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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1965

BOARD HITS TB TRANSFER AS PLANNED

Report Says Governor Has Agreed To Shift Work to New Hands

The Floyd County Board of Health at its meeting here last Thursday by unanimous vote expressed its opposition to any action on the part of Governor Breathitt which would transfer the work of tuberculosis control from the State Health Department to some other state agency.

A copy of minutes of that portion of the meeting which related to the purported transfer was directed to be mailed to the Governor.

Dr. Russell L. Hall, county health officer, reported to the board that it had come to his attention that a petition asking such a transfer had been presented Breathitt by the recent Campbell House Conference on Tuberculosis. Board members concurred in saying that this would be "a very unwise move." It was (See Story No. 4, Page 3)

ASK \$52,500 FOR INJURIES

Mullins Suit Claims Truck Driver Caused Collision at Hi Hat

Damages totalling \$52,500 are asked in suit filed in circuit court here as an aftermath to a car-truck collision last September at Hi Hat.

Of that total Duvall Mullins, owner of the auto which figured in the collision, asks \$50,000 for what the complaint describes as permanent injuries and for loss of work-time.

The suit alleges that Clinton Robinette, driver of a pickup truck for the Long Airdon Company, was guilty of negligence and that he followed closely behind the auto, the wreck resulting.

Mullins also asks \$1,500 for past and future medical and hospital expense and \$500 damage to his car. Charles Mullins, who was driving the car, asks \$500 for injuries which he received.

This Town . . . That World

IN SHORT, NO PAPER NEXT WEEK

With this edition The Floyd County Times makes its last appearance for the year. Although The Times will not be published next week while the wear and tear on machinery and personnel is—we hope—being patched, the office will be open.

Our next edition will—again, we hope—hit the streets on January 6, 1966—er, 6.

GREETINGS AND APPRECIATION

May we wish for each of you who read this the most joyous Christmas ever. And may we, too, thank all who, all the year long, have made us feel like we're among friends. We can't ask for much more than that.

WE ALL WIN

Christmas is not only for the youngsters. It's for us all. The young ones look forward to it with such eagerness, and we older ones look back to other Christmases when there was magic beyond compare, too. Nobody is the loser, not even the merchant.

BECAUSE HE CAME

Christmas is used, in a fashion, as an anniversary of the birth of Christ. It is called a season of goodwill, and that is fine. But it is not a time for goodwill because Jesus was born on that date. It is a season of goodwill, and every season should be so, simply because He was born.

Did you hear of the old mountaineer who at this time of year declared with some vehemence that he aimed "to have some peace and goodwill around here, even if I have to take a knot-maul to the whole bunch of ye?"

TRAFFIC NOTE

Now for the sour note. The wreck I've been expecting for weeks now at the "blind" corner of Third and Graham took place today. Nobody killed but not because any of the ingredients of the worst kind of tragedy were missing. If the city doesn't put in a traffic light at this spot, I may have to tie me a chicken in the middle of the intersection, so that drivers may know of the approach of a car or truck by the direction the domineer tries to run or fly.

DRIVERS OF FUTURE TO RECEIVE TRAINING



Auto Safety Program steering committee members at organization meeting: O. C. Howell, of Allen, (left) and Claude Swiney, Prestonsburg. Ed Kern, of Prestonsburg, third member of the committee, was not present when photo was made.

Future motor vehicle drivers of five counties in this section will be given the fullest possible opportunity to develop proper attitudes and safe driving habits well before their 16th birthdays when they will be eligible to receive operators' license.

The kickoff meeting for an intensive instruction campaign in Floyd, Johnson, Pike, Magoffin and Martin counties was held Dec. 14 at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Each county will have its own Auto Safety Program, designed for the benefit of the 14-15-year-old group. In Floyd county, it was said, there are between 2,000 and 2,200 in this age classification, and leaders hope to enlist 1,500 or more in the program.

Enrollment will be done at the several high schools of the county, after which students will be organized in smaller neighborhood groups for a series of nine weekly lessons.

A ghastly highway toll has emphasized the importance of training drivers of the future, for their own protection and that of others, and the program proposed for this county drew at the kickoff meeting strong support from officials, officers and civic leaders.

In the five years, 1960-64,

35 persons have been killed in this county in motor vehicle wrecks, 862 have been injured and the estimated property damage has been \$1,178,000.

Named to the steering committee for the Floyd program were Ed Kern, of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club; O. C. Howell, Allen Lions Club, and Claude Swiney, Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to the Kiwanis Club here, the Junior Chamber of Commerce and (See Story No. 5, Page 3)

PIKE BANKS ARE ACCUSED

Of Failing To Aid Tax Probe by U.S. Of Justices' Records

The United States and Glenn B. Johnson, a special agent for the Internal Revenue Service, have filed complaints against three Pikeville banks charging them with failure to assist with a tax investigation.

The petitions to enforce Internal Revenue summonses were filed in U. S. district court against the First National Bank, the Citizens Bank and the Pikeville National Bank and Trust Co.

George I. Cline, U. S. district attorney, said the IRS agent issued summonses to the banks asking them to appear at a meeting and bring records relating to the tax liability of Taylor and Stella Justice for the years 1960-1963.

The petition stated that the bank did appear but did not comply with the order by bringing the records.

The district attorney requested that a federal order be issued instructing the banks to produce the records and also show cause why they did not comply with the summonses.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Huntington Wholesale Furniture Co. vs. Robert Griffith; Marshall Davidson, atty. Barbara Slone vs. Allen Slone; W. W. Burchett, atty. Irene Hall vs. Eli Hall, Jr.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Geneva Scalf vs. Roland Scalf; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Charles Mullins, et al vs. Clinton Robinette; Harold J. Stumbo, atty. John H. Woods, et al vs. Columbus Slone, Jr.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Terry Elkhorn Mining Co. vs. Wench Spears, et al; J. K. Wells, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

J. C. Woods, 29, Emma, and Patricia Ann Hunt, 16, Banner. Estill Damron, 20, and Martha Harrison, 31, both of Honaker; married here December 18, the Rev. Henry Crider officiating. James Carol McKinney, 23, and Stella Hall, 22, both of Minnie.

Floyd County Library Sponsoring Art Exhibit Featuring Tracy Work

The Floyd County Library is sponsoring an art exhibit at the library until January 15.

Nineteen paintings by Lois Bartlett Tracy have been loaned to the library for a month. Miss Tracy received her degree from Rollins College and her Masters in Art from Michigan State University. She is presently teaching extension classes in art for the University of Virginia and is teaching, full-time, at Cumberland College of the University of Kentucky.

(See Story No. 3, Page 3)

Miner Fatally Injured By Slatefall Dec. 16 In Teaberry Mine

Frank Hall, 49-year-old Teaberry miner, died last Thursday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital of injuries sustained a short time earlier in a slatefall in the Sterling Hamilton mine at Teaberry.

Also hurt in the accident was Thomas Tucker, of Beaver, the extent of whose injuries could not be learned at the McDowell hospital.

Hall was a son of Mrs. Vickie Jones Hall and the late Alex Hall. He was the husband of Mrs. Rhoda Mitchell Hall who survives.

Survivors, other than his widow, are three sons, Alex, John and Bobby, all of Teaberry; four daughters, Mrs. Judy Hamilton, Miss Estelene Hall, Miss Irene Hall, all of Teaberry; Mrs. Bessie Hall, of Beaver; three brothers, Bill and Hoover Hall, both of Teaberry, Charlie (See Story No. 6, Page 3)

Mrs. Adkins, of Allen, Succumbs at Age 50 After 5-Yr. Illness

Mrs. Marie Adkins, 50, of Allen, was claimed December 20 at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, following an illness of five years.

Mrs. Adkins is survived by her husband, Louis Adkins, and one brother, Jim Blanton, of Sitz, Kentucky.

Funeral services were conducted today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. from the victim's home, the Revs. Wayne Blanton and Mansford Davis officiating. Burial was made in the Dwalc cemetery under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

P'BURG MAN LOW BIDDER

Kendrick May Receive Contract for Building State Structure Annex

Apparent low bidder on construction of an addition to the state's Economic Security building here is W. R. Kendrick, Prestonsburg contractor, it was announced last week by the State Finance Department.

Kendrick submitted a bid of \$81,900 on the 27 by 88-foot one-floor addition. Air-conditioning for the addition is included in the bid.

The annex will be built on the north side of the present structure.

Bids will be studied by Finance Department officials and engineers before a contract is formally awarded.

FIRM ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

McGuire Is President Of Corporation Formed To Provide Plant Bldg.

Tom O. McGuire, building contractor and member of the Prestonsburg City Council, was elected president of the Prestonsburg Development Corporation at the firm's first election of officers last Thursday evening.

The corporation was organized to finance the construction at West Prestonsburg of the building which now is occupied by the plant of Kentucky Appalachian Industries. Each of the 32 stockholders subscribed \$500 toward construction of the building. Mr. McGuire worked on the construction without charge for his own services.

Other officers elected are: Joe Burke, first vice-president; Donald Ray Pelphrey, second vice-president; George Brown, third vice-president; Blaine Hall, treasurer; Clifford B. Latta, secretary.

The plant, which began operation Dec. 2, is under the management and supervision of Irving Air Chute Company.

NEW YEAR'S DINNER-DANCE

The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club New Year's Eve dinner and dance will be held at May Lodge. The dinner will be from 6:30 to 8:30. Reservations must be made by December 27.

Prestonsburg Employee Of Kentucky Power Co. Is Honored for Service



Forest Bevens, of Prestonsburg, serviceman senior, was recently presented his 20-year American Electric Power Company service pin at a meeting of his fellow employees. The Kentucky Power Company, Pikeville Division, is a subsidiary of the AEP Company.

(See Story No. 1, Page 3)

PICK STUMBO AS CHAIRMAN

Of District Co. Judges; Group Opposes Change In Tuberculosis Work

County Judge Henry Stumbo was elected chairman of the new organization of county judges of the seven counties of this highway district at a meeting held Tuesday at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

The district groups are being formed to work with the state organization of judges. Judge Stumbo, oldest of district judges in point of service, called the meeting at the request of the County Judges Association.

The group unanimously voted its opposition to the reported plan to shift the tuberculosis work of the state from the State Health Department to another state agency, and each judge agreed to wire Governor Edward T. Breathitt, expressing his individual opposition to the plan. Judge Stumbo said his wire was sent prior to the meeting.

Discussed at Tuesday's meeting were legislation and the problems of taxation under the new Court of Appeals 100% assessment ruling.

RAIDERS NAB 4 IN COUNTY WITH LIQUOR

Williams Faces Three Charges after Club Hit; Moonshine Still Taken

A Saturday night raid on the Dewey Lake Improvement Association club, near Lancer, resulted in the arrest of its operator, W. B. (Bill) Williams, and the confiscation of a varied assortment of liquors.

The raid was one of a pre-Christmas series.

Williams was arrested on a warrant accusing him of selling intoxicating beverages in local option territory. Warrants were issued for him Monday, charging him with possessing of intoxicants and with permitting a gambling device on his premises.

The raid was staged by ABC Agent Claude A. Flanery State Police Sgt. Douglas Sword and State Troopers E. B. Allen and Donald Borba.

The search warrant was procured on the affidavit of Trooper Borba, who said he purchased intoxicants from Williams after he had been vouched for by a member of the club. Borba had "worked" the club in plain clothes. A Californian, he is stationed at Pikeville and was not known in this vicinity.

Although the haul was not heavy, it was marked by its variety and the "name brands" of the liquors taken. It included 115 cans and bottles of beer, 40 half-pints of whiskey, 5 pints of whiskey, a fifth of champagne, 13 fifths of whiskey, 5 fifths of wine, 2 pints of wine and a fifth of vodka.

Milton Johnson, of Abner Fork, was arrested by ABC Agent Flanery and federal Alcohol Tax Unit agents last Friday when the officers found a moonshine still in his basement. He was taken before the U.S. Commissioner at Pikeville. Flanery said 100 gallons of mash and about five gallons of moonshine whiskey were confiscated.

In the third action reported this week State Trooper Allen and ABC Agent Flanery arrested Georgie Hamilton and Willie Hall, of Abner Fork, at Martin Tuesday night and confiscated 1920 cans of beer. Willie Hall was charged with transporting intoxicants. (See Story No. 2, Page 3)

WHY LEAVE HEAVEN FOR HERE? NEPALESE ASKS FLOYD GIRL

A land where all the people are wealthy, the streets made of gold and a store of gold and silver is in every home — to any American that's a never-never land.

But to the people of Nepal it's America.

So writes Melanie Ann Conley, daughter of Circuit Judge Hollie Conley, of Eastern, who is an International Farm Youth Exchangee living with Nepalese farm families since September.

Excerpts from her letter to the Floyd County Extension Office here follow:

"One elderly gentleman asked, 'Why have you come from heaven to this place?' Indeed to many people who have never seen an automobile or an electric light, to the farmer who plows his fields with an ox, or a woman who cooks over a wood fire, the machine age in the United States does represent the rich life for all. It was difficult to convince many village people that my paper dollar was truly one from America because they had heard that all dollars were made of solid gold.

"In the particular village of Nam Saling, above all, America is the land of education, and the villagers have a great respect for education. My second host-family had 17 children in the house. My host-father was keeping some of the grandchildren so they might attend the local

school, because schools are not available everywhere. The children must pay a monthly fee for support of the school, and there are few qualified teachers and a lack of teaching materials. I have visited schools with no blackboards, charts or maps, only wooden benches, grammar books, paper and pencils that my grandfathers described as schools they attended.

"The children begin in nursery class at age 5 and progress through Class 10 for a matriculation certificate. They not only study Nepali, health, history, civics and geography, but from Class 3 begin to read English. As some teachers have told me, English is becoming the universal language, and especially so for the man who reads.

"The students may travel several miles a day to attend school and must go to Kathmandu or India if they attend a college or university. This limits education to the wealthy, because Nepal has no middle class. During recreation period I could almost forget that I am 15,000 miles from home as the children played volleyball, marbles (using smooth stones), have sack races and jump rope.

"It is still difficult for me to believe that so many people want to go to America. In my first host-family, the brother offered to serve as my cook and personal servant if he could ac-

company me, or he wanted me to help him obtain a job with our government in any capacity so that he might travel to America.

"The greatest surprise of all came as I prepared to leave my second host-family. They wanted to give me a child to educate in the United States. The family certainly had an abundance of little ones, but they would give any one so that he may receive this education. Even though I explained the child would not get rice and tea every day, the mother still wanted me to take it. One question I am frequently asked is, 'Why don't you eat rice, every meal?' After much discussion we decided that it was practically impossible for me to take a child. At least in their broken English and my little Nepali, I think they agreed with me.

"I am getting many pictures of my own country through the eyes of others which I never saw before, and I anticipate many more."

Miss Conley, the second Floyd county IFYE to go overseas—her cousin, Miss Reba Joyce Salyers, was the first—attended Berea College and majored in physical therapy at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri. She will return to the United States upon conclusion of a six-month stay in Nepal.



PRESTONSBURG'S LARGEST PRIVATELY OWNED BUILDING—The Brown Produce Company's Third street structure with its huge, new addition.

Community College Courses Announced To Begin In January

James W. Brown, director of the University of Kentucky extension class program, has announced courses which will begin in January at UK's Prestonsburg Community College. Registration will be held at the college 6:30-8 p.m., Jan. 13.

To be taught each Thursday night, beginning Jan. 20, are Education 522 — Educational Tests and Measurements, and Education 548 — Educational Psychology. Each offers three credit hours.

A National Science Foundation-sponsored mathematics institute for secondary school teachers will begin Jan. 8 and be taught each Saturday morning. Information on applying for it may be obtained by contacting Dr. Harold Robertson, Department of Mathematics, University of Kentucky, Lexington.

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STATE DUE \$3,623,427 FROM EDUCATION ACT

Louisville, Ky. —The state of Kentucky is due to get a minimum of \$3,623,427 from the Higher Education Act of 1965, the Kentucky Education Association (KEA) has determined.

Analyzing data from the U.S. Office of Education (USOE), the KEA came up with this breakdown for Kentucky under three titles of the act:

Title I — Community service and continuing education programs designed to meet the needs of areas in each state seeking help with problems of housing, poverty, government recreation, transportation, youth opportunities, health, and land use, \$178,151.

Title IV — Educational opportunity grants or scholarships, \$855,140; wages for students working part-time in college-related jobs under a work-study program, \$2,038,282; advances for reserve funds to help start and strengthen private and state nonprofit loan insurance programs for college students, \$320,275.

Title VI — Financial assistance for the improvement of undergraduate instruction, which includes \$23,158 that could be used for acquiring television equipment plus \$208,421 for other equipment.

These allocations to Kentucky are for only part of the funds expected, the KEA noted. Congress has appropriated additional funds under other sections of the act but the allocations for each state have not yet been made by the U. S. Office of Education.

Nationally, the appropriations for the 1966 fiscal year total \$219.1 million, including \$49,123,000 transferred from the Office of Economic Opportunity for use under the act. Allocations so far announced are for \$199.6 million, all but \$10 million of it for fiscal 1966.

Largest of the allocations is for \$99.1 million under the college work-study program of Title IV of the act.

Appropriated funds not yet allocated to states for fiscal 1966 include:

\$5 million under Title III for helping colleges with both the desire and potential to improve their academic programs.

\$2 million under Title IV for the USOE to use contracting with state and local agencies for identifying needy but talented youths and encouraging them to continue their education, publicizing financial aid available, and encouraging dropouts to go back to school.

\$2.5 million under Title IV to insure student loans and pay interest on some of them for qualified students.

\$20 million under Title V for two-year fellowships to teachers or prospective teachers wishing to go on for a master's degree or equivalent.

4-H TITLISTS ARE HONORED

Floyd County Council Recognizes Champions At Betsy Layne Dinner

The Floyd County 4-H Council honored the 1965 county 4-H winners at a spaghetti dinner, December 13, in the Betsy Layne luncheon room. Each county champion in speech, demonstration and projects received recognition.

County champions in demonstrations and speech receiving recognition were Randy Blankenship, Glenda Hale, Dennis Hunter, James Newman, Fonzo Akers, Marvin Bush, Glenna Jarrell, Rhonda Hall, Linda Spradlin, Carol Stambaugh, Patty Reynolds, Leona Hunt, Joan Bailey, Ethel Branham, Glenna Moore, Irene Newman, Glenna Hall, Paul Stilton, Don McGary, Dovelene Sammons, Alva Lynch, Floyd Davis, Jr., Elmer McKenzie, Ida Fraley, Neil Bailey, Paul DeClue, Jeff Stewart, Charles Marshall, Michael Halbert, Betty Cline, Carla Robinson, Carol Spears, Caroleen Harless, Jackie Dillon, Deanyne Hall, Kenneth Gayheart, Bobby Branham, Paul DeClue, Pat Tallent, Bonnie Crisp, and Ada Branham.

Project county champions who were recognized included Roger Merritt, Jerry Prater, Irene Newman, Glenda Hale, Jim Newman, Glenna Akers, Fonzo Akers, Delbert Martin, Don Ousley, Deborah Sammons, Kenneth Gayheart, Paul DeClue, Ronald Merritt, Donald Merritt, Linda Spradlin, Carla Robinson, Don Tussey, Jane Reynolds, Elmer McKenzie, Troy Hackworth, Glenna Robinson, Deanyne Hall, Don McGary, Bill Hackworth, Darrell Clark.

Trophies were awarded to the first and second place winners in the projects:

POULTRY CHAIN — First, Donald Merritt; second, Kenneth Webb.

BEEF — First, Roger Merritt; second, Ronald Merritt.

STRAWBERRIES — First, Fonzo Akers; second, Don McGary. Irene Newman and Paul DeClue were awarded the Danforth Leadership Awards. Deborah Sammons received the cook-book in the Home Economics Division.

James Newman and Debbie Sammons were awarded Certificates of Achievement in the Courier Journal 4-H achievement contest.

Seven club members received 4-H jackets from the Council for winning district projects championships for the first time. These members are Fonzo Akers, Donald Merritt, Glenda Hale, Kenneth Gayheart, Bill Hackworth, Glenna Robinson, Glenna Akers.

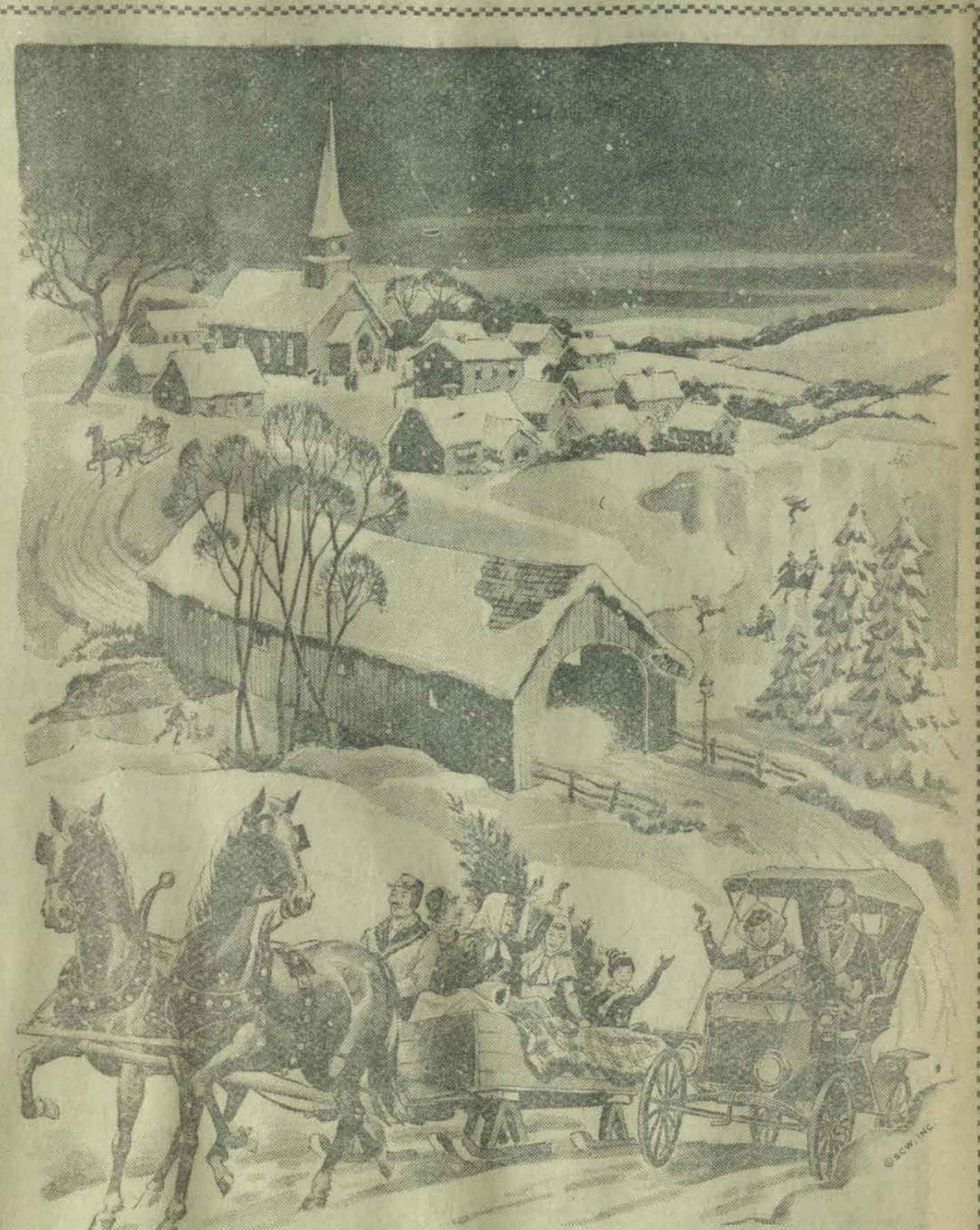
HOME OF EX-WIFE SOLD

Chicago—Sale of the home of Mrs. Ellen Borden Stevenson, former wife of the late Adlai E. Stevenson, to satisfy a debt was disclosed in Circuit Court yesterday. The house was sold by First Federal Savings & Loan Association, which had held the deed as security for \$44,982 that Mrs. Stevenson borrowed.

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Pocket Radios, complete with ear phones \$1.94, Children's Socks 5c, Men's Socks 10c, Ladies' Nylon Stockings 25c, Trouble Light 10c.

1 Lot Bedspreads, Pillows, Bath Sets, Thread 1c Spool, Needle 1c a Pack, Razor Blades, pack 1c, Two-Cell Flash Lights for only 10c, Jumper Cable 10c, Cigarette Lighters 10c, Mitchell Type Reels, Fiberglass Rods only 97c.

Many of above will be sold at the opening sale. Others at discretion of Liquidator.
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 Silverplate Cake Knife 10c.

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BARGAINS—Pocket Radios, complete with ear phones \$1.94, Children's Socks 5c, Men's Socks 10c, Ladies' Nylon Stockings 25c, Alarm Clocks 10c, Trouble Light 10c, 1 Lot Bedspreads, Pillows, Bath Sets, Thread 1c Spool, Needles 1c a Pack, Razor Blades, pack 1c, Five-Cell Flash Lights for only 10c, Jumper Cable 10c, Cigarette Lighters 10c, Mitchell Type Reels only \$4.85—list price \$31.50, Fiberglass Rods only 97c.
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Prestonsburg, Kentucky
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KENTUCKY POWER ANNOUNCES CHANGES



A. H. JOPP



W. R. MILLER



W. W. ZOELLERS

W. W. Zoellers, supervising engineer of Kentucky Power Company's Pikeville Division, has been named division commercial supervisor, succeeding A. H. Jopp, who has been named power sales engineer. In his new position, Mr. Jopp also will do special studies for the other two divisions of the company.

Succeeding Mr. Zoellers as Pikeville Division supervising engineer will be W. R. Miller, Hazard Division supervising engineer who formerly worked in the company's Pikeville office.

Zoellers, a native of London, Ky., was graduated from the University of Kentucky in 1951 with a BS degree in electrical engineering. He is a Navy veteran of World War II. Joining Kentucky Power at Pikeville in 1951, he served in meter, T&D and engineering as a distribution engineer and as a power sales engineer in commercial. He returned to engineering in 1962 and became head of the division engineering department in October of that year. A former president of the Jaycees, he is a member of the Eastern Kentucky Electrical and Mechanical Institute. He is married and the father of two sons.

Mr. Miller is a native of Knott county and was a graduate from the University of Kentucky in 1954 with a BS degree in electrical engineering. Following graduation, he joined Kentucky Power as a distribution engineer in Pikeville. He served in the T&D and engineering departments prior to becoming power sales engineer in the commercial department. He was promoted to the Hazard Division in his present capacity in August, last year.

Married and the father of a son, he has been active in

the Jaycees. The Millers will soon return to Pikeville.

Mr. Jopp, a native of New York City, is a graduate of Cornell University with a BS degree in electrical engineering. He served in the Army during World War II. Joining Kentucky Power in 1937 as a distribution engineer in Ashland, he went to the company's Hazard Division in 1940 and held several positions be-

fore becoming power engineer in 1945. He was promoted to Pikeville Division commercial supervisor in April, 1946.

A former president of the Big Sandy Chapter of Kentucky society of Professional Engineers, he is on the board of trustees of the Presbyterian Church and is a member of the Lions Club. Mr. Jopp and his wife, Elizabeth, will continue to reside in Pikeville.

TIDBITS of KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph. D.

Western Kentucky Teachers' College, Bowling Green, Ky.

"CALLING ANIMALS" Though animals are called in many ways across the country, our culture area has a number of traditional ways that seem universal among us. In recording folklore on tape I have quite often called for ways to call the various farm animals and have very rarely found any variations. Ninety-nine out of a 100% of the ways are identical with curs at Fidelity, a hundred and fifty miles farther west and in an area settled two generations later than was Mammoth Cave and its region.

The identical whistle to call horses appears in both areas. And "quop" or "quup" is standard, too. All the language used to make a horse go right or left, to increase his speed, or to stop are equally standard. Horses seem to demand "see," "haw," "whoa," "Get up" (and its variants); and cows come up from the pasture when they hear "sook." "Saw" may not be understood by the cow herself, but every fellow who has milked a cow knows what it means. And, so far as I know, there is only one way to tell a cow to go down the lane to the pasture: "Huhy" (and its variant spellings or forms). Pigs will come when "OO" is combined with "pig" or "pige" and will scam when you say "soo-ey." Dogs come a-running when a certain whistle is given or when you say "here," except that just about everybody says "he-uh." I suppose dogs like a Southern pronunciation better. Chickens know that food is available when you say "chick-chick" or some such rigmarole; and well-bred chickens know that "shoo" means "git."

Now isn't it funny that the identical sounds are used over such wide areas. So far as I can find out, the sounds I have mentioned are used over most of the South, the southern Middle West, and, many of them, elsewhere.

A few people whom I have known have devised their own ways of calling animals, but they have not interfered much with the traditional folk ways that everybody knows. A friend of mine honks his car horn to call his numerous beef cattle, and the cattle have learned to associate that sound with food or salt. One man I knew would merely call the name of his dog, pretty loudly, and the dog came instantly.

A little boy would call his cat "Here, Kitty," and the cat came a-runnin'. I have always loved the story of the deaf man who accustomed his hogs to coming to be fed when he would rap on a tree with a stick. But these hogs got a great workout when a company of woodpeckers moved in and started work.

A common characteristic in nearly all words or expressions used to call animals is the falsetto tone. Imagine calling a cat in a perfectly normal voice. Some of the callers whom I have known improved on this by making the whole call musical and sonorous. Long ago in this column I praised the hog-calling of a man who lived a mile and more from my boarding-house in Hickman county, but his hog-calling sounded out across the big bottoms where the hogs roamed and brought them safely back home.

With a hundred cows in a pasture now, how could you call them except collectively. I know one farm-worker who keeps up the old custom, however, and his far-reaching call seems to remind the cows that it is milking-time. You should hear him driving a few dozen big Holsteins to pasture. Somehow it seems like a nostalgic reminder of driving Old Jerse down the lane rather than a herd of cattle with pedigrees like a royal family. But what would an old-fashioned country home have been like if late afternoon came and no sonorous animal-calling could be heard?

Mrs. Mary C. Johns, 84, Passes Away Dec. 17 At Martin Hospital

Mrs. Mary C. Johns, of Eastern, passed away December 17 at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, at the age of 84. She had been in failing health the past three years.

Mrs. Johns was a member of the Regular Baptist Church for 65 years.

The daughter of Samuel and Sarah Osborn Stephens, she was twice married, first to Alex Osborne, and following his death, to John T. Johns, who also preceded her in death.

Surviving are three sons, Guardy Johns, Victoria, Texas; Ross Johns, Eastern; Ferdie Johns, Stanville; six daughters, Mrs. Mabel McComas, Mrs. Margie Powelson, both of Monroeville, Indiana; Mrs. Lou Hall, Roanoke, Indiana; Mrs. Lucy Moore, Ft. Wayne, Indiana; Mrs. Marvel Perkins, Indianapolis, Indiana; Mrs. Wilma Rohr, Montezuma, Indiana.

The funeral was held December 20 at 10 a.m. at the Wilson Creek Regular Baptist Church, ministers of that church officiating. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

Pallbearers were Wendell Hall, Ned Hall, Victor Hall, Gary Hall, Larry Wayne Rohr and Marcus Rohr.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hackworth announce the birth on November 16 of their first child, a daughter. She has been named Lora Marie. Mrs. Hackworth is the daughter of Esman Little, of Weeksbury.

Broom May Sweep Clean But Also May Stir Up Those Dirty, Old Germs

By DR. R. L. HALL
Floyd County
Health Department

There is a nursery rhyme which deals with "The Butcher, The Baker and the Candlestick Maker." Today we no longer have the candlestick maker but we do have butchers, bakers, markets and food where food is sold—plus the same old germs that were present when the candlestick maker plied his trade.

The other day, it was noted by a member of the Health Department, an independent owner, resplendent in clean, white uniform, was sweeping the sidewalk in front of his place of business. This is a practice to be encouraged, but, despite the clean uniform, that person was endangering the health of the public.

On the sidewalk were billions of disease-producing organisms. These bacteria were from all over the country—carried there by passing motorists, by people expectorating on the sidewalk and put there by others just passing the store. As the man swept he raised dust clouds which settled on his uniform. Later, he would be working with meat, bakery products, milk and milk products, and the dust from his uniform would drop on the items he was handling. By this means the public is innocently exposed to contamination by a person who is unaware of the danger imposed.

In like manner, contamination is spread in restaurants and stores by sweeping floors. In the recent restaurant survey, it was noted that many concrete floors were cracked, the linoleum was worn bare in places, walls had cracks in them, table tops were heavily scarred and wooden preparation tables had large cracks in them and were badly in need of caulking. Restaurants, stores and food-processing plants should never sweep their floors. They should either be swabbed or a sweeping compound employed. These practices keep the dust from swirling in the air and settling on the area where food is being prepared or processed for consumption. The table tops should be covered with a hard, non-porous material and present an even, unmarred surface which is easily cleaned. Pathogenic organisms can lodge in these cracks and, starting to multiply immediately, cause outbreaks of gastro-intestinal disturbances (upsets).

It is anticipated that a meeting of all county and city restaurant operators and food handling establishments will be called, the first of the year. This meeting will be to introduce a program among the managers and county sanitarians whereby a regular course can be planned to explain environmental health habits and promote better sanitation practices for Floyd county.

AMERICAN'S SENTENCE UPHELD

Moscow—A Soviet appeal court upheld an 18-month sentence imposed on tourist Newcomb Mott, of Sheffield, Mass., for crossing into the Soviet Union from Northern Norway without a visa. Three judges representing the Supreme Court of the Russian Federation announced after 47 minutes of deliberation that the sentence imposed on Mott, 27, should remain unchanged.

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Grover Johnson, Age 75, Claimed at Residence At Weeksbury, Dec. 17

Grover Cleveland Johnson, 75, died Friday morning at his home at Weeksbury, victim of a heart attack.

A retired miner, he was born at Melvin and was a lifelong resident of the Left Beaver Creek area.

Mr. Johnson was the son of Kendrick and Sally Tackett Johnson and was married to Mrs. Cordelia Osborne Johnson, who preceded him in death in 1953.

Survivors include two sons, Haller and Tilden Johnson, both of Weeksbury; two daughters, Mrs. Millie Little, Pikeville, Mrs. Stella Hamilton, Clintwood, Virginia; four sisters, Mrs. Tanie Brown, Mrs. Belle Johnson, Miss Billie Johnson, Miss Rebecca Johnson, all of Robinson Creek, Kentucky.

He also leaves 31 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Monday at 10 a.m. from the home of the victim, ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Osborne cemetery on Abner Fork at Melvin under the direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.



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ORDINANCE NO. 12-65

An Ordinance of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Establishing Rules and Regulations of the City Utilities Commission Relative To Water, Gas and Sewer Service; Establishing and Defining Conditions for the Installation, Connection, Extension and Alteration of Such Systems, Whether Within the Corporate Limits of the City Or Outside Same; and Further, the Establishment of Service Charges, Connection Fees, Meters and Rates To Existing Or Prospective Consumers, Whether Within the Corporate Limits of the City Or Outside Same.

WHEREAS the City Utilities Commission of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, anticipates an increased demand for service of city utilities, including water, gas and sewer, and it is necessary that the City of Prestonsburg adopt rules, regulations and rates covering the granting of such service to existing consumers and prospective consumers, both within and outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, the City Utilities Commission at its regular meeting held on the 13th day of December, 1965, has proposed and recommended the establishment of such rules and regulations, and

WHEREAS, the City Utilities Commission and the City of Prestonsburg deem it advisable to adopt such rules, regulations and rates in order to provide for a feasible program of the additions, connections and extensions to such existing facilities in order to provide for the public health and welfare of the residents of the City of Prestonsburg and its environs.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg the following rules, regulations and rates:

RULES AND REGULATIONS WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS:

The City Utilities Commission will make water, gas and sewer extensions to areas within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, where such services do not already exist upon the following terms and condition:

(1) Extension of such service may be made where adequate water, gas and sewer service is available and when approved by the City Utilities Commission.

(2) Applicant desiring such service shall bear the entire costs of such installation including main, laterals engineering plans and specifications, which said amount shall be deposited with the Commission prior to installation. All such installations must conform to standards and specifications approved by the Commission. The Commission shall be furnished with a map or plat of the area to be serviced by such utilities which shall show proposed locations of all mains and laterals.

(3) Deposits made by any Applicant hereunder shall be refunded to the depositor as follows: For each user served by the extension the Commission will refund 75% of all revenues collected from each water and sewer user, and 30% of all revenues collected from each gas user, for a period of eight years under the following conditions. Such refund shall in no instance exceed the amount so deposited by Applicant and will be made in January of each year; provided, however, that no refunds will be made on account of customers who began taking service from such extensions eight years or more after such utilities are made available for service. The eight year period will begin in the area as designated on attached plat on the day that any such utility is made available for service.

(4) When such installation has been inspected, approved and accepted by a duly authorized representative of the Commission, the ownership of such utility installation shall immediately vest in and become one of the properties of the Commission, and subsequent to such date the obligations for maintenance and repair of such utility installation shall become the sole and exclusive responsibility of the Commission.

(5) Nothing herein shall prevent the Commission from extending its mains beyond the terminus of any extensions made under these regulations, and the depositor shall not be entitled to any refund for connections made to future extensions at the expense of the Commission. No refunds will be made on account of any temporary connections, or in the case of water services, for fire hydrants installed on said extensions at the expense of the Commission.

(6) No interest will be paid by the Commission on account of any funds deposited with, or collected by the Commission hereunder.

RATES RELATIVE TO WATER, GAS AND SEWER SERVICE WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS:

The rates to be charged by the Commission for water, gas and sewer service to any consumers within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, shall be the current rate established by said Commission in effect at the date such service is made available to any user. Provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed so as to prevent the Commission from changing or adjusting the rates to be charged for such service, and in which case, consumers within the corporate limits of the city will be obligated to pay upon the basis of any such change or adjustment.

mission in effect at the date such service is made available to any user. Provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed so as to prevent the Commission from changing or adjusting the rates to be charged for such service, and in which case, consumers within the corporate limits of the city will be obligated to pay upon the basis of any such change or adjustment.

RULES AND REGULATIONS OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS:

The City Utilities Commission will make water, gas and sewer extensions to areas outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, upon the following terms and conditions:

(1) Extension of such water, gas and sewer service may be made where adequate service is available and when approved by the City Utilities Commission.

(2) Applicant desiring such service shall bear the entire costs of any such installation including mains, laterals, engineer's plans and specifications which said amount shall be deposited with the Commission prior to installation. All such installations must conform to standards and specifications approved by the Commission. The Commission shall be furnished with a map or plat of the area to be serviced by such utility which shall show the proposed location of all mains and laterals.

(3) When such installations have been inspected, approved and accepted by a duly authorized representative of the Commission, the ownership of such utility shall immediately vest in and become one of the properties of the Commission, and subsequent to such date the obligations for maintenance and repair of such utility installation shall become the sole and exclusive responsibility of the Commission.

(4) A service charge or meter connection is hereby established for any connection made by the Commission for the respective services hereinafter set out.

a. SEWER

A service charge of \$75.00 is hereby established for a connection made to the sewer system outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, it being further provided, however, that in making connections where a lateral has not already been installed an additional charge of \$50.00 shall be made for such installation.

b. WATER:

A charge is hereby established for each meter connection made to the city water system outside the corporate limits of the city as follows:

3/4" Meter installation, \$50.00; 1" Meter installation, \$75.00; 1 1/2" Meter installation, \$125.00; 2" Meter installation, \$150.00.

If lateral for such service has not already been installed an additional charge for such installation is hereby established as follows:

To each 3/4" meter, \$50.00; to each 1" meter, \$75.00; to each 1 1/2" meter, \$125.00; to each 2" meter, \$150.00.

c. GAS:

A charge is hereby established for each meter connection made to the City Gas System outside the corporate limits of the City as follows:

175 cu. ft. per hour, \$25.00; 250 cu. ft. per hour, \$25.00; 425 cu. ft. per hour, \$50.00; 800 cu. ft. per hour, \$75.00; 950 cu. ft. per hour, \$100.00.

If lateral for such service has not already been installed an additional charge for such installation is hereby established as follows:

175 cu. ft. per hour, \$25.00; 250 cu. ft. per hour, \$25.00; 425 cu. ft. per hour, \$50.00; 800 cu. ft. per hour, \$75.00; 950 cu. ft. per hour, \$100.00.

(5) There shall be no continuing obligation upon the Commission to furnish any of the services, hereinabove enumerated to connections outside the city limits and the Commission shall have the right to discontinue such service at any time if it should appear for any reason that such service would jeopardize the individual services to any consumer within the City of Prestonsburg.

(6) In the event that any area to be served by the Commission under the within provisions shall be annexed to the city within a period of eight years from the completion of any such installation; then, the regulations adopted by the commission for installation within the corporate limits of the city shall become applicable and the project or extensions shall be eligible for refunds, provided for hereunder, for areas within the corporate limits of the city, for that portion of said eight year period remaining on and after the date of annexation.

(7) Nothing herein shall prevent the Commission from extending its mains beyond the terminus of any extensions made under these regulations.

RATES TO BE CHARGED FOR WATER, GAS AND SEWER SERVICES OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS:

The following rates shall be applicable to consumers outside

Miss Luraney Pitts Is Victim, Dec. 19, At Hospital Here

Miss Luraney Pitts, 73 years old, of West Prestonsburg, died December 19 at the Prestonsburg General hospital following an illness of five years. A retired teacher, she taught in the Floyd county school system for fifty years or more.

She was a daughter of John L. and Frances Osley Pitts.

Miss Pitts is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Bill Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Josephine Haywood, both of West Prestonsburg, Mrs. George Wright, Martin, Mrs. Ballard Thompson, Wabash, Indiana, and two brothers, Mexico Pitts, Linewa, Ohio, R. A. Pitts, West Prestonsburg.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Holly Bush Church, the Revs. Luther Conn and Russell Jacobs officiating. Burial was made in the Pitts cemetery on Spurlock, Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing.

the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg:

(1) SEWER: The rates to be charged to sewer users outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg shall be 70% of the gross water billing then being charged to consumers.

(2) WATER: The rates to be charged to water consumers outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg shall be a 20% surcharge of the then current rates charged to consumers on water within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg.

(3) GAS: The rate to be charged to gas consumers outside the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg shall be a 20% surcharge of the then current rates charged to consumers of gas within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg.

In the event that any of the provisions of this ordinance are in conflict with Ordinance Number 15-62 heretofore adopted on the 20th day of December, 1962, then the provisions hereunder shall be inapplicable and any such determination affecting the granting of any of the services hereunder shall be made in accordance with the prior ordinance above referred to. It is further provided that if any of the provisions of this ordinance are declared invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, or by any regulatory body having jurisdiction of the subject matter herein, then the invalidity of any such provision shall not affect any other provisions of this ordinance not specifically affected.

Any and all extensions, connections or additions to the utility system of the City of Prestonsburg, whether water, gas or sewer shall be made only upon a determination of the feasibility of any such connection, extension or addition, and the City Utilities Commission is hereby granted the authority to make such determination in its own discretion, considering the capabilities of the individual systems and the insurance of complete and adequate service to consumers within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg.

This ordinance shall become effective January 1, 1966.

Enacted this 16th day of December, 1965.

GEORGE P. ARCHER, Mayor of the City of Prestonsburg

JUDITH D. ARCHER, City Clerk

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Closing An Alley Located In West Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Running Between Harkins Avenue and Stanley Avenue In Block C of Said Addition, and Authorizing the City Attorney, Or A Special Attorney, Designated By the City Council, To Institute Necessary Legal Proceedings To Affect This Purpose.

WHEREAS, there is existing in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, a section of alley ten feet in width running between Harkins Avenue and Stanley Avenue and more particularly described as follows:

"BEGINNING at a point in the Southern boundary of Stanley Avenue where same intersects the Northwest corner of Lot No. 71, Block 6, of the West Prestonsburg Addition, a plat of which is recorded in Map File No. 95, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; thence in a Southernly direction with the rear line of Lot No. 71, three hundred feet, to the Southwest corner of Lot No. 80, in the Northern boundary line of Harkins Avenue; thence in a Westerly direction with the Northern Boundary of Harkins Avenue ten feet to the Southeast corner of Lot No. 103, Block 6; thence in a Northernly direction with the rear line of Lot No. 103, three hundred feet to the Northeast corner of Lot No. 94, in the Southern boundary of Stanley Avenue; thence in an Easternly direction with the Southern line of Stanley Avenue ten feet to the beginning."

WHEREAS, said section of alley, as above described, is not now in use and has not been used by the general public for many years and the closing thereof will not damage the general public, or any of the adjoining property owners, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council to permanently close said alley and surrender it to the use and occupancy of the adjoining property owners, their heirs, successors and assigns, subject only to the right of the City of Prestonsburg to ingress and egress on said alley for the purpose of laying, removing, altering or maintaining city utilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, by virtue of the power vested in it hereby enacts and ordains as follows:

SECTION I: That a section of alley in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as hereinabove described, is hereby permanently closed and said property surrendered to the use and occupancy of the adjoining land owners, their heirs, successors and assigns, subject only to the right of the City of Prestonsburg to ingress and egress on said alley for the purpose of laying, removing, altering or maintaining city utilities.

SECTION II: That the City Attorney, or a special attorney, designated by the City Council, is hereby authorized to take whatever legal action appears necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this ordinance, including the filing of a suit in the Floyd Circuit Court, the cost of which, including attorney fees is to be borne solely by the adjoining property owners affected hereby.

SECTION III, This ordinance shall become effective as of the date of its enactment, execution and publication as required by law.

Dated this 16 day of December, 1965.

GEORGE P. ARCHER, Mayor, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

JUDITH D. ARCHER, City Clerk

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowling, of the University of Georgia, were here Wednesday, visiting friends.

Misses Mary Jo Shivel and Linda Sue Stephens, of Richmond, Miss Kay Anne Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sutherland, of Lexington, will join their parents for the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Howard, of West Liberty, visited Mrs. Harold Augustine here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Burke, of Richwood, West Virginia, spent the week-end here on business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Julia Harrington left last week for Columbus, Ohio, to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bradley and children, of Ashland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldridge, here last Friday.

Mrs. Alice F. Bowers left last week for Lexington to spend the holidays with her niece.

Joe Hobson returned Sunday from Tucson, Arizona, where he went on business.

Mrs. Charles Elliott, Huntington, West Virginia, is here this week on business. She is the houseguest of her brother, Graham Porter, and Mrs. Porter.

Kenneth Verley, of Montgomery, Alabama, joined his family here this week to spend the holidays. They are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford.

Miss Grace Marrs will spend Christmas week-end with her sister, Mrs. Bertha M. McCoy, at Inez.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Harris, of Ohio, visited relatives here last week, including Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford.

Miss Lynn Goble, Morehead State College student, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Goble, and family.

Mrs. Gladys P. White and Miss Ella Noel C. White left this week to spend the holidays in Lexington with Mr. and Mrs. Don Meade and family.

Mrs. Lillian P. Rimmer joined her daughter, Mrs. Richard Webb, and family in Lexington for the holidays.

Ollie Dillon is ill this week at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Hill Hall, of Banner, is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hooper, of Paintsville, and guest, Miss Darian Helton, of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spurlock, of Patriot, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. James Spurlock, of Virgie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Compton here Sunday.

Mrs. Belva Quisenberry is visiting her son and other relatives in Richmond, Virginia.

Mrs. Betsy Spurlock Lambert and children have moved into the property on Arnold Avenue which was formerly owned by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard and baby, of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wills and children, Chicago, Illinois, will spend the holidays here with their mother, Mrs. Gertie Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiechers, Jr., of Lexington, will spend the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiechers and Mrs. Mary Jane Harkins.

GO TO HARTFORD
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Goff and daughters left Wednesday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bell, at Hartford, Ky.

DINNER GUESTS
Mrs. Ray Stephens entertained to dinner Wednesday at her home on Ford Street, Mrs. Alka Miller, Mrs. Gertrude Hager and Mrs. Ella Belle Moore.

WINS DOLL
The Madame Alexander doll and her wardrobe were given away Saturday at the B. F. Casual Shop. The doll was won by Miss Judy Caldwell. The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club wishes to thank everyone who supported it in this drive to raise money for the city swimming pool.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY
Members of the Floyd County Emergency & Rescue Squad and their families enjoyed their annual Christmas party at the Squad's building here Saturday evening. Ninety-one persons enjoyed the dinner and the games which followed.

SPENDS WEEK-END HERE
Mrs. Dorothy Sue Elrod spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Alice Hackworth, at West Prestonsburg.

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WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Drift Woman's Club was held at the SaNora Restaurant, Dec. 6, with the president, Mrs. Ben Martin, presiding. Mrs. Charles Case gave the devotional and salute to the flag.

Members present were Mrs. Glen Burton, Mrs. C. J. Cahill, Mrs. Charles Case, Mrs. Bill Hoffman, Jane Hoffman, Mrs. Sam Martin Sr., Mrs. Ben Martin, Mrs. I. E. Reed, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. B. F. Reed, Mrs. Belford Reitz, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, Mrs. Roger Tackett, Mrs. Ronald Turner, Mrs. Nick Cooley, Peggy Jones, Ruby Akers, and Mrs. McKinley Little.

Mrs. Ben Martin urged all the members to support the Library Bill, and it was voted to donate to Christmas Seals to help fight respiratory diseases.

An invitation was extended to the club to attend the Pikeville Woman's Club open house.

Peggy Jones, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, and Mrs. Nick Cooley and escorts attended the Diamond Jubilee Charity Ball, Frankfort. A report was given to the club by representative, Peggy Jones.

The club voted to donate \$50 to the Mission Fund for Retardation sponsored by Bob Martin and \$50 to the Floyd Council for Retardation.

The next meeting of the Drift Woman's Club will be the Christmas Meeting on Home Life and will be held at the home of Mrs. Byron Beard on Dec. 20.

HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Howard and daughter, of Durham, North Carolina, arrived this week to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, on First avenue.

P.E.O. CHAPTER MEETS

Mrs. W. A. Rose was hostess to the December 13 meeting of the P.E.O. Sisterhood, assisted by Mrs. Earl Stumbo and Mrs. Chalmers H. Frazier.

An interesting program was presented by Mrs. Winston Ford and Mrs. Robert Hughes on the educational projects of the Sisterhood. The Educational Loan Fund was established 58 years ago and to date 14,353 girls and \$7,107,359 have furthered the cause of education, which is one of the purposes of P.E.O.

The International Peace Scholarship Fund was established to promote world peace. The 16-year record shows that 629 students from 67 counties have been aided by P.E.O.

Members present were: Mesdames W. R. Callihan, Woodrow Burchett, Fred Francis, T. G. Dings, George P. Archer, Scott Harkins, Harris Howard, Robert Hughes, George Branham, Sidney Garland, Winston Ford, Chalmers H. Frazier, E. A. Stumbo, W. A. Rose, Miss Elizabeth Graham Dings, Miss Margaret May.

WATCH SERVICE

A "watch service" will be held the night of December 31 at the First Church of God here, beginning at 8 p.m., it was announced this week by the pastor, the Rev. Coy Rigney.

Martin Man Victim Dec. 15 In 46th Year; Was Veteran of WW II

Arvel Combs, 45, of Martin, died Dec. 15 at the Veteran's Administration hospital, Huntington, W. Va. A disabled veteran of World War II, he had been in ill health the last 19 years.

He was a son of Mrs. Parrot Handshoe Combs and the late Sam Combs. His wife, Ogie Handshoe Combs, preceded him in death.

Other survivors are a son, Adron Combs, Edgerton, O.; one brother, Haulie Combs, of Handshoe, and three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Compton, Hindman, Mrs. May Conley, Tyro, O., and Mrs. Jack Handshoe, Shelby, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. from the United Baptist Church at Handshoe, ministers of that church officiating. Burial was made at Handshoe under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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LET PUBLICITY HAVE A HAND

One of the greatest services Kentucky could render the public would be the publication of the tax assessment listings of property.

Only through publicity covering names, possessions and amounts can the Department of Revenue and county tax commissioners hope to attain assessment equalization without years of hard, painstaking work.

It is true that the law provides penalties for the taxpayer who makes a false statement in listing his property for taxation. But what tax commissioner or other elected official will have the temerity to level the accusing finger at a voter, accuse him of lying and then carry the accusation into court?

Until full and completely honest assessment is effected, the situation, to put it bluntly, will continue to be this:

The biggest liar will pay the least taxes.

No legislation, not even the Ten Commandments, has succeeded in establishing morals, and this includes that virtue which places the value of one's oath above the cost of taxes.

Let every taxpayer go on record, in the full glare of publicity, before his neighbors. Give public opinion a chance to right those inequities which the law will be a long time finding and even longer eradicating.

There's More Than One Problem

Stephen F. Dunn, president of the National Coal Association, made a strong case of it for coal in a letter to the editor of The New York Times after a Times editorial had inferred that use of coal in New York City would create an air-pollution problem. He wrote:

Your November 24 editorial, "More Power for New York," conveys an erroneous impression. You state that smoke and soot are "inevitable with coal and to some extent with oil," and that the abatement of "smoke-soot nuisance" from coal-burning plants is "imperfect at best."

To draw a true comparison, you should weigh the merits of a modern and efficient coal-burning plant with an atomic power plant. The new Ravenswood plant of Consolidated Edison, which will burn coal, will be 99.5 per cent efficient in its soot and ash collection. This may be "imperfect at best" but when compared with possible problems connected with an atomic power plant, 99.5 is very close to perfect.

Coal plants are known to be safe. The insurance companies will sell whatever public liability coverage is desired. Atomic power plants require \$500 million Government insurance and a "no recourse" provision of the law which denies to the public the right to recover for any damages in excess of \$500 million.

New Yorkers understandably are concerned about air pollution and about antiquated equipment which produces smoke, soot and dirt. But you leave unfair inferences when you compare new atomic power plants with outmoded coal- or oil-fired plants, while ignoring the safety problems connected with atomic plants.

GM TANK CONTRACT

Washington—The U. S. Army awarded a \$43.7 million contract Wednesday to General Motors Corporation, Indianapolis, for development of the "main battle tank" to be built in cooperation with West Germany.

WHALE DISABLES WHALER

Vladivostok—The Soviet news agency, Tass, reports that a large sperm whale harpooned by the whaling ship Tsikon whipped around and butted the vessel with such force the engines conked out.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

DRIVER'S COUNT-DOWN

Editor, The Times:

As is usual here in Beaver Valley, all systems are "Go" at Christmas time for most families. Go get a Christmas tree! Go buy gifts! Go visit! Go, go, go! And most of the going is driving.

Along with our Season's Greetings this year, we thought you might appreciate something to make your going a bit easier and a lot safer. It is a "Driver's Countdown for Safety," and it was developed by Auto Industries Highway Safety Committee to make your driving more trouble-free and enjoyable.

Here's how the driver's countdown works. When you're ready to make a trip, whether just around town or longer, ask yourself the five questions below. If you get a "No" to any of them, don't turn the ignition key until the condition is corrected. The countdown is quick and easy to do. Try it and see.

5. Car in safety shape — especially brakes, lights, steering, tires?

4. Enough time to make the trip without rushing?

3. Driver set for possible weather and traffic conditions ahead?

2. Rest brakes mapped out along the way, if trip is long?

1. Seat belts fastened — snugly?

0. Take a deep breath, relax and drive for safety.

Dan'l Broome Moves Into Litter Picture As Clean-Up Symbol

Frankfort, Ky. — Daniel Boone has moved out of the backwoods and on to Kentucky's streams and lakes. At least a somewhat indirect descendant of his has taken up residence there.

Boating enthusiasts across the state may have observed the likeness this summer of young Dan'l Broome painted on litter drums and urging, "Put your trash here." This modern-day Dan'l is both the symbol and mascot of the State Natural Resources Department's Division of Clean-Up and Beautification.

That agency distributed more than 500 litter drums to boat docks and launching ramps this summer as the state's "clean waterways" program got under way.

Mrs. Connie Quinn, state clean-up and beautification director, praised the role of industry in helping to launch the program. She noted that every one of the litter drums used was donated by various industries.

"Without the help of industry we would have had trouble getting the program started," Mrs. Quinn said. "Their cooperation has just been magnificent."

In addition to the 500 drums already distributed, 300 more are currently being painted and stenciled for use next summer.

"If industry could supply us with 2,200 more drums," Mrs. Quinn said, "we could complete the program next summer."

The goal of Mrs. Quinn and Natural Resources Commissioner J. O. Matlick is to supply every boat dock and launching ramp in the state with litter drums, litterbags and posters warning of a federal fine for the littering of streams and lakes.

Mrs. Quinn said her department was indebted to the law enforcement body of the Department of Public Safety's boating division for distributing the litterbags.

She also praised the local city and county governments who agreed to pick-up and dispose of the trash collected at the docks and ramps.

Commissioner Matlick and his staff are currently drafting legislation to protect the state's streams and lakes as part of an anti-litter bill. It will be presented to the 1966 General Assembly.

Burchett Is Chairman Of Ky. Public Service Body; Francis Resigns

Woodrow W. Burchett, Prestonsburg attorney, this week became chairman of the Kentucky Public Service Commission.

Mr. Burchett assumed leadership of the PSC when its chairman, J. David Francis, resigned. Mr. Francis has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the Democratic nomination for U.S. Senator.

Burchett, who was appointed to the commission by Governor Bert T. Combs, will hold the chairmanship for at least one year.

TO COSTAR ON BROADWAY

New York—Vivien Leigh, who last appeared here in the musical version of "Tovarich" in 1963, will be costarred with John Gielgud in "Ivanov." The Chekhov drama will begin a limited Broadway engagement in April.

This Christmas, Be Thankful That . . .

WHERE AMERICANS ARE, FREEDOM IS

(A Floyd county veteran of World War II, thinking of Americans at their stations of duty over the world at this Christmastime, recalls a wartime incident of 21 years ago that gives meaning and purpose to the efforts of this country to defend human liberty. —Editor.)

Now and then little incidents occur that remind us of the great importance of America to this world of ours.

This one happened during World War II. Advancing across Europe with General Patton's Third Army, our column halted momentarily in the little town of Nemours, France.

The townspeople crowded around our jeeps, waving and cheering. An elderly Frenchman, bent, limping and carrying a three-year old child in his arms, made his way to the side of my jeep. Grasping the small one's arm, he reached out to touch my shoulder with the child's hand. None of us will ever forget his words:

"My child, you have touched an American! You remember this always: Where Americans ARE, Freedom IS."

I reached in my pocket for my most-prized possession — an American penny. As I pressed it into the infant's hand, I recall

thinking: This coin has written on it that which we are proudest of and have the most faith in: "United States of America" and "In God We Trust."

Tears were streaming down the old Frenchman's cheeks as our column began to move forward, and the dust, or something had moistened the eyes of every American soldier in our jeep.

The little French child would now be 24 years old. Wherever he is, he remembers that "Where Americans ARE, Freedom IS!" The grandfather and the American penny assure us of that! Merry Christmas, friend, from America!

Wins College Honors



George Alpha Mays, son of Virgil and Anna Mays, of Wheelwright, has just completed his professional semester at Morehead State College. Mr. Mays has an area in elementary education and a major in English and literature. His minors are in music and art.

Recently, Mr. Mays was elected to the Council of Presidents of Morehead State College, and chosen president of the Wilson Hall Dormitory Council. He also has been nominated as a national representative of the Warner Fellowship, a religious organization. He is an honor student and has just received a perfect 4.0 standing for the mid-term period.

During his college career he has become a member of such clubs as Pas Adelphi TAE, Beaux Art Club, Literary Arts Club, Cosmopolitan International Relations Club, Circle K Club, and others.

Mr. Mays will soon begin work toward a master's in education. He is a Wheelwright and Palmer-Dunbar high school graduate.

Montgomery Winner At Prestonsburg Hi Of Honorary Award

Woodrow Allen, principal of Prestonsburg high school, announced this week that Thomas Montgomery, of the school's senior class, is the 1966 winner of the annual Bausch & Lomb honorary science award.

"This award is especially significant," Mr. Allen said. "Today, everyone realizes the importance of the study of science in our secondary schools. The Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award provides recognition to senior students with the highest scholastic standing in science subjects."

The Science Award — a handsome bronze medal — is presented at graduation in more than 8,500 schools.

Winners of the Honorary Science Award are eligible to compete for science scholarships, at the University of Rochester. Three or more scholarships are sponsored by Bausch & Lomb; the University provides an even greater number. Stipends are based on need and have a total combined four-year value of about \$50,000. The award winner is selected early so that his application for the scholarship competition can be filled out and returned to the University before the February 1 deadline.

Minnie Resident Dies At Home December 19; Burial Made at Beaver

Garfield Blankenship, 66 years old, died December 19 at his home at Minnie of an extended illness.

He was a 20-year member of the Primitive Baptist Church. A son of the late Condy and Frances Kinney Blankenship, he was twice married, first to Ida Caudill, and upon her death, to Mint Henderson, who also preceded him in death.

Survivors are one brother, Jasper Blankenship, of Teaberry, and a sister, Mrs. Mannie Moore, Price.

Ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiated at the funeral held Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Joe Reynolds Church at Beaver. Burial was made in the Joe Reynolds cemetery under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Home from Africa



SP4 James Earl Spradlin, who has been stationed with U.S. armed forces in Africa for the last year, arrived home last week to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Spradlin, of Bonanza.

New Geologic Map Of Floyd-Co. Area Is Now Available

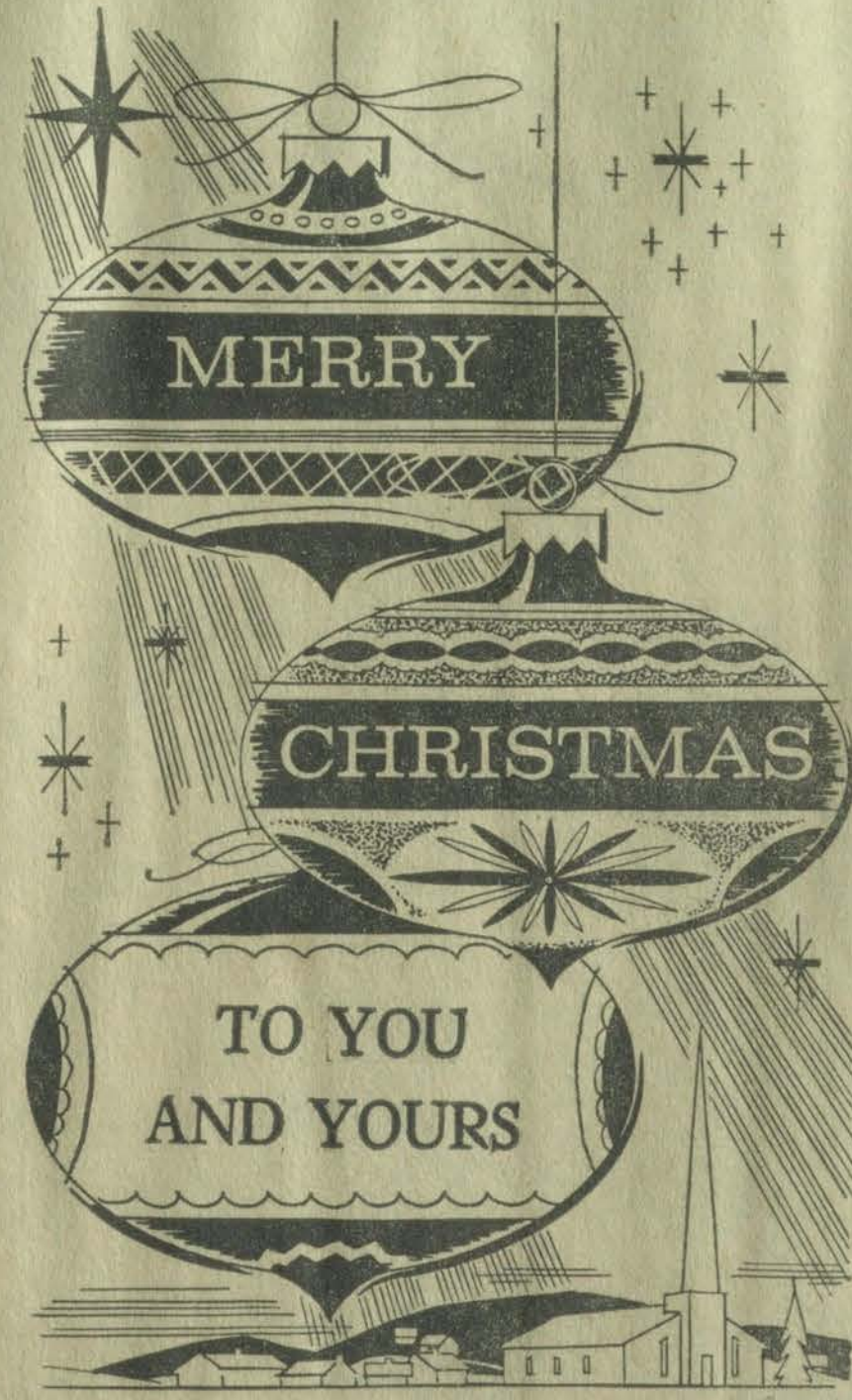
A new geologic map covering east-central Floyd county has just been published, according to Dr. Wallace W. Hagan, state geologist and director of the Kentucky Geological Survey at the University of Kentucky.

The map, "Geologic Map of the Harold Quadrangle," by Charles L. Rice, was prepared as a part of the statewide cooperative geologic mapping program between the Kentucky and the United States Geological Surveys. It contains geologic diagrams, explanations, structural information and discussions of potential mineral wealth.

Coal and natural gas are the principal developed mineral resources. The area has experienced considerable mining but reserves of coal appear to be present. Dr. Hagan said. The new map shows the position of 13 coal horizons. Copies may be purchased from the Kentucky Geological Survey, Mineral Industries Building, University of Kentucky, Lexington.

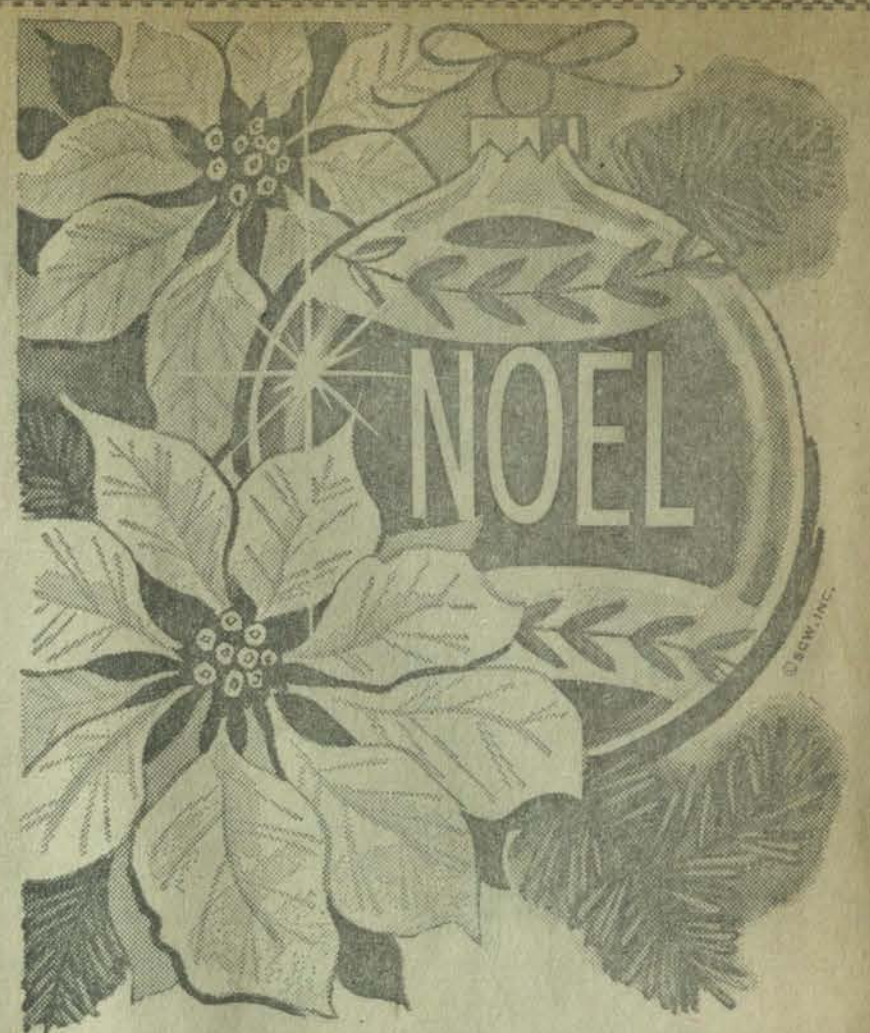
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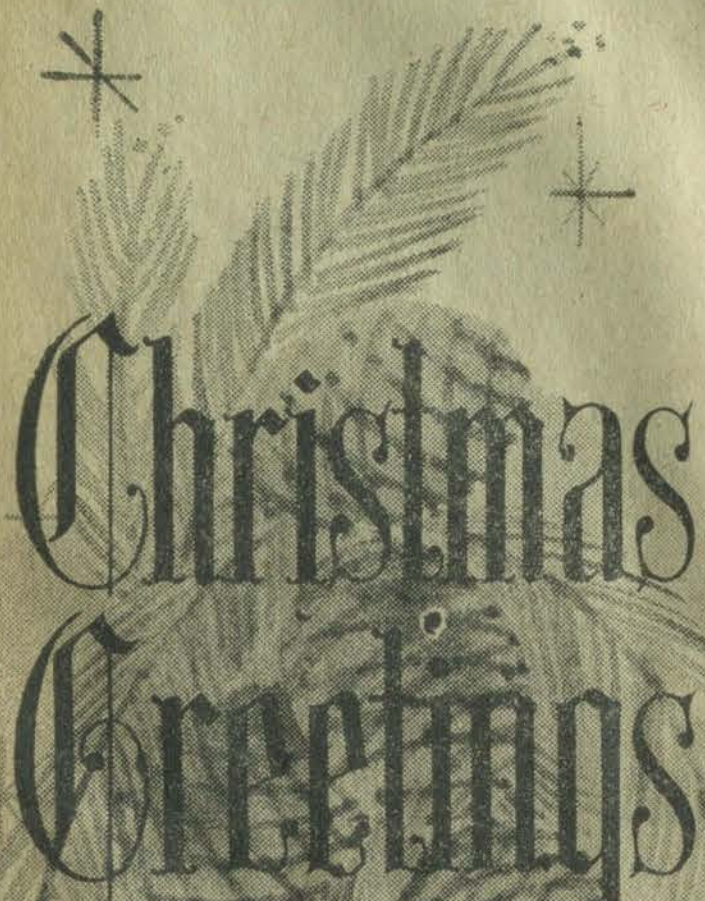
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TO VISIT HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Morris and son, Kyle Martin, of Ashland, will arrive this week to spend the holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Claudia F. Leete.

HEAR "THE MESSIAH"
Mr. and Mrs. Tom James and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens attended the performance of "The Messiah," given by Eastern Kentucky Choral Club at the Mayo Memorial Church in Paintsville, last Sunday. Gus Kalos directed the chorus, with Mrs. Chalmer H. Frazier and Mrs. William Garland as accompanists.

IN HUNTINGTON
Among those who were business visitors in Huntington, Saturday, were Miss Mary E. Powers, Donny Goble, Frank Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeRossett, Mrs. Print Ball, Mrs. Lula Lafferty, Mrs. Kenneth Verley, Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr., Mrs. Kenneth Allen.

TO VISIT HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Yancey Ligon Clark and daughters will arrive this week from Staten Island, New York, to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Sally Ligon Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson and three sons will join the family on Christmas eve for the holidays.

Society News

Phone 886-3052 not later than noon on Monday.

GOING TO KINGSPORT
Carl Brickley, of Kingsport, Tennessee, is arriving Thursday to take his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brickley, home with him to spend the holidays.

IN DANIA, FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan and children, Joey, Sarah and Margaret, left Wednesday for Dania, Florida to spend the holidays with his sister. They will be there two weeks.

FLY TO FT. LAUDERDALE
Mrs. Myrtle B. Allen, Tom Allen and Mark Bowling and sister, left last Friday from Prestonsburg-Paintsville Airport in a private plane to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bowling in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. They will spend the holidays there.

VISITORS FROM FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell, Claremont, Florida, were here last week visiting friends and relatives. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spurlock, Friday and Saturday.

COMING FOR HOLIDAYS
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Layne and Mrs. E. S. Bowling, of Ashland, are arriving today (Thursday) to spend the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Joe M. Davidson, on Court street.

GO TO FLORIDA
Mrs. Smith Bradley, Miss Carol Bradley, Butch Bradley, Mrs. Charles Eddie Bradley and sons left last Friday for Florida where they will spend the holidays. Mr. Bradley and Charles Bradley will fly to Florida to spend Christmas Day with them.

HOLIDAY DINNER GUESTS
Mrs. Ethel Akers entertained a family group and friends to a Christmas dinner last Sunday. The house was decorated in holiday motif, and yule decorations were used on the dining table, with an overlay red and green cloth. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nunnery, Ova Jean and Albert Clifford Nunnery, Mike Hicks, Debbie McGee, Ironton, Ohio, her daughter, Mrs. Junior Willis, Coolidge Jarvis, Odette, Ethel Pauline, and Rebecca Mann, Coal Grove, Ohio, Mrs. Joe Hobson, Mrs. Ella Belle Moore, Nida Gale Moore, Linda K. Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May, William J. May, Jr., Miss Rebecca Ellis, Miss Catherine Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shreeve, Sue and Byron Shreeve, Oneida Jean Hunt, Mrs. Octavia Akers, Mrs. Bertha Rutherford, who is ill and could not attend, was served a plate at her home.

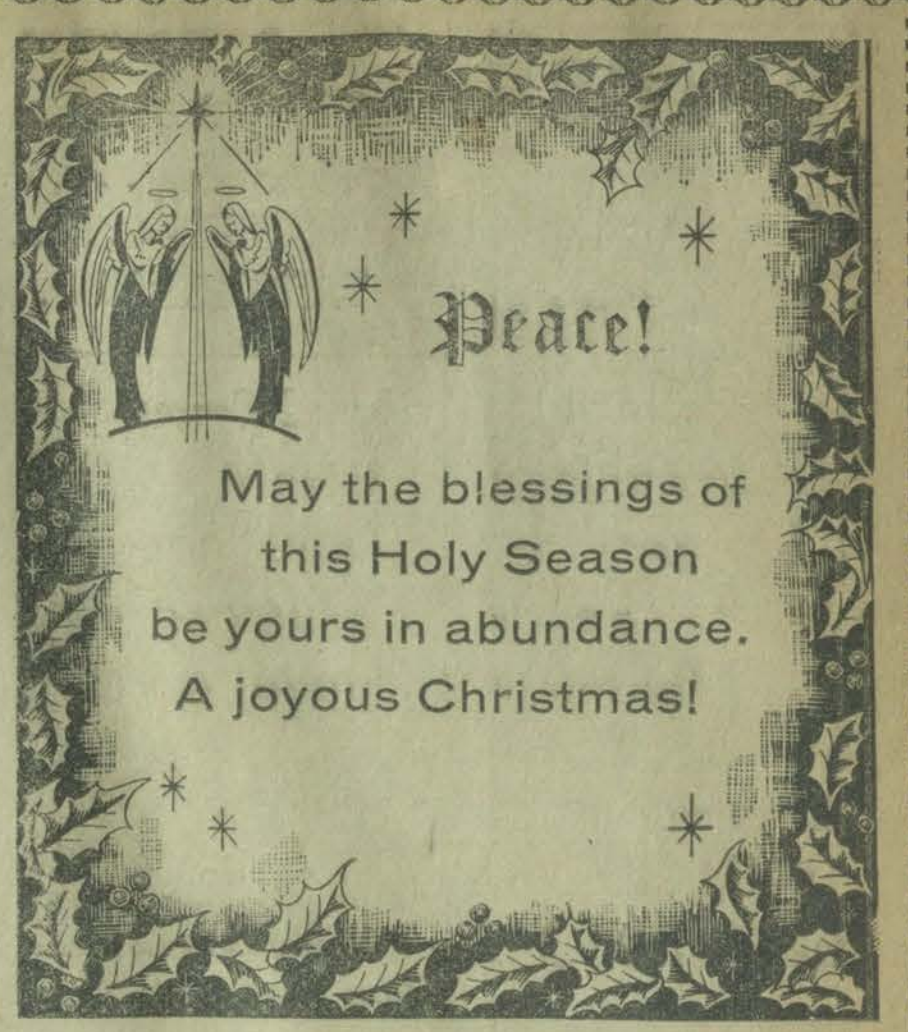
LEAVE FOR MIAMI
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and son, Bill, Jr., left Sunday for a two-week stay in Miami, Florida with his daughter, Miss Ruth Hall. They will attend the Orange Bowl game there on New Year's day.

TO SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Hansford May and sons, Stephen and Tommy, of Louisville, will arrive Thursday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ensinger, in their new home on South Mayo Trail.

OPEN CHRISTMAS TOUR
Special recognition was given Dr. and Mrs. Edw. B. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, Sr., and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens for having opened their homes to the club for the Christmas Tour.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Harris S. Howard, chairman, Mrs. Geo. Archer, Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mrs. Arnold Clark, Mrs. H. B. Wright, Mrs. Barkley Sturgill, Mrs. Fanny Rannels, Mrs. Harry B. Ranier.

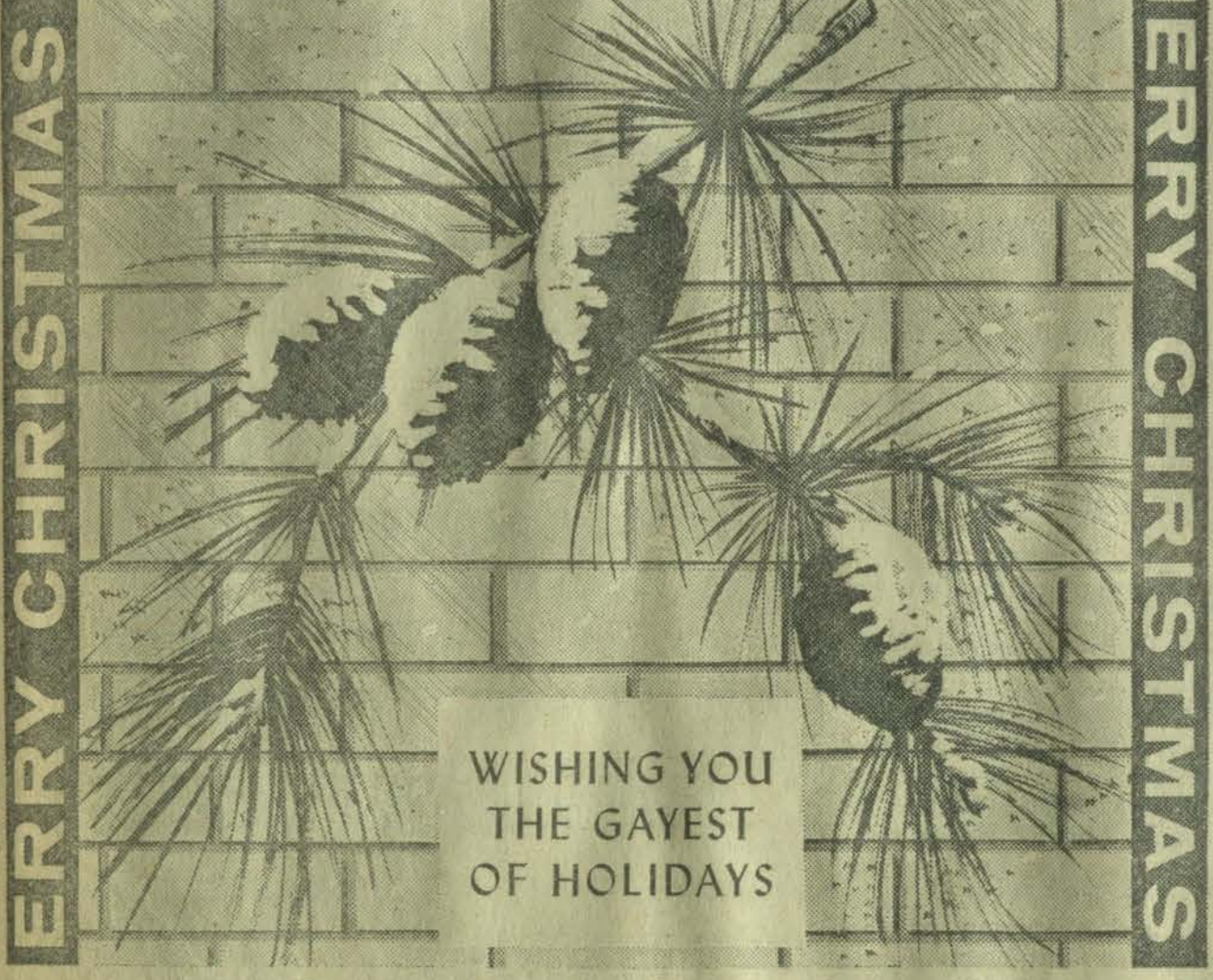
HERE FROM NASHVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Conley and sons, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Tuesday to spend Christmas with their parents, Mrs. Malissa Conley and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wells, and other relatives.



May the blessings of this Holy Season be yours in abundance. A joyous Christmas!

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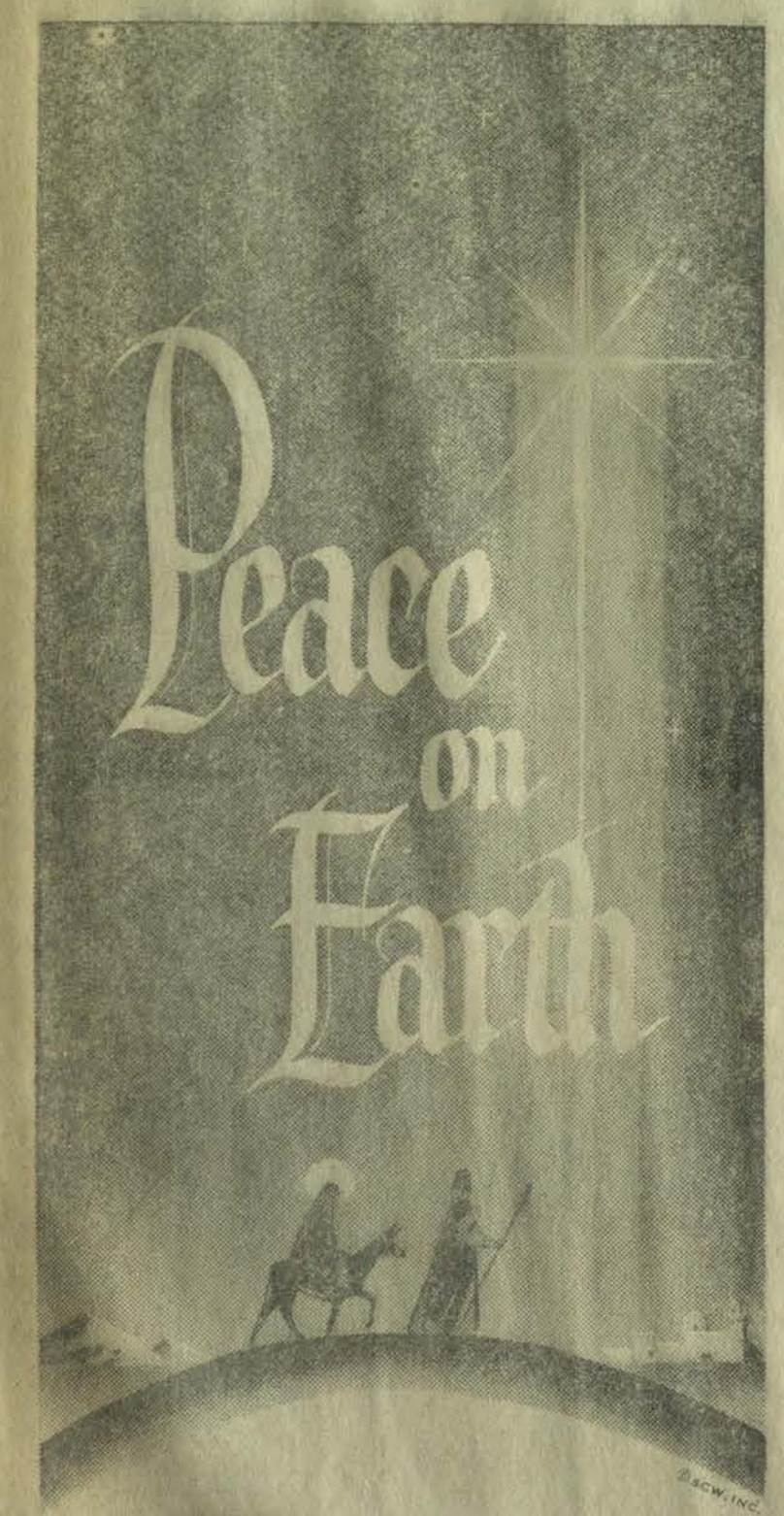
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COUNCIL HOLDS 1st MEETING IN LONDON

London—Dr. Nahum Goldmann presided at the first meeting of the new governing council of the Jewish World Congress. Dr. Goldmann is president of the World Zionist Organization.

Named Correspondent



Miss Janice Lewis, 17-year-old daughter of Sheriff-elect Joe Wheeler Lewis, of Stanville, who has been named Betsy Layne high school correspondent for Co-Ed Magazine.

PAKISTANI PLANE SHOT DOWN

New Delhi—An Indian jet fighter shot down a Pakistani observation plane over the Western front, the Defense Ministry said. The Pakistani pilot was killed but an army major aboard parachuted and was captured, it added.

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and the pickup truck in which the beer was being hauled was impounded. The truck, it was said, was licensed in the name of Hall's wife, Edith.

The same night, the two officers, acting on a court order, checked on the premises of Jake Smallwood at McDowell to determine if he was in violation of a court order, closing his place of business, which is known as the Miner's Bath House. The officers reported that they not only found the place open despite the court order but that they also found five cases of beer and half a case of vodka and whiskey.

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Bevins began his service with the Kentucky Power Company as a serviceman A in the meter department on October 18, 1945. He was promoted to meter serviceman A on April 1, 1953, and to the position of serviceman senior, the position he now holds, on April 1, 1958.

"Trooper," as he is popularly known, spent all of his service in the meter and the transmission and distribution departments, and for the past several years has worked out of the Paintsville and Prestonsburg offices. He provided service for West Liberty, Salyersville, Paintsville and the area between as well as Prestonsburg until recently. He is now serving the area of Prestonsburg and vicinity.

In addition to his service pin, "Trooper" was also presented his safety award pin for not having a lost-time accident or injury during the past year.

He had previous service with the Kentucky Power Company, both the Pikeville and Hazard Divisions, of another 15 years. Forest and his wife, Laura, make their home in the Lancer area of Prestonsburg.

Median Crossovers Will Be Penalized As Safety Measure

Frankfort — Unauthorized vehicles using median crossovers on Kentucky's interstate highways will be reported to the State Police under a policy announced by Highway Commissioner Henry Ward.

Public Safety Commissioner Glenn Lovern said his department would follow up all reported violations.

The move is an outgrowth of a suggestion by the Bureau of Public Roads to the Highway Department — a suggestion, the Bureau said, designed to prevent accidents and at the same time further acquaint the public with the intended use of emergency crossovers.

The median crossovers on the limited access highways are maintained by the Highway Department only for use by the Highway Department maintenance crews, law enforcement officers and emergency vehicles.

All employees of the Highway Department have been asked to observe any violations and report them, along with the license number of the vehicle, to the State Police in Frankfort.

"Drivers fail to realize the lives they are endangering including their own and those in their vehicles, when they slow their vehicle in one 70 mph lane to make the crossover and then try to enter the opposite 70 mph lane," Commissioner Ward said. "If by this enforcement-educational means we can save but one life, it will have been worth the efforts of the state and those of interested citizens reporting the violations."

MALAYSIA IGNORES TIN PACT

Kuala Lumpur—Malaysia, the world's largest producer of tin, decided not to sign the third international tin agreement. Prime Minister Abdul Rahman said the cabinet has decided that the new agreement would restrict prices and curtail interest in expanding, prospecting and exploiting marginal mines.

MARRIED 67 YEARS AGO



Today (Thursday), 67 years ago, Ben K. Akers and Miss Melvina Clark were married at Dana, on Prater Creek. Today, at their home in the same community, they will observe another wedding anniversary.

Except for a few years which they spent at Betsy Layne, a few miles away, Mr. and Mrs. Akers have spent their entire lives in the vicinity of their present home. She is 87, and Mr. Akers will attain the same age, next month.

College Office To Be Open Daily Except Dec. 24, 31; 2nd Semester Schedule Given

The Prestonsburg Community College will maintain the following office hours during the Christmas holidays:

From 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except for Friday, December 24, and Friday, December 31. The faculty will reconvene in Lexington, January 5, 6 and 7 for a system-wide community college meeting.

The schedule for the second semester follows:

Monday, January 10—All returning students to make appropriate schedule changes, payment of fees, purchase of books, etc.—9 a.m. through 3 p.m.; 6 p.m.—registration for night classes for the spring semester.

Tuesday, January 11—9 a.m., registration of all new students; 1 p.m.—American College Test. All students who have not taken this entrance examination must do so at this time to be eligible for admission to Prestonsburg Community College.

Wednesday, Jan. 12—6 p.m.

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Miss Tracy has won numerous honors and awards; received the Gold Medal for the best oil collection at the New York World Fair, 1939; received a citation from Governor Terry Sanford, of North Carolina; is author of Painting Principles and Practices which was published in August, 1965.

All Floyd counties are invited to view the Art Exhibit and become acquainted with our many available free services.



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pointed out that a related agency's attempt to coordinate such an important phase of public health work could never be expected to work in the same efficient harmony as could the local health agencies of the State Health Department.

This failure has been demonstrated in the current Martin county tuberculosis project and others, it was pointed out.

Board members were told that Governor Breathitt has responded to the petition presented him with assurance that he will make the requested transfer.

The Floyd Board of Health is composed of Dr. H. G. Salisbury, Jr., chairman, Dr. Russell L. Hall, secretary, Dr. James D. Adams, Dr. James Holbrook, Dr. C. L. Allen, County Judge Henry Stumbo and Mrs. Ruth Reynolds.

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Allen Lions, organizations represented in planning for the program were the Kentucky State Police, the Martin Kiwanis Club, the Pikeville Jaycees, the University of Kentucky Extension Department and the Floyd County Extension Service. Officials taking part included Circuit Judge Hollie Conley, County Judge Henry Stumbo, County Superintendent Charles Clark and Circuit Clerk Frank DeRossett.

Kelly Succeeds Hale As Sheriff Assn. Head

Harold Kelly, of Elizabethtown, was elected president of the Kentucky Sheriffs' Association at the meeting of the organization in Louisville last week. Sheriff Kelly succeeds Sheriff Henry C. Hale, of this county. Sheriff Hale was named chairman of the Association's legislative committee.

Other officers named: D. Y. Perdue, public relations director; Hanson Slaten, first vice-president; Ray Slope, Boyd county sheriff, second vice-president.

Sheriff Perry Justice, of Pike county, was named to the board of directors.

In Greenland



T/Sgt. Rush Meade, son of H. F. Meade, of Hi Hat, will not be home for Christmas with his friends and family. He is serving a year in Thule, Greenland. His wife, the former Justine Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bates, Bevinsville, resides at their home in Fairborn, Ohio, with their two children, Thomas Ray and Carla Jeanne.

PUB OPENING WAS A SMASHER

London—When England's first drive-in pub opened recently, only one customer profited by it. He was truck driver Stephen King who was handed a drink after his truck smashed into the pub.



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Hall, of Galveston, and a sister, Mrs. Bessie Blankenship, Teaberry.

Funeral services were conducted December 20 at 10 a.m. from the victim's home, ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Holly Bush cemetery at Teaberry under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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ANNOUNCE BIRTH
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hackworth announce the birth on November 16 of their first child, a daughter. She has been named Lora Marie. Mrs. Hackworth is the daughter of Esman Little, of Weeksbury.

UK ANNOUNCES NEW ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Special to The Times
Lexington, Ky.—Whether they plan to major in engineering or economics, education or entomology, all University of Kentucky freshmen, beginning next September, will enroll in the College of Arts and Sciences and remain in that college until the beginning of their junior year.

This policy, part of a broad new academic program just approved by the University's Board of Trustees, is aimed at giving all UK graduates, whatever their major field of study, a liberal education based on the equivalent of a full year's study in the basic disciplines.

The new plan further stipulates that all freshmen entering the University next September and thereafter must complete, as a requirement for graduation, a sequence of course work in not less than five of eight prescribed areas of general studies. These areas are (1) mathematics-philosophy; (2) physical sciences; (3) biological sciences; (4) foreign languages; (5) humanities (literature, art and music); (6) history; (7) social sciences, and (8) behavioral sciences.

The general studies sequences are not freshman and sophomore requirements but graduation requirements, and so may be completed at any time during the four years of undergraduate work. The separate colleges within the University may require completion of more, but not less, than five of the eight sequences.

In no case does the new program extend the time required for completion of the baccalaureate degree work.

By requiring a student to take at least two courses in each of the five basic study areas, the new plan gives a measure of depth as well as breadth to all undergraduate work.

Although all freshmen and sophomores at UK will be enrolled in Arts and Sciences when the new plan is in full operation, each student will have from the outset an academic advisor from the department in which he plans to major after transfer to a professional college at the beginning of the junior year.

Because the new program requires virtually the same general studies curriculum for all, it will allow students to change their major with little difficulty.

New Way To Detect Mental Retardation Is Being Emphasized

A stepped-up effort to detect phenylketonuria (PKU), a cause of mental retardation in infants, is being made by state and county health departments in cooperation with physicians and hospital administrators, Dr. Jo Anne Sexton, director of the Mental Retardation Program, Division of Maternal and Child Health, said this week.

Since 1962 the state and county health departments have made efforts to locate and detect cases of PKU and other metabolic diseases by using the urine testing method. Urine screening test kits are mailed to mothers of newborn babies who are then to collect urine samples when the infant is four to six weeks old. Only 40 percent of the mothers, however, have returned the kits for testing.

Newer tests now allow detection of PKU from a drop of blood when the infant is only two to four days old. In this way, babies can be tested while they are in the newborn nursery. As approximately 95 percent of all Kentucky babies are born in a hospital, this percentage of babies delivered by midwives or those who leave the hospital early and take samples for testing. The tests will be run at the State Department of Health Laboratory, Frankfort.

Approximately one baby of every 10,000 born has PKU. If this condition is diagnosed early, any progression of mental retardation can be halted through a special diet. Diet for these babies is furnished through the State Department of Health. At present, there are 16 Kentucky babies on the special diet.

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at any time during the freshman or sophomore years. In addition to providing a liberal education base for all graduates, the plan commits the University to a continuing effort to improve instruction by involving its ablest and most experienced faculty in classroom teaching, at the undergraduate as well as the graduate level; by continuing to award teaching improvement fellowships to faculty members; and by establishment of an Instructional Resources Center that will keep professors abreast of the latest developments in teaching aids and techniques.

To help overcome the "lost" feeling which many lower division students encounter in a large and complex university, the UK plan proposes the development in Lexington of one or more residential colleges for freshmen and sophomores.

As presently envisioned, each residential college would provide living accommodations for about 1,500 students in six dormitories of 250 beds each. Classroom, lecture rooms and library facilities adequate for about 80 percent of the freshman courses and about 60 percent of the sophomore work would be included in the complex.

The college would have its own dining and recreation facilities. Dormitory rooms would be grouped so that about 40 students could share a common lounge and conference rooms for discussion groups.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our relatives and friends who assisted in any way upon the passing of our loved one, David Marrs; for the beautiful floral offerings, the food which was taken to the home and especially the consoling and comforting words of the ministers, Revs. Lorie Vannucci, John P. Billiter and Leonard Sumner; for Sherrill Frazier's solo, the Methodist Choir and those who rendered the music; also members of the Masonic Lodge who took part in the graveside service, the honorary and active pallbearers and for the efficient service of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

MRS. DAVID MARRS AND FAMILY

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WILL ATTEND WEDDING

Mrs. Ethel Akers Hall will leave this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Junior Willis, and family at Coal Grove, Ohio. She will attend the wedding, December 24, of Miss Rebecca Mann and Mr. Coolidge Jarvis in the Berlington Methodist Church.

Louisville is the home of the world's largest manufacturer of baseball bats. Most of the bats are made of mountain ash.

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Programs scheduled on December 24 and December 25 by WDOC Radio. Christmas Music will be scheduled throughout the period.

WDOC-AM (1310) Christmas Programs On December 24

6:30-6:45 Under the Christmas Tree
8:30-8:45 Little Star of Bethlehem
8:45-9:00 Christmas Music
9:45-10:00 Little Star of Bethlehem
10:30-11:00 Lawrence Welk Show
11:30-12:00 Santa Claus Rides Again
12:30-1:00 Story of the Nativity
1:45-2:00 A Tribute to Christmas
2:30-2:45 Christmas Music
4:15-4:45 The Littlest Angel

WDOC-AM (1310) Christmas Programs On December 25

6:30-6:45 Christmas Music
7:15-7:45 Santa Claus Rides Again
8:00-8:15 Under the Christmas Tree
9:10-9:25 A Tribute to Christmas
9:30-10:00 Story of the Nativity
10:10-10:25 Lawrence Welk Show
10:30-11:00 Lullaby of Christmas
12:30-1:00 Christmas Music
2:30-3:00 Lawrence Welk
3:30-4:30 A Christmas Carol

WDOC-FM (95.5) Christmas Programs On December 24

9:00-10:30 a.m. The Messiah
6:00-6:30 p.m. Story of the Nativity
8:00-9:00 p.m. Christmas Carol
10:00-10:30 p.m. Santa Claus Rides Again

WDOC-FM (95.5) Christmas Programs On December 25

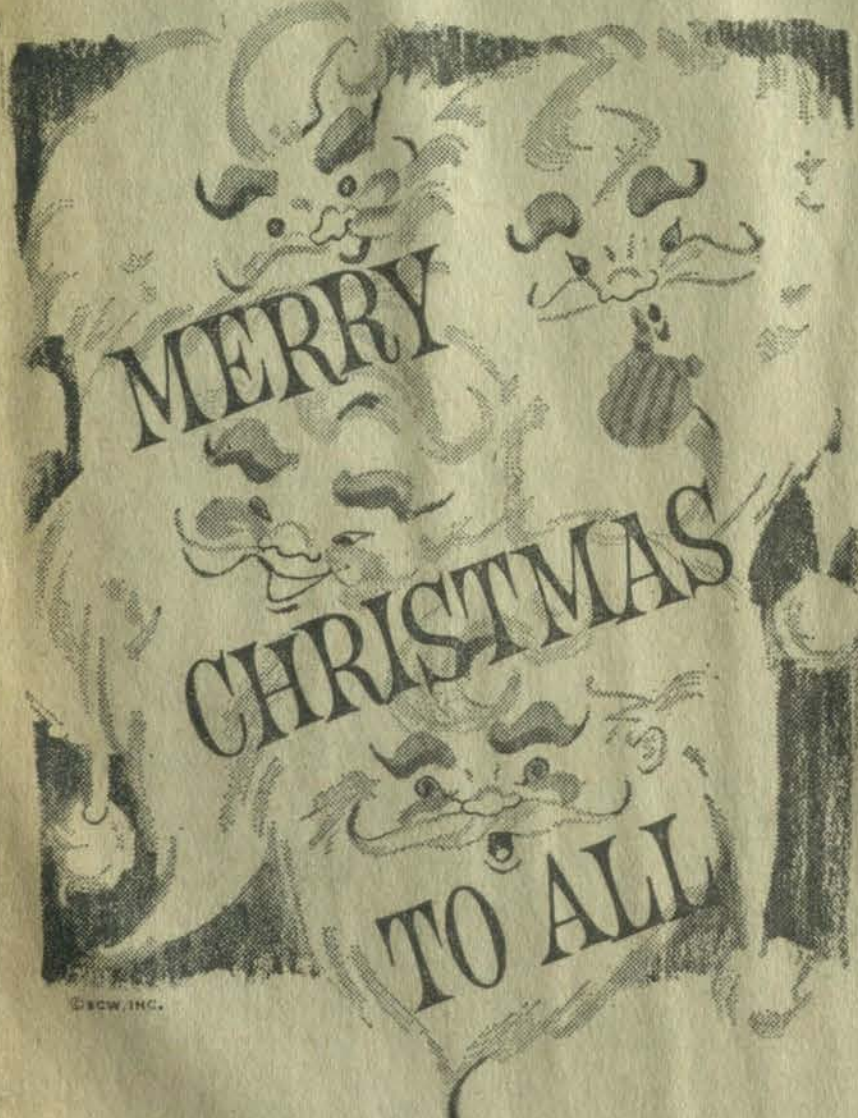
10:30-11:00 Christmas Visit With Ted Malone
12:30-1:00 Lawrence Welk Christmas Party
5:30-6:00 The Littlest Angel
10:00-11:30 The Messiah

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WE WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAYS, DEC. 27 THRU JAN. 1.

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With This Coupon and Purchase of 1 lb. center sliced SMOKED HAM
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1 VALUABLE COUPON G
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Delsey White & Ass'd. Colors Tissue 5 2 ct. pkgs. \$1
Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce .. 2 No. 300 cans 39c
Spotlight Bean Coffee 3 lb. bag \$1.85
Kroger Cottage Cheese 2 lb. crtn. 49c

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Boston Boneless Tenderay Rolled Roast lb. 89c
Gold Medal Plain & S. R. Flour 5 lb. bag 49c
Stokely Applesauce 8 No. 303 cans \$1
Morton Assorted Variety Fruit Pies 4 20-oz. pkgs. \$1
Country Club Ice Cream 1/2 gal. 49c
Sweet Treat Sliced Pineapple 3 No. 2 1/2 cans \$1
Avondale Yellow Cling Peaches 4 No. 2 1/2 cans 89c
Kroger Grapefruit - Blended - Orange Juices 3 46-oz. cans \$1

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Oranges
Large Size
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SCD NOTES
BY GERALD N. HART
Soil Conservationist

The Floyd County Soil Conservation District was presented Monday night at the regular board meeting, with a revised memorandum of understanding with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Gerald Hart, of Prestonsburg, work unit conservationist, made the presentation.

The revised memorandum of understanding is based on a modernized soil conservation district program developed under the leadership of J. B. Clarke, chairman of the Floyd County Soil Conservation District board of supervisors, and H. D. Fitzpatrick, R. C. Barnett, Lloyd Wells, and Billy Merritt, members.

The board of supervisors received assistance from Gerald Hart, Work Unit Conservationist, the field representative with the Kentucky Division of Soil and Water Resources, along with the Agricultural Extension Services, Farmers Home Administration, and the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

In a letter to Mr. Clarke, Secretary of Agriculture Freeman said, "I want to commend the governing body of your district for their progressive action in updating the soil and water conservation program and modernizing the memorandum of understanding with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This is an important initial step in helping private landowners move forward more effectively with their resource conservation and development."

H. A. Taff, Soil Conservation Service State Conservationist, Lexington, in a letter to Clarke expressed the compliments of Administrator Williams to the members of the District governing body for their foresight and vision in broadening the concepts of conservation and rural areas development in their district and commended them for recognizing the new challenges and opportunities which lie ahead in this field. He pledged to them the full cooperation of the Soil Conservation Service in meeting these new challenges.

The revised district program and basic memorandum replace those developed in 1950, when the district was first organized. The documents recognize modern concepts in resource development and soil and water conservation, and provide for full use of current programs and modern technology.

IN MEMORIAM

In Memory of my beloved husband and father Maryland Isaac who passed away one year ago, the 29th of December, 1964.

Deep in our heart lies a memory:
More precious than anyone will ever know:
It's a memory of my sweet husband and father we lost one year ago.

MRS. ANNIE ISAAC AND CHILDREN,
Martin, Ky. 11-pd

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to take this means of thanking all who assisted me in any way during the illness and upon the death of my dear mother, Dollie Collins. I want to especially thank those who sent food and flowers and those who came to my home, also the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kind and efficient services.
MRS. DELPHIA ADKINS

Alice Lloyd Choir Visits Floyd Schools

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Alice Lloyd College's choir, "Voices from Appalachia," began a holiday tour with appearances Monday, at Wayland high school and Tuesday at Maytown, McDowell and Martin high schools.

This season, the choir is 53 voices strong under the direction of Abner Greider, Alice Lloyd director of music. It also performed Tuesday and Wednesday in Knott and Letcher county schools.

Last year, "Voices from Appalachia" won national acclaim for appearances at the New York World's Fair.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On and after publication of this notice I will not be responsible for any debt or debts incurred by any person other than myself.

OLIVER WILLIAMSON
Betsy Layne, Ky.

12-16-31-pd

CARD OF THANKS

The wife and children of B. L. (Bev) Sturgill wish to express our appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us in our recent loss.

THE STURGILL FAMILY

Invitation To Bid

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept the highest sealed bid for the following vehicles, as is, until 12 noon, January 8, 1965:

ITEM 1. 1 1/2-ton International Dump Truck, No. 35791, 1955 model.

ITEM 2. One Jeep, 33471, 1951 model.

ITEM 3. One school bus, No. 2, International, SD 2-40-129993, 1954 model.

ITEM 4. One school bus, No. 10, Ford, D60V5N23871, 1955 model.

ITEM 5. One school bus, No. 11, Ford, D60V6H-78372, 1955 model.

The above vehicles may be inspected by contacting Freddie Turner at the Floyd County Board of Education Garage, Allen, Kentucky, phone 374-2416.

12-23-31

'Bethlehem Road' Presented at Lodge

"Bethlehem Road," a Christmas program, with music, was presented at the annual Christmas dinner of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club at May Lodge, December 9, with Mrs. Tom James, music chairman of the club, as leader.

The story, with scripture passages, was read by Miss Mary Elizabeth Power, with vocal solos by Mrs. James J. Carter, Miss Daisy Miller, Mrs. Johnny Ellis, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens and Gus Kalos. Mrs. Kalos and Mrs. James were accompanists.

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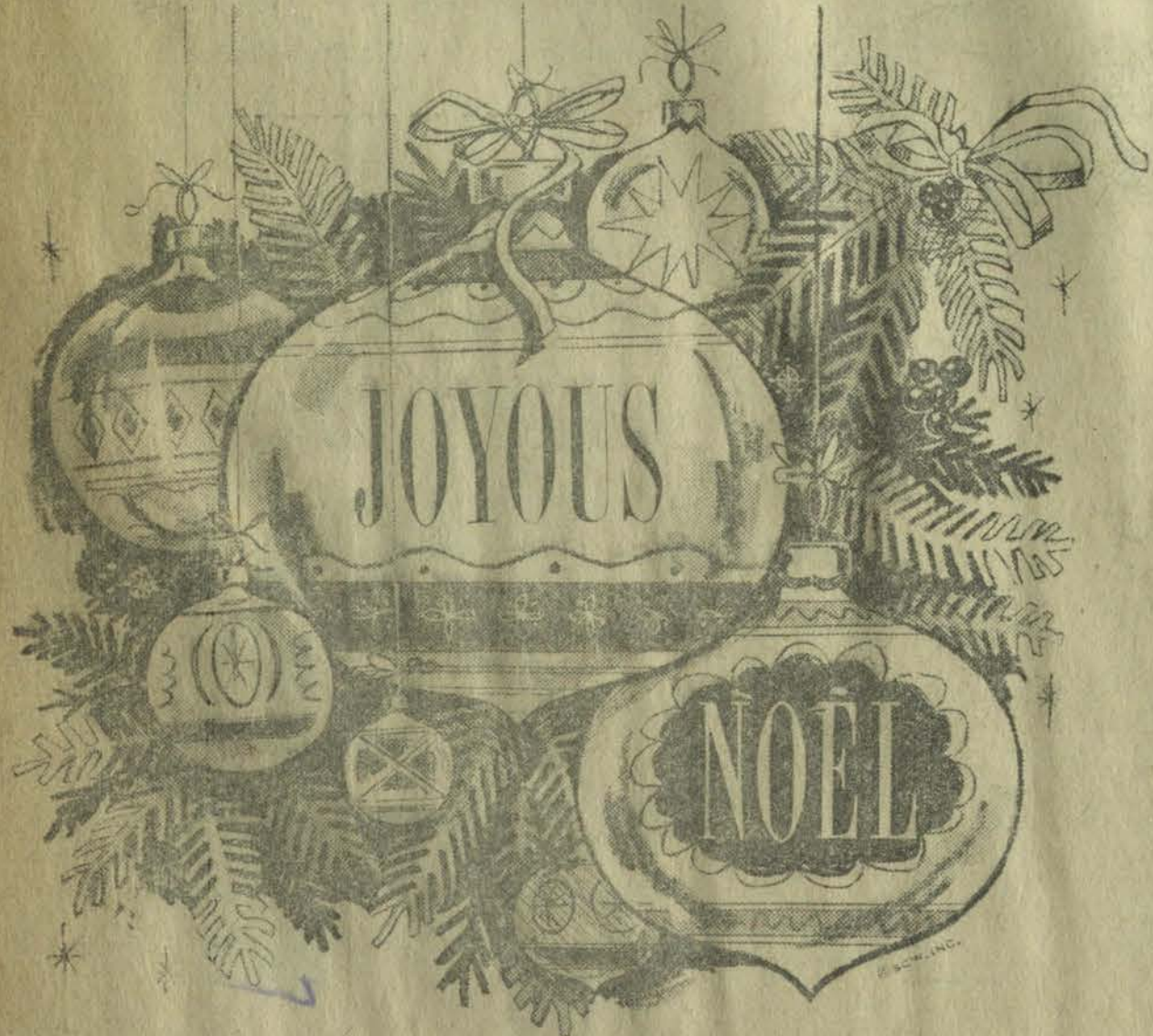
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GUESTS OF MRS. McCOY
 Endicott, Ky.—Guests to dinner and a prayer service at the home of Mrs. Maggie McCoy were Mrs. Martha Bevins, of Stanville, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Foley and Paul, Walker Cline and sons, Scott and Alan, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Celia McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. James and Mrs. Mary L. Taylor.

Operators of Hospital At Harlan in Protest Against ARH Fund Drive

Harlan, Ky.—The operators of a private hospital disclosed their objections yesterday to a fund-raising drive by the Appalachian Regional Hospitals.

It is seeking \$3.6 million to help meet expenses of the 10 hospitals in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia.

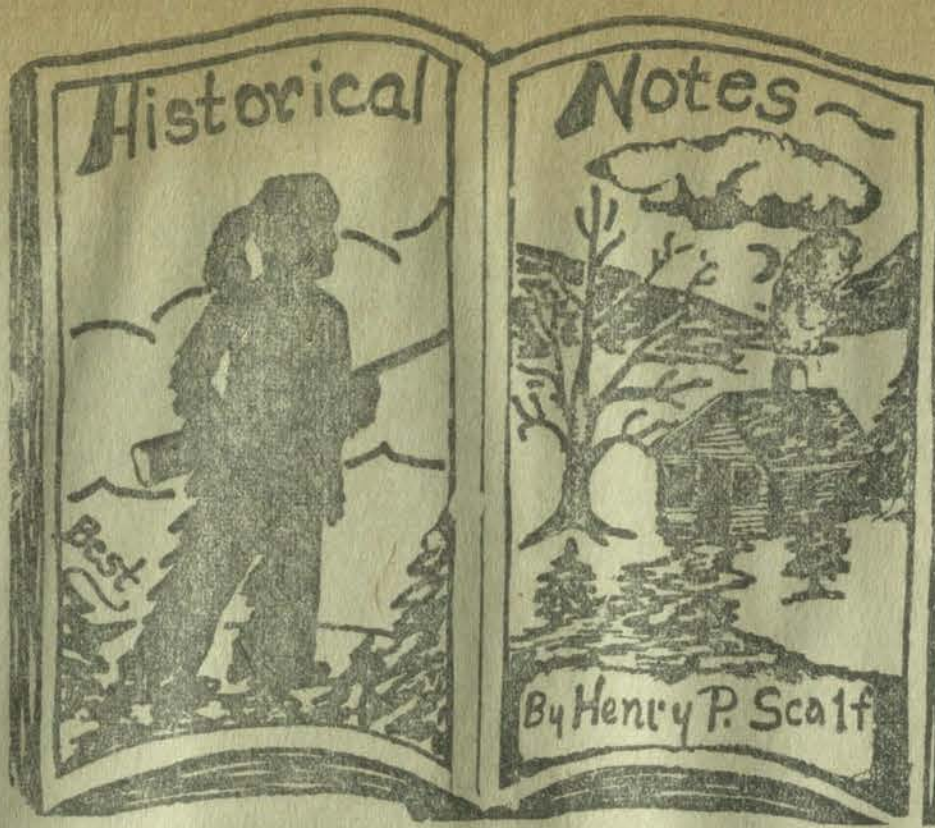
But Dr. E. M. Howard and Mrs. W. P. Cawood said they feel "it is only fair and proper that the Appalachian Regional Hospitals operate on their earned income as we have had to do for the past 50 years."

Howard and Mrs. Cawood, operators of Harlan Hospital, said in a joint statement that "we carried the load for over 40 years, serving three generations without asking for help. During all these years, we paid all our bills from the income received from our patients."

The sold facilities were purchased from the United Mine Workers after the organization announced it planned to dispose of the hospitals. Some state and federal grants were made available to complete the transaction.

Referring to this, Howard said "the owners of Harlan Hospital can find no precedent (for the grants)."

ARH's fund-raising drive is headed by Donald C. Cook, president of the American Electric Power Co., New York.



MAYO-TALBOT, QUARLES-SAMPSON

A branch of the Mayo family, little or unknown to the Kentucky Mayos, is one that broke off early back in Virginia, moved to Tennessee, then to Texas. However, the Eastern Kentucky families and the Tennessee-Texas Mayos are, of course, descended from a common ancestor.

Mrs. Horace J. Kittrell, 7244 West Lake Drive, Dallas, Texas, writes:

"The Mayos have fascinated me for years and comes into my husband's paternal line through the marriage of Valentine Mayo (Valentine, James, Valentine, b. ante 1660) in 1790, Henry county, Virginia, to Martha Hughes, daughter of Blackmore Hughes, of Henry county, Virginia, in Blount county, Tennessee, by 1803. Their son, Blackmore Hughes Mayo, born 1793, married Gizzie Kelse, born 1796, daughter of Hugh Kelse, whom I established as a Revolutionary War soldier."

"Louisa Melvina Mayo, born 1822 to Blackmore Hughes and Gizzie Mayo, married William Gay, in Blount county, Tennessee, and their daughter, Grizzie Catherine Gay, born 1851, married William Wesley Kittrell, Monroe county, Georgia. Their son, Joseph Peeler Kittrell, born 1871, Monroe county, Tennessee, and came to Texas. He married Ollie Elizabeth Qualls and were the parents of my husband, Horace Joseph Kittrell, born 1902."

"That is how the Mayo family came to be connected with our lines. We have the family fairly complete with the exception of proving Revolutionary service of any kind for both Valentine Mayo and his neighbor, Blackmore Hughes, both living in Henry county after 1778 or by or before its establishment as a county."

"Isham Talbot, of Kentucky, was a brother to my Revolutionary soldier, Matthew Talbot, II, and both sons of Colonel Matthew Talbot. But the others of the Talbot family went on down into Georgia except a couple of sons of Matthew Talbot, II, who, when he left the Watauga area, remained in Tennessee around Nashville."

"Another line of my husband's (maternal line) was the Quarles or Qualls which has given me no end of trouble. I have established Abner Quarles as a Revolutionary War soldier, originally from Virginia, who received a Kentucky land grant for his services but I was never able to find a description of the land. I feel it must have been in the border area that Surveyor Walker 'messed' up and later fell into Tennessee as he was in Robertson county, Tennessee, when he died February, 1823. The old Qualls (as they spelled it after coming to Texas) family Bible said that his son Richard was born in Kentucky at Keysburg and married there to a Rachel Solomon. But this Bible is quite mixed up. I have a photostat of his marriage to Rachel Solomon, November 19, 1843, in Montgomery county, Tennessee, and he was buried in Montgomery county. He was born in 1795 in Caswell county, North Carolina. Then again the Bible says that their son, Robert Henry Hatton Qualls, was born August 8, 1844, in Logan county or Todd county, Kentucky. I have no proof that this is not true and it may well be inasmuch as it was Robert Henry Qualls himself who did the writing. But I have never been able to establish who Rachel Solomon was or who were her parents."

"I have an aged aunt by marriage who visited Kentucky about 20 years ago. She says that it was to see Ex-Governor Sampson and his sister, who had written several books, one on the Sampson family. This aunt married Oscar Sampson, my mother's brother, whose father was John Sampson, of Smith county, Tenn., son of Coleman Sims Sampson, born in Smith county, in 1810, who was son of Stephen Sampson, born 1780 in Virginia, who was son of Francis Sampson, another Revolutionary War soldier who died ca 1836 in Smith county."

DAMRON FAMILY
 Mrs. Helen Foster Snow, 148 Mungertown Road, Madison, Connecticut, writes she has compiled a genealogy of the descendants of Lazarus Dameron, of Albemarle county, Virginia. The original ancestor of the family was Lawrence Dameron (Dameron), Northumberland county, Virginia. Many of the de-

scendants settled in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia. The book is for sale by Mrs. Snow.

"I would like to ask that any Dameron-Damron descendants send me information to be put into a supplement to the book as I add a supplement every year. All the Damrons in the south are related."

"The only other family of that name is that of Humphrey Dameron, in Maine before 1650, whom I believe to be a brother or son of Capt. John Dameron, first of the name in Virginia where his wife, Bridgett, died in 1622 in an Indian massacre. I also believe Lawrence Dameron, in Northumberland county, Virginia, in 1952, was the son of this Capt. John Dameron but as yet have no proof. I was in England and other European countries recently for nearly three months. I did research in the British Museum, Public Record office and elsewhere. I visited two Dameron manor houses in Suffolk county, England, near Ipswich."

Lazarus Dameron, ancestor of the Damrons of this region, was one of the Big Sandy valley's first settlers and afterward settled on Twelve Pole Creek, in Wayne county, West Virginia, where he was also an early settler. He was one of the frontier posse who marched with Mathias Harman in a futile attempt to rescue Jenny Wiley from the Indians in 1789. At that time he was living in Southwest Va.

POWER FIRM PLAYS HOST

17 Employees Receive Service Pins at Dinner

The Pikeville Division of the Kentucky Power Company recently held its third service anniversary dinner for employees of the division who had service anniversaries during 1965. Seventeen employees whose combined service totalled 350 years were awarded AEP Company service pins.

H. H. Kincaid, division manager, welcomed the group and presented service awards. Principal address was made by R. F. Millikan, general safety and employee relations supervisor of the Kentucky Power Company, stationed at Ashland. Mr. Millikan has had more than 40 years' service with Kentucky Power.

The following employees were recognized for their service with the company:

Betty Robinette, 20 years; F. E. Phillips, 30 years; R. L. Huffman, 20 years; Allen Blackburn, 40 years; Bill Harris, 20 years; Raymond Scott, five years; Raymond Ratliff, 20 years; Gratho Williams, 20 years; Arlie Wright, 25 years; Lynn Jennings, 15 years; Farest Bevins, 20 years; Bruce Prater, 15 years; Jess Collier, 20 years; Charles Campbell, 20 years; Chandos Tackett, 20 years; Ralph Damron, 20 years, and V. A. Syck, who retired, was presented his 30-year pin.



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N-TESTS IN NEVADA

Washington — The Atomic Energy Commission said two underground nuclear tests were conducted yesterday at its Nevada test site. The tests, making a total of 24 announced this year, were described as low yield (equivalent to less than 20,000 tons of TNT).

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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of husband and Father, T. Y. Martin, who passed away, February 1, 1960:

I try in vain to understand—
Forgive me, Lord, in tears I pray.
As this ends five sad, lonesome Christmas years,
Memories are a heart-ache no one can heal.
We all loved him very much—
God must have loved him too;
We know how many helpful things
His kind hands found to do.
I sit alone and think of you,
Your smiling face I long to view;
Altho you have passed away,
I long to see you every day.
Our boy is all I have to love,
My treasures are so few;
I hope some day to meet you
in that city of glory and love.
To dwell with the angels, day and night.

His wife,
MRS. T. Y. MARTIN
AND SON,
NORMAN B.

LET'S SAVE OUR MOURNING DOVES!

Now's the open season on our beautiful mourning doves and it has been estimated during this season something like two hundred million will be slaughtered! At such an alarming rate, the dove is destined to go the way of the extinct passenger pigeons. The mourning dove should be put on the list of song birds so it will be protected from the guns of hunters. There is very little to eat about a mourning dove—its body when dressed weighs about four ounces. And when the parent doves are killed, the young are left in the nest to starve to death. Doves rear several broods each season and are often nesting in the fall. Shooting doves for sport is one of the lowest of diversions—on a par with drowning little puppies.

Doves from ancient times have been regarded as a symbol of peace. The dove was sent by Noah from the ark to see if the raging waters had subsided and on her second round, she returned with a green leaf in her mouth.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT THE MOURNING DOVE

Not only is the dove a symbol of peace, it is also a symbol of eternal life and of the Holy Spirit. When Christ was baptized the Spirit in the form of a dove descended upon him. That is why the dove is considered sacred in some countries. According to legend, its mournful song is a lamentation over the destruction of the earth by the flood; when the dove flew out over the scene of devastation of the earth on her first trip she couldn't find a single green leaf and has lamented over it ever since.

One mourning dove will devour 10,000 obnoxious weed seeds in a normal day of feeding.

Doves feed their young on predigested "pigeon's milk," which they siphon down the throat of the little ones.

The dove is also a symbol of love as well as peace. We speak of lovers as "billing and cooing like a dove."

The mourning dove has fourteen feathers in its long tail and the feathers make a whistling sound in flight. The tail is bordered by white, which flashes conspicuously when the bird flies.

The legs and feet of the mourning dove are bright red.

The back of the dove is grayish-brown, its breast is a fawn color and its belly is pinkish cinnamon or buffy. There is a dark spot behind each eye.

The dove is as gentle as it is beautiful and deserves every protection.

SONG OF THE MOURNING DOVE

The mourning dove gets its name from its haunting melody. This bird is a master of phonetics and achieves the mournful effect by a clever combination of the right vowels with certain consonants, like "c" and "h." Heard at close range, the song can be described as follows: It is introduced by a mournful "OO-ah!" which sets the pace for the sad lamentation. One has to be close to the bird to catch the "OO-ah" introduction. Then the song is rendered with three mournful coos: "Coo-oo, Coo-oo, Coo!" The first two "coos" are drawn out. By combining the deep sound of double o, with the consonant "c" the dove achieves the mournful lamentation.

One has to hear the song at close range in order to get the full mournful effect of the song. I have heard bird watchers say the song can make the tears

start when heard close by. Some say this bird's song expresses hopeless sorrow; others say it is an expression of passionate devotion; others say it is the lovelorn song of bird pining for its mate. The song is one of the deeper mysteries of nature.

This dove is also called "turtle dove" in the Old Bible and was sometimes used for offering sacrifices. Mary, the mother of Jesus, brought two turtle doves to offer, according to the law of Moses, for purifying after Christ was born.

For all its beauty and grace, the mourning dove builds a carelessly constructed nest, out of sticks placed precariously in the forks of a tree; two white eggs are laid in the nest. The eggs sometimes roll out. What this dove lacks in the art of nest-building, it makes up for it in parental devotion, as doves are devoted to their young.

The mourning doves rear 4 broods in a season unless molested by enemies. One Ohio bird student reports finding doves nesting every month of the year except January and December. That is why it is so tragic to shoot doves in the fall, when they often have little ones in the nest, which are left to die.

Let us all work to save our mourning doves from ruthless slaughter, lest they become extinct like the passenger pigeons. Doves help the farmer by destroying obnoxious weed seeds, caterpillars and grasshoppers. The great Nehru of India once said: "The world is itself the greatest fairy tale and story of adventure that has ever been recorded by man. But we must have eyes to see the wonders and ears to hear and a heart to love; then the world of beauty will open out to us and we will understand the wonders of life."

THEORY ON MALARIA TAKES NOBEL PRIZE

Sir Ronald Ross, a British physician, won the 1902 Nobel medicine prize for showing that mosquitoes transmit malaria, reports World Book Encyclopedia. Ross made the discovery in 1898, studying malaria in birds.

Floyd Workers Join Others at Company's Christmas Function

The annual Kentucky Power Company employees' Christmas dinner was held December 10 in the main office building, Pikeville.

This annual event for employees and guests consisted of a traditional dinner of all the usual holiday treats and surprises, group singing, door prizes, bingo and just plain visiting and conversation. This is an annual get-together for all employees and one of the company's main social events of the year.

The employees came from Paintsville, Prestonsburg, Hat, Jenkins and throughout this service area to join the group stationed at Pikeville. Other guests from the Ashland general office and from the system joined them.

Saturday, December 11, at 1 p.m., the annual visit of Santa Claus to the Kentucky Power Company children and grandchildren was held in the accounting office of the office building. There were cartoons, goodies and a visit from Santa Claus with gifts for the children.

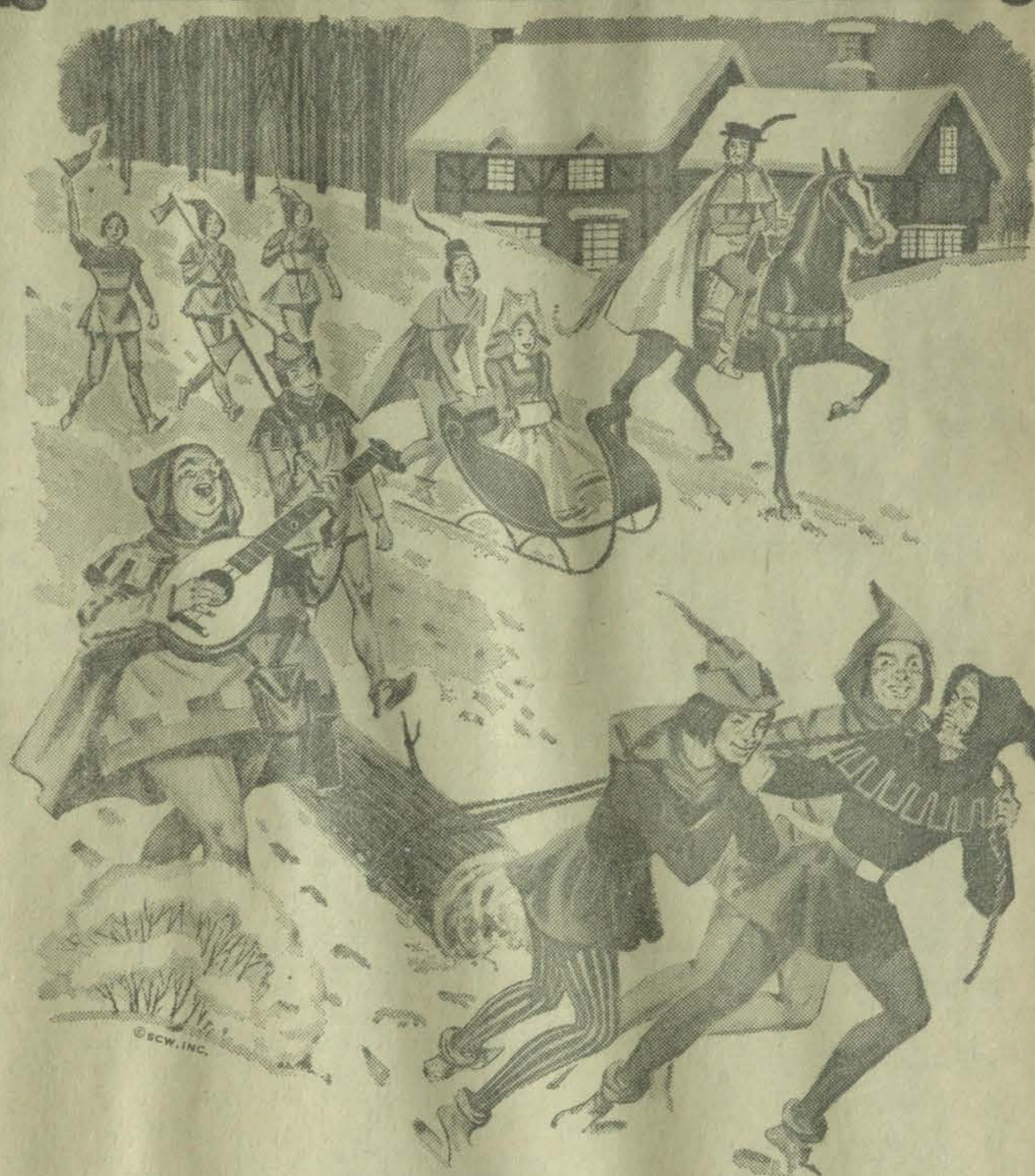
Lexington, Ky. — Five dog wardens were named yesterday to enforce the city's new ordinance against free-running canines. Each will receive \$348 a month.

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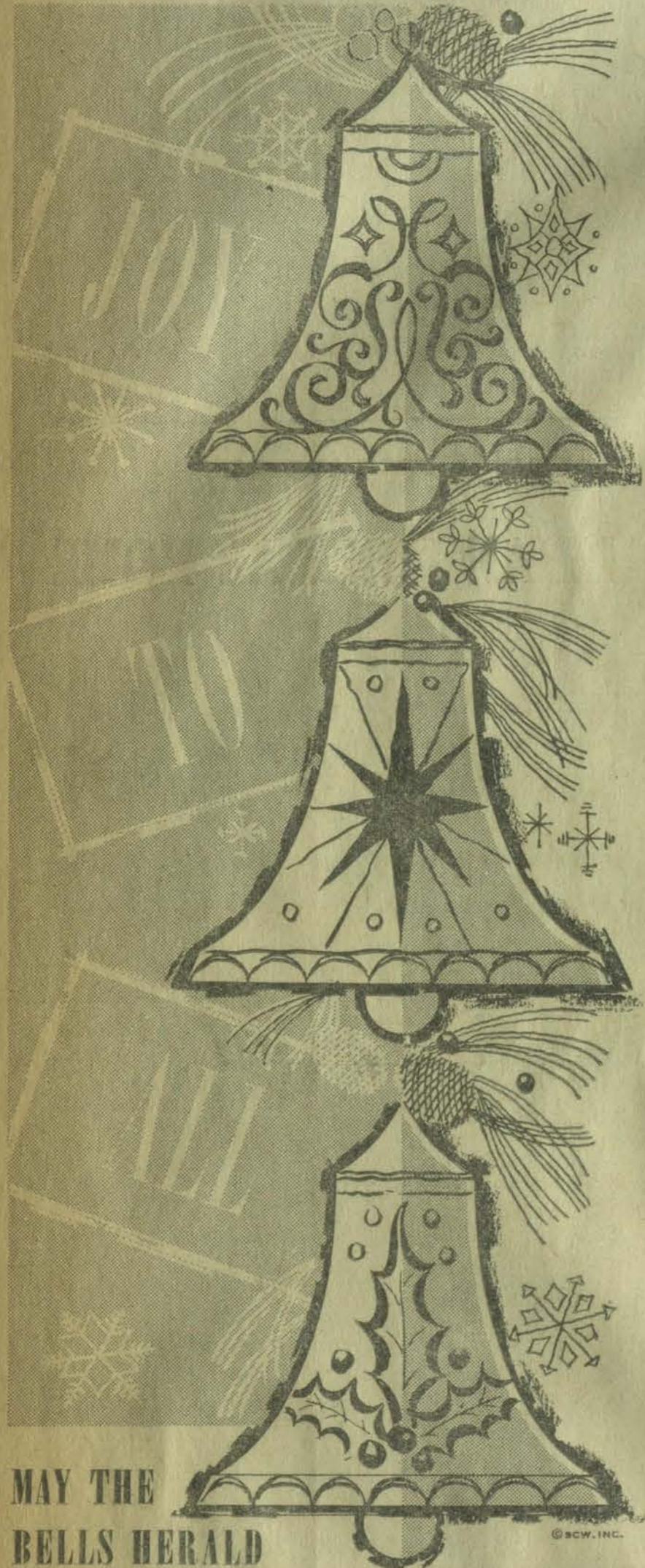
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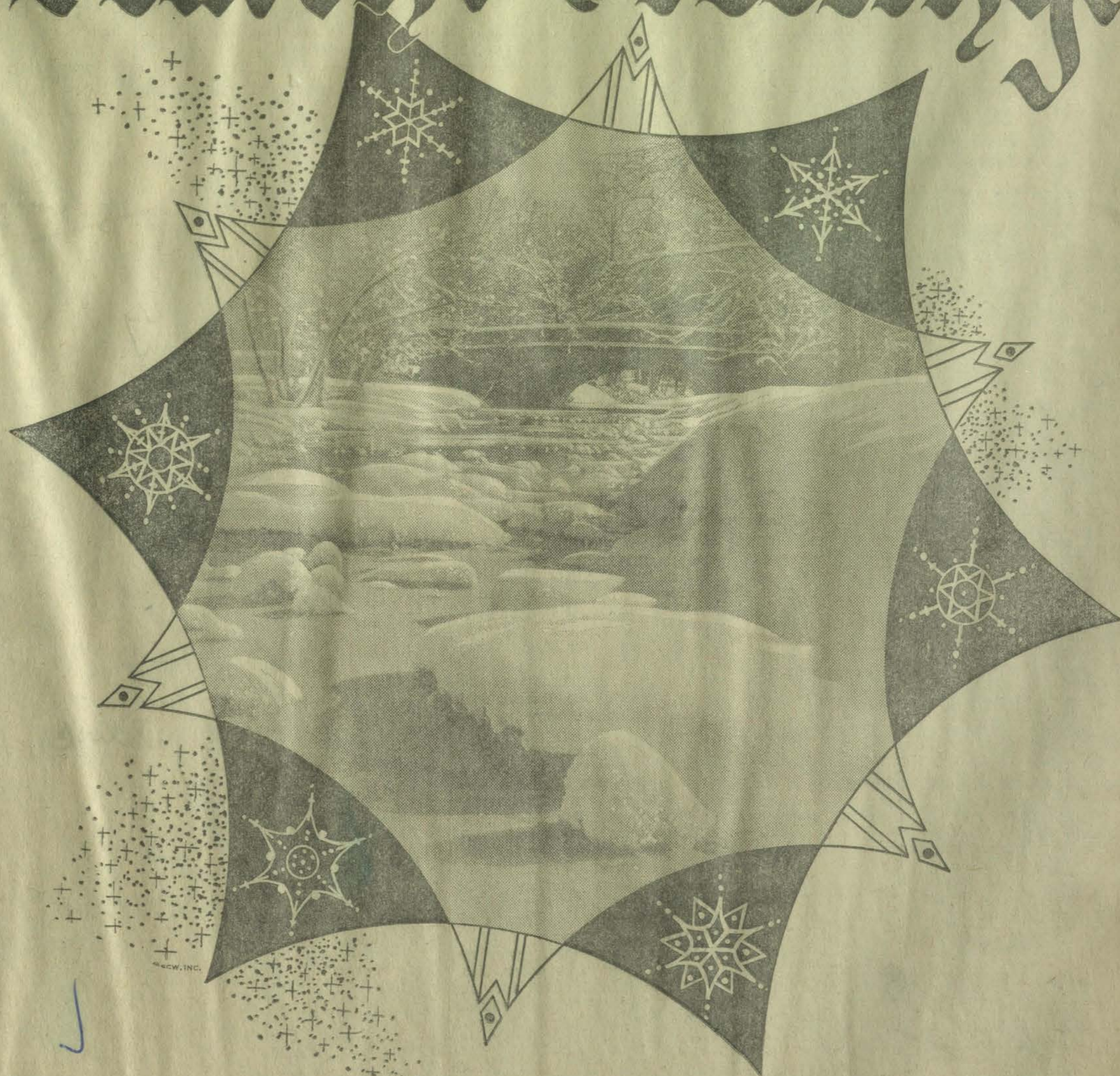
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ITALIAN ROULETTE FATAL
 San Remo, Italy — Giuseppe Galluzzo watched the roulette wheel stop on his number at the San Remo Casino yesterday—and dropped dead. Galluzzo had bet on 31. The win was worth 52,500 lire (\$94).

Washington — Cost of dinners planned by the Republican senatorial campaign committee here February 3 will be \$500 each.

13 State Cities To Fly 'All-Kentucky' Banners, Said by State Chamber

Thirteen Kentucky cities will fly the "All-Kentucky" banner in 1966 as the result of the 1965 "Opportunity for Progress" program. The program — a community development project sponsored by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce — proclaims cities to be designated "All-Kentucky" for certain qualifications.

J. M. Sanders, Frankfort, chairman of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce Community Development Committee, pointed out that "Emphasis in 1965 was on 'self-help' efforts which utilized and developed most fully local leadership, initiative and resources."

The 13 cities qualifying for the highest award as "All-Kentucky City" were: Campbellsville, Flemingsburg, Frankfort, Glasgow, Harlan, Hartford, Hickman, Jackson, Marion, Middlesboro, Morganfield, Russellville and Somerset.

To receive the highest and coveted designation, required a rating of "excellence" in at least four of the seven project categories which included: Adaptation and Utilization of Location and Natural Resources; Industrial Development; Commercial Development; Comprehensive Planning; Residential; Local Government-Finance and Taxation; and Local Government-Services.

Forty-nine other cities were cited for their entries and will receive recognition of "Excellence" or "Participation." These included Augusta, Bardwell, Beattyville, Beaver Dam, Carrollton, Central City, Clay, Clinton, Columbia, Corbin, Cynthiana, Danville, Dawson Springs, Earlinton, Eddyville, Elizabethtown, Elkton, Eminence, Georgetown, Grayson, Greenville, Harrodsburg, Hodgenville, Horse Cave, Irvine, Kuttawa, Lawrenceburg, Lebanon, Louisville, Maysville, Morehead, Mt. Sterling, Mt. Vernon, Owenton, Paintsville, Paris, Pikeville, Providence, Richmond, Russell County, Shelbyville, Springfield, Stanford, Sturgis, Versailles, Vine Grove, Warsaw, West Liberty and Wickliffe.

A formal ceremony honoring the work of the entire 62 cities is scheduled to be held in Louisville, March 7, when a Community Development Forum and Awards program will be conducted.

The cinchona tree, from which the drug quinine is derived, is a member of the madder family. Its flowers are rose, purple or yellow, and look like lilac blossoms, reports World Book Encyclopedia.



By **JACK M. FRIAR**
 County Extension Agent

4-H ACHIEVEMENT

The Floyd County 4-H Council is planning a spaghetti dinner, Monday night, December 13, at the Betsy Layne luncheon, honoring the county champions in speech, demonstration and projects.

ADDITIONAL CLUB OFFICERS

Clubs which reorganized recently and their officers are:

Clark 7A — President, Ruth Reid; vice president, Kathy Prater; secretary, Bobby Risner; reporter, Susie Hicks; song leaders, Jean Dotson, Shirlene Ousley, Barbara Calhoun; game leaders, Janet Ousley, Bobby Howard, Agalean Watkins; leader, Mrs. Nadine Hicks.

Clark 7B — President, Jim Hyden; vice president, Charles Slone; secretary, Janet Hughes; reporter, Mike Prater; song leaders, Mary Davis, Lucy Poe, Sandra Slone; game leaders, Rudolph Ousley, Bonnie Nelson.

Clark 8th — President, Bill Hackworth; vice president, Kenneth Stephens; secretary, Yvonne Allen; reporter, Charles Hicks; song leaders, Betty Rice, Linda Prater, Carol Pitts, Phyllis Sparks; game leaders, Shirley Hicks, Sue Ousley, Roy Hackworth, Jack Buckley; leaders, Mrs. Delphia Hicks.

Clark 6B — President, Janie Slone; vice president, Deloris Dotson; secretary, Gloria Hicks; reporter, Wanda Ousley; song leaders, George Hale, Johnnie Kilgore, Sarah Justice; game leaders, Larry Cal-

houn, Larry Johnson; leader, Mrs. Goldia Stephens.

Martin 5th — President, Silas Slone; vice president, Ricky Music; secretary, Janet Burchell; reporter, LaDonna Bentley; song leaders, Danny Sizemore, Brenda King, Douglas Compton, Donnie Meadows; game leaders, Kathy Crisp, Clyde Derossett, Linda King, Donna Cick, David Heintzleman; leader, Mrs. May Flannery.

Betsy Layne 6th — President, Clyde Tackett; vice president, Mike Tackett; secretary, Deborah Hall; reporter, Robin Conn; song leaders, May Gibson, Eula Hunt, Debbie Bradley; game leaders, Russell Ferrell, Linda Williams, Sue Johns; leader, Mrs. Agnes Kidd.

Osborne 6th — President, Buster Zimbardo; vice-president, Judy Amburgy; secretary, Charlotte Holbrook; reporter, Carol Issac; song leaders, Freda Johnson, Kerry Pace; leader, Bobby Jones.

Osborne — President, Tony Isaac; vice-president, Donny Bates; secretary, Michael Childers; reporter, Arlene Preston; song leaders, Denise Meade, Robert Stith; game leaders, Jim Thornsberry, James Brown, Johnny Harris.

Stumbo 6th — President, Harvey Tackett; vice-president, Carl Tackett; secretary, Vivian Tackett; reporter, Donisha Reynolds; song leaders, Penny King, Reyvon Tackett, Stella Tackett; game leaders, Larry Tackett, Richard Tackett, David Tackett; cheer-leaders, Aileen Williams, Brenda Wilhite; leader, Mrs. Helen Akers.

State Police Devise Information Method To Hit at Criminals

Frankfort, Ky.—A new method of obtaining information on criminal activities from people who don't want to be identified has been adopted by the Kentucky State Police.

The force announced that it has secured a postoffice box in Frankfort to which tips on crimes and suspected criminals can be sent anonymously.

The address is: P. O. Box 10, Frankfort, Kentucky.

To speed up handling of the letters, tipsters are asked not to address the mail to the State Police.

The State Police said all letters would be studied carefully and distributed to the proper departments for appropriate action. They feel that many people may have information about crimes that have been committed but want to give it anonymously.

The idea for the postoffice box came from a State Police detective who read about a similar venture in a professional magazine.

ROBBERY TRUCK SOLD

Farnborough, England — A truck valued at \$84 went for \$4,200 at an insurance adjuster's auction Wednesday. It was the one used in the Great Train Robbery of more than \$7 million in August, 1963. Garage owner Hamlet Wainwright, the buyer, didn't say what he would do with it.

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 And faith that sees a radiant Star in cold December skies;

Who listens for enchanted sleigh bells in the frosty night,
 And sets a candle on the sill, the Christ Child's way to light!

Yes, Christmas is for children! May this one special be,
 And bring its joy and magic to the child in you and me!

MAUREN MURDOCH

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4-H Camp at Fishtrap Damaged by Vandals; Reward Is Offered

(From The Paintsville Herald)

Vandals literally shattered the J. M. Felner 4-H camp at Fishtrap sometime over the past few days.

Damage to the facility was discovered by county extension agent Carroll Bailey on a visit to the camp Monday.

No official estimates have been made of the cost, but it unquestionably will be in the hundreds of dollars.

Heaviest damage appeared to be inflicted in the girl's rest rooms, where tops of the commodes were smashed on the floor, mirrors destroyed, vents torn from hot water heaters, and the opaque glass door window completely demolished.

Most windows throughout the camp were smashed with rocks which lay everywhere on the floors — from egg to football size. The aluminum window frames also were torn from the walls and twisted beyond repair.

Water fountains located around the main camp area were torn loose, hose and pipe connections cut, and the fountains turned over. Hasps were smashed on most doors, and practically every light bulb was shattered.

Burners from an electric range were pulled loose and thrown on the floor.

A supply room housing recreational supplies and craft supplies was entered and the contents scattered, with no indication yet as to the possibility of missing items.

Jack Music, of the Kentucky State Police, is investigating the incident.

The camp has been without a full-time caretaker since July, 1961, but no vandalism has occurred prior to now. Last use of the camp by a group was in August of this year. Carroll Bailey was at the camp within the past three weeks, however, narrowing the possible time of the destructive raid.

Two youngsters living in the area of the camp were asked about seeing strange cars recently, but any details they were able to provide were not released.

Persons having any information about the incident are asked to contact Jack Music, or the County Extension Office in Paintsville.

"Every effort has been made to develop this camp as a low-cost asset to the young people of our area," Carroll Bailey said today. "Useless, destructive action like this, which would appear to be the work of a group of young men, can only be stopped if the vandals are reported and punished by law."

A \$50 reward has been posted for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons involved, Bailey advised.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our relatives, friends, neighbors and to all who contributed food, sent flowers, and gave their services in any way upon the death of our aunt, Alice Nunnery. Our special thanks go to Dr. Sherman and Our Lady of the Way hospital for their fine service. Especially we want to thank the Church of Christ and Rev. Bennie Blankenship and Rev. Clark Elkins for their consoling words, also to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its efficient service.

- Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Stratton
- Mr. and Mrs. John H. Scalf
- Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adkins
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scalf

BEST CHRISTMAS SAVING CAN BE YOUR OWN LIFE

Frankfort, Ky.—"The greatest Christmas saving Kentuckians can make for themselves is life," says Glenn Lovern, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Public Safety. "If each Kentucky motorist tries to obey traffic regulations and develop a safe driving attitude, we can save nine or more lives during the 1965 Christmas holidays."

According to statistics kept by the Division of State Police, Frankfort, nine persons died in Kentucky as a result of motor vehicle accidents during the four-day Christmas holiday last year. There were 294 traffic accidents with 180 persons injured in that time period.

During the two-day New Year's holiday, one person was killed in a traffic accident and 145 persons were injured.

"Each injury and fatality affected not only the individual directly involved," said Lovern, "but the family and friends for whom the joy of the season was ruined."

The primary cause of these accidents, according to the State Police, was driving while under the influence of alcohol. Speeding and inattentiveness while driving ranked second and third as the contributing factors in traffic accidents.

During the 1964 Christmas season, the hours from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. were the most dangerous for drivers to be out on the road. There were 63 accidents occurring in that time range.

Drivers between the ages of 25 to 34 had the most accidents during Christmas and New Year's, with 148 involved in accidents and three killed.

State Troopers will be out in full force for the holiday season, Lovern said. Through the use of increased patrols, the Air Traffic Control, and the Courtesy Wagon, the State Police hope to be on hand wherever needed, whether it is to arrest a violator or to aid a motorist in distress.

"All the precautions which the Department of Public Safety can take to curtail the rising accident toll will do no good if Kentuckians refuse to obey traffic regulations and their own good sense," Commissioner Lovern said. "We must make this the merriest Christmas and the happiest New Year's by driving safely and sanely."

Commissioner Lovern cited the following ways in which Kentuckians can avoid traffic accidents: Observe traffic regulatory signs, obey all speed limits, and have brakes, turn signals, windshield wipers, head and tail lights, and tires checked and approved for safe winter driving.

He also suggested that drivers adjust their driving habits to road and weather conditions.



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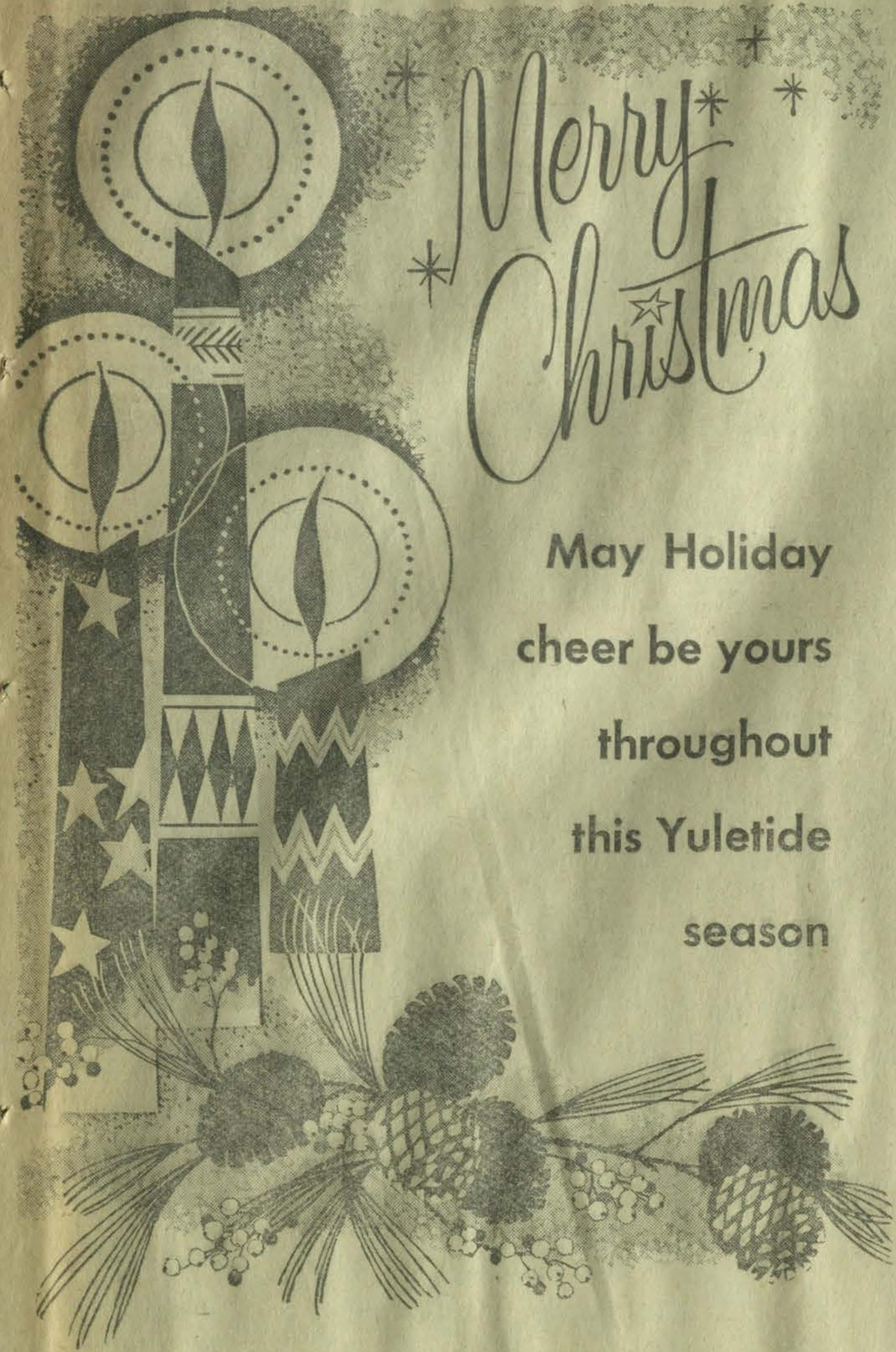


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390,000 RIDE TO SCHOOLS

Almost 60% of Those Attending Ky. Schools Transported by Buses

Frankfort, Ky. — Every school day in Kentucky an average of 390,000 youngsters in grades one through twelve ride to and from school in buses. This represents almost 60 percent of all the children attending schools in the state and requires a fleet of 4,400 buses.

Pupil transportation is the third largest single expenditure by the State Department of Education costing \$12 million a year and ranking behind only teacher salaries and buildings and grounds.

This information along with other pertinent data was assessed at the quarterly meeting of the State Board of Education last week during which the Board approved a revised set of minimum requirements for school buses.

Designed for greater safety and comfort, the major changes include:

1. Seat belts for drivers.
2. Installation of "safety-cross" mirrors on all buses.
3. Front and rear heaters in all buses.
4. Changes in the size of axles for varying size buses.

Altogether, the specifications governing minimum school bus requirements cover nearly 100 different categories ranging from air cleaner to stanchions, guard rails and grab handles, and they apply to all size of buses, both new and used.

One of the most useful of the improvements is the "safety-cross" mirror, which gives the driver a full view of a discharged passenger crossing the road in front of his stopped bus. It is hoped this will eliminate accidents caused in the past when a driver could not see a child pass in front of his vehicle.

Drivers will wear seat belts under the new specifications but as buses are compartmentalized by the seats themselves, belts will not be required for student passengers.

Developed by the division of pupil transportation in the Department of Education, through the cooperative efforts of local and state agencies, the new specifications become effective January 1.

HAROLD

HOMEMAKERS' CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Harold Homemakers' Club had its Christmas dinner, main social event of the year, on December 14. The meeting was opened by the vice-president, Mrs. Dorothy Sturgill.

Mrs. Ruth Stumbo read for devotional from Luke 2:8-14, also read an account of the customs of Christmas. Christmas carols were sung, with Mrs. Kate Robinette at the piano.

Members of the club exchanged gifts, after which a turkey dinner was enjoyed.

Those present were Mesdames Ethel Hamilton, Kate Robinette, Anna Katherine Burroughs, Lizzie Hatcher, Grace Sturgill, June Prater, Audrey Little, Laura Yates, Ruth Stumbo, Carmie Sturgill, Dorothy Sturgill, Della Stumbo, Dorothy Conley, Frances Pitts, Vannie Turner, Pearl Meade, Mollie Stapleton, Victoria Pinkerton, Mae Cecil, Nell Harvey, Helen Ferrel, Bessie Cecil, Miss Bonnie Conn, Ricky Ferrell, Jayne Pitts, David Pitts, Clayton Paul Little.

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SOIL-WATER CONSERVATION AIDS HUNTERS, SAYS CLARK

"With the hunting season here once again, city sportsmen who are privileged to hunt on land owned and developed by soil conservation district cooperatives can consider themselves lucky," says J. B. Clark, chairman of the Floyd Soil Conservation District. "This is especially true," he said, "when the landowner has established specific soil and water conservation practices with benefits to wildlife."

Although another good hunting season is expected, this does not mean that a hunter will have a successful day afield no matter where he hunts, Mr. Clark points out. Game animals concentrate in those areas where conditions are most favorable to them. Such conditions are most likely to be found on farms on which the owners have carried out conservation practices beneficial to wildlife.

"Consequently," he said, "if city hunters will seek out those landowners in the Floyd Soil Conservation District who have developed their lands to make them more attractive to wildlife, they will have gone a long way toward assuring themselves an enjoyable hunt. Satisfactory hunting arrangements can often be worked out between the landowners and the sportsmen."

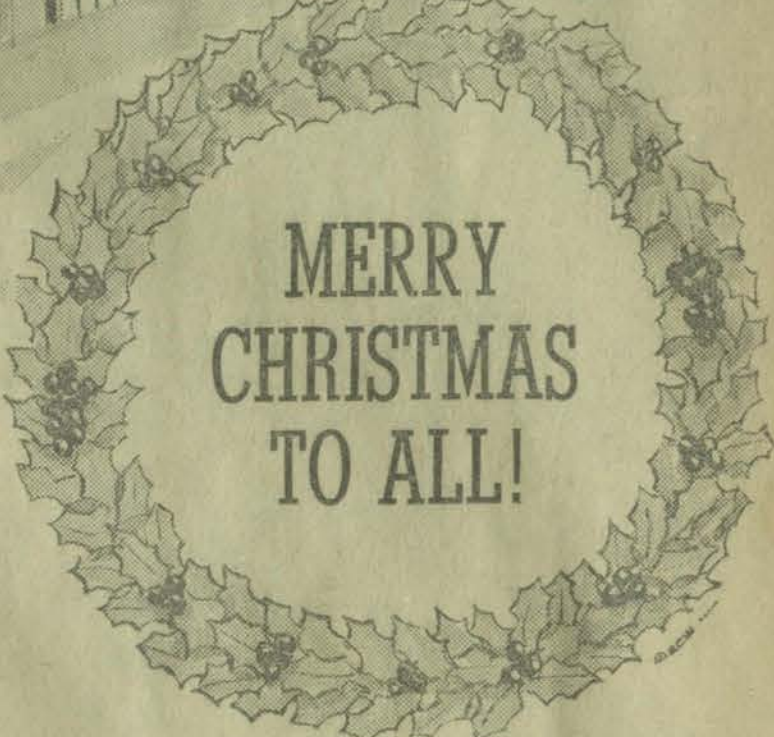
"These landowners should not be hard to find," he added, "because there are 400 such landowners in the district, according to the reports of Gerald Hart, the soil conservation technician who assists the district. Of this number, 230 applied one or more conservation practices during the past year. Many of these practices were of either direct or indirect benefit to wildlife. For example, two ponds were built primarily for livestock water but also furnish drinking water for deer and upland game and provide resting and feeding areas for migrating ducks and geese.

"In addition, some practices with special value to wildlife were established. These included 200 acres of food and cover plantings consisting of annual grains, perennial grasses and legumes, and trees and shrubs. Also, 50 acres of existing areas with adequate food and cover



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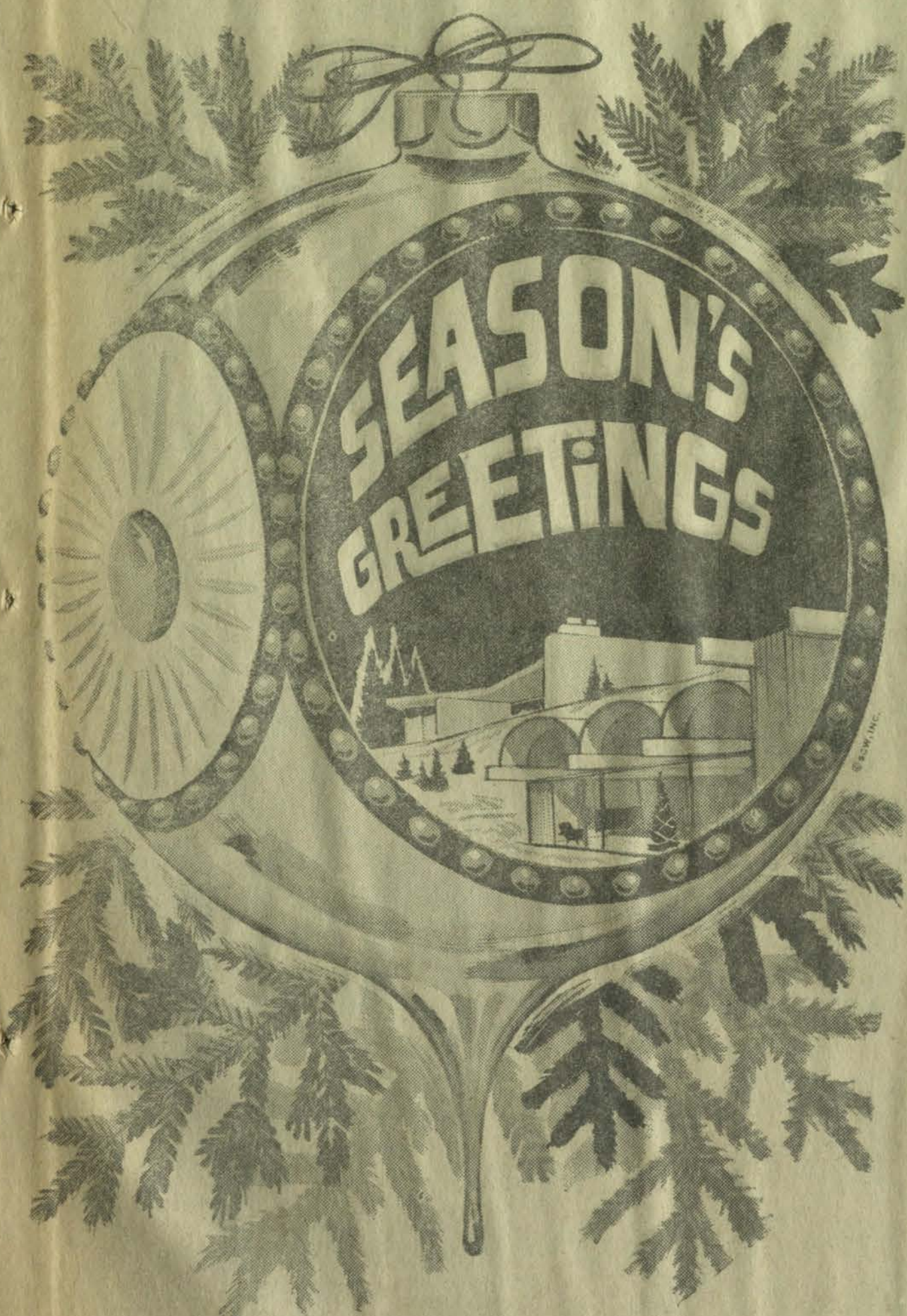


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FLOYD FOXHUNTERS STAGE FIELD TRIALS, BENCH SHOW

The Floyd County Fox Hunters Association bench show and field trials were held November 24, 25 and 26 with a large number of the area's finest dogs entered.

The bench show was held in the auditorium of the Allen grade school with Clyde Kazee, of Louisa, the judge. Results of the show follow:

Best Dog in Show—Long Bench Trade Winds, owned by Clifford Griffith, of Charlie, Kentucky.

Best Opposite Sex—The Virginian, owned by Clyde Carter, of Adams, Kentucky.

All Age Male—1. Big Jester, owned by Jim DeRossett, of Prestonsburg; 2. Big Boy, owned by John T. Runyon, of Pikeville; 3. Smokey Jo, owned by Bill Williams, of Prestonsburg; 4. Hi Tail, owned by Azzie Hall, of Drift; 5. Andy, owned by Pete Williams, of Dana; 6. Pete, owned by Azzie Hall, of Drift; 7. Jo Jester, owned by Phil Cornett, of East Point; 8. Shorty, owned by Donnie Ousley, of Risner.

All-Age Female—1. Dixie Belle, owned by Carl C. Kirk, of Warfield; 2. Hi Stepper, owned by Roy Cook, of Drift; 3. Lady Bird, owned by Arthur W. Haywood, of Prestonsburg; 4. Viny, owned by John Wallen, of Water Gap; 5. Jane, owned by John Wallen, of Water Gap.

Derby Male—1. The Virginian, owned by Clyde Carter, of Adams; 2. Jack, owned by George Belcher, of Allen; 3. Night Train, owned by Clifford Griffith, of Charlie; 4. John, owned by George Belcher, of Allen; 5. Duke, owned by Clyde Carter, of Adams; 6. Bucky Harris, owned by Fred Harris, of East Point; 7. Prince Albert, owned by Abe Parsons, of Martin; 8. Jim, owned by Clyde Carter, of Adams; 9. Trouble, owned by Otis Ousley, of Risner; 10. Beaver, owned by Phil Cornett, of East Point.

Derby Female—1. Long Branch Trade Winds, owned by Clifford Griffith, of Charlie; 2. Dora, owned by Bill Williams, of Prestonsburg; 3. Sally, owned by Ezra James, of Endicott; 4. Tiny Kay, owned by Fred Harris, of East Point; 5. Lula, Belle, owned by Roy Cook, of Drift; 6. Cracker, owned by Ray Spurlock, of Printer.

Best Pair—1. Long Branch Trade Winds and Long Branch Night Train, owned by Clifford Griffith, of Charlie.

Natural Coverage—The Virginian, owned by Clyde Carter, of Adams.

Field Trials
The field trials, were held on Prater Creek. All-age hounds

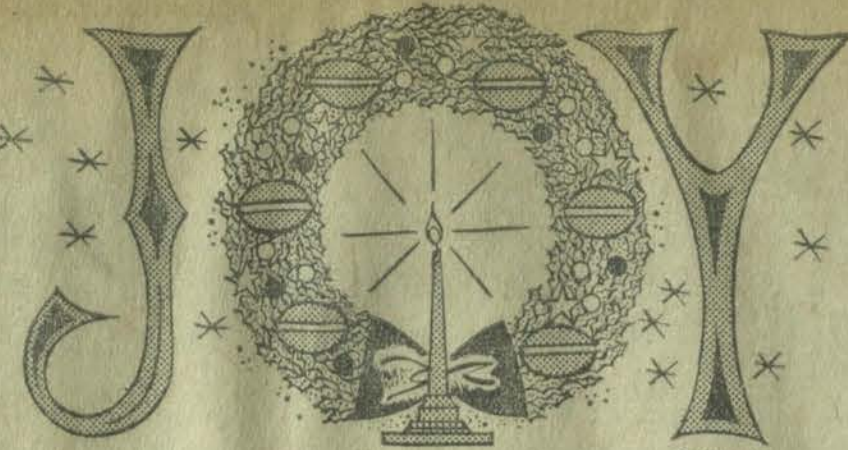
and derby hounds were run together but scored separately.

The first cast was made at daybreak with 84 hounds being cast. There was scattered running a long way from the east. Hounds were running after the hunt was called off at 11:50 a.m.

The second day, the hounds again were cast at daybreak. Running was much closer to the casting grounds and more scoring was done.

The winning derby hound was Prince Albert, owned by Abe Parsons, of Martin.

The winning all-age hound was Gyp, owned by Glenn Burchett, of Lancer.



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Davidson Awarded Citation for Service

The American Legion's National rehabilitation Commission honored Marshall Davidson, of Prestonsburg, service officer of Floyd Post No. 123 when its citation for meritorious service was awarded him.

The citation, which was presented Mr. Davidson by Cody Spotte, of Letcher county, commander of the Legion's 10th Kentucky district, was awarded for Davidson's service and loyal cooperation in the Legion's rehabilitation program.



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Mrs. Wiechers To Retire, Honored by Co-Workers

Personnel of the Floyd County Health Department honored Mrs. Catherine H. Wiechers last Friday with a buffet luncheon in the dining room at the Health Center on First Avenue. Mrs. Wiechers is retiring as public health nurse, effective January 1.

Dr. Russell L. Hall, county health officer, presented Mrs. Wiechers with an electric stove cooker in appreciation of her efficient service with the department for 21 years.

Honoring Mrs. Wiechers were Dr. Russell L. Hall, Montaine Clark, Mrs. Jane Wallace, Miss Prudence Jones, Miss Geraldine Burns, Mrs. Ortha Meece, Miss Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Pauline Sparks, Mrs. Maxine Goble, Mrs. Maman Leslie, Mrs. Brenda Ousley, Mrs. Ardith Roiston, Jack Davidson, John M. Stumbo, James Goble, Paul Wells, Ollie Dillon.

NOTICE

A petition has been filed to establish a water district in the Maytown-Eastern area of Floyd county. Any resident may file objections within 30 days after publication of this notice, and a hearing will be set within 10 days, pursuant to KRS 74.010.

HENRY STUMBO
County Judge
Floyd County, Ky.

12-9-65



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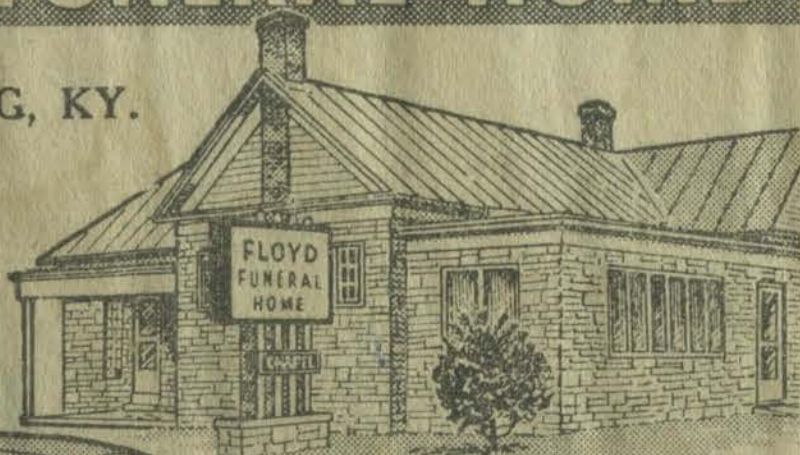
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