English composition, foreign languages, mathematics, science and history or music; sophomore courses will be: humanities, more foreign languages, mathematics, science, history and art.

This is the same program the Air Forces Academy in Colorado Springs selected for its freshman and sophomores.

The summer school faculty includes seven Caney alumni. They are William R. Hughes, registrar; James Stone and Calvin Martin in biology, health and first-aid; Paul

Colwell in psychology and education; Charlotte Rich and Charlotte Madden in the library; and Emma Lois Flannery, college secretary.

Long-time associates of Caney are Dr. A. L. Geisenheimer, retired professor from the University of South Carolina; and Alfred Godfrey, of Southern California and Columbia University in Economics and Government.

New summer faculty members are Oliver Cornett, veteran teacher of Clay county high school at Manchester, Raymond Fields of Bulfinch, Perry county teacher, and Joseph Williams, recently in graduate studies at the University of South Carolina and Harvard.

### FLOYD STUDENTS AT CANEY

The following Caney Junior College summer students are Floyd county high school graduates:

McDowell High School—Bobby Allen, Judy Allen, Vivian Allen, Lindsay Blackburn, Bonnie Collins, Buena Frasure, Barbara Gilliam, Freddie Hall, Willis Hall, Judae Hayes, Lowell Hinkle, Freddie Lawson, Ralph Mitchell, Eddie Moore, Danny Mullins, Clara Newsum, Darrel Pennington, Gary Ratliff, J. C. Ross, Richard Sammons, Charlotte Stewart, Mary Ruth Stewart, Harold Turner.

Martin High School—Bobby Barnett, Sandra Blevins, William Bradlock, David Conley, Mark Dingus, Jeanette Ferrell, Jimmy Ison, Sue Justice, Robert D. Marshall, Don Mayo, Charles Osborne, William A. Scisbury.

Maytown High School—Walter Bentley, Francis Bradley, Sharon Patton, Karen Shipman, Garrie Turner.

Garrett High School—Russell Allen, Bruce Boleyn, Michael Brown, Joyce Case, Ann Lea Huff, Eveline Moore, Kenneth Moore, Camilla Lawson, Birchel Sexton, Evalene Shepherd, Wanda Stephens.

Wayland High School—Billie Frady, Daniel Ramey, Judy F. Stone, Oakley Smith.

Wheelwright High School—Julia F. Johnson, Willis Little, Harold Glenn Newman, Loretta Tackett, Virgil Tackett.

Prestonsburg High School—Billy Burkett, Jerry Burkett, Jimmy Jennings, Charles Johnson, Delmar Lafferty, Billy Onley, Ella Mae Shepherd, Ruth Turner, Lester Wallen.

Patsy Layne High School—Wayne Clark, A. Vonell Akers, Obrean Stone.

## To My Friends, Relatives And Voters:



I have decided to withdraw my suit contesting the legality of absentee votes in the Sheriff's race.

"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches," it is often said and to this I agree. From a few people's statements, one of them in the Floyd County Times, I have neither, according to them. However, when a man's good name is attacked, he should reply, however unfounded the charges may be.

I withdraw my suit because the witnesses were being pressured in many ways, some leaving the county, some hiding out, and some saying they voted for me when I knew they had not. You can't win a suit under this and many other adverse conditions.

Although my brother, Dr. Ed Leslie, spent considerable sums of money in my behalf up to the point of my withdrawal from the suit, I had to choose whether or not to continue a costly and uncertain litigation for several months. It is not fair or right for a man or his brother to be required to spend huge sums of money in order to be nominated for office. In fairness to him, myself and our families, I decided to withdraw.

A few years ago I lost a race for State Representative by a mere 31 votes but I took my defeat as a good loser should. In this race there was a lot of unfairness in the absentee voting and this prompted my suit.

However, I have accomplished a good purpose. The Grand Jury has recommended the purchase of additional voting machines and the repeal or revision of the absentee voting laws. It may be that this will result in cleaner, fairer elections in our county.

I want to thank everyone who aided or assisted me in anyway in the race for Sheriff. I shall remember you with a full heart. I am a good Democrat and I urge all of you to join with me in supporting the Democratic ticket this fall.

Sincerely yours,  
 DAVID B. LESLIE

## Walter Frasure Advises On Adult Class Program; Work Is Success, Said

Walter Frasure, assistant county superintendent of schools, issued a statement this week to persons interested in an adult education course. These courses will be conducted at each consolidated school center in the county.

"Adult education interest check lists and enrollment applications are being circulated to the various business places in each community that the public might have information about the adult education program in this county," Frasure said.

"If interested, please return the forms to me during the month of July," he added. "If forms are not available in your community, contact me at the county superintendent's office."

The adult education program is now in its second year in this county and has been an outstanding success, educators say.

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tion can be deceptive. I could study and tell you. You probably need a study of your organization."

It was the handling of the paint bids that brought Alexander's first heavy verbal assault.

"I'm not sure you follow the law on contracts. I have never seen so much fumbling on bids." Of letting janitorial service to contract, he said: "You can go out here, of course, and advertise for people but it disturbs me because you have no policy. You haven't thought this thing through . . ."

You made a mistake in advertising for paint bids and in selecting the paint. I don't know whether you picked the best or not. (Cooley interrupted at this to note that he knew paint). You opened the paint bids, considered for an hour. These bids should have been opened, the paint studied, particularly its analysis. I doubt the legality of these bids."

He reserved his biggest blast when it was said by someone that the Board had a right to reject a recommended employee on moral grounds.

"It's awful hard to prove morals," he said. "The Board has a right to reject under the law but such a thing as a reason must be given. What is the reason? It must be stated and it must not be capricious."

"I don't give a hang who runs the school system here," he said. "I think, though, you are all honorable men but I think you are making blunders you'll regret. I just think you don't know what you are doing."

On the innovations proposed in administration, he quoted Alexander Pope: "Be not the last to try the new nor the first to lay aside the old."

TIMES WANT ADS PAY!

## Russell Crisp, 52, Native of Floyd-Co., Victim In California

Russell Crisp, 52, formerly of Martin, died suddenly at Los Angeles, California, Friday at 9 p.m. of a cerebral hemorrhage. He was an employee of Douglas Air Craft Corporation and had resided there since 1940.

Mr. Crisp was a son of the late Pharis and Dolly Stephens Crisp. His wife, Audrey McClellan Crisp, survives. Surviving are two sons, Ronald and Ullan Crisp, both of Los Angeles. Surviving brothers and sisters are Arthur Crisp, Milly Crisp, Mrs. Mona Mayo and Mrs. Maza Hughes, all of Martin, Mrs. Lora Skeens, Cleveland, Ohio, Miss Shirley Crisp, Los Angeles, and Mrs. Zola Compton, Dungannon, Virginia.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) at 2 p.m., from the Martin Church of Latter Day Saints, Elders Hunter and Willardson officiating. Burial was made in the Martin cemetery under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

### CREEP-FEEDING

Lexington, Ky. — University of Kentucky Experiment Station animal husbandmen are taking a new look at the practice of creep-feeding after a lengthy experiment of their showed little practical advantages for the system.

Reelfoot Lake on the southwest border of Kentucky was formed in 1811 by an earthquake.

On the campus of the University of Kentucky, Lexington, is a section of the first railroad operated west of the Allegheny Mountains.

The lowest point in Kentucky is only 257 feet above sea level—near Hickman in Fulton county.

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## Ronald Ray Johnson, 17, Formerly of Floyd-Co., Succumbs In Michigan

Ronald Ray Johnson, 17, formerly of Halo, this county, died at 1 p.m., Saturday, at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, of a heart condition.

He was a son of Jonathan and Margaret Johnson, of Eaton Rapids, and is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Joel, James, Johnny and Darrell Johnson, Clara and Mrs. Veda Boggs, all of Eaton Rapids.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the graveside, ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Cook cemetery at Halo under the direction of Merion & Call Funeral Home.

### PRATER IN GERMANY

8th Inf. Div., Germany — Pvt. Roma G. Prater, son of Mrs. Martha A. Runyon, Langley, Ky., recently achieved recognition as a top Army marksman by qualifying for the expert marksmanship badge during range firing with the carbine in Germany.

Cannoner in Battery A of the 8th Infantry Division's 28th Artillery, Prater entered the Army in December, 1960, completed basic training at Fort Knox, and arrived overseas last May.

The 19-year-old soldier attended Maytown high school.

### SERVES ON USS FARRAGUT

Boston (FHTNC)—Serving aboard the guided missile frigate USS Farragut operating out of Boston, Mass., is Earl Allen, machinist's mate second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Allen, of Martin, Ky.

## Surplus Property Lists Are Available To Public; Small Businesses Advised

Small firms interested in obtaining sales and bid information on surplus government real and personal property can list their name and address on the property sales assistance register maintained by the Small Business Administration, James G. Garwick, Regional Director of the Agency announced last week.

Firms listed on the register automatically receive information on government surplus property, including machine tools, electronic equipment, woodworking and metalworking equipment, Mr. Garwick said. Approximately 1200 small businesses in this region are already listed on SBA's register.

Last year, SBA, assisted small firms in buying more than 30,000 separate items of personal property being offered for sale by the U. S. government. Principal items of interest were woodworking and metalworking machinery, construction equipment, machine tools and electronic testing equipment.

"This widespread interest by small firms, particularly those engaged in production, reflects a desire on the part of small businesses to replace, upgrade and improve their productive efficiency and position," Mr. Garwick explained.

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	<b>SIRLOIN STEAK</b>	Tenderay	lb. 89c
	<b>T-BONE or PORTERHOUSE</b>	Tenderay Tail-less	lb. \$1.09
	<b>AVONDALE PEAS</b>	Garden sweet	No. 303 can 10c
	<b>SHORTENING</b>	Armour Vegetole	3 lb. can 59c
	<b>PORK and BEANS</b>	Kroger	16 oz. can 10c
	<b>KROGER BREAD</b>	white, enriched	20 oz. loaf 19c
		Save 7c on 2 loaves	
	<b>WATERMELONS</b>	22-24 lb. avg.	each 89c

4	<b>FREE 50 EXTRA TOP VALUE STAMPS</b> with this coupon and purchase of One dozen California Oranges Coupon expires Saturday, July 8, 1961
3	<b>FREE 50 EXTRA TOP VALUE STAMPS</b> with this coupon and purchase of 1 lb. or more center ham slices Coupon expires Saturday, July 8, 1961
1	<b>FREE 100 EXTRA TOP VALUE STAMPS</b> with this coupon and purchase of Raid House & Garden Bomb 14 oz. can \$1.49 * Coupon expires Saturday, July 8, 1961 *
2	<b>FREE 50 EXTRA TOP VALUE STAMPS</b> with this coupon and purchase of Coffee Cake Butter Streusel or Apple Nectar Coupon expires Saturday, July 8, 1961

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**Arthur D. Carpenter, 79, Of Stanville, Claimed; Retired Gas Firm Worker**

Arthur D. Carpenter, 79, of Stanville, was claimed at home Tuesday. A retired Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company employee, he had resided in the section 32 years. Mr. Carpenter was a son of Charles and Lydia Bore Carpenter. His wife, Cleo Estes Carpenter, survives. He was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church. Surviving sons and daughters are Charles Carpenter, Orlando, Florida, Calvin Carpenter, U. S. Army, Arthur D. Carpenter, Jr., Stanville, Mrs. Fay Kaplin, Des Moines, Iowa, Mrs. Virginia Sayle and Mrs. Mabel Allen, both of Ypsilanti, Michigan. Surviving is a brother, Otto Carpenter, Chester Hill, Ohio, and a sister, Mrs. Nelle Ogg, in Ohio. Surviving half-brothers and half-sisters are Dale Carpenter, Newark, Ohio, Joy Carpenter, Akron, Ohio, Lois Carpenter, Gallipolis, Ohio and Mrs. Pearl Baleraczky, Hastings, New Jersey. Funeral rites are planned for Friday at 11 a.m. at the Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church, the Revs. Carl Senters and Luther Walters officiating. Burial will be made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Local preachers, elders and their wives are invited to be house guests of David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tenn., for the June Bible Lectures, June 18-22, on the theme, "Restoration of New Testament Christianity."

**ALMAR DRIVE-IN THEATRE ALLEN, KY.**

**THURSDAY, July 6—**  
Double Feature  
"Esther and the King"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Joan Collins, Richard Egan, Dennis O'Dea

"The 39 Steps"  
(Color)  
Kenneth More, Taina Elg

**FRIDAY, July 7—**  
Jack Pot Nite!  
"Flame Over India"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Lauren Bacall, Kenneth More, Herbert Lom

**SATURDAY, July 8—**  
Double Feature  
"Bobbikins"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Shirley Jones, Max Bygraves

"Walk Tall"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Willard Parker, Joyce Meadows, Kent Taylor

**SUN., MON., July 9-10**  
"North To Alaska"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
John Wayne, Stewart Granger, Ernie Kovacs, Johnny Horton

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"Governmental services are no different from individual or business services. You get no more than you pay for," Scent said. In some cases a reduction would be exceptionally costly. In the area of public assistance, \$1 of state money is matched by at least \$2 in federal money — and in some cases even more. Therefore, any reduction in the state appropriation would actually amount to at least three times that much loss in the over-all program. Old-age assistance payments in Kentucky during the calendar year 1960 totaled just over \$32 million in state and federal money. For a closer look, the average old-age recipient pays about \$1.40 per month sales tax but draws about \$5.45 more per month in old-age assistance payments than he did before the sales tax became effective. General fund appropriations for the coming fiscal year, 1961-1962, are: education, \$142,071,266; health and welfare, \$45,156,860; general government—which includes 17 departments legislative, judiciary and executive appropriations, elections and county costs—\$19,189,769; agriculture and conservation, \$3,383,990; and other—made up mainly of capital construction—\$6,853,300. These appropriations total \$216,660,184.

A reduction of \$32 million in general fund receipts without additional taxes would put a gap somewhere in the appropriations. The amount of the reduction, for instance, far exceeds the entire appropriation for health, agriculture and conservation, revenue, finance, economic development or public safety. And a reduction of \$32 million, if taken largely from the same program, could riddle such a field as education.

The present increased appropriations represent new highs in benefits to the less fortunate. "If the sales tax is reduced or exemptions granted, resulting in reductions in the state support to education, health and welfare, in order to maintain present levels of service, local contributions will have to be increased. The money must come from some tax source," Finance Commissioner Robert Matthews, Jr., has said.

**NOTICE**

Bids will be accepted by the Floyd County Board of Education until 10:00 a.m., July 22, 1961, for the furnishing of labor and material necessary to install sewage treatment facilities at McDowell, Betsy Layne and Dwale elementary schools. Plans and specifications may be obtained from George L. Shannon, architect, Ferstonsburg. CHARLES CLARK, Supt. Floyd County Schools 7-6-3t.

**CATTAIL TREATMENT**  
Lexington, Ky.—Unightly clumps of cattails in farm ponds ought to be sprayed this time of year to kill them, says James W. Herron, University of Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station weed-control specialist.

**DRIVE-IN THEATRE Prestonsburg, Ky.**

**THURSDAY, July 6—**  
Double Feature  
"The Savage Innocents"  
(Technirama-Technicolor)  
Anthony Quinn, Yoko Tani

"The Young Land"  
(Technicolor)  
Pat Wayne, Yvonne Craig, Denis Hopper, Dan O'Herlihy

**FRIDAY, July 7—**  
Play Lucky!  
"Studs Lonigan"  
Dick Foran, Venetia Stevenson, Jay C. Flippen

**SATURDAY, July 8—**  
Triple Feature  
"For the Love of Mike"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Stu Erwin, Arthur Shields, Rex Allen

"Raymie"  
Jerry Lewis, Julie Adams, John Agar, Charles Winninger, Richard Arlen

"Hangman's Knot"  
(Technicolor)  
Donna Reed, Frank Faylen, Claude Jarman, Jr.

**FOUR DAYS, Starts MONDAY, July 9—**  
"Around the World in 80 Days"  
(CinemaScope-Color)  
Centiflas as Pope, Dan Dailey, Shirley Jones, 35 Guest Stars!

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Potter said, were in a rear seat of the car, and the watches were under a floor-mat.

Potter quoted Hall as saying he bought the guns and watches from another man. Hall denied knowledge of the break.

Hatfield, who has been in business here six years, has a stock of about 400 rifles, shotguns and pistols, some of which are antiques.

A break into the Bobby Hall Service Station at McDowell, Sunday night, netted thieves approximately \$100 in cash and 30 cartons of cigarettes, Detective Potter said. Nobody has been arrested in the McDowell case.

Jailed here within the week:

Joe B. Harris, possessing moonshine whiskey, arrested by Sheriff Hershell Warrens and Deputy Sheriff Lonnie Herald; Tommy Ratliff, to begin serving a 30-day jail term resulting from his trial on a liquor charge in circuit court; Eddie Hamilton, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, arrested by State Trooper Don Goble and Deputy Sheriff Herald; Jimmie Harmon, drunk driving, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Wesley Fannin and Lonnie Herald; Corbett Chaney, grand larceny, booked by State Trooper Goble.

When the War Between the States began, Kentucky had a slave population of about 225,000.

**Oak Handshoe, 47, Dies In Indiana; Last Rites Conducted At Garrett**

Oak Handshoe, 47, of LeGrange, Indiana, but a native of Handshoe, died at home, Wednesday of last week. He was a son of the late Willie and Margaret Handshoe.

Surviving sons and daughters are Leroy Handshoe, of LeGrange, Ber Handshoe, Mrs. Violet Davis, Mrs. Margaret Osborne, Mrs. Lois Van Dyke and Miss Rose Handshoe, all of War, West Virginia, and Woodrow Handshoe, of Hindman. Brothers and sisters surviving are Andy, Lindsay, Beech, Walter and Gold Handshoe, all of Handshoe, Mrs. Molly Conley, of Hindman, Mrs. Ogie Bolen and Mrs. Betty Gibson, both in Indiana.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, from the Garrett Church of God, the Rev. James Duff officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Bolen, Knott county, under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

**LIVESTOCK FIELD DAYS**

Lexington, Ky. — Livestock field days will be held Wednesday, July 19 and Friday, July 21, at the University of Kentucky Coldstream Farm in Lexington and the Princeton Experiment Substation farm, respectively.

The Purchase, one of Kentucky's six physical regions, received its name at the time it was purchased from the Chickasaw Indians.

**Sgt. Marvin Craft Moves To Columbia, S. C.; Will Serve Investigative Arm**

Sgt. Marvin E. Craft, local Army recruiter moved Wednesday to Columbia, South Carolina, where he will work in Army investigative work. He moved to Prestonsburg from Beckley, West Virginia, in January, 1960.

Craft, a native of Meigs county, has spent three and a half years in Army recruitment but most of his career was as a military policeman. He served eight years in the infantry.

He expressed appreciation to his friends in Prestonsburg before he left for their assistance in his work here and urged them to visit his home at 7455 Pinedale Drive, Columbia.

Craft, one of the most-decorated of Army veterans in Kentucky, plans to reside permanently in Columbia.

**WORM CONTROY**

Lexington, Ky. — Shortly after setting out of tobacco plants, budworms and hornworms may attack the plants. So, says Richard Thurston, University of Kentucky Experiment Station entomologist, control measures will be needed.

The only minister of state sent to the Republic of Texas (1841) by the United States was Joseph Eve, a circuit judge who lived at Barbourville, Ky.

**Aged Banner Resident Is Victim At Hospital; Burial, Webb Cemetery**

Tom Carr, 72, of Banner, was claimed at the Paintsville hospital, Thursday of last week, following a hospitalization of six days. He had been in ill health two years. He was a retired farmer and a veteran of World War I. He was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Mr. Carr was a son of Preston Carr and Mickie Smith Carr. His wife, Bertha Hunt Carr, survives. Surviving is a son, Winston Carr, of Lancer, and the following daughters: Mrs. Flora Dillon and Mrs. Verdie Sammons, both also of Lancer, and Mrs. Hazel Brunk, Belleville, Michigan. One brother, John Henry Carr, of Allen, survives.

Funeral services were held Saturday, at the home, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Fred McGinnis officiating. Burial was made in the Webb cemetery at Allen under the direction of Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture forecasts the largest southern peach crop this year since 1947. A crop of 16,730,000 bushels is expected in nine southern states. Although this is only 1 percent above the 1960 crop, it is 58 percent above the average production from 1950 to 1959.

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**THE PROBLEM**  
Operative X-9 thinks he has something. Says he saw a man drunk and that every fly that came near folded up its wings and gave up the ghost. He thinks, maybe, he might go into the insecticide business with a product that would make DDT look like cream in a saucer. But he needs a chemical analysis made first and can't decide if he should analyze the drink or the man.

**FISHING REPORT**

The bugle-mouth bass are striking at Dewey Lake. To get action, find a mulberry tree which bends over the water. Rig up the old fly-rod and drop a black popper over near the bank. Let it lie, brace yourself.

What is a bugle-mouth bass? This is the local name for a certain fish which many years ago found favor with the French royal family to such extent Louie and his court turned their noses up at trout.

**VISITING RELATIVES**

Mrs. Millie Burchfield, of Albion, Mich., is spending her vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Darby, on Cow Creek.



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## BUTLER TELLS ADVANCES MADE BY KY. EDUCATION

Frankfort, Ky., June 30 (Spl.)—Kentucky's educational ranking among the states has been summarized in a report to the State Board of Education by Wendell P. Butler, superintendent of public instruction.

Butler said Kentucky's rank in various categories ranges from first to 41st place for the 1960-1961 school year, but noted there is a definite improvement over previous year's ratings.

In percentage of average annual salary increase to teachers from 1959-1960 to 1960-1961, Kentucky ranks first with a 26 per cent average salary raise. From 1958-1959 to 1959-1960, Kentucky ranked 28th with only a four per cent increase.

The estimated average salary of teachers last year, however, was 41st among other states. This is higher than for the 1959-1960 year, Butler said, when Kentucky ranked 49th.

### Scouts Castle, Damron Conference Delegates; Walters Makes Comment

Explorers of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, had "a wonderful experience in democracy in action," Walter P. Walters, of Pikeville, president of the council, said referring to the two local Explorers who attended the first Regional Elected Explorer Delegate Conference held recently at Columbus, Ohio.

The two are Willie Castle, and David Damron, both of Post 327, Draffon.

Mr. Walters said that twelve regional conferences across the nation were organized, planned and conducted by Explorers, the high school age program of the Boy Scouts of America. They were aided by a few adult advisors.

"In spite of fears that some adults have for putting things into the hands of teenage boys," he said, "this was done across the nation and the results have been terrific." The conferences turned out better than any one expected, he added.

### DIED IN INJURIES

Over the last ten years 58,000 rural residents met death and two million were injured on the highway. Fatal accidents for the decade increased by 26 percent. And accidents often happen close to home. Facts show that 65 percent of all fatal accidents occur within 25 miles of home.

Kentucky paid \$154 from state funds for each pupil enrolled, to rank 20th in the nation in this category; \$176 per pupil in average daily attendance to rank 21st; and \$4,082 per instructional staff member, to rank 19th.

Butler said that in 1957-1958, Kentucky paid only \$102 from state funds per pupil enrolled, and ranked 32nd; \$118 per pupil in average daily attendance to rank 32nd; and only \$2,743 per instructional staff member, to rank 30th.

July ends the season to prune evergreens; prune them now or wait until next season. Remove one-half to two-thirds of the new growth, but never remove the top unless the plant is as tall as you want it. Don't remove lower branches; the best-looking evergreens have foliage all the way to the ground.

Salt was among the principal commodities produced in Kentucky from about 1778 until the Civil War.

What's Going On in **FISH & WILDLIFE** by MINOR CLARK, Commissioner  
Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources



Q. How may a duplicate hunting or fishing license be obtained if the original one is lost? (R. P., Yancey, Ky.)

A. A duplicate license can not be obtained. The law does not provide for the issuance of such duplicates. However, the Fish and Wildlife Resources Commission has ruled that a photostatic copy of the county clerk's copy of the original will be acceptable by the conservation officers.

Q. I am raising bobwhite, blue scale and chukar quail for which I have a breeder's permit. What I want to know is if there is any government restrictions on selling these birds on foot for breeding purposes. Also, I would like to sell chukar and blue scale dressed and would like to know the necessary steps needed to do this—the way to dress, sell and if a government tag is needed. (A. W., Fulton, Ky.)

A. Pheasants and other exotic birds from a licensed propagation farm or from an individual who holds a propagation permit may be sold for food purposes directly or for resale by restaurants, stores or hotels at any time. All mammals and birds sold alive for propagation shall bear a tag on each crate, the tags to be obtained from the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources at a charge of two cents each and with the containers bearing a tag giving the breeder's name, address and the species shipped. Bob White quail may not be sold for food purposes unless the owner has a Food Purposes Permit which may be obtained from the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources at a cost of \$100 per year. Each bird must be tagged with a tag obtainable from the Department at a cost of two cents each.

Q. I have reached my 65th birthday and now intend to do a lot of fishing. I have already pur-

chased my fishing license but I hear now that a person who has reached 65 is not required to have a license. Is that correct? (H. H.)

A. A person 65 or over is not required to buy either a hunting or fishing license. However, to engage in either of these sports, he must have on his person an affidavit stating his age and birth date. This applies only to residents of Kentucky. Non-residents above that age as well as all others must purchase a non-resident license.

What's your question about Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources? Send it to Minor Clark, Commissioner, Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, Frankfort, and it will be answered in the near future in this column.

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### Burke on Dean's List As Chemistry Student At University of Ky.

Lucien Burke, Prestonsburg junior at the University of Kentucky, has been named to the Dean's List of UK's College of Arts and Sciences.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must have at least a 3.6 (A-) average standing on a 4.0 grade scale for the spring semester.

Burke is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, of Prestonsburg. He is majoring in chemistry at U. K.

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## OFFICIAL NOTICE of the ANNUAL MEETING OF BUSINESS

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There will be various prizes given to members registering, and the BIG SANDY RECC BEAUTY CONTEST will again be held. A program of entertainment has been planned,—so, come and bring the family and your neighbors.



PHIL STUMBO

Phil Stumbo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stumbo, and Porter Layne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Layne, of Harold, left June 24, for Greencastle, Indiana, where they entered De Pauw University for a two-week course in science which is being sponsored by "Scientists of Tomorrow." Mr. Stumbo and Mr. Layne are honor students of Betsy Layne high school where they will be members of the senior class next year, according to D. W. Howard, principal, Betsy Layne high school.



PORTER LAYNE

### Eastern Enrolls 63 From This County For Summer Term

Richmond, Ky., July 3 (Spl.) — 63 Floyd countians are among the record 2,453 students enrolled for the summer term at Eastern Kentucky State College. It was announced this week by registrar, M. E. Mattox.

This total enrollment for the summer session is 220 more than the summer figure a year ago of 2,233. The figure does not include the college's one operating off-campus extension center in Hyden, where 150 students are enrolled, nor does it include the training school, enrollment for the summer.

The 63 Floyd countians are: Julia B. Akers and Floline B. Frazier, Melvin; Nellie Joyce Akers, Billy Holbrook, Jr., Carolyn Sue Martin, Ella Faye Phillips and Larry Douglas Short, of Allen; Pauline H. Allen, Clyde Damron Stapleton, Frances Eleanor Stapleton, Donnie M. Stumbo and Nesba Moore Summer, of McDowell; Polly Lou Bentley, Paul D. Hall, Jack Lovely, Charles Edward Martin, Margie O. Watson and Neil Watson, of Hueysville; Avenelle Craft Bradley, Ila Triplett Branham, Kendall Craft, Jr. and Ella Rector, of Wayland; Billy Joe Bradley, Hugo Eckner Miller, Sally Louise Miller, Billy J. Turner and Helen V. Turner, of Drift; Paul W. Branson and Fonce Jenny Howell, of Price; William Byron Brasher, Manton; Johnnie Case, Winifred Grace Combs, Delmas Inmon, Myrtle M. Jacobs, Tommy Cecil Johnson, Bonnie Reynolds Martin, Tandy Moore, Harry James Wallace and Leota B. Weaver, of Garrett; Leona Gott Cooley, Mary M. Harris, Carol Jeanette Johnson, Mary Elizabeth May, Earl D. Ousley, Doris R. Prater, Tommie Burchett Richardson, Judith Merle Roberts, Paul D. Stepp and Thomas Burton Thompson, of Prestonsburg; Troy Freeman Curry and Butch Clark Heltan, of Wheelwright; Anna Mary Friend, Hunter; Janice Bess Gunnell, Banner; Paul Calvin Hager, East Point; Joyce Imogene Hall, Halo; Wid Hall, Bevinsville; Charles E. Martin, Eastern; Frank Douglas Scutchfield, Ann Scutchfield and Frances Sue Sherman, of Martin; Keith W. Stone, of Dema; Orris Delano Stumbo, of Lancer, and Margie Lee Combs, of Orkney.

### COLLINS SERVES

Seventh U. S. Army, Germany—Specialist Four Glenn Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins, of Cliff, Ky., participated with other personnel from the Seventh U. S. Army's 32nd Artillery in April Shower a command post exercise in Germany which ended June 9.

Collins, a personnel specialist in the artillery's Headquarters and Service Battery, which is regularly located in Hanau, entered the Army in 1953 and arrived overseas on this tour of duty last February.

The 25-year-old soldier is a 1953 graduate of Prestonsburg high school. His wife, Sue, is with him in Germany.

The plain Coachman fly was invented by a royal coachman; the Royal Coachman fly is an American variation of it.—Sports Afield.

### NOTICE

Bids will be accepted until 10:00 a.m., July 22, 1961, for the furnishing of all material and labor required for the construction of two metal class rooms at Martin, and four metal class rooms at Betsy Layne.

Complete plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of George L. Shannon, Architect, Prestonsburg.

All bidders will be required to furnish a bid bond or certified check in the amount of 5% of the bid price. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond in the amount of 100% of the contract price.

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**Accident Prevention Courses for Mines Held At Hi Hat and Bell-Co.**

Frankfort, June—A state-sponsored accident prevention course open to all employees and operators of mines in Bell county has graduated a class of 49 persons. The eight-week course at Field was the second held in Kentucky; the first was held at Hi Hat, Floyd county, where 63 received certificates.

The course was sponsored by the Department of Mines and Minerals with classes held once a week during the off hours of employees.

Necessary accident prevention measures in electricity, fires, explosions, ventilation and first aid were taught by Willard Stanley, the Department's district inspector in Prestonsburg.

Present to award the certificates was Commissioner A. H. Mandt who told the 100 persons present that in 33 years in the mining business he has noted that large companies which actively promote safety by similar courses have a much lower accident rate than mines without safety classes.

"I feel better about this course, and the one at Hi Hat, than anything I have done since I came with Mines and Minerals," Mandt said. "This course is the most important safety factor of all."

The Hi Hat and Bell county pilot courses proved the worth of the program. Others are planned in Manchester, Hazard, Wayland and in Pike county, Mandt said.

**TIPS FOR CROPS**

Lexington, Ky.—Kentucky's cool, wet spring and continued cool summer has caused some problems in crops, says S. H. Phillips, University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service agronomist.



**ALLEN SLONE**  
Better known to my friends as "Little A" Slone of Blue River, Ky., son of Charley Slone, for REPRESENTATIVE 96th Legislative District Democratic Nominee

**INFORMATION FOR VETERANS**

Q. I'm an honorably discharged World War I veteran. Should I reserve a gravesite in a national cemetery now to make sure my wife and I can be buried there?

A. No, you cannot do this. The gravesites are not reserved in advance.

Q. My wife was a veteran who died of a service-connected disability in 1948. I have now become ill myself and am unable to work. Will I be entitled to a pension?

A. There is no provision for pension payments to widowers, even in the case where the deceased wives had service-connected disabilities, unless the widower was physically or mentally unable to support himself and was completely dependent upon his wife.

Q. My son was released from active duty but is still held in the

reserves. He has no discharge certificate. Is he eligible to apply for VA benefits?

A. Yes.

Q. Who gets the burial flag used to drape the casket at funeral services?

A. The American flag, provided by the VA, used to drape the casket of deceased veterans may be given to the next of kin or close friend or associate of the deceased.

Q. I moved into a new apartment ten days ago and promised to pay my rent from my widow's pension and my insurance checks when they arrived the first of the month. These checks, which are my sole income, did not arrive on schedule although I sent the VA my new address as soon as I moved. Can you tell me where my checks are and how soon I can get them?

A. Her change of address did not reach the VA in time for the U. S. Treasury to make the change before the checks were issued and sent to the Post Office for delivery on the first day of the month. Had she given her old Post Office the address change at the same time she sent it to the VA, the Post Office could have forwarded the checks to her instead of having to return them to the Treasury for remailing when it received the address change. The Treasury will remail the checks immediately.

(Veterans living in or near Prestonsburg who wish further information about their benefits should write or visit the VA Office at 1405 W. Broadway, Louisville 3, Ky.)

**FOOD SURVEY RECOMMENDED**

**Food Advisory Council Asks Emergency Plans In Case of Catastrophe**

Frankfort, Ky., June 30 (Sp.)—A state-wide survey of food processors, wholesalers and retailers to estimate the available foods in the event of a national catastrophe has been recommended by the State Emergency Food Advisory Council.

The council, recently appointed by Agriculture Commissioner Emerson Beuchamp, advises and assists the Kentucky Department of Agriculture in the execution of its civil defense responsibilities for the control and conservation of food stocks in the event of an emergency caused by an enemy attack on this nation.

The council is made up of representatives of the state's food processors, dealers and city and county officials.

Another recommendation by the council is that the Department of Agriculture inform all food processors, wholesalers, grocers and restaurateurs of the state's plan for the expropriation and controlled distribution of existing food resources in the event of an enemy attack.

The state's emergency plan provides that the Governor, by executive order, would place the commissioner of agriculture in charge of the distribution and use of food products.

It is assumed by civil defense officials that federal controls of food and other vital resources could not become effective until at least 14 days after the occurrence of such an emergency.

**"Mystery Driver" Gives Moore Oil Firm Award For Station Service**

Douglas Moore is \$40 richer as a result of good customer service.

Moore, who operates the Ashland Oil service station at Martin, was visited recently by one of Ashland Oil's "Mystery Drivers," and as a result was awarded a cash prize last week for his good customer service and the cleanliness of his station by Ellis Whit, District Manager for Ashland Oil.

Awards under this sales-promotion program are based on salesmanship, driveway service, station cleanliness and appearance, and other key points in service station operation.

The Mystery Drivers, who remain unknown except to one or two company representatives, travel Ashland Oil's entire eleven-state marketing area visiting service stations. Driving unmarked cars, they at no time indicate to the service station dealer that they are checking station appearance and service.

**Legion Convention Slated At Lexington; Heaton Is Candidate**

American Legionnaires of Kentucky will gather in Lexington for their 43rd Department convention this week-end, July 7-9, and the meeting promises to be one of the most spirited in the history of the organization.

Announcement by Darrell B. Hancock, Lexington attorney, that he will not seek reelection for a third term as national executive committeeman has set off a flurry of political activity which promises to overshadow selection by the Delegates of Department officers for the new year.

Delegates will debate, too, such important issues as:

1. An increase in department dues.

2. Proposed purchase or erection of a permanent Department Headquarters, possibly in some city other than Louisville, where the Legion now occupies offices in the Memorial Auditorium.

3. Proposed establishment of an American Legion Home for the aged in Kentucky. So far, two Past Department Commanders have tossed their hats in the ring and are seeking delegate support for election to succeed Hancock as Kentucky's top representative at the national legion level. They are Kenneth Fern, of Flemingsburg, and Robert W. Anderson, Louisville. The office is the highest within the power of the Department to bestow.

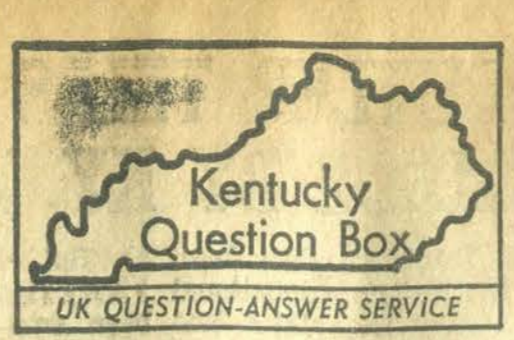
Only announced candidate to succeed Department Commander Hugh A. Hacker, Richmond, is Joe A. Heaton, Lexington, insurance agent and member of Man O'War Post No. 8. Unless some opposition does develop, which appears unlikely, only minor skirmishes for lesser state offices are in prospect.

Success of the move to establish a permanent headquarters, which already has been authorized, will depend largely upon delegates action on the dues increase. The proposed Legion Home would be a facility suitable to care for both aged Legionnaires and couples. A Federal Housing Administration loan would be sought to finance its construction.

Some 1,500 Legionnaires and Auxiliary members are expected to attend the convention, which will be the 12th held in the city of Lexington.

Heading the list of speakers will be National Commander William R. Burke, who will address the opening session at the Phoenix Hotel, Senator Thruston B. Morton and Governor Bert Combs.

Tuberculosis takes no vacation! Be sure to have a TB check each year so that you are protected.



Q. For whom was the Filson Club in Louisville named?

A. John Filson, a Pennsylvania schoolmaster, born about 1753, was Kentucky's cartographer. He is generally credited with spreading the frontier legends of Daniel Boone and through other writings making known the name of Kentucky in this country and abroad. Filson was only 35 when he disappeared while surveying the site of a town he named Losentville—now Cincinnati, Ohio. A recent biography of Filson is "John Filson of Kentucky" by John Walton, a descendant. (University of Kentucky Press: 1956.)

Q. What is the westernmost town in Kentucky?

A. Hickman, the county seat of Fulton county, is the most western town of any size, although a portion of the county stretches some miles farther west. New Madrid Bend, several thousand acres of fertile farm land, is separated from the rest of the state by a sweeping bend of the Mississippi River. Both the river and a portion of Missouri must be crossed to reach the land, which is actually the westernmost portion of the state. A few farm families live here and are legal residents of Kentucky.

Q. Lexington is advertised as a favorable convention city. What is the largest group ever to meet here?

A. A current situation answers this question. Some 3,000 persons, members of the American Society for Engineering Education and their families held a week-long meeting in Lexington and on the University of Kentucky campus the last week in June of this year. This is believed to be the largest group ever to meet in Lexington at one time. The city's convention schedule calls for some 9,000 bridge players to meet in Lexington in March, 1962.

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**UK PROJECT**  
Lexington, Ky.—What's a tobacco stalk? To many Kentucky farmers, it's a stubborn, woody plant hard to cut at harvest time. Sometimes it's perversely able to stand to a mild shower. To the University of Kentucky Experiment Station agricultural engineers, it's a fascinating mechanism about which little is known of its real physical properties.

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**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**  
JUNE 30, 1961

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
First Mortgage Loans	\$2,342,433.49	Savings Accounts	\$2,342,177.81
Loans on Savings Accounts	10,456.92	Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank	200,000.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks	203,391.08	Loans in Process	14,195.31
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	37,600.00	Other Liabilities	533.35
Real Estate Owned	10,000.00	<b>RESERVES:</b>	
Real Estate Sold on Contract	1,788.92	Specific	\$ 3,540.36
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment, Less Depreciation	3,966.23	General	55,833.07
Advances for Taxes and Insurance	5,509.69		
Other Assets	1,133.57		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,616,279.90</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,616,279.90</b>

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## NEW CONDITIONS SQUEEZE UNIONS, ARTICLE STATES

Automation, intensified foreign competition and a shift from blue collars to white ones among the nation's workers, are creating intensive pressures on labor union leadership, writes A. H. Raskin in a July Reader's Digest article, "The Squeeze on the Unions." Raskin has covered the labor-management

front for the New York Times for nearly 30 years.

Although many elements of power are still firm within their grasp, American labor leaders face "compelling reminders that labor's strength is on the downgrade and that its leaders may soon be presiding over the dismantling of their empires unless they find imaginative new approaches to the challenges thrust upon them," writes Raskin.

He cites John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers as a prime example of the pattern for the future, pointing out its huge losses in membership and the fact that Lewis is now assisting coal mine operators in getting maximum use of labor-saving machinery, cutting production costs in other ways and avoiding any disruption in the flow of coal to industry, particularly "coal's principal customers, the electric power companies . . . equipped to convert almost instantly from coal to oil or natural gas."

Automation is eliminating "large numbers of blue collar jobs, replacing them with a few hard-to-organize engineers and white-collar workers," says Raskin. "At the same time, it makes business invulnerable to strike harassment. When push buttons regulate every manufacturing operation from the receipt of raw materials to the loading of finished goods, a handful of non-union supervisors will be able to keep acres of machines producing in the face of a total union walkout."



—Photo by Herald-Dispatch

**LISTENING TO IMPROVEMENT PLANS . . .** Cross section of the approximately 200 persons from the region who listened to Gov. Bert Combs speak at Camp Chatterawha in Jenny Wiley State Park, Wednesday, June 14.

The meeting of area leaders advanced plans to relieve the economic dol-drums of Eastern Kentucky and set up a tentative organization to take advantage of aid offered under provisions of recent federal legislation.

### Nantucket Lawman To Ignore Blue Laws

New Bedford, Mass. — Nantucket Police Chief Wendell H. Howes says he will not enforce Massachusetts' controversial Sunday blue laws.

Howes was the first law officer in the state to refuse outright to support the old statutes, barring most Sunday business except sales of necessities like bread and milk. The U. S. Supreme Court recently declared the laws constitutional.

Seventeen million households serve ice cream every day and one in three households now has ice cream on hand at all times, according to a recent survey by the ice cream industry. Consumption of ice cream and other frozen desserts averaged 18.4 pounds per person in 1960.

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### TWO ORGANIZATIONS MEET TO TALK BUCKHORN PLANS

BY NEVYLE SHACKELFORD

Quicksand, Ky.—Headed by William Miller, of the Eastern Kentucky Resource Development Program, representatives of the newly-formed Lake Buckhorn Area Council met with Governor Bert Combs and other members of the state government last week with the purpose in mind of securing immediate tourist facilities for the Lake Buckhorn area.

According to Miller, the results of the meeting were most gratifying. Officials of the Department of Parks, he said, promised to set up picnic tables, grills, toilets, and have drinking water, at least on the dam site, within the next two weeks.

Also planned for the immediate future were ramps on the lake for the convenience of boaters who wish to joyride or to fish when the lake is opened for that purpose July 1.

Another result of the Frankfort meeting was an agreement among local, district, and state health officials to meet with court officials of Perry and Leslie counties to work out procedures for enforcing present health and sanitation laws. Another meeting was scheduled

for July 6, which will be held at the Buckhorn Presbyterian Church. At this time representatives of development associations or other organizations from the various counties in the area will meet with representatives of the state departments of Health, Public Safety, Economic Development, Conservation and Highways for an all-day session.

Miller, who was selected as coordinator of the county groups, said the meeting will be in the form of a panel discussion, voicing proposals and listing plans for the Buckhorn area.

Lake Buckhorn is proving to be a mecca for tourists, but many of the hundreds visiting the site each week have gone away somewhat disappointed because of the lack of even the most rudimentary facilities.

It was because of this fact that the Lake Buckhorn Area Council was formed. The result of the action taken at the meeting with Governor Combs is expected to alleviate the situation somewhat within the next few weeks.

### Local Residents Spend \$809,000 for Soda Pop

Special to The Times

New York, New York, June 26 — The bubble, sparkle and fizz business is a big one in Floyd county.

Figures on soft drink consumption in the county reveal that the average person drinks such beverages at the rate of 243 bottles a year.

Elsewhere in the United States the average is 192 per capita and, in the East-South-Central states, 241.

As a whole, the local population accounted for no less than 10,109,000 bottles last year, which is exclusive of the amount consumed at fountains.

The data was derived from figures released by the Department of Commerce and from industry reports showing the relative use of soda pop throughout the nation, state by state.

It is of particular interest at this time because of the recent government action ordering that containers be labeled so as to indicate their ingredients.

The reports show that people in different areas vary greatly in the soda pop habit. Per capita addiction in North Dakota, for example, is only a fifth as great as in North Carolina.

In the matter of flavor, too, regional preferences are quite marked. In the East, cola-type drinks constitute about 40 percent of the demand, with ginger ale, orange, lemon and other flavors dividing the remainder. In the South, on the other hand, 60 percent are cola drinks.

An idea of the importance of the soft drink business in Floyd county is revealed by the dollar figures. They show that local residents spent a grand total of \$809,000 for bottled soda last year.

Nationally, such sales amounted to more than \$2.5 billion, which was more than twice what the machine tool industry grossed.

The new labeling order, issued by the Food and Drug Administration, has created some consternation among soft drink manufacturers. They say it affects billions of bottles that are now in use.

Some companies are also concerned about their tightly-guarded formulas. They wonder if they will be able to keep them secret under the new regulation.

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### 225,000 A Year Succumb To Strokes

Miami, Fla.—About 225,000 Americans a year die of strokes. An estimated 800,000 Americans, having had one stroke or more, are potential candidates for a fatal one. Dr. Benjamin McConnell, a researcher at Florida Southern College, believes three out of four "little strokes" are caused by blood seepage from minute capillaries and arterioles, not by blockage of arteries—and can be largely prevented by proper treatment.

Carrie Nation was born near Lancaster, Ky.

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### Walter E. Edmonds, 59, Succumbs in Indiana

Walter E. Edmonds, 57, Francisco, Indiana, miner, died at 11:15 p.m. Wednesday, following an illness of several months.

Surviving are the widow, Maudie Henson Edmonds, of Ligon, his father, Vado Edmonds, Francisco, Ind., three daughters, Mrs. Russell Meier, of Francisco, Mrs. Charles Egnew, Evansville, Ind., and Mrs. Jack Longworth, Seattle, Wash., three sons, Hershell, of Francisco, Gerald and Clarence, both of Seattle, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Stanley Bolin and Mrs. Pauline Matney, of Centralia, Wash.; also 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, in Francisco, Ind., at General Baptist Church, the Rev. J. W. Creasey officiating. Burial was in I.O.O.F. cemetery.

### Slow Fire Engine Leads To Slow Burn

Derby, England, June 28 — Sir Jan Walker-Okeover is getting rid of the 50-year-old fire engine on his estate. Recently when it was called out, regular firemen had arrived, put out the fire and gone home by the time the old engine wheeled up.

### IN CASE OF ACCIDENT . . .

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.

### NOTICE

Emmett Hamilton, Jr. has filed application with the Floyd county court for license to operate a place of entertainment, a restaurant, at Betsy Layne, Ky.  
DuRAN MOORE, Clerk  
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6-22-3t.

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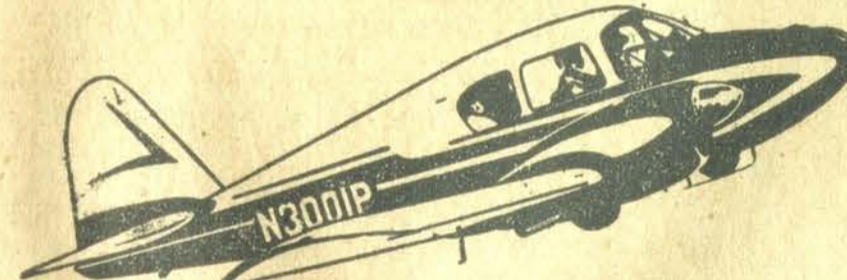
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**Reactor Gives Much Radiation**

Bethesda, Md. — Radiation tests of a size heretofore possible only during nuclear and thermonuclear explosions, will now be conducted in a pulsing reactor in Bethesda. For a split second the reactor can undergo a virtual runaway reaction, delivering massive radiation; then it returns to normal operating levels.

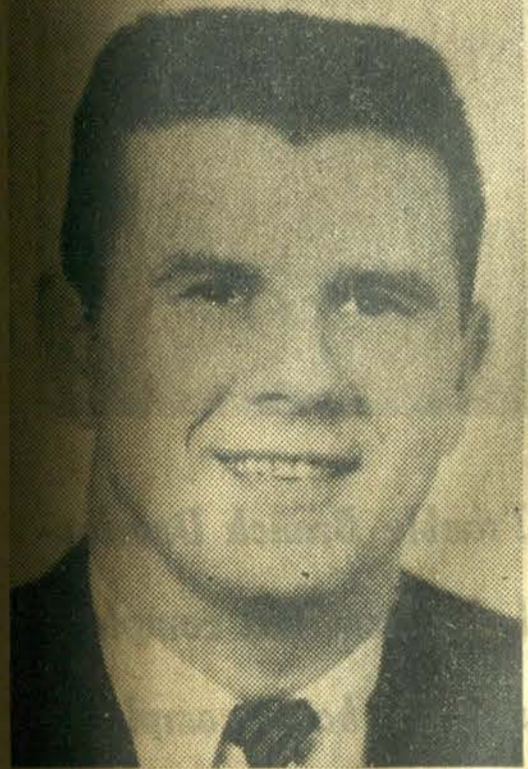
**NOTICE OF SALE**

In the action of Beulah Collins vs. Enon Cook now pending in the Justice of the Peace court, Magisterial District No. 2, I will sell to the highest and best bidder, one 1963 Buick 2-door hardtop automobile; motor no. 4D-11116503; at Rowe's 66 Service Station, Lackey, Kentucky, on Saturday, July 15, at 10 a.m.

ZEB OUSLEY, Magistrate 2-29-31.

Zachary Taylor, 12th president of the United States, grew to manhood on a farm in the Beargrass Creek area near Louisville.

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**TRAM**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Singleton are moving into their home, just completed.

Mrs. Evelyn Gardner, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Patrick and children are visiting relatives in Ohio while on their vacation.

Gloria Fay and Dale C. Conn are visiting their sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Cicero, at Notre Dame University. Mr. Cicero is a teacher there.

Mrs. Cynthia Layne is visiting her son, John S. Layne, in Kenova, West Virginia. She also plans to see her doctor while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Bonar's children have returned home to Cocoa, Florida, after spending several days with their parents here.

Mrs. Norma Patrick is visiting relatives in Ohio.

The McAndrews quartet will be at P. H. Church here Sunday night. Rev. Hunt will be the special speaker.

John S. Layne, of Kenova, was visiting his mother over the weekend.

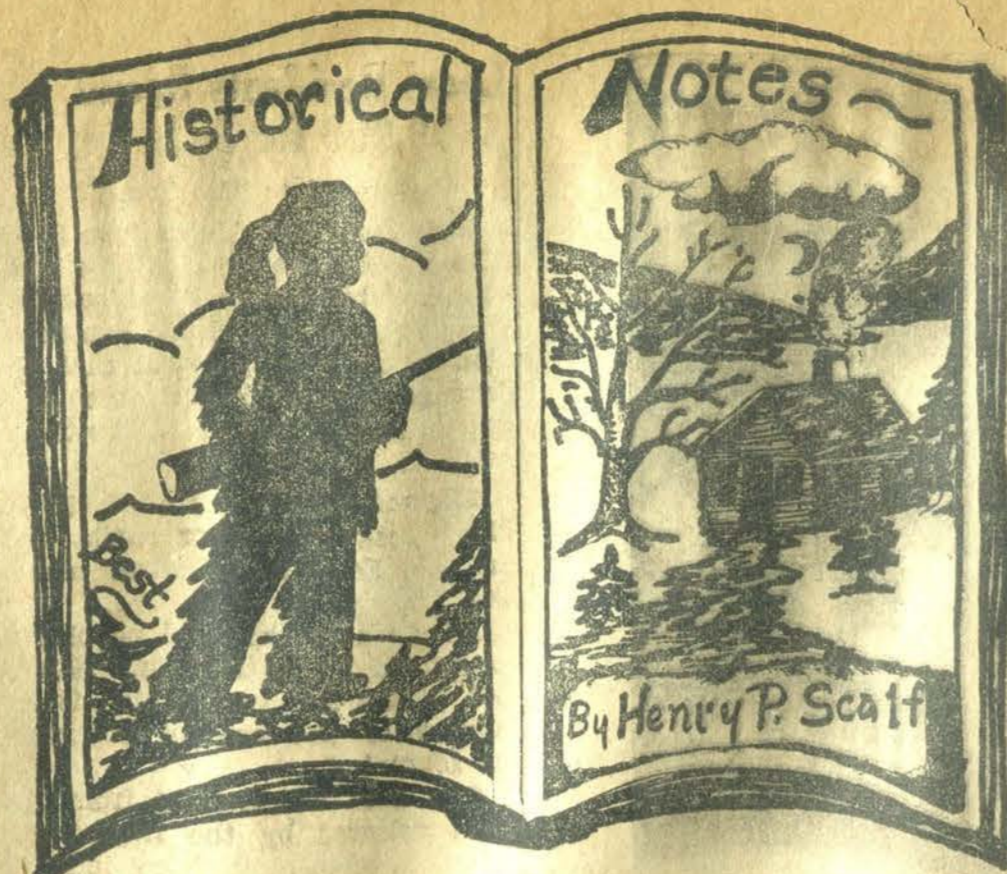
Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Scaif, Jr., of Wisconsin, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Scaif, Sr., here.

Patty Hinchman and Avinal Darnon were the recent overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter at Allen.

**Flu Deadlier To Some Groups**

Atlanta, Ga. — Certain groups of people are more likely to die after an attack of Asian-type influenza than others. A Public Health Service study indicates a high mortality rate among people over 65, pregnant women, and people with heart, circulatory, or kidney diseases. The routine use of influenza vaccine in such groups is suggested.

The most dangerous sources of tuberculosis infection are the people who have tuberculosis without knowing it and those people with TB who do not follow their doctor's advice.



**HECLA FURNACE**

We excerpt from the column, Ironton Solloquy, by Charles Collett, in the Huntington Herald-Advertiser, June 25, for information on an old iron furnace in Southern Ohio. Products of this old furnace helped considerably the Union war effort.

The column as written by Collett, follows:

The nation-wide observance of the centennial of the conflict between the North and the South, starting in April, 1861, has renewed interest in old Hecla Furnace, once located three miles north of Ironton on State Route 75. The name remains, although the furnace blew her last a few years after the Spanish-American War.

This column has had many requests for information about the old furnace in recent weeks since Lawrence county, Ohio, has been mentioned in many national magazine stories about the war. Thousands of strangers have been to Hecla, without knowing it. Hecla is where Highways 75 and 141 tangle at the top of the hill and untangle at the bottom, each going their way—one to Jackson and the other to Gallipolis.

The old furnace was the last of thirteen charcoal iron furnace stacks in the county to tumble when tickled by dynamite.

Although no smoke came from the stack after World War 1, the 90-foot smoke pipe became a billboard — the tallest, narrowest, roughest, perpendicular sign post in 48 states. . . . Goldcamp furniture advertised in box-car letters on the old landmarks for a score of years.

Hecla Furnace was organized in 1833, and the name was original. . . . The iron masters who put their money in Hecla were Robert Hamilton, Thomas Ellison and Hiram Campbell. . . . Instead of calling it the Hamilton, Ellison, Campbell Land Association, they chose the letters of the incorporation name and it became HECLA.

At the start of the Civil War, Hecla iron was found to be the best by test for making armor plate and cannon. . . . The furnace worked night and day to supply orders, seven days a week. . . . This was unusual, because the owners were deeply religious men, and until the war, the furnace was banked on Saturday and the Sabbath always observed. . . . Many of the older furnace owners declared the extra cost of cooling the furnace on Sunday would bankrupt the company, but it did not.

Most of the iron cast at Hecla during the late 60's was shipped by boat to the Ordnance Plant at Pittsburgh. . . . After the war it was told that the gun boats that stormed Forts Henry and Donaldson were built of armor from Hecla iron.

The largest gun used during the Civil War was an 18-inch, 200 pounder, used in the siege of Charleston, South Carolina. That gun was cast of Hecla Iron. The gun became known as the "Swamp Angel." The name was given the gun by old slaves near Charleston. When they heard its thundering echo, the old darkeys sang "Hark, the voice of the Swamp Angel." The gun was hidden in a swamp near the besieged city.

At the time Ironton joined in the Northwest Territory Sesquicentennial celebration in 1933, this writer, with the assistance of Senator Robert J. Bulkley, of Ohio, obtained from the Ordnance Department, Washington, a complete record of the old gun.

The record reads: "Swamp Angel was known in 1863 as a Parrot Rifle. It was manufactured from iron produced at Hecla, Lawrence County, Ohio. It was fired 36 times, and on August 23, 1863, the breech of the gun was blown out, and the barrel thereby rendered unserviceable. After the war, the gun was purchased for its iron content and sent to Trenton, N. J. to be melted. There it was identified, placed upon a granite monument in the city park on the corner of Perry and Clinton streets.

"The gun was fired from the Marsh Battery on Morris Island, South Carolina, at the City of Charleston, 7,000 yards away. Weight of the gun, 16,500 pounds. Charge of powder, 16 pounds. Greatest elevation used, 25. Bombardment opened August 21, 1863. Burst at 36th round. Union forces commanded by Quincy A. Gillmore, USV. Brevt. Major General USA." Thus endeth the official record of the gun.

**ELIAS H. SELLARDS**  
One hundred forty-one years ago Andrew Jackson Sellards left the parental roof in Floyd county and took employment on the farm of John Herley in Greenup county. He was a son of John Sellards, Sr., and at the time of leaving home was only 18 years old. He married his employer's daughter, Mary Elizabeth Hartley, and they went to housekeeping near Oldtown. He died in 1859 and is buried a few miles from Flat Woods. Many of his descendants moved westward, especially to Kansas.

Andrew Jackson Sellards was the grandfather of Dr. Elias Howard Sellards, one of the West's great geologists and an outstanding anthropologist. His scientific work did much to disprove fallacious theories on the American aborigines. He has to his credit a long list of scientific publications and he served with distinction on the faculty of the University of Texas. This columnist and Dr. Sellards were friends although we never (Continued on Page 6)

**MAYTOWN**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davidson and Glenda Ray Patton, of Zionsville, Indiana, were visiting their mother, Mrs. Lucy Patton, here last week. They were accompanied home by Kathy Patton who will spend the remainder of the summer with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hyden and children, of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Gibson and children, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hyden.

Miss Janet Harmon is spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Layne, in Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick have moved to Hazard where they will reside part time, spending the week-ends here for the time being. Mr. Patrick is employed in Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frasure and children have moved into the parsonage of the Methodist Church which was vacated by the Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patton, Marsha and Marlene, of Zionsville, Indiana, have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Amanda Patton. They were accompanied home by Billie Jean Post, who will visit them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frasure and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Patton and Jimmy spent last week visiting points of interest in Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina. They also visited the Smokey Mountain National Park.

Bill and Bob Tallent accompanied their aunt, Mrs. Jim Dixon, to her home in Miami, Fla., where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Mary Ratliff and Claudia Judi spent last week with Mrs. Ratliff's daughter, Mrs. Sam Jones, and family in Grundy, Virginia.

Mrs. Ivel McCown, of Dayton, O., was visiting her mother, Mrs. Minerva Click, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Neilus Goodman and daughter, Patty, and Miss Cindy Borton, of Wilmington, O., are visiting Mrs. Bertha Click and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caudill and Billy Joe spent last week with Mrs. Caudill's brother, Dewey Hicks, Jr., and family in Zionsville, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon and children were visiting Mrs. Patsy Tony in Ashland, Sunday.

We are happy to report that U. S. Allen is recovering nicely from an eye operation he underwent in Huntington, West Virginia, recently.

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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the June term, 1961, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of July, 1961, at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being in the Mayo Subdivision to Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Kentucky, and being lots Nos. 188, 189, 190 and 191 of said Subdivision, map of which is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Floyd County Court, to which reference is made for a more specific description of said property.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment in favor of plaintiff for the sum of \$13,250.40 as of May 1, 1961; The First National Bank, of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for \$4,992.24, as of February 8, 1961; the Department of Revenue, State of Kentucky, aggregating \$883.00, and District Director of Internal Revenue \$817.76 as of May 3, 1961, with interest on all indebtedness, and the cost of this action.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 19th day of June, 1961.

HARRIS S. HOWARD  
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**Ex-Con Converted By Graham Works To Reform Hoodlums**

"When they're wrong, never go to bat for them a second time." This is one rule ex-con Jim Vaus gives for "cooling" gang warfare in New York City's Spanish Harlem. Electronic displays and trips to the Idlewild Airport are other Vaus techniques explained in "The Two Lives of Jim Vaus," an article in the July Reader's Digest.

Jim Vaus was a free-lance wire tapper working for Mickey Cohen's crime syndicate when Billy Graham converted him at a Sunday evening revival meeting in Los Angeles twelve years ago. Vaus followed up his "decision" by returning \$15,000 for equipment stolen from the phone company and a radio station. He and his wife Alice rented a house trailer and went on the road to preach.

The mother of Captain (now Dep-

uty Inspector) Conrad S. Jensen, head of East Harlem's 23rd Precinct heard him in Times Square and interested him in working with her son to combat teenage delinquency there. Jensen located a vacant store on Second Avenue in which Vaus set up "Youth Development, Inc.," a club for gang leaders. Piri Thomas, a Puerto Rican parolee from Sing Sing works with Vaus.

At first, Vaus paid the rent for the club out of his own pocket. The club now has 500 "stockholders" — business leaders, churches and sympathetic citizens, though the largest single gift ever received was \$500.

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**THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES**

### Elephant Revisits Bar For A Drink

Cambera — An elephant who couldn't forget broke loose from a circus parade in Grafton, New South Wales, and marched up to the bar in George Welley's public house. Two years before Welley had given the beast a beer, and it was returning for seconds.

### NOTICE

Lore B. Wells, Van Lear, Ky., has filed application with the Floyd county court for license to operate a place of entertainment, a restaurant, near Dewey Dam.

DURAN MOORE, Clerk  
Floyd County Court

6-22-31.

## 100 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

### The Civil War in Kentucky

By JOE JORDAN  
(Kentucky Civil War Commission)

On hundred years ago this week, the Louisville Journal reported that members of the Louisville Battery, a State Guard unit, had returned to the city after a training period at Camp Davies, at Muldraugh's Hill. "They informed us," the Journal said, "that a decided feeling in favor of secession prevails among the officers and men there. One of the gentlemen referred to exhibited a blue rosette, which is emblematic of secession, stating that the 'knowing ones' in camp wore them while on duty, thereby gaining favor with the officers."

The same newspaper reported that Capt. John H. Trainor, "a gentleman who has seen many years' service, is raising a company at the corner of Shelby and Market streets, which will go into camp at the mouth of Silver Creek on Monday next." Strangely, the story did not say which side Captain Trainor was raising the company for. However, since the Journal was pro-Union, and it spoke well of the opportunity offered those enlisting under Trainor, it may be assumed the unit was destined for service with the Union. "He makes

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The Louisville Courier, which was pro-Confederacy, reported that a Louisville man who had spoken of flying the Confederate flag at his place, had been warned that it might be dangerous. The Courier inquired indignantly whether this wasn't a free country and whether every man couldn't raise whatever flag he pleased.

Two barrels of dried apples, shipped from New York to an Owensboro man, were examined at the express office at Cincinnati and found to contain 13 Colt's Navy pistols. The U. S. Marshal seized the weapons, but when the Owensboro man filed suit to recover his property, a federal judge ruled that the pistols must be surrendered to him. The Owensboro man, though winner in the court action, was still not satisfied, for he said 19 pistols had been concealed in the dried apples at the time of shipment, and somebody had stolen six of them before the marshal seized the remaining 13.

It was reported that "some of the citizens of Louisville" planned to question in court the legality of the U.S. government's stopping the shipment of provisions from Louisville to Nashville on the L. & N. Railroad. Although Northern newspapers had been complaining for some time that the Confederacy was being supplied with things needed in the war by Louisville merchants, who bought them in states north of the Ohio River, ostensibly for use by Kentuckians, and then took advantage of Kentucky's neutrality to forward them to Nashville, the federal government had not acted to halt the practice until after the congressional elections of the previous week, in which nine of the ten winners had been Union candidates.

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### May Primary Balloting Is Vindication of KEA, Director Hager Notes

The president of the Kentucky Education Association has called the results of the May primary balloting a "vindication" of the KEA's stand on continuing the sales tax without exemptions.

In a letter to presidents of the association's local units and to local school superintendents, C. R. Hager, Lexington, interpreted these results as an expression of "an overwhelming desire on the part of the people of this state to continue the educational progress made possible by the enactment of the sales tax."

Hager, director of Extensions Services for the University of Kentucky, is the 1961-1962 president of the 26,000-member teachers' group. They have been on record strongly advocating the continuation of the sales tax without the exemption of such items as food and medicine.

In his letter, Hager pointed out that most of the candidates who supported the KEA view were supported by the public at the polls. He commented also on the fact that educational leaders had joined with lay leaders to bring out public desires to retain present benefits and continue educational progress in Kentucky.

Hager warned these local leaders, however, that their work along this line was "far from being finished." In his viewpoint, "we have passed only the first checkpoints on the road to the best schools Kentucky can provide its youth." He noted that Governor Combs is putting his administration behind this program to keep the sales tax, and that teachers have a "professional responsibility to see that school needs and the benefits to be derived from the sales tax are kept in the forefront of public thinking."

In recent speeches, KEA leaders have been emphasizing the idea that any reduction in sales tax revenues would mean a corresponding reduction in state appropriations for schools. They contend that sales tax funds not going to schools are committed in such a way that they could not be reduced. Sales tax revenues are used mainly for schools, to pay the veterans' bonus, and to replace funds lost by the reduction of the state income tax.

Educators, and many parents, have contended for several years that the key to a sound educational program is adequate financing. This past year has seen the biggest increase in state funds ever given the schools of Kentucky. The percentage increase was the biggest given the schools of any state in the country.

### HISTORICAL NOTES

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met. I assisted him in the research on his book, The Sellards Through Two Centuries.  
Our correspondence for many years was regular, sometimes two letters each week, many of them air mail. On transcontinental trips, Dr. Sellards would call me. He spoke three years ago at the University of Virginia and called from there. On his way back to Texas he telephoned from Ashland. Our friendship was the link that renewed family ties after nearly a century and a half of separation. We were cousins.

Then, near the end of last year his letters ceased. I presumed he was off to Mexico on one of his periodic trips to excavate on the history of early man in America. Maybe he was buried deep in the wilds of Texas or Colorado, digging or exploring as he was wont to do.

June 19, I received a letter from Francis Herbert McGowan, 3703 Elmore, Houston 5, Texas.

It read:  
"A letter was forwarded to me today from Austin that had been sent at your suggestion to my father, E. H. Sellards, by a Mrs. Schaefer, of Homestead, Florida. It called to my attention the fact that you had not heard of my father's death on February 4, this year.

"I am afraid that my sister and I have been remiss in notifying his friends outside of Texas. We especially should have you know for I know how much Dad valued your friendship and how kind you have been to him on many occasions."

I have carefully placed Mrs. McGowan's letter in a bound volume of her father's letters. The letters comprise a large tome on Eastern Kentucky history and are the result of tedious hours of research.

Those letters will always remain treasured mementos of our friendship.

### FLOYD CIVIL WAR BACKGROUND NOTED BY TOURIST DIVISION

Frankfort, Ky.—Kentucky has more than its share of Civil War history, what with the state providing the nation with both Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis.

However, every section of the Commonwealth has its own bit of history.  
The Division of Tourist and Travel Promotion points to Floyd county and its Civil War background—to the battle of Middle Creek, the battle of Ivy Mountain, General Garfield's encampment at Prestonsburg and the Prestonsburg home which is still known as "Garfield Place." All these places figured in the Big Sandy campaign and the Union victory in this area.

This year tourist officials expect a new flood of visitors to all such places with the National Lincoln Shrine at Hodgenville getting a great share of travelers. Others will descend on Fairview where the towering monument marks the birthplace of Jefferson Davis.

The National Historical Park at Cumberland Gap, at Middlesboro, is already attracting thousands to the place in the hills where Yankee and Johnny Reb battled four times to gain control of that North-South Gateway.

Others will be visiting the John Hunt Morgan Home at Lexington and the Old State Capitol building at Frankfort where Civil War relics are on display.

There has also been renewed interest in Columbus-Beimont State Park on the banks of the Mississippi. There, embedded in

concrete, is the huge anchor which held a giant chain in place. At that point, 100 years ago, Union gunboats steamed along the river, carrying troops and supplies to Federal armies downstream. Local Confederates, angered by the activity, put the chain across the Mississippi to snag the steaming warships.

State officials, knowing the income the out-of-state visitors brings on their tour, have urged local officials to prepare to entertain the traveler and to also see Kentucky for himself.

### Martin Man Is Named Top Insurance Salesman

Wesley L. Hall, of Martin, has been named the top salesman in Kentucky for Pyramid Life Insurance Company. This position makes him eligible for the President's Club, it was announced by Dallas Prater, Prestonsburg, district manager of the firm.

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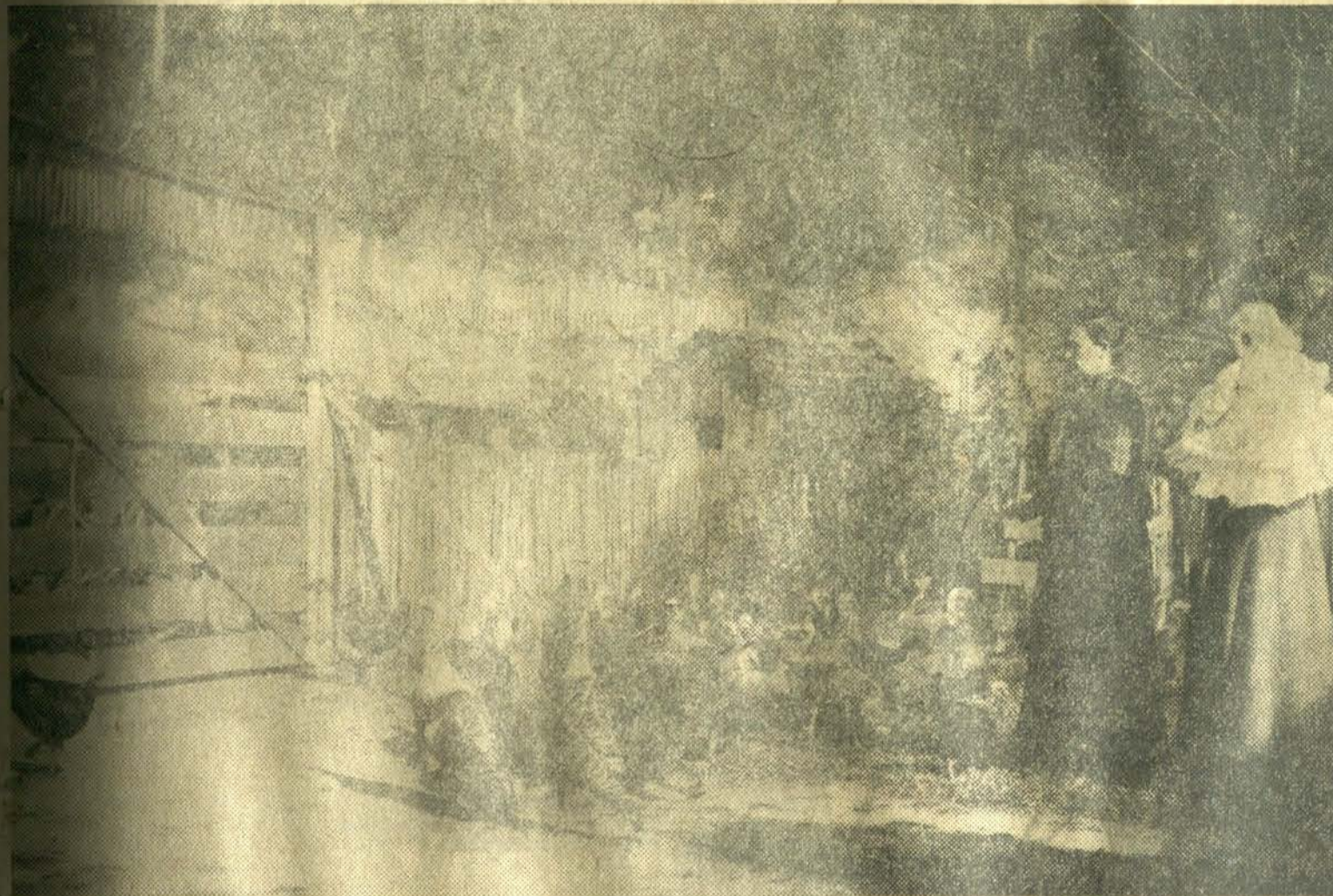
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## PENNY-PINCHING NEGLECT TURNS SAMOA INTO SLUM

While doling out billions to underdeveloped nations the world over, we have let our only South Pacific possession sink to the level of a slum, Clarence W. Hall reveals this in a July Reader's Digest article. "Samoa: America's Shame in the South Seas," Hall, a World War II correspondent in the Pacific, recently returned to the islands.

"Amid enchanting scenery and smiling Polynesians," he writes, "the visitor is shocked to encounter government buildings peeling and rotting on their foundations, rutty and teeth-jarring roads unprepared for years, beautiful Pago Pago Bay marred and befouled by hideous over-water outhouses, crumbling reservoirs and ancient leaky water mains that cause frequent water shortages—despite an average annual rainfall of 200 inches.

"Agriculture is fast going to seed; coconut trees and banana plants, the territory's most abundant crops, are destroyed by insects and disease; the islands, once self-sufficient, now have to make heavy importations of canned goods . . . public schools are un-equipped shacks or tiny thatched roof structures with no sides. A largely untrained and poorly paid teaching force struggles to teach some 5,500 eager pupils on the lowest budget (less than \$50 per pupil) of any U. S. state or territory in the world."

The conditions are blamed by Hall on neglect and apathy, beginning almost from 1899 when the

Samoa chiefs ceded the islands to the United States following earlier "friendship and protection" by treaty.

After 50 years of Navy rule, Samoa came under the Department of the Interior in 1951. Under both regimes the Samoans suffered from inattention and inadequate budgets. Referring to the latter, Hall says, "Its penny-pinching policies have kept the islands on a bare subsistence level for ten years." He also quotes a comment heard of ten in the islands these days: "We lack two things; votes to keep anybody in office, and a communist or two to create a threat."

### Carter Buses Identified As Other State Vehicles By Schneider's Office

Louisville, Ky., June 24—Four of 41 Carter county school buses have been identified by the state auditor as belonging to school districts in Ohio and Michigan until a week before a court-ordered inventory, the Louisville Courier-Journal reported.

The paper said in its Sunday edition a copy of the court-ordered inventory was obtained by State Auditor Joe Schneider, who then traced ownership of the four questioned buses.

Special Circuit Judge S. H. Rice, Irvine, ordered the inventory in connection with a civil suit against Supt. Heman McGuire, past and present school board members and others.

The suit, filed by the Carter County Citizens League for Good Government, charged that the Carter board paid for buses it never received.

Similar charges were brought by the state auditor's office last December after a special audit of the Carter school system.

Schneider discovered that Carter school bus No. 16 had the same motor and serial numbers except for those obscured by welding as that of a bus bought by the Dawson-Bryant Local School District, Coal Grove, Ohio, on March 1, 1954.

Title records show that this bus was turned over to Harmon Motor Sales, Inc., Ironton, Ohio, on June 5, 1961, for resale. Chris Harmon, proprietor of the automobile agency told reporters that he resold the bus to a man who paid him cash, but Harmon declined to identify the man.

Similar procedure was followed in tracing down the other three buses.

The court-ordered inventory also showed that the four buses in question and a fifth bus had welds obliterating parts of their serial numbers, the newspaper said.

The state auditor said records show that two Michigan school buses were sold to the Ironton Investment Co., Ironton, Ohio, on June 3, 1961. The Courier-Journal said the sale was made to a man who identified himself as D. E. Corn, of Ironton, and said he paid McPadden Corp., of Lansing, Mich. \$2,560 in cash for each of the buses.

Corn's headquarters in Ironton are in a frame building next to a used car lot. The newspaper reported Corn declined to tell a Kentucky State Police detective and an Ohio officer what he had done with the two buses.

Corn refused to discuss the matter with a reporter and was quoted as saying:

"I don't want to say anything. I don't want to get mixed up in anything. My record's clean in the city of Ironton."

### Favorite Rocking Chair Following The President

Washington, June 23—President Kennedy's favorite rocking chair is moving about, and not just to and fro.

It has made the trips with the President to Glen Ora, Kennedy's country estate near Middlesburg, Va., the past two week-ends.

And it has been shuttling back and forth almost daily between the President's White House office and his living quarters.

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### HI HAT

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Mrs. Opal Newsome, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Laura Hayes, here.

Mrs. Pauline Hamecheck and sons, of Bristol, Va., visited her mother, over the week-end, Mrs. Liza Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lucas, of Charleston, W. Va., spent the week-end visiting relatives at Hi Hat and Ligon.

Ed Stewart visited a sister, Mrs. Bessie Lang, in Missouri last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Layne and Edward Stewart visited Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Allen, of Hazard, Sunday afternoon.

Middlesboro, trading center and largest town of southeastern Kentucky, was named for the iron city of the English Midlands.

### NOTICE

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DATED: June 13, 1961.

WIGGINS, TSAPIS, GOLDR & FREEMAN  
STANLEY TSAPIS of COUNSEL,  
Attorneys for Petitioner  
308 North Tioga Street  
Ithaca, New York

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### Repairman Looking —Not Leaping

Philadelphia, June 28—Police and firemen sped to an office building yesterday after receiving a call that a man on the roof was preparing to jump.

"They found an elevator repair man at work. The man said he had been peering over the ledge, "taking in the view."

### ACCORDION CAMP BEING HELD

Lebanon Junction, Ky., June 28—A national accordion camp is being held at Crescendo Camp here this week. There will be concerts at 8 p.m., Thursday and Friday.

Whitey Ford of the New York Yankees leads active pitchers in World Series victories with seven. He has been beaten four times.

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