

Judge Says Waste Plan No. 1 Need Development Group Talks Area Needs At Lodge Session

County Judge Henry Stumbo listed solid waste disposal as the most pressing of this county's problems at a meeting Monday night of the Big Sandy Area Development Council at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Judge Stumbo spoke on behalf of Floyd county as representatives of the four other district counties, Pike, Martin, Johnson and Magoffin, also made known what they considered the most urgent needs in their respective areas.

Stumbo, who also listed water and sewerage and the improvement of the county's secondary roads as important priorities, said the solid waste problem in the county constitutes a "real health hazard" as well as an eyesore. The establishment of a solid waste landfill, referred to by Stumbo as "the hardest thing I've ever undertaken," is hampered, he explained, by state regulations which do not take into consideration the rugged terrain of areas such as Floyd with its scarcity of bottom land.

Pikeville Mayor William Hambley said his community had overcome this problem to a large extent by purchasing an entire, sparsely populated hollow for use as a landfill site and by providing for structural accommodations which would divert seepage from the fill which might enter any nearby stream.

Dr. Hambley reflected the same concerns for Pike county as Stumbo had for Floyd but he stressed that the council should consider first those counties with the most serious and urgent problems in the different categories of concern.

O. T. Arnett, Salyersville businessman, said that Magoffin's first concern was that of an adequate supply of drinking water for the county seat. Solid waste disposal problems in the county and improvement of secondary roads were also named as priorities.

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'Russian Roulette' Blamed in Gunshot Death at Wayland

The gunshot death last Tuesday midnight of a Wayland man may have resulted from his playing "Russian roulette," officials said following an investigation.

The victim was Rudolph Bradley, 45, who died almost instantly after a .38-calibre revolver bullet had been fired into his right temple. Coroner James J. Carter quoted a son of the victim as saying Bradley loaded one cartridge into the cylinder of the revolver and twirled the cylinder. His effort to get his father to give him the weapon failing, he stepped outside the room and almost immediately he heard the shot.

Bradley was a former restaurant-owner at Wayland. He was a son of Green and Hattie Stewart Bradley, of Wayland. Other survivors are his widow, Mrs. Ella Noel Bradley, two sons, Scott and Sam Bradley, both of the U. S. Armed Forces in Germany; a daughter, Mrs. Susan Bradley, of Wayland, and one sister, Mrs. Avanelle Blondell, of Hazard.

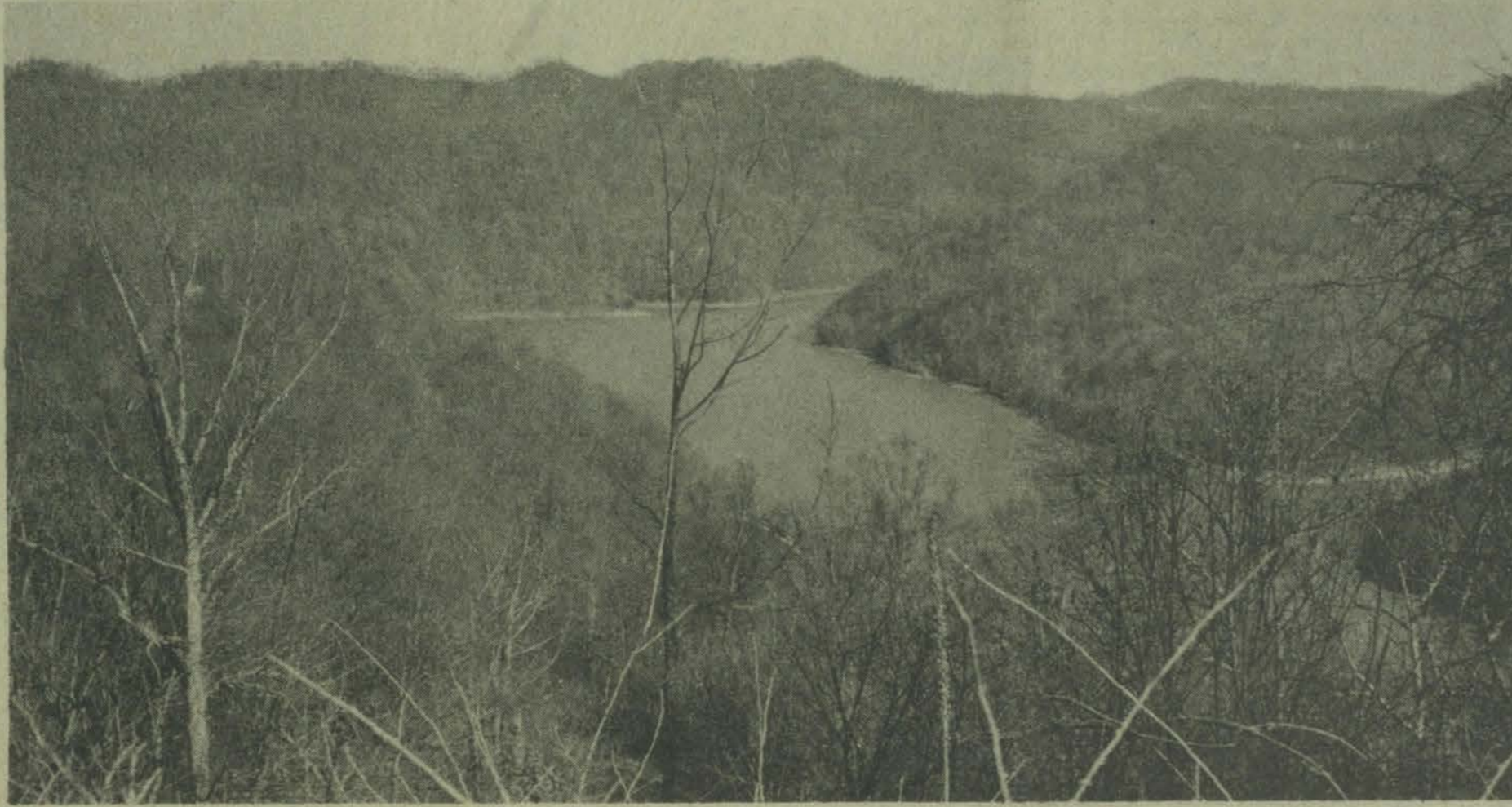
Funeral rites were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday from the Caney Creek Regular Baptist Church, and burial was made in the family cemetery at Wayland, the Hall Brothers Funeral Home directing.

To Present 'Babes in Toyland'



Members of Prestonsburg Children's Theatre who will appear in "Babes in Toyland" to be staged here Friday evening and Saturday afternoon. The evening performance will be at 8; the matinee at 3 in the auditorium of Prestonsburg Elementary school under direction of Jack Wicker. Assisting with the production are Mrs. Jackie Ward, choreographer, Mrs. John F. Brown, costumes, Mrs. James D. Adams, production. President of the Children's Theatre is Mrs. Richard E. Martin.

Lack of Foliage Shows the Scar



This view of Dewey Lake, looking up the Big Branch arm of the impoundment, shows in distance scar of stripmining near mountaintop.

This Town . . . That World

WHAT WE LEARNED

I am not nearly so bright as I may have once thought I was and so it is that I haven't been able to understand what we have got in return for that trillion or so dollars our side spent on our space program. I am aware that we licked the Russians in the race to the moon, discovered it isn't made of green cheese but is solid and consists of rock, dust and other ingredients. But it was not till Orville R. Stephens, of Hi Hat, came to the rescue that I could reduce the sum of knowledge gained to something I could understand. Writes Stephens:

"It taught all us low-income taxpayers how to patch our pants and sew up the holes in our pockets."

AN OFFICIAL PROMISE

When the late Noah Harris stopped to reflect on the passing of time he was wont to remark that he had always noticed that if he made it through March, he made it through the rest of the year.

The magic "making through" date for Watt Hale is the opening of the poke-sallet season. Elected Poke Warden by acclamation recently in his community, Watt has perked up considerably—as the poet might have put it, has shed "the winter cloak of despair"—and is now busily engaged in drawing up rules and regulations and establishing boundaries for poke-pickin' people.

Watt wanted to borrow the acceptance speech which I had written some years back when it looked as if I was a shoo-in for the office of national poke warden, but wasn't, but I had in disgust given it to

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Court Studies Need Of Courthouse Annex

When the Floyd county courthouse was built 10 years ago it was adequate for all the county's office needs, but now the fiscal court finds that it needs enlarging.

In a discussion which may ultimately result in the construction of a courthouse annex, the court last Friday learned that two more offices need space in the building and that one already in the courthouse is running out of room.

Jack Friar, of the county extension office, said extension offices now on the second floor of the Postoffice building will not be rent-free, as in the past, after

Comp Health Draws Survey Team's Okeh

A clean bill of health was handed Floyd County Comprehensive Health Care, Incorporated, in the aftermath of a HEW-OEO site team visit here February 5 and 6.

Bill White, administrator, Community Health Services, reported to Quentin D. Allen, executive director of Comprehensive Health Care, Incorporated, that the site team was impressed with the work they had seen and the commitment of the board of directors to a constructive operational plan.

Jeffrey Benda, assistant to Alvin Arnett, director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, and Mr. White emphasized the need for a multi-county planning effort rather than a single county approach. To date, the efforts of

Comprehensive Health Care had been directed solely to the health needs of Floyd county.

The site visit was made for the purpose of transferring the health agency from the Department of the Office of Economic Opportunity to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

"Our task is now clear," Mr. Allen said in commenting on the limited time remaining for planning. "We know precisely what remains in front of us, whereas in months before, without communication from Washington, we did not. We have been working toward every possible consideration. We have worked on the idea we would plan for the individual community, the area, the county and the region.

A plan submitted by Comprehensive Health Care attorney, Richard Fitzpatrick, was received for study by the board of directors at a meeting, February 14. Mr. Fitzpatrick suggested that ratification of a multi-county planning effort did not preclude the participation of the present board of directors. He suggested that the present board can be continued with the addition of four members from Martin and Magoffin counties. The voting power of the Martin and Magoffin county members would be equal to the present Floyd county board of directors.

Contingency planning now under advisement include the possibilities of fulltime health clinic in two regional locations. Negotiations are under way within the region to augment present health care capabilities.

"Overall, we are trying to help the average person to get the help he needs at the time he needs it. We are working every step of the way with Comprehensive Health Planning so that our plans coincide with the projected health needs as defined by concerned laymen and professionals on both the state and local levels," Allen said.

Board members presently include Mrs. Mary Brown and Bud Pruitt, both of Allen; Johnny Conn and Evan Riley, both of Martin; Woodrow Rodgers and Alex

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PCC Enrollment Up For Spring Semester

Mrs. Carolyn Hay Francis, admissions and financial aid officer at Prestonsburg Community College, released figures this week showing that there are 475 students enrolled at PCC for the 1974 spring semester. This is an increase of 3 students over the enrollment for the 1973 spring semester. Of the 475 students, 352 are full time and 123 are part time. There are 188 students enrolled in the two-year technical programs and 287 enrolled in transfer programs.

July 1 and that the U. S. Postal Service will be asking a monthly rent of more than \$300. If space were available in the courthouse, the extension service would move into it and pay rent to the county.

The county has what amounts to a new office with the election last November of Paul Dean Wells as county surveyor, and he is demanding an office in the courthouse, it was said.

The office which is already overcrowded is the county clerk's. It has no more space for the mounting pile of records.

County Judge Henry Stumbo pointed out that construction of an annex would not only solve the space problem but might also be used to separate from sight and sound of other prisoners juveniles who are jailed here. The Court of Appeals recently handed down a decision requiring such segregation of juveniles.

Judge Stumbo and County Attorney James R. Allen were authorized to inquire into the possibility of acquiring land for the construction at the rear of the present courthouse.

The fiscal court approved a resolution creating a county Parks and Recreation Board for the acquisition of land and to serve in an advisory capacity on recreation projects. The board would be composed of one at-large member, one member from each of the four magisterial districts, the county judge and the four magistrates.

A 10-ton load limit was placed on the Goose Creek road, and the court voted to buy 2,000 tons of gravel for use on various roads.

Supply of Fuel Not Encouraging

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Eddie Robinson vs. Shirl Yates Robinson. Rosie Compton vs. Johnny Compton. Ola B. Mitchell vs. Lloyd B. Mitchell. Landon Charles, et al vs. Triple Elkhorn Mining Co. Cleary Mining, Inc. vs. Carol Lynn Stepp. Anna Blackburn vs. Thompson's IGA, etc. James R. Yocum, Commissioner, vs. Gordon Tussey, et al, Harmon Prater, et al, Zara Mullins, et al, Thomas Avery Foley, et al and Mason Ratliff, et al (five separate complaints). Albert J. Hall vs. Life Insurance Company of North America. Birdie Wells vs. John P. Wells.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John Walter Tackett, 24, Van Lear, and Vida Miranda Thompson, 19, Prestonsburg, Richard Tackett, 20, and Martha Mae Tackett, 16, both of Teaberry. Robert Victor Prater, 19, and Ellavene Prater, 19, both of West Prestonsburg. Charles Edward Hunt, 24, and Dolly Sue Boyd, 18, both of Ivel.

Tackett Jailed After Hamilton Death Last Week

What apparently had been a hitherto unpublicized fist fight developed last week into a murder case with the death of Claude Hamilton, 43-year-old Harold man, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington.

Richard Tackett, also of the Harold vicinity, was jailed here last Thursday, hours after Hamilton's death, by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis and State Detectives Rose and Cornette. He was first booked for investigation and the murder charge was filed later.

Sheriff Lewis said he was told that Hamilton and Tackett fought outside the home of the victim's father, Floyd Hamilton, on the night of Jan. 17 and that Hamilton was taken to a Pikeville hospital, badly beaten. Two days later, he was removed to the Medical Center. According to the sheriff, his neck was

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Ward Visit Follows Blast Here Last Week

The dynamiting here on the morning of Feb. 11 of the Harris Brothers Construction Company building remained unsolved this week, despite efforts of state, county and federal officers.

The blast did, however, bring to this county State Senator Tom Ward, Versailles Democrat, a leading legislative figure in the fight for the enforcement of surface mining laws. His visit admittedly was prompted in part by the dynamiting.

Accompanied by Roger Gillum, assistant area supervisor, Division of Reclamation, Ward visited three surface mining sites where slides had reportedly occurred. The first visit was to the Triple Elkhorn Mining Company operation on

Operators Hear Plan On Closing

Area service station operators were less than optimistic this week as problems of inadequate gasoline supplies lingered despite the return to near-normal truck traffic.

As of Monday, some stations had received literature encouraging a shutdown of gasoline pumps.

Although, generally, stations had more gas on hand this week than last, in most cases quotas for the month had been filled and operators predicted another end-of-the-month crisis.

Gulf stations in the Prestonsburg area, for example, are on allocation which allows them about 21 per cent less than the total gasoline sales for the corresponding month of 1972 and, since the stations have already received their quotas, many may be forced to close during the last part of February. Palmer Patton, owner-operator of Patton's Gulf Service here, said, "There's going to be some problems toward the end of the month," but he added that he would limit his sales in order to be able to stay open as long as possible. Patton said this policy allowed him to maintain fairly regular hours during the truckers' strike.

Randy Crum, manager of Lloyd's Standard, said he would remain open through the month because February, 1972, he explained, "just happened to be a real good month." If, on the other hand, March '72 turns out to have been "slow" in terms of gasoline sales, then a March '74 shutdown may be necessary.

Station operators agree that "panic buying" has created a major problem. Bill Jack Compton, owner of Bill's 66 station, said that during last week's shortage "a line would form every time people saw a gasoline truck," and he reported that two "fender benders" occurred in the mad rush for the fuel. According to local operators, a large portion of the total gasoline sales last week went to vehicles from Pike county

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Berea Dancers To Appear Here, Thursday



Whether it is on the lawn of the White House, on TV, or in the gymnasium of Prestonsburg High School where they will appear at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, the Berea College Country Dancers perform with the same grace and youthful exuberance. They dance for the fun of it, with no pay excepting meals and transportation cost, and at the end of their program, the audience is usually asked to join in the fun of some of the better-known dances. They are appearing here as part of the East Kentucky Concert Series.

Sugar Loaf, between Prestonsburg and Allen, which was recently suspended temporarily and fined \$1,000. The next was to the Diamond Coal Co. mining site. The "bench" created by operations of both firms was termed too wide but the slides did not damage any homes. The third site visited was at Betsy Layne where a slide developed almost two years ago from operations of the B & H Coal Company.

Last week-end, Senator Ward was back in the area, this time at Hazard, to visit mining sites and to confer with individuals interested in conservation. He advised them to make their presence felt in Frankfort.

Irvin Harris, of the Harris Brothers firm, who is president of the Save Our Land Club, met here with Ward. He said he would make no accusations relating to the explosion here. Of the club which he heads, he said, "We are not trying to get anybody shut down, and we don't want to cost anybody any money or jobs. All we are interested in doing is to see that the laws we have are enforced."

Gillum told Senator Ward that the B & H Coal Co. had been cited by the inspector at the time the Betsy Layne slide occurred but that the area inspector, who has since moved to another state, marked the citation for "no action."

Gillum indicated that one of the several problems his division faces arises from the number of sites under their supervision. Although the area inspection force has been increased from 5 to 14, with two more soon to arrive, each inspector may have from 8 to 18 operations under his jurisdiction and each of these operations may cover from 2 to 18 surface mine permits.

Of a trip to the Hazard area three weeks ago Ward said he and others in the party were shown "only the good ones." He said his visit to this county was made "to satisfy myself" and to take a first-hand look at the quality of reclamation being done.

The Clayton Act was approved in 1914, limiting the use of injunctions in labor disputes and providing that picketing and other union activities shall not be considered unlawful.

CONTEST WINNER



Young Cindy Rayl was named winner of a photographic contest in Broken Arrow, Okla., recently in which parents of the contestants chose the winner. The contest was sponsored by a studio there with more than 80 children entered in the contest. Cindy won, hands down. She is the daughter of James and Bonnie Pack Rayl, of Broken Arrow, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Pack, of McDowell.

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Consumer Comments

By ED W. HANCOCK

(Attorney General of Kentucky)

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Collection agencies are required by the Federal Trade Commission to honor certain procedures in the collection of a debt payment.

Agencies are not to use any deceptive or harassing practices either in collecting the money or in obtaining information concerning the debtor. Agencies cannot pretend to be taking a survey to obtain information about the debtor.

Collection agencies are not to use the term "credit bureau" in their name, because they are not a credit bureau but an agency hired to collect money that could have been lent by a credit bureau. Telling a consumer that a gift or money will be given for information is also in opposition to guidelines as set by the FTC.

Further, an agency cannot say that the account has been turned over to an innocent purchaser for value. Consumers are not to be told that debts have been turned over to an attorney or independent organization engaged in the collecting of past-due accounts.

Also, collection agencies are not to use printed material to seek information concerning an individual debtor unless the forms show that the collection agency is sending out the material. This identification should be made quite conspicuous to the reader of the document.

A collection agency is not to use any trade name, address, insignia, picture, emblem or any other means which create a false impression that it is connected with the government.

Misrepresentation of the services a company renders is also against FTC guidelines in debt collection policies.

The best advice for consumers to follow is that when using credit or borrowing money, get the lowest possible interest rate and be sure payments can be met as agreed to in the contract to avoid being faced with possible harassment and aggravation.

For answers or suggestions to aid in consumer problems Kentucky residents may call the toll-free consumer hotline at 1-800-372-2960; or write the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division, the Capitol, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

Record Radish?



Dena Ellis Curry holding a radish weighing 4 pounds, 9 ounces. Her great-uncle, Claude Music, grew the radish at Auxier, and pulled it from the ground in December, 1973. The radish was on display at the W. D. Osborne School, Bypro, and all who saw it thought it was a turnip but on tasting it discovered it was surely a radish.

Dena is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Curry, of Bypro.

Caudill Overture Published Recently

Pikeville, Ky.—Landmark Overture, an original composition for symphonic band by Jim Andy Caudill, has been published by the Hal Leonard Music Publishing Corporation, of Winona, Minn. An assistant professor of music at Pikeville College, Caudill has had several works published for concert band in addition to a stage band series. A native Kentuckian from Ashland, he is completing his fifth year at Pikeville College.

The Overture will be performed at the Kentucky Music Educators Meeting, March 1, at Lexington.

Glaucoma Clinic Set At Health Department

The Floyd County Health Department will conduct a glaucoma clinic Friday, February 22, as a free service from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Glaucoma most frequently occurs in persons over 35 years of age and may run in families. Undiagnosed and untreated, glaucoma can lead to total blindness. One out of every seven blind persons in the United States lost his sight because of glaucoma. The health nurses urge all persons over the age of 35 to take advantage of this service.

CITY OF MARTIN ORDINANCE NO. 73-2

An ordinance prohibiting the parking of any trailers, including house trailers, in any portion of the city of Martin, except that part of Martin known as Beaver Valley Bottom and providing for a license tax against said trailers which are parked in the city limits of the city of Martin.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARTIN, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE: That it shall be unlawful for any person to park or place any trailer and/or house trailer on any street of the City of Martin or on any lot or land located within the limits of the City of Martin except that portion of the City of Martin known as Beaver Valley Bottom which begins at the Old County Bridge and follows the C & O Railroad to State Highway 80, then west to First Twin Bridge, thence south bordered by Beaver Creek to the Old County Bridge, the point of beginning.

SECTION TWO: Any person, firm or corporation who violates the terms of Section One of this ordinance shall be fined not more than \$50.00, and each day that this ordinance is violated shall be constituted as a separate offense.

SECTION THREE: All trailers, including house trailers, which are parked in the City of Martin, Kentucky, as authorized by this ordinance shall pay to the City of Martin a license tax of \$15.00 per year, due on or before the first of March each year, for the privilege of parking such trailers, including house trailers.

SECTION FOUR: Any person, firm or corporation who violates the terms of Section Three of this ordinance shall be fined the sum of \$5.00, each day that this ordinance is violated shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION FIVE: The license tax maintained in Section Three hereof shall be effective as of January 1, 1974. The other provisions of this ordinance shall be effective 60 days from passage and publication of this ordinance.

SECTION SIX: All ordinance in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. Passed and approved this first day of December, 1973.

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ALLEN NEWS

Daniels-Eckes

SCOUTS ATTEND LIVING ARTS WORKSHOP
Girl Scout troop 227 attended a Living arts workshop directed by James E. Seidelman of the Living Arts and Science Center, Lexington, held at the Johns Creek High School, Saturday, Feb. 16.

Announcement is being made of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Sandra Gail Daniels, daughter of Mrs. Emogene Kidd Daniels Mosley, of Huntsville, Ala., and James Daniels, to Jamie W. Eckes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eckes, of Queens, N. Y.

Prayer Breakfast At Lodge, Saturday

All clergymen and public officials of this county are invited to attend the Floyd County Prayer Breakfast at May Lodge at 8 a.m., Saturday.

SING AT HUNTINGTON CHURCH
The Gospel Sunlighters were in Huntington, W. Va. last week-end when they sang at the Thomas Memorial Free Will Baptist Church on Buffington Street, in both the morning and evening services.

Receives 20-Year Service Award



Pictured, from left, are County Attorney James R. Allen, Mrs. Ann Alley and Billy Merritt, chairman of the Floyd County Extension District board.

Mrs. Ann Garrett Alley, Floyd county extension secretary, was honored recently with the University of Kentucky's 20-year Service Award. Mrs. Alley has been employed as extension secretary since 1950.

were County Attorney James R. Allen, and District Board Chairman Billy Merritt, who made the presentation, County Judge Henry Stumbo, Arnold Lowe, James Shepherd, Kermit Howard, Donald Hicks, Dr. Logan T. Louderback, University of Kentucky Extension Service; Frances Pitts, John Sparks and Jack Friar.

Gov. Wendell Ford has announced an end to the call-up of 1,000 Kentucky National Guardsmen. The guardsmen had been called to duty Feb. 5, at the height of the independent truckers' strike, to provide convoy assistance to non-striking truckers fearing violence as they sought to move their rigs across the state. The Guard will remain on standby-alert until further notice, Gov. Ford said.

For the second straight month since the national alarm over a gasoline shortage first began to mount, Kentucky State Police have reported a heavy decline in traffic deaths. According to an end-of-January report, 53 persons died in traffic accidents in Kentucky during the month, compared with 85 deaths reported during the same month a year ago.



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Nature Trails

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Department Slates Clinic at Teaberry

The Floyd County Health Department announces that a public health nurse will hold an outpost clinic Monday, February 25, at the Mud Creek Clinic at Teaberry from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The following free services will be available: TB skin tests, immunizations, diabetes screening, blood pressures and pap smears.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Willie Johnson, Plf.

vs.

Mr. John Amburgey and Mrs. John Amburgey (heirs), Defts.

In the above-styled cause the plaintiff serves notice on all defendants herein and seeks the whereabouts of same. Said action is filed to secure deed from the Floyd Circuit Court to a tract of real estate located on Abner Fork, Floyd county, Ky., which was purchased by plaintiff from John Amburgey and Mrs. John Amburgey, and which is described as follows:

"Starts right up at the high point, straight on up, then to the back of the curve to the top of the hill and to the Pike county line, comes back right-handed to the top of Abner Mountain, then back down the highway to opposite Raymond Jones, then up the hill to the high point which is the beginning."

HAROLD STUMBO Attorney for Plaintiff

Large advertisement for 'Aileen' fabric featuring fashion sketches of various clothing items like blazers, jackets, shirts, skirts, and pants. Includes a list of items and prices, and contact information for Court and Arnold Street.

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Obituaries

Henry Pratt

Henry Pratt, native of Garrett, died Feb. 2 at the home of a son, Gerald Pratt, Cynthia, of an apparent heart attack. He was a son of the late Elbert S. and Dolly Stephens Pratt.

Survivors include another son, Larry Pratt, of Falmouth, Ky.; his stepmother, Mrs. Mary Pratt, Garrett; seven brothers, Custer and Raymond Pratt, Mt. Olivet, Ky., John and Grover Pratt, of Garrett, Russell Pratt, Palmetto, Fla., Jay Pratt, Mitchellville, Ky., and Woodrow Pratt, Dayton, Ohio; two half-brothers, Darrell Pratt, Inkster, Mich., and Jimmy Harold Pratt, Garrett; four sisters, Mrs. Nora Martin, Langley, Mrs. Rhoda Green, Westminster, Calif., Mrs. Ruth Risner, Bypro, and Mrs. Norma Johnson, Claysville, Ky.; five half-sisters, Mrs. LaRue Lafferty, Hindman, Mrs. Loretta Hackworth, Bonanza, Mrs. Sheila Ann Lawson, Inkster, Mich., Mrs. Ella Zene Ritchie, Fisty, Ky., and Mrs. Julie Fern Howard, Hippo.

Funeral services were held at Woodhead Funeral Home in Falmouth, Ky., and burial was in Kenton town cemetery.

Among those attending the funeral were Hawley Scott, Raymond Scott, Andy Scott, Alen Turner, Fanzo Turner, Kendall Moore, Hobert Hicks, several brothers and sisters and other relatives from Floyd county.

Russell Wicker

Russell Wicker, of Mousie, died Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, after an extended illness. He was 68.

A son of the late Wesley and Sally Triplett Wicker, he was born May 30, 1905 at Mousie. He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include a son, Russell Lee Wicker, of Wabash, Indiana; one daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Little, of Mousie, and five sisters, Mrs. Biddie Chaffins, Mousie, Mrs. Nellie Taylor, Mrs. Hazel Conley, Mrs. Gayle Triplett, all of Wabash, and Mrs. Laura Smith, of North Judson, Indiana. He also leaves four grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday at 10 a.m. at the Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church. Burial followed in the Chaffins cemetery at Mousie under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Elliott Hamilton

Elliott Hamilton, infant son of David and Delphia McKinney Hamilton, of Craynor, died at birth Saturday at Pikeville Methodist hospital.

Survivors include a brother, Walker Dean Hamilton and a sister, Rosemary Hamilton, both at home; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cephus McKinney, of Craynor, and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hamilton, of Beaver.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at 10 a.m. at the home. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Craynor under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Isaac N. Hall, Jr.

Isaac N. Hall, Jr., 48 years old, of Lexington, formerly of Banner, died Monday at Lexington after a sudden illness.

An electrician with a construction firm in Lexington, he was born June 10, 1925, a son of the late Isaac N. and Rebecca Clark Hall. Mr. Hall was a combat veteran of World War II having flown missions over Germany and during the Korean War was a flight officer. He was a member of the American Legion, V.F.W., and various veterans' organizations as well as the national electrical workers union.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Robert Carter, Lexington; one brother, Earl Hall, of Banner, and two sisters, Mrs. Ida Hall, of Banner, and Mrs. Josephine Akers, Detroit, Michigan.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Hall Brothers Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Fred McGinnis officiating. Burial will be in the Jones cemetery at Banner.

Nat'l Management Group To Meet at Lodge, Friday

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company Chapter of the National Management Association will hold its monthly meeting Friday, February 22, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, it was announced this week by Harold Howard, president.

Speaker for the meeting will be Paul W. Williams, supervisor of recreation for the Eastern Kentucky Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Telma; Johnson county. Mr. Williams will be assisted by Carroll Burchett of the rehabilitation center.

John Fannin

John Fannin, 57, of Martin, died Sunday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin. He had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. Fannin had worked as janitor at Our Lady of the Way for the past 11 years and before that as a coal miner.

A son of the late Leon and Virgie Prestons Fannin, he was born at Minnie, December 4, 1914. His wife, Myrtle Yates Fannin, survives.

Other survivors include three daughters, Katherine Mae Lafferty, Huesville, Geraldine Blankenship, of Grove City, Ohio, and Brenda Gilliam, of Martin, and four sisters, Mrs. Juanita Osborne, of Ashland, Mrs. Myrtle Osborne, Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Mary Zimmerman, of Garrett, Indiana, and Mrs. Lizzie Daniels, of Minnie. Five grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Drift Pentecostal Church of which he was a member. Officiating ministers were Torrence Wright, Raymond Wright and Ted Shannon. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rosa Slone

Mrs. Rosa Slone, 59, wife of Canton Slone, 254 Willard Street, Lexington, formerly of Knott county, died last Tuesday.

She was a native of Knott county, the daughter of the late William and Oma Slone Slone. Survivors are five sons: Ralph, Clark, Eugene, Kirby and Jimmie Slone, all of Lexington; two brothers, Marion Slone, St. Marys, Ohio, Lewis Slone, Knott county; three sisters, Mrs. Victoria Slone, Mrs. Sara Ann Slone and Mrs. Hermia Slone, all of Knott county and 23 grandchildren.

Funeral services were at 10 a.m. Friday at Whitehall Funeral Chapel, Lexington, by Rev. Hubert Mead, with burial in Hillcrest cemetery, Lexington.

Miah Spradlin

Miah Spradlin, 60 years old, of Ivel, died Friday at Pikeville Methodist hospital after a long illness.

A retired coal miner, he was born November 10, 1913 at Johns Creek, a son of the late Miah and Dorothy Bayes Spradlin. He was preceded in death by his wife, Ella Lewis Spradlin in 1969.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. Gladys Marie Hancock, of Betsy Layne, Mrs. Victoria McElvene, of Perry, Fla., Mrs. Thelma Adams, Pikeville, Mrs. Lilly Mae Damron, of Tram, Mrs. Zelle Stapleton, Ivel, and Mrs. Georgie Hackney, of Grundy, Virginia; one brother, Mark Spradlin, of Harold, and three sisters, Mrs. Martha Fraley, of Lancer, Mrs. Julie Stratton, of Stanville, and Mrs. Minnie Justice, of Lancer. Eighteen grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 11 a.m. at the home with ministers of the Holiness Church officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Ivel under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Noah Hopper

Noah Hopper, former resident of this county, died Sunday morning at Hanging Rock, O. after an illness of six months. He was about 75 years old.

A native of Knox county, Ky., Mr. Hopper resided in this county at Wayland and Lackey where he was a miner. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Toni Collins Hopper, of Hanging Rock; a daughter and two sons, Patricia, Glenn and Victor, of Hanging Rock, and a brother, Henry Hopper, of this county.

Burial was made in the Collins cemetery, near Ironton, Ohio.

Carl E. Breeding, Jr.

Carl Edward Breeding, Jr., two-year-old son of Carl Edward and Barbara Bayes Breeding, of Findlay, Ohio, died Saturday at home.

Born September 1, 1971, in Berlin, Germany, he is also survived by a brother, Donald Joe Breeding, at home; the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Eunice Bayes, Prestonsburg; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Breeding, of Price, and the paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Burke, of Halo.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at Martin with Roger W. Wells, the officiating minister. Burial was made in the Burke cemetery at Halo under the direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30 and 40 years ago)

Ten Years Ago

(February 27, 1964)

The Princess Elkhorn Division of Princess Coals, Inc. may be nearing the end of its stay at David because of dwindling coal reserves but several years are being added to the company's operation there by installation of new machinery and acquisition of added coal acreage . . . The American Red Cross during fiscal year 1963 spent \$2,710,978 to aid disaster victims in Kentucky, and \$369,000 of that total was spent in Floyd County . . . Strip mining was described in Frankfort Tuesday as murdering the Eastern Kentucky mountains and destroying Western Kentucky agricultural counties . . . Paul R. Jordan, native of Wayland, who was a special assistant in public relations in state government during the last administration, this week was named director of information and education for the Department of Conservation . . . Latest of a long series of breaks in this county was last Wednesday night's entrance of the new Garth Vocational School . . . Fifteen-year-old Olivia Burga, of Ypsilanti, Mich., granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Ousley and Mrs. Laura Bayes, of West Prestonsburg, was chosen "Miss Sweetheart" of 1964 at Taylor and was one of the top semi-finalists in the "World's Most Beautiful Majorette" contest held in Atlantic City, New Jersey . . . There died: Mrs. Mary Alice Hall, 66, of Galveston, Sunday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Joe Todd, 66, co-owner of Opal & Joe's, well-known Ivel restaurant, Wednesday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; Mrs. Emma Akers Sizemore, 83, of Prestonsburg, Tuesday, at home; Mrs. Beatrice Williams, 62, of Wheelwright, Sunday at the Beckley, W. Va. Appalachian Regional hospital; Ora Hamilton, 63, of Galveston, Sunday at home; Mrs. Stella Chapman, 71 years old, of Hite, Tuesday at the Beaver Valley hospital; Mrs. Margaret Dawson, 83, of Paintsville, Sunday at the Paintsville Clinic.

Twenty Years Ago

(February 25, 1954)

The U. S. Corps of Engineers announced this week that bids on cabin sites at Dewey Lake will be received till March 22 . . . State Senator Doug Hays has introduced a bill in the State Senate to change the official name of the valley's largest stream from the Levisa to the Big Sandy River . . . Deputy Sheriffs and State Police are patrolling the road to David which was blocked Monday to out-of-county workers . . . Voters of the Prestonsburg independent school district will be given the opportunity soon to decide if a 35-cent levy on each \$100 worth of taxable property shall be made to finance construction of a gymnasium here . . . James Wine, Pikeville attorney, last Friday announced he will seek the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Seventh district . . . Sgt. John J. Bentley, formerly of McDowell, remains unconscious in Camp Campbell hospital after suffering a brain injury two weeks ago in his 46th jump as a paratrooper . . . Married: Miss Barbara Jean Mitchell, of Beattyville, Kentucky, and Mr. Donald Stewart Smiley, of Prestonsburg, January 9 at Lawrenceburg, Indiana . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fox Homes at Louisville, February 20, a daughter—Roxanne . . . There died: Dr. W. J. Fitzpatrick, 77, Prestonsburg dentist, Friday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Melvin Slone, probably the area's oldest man, at Printer Wednesday at the age of 103; John R. "Chick" Kelly, 59, formerly of Prestonsburg, killed by an auto in Detroit, February 11; Mrs. Bethany Hale, 73, last Thursday at Estill; Jerry Hall, 72, Friday at Banner; Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, 46, of Honaker, Saturday at a Martin hospital; Mrs. Minnie Goble Sturgill, 39, Sunday on Little Paint Creek.

Thirty Years Ago

(February 24, 1944)

Sgt. Euian C. Mills, of Wayland, recently listed as missing is now known to be a German prisoner of war . . . Alben W. Barkley tendered his resignation as Senate majority leader Wednesday after President Roosevelt had vetoed the tax bill voted by Congress . . . Tom Rane, UMW district president, told The Times this week that if the mine workers fail to negotiate a satisfactory contract with the Tug River-Big Sandy Hospital Association, the UMW may buy or build a hospital for their exclusive use . . . Married: Miss Lurline Reed and Lt. Edsel Vanderpool, both of Lackey, February 11 at Lowmansville, Kentucky; Miss Helen Byford, Nashville, Tennessee, and Thomas Edward Allen, of Ft. Bragg, North Carolina, formerly of Martin, February 6 at Bennettsville, South Carolina . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard, of Cow Creek, February 17, a son—James Franklin; to Pvt. and Mrs. Herschell Tackett, at the Paintsville hospital Monday, a son—Carl Edmund; to Cpl. and Mrs. Willie Hicks, of Alphoretta, February 10, a daughter—Judith Carol . . . There died: Glenn Roberts, 16, Tuesday on Johns Creek; Beulah Napier, 17, last Thursday at Garrett; Jimmie Joe Conn, age six weeks, of Beaver, at the Prestonsburg hospital, Wednesday of last week; Denver Skaggs, 38, of Garrett, Monday at a Martin hospital; Luther Sturgill, 53, February 11 at Auxier; Mrs. Susan Turner, 89, Tuesday at Wayland; Mrs. Cassie Mae Keathley, 58, Wednesday at Amba.

Forty Years Ago

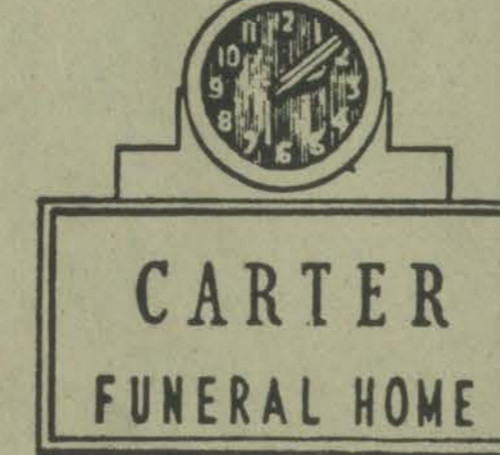
(February 23, 1934)

Floyd Post No. 129 here went on record Saturday in alleging irregularities in the conduct of the Civil Works Administration in this county . . . Irvin Hall, 24, was fatally injured last Thursday when struck on his head with a stove bolt in a fight at a Mud Creek mill . . . John Hale, W. B. Boyd, John Williams and Grover Lowe last week drilled in a gas well in Martin county which is reported as having a volume of 1,600,000 cubic feet . . . Homes of Jake Akers at Salisbury and Harve Jarrell at Martin were destroyed by fire this week . . . Raymond Rickman, 25, was fatally crushed at Betsy Layne Friday when he was thrown from the mine motor on which he was brakeman . . . Dr. W. L. Stumbo, of Martin has reported receiving extortion notes demanding of him \$50,000 . . . There died: Mrs. Millie Terry, 86, Saturday at Lackey.

VISIT BROTHER

James Salisbury, who has been a patient at Mary Chiles Hospital in Mt. Sterling, has returned to his home at Salisbury. He received treatment also at a Lexington hospital. While in Mt. Sterling he was visited by his sisters, Mrs. C. W. May, Mrs. Bess S. May, Mrs. Ethel S. Cross, Mrs. Kitty Sandige and Mrs. Maude S. Mayo.

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Sadly missed by husband, Epp Jarrell, Children and Grandchildren.

ALLEN NEWS

SHOWER FOR MRS. HALL

Mrs. Jeff Hall, nee Cathy Woods, of Allen, was honored with a stork shower February 1 at the home of Rev. Wm. H. Amburgey at Cow Creek. Hostesses were Mrs. Glenda Blackburn, Mrs. Virgie Stapleton, and Mrs. Edith Cline. Other guests included Mrs. Ruby Hall, Mrs. Florene Harris, Mrs. Safrona Woods, Mrs. Mary Zemo, Mrs. Joanne Garrett, Mrs. Lois Greene, Mrs. Marylee Woods, Mrs. Debbie Porter, Mrs. Eunice Darby, Mrs. Debbie Blackburn, Miss Sharon Collins, Mrs. William H. Amburgey, Mrs. Janice Ratliff, Mrs. Kay Click, Mrs. Sadie Click, and Miss Faye Miller.

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Goble-Roberts News

Sorry there was no news in last weeks paper. This was due to the illness of correspondent, Mrs. Cora May.

Mrs. May was confined to the Highlands Regional Hospital last week for treatment and observation. She wishes to take this opportunity to thank her friends for all the beautiful flowers, cards and calls, especially for the prayers and the Rev. William Thomas, her pastor.

Mrs. May is home now, feeling some better, but still confined to her home. Thanks to all who have visited her at home: Mrs. Connie Booth, Larry, Ada and Mitzo Hardin, all of Inez, Jessie Cline, of Debord, Pat, Jay, Oliver and Dee, Kal Franko, Wanda George, Renita and Tina, and a very special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Calhoun for a delicious catered dinner last Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all the neighbors who helped during the illness and at the funeral of my husband and our father, Shirley Morrison. We especially thank Dr. Ira Potter and staff at Highland Regional Hospital, Prestonsburg, Dr. Stephen Edelstein and staff of Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, and Floyd Funeral Home, Rev. Henry Crider, and all who sent flowers and who helped in any way.

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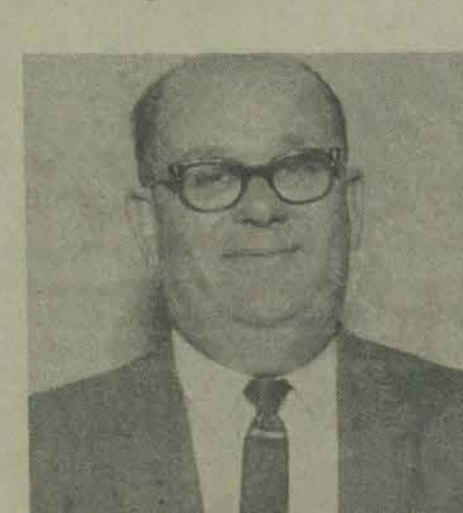
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REPORTING TO THE GOVERNOR.—Kent Flanery presents the annual Lonesome Pine Council Boy Scouts of America, report to Gov. Wendell Ford following the Governor's luncheon. Young Flanery, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Flanery, of Langley.

Notice to Bidders

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept bids on \$2500 worth, more or less, of athletic equipment for the 1974-'75 school year. Contact Gordon Moore, 886-2354 or 886-2355, for listing of said equipment. Shipment of same must be made by free freight by July 1, 1974. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Free Treatment for the Poor Required by U.S. Court Decision

By MAXINE KENNEY
(Appalachian News Service)

Poor people who cannot pay to get into "non-profit" hospitals can no longer be refused treatment, according to a decision recently handed down by the U. S. District Court in Washington, D.C. The decision affects all "private, non-profit" hospitals which are given special tax-exempt status by the federal government because of the charitable services they claim to perform.

The lawsuit which was filed almost three years ago pitted the Eastern Kentucky Welfare Rights Organization (EKWRO) and other poor people around the country against the U. S. Secretary of the Treasury and the Commission of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Named in the suit were the Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, and the Methodist Hospital in Pikeville, as well as hospitals in New Orleans, Louisiana, and Tucson, Arizona.

The decision does not pertain only to the hospitals named in the lawsuit, but to some 11,000 hospitals and nursing homes across the country. And in the Appalachian region where there are few publicly-owned health facilities, the decision applies to most of the existing hospitals and nursing homes.

When asked to comment on their recent victory in court, Eula Hall of Craynor, Floyd county, chairwoman of the EKWRO Health Committee, said, "We hope that this is the beginning of a new era in health care in the mountains. It used to be if people didn't have the money in their hand when they got to the hospital they would be left to die on the doorstep. Now the judge has said this will no longer be the case, and we aim to see that the judge's orders are followed."

In the court order issued January 29 the judge ordered IRS to stop granting tax exempt status to hospitals which do not provide "free or below cost treatment to individuals unable to pay for services. . . to the extent of their financial ability."

The court apparently found the evidence of providing charitable services to the poor submitted by the Pikeville and Prestonsburg hospitals to be insufficient. The Highlands Regional Medical Center claimed that in the period of July 1, 1972, to June 30, 1973, it provided free services to 32 patients out of the 3,634 patients admitted that year to the hospital. In the same period, Pikeville Methodist Hospital claimed to have admitted 24 people on a no-charge basis out of a total of 10,420 admissions.

Another aspect of the court order requires all private, non-profit hospitals which enjoy a tax-exempt status to post a notice in a prominent place stating that their hospital has tax-exempt status and explaining fully the hospital's obligation to treat poor people free and below cost. The defendants have been ordered to implement the court's order within 60 days, the same period of time in which they may file an appeal in the case.

The specific controversy in this lawsuit arose as a result of a ruling by the IRS in 1969 that eliminated the then-existing requirement that tax-exempt hospitals treat the poor free or below cost, to the extent of their financial ability. This had been the position of the IRS since the 1920's.

Then, in 1969, the IRS said that free care to the poor was no longer a precondition to obtaining this very desirable tax break. Not long after the issuance of this ruling, poor people and organizations on their behalf tried to protest to IRS that it was illegal to give tax-exempt status to hospitals unless they provided free services to the poor. The IRS refused to hear their arguments.

PARKWAY COLLECTIONS HIGHER

Collections on Kentucky's parkways were higher in the month of January than the same period a year ago. Receipts were also up as compared to the amount collected for December 1973. January totals were \$1,528,818 compared to \$1,459,669 for the same month in 1973 and with \$1,422,690 for December of 1973.

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GARRETT NEWS

Mrs. Dollie Duff has returned from Dayton, Ohio, where she has been visiting relatives for two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Salyer, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Burchwell and children. Mr. and Mrs. Burchwell accompanied her home and visited Mrs. Burchwell's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Howard, of Garrett, and Mr. Burchwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con Burchwell, of Martin.

Mrs. Rebecca Baldrige and Eddie Baldrige, of Lackey, were recent guests of her sister, Mrs. Kelly Howard, and family here.

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Students are seeking information on the early sites in Floyd county and nearby counties, such as the Auxier Fort at Block House Bottom. Any one having photographs or drawings of early sites or buildings may contribute information to the Index of Kentucky Art and Design through Glennora Montgomery, 150 Walton Avenue, Lexington, Ky. 40508. The information collected by the students will become a part of the collections of the historical societies.

When requesting a change of address, be sure to state your old address.

Area Pharmacy Students at UK



The University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy was recently recognized by a national survey that ranked the College among the top five pharmacy professional schools in the Country. Pharmacy students from Pike, Floyd and Knott Counties are pictured, from left—Clarence Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Francis, Hindman; Sherry Stanley, daughter of Mr. Willard Stanley, Melvin; Patricia Atkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar T. Atkins, Turkey Creek; and Kathy Stickler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Stickler, Drift.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on February 11th, 1974, the undersigned, Jessie M. Massie, was by the Floyd County Court appointed executrix of the Estate of Charles F. Massie who died testate a citizen and resident of this county on December 31, 1973, and that all persons having claims against said estate shall present the same, verified according to law, to the undersigned at Ivel, Kentucky, not later than May 31st, 1974, said date being three months after final publication of this Notice and all persons indebted to said estate shall satisfy said obligation and indebtedness on or before said date.

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Sports Afield

By HOPE CARLETON
The time is fast arriving when Kentucky hunters will be cleaning and storing their hunting gear until the general hunting seasons reopen again this fall.

With the waterfowl season closing Jan. 20 and rabbit, quail and furbearers, Jan. 31, the only remaining hunting season is for the ruffed grouse which will continue through Feb. 28.

The main range of ruffed grouse is east from the western edge of the Daniel Boone National Forest. Those who have never tried hunting this excellent trophy bird would be wise to seek the companionship of an experienced grouse hunter who has a dog trained especially for this sport. Grouse dogs are "close" hunters and stay in sight of their masters at all times. When the dogs first pick up the scent of the grouse they go on point and wait for the hunters. They also know that grouse like to run, and both dog and man will follow the bird until it is airborne.

Grouse hunting is demanding of both man and dog due to the rugged areas where the bird lives and challenging because of the almost uncanny ability of this bird to elude those who pursue him. For those who would rather fish than continue hunting, there are several types of winter fishing that generally produce good results.

Jig fishing with live nightcrawlers, large minnows or dollflies and pork rind is turning up some fine black bass. Many major lakes have a wide choice of water conditions, in some cases from clear to murky to muddy. While muddy waters are ideal for live nightcrawlers, the lighter colored waters are good for those using large minnows and dollflies. The clearer waters are ideal for casting slow moving, bottom-bouncing, artificial lures.

Crappie fishing, too, is good now, especially for those who know the winter

habits of this fish. There are several deep water cover areas where crappie are found at this time of the year, and fishermen who go from one spot to another until they find a feeding school may harvest a limit under ideal conditions. Generally, several are picked up at each spot and at the end of the day an ample supply of crappie has been harvested.

In the large creeks and small rivers that have cleared up, minnows, worms and nightcrawlers are the choice bait for taking mixed strings of sunfish, catfish and suckers from the still pools.

For those who would rather wait until spring, now is the time to make plans for some of those special fishing events in the near future, such as the white bass and crappie runs, night fishing or casting surface lures for black bass.

Warning Order of Attorney

Any person knowing the whereabouts of Aileen McGuire is asked to contact James R. Allen, P. O. Box 386, Telephone 886-6520. 2-13-3t.

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Raiders Arrest Floyd Woman, 72; 3 Others Booked

Minnie Johnson, 72-year-old Abner Fork woman, was charged with possession of alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale last Wednesday after officers had confiscated 192 half-pints of whiskey, 10 half-pints of vodka, 8 half-pints of gin and 26 cans of beer found on her property.

The officers, ABC Agent Arvel Nelson and Deputy Sheriffs Green Slone, Roland Howell and Ernest Dudleyson, said all the haul, except for a part of a case of whiskey which was found in the basement of Mrs. Johnson's home, was taken from a 1967 Thunderbird. The automobile also was confiscated. The case is in Magistrate Leroy Akers' court.

Raid last week resulted in the arrest of three others, one of the defendants being arrested twice. A raid last Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Slone and ABC Agent Nelson resulted in the arrest of Ronnie Stanley, also of Abner Fork, and the confiscation of 103 cans of beer and two half-pints of whiskey. Two days later, Stanley again was raided by Nelson and Deputy Sheriffs Slone, Dudleyson and Howell, and 23 cans of beer were taken. The first of Stanley's possession cases is in Magistrate Akers' court; the second, in quarterly court here.

Tivis (Bo) Neeley was arrested Saturday afternoon by Sheriff Lewis, ABC Agent Nelson and Deputies Slone, Howell and Dudleyson who confiscated from a trailer on the Cool Water fork of Salt Lick Creek 9 1/2 half-pints of whiskey, 99 cans of beer and four "fifths" of wine. A shotgun also was confiscated. Neeley was booked to Magistrate Bill Wells.

A second raid Saturday afternoon was made on the premises of Clarence Martin, of Drift, with 16 half-pints of whiskey and eight cans of beer taken by Sheriff Lewis and Deputies Caner Hunter, Roland Howell and Linzy Hunt. Martin was booked to quarterly court.

The arrest of five men and two juveniles last week successfully concluded all cases of breaking and entering reported since Sheriff Lewis assumed office, he said this week. Reon Slone and a juvenile were jailed in the entry of Sadie Bakay's shoe shop at Weeksbury. The investigation of the looting of the truck of Ellis Slone while he was on Little Mud Creek to attend a funeral resulted in the arrest of Randy, John D. and Teddy B. Tackett, William Darrell Ray and a juvenile. John D. Tackett was under circuit court probation.

The sheriff's office was notified Monday that Joseph Tanner, whose arrest had been sought after he allegedly took official funds while employed as a turnkey at the county jail, had been jailed in Parkersburg, W. Va. He will be returned to jail here to face a grand jury charge.

Other arrests within the week, charges against each defendant and names of arresting officers follow:

Max Gordon Barbee, drunk driving, no operator's license, resisting arrest and involvement in an accident, by Constable Paul Stilton; Bradie Nolan and Troy Burchett, petty larceny, by Park Ranger L. Setser; Jack Collins, drunk driving, by State Trooper A. Cantrell; Orvissie Shepherd, drunk driving and no operator's license, by State Troopers Billips and Simpson; Daryl Bentley, drunk driving, by State Troopers Williamson and Castle; Hatler Howell, no operator's license, by Trooper Williamson; Carter Lee Hall, drunk driving, by State Trooper Webb; Rodney Moore, resisting arrest, and Kenneth Webb, drunk driving, both by State Trooper Castle; Billy Walk Frasure, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriff Slone and Constable Bob Hackworth; Albert Stewart and Johnnie Conn, both charged with drunk driving, by State Trooper Estep; Charley Bishop, drunk driving, by Constable Hackworth; George Caudill Stanley, Jr., drunk driving, by State Trooper Leeman Bevins; Herbert Spurlock, drunk driving, by State Trooper Castle; Eugene Ousley, drunk driving, by Troopers Bevins and Webb.

State To Help Public Defender Work in County

Gov. Wendell H. Ford's proposed 1974-76 biennial budget will provide the Office of Public Defender in Judicial District 31 (Floyd county) will receive approximately \$14,000 in state support money.

The new allocation is based on a proposed change in the formula for funding public defender programs in each of the state's 53 judicial districts.

As proposed by Ford, any judicial district with a population count over 35,000 could expect to be funded at a rate of 40 cents per resident, or \$14,000 per circuit court judge—whichever figure is higher. In the case of Floyd county with an estimated population of 35,889 (based on the 1970 U. S. Census) the total amount thus allocated would be about \$14,350.

In the less populous districts, those with a population of less than 35,000, the current system of funding—\$14,000 per judge—would remain in effect.

The Office of Public Defender was initiated in late 1972 and organized locally according to preferences of the fiscal courts.

MAYTOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar May were in Ashland Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duncan have gone to Rochester, Ind., due to the illness of their daughter who resides there.

Joe Crowe, of Florence, Ky., visited his grandmother, Mrs. Amanda Sutton, last Tuesday and Wednesday. He also called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey.

Mrs. Nora Martin, Tommy Martin, Gaylord Martin and Glina Moore attended the funeral of Mrs. Martin's brother, Henry Pratt, at Cynthia last week.

Mrs. Benny Moore, daughter of Mrs. Nora Martin, underwent major surgery at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, last Tuesday. Mr. Moore and her sister, Mrs. Daina Purvis, of Eminence, were there during her surgery. Mrs. Moore is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Gibson spent last week-end in Lexington visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewlett and children.

The P & H Sporting Goods Shop, under the management of Paul Patton and Hubert Halbert, opened last week in the former Allen's Variety Store building.

Jeff and Beckie Stewart, of Morehead State University, were here last week-end, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Arnold Cassady, of Pinckney, Mich., was here last week visiting friends and was the houseguest of his daughter, Mrs. Thelma Turner, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Allen, of Long Beach, Calif., have been here visiting his mother, Mrs. Lula Allen, of Eastern, her sister, Mrs. Thelma Turner, of Prestonsburg, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lula Allen and Lexie Allen were hostesses at a family dinner Monday evening at their home at Eastern with all of Mrs. Allen's ten children attending. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Kirby and Mrs. Anna Mae Curtis, of Greenfield, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Allen, Long Beach, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barnett, of Ivel, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen and Howard Allen, Willard, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen, Mrs. Thelma Hicks and Mrs. Trilby May, all of Langley, Arnold Cassady, Pinckney, Mich., Mrs. Thelma Turner and Woodrow Adams, Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gearheart, Hueysville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy May, Beverly and Melvin, Mrs. Sandy Bradley, Dana, Paige and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. James Lynn Allen and Barron, all of Langley, and Jess Ratliff, of Willard, Ky.

75 Are Listed For Jury Duty

Seventy-five residents of the county have been notified to appear here March 4, opening of the civil term of circuit court, for possible jury service. Their names and addresses follow:

Walker Tackett, Teaberry; Elma Tackett McKiney, Grethel; Glenn C. Burchett, Emma; Charles Johnson, Melvin; Ross Lewis, McDowell; Jackie Campbell, Water Gap; Arnold Clark, Prestonsburg; Doris Akers, Dana; Dixie Queen Cole, Martin; Richard Gibson, Wayland; Arthur Campbell, Water Gap; Berlin Bradford, Blue River; Frank Vaughan, Prestonsburg; Ralph Newsome, East McDowell; Woodrow Jarvis, Rt. 1, Prestonsburg; Garry M. Adkins, Betsy Layne; Laynon L. Shepherd, David; Paul M. Compton, Allen; Ocie Ann May, Allen; Darcus Key, Allen; Kenis Tackett, Harold; Howard Johnson, Price; Hope Whitten, Prestonsburg; Joan Paine, Weeksbury; Harry Litteral, McDowell; Earl Baldridge, East Point; Dicie Endicott, Endicott; Dewey Clyde Hamilton, Martin; Sarah Allen, Langley; Eunice Parson, Allen; Bertha Gibson, Langley; Shirley Ann Geuicke, David; Hershell Joseph, Prestonsburg; Sally A. Goble, Lake Rd., Prestonsburg; Hugh Roland, Langley; James Calhoun, Cliff; Braxton Thompson, Rt. 1, Prestonsburg; Oliver Hall Marshall, Auxier.

Rebel Hackworth, West Prestonsburg; Hazel Martin, Eastern; Otis Cooley, Prestonsburg; Elmer Hall, Melvin; Pauline Stumbo, Minnie; Frank Warrix, Prestonsburg; Julius Hall, Melvin; Herbert Combs, Orkney; Bill K. Stumbo, Tram; Tom Calhoun, Prestonsburg; James D. Hyden, Prestonsburg; Ukle G. Augusta Kerry, Martin; Sam Martin, McDowell; Travis Newman, Grethel; Ramona Ousley, Garrett; Willima Campbell, Banner; Raymond Lee Ward, East McDowell; Willard Moore, Drift; Malcolm Little, Price; Jerry Lee Patton, Hueysville; Dean Crisp, Martin; Richard Elliott, Hunter; Linda V. Chaffins, Garrett; Scott Meade, Ligon; Mavis Spriggs, Eastern; Joyce Weddington, Prestonsburg; Pep Prater, West Prestonsburg; Mabra Sturgill, Garrett; Estill Goble, Harold; Virgil Yates, Grethel; Donald Akers, Grethel; Rose Marie Allen, Martin; Kathryn Bentley, Wayland; Rose Collins, Prestonsburg; Jack D. Lawson, Drift; Oliver Tackett, Weeksbury; Frankie Conn, Allen.

Senate Bill 112, which seeks legislative approval of Gov. Wendell Ford's reorganization of state government, was given a favorable report by the Senate State Government Committee. Even though the reorganization plan has already been implemented, the law requires that the plan be approved by the General Assembly. More than 24 departments have been reorganized into eight distinct departments and program cabinets.



\$1.7 Million in New Budget For Thealka Rehab Center

Frankfort, Ky.—One of only eight in the United States, Eastern Kentucky Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Thelma, Johnson county, has been allocated \$1,734,600 of the Governor's proposed budget.

The Center, a part of the Kentucky Bureau of Rehabilitation Services in the Kentucky Department of Education, provides vocational instruction for handicapped individuals throughout the Commonwealth who are sixteen and older.

It is the only facility in Kentucky to unite vocational training with rehabilitation counseling, vocational evaluation, adjustment programs, academic instruction, driver education, physical and rehabilitative medical services, general and therapeutic recreation and religious services. Kentucky's Center is also the newest of the eight state-owned, state-operated facilities scattered throughout the United States.

"The Center combines under single management the broad range of services that are needed even by the severely disabled. By providing multiple services simultaneously it is hoped that the time and expense involved in each person's rehabilitation can be reduced measurably," according to Carroll Burchett, director of the Center.

The Center, which opened July 1, 1973, has an inpatient capacity of 180 dormitory-type beds and 28 medical unit beds for a total in house capacity of 208. Currently 121 students are enrolled in the Center.

The recommended budget provides for full continuation level services with the student load scheduled to reach capacity at the beginning of fiscal year 1975. When the full capacity is reached, the objective will be to rehabilitate 500 severely disabled students each year of the 1974-75 biennium.

Exchange Program Held 'Challenging'

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Six Alice Lloyd College students who spent last term studying at Oberlin College, in Oberlin, Ohio, near Cleveland, said they found the Oberlin experience challenging, but missed the friendliness of ALC.

"Students are proud of ALC and can identify with the college as being their school, whereas the students that go to Oberlin merely attend school there," commented Pat Robinson, a freshman from Martin county, after her return to Pippa Passes.

Four Oberlin students attended Alice Lloyd College on exchange and they, too, were impressed with the friendliness of ALC students and the openness and accessibility of the College's faculty and staff.

Both groups of students took classes which were not available at their own schools, which is one of the purposes of the College exchange program, according to Deano Johnson, assistant to the Dean of the College.

"The class I took at Oberlin was a challenge to me," said Myra Green, a sophomore from Hueysville. "While at Oberlin I gained an insight on the value of education," said Von Hill, a sophomore from Columbus, Ohio.

"The month at Oberlin was a month of learning, both academically and socially," said Miss Green.

Main purpose of the exchange program is to give students first hand knowledge of the academic and social life on other campuses, said Johnson.

Other ALC students participating in the January exchange were: Joey Elswick, a freshman from Wayland; Betty Edwards, freshman from Hazard, and Debbie Noplis, freshman from Lexington.

Between 20 and 40 ALC students participate in the exchange program each year. ALC pays all travel expenses. Tuition, room and board charges are the same as ALC's, and financial aid is continued at the exchange school as well. All course credit earned at the other college is transferred back to ALC.

Rehabilitation counselors who sponsor handicapped individuals in the Center are kept informed of their clients' progress. When a student completes a planned program, he is returned to his home community for further counseling and job placement.

Five students are now ready for placement according to Burchett. "We know we can train these people for jobs," Burchett says. He said that right now their job is selling the employers in the communities that the handicapped can handle the jobs they are trained to do.

Eleven Injured In Three Wrecks

Of the 11 persons injured as a result of three auto wrecks in this county within the week, seven were reported in serious condition.

Five of the 11 were injured, all seriously, in the collision of an auto driven by Mrs. Shelby Draughn, of Garrett and Rising Sun, Ind., Friday afternoon with another car occupied by four members of a Flemingsburg family on KY 80, near Hueysville.

State police said Mrs. Draughn's car crossed the centerline into the path of an auto driven by Mrs. Marcella Sparks. Mrs. Draughn, who is teaching at Rising Sun, Ind., was taken to Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin. Occupants of the other vehicle, Hobert, Marcella, Ben W. and Lloyd Sparks, were taken to the UK Medical Center, Lexington.

Three were injured, one seriously, Wednesday afternoon when the auto of Alvin Ray Porter, 23, of Lackey, collided with a diesel truck driven by Junior "Red" Martin, of Estill on a KY 80 curve, near Garrett. Porter was taken to a Lexington hospital, suffering from chest injuries, a broken leg and arm. Mr. Martin had a fractured vertebra and Mrs. Martin was slightly hurt, it was said. Mrs. Martin said the Porter car suddenly swerved into the path of the truck driven by her husband.

Bill Bailey, of the Mud Creek section, also is in a Lexington hospital, seriously injured after his car left the highway on Little Mud Creek at 1 a.m. Saturday and crashed into a tree. A. B. Hall and son, passengers in the car, were reported slightly hurt.

Workshop To Cover The Metric System

Prestonsburg Community College will present "The Metric System" in a workshop Saturday for the five-county area high school and elementary school teachers in the field of science and mathematics, auto mechanics, industrial personnel and land surveyors. The public is invited to attend.

The state Department of Education and Kentucky Educational Television will co-sponsor the workshop. Room 113 of the Pike Technology Building has been reserved for the meeting, and a telephone will be available for phoning in questions to the Central TV Office in Lexington where the program will originate.

The workshop will be held February 23 from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon. The schedule follows: 9:30-10 a.m.—registration: 10-11 a.m.—closed circuit program from Lexington; 11 a.m.-12 noon—group discussions led by Dr. Kenneth Blick and Dr. Charles Robertson, of the P.C.C. faculty. The workshop is designed to deal with the change from the familiar English system of measurements to the more universal metric system. Already the metric system is being used in the measuring of photographic film, medical prescriptions, swimming pools, data for scientists and astronauts and the Olympic games. More and more, the automotive industry is turning to the metric system.

There will be no admission fee.

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Suit for \$50,000 Damages Names Mining Company

Damages totalling \$50,000 are sought in a suit filed here last Wednesday by Landon Charles and his wife, Nellie Charles, against the Triple Elkhorn Mining Company.

In a second suit filed last week the Cleary Mining Company seeks to recover from Carol Lynn Stepp \$25,697 which, the company claims, was drawn from the company's account by the defendant through unauthorized signing of James Fraley's name on checks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles allege that during December, last year Harry Hale Ranier, president of Triple Elkhorn, sought their written permission for his firm to enter upon their land for mining operations. They refused, and in their suit say that the defendant moved equipment onto the land without their consent.

They claim damages from construction of a haul road and the moving of machinery across their land, and allege that dumping and pushing overburden from an adjacent tract onto their land has destroyed a stand of mature timber—all to their damage in the amount of \$25,000. An additional \$25,000 is asked as punitive damages.

Area Chamber Elects Frazier

The Prestonsburg Area Chamber of Commerce last week elected Ronald H. Frazier, Prestonsburg businessman, as its president, succeeding Robert V. May, Jr., whose term expired with the election of new officers.

The election was held during the regular Chamber meeting Feb. 11 at May Lodge. Other officers named:

Ted Nairn, vice-president; H. C. Francis, second vice-president; Mrs. Beverly Hackworth, secretary-treasurer.

Curtis Clark will continue to serve as executive director.

Progress of the National Guard armory was discussed, and a report was heard on latest developments in the Chamber's efforts to interest the Schlegel Manufacturing Co., Rochester, N. Y., to locate a plant in the now-vacant "KAI Building" at West Prestonsburg. Schlegel proposed to manufacture automotive trim at the location here and at one time had an option to lease, or perhaps purchase, the building from Irvin Industries, Shelbyville, Ky. is a strong competitor for the plant.

East Kentucky Counties' Needs Viewed by LRC

Eighteen counties in Eastern and South Central Kentucky have the highest incidence of poverty in the state, according to a new study conducted by the Legislative Research Commission for the General Assembly.

The report, released last Wednesday, states that these 18 counties have "40 per cent or more of the families with an income below the poverty level."

The counties are Monroe, Clinton, Wayne, McCreary, Knox, Clay, Leslie, Jackson, Owsley, Lee, Wolfe, Morgan, Elliott, Lawrence, Magoffin, Breathitt, Letcher and Martin.

And the report added:

"The counties of Pike, Floyd, Harlan and Bell, although small in population size compared to Jefferson and Fayette counties, had more than 3,000 families with incomes below the poverty level as did Jefferson and Fayette."

To help combat the poverty problem in Kentucky the report recommends that this session of the legislature fund at "100 per cent of need" the aid to families with dependent children program and extend it to cover unemployed fathers.

It also calls for the legislature to establish a statewide general assistance program to the jointly funded by the state and all Kentucky counties.

A number of Kentucky counties now have no general assistance programs.

According to the report, 1970 census figures show that 158,779 families in Kentucky had an annual income below the poverty level. Unrelated individuals with an annual income below the poverty level totaled 105,681.

White persons with an income below the poverty level totaled 629,301, while black persons numbered 88,000.

Summer Term Changes

Pikeville College will change its summer schedule according to John Waddell, academic dean at the school.

Waddell announced the college will have two intersessions lasting two weeks each and one eight week regular term. A student attending all three summer sessions may obtain an average of 15 college hours.

The May Intersession is scheduled for May 13 to May 24. The regular term will be held June 10 through August 2, and the final August Intersession will be held August 5 through August 16.

Registration for the three periods will be announced later by Dean Waddell.

All-Area Concert At Paintsville, Sunday

The second annual all-area concert of the Highlands Area Music Association whose membership is made up of music educators from Floyd, Magoffin, Lawrence, Martin and Johnson counties, will be presented at 3 p.m., Sunday afternoon, at the Paintsville High School gym.

Both classical and popular selections will be performed by the high school chorus members and junior and senior high school bands. Among the selections are "Bridge Over Troubled Water" and Handel's "Hallelujah Amen" by the chorus, and "El Condor Pasa" and "Two Corales" by the junior high band. The senior band will present "MacArthur Park" and "Valley of the Sun Overture."

Schools participating in the concert are Betsy Layne junior and senior high schools, Martin and Maytown Elementary schools, McDowell high, Prestonsburg high, Wheelwright high, W. D. Osborne elementary, Salyersville elementary, Johnson Central high school, Flat Gap, Oil Springs, Porter and W. R. Castle elementary schools, Paintsville junior and senior high, Louisa junior and senior high schools.

Directing the chorus will be Don L. Fernandez, music director of Johnson Central High School. The Junior High band will be under the direction of Ray Holley, representative of C. G. Conn Instrument Company who lives in Paintsville. The senior high band will be directed by Mike Manniemo, conductor and clinician of Cincinnati, O., who is a member of the Morehead Summer Band Camp faculty.

Tickets may be obtained at the door, and all money realized from admissions will go toward financing of future festivals.

In The Legislature

By CHARLES R. SIZEMORE

HB 125, a bill spelling out the rights and responsibilities of both landlords and tenants, was approved by the House Committee on Cities. Rep. Don Stephens cast the lone negative vote in the committee saying that the bill favored the tenant too much.

HB 335, which would give Kentucky residents enrollment priorities in state university graduate and professional schools, received an unfavorable report in the House Education Committee. The bill would require that Kentucky's state universities refuse enrollment of non-Kentucky students in their graduate and professional schools until all qualified Kentuckians desiring admission are enrolled.

The House Business Organizations and Professions Committee reported favorably on a bill that would require licensing of social workers in Kentucky. Before HB 372 was reported out of committee it was amended to exclude school counselors. If the bill becomes law, two levels of social work would be licensed by a seven-member board which would also prepare examinations. A "certified social worker" would have to have a master's or doctorate degree in social work from an institution approved by the board.

SB 23, a bill that would increase legislators' retirement pensions, was passed in the House. The bill received exactly the 51 votes required for passage, of any bill involving the appropriation of money.

HB 389, a bill to control the surface effects of underground coal mining, has received a favorable report from the House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources. The bill would require underground operators to post bonds that would be forfeited if they did not reclaim land damaged by mining activity.

SB 73, a bill requiring schools that have boys' basketball teams to give equal emphasis to girls' basketball teams, received a favorable report from the Senate Education Committee, but four other sports were added. Sen. Tom Ward, D-Versailles, praised the bill but said that it did not go far enough. He offered the amendment which added tennis, track, swimming and golf.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Pete Patton, would like to thank the many people who were so kind during the funeral services. We would especially like to thank Dr. Mary Hall and the nursing staff at the McDowell Hospital for the care and attention they gave him during his illness and stay in the hospital. Our gratitude also goes to the many friends of the Old Regular Baptist Church who shared our grief. We have special thanks to Elder Clifford Williams who organized the funeral services and comforted us with God's help. We appreciate so much the services by Preachers Herschell Huff, Banner Manns, Woody Pack, Homer Howell, Bert Hall, Mitchell Chaffins and all the others who participated. The Hall Brothers Funeral made our ordeal easier and we thank them for that. Our beloved father and grandfather would have wanted everyone to feel they were thanked and appreciated. We shall always feel the loss of Pete for he was a good and kind man.

THE FAMILY

The first state labor bureau was established in Massachusetts in 1868, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," published by the U. S. Department of Labor.

Times Want Ads Get Results!

Resource Group Proposes Steps To Stop Floods

Steps to prevent flooding were among the most numerous measures proposed by sponsors of the Big Sandy Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Project at a meeting of the project council last Thursday at Jenny Wiley State Park.

These measures, which include dams, dikes, ditches and levees, will be included in the project plan. Sponsors from each of the counties in the project area, which include Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike, submitted several flood prevention measures.

Proposals for solid waste disposal were submitted by sponsors in each county. Stabilization of eroding, silt producing land, stabilizing road banks and land drainage, water-based recreation and fish and wildlife facilities were other structural measures proposed. Associated or related work such as an in-depth forest inventory, growing and establishing markets for fruits and vegetables, establishing nature laboratories and others concerned with the total environment, was also proposed.

Council Chairman, Ollie J. Arnett, of Salyersville, expressed his appreciation to all who have worked hard to identify and propose the measures. "When we accomplish all these things this is going to be a better, cleaner, prettier and safer place to live in," he said.

The project plan is now in the first draft stage. It is expected that it will be completed, printed and approved for operations by the middle of August. At this time actual surveys, construction plans, cost estimates, contracts, etc. can begin to take place. The planning process will have taken about a year and a half for completion. This time was necessary in order to do the needed resource investigations and to involve the many who have helped put it together.

The RC&D job is by no means done. The project plan is purely and simply a "blue print" for planning a continuing task, planning for the conservation and development of natural resources for the people now and in the future.

4-H Members Receive Awards

Ninety-seven Floyd county 4-H club members received special recognition recently for outstanding work in 4-H projects and activities during 1973.

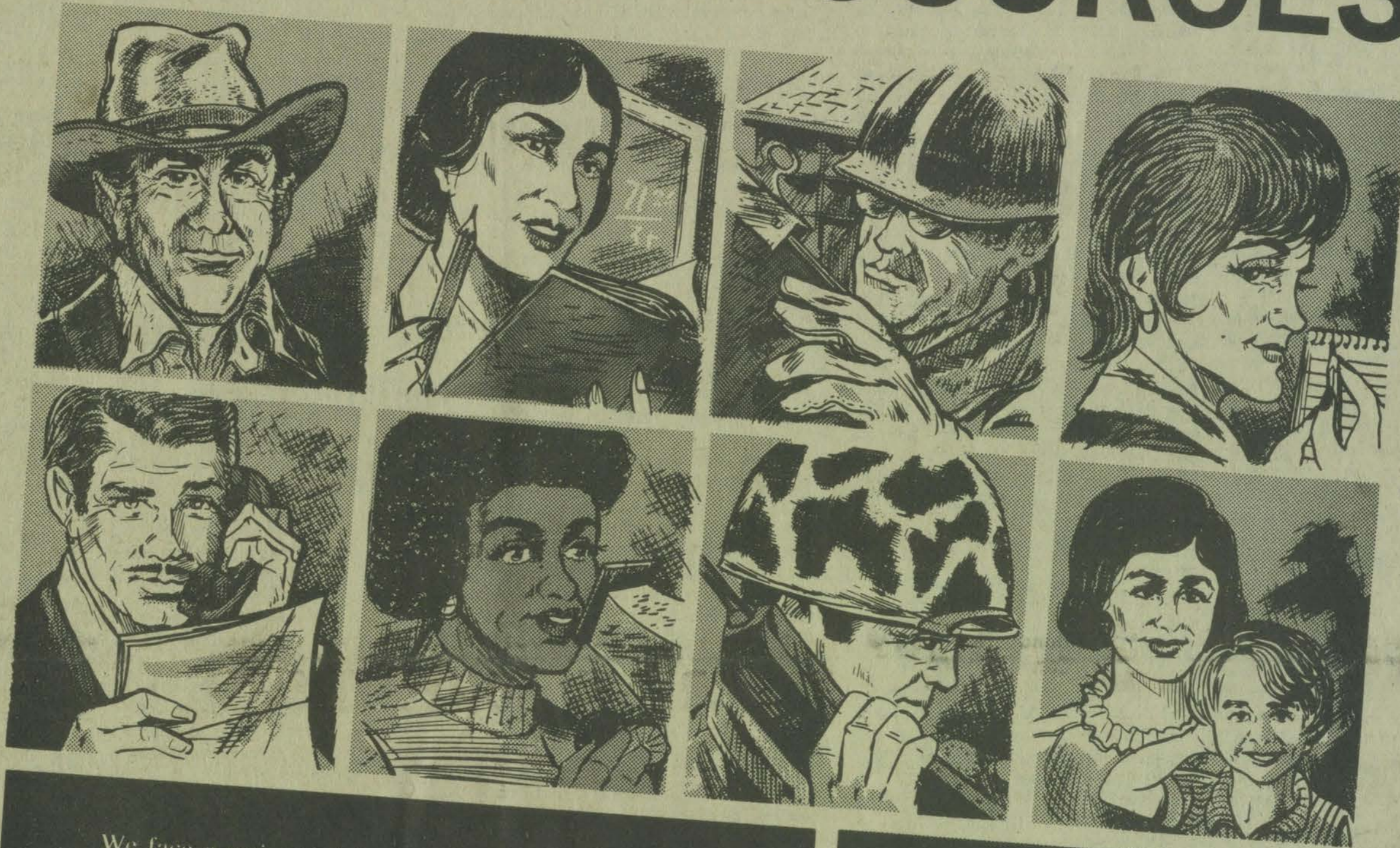
These award winners included:
BEEF - Dalton Howard, Ronnie Lawson, Chris Lawson;
ACHIEVEMENT - Debbie Reffett, Jeannie Auxier, Steve Rice, Ann Flanery, Dale Newman;
AGRICULTURE - Derek Hicks, Lance Blackburn, Jeff Martin, Randy Kidd;
BICYCLE - Gregory Kidd; **BREAD** - Debora Patton, Buelah Patton, Sandy Cole, Dinah Layne, Kathy Conley, Debbie Reffett, Connie Gray;
CLOTHING - Ann Flanery, Judy Stewart, Teresa Huff, Debbie Reffett, Stacy Conn, Paula Layne, Clisandra Ratliff; **FIELD CROPS** - Jerry Hamilton, Herman Morris, Steve Green, Jeff Martin, Leslie Auxier, Dwayne Moore, Lance Blackburn, Melvin May;
CONSERVATION - Lance Blackburn, Jeff Spears, John Flanery, Ann Flanery, Kevin Adkins; **HOME ECONOMICS** - Lara Hopkins; **DAIRY FOODS** - Gia Hall; **ELECTRIC** - Jim Clark, Kendall Cecil, Kathy Hamilton, Peggy Tackett, Ruth Epling, Eddie Adkins, Stanley Hays; **ENTOMOLOGY** - Jeff Spears, Randy Kidd, Leslie Auxier, John Flanery, Elisha Branham; **FOODS** - Jayne Pitts, Buelah Patton, Gia Hall, Jeannie Auxier; **FOOD PRESERVATION** - Dani Smith; **HEALTH** - Leslie Auxier, Dale Conn, Jackie Hall, Teresa Huff, Donna Layne, Jerri Trimble, Yvette Martin; **HOME IMPROVEMENT** - Brenda Allen, Judy Stewart, Lara Hopkins, Beverly May; **HOME MANAGEMENT** - Jackie Hall, Buelah Patton, Judy Stewart, Anita Auxier; **SMALL ENGINES** - Johnny O'Brian; **PHOTOGRAPHY** - Steve Fife, Roy Kazee, Kathy Collins, Pauletta Smith; **POULTRY** - Carl Steele, Lance Blackburn, Leslie Auxier, Eddie Fraley; **SPEECH** - Chris Conn, Anita Auxier, Yvette Martin, Teddy Meadows; **SAFETY** - Teresa Huff, Chris Conn, Jimmy Compton, Greg Hall; **SWINE** - Dalton Howard; **ANIMAL SCIENE** - Tony Ratliff, Dale Conn, Sherri Allen; **HORSE** - Vicki Blackburn; **LEADERSHIP** - Dalton Howard; **LAWN IMPROVEMENT** - Melvin May; **STRAWBERRY** - Vicki Blackburn; **GARDEN** - Randy Martin.

Future Farmer Observe National FFA Week

The Prestonsburg Chapter of FFA along with similar chapters across the nation is celebrating National FFA Week, February 16-23. Members of the Prestonsburg chapter will celebrate the week with newspaper articles, radio programs, bill board posters and a dress-up day.

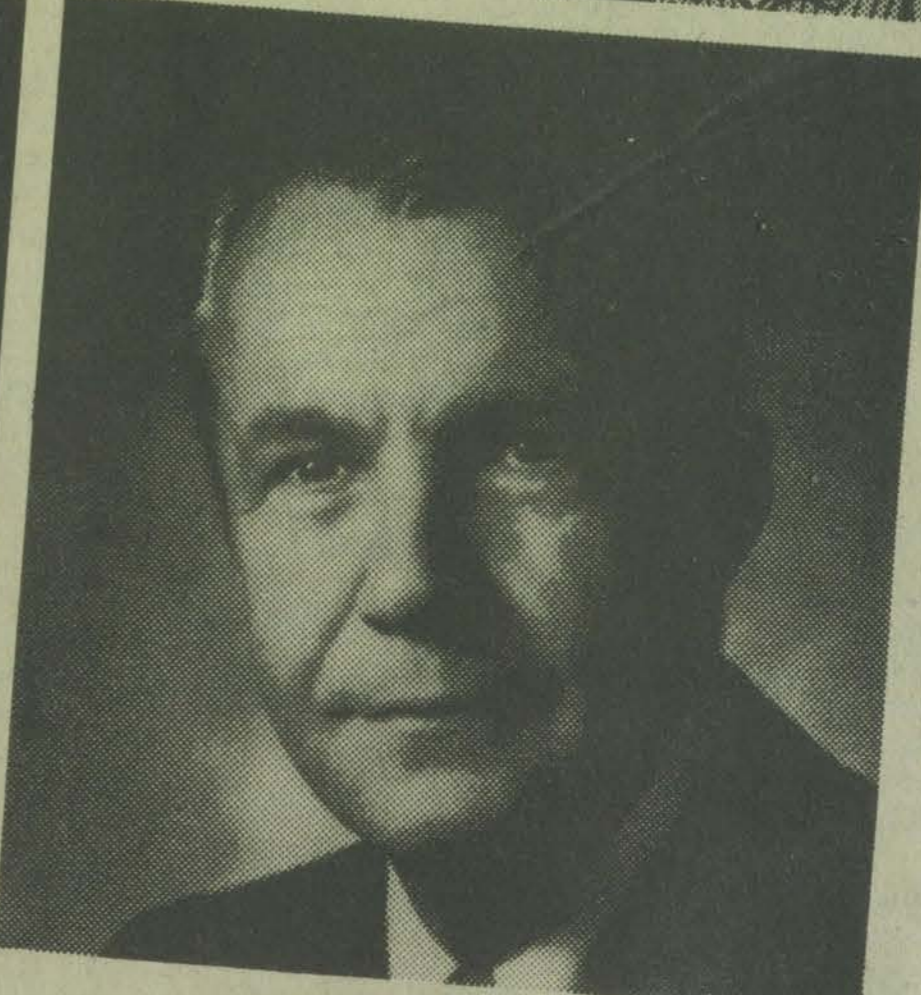
Officers of the chapter include John Ferguson, president; Mike Goble, vice-president; Delmer Bentley, secretary; Rodney Holbrook, treasurer; Jerry Fannin, reporter; Bobby Rowe, sentinel.

WE'RE COMMITTED TO CONSERVE OUR ENERGY RESOURCES



We face a serious crisis! Hardships for Kentuckians and people all over the nation can be expected because there simply isn't enough energy to meet demands. Six percent of the world's population uses 35 percent of the world's energy — and that's right here in the United States. Personal comforts, previously taken for granted, will be altered. In other words, we will definitely be forced to make changes in our living styles. Kentuckians, like other Americans, already are beginning to adapt, and this spirit of cooperation will go far in meeting the challenge. We've met many challenges throughout the period of our state's history, and this is one more we can meet and conquer. Conservation is a major commitment in state government. Let's see this attitude spread throughout our great Commonwealth!

Burdell S. Lane
GOVERNOR



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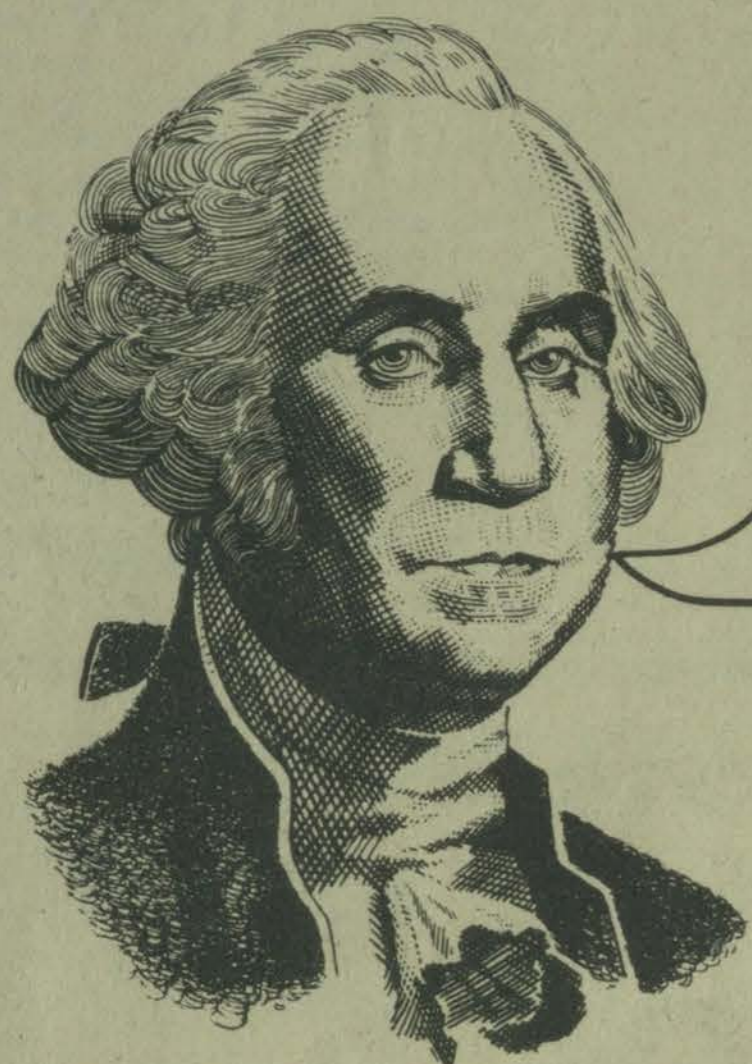
- IN THE HOME:**
- Make energy conservation a family affair. Get everyone conservation conscious . . . and remind one another.
 - We have become spoiled: in hot weather we cool our homes too much, when it's cold outside we overheat them. This winter, turn the thermostat down to 68° or less, and when the family goes to bed at night turn it down even more.
 - Use electric appliances sensibly. Wait until you have a full load before starting the dishwasher or washing machine. When lights aren't being used, or the television isn't being watched, turn them off.
 - Prevent heat loss by sealing cracks and openings around doors and windows.

- ON THE ROAD:**
- If you have unused or seldom-used rooms, close them off. It won't take long to heat them up if they are needed.
 - Don't drive at all if you don't have to. Get into the habit of walking on short trips (it'll do you good, too).
 - Form car pools — not only to and from work, but for the weekly shopping trips, to the beauty parlor, taking the youngsters to their activities.
 - When you drive, stay under the 50-mile-an-hour speed limit . . . avoid jack-rabbit starts . . . keep your engine tuned to get maximum performance.

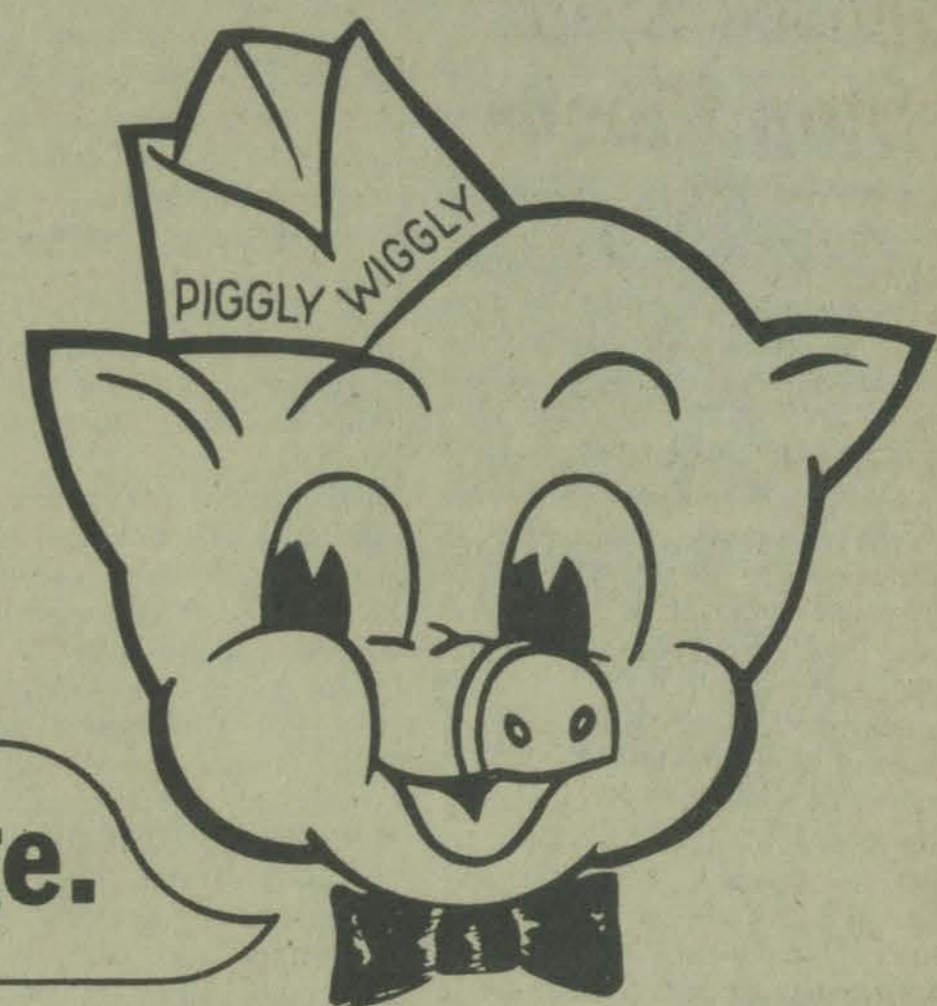
- AT WORK:**
- Encourage your employer to conserve power, and cooperate with him in his efforts.
 - Watch for possible power losses (such as leaking steam pipes) and report them.
 - Turn off equipment when you're not using it.
 - Make sure areas not being used are secured, with all unnecessary lights and equipment turned off.
 - If you're the boss, don't overlight . . . use just the wattage necessary, and eliminate advertising signs that use a lot of power.
- When each of us is doing these things, we'll be setting an example for our fellow workers and the rest of the nation to follow.

Join us and set the pace.

(The owner of this newspaper is showing his commitment to our goal by carrying this message to you as a public service.)



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PLANTER'S **PEANUT BUTTER** 18-Oz. Jar **69¢**

FOLGER'S **COFFEE** 3 Pound Can **\$2.89**

PET **COFFEE CREAMER** 16-Oz. Jar **69¢**

MARTHA WHITE **SPUD FLAKES** 3 6 1/2-Oz. Boxes **89¢**

CHUCK WAGON CHICKEN **DOG CHOW** 25 lb. Bag **\$4.49**

Center Cut **PORK CHOPS** lb. **\$1.27**

Breakfast (THIN SLICED) **PORK CHOPS** lb. **\$1.39**

Hormel's **LITTLE SIZZLERS** 12-Oz. Pack **69¢**

FARMBEST **ICE CREAM NOVELITIES**

Box of 6 HEATH BARS ALMOND JOYS CREAM SICLES
Box of 6 ICE CREAM SANDWICHES DRUM STICKS
Box of 12 FUDGE SICLES POPSCICLES DOODLES

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KARO **WAFFLE SYRUP** 16-Oz. Bottle **38¢**

MARTHA WHITE **PANCAKE MIX** 2 Pound Package **48¢**

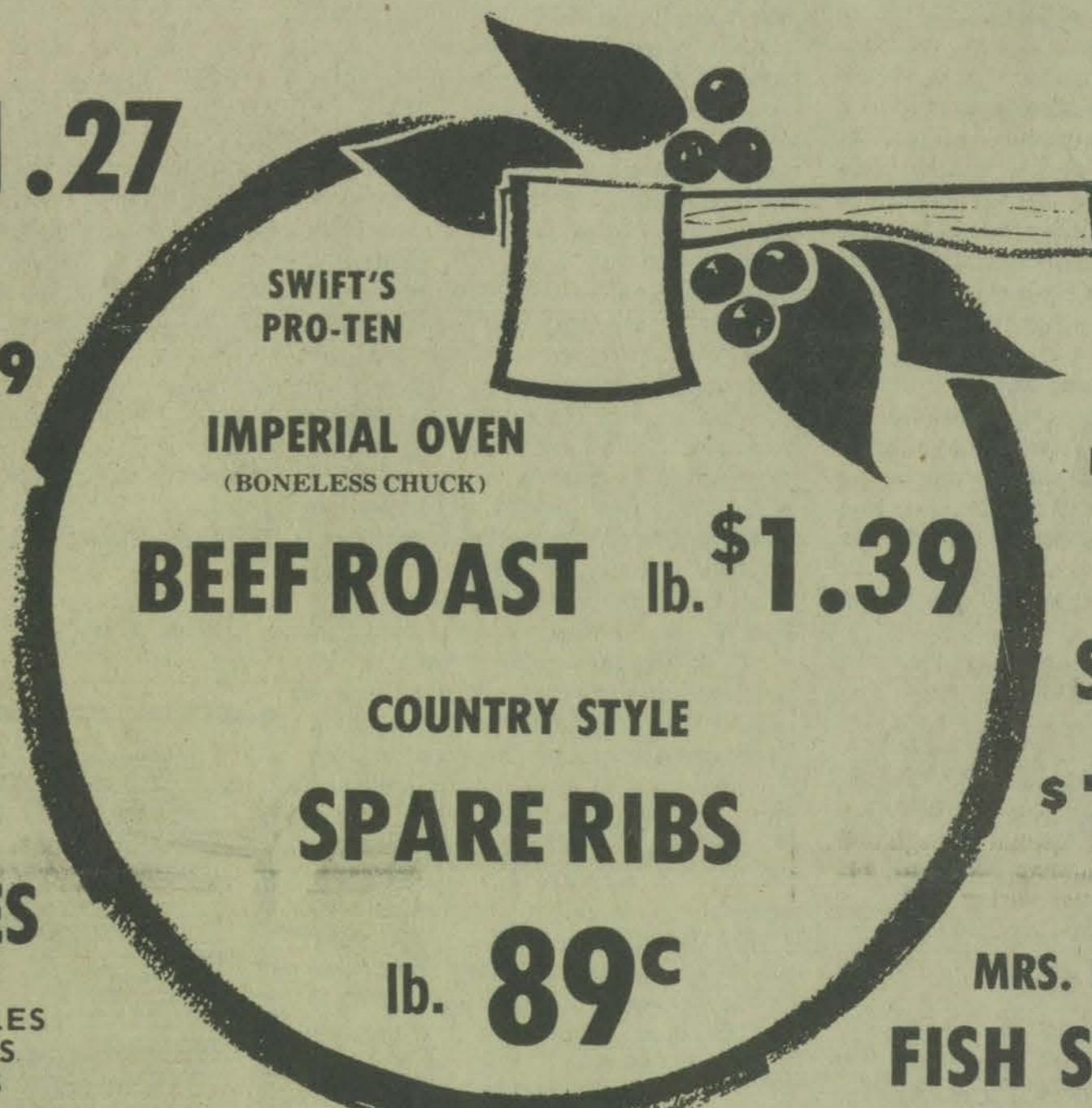
JIF-FOAM **OVEN CLEANER** 8-Oz. Container **69¢**

PINE-SOL **LIQUID CLEANER** 28-Oz. Container **89¢**

BRECK **HAIR SPRAY** 13-Oz. Can A \$1.09 Value **59¢**

Maxwell House **INSTANT COFFEE** 14-Oz. Jar **\$2.69**

Diamond **ALUMINUM FOIL** Roll **49¢**



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SPARE RIBS lb. **89¢**

Bunker Hill **BEEF** And **STOCK** 15-Oz. Can **\$1.19**

MRS. PAUL'S **FISH STICKS** 14-Oz. Package **93¢**

GARDEN FRESH PRODUCE

Texas **Cabbage** lb. **10¢**

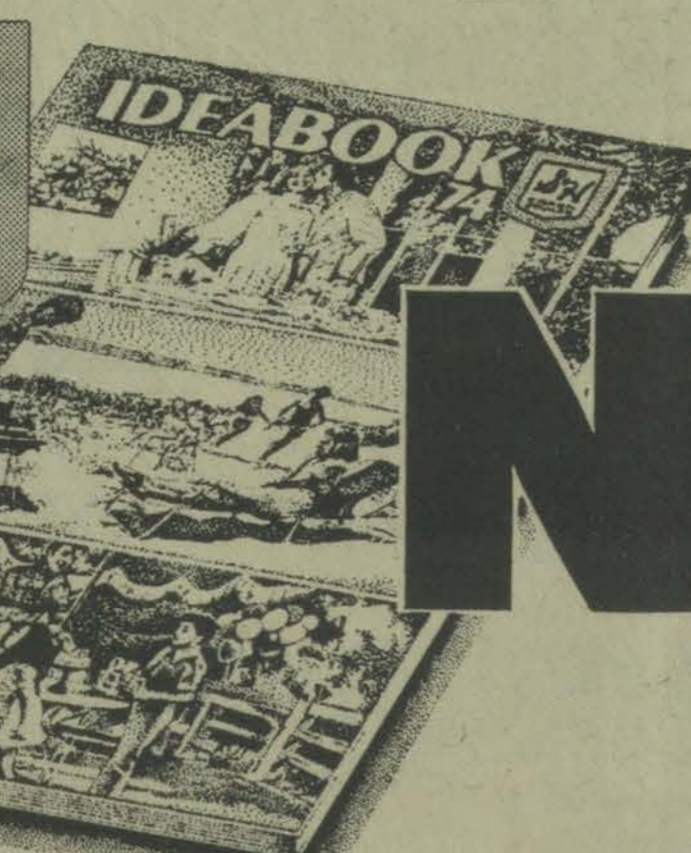
Carrots 2 1-Lb. Packs **29¢**

Pink **Grapefruit** 5 Lb. Bag **69¢**

Yellow **Onions** 3 Lb. Bag **49¢**

LUCKY LEAF **CHERRY PIE FILLING** 22-Oz. Can **48¢**

JOHNSON'S GRAHAM CRACKER **PIE CRUST** 9-Inch Size 6-Oz. **38¢**



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broken. No charge was made against Tackett, however.

Commonwealth's Attorney Harold J. Stumbo is awaiting a report on the autopsy performed in Lexington following the death of Hamilton.

The 250-pound Tackett told officers he did not fight with Hamilton.

The victim was a native of McDowell county, W. Va., the son of Floyd and Opal Sizemore Hamilton. Besides his parents, he is survived by a brother, James Hamilton, New London, O., and two sisters, Mrs. Virginia Farnsworth, New London, O., and Mrs. Peggy Keathley, Clyde, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday from the Missionary Baptist Church at Harold, the Revs. Wallace Chewning and Robert Mayton officiating. Burial in the Martin cemetery at Harold was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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the grandchildren to chew up and use in their homemade alder popguns. So he has settled on this thrilling statement:

"I am determined that there will be no rationing of poke this spring, even if we have to throw in a few sprigs of Mouse's Ear."

ADVICE FROM THE TAXPAYER

These days, when income taxes do nothing whatsoever to brighten the way for most of us, I am reminded of the setto a friend of mine had with the IRS, some years back. He had reported his income correctly, he simply hadn't paid his taxes.

The matter dragged on for months. IRS seems to have delegated one man to handle the case. He would call the harried taxpayer and demand payment. In vain. Finally, he telephoned to inform the taxpayer that this was it, that it was pay up or have his property sold.

Unshaken, the doughty citizen told him to sell.

"But we don't want to," the collector protested. "You see, this would be embarrassing to you. We would have to post a notice of the sale at the courthouse, one on your door and publish a notice in your local newspaper. It would be very embarrassing, and we don't want to do it."

Then the taxpayer gave the reply that ended the conversation. Said he:

"Well, if that's the way you feel about it, don't believe I'd do it."

PRESCRIPTION

Ran across Frank Stewart in a grocery store, the other day, and he was visibly shaken. Said he:

"There ought to be a law. These stores ought to have to post a clerk outside the door there and hand every customer a tranquilizer before he comes in and sees these prices."

The Lexington Herald recounted the one having to do with the housewife's call to the neighborhood grocery to send her over a dollar's worth of steak. "And," she added, "if I'm not at home, tell the delivery boy not to worry. Tell him just to stick it through the keyhole."

Central Band Boosters Seek Contributions

The Allen Central Rebel Band Boosters club whose goal is to make possible the purchase of one hundred uniforms for the school band, has raised, during the first year of the club's existence, \$8,000 of the total \$13,500 needed to attain this goal. The club must yet raise \$5,000 by May 1974 and the support of all interested Floyd countians is requested. Anyone wishing to contribute to this worthy cause may send their tax deductible donations to Mark Rice, Allen Central High School, Eastern, Kentucky.

Subscribers, watch date opposite your name on your paper. It shows when subscription will expire.

Teacher's Death Learned Monday

Cause of the death at Sidney, O. Monday of Miss Linda Sue Hale, 27, daughter of Jailer and Mrs. Lawrence Hale, had not been determined Tuesday morning, Sidney police told The Times. An autopsy was scheduled for later in the day.

A Sidney police department spokesman said a call from a woman neighbor of Miss Hale informed police that "something appeared to be wrong." A policeman found her lying on a bed, clothed in sleeping apparel. There was no indication of foul play.

Miss Hale was a teacher in the Platteville Elementary School, near Sidney. She was a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and Morehead State University, and was a member of the Fall Gospel Community Church at Sidney.

Surviving, besides the parents, are one brother, Ward Beecher Hale, of Lexington, and one sister, Mrs. Deobrah Martin, of Morehead.

The body was transferred from the Cromes Funeral Home at Sidney to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home, Martin, where friends may call today (Wednesday) and tomorrow. Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Friday from the Wilson Creek Regular Baptist Church at Langley, and burial will be made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

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where the fuel situation became critical.

Many station operators are giving priority to regular customers while limiting sales to occasional buyers. As one station manager explained, "Our regular customers are the ones who will be buying next year, and we have to distinguish between them and the passers-through who we'll probably never see again." Another operator said, "I try to tell my regular customers when they can get gas, but we sell as customers show up."

Local stations report that gas prices have risen in the past three weeks between 5 and 6 cents, but operators were quick to stress that they have not benefitted at all from these increases. "The oil companies are the ones that seem to be making the big money," one operator commented. He explained that while the companies have been raised between 12 and 15 cents per gallon since September, gas stations are making about one cent more than before. Stations in some states such as Oregon and California shut down Monday in protest to this situation and literature received locally by operators discusses the possibility of a nationwide shut down.

One station manager said, "We don't want to see gas prices go any higher—we just want enough of what is now going to the big oil companies to make it possible to stay in business."

3 From Area Pass CPA Examination

Joseph P. Jones, Jr., president of the State Board of Accountancy, last week announced the candidates in the November, 1973 Certified Public Accountant examination who were successful in passing the examination.

Those having completed the experience requirements will receive certificates at the March 22 dinner meeting of the Kentucky Society of CPA's at The Galt House in Louisville.

All the successful candidates and their wives will be recognized at this meeting at which the State Board of Accountancy will present certificates to those eligible.

Those completing the examination from this area are:

Arlin Franklin, Jr., of Prestonsburg, David E. Collins, of Pikeville, and Ronald W. Johnson, of Paintsville.

When requesting a change of address, be sure to state your old address.

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A Martin county spokesman pointed to the fact that the county seat, Inez, still has no sewerage system and that the towns of Warfield and Lovely are in the same situation. The additional problems of solid waste disposal and poor secondary roads were called to the attention of the council for consideration.

The study and possible development of a system of "consumer transportation" in the five-county area was suggested by Paintsville Mayor John Chandler after he spoke of the extreme difficulty which faces a great number of Johnson countians in travelling to and from the county seat and to other areas of the county. He pointed out that not only residents of rural and isolated areas would benefit, but that the elderly and handicapped would find it possible to commute, for instance, between Paintsville and other parts of the county. The council approved the motion to authorize such a transportation study in the area, with the pilot program to begin in Johnson county.

Matters discussed at Monday's meeting will be considered for formal proposals at the council's next meeting in March.

Maytown Boy Scout Reports for Council To Governor Ford

To Kent Flanery, 17-year-old Allen Central High School senior, went the honor this year of presenting to Governor Ford the annual report of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America.

The Langley Scout reported to the governor that during 1973 the Council exceeded its goal for the year with 2,856 boys involved in Scouting. Yet, he said, that number is only a fraction of the 31,000 boys in the area between the ages of 8 and 16. He also reported that last year the first efforts were made to serve handicapped Boy Scouts, and that 1,600 Scouts participated in cleanup and conservation campaigns within the county.

Young Flanery, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flanery, of Langley, is the only Boy Scout in Lonesome Pine Council to hold both the Vigil Honor of the Order of the Arrow and the Eagle Scout awards.

Times Want Ads Get Results!

KING-HALL



Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Kathy Marlene King, daughter of Mrs. Frank King, 2125 Phelps St., Ashland, Ky., and the late Mr. King to Gregory Allan Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Hall, 611 Belfont-Flatwoods Road, Flatwoods, Ky.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Paul G. Blazer High School and is currently a senior at Morehead State University, majoring in music education and will graduate in May. Miss King is a member of Chi Omega Sorority and Sigma Alpha Iota, professional music fraternity. She was elected to Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges for 1973-'74; was elected to CWENS, an honorary association for outstanding university sophomore women, and is participating in the M.S.U. Honors Program.

Mr. Hall is a graduate of Betsy Layne High School and attended Prestonsburg Community College one year. In 1971 he received his bachelor's degree in business administration, specializing in marketing, from Morehead State University, where he was a member of Sigma Pi fraternity. Mr. Hall is employed as a claims representative with the Social Security Administration in Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

A May wedding is planned.

The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 was passed by Congress "to assure so far as possible every working man and woman in the nation safe and healthful working conditions," according to the U. S. Department of Labor, which promulgates and enforces job safety and health standards.

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Hall, both of Mud Creek; Robert Harris and John T. Miller, Wheelwright; Jim Lafferty and Mrs. Mary Spradlin, both of Prestonsburg-Middle Creek; Dr. Mary Hall, Frank Daniels and John Williams, all of McDowell; Marvin Rice, West Prestonsburg; Dr. Garland Godsey, Eric Herrin, Jane Wallace, County Judge Henry Stumbo, Barkley Sturgill and the Rev. William Thomas, all of Prestonsburg.

Final drafting of the operational plan will be completed and submitted by April 1.

Reed, Stumbo Named Co-Chairmen, Fund Drive

B. F. Reed, of Drift, and County Judge Henry Stumbo, of Prestonsburg, are co-chairmen of the annual major finance effort of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, in Floyd county. The drive will be conducted simultaneously in the 13 counties comprising the Council with Floyd county's goal set at \$16,000.

A kick-off dinner was held at the Jenkins Elkhorn Country Club this week. Division Superintendent of Beth-Elkhorn Coal Corporation, D. A. Zageer, is general chairman of the Council.

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PRESTONSBURG

Former McDowell High Athlete Key to College Team's Success

Four years ago, a skinny kid came out of the hills of Eastern Kentucky with promise to be the cornerstone of a rejuvenated basketball program at the College of Charleston (South Carolina). Sam Meade has done just that.

The 6-4, 200-pound senior captain from Stearns, Ky. became the leading scorer in College of Charleston history on January 16 against Presbyterian College in Clinton, S.C. With just four seconds elapsed in the contest, Meade scored the 1500th and 1501st points of his career in a Cougar uniform.

(Young Meade is a son of Rex Meade, of East McDowell, and Florida Frasure Meade, of Lexington, and is a grandson of Sam T. Meade and James Frasure, of East McDowell. He played grade school and freshman high school baseball and basketball under Coach Pete Grigsby, Jr. at McDowell.)

Head Coach Alan LeForce, a Williamsburg, Ky. native, recruited Meade as a senior at McCreary County High School for Furman University. In March, 1970, LeForce accepted the head basketball coach position at the College of Charleston and brought Meade with him. "When I first came to the college, the first person I wanted to have on the team was Sam Meade. He is simply a natural winner."

"I had already signed a letter of intent to Eastern Kentucky," Meade recalls, "But I really wanted to go where ever Coach LeForce went." His decision to come to Charleston was the beginning of a scholarship basketball program for the college, whose basketball team dates back to 1933.

Meade, a political science major, has maintained an overall B average academically while being named to the first team All-District 6 and Honorable Mention NAIA All-America as a sophomore. He was named to the All-Tournament teams for the 1971 Gleehee Classic (where he was also named the Most Valuable Player) and to the 1971 Buccaneer Classic.

"In my first year at the college," Meade recalls, "my job was to put points on the board and I did. I would shoot the ball often, but not 'gun-it.' But now, I would rather fake the shot and pass it off and collect the assist."

Meade presently leads the team in assists while coming in second in scoring and in rebounding.

"Sam is one of the most intelligent players I have ever coached," says LeForce. "Of course, Sam is an excellent outside shooter, but his leadership on the court is one of his best assets. But his poise, toughness and overall court savvy are his assets to the team. He reads defenses exceptionally well, too."

Concerning the future, Meade has said he is interested in coaching under LeForce at the College of Charleston.

Pete Says 'Hurry Home!'



Former Floyd countian, Donnie Martin, was one of three Sesser Red Devils picked as all-star in the recent Southern Illinois Coal Bitt Conference basketball tournament. The team's rating was 24-3.

The 6-1 Martin is fourteen years old, and for the season had 382 points. He now attends Sesser Junior High. He is a former student at McDowell and was coached then by Pete Grigsby, Jr.

ALLEN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Adkins announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She has been named Amy Lynn.

Mrs. Audrey Belcher, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collins and their family in Louisville for the past few weeks has returned to her home. Her sister, Mrs. Margie Rice, of Gallipolis, Ohio, is here visiting Mrs. Belcher this week.

Mrs. J. Frank Preston and Mrs. Ray Brackett attended the John Graham Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, meeting Tuesday evening at the Floyd County Library.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe David Martin, of Lexington, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Martin.

Mrs. Maxie Hale has entered Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin, where she is scheduled to undergo surgery.

Mrs. Eula Spurlock and grandson, Michael Parr, of Springfield, Ohio, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp have been confined to their home for the past several weeks, ill with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Setser were shopping Tuesday in Paintsville.

Mrs. Sadie Hayes is a patient at Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin.

Mrs. Donald Willis was in Lexington Sunday to visit Miss Priscilla Goble, who is a patient at U.K. Medical Center.

Attending the Jenny Wiley IRA meeting at McDowell Tuesday evening were Mrs. Sarah Laven, Mrs. William Amburgey, Ray Brackett and Edgar Bingham, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen were at Lackey for medical consultation last Wednesday.

Ray Brackett is a patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Mrs. Pauline Burchett underwent surgery at Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin last Wednesday. She is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Crisp, of Prestonsburg, visited Mrs. Maude McGuire and Mrs. Sarah Robinson last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes and daughter, Regina, spent Monday in Lexington, where Regina was treated at the U.K. Medical Center.

Mrs. Lizzie Hall, of Banner, is quite ill at a hospital in Lexington. She is a sister of Mrs. Bennie Lafferty.

J. Frank Preston and grandson, Stephen R. Brackett, were business visitors in Lawrence county, Tuesday of last week.

Allen United Methodist Women met Tuesday evening at the church with the president, Mrs. Tincy Crisp, presiding. Reports were given and business was discussed in order. The program, "The Inspired Church," was given by various members. Hostesses, Mrs. Edna Mae Callison and Mrs. Jewel Allen, served refreshments to Mrs. Elizabeth Bailey, Mrs. Jerry Martin, Mrs. Tincy Crisp, and the Rev. Frank Spillman.

Dr. Melvin Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart, who recently underwent bone surgery, was able to return to his practice Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart visited James W. Salisbury in Mt. Sterling last week. Mr. Salisbury was transferred Friday to a hospital in Louisville, where he will undergo tests.

An executive order issued by President Martin Van Buren March 31, 1840, established a 10-hour day for federal employees on public works without reduction in pay, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," published by the U. S. Department of Labor.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 1974-001 Series of 1974

FIXING OF TAX RATES FOR THE YEAR OF 1974

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT, KENTUCKY:

That there is hereby laid and levied for the taxable year of 1974 an ad valorem tax of SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS (\$0.75) upon each \$100.00 worth of taxable property (property as used in revenue statute means everything of value that a person owns that is or may be the subject of sale or exchange or that when offered for sale will bring some price. And, so, any existing, enforceable, collectable demand upon which it is a lien, or out of which it can be collected, it property.) real, tangible and intangible, within the corporate limits of the Town of Wheelwright, Kentucky said levy is laid as upon the valuation of said property as of January 1, 1974, the taxes to be collected thereon to be used for the purpose of paying police officer salaries, debts incurred and to be incurred for the operation of the fire department, the cleaning of streets, and for current and general expenses.

That this ordinance will take effect and be in force from and after its posting in the time and manner as required by law. All delinquent tax will be penalized 6 percent after March 1, 1974 and 6 percent each additional month thereafter until said taxes are paid.

DONALD R. DANIELS
Clerk, City of Wheelwright
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2-20-31.

Basketball Roundup

Basketball for the regular season will come to a close this Saturday night with only four games scheduled. To some it has been a season of "agony and defeat;" for others, it has been, as expected. Some players have had their ups and downs, some coaches have had their nights of frustration and anxiety; and, not forgetting the officials, they, too, have had their nights of anxiety. This season, they have had it rather rough.

All in all, it has been a typical basketball season here in the 58th district. Any team could win the 15th regional tournament. The district has dominated the regional tournament for the past 14 years during which teams from this district have won the regional crown 12 times.

The past week of play found the team from the district losers in most of their encounters. The Prestonsburg Blackcats suffered two losses, but both games could have gone either way. Tuesday night, the Blackcats lost to the Ashland Tomcats in a hard-fought defensive battle for both clubs. The Blackcats lost the game, 46 to 41, and lost the services of Jim Blackburn early in the third quarter. Also out for most of the last half was Steve Crabtree.

Prestonsburg traveled to Paintsville Friday night and suffered their second setback in a game that had several controversial calls. In fact, Coach Setser pointed out that one field goal by Prestonsburg was allowed and play had resumed at the free throw line when the officials disallowed the goal. The shot that broke the Cats' back was in the closing seconds a goal that was allowed to Paintsville that gave them the win by a score of 56 to 54.

The Allen Central Rebels picked up their 20th win Wednesday night, defeating Paintsville, 80 to 61, and then went into a tailspin and lost two straight games to the Virgie Eagles at Virgie by 81 to 68, and on Saturday night to Russell by a score of 73 to 66.

The McDowell Daredevils picked up two wins while losing one game. The Daredevils lost to Wheelwright Tuesday night, 71 to 69. Friday night, McDowell won over Johns Creek, 77 to 66, and on Saturday night hit the 100 mark by winning over Millard, 100 to 70.

The Betsy Layne Bobcats lost two games on the road—to Pikeville by a score of 81 to 61 on Friday night and to Mt. Sterling in a squeaker, 62 to 60. Coach Frankie Francis and the Wheelwright Trojans won one and lost two, losing to Johnson Central Friday night, of 98 to 78, and to Johns Creek, 85 to 61.

OTHER REGIONAL SCORES
Tuesday night—Sheldon Clark 91, Wolfe Co. 92; Johnson Central 68, Elkhorn City 54; Pikeville 82, Feds Creek 43; Mullins 80, Dorton 69; Belfry 66, Matewan, W. Va. 57.

Friday night—Jenkins 89, Millard 83; Belfry 81, Morgan county 66; Elkhorn City 59, Mullins 55; Louisa 91, Raceland, 65; Powell county 77, Salyersville 57.

Saturday night—Pikeville 56, Mullins 53; Belfry 85, Virgie 67; Feds Creek 74, Phelps 67; Louisa 94, Ezel 79; Matewan, W. Va. 71, Sheldon Clark 70, (two over-times).

58th DISTRICT STANDINGS

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Allen Central	20	9
Betsy Layne	16	12
Prestonsburg	13	11
McDowell	13	16
Wheelwright	9	14

BOX SCORES
Tuesday Night
WHEELWRIGHT (71)—Isaacs, 19; Hall, 22; Anderson, 7; Jamerson, 5; Riley, 18.

McDOWELL (69)—Heinisch, 16; Tackett, 18; Roberts, 25; Pack, 7; Henson, 2; Daugherty, 1.
McDowell... 15 31 51 69
Wheelwright... 18 41 57 71

ASHLAND (46)—Smith, 17; Mann, 8; Fasson, 6; Kavach, 6; Collins, 5; Salyer, 2; Kimball, 1; Small, 1.
PRESTONSBURG (41)—McNally, 16; Blackburn, 10; Harrington, 10; Crabtree, 6; Herrick, 5; Collins, 3; Harrington, 1; Layne, 0; Jagers, 0.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE
Wednesday Night—Wheelwright at Millard.

Friday Night—Russell at Prestonsburg, Allen Central at Wheelwright, Mullins at Betsy Layne, Letcher Co. at McDowell, Johnson Central at Ashland, Louisa at Fairview, Paintsville at Hazard, Phelps at Dorton, Millard at Elkhorn City, Pikeville at Sheldon Clark, Belfry at Whitesburg.

Saturday Night—Prestonsburg at Pikeville, Johns Creek vs. Allen Central at Prestonsburg Fieldhouse, Robertson County at Salyersville, Virgie at Elkhorn City.

Cooking a la Russe, Weaving Offered at PCC

Residents of Eastern Kentucky will have the opportunity of participating in a class on Russian Gourmet Cooking. The class will meet beginning Wednesday, February 20, for three successive Wednesday evenings, 7-9 p.m. in room 216 of the Pike Technology building. Teacher for the class is Cathy Sawchak, formerly of New Jersey who now lives in David. The class will consist of a series of demonstrations on how to prepare dishes of Russian origin.

Simple handloom methods, a basic weaving class taught by Sister Mary Pineau, begins Wednesday night also. The class will meet 7-9 p.m., February 20 through March 13. This course covers the mechanics of simple types of hand-weaving on the inkle loom, the frame loom, and the needle or stick loom for the making of belts, purses, pillow tops, wall hangings and bookmarks. The class will meet in room 103 of the Martin Student Center.

Other classes beginning soon include speed reading, residential house wiring, basic cooking, floral arranging, lessons in pre-natal exercises, ceramics and large loom weaving. For further information on these and other community service classes, contact James Ratcliff, P.C.C. 886-3863.

The Homestead strike by the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tin Workers at the Carnegie steel mills in Homestead, Pa., resulted in the death of several strikers and Pinkerton guards, according to Important Events in American Labor History, a publication of the U. S. Department of Labor.

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., March 7, 1974, 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.

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The 49 states whose legislatures met in 1973 and Puerto Rico adopted a record number of 400 amendments to their workmen's compensation laws, according to the U. S. Department of Labor's Monthly Labor Review.

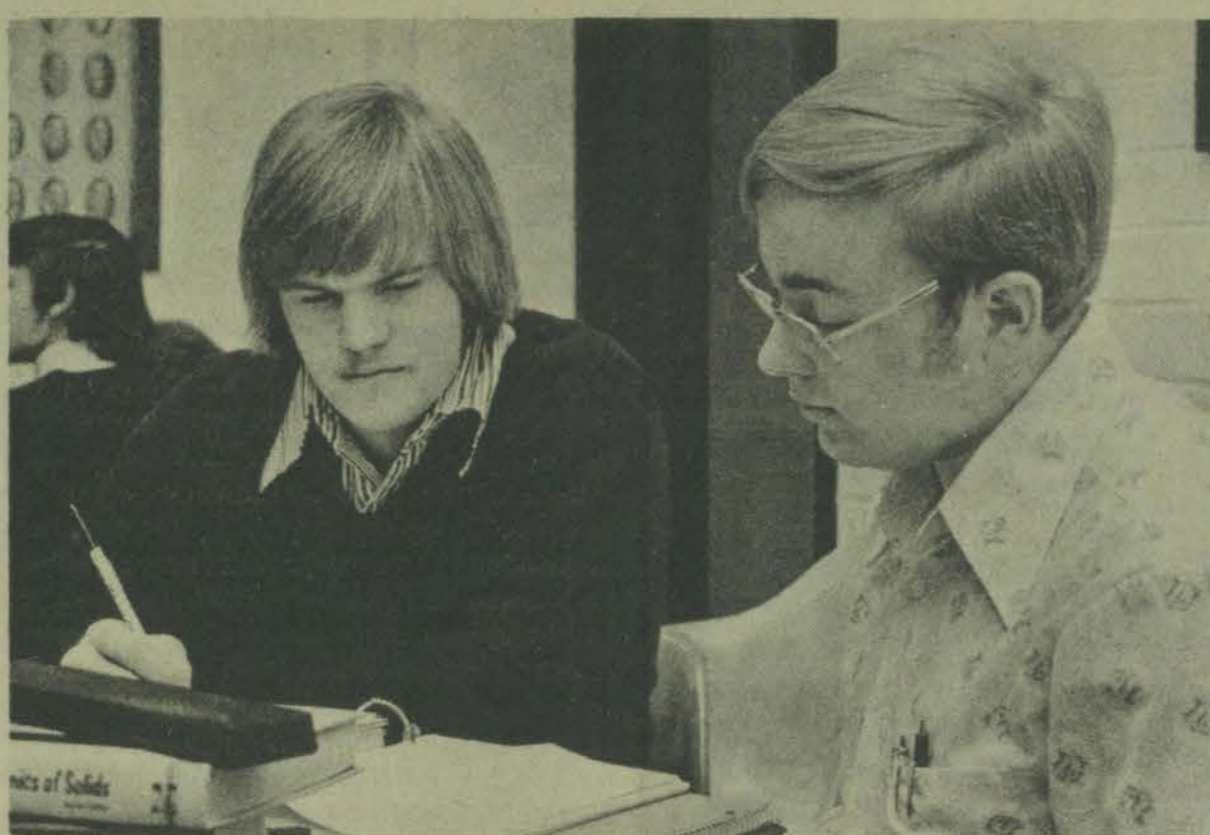
Consumer Comments

By ED W. HANCOCK
(Attorney General of Kentucky)
Faced with gas shortages and higher priced fuel, consumers are implementing some new and timely ways to cut driving and home heating costs.
For full energy utilization, a well-insulated home is a must. Weather-stripping and caulking the cracks and crevices around windows and doors prevents heat from escaping.
Be sure filters and heating equipment are in good condition and leave thermostats at an even temperature to further save fuel as well as dollars.
When repairs to heating equipment are needed consumers should beware of door-to-door repair services that offer great savings. Hire only a reputable company or repair service for home repairs. Local utility or rural electric companies can offer advice on the condition of home heating systems.
Fireplaces should be equipped with a damper or screen shield when the fireplace is not in use. Otherwise, it could devour precious heat.
Another area of great consumer concern during this energy crisis is driving costs. To cut costs and save gasoline, consumers are advised to drive as little as possible and within as short a range as feasible.
Keeping the car in good condition by periodic tune-ups can also avoid major repair bills later.
For answers or suggestions to aid in consumer problems, Kentucky residents may call on the toll-free consumer hotline at 1-800-372-2960 or write the Division of Consumer Protection, 309 Shelby Street, Room 110, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.



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IN UK ENGINEERING COLLEGE—Two Prestonsburg residents enrolled in the University of Kentucky College of Engineering are John Paul Leslie (left), a junior in civil engineering, and Timothy A. Gardner, a junior majoring in mechanical engineering. Leslie is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Leslie, and Gardner is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie C. Gardner.

Man's Transition From Savagery Began With Taming of Cattle

By NEVYLE SHACKELFORD
(UK College of Agriculture)
Cattle breeding, although often fraught with difficulties, is an old and honorable science—so ancient that it is often said the domestication of cattle marked the beginning of man's transition from savagery to civilization. As a matter of historical fact, the herding of cattle was once an indication of the superiority of one group or tribe of people over another.

According to W. P. Garrigus, chairman of the Department of Animal Sciences at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, cattle domestication for milk, meat, motive power, and clothing first took place in the dim regions of the Neolithic Age some 20,000 years B. C. What is more curious, perhaps, is that while new breeds have been developed, no new important species has since been added to those domesticated in this period. But what an improvement in types! Thanks to the efforts of breeders and animal scientists, we now have cattle for various purposes and, in terms of utility to man, Garrigus says, they probably rank first among all animals both past and present.

An interesting story on early cattle breeding is to be found in the thirtieth chapter of Genesis and is one indication that this science is likewise of ancient origin. In this story, the herdsman, Jacob, who was to receive his salary in the form of abnormally colored specimens that appeared in the flocks of his father-in-law, took action that marks him as an eager and crafty cattle breeder.

To be sure that off-colored specimens appeared, Jacob took green poles of poplar, hazel and chestnut, peeled white rings and stripes around them, and set them around the watering troughs. When the young heifers came to drink and breed, these striped poles supposedly had a prenatal influence on their offspring and thus Jacob's herd was "increased exceedingly."

Cattle breeders now use more scientific and reliable methods of securing improved types for the varied uses desired, but Jacob's story tends to show that the practice goes back a long long way. It is also interesting to note that in this method of breeding different types, he selected only the "stronger" members of the herd for his purpose.

Authorities on cattle and their origins say the first domesticated varieties were brought to North America in the year 1000 by the Norsemen. Columbus also brought some cows with him on his second voyage in 1493 and, in 1607 the early colonists introduced them into what is now Virginia.

The first cattle to reach New England were Devons from England imported by Edward Winslow in 1624. In North America, as in the days or prehistory, cattle raising ran true to form and in the same historical sequence. During the early days in this nation, the cattle breeder followed the hunter and, as

settlements became permanent, so did cattle raising.

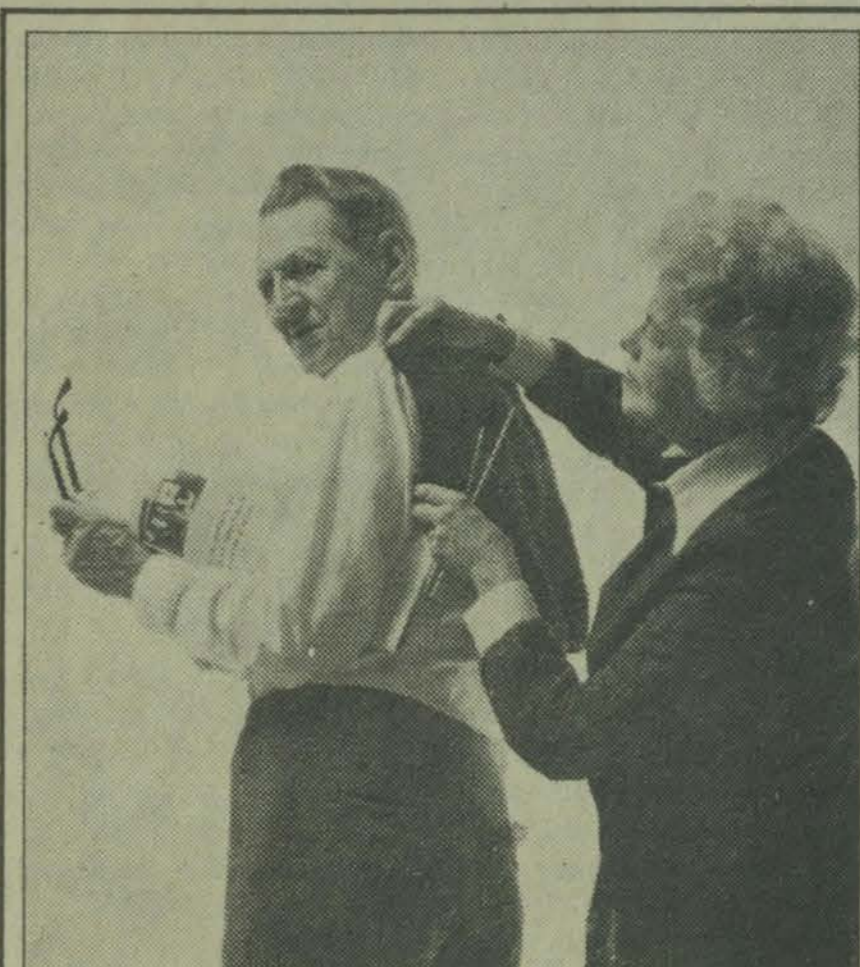
By 1800, the cattle industry was well established in Kentucky and, by 1870, cattle were generally distributed over the entire country. In 1973, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported 122 million head in the United States, making this nation second only to India in cattle population. In India, however, religious beliefs prohibit cattle slaughter and the people derive little nutritional benefits from them.

Since the very beginning, the story of the bovine is filled with interest and romantic legend. With the possible exception of India, the number of cattle has always reflected the living standards and the prosperity of a tribe or a country. Usually these factors are in direct proportion to each other—something which makes cattle very important animals and the cattle breeder a very important and valuable citizen. Thus, it could also be said that civilization rode in on the back of a cow.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINION
OAG 74-17 opines that, in redistricting the five divisions within county school districts, voting precincts should be left intact, even though a population imbalance of 15 to 20 per cent may occur, unless a court otherwise orders.

BULL'S SLAYING COSTS MATADOR
Mexico's best known matador, Manolo Martinez, has been fined \$4,000 for killing a bull in the ring. Bullfighters are required to fight and kill the bull in 12 minutes, but Martinez, at the insistence of the crowd, exceeded the time limit.

The Norrie-La Guardia Anti-Injunction Act of 1932 defined and limited the powers of the federal courts to issue injunctions in labor disputes, according to Federal Labor Laws and Programs, a publication of the U. S. Department of Labor.



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Camping Rates Will Not Go Up

By KEN W. SNYDER
 Good news for Kentucky campers! Kentucky Department of Parks Commissioner Ewart W. Johnson reports that registration fees in the camping areas of state parks will not increase.
 For the recreation-minded, bad news reports about the energy crisis have been a lot like unripened grapes. They've come in bunches and the word "sour" doesn't come close to describing the taste. For Kentuckians, particularly those with large recreational vehicles, this year's harvest wouldn't even make good vinegar.
 However, unbelievable as it may sound, this should be the ideal year for Kentucky campers to take to the highways for a Kentucky state park. The same registration fee as last year will admit campers to improved and expanded facilities and, most incredible of all, campers will actually be conserving

energy by locking up the homeplace and going camping.
 Easier accessibility to campgrounds and greater speed in getting settled in the camping areas have been accomplished by construction of new registration stations in three state parks campgrounds and the paving of roads and campsites in two other parks.
 Improvements within the camping areas have included construction of a new central service building or shower-restroom facility in one park, and the doubling in capacity of two service buildings in two other parks. Enlarging of trailer pulloffs has also been accomplished in two parks.
 Along with these improvements, the Parks Department has constructed a miniature golf course at one park campsite and expanded a multi-purpose court at another.
 New developments either completed or under way in state park camping areas have been the renovation of the Mill Creek camping area at Natural Bridge State Resort Park, near Slade, resulting in an additional nine campsites and development of 18 new sites in the camping area adjacent to Mill Creek; and 120 sites under construction at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg, along with two central service buildings, a registration station and a grocery.
 The Department of Parks' biggest project, however, is the expansion of the camping area at Fort Boonesborough State Park. Approximately 250 sites will be available to campers with enough recreational and service facilities within the camping area to make this campground the absolute finest in the nation, Parks says.
 Growth and improvement in providing camping facilities for Kentuckians doesn't stop here, as two new camping areas have been proposed for Dale Hollow Lake and Green River Lake State Parks.
 Of course, the next question is: what about the gasoline consumed while driving or towing a camping vehicle? It's true that this takes more gasoline, but that's partially counterbalanced by the speed limit for towed or large vehicles, which is 10 miles per hour lower. It also has to be taken into consideration that, on camping expeditions, only one vehicle is used and it is parked throughout most of the trip while the average family back home has two cars in continuous use.
 Energy consumption can be even further reduced if Kentucky campers visit their own state parks rather than undertaking long journeys to other states. Already recognized as having the nation's finest parks, Kentuckians will find even better camping facilities than they have in the past.

Name Mrs. Johnson Floyd Co. Chairman For Easter Seals

Louisville, Ky.—Mrs. Gordon Johnson, of Prestonsburg, has been named chairman of the 1974 Easter Seal campaign for Floyd county.
 Her appointment was announced by Thomas "Tommy" Bell, Lexington, state campaign chairman. The annual appeal will begin March 1 and continue through April 14, Easter Sunday.
 Contributions to the campaign, sponsored by the Kentucky Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults, will help provide rehabilitation services for physically handicapped Kentuckians throughout the state, Bell said.
 Easter Seal centers operated by the society include Cardinal Hill Hospital, Lexington; Northern Kentucky Easter Seal Center, Covington; Geiger Easter Seal Speech and Hearing Center, Ashland; Camp Kysoc, Carrollton; West Kentucky Easter Seal Center, Paducah and the Hearing and Speech Center, Louisville.
 Some of the Easter Seal programs include medical care, physical and occupational therapies; hearing and speech services; special education; recreation and resident camping, and information, referral and follow-up services, Bell reported.

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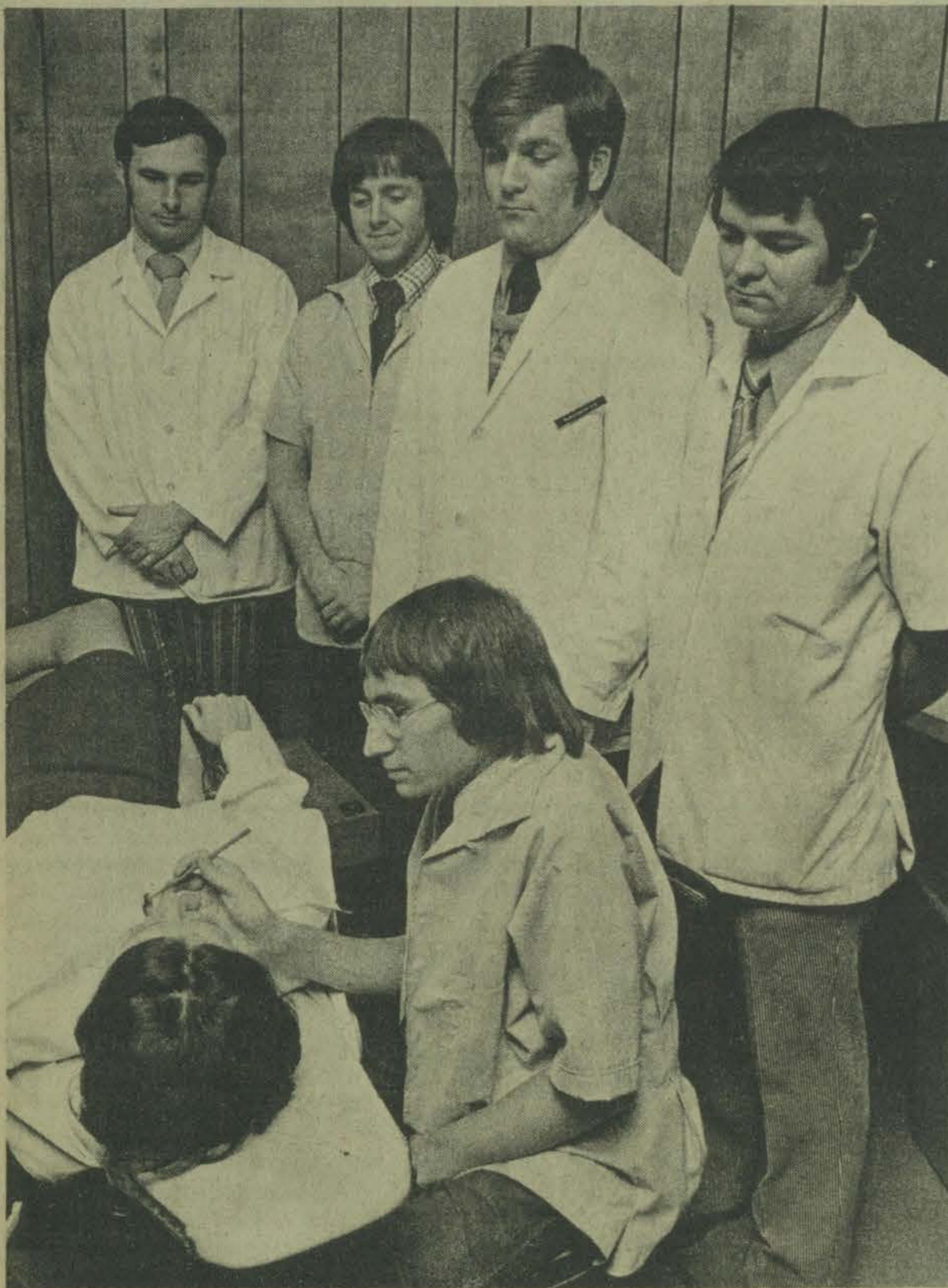
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Communities are beginning to receive notices from the Federal Insurance Administration of the Housing & Urban Development Dept. These notices will inform the communities that they now have officially designated "flood-prone" areas within their jurisdictions and, in effect, will require them to enact tough new zoning ordinances and building codes to protect property in such areas from flood damage.

As a result, a lot of land in the flood-prone areas will be taken out of development altogether, the cost of building on the rest of such land will rise, and the federal government could save billions of dollars in flood relief.

The law mandating all these changes—the Flood Disaster Protection Act signed by President Nixon on Dec. 31—was drawn up to force property owners in areas subject to flooding to buy federal flood insurance rather than look to the government for loans and grants every time they are washed out. But it included little-noticed provisions that make it one of the most sweeping federal land-use measures ever adopted. To reduce the future costs of flood damage and, thus of the insurance program, federal officials wanted to make sure that communities exert more control over what is built in the affected areas. So they included regulations that make compliance virtually mandatory.

By July, 1975 affected communities must have their new zoning and building codes on the books. They must either prohibit development in flood-prone districts, require that construction be adequately flood-proofed or built above the flood level (defined as the average flood level during the past 100 years) on landfill or pilings.

How much land will be zoned out of development or how much building costs might rise in the affected areas is not known, but it clearly will be substantial.

This sweeping action is largely the reaction of Congress to demands for federal help from flooded-out property owners, especially those caught in Hurricane Camille in August, 1969, and

Hurricane Agnes in June, 1972. Agnes, cost the federal government more than \$2 billion in grants and loans. Outlays for flood relief during the past five years ran about \$4.5 billion.

The new law attempts to make both flood insurance and flood-damage protection mandatory. Voluntary federal insurance programs passed in 1968 and 1969 provided few incentives for owners to buy insurance and even fewer to communities to force builders to protect property. Land that is subject to possible flooding, in fact, often tended to be cheaper, and builders, who had learned to expect that Washington would bail property owners out in the event of a flood, found it good business to develop on such land. According to a study of flood disaster programs for the American Enterprise Institute, many flooded-out owners wound up "better off financially after the disaster than before."

Details of the new law are complicated. In effect, between now and July, 1975, the federal government and local communities will develop detailed flood hazard boundary maps and flood insurance rate maps. These will show where protection from flood damage is required. As towns qualify for the insurance program by adopting regulations requiring such protection, property owners can then purchase so-called "first layer insurance at subsidized rates about 90 percent lower than what actuarial rates would be. The premium for full coverage on a \$20,000 house, for example, would be about \$50 a year, on a \$70,000 warehouse, \$420 a year. Owners can also buy additional higher-cost coverage.

If any town decides not to comply with the new law's provisions, Federal Insurance Administrator George K. Bernstein has another weapon at hand beyond the ban on loans and mortgages. No property owner in a community that is not part of the program by July, 1975, will be eligible for any disaster relief.

Heart Disease

Samuel Gompers, first president of the American Federation of Labor, died Dec. 13, 1924.

By DONNA J. GRIFFITH
(Health Educator)

Can you recognize heart disease? It is the leading cause of death in Kentucky. It killed more than 12,500 people in Kentucky in 1971 and this year more than 650,000 Americans will die of heart attacks.

To reduce your chances of becoming part of such statistics, follow these rules: —Go to your physician for a physical examination at least once a year.

—Watch your diet and weight and cut down on high cholesterol foods.

—Get regular exercise.

—If you smoke, try to minimize your smoking.

—Avoid worry. It increases blood pressure and this is a major factor in heart disease.

You should recognize that prolonged pain or unusual discomfort in the center of the chest is a warning signal of a heart attack. Pain may spread to the neck, arm or jaw and be accompanied by sweating, nausea, vomiting and sometimes shortness of breath. As soon as these symptoms first appear, call your doctor or if he's not available, go to a hospital emergency room at once.

It is important that everyone become familiar with the early signs of heart attacks. It may help save your life.



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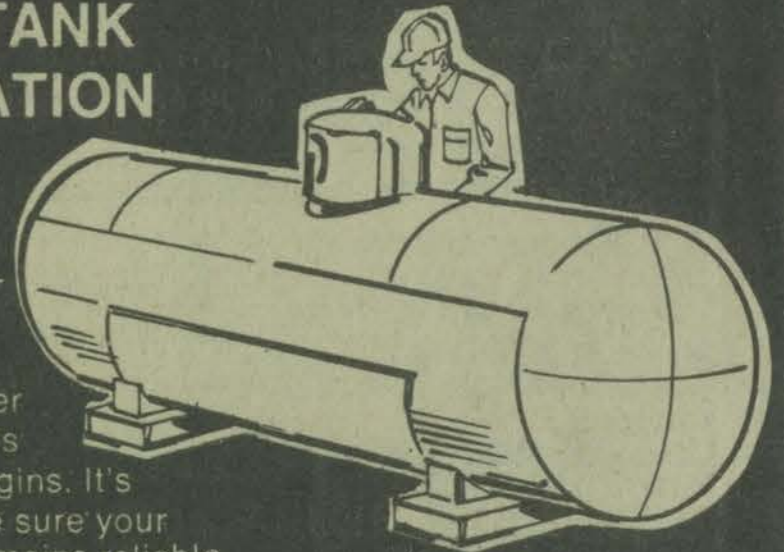
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41 ASTRONAUTS MADE SPACE FLIGHTS

WASHINGTON—A total of 41 astronauts were involved in the 30 space flights in NASA's manned program which began with Alan Shepard's suborbital flight in May, 1961, through the final Skylab mission, due for splash-down in the Pacific in February.

NEA PUSHES PR

In an effort to build its image the National Education Association has spent \$350,000 for advertisements in fifteen major daily newspapers and in five mass circulation magazines. The ads were run to coincide with the time that scores of teachers were on strike in metropolitan areas.

Advertisement for Bids

COMMUNITY CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISES

Pursuant to a resolution of the Floyd Fiscal Court adopted on the 6th day of February, 1974, authorizing the division of Floyd County into Cable Television areas and the awarding of Franchises to the highest and best bidder and the County having been divided into thirty-two (32) areas as shown on a map filed in the County Clerk's Office, together with written descriptions of each area. Bids will be received for each area. The maximum rates that may be charged and other required regulations are set out in the resolution and same may be examined in the County Clerk's Office by any interested prospective bidder.

Sealed bids will be received on each of the designated areas based on a percentage of gross income, and such bid may only list the number of the area bid on. All bids will be filed with the County Clerk on or before 4 p.m., March 5, 1974 and such bids will be opened by the Fiscal Court on March 6, 1974.

The Franchise will be let to the highest and best bidder, but the Fiscal Court has the right to reject any and all bids and will be the sole judge as to who is the highest and best bidder.

The Franchise will be issued for a period of fifteen (15) years and the successful bidder will be ready to execute bond guaranteeing that he will place in operation such system in the area he is awarded within a period of six (6) months, unless such bidder is the owner of a system covering the entire area. A successful bidder who is the owner of a system in the area may be required to up-grade his system to meet the requirements set out in the resolution.

A copy of this advertisement will be posted on the Court House bulletin board and shall be published in at least two issues of the Floyd County Times prior to the date for opening bids.

This the 6th day of February 1974.
Floyd County Fiscal Court

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BIRTHS

A son, Mark Anthony, born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fannin, of Auxier, Feb. 4; a daughter, Melissa Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Joey Hicks, of Estill, Feb. 2; a son, John Chester, II, born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Goble, of Prestonsburg, Jan. 30; a daughter, Amy Lynn; born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald C. Adkins, of Allen, Feb. 6; a son, Jason George, born to Mr. and Mrs. George Portz, of Auxier, Feb. 7; a daughter, Terri Sue, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Brown, of Salyersville, Feb. 5; a son, Michael Bert, born to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Love, of River, Feb. 10; a son, Jason Phillip, born to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Russell, of Salyersville, Feb. 10; a son, Adam Joseph, born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Titlow, of Paintsville, Feb. 11.

Buffalo Buffet, Banquet To Be Held, Feb. 22-23, At Lake Cumberland

After 175 years, the buffalo is back and doing well in Kentucky.

This massive animal, which kept Kentucky's pioneers alive with its meat and warm with its hides, will be the center of attention during Buffalo Week-end, to be held at Lake Cumberland State Resort Park near Jamestown, Feb. 22 and 23.

Although settlers and civilization drove the last buffalo out of Kentucky well before the year 1800, these animals are enjoying a new prosperity, with herds on a number of farms scattered across the state and in the Land Between the Lakes region of Western Kentucky. In fact, they are thriving to the extent that the herds must be thinned, and that makes their meat temporarily available, if not nearly so plentiful, as in days gone by.

Buffalo Week-end will feature buffalo steaks, chops, roasts and even a buffalo buffet on its special menu.

Other activities will include a lecture about the history of the buffalo in the United States and in Kentucky. Also planned are a demonstration of how arrowheads are made and a nature tour of the area.

The week-end will take on a Western flavor with the Saturday night dinner served from a chuckwagon and followed by square dancing.

The whole week-end is available for the price of \$32 single or \$60 double, which includes two nights' lodging, six meals, tips, entertainment, and baby sitting on Saturday.

People in the Lake Cumberland area can make reservations by contacting Lake Cumberland State Resort Park, Jamestown, Kentucky 42629, phone (502) 343-3111. Toll-free reservations may be made from other points in Kentucky by calling 800-372-2961, and from surrounding states by calling 800-626-2911.

When requesting a change of address, be sure to state your old address.

Observe 25th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Revis V. Hall, of R. R. 1 Roanoke, Ind., formerly of this county, observed their golden wedding anniversary with a family dinner, Feb. 9. The couple was married Feb. 7, 1924 at Prestonsburg by the late Rev. A. C. Harlowe.

Mrs. Hall is the former Lou Osborne, daughter of the late Alex and Mary Stephens Osborne, and Mr. Hall is a son

of Hatfield and Francis Martin Hall, all of Floyd county.

They are the parents of six sons and one daughter: Wendell, of Woodburn, Ind., Victor, of New Haven, Ind., Robert, Decatur, Ind., Mrs. Lois Hall Martin, Columbus, O., Jon (deceased), Ned, of LaOtto, Ind., and Gary, R. R. 1 Roanoke, Ind. There are 17 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Says Abortion Is Murder

Sometime ago, I saw in The Independent Coal Leader of Richlands, Va. what was called Straight Talk, an article, "Playing God," by Tom Anderson, about abortion, and also on Feb. 13, 1974 there is a page from Our Lady of the Way Hospital of Martin, Ky. We need more people like this. Who don't care to tell it like it is, and why God is punishing this nation with the crisis.

America went to war—World War I, World War II and all the other wars, and God went with them. He was with them all the way, but then man wanted to see how it looked on the moon, and they tried to go there and say they did. God knows—I don't—but this I do know: If God had wanted us on the moon, he would have put it closer to the Earth. Billions of dollars were spent, which helped to bring this crisis on and didn't help any. Just like after the flood, the earth was of one language, and of one speech. (Gen. 11:1-4), and they said, Go to, let us build us a city and the tower whose top may reach unto Heaven. They did not go there. God wants man's mind to be to go up, not down. But he also wants man to honour him, inasmuch as He said in Genesis Chapter 1, verse 26: Let us make man in our image after our likeness. Then Paul said, Doth not even nature itself teach you that if a man have long hair it is a shame unto him.

My answer is, if Christ had wanted man to wear long hair he would have had Paul leave that out of the Bible (1 Corinthians 11:14). I don't say man can't get forgiveness for long hair. But the Lord God is not pleased with it and that is why our nation is in so much trouble. The American people ought to do like the people did when Jonah preached to the city of Nineveh. If they would, God would look back and bless America once more. But our lawmakers and rulers want to say our nation will get over-populated. And God has from the beginning been against such things as abortion and murders, when Cain rose up against Abel, his brother, and murdered him (Genesis 4:8) which reads: And Cain talked with his brother. And it came to pass when they were in the field that Cain rose up against Abel his brother and slew him. And in another place, Exodus 1:15 we see where the king of Egypt asked the midwives to murder all the sons. Then look at Exodus 21:14 again the word is murder. Looking back to Exodus 20:13: Thou shalt not kill. This is one of the Ten Commandments. Then Deuteronomy 18, and go down that chapter we find where that innocent blood be not shed in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee for an inheritance. And when a woman has abortion she and the doctor have shed innocent blood—the blood of a human that never got a fair trial, for the mother said he or she is guilty, doctor, and the mother also serves on the jury and condemns him or her to death and that innocent blood just lies there helpless, waiting again for the doctor to take one and murder it. The babe never asked to be put there in the first place, and innocent never got his or her day in court.

Let's go to Numbers 35:30, and this is where the mother and doctor and lawmakers think they are safe? Whoso killeth any person the murderer shall be put to death by the mouth of witnesses, but one witness shall not testify against any person to cause him to die. There goes mother; doesn't want the baby and had him or her put to death so she won't testify against the doctor, and the doctor murders for the money. But they forgot that all-seeing eye of God, the one who came to Cain and told him what he had done.

Can the mother have abortion without the shedding of blood. And if there is blood shed, God will judge that person or persons as murderers. Now go read I John 3:15 and Galations 5:21 and St. Matthew 5:21. All talks of murder. Go to Genesis 1:28, and see what God said when he made man and woman on the earth; his commandment that he gave to them: Be fruitful and multiply and

replenish the earth and subdue it. Now Genesis Chapter 38:9-10. And Amos knew that the seed should not be his and it came to pass when he went in unto his brother's wife that he spilled it on the ground lest that he should give seed to his brother and the thing which he did displeased the Lord, wherefore he slew him. Also this goes to show God can and will at his time judge the woman and doctor of these abortion murders. Go to 1 Corinthians 15:8. Last of all he was seen of me, also as of one born out of due time. Now tell me what size will the angels of God be in the judgement Day also if Mary would have had abortion to keep from having Christ. What hope would we have of seeing God if American people don't get back to trusting God in place of man-made laws and so on? It will soon be as it was in the days of Noah, and then that is as long as we have a promise of this world to stand.

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'Friends of Annette' Help Hospital Fund

Pikeville, Ky.—"Friends of Annette" have made a contribution of money to the Pikeville Methodist Hospital for use in constructing and equipping a \$250,000 radiation unit at the hospital for the treatment of cancer.

Donors of the contribution are friends of Annette Crawford, daughter of Mrs. Virginia Crawford, of Melvin, in Floyd county.

Mrs. Crawford brought the funds presented to her in her daughter's memory to the hospital for use in connection with the radiation unit project.

Lee D. Keene, administrator of the hospital, expressed his and the hospital's appreciation to Mrs. Crawford and the Friends of Annette for the contribution.

Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the office of the Mayor, at the Ford Building in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 7, 1974, at which time, in the Council meeting room at such Ford Building, bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing materials as set forth by this advertisement for bids.

The City will receive bids on the following items:

Items 1. 2000 feet of 2 1/2-in. all-polyester fire hose, double jacket, 800-lb. test, coupled in 50-ft. lengths and lettered and numbered as desired.

1600 feet of 1 1/2-in. all-polyester fire hose, double jacket, 800-lb. test, coupled in 50-ft. lengths and lettered and numbered as desired.

Items 2. 3 Select-o-floor chrome 1 1/2-in. nozzles, 40-125 gpm.; 1 2-section 24-ft. aluminum ladder; 12 Brass style 10-spanner wrenches; 3 Gated wyes, 2 1/2 x 1 1/2 x 1 1/2; 3 500-watt floodlights; 3 100-foot lengths of No. 14, 2-ga. electrical cord, with receptables; 1 1/2-in. foam educator.

These items are to be bid separately and (or) as a whole. (Items in No. 1 to be bid separately from items in No. 2)

The bids must comply with specifications approved by the City Council, copies of which specifications may be obtained from the office of the City Clerk, in the Ford Building at Prestonsburg, Ky.

Bids shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's identification, addressed to the City of Prestonsburg, labeled in the lower left-hand corner:

"Proposal. Items 1; Items 2; Both Items 1 and Items 2.

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, Kentucky

HERE FROM COVINGTON
Mrs. Quentin D. Allen and children, Kelly and Mark, of Covington, joined Mr. Allen here last week-end. Mr. Allen is director of Floyd County Comprehensive Health Care.

Mrs. Allen received her M.D. degree from the University of Kentucky College of Medicine and is presently finishing work in psychiatry at the University of Cincinnati.



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STYLE 5932
A spectacular two-tone design ensemble that — incredibly enough — is washable. The Material is Marventine. The now-you-see-it, now-you-don't color cut appears on one sleeve and blots free-form over the bodice and skirt. Buttons and loops stand out in the darker color. On the dress, one sleeve and part of the upper front-back area is similarly colored, with an extra, narrow frame-band following the design after a brief pause for the other color. Scarfing on the coat, short sleeves and stand-up collar on the accompanying dress. Sizes 8-18.

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S&H Stamp Drive Here Totals 56,452 to Date

The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club announces that at the end of three weeks of its drive to raise S&H Green Stamps to purchase a dialysis machine, 56,452 stamps have been collected. Mrs. Harold Cooley, club president, expressed thanks to every person who has helped us by contributing stamps. She said, "We have been overwhelmed by the generosity of the people in our area." This project will continue for several more weeks.

VISITS MOTHER
Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin spent the week-end in Lexington with her mother, Mrs. Ridda S. Finaldyson.

IS ILL HERE
C. C. "Buck" Goble is ill at his home in Green Acres.

VISIT PARENTS
Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige, Jr., Kermit III and Paul Michael, of Paintsville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige, here last Sunday.

SELLS HOME HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Don Meade and Mrs. Gladys P. White, of Lexington, came here Sunday, preparatory to moving Mrs. Whites household effects to Lexington. Mrs. White has sold her home to Mrs. Sallye L. Clark.

VISIT IN LEXINGTON
Mrs. C. W. May, Mrs. Marguerite M. Sharpe and Mrs. Ethel S. Cross left Monday for Lexington on business and a brief visit with Mrs. Richard Wiley and family.

HERE FOR WEEK-END
Mr. and Mrs. James Salisbury Mayo and children, of Russell Springs, spent last week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Maude S. Mayo, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, Jr.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER
Mrs. Marshall Douglas Osborne, nee, Loena Marie Ousley, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower, February 16 at the Lancer Baptist Chapel. The Valentine motif was carried out in table decorations and decorated cakes, mints and punch. She received many useful household items of crystal, china, linens and miscellaneous gifts.

Hostesses were Annbell Harless, Billie Hunt, Ella Compton, Rebecca Hammonds, Opal Greer, Della Clifton, Model Martin, Ann Osborne, Rhoda Stanley, Evelene Booth, Nadene Osborne, Sussie Burke, Romona Ousley, Viola Cooley, Betty Castle, Donna Combs, Susan Weems, Pet Allen.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY
Mrs. James Allen, James Kenneth Allen and Mrs. Theckley Short honored Mrs. Rhomer Osborn with a dinner on her birthday, Feb. 13, at the Allen home at 6 p.m. The Valentine motif was carried out in the table decorations. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Osborne, Payne, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks, Mindon, Ohio, Rhomer Osborne, Mrs. Lucretia O. Wicker, of Eastern, Mrs. Melba Dyer, of Allen, Mrs. Osborne received many personal gifts.

Social Events

HOME FROM GERMANY
Sgt. Frank Sweeney returned Jan. 23 from Germany where he has been stationed three years, and is spending a furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Sweeney. A 17-year Army veteran, Sgt. Sweeney has had four duty tours in Germany and two in Vietnam. On conclusion of his furlough he will report to Ft. Stewart, Georgia.

RETURNS TO SOUTH CAROLINA
Carl Wise has returned to Seneca, S. C., after spending a few days here recently on business.

ENTERTAINED TO SUPPER
Hylo Brown and the Timberliners set the mood Friday night as Mr. and Mrs. Don Lafferty were entertained to a chili with beans candlelight supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neil Allen, "beside the courthouse." Chris Shepherd, of Middle Creek, and Teresa Hall, of Allen, also stopped by for a visit.

IN MIAMI, BERMUDA
Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. McClung, daughter, Terri, and Tommy Howell left Monday for Miami, where they will spend a few days before flying to Bermuda for the remainder of the week.

SUSTAINS BROKEN ARM
Mrs. Peg Hewlett sustained a broken arm and other injuries when she fell recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. Myrtie Davis.

IN VIRGINIA
Greg Horn and Johnny Heinze were in Newport News, Va., this week contacting dealers in the seafood industry.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The executive board of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club announces a change in the meeting date which was scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 21. Due to the scheduled performance of the Berea Dancers, a program sponsored by the Eastern Ky. Concert Series, the meeting date has been changed to Thursday, Feb. 28, at the Floyd Co. Library.

VISITOR HERE
Mrs. Maude Boyd, of Allen, visited her aunt, Mrs. Catherine Wiechers here recently.

RETURNS FROM WASHINGTON
Mrs. C. R. Tankersly has returned from a visit with her son, Major C. R. Tankersly, in Washington, D.C.

TRANSFERRED TO HOSPITAL
Mrs. Louise Allen Short, mother of Hardin O. Short, has been transferred from St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, to Highlands Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Short is recovering from a broken hip sustained in a fall.

JOHN GRAHAM CHAPTER MEETS
John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met February 12 at the Floyd County Library, Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, the regent, presiding. After the ritualistic service, the minutes were read by Mrs. J. G. Stepp. The treasurer's report was approved as read. The marker fund netted \$2.24. The nominating committee appointed was composed of Mrs. Opal May, Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards. Delegates to the 78th Kentucky D.A.R. convention which convenes March 19 at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington, will be Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, Mrs. Ray Brackett, Mrs. Effie P. Milby, Mrs. Opal S. May, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens and Mrs. J. G. Stepp. The Fifth and Sixth districts will be co-hostesses to the convention. A contribution was made to Duncan Taverns new kitchen honoring Miss Laura Dickerson, Kentucky state D.A.R. regent. Mrs. Tom James read the President-Generals message. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Sowards will represent the chapter at the National Continental Congress in Washington, D. C. April 13-19. Mrs. Ray Brackett, program chairman, presented the program, "Restoration of Williamsburg." The co-hostesses, Mrs. J. G. Stepp and Mrs. Opal S. May, served refreshments to Mrs. Sally L. Clark, Mrs. Effie Milby, Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. Ray Brackett, Mrs. Frank Preston, Mrs. May Kendrick, Mrs. Stanley A. Combs.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY
Rayana Lea Rodebaugh celebrated her 16th birthday last week with a dinner party given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rodebaugh. Present for the dinner were Michael Dwayne, Dewana Kay, and Geisella Sue Rodebaugh, Karen Ratliff, Ella Virginia Wells, Todd, Trent and Thomas Nairn. She was hostess Friday evening at a slumber party to Karen Ratliff, Nava Jo Daniels, Charlene Patton, and Lynn Warrix.

FLOWER CLUB MEETS
The Flower Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Lula Wallen, of Green Acres. Verna Hall and Dora Mitchell, of Wheelwright, where Mrs. Wallen resided before moving here, were guests. Others attending the meeting were Ruth Meade, Polly Harmon, Thelma Goble, Janie Branham and Ora Schroeder. Cake and coffee were served.

VISIT IN HUNTINGTON
Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Sammons and sons, Lloyd, Dewey, and Timothy, all of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sammons, South Point, Ohio, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darlyn Sammons, of Huntington, W. Va., last Sunday.

DAY HOMEMAKERS MEET
The Prestonsburg Day Homemakers held their regular meeting February 13 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Burke with Mrs. Isabel Reed, of Drift, co-hostess. The devotion was given by Mrs. Kathryn Coop and the lesson on quilts was presented by Mrs. Frances Pitts. Several attractive quilt squares and quilts were displayed by members each of whom brought a useful gift to be taken to patients at Jenny Wiley Nursing Home.

Mrs. Pitts announced the homemakers meeting to be held in Lexington, March 20, 21, 22, and the training school which will be held at Kentucky Power Co., here, March 5. The subject of the latter will be "Family Togetherness" by Dr. Bert Coody. A social hour was enjoyed at the close of the meeting with a salad, nuts and mints served to the following: Muriel Prather, Dorothy Harris, Edith Kendrick, Dorothy Sturgill, Stella Spurlock, Eleanor Horn, Frances Pitts, Kathryn Coop, Gladys Blackburn, Murial Hill, Peg Hewlett, Gladys Stepp, Rebecca Short, Dorothy Burke, Isabel Reed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Dingus.

HAS HEART ATTACK
Blaine Smith suffered a heart attack last Friday morning at his home here. He was removed by ambulance to St. Joseph's Hospital in Lexington. He is improved this week. Mrs. Smith was hospitalized for a day following his sudden illness.

ATTEND WILLIAMS-HERALD WEDDING
Among those attending the wedding of Miss Janet Lou Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams, and Mr. Robert Herald, son of Mrs. Edith Herald, of Lexington, and the late Robert Herald, February 16 at the Porter Memorial Baptist Church in Lexington were Mr. and Mrs. Manis Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gray, John Houston Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Arbor Fannin and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baldrige and Linda, Mrs. E. A. Stumbo, Miss Dorothy Sturgill, Miss Pam Pelphrey, Huey Gray, Paul Pelphrey, Gary May, Mr. and Mrs. George Branham, of Paintsville.

COLONIAL DAMES BOARD MEETS
Mrs. Everett H. Sowards attended the board meeting of Chapter Nine, Colonial Dames of America, at Lexington, Feb. 16. Mrs. John H. Sutterfield, the president, presided, and Mrs. Sowards, the chaplain, opened the meeting with prayer.

Miss Gwen Carolyn Dingus, student at Eastern Kentucky State University, Richmond, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus. Mrs. Betsy Lambert and daughter Margaret were in Lexington, Saturday, on business.

Friends of KET Discuss Projects



Board members and officers of FRIENDS OF KET form a round table to discuss upcoming projects. Mrs. James D. Adams, Prestonsburg (fourth from right), serves as secretary. Friends of KET is a volunteer organization, the purpose of which is to establish a statewide base of support for Kentucky Educational Television.

ATTEND U.D.C. MEETING
Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, president of the Blue Grass Chapter, Daughters of the American Colonists, and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards attended the spring meeting of the chapter, February 16, at Spindletop Farm in Lexington. Mrs. Clark presided, Mrs. Sowards conducted the devotionals. Mrs. Mary Hargraves presented the program on "Letters of Henry Clay". Delegates to the National Conference in April in Washington, D.C. will be Mrs. Clark, the president, Mrs. Wilburn Walker, the registrar, and Mrs. Sowards, the parliamentarian. Twenty six members and guests enjoyed the fellowship and lunch. Miss Anna Steele Taylor was received into membership.

ATTEND MEETING
Representing the Mountain Manor Nursing Home at a meeting in Lexington Saturday, were Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, Mrs. Connie Sammons, Mrs. Jan Wells and Mrs. Thelma Lafferty.

IN NURSING HOME HERE
Raymond Layne, Freeburn, was transferred from Jenny Wiley Nursing Home last week to Mountain Manor Nursing Home here.

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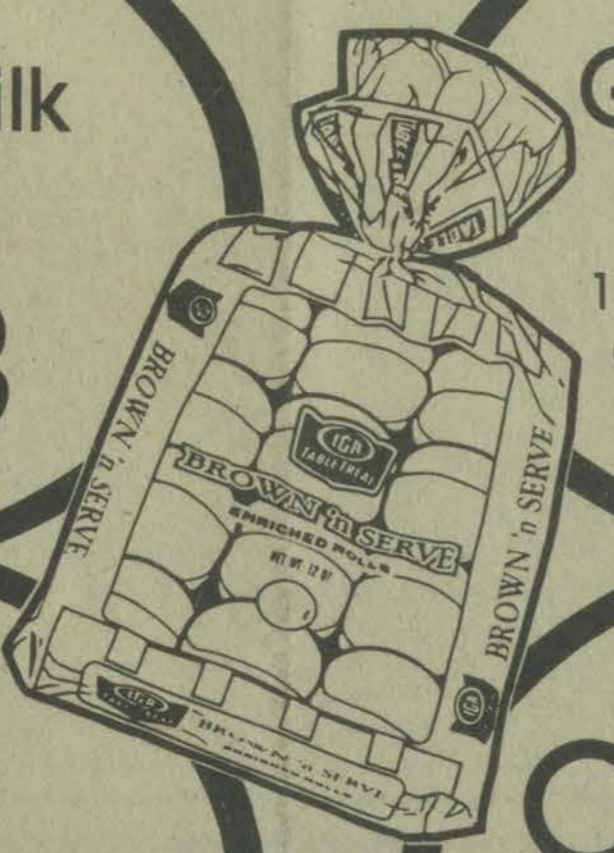


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