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# Confusion Marks End **Of Session**

Speaking of

and for Floyd County

### **Two Plead Guilty** As December Term **Close Scheduled**

The Floyd circuit court may have ended its December session Monday, but defendants and attorneys in one or more cases appeared for trial which, they said, were docketed for Tuesday.

Denzil Martin was convicted Monday on a charge of detaining a woman against her will and was given a five-year pen term by Circuit Judge Hollie Conley. After Commonwealth testimony in the case, which originally alleged rape, Martin entered a plea of guilty to the detaining charge.

In another case Monday Donald Lee Adkins pleaded guilty to first-offense liquor possession and drew a 30-day jail term and a fine of \$20.

Charles Jenkins entered a plea of guilty to an auto theft charge last Friday and was committed to the Department of Corrections for one year. The charge of knowingly receiving stolen property against Joe Hopkins was reduced to petty larceny, and on his plea of guilty to this charge he was fined \$200. The robbery indictment against Palmer Newsome was dismissed.

The motion of Roy Branham to quash the indictment accusing him of

#### **Court House Happenings**

SUITS FILED

Arley Boyd, et al vs. Joe David Martin, et al. James R. Yocom, Comm. vs. Jonah Adkins. Thompson's I.G.A. Foodliner vs. Ad Board, Inc. Arthur Hamilton vs. Greer Bros. & Young.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Robert Bruce Coleman, 25, Printer, and Elizabeth Mae Hamilton, 19, Harold. Charles James Shell, 25, and Ruby Pearl Hamilton, both of Milford, Ind. Charles Akers, 19, and Janet Marlene Wells, both of Prestonsburg. Ronnie Williams, 24, Garrett, and Ruth Ann Murrell, 16, of Wayland.

### SOME SCHOOLS **CLOSE AS RAINS** . SWELL STREAMS

A few Floyd county schools did not open Tuesday morning because of flood conditions, and a flash flood alert was broadcast during the morning for Floyd and all other counties of the section.

Heavy rainfall during the day Monday and Monday night continued Tuesday and was predicted as a strong possibility for today (Wednesday).

McDowell schools were closed by rising waters Tuesday. Mud Creek schools also were reported closed.

Because of flood conditions, community elections of Comprehensive Health Care board members which had been set for Tuesday night were postponed till Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 7:30 p.m. At Martin there apparently was no concern about flooding, although Beaver Creek there, fed by its two tributaries,

was rising.



Interior of greenhouse shows growing flowers and vegetables, results of work and training.

### Where People—and Things—Grow

Mountain Comprehensive Care Cen- supervisor, three more greenhouses of ter's Greenhouse Training Project, the same size have been ordered. referred to by its organizers as "a place

where people grow," is itself ex- the greenhouses will serve as storage as "create a fuller self-image of themselves periencing continual growth with the well as providing office space and a and a sense of responsibility.'

Jim Valentine said job placement was also a consideration for project trainees A large "pre-fab" metal building near but stressed that the experience helped

### **Second Gas Strike Seen** As 1 Ends **Columbia Contract**

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### **Negotiations Fail; Pact Expires Friday**

With one gas workers' strike ended, another appeared this week to be in the making.

An agreement was reached last Wednesday night between striking members of Local Union 3-510, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers, and the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, ending a strike which began Oct. 31, exactly three weeks earlier.

As the approximately 290 Kentucky West Virginia employees returned to work members of two local unions of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers failed to agree with the Columbus Gas System on terms of a new contract.

The present contract will expire at midnight Friday, and unless a new pact is negotiated by that time Columbus workers will strike, it was said here. Negotiations undertaken last week failed, and a meeting was scheduled for today (Wednesday).

If Columbus workers strike, production and compressor station staffs in this and other Kentucky counties and in West Virginia will be idled.

Terms of the agreement between Kentucky West Virginia and its employees were not divulged. Main con-

knowingly receiving stolen property was overruled.

One of those who appeared for trial here Tuesday was Junior Jones, who is accused of selling mortgaged property. On Nov. 13 the court entered an order forfeiting his \$500 bond, but Jones' attorney, Dan Rowland, said his client was here for trial on that date but the case was continued to Nov. 15. Then, he said, the case was again continued till Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Jones claims there was no reason for forfeiture of his bond.

hillside streets was so heavy that storm sewers were overtaxed and traffic on Lake Drive at the Court street intersection was temporarily blocked between 10 and 11 a.m. Tuesday.

Dean Murray, Dewey Reservoir manager, said 1.75 inches of rainfall were recorded at the dam from 7 to 11 a.m. Tuesday. He added, however, that unless the rise in the Big Sandy is heavier, requiring closing of gates at the dam, Dewey Lake and its drawdown will not be affected.

### Floyd School System Wins **1973 Award of Merit**

the recipient of a 1973 Merit Award for Outstanding work in Physical Education at the annual meeting of the Kentucky Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation in Louisville last Saturday night.

"By virtue of this coveted award, we have joined the Fayette county schools and Ashlands Paul Blazer High School as the only winners among Kentucky's schools in the 22-year history of the Association," Charles Clark, county superintendent of schools, said.

Basis of the award was the emphasis placed on physical education in Floyd county, staff development, facilities, school-community relations and

The Floyd county school system was Prestonsburg high school's fishing and boating programs in advanced physical education classes.

> The City of Prestonsburg was commended by the Association for permitting use of its swimming pool and park facilities to the school system for physical education classes.

"Approximately 1,500 grade and high schools students in the northern part of the county have been taught to swim in the past five years," Mr. Clark said.

The award, presented by Taylor Hollin, of the State Department of Education, and president of the Association, was accepted by Gordon Moore, supervisor of the school system.

In Prestonsburg the runoff from near completion of a large storage-office structure and the planned construction of three more large greenhouses.

The project, which began in a modest greenhouse at Flat Gap, moved to its present site across new US 23 from the Highlands Regional Medical Center in early October with the completion of two large, modern greenhouse structures. Now, according to Jim Valentine, adults,

### This Town .... That World

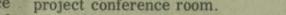
Ever been over a barrel? Take it from an old, experienced bender-over, it isn't pleasant. As we all shall presently learn, now that we're all over an oil barrel.

If preachers made book, I suppose they would be at it right now, taking odds on which of their flock would be the first to turn in the excuse that he (or she) got caught by this Sunday gasoline sale ban and forgot to gas up on Saturday night. (That's probably the only excuse I never used.)

I can't imagine anybody more thankful than I was on Thanksgiving, but I shall not use this space to discuss the matter.

#### AN OLD ENERGY CRISIS

This energy crisis thing takes us back to the days when the only energy known was what most of us lacked, especially when the sun bore down, or what could be coaxed out of a balky mule. Those were (See Story 1, Back Page, Sec. 1)



Training Supervisor Chalmer Howard explained that the project's aim is primarily to provide job training for the developmentally disabled adult who would otherwise not have had such an opportunity. Howard said the project affords the trainees the chance to become productive and responsible

Sixteen trainees are presently embe added by January 1. Growing such vegetables as lettuce, tomatoes, cabwork directly with the trainees.

Rogers, drunk driving, by State Troopers

Ousley, drunk driving, by City Policemen

Kelley and Trusty; Johnny Johnson,

reckless driving, by City Policemen

The Floyd County Mental Health-

Mental Retardation Association will hold

its monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m., Mon-

day, December 3. The meeting will be a

joint meeting with the East Point

Development Club at the clubroom in

Slides, dealing with the regional

program will be presented.

**Mental Health Group** 

To Meet at East Point

Lafferty and Conley.

East Point.



A barking dog, quick action by a neigh- ficer, by State Trooper Tucker; Donald bor to summon police and prompt arrival of officers at the scene may have forestalled a major crime here, early last Wednesday morning.

As a result, three men are in jail here, charged with attempted dwelling house breaking. They were found on the premises of historic Garfield Place, on Second Avenue, by Policemen Kelly and Campbell and were originally booked as drunk. Later, State Police Detective Gary Rose and Policeman H. Thornsberry lodged the breaking attempt charge against them.

The accused men are William F. Scott, William Arnold Riley and Marvin Andrew Ermetinger. Preliminary hearing for Riley has been scheduled for tomorrow (Thursday).

Officers said the men were first seen on a porch at the home, which is owned by Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, and that the telephone and television wires leading into the home had been broken. They also said Ermetinger had visited the home on the preceding Monday and had asked Mrs. Stephens about trimming trees on the premises.

Scott and Riley are wanted in Pike county on grand larceny charges, officers said. Ermetinger, it was said, came to this section from Wisconsin and has been connected with a tree-trimming firm.

Constable Gillis Conn, of Harold, reported Monday that he and Deputy Sheriff Dexter Hamilton jailed here, Thanksgiving Day, four persons on charges connected with the theft of approximately three tons of batteries from the Island Creek Coal Company. He said battery parts were found in the auto of Harold Damron when Damron was arrested last Wednesday on Big Branch of Mud Creek. Franklin Yates and his wife, Lottie, were arrested when their truck was found loaded with batteries. Norman Damron was arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property. The defendants were released under \$1,000 bond each for their court appearance, Dec. 6. Others booked at county jail, their offenses, and arresting officers follow: Herby Gene Nichols, drunk driving, by State Troopers Frezzell, Bailey and Bevins; Charles E. Starcher, drunk driving, by State Trooper Estep; Roy Spurlock, drunk driving, by State Trooper L. Bevins; Charles Perkins, drunk driving, no operator's license and failure to yield to an emergency vehicle, by State Trooper Williamson; Willie Bates, Jr. and Ralph Damron, both charged with hunting with an unplugged gun and no hunting license, by Conservation Officer Dalton Conley; Vigus Samuel Nelson, assaulting a police of-

ployed and as many as 24 are expected to bage, and house plants such as begonias and geraniums, five staff instructors

Dave Gillespie serves as project

**Rains Halt Blazes** After 13 Recorded Since October 1st Hutchinson, assault and battery, by State Troopers Estep and Rose; Ricky Rife, Until recent heavy rains ended the threat of forest fires in the area, Floyd shoplifting, by City Policeman Thornscounty had suffered 13 such fires since bury; Scotty Garrett, drunk driving, by State Trooper L. Bevins; Chrisper C.

the fall fire season began, October 1. County Fire Guard Wess Campbell, Bevins and Simpson; Calvin Dean Jr., said although the most common cause of these fires is the burning of trash and other debris, increased hunting activity during the fall season also accounts for a large part of woodland losses to fire.

He explained that many hunters are smoking out game, discarding cigarettes carelessly and leaving campfires unringed and still burning.

County forest officials Wess Campbell, Jr., Steve Brackett, and Tilton Johnson last week arrested Bill Ward, of Abner Fork, on a charge of refusal to fight a forest fire, and citations were issued by Steve Brackett to Thurman Page, of Frasure's Creek and Quinn Sammons, of Arkansas Creek, for burning before 4:30 p.m.

**Motorists 'Ford' the Stream Here** 



**Sign Million-Plus Contract** 



tention was not wages but the status of two union employees. The union claimed the two men were replaced by two nonunion workers who were paid the same wages as those paid the two whom they replaced. The company contended nobody was laid off but that two job classifications were dropped.

Charles Kendrick, president of the local union, was quoted as saying, "All our differences have been ironed out. We are satisfied, and I believe the company is satisfied.'

director and horticulturalist.

This scene, reminiscent of earlier days when the Big Sandy flooded Prestonsburg, was created Tuesday morning when the runoff of water during a heavy rain overtaxed drainage facilities at the Lake Drive-Court Street intersection.

Shown at signing here last Wednesday of contract for construction of Phase II of the Allen Central High School development are, seated, County Judge Henry Stumbo; standing, from left, Floyd Superintendent of Schools Charles Clark, Ervin Akers, contractor, and Forrest McCloskey, Lexington architect. The construction project, which involves a gymnasiumauditorium, music and vocational departments and an indoor swimming pool, will be done at a cost of \$1,237,752. Work is expected to begin in January. About a year will be required for completion, but the gymnasium-auditorium section is expected to be ready for use with the beginning of the 1974-75 school term.

### **Observe Golden Wedding**



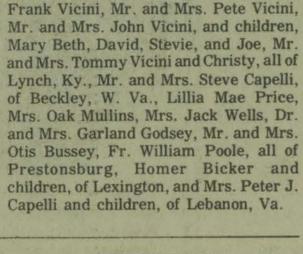
The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Capelli, of David, was observed November 17 with a reception at May Lodge from 3 to 5 p.m.

The event was hosted by the couple's children, Mrs. Homer Bicker, of Lexington, Peter J. Capelli, Jr., of Lebanon, Va., Donald Capelli, of Elliott City, Md., and John L. Capelli, of David. Among the guests attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Harmon, of Benton, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mc-Donald, of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tiller, of Morganfield, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klykylo, of Pinconning, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Steve Zecchini, of Flint, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Mano Beltrami, of Detroit, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Geno Van

### Correction

The Times erred in its statement that Floyd county is the first in Eastern Kentucky to add a fulltime speech therapist to work with children suffering speech defects. We are told that Pike county employed a fulltime speech therapist in August, 1971.



Gordor, Mrs. Dick Van Gordor, all of

Middletown, Ohio, Mrs. Bill Webb, of

Lexington, Mrs. Kate Wirtz, of Jellico,

Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Erman Wirtz and

Erman, Jr., of Hazard, Mr. and Mrs.

#### **CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank all our friends and relatives who brought food and flowers and showed so much sympathy upon the passing of our father, Tip Martin. We extend special thanks to the ministers of the United Baptist Church and the kindness shown by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home. THE FAMILY



### Nature Trails

I'd like to tell you, if I may, about my best loved oak-a majestic, old black oak that stands alone, aloof, on a back street of my town, Lovely, and at the top of a high bank overlooking Tug River. The big oak belongs to no one in particular; it is claimed by all the local people. It is a venerable and highly adored tree, as it has been the guardian of Indian graves for more than 100 years. Many years ago, oldtimers told of seeing heaps of stones near the tree, marking the site of an Indian burial ground. In nearby Chapman Bottom, the Indians once had a large encampment for many years. Oldtime farmers who once cultivated this bottom plowed up hundreds of arrowheads, Indian axes and other artifacts. They buried their dead here at Lovely, near the big oak.

My venerable oak sprouted and grew about the time William Shakespeare was born. It is now over 400 years old and measures five feet, two inches in diameter at its base. It stands 100 feet tall, and about 140 feet up it puts out numerous large forks, forming an im-



Winter fishing for black bass can be highly productive for those who are bold enough to brave the weather and really want to take strings of big bass.

And weather needn't actually be a deterrent any more, with the wide range of excellent insulated clothing now available.

Winter casting for black bass, for the most part, is done with leadhead doll flytype lures which are garnished with pork rind eels. Casting generally is done off deep rocky points, around submerged island dropoffs and stumpline outcroppings.

The bottom-bouncing lures are allowed to creep and crawl around all cover areas were bass often lie in wait for a tempting morsel to pass by.

Still another effective method of casting in winter is fishing around submerged treetops. Some successful anglers use the doll fly-type lures mentioned above, but another effective kind is a deep running, big-lipped one. When using the deep runners, the fisherman will cast across all the limbs and let the lure bounce over them. When the lure stops, in that split second as it comes over the branch, a strike is likely. When casting across the limbs fails to produce, the fisherman should try casting into the base of the trunk of the trees and let the lure bounce over them. When the lure stops, in that split second as it comes over the branch, a strike is likely.

mense spreading crown. The aged tree is showing signs of its advanced age and causes me to feel a pang of grief when I view it. Its branches are beginning to die at the tip; some have been broken by storms, and the black bark looks bedraggled, reminding me of the wrinkly skin of an aged man. There is an old scar on the south side of the trunk-a huge scar five feet long and two feet wide. The old tree has tried valiantly to hide the scar with new back but dead wood still shows in the old wound. Nobody knows what causes the wound on the truck. No local person would ever stoop so low as to harm the old tree; it has never been

wounded by the hand of man. The inner bark is a bright orangeyellow, rich in tannin. The tree never fails to produce an abundant crop of acorns every other year. The ground under it is always strewn with the coneshaped acorns, which are half inclosed by a dainty tweed cup. During its long life span the old tree has produced thousands of bushels of acorns. Many of these have been carried downstream by high tides, so I imagine the tree has many off spring living along the shores and on the islands downriver.

On fine summer evenings, the old tree's crown is the choice choir loft of the wood thrush; from its lofty perch the renowned songster broadcasts his silvery serenade far over the hills and valleys of West Virginia and Kentucky. The mourning dove is fond of perching in the top boughs to lament its lovelorn melody. In winter the bluejays come for a feast on the acorns.

The old oak is a famous landmark. The ancient county road once passed beneath its spreading boughs and muleteams toiled upriver with heavy wagonloads of merchandise, bound for country stores up Wolf Creek way. The clay mud of the old road got knee-deep in winter and the feet of the mules popped like pistol shots as they pulled them out of the sticky clay. The leaves of the old oak have now turned to light Roman gold; it will soon stand naked in the starkly barren days of winter. But the evergreen crossvine has come to lend the oak a springlike touch in mid-winter.

Tug River has flowed past the oak for some 400 years and I often wonder how many billions time billions of gallons of water have bade it goodbye on their journey to the sea. Some persons believe the big wound on the trunk was made by a huge sawlog slamming against the tree when Tug River went on a wild rampage about 100 years ago-the biggest flood in its recorded history. The big oak's days are numbered. I salute it as a friend of man and bird and east. Its acorns have fed the wild hogs nd other animals of the long ago. Its

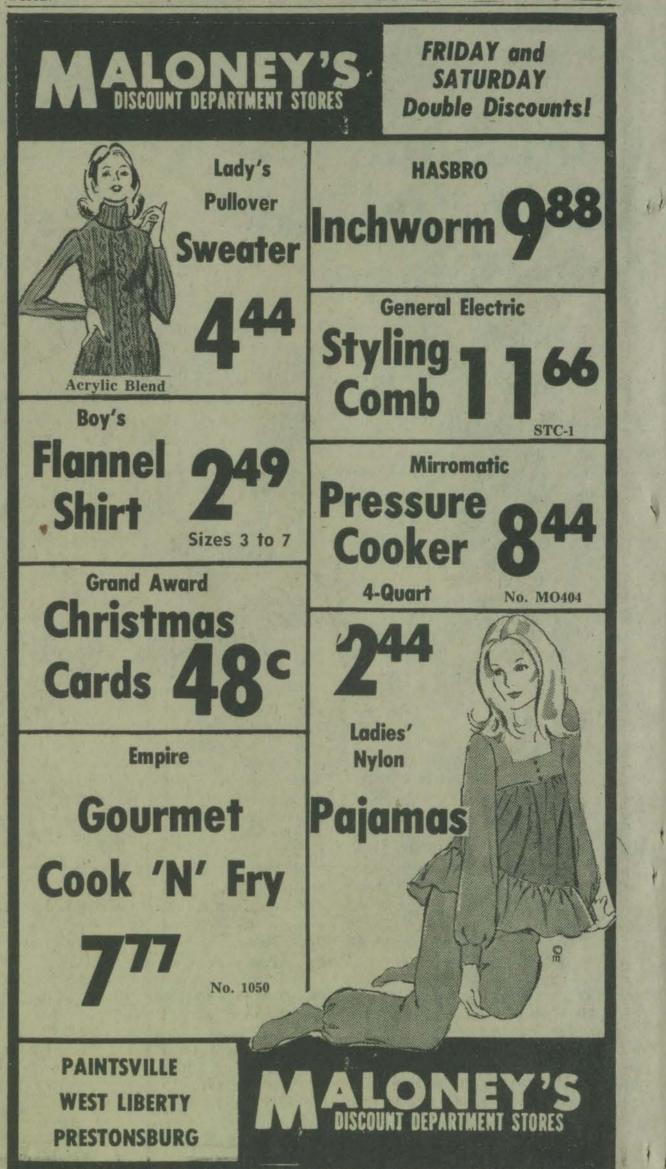
By Rufus M. Reed

gigantic root system has protected the river bank from erosion. The old tree's long life has been a benediction to the world.

Notice to Taxpayers of The City Of Prestonsburg: The 2 percent discount allowed on your

tax bills has been extended until December 15, 1973. Penalty of 6 percent will be added as of February 1, 1974. BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH

City Clerk 11-21-3t.



Fishing the stumplines is productive, too, and these are generally easy to locate when during the winter lake drawdown, many are exposed above the water line.

Of special interest to winter fishermen in Kentucky is jig fishing - using large minnows or live nightcrawlers.

The live-nightcrawler-method calls for a short, stout pole and muddy water. The muddy condition makes fishing artificial lures something less than effective but a gob of nightcrawlers jigged up and down around cover areas along the shoreline as the fisherman quietly sculls the boat, will account for large numbers of bass, some of them in the "monster-size" category.

Jigging with large minnows differs somewhat in that a cane or fiber glass pole (some two to four feet longer than that used with nightcrawlers) is used and a slip cork, instead of a stationary one, is preferable.

Another winter-fishing method which pays off when springs and creeks are running clear into the lakes, which are murky to muddy, is using spinning or spin-casting equipment. The bait is a live nightcrawler cast into the base of the run-in.

Bass are often found in such areas because the water temperature is generally warmer than in the main lake and the running water brings with it a new and constant food supply.

The Department of Transportation has announced that total revenue received during October from tolls on the Kentucky Parkway System was over \$1.74 million. Included in this figure are tolls from the Kentucky Turnpike, \$667,229; the Blue Grass Parkway, \$178,454; and the Western Kentucky Parkway, \$259,503.

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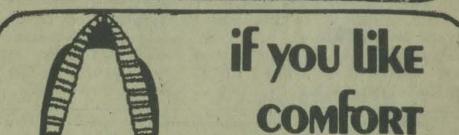
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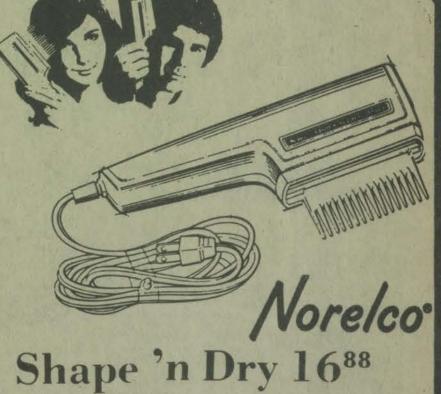
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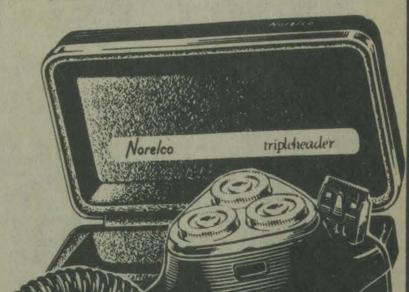
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### **GARRETT NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rose and Mrs. Mark Dempsey, of Garrett, visited Jack Rose and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meade, all of Washington, D.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Kiser, of Clintwood, Va., during the past week.

#### **Delinquent Tax Notice**

The following 1972 tax bills due the City of Wheelwright are unpaid and will be offered for sale to the highest and best bidder at the City Hall, Wheelwright, Ky., on Saturday, Dec. 15, 1973, at 1 p.m. (amounts due do not include cost of advertising):

**Richard Allen** Felmon P. Blackmon Curtis Blair Norma Boyd **Eddie Bradford** Gordon Branham David Chaffin **Daniel Childers** Bradie Colvin Julian Deaton **Tommy Engle Goldie Farmer Charlie Flannery** Edgar Grey Cecil Gore **Grover Griffith Belvie Hall Ernest Hall** Harlos Hall Roy Hall Jerry Hamby George Harris, Jr. Eunice F. Hill **Rhonna Hitchcock** John H. Jackson **Roosevelt Jackson** Arthur James Gary D. Johnson Kenneth Johnson William O. Jordon Billy V. Johnson **Eloise Lewis Billie Little** Marvin Little Virgil Mays John T. Miller **Charley Mitchell** Phillip Moore **Jim Morrison Kinnel Mosley** Willie McCarey **Claude** Perkins Lillie Porter **Retha Ratliff Duran Reynolds** Alfred Rhea Johah Ritchie **Delphia Ramey** Fred Salisbury **Jim Sanders** Kenneth Sizemore Joseph Tackett **Bobby Terry** Rev. E. H. Terry James I. Thomas **Terry Tufts Clarence Trammell** Wm. S. Tufts **Raymond Walker Richard A. Watts** Joe Williams **Janice Wright Roscoe Vanover** 

### **Reading Council Honors School Administrators** The Jenny Wiley Council of the In-

ternational Reading Association branched out into nearby Johnson County for its November meeting. Members and guests assembled in the Porter Elementary School library to honor administrators of the various school systems encompassed in the council area.

President Marie Stumbo stressed the importance of administrative support in council endeavors. Among those present were: Harriet Johnson, reading \$17.25 supervisor in Johnson county; Luther Wright, administrative consultant in the 52.50 Johnson County schools; Mr. Preston, 51.00 Meade Memorial school principal; Lewis 7.75 Campbell, Allen Elementary school 10.50 principal; John K. Pitts, Clark 7.13 Elementary school principal; Elsie 10.20 Stephens, reading consultant in Floyd 12.25 county; Ray Brackett, assistant 54.00 superintendent of the Floyd County 3.00 schools; Harry J. Wallace, Floyd County 30.06 Title I director; and Ronald Turner, 6.80 assistant Title I director. 14.75 Reading is not a subject but a process, 45.84 council members were told by the guest 13.00 speaker for the evening. Dorothy 39.47 Alexander, KSC-IRA president and 64.19 11.25 Pulaski County supervisor, said it is a mistake to refer to reading in the 12.63 curriculum as a subject. "Reading is a 14.17 process that involves learning skills 17.25 which affect the rest of the curriculum ... 15.63 and permeates everything that is 8.50 5.13 taught." asserted the educator. In reference to the idea of reading in 6.01 grades K-12 Miss Alexander stated that 1.88 there is a definite change in attitude in 15.82 the higher grades. Teachers feel they 1.88 should teach subject matters, not 9.94 reading. "One of the most important 6.38 skills a person has to carry over into his 19.50 adult life is reading. This skill enables 10.31 one to do the things he wants to do. Yet 1.88 some educators do not want to consider 9.30 reading in the same league as math or 21.51 science. There is simply no logic in this,' 4.88 she said. 1.88 Council members were told of six 3.38 significant factors in reading in-57.25 struction: (1) Communicate with each 18.76 child each day; (2) Try to learn 76.76

During the business portion President Marie Stumbo announced the council will conduct three workshops during the school year. These will be held on the second Tuesday in the months of December, January, and April. Specific details will be announced later. Refreshments were provided by the

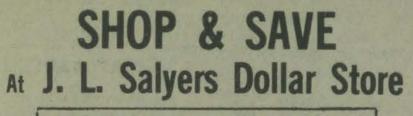
Porter Elementary School personnel.

The Floyd County Times

IN EXERCISE REFORGER

U. S. Forces, Germany, Nov. 2-Army Staff Sergeant Frank Sweeney, son of Mrs. Mary Sweeney, Prestonsburg, Ky., participated with other American and Allied troops in exercise reforger V in Germany, Oct. 10-16. The military airlift command flew approximately 11,000 U. S. based soldiers and more than 1,000 tons of equipment to three different airfields in Germany in preparation for the event.

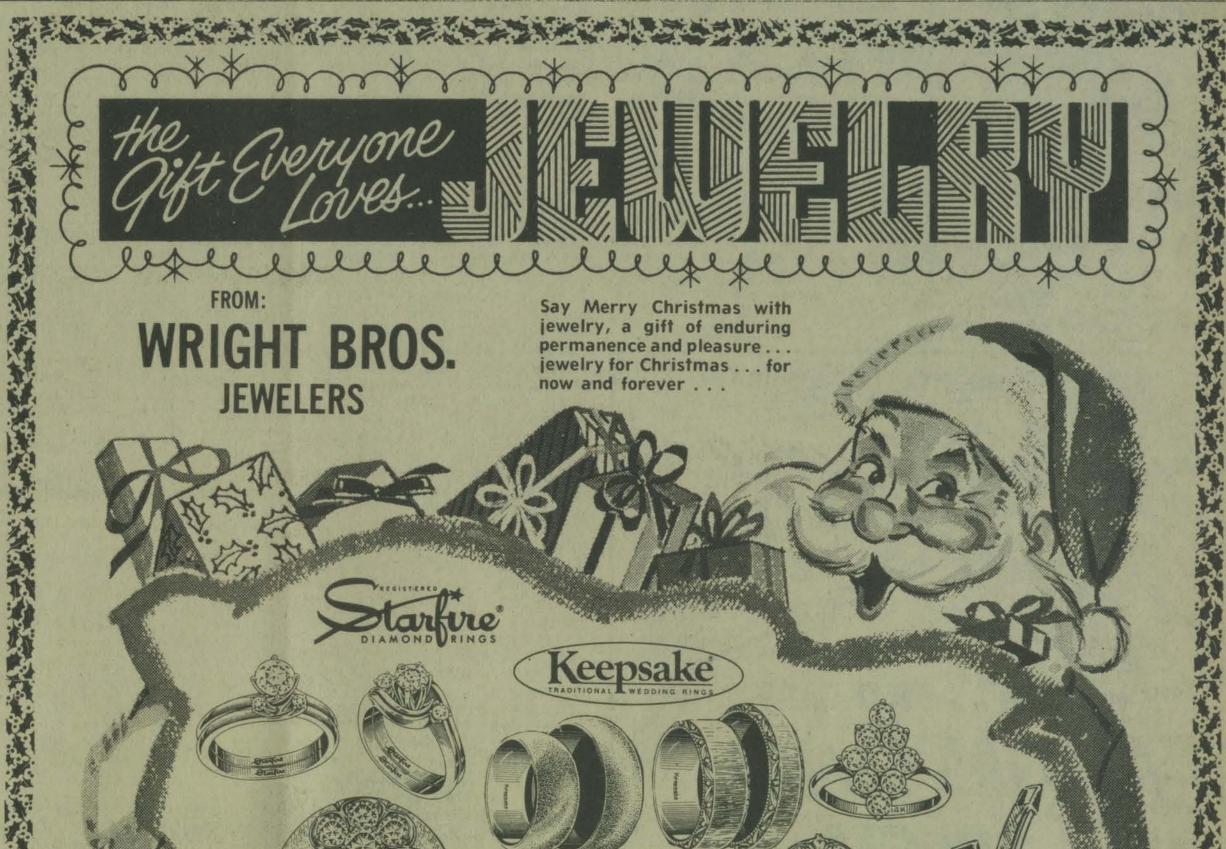
Sgt. Sweeney is regularly assigned as a platoon sergeant in company B, 3rd battalion, 63rd armor of the First Infantry Division in Augsbery, Germany.



#### **CLOTHING FOR ENTIRE FAMILY**

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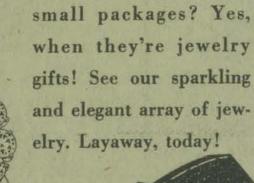
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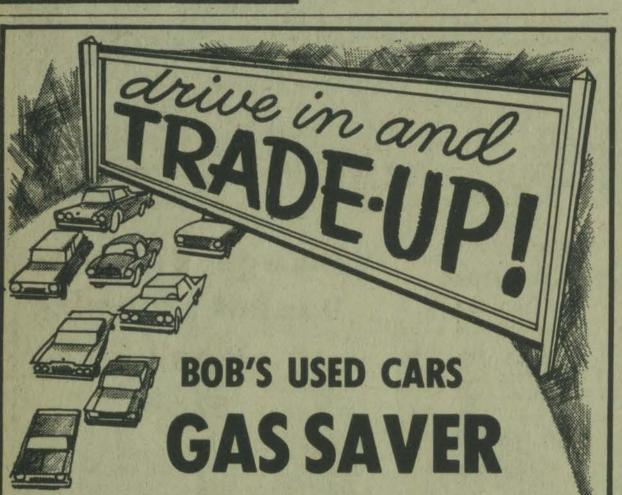
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#### 23,000 To Be Eligible For Medicaid Benefits **Under Security Income**

Frankfort, Ky.-The 23,000 additional Kentuckians who will be eligible for income payments under the new Supplemental Security Income program will also be eligible for Medicaid coverage, Gov. Wendell H. Ford announced today. The new federal program becomes effective January 1. It will cost the state an estimated \$1.6 million for the last half of fiscal year 1974. This is estimated to increase to \$6.0 million in cost for FY 75. elected to continue to establish eligibility 23,000 new aged, blind and disabled, it would have required \$2 million in administrative cost for personnel to perform this function.

Income program, states were given the Ford has elected to do so.



Governor Ford noted that he had for the current recipients and each of the

"I prefer to give this money to the aged, disabled and blind who need Medicaid assistance," the Governor said. Under the Supplemental Security

option of coverage for these recipients under Medicaid, and were not required to include all aged, blind and disabled covered by the new program. Governor

### **ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Conn and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Vanhoose, all of Louisville, spent Thanksgiving vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Conn also visited his mother, Mrs. Gladys Conn, of Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen were guests of their son, Randall Allen, Mrs. Allen, and family, of Martin, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Keen Setser, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Ronald Johnson, of Prestonsburg, were in Lexington, Saturday, where Mrs. Setser consulted a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston had as Thanksgiving dinner guests their family, Mrs. Howard H. Moore and Miss Mary Ann Pack, of Louisa, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hicks, of Prestonsburg, John D. Preston, Howard F. Moore and Richard Heaton, all students at the University of Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp, Tim and Nancy Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams III, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett, Stephen and Laura, all of Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Marcum and Dougie spent Thanksgiving with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Francis, of Garrett.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp and Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp Thanksgiving week-end were Mrs. Eula Spurlock, of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Vaughan, Marty, Phillip and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Buick, Bryon and Jeffrey, of West Palm Beach, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Wally Hammonds, and children, Beth, Angie, and Wally Burke.

Timothy R. Martin, who is attending the University of Tennessee, was here for several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Lafferty had as dinner guests, Thanksgiving, relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Osborne and children, Neil, Leslie and Dwayne, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. William Chester Porter and Brad, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer, all of Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Westfall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westfall, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Josie Frazier and her son, Jack Frazier, spent Thanksgiving day with her daughter, Mrs. Gerald Baker and Mr. Baker, at Ashland,

Mrs. Paul Porter and Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Porter and Randy were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Kendrick, of Huntington, W. Va., Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Gray and Todd, and Frank G. Grey and Frankie and Betty Jean, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with their aunt, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, and Mr. Crisp. Visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin and her sister, Eleanor, were Mrs. Kenneth Parsons, Mr. Parsons and family, of Miamisburg, Ohio, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopson, of Maytown, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spencer, Paula and Timmie, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hopson, of Paintsville. Richard Allen, a student at Morehead State University, spent the school vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen. Wednesday evening, he was dinner guest of Miss Darlene Moore and her parents, of Salyersville. Mrs. Alene Poe and children, Leslie and Jason, of Lexington, visited here this week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Akers. J. Frank Preston called in Louisa, Wednesday, on the family of Mrs. Glenn Borders. Mrs. Borders passed away Monday and was buried Thanksgiving Day at Borders Chapel cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Lafferty and sons, Greg and Jeff, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Goldia Lafferty.

Allen United Methodist Youth Fellowship is holding a Pancake Breakfast, Saturday, December 1, from 7 to 11 a.m. at the Methodist Church. Please support this group by buying tickets from one of the members, or at the door.

The home of Mrs. Leo Watts was the scene of the regular monthly meeting of the Baptist women of the First Baptist Church called to order by president, Mrs. Sarah Laven, reading a poem, "You Tell on Yourself." Mission Support chairwoman, Mrs. Berniece Porter, read the call to prayer and offered prayer. Mission Study chairwoman, Mrs. Mary Jo Waugh, and co-chairwoman, Mrs. Norma Davis, presented an interesting program entitled "Medical Help for Paraguay." A short business session followed before refreshments were served to Mesdames Irene Campbell, Gertrude Clay, Norma Davis, Rosemary Frasure, Marie Hall, Dorothy Harris, Ruby Imes, Ethel Johnson, Sarah Laven, Alta Malone, Mary May, Berniece Porter, Judy Short, Toby Snodgrass, Irene Stephens, Mary Jo Waugh, Myrna Whitaker, Goldia Westfall, Elsie Hicks, Dotty Layne, Delsie Settles, Marie Childers, Mildred Crisp, Maxie Rice, Helen McCormack. Assisting Mrs. Watts in serving were her daughters, Becky and Donna, and son, Randy.

Preheat your oven only when necessary (some dishes don't require a preheated oven), and then make sure you don't preheat for more than five or ten minutes. You'll save money and help conserve fuel. Remember, too, to turn off your oven as soon as you are finished using it.

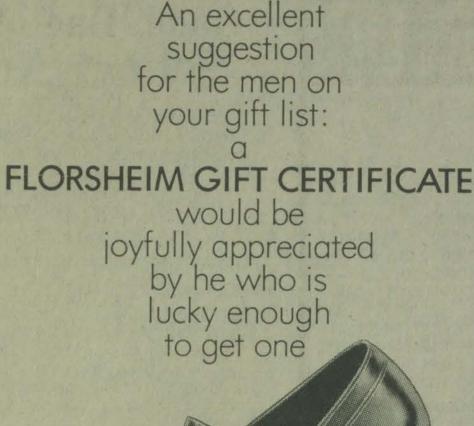
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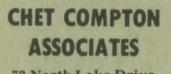
Visiting their mother, Mrs. Allie Parsons, for several days were Miss Janice Parsons, a student at Eastern State University, and George Parsons, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Clark had as guests Thanksgiving their family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Caldwell, Gary and Esther of Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, Robbie and Missy, of Lebanon, Mr. and Mrs. George Grigsby and son of Pineville, Miss Donna Sue Clark, Morehead State University, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kinzer and Suzanne, of Pikeville, and Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie Collins and A. D. Martin, of Allen.

Miss Patricia Flanery, of Campton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Flanery, and grandmother, Mrs. James Flanery, for the past four days. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tackett Allen, of New York, are here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen.

Miss Kathy Ratliff, of Marion, Va., and Jeff Ratliff, of Eastern State University, were here during the past several days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ratliff. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen over the week-end were their family Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen and children, of Flatswood, and Mrs. Clara Mays and Mike, of Hazard. Ray Brackett, Donald Daniels and Wilbur Jamerson, of Wheelwright, attended the U.K. football game at Lexington, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hunter and daughter, Roberta, of Claypool, Ind., visited Mrs. Hunter's mother, Mrs. Rosie Woods, Mrs. Wanda Cline, Mrs. Polly Justice, and relatives this Thanksgiving, returning home, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Prater and daughters were guests Thanksgiving of his brother, Bert Mullins, and Mrs. Mullins, of Delaware, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westfall and Mark attended the U.K. football game at Lexington, Saturday.

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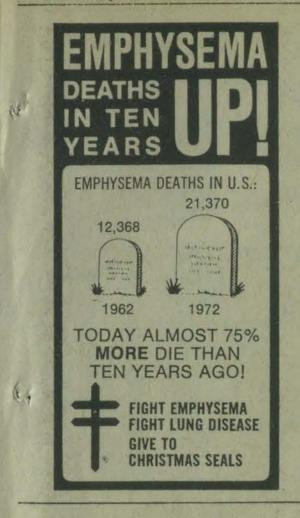
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### **Court of Appeals Upholds \$210,442 Award Made Here**

The Court of Appeals last week affirmed the judgment of a Floyd circuit court jury which allowed H. D. Fitzbatrick, Jr. and Mrs. Sally L. Clark, of Prestonsburg, \$210,442 for right-of-way taken in the construction of US 23, near Banner. The award is one of the largest of its kind ever made in this section.

The land, comprising 29.89 acres, with coal, oil and gas rights, including a producing gas well, was originally appraised at \$176,500. The owners appealed the case to circuit court.

**TIMES WANT ADS PAY!** 

### **Legislative Review Group Sees** Good, Bad of Strip Operations

Kentucky legislators was impressed last week by improvements noted in reclamation at "show-place" mining sites in Western Kentucky and in Eastern Kentucky's Breathitt county, but on the last day of the committee's three-day tour they saw results of surface mining in the Blackey section that weren't so pleasing.

After viewing land that had been graded and contoured, much of it planted to grass and trees, at the model mining sites, both Environment Commissioner Tom Harris and State Senator John Chris Cornett, of Hindman, expressed the opinion that Kentucky's present reclamation laws are adequate and that no stiffer legislation is needed from the coming General Assembly session.

Neither Harris nor Cornett was with the touring party when it visited on the last day of the inspection trip two old strip-mines and one that is now in operation, and all of which featured less attractive aspects of this type of mining. On this trip the committee was accompanied by Joe Begley, Blackey merchant and longtime foe of stripmining, who argued that the continuing earth slides which they saw are examples of unsuccessful reclamation in Eastern Kentucky.

House Majority Leader John Swinford, D-Cynthiana, said he will either introduce or support amendments to the current strip-mine control law that would stop the conventional technique of piling strip-mine overburden (waste from surface mining) over the outslopes in mountainous contour stripping.

Three other legislators accompanying



A strip-mine review committee of Swinford on the tour of Eastern Kentucky strip mines promptly said they would support such legislation. They were Sen. Walter Baker, R-Glasgow; Rep. Joe Head, D-Providence, and Rep. Victor Hellard Jr., D-Versailles.

Swinford's comments about proposing tougher strip-mining controls came on the third and last day of the delegation's tour of Western and Eastern Kentucky stripping operations.

Swinford said the proposed legislation, as he now sees it, would allow operators to strip-mine only those areas where the spoil could be carried away from the bench, or mountainside terrace left by mining, rather than being pushed over the side.

Swinford said such legislation would make it "practical" for operators to carry the spoil back to the mining site as work progresses and pile it up against the steep cliff, or highwall, left by stripmining.

Such a practice, Swinford and other legislators agreed, would hide much of the barren highwalls left by stripping which have long been the targets of stripmine critics.

The proposed amendments, Swinford said, also will include provisions that will give the state Division of Reclamation authority over all surface disturbances, including deep-mine sites, access roads, gob (coal waste) piles, tipple sites and lumbering roads.

Swinford, Baker, Head and Hellard agreed that eliminating the overburden from the mined hillside would prevent most of the current "ills" of strip-mining in mountainous terrain.

Under present law, the amount of overburden pushed over the hillside is limited only by the width of the bench allowed the operator by the Division of Reclamation. The bench width, in turn, is limited by the steepness of the slope being mined.

The legislators, backed in their decision by at least two ranking reclamation officials who asked that they not be identified, said such legislation would eliminate most slides and silt and acid runoff long associated with mountain strip-mining.

A reclamation official said the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection has not yet recommended such legislation. But he said a similar proposal will be recommended by reclamation officials to Thomas Harris, commissioner of the department, before the General Assembly convenes in January.

### Highlands

#### **Regional Medical Center Patients Dismissed**

(Nov. 16 through Nov. 23) James Lafferty, Water Gap; Rosie Boyd, Dana; Clara Blackburn, Gulnare; Eileen Baldridge, West Prestonsburg; Elizabeth Meade, Sitka; Edgar Ward, Barnetts Creek; Arthur Slone, Ligon; Charles Hall, Wayland; Jamie Dwayne Meade, Sitka; Reka Burchett, Prestonsburg; Alta Mae Barnett, Prestonsburg; Lona Slone, Garner; Rebecca Bailey, Eastern; Lisa Dodd, Salyersville; Gueyndalyn Dodd, Salyersville; Lou Ellen Hicks, Pyramid; Winford Cheek, Salyersville; Robert Webb, Oil Springs; Espa McCarty, Oil Springs; Harold Green, West Prestonsburg; Curt Homes, Prestonsburg; Lona Simmons, Prestonsburg; Fielden Bolen, Blue River; Laverne Gayheart, Lackey; Vada Owens, Prestonsburg; Wilma Hale, Prestonsburg; Shirley Davis, Prestonsburg; Dolly Boyd, Ivel; Charles Edward Boyd, Ivel; Ora Dutton (expired), Boonscamp; Minerva Moore, West Prestonsburg; Gary Lee Dale, Prestonsburg; Lizzie DeRossett, Prestonsburg; Mildred Fugatt, Salyersville; Evelyn Whitt, Blue River; George Craft, Prestonsburg; John F. Mosley, Allen; Bessie Handshoe, Garrett; Tammy Lee Music, West Prestonsburg; Curt Newsome, Teaberry; Rosslyn Williams, Elna; William W. Hall, Prestonsburg; Irene Patrick, Salversville; Brack Hamilton, Salyersville; Marbel Williamson, Paintsville; Maggie Spencer, East Point; Joyce Howard, Salyersville; M. J. Spurlock, Salversville; Roscoe Cole, Prestonsburg; Yvonne Goble, Prestonsburg; Garver Shepherd, Allen; Inalene Endicott, Prestonsburg; Elizabeth Spears, West Van Lear; Billie Lafferty, Prestonsburg; Bill Morrison, West Prestonsburg; Thomas Lewis, Martin; Jimmie L. Watkins, Salyersville; Causett Crider, Auxier; Jerry Patton, Langley; Ed Coet Conley, Martin; Eugene Presley, Prestonsburg; H. Scalf, Endicott; Jacqueline Johnson, Wayland; Alvin Caldwell, Cincinnati, Ohio; Peggy Preece, Tomahawk; Winiferd Marsillette, West Prestonsburg; Patsy Hackworth, West Prestonsburg; Dewey Ar-



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nett, Cisco; April Lynn Burchett, Ivel;

Jack Ousley, Allen; Leshie Bevins,

Prestonsburg; Calvin Thacker,

#### BIRTHS

Robert Eugene Allen, Salyersville, Nov. 4; William Milton Handshoe, Garrett, Nov. 17; Anzannye Ray Whitt, Prestonsburg, Nov. 16; Drema Naomi Griffith, Pyramid, Nov. 20.

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### **Our Yesterdays**

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 20, 30 and 40 years ago)

### **Twenty Years Ago**

(This portion of "Our Yesterdays" omitted because the edition of November 26, 1953 is missing from our files.)

### **Thirty Years Ago**

#### (November 25, 1943)

Tom Raney, Pikeville, international UMWA representative, said Wednesday that he believes reports of scattered coal mine strikes in the area are false . . . Miss Freida Madalane Hornsby, of Martin, was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Nurse Corps . . . R. C. Dyer returned to this county this week from Bradford, Pennsylvania, to assume the superintendency of Inland Gas Corporation compressor stations . . . Mrs. John Mascom Kendrick, wife of a soldier, rescued her 16-months-old daughter, Joyce, and her four-year-old brother, John Gibson, from the burning home of her father, Mont Gibson, last Thursday . . . George Brown, owner of the Sandy Valley Produce Company, a few days ago began construction of a 40 x 50-foot poultry house and garage at the rear of the Cash Hardware Company building which he purchased a few months ago from Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Howard . . . Thirteen of the 14 boys in the Wayland high school graduating class of 1940 are in the armed forces. The 14th, Maurice Cleveland, was killed in an auto wreck shortly after his graduation . . . There died: Pharaoh Little, 57, Monday at Weeksbury; Mrs. Minerva Weddington, 85, Friday at her home at Emma; Benjamin Wells Porter, 73, November 13 at Paintsville; T. J. White, 79, former contractor at Martin, November 10 at Lowden, Tennessee.

#### **Forty Years Ago**

#### (November 24, 1933)

The Kentucky Civil Works Administration this week announced a road construction program intended to employ upwards of 5,000 men in this county till February 15, if not longer . . . The ballot box mystery thickens. A Cincinnati fingerprint expert failed to identify prints of those responsible for sawing the locks from the ballot boxes of Betsy Layne and Tickey precincts. The returns from the two precincts had been so tampered with that the election commissioners refuse to tabulate them . . . "Big" Alex Frazier was badly injured Monday morning while working as driller in the gas field near Pikeville ... Value of vegetables grown in Floyd county farm gardens in 1930 ranked third in the United States, according to census figures released recently . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ball, November 10, a daughter-Virginia Kathryn . . . There died: Edward S. Lauhon, 50, of Catlettsburg, Wednesday night at the Valley Inn here; W. M. Howard, 37, West Prestonsburg merchant, Thursday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin; Mrs. Mitty Dodd, 57, of Estill, at a Martin hospital, Monday; Betty Jean Pigman, 4, Saturday at Water Gap; David Ernest Stuart, 13, native of Prestonsburg, November 6 at Williamson, West Virginia.

### East Kentucky Mack

**Toll-Free Energy** 

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good, ol' days about which we just might be learning more about, first-hand, before long.

Comes to mind the experience one fellow of unprepossessing mien had with his energy producer-to-wit, a mule named Jim. This critter had what you might call a habit of running away with his owner and whatever might be hitched to him.

The man tried everything he knew and followed the advice of neighbors, but nothing helped. He curried and combed the brute, kept the flies off him, fed him well. But almost every day Old Jim took out another panel of fencing as he skylarked across the fields.

His owner finally decided to try a "blind-bridle" on him. But Jim remained skittish, frisky and inclined to run. The man couldn't understand the critter. Again he asked advice.

His neighbor came up with the answer. "It ain't a blind bridle that you need, son," he said. "You need to blindfold that mule. Man, he sees you, and he runs for his life!"

#### ANOTHER ENVIRONMENTALIST

"The Great Chief in Washington sends word that he wishes to buy our land. How can you buy or sell the sky-the warmth of the land? The idea is strange to us. Yet we do not own the freshness of the air or the sparkle of the water. How can you buy them from us? Every part of this earth is sacred to my people. Every shiny pine needle, every sandy shore, every mist in the dark woods, every clearing and humming insect is holy in the memory and experience of my people.

"We know that white man does not understand our ways. One portion of the land is the same to him as the next, for he is a stranger who comes in the night and takes from the land whatever he needs. The earth is not his brother but his enemy, and when he has conquered it he moves on. He leaves his father's graves, and his children's birthright is forgotten.

"There is no quiet place in the white man's cities. No place to hear the leaves of spring or the rustle of insect wings. But perhaps because I am savage and do not understand-the clatter only seems to insult the ears. And what is there to life if a man cannot hear the lovely cry of the whippoor ill or the arguments of the frog around the pond at night.

"The whites too, shall pass-perhaps improve operations and maintenance of sooner than other tribes. Continue to contaminate your bed and you will one night suffocate in your own waste. When the buffalo are all slaughtered, the wild horses all tamed, the secret corners of the forest heavy with the scent of many men, and the view of the ripe hills blotted by talking wires. Where is the thicket? Gone. Where is the eagle? Gone. And what is it to say goodbye to the swift and Consumers should contact their the hunt, the end of living and beginning of survival." (Would you say that was written by another long-haired, wild-eyed environmentalist? Could be. That is said to have been a letter written in 1855 to President Franklin Pierce by Chief Sealth of the Duwanish tribe.)

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Some 141 Kentucky communities may be reimbursed approximately \$20 million for waste water treatment facilities constructed since 1956 as a result of changes in federal clean water regulations.

Requirements of the federal Water Pollution Control Act will necessitate the building of additional plants by most communities and private corporations to existing facilities. The reimbursement money, if made available to the applicants, will certainly aid the recipients in financing the improvements necessary to meet these requirements.

improvements needed to meet federalstate discharge requirements. Others may decide to study their sewer system to determine infiltration-inflow problems and methods to eliminate such problems.

#### **Candidate** as Member In Honor Fraternity

John Robert Hereford has been accepted as a candidate for membership in the medical honorary fraternity, Alpha Epsilon Delta, for superior scholastic achievement at the University of Louisville where he is a sophomore. Mr. Hereford is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hereford, of Prestonsburg.

#### **Thumps Watts Team**

Johnny Ray Turner tallied 26 points to lead the Mack Bulldogs to a 92-82 victory Sunday over the Watts Mobile Home team. The win brought the season record of the Bulldogs to 3-0.

The game was physically rough from the beginning tip-off to the final horn. The Bulldogs closed the first half with a 44-34 lead. Seventeen points was the biggest margin the Bulldogs held during the second half. They held on to their 10-point halftime lead to finish with a 92-82 victory.

Other leading scorers were Barry Hall with 20, Kenny Conley with 19, Larry Shepherd with 11, Jimmy Joe Reynolds with 10, and Steve Hall with 8.

The Bulldogs will take on Ben Tackett's Ashland team December 2, at 4 p.m. at the Johnson Central High School gymnasium.

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### Number Announced

Frankfort, Ky.-The Kentucky Mandatory Allocation Office has announced a toll-free telephone number for consumers of heating oil, kerosene and diesel fuel who are currently experiencing shortages or anticipated shortages.

distributors first if they face a shortage. If the distributors are unable to help, consumers should contact the Kentucky Mandatory Allocation Office, Capital Plaza Office Tower, Frankfort, Ky. 40601. The toll-free telephone number is 800-372-2978. Frankfort area residents should use 564-7416.

Emergency allocations are being made for homes, health services, essential government services (police, fire departments and emergency care vehicles), food production and related transportation (farm and factory), energy production and related transportation and mass transit.

Some communities may elect to use the money to equip a laboratory for analyzing waste characteristics and obtaining stream data to determine

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### **Magoffin County Community Has Special Volunteer Police Force**

**By HELEN PRICE STACY** There was a time in the history of Salversville when one man was responsible for law and order. Though the Magoffin County seat is small as cities go, it was still too big for one man. About six months ago a force of eight to 10 volunteers began helping patrol city streets, and according to volunteer Fred Keeton, "The program is working real fine.'

Three of the men get paid for the parttime work, but all are interested in making Salyersville as crime-free a community as possible.

John Combs, a police judge who will take office as mayor in January, commends the volunteers for patrol work. Both he and Keeton, who also is fire chief and civil defense director, agree that the special force has brought a decrease in crime.

considerably," Combs said.

"There's been a big change," added Keeton, "and most of the improvement can be attributed to these local men who furnish their own car and gas to make the rounds."

Setbacks occurred when Police Chief Chalmer Trusty died, but within a short time young men had volunteered to fill in the gaps. The special force has performed so well that law is continuing to be enforced in an organized and

#### GOSSIP

When the gossip starts to travel And the people move about, A little tiny whisper Becomes an ugly shout; A little word of kindness Is twisted into scorn, And a little friendly meeting Is of all its purpose, shown. What makes the idle talker So anxious to be heard? Why must he be untruthful In his thoughtless spoken word? He causes so much heartache, He causes many tear; He adds discord to harmony, And turns content to fears. The world would be much better If only age and youth Wouth turn their backs on gossip

And strive to tell the truth.

#### sophisticated manner.

The idea of the special force was the concept of the late police chief and coordinated by present Mayor Robert Watts, who is also one of the volunteers. Combs expects to continue the program when he takes office.

Most of the members have full-time jobs as mechanics, miners or teachers. It is how they use their leisure time that is putting Salyersville at the top of progressive cities in the region.

Watts termed the volunteer program as "one of the best ventures the city ever made." He commended the members for being "peace officers who are not out to see how many arrests they can tally in a night's time, but who are helping enforce the law in a dignified manner.

In addition to those mentioned other members include Daniel Risner, Donald Hensley, Chester Poe, Jim Wages, Terry "Some minor offenses are down Oney, Carter Conley, William Hicks and George Austin.

> Progressing from a police force of one to a skillful group of special volunteers is an accomplishment of the Magoffin County seat that would make any city proud.

### **Craftsmen Sought for Fort Boonesborough**

economics.

observed.

The restoration of Fort Boonesborough, at the site of Daniel Boone's settlement near Boonesboro, Ky., promises authenticity right down to the small round gunwindows in the corner blockhouses. The absence of Daniel Boone himself might be the only thing lacking in rolling back the clock to 1775. Ewart W. Johnson, Commissioner of the Kentucky State Parks Department, has announced statewide search for craftsmen and artisans skilled in the crafts of the frontier age.

The Fort, now under construction and scheduled to open next summer, will enclose 26 cabins, 12 of them housing crafts demonstrations from the frontier era. Modern-day "pioneers' adept at these crafts are invited to be the second group of settlers by becoming resident artisans at the fort.

Crafts to be demonstrated include broommaking, basketry, seat caning, soapmaking, weaving, spinning, vegetable dyeing, pottery, folk toymaking, doll making, woodcarving and cabinetry. Visitors to the fort will even find a blacksmith "bendin' iron" under a tree in the middle of the fort.



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The tools and primitive machinery will be antiques from the frontier days, obtained from museums and private donations. Ken Snyder, accessions director and craft coordinator for Fort-Boonesborough, reports collecting examples of most of the implements used in the Boone era. "We're now at the stage where we can turn our attention to finding Kentuckians who know how to use these implements," he says.

Interested persons talented in frontier crafts may contact Ken Snyder, Kentucky Department of Parks, Capital Plaza, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

#### SERVING WITH DIVISION

Ft. Hood, Tex. (AHTNC)-Army spe (alist four Rodney Case, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Case, Hunter, is serving with the 1st Cavalry Division at Ft. Hood, Tex. Spec. Case is a scout with Troop A, 1st

squadron of the division's 6th Cavalry.

problem. Because of the acidity and metal compounds present, the wastewaters cannot be disposed of by passing them into environmental surface or ground waters.

An invention that solves an en-

vironmental control problem-the

disposal of certain acid wastewaters-

has resulted in award of a U.S. patent to

The patent, No. 3,738,932, covers a

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pickling operations. Until now, these

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Under the patented method, invented by Paul D. Kostenbader, an engineer in the environmental control section of Bethlehem's research department, the disposal problem is simplified by creating a high-density sludge.

According to the method, precipitated metal compounds are collected in the form of a dense, easily handled sludge containing 15 to 50 percent solids. In contrast, previously existing methods produce watery sludges having only 1 to 2 percent solids that are difficult to handle and to dispose of.

A key step in the new method is that a controled portion of the high-density sludge formed in the process is recycled in one stage of the process. The recycled sludge is mixed with an alkali-water slurry in a reactor. The mixturetogether with the wastewater-is added to a second reactor. Acidity is then neutralized by the alkali-water slurry, and the metal compounds are precipitated.

The neutralized mixture is passed to a settling tank, where the precipitated metal compounds settle out to form the high-density sludge. Clear water is decanted from the settling tank.

### **Fishtrap Reservoir Work Cost Placed** At \$100,-\$200,000

Although Fishtrap Reservoir in Pike county has a siltation problem which could cut its 100-year life expectancy to seven years, the U.S. Corps of Engineers expects to spend between \$100,000 and \$200,000 on recreation facilities and remedial work at the dam next year.

Contractors' bids are now being sought on the work for letting Jan. 8. The work will consist essentially of constructing a comfort station of split block, with all utilities, including a 5,000-gallon sewage treatment plant; two sewage lift stations, a crushed aggregate access road, a concrete ramp, outlet channel remedial work and seeding of disturbed areas.

The work is to be completed within 270 days after issuance of the work notice.

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### **4H Leader Honored For Work**



Carl Eddy Steele, 1973 Kentucky poultry judging champion, presents Roy May carving to County Agent Jack Friar (right) on behalf of the Floyd county judging team which last week placed 10th in national competition in Chicago. The award honored Mr. Friar for his long and successful work with Floyd farm youth. Others in photo are, from left, Lance Blackburn, winner of a silver medal in the national meet, and Eddie Fraley. (Not pictured was the fourth member of the judging team, Leslie Auxier.)

Floyd County Youth Agent Jack Friar was surprised and honored Sunday afternoon, November 18, at his home by the Floyd county junior and senior poultry judging teams. The boys gathered with other 4-H members and leaders to present Mr. Friar with a gift showing their appreciation for his years of dedicated service to the youth of our county. The gift was an original handcarved "Boy Judging a Chicken" designed and carved by native craftsman, Roy May.

State Poultry Judging Champion Carl Steele made the presentation commending Mr. Friar for his constant and untiring efforts on behalf of the boys and other 4-H Club members of our area. Mr. Friar has been active in 4-H work in Floyd and other Northeast area counties since 1957. Two of his 4-H Club members, Melanie Conley Warfield and Reba Salyers, participated in the International Farm Youth Exchange program in 1958 and 1963. They spent six months living among the farm families of Nepal and Ireland.

Following the presentation of the carving, those present were served refreshments by Mrs. Friar who was assisted by Pauletta Smith and Ann Flanery. Those attending were: Carl Steele, Lance Blackburn, Leslie Auxier, Eddie Fraley, Kent Flanery, Jeffrey Martin, Jeff Jones, Steve Green, Mark McGuire, John Flanery, Melvin May, Steve Tackett, Pauletta Smith and Ann Flanery.

The four members of the Kentucky State Senior Poultry Judging Team and Mr. Friar spent Thanksgiving Holidays in Chicago at National 4-H Congress. They were Carl Steele, Lance Blackburn, Leslie Auxier, and Eddie Fraley.

### **BAYS BRANCH**

Mrs. T. Y. (Stella) Harmon, observed her 89th birthday Sunday, Nov. 25, at her home. She received many cards, gifts and best wishes from friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyden, of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hyden, Jr., of Raceland, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hyden and Marcia, of East Point, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Vaughan and daughters, of Auxier, visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hyden and Reba over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Charles Layne, of Mays Branch, visited her mother, Mrs. Amy Harmon, and sister Angie recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baldridge and daughter Libby Ann, of East Point, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dotson, of Cliff, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Nancy Marshall. Rev. and Mrs. Ted Nelson, of Town Branch, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Nelson and Mrs. Dave Webb recently.

Mrs. Bill Burchett was inPaintsville, Sunday.

#### CHURCH DINNER SET SATURDAY, DEC. 1

A fund-raising dinner for the Wayland Methodist Church will be held Saturday, Dec. 1, from 12 noon until 5 p.m. Dinners will be chicken and dumplings or ham. Tickets may be bought in advance or at the door.

### Paintsville Jail Termed 'Unfit'

The Johnson county grand jury last week suggested the Paintsville city jail be condemned as "unfit for human habitation."

A grand jury investigation found "there was no drinking water available except in commodes," the cooking area was filthy and garbage was scattered everywhere, including hallways.

"The odor was terrible," the report said, and prisoners were found sleeping on metal benches with no mattresses.

However, Paul Conley, a dispatcher for the police department, said Friday that part of the report—that which dealt with drinking water—was untrue.

"I don't know where they got that," he said. "We only have two cells and both have drinking fountains."

Conley said the jail had only one occupant at that time.

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HERE ON VACATION

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Alex Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry N. Hughes, Memphis, Tenn., is spending a month's vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davis, Paintsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hughes, Prestonsburg. He will return home after the Christmas holidays.

**Times Want Ads Get Results!** 

BEACH RESIGNS Henry Beach has resigned his position as executive director of the Kentucky Commission on Aging after serving 22 months as the department's head. Beach will continue to work with senior citizens concerns as a consultant to the state Department for Human Resources on licensing and regulation of care facilities for the elderly.



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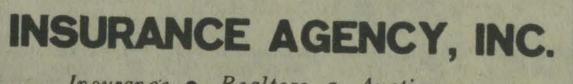
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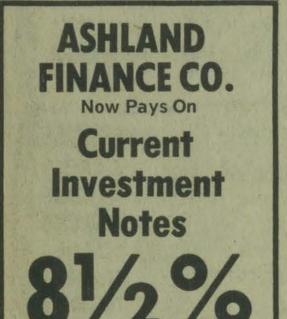
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#### **Observe Anniversary**



William R. Ratcliff and his wife, Grace Dingus Ratcliff, who observed their 52nd wedding anniversary, Nov. 15, at their home in Pageant Hills, Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Ratcliff, who were married Nov. 15, 1921 at Sugar Loaf, near here, are the parents of one son, Luke Ratcliff, of Martin, and a daughter, Mrs. Golden Gallagher, of Kirtland, New Mexico.

Commissioner of Personnel Cattie Lou Miller has announced that the pergovernment employment has risen to a new high of 6.2-up from 5.7 per cent in January 1973. Commissioner Miller said that at the beginning of Gov. Ford's administration, the percentage was 4.9. In July, 1972, Gov. Ford initiated an affirmative action program for state employment, which required all agencies to give equal employment opportunities and to recruit minority workers.



### **Kentucky's Banking Assets Growing**

By MARVA GAY

Frankfort, Ky.-Assets of banks and trust companies regulated by the Kentucky Department of Banking total a whopping \$4.9 billion-a figure greater than the entire national budget of some countries.

These assets are 25 times larger than the national budget of Panama and 15 times larger than that of Haiti. And in fact, the largest state bank regulated by the department has assets four times greater than the annual budget of Guatemala.

State banking records show that assets for 263 state banks, trust companies and combined bank and trust companies totaled \$4,973,878,479.44 on June 30, 1973, when the last count was recorded. The figure does not include loan associations, credit unions, small loan companies and industrial loan companies.

Also, national banks-those which have the word "national" in their names-are excluded, as the state banking department does not regulate national banks.

In 1912, the first year the banking centage of black workers in state department recorded assets, they totaled \$110 million. Department records show that total assets for banks and trust companies have increased steadily since the 1930's. This year's total showed an increase of \$697 million over last year's. To make sure the banks and trust companies comply with state laws, Banking Commissioner Howard T. Salee has 29 bank examiners stationed throughout the state.

Without advance warning, these examiners may review a company's records and even count the cash. Usually working in conjunction with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), which insures most state banks, five to forty examiners may spend up to two weeks in one bank. The banks pay the cost of the examination. Since Sallee was appointed banking commissioner last May, seven examiners have been added to his staff to keep pace with the increased banking business. Banks and trust company assets are increasing throughout the nation. Sallee said.

He has also initiated a procedure of rotation for the examiners-in-charge in six areas of the state and a review of examination reports by the Frankfort office.

#### Wed 58 Years Ago



Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Walters, of Flint, Mich., formerly of Prestonsburg, at the observance of their 58th wedding anniversary, Nov. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Walters were married Nov. 23, 1915, and have resided in Michigan several years.

#### COLLECTIVE BARGAINING LAWS PREVENT STRIKES???

Despite the oft-repeated argument that collective bargaining laws will prevent school strikes-consider Michigan:

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YET, Michigan is annually ranked among the states with the greatest number of teacher strikes, and for this school year (73-74) has the highest percentage of teacher strikes of any state in the nation.

### **Transylvania Holds To Present Tuition**

Lexington, Ky.-Transylvania University's Board of Curators recently accepted a recommendation of its Executive Committee and university president Irvin E. Lunger, and voted not to raise tuition at the university next year.

The Board also voted to continue the university's guaranteed tuition plan in 1974-75 so that all new students who enter Transylvania in Sept. 1974 are assured that their tuition costs will remain the same during their collegiate years at Transylvania.

Current costs for a year of study at Transylvania for a resident student (tuition, room and board) is \$3,320. A non-resident student pays \$2,190.

In discussing the action on tuition, Dr. Lunger explained that the Transylvania Board "is determined to hold the line on tuition charges, and is very much aware of the economic pressures that most families feel with one or two children in college."

"We," Dr. Lunger said, "do not want to deprive the young people who want to attend Transylvania the opportunity to do so, and we will continue to do everything we possibly can to make our educational program within the financial reach of parents."

Dr. Lunger also stated that the Board has approved a plan whereby all undesignated gifts to the Curators Fund, the Alumni Fund, or the Friends Campaign, will go into the university's scholarship and student assistance fund.



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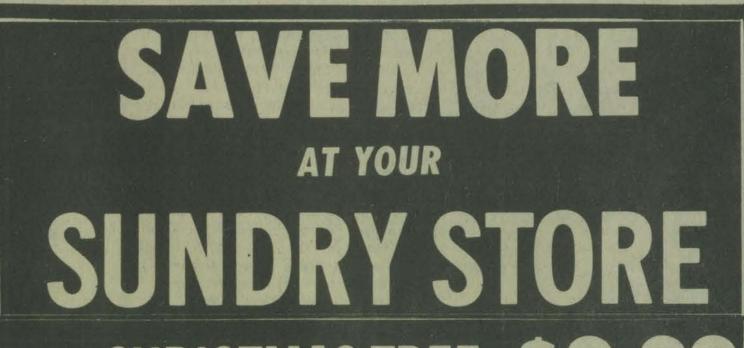


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### Gov. Ford Praised At

#### **Criminal Justice Seminar**

Atlanta, Ga.-George Murphy, regional administrator of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA), recently praised Gov. Wendell Ford for "truly being a supporter of law enforcement, criminal justice and the quality of justice.'

Murphy, speaking at the Law Enforcement, Justice and Public Safety Seminar of the Southern Governors' Conference, pointed out that Ford had been a leader in having Congress extend the LEAA program for three more years.

"In his support for police salaries . . . he took on the Federal Pay Board, in a sincere belief that police salaries are one of the primary problems that we've had in professionalizing the law enforcement occupation," Murphy said.

He added that "Gov. Ford's reorganization with Henri Mangeot running the Department of Justice is a step toward systems and criminal justice planning."

Ford has also been "a supporter of the funding conduit that's in business to help local and state criminal justice agencies," Murphy added.

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### **Book Week Poster Contest Winners**



Children's Book Week Poster Contest winners were announced this week by the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club which sponsored the competition. Shown above are, from left, Steven Rice, Debbie Hyden, Lynne Haywood and Sharon Wright, all of Clark Elementary school; Glenn Carter Leach, Rona and Ronnie Lawson, and Laura Hereford, all of Prestonsburg Elementary school.

are as follows: in Division I (Grades 1-4), First place-Steven Rice, fourth grade, Clark Elementary; Second place-Rona and Ronnie Lawson, first and second grades, Prestonsburg Elementary; Third place-Laura Hereford, second grade, Prestonsburg Elementary. Receiving honorable mention in Division I were Kimberly Risner, Karen Marsillett, Rita Ousley and Steve Spradlin, of Prestonsburg Elementary

In Division II (Grades 5-8), First place-Glenn Carter Leach, sixth grade, Prestonsburg Elementary; Second place-Lynn Haywood and Debbie Hyden, eighth grade, Clark Elementary; Third place-Sharon Wright, eighth grade, Clark Elementary. Receiving honorable mention in Division II were David Mollette, Ronald Allen, Peggy

Winners of the contest by categories Clark Elementary, and Laura Cooley, of Ousley, Brenda Wright, Tanda Ousley, Kathy Nolan, and Sandra Medlock.

> Judges of the poster contest were Blanche Dingus, of Martin, Garnett Fairchild, of Prestonsburg, Alice Hackworth, of West Prestonsburg, and Russell May, of Prestonsburg. Judging took place at the Floyd County Library on Wednesday, November 21.

TIMES WANT ADS GET RESULTS!

### **MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS**

Mrs. Peggy Jo Vaughn, Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent a recent week-end with her father, Dr. J. H. Allen, and her sister, Harriet. She was accompanied to Maytown by Mrs. Don Collins, assistant. principal of the Daniel Arthur Rehabilitation Center in Oak Ridge, where Mrs. Vaughn is employed as home economics instructor. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Allen entertained Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and Harriet Allen to dinner.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchett whose sister-in-law, Mrs. Bev Burchett, of Prestonsburg, passed away last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Adkins have been visiting their son, Morton, Jr., and Mrs. grandparents are Mrs. Nora Martin and

the late Garland Martin. Cleveland Sword was accompanied to Pikeville Tuesday by Jack Sword and W. D. Day. He underwent cataract surgery. Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Allen have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stewart

Hawkins and children in St. Marys, Ohio. Mrs. Hawkins underwent surgery while they were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Selton Gibson accompanied their son, James G. Gibson, to his home in Mt. Orab, Ohio, where they spent several days. They also visited another son, Leonard, and family in New Richmond, Ohio.

Mrs. James E. Allen and Mrs. Rondel Hayes visited Mrs. Sylvia Hicks Raines at her home in Grundy, Va. last Saturday. Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prater were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Flanery and children, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb and children, Springfield, Ohio, Miss Teresa Prater, Midway College, Midway, Ky., and Jerry Price, Shepherdsville, Ky.

#### **Natural Bridge Meeting On Education Held**

Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Jr., director, and Robert R. Allen, coordinator of academic affairs at Prestonsburg Community College, recently attended a state-wide meeting on planning, developing and implementing postsecondary occupational education programs across the state.

Making the best use of resources, including personnel and facilities, received much of the attention of participants which included educators from Community Colleges and the Bureau of Vocational Education, representatives of the state universities and the State Department of Education. Approximately 85 persons participated during the two-day session at Natural Bride State Park.

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Adkins at their home in Augusta, Ga. Jerry Patton was a patient at

Highlands Regional Hospital for a few days for observation. Several from here attended the bap-

tismal service for Billy Joe Patton at the Allen Baptist Church, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Martin announce the birth of their second child, first son, Travis Braden, November 17 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital. Mrs. Martin is the former Olive Duff, daughter of Green Duff, of Hueysville, and the late Mrs. Duff. The paternal



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Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Kirby, Greenfield, Ind., visited Mrs. Kirby's mother, Mrs. Lula Allen, of Eastern, Monday and Tuesday.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett and children, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Turner, Murfreesboro, Tenn., Mrs. Raymond Crum and Billy Raymond, of Allen, and Mrs. and Mrs. Denny Gibson.

Bob, Mike and Pat Tallent, all of Washington, D.C., were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Tallent.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Joe Ed Allen, of Cincinnati, whose body was returned here for burial Saturday, with graveside services conducted by Rev. Lee E. Caudill in the new Allen cemetery, near Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe Caudill and children, of Blackey, were Thanksgiving Day guests of his mother, Mrs. Minnie Howell. Bess Ratliff went to Blackey with them Thursday evening and spent a few days there visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Begley.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ramey and Tim, of Alexandria, Ky., were holiday weekend guests of relatives here and at Eastern.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stewart, of Grayson, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and family. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart, of Amelia, Ohio, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart and other relatives. James Robinson, of Washington, D.C., was the holiday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Robinson.

**Times Want Ads Get Results!** 

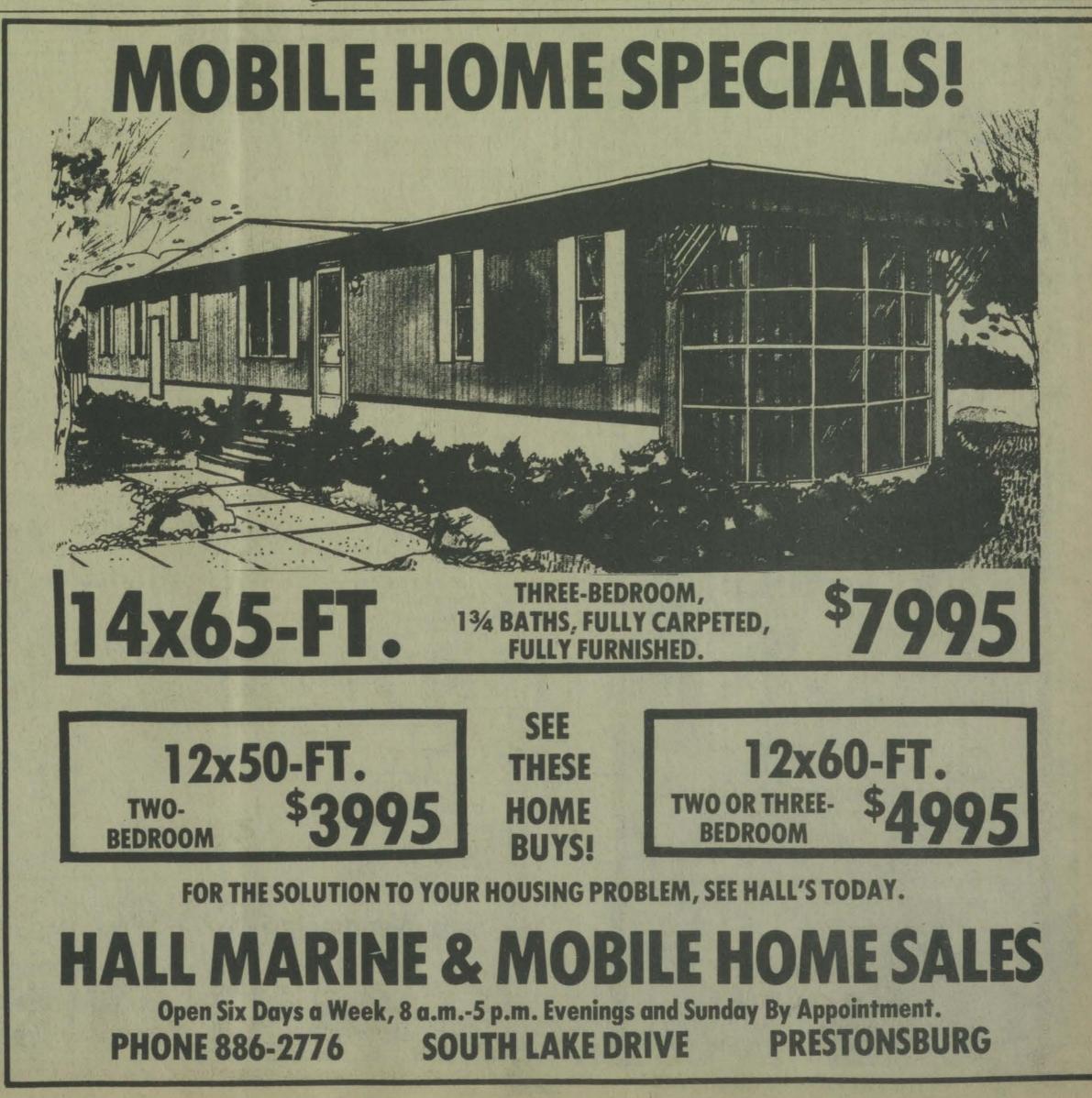
Dr. Lyman Ginger, superintendent of public education, made the welcoming speech.

The meeting represented an effort to strengthen the cooperative efforts between the Community College System and the state vocational technical schools.

#### YEAR OF EVALUATION

WASHINGTON, D.C.-1974 has been designated as "the year of evaluation" for career education, according to William Pierce, deputy U.S. commissioner for occupational and adult education. Pierce said next year will be "diagnostic" in that there will be an attempt to narrow the definition of career education to the point "where it has some substance and isn't just what anybody wants it to be."





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#### NORTH PRESTONSBURG HOMEMAKERS MEET

The North Prestonsburg Homemakers Club met Tuesday, November 20, at the home of Garnett Fairchild. Preceding the lesson and business meeting a potluck dinner was enjoyed by the members.

Rhoda Brickley presided and presented the devotion.

A meeting of all Floyd County Homemakers is being planned for early spring. This will be in the form of a potluck dinner and quilting party.

It was decided that fruit would be taken to the Nursing home for Christmas. In January members will take kleenex to each patient.

An interesting lesson was presented on Christmas ideas. Those attending were Christine Spradlin, Frances Pitts, Rhoda Brickley, Freda Halstead, Betty Fannin, Glenna Cesco, Joanne Gardner, and Garnett Fairchild.

#### **BAGS DEER**

C. D. Meadows, Dr. Edward B. Leslie and Ben Ferguson returned home last week from a hunting trip near Churchville, Va. Mr. Meadows bagged a deer.

#### THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mrs. Harry Ranier entertained relatives on Thanksgiving Day buffet at noon. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hale Ranier, Toni Kay, Alan, Lorn and Lea Ranier, Ricky Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood, Phillip and Rebecca Haywood, Wayne Brown, Tommi Sue Branham, Mr. and Mrs. Urcel Fielding.

#### **MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS**

The Missionary Society of the First Church of God met with Miss Myrtle Pugsley at her home, November 15. Mrs. Joe Vaughan presided. Mrs. Ethel Wyatt conducted the devotionals. Bible readings were given by the group. Refreshments were enjoyed by Vita Fraley, Della Herald, Ethel Wyatt, Maudie Warix, Joe Vaughan, Ora Schroeder, Grace Kitchen.

### P.T.A. To Present **Nutcracker Ballet**

Peter Illyitch Tchaikovsky's "Nutcracker" ballet will open the Christmas season in Prestonsburg Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Prestonsburg Elementary School auditorium.

This is a children's ballet, and will be the first full-length classical ballet in Eastern Kentucky. Approximately 110 will be involved in the production-all of them students of the Meade School of Dance in Prestonsburg and Paintsville. Leading characters are Clara (Amy Lawson); Fritz (Charles Michael Fitch); Nutcracker (Thomas Blackburn); King Mouse (Robbie Hall); Snow Queen (Jenny Wheeler); Sugar Plum Fairy (Beth Martin); Prince (Amanda Wheeler); Father (Robert Latta); Mother (Judy Hyden); the mysterious Counselor Drossellmayer (Charles Underwood); Narrator (Dan Rowland). The ballet is being sponsored by the Prestonsburg Elementary PTA. Tickets will be on sale with local merchants as well as at the door.

#### THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lafferty, Sr. enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter, Roberta, and her husband Arnold Crider, and sons, Dwight and Brian. The Crider's also had as dinner guests Mrs. Callie Williams, of Flat Gap and Jesse and Timmy Woods, of Big Branch.

#### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Carrie Hubbard returned home last Friday from Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington where she was treated for a hip injury. Her sister, Mrs. Pearl Bingham, is with her at her home.

#### IN HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick are patients in room 418 at the Highlands Regional Hospital. They are there for examination.





CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Garriott celebrated the Thanksgiving season with a family dinner at May Lodge, Thursday noon. The table seating twenty-two guests was decorated in the Thanksgiving motif with a corsage for each guest.

Those who enjoyed the occasion with Mrs. Gariott were Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wells Spurlock, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Spurlock, Mrs. Betsy Spurlock Lambert, John Archer Spurlock, Edgar H. Lambert, Miss Locky Lambert, Miss Margaret Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, Miss Julia May, Mrs. Effie E. Milby, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stapleton, Paintsville, Carl Stambaugh, Paintsville, Mrs. Judy Boggs, Miss Kim Dunn, and Miss Kathy Leslie.

#### THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. James Gunnell, of Star Route, Prestonsburg, had as guests over the holidays the following: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gunnell and children, Rebecca, Brenda and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gunnell and children Lynne, Den, Doug and Bucky, all of Columbus, Ohio, Mrs. Bobby Mills and children Tracy and Linnie, of Marion, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Hunt and son Mark, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gunnell and son Anthony, of Printer, Mrs. Tina Stumbo, of Printer, Mrs. Argus Richardson and daughter Jerry Kay, of Betsy Layne, Mrs. Glady Gunnell, Mr. Harvey L. Gunnell, Mr. Henry Mace, Johnny Woods, and Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Blackburn, all of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Elbert Blackburn, Jr., of Paintsville. Mrs. Gunnell also received a telephone call from her granddaughter, Mrs. Thomas Brutkiewicz of Columbus, Ohio.

HERE FOR THANKSGIVING

Rodney W. Keenon, of Tazewell, Va., spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Keenon.

**RETURN FROM LOUISIANA** Mr. and Mrs. John H. Keenon returned home last Tuesday from Baton Rouge, La., where they have been visiting their son and family for the past two weeks.

#### THANKSGIVING VISITORS

Rev. and Mrs. Larry F. Mann and Rebecca, of Manchester, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Mann for Thanksgiving.

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#### **VISITORS FROM IOWA**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mann and sons, Dick, Mike and Dan, and Steve Ryder, of Wilton, Iowa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Mann during the Thanksgiving holiday.

#### VISITORS

SGM. and Mrs. Walter Snavely and Nena, of Ft. Monroe, Va., and Charles Snavely, of Lexington, were guests this week of Wilma Crisp, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Snavely, of East Point.

#### SPEND THANKSGIVING IN OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rodebaugh and children, Rayanna, Dwayne, and Susie, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Setser and children, of Germantown, Ohio.

#### **FAMILY DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Latta entertained a family group to Thanksgiving dinner at their home on Arnold Avenue. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. James A. May and children, Barbara Suzanne and Jamie, and Mrs. James L. Williams, all of Frankfort, Mrs. Olga May Latta, Robert, Cliff, III, Jamie, and Audrey Latta.

#### VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. James L. Williams, of Frankfort, visited her mother, Mrs. Bess S. May last week.

#### **MICHIGAN VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Harris were visited by their children from Michigan, through the holidays. On Thanksgiving their dinner guests included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Harris, Jr. and son Lyle, of Ypsilanti, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Warrens, Belleville, Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Keathley and Rhonda, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Burchett, of Emma.

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**ENTERTAIN FAMILY MEMBERS** Mr. and Mrs. Joe Snavely, of East Point, entertained the following members of their family to Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilotta and children, of Augusta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Elon Daniels and children, of Frankton, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Dakota Sparks and children, of Springfield, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Daniels and daughter, of Allen, Mrs. Maxine Slone, of Logan, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Click, Jr. and children, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Rillon and children, of Prestonsburg, SGM. and Mrs. Walter Snavely and daughter, of Ft. Monroe, Va., Charles Snavely of Lexington, and Wilma Crisp,

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haywood and

children, of Byersville, Ohio, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Haywood while visiting other relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Gibson and son, Gregory, of Coalwood, W. Va., visited

over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosenberg had as guests through the Thanksgiving holiday period his relatives, Mr. and Mrs.

Rudolph Rosenberg, West Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenberg and

children, Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Betty McQueen and daughters, Stacye and Jamie, of Louisville, spent

the past week with her parents, Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. John Grant Anderson had

as their guests for Thanksgiving dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson, Glenn

Anderson, Jr., Johnny and Robert Anderson, Mrs. Betty McQueen and

daughters, of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ryan, of Allen, have returned from Orange City,

Florida, where they spent a week with

Mrs. Lottie Ryan, formerly of this county, who has been seriously ill in a

hospital there but is much improved. They also visited Mrs. Lucille M. Ryan, who was in an intensive care cardiac unit of the Deland Hospital in Deland,

Florida. She is improving slowly.

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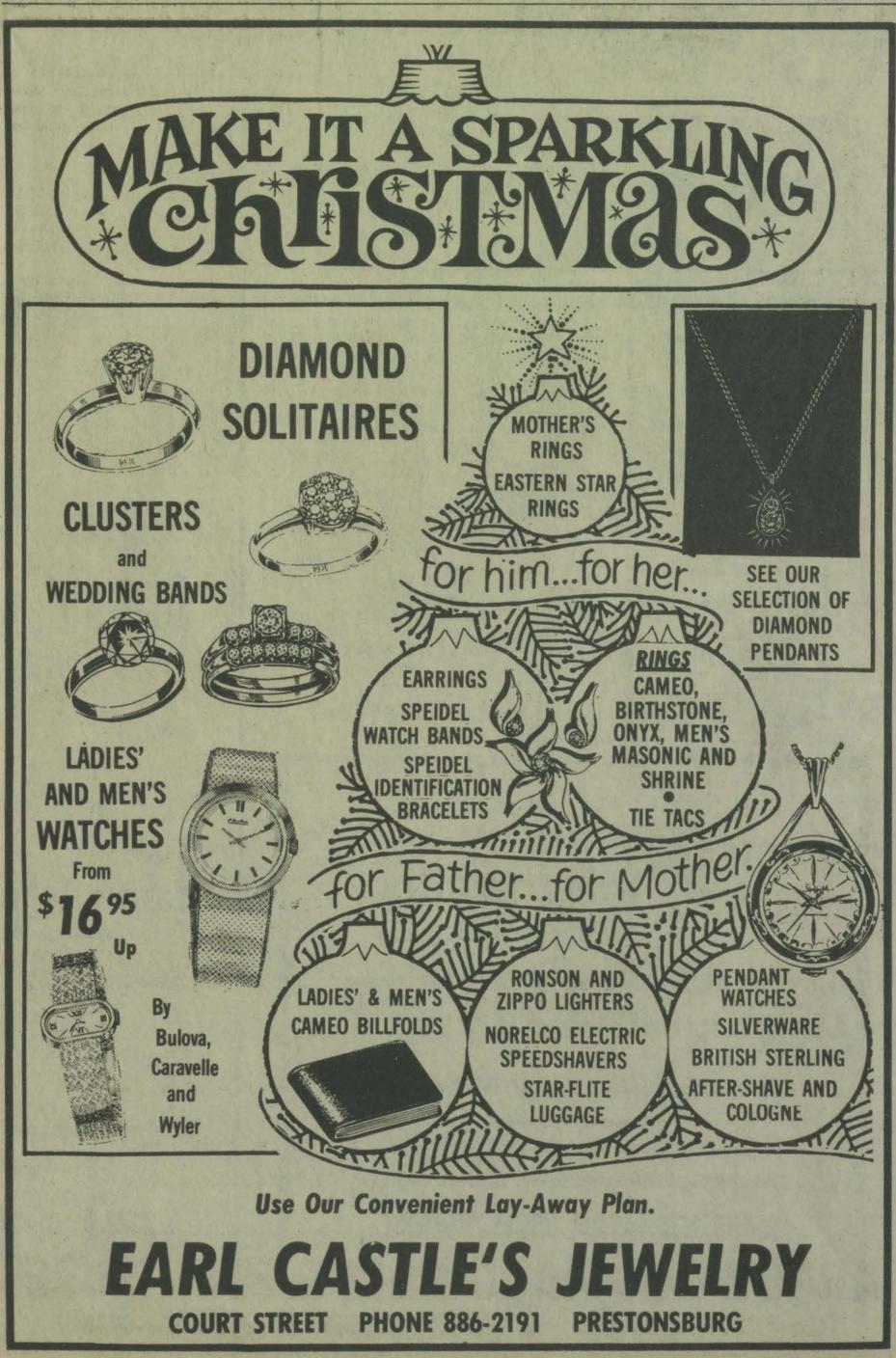
JOINED BY FAMILY Mrs. V. A. Smiley was visited by her

children on Thanksgiving. These included Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smiley and children, of Chicago, John Frederick and Wayne A. Smiley, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Synor, Richmond, Martha and Dinah, students at Morehead State University, Vee Ann, and fiance, C. Michael Taylor, of Cynthiana, and James M. Smiley, Morehead.

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#### HERE FROM LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Sullivan, Kathy, Carol and Donny, of Lexington, spent Thanksgiving here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Greenwade.

#### HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Norman Allen underwent surgery at the UK Medical Center, Lexington, last Wednesday. She returned home, Friday.

#### VISITING PARENTS

Mrs. John W. Sutherland, Jr., Richmond, Va., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmber H. Frazier.

#### HOMEMAKERS MEET

The South Prestonsburg Homemakers Club met last Monday eveing at the home of Mrs. Joyce Freels, the president, Mrs. Ora Bussey, presiding. The annual gift to the Floyd County Rescue Squad was pledged. The annual Christmas dinner will be served at the Plantation Motel, Dec. 17. The Thanksgiving devotionals were given by Joyce Allen. The program, "Christmas Foods and Gift Ideas," was presented by Ora Bussey and Frances Pitts. A Thanksgiving dessert was served Carla Burchett, Ora Bussey, Sylvia Atkinson, Ruby Clifton, Ruth Hall, Joyce Allen, Theckley Short, Francis Pitts, Grace Derossett, Verna Tackett, Carlos Haywood.

**DAUGHTER BORN NOVEMBER 21** Mr. and Mrs. David W. Allen, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Rachael Dawn, November 21 at Highlands Medical Center. Her mother is the former Patricia Baldridge. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldridge, Sr. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen.

#### VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Urcle Fielding, of Olive Hill, visited her neice, Mrs. Harry B. Ranier, here on Thanksgiving.

#### ENTERTAIN RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stumbo and daughter, Angela, had a number of relatives for Thanksgiving dinner at their home in Martin. Among their guests were Mrs. Ethel Stumbo, Mrs. Ruth Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Patrick and son, Tim, all of Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ryan, of Allen.

#### MRS. KENDRICK HONORED

Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, of Prestonsburg, was accorded special recognition at the joint Thanksgiving dinner given at Paintsville recently by Paintsville Odd Fellows' lodge and Pleasant Valley Chapter, Order of Rebekahs. Mrs. Kendrick was honored for her membership in, and service to, the Order of Rebekahs for more than 63 years.



### **Personals**

Herbert G. Salisbury, III, student at Translyvania University spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr.

Cynna and Chaddie Selvy, II spent a at Allen. few days at Corkin with their father, Marvin Selvy.

Mahoney and Nick, III, of Jeffersonville, Ind., were with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick A. England, Sr., of Shelbiana for Thanksgiving, returning to Prestonsburg to be with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr., on Friday before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wright and Liza Madge Walters, of Louisville, visited Mrs. Wrights' parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr., here Friday. Dr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr., Mrs. Chaddie S. Selvy and Tom Hall attended the Kentucky-Tennessee football game in Lexington, Saturday. Mrs. Nell Leslie Slone and children, of Elkhart, Ind., spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Virginia Daniels Hines, at her home on Abbott Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Shepherd and children, of David, spent last week as guests of his brother, Arthur Shepherd, and family in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lafferty, of East Point, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnood Crider, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lafferty, Sr., of Cliff, spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Arnold Crider, and family, of Big Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robie Marcum visited his sister, Mrs. Erbie Rose, and his mother, Mrs. Lorna Marcum, at Louisa recently.

#### THANKSGIVING VISITORS

Bill Hill, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Hazel Hill Holland, Hamilton, Ohio, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hill, on the Abbott road, Thanksgiving.

#### CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING

Prestonsburg High School celebrated Thanksgiving with a program of music, dramatic skits and an old-fashion square dance. Co-ordinating the program last Wednesday afternoon were Carlos Haywood, Doris Prater and Judy Music. About 150 student participated in the program, which was emceed by Bill Settle at the school gymnasium. On Tuesday the high school mixed chorus, directed by Mrs. Haywood, gave a

Mrs. John Haywood, of Wayland, who is visiting her son, Arthur Haywood, and family, was Thanksgiving guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Hughes, and family

Miss Rebecca Haywood, student at Eastern Kentucky State University, Mr. and Mrs. Nick A. England, Jr., Richmond, and Phillip Haywood, of Brandenburg, Ky., spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood.

> Mrs. Rosie Conley, of the Abbott road, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Todd, of the Auxier road, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Theadore Burchett at East Point. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts joined the family of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baird, II, at Pikeville, Thanksgiving Day.

> Jim Dingus, of Lexington, is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, who has returned from a Huntington hospital where she had surgery. She is doing nicely.

> Virginia Kirk and Elizabeth Ann Baird, of Pikeville, spent the week-end here with their grandpaents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, while their parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baird, III, attended the ballgame in Lexington.

> Miss Barbara B. Ballman, of Wisconsin, was a holiday guest here of Miss Mary Lynn Rose.

> Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill and Mrs. May Ford Hyden wee Thanksgiving dinner guests here of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fields spent Thanksgiving in Lexington with his sister, Ruby, Jenny and Elva Fields, returning home Friday.

> Miss Ella Noel C. White returned Friday from Lexington where she spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade, Mr. and Mrs. James Nesbitt, Mrs. Gladys P. White and the families of Mr. and Mrs. Meade.

Mrs. Margaret P. Alley is recovering from a two-week illness at her home.

Mrs. Susan P. Elliott, of Huntington, arrived last Friday for a visit with her brother, Graham Porter, and Mrs. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pennington, Phil, Robby and Cora Susie, of Lima, O., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Breeding at Price.

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ENTERTAIN FAMILY GROUP

#### Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne were joined by their family group on Thanksgiving. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short, Maria Layne and Richard Francis Short, Mrs. Evelyn Fowle and Miss Mary E. Powers.

**IMPROVING AFTER TREATMENT** Mrs. Julia Harrington is improving nicely at her home after recent heart treatment, at the Highlands Regional Hospital. She returned home last week. Mrs. Alice F. Bowers, of Pikeville, is visiting her through her convalescense.





# WINTER COATS

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Frankfort, Ky.-Vanishing are the days of the goggled traffic cop leaning grimly into the wind over the handlebars of his trusty Harley Davidson.

Our policemen are becoming more sophisticated all the time. Take a look at what's happening in Kentucky.

The fact that state police do patrol our highways from the air shouldn't come as any really startling piece of news. Particularly to those motorists-some 3,000 during last year alone-who found out about the Kentucky State Police Air Patrol the hard way.

Suddenly being tapped on the shoulder by the long arm of the law-literally from a thousand feet straight up-while blissfully zooming down the freeway at 90-plus is, by most accounts, a pretty unnerving experience.

Actually, the state police air patrol has been around for quite a while now. Almost since 1951, in fact, when Franklin County Circuit Judge W. B. Ardery ruled that state police could buy an airplane.

According to news accounts carried in many of the state's newspapers of that day, Ardery's decision came in a test case filed at Frankfort by then State Police Commissioner Guthrie F. Crowe. Acting Finance Commissioner Clifford R. Barnes opposed the purchase of an airplane, saying that state police had no authority to use appropriated state money for such a purpose.

Old-timers may also recall the rash of stories which began to appear soon after the patrol started operations.

In 1952, for example, the Louisville Courier-Journal reported one of many "firsts" for the patrol. With the approval of city and county authorities, one airplane was assigned to assist police directing the flow of traffic at the Kentucky Derby that year.

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Kentucky's first airborne cop, Lt. Roy E. Osborne, also caught the copywriter's fancy.

Osborne's enthusiasm for flying dated back to the 1920's when, as the youngest member of a small flying service at Williamstown, he spent Sunday afternoons entertaining the local populace by parachuting out of an ancient, threeplace Waco biplane.

The crowds loved it, and Osborne fed their thirst for thrills by tumbling some 3,000 to 5,000 feet through the clouds before pulling his ripcord. Flour streaming from an open sack clutched in one hand marked his fall.

Some 14,000 air hours and 160 parachute jumps later, he came to the Kentucky State Police.

By then, Osborne's flight log read like a Rand-McNally Atlas. During 1932, he made a brief living by flying hunters into Mexico. Later, as a wartime Navy pilot, he tested dive bombers and ferried heavier aircraft to such far-away points as Alaska, Africa and South America.

Today's state police pilots are a quieter breed. The old flamboyance that was Osborne's has faded, but the legacy of his skills as a pilot who stood ready to tackle any emergency remain.

And the old one-man, one-plane patrol has blossomed into a fast-moving, wideranging "air force" which Osborne would scarcely recognize.

The acquisition in 1973 of four, threeplace Hiller H-23 helicopters from the U.S. Army gave the existing force of two, four-place, fixed-wing Cessna aircraft, capable of a 145 mile-an-hour cruising speed, a new-found diversity perfect for policing needs.

Based at strategic locations across the state, state police choppers and fixedwing pilots take off almost daily to patrol the highways, support manhunts and fly a variety of other missions.

Detectives checking out a tip on a ring of professional thieves in one Central Kentucky county some years ago still remember the ease with which an air patrol pilot located several large pieces of stolen farm equipment which had been hidden in a woods. One pilot accomplished in minutes what might have required a large force of men on foot hours of walking to do.



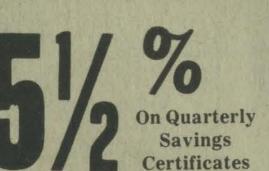


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Even more recently, a state police chopper pilot-Sr. Trooper Ray Sisk of Madisonville-led state police drug agents straight to a cornfield where they found marihuana planted in between the corn rows. Invisible from the ground, the marihuana was spotted almost immediately from the air.

Rushing whole blood to hospitals, rabies serum to clinics and donor eyes to a waiting surgeon are also part of the routine.

Sgt. Bobby L. Hollway, chief pilot for the patrol, is an old hand at winging into some pretty unusual landing strips. There have been times, he recalls, when an abandoned drag strip or unopened stretch of highway was considered ideal under the circumstances.

The only landings which still cause him to clutch up on the stick a bit are those midnight emergency runs which find him letting down onto a bumpy dirt road or grassy field with only the lights of a waiting ambulance and police car to guide him.

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#### To Whom It May Concern: Clinic Set Thursday

The estate of the late Bee Daniels has not been settled. When settled, the public will be notified.

(Mrs.) VIRGINIA DANIELS HINES 11-21-3t.

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The Floyd County Health Department announces that a public health nurse will conduct a pap smear clinic tomorrow (Thursday) at Ethel Osborne's Store at Bypro, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The health department reminded all

women that they should have at least one pap smear a year. This service is free.

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### **Bookmobiles Got State Library Program Off and Running**

ago that when the program was introduced into Metcalfe County, a woman, seeing the truck stopped along a rural road thought it was a store on wheels and

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Bookmobiles were so new just 20 years asked the driver for a can of baking powder.

> There had been some isolated early starts for the Bookmobile program in Kentucky, but the project got its true beginning in 1953, when a state-wide committee was formed, headed by Harry W. Schacter, a Louisville department store executive.

> At that time 80 per cent of rural Kentucky had no free public library service. Even when cities and towns were included in the survey, 60 percent of Kentuckians lacked access to library facilities. The illiteracy rate in Kentucky shamed its concerned citizens everywhere.

> A survey conducted by the State Library Extension Service under Miss Jane Porter indicated that a total of 47 of the state's 120 counties had no public libraries of any kind. Of the 73 counties with libraries, 31 were considered to be substandard or "hopelessly inadequate."

> The goal of Schacter's Kentucky Bookmobile project was a fleet of 100 stocked bookmobiles to be donated by corporations and individuals, operational support from the counties and a \$200,000 per year state appropriation for books.

> Within a single year all objectives had been met, with two-thirds of the state's counties agreeing to sponsor their part of the project. Among businesses and unions donating bookmobiles were the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times, Consumer Finance, several major tobacco corporations, Grocers Baking Company and the Teamsters Union.

Mrs. George Gray, then President of the Friends of Kentucky Libraries and the grand lady of the bookmobile movement in Kentucky, obtained six bookmobiles on her own initiative. Gov. Lawrence Wetherby then added \$200,000 to the extension library annual budget for the state's contribution to the program. Now, two decades later, 110 bookmobiles are on the road in 99 counties. Let those who think the day of the bookmobile is past think again. Out of a total circulation of 11,847,542 books in Kentucky's public libraries for the 1971-72 fiscal year, a total of 43 per cent of 6,702,781 were checked out from the state's fleet of bookmobiles. THANKSGIVING GUESTS Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Sr. and Mrs. Winnie Johns had the following guests for Thanksgiving: Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. Salisbury, Claude and Billy, of Mt.

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### 15 Floyd Members Of Reading Council Attend State Meet

The Jenny Wiley Reading Council was represented by 15 Floyd county members at the Kentucky State International Reading Association meeting held at Eastern Kentucky University, November 2-3.

The council members attended seminars in which they heard new and innovative ideas about the teaching of reading.

Several of the Floyd county members participated as consultants on the program of events. John K. Pitts, principal of the Clark Elementary School, gave a presentation on the progress of the Right to Read program at his school. Other members discussed the use of teacher-made materials for individualizing instruction and displayed a large group of materials made by Floyd teachers.

The Jenny Wiley Council plans a "Mini-Workshop," December 11.

Those who attended the state meeting at Richmond are John Pitts (see names in first paragraph).

A special legislative committee appointed by the Legislative Research Commission has toured both Eastern and Western Kentucky coalfields to inspect the reclamation of strip-mined land.



### **Research Assistants at U.K.**



Two recent graduates of Prestonsburg Community College employed by the University of Kentucky Chemistry Department as research assistants, Rodney Handshoe (left), son of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Handshoe, of Handshoe, and Paul Litz (right), son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Litz, Auxier, are involved in the preparation and subsequent characterization of compounds resulting from transamination reaction of borane. Many of these compounds have been found to have useful medicinal applications especially in cancer therapy. Rodney and Paul are in their junior year at the University of Kentucky.

### Consumer Comments

By ED W. HANCOCK (Attorney General of Kentucky) New car fever is a seasonal ailment which comes around every fall when the new model cars are placed on the market.

With new car fever comes a number of claims by car dealers regarding their new car prices.

Consumers should be careful in reading these price claims to determine the actual dollar savings.

For example, many car dealers offer to sell cars for a small dollar amount above "factory invoice." It might save consumers money if they knew that the "factory invoice" price is not necessarily the absolute cost paid the dealer for the vehicle.

#### PLANS PRESENTATION

The Bowling Green Board of Education is planning a 25-minute slide presentation entitled, "Let's Look at Our Schools." The presentation will focus on efforts to achieve the eight objectives which appear in the school board's policy manual.

### Christmas Seals Aid

#### Lung Disease Research

Medical research is receiving a \$1,127,108 shot in the arm this year, thanks in part to local Christmas Seal contributions.

William W. McLendon, Regional Director of the Blue Grass Area of the Kentucky Lung Association announced that the amount was allocated by local, state and national units of the American Lung Association to underwrite a wide range of investigations aimed at unveiling new information about lung disease. Of this, \$266,368 is earmarked for a nationwide "seed money" research program for young investigators administered by the lung association.

Designed to aid researchers to begin investigations that may later qualify for support by federal government, foundations or other sources, the 23 grants awarded in the nationwide program range from \$2,000 to \$16,500. Each holds a potential contribution to scientific knowledge far in excess of its cost, according to McLendon.

In addition to Christmas Seal research grants, another \$1.5 million plus supports fellowships, faculty positions and other programs designed to expand professional knowledge about emphysema, tuberculosis and other respiratory diseases, McLendon said.

"Although Christmas Seal funds play a major role in the acquisition of scientific knowledge, we face a long battle against chronic lung diseases," McLendon said. "As you live and breath, give to Christmas Seals so we can do more in the community and the research laboratory."

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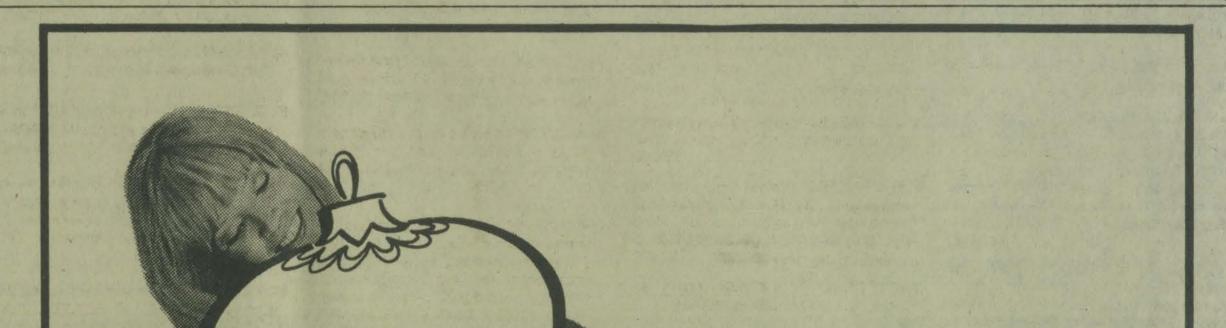
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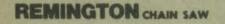


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If you have any questions regarding new car purchases or any consumer inquiry or complaint, call the toll-free consumer hotline, 1-800-372-2960, or write the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, 309 Shelby Street, Room 110, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

#### Martin Student Attends Georgetown Science Day

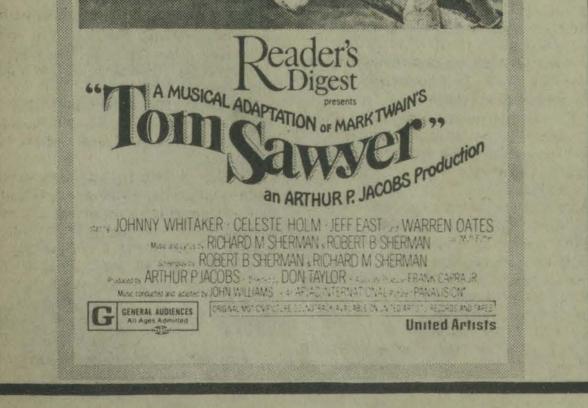
SCIENCE AWARD WINNERS Dale Newman, of Martin, was among the group of 100 high school students who attended Science Day at Georgetown College recently. They were winners of various science department awards given by the college.



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### Action Assures Aid to Disabled

Frankfort, Ky.—Gov. Wendell H. Ford has taken action to assure that some 13,000 aged, blind and disabled Kentuckians will not suffer a decrease in income.

The Governor has approved state supplementing of income to those persons whose monthly payments would have been decreased in January, 1974, under a program known as Suplemental Security Income.

Under the new Federal program a flat fee would be payable to all eligible recipients.

Kentucky's program has been based on individually determined needs.

The majority of those persons who would lose income under the new program, without state assistance, are those in personal care homes and other special living arrangement situations. Governor Ford noted that to refuse to provide these persons with the same level of income they had been receiving would result in forced institutionalization for most. Applications will also be accepted from aged, blind or disabled persons not currently in the program who require special living arrangements. "It is my goal to assure every Kentuckian an ability to remain self-sufficient in their own homes wherever it is humanly possible," the Governor said. He noted that his reorganization of the Department for Human Resources had this as its high priority objective. "Not only are we allowing our aged, blind and disabled to retain a sense of human dignity, but we are also reducing the overall state costs at mental health and geriatric facilities," the Governor said.

and Electrical Subcontractors: A deposit check of \$25.00 for each of the first two sets requested and furnished. This deposit will be refundable provided a legal bid is submitted and provided the plans and specifications are returned within ten (10) days following the bid opening. If additional sets are requested and furnished, a separate charge of \$25.00 per set will be applicable and this charge will not be refundable. The charge for extra plans and specifications shall be submitted on a check separate from the deposit check.

B. Miscellaneous Subcontractors, Material Suppliers, and Manufacturers Dealers: A deposit check of \$25.00 for the first set requested and furnished. This deposit will be refundable provided the plans and specifications are returned within ten (10) days following the bid opening. In addition, a separate service charge of \$15.00 will be made for the first set requested and furnished. The service charge of \$15.00 shall be submitted on a separate check and will not be refundable. If additional sets are requested and furnished, a non-refundable charge of \$25.00 per set will be applicable. 6. BID SUBMITTAL:

Contractors must submit their bids to the City of Prestonsburg Public Properties Corporation, City Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, not later than 7:30 P.M., E.S.T., on the date hereinbefore specified, in a sealed envelope, and the envelope must contain the following on the outside lower left-hand corner, viz:

Sealed Bid: Municipal Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Opening Date: 7:30 P.M., E.S.T. December 6, 1973

7. BID OPENING:

The bids will be publicly opened and read shortly after the closing time for the reception of bids. All bidders and other interested persons are cordially invited to attend the bid opening. 8. BID WITHDRAWAL:

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of seventy-five (75) days after the date set for the opening of bids. Clerical errors and omissions in the computation of the lump sum base bid shall not be cause for withdrawal of the bid without forfeit of bid bond. Bids may be withdrawn, in person, prior to the closing date for receipt of bids.

9. BID GUARANTEE:

A. All bids shall be accompanied by a bid guarantee of not less than five (5 percent) percent of the amount of the Base Bid executed by a Surety Company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky and countersigned by a licensed Kentucky MARSHALL DAVIDSON Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court

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#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the office of the City Clerk in the Ford Building, at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 7:30 p.m., December 6, 1973, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing labor and materials and performing all work as set forth by this advertisement for bids.

The equipment to be furnished is as follows:

1974 Model, Police pack, 4-door sedan with automatic transmission, heater, alternator, and police car equipment as prescribed in specifications established by the City Council. Copies of specifications may be obtained from the office of the City Clerk in the Ford Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidder. BIDS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY BID BOND PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, IN AN AMOUNT NOT LESS THAN 5 PER-CENT OF THE BASE BID.

In event an award is made and the successful bidder fails to execute contract for performance of the work under the award then the bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

Bids and bid bonds shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's identification, addressed to the City of Prestonsburg, labeled in the lower lefthand corner: "Porposal: 1974 Model Police Pack, 4door sedan with autmoatic transmission, heater, alternator, and police car equipment." The City of Prestonsburg reserves the right to reject any or all bids which bids shall not be withdrawn for 45 days subsequent to the opening of bids, without consent of the City of Prestonsburg. **BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH** Clerk, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

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B. All bid bonds and other bonds required by the Invitation and laws of this state shall be placed with a licensed agent of Kentucky. 10. BIDS:

Bids, upon their receipt, are stamped showing the hour and the date received. Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids will not be considered, provided legal and accepted bids have been received on said referenced invitation. 11. RIGHT TO REJECT:

The City of Prestonsburg Public Properties Corporation reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to

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More than 250 persons per day have paid visits to the Governor's Booth at the Kentucky State Fair. Some have been taking problems to Gov. Wendell Ford, others just want a chance to say hello and for many it was a first opportunity to meet their Governor face to face. Concerns ranged from the major issues of the death penalty and Red River Gorge to foster parents who urged an addition to child care payments because of inflation and senior citizens seeking airconditioning in housing for the elderly.

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"I will vote to fund the 30-year teacher

retirement system in Kentucky," Sen.

Cornett said. "I think any educational

legislation should place more emphasis

on the elementary, secondary, and

vocational schools, however," and he

added, "We need to provide more op-

portunities for special education," he

## **Cornett Lists Some Legislative Proposals**

added.

At a recent legislative interim committee meeting in Frankfort, Senator John Chris Cornett, D-Hindman, outlined some of his legislative proposals for the 1974 session of the General Assembly.

Much of Sen. Cornett's proposed legislation deals with election reform "Primary elections should be moved to the first Saturday in August to shorten elections and cut down expenses," he said.

"This would allow people of lesser financial means to work longer before leaving their jobs to run for office," he added, "and the fewer number of days the candidates are engaged in a campaign would decrease the cost of running for office."

"I think the people will favor this legislation, because many more people would vote on Saturday, who could not otherwise leave their jobs to vote," Sen. Cornett said.

Cornett feels that election officers and challengers from both parties should be allowed to watch votes cast by and for persons who cannot read or write. "It is illegal for an officer to go behind the curtain with an illiterate and voting the way the officer wants, but this law is not properly enforced in many areas," he said.

Sen. Cornett favors establishment of an intermediate court system to lessen the workload of the Court of Appeals, and redistricting of the circuit courts to distribute more evenly their workload. "I would favor a resolution to put a constitutional amendment on the ballot, and let the people say if they favor an intermediate court system," he said.

Surface mining legislation is another major concern of Sen. Cornett. "I am against the use of the broad-form deed, because surface miners should get the owner's permission, and pay them for the use of their land." He said that the rights of property owners should be protected.

"Legislation should be passed to relieve the mining industry of the high cost of workman's compensation," Sen. Cornett said. According to present law, coal operators must pay a substantial amount of the insurance premiums, and "and this is forcing the small mine operator out of business," he said.

"I would favor legislation making all industries that benefit from coal mining, contribute to the miner's benefits," he added.

Rep. Cornett favors no-fault legislation that will provide for medical and hospital bills, temporary loss of wages and property damage benefits. "I hope any no-fault legislation that is passed, will result in faster settlements for people," he said.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS** 

Sealed Bids will be received by the George P. Archer Senior Citizens Program at the office of the Director in the ballroom of Archer Park at West Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 6:00 p.m., Dec. 20th, 1973, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for a passenger van.

The vehicle to be furnished is as follows:

1974 Model, 12-passenger van with automatic transmission, power steering and other van equipment as prescribed in specifications established by the Center. Copies of specifications may be obtained from the Office of the Director in the ballroom, Archer Park, West Prestonsburg, Ky.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidder.

BIDS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY BID BOND PAYABLE TO THE GEORGE P. ARCHER SENIOR CITIZENS PROGRAM, IN AN AMOUNT NOT LESS THAN 5 PERCENT OF THE BASE BID.

Bidders must specify time of delivery. In event an award is made and the successful bidder fails to execute contract for performance of the work under

the award then the bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

Bids and bid bonds shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's identification addressed to Glenda Hall, Director, George P. Archer Senior Citizens Program, Archer Park, West Prestonsburg, Ky., labeled in the lower left-hand corner:

"Proposal: 1974 Model, 2 passenger van with automatic transmission, power steering and special vehicle equipment." The George P. Archer Sr. Citizens Center Advisory Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids which bids shall not be withdrawnfor 45 days subsequent to the opening of bids, without consent of said Advisory Board. **GLENDA HALL** Director, GPA 11-28-3t.

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#### Mrs. Cora S. Snipes

Mrs. Cora Spradlin Snipes, 83, of Bonanza, died Friday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an illness of two weeks.

Born May 12, 1890, she was the daughter of Samuel and Amanda May Spradlin and was the wife of Joe Snipes, Sr. She was a deacon of the United Baptist church and had been a member since 1906.

Survivors include a son, Joe Snipes, Jr., of Abbott Creek; three daughters, Mrs. Johnny Miller, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Oma Hackworth, of West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Malta Richardson, of East Point; a brother, Willie Spradlin, in Ohio; a sister, Laura Spradlin, of Louisville, and 20 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Monday, at the Bonanza United Baptist church by the Revs. John Pelphrey and Lemuel Williams. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Coppers Lick near Bonanza under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

#### Mrs. Molly Roberts

Mrs. Molly Akers Bentley Roberts, 82, of Tampa, Fla., a native of Floyd county, died Nov. 2 at a Tampa hospital following a long illness.

She was a daughter of the late Henry Clay Akers and Jane Osborne Akers and was the adopted daughter of an aunt and uncle, Kenis and Matilda Bentley, following the death of her parents.

Her husband, Anthony R. Roberts, died Nov. 5, 1931. She had resided in Tampa about 13 years.

Survivors include four daughters: Ruth Damron, of Pikeville, Dorothy Childers, of Virgie, Alma Hague, of Charleston, W. Va., and Myrna Perry, of Tampa; a son, Frank Roberts, of Tampa; 14 grandchildren and 10 greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services were held Nov. 5 in the chapel of the Jennings Funeral Home in Tampa with the Rev. George C. Billings, pastor of the Idlewild Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in the Garden of Memories cemetery, Tampa.

#### CORRECTION

Clem Martin who died at Eastern, November 5, was the son of K. H. Martin and Essie Gayheart Martin, of Eastern,

### **Obituaries**

#### Mrs. Ethel T. King

Mrs. Ethel Trent King, 70, of Marion, O., former Ligon resident, died Tuesday, November 20, at Marion General Hospital following an extended illness. A daughter of Willie and Sarah Tolsom Trent, she was born April 25, 1903 in Breathitt county. She was the widow of Ernest King and was a member of the Free Will Baptist church.

Surviving her are three sons, Bobby King, of South Charleston, O., Rodney King, of Columbus, O., Roger King, of Ashville, O.; two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Henry, of Minnie, and Mrs. Betty Sykes, of Marion, O.; two brothers, William Trent, Jr., of Campton, and Ocie Trent, of Daisy, Ky.; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Mays and Mrs. Belle Williams, both of Ravenna; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Friday, at the home of John Henry at Minnie by ministers of the Free Will Baptist church. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

#### Mrs. Maude Reitz

Mrs. Maude Reitz, 82, of McDowell, died Saturday at Mountain Manor Nursing Home here, following an illness of a year.

A daughter of Charles Fenster and Anna Fox Macher, she was the widow of Sylvan Reitz. She had been a member of the Lutheran church for 50 years.

Survivors include a son, Belford Reitz, of McDowell; two sisters, Mrs. Jenny Lucas, of Victor, N. Y., Mrs. Ethel Zerbe, of Dalmatia, Pa.; six grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

The body was taken from Hall Brothers Funeral Home to Klingerston, Pa., where funeral services were conducted today (Wednesday) at 1 p.m. by the Rev. Kidel. Burial was made in the Odd Fellow cemetery at Shamokin, Pa.

#### John R. Eibner

John R. Eibner, 57, former Prestonsburg High School football coach, died at 6:30 p.m. Friday in a Gainesville, Fla. hospital after a short illness. Mr. Eibner began coaching here soon Mrs. Laura B. Huff

Mrs. Laura Butcher Huff, 88, of Wayland, died Saturday morning at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She had been in failing health for the past year.

A native of Lawrence county, O., she was a daughter of Joseph and Frances Harris French and was a member of the Pentecostal Holiness church. She was twice married, first to Garfield Butcher who died in 1961, and later to Charles Huff, who also preceded her in death.

Survivors include a son, Angus Butcher, of Williamsport, Ky., and a daughter, Mrs. Everett Williams, Sr., of Wayland. Eleven grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at Hall Brothers Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Floyd Tackett. Burial was made in the Butcher cemetery at Williamsport.

#### Wootsie Conley

Wootsie Conley, 70, died Thanksgiving day at his home at Mousie following an illness of four months.

A retired carpenter and miner, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lora Conley; two sons, Paul Conley, of Hindman, and Vernon Conley, of Pine Mountain; four daughters, Mrs. Clotine Allen, of Manchester, Mrs. Katie Francis, of Mousie, Mrs. Barbara Smith, of Hindman, Mrs. Pattie Jones, of Dema; three brothers, Zack Conley, of Dearborn, Mich., Hack Conley, of Lima, O., Zeb Conley, of Mousie; four sisters, Mrs. Rainey Terry, of Vest, Mrs. Versie Reynolds, of Littcarr, Marie Conley, in Indiana, and Mrs. Kathleen Riley, of LaGrange.

Funeral services were conducted last Sunday at 10 a.m., at the Ball Branch Regular Baptist church at Mousie by the Revs. Bert Howard and Ralph Howard. Burial was made in the Conley cemetery at Mousie under direction of Casebolt-Hoskins-Cox Funeral Home.

#### Mrs. Ethel B. Collins

Mrs. Ethel Bryant Collins, 70, of Wales, Ky., died Saturday at Highlands Regional hospital following an extended illness.

A daughter of the late Owen and Litty Elliott Bryant, she was a member of the Joppa Regular Baptist church. She was

### **Stumbo Lodges Third Bond Suit**

Commonwealth's Attorney Harold J. Stumbo last week filed in circuit court the third action within as many months to collect from bondsmen the full-amount of forfeited appearance bonds.

The suit seeks to collect from the Johnson Bonding Company the \$1,000 bond of James Allen who failed to appear as scheduled for trial of the charge against him alleging possession of narcotics for the purpose of sale.

Later in the week, the Johnson Bonding Company was suspended by some Daviess county courts as a bonding agent.

Commonwealth's Attorney Stumbo said he expects to take the same action in the future on all forfeited bonds. "It does no good simply to get a man arrested and under bond and then let him disappear without anything being done about it," he commented.

Allen was one of the first to be arrested in this county on a drug charge.

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#### ADDITIONAL SURVIVORS LISTED

In the obituary of Rose Howell Thomas in the November 14 issue of The Times, three surviving brothers were unintentionally omitted from the list of survivors. They are Ray Howell, of Michigan, Rudolf Howell, of McDowell, and Adrian Howell, of Londonderry, Ohio.

The Continental Congress set price ceilings even before the Declaration of Independence; the Articles of Association, signed Oct. 20, 1774, provided that "all manufactures of this country be sold at reasonable prices," accoreding to an article in the U.S. Department of Labor's "Monthly Labor Review." after his graduation from the University of Kentucky, where he played football under "Bear" Bryant, and his Prestonsburg team won not only conference honors but also the post-season Flood Bowl game at Pineville.

He left here to become assistant football coach at the University of Florida. At the time of his death he was president of the Florida Gator Booster Club there. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Mt. Sterling Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Katie Oakley Eibner; one sister, Mrs. Mary Cowan, and one brother, Joseph Eibner, both of Jeannette, Penn.

Services were at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Eastin-Rickey Funeral Home, Mt. Sterling, by Rev. Monroe Grant. Private burial services were in the Owingsville cemetery.

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the wife of John Collins who survives her.

Other survivors include three stepsons, Tilman Osborne, of Hi Hat, Robert Collins, of Wales, John Collins, Jr., of Lexington; four stepdaughters, Ellen Bryant, and Daisy Hilton, both of Wales, Mabel Collins, of Louisville, Diana Collins, of Columbus, O.; a brother, Cullen Bryant, of Melvin; a sister, Mrs. Florence Tackett, also of Melvin and 14 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted today (Wednesday) at 10 a.m. at the Enterprise Regular Baptist church at Wales with ministers of the church officiating. Burial will be made in the Ben Johnson cemetery there under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

#### Mrs. Jackie Allen

Graveside services were conducted for Mrs. Jackie Allen, 43, of Cincinnati, who died in a hospital there, Tuesday, November 20.

Surviving her are her husband, Joe Edward Allen; four children, Mike, Sandy, James, and Susan Allen, all of Cincinnati; one brother, Jimmy Rogers, in Florida.

Burial was made in the Allen cemetery at Langley.

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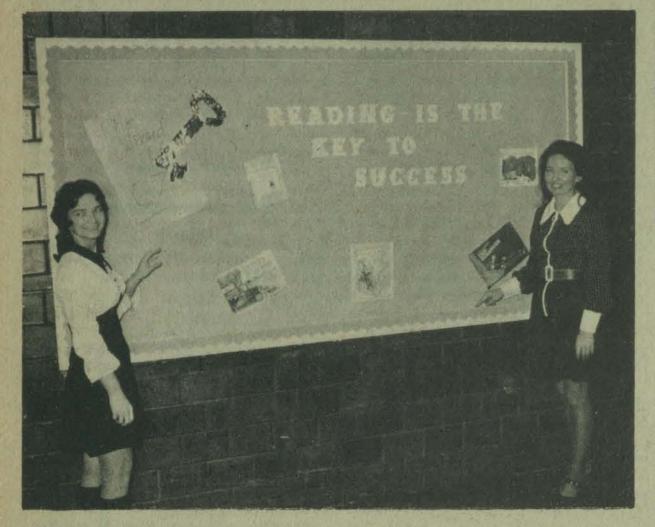


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### **Book Week Reminder**



To help brighten the main hallway of the Prestonsburg Elementary School, the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club's Education Department added this reminder. This bulletin board was created by Nell Lawson and Janice Allen in conjunction with Children's Book Week.

### **Deputy Sheriff** Slain in Knott, Second Wounded

Marvin Gibson, 36-year-old Knott county carpenter, was taken Saturday to the Perry county jail at Hazard for safekeeping after he allegedly had slain a Knott county deputy sheriff and wounded another at Mousie last Friday night.

Gibson is accused of the fatal shooting of Chief Deputy Sheriff Bristol Taylor and the wounding of Deputy Sheriff Herman Gibson.

Although efforts to contact Sheriff Taulbee Pratt failed, The Times was told by a Hindman source that the two officers had been called to Mousie where a disturbance had been reported and that they had three prisoners in their cruiser

### **McDowell Hospital** Notes

**Patients Discharged** (Nov. 19 through Nov. 25)

Minnie Tackett, McDowell; Dallas Ray Harris, Topmost; Rosalee Blankenship, Grethel; Cherry Martin, Democrat; Hattie Johnson, Weeksbury; Paul W. Hall, McDowell; Stanley D. Meyers, Buckingham; Belle Sparkman, Pippa Passes; Sharon Bentley, Hite; Pamela J. Spears, Melvin; Josie C. Crabtree, Estill; Donna F. Newsome, Weeksbury; Liza Hicks, Garrett; Benita Joy Riley, Wheelwright; Hersel V. Hale, Topmost; N. F. Belcher, Garrett; Earnest Crisp, Wayland; Nokomis Moore, Hi Hat; John Clemons, Topmost; Bert Hall, Jr., Galveston; Levi Johnson, Columbus, Ohio; John Sparkman, Pippa Passes; Anna Mae Conn, Martin; Sharon Rose Adkins, Bevinsville; Hannah Little, Buckingham; Wanda Lee Slone, Bevinsville; Edna S. Bailey, Handshoe; Sandra L. Howell, Grethel; Maudie Osborne, East McDowell; Melinda Burkett, Wheelwright; Ruby Adams, Hi Hat; Curtis Johnson, Melvin; Charles Sartin, Bypro; Ronald Collins, Melvin; Polly Slone, Garner; Kathi Mullins, Melvin; Clarence Robinson, Langley; Beatrice Johnson, Melvin; Josephine Wells, Prestonsburg; Lorine Rollins, Wheelwright; Kossie Tuttle, Topmost; Susan Reffitt, David; Dorothy Jackson, Garrett.

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The process of electing ASC community committeemen by mail began last week with the mailing of ballots to eligible voters. The deadline for ballots to be returned-also by mail-to the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) office here is next Monday.

Three committeemen and two alternates will be elected in each of the county's five communities, and all will serve one-year terms. The community committee members will meet here Dec. 14 and elect one county committee member for a three-year term and two alternates for terms of one year each.

In addition to service as electors of county committee members, the community committeemen will also help keep farmers informed of the purpose and provisions of the ASCS programs, inform the county committee of local conditions, and recommend needed changes in farm programs.

The six candidates for community committeemen are:

Community A-Will Boggs, Garrett; Warnie Conley, Hueysville; Bud Hagans, Langley; Edd Hicks, Hueysville; Palmer Martin, Eastern; Russell Patton, Hueysville.

Community B-Burton Collins, Minnie: Preston Collins, Printer; Rex Gearheart, Price; Jimmie Hayes, Hunter; Webster Hall, Drift; Ralph Moore, Price.

Community C-James H. Allen, Rt. 1, Harold; Bill Hall, Rt. 1 Harold; Charlie Hamilton, Rt. 1 Harold; Emmitt Lawson,

#### **KFWC Board Member Is Meeting Speaker**

The Floyd County Times

KFWC junior education chairman and Seventh district junior director, Mrs. David P. Allen, was program speaker at the regular November meeting of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club. Her talk was entitled, "Federation Is the Key," and she spoke on behalf of the club's Education Department. To carry out the theme of the meeting, green keys symbolizing Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs were given to each clubmember.

Mrs. Allen presented all phases of Federation-from the international to the local organization. Her department members presented each clubwoman a KFWC membership card, a pamphlet entitled, "Facts About KFWC," and gave a Federation quiz. Mrs. Harold Cooley, president, was presented a gavel on behalf of the club. The club's newsletter was also courtesy of the education department.

Mrs. Harold Cooley presided at the business session, at which the club voted to buy workbooks, crayons, paper, etc. totaling \$109 for indigent first-grade students at Prestonsburg Elementary School. Other items of business included: reactivating of a horse show advisory board to be chaired by Sharon Stai and a pageant advisory board to be headed by Jeanne Brown, the naming of Marty Hicks as Vests for Vets chairman, and a \$75 contribution to the Prestonsburg Fire Department for the purchase of 1000 "Tot Finders.'

Janice Allen, Lora Hamilton, Sandy Jurich, Marcie Lafferty, Nell Lawson, Joann Johnson and Carole Rice, all Education Department members, were hostesses for the evening.

### **30th Annual Pre-Season Meet Begins Tonight at Gym Here**

#### IN APPRECIATION We acknowledge with deep gratitude

all those who were so kind and helped in any way during the illness and upon the passing of James Bascom Williamson. Our special thanks to Rev. Douglas Burkett and Rev. William Amburgey for their comforting words and to the singers, "The True Believers." A heartfelt thanks to all those who sent flowers and food; also to the pallbearers and to Hall Brothers for their kind and efficient service.

> The Family MRS. HATTIE WILLIAMSON JAMES L. WILLIAMSON MRS. JESSIE W. BASH MRS. LOUISE W. CAREY

The second basketball tournament in two weeks, the 30th annual Floyd county pre-season meet, will begin tonight (Wednesday) at the Prestonsburg High School fieldhouse.

The first tournament of the year, the Jenny Wiley, ended Saturday night, with Johnson Central High School defeating host Prestonsburg for the title.

McDowell will meet Wheelwright in the tournament opener tonight, and Allen Central will play Prestonsburg Thursday night. Betsy Layne drew a first-round bye.

Also going this week are tournaments at Johns Creek, Morehead and Raceland. ,

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when they accosted Gibson.

Gibson opened fire with a .357 magnum, and Taylor was shot through his neck. He died almost instantly. The other deputy suffered a leg wound.

After state police had searched the Mousie area Friday night for the suspect, Gibson telephoned the officers Saturday to make his surrender. He was arrested at a Larkslane residence.

Taylor's survivors include his wife, Mrs. Fern Taylor; two sons, Tony J. Taylor and Michael Taylor, and one daughter, Deronda Kay, all at home.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday at the Hindman United Baptist Church. Burial was in the Taylor family cemetery at Mallie.

#### BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Danny R. Conn, of Martin, Nov. 19; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Slone, of Lackey, Nov. 22; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lenville Jones, of Teaberry, Nov. 23.

Harold; Albert M. Thacker, Harold; Estil Salisbury, Harold.

Community D-Isaac H. Fitzpatrick, Prestonsburg; Woodrow Fitzpatrick, West Prestonsburg; Sage Frasure, Risner; Merle Horn, West Prestonsburg; Jesse Wallen, Prestonsburg; Leon Younce, West Prestonsburg.

Community E-Graham Burchett, Allen: Joe Burchett, Prestonsburg; Richard Goble, Emma; Delno May, Allen; Dean Merritt, Emma; Shelly Woods, Emma.

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**Election Notice** 

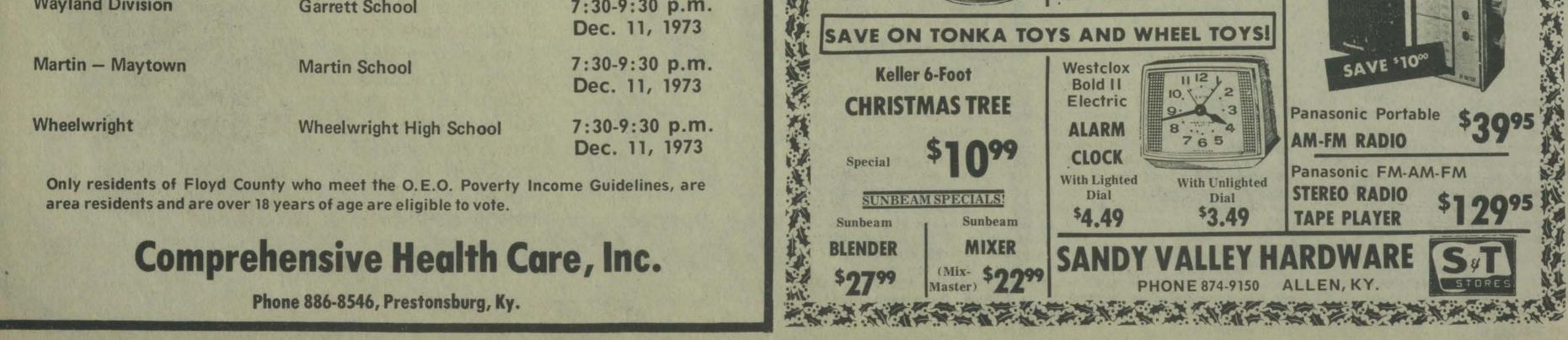
Due to flooding conditions Tuesday, November 27, area elections of representatives to the Comprehensive Health Care, Inc., Board of Directors were cancelled.

Area elections have been rescheduled for Tuesday, December 11. The new area election schedule is posted below.

### **ELECTION LOCATIONS**

AREA	PLACE	TIME
Prestonsburg - Bull Creek	Floyd County Courthouse	7:30-9:30 p.m. Dec. 11, 1973
Allen – Mare Creek	Allen Elementary	7:30-9:30 p.m. Dec. 11, 1973
McDowell	McDowell High School	7:30-9:30 p.m. Dec. 11, 1973
Mud Creek	John M. Stumbo School	7:30-9:30 p.m. Dec. 11, 1973
West Prestonsburg Risner	Clark Elementary School	7:30-9:30 p.m. Dec. 11, 1973
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### Hancock Asks **Court To Hold To Truck Rule**

Attorney General Ed Hancock has asked that the Court of Appeals refuse to reconsider its ruling of Sept. 19 which voided special permits issued to overweight trucks.

The request by Hancock was made in response to a motion by the Terry Elkhorn Coal Co., which asked reconsideration of its case by the appellate court.

Terry Elkhorn, which is based here and which has been engaged mainly in strip-mining, contended in its petition for rehearing that it was denied the "fundamental right to introduce evidence" in its behalf during the protracted court proceedings. Terry Elkhorn has quit business and is in the process of dissolution, its attorney said.

Hancock said the coal operator's petition presented "no new issues, no new facts, and no new law."

The attorney general's response argued that the petition for rehearing should be overruled because.

-Terry Elkhorn failed to show that the Court of Appeals overlooked a material fact in the record, or a controlling law or decision, or has "misconceived the issues presented on the appeal."

"The (Sept. 19) opinion rendered by the court demonstrates that the decision was reached after ample consideration of all arguments presented by" Terry Elkhorn and the 15 to 20 coal truck operators who joined in the suit, Hancock said.

-The court opinion "thoroughly and exhaustively" discussed the question of validity of the special permits.

"We do not presume to argue anew the validity of special permits, we would be unable to improve on the analysis contained" in the court opinion, Hancock said.

-The facts found by the court's opinion are supported by the record and these facts support the rulings of the court.

The original suit was filed in Johnson circuit court Aug. 26, 1970, against Terry Elkhorn, by residents who live on KY 302 and KY 1107. Hancock later intervened and appealed to the Court of Appeals a decision by Judge W. D. Sparks upholding the validity of the special overweight permits.

### Letters to the Editor **Found Beauty Here** THANKS

**Editor**, The Times:

I am writing because I have been thinking about the trip I made through your beautiful state, the last week in October. Each mountain that I saw was more beautiful than the one I had just

You know, sir, you don't realize what you have until you go into another state and they don't have your beautiful mountains to look at-then you do. Your mountainsides were so beautiful I wanted to put my arms around all of them and never let them out of my sight again.

Sir, I hope every one has been to see Dewey Lake. I saw it last summer, and I never saw anything like it, such beautiful scenery

I hope all of you know what you have. Here, we only have level land, hardly any trees. Oh, how I wish we had one of your mountains behind my home! Thank you for putting in the paper the beautiful pictures of Dewey Lake, sometime ago. I love anything in Kentucky, because it is my home state. Thank you, God, for letting me be born there!

MRS. FRANK KOPP

R. R. 2, Continental, O. (Editor's note: We do realize what we have-which is why we have so persistently pleaded that it not be ruined or destroyed.)

### **Stumbo Claims County Shorted In Sharing Fund**

County Judge Henry Stumbo, County Attorney James R. Allen and Joseph McCauley, executive director of the Big Sandy Area Development District, were in Washington Tuesday, seeking for Floyd county what they consider to be the county's fair share of federal revenue sharing funds.

Judge Stumbo has twice written Edward A. Fox, director of the Office of Revenue Sharing, to the effect that the office is not using accurate statistics in arriving at his county's share of the funds. The Floyd delegation took with them figures showing the county's income from taxation and other data and they expected to present the facts directly to Fox. Stumbo said he and D. M. Magill, state local finance director, have already discussed the discrepancy with federal officials and that these officials agreed to investigate, then either adjust the October quarterly check to this county or send a letter of explanation. Stumbo says no adjustment or explanation was made. Stumbo said Floyd's actual total income for the 1970-71 fiscal year was \$346,420, while ORS figures show it as \$236,318, or more than \$110,000 less.

This morning, Sunday, November 25, as I was coming out of church I shook hands with a man by the name of Cecil Lester. After getting home, I thought of Cecil Lester, Jerry Frost, and Carol Wallen and many others who have worked long hours with the Allen Little League baseball players. My oldest son finished playing four years of baseball this past summer in the Little League program and I want to thank the abovementioned people for their fine work and also the different business people and private individuals who donated money to support the team with new uniforms and equipment.

Also, I want to thank Gordon Boyd, of the Prater Creek team, and Ray Adkins, of the Harold team, for their work as managers of the Harold-Prater Creek-Ivel-Allen All-Star team. Our team did a very good job.

Again, I want to thank all of you people for giving your time and energy to a fine program for young people, and I hope I can help you this coming summer with more of my time in our area Little League Program.

> GENE D. DAVIS Banner, Ky.

### **Foster Parents Proud of Record**

LOUISVILLE-Mr. and Mrs. Clyde M Jacobs have been married for 29 years and have had 36 children. An unusual case maybe for some, but for the Jacobs it is a record of which they are very proud.

The Jacobs' are foster parents in a program with the Department for Human Resources. They have been active in this program for over 14 years. At the present time they have seven children in their home including a set of triplets, their brother and sister, another foster child and an adopted son.

One of the reasons the Jacobs' started taking foster children into their home was "because we like the patter of childrens' feet," said Mrs. Jacobs.

Mrs. Jacobs first saw a foster childrens' program when her mother began to take

### Wright Opens Jewelry Store In Martin Co.

Homer Wright, III, of the Abbott Road, is establishing a place of business, Wright's Jewelry Store, in Inez, it was announced recently.

The store, which is located next door to the office of The Martin County Mercury newspaper in Inez will have its grand opening Saturday, December 1, Wright announced.

Mr. Wright is a son of Mrs. Patsy Wright, of Louisa, and the late Homer Wright, II. His wife is the former Brenda New, of Louisa.

Jewelry stores are also operated in Prestonsburg and Paintsville by other members of the Wright family.

#### **P'burg Men Represent** S.S.C. In Richmond

Earl Moore, of Prestonsburg, Southern States represented Cooperative's members in the Prestonsburg area at the association's 50th annual stockholders meeting held in Richmond, Va., November 13-15.

Also attending the session was Kenneth Meade representing Prestonsburg Farm and Home Store local Southern States retail outlet.

#### **REED PARTICIPATES** IN ARMY EXERCISES

U. S. Army, Germany-Army specialist four Larry D. Reed, 20, son of Andrew J. Reed, of Martin, participated with other American and allied troops in Exercise Reforger V in Germany, Oct. 10-16.

The exercise, conducted by the Joint Chiefs of Staff and NATO, focused on the procedures and techniques for receiving, equipping, assembling and employing units after they arrive, rather than on rapid deployment of troops from the U.S. Spec. Reed is regularly assigned as a specialist with construction Headquarters, 9th Engineer Battalion.

#### **GRETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH** HOLDS SPECIAL SERVICE

The Grethel Baptist Church held its annual fellowship supper and Thanksgiving service at the church apartment last Wednesday evening.

The special speaker was Rev. Randolph Crisp, of Martin, who was studentastor of Grethel Baptist when he at-

### **Appalachian Mines and Railways Lose Two Biggest Coal Users**

(The following is an editorial taken from The Wolfe County News,

Campton, Kentucky.) Appalachian coal mines are losing two

of the nation's biggest coal-users-American Electric Power Co. and Texas Gas & Transmission Corp.-both having made contracts to bring coal in from western states for loading on barges on the Mississippi River and then moving the coal by barges to various steam powered electric generating plants on the Ohio River and tributaries.

Texas Gas Transmission of Owensboro, Ky. this week announced it had made agreement with the Burlington Railway to bring coal from mines in North Dakota, Wyoming and Montana to the Mississippi River for reloading on barges belonging to Texas Gas' Inland Waterways Services Division. The coal then would be towed via barges to electric utilities having generating plants along the Ohio and its's tributaries. Texas Gas said the rail-barge plan could double its tonnage use of coal over the next 10 years.

Last week American Electric Power Co., parent of Kentucky Power and six other big electric utilities, announced it had contracted with Braztah Corp. for 130 million tons of Utah coal over a 20year period, first delivery to start next year and average 61/2 million tons a year. Simultaneously, American Electric placed orders for 1,500 railway hopper cars, 14 tugboats and 240 barges costing \$80 million with which to haul the Utah coal to its 18 electric generating plants in the Mid-West, most of which presently are using Appalachian coal.

American Electric said the Utah coal will be brought by rail to a Mississippi River loading dock where it will be reloaded on barges for barging to the firm's 18 electric plants along the Ohio River and its tributaries. American Electric ordered its coal-hauling equipment from six companies so the rail-barge project could be started next year.

Not only will Appalachian mines lose two of the nation's biggest coal users, but Mid-West railways like the C. &. O., the N. & W. & the L. & N. will lose a big bulk of their coalhauling revenue.

And in Washington, Congress is

from their farms to make way for more reservoirs. Also the highlevel pools in the two rivers will continue to undercut thousands of acres of farmlands along their banks in Kentucky and adjoining states.

Corps of Engineers projects have long been looked upon as "pork barrel" opportunities. But Kentucky's officials in both Frankfort and Washington might well re-examine this "pork barrel" program.

Railroads pay local taxes in every county where they have rail lines, and they provide thousands of jobs in the Big Sandy and Kentucky river valleys and in Tri-State towns like Ashland and Russell. Does any barge line pay taxes anywhere, except the tax on diesel fuel? And do you know of any jobs they provide in all of Eastern Kentucky?

Also, railroads are the nations first line of defense among the industries, along with steel mills. Could this nation defend itself without them?

Finally, ask yourself if it is good common sense to remove farm families to government-built "urban complexes" and cover thousands and thousands of acres of their valley land with reservoirs built with public money.

In view of all these ill effects facing Kentucky, we can only wonder why our state government in Frankfort and most of our representatives. in Congress continue to give their blessings to the Corps of Engineers program. Only Senator Marlow W. Cook is fighting the disastrous program.

(NOTE-Facts for this editorial are documented from The Wall Street Journal, the Associated Press and from American Electric Power Company's magazine, "The Illluminator.")

#### Adam Bukovich

Adam Bukovich, 82, of Lincoln Park, Mich., passed away Oct. 26 at Outer Drive hospital there.

A former resident of Floyd county, he

was born Oct. 11, 1891 in Yugoslavia. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Josephine Bukovich; a son, Thomas Bukovich, of Lincoln Park; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Goldie Opinca, of San Francisco, Calif., five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He is also

survived by several brothers and sisters

whose names were unavailable.

After the suit was filed, Terry Elkhorn Co. obtained a special overweight permit from the then-Department of Highways to continue operation of overweight trucks on the highways if the trucks did not exceed a gross weight of 73,280 pounds.

(KY 302 and KY 1107 are Class B roads with a load limit of 24,000 pounds. Maximum laoad limit on Class B roads is 30,000 pounds. Class AAA roads, the best built, have a maximum limit of 73,280 pounds.)

#### SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Fred Martin was surprised on his birthday, Wednesday evening, November 21 when a group of friends called on him bringing greetings and gifts. Mrs. Freda Halstead had invited his friends to her home to greet him. The evening was enjoyed by Mr. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Martin, of Hindman, Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Arbor Jones, Wm. Arnold Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. James Durham, Lee and Melissa, Mrs. Minnie Mullink, of Pikeville, Mrs. Juanita Cox, Patty Layne, Mrs. Halstead was assisted by Mrs. Cox in serving refreshments.

#### **Attend EKU Conference**

Ten teachers from Clark Elementary School attended the Kentucky State Council of International Reading Association's recent conference held November 2, 3 at Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond.

Pauline Hicks, a Clark classroom teacher, and John K. Pitts, the school principal, presented "The Right to Read Story: Clark Elementary School" on Friday, and Saturday repeat sessions on "Teacher-made Materials for Individualizing Instruction" were presented by Delphia Hicks and Nadine Hicks, remedial reading teachers at Clark. Other teachers from the school who attended the conference were Edna Davis, Gladys Shepherd, Mary Slone, Nola Slone, June Stephens and Larry Jervis.

#### NOTICE

Shirley Hall, of Harold, Kentucky, is no longer associated with Tupperware Home Parties and has not been for several months. We will not be responsible for any orders or business transacted after this date.

If you have any questions, please contact

> Effie McGhay Gay-Note Sales, Inc. P. O. Box 1797

The difference between the county's figures and ORS figures, he said, amounts to a net loss to the county in revenuesharing money of between \$28,000 and \$32,000 per year.

The county presently receives about \$212,000 per year.

Judge Stumbo said last week that this county's revenue sharing checks have been disproportionately low when compared with the amounts paid other counties. "I'm not against any of these counties getting all they are entitled to, but I am against any short-changing of Floyd county, and that's why we are going to Washington," he added.

The Randall Boyd who was listed twice in the Nov. 13th edition of The Times for drunk driving was not the Randall Boyd, of Betsy Layne, who is employed by the Chessie System at Martin.

#### SUCCESS OR FAILURE

Success or failure in school is fairly well indicated by the third grade, according to a conclusion reached after a 20-year study of more than 150 New York City public school students. The study was conducted by Philip Kraus who began the project as a researcher for the schools and followed the students from their 1952 kindergarten year into their adult years. Some findings from the study included: reading levels and behavioral problems that will influence a person as an adult are established by the end of their third grade; teachers do not rely heavily on IQ scores which are too variable to be reliable; holding students back a grade resulted in a loss of two years in reading achievement rather than a gain; gifted students blossomed when offered a variety of programs; and the characteristics of teachers were more important than their racial background

children into her home.

The youngest foster child to come into the Jacobs' home was a five day old boy. He is still with them and is now eight years old, which is also the longest time one child has ever spent in their home. A 14-year-old girl still holds the record for being the oldest child to be in the Jacobs' home. She stayed with them for four years.

The Jacobs will accept children in emergency when the social worker is in need of a home. One such case was an abused child who was brought to them and stayed for nine months.

The biggest Jacobs family consisted of Mom, Dad, two natural children, seven foster children and an adopted son.

Mrs. Jacobs treats the children like her own. They all fit into their home life and regulations. Each has their own job to do to make the house run smoothly. Mrs. Jacobs has taught the girls the correct way to set the table and how to do housework. In fact she said, "The girls sometimes ask to do the dishes before dinner!"

All the children go to school, so early moring is one of the most hectic times. But by the time they all get on the school bus, all beds are made, the dishes are done, and everything is in order.

Mr. Jacobs has worked in Bracken county as an electrician for 28 years. Mrs. Jacobs is a housewife and mother. The family lives in Foster, Ky.

Mrs. Jane Finn is the social worker that works with the Jacobs' family. She is an employee of the Department for Human Resources.

When the time comes for a child to go back to their natural home or to an adopted home, the Jacobs talk with the child about where they will be going. They buy a new set of clothes for them to leave in and also a piece of luggage to take their other belongings.

Mrs. Jacobs said "It is both a happy and sad day when a child leaves. We are happy when they go back to their own home or to an adopted home."

Why have they kept taking more children all these years? They can't forget one little girl who received her first doll at Christmas while at their home. "The look on her face when she got that doll was worth everything we could do for these children.'

The Department for Human Resources is looking for more foster parents like Clyde and Pauline Jacobs. In Kentucky, there are more than 3500 children who need foster parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs are doing their share.

#### D.A.R. MEETS

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of

tended Southland Bible Institute, of Pikeville, in 1952. Special music was provided by Eileen Martin, who played the accordian and by her daughter, Ruth, who played the clarinet. A vocal solo was rendered by Miss Eleanor Acker.

Special visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Montis Boyd and children, Ettadean and Monica, of Dana.

#### FIRST STRIKES

ROME-The first strikes on record were in Rome in 490 B.C. by the plebs, or common people, for safeguards for debtors, for the right to marry patricians and for the right to vote.

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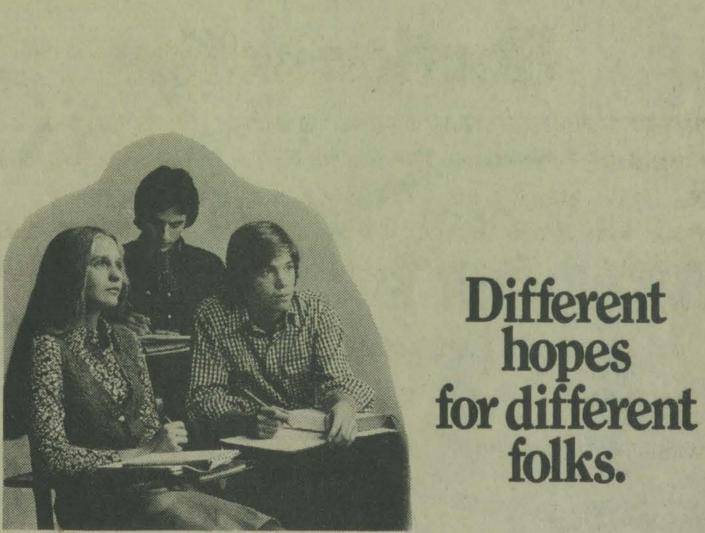
rushing through a \$1.4 billion bill to "bail out" seven bankrupt railways before the Nov. 30 deadline of a Federal court to close down Penn Central Railway's 20,000-mile system. Penn Central went bankrupt three years ago, and since then six other eastern railways have gone broke.

Meanwhile, the Corps of Engineers is continuing its program of building highlift dams on the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers and adding numerous up-river reservoirs on tributaries to store water to keep channels full nearly to bank-top on the two big rivers so barge lines can compete tax-free against the railroads. Appalachian coal mines will suffer, more railroads may go broke, and

thousands of families will be uprooted

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Oct. 29, at the R.C. Aleks Funeral Home, the Rev. James D. Weiss officiating. Burial was made in Michigan Memorial Park. LONDON-Many curious early ideas

were associated with the possibility of flight by man. One involved eggshells and dew. Since dew was thought to be drawn up by the sun and eggshells were undeniably light, one now-forgotten thinker reasoned that a dew-filled eggshell might very well fly, and enough of them might carry someone through the air.



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#### PURSUIT OF KNOWLEDGE

Lanka-A Sri COLOMBO. presidential commission ordered that university upperclassmen stop hazing freshmen. Students have argued that hazing, or harassment of underclassmen, is a way of getting to know freshmen and their talents. "I fail to see how one can get to know freshmen and their talents by stripping them and making them crawl," said Education Minister Badiudin Mahmud.

**CURSE YOU, JUDGE** SOUTHAMPTON, England-A man threatened to lay spells on magistrates and policemen if he was not cleared of an assault charge. The judge laid a \$24 fine on the defendant.

the American Revolution, met November 20 at the Floyd County Library. The regent, Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, presided.Mrs. Effie Milby acted as chaplain, opening the meeting with prayer. The national president's message was read by Mrs. Ray Brackett. Mrs. Frank Preston presented a brief talk on National Defense. The next meeting will be held December 11 at the home of Mrs Stanley A. Combs on Central Avenue, with Mrs. Effie Milby as cohostess. The custom of exchanging gifts will be carried out. Ray Brackett, assistant superintendent of Floyd county schools, spoke on the topic, "Financing Schools." Those present were, Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, Mrs. E. R. Burke, Mrs. Stanley A. Combs, Mrs. Frank Preston, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mrs. Opal May, Mrs. Joe Buchanan, Mrs. Effie Milby.

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