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### This Town... That World

Just to show you that Floyd county is dry territory, mention an Old Fashioned and whoever is listening laughs his fool head off and yelps, "Don't talk to me about those winters—look what we got!"

These be nice evenings for reading. One truth I learned at such pastime, the other night, is this: An atheist is a man with no invisible means of support.

Wish next summer's mosquitoes would be as mythical as this winter's snow-flies.

#### WANTED—A "GUARDEEN"

Between water and gas bills to pay on or before the third, a multiplicity of other bills on or before the tenth, social security, income tax, unemployment tax and so on, all due and payable on such-and-such dates, plus the little matter of a driver's license—well, as the old fellow said, "I need a guardeen."

Last week I discovered that my driver's license was missing. I had the 1960 license, but the one for 1962—well, there was nothing to do but get a duplicate.

So, in my most cocksure manner, I approach the folks at the Circuit Clerk's office and wonder if, maybe, somehow, they might fix me up to continue driving. They are cooperative and begin looking through the records, then begin looking at me with a sort of commiserating air. Then they tell me:

"Mister, you haven't had a driver's license since 1960."

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### NEW BUSINESS IS ORGANIZED

#### Handicraft Promotion Envisioned by Group; Youth Branch Slated

A new business organization came into existence here Tuesday with the filing of a name under which to do business. Name of the business is Prestonsburg Enterprises, and its purpose is to encourage the making of various articles in the homes of the people of the community.

These articles will then be gathered and offered for sale in the various souvenir shops such as those in Kentucky state parks. The articles wanted are hand-made things, carved, woven, spun or made in any way by the people of the Kentucky mountains. Some have expressed an interest in making rugs, carvings and small items of furniture.

These articles will be gathered and sold on a commission basis, with the major proportion of the selling price going to the maker of the article.

A branch of this organization for youths will also be started. This group will encourage handicraft by the young people of the Prestonsburg vicinity.

Those interested in the manufacturing of various articles are asked to contact the group by writing to them at Prestonsburg, telling of their interest and the articles they would like to make. A member of the group will then contact them and explain the process.

### Court House Happenings

**SUITS FILED**  
Raymond Calhoun vs. Providence Washington Insurance Co.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Ballard P. Scalf vs. Anna M. Scalf; Cassie J. Allen, atty. Greenville Slone vs. Virginia Slone; J. B. Clarke, atty. Hall Brothers Funeral Home vs. Nan Martin Estate, etc.; Harold J. Stumbo, atty. Wilburn Tackett vs. Edith England Tackett; Scott Collins, atty. Walter E. Heller & Co., Inc. vs. Emmalee Stumbo; Howard, Francis & Howard, attys. Peggy Vance vs. James Vance; B. J. Sturgill, atty. Georgia Ferguson vs. John Manuel Ferguson; B. J. Sturgill, atty. The First National Bank vs. Lon Lucas, Oliver and Eliss Hall, Howell and Lillie Isaac (three separate cases); C. B. Latta, atty. Time Finance Co. vs. Elizabeth and Roscoe Vanover; Joe P. Tackett, atty.

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## ONE DIES, FOUR HURT IN BLAIR TOWN CRASH

### 7 TEENAGERS ARE INVOLVED IN COLLISION

#### Mitchell Is Victim At Pikeville Hospital Five Days After Mishap

Larry D. Mitchell, 17, of Grethel and a Betsy Layne high school student, died Friday at Pikeville Memorial hospital five days after he was injured in a collision with another car near Blair Town, Pike county. In the car with Mitchell at the time of the tragedy were five other teen-agers, all of Betsy Layne: Judy Williams, 14, who suffered slight injuries, Valerie Hurley, 18, who escaped uninjured, Cheryl Parsons, 18, who is still hospitalized at Pikeville, Erlana Hurley, 14, injured slightly, and Harold Goble, 18, also in a Pikeville hospital.

Mitchell, driver of the automobile, never regained consciousness after being admitted to the hospital. He suffered multiple head and internal injuries.

The driver of the other car, James Stumbo, 18, of Betsy Layne, was unhurt, state police say. Mitchell was driving his father's car, it is said. Mitchell was a son of Cline and Georgia Hamilton Mitchell, of Grethel. He is survived by four brothers and a sister; Lowell Mitchell, of Betsy Layne, Rex A. Mitchell, Tex R. Mitchell, and Connie Lou Mitchell, all at home.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday from the home, the Revs. Milford Adams, Luther Conr, J. B. Hamilton and Jerry Hall officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Grethel under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

## JURORS HIT LABOR TIFTS

### New Courthouse Urged In Grand Jury Report; Law Enforcement Asked

Upon its adjournment last Wednesday the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court joined preceding grand juries in urging a new courthouse for Floyd county.

Said the jury's final report, signed by Jerry B. Stephens, foreman: "We, the grand jury... having learned of the proposed courthouse and that the federal government is willing to contribute to the construction of the courthouse, wholeheartedly urge that every necessary action be taken to see that this project is brought to a successful conclusion."

(The fiscal court, meeting Saturday, accepted the federal grant offered on January 21 and by resolution promised to give the federal government, within 60 days of the grant offer date, satisfactory evidence that the county's share of the project cost is available or that firm and binding arrangements have been made to provide such funds as needed.)

Commenting on the small-mine situation, its investigation of which resulted in several indictments, the jury said:

"We find that there is unrest in the labor situation in Floyd county and have returned some indictments involving the labor dispute. We, therefore, feel that any law violation in connection with the labor unrest should be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, whether it be on the side of labor or management."

The jury pointed out that other trouble is possible and suggested that if it occurs, the matter should be the subject of a probe by the next grand jury.

The jury had only one death by violence for investigation, and that developed from the discovery beside the railway tracks, across the river from here, of the body of James Marcum. It returned a manslaughter indictment against Joe Wheeler Hyden. Of its action the jury said:

"We have done what little we could in investigating the death of James Marcum and have tried to do what we think is right with the amount of evidence that we have had presented."

It also commented on "the undue number of non-support cases and expressed the opinion that many of

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### Branham, Hale Charged After Auto Is Wrecked

Two West Prestonsburg men were lodged in the county jail here Tuesday night after they and another man were pulled from a wrecked station wagon near Emma. Charged with drunken driving is Jack Branham and accused of drunkenness is Paul Hale. A third man, Walter Horn, was not charged.

State Police Trooper Don Goble and Deputy Sheriff Lonnie Herald were parked at Allen when a truck driver told them he had met an automobile north of Allen that "was taking both sides of the road." Goble and Herald headed down U.S. 23, drew close to the weaving vehicle in the Emma narrows. The station wagon left the road, hit the ditchline, careened into a snow bank but righted itself and got back on the highway, plunged at a right angle toward the river. It stopped a few feet short of the water.

## OSBERN DIES IN HOME FIRE

### Aged Hunter Resident Victim Friday Evening; Rites Conducted Sunday

State Police Detective Chester D. Potter and Fire Marshal Doug Fitzpatrick are investigating the death of an aged Hunter man in a fire which destroyed his home Friday evening.

The body of Hiram Osborne, 84, was found after the fire in one of the home's bedrooms. He was last seen by a local resident at 8 p.m. The fire was discovered at 10:45 p.m. Mr. Osborne was living alone at the time of the tragedy.

Floyd County Coroner and Judge Henry Stumbo, after questioning neighbors of the victim, were unable to determine the origin of the fire. The house was completely leveled.

Mr. Osborne was a son of Repts and Jane Madlin Osborne. His wife, Nanny Hamilton Osborne, of Martin, survives.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: Henry Osborne, Mrs. Peggy Long and Mrs. Ola B. Moore, all of Detroit, Michigan, Mrs. Opal Greer, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Mousie Carlton, Lexington, Mrs. Ellen Osborne, of Manton, Burns Osborne, of Martin, and Mrs. Geneva Boyd, Eaton Town, New Jersey. One sister, Mrs. Henry Porter, of Allen, survives.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 1 p.m. from the Turner-Ryan Funeral Home chapel, the Rev. Orville Dickerson officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Manton under the direction of Turner-Ryan Funeral Home.

## FLOYD CASES TRANSFERRED

### Jack Salyers Removed To Pike County Jail; Dennis Patton Convicted

The two charges of robbery and displaying a deadly weapon against James Gordon May and Jack Salyers were transferred to Pike county circuit court last week. The two are also charged with kidnapping. Former County Clerk A. B. Meade now with the Alcoholic Control Board. The alleged offenses occurred several months ago.

The kidnapping charge was transferred to Pike county Saturday. Jailer Lawrence Hale removed Salyers to the Pike county jail Tuesday of last week. May is free on bond.

Monroe Jarvis entered a plea of guilty January 23 to the robbery of his grandfather, Henry Endicot, 23, drew close to the weaving vehicle in the Emma narrows. He was given a two-year pen term.

The two-year term given Mrs. Golda Clark on a voluntary manslaughter charge in the fatal injury of an Auxier child by a car driven by her was probated.

Paul and Grace Burke, of West Prestonsburg, who were under a two-year sentence for breaking and entering were probated this week by Judge Edward P. Hill. The period of probation is for five years and it is stipulated they pay the break-in damage.

Dennis Patton, of Magoffin county, was convicted in circuit court here Tuesday on a charge of shooting and wounding John Russell Connelley, also of Magoffin county. The case was transferred here by the Magoffin circuit court.

Patton was given a six-month term in jail and a \$200 fine.

Bond of Joe Wheeler Hyden, who was indicted last week on a manslaughter charge in connection with the death of James Esill Marcum, was set at \$5,000. He remained in jail Tuesday.

## NAME OF MARTIN WINS AID FROM NEW YORK HIGH SCHOOL

Some boys and girls at Martin will benefit from \$81.23 sent to County Superintendent Charles P. Clark by eighth-grade pupils of Oyster Bay (N.Y.) high school, and therein lies a tale.

First of all, the youngsters saw the CBS television documentary on the Hazard coal field. Immediately, they wanted to help. Encouraged by the Parent-Teacher Association, they sponsored the movie, "1001 Arabian Nights with Mr. Magoo."

Then rose the question, "Where and to whom to send the money?"

The Floyd children benefitted from a name. One of the youths leading the money-raising drive is named Maury Martin. As they pored over a map of Eastern Kentucky, somebody spied the name, Martin. And so it is that their money comes to Floyd county.

## Van Lear Road Home Is Destroyed by Fire

The home of Virgil Reffett, below Dewey Dam, was razed by fire Thursday of last week. The fire occurred at 4 a.m.

Mr. Reffett was alone at the time of the fire, the family being on a visit with relatives. Awakening to find the house on fire, he tried to get to the basement but inadvertently locked himself out and had to make his way in thin clothing and barefoot to the home of Anna Harmon.

He received hospital treatment for his frost-bitten feet. Damage was said to be approximately \$40,000.

## HALL URGES VACCINE USE

### Final Vaccine Clinics Scheduled February 3; Protection Emphasized

Dr. Russell Hall, Floyd county health officer, made a final appeal this week for oral polio vaccine immunization. The final clinic is slated Sunday between the hours of 1 and 4 p.m.

The clinic will be held at the previous locations, he said, Hall, in urging that persons avail themselves of the vaccine, issued the following statement:

"All Floyd countians, age six weeks to 36 years, are urged to take this vaccine; also all older persons suffering from chronic debilitating disease, pregnant women and parents of teen-age or younger children.

"People of all ages are welcome to visit the clinics and avail themselves of this excellent protection against polio. It may be the most rewarding few minutes ever spent."

"Too seldom are we able to obtain a vaccine that will protect

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## TIPPLE RAZED BY EXPLOSION

### Partnership Structure Blasted Friday Night; Shots Hit Brown Auto

Mine field violence remains unabated in this county it is evident this week when a tippie was demolished at McDowell by an explosion and a picket's car was fired into at Drift.

The destroyed tippie belonged to Walter Tackett and Emmitt Howell and was located on Prasure's Creek. It had not been in operation. It was at first not learned when the explosion was set off as no one was working or living near the place but investigation revealed it occurred Friday night.

An automobile, driven by David Brown, of Price, was fired into Saturday night. Sheriff Henry Hale said that four shot, presumably from a .45-caliber gun, struck the car. Brown was not injured.

State Police detectives Chester D. Potter and Cornett are investigating the explosion at Prasure's Creek.

## THREE-TOWN MEETING HELD AT BETSY LAYNE

Residents of Harold, Betsy Layne and Stanville, met Tuesday evening at the Betsy Layne high school lunchroom to hear government personnel explain the procedure necessary to enlist federal aid on a water system envisioned by the three towns.

Noble D. Wrinkle, Washington, D. C., and a representative of the Department of Commerce, told the approximately 100 persons in the audience of the various federal agencies to which they could apply and specifically urged that the Community Facilities Administration at Atlanta be approached.

Floyd county has been designated a 5A county in the Accelerated Public Works program enacted by Congress in September and this designation entitles a community here to liberal assistance on grants and loans.

Wrinkle urged the formation of a local development corporation and the creation of a water district. The latter could be granted by the Fiscal Court. Named to a committee to plan a development corporation were Ted Stumbo, Cecil Sturgill, Joe I. May, D. W. Howard, Ed Blankenship, Glenn Blackburn, Avery H. Harmon, John Porter, Walter Hall and Harold Keeton. Paul Gearheart, president of the Harold Telephone Company, was named temporary chairman by Jack Tomlinson, president of the Betsy Layne Businessmen's Club which sponsored the move to procure a water system.

## AREA COLLEGE PLANS RECEIVE FIRM PLEDGE

### Mrs. Harkins, Mrs. Combs Head Heart Fund Drive; David Woman To Serve

Appointment of a group of leaders for the forthcoming 1963 Heart Fund Drive in Floyd county has been announced by William T. Hockensmith, Frankfort, state campaign chairman. The drive begins on Feb. 1 and continues through the month.

Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins and Mrs. Paul Combs, both of Prestonsburg, will serve as Floyd county co-chairmen. Mrs. Georgie Cantrill, of Wheelwright, will serve as community chairman for that area and Mrs. Ora Howard, of David, will be the chairman for the David community.

All those appointed have had previous leadership experience in

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## COMBS VOICES SUPPORT ANEW ON TELEVISION

### Building Will Stated Despite College Heads Opposition In State

In an appearance over WSAZ-TV, Huntington, West Virginia, Monday night Gov. Bert T. Combs stated in strong terms his commitment to the community college program and to the major highway system now under construction.

Governor Combs noted the opposition voiced by college presidents to the community college plan, then added, "Come hell or high water, the community colleges will be built."

He pointed to other states where similar college programs have been undertaken and to the success experienced in these.

The state has accepted preliminary plans for the Prestonsburg Community College, and George Lee Shannon and Jack Hatcher, architects, are now working on final plans to be submitted by March 1. Acceptance of these plans would be followed by advertising for contractors' bids.

In a speech prepared for the Bluegrass Kiwanis Club at Lexington the Governor last Thursday said the community colleges not only will serve young Kentuckians and the people of the state but also will be beneficial to the University of Kentucky.

"The two-year colleges, by the nature of their geography, will bring the university closer to the people," he said.

Combs said the junior colleges also will give impetus to further education—causing an upsurge in junior and senior enrollment at U. K. and other schools.

The Governor said an area where a community college is located should not be required to finance its establishment if the college is justified.

"The community, however, should be required to demonstrate a tangible interest in the college and its success," he said.

Combs said that despite any criticism, "the overwhelming evidence is on the side of the two-year community colleges." He said there will be some adjustment problems, but they can be solved.

In December, U. K. President Frank G. Dickey charged that the state had overstepped its bounds in naming four cities as sites for community colleges. He also said pressure was being applied to have the university use student tuition to pay for construction of buildings at Elizabethtown, Prestonsburg, and other places.

Placing the community colleges in operation at the expense of U.K. "would be highly questionable," Dickey said.

Combs said the Commission on

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## PLANT CONTINUANCE OBJECT OF PROMOTION

Efforts of persons interested in promoting the strawberry program in this county are being intensified in order to insure enough acreage to justify continued operation of the strawberry processing plant installed here last year.

Orders for plants are being accepted by Paul Martin of the First National Bank, Daniel Akers, of Amba, Roy Denney, Langley, Lloyd Wells, of Auxier, J. L. Lafferty, Sr., of Cliff, and at the Extension office here, it is announced by Jack Friar, county agent.

The Floyd County Strawberry committee, growers, bankers, members of the county and area development councils, service clubs and others will meet February 13 at the Paintsville courthouse at which time William Johnstone, representative of the Kentucky Bankers Association, will discuss agricultural problems. The meeting is scheduled at 7 p.m.

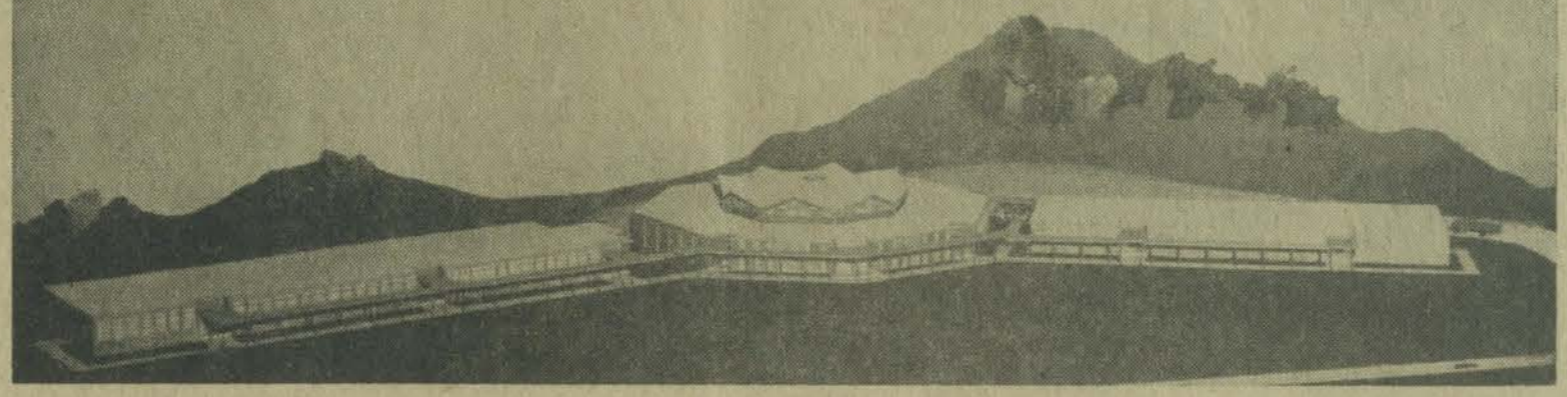
Object of the drive is to set an additional 200 acres of strawberries in Floyd and nearby counties. This increased acreage will guarantee continuance of the processing plant. Farmers ordering plants for set-

ting this year in this county as of Wednesday are Verdon Thornsbury, Randall Pitts, Jerry Frater, Robert Newman, Lee Akers, Ernest Newman, Willis Hicks, James DeRossett, Richard Bellamy, James Allen, Robert Sammons, Ballard Slone, Charles Kidd, Daniel Akers, Henry King, Mildred Whitaker, Ronnie Younce, Perry Frater and George Stephens.

Friar points out that the Sears Roebuck Foundation will continue to offer assistance to 4-H Club members on strawberries. Fertilizer will be provided as well as 1,000 to 4,000 plants to any 4-H Club member who will grow them if the parent contributes an equal amount. The plants and fertilizer are offered on a first come, first served basis. Friar said.

## Travel Meet Rescheduled After Inclement Weather

The January 24 Regional Travel Conference for the U. S. 23 Region of Kentucky which was postponed because of bad weather has been rescheduled at Jenny Wiley State Park on Thursday, February 21, beginning at 10:30 a.m.



Here shown is the architect's concept of the \$366,000 Middle Creek elementary school building which awaits only improved weather for beginning of construction.

The unusual design for the school, with an octagon "hub" from which two wings of classrooms extend, has attracted wide attention. Its originality and practicality have earned the commendation of State Department of Education officials.

The structure, over all, will extend approximately 500 feet. In the center of the "hub" will be a multi-purpose room which will serve as the lunchroom, gymnasium and auditorium. Around this area, yet as a part of the octagon, will be the

principal's office, vault, clinic, rooms for art and music departments, library, teachers' lounge, lockers, storage space for food and books.

One wing of 10 classrooms will extend in one direction, another of eight classrooms in the other. Classroom wings will be without hallways, access to individual classrooms to be via outside doors. These classrooms will open onto a canopied walkway which will permit pupils and faculty to walk to any part of the building without exposure to the weather. Use of the structure as an elementary school will mean that shifting of pupils from one classroom to another will

be held to a minimum, making the elimination of hallways feasible.

Color will be used with paneling of the exterior. The school will be located on a 1 1/2-acre site, near the junction of the David and Prestonsburg-Salyersville roads, and will be one of the most striking in the area.

George Lee Shannon, Prestonsburg architect, designed the building. It will be constructed by Tom O. McGuire and Clyde Vanhoose and will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the 1964 fall term.

Commenting on the school building program under way in the county, County Superintendent Charles P. Clark said this week:

"This is the second building let to contract in an ambitious building program calculated to give each child in Floyd county a modern classroom. The contractors have 520 days in which to complete the building from the time they start. The contractors have assured me that they are ready to start work as soon as the weather permits."

Some excavation has been done by E. C. Dyer, contractor on the \$167,450 Garth vocational school building. The Mud Creek elementary school, first of the major structures to be completed in the building program, will be opened for classwork this week if roads become clear for school bus operation.

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The Grand Jury Calls For Action

Another grand jury has called for definite action toward a new county courthouse. The latest request that officials delay no longer was made only last Wednesday. And, as if in answer, the fiscal court voted Saturday to accept the federal aid offered on courthouse construction and at the same time pledged that the county will have its part of the necessary funds ready or available within sixty days from the January 21 date when the federal offer of help was made. These grand jurors who have been telling officials and us all for three or four years now of the urgent need of a new courthouse know whereof they speak. They have inspected the courthouse and the jail. They have seen the cracks, the sagging floors, the danger that is posed for records that are precious to many residents of the county, the filthy rest-rooms, the irreparable damage to foundation and the resultant weakening of superstructure as well. They are aware of the legal chaos that could result for many individuals if the title records in the county clerk's office are lost to fire, and they are aware that this ancient structure has twice been hit by fire. All these things they have seen or have knowledge of, and more. They know, too, that the opportunity to build a courthouse with such federal aid that the cost to the county will be in the neighborhood of only \$150,000—as compared to half a million dollars, were no federal aid possible—does not forever knock at our door.

Belatedly We Say It

Junior Chamber of Commerce Week has just ended, Lions International has within the fortnight organized a new club here, and the old reliable, the Kiwanis Club, and other similar groups continue their work. All of which brings us around to recognition of all these organizations. Some ask, "What have they done?" And we reply, "What do you expect of them, and did you ever tell them what you want done?" These civic and service clubs are not reservoirs of capital. They are composed of business men, professional men, lay-people, housewives, young men barely getting started in their chosen vocations. They surely are not expected to build roads or factories or canalize the river. But they indeed do much. Find a civic improvement, a move for the better, and look behind it to its beginnings. In most cases you will find the Kiwanis Club, the Lions, a Woman's Club, the Jaycees, the Men's Club. They may go by many names, but they all work and serve as best they can for their respective communities, in Prestonsburg, Allen, Betsy Layne, Martin, at Wayland, Wheelwright, wherever they are. Looking at the beginnings of these improvements you will find men and women envisioning needs, discussing them, urging on others their importance, and not stopping but continuing to whittle away till something is done. Nothing sensational, perhaps, but more than we who stay at home do. And many, many times more than their critics may ever do.

TIDBITS of KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

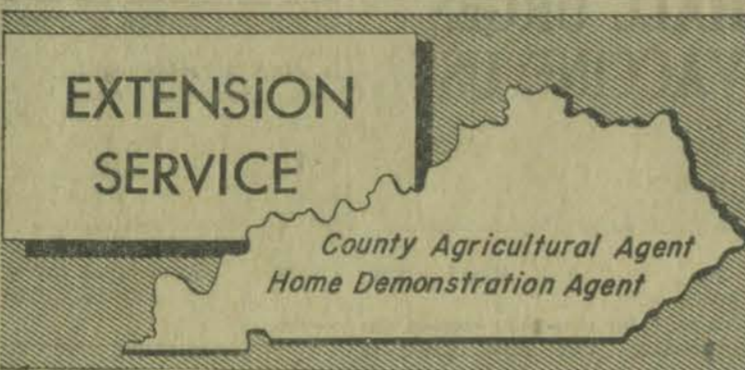
By GORDON WILSON, Ph. D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky. How does or did a dinosaur feel, generally if he survived into later years and was looked upon as a dinosaur? Maybe that is the way I feel recently when I casually mentioned colamel and quinine to a small-traveled, widely-read college senior. If I had spoken Hottentot, I would have been as well understood as I was. Whenever else the old-fashioned snake studied, he must have munched in colamel, for that seemed to be the beginning medicine for any and all ailments. If you were being third-day chills, it was needed, of course, with plenty of quinine to follow, by my time regimens given in capsules, but not too far back folks took their quinine in the raw, just as they still took their castor oil in my time. If you were suffering from an all-gone feeling, a sort of glorified puny feeling, colamel would start you on the way to health. I do not know whether colamel was prescribed for sprained knees and dislocated shoulders, but it would not have been surprising, just as, in earlier times, bleeding was resorted to on all occasions. John Burroughs says in his autobiography that he knew a man who, while hunting in the Catskills, fell over a cliff and washed himself up pretty badly, including a very bloody nose; yet the doctor who was called bled his patient first. The hunter must have had plenty of blood, for he survived both the fall and the doctor's attendance. Overeating had one standard remedy in my childhood: a "sauce" of colamel, that is, three doses in a row, one every three hours. Such attacks, called by various names, occurred somewhat periodically, just after Christmas, just after Quarterly Meeting, and just after the Fourth of July picnic at Spring Springs. Anyone who lived through all three of these without any "bilious" attack, as it was called, was a tough customer. The younger generation, brought up in a protected way, have rarely known malaria, at least in my part of the world. Back in the consulship of Grover Cleveland it was widespread. In fact, chills and fever

"JOE BEAVER" By Ed Nofziger



Ed Nofziger Forest Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture "To use our natural resources wisely, we should teach more conservation to our youngsters."



FLOYD COUNTY ROBERT M. JONES JACK FRIAR EXTENSION STAFF FRANCES HOWLAND

USDA AND YOU Do you know what the letters U.S.D.A. stand for?

You see them every time you go shopping. They appear on the meat and poultry you buy. They're also on many of the frozen and canned fruits and vegetables, on the eggs, butter and cheese.

U.S.D.A., of course, are the initials of the United States Department of Agriculture. And they are your assurance of wholesomeness and quality in food products. All meat and poultry that crosses state lines on its way to the food market is inspected for wholesomeness by the United States Department of Agriculture.

On fresh red meats, you probably won't see the U.S.D.A. inspection seal, because the cut you buy may be too small. But if you buy a large rib roast, it's likely to be there. Or, if you purchase processed and packaged meats—franks, salami, bacon—or a canned or frozen item containing meat—chili, soups, pot pies, and the like—the U.S.D.A. inspection label will be clearly marked. On chicken and turkeys, you don't have to wonder what the initials stand for. Their inspection seal spells it out big and clear—"U. S. Department of Agriculture inspected."

But grade labels, wherever they appear, use the initials—U. S. or U.S.D.A. The purple ribbon-like mark that runs across the fat on a piece of beef bears these letters, along with the quality rating. It appears on a tag tied to the wing of the chicken you buy. And now that you think about it, you probably remember seeing the U.S.D.A. grade shield on egg and butter cartons, and cheese wrappers. Many fruits and vegetables, both canned and frozen, are inspected and graded by the U. S. Department of Agriculture—and some of these also bear the U.S.D.A. label.

So take another look around you when you shop for groceries this

week. Be in the know—about U.S.-D.A. and what it stands for and represents.

MUFFIN MEAT LOAVES

When time is limited serve muffin cup meat loaves. Your youngsters are sure to like this clever idea. Make up your favorite meat loaf mixture, then spoon into greased muffin pans. Bake about one-half the usual time and serve with creamed potato cubes.

QUICK FRANKFURTER ROLLS

For a quick dinner treat serve frankfurter rolls, prepared with packaged baking powder biscuits. Simply flatten out each biscuit and roll a frankfurter around it. Bake according to directions on the package for baking the biscuits. Serve with a mustard or cheese sauce.

CRANBERRY FRENCH DRESSING

For tempting cranberry French dressing that's ideal with ham salad simply add two tablespoons canned whole cranberry sauce to one-half cup of French dressing.

BAKED POTATO NEWS

Next time you serve baked potatoes give them a new touch. Cut a cross in each hot baked potato; press up, then top with deviled ham mixed with a little cheese sauce.

BEST-EVER BEANS-SAUSAGES

When your children come home for lunch treat them to your best-ever baked beans topped with thin slices of smoky sausage and sautéed onion.

HAM SHORTCAKE

Make corn bread from mix, adding one-half teaspoon of sage and one-fourth cup of sautéed minced onion. When baked, split the shortcake in half crosswise. Put the shortcake back together with creamed ham to which you've added a can of drained mushroom stems and pieces. Serve hot in squares.

HENRY WISE FERGUSON

This biography of Ferguson and the others following were taken from Kniffen, Perrin and Battle's History of Kentucky. "Henry Wise Ferguson, a native of Wayne county, West Virginia, was born June 24, 1855, and is a son of Milton J. Ferguson, who was born November, 1833, in the same county, and was a son of Milton Ferguson, a merchant at Wayne Court House. Milton J. Ferguson educated himself for the practice of law and when barely twenty-one years of age was admitted to the bar. He was subsequently elected prosecuting attorney, practiced his profession until 1861, when at the outbreak of the war he raised the Sixteenth Virginia Regiment of Cavalry, of which he was the Colonel until 1863, when Brig. Gen. Jenkins was killed, and Col. Ferguson assumed command of the brigade. At the battle of Winchester he was wounded. "At the close of the war he moved to Louisa, Lawrence county, Kentucky, resumed his profession and practiced both in the civil and criminal courts until 1868 when he was elected on the Democratic ticket circuit and criminal judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District of Kentucky, which office he held six years, after which he resumed practice, but also engaged in other business. "In 1854 he married Martha Wellman, of West Virginia, and of the children born to this union three are living, Henry W. being the oldest. The death of Milton J. Ferguson occurred April 23, 1881. Henry W. Ferguson received his literary education at the University of Virginia, read law under his father and was admitted to the bar in 1878. He practiced until August, 1886, when he was elected Police Judge of Louisa. In November, 1878, he married Miss Kate, daughter of Roland T. Burns."

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"R. M. Ferrell, of Pikeville, was born on Pond Creek in Pike county, Kentucky, on the 11th day of March, 1831, to John R. and Elizabeth Coleman Ferrell, of Irish descent. His grandfather Ferrell settled on Tug River in Logan county, Virginia, and his grandfather Coleman on Pond Creek in Pike county, Kentucky, and were among the early settlers of those counties. John R. Ferrell, father of R. M., was married to Elizabeth Coleman in February, 1828, and soon after settled on Tug River; he had five sons, R. M. being the second. "In 1849 John R. Ferrell went west in search of a home to move to and is supposed to have died in the fall of 1841 in the state of Arkansas. His wife moved with her family to the home of her father who then lived in Logan county, Virginia, and in April, 1844, died, leaving her children at their grandfather's. R. M. Ferrell was then thirteen years old, and had to work for his support. He hired in the country to work on a farm until he was about nineteen years old. He was employed by A. Holderby & Co. to clerk in a country store at the mouth of Pond Creek in Pike county, Kentucky. He continued with them some five or six years,

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SYNTHETIC SUBSTANCE IS USED

Lexington, Ky.—Use of Provera, an experimental synthetic hormone that can keep ewes from coming into estrus (heat) was tried again last season in U.K. Ag Experiment Station tests on ewes during the non-breeding season.

TOMATO-TRANSPLANT CONTAINERS

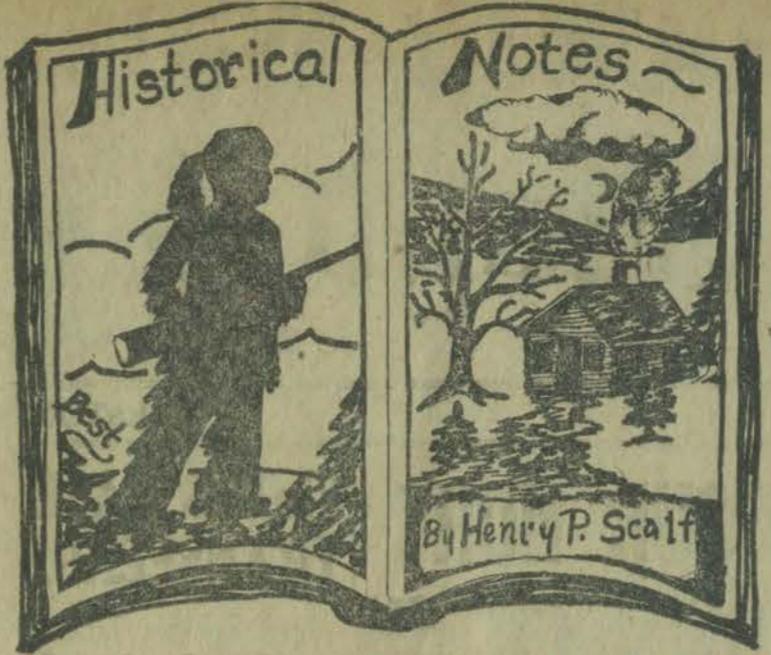
Lexington, Ky.—Three types of containers used to grow tomato transplants apparently produced plants that eventually gave higher early fruit yields than 10 other types of containers. So says Dean Knavel, horticulturist of the University of Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station.

VITAMIN A PRESERVATIVE

Lexington, Ky.—A U.K. Ag Experiment Station animal nutrition department test last season showed that calcium stearate, used as a preservative for Vitamin A in field stock-feeders, has some promise, though its general use cannot be recommended without further testing.

HYBRID CORN SELECTION

Lexington, Ky.—You can't pick a corn hybrid for an individual farm just because the variety designation is attractive. Instead, says Frank Loeffel, U. K. Ag Experiment Station agronomist, many factors are involved.



Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from files of The Floyd County Times of 30, 20 and 10 years ago.)

Thirty Years Ago (January 27, 1933)

Buck Gray, Floyd county officer, was shot and instantly killed late Sunday afternoon, near Allen, and that same day, Deputy Sheriff Mel Sturgill was seriously wounded in another shooting which took place in the Elizabeth hotel, here... Streets of West Prestonsburg are being surfaced with gravel and limestone through the offices of the relief committee in charge of R.F.C. funds and the courtesies of Highway Commissioner Zach Justice and County Judge W. L. Stumbo... The store of J. J. Hughes, of Hippo, was robbed of \$2,000 in cash, last week, and then set afire... Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Coburn, of Cliff, were injured Wednesday night when struck by a hit-and-run-driver on the Mayo Trail... Members of the Beaver Valley Golf and Country Club voted Saturday night to vacate the golf course at Allen and move to a new location... Edwin Everidge, of the Maytown Consolidated school, is the 1933 spelling champion of Floyd county... Married: Miss Virgie Patrick and Mr. Don Colbert, of West Prestonsburg, Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Proctor, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, at the Paintsville hospital; to Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Kelly, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, Mary Ann, January 23, at the Paintsville hospital... There died: Curtis Harris, 23, of Corn Fork of Brandy Keg, Saturday; Miles Hopkins, 42, at his home at Topmost.

Twenty Years Ago (January 28, 1943)

The strike of bus drivers, members of Transport Workers Union (CIO) Local 214, which began last Friday, ending temporarily 230 miles of service by the Kentucky-Virginia Stages bus lines, continued through today... Floyd county's 1942 tax-bill will be figured on a total assessment of \$10,706,984, Tax Commissioner Clive Akers said this week... Further curtailment of gasoline distribution went into effect Saturday as Petroleum Administrative Order No. 4 became effective, restricting the sale of gasoline to passenger automobiles by any service station to 72 hours a week and not more than 12 hours a day... Jody Sammons, 29 years old, of Water Gap, employee of the Sandy Valley Coal Company at Water Gap, was electrocuted at the company's mine, Tuesday night when his head came in contact with a live wire... The Martin gymnasium has been selected as the site for this year's district basketball tournament... Second Lieutenant Elmo Fannin, 23, of Rabeland, native Prestonsburg man, was killed Sunday in an airplane crash, near the Roswell, New Mexico, army flying school, where he was based... W. H. Coffman, Hinton, West Virginia, recently succeeded L. B. Mullins as manager of the A. W. Cox Department Store, here... G. C. Spurlin, who resigned his position as executive vice-president of The First National Bank here, this week announced the purchase of a half-interest in the Spurlin Insurance Agency from J. C. Spurlin... John D. Thomas, of the legal department of the Warfield Natural Gas Company, has been named Public Relations and Volunteer Recruiting Officer for Floyd War Price and Rationing Board No. 36... Married: Miss Anna Elizabeth Allen, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Charles Raymond Neal, of Covington, Kentucky, January 9, at the home of the Rev. Ernest A. Main, Oxnard, California; Miss Wanda Lee Hall, of Garrett, and Sgt. Glenn Hayes, of Maytown, December 7, at Bainbridge, Georgia; Miss Emogene Frazier, of Allen, and Pvt. Everett Tackett, of Martin, January 16, at the home of Rev. W. M. Blankenship, at Weeksburg... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Westfall, of Allen, a daughter, Sharon Elizabeth, January 23; to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chaffin, of Ligon, a son, Wednesday... There died: J. E. Osborne, 69, of the Forks of Beaver area, Monday, at the Martin General hospital; Mary N. Martin, 18, of Garrett, Wednesday, at the Martin General hospital; Billie Gene Conn, eight years old, of Amba, Wednesday, at the Martin General hospital; J. P. Spradlin, 90, native Floyd countyman, January 16, at Elkhorn City.

Ten Years Ago (January 29, 1953)

The Prestonsburg Board of Education, at a special meeting Monday evening, took the first steps toward merger of the Prestonsburg independent school district with the county system... In a case appealed from the Floyd circuit court, by the Olen Mills Company, photographers, the Court of Appeals ruled that Prestonsburg does not have the right to levy a business-license tax on out-of-state individuals or companies operating here... The grand jury of the Floyd circuit court expressed in its final report to Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill, doubt that crime in the county is, as has been stated, on the decline... The body of Denver Lee Wells, Prestonsburg soldier, who was killed in Korea, October 14, last, will arrive here Saturday, at the Arnold Funeral Home... Columbia Gas Company has asked the State Public Service Commission for permission to deny fuel applications from persons seeking service... Two C. & O. Railway Company maintenance workers—Curtis Lee Arms, 43, of West Van Lear, and Chic Miles, 46, of Whitehouse—were killed last Friday morning when their motor car and an upriver-bound freight train collided, a short distance from Harold... The Eastern Kentucky Industrial Foundation, an organization with the specific purpose of revitalizing the threatened economy of this area, was founded Tuesday at a meeting at the Paintsville Country Club... Ivan Lovely, 17-year-old Hueysville boy, was instantly killed, and Dalton Ray Conley, Garrett youth, seriously injured, when the truck in which the two were riding plunged over a 30-foot embankment onto the railroad tracks, near Reed Branch... Dr. C. B. Conn, well-known Left Beaver Creek physician, Mrs. Raxie Terry, of Columbus, Ohio, and Lonnie Jones, Jr., of HI Hat, were injured in a wreck, Monday, involving Conn's auto, a school bus, and a semi-trailer truck... Married: Miss Gwen Lee Harris, Prestonsburg, and Mr. James Schmidt, of Rush, Kentucky, December 27, at Louisa... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Habert, Jr., of Maytown, a son, January 24, at the Beaver Valley hospital... There died: Wess Campbell, former resident of Cow Creek, Monday, at his home at Jackson, Ohio; William R. Younce, 79, of Water Gap, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Wednesday; Henry McKenzie, 56, West Prestonsburg, Monday, at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Mrs. Daisy Prater Stambaugh, 39, of David, Saturday, at the Paintsville hospital; Mrs. Virgie Salisbury Likens, 49, of Hunter, Friday, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

PROCLAMATION

American History Month—February, 1963

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETING— WHEREAS, The Honorable Bert T. Combs, Governor of the State of Kentucky, has issued a Proclamation dated January 30, 1963, declaring that the month of February, 1963, is to be celebrated as American History Month in our State; WHEREAS, All organizations of whatever kind, and public, parochial and private schools, have been asked to emphasize the study of American History during this celebration month which contains the birth dates of the First and the Sixteenth Presidents of the United States— GEORGE WASHINGTON and ABRAHAM LINCOLN WHEREAS, The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, has sponsored American History Month in February since 1955— NCW, THEREFORE, I, George P. Archer, do request by cooperating proclamation, that every effort be made within our city of Prestonsburg in the State of Kentucky, to stress the vitality and freedom we enjoy as citizens of the United States of America. The facts of written history refute the theory that indifference and ignorance can replace patriotism. Let us all contribute to the growth of our American heritage and develop finer citizens for future generations. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have caused the Seal of the City of Prestonsburg to be affixed this 31st day of January, 1963.

(SEAL) GEORGE P. ARCHER, Mayor

100 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

The Civil War in Kentucky

By JOE JORDAN (Kentucky Civil War Commission)

One hundred years ago this week, for the first time since Morgan's Confederate raiders on the day after Christmas had destroyed the Louisville & Nashville Railroad bridge over Bacon Creek, eight miles from Munfordville, L. & N. crews were able to run trains from Louisville to the north end of the destroyed trestle works at Muldraugh's Hill, and to operate other trains from the south end of the trestle works to Nashville.

However, freight from the U. S. supply base at Louisville, consigned to the huge Union Army of the Cumberland in Tennessee, still had to be unloaded at Muldraugh's Hill and hauled in wagons around the place where two wooden trestles, each 500 feet long, were being rebuilt, and then reloaded on trains which would take it on to Nashville. The two great trestles had been burnt by Morgan's men on December 28, the day after they had captured Elizabethtown nearby. The Louisville Journal said the trestles would be repaired "soon," but gave no target date for completing the rebuilding.

The fiery Unionist editor of the Louisville Journal, George D. Prentice, seemed to have lost patience with the Union officers and soldiers on leave who thronged Falls City places of entertainment. "A physician informs us," he wrote, "that any officer or soldier who has the physical ability to spend his time in dissipation in barrooms during the day and his nights in enjoyment at the theater may be regarded as eminently fitted for service in the fields. The question then naturally asserts itself, why do not the military authorities of Louisville rid the city of the army of youngsters who sport their shoulderstraps and flaunt their uniforms in the faces of those who are, in the way of taxation, contributing to the payment of their salaries, for which no return is rendered in the form of services?"

Nearly all Kentuckians who favored the Confederacy had learned by 1863 to avoid making public criticisms of President Lincoln and his administration. Complaints which were being heard in increasing vol-

**CHANTERS MEET**

The Jenny Wiley Chanters held their January meeting, January 21, at the home of Mrs. Fred Dickerson. Following the business session and rehearsal a social hour was enjoyed. A delicious refreshment plate was served to Messdames Claude P. Stephens, Edith P. James, George L. Shannon, William Rowe, H. E. Midkiff, Fred Dickerson and Miss Rose Worland. The Chanters will present a group of songs at the February meeting of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club, February 1, at the home of Mrs. Burl Spurlock.

**REV. JAGGERS ILL**

The Rev. W. D. Jagers, pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, was confined to his home Monday by illness. Laymen of his church conducted the Sunday evening service.

**SLOWLY IMPROVING**

Mrs. Genvra Scalf, Westminster street, who was injured in an auto accident on Abbott Mountain, Christmas Eve, is in Memorial Medical Center at Williamson, W. Va., having submitted to surgery. She is improving, but will remain there for six weeks longer. Her husband, Mr. Roland Scalf, and children, visited her last Sunday.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Lack Lafferty has returned home from Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin following surgery. She is doing nicely. She went to Martin Saturday for post-operative treatment.

**ENTERTAIN TO DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. David Hereford entertained to dinner last Friday evening at the Kentucky Restaurant, Mr. and Mrs. Beverage Refitt, of Maytown.

# Society Notes

**CRITICALLY ILL**  
Mrs. Grady Hubbard is critically ill at her home, suffering from a complication of ailments. Her friends are anxious about her.

**VISITS PARENTS HERE**  
Miss Judy Roberts has finished her practice teaching at Carleton and returned to Eastern Kentucky State College to resume her studies. She visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, here last week before going to Eastern.

**SECOND SON BORN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Karl Oppenheimer, of Louisville, are announcing the birth of their second child, second son, born January 25, at the Methodist Evangelical hospital in Louisville. The babe has been named Stephen Brian.

**VISITS BROTHER**  
Maurice Allen, of Hueysville, visited his brother, Kenneth Allen, at the Veteran's hospital, in Lexington, through the weekend. En route home, he called on his niece, Virginia Ann Allen, who is critically ill at her home on Riverside.

**BIRTH ANNOUNCED**  
Announcement is made of the birth at Exeter hospital, Exeter, N. H., to the Rev. and Mrs. Sanford Fasth, on Dec. 16 of their second child, first son—Merl Wilson Fasth. Mrs. Fasth is the former Virginia Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Merl Wilson and the late Mr. Wilson.

**BIRTH OF SON**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burl Ray Click of Hazard, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital, Jan. 8, a son, Christopher Graham. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Click, of Allen, and the mother is the former Kathy Spradlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin, of Cliff.

**RETURN TO NORFOLK**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Torrech and children, Michael, Larry and Vicky, returned to their home in Norfolk, Va., last week, having been called home by the death of her brother, James Estill Marcum.

**MISSIONARY GROUP MEETS**  
The Ladies Missionary Society of the First Church of God met at the home of Mrs. Ballard Herald, Thursday of last week.

**HOMEMAKERS MEET**  
Mrs. C. R. Tankersley was hostess to the members of the South Prestonsburg Homemakers Club, Jan. 21. The lesson, "Home Safety" was given by Mrs. Jim Derossett and Mrs. C. Ollie Robinson, and members took part in the discussion which followed. Several members gave accounts of accidents which had happened to them as a result of their not knowing the basic rules of safety in the home.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Larry Senters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Senters, of Lancer, celebrated his ninth birthday, Jan. 13, by entertaining his friends at the Campus Restaurant. He expresses his thanks to those who came and sent gifts. Games were played and refreshments were served to the following:

Larry Senters, Tommy Lafferty, Mike Hodge, Bill Hodge, Paula Joseph, Cindy McNally, Gregory Horn, Susan Castle, Steve Collins, Timmy Collins, Sharon Childers, Dallas Fay Sammons, Donny Goble, Frank Horn, Rose Sharon Sammons, Teresa Ann Hopkins and Jane Ann Reed, of Martin, Bill Roberts, Marsha Wright, Suzanna Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell T. Hopkins, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reed, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Derossett, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Senters, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed, of Lackey.



**STUDENT AID AT EASTERN . . .** Approximately 500 students at Eastern Kentucky State College have used National Defense Loans during the fall semester. Pictured above dean of students, Dr. Henry G. Martin, discusses the program with an interested student.

**TO STUDY REFORMATION**

The Geneva class of the First Presbyterian Church will make a study of the Reformation, the factors leading to the Reformation and the results of it.

In this study attention will be given to those five churches which can show a continuous history back to the days of the apostles, the need for the rediscovery of Christianity, which had been lost to the church of western Europe, and the results of that rediscovery in the re-beginning of certain great branches of the present-day church.

The Geneva class is a class of the younger women of the church and the three-month course will be taught by the pastor.

**KIWANIANNES IN MEETINGS**

The Kiwanians held an executive meeting at the home of Mrs. Hubbard Francis, Jr., January 10. Mrs. Francis, the president, presided.

Several items of business for the coming year were discussed, including the announcement of committee chairmen. These are: program, Mrs. E. P. Hill; decoration, Mrs. Doug Adams; publicity, Mrs. Fred Francis; food, Mrs. Charles Conley; telephone, Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr.; membership, Mrs. Olga Latta; laws and regulations, Mrs. Harris Howard. Attending the executive meeting were Mrs. E. P. Hill, Mrs. Virgil Goble, Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. Hardin Short, Mrs. Earl Martin, Mrs. Clyde Burchett, Mrs. Harris Howard, Mrs. Fred Francis and the hostess.

The Kiwanians met at the Kentucky Restaurant, January 24, with 18 members in attendance. Mrs. Hubbard Francis, president, opened the meeting and welcomed the club's newest member, Mrs. C. R. Tankersley. It was voted by the club to give five dollars to the March of Dimes. The president appointed a committee to meet with Miss Ella Noel White, Red Cross executive director, to decide what type of project could be done for the Red Cross drive which will start in March. Those attending: Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr., Mrs. Harris Howard, Mrs. Olga Latta, Mrs. Blaine Hall, Mrs. Marvin Music, Mrs. Lillian Rimmer, Mrs. George Archer, Mrs. Virgil Goble, Mrs. Hardin Short, Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. Ed Leslie, Mrs. J. R. Camiecia, Mrs. William Dingus, Mrs. Ed Music, Mrs. C. R. Tankersley, Mrs. Fred Francis and Miss Ella Noel White.

Just like that, I do a quick shift from one foot to another, tug at where a forelock used to be and suggest they look some more. Which they do—with the same result.

And here I am, branded a lawbreaker, and a state trooper is right at hand. Two years I have gone my gladsome way, here and there, violating the law every day and feeling as innocent as a newborn babe. And as lucky. In all that time I—knock on wood!—haven't an accident, and not once do I run into one of these roadblocks and have a trooper suggest that I produce.

"Well, what can I do?" I finally wail.

And they calmly tell me, "Just take a driver's test."

Whereupon I have an attack of the vapors. "I'll never pass a road test, I'm through," I inform one and all.

To mind comes the picture of Lenna Moore taking his road test and failing, then taking it again and finally passing, and explaining to me that the trooper decided it wasn't safe to get back in the car with him.

But I am in luck again. I have waited till the right time to find that my driver's license which I didn't have is missing. As of January 6 they quit this business of giving a guy who has had a license the well-known works. All he has to do is pass a written exam.

Trooper Lafferty was confident he could grade my work, and his confidence wore off on me so that I managed to pass the test. Out of there I tore with my brand-new driver's license.

Walked to the office, related my experience, then decided to call it a day and go home. Then had to walk back to the courthouse to get my car.

Who's shook up?—I've been dynamited.

Either I must have a chart, setting forth all these many and important dates to remember—or it's me for a "guardian."

**Mrs. Doris D. Beavers, Age 77, Carter Native, Is Victim In Ashland**

Mrs. Doris Duncan Beavers, 77, died January 24, in Ashland. She was a native of Carter county. Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 1:30 p.m., at the John Steen Funeral Home in Ashland, by the Rev. Joseph Faulkner and Rev. Claude Shumate. Burial was in Rose Hill Burial Park, Ashland. Surviving her are her husband, Palmer Beavers, and two brothers, L. L. Duncan, Olive Hill, and Daniel Duncan, Lackport, California. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborne attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Beavers.

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**CELEBRATES 9th BIRTHDAY**  
Clara Jo Gearheart celebrated her ninth birthday, January 27, with an old-fashioned dinner at her home on Third avenue. She was presented many gifts. A decorated cake was served after the dinner to Miss Carol June Bradley, Mrs. Smith Bradley, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. Rebecca Rasmick, Mrs. Belle Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. John Warrick, Mrs. Johnny Ellis, John Bradley Ellis, Tammy Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spradlin, Miss Burieta Gearheart, Mr. and Mrs. Estill Gearheart.

**GO TO RICHMOND**  
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Temperatures in Eastern Kentucky sank to record lows Sunday night in the second recent blast of arctic weather. Readings at Prestonsburg varied from locality to locality but hit 13 degrees below zero at many places.

Lowest temperature recorded in the section seemed to be at Flat Gap where 21 below was noted. Salyersville had 20 below in two sections of town. It was 15 below Monday night at Dewey Dam.

Readings taken at Radio Station WBOC here showed 10 below Sunday but this was two degrees higher than the 12 degrees below on the preceding week.

The wintry blast struck Wednesday of last week with snow and falling temperatures. Schools were dismissed and although school was ordered resumed Wednesday of this week it had to be called off due to sudden icy conditions. The schools have missed a total of ten days due to inclement weather.

Prestonsburg labored to repair broken water lines or get water to start flowing in the homes. Every water pipe in the courthouse here froze Monday night.

## Dicks, Beck To Speak At Kiwanis Meetings

Harold Dicks, pastor of the Arnold Avenue Church of Christ, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Kiwanis Club at Wise's Restaurant, Thursday evening. His topic will be, "The United Nations and God," and he will outline some of the opportunities and failures of the UN.

On Thursday, Feb. 7, the Rev. Ed Beck, who will be conducting evangelistic services at the First Methodist Church, will be the speaker.

### IN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to all our friends, relatives, and neighbors who so willingly rendered so many services to us upon the recent tragic death of our son, James Estill Marcum. We can never forget them. Especially, do we want to thank the ministers, Rev. Rush Sloane and Rev. T. W. Chisholm, the choir and organist, the pallbearers and any who assisted in any way. Thanks to the friends who brought food and sent lovely flowers, the friends who prepared the grave and to Carter and Callihan Funeral Home for its efficient services.

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To live a godly life we must first have God in our life, or, rather, there is no life without God—the life in this world, or the one to come. God can shed light where there is no light, for He is the life and light.

We can be as godly as we desire. We can have as much of Christ as we seek, for Christ said, when preaching the Sermon on the Mount (Matt. 7:7), "Ask and it shall be given you; seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you." If you read on in the eighth verse, He also said that every one who asks, seeks or knocks, He would grant it.

We can also know people by their fruits and we do not have to outpace of the way others live. Neither does God want us to outright judge them but we can be bold in our living for Christ and not be ashamed to tell them we are Christians by the way we live, for a godly life is worth more than all the talking we can do in a lifetime here on this earth and not live as we try to tell them we are living. You can be sure a sinner can soon "get our number" if we are living ungodly lives. We are either living for God or we are out of the will of God and living for Satan. We cannot bear two kinds of fruit. (Matt. 7:17): Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit.

We can live for Christ and work for him for we can be so humble and Christ-like we can be filled with the things of God.

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## Election Is Overturned By U.S. District Court; Dooley Renders Opinion

A teamster local election in Texas was overturned this week by the U. S. District Court on the basis that the labor organization's eligibility-for-office requirements were unreasonable. The court set aside the 1960 election of Teamster Local 577, Amarillo General Drivers, Warehousemen and Helpers, and ordered a new election under the supervision of the Secretary of Labor.

Judge Joseph B. Dooley, sitting in the Western District of Texas, noted in his decision that Local 577 and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters had eligibility requirements in effect at the time of the election which went beyond the requirements imposed by 89 of 70 international union constitutions and by-laws studied by the U. S. Labor Department's Bureau of Labor-Management Reports.

A civil suit by the Secretary was filed on May 26, 1961, under the election provisions of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act following an investigation by the Bureau of Labor-Management Reports. The union involved represents approximately 700 over-the-road truck drivers employed by various trucking companies and working out of Amarillo.

Judge Dooley held that Local 577's rules for conducting its election were unreasonable as a basis for denying members the opportunity to become candidates and for refusing to place on the ballot the name of a member of the local in good standing who had been duly nominated.

The union based its denial of the opportunity to be a candidate on its constitutional provision that "all members paying dues to local unions must pay them on or before the first business day of the current month in advance." In order to be in good standing, in addition, members desiring to run for office must remain in continuous good standing for a period of two years.

These requirements Judge Dooley found to be unreasonable. He cited BEAMER's study of the constitutions of 70 international unions and their eligibility requirements for nomination to local union offices. This study showed, the Judge said, that only one other union had "a period of good standing membership rule coupled with the requirement that payment of dues be made on or before the due date, with no grace period."

### KIWANIANS MEET

The Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club held its regular meeting, Monday evening, January 28. Thirty-two members and ten guests attended.

An outstanding program was well presented by the Methodist Youth Fellowship in the form of a play entitled, "Our Kind," depicting a family life situation which brought out a fine moral lesson.

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# REGIONAL WATERSHED IS APPROVED BY SCS

Government experts on conservation have termed as feasible a watershed flood control project encompassing the whole of the Little Fork Valley and its numerous tributaries in Elliott, Lawrence and Carter counties and have recommended the construction of at least 10 water retention dams in the watershed.

The go-ahead signal was given January 17 following a three-day final survey of the area by a team of conservation, soil and economic experts.

Little Fork is a tributary of Little Sandy River. Its headwaters start just north of Isonville, across the hill from State Highway 32. The stream runs almost due north through the eastern part of Elliott and parallel with and about three to five miles from the Elliott-Lawrence line. It enters Carter about a mile north of Dobbins and runs through the southern part of Carter and enters Little Sandy four miles south of Grayson near the Lundy Wells farm.

Its mouth is below the proposed Leon Dam for the Grayson Reservoir, soon to be built. Thus Little Fork and all its tributaries would not be affected by the reservoir. But Little Fork is a stream that floods frequently and renders farming hazardous in the low bottoms. It is a beautiful valley and is bisected by a paved highway from Ky. 32 at Isonville to Ky. 1 near Webbville. And it has electric and telephone services.

Most of the valley is in Elliott, but its tributaries run into Lawrence, like Wallow Branch from Culver past Sarah to the Lawrence line; Hurricane from near Fielden east to near the line; Blaines Trace from Dobbins east to Edsel and the line. And tributaries branching out from Little Fork in Carter are Dry Fork running back into Lawrence, with its many tributaries, Bells Trace, Caney, etc.

Little Fork's tributaries on the west in Elliott are Hamilton Branch, Ison Creek from Stephens several miles west, and Brush Fork.

Decision on constructing the project rests entirely with the people within the watershed.

Should interest in the project warrant it, a vote eventually will be taken to determine if the people want the flood control project. A majority vote of 51 percent is needed for establishment of the project.

If the people approve, then the government will pay costs of construction, but easements for channel changes, etc., are to be provided by the landowners.

All water retention dams on the branches become the property of the landowners. These are built to hold back rainfall and let the water run out gradually thus preventing sudden floods.

But in addition to the water retention dams on headwaters, the engineers have proposed four dams across major streams—one across Little Fork just above Stephens, one across Dry Fork just above Webbville in Lawrence county, one across Bells Trace on the Carter-Lawrence line, and one across Lost Creek.

In addition to these four major dams, there are 10 dams proposed on the headwaters of smaller tributaries to be used as retention dams. Conservation officials have held four meetings with Elliott landowners—one at Ison Creek school, one at Wallowhole Church, one at Blaines Trace school and one at Brusby Fork school.

Other meetings were held in Carter and Lawrence. Then on the 17th a general meeting was held in Grayson when the entire project was outlined to the people and the engineer's recommendations explained.

The government last year amended the formula by which small watershed projects can be qualified, thus permitting smaller valleys in mountain terrain to qualify. The Little Fork project is the first to be approved in Eastern Kentucky.

The project, it is estimated, will cost the government a million dollars, perhaps more.

But it will prevent disastrous floods and make agriculture in the valley more profitable. Too, the valley can be used to replace the farm land to be covered by the Grayson Reservoir's flooding of Newcomb Creek, a parallel creek to the west in central Elliott county.

Little Fork's watershed encompasses about 85,000 acres.

According to the team which surveyed the area, the construction

## Roy C. Turner, 45, Dies At Columbus, Ohio; Rites Conducted At Maytown

Roy C. Turner, 45, former Floyd county teacher and native of Langley, died at Columbus, Ohio, Monday at 9:45 a.m. Death was due to a heart attack.

Mr. Turner was a son of the late A. L. and Polly Hays Turner. Surviving are two sons, Darrell Ronald Turner, U. S. Air Force, Langley Field, Virginia, and John Richard Turner, Decatur, Illinois. One brother, Roger Turner, of Prestonsburg, survives.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. from the Maytown Methodist Church, the Rev. Ralph Turner and others officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Maytown under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

## Bids for Construction Of Bituminous Surfacing Of Floyd Highway Asked

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30—Bids for grade, drain and bituminous concrete surfacing of the Wheelwright Junction-Wheelwright Road in Floyd county will be received by the Kentucky Highway Department on February 15, Commissioner of Highways Henry Ward announced today.

The project will begin approximately 0.3 mile south of Ky. 122 at Wheelwright Junction and extend south a distance of 0.17 mile.

This highway improvement is being financed entirely out of the state road fund.

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# EVERYBODY GETS BLAMED IN CARTER COUNTY BY EDUCATIONAL GROUP FOR SCHOOL MESS

Each side puts the blame on the other side. There are no neutrals left in Carter county.

With these words the National Education Association and the Kentucky Education Association begin the report of their joint investigation of the Carter county school system. The report which culminates an eight-month investigation, has been subtitled "A Study of an Unconscionable Combination of Politics and Education."

The 48-page report places responsibility for the controversy on many individuals and groups, including the superintendent of schools who had served some 24 years in the post, the elected Board of Education which was ousted by the State Board of Education, the appointed Board of Education which replaced it, the Carter County Teachers Association, the two local citizens' groups backing opposing sides in the strife, the State Board of Education, the state superintendent of public instruction, and the state's attorney general.

Recommendations to the parties involved suggest that the state be wiped clean, that new leaders be identified to guide the Carter county schools, and that changes be made on the state level in the selection of State Board of Education members and the superintendent of public instruction.

In Carter county the report calls for the resignation of the officers of the Carter County Teachers Association; the resignation of the current superintendent of schools (who was named in July, 1962); the selection of an acting superintendent appointed on an annual basis on recommendation from the State Board of Education, "until such time as the State Board is agreed that the Carter county situation has become stabilized." The report also asks for a guarantee from the long-time superintendent, who was dismissed in July 1962, that he will remove himself completely from the school controversy; for the replacement of the present appointed members of the Carter County Board of Education; and for the disbanding of the two citizens' groups involved in the affairs of the Carter county schools.

On the state level, the report recommends to the citizens of Kentucky that they approve a constitutional amendment which would provide for the appointment of the state superintendent of public instruction and the popular election of the State Board of Education. Currently the superintendent is elected and the State Board is appointed by the governor.

The report further recommends to the National Education Association and the Kentucky Education Association that those units of the two associations "charged with the responsibility for encouraging and maintaining high standards in the teaching profession" review the findings of the report "and take such action as they deem appropriate."

The findings of the report note that many changes have been made in the Carter county school system since the NEA-KEA Special Investigating Committee held its hearings in June 1962. The long-time superintendent was replaced and a new superintendent was named to succeed him in early July. The findings on the superintendent related mostly to the long-time superintendent, although it was recommended that his successor resign, too.

Citing the fact that the superintendent who had served more than two decades was the product of the economic-cultural-political forces in Carter county, the NEA-KEA report found that by necessity of circumstances, he "became actively involved in politics, working for the election of Board members and ingratiating himself by dispensing favors to those who supported him." Such diversified activity on the part of a school superintendent "was not conducive to a program of quality education," the report commented.

Commenting on the relations of both the elected and appointed Boards of Education with the superintendent, the report noted that while working with the elected Board, the veteran superintendent was both policy maker and administrator, with the elected Board merely approving his actions and recommendations. Under the appointed Board, installed by the State Board of Education in the fall of 1961, the superintendent was thwarted at every action and was totally ignored by Board members. During this time the operation of the school system was at a stalemate.

"The elected Board, which was ousted by the State Board of Education, showed little evidence that it assumed its responsibility

as the educational policy-making body in Carter county," the report comments. "Board members appeared to be satisfied with keeping the status quo and going along with whatever the superintendent desired. They appeared to have little knowledge of and even less responsible concern for items for which they authorized payment."

The appointed Board members, on the other hand, had in common one clearly evident objective, the report states, "they each wanted to discharge the superintendent at the first opportunity." The investigating committee noted that it was apparent that the appointed Board members had "no recognition of the damaging effect of their activities on the welfare of the children of the schools. It is regrettable that men nominated by a local citizens' committee and appointed to membership on the Board by the State Board of Education should have the limited vision that was evidenced by the appointed Board of Carter county."

In a section devoted to the State Board of Education and the state superintendent of public instruction, the NEA-KEA Special Committee concluded that the State Board acted hastily in ousting the elected Carter County Board of Education "without giving the members of the elected Board a full opportunity to prove that they had met the obligations of their office."

Commenting on the selection of members of the appointed Board, the report states, "It appears that one of the reasons the State Board of Education appointed the Carter county board was to remove the superintendent of schools. The persons chosen (for the county board) came from a list presented by an organization which was known to be vehemently opposed to the superintendent."

Once the new Carter County Board was appointed, the State Board and the state superintendent of public instruction "showed little, if any, interest in its operation and made no attempt to assure that the new Board members had a clear understanding of the duties and responsibilities of Board members." The state superintendent and the Department of Public Instruction complied with all requests that were made by responsible school officials in Carter county, the report notes; however, "the State Board and the state superintendent, on their own initiative, made little, if any, attempt to assist their appointees."

The report found the state office of Attorney General partially responsible for the confusion in Carter county when it advised the appointed Board "inadequately as to the procedures to be followed in discharging members of the teaching staff in Carter county."

The NEA-KEA report also condemns officers of the Carter County Teachers Association, commenting that during the 1961-62 school year, the association served "almost entirely as an instrument of the superintendent and his supporters." The association concentrated its efforts on the problems of immediate conflict, neglecting other desirable functions of a professional education association, the report finds.

Noting that on several occasions officers of the Carter County Teachers Association "stepped out of bounds on public statements," the NEA-KEA report charges that the association "was dominated by a small core of teachers who took excessive liberties with the authority conferred upon them by the association's constitution."

It was apparent that many Carter county teachers were uninformed concerning their rights under tenure laws of Kentucky and the procedure by which their contracts were renewed, the report notes. Two controversies which occurred during the 1961-62 school year were pointed out as attempts made separately by the appointed Board of Education and the superintendent to remove two different groups of teachers. "One teacher who had taught in the system 31 years appeared to be unaware that she was on tenure and therefore could not be dismissed except through due process of law. Several teachers told the Committee that they had been teaching in the school system for years without a written contract."

A final section of the findings, devoted to citizens' groups involved in the school controversy, found that one of the two organizations supported the long-time superintendent and the elected Board of Education, and the other supported the appointed Board of Education and favored the dismissal of the superintendent. The report comments that it was

obvious that members of both organizations "were determined to win at all costs and were not willing to seek any areas of common agreement. Both of these groups were composed of people so consumed by their passion that they had lost the ability to listen to and consider opposing points of view."

The investigation of the Carter county schools was originally requested in February 1962 by the Carter County Teachers Association. Later requests were made by the Carter County Board of Education and the Friends of Carter County Schools Organization, Inc., a citizens' group.

The NEA-KEA Special Committee held hearings in Carter county June 3-7, 1962. Members of the Special Committee included A. N. Addleman, chairman, assistant county superintendent, Pittsburgh, Penn.; Jack Capehart, president, West Virginia School Boards Association; Miss Frances Lashbrook, director of elementary education, Owensboro, Ky.; H. A. Mattox, chairman, Board of Education, Murphy, N. C.; Ray Pope, classroom

teacher, Harlan county, Ky.; William H. Seawell, lecturer in education, School of Education, University of Virginia; and Henry E. Wright, classroom teacher, Letcher, Ky. Assisting the Special Committee were Richard L. Morgan, associate legal counsel and coordinator of the investigation; Miss Virginia Kinnaird, associate executive secretary; and Miss Barbara A. Byers, technical writer of the NEA staff, and J. M. Dodson, executive secretary, and Verne P. Horne, director of public relations, of the KEA staff.

Note: Copies of the Carter County Report may be obtained free of charge by writing to the Commission on Professional Rights and Responsibilities of the National Education Association, 1201 16th Street, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

Lexington, Ky.—Ground limestone bought for application to Kentucky farm land (to correct soil acidity) should be finely ground to get quick benefits, says Harold Miller, U.K. Ag Extension Service soils specialist.

## Chemicals Recommended By Horticulture Group For Control of Weeds

Lexington, Ky.—Sesone, Daethal and Eptam will be recommended again this year by the U.K. Ag Experiment Station horticulture department for weed-control in strawberries.

James Herron, weed control specialist, said about 10 chemicals were used last season in his test work. Some were incorporated in the soil prior to planting, others incorporated in the soil or surface-applied two weeks after plants were set out. Some of the materials were granules, others were sprays.

The recommended materials (Sesone, Daethal and Eptam) performed satisfactorily, Herron said. However, he added that three experimental materials, not yet cleared for use on strawberries, were even more satisfactory in these tests, giving 70 percent weed control or better, and causing no injury to the strawberry plants. He said it is possible that some of the experimental materials may be cleared for use on strawberries this season.

Such clearance is given by control officials only after the most careful and thorough testing.

## Wheelwright Methodist Youth Sponsor Revival

The public is invited to attend the revival services to be sponsored by the MYF at the Wheelwright Community Church on January 31, February 1 and February 2. Rev. James C. Stratton, of the Allen Methodist Church, will serve as the evangelist. Special music will be furnished by the MYF choir. A nursery will be provided. All services begin at 7:30 p.m.

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## NEWLY-REVISED CODE TO EXPEDITE JUSTICE

(Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill, of Prestonsburg, should not find the new rules of legal practice, which became effective January 1, too strange; for he was one of two circuit judges in the state who worked with judges of the Court of Appeals, members of the bar and representatives of law schools to effect those rules. The following explanation of the new rules was written by Allan M. Trout and was first published in The Courier-Journal.—Editor.)

New rules of legal practice are in force, designed to make the course of criminal justice in Kentucky easier, simpler, quicker and less costly.

These rules are known to the bar and bench as the Criminal Code of Practice. They were enacted by the 1962 Legislature and modified by the Court of Appeals before taking effect January 1.

The Criminal Code had not been revised in this state since 1876, and then only slightly. The code first was written at direction of the constitutional convention of 1849-50. For the first 60 years of statehood, it was an unwritten heritage from centuries of common law in England, by way of the Colonial courts of Virginia.

This code is simply the set of rules by which criminal cases are tried. The rules state what the law is, without going into the exact language of the status. In other words, they reflect the substance of the law, without the clutter of details.

Indeed, it would be hypothetically possible to try a criminal case by the code alone, without reference to the body of law, with justice reasonably assured in the end. Without the code to guide courtroom procedures criminal law would be reduced to chaotic ineffectuality.

But the code is strictly the tool of jurists and attorneys. Much of it is pure technicality, not susceptible of understanding by the uninitiated public. There are, however, many phases of it that laymen can recognize from general knowledge and experience.

Broadest criticism of the old code may be found in the preamble to the new. It states the old code was "designed more to implement technical concepts than to promote the interest of justice."

Consequently, reform aimed at in the new code included these broad objectives:

- 1. Elimination of ambiguities, contradictions and obscurities.
  - 2. Closer harmony with the federal Code of Criminal Practice.
  - 3. Recognition of practices arising from long usage, yet forbidden by the letter of the old code.
  - 4. Repeal of statutory law in the code, leaving it a set of procedures only.
  - 5. Transfer of the power to modify from the Legislature to the Court of Appeals, thus giving legal form to the code that had prevailed throughout the years.
- From the viewpoint of the accused, many features of the new code were designed to accommodate his mind and person during the process of justice.
- 1. The new code provides for more citations and fewer physical arrests.
  - 2. Bond cannot be taken by arresting officers.
  - 3. An immediate hearing is required in all cases.
  - 4. The accused is granted the right to counsel immediately after arrest, and every member of the bar is under professional compulsion to answer such calls for counsel.
  - 5. One bond, rather than several, will cover all steps to conviction, then one bond will cover all steps of appeal.
  - 6. The accused is now entitled to a transcript of all evidence relating to his indictment by the grand jury, including audio-visual records.
  - 7. A defendant is now entitled to examine all documents seized from him, with the view of facilitating his defense.
  - 8. Upon a finding of not guilty by the jury, a defendant is assured immediate release.
  - 9. In felony cases, sentence must now be imposed at once, in contrast to the old wait of two days.
  - 10. The accused now cannot be held through two terms of the grand jury without a new charge against him.
  - 11. Personal items seized at the time of arrest are protected with new safeguards designed to assure their return in due course.
  - 12. The name of the complaining party must be stated when the accused is served with a summons.
- For the first time, standards are prescribed for the amount of bail in felony cases.
- Many citizens are familiar with jury service, having served or been summoned, hence two changes become of general interest.
- 1. No longer can bystanders be empaneled to sit on trial juries. These jurors must be drawn from the drum.
  - 2. Two alternate jurors may now be qualified to sit at trials, instead of one. But the significant change here lies in the fact that all 14 jurors will hear the case, with none knowing which 12 will return the verdict, or which two will become the alternates. The 12 will be chosen by lot at end of the trial.
- Some other changes are wholly new to jurisprudence in Kentucky.
- Material witnesses to the Commonwealth's case may now be put under appearance bonds. The aim here is to lessen the tendency of key witnesses to leave the state to avoid testifying.
- Second, the court is now empowered to call its own expert witnesses, a right heretofore exercised by only plaintiffs and defendants.
- Five years of arduous preparation preceded the effective date of the new code. The start was ordered by the 1958 Legislature. An advisory committee worked with Legislative Research Commission to prepare a new code for enactment by the 1960 Legislature. The bar objected so strenuously to a few points that the bill failed to pass.
- L.R.C. and the advisory committee devoted two more years of study and revision to the effort, resulting in the bill that passed at the 1962 session. The Court of Appeals then devoted several months to refining the rules to what is hoped to be their final form in the main. However, it is the informed consensus that the first year of experience will reveal the need for further refinement.
- The five-year effort was organized to reflect the viewpoints of the appellate and circuit benches, the prosecution and defense of felons, and the law schools.
- Appellate Judges Robert B. Bird and Morris Montgomery represented the high court. The circuit bench was represented by Judges Coleman Wright, Shelbyville, and Edward P. Hill, Prestonsburg.
- The bar was represented by John Young Brown, Lexington; the late Rodes K. Myers, Bowling Green; Maubert R. Miles, Madisonville; Grant F. Knuckles, Pineville, and Richard L. Garnett, Glasgow.
- Sitting in for the law schools were William L. Matthews and Roy Moreland, University of Kentucky, and Marlin Volz, University of Louisville.
- Somewhat the same course, although of only three years' duration, was taken to revise the Civil Code of Practice in 1952. Indeed, it was the high success of civil revision that encouraged the bar and bench to begin to press for criminal revision in 1958.

## BUS RAMMED BY TRAILER, DRIVER, PASSENGER HURT

One of eight passengers and the driver of an Allen Brothers bus were hospitalized after the bus was struck by a jack-knifing tractor-trailer last Friday afternoon, two miles west of Martin, and knocked over a high embankment.

Most severely hurt were Edna Stanford, 60, of Wayland, who suffered a broken collar-bone, and Charlie Newman, Prestonsburg, driver of the bus. Mr. Newman had a severe leg injury.

Another passenger received a head injury. Bruises and slight cuts were the only other hurts sustained, it was said.

Besides Mrs. Stanford, the list of passengers included Edna Hunter, Lackey; Richard Sammons, Jr., McDowell; Jacqueline Mosley, Estill; Barbara and Tommy Marshall, Martin; Andy Bolen, Garrett, and Denver Davis, Handshoe.

Jack Allen, one of the owners of the bus line, said the accident report showed that the tractor-trailer, owned by Four Brothers Transfer, Coal Grove, Ohio, skidded on Ky. 80, near the Wes Flannery home, and that the driver of the bus had slowed his speed as he saw the oncoming vehicle. The truck struck the left-front portion of the bus, knocking it approximately 35 feet over the hill.

This report showed that the tractor-trailer then struck a station wagon of the Kentucky Power Company, driven by Gideon Douglas Ison, of Pikeville, and drove it into an auto occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hall, of Hall, Kentucky. The bus was badly wrecked.

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### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Clinton Terry, 22, Langley, and Mary Janice Compton, 17, Hite, Clifford Brown, 25, West Prestonsburg, and Sally Jo Owens, 25, Blue River, Randell Wells, 30, and Linda Goble, 17, both of Auxier, Billy Gene McCoy, 25, East Point, and Meshia Crum, 24, West Prestonsburg; married here January 25 by the Rev. C. C. Goble, Chase Downing Knight, 22, Milford, Ohio, and Lee Ann Pulby, 18, Prestonsburg; marriage solemnized here January 26 by Magistrate Bryant DeRosetti, McKinley Kendrick, 21, and Sarah Katherine Stone, 17, both of Harold, Edward David Prisela, 23, Alliance, Ohio, and Sidney D. Crider, 17, Prestonsburg.

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the annual Heart Fund work. The Prestonsburg, Wheelwright and David Woman's Clubs are sponsoring the campaign work in their respective communities, the announcement continues.

Describing the Kentucky Heart Association's clinics and similar community service projects, professional and lay education, diagnostic and surgical equipment purchases and financing of heart research done by Kentucky doctors as "key factors in the almost miraculous progress we are seeing in the fight against heart and blood vessel diseases," Mr. Hockensmith urged "no let-down" in Heart Fund contributions. Most Kentucky communities will conduct door-to-door "Heart Sunday" collections on February 24, he announced.

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Goals for Higher Education in the south is one of the strong advocates of community colleges. The organization includes representatives of 16 states.

The Governor also cited other educators, Attorney General Robert Kennedy, and The Lexington Herald as supporters of the community college concept.

Combs said that despite building progress the state's university and colleges are in danger of being overrun by students—the ones who can afford to go to college.

"Now, how about the uncounted thousands of qualified young men and women in Kentucky who want to go and can't afford it?" the Governor asked.

"There are many reasons—moral, practical and otherwise—why we should place a college education within their reach."

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ume 100 years ago this week were being sounded by Unionists, and they were directed at Lincoln's signing of the Emancipation Proclamation, which was regarded in some quarters as a betrayal of the very men who had kept Kentucky from seceding, since they had relied upon the President's statement that he had no intention of interfering with slavery.

The Kentucky legislature by this time had only Union men as members, for the military governor at the last election had issued an order that no one "hostile in opinion to the government" could be a candidate. However, some who at the August of 1862 election had passed that test had since then become "hostile in opinion," Senator Martin P. Marshall, of Mason county, introduced a resolution denouncing the "culpable action" of Mr. Lincoln "in the assertion of a war power nowhere delegated by the Constitution."

### FPC Approves Proposal To Serve Gas Consumers

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Francis ("Frank") Hopkins, Prestonsburg attorney and Congressman, was born in Tazewell county, Virginia, May 27, 1853, a son of John Calvin Hopkins (1812-1889) and Elizabeth Ann Tabler Hopkins (1823-1891).

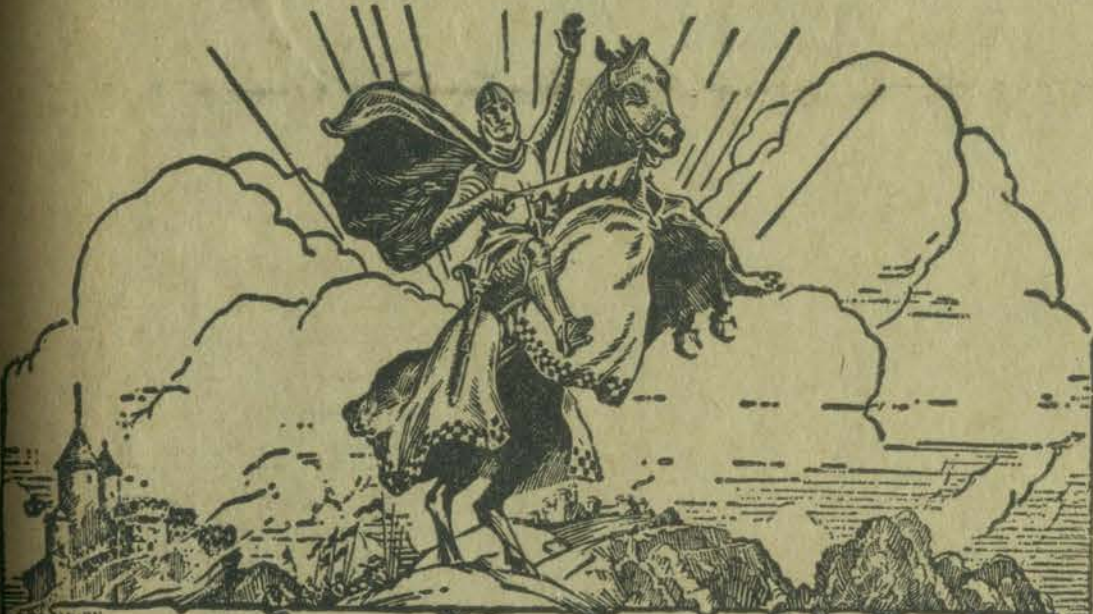
Hopkins came to Prestonsburg in 1874 to practice law and married Alice Gray Davidson in 1876. Almost immediately he became interested in public office and served as Floyd County School Commissioner from 1882 to 1884. He was named a member of the Constitutional Convention from Floyd, Knott and Letcher counties that met in 1890 to draft the present Kentucky constitution. He was elected to Congress for two terms, serving 1902 to 1906. A delegate at large from Kentucky to the Democratic National Convention, he voted to nominate Woodrow Wilson as the party's standard bearer.

Hopkins died June 5, 1918 and is buried at Prestonsburg. The First National Bank presents these pictures of distinguished Eastern Kentuckians in recognition of their contribution to our history.



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### DRIFT

**WOMAN'S CLUB MEETINGS**  
The Christmas meeting of the Drift Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. Bill H. Stumbo at McDowell. Miss Ruby Akers gave the devotion, which was "Ten Commandments for a Joyous Christmas" and a reading of "Madonna and Child."

The program was in charge of the Spiritual Values committee. Mrs. Pat Del Vecchio introduced Father Stanley Fleming, pastor of St. Juliana's Church at Martin. He gave a talk on the role of women in the community and the Christian home.

The club voted to display the Nativity Scene at the ball park and erect the Community Christmas trees. Gift exchange was held.

Mrs. B. F. Reed was hostess to the January 7 meeting of the club. Announcement of the winter board meeting was made. Routine business was conducted.

On January 21, Mrs. James Reed was hostess to the club. Plans were made to assist at the Sabine vaccine clinic, February 3, at McDowell school. Several members volunteered to work. Announcement was made of the Arts and Crafts train, which will be in Prestonsburg in April. Members plan to assist and attend and advertise the events.

Refreshments were served to 13 members. The club voted to make a donation to the Floyd County T.B. Association.

Two new members were welcomed to the club. Mrs. Curt Carter and Mrs. Don Little. The meeting on February 4 will be at the home of Mrs. C. J. Cahill.

### LINCOLN TRAIL PROJECT STUDIED BY TRAVEL GROUP

Frankfort, Jan. 28 (Spl.)—A project to establish a highway routing which will touch all significant sites in the life of President Abraham Lincoln will be headed by Charles Warnick, director of the Kentucky Department of Public Information's Tourist and Travel Division.

To be called The Lincoln Trail, the route will use existing roads and will connect Lincoln sites in Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois.

"The Lincoln Trail will not attempt to follow exactly in the

footsteps of the Lincoln family's migrations," Warnick said, "but will guide the motorist to all the important and interesting places that played a part in the great man's life."

He pointed out that tourists take with enthusiasm to historic tours and sight-seeing routes.

"The Lincoln Trail will be a natural tourist attraction which should meet with outstanding success through the three-state area," Warnick declared.

The Kentucky tourist and travel director will be chairman of the committee planning the route. Indiana and Illinois representatives will serve on the committee.

Warnick said the group hopes to have the trail open by late spring of this year. He said highway markers bearing Lincoln's profile will identify the routing.

### Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Stone, of Dema, announce the engagement of their daughter, Avenille Stone, to James Fitzgerald, II, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald, of Lexington. Miss Stone is a graduate of Wayland high school. She attended Caney Junior College and the University of Kentucky and is now a senior in nursing at the Good Samaritan hospital at Lexington. A late summer wedding is planned.

### Willie D. Webb, 67, Of Martin, Is Victim; Burial, Mayo Cemetery

Willie D. Webb, 67, of Martin, died Wednesday of last week at McDowell Memorial hospital. He was a retired railway employee and a veteran of World War I.

Mr. Webb was a son of Dock and Martha Flannery Webb. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Della Mayo, of Martin.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m. Sunday, from the home of Mrs. Mayo, the Revs. Benny and William Blankenship officiating. Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery at Arkansas Creek under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

### Junkyard Law Declared Valid by High Court; Four Litigants Attack

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 23—Kentucky's new automobile-junkyard act is constitutional in every respect.

So ruled Franklin Circuit Judge Henry Meigs Tuesday in two lawsuits brought by junk and scrap dealers against the State Highway Department.

The new state law forbids junkyards within 2,000 feet of a road unless authorized by the commissioner of highways. Permits, good for two years and costing \$50, are issued if a junkyard is hidden by trees, shrubs, fences and the like. Hardship cases can continue operations for two years, but must conform to the new law thereafter.

Judge Meigs noted that the courts have held in the past that junk dealers are subject to reasonable regulation in the exercise of police power by the government.

The Legislature, the judge said, has wide discretionary powers in this area, so long as its acts have pertinency and reasonableness.

The judge said he was unable to find that the junkyard act does not tend to benefit the public. Further, he said, the means in which benefits are extended to the public are not arbitrary nor oppressive, but based upon substantial grounds.

The suits were filed by Clifford Jasper, as Jasper Iron & Metal Company, London; Raymond Waddie and Malcome Coomer, West Somerset Wrecking Yard; Gambrell Auto Parts & Wrecking Yard, Inc., Pineville, and James P. Stanton, Rowlett's Junk Dealers.

They contended the new act was unreasonable and confiscatory, and would force them out of business.

### STRIKE HITS HELSINKI

Helsinki, Jan. 22—A strike removed streetcars and buses from streets Monday. About 2,700 City-employed bus and streetcar men are demanding wage increases averaging \$25 a month.

### FIRE HITS KOREAN CITY

Seoul, Jan. 22—A 3-hour blaze Sunday destroyed 245 stores and 30 homes in a market area of Mokpo, a port city 200 miles south of here, press reports said. Some 300 persons were reported homeless.

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Carpets and rugs take quite a "beating" in winter, so give your carpets and rugs the right care to prevent permanent damage.

Your family is bound to track snow and ice into the house this winter. Melting snow and ice that penetrate the carpet backing will create yellow or brown stains. They can also cause mildew. If possible, remove tracked-in snow and ice before it melts. If it should melt on your rug or carpet, blot up the moisture immediately. Spread cloths or paper tissues over the spot and weight them down. Change them often until all the moisture is absorbed.

The salt used to clear streets of ice and snow often is tracked into the house, too. On a carpet or rug, it attracts moisture and causes brown stains, a white crust on the carpet pile, and fading. Ashes, which are often used in winter as a safety measure, contain alkali that harms carpet colors and fibers. If ashes or salt are tracked in, remove them immediately with the vacuum cleaner. Have rugs and carpets cleaned as soon as possible after winter soiling.

Another winter carpet stain might be caused by pitch or evergreen needles from the Christmas tree. To remove such stains, apply a safe drycleaning fluid with an eye dropper and then blot it up with clean, unstarched toweling or paper tissue. Work from the outside edge of the stain toward the center. Do not scrub too hard. If the rug has a rubberized backing, use as little solvent as possible to prevent damage to the backing.

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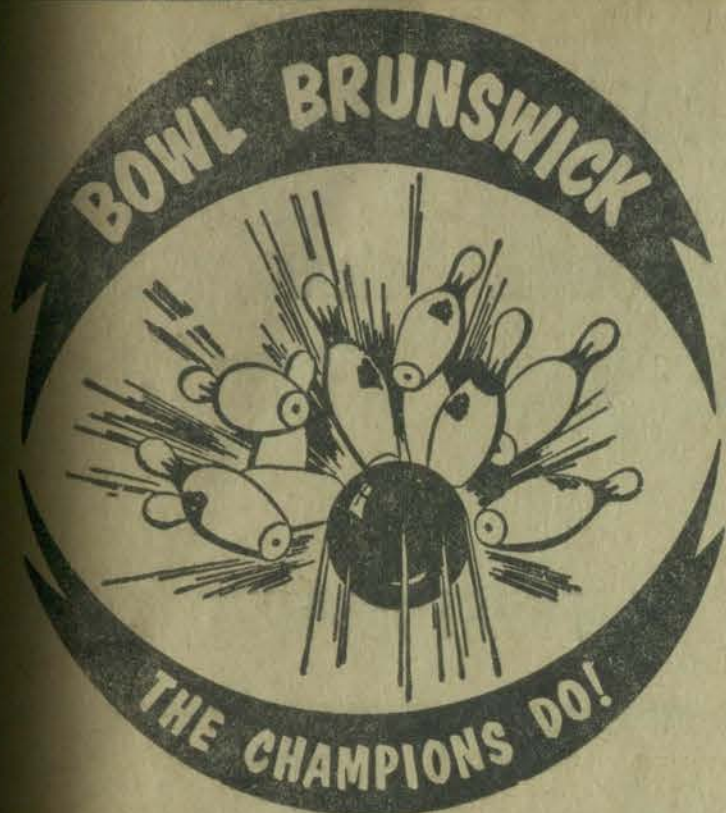
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## SPORTS CHATTER

By GORDON MOORE

### BUSY FEBRUARY

Inclement weather will make February the busiest month of the present basketball season, as the majority of Floyd county schools are behind three to four games on their schedules.

The local Black Cats are four games behind and will be playing at least three games a week until the district tournament opens, Wednesday, February 27.

Only one game was played over the past week-end, and in that fray Tommy Boyd's Wayland Waaps stung Chapman, South Carolina, 84-47. The visitors are coached by former Wayland ace, Fred Fraley, who played his college basketball at Furman University.

Future Eastern Kentucky officiating clinics in basketball and football will be shifted to Prestonsburg from Pikeville next season. A popular Floyd county official will be named 15th regional cage director.

Nelson Allen, Hueysville native, became the first mountain official to referee in the Louisville invitational tournament, Oddy enough, he officiated in all four Carr Creek victories, two of which were won by two points and one by one point.

Overall, the officiating was termed the best in the 16-year history of the popular tournament. Clarence Black, formerly of West Liberty, will join Doug Butcher, Birchell Duff and Sid Meade as the officiating team for the Floyd county district tournament. Blaine and McDowell are the two leading

### V.F.W. State Bowling Tourney Slated Here

The ninth annual Veterans of Foreign Wars state bowling tournament will be held at Prestonsburg April 6-7, it is announced this week. The tourney will be held at both Crown and Lake Lanes.

The tournament is sanctioned by the American Bowling Congress and approximately \$2,000 in awards will be made. Tom Cox and Glenn Robinson are chairmen and co-chairmen of the bowling event and O. C. Howell is treasurer.

Harold Baldrige, of V.F.W. Post No. 5839, in announcing that the tournament was scheduled here, said that his organization was urging all V.F.W. bowlers to attend the tournament.

teams in the region with 17 victories each... The rangy Wild Cats from Lawrence county meet the Black Cats in Prestonsburg on Saturday, February 9. Paintsville comes here Thursday, February 7.

### FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE

Garrett at John's Creek  
 Wayland at Martin  
 McDowell at Henry County  
 Betsy Layne at Mullins  
 Maytown at Oil Springs  
 Prestonsburg at Hindman

### SATURDAY'S SCHEDULE

McDowell at Fleming County  
 Dorton at Betsy Layne  
 Heller at Maytown

### 58th DISTRICT STANDINGS

Team	W	L
McDowell	17	5
Wayland	9	5
Garrett	11	6
Martin	16	7
Prestonsburg	5	7
Wheelwright	7	8
Betsy Layne	14	10
Maytown	4	10

### AGAINST COUNTY OPPONENTS

Team	W	L
McDowell	10	3
Martin	9	4
Wayland	6	4
Garrett	6	4
Wheelwright	1	5
Betsy Layne	7	8
Maytown	2	8
Prestonsburg	0	5

### LAST WEEK'S SCORES

Paintsville 71, Wheelwright 70  
 Virgie 69, Garrett 51  
 McDowell 63, Betsy Layne 61

### Don Blair Paces Virgie In Triumph Over Garrett

Don Blair paced Virgie to an early lead and the Eagles coasted home safely with a 69-51 basketball victory over Garrett Tuesday night.

Blair, a 6-4 senior, hit 17 of his game high 19 points in the first half as the Eagles were building an 18-point lead (33-15) at intermission.

Garrett matched the Virgie subs, point-for-point, over the last two periods but the damage had been done.

The win left Virgie with a 16-4 season record. Garrett is now 12-4.

B. Bolen paced Garrett's scoring with 18 points.

Roger Bates, a freshman, and Dale Osborne, a senior, had 14 and 16 points respectively for Virgie.

Garrett (51) (89) Virgie T. Bolen (7) (10) Osborne Chaffins (6) (1) A. Tackett B. Bolen (18) (19) Blair Cox (10) (14) Bates Holbrook (6) (2) Ratliff

SUBS — Garrett, Rice 2, Hill 2; Virgie, Gibson 6, Short 2, L. Tackett 2, F. Johnson 1, Adkins 4, E. Johnson 2.

Garrett 5 6 16 30-51  
 Virgie 17 16 14 22-39

### Fire Takes 11,600 Lives In Nation In '62, Said; Precautions Are Listed

Frankfort, Ky., (Spl.)—Fire, one of the most dreaded of all killers, took a toll of at least 11,600 lives throughout the United States during 1962, Glenn Lovern, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Public Safety, has pointed out in warning that the fire toll is highest in the winter months.

Lovern said the National Fire Protection Association has reported that in addition to the over 11,600 deaths caused by fire during the past year, more than 55,000 persons were seriously burned.

Among the leading causes of fire fatalities and serious burns were smoking in bed, worn-out heating equipment overworked during cold weather, and outdated electrical circuits designed to carry a much lighter load than modern demands of appliances.

Another cause pointed out by the commissioner was leaving small children alone in a house. "Small children have no business being left alone at any time," he said, "because they are not familiar with everyday dangers. They can cause fires easily when unattended and they are also in danger when left while asleep. If fire breaks out in the house, they rarely have a chance. They panic because they have no idea what to do."

To reduce the possibility of home fire, Lovern pointed out several obvious tips:

1. Don't smoke in bed.
2. If heating equipment is old, check it or have it checked for safety. If it isn't safe, get rid of it.
3. Don't overload electrical circuits.
4. Don't leave small children alone, even for a minute.

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## WINTER FISHING INCREASES IN KENTUCKY, STATE NOTES

Frankfort, Ky., (Spl.)—Ever-increasing numbers of fishermen are becoming more evident on the winter fishing scene in Kentucky. This is particularly true on the large impoundments where jig fishing is regularly gaining in popularity. This increased interest in this method of mid-winter bass fishing stems from those more interested in a trophy bass than a stringer filled with smaller fish, according to the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

Jig fishing is by no means a new method of fishing. It made its appearance on the Kentucky fishing lakes years ago. Its rise in popularity started on Herrington Lake. This body of water, created by a dam built by the Kentucky Utilities Company, was such a boon to fishing in central Kentucky that anglers found it difficult to stay away from these waters even during the winter months.

Many times during what was supposed to be the off season the lake would become muddy from winter rains. Fishing was virtually at a standstill. It was in the course of one of these lulls that a new method of bass fishing originated.

Just who started the new method isn't quite clear. However, the name was derived from the up and down movement of the bait. The jiggling of the bait was supposedly used to attract fish.

It was quite by chance that the method was discovered. While fishing for carp with worms in a narrow partially clear streak near the shore, several bass were taken. Someone conceived the

### Dare Devils Trounce Betsy Layne Bob Cats

McDowell built a 10-point lead in the fourth quarter and then held on to nip Betsy Layne 63-61 on free throws by David Turner and Wendell McCoy within the last minute. It was the 17th victory for the Dare Devils who have lost five games. Betsy Layne is now 14-9 on the season.

McDowell dropped behind by five points in the first quarter, but caught up to tie the game 32-32 at the half. The two teams battled on even terms during the third quarter before the Dare Devils spurred to their 10-point lead.

Turner's free throw gave McDowell a 62-61 lead and McCoy, who was intentionally fouled with four seconds left, then sank his clincher.

Center Ron Moore paced McDowell with 17 points. Junior Newsome topped Bob Cat scorers with 15 markers.

McDowell (63) (61) B. Layne Turner (13) (14) Hall Little (1) (4) King Moore (17) (4) Woods K. Howell (12) (14) Lewis McCoy (7) (15) Newsome

SUBS — McDowell, S. Howell 13; Betsy Layne, Scalf 10.  
 McDowell 14 18 13 18-63  
 Betsy Layne 19 13 13 16-61

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking every one who helped us in any way upon the death of our sister, Effie Baldrige; those who brought flowers, the Choir at the Church of God in Prestonsburg and especially to our pastor, the Rev. Moses Kitchen, for the consoling words he spoke, and Carter & Callihan Funeral Home which rendered such fine service.

HER BROTHERS AND SISTERS

## Dr. Salisbury Announces Dry Cleaning Business

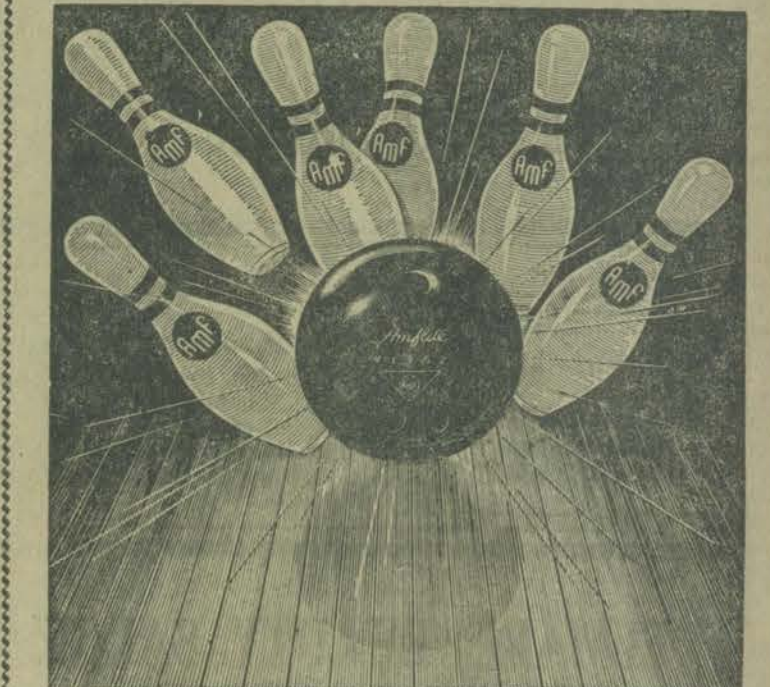
A coin-operated dry-cleaning business will be opened soon in the Nunnery building at the corner of Third and Graham, it was announced this week by Dr. H. G. Salisbury.

The new business will be known as the H & S Coin-Operated Dry Cleaners. Similar establishments already are in operation in several Kentucky towns and cities, including Louisa, Louisville and Lexington.

Many women have misconceptions about removing hair from their legs. Shaving hair from the legs will not make it grow faster, coarser or darker. Even daily shaving can not change its structure.

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The Big Sandy Traveling League was at Lake Lanes last Sunday, and we would like to congratulate the boys on some splendid bowling. It was an exciting day, not only for the bowlers, but for the spectators as well—especially when Junior Goff, of the Call Funeral Home team, picked up the 7-10 split. Also, on an individual basis, some tremendous scoring was done. Norris Boggs bowled 871 for four games, averaging over 217. Earl Taylor bowled 835, averaging over 208. The J. S. Greer Meat Company team bowled two games over 1,000, as they shot 1,021 and 1,012. We look forward to having these fine bowlers back in our establishment when the Big Sandy Traveling League comes to Lake Lanes again in March.

**High Bowlers—**  
 STANLEY LOGAN ..... (235)  
 CHARLENE MADDOX ..... (223)  
 Pin Prince: GEORGE PRESTON ARCHER ..... (179)  
 Pin Princess: JUDY MUSIC ..... (144)

**BOWL SCOTCH DOUBLES TUESDAY NIGHT**  
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## NEW SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Because increased postal rates have been added to other rising production costs, we have been forced to increase subscription rates.

Effective January 15, 1963, the following rates per year will prevail:

To subscribers in Floyd county	\$350
To subscribers elsewhere in Kentucky	\$400
To subscribers outside Kentucky	\$500

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**NOTICE OF SALE**

On the 25th day of January, 1963, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Allen, Kentucky, adopted a resolution directing the sale at public outcry of a town electric power franchise. This resolution is in words and figures as follows:

WHEREAS, the existing franchise held by the Kentucky Power Company for the distribution of electric power in the Town of Allen, Kentucky, will expire on March 7, 1963, and

WHEREAS, there is a continuing public necessity for adequate service of electric power and energy to the citizens of the Town of Allen, and

WHEREAS, it appears that it is to the interest of the public that a franchise be advertised and sold granting and entitling the grantee to use the public streets, thoroughfares and other public places for the erection and maintenance of lines for the transmission and distribution of electric power,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Allen, Kentucky,

I. SECTION 1. That there be sold at public auction to the highest and best bidder, the right, privilege and authority to acquire, maintain, construct and operate in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places (as the same now exist or may hereafter be laid out) of the Town of Allen, Floyd county, Kentucky, lines, poles and equipment for the distribution of electric energy, either by means of overhead or underground conductors, with all the necessary or desirable appurtenances for the purpose of supplying electric energy to said Town and the inhabitants thereof and persons and corporations beyond the limits thereof for light, heat, power and any other purpose or purposes for which electric energy is now or may hereafter be used, and for the transmission of the same within, through or across said Town.

SECTION 2. Said lines and appurtenances shall be constructed so as to interfere as little as possible with the traveling public in its use of the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places. The location of all poles or conduits shall be made under the supervision of the proper board of committee of the city government.

SECTION 3. The right, privilege and franchise shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years from the date of the passage of the ordinance granting it.

SECTION 4. The grantee of this franchise shall save the Town harmless from any and all liability arising in any way from negligence in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances.

SECTION 5. Whenever the grantee of this franchise shall begin the erection of any lines or other equipment, it shall promptly and diligently prosecute the work to completion and leave the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places where such work is done in as good condition of repair as before such work was commenced.

SECTION 6. Wherever in this franchise, either the Town of Allen or the grantee thereof is referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors and assigns of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations contained in this franchise shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of said Town, and said grantee, whether so expressed or not.

SECTION 7. The grantee of this franchise may make such rules and regulations covering the furnishing of said electric energy as may be fair and reasonable and consistent with the standard practice of the grantee. Said grantee may charge such rates for electric service as shall be fair and reasonable. The said grantee shall render service under said franchise of like quality, that is, adequate, efficient and reasonable, to that now being rendered to said Town.

SECTION 8. The consideration paid by the successful bidder for the franchise privilege and right provided for herein shall be complete compensation and consideration for said franchise, privilege and right and for the use and occupancy of the streets, avenues, alleys, bridges and public ways of the Town in lieu of any street or alley rental or to the charge for the use or occupancy of said streets, avenues, alleys, bridges, thoroughfares or public places of said Town and in lieu of any pole tax or meter tax.

SECTION 9. Each bidder for said franchise, privilege and right shall file as a part of his bid a certified copy of a certificate of convenience and necessity from the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, issued under the authority of KRS 278.020 (3).

SECTION 10. The ordinance granting this franchise shall be accepted by the grantee thereof within sixty (60) days from the date of its passage.

II. The Town reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

III. The clerk of the Town of Allen is hereby directed, after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale and the rights to be sold by

posting written or printed notices in six (6) public places in the Town of Allen, including the door of the city hall and in at least five (5) other conspicuous places in the Town for at least 15 days before the time of sale and by causing the publication of such notice in the Floyd County Times for not less than three (3) consecutive issues next before the date of sale, to offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the city hall in the Town of Allen, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the morning and 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon on some convenient date to be named in such notice and advertisements and upon other conditions herein stated; and receive bids for franchise and authority herein directed to be sold.

No person, however, other than the owner of a plant and equipment sufficient to render the service required by this Resolution shall be entitled to bid on such franchise unless the prospective bidder shall deposit with the clerk before the commencement of the bidding a certified check for the sum of \$5,200.00, representing five per cent of the fair estimated cost of the plant required to render the service, pursuant to KRS 96.020. Said franchise shall be sold for cash in hand and the deposit above referred to may be forfeited upon failure of the successful bidder to meet the other requirements of said statute.

IV. The clerk will report her acts, together with all bids received by her for such franchise to the Board of Trustees at its next regular or adjourned or called meeting held next after such sale.

Pursuant to the direction of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Allen, Kentucky, as set forth in the foregoing Resolution, the undersigned will, on February 15th, 1963, at the front door of the city hall in the Town of Allen, Floyd county, Kentucky, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon or shortly thereafter and in any event, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. offer for public sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, an electric franchise on the public streets and thoroughfares of the Town of Allen, Kentucky, which electric franchise shall be in the terms set forth in the foregoing Resolution and said sale shall be made in all respects in accordance with the Resolution set forth above and all bidders will be required to comply with the terms of such Resolution.

WITNESS, Nellie Parsons, City Clerk, this 25th day of January, 1963.

NELLIE L. PARSONS  
City Clerk of the Town of Allen, Kentucky

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Commonwealth of Kentucky  
Department of Highways  
Notice To Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on the 15th day of February, 1963, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

FLOYD COUNTY, SP 36-96: The Wheelwright Junction-Wheelwright Road, from approximately 0.3 mile south of Ky. 122 at Wheelwright Junction, extending southerly a distance of 0.170 mile. Grade, Drain and Bituminous Concrete Surface Class I.

The attention of prospective bidders is called to the new rules and regulations which became effective August 1, 1962, relating to the qualifications and the special provision covering subletting or assigning the contract. Proposals are available until 9:00 a.m. EASTERN STANDARD TIME on the day of the opening of bids.

NOTE: BID PROPOSALS WILL BE AVAILABLE ONLY TO CONTRACTORS WHOSE CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY INDICATES QUALIFICATION COVERING ONE OF THE MAJOR TYPES OF WORK INCLUDED IN PROJECT. A CHARGE OF \$2.06 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH PROPOSAL. REMITTANCE MUST ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FORMS. THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS AND TO WAIVE TECHNICALITIES.

Request for proposals should be made to:

Mrs. Eva Clark, Division of Contract Controls, Department of Highways, State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Request for plans should be made to:

Mr. Kavanaugh Inman, Division of Design, Department of Highways, State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting:  
Mr. W. T. Judy, Director, Division of Contract Controls, Department of Highways, Frankfort, Kentucky January 23, 1963

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**FIRST BRAIN WAVE TRANSMISSION** — The first known successful transmission of a human brain wave by telephone was completed at Kentucky Baptist Hospital in Louisville recently. Seated is Dr. Richard C. Turrell, director of the brain wave laboratory at the hospital. At left is Richard Williams, developer of the electronic system. The "patient" is Dr. Charles E. Hall, and the attending technician is Mrs. Richard C. Turrell.

Kentucky's sick people who live great distances away from big-city medical specialists may, some day, be able to have long distance medical diagnoses made of many types of illnesses.

This is the prediction of a Louisville doctor, who on January 9 saw the successful completion of the first known multichannel transmission of a human brain wave by a conventional dial-telephone hookup.

Dr. Richard C. Turrell, University of Louisville School of Medicine neurologist, collaborated on the first reported human test at Kentucky Baptist Hospital with representatives of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company and hospital authorities.

After the test in the hospital's brain wave laboratory, Dr. Turrell said:

"The frequency and reproduction of the ordinary brain waves was near perfect."

Dr. Charles E. Hall, an associate pathologist at Baptist, acted as "patient" for the experiment.

Dr. Turrell said the successful test may have opened up a much

wider range of long distance medical diagnosis. It may soon be possible to convert for telephone transmission other biological measurements such as muscle tests, blood pressure, respiration, and possibly chemical analysis on body fluids.

Telephone equipment is already being used by some hospitals in the state to transmit electrocardiograms—graphic records of heart action—to Louisville and Lexington heart specialists' offices where they are diagnosed and analyzed.

**Lemm Dies, Scalf Hurt In Shelbiana Explosion; Home Completely Razed**

One man is dead and another is in the Pikeville Methodist hospital following a gas explosion in a home near Shelbiana, Friday. Dead is Ernest Lemm and hospitalized is John Scalf, 33, of Gulnare.

Scalf's condition is considered fair. He is suffering from burns and shock. Lemm died shortly after being admitted to the hospital.

The two men, employees of W. E. Justice and E. E. Masters, owners of the house, were installing a gas heater in a pump house nearby when the tragedy occurred. It is said a leaky gas main caused the accident. State Detective Chester D. Potter investigated the tragedy.

The explosion, touched off when one of the men ignited the newly-installed stove, was of such violence that it completely leveled the structure, caused damage to nearby buildings. Effect of the blast was felt over a wide area. One wall of the house, constructed of permanent stone, was picked up and thrown across the highway. Debris was scattered for 300 yards.

A similar blast leveled a store at Shelbiana two years ago.

Scalf is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scalf, of Gulnare.

**CPL. SEXTON SERVES**

Baumholder, Germany—Army Cpl. Mickey R. Sexton, 21, of Hueysville, Ky., and other members of the 8th Infantry Division's 83rd Artillery, recently took part in Exercise SHAKER in Baumholder, Germany.

Brig. Gen. John K. McCormick, Commander of the 8th Division Artillery, commended the men of the artillery on their performance during the live-fire training exercise.

Corporal Sexton, a gunner in the artillery's Battery B in Baumholder, entered the Army in May 1961, completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., and arrived overseas in October 1961. Sexton was last assigned at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Sexton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham L. Sexton, attended Garrett high school.

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**Mononucleosis Reported At Barbourville School; Disease Cause Unknown**

Frankfort, Ky.—Fifty-seven cases of infectious mononucleosis have been reported since December 1 at Union College, Barbourville. This disease is frequently found among college, medical, and nursing students, and other groups of young people who are closely associated with each other, though generally not in such a high incidence.

A United States Public Health Service team from Atlanta, Georgia, and a representative from the Kentucky State Department of Health are currently investigating the unusual outbreak in Eastern Kentucky. The cause of infectious mononucleosis is unknown and they hope to learn more about the disease, as well as prevent its spread to other areas.

Infectious mononucleosis usually strikes older children and young adults. It is characterized by glandular swelling, headache, sore throat, rash, jaundice, low-grade temperature, and a "dragged out" feeling. All of these symptoms may appear or only two or three of them.

Infectious mononucleosis has an unknown contagious stage and incubation period. It is generally believed that it is spread from person to person by direct contact. Research is being carried on to determine the infectious agent. Diagnosis is through blood tests and clinical observation. This disease is practically never fatal but occasionally there are complications with some involvement of the liver or central nervous system.

The only cure for mononucleosis is bed rest. Fever and most symptoms of this disease usually subside in one to three weeks, but swelling of the glands and abnormal blood picture may persist for several months. The degree of immunity conferred by an attack is undetermined.

**GIVEN AWARDS**

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 29 (Spl.). A rural minister and a Lexington nurseryman received the Golden Sheaf award for service to Kentucky at the opening awards session of the 51st annual Farm and Home Week here today. The recipients, The Rev. Samuel Vander Meer, minister in charge of the Morris Fork Community Center in Breathitt county, and Louis E. Hillenmeyer, Sr., Lexington nurseryman, civic leader and businessman.

**Receives Assistantship**



Charles Orville Dotson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dotson, of Abbott Road, has finished four years of studies at Morehead State College and has received a research assistantship to Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., in the field of physical education and statistics.

Mr. Dotson began his studies at Purdue, Jan. 24. He and Mrs. Dotson, the former Miss Japelene Adams, and son, Dwayne Orville, will make their home in Lafayette.

**FARM-HOME WEEK**

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 29, (Spl.).—Twelve County 4-H Councils were recognized tonight during UK's annual Farm and Home Week for outstanding service to 4-H Club work in their counties. County councils submit records of their activities for the past year and District 4-H Councils choose the outstanding one in each of the 12 Extension sub-districts. Those County Councils selected for the honor this year were: Campbell, Harrison, Jackson, Estill, Ballard, Caldwell, Marion, Pulaski, Simpson, Grayson, Fleming, and Lawrence.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 31 (Spl.). Adult and 4-H Club dairy producers received awards and recognitions here today, at the annual all-breeds dairy luncheon of Farm-Home Week.

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**REDS SHIP TO CEYLON**

Moscow, Jan. 22 — The Soviet Union inaugurated regular ship service Monday to Ceylon, Tass reported.

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**Mrs. Ann Spears, 85, Mother of Floyd Man, Victim in Paintsville**

Mrs. Ann Spears, 85, resident of Boons Camp, Johnson county, died in a Paintsville hospital at 3:10 a.m., Friday, January 18, following a two week's illness.

The daughter of the late Charlie and Martha Powers Music, she was born at Boons Camp, March 3, 1877, and had lived there all of her life. She was a member of the United Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Ira Spears, of Auxier; Enoch Spears, of Van Lear; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Miller, Bradshaw, West Virginia; Mrs. Clara Mollett, Boons Camp; a sister, Mrs. Allie Mann, Van Lear.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, January 20, at the Philadelphia Church of Christ with Rev. S. C. Honeycutt officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery at John's Creek.

Here are some doctors with good news for ulcer sufferers. The American Journal of Gastroenterology reports generous uses of certain spices—cinnamon, allspice, mace—and some others caused no distress in convalescent ulcer patients, and no delay in healing.

**STATE AGED BENEFITS CLIMB TO HIGH TOTAL**

Frankfort, Jan. 28 (Spl.)—The public assistance increases have accounted in part for a meteoric rise in the number of homes for the elderly, according to Haynes Bruce, director of the Community Relations and Licensing Division of the State Economic Security Department.

"A great many more persons are now able to pay for the services they receive in these homes," Bruce said.

Bruce reported that there has been a 63 per cent increase in nursing homes and a 59 per cent growth in residence homes for the aged or infirm since 1960. There are now 81 licensed nursing homes and 217 licensed homes for the aged or infirm in Kentucky.

Another contributing factor in the rise in the number of homes for the oldsters, Bruce continued, has been the establishment by the state of a loan fund to assist in building or remodeling private residence and nursing homes to provide care for the aged. Money was made available by the 1962 General Assembly and is being loaned at a rate of 3 per cent.

The state's medical care program was launched in January 1961. Edward Ellis, administrator of the medical care program, estimated that at the end of 1962 almost \$7 million in State and Federal funds had financed more than a million separate instances of medical attention to needy Kentuckians. Old age recipients received nearly two-thirds of the total sum expended.

Currently, an average of more than \$400,000 monthly is being allotted to finance an average of nearly 61,000 instances of medical attention, Ellis noted.

The medical care program is available to about 65,000 eligible old age recipients in the state. Working through the Department of Economic Security, the program provides for reimbursement to be made to physicians, dentists, pharmacists and hospitals for services rendered to recipients.

Assistance payments to needy, aged Kentuckians were increased in October 1962, the fourth such raise since 1960, State Economic Security Commissioner Earle V. Powell points out.

Powell said that average monthly payments to the needy aged have been upped to \$54.88, an increase of more than \$10 since February 1960. Other improvements in the public assistance program have increased the maximum payments for persons living in nursing homes and homes for the aged and infirm. Patients residing in licensed nursing homes can now receive up to \$135 monthly, while persons in approved residence homes for the aged or infirm can receive up to \$115. This is enough in most cases to completely pay for the patient's care and services as well as to provide other necessities, Powell said.

By adopting a broader definition of "essential persons," the State has allowed an estimated 1,000 additional persons to become eligible for assistance benefits averaging \$30, Powell said. Essential persons are relatives (or other persons) who live in the home with welfare recipients and care for them.

**Transportation Study Of Appalachians Planned**

A transportation study of the eight-state Appalachian region has been approved by the Area Redevelopment Administration, U. S. Department of Commerce, it is announced by ARA Administrator William L. Batt, Jr.

The study to cost approximately \$13,000, has evolved out of requests of the Conference of Appalachian Governors who maintain that inaccessibility is a primary obstacle to economic growth in the Appalachians. Involved in the study are the states of Alabama, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.

The survey will provide ARA and the Conference of Appalachian Governors with methods of appraising the adequacy of the region's transportation network and the formulation of an efficient program of transportation which will contribute to the economies in their states. Specific areas of interest are: new routes needed to provide the greatest stimulus to growth in the region; the necessary combination of investment in local feeder roads with other highway improvements and extensions; the aspects of public investment in roads combined with expected private and public investment in other forms of transportation; the indirect effects on the national economy of stimulated growth in Appalachia; a comparison of the direct and indirect effects of transportation investment with other kinds of investment capacity.

While the study will be of direct benefit to the Appalachian region in helping to solve some of its economic difficulties, the analysis will be made available to other areas throughout the country which have similar transportation problems.

The Area Redevelopment Act which President Kennedy signed into law on May 1, 1961, authorized technical assistance to help redevelopment areas to break bottlenecks that impede their economic growth.

Since May 1, 1961, when President Kennedy signed the Area Redevelopment Act into law, the Federal agency has invested more than \$15 million to help create 13,500 new jobs and to retrain nearly 5,000 jobless workers in the Appalachian region.

**DEGREE-HOLDING TEACHERS ARE INCREASING IN STATE**

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 24 — Ten years ago a citizens' committee of 5,000 Kentuckians took a critical look at the state's school system and recommended that all public-school teachers should have a college degree.

That goal—finally may be within reach because of "dramatic progress" in teacher preparation, the Education Department reported Thursday.

The Division of Teacher Education and Certification issued a report showing that 86.1 percent of the state's secondary and elementary school teachers hold diplomas from senior colleges.

And, its detailed report said, the proportion should reach 95 percent by the 1964-1965 school year if the present rate of teacher training is maintained.

This would be a great gain over the 1953 figures. When the citizens' committee did its survey for the Legislative Research Commission, only 56 percent of the state's teachers were college graduates.

The most notable progress has been made in the elementary-school level. The degree standard has been in effect in high schools since 1934, but it was not required for certification in elementary schools until 1959.

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**Walk Spears, 62, Dies Following Long Illness; Funeral Held At Tram**

Walk Spears, 62, of Tram, died Wednesday of last week at home. He had been in ill health for years. He was a retired miner.

Mr. Spears was a son of the late Keene and Elizabeth Spears. His wife, Shirley Ray Spears, preceded him in death. Two sons, Floyd Spears, of Tram, and John L. Spears, U. S. Army in Germany, survive. Surviving is a brother, Ed Spears, of Ashland, and two sisters, Mrs. Geneva Sammons and Mrs. Noah Crum, both of Martin.

Funeral rites were conducted at noon Monday, at the Pilgrim Holiness Church at Tram, the Rev. John P. Billiter officiating. Burial was made in the Tram cemetery under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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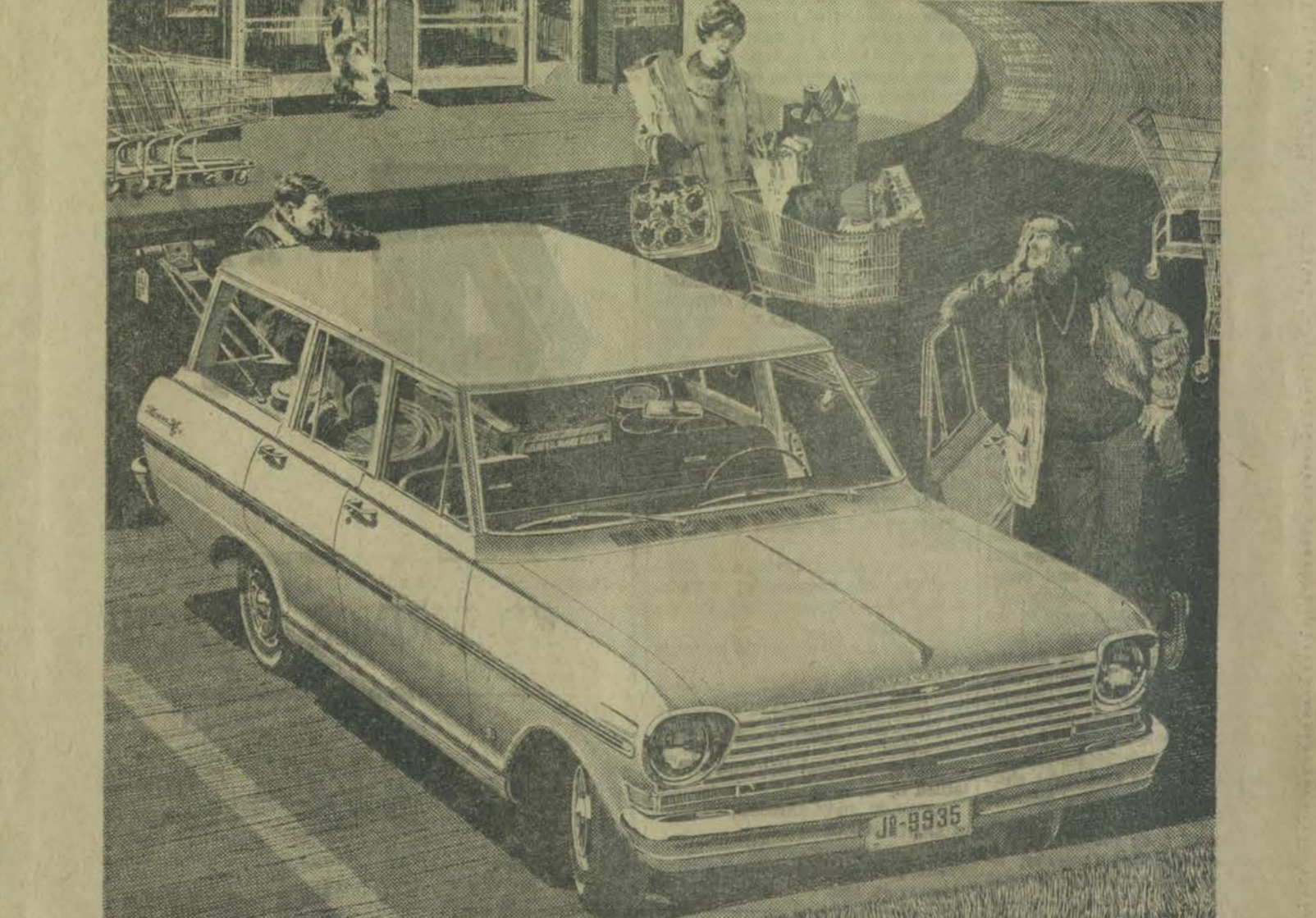
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ate, would make a strong candidate in the two Democratic counties of Floyd and Knott, and knowing his way in and around Frankfort and the maneuverings of the legislative process, the Democrats should unite and get behind Senator Martin and return him to the State Senate where he can be of great benefit to the people.

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## Kentucky Power Request To Reduce Certain Rates Approved by Commission

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Beginning with electric bills rendered on and after March 1, the rate represents a decrease of 20% in the bottom step of Kentucky Power's sliding-scale residential rate. Kentucky Power has about 800 all-electric home customers who on the average will receive an annual reduction of about \$26. This reduction amounts to more than one month's average bill on the present rate.

F. M. Baker, Kentucky Power vice-president and general manager, said, "The Commission's approval of this new rate recognizes our goal to reduce the cost and extend the benefits of all-electric living to many more of our customers."

He explained the lower rate was made possible by three factors: savings from Congressional enactment last fall of legislation permitting a 3% tax credit for capital expenditures by electric utilities; increasing use of electricity which, in turn, leads to constructing more efficient facilities to generate, transmit and distribute electric power.

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## EIGHTY-NINE CANDIDATES COMPLETE MOREHEAD STUDY

Morehead, Ky., Jan. 27 (Spl.). —Eighty-nine candidates for degrees completed requirements at Morehead State College at the close of the fall semester which ended January 22.

Of the number, three earned the master of arts in education degree, 23 the bachelor of science and 63 the bachelor of arts degree.

Floyd students completing re-

quirements were:  
Kenneth Ray Akers, Drift; Nancy Ruth Akers, Martin; Bruce Garlin Boleyn, Bolyn; Dolores Hicks Boleyn, Garrett; Charles O. Dotson, West Prestonsburg; David E. Hall, Melvin; Willie Franklin Hall, Martin; William Richard Herald, West Prestonsburg; David Richard Leslie, Prestonsburg; Vivian Y. Hutchinson Tackett, Martin.

## Teaberry Resident Dies Thursday of Last Week; Funeral Held Sunday

Andy Newsom, 49, of Teaberry, died Thursday of last week at home. He was a son of the late Bert Newsom and Mrs. Cinda Newsom, of Teaberry. His wife, Clarice Newsom, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Andy Newsom, Jr., Jimmy Darrell Newsom, Bobby Gene Newsom, Darlene Newsom and Barbara Newsom, all at home, Mrs. Norma Jean Hunt, and Mrs. Lorene Butler, both in California, and Mrs. Evelyn Jarrell, of Emma. Surviving brothers and sisters are Greenberry Newsom, in Idaho, Curt Newsom and Dewey Newsom, both of Teaberry, Noah Newsom, Chicago, Mrs. Bertie M. Cole, of Betsy Layne, Mrs. Mindy Hall, Clyde, Ohio, Mrs. Lizzie Fledge, Ypsilanti, Michigan, and Mrs. Nanny Newsom, in Indiana.

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### CONTEST WINNER

Delbert Ousley has been named as a district champion in the 4-H Club Achievement Contest sponsored by the Courier-Journal each year. He will receive a \$50 Saving Bond. Delbert also will attend the annual Farm Awards Luncheon in Louisville in February.

### CLEAN UP GARDEN TOOLS

There are still some odd jobs left for the home gardener. For instance, we should wash out all sprayers carefully to remove spray residues. A weak vinegar solution will help. After the sprayers have been thoroughly washed out, coat the tank and other metal parts with a thin covering of oil, and hang in a dry place. Don't wash the duster, but carefully brush dust out with a steel brush. Some of the outside metal parts may need oiling, but be careful not to get oil inside the duster, as it will tend to clog the dust that is used next season. After the duster is thoroughly cleaned, hang it in a dry place for storage. Most left-over chemicals can be used next year if they are stored in a dry place in airtight containers. Label the chemicals carefully, so you won't make any mistakes in using them next year. A good way to store chemicals is to put them in glass fruit jars which can be sealed tightly to prevent absorption of moisture or undue evaporation. Be sure to store chemicals away from children and animals. Clean off dirt and rust thoroughly, sharpen blades, and coat iron parts with machine oil and wooden parts with linseed oil or paint. Give special attention to cleaning and sharpening the lawn mower. Note any repairs that you'll want to make before another gardening season comes around.

### VALUE OF 4-H RECORDS

We are starting a new year in 4-H Club work. One important phase of 4-H Club work is the record of what is done and a story of what the 4-H Club member learned in doing the project work. Too often we start our 4-H project and complete our work and then try to fill out a record from memory. As a result, many important details are left out of the record.

Last year only 243 records were turned in but we know that over three times that many completed their projects and exhibited them at the rallies and county fair.

Keep in mind that project champions at the county, district, and state levels are chosen each

year from records turned in by 4-H Club members. If the records, the Standard Report Form, and the story are not complete, then you do not have a chance of being selected as a project champion. Of course, the most important thing is what you have learned by doing the project, but you will probably want your record to be in competition for prizes or championships. Many boys and girls do good project work but fail to keep good records. Start now with your records even if you use scratch paper, or a calendar to keep them on. Then when you complete your project, you can accurately fill out your record books from notes—not from memory.

### WATERING HOUSE PLANTS

Did you ever forget to water your house plants? Regular and proper watering is an essential part of the care of foliage plants, and such plants in the home are often damaged when watering is delayed or improperly done.

Here's a suggestion from USDA's Agricultural Research Service that can simplify the task of watering your house plants.

It's called dougite potting. The plant itself is potted with the usual soil mixture in a porous clay pot. Then the clay pot is placed inside a larger, watertight planter. The space between the clay pot and the planter—right up to the rim of the pot—is filled with peat moss or shredded sphagnum moss.

Keep the moss damp, as well as the soil in the porous pot. In this way, moisture is absorbed slowly through the pot. Waterings can be less frequent and the time of watering will be less important, the USDA plant specialists say.

The clay pot can be removed and replaced at will, or you can turn it around to allow for lighting changes—something you can't do when you put plants directly in a built-in planter.

If the planter has no drain for removing excess water, fill the bottom of the planter with three inches of gravel and then add a layer of charcoal to prevent stagnation of the standing water. Never allow the clay pot to stand in water, the plant specialists conclude.

**13 CLIMBERS BELIEVED DEAD**  
Tokyo, Jan. 22—Thirteen student mountaineers, missing since January 2 on Mount Yakushidake in the Japanese Alps of central Japan, have been given up as dead, the Toyama prefectural police announced Tuesday.

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When a pet (dog or cat) or stray animal bites someone please do not kill the animal. Fasten the animal securely in an enclosure or tie it tightly with a chain or rope, and call the Health Department. Never shoot such an animal in the head.

**BUSSEY ELECTED**

Berea, Ky., Jan. 25—Rodney Bussey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Bussey, of Prestonsburg, has been elected president of Dana dormitory at Berea College. Bussey is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school at Prestonsburg, Kentucky. He is enrolled in Berea College's senior class.

**WAYLAND**

**CLUB HAS MUSIC PROGRAM**

"Music is an expressive form of art, which serves as a lift to the spirit," explained Mark Rice, Wayland music instructor, last Monday evening as he spoke before the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club at the Wayland Methodist Church. His subject was, "The Need for Music."

Rice explained the necessary place music has in the school program as well as the community and listed the ingredients for such a program. In conclusion he stated, "Good music helps us to feel better, to improve our mental and emotional outlook."

Taking part in the music program were Karen Francis and Eugene Coburn, both of Garrett, and Connie Morrison and Harry Keller, of Wayland. The piano selections, "Fascination" and "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," were played by Miss Francis, and "Make Me a Blessing" and Schubert's "Serenade" by Miss Morrison. Mr. Keller played two hymns on the treble-clef-baritone horn, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "Jesus Is Calling." Mr. Coburn gave a saxophone solo, "Fantasia Varie," and, by special request, "My Happiness." Both young men were accompanied by Mr. Rice at the piano.

A brief devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Richard Vinson prior to the program. At the conclusion of the program the clubmembers and their guests returned to the clubhouse where refreshments were served. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. L. B. Price, Mrs. Richard Vinson and Mrs. J. T. Spillman.

A business session was held at 6:30 p.m., at the clubhouse prior to the program, where it was announced that February 3 is the date for the club-sponsored polio clinic to be held at Garrett.

**Baptists Plan Festivals At Three Regional Towns**

Some 4,000 Kentucky Baptists are involved in the 1963 festivals for choirs and other musicians throughout Kentucky. The festivals will meet in cities extending from Ashland to Mayfield.

Festivals for this area will meet as follows: Adult and Youth section on Friday, March 22, at Louisa Baptist Church, and Junior and below section on Saturday, March 30, at Unity Baptist Church, Ashland, and First Baptist Church, Pikeville.

Eugene F. Quinn, Middletown, secretary of the Church Music Department for the Kentucky Baptist Convention, will serve as judge for this series of festivals. Other choral specialists who have been invited to judge the quality of each performance in the festival will include Glenn O'Bryan, of Somerset, and Ronald Sholar, of Harlan.

Bob Crutcher, regional music director, invites the public to hear any or all of the choirs.

**RETIRED A YEAR EARLY**  
Ryton, England, Jan. 14—Road-sweeper Jim Biggins, who retired last week at 65, returned to work Monday for another year when a check of records showed he was only 64.

**EASTERN STATE STUDENTS AIDED BY DEFENSE LOANS**

Richmond, Ky., (Spl.)—Approximately 500 Eastern Kentucky State College students have used National Defense Student Loans totaling \$91,000 to continue their college education during the fall semester.

Authorized by the National Defense Education Act of 1958, the loan provides a financial aid program for college students to use in furthering their education and allows 11 years for repayment.

Appropriation by the Federal Government is based upon lending experience in previous years. Eastern has received slightly more than the average institution of comparable size due to the extreme need of the area served by the college, college officials reveal.

Miss Lois Colley, director of Student Financial Aid, is administrator of the loan program.

Interest, at the rate of three per cent, begins after the borrower ceases to be a full-time student. If the borrower enters military service, interest will not begin to accrue for an additional three years and the loans of borrowers who teach in public elementary or secondary schools will be reduced by one-tenth for each year of teaching for a maximum of five years. This means that those who teach for five years will have to repay only one-half of the amount they borrow.

The repayment schedule per-

mits a borrower to have a year of grace after he leaves college. At the end of the second year, he may begin repaying his loan at 10 per cent plus the three per cent interest.

Since its inauguration at the beginning of the spring semester in 1959, National Defense loans at Eastern have amounted to \$459,585. For each loan granted by the Federal Government, the college has contributed one-ninth of the total amount. In 1959, 54 students were recipients of the loans; in the fall semester of 1962-63, 492 received grants.

Under a new government regulation, a commitment of funds for the fall semester of 1963-64 will be made in the spring. This act makes it possible for loans to be granted during the spring semester for the following fall semester.

In order to receive a loan, the applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student and must comply with the academic and social regulations as established by the college committee on student loans, scholarships and fellowships.

Application is made by writing the National Defense Loan Office, at Eastern Kentucky State College.

**FINISHES COURSE**

Monroe Vanderpool, of Hippo, has completed a course in radio and television servicing and has been awarded a diploma by the National Radio Institute of Washington, D. C. He finished the prescribed course of technical studies with creditable grades and is to be congratulated upon his achievement.

**MEXICO CAPTURES BANDITS**

Mexico City, Jan. 22 — Mexican troops Monday captured nine men described as outlaws and charged them with robbery, murder, and the cultivation of opium.

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**Grady Sellards Honored For Outstanding Service By Livestock Producers**

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 30 (Spl.) — Three Kentucky livestock producers and a former member of the U. K. Ag Extension Service were honored here tonight.

Named for outstanding service to Kentucky agriculture by the Kentucky Livestock Improvement Association were:

Adrian Beavin, of Breckinridge county, H. L. Grannis, Jr., of Fleming county, and Robert Hicks, of Woodford county.

Certificates of recognition were given at the annual Stockman's Banquet, a feature of the 51st annual Farm and Home Week convention now in session.

Also honored was Grady Sellards, swine specialist for the U. K. Ag Extension Service. Sellards retired this month after 41 years service. A portrait of Sellards was unveiled. It will be placed in the Animal Husbandry department's portrait gallery.

Beavin was honored for 15 years service with the Breckinridge County Livestock Improvement Association of which he has been president three years. He operates 600 acres of farm land where he has done much excellent production work, and improvements in reclamation and conservation. He has a herd of 70 registered Hereford beef cows and 75 other cattle which are on a performance-testing project with the U. K. Experiment Station animal husbandry department.

Hicks, farmer in Woodford county, is presently president of the Kentucky Angus Association, a director in the Woodford County Farm Bureau, president of a farm service concern for feed, machinery and artificial breeding, secretary for the Central Kentucky District Livestock Improvement Association, and owner, with his brother, of a top Angus herd successful in major shows and sales.

Sellards went to work for the U. K. Ag Extension Service in 1921 a day after he received his degree from the U. K. College of Agriculture. In his 41 years as specialist he emphasized use of purebred breeding stock, helped develop the freezer-locker plant system in Kentucky, pushed use of purebreds, pushed for remodeling of swine facilities on farms, promoted swine sanitation as a prerequisite for good production, helped develop state and county swine shows, worked with 4-H Club pig chains and promoted development of the meat-type hog. He was an early cooperater with the "Ton-Litter" program, and in his 41 years wrote many bulletins, pamphlets and circulars on swine production and handling.

**Floyd Native Succumbs At Pikeville, Jan. 20; Burial, City Cemetery**

Mrs. Goldie Stratton Collinsworth, 71, of Pikeville, died Sunday, January 20 at 3:50 p.m. at the Pikeville Methodist hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Collinsworth, widow of Thomas Martin Collinsworth, Pikeville businessman, was born in Floyd county, a daughter of Thomas and Mollie Roberts Stratton. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Surviving are two sons, Thomas Woodrow Collinsworth and John Lloyd Collinsworth, both of Pikeville. Two sisters, Mrs. Zella Ellis, Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Floyd Lowe, of Broadbottom, survive. Surviving also are three grandchildren. Funeral rites were conducted Thursday of last week at 2 p.m. from the Pikeville Methodist Church, the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey officiating. Burial was made in the Pikeville City cemetery under the direction of Baker Funeral Home.

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