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# **Booze, Drugs Said Of Prime Concern**

# As Grand Jury **Chides Official** Lack of Action

Speaking of

and for Floyd County

What was referred to as "two matters of importance" in the report of the January grand jury, echoed the concern expressed by many grand juries in recent years to the problems of illegal liquor and drug violations in Floyd county

In the report, submitted Wednesday to Circuit Judge Hollie Conley and signed by Bob Comstock, jury foreman, the grand jury voiced the feeling that the drug and liquor problems were not being taken as seriously as they should be by officials since no witnesses appeared before the jury in connection with any type of drug or liquor-related offense. The jury recommended, "We think that the law enforcement officials should conduct extensive investigations regarding these offenses."

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The report also reemphasized an environmental concern expressed by past grand juries as well as Judge Conley. "We think that Floyd county has a major problem with litter spread all over its creeks and roadways. It is the recommendation of this Grand Jury that the litter laws be enforced," the report read. The report criticized Michigan authorities, who, it is claimed, have not cooperated in the extradition of Bobby Workman, who is wanted in this county on a murder charge.

Another recommendation contained in the report was that the fiscal court consider hiring a full-time maintenance man for the courthouse and also contracting the regular cleaning of the courthouse to a janitorial service. Immediate action to stop the leaking from the jail which has plagued the courthouse for some time was also mentioned.

Other suggestions offered by the grand jury were that the pay for jurors be increased "in accordance with the cost of living," and that "The courthouse parking lot be marked off and spaces be designated for county officials.

A single murder indictment was returned by the grand jury against Johnny Wayne Charles, of Toler Creek, who is charged with the fatal knifing of William (Bill Lee) Adkins, 35, of Harold,

I must, when I bounce buoyantly back from all this hospital medication, call the county clerk's office to see if anybody has

This Town...That World

THE WELL-DRESSED PATIENT As you may infer from the foregoing, Old Hospital done got me. Last Sunday it was, after 73 years, two months and one week of freedom from the pain gang. Since that hour I have been probed, purged, punctured, pictured by X-ray and prescribed for by experts to a farethee-well

purged me there, too.

This has been an Experience. Nothing has happened to me that doesn't happen to thousands, perhaps millions, of others every day. But this maverick, brought in from the range after such a long time to be roped and branded, found everything strangely new and sometimes excruciatingly interesting.

There were the preparations for the Event. At one stage of the game I threatened dear members of the family with a dissertation by my hand, entitled, "What the Well-Dreaded Hospital Patient Will Wear.

First of all, I was informed, I would wear these new pajamas. ("Somebody sick in the family, dear?" the clerk asked when they were bought.) This sky-blue creation is the one that has the cute black piping at the collar and pockets-"like 'em or not, my dear, you wear 'em." And I who, at home or on tour, have eschewed such frivolities of nightwear as plain vexation and vanity of the spirit, bloomed out, as directed, at my hospital debut.

Debut? This particular item of my regalia almost had a part in a real coming-out party on my "maiden voyage" down a long corridor. This (See Story No. 1, Page 4)

**Strip Permits Cut** 

**By Half in Past Year** 

Figures obtained from the state fringes of the eastern and western coal

BY MONDAY afternoon, when this photo was snapped, the temperature had risen some 40 degrees from the bitter cold and snowy weather of the latter part of last week, but the icy cascade flanking the railroad tracks by the Town Branch bridge remained intact. Snow and ice closed Floyd schools Thursday through Monday

# Area Health Group Allowed 3 on Board

The five-county Big Sandy Region will be allowed only three members on the governing board of the Eastern Kentucky Health Systems Agency under provision

# **Judge Frees Jones In Surprise Move**

Court House Happenings

#### SUITS FILED

First National Bank vs. Bee Hall, et al. Robert Clifton vs. Rudolph Pennington, et al. Linda F. Nunemaker vs. Richard A. Nunemaker. Janet B. Akers vs. Larry G Akers. Ruby Hall vs. Billy Sam Hall. Beverly Johnson vs. Cleo Johnson. Tennessee Pipe Supply Corp., d.b.a. vs. Thomas Montgomery. Troy Howell vs. Workmens' Comp. Board, et al. Peter James Poole vs. Frankie Mable Poe. The Bank Josephine, a corp. (in separate suits) vs. Walter Baker, et al, Alvin Osborne, Kathy A. DeRossett, et al, Iris Collins, Danny Lee Blanton, Thelma Patton, Gary Crisp, et al. John Dee Hunt vs. Loretta Harvey. Southeastern Gas Co., a corp. vs. Diamond Coal Co., Inc., et al. Patricia Stevens vs. Harley Stevens. Mollie Hopkins vs. Joe Hartman Hopkins. First National Bank vs. Paul Chaffins, Aryella Hamilton Keathley vs. James M. Keathley

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jack Richard Curtis, 19, Prestonsburg, and Josephine Hackworth, 19, Dyramid Douglas Lewis, 24, Stanville, and Hedda Lamarr McCoy, 19, Prestonsburg.

**Two Perish** In Blaze **At Minnie** 

Two children perished in a midmorning fire which destroyed their home on Sizemore mountain near Minnie, Monday, and two other children are patients at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital where they are listed in satisfactory condition.

Burned to death were Debra Slone, 9, and her three-year-old brother, Terry, Children of Doffie and Rosetta Tuttle Slone. Hospitalized are Malissa Slone, 7, with third degree burns on arms and legs, and Theodore Slone, 21 months, who suffered smoke inhalation.

State Trooper Ernie Stepp's investigation into the tragedy was not complete, but he said it is understood that the grandfather, Fisher Tuttle, who lives next door, discovered the fire. He kicked in the kitchen door where the two survivors were huddled and pulled them to safety. It was reported that the father slipped while running to the house and suffered a broken leg.

# **Strong Protest Is Being Made By Prosecution**

It appeared Monday morning that the murder trial of Eddie Jones, delayed since 1972 by a complicated series of legal entanglements, would at last be heard in court.

Before the first testimony was heard, however, or, for that matter, before the jury was empanelled, Special Judge Ralph N. Walters, of West Liberty, announced that he would allow the defendant to enter a plea of guilty to manslaughter, instead of wilful murder, for which he was originally charged, and ruled that Jones be given a five-year probated sentence.

Judge Walters' order came during a pre-trial conference with defense and prosecuting attorneys and immediately aroused protest from County Attorney and chief prosecutor Harold Stumbo, as well as Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen and Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Paul P. Burchett. "We objected to everything he said,

commented Stumbo, "but he told us, in effect, that he didn't care whether we objected or not.

The Commonwealth's objections were based on the contentions that a judge does not possess the right to amend a charge of willful murder without first hearing evidence, that a judge cannot set the sentence on a plea of guilty in such a case without the consent of the Commonwealth, and that the Commonwealth should be permitted to introduce evidence in front of the jury and let the jury fix the punishment of the defendant. In a prepared statement of the Commonwealth's objections, the Commonwealth's Attorney says "that it is his position that this defendant has killed two men in cold blood and that we have sufficient evidence to convict this man and if a jury should hear that evidence they would fix the punishment of this man at not less than twenty-one years. The Commonwealth of Kentucky objects to the entire proceeding in this matter and contends that the judge of this court has not only made an erroneous decision but a decision which will shock the conscience of any court in this land.' Jones was indicted on two charges of wilful murder in connection with the separate slayings of Deputy Sheriff

November 30, 1975. At the time of the incident, Charles told State Police Detective Richard Ray, arresting officer and principal witness in the case, that he cut Adkins in self-defense. Charles was also indicted for second degree assault on Don McKinney, "by cutting him with a shiny object.'

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# Drug Charge, Theft, Among Week's Arrests

Prestonsburg Policemen Otis Trusty and Auxiliary Policeman Chaffins arrested Michael Dickerson, of Wayland, Friday night here, charging him with trafficking in marijuana

Dickerson had reportedly made a sale of the illegal substance earlier at a Prestonsburg drive-in restaurant. The officers seized three and-a-half bags of "grass" from the car in which Dickerson was riding. Dickerson was booked in city court and was released from the county jail here after executing bond.

Bobby Joe Ousley and Mike Wallen were charged with burglary in the third degree and booked at the county jail by State Trooper Stumbo and Martin Police Chief Hershell Lester, Friday, in connection with a number of breaking and entering incidents which were reported to have occurred in the county between December 8 and January 4. During that time, the two allegedly broke into four service stations and the C. & O. Railroad garage at Martin. Ousley was again booked at the county jail, Monday, on a charge of theft by unlawful taking by State Police Detective Gary Rose. The latter charge was made in connection with the burglary of the C. & O. garage at Martin on December 7 in which a number of torches, gauges and a hose were stolen.

Other arrests were few, and only six persons were lodged in the county jail as of Tuesday afternoon. Those booked at the county jail over the past week, charges against each and arresting officers follow:

Larry Wireman, drunk driving, by State Trooper Castle; Junior Hall, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; Richard Scott, assault in first degree, by State Trooper Weedman and State Police Sgt. Akers; John Carr, drunk driving, by State Trooper Stephens; Dennis Huff, assault in the third degree, by State Troopers Castle and Stepp; Howard B. Buchanan, drunk driving, by City

Division of Reclamation's office here reveal that the total of new strip-mine permits issued during the past year amount to only half the number of 1974's permits.

During 1975, 34 new permits were registered here for strip or auger mine operations, while 1974's numer totalled

The dramatic reduction in the number of permits issued during the past year, as evidenced in the Floyd statistics, does not reflect the overall trend in the state's coal fields, however, as the Division of Reclamation last year issued 1,522 permits-an all-time record.

Plummeting coal prices and an abrupt termination of the coal boom of 1974 forced many small, new operators out of business, but the larger, more stable operations, working on long-term contracts rather than those dealing in "spot' coal, or coal bought in the open marketplace, have apparently remained productive and, according to officials of operators' associations, are stripping larger numbers of tracts.

David O. Smith, representative of an association of 57 surface miners in Whitley, Knox and Bell counties, was recently quoted by the Courier-Journal as stating that "about 20 per cent" of the small strip operations which sprang up during the coal boom established themselves permanently. The demise of many such independent operators has reportedly figures greatly in the reduction in permits issued in Floyd county during 1975.

The increase, statewide, in the number of permits issued is attributed to the fact that the larger companies have begun new operations this year in counties which before had seldom been touched by stripping. Strip operations are increasing, for example, in counties on the

## **Dialysis Unit Gets Tentative Okay**

Application for establishment of a hemodialysis unit for maintenance dialysis of kidney patients by Highlands Regional Medical Center has been approved with stipulations by the state Comprehensive Health Planning Council. Final approval is expected to be made today (Wednesday)

The unit will have two dialysis stations to serve an eight-county area including Floyd, Martin, Magoffin, Morgan, Lawrence, Johnson, Pike and Knott counties. Dr. John W. Sutherland and Dr. James Cox will be in charge of the unit when it is put in operation.

Approval of one station is subject to the council's consenting to Methodist

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fields, such as Jackson county in Eastern Kentucky, and Hancock in the west.

The continued vitality of the coal industry, despite current low prices, is evident in the number of acres stripped during the past year, as well as the record number of permits issued. The amount of acres permitted to be stripped-54,630-was close to the 57,198 acres permitted in 1974, and the 1974 figure was more than double any previous total.

David Smith told the Courier-Journal, 'The people who are staying in are shipping more at lower prices. They are making their profit on volume rather than the big-price, low-tonnage situation during the boom." Smith said stripminers could ship more coal because of the easing of the railroad hopper-car shortage that plagued the coal fields in 1974 and early in 1975.

Bobby Whitaker, principal inspector at the Division of Reclamation's office here, said that although permits in '75 were greatly reduced, "most of the big companies are still with us." Small companies have "lost out" in Floyd as well as other coal mining sections, he reported, but he added, "There's still a whole lot of work going on.

Donald Nunnery and "Shag" Branham.

ne wa Resources Development Act of 1974 which will become effective July 1.

A public meeting is scheduled at the courthouse here Friday evening to hear questions on the law which will require health systems agencies for the state to be under control of HEW, the federal Department of Health, Education and Welfare

The Big Sandy Region is composed of Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, and Pike counties and will be included with seven other regions to make up the 38county Eastern Kentucky Health Systems are whose agency will be responsible for planning and development of every agency or facility providing health services.

Opposition to the law has been expressed at many levels over the country, and is regarded by some as another step toward centralization of control by the federal government.

Mrs. Sallye Hill Stumbo, Big Sandy Health Planner, said this week, "Since the law has been ordered, we have no option but to participate as effectively as

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Cause of the fire which broke out at approximately 9 a.m., has not been determined.

The children were apparently alone at the time the fire broke out; their mother at work and their father at a neighbor's house next door. Three other children. Dwayne, Douglas, and Tina Marie Slone, were not at home.

Bodies of the two victims were not recovered until shortly after noon by members of the Left Beaver Emergency and Rescue Squad.

In addition to the parents and children listed, two other brothers and a sister survive. They are Dwayne, Douglas, and Tina Marie.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 this morning (Wednesday) at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church, and burial will be made in the family cemetery at Hollybush under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home

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# **City Officials Work To Improve Parking**

Prestonsburg Mayor William O. Goebel, Jr. said this week that a recommendation has been made which, it is hoped, would further enhance parking convenience in downtown Prestonsburg for shoppers

"The city council, Prestonsburg merchants and myself are just suggesting that employees who work downtown park in the large lot by the grade school rather than taking up a meter space on the street downtown," the mayor explained. "We feel it's more important to save the most convenient spaces for shoppers downtown," Goebel said.

Goebel also said that parking meter checks by city policemen are being stepped up and that yellow zones and unloading areas will be strictly enforced. "We want to eliminate all-day parking on the street," the mayor said.

"We're not trying to force anyone to park in a certain area-we just want to try this," Goebel emphasized. "And so far, most people are cooperating and it's working out real good," he added.

# **Utilities Comm. Asks Bids for Water Plant**

The Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission this week is asking bids for equipment to be used to upgrade the water treatment plant from 1,000,000 to 1,500,000 gallons of water per day capacity.

This is seen as a first step toward banishing the spectre of a water shortage which has loomed in the minds of those responsible since the plant began working at 90 per cent of capacity some time ago.

Recent approval of a loan of \$150,000 by Farmers Home Administration (FHA) to the city of Prestonsburg for enlargement of its water system has made possible the work to be undertaken.

Mayor William O. Goebel, Jr., said this week that the city is now in the process of completing paper work for a grant from HUD for \$800,000 to further increase the water plant's capacity to 3 million gallons of water a day. Total cost of the project will be \$1,100,000 of which \$300,000 would be the responsibility of the city.

Members of the Prestonsburg City Council were officially sworn in last Monday night by City Attorney Joe Hobson (left). Pictured taking the oath of office are (counter clockwise)-Harold Cooley, George Cecil Brown, Hansel Cooley, Ronald Hager, Paul Phillip Hughes, Cloyd Johnson,



# "Old Christmas" Celebrated Sunday at Lodge



A large group of area residents gathered Sunday at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, here, for the annual observance of "Old Christmas." The celebration, an old mountain custom, has become a yearly event in the area, and Sunday, as in past celebrations, mountain music and dancing were featured. Providing the music this year was a string band consisting of "Uncle" Dave Sizemore, Clifford Branham, "Lonesome" Ollie Wallen, Paul C. Tackett, Dr. Carl E. Tackett and Paul Allen (photo at left). A group of young dancers (right) performed a variety of traditional area folk dances.

# A Matter of History: The Davidson Cemetery

**By JOSEPHINE HILL HALL** 

"A Grave Matter" is the title of an article written by James A. Russell, Courier-Journal staff writer, who seems to have got his information from a Mr. T. P. Mason, Bureau of Highways, right of ways director, who does not want a graveyard on their hands, well, I must say I believe their own bad management or ignorance did just that and has greatly disturbed the Davidson heirs, and many others of this area and adjoining states are disturbed over the things they said about it.

This part of the old Davidson farm around the old Davidson cemetery was owned by the Samuel Patton Davidson, Jr. heirs, and they decided in what better way could they show love for their ancestors and friends than leave a beautiful memorial shrine in their honor. With the natural beauty of the land, perpetual care, and sale of the land, this could be done-and was.

They did not go into this for the money. They made no money. They sold plots for 15 graves for \$300. Now, the state gets \$300 for one grave plot. Due to the ill health-of-George T. Roberts, husband of -Lackey Davidson Roberts, and no one else in the family being available, they practically gave it away. I would not like to give the exact figures but they had met their goal and were happy and proud of their accomplishment: the beautiful Davidson Memorial Gardens shrine.

The first grave dug on the Davidson Cemetery at Ivel, 162 years ago, was the

John Davidson went through much hardship. A large marker marks the spot where his son Andrew's cabin burned, his children killed, his wife taken prisoner, but later redeemed by a Canadian family and reuinted with her husband on March 8, 1793. A body of 12 Indians and one white man named Rice murdered John Goolman Davidson. His nude body was later found at the roots of a beech tree. He was buried where he fell. His grave is on Wolf Creek and marked by a large native stone.

Near the grave of Samuel Patton Davidson and his wife are the graves of Alexander Lackey Davidson and his wife, Loula Walsh Davidson. Near their graves is that of Loula's brother, James Walsh, a Civil War Veteran. The Walshes were originally from West Liberty, Ky.

Near the Davidson and Walsh graves are those of Dr. Alexander Lackey Davidson Hill, D. D. S., and his brother Dr. William Joseph Hill, D.D.S., nephews of Loula and Alexander Davidson and the grandsons of Civil War veteran James Walsh. The Drs. Hill were both World War I Veterans and the sons of Samuel Spencer Hill and Alice Walsh Hill whose graves are near that of Thomas R. Hill and his wife Elizabeth Jane Davidson Hill, parents of Samuel Spencer and grandparents of the Hill brothers.

In a row of seven graves in the old Davidson plot are the graves of Alexander Hill, son of Thomas R. and Jane Davidson Hill, Alice Walsh, Elizabeth Davidson (unmarried), Jane Davidson Hill (wife of Thomas R. Hill), Victoria Hatcher (wife of George Merion Hatcher who was a member of the Hatcher family of Floyd and Pike counties). Samuel Hatcher lies near the plot of William and his wife, Emma May Hatcher The graves of Robert Donald Shepherd a World War II Veteran and Elder K. Lewis, a World War I Veteran, are there. They were grandsons of Samuel Endicott, Sr., a veteran of the Civil War and a native of this neighborhood for 96 vears Here is the grave of the Rev. J. Keith, the marrying parson of a century, a Methodist minister who lived in this vicinity. Floyd county records his name on more marriage records than any other man. Members of his family name now known are Jackson, Harmon and Ball. He died in 1875. Everyone remembered him as Preacher Billy. The legend on the stone reads as if the old minister were speaking to us. It says "I have fought a good fight-I have kept the faith. A large triple monument is near the old Davidsons, bearing the names of Rebecca Burchett, daughter of James and Betty Nunnery Burchett and Nell Ruth Burchett Click and husband Bascom Click. Nearby is a double marker for Will and Martha Clark Hunt. Elizabeth Jane Hill lies beside her father, Samuel S. Hill. Edward Stewart and a stone bearing the name Hill (still born) are near that of their father, Dr. Alexander Lackey Hill. Others are those of Samuel P. and Judith Morgan; Greenville R. Davidson, who served in the Civil War on the confederate side and later as county court clerk for years; Matilda Davidson, who married Andrew Jackson May, the confederate leader in the Big Sandy; Martha Davidson Kendell wife of Weckliff Kendell, of Morgan county, a very prominent politician, first as Judge then in higher offices in the state. Walking around the old part of the Davidson cemetery, you will find Floyd county names other than Davidson, Lackey and Morgan. They are Stephens, Dillon, Caldwell, Floyd and Laura Dillon Ratcliff. Samuel and Kate Damron Dillon, Lawrence E. Thacker with a government marker on a marble slab, a W. W. I. veteran and the father of Homer and Sam Thacker One stone marks the graves of Sam and Rachel Branham Dillon. Many an old person remembers them. They were tenants for a lifetime for the Davidsons and were known as Aunt Rachel and Uncle Sam and lived beside the road under the shadows of the trees in the old gravevard There is the stone of Fredrick C. Workman and his wife, Fannie C. Ward Workman (who survives). It is near that of

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wife, Marguarite Dillon Taylor.

Near the top of the old cemetery are three stones almost alike bearing the names of William Joseph Hill, W. W. I veteran, and his wife, Mary Farley Hill. who survives; Lawrence Keathley and his wife, Virginia Hatcher Keathley (surviving), and James Green and his wife May Hatcher Green, who survives.

A large stone marks the graves of Bertram Lee Porter born Oct. 4, 1887 and his wife, Margie May Harris Porter. Bertram Lee Porter was the son of Cordelia Angaline Hatcher and Isaac Newton Porter. Cordelia Angaline Hatcher, daughter of John Lee Hatcher and Elizabeth Priscilla Hatcher, born Nov. 25, 1855, died in 1928 and was

married to Isaac Newton Porter in 1879. Isaac Newtom, born Jan. 27, 1857, died on Nov. 23, 1822. John Hatcher is in the line of grandsons of John G. Hatcher. John G. Hatcher and Nancy Hackworth Hatcher came from the family estate called Careby Estate in Lincolnshire England. William Hatcher immigrated to America and was prominent in public affairs. He was fined 10,000 pounds of tobacco and 8,000 pounds of dressed pork for his majesty's soldiers for the part he played in Bacon's Rebellion which the historian Bancroft called the early harbinger of the American Revolution. He was in the Colonial Wars and many other things of interest. Margie May Harris Porter is in

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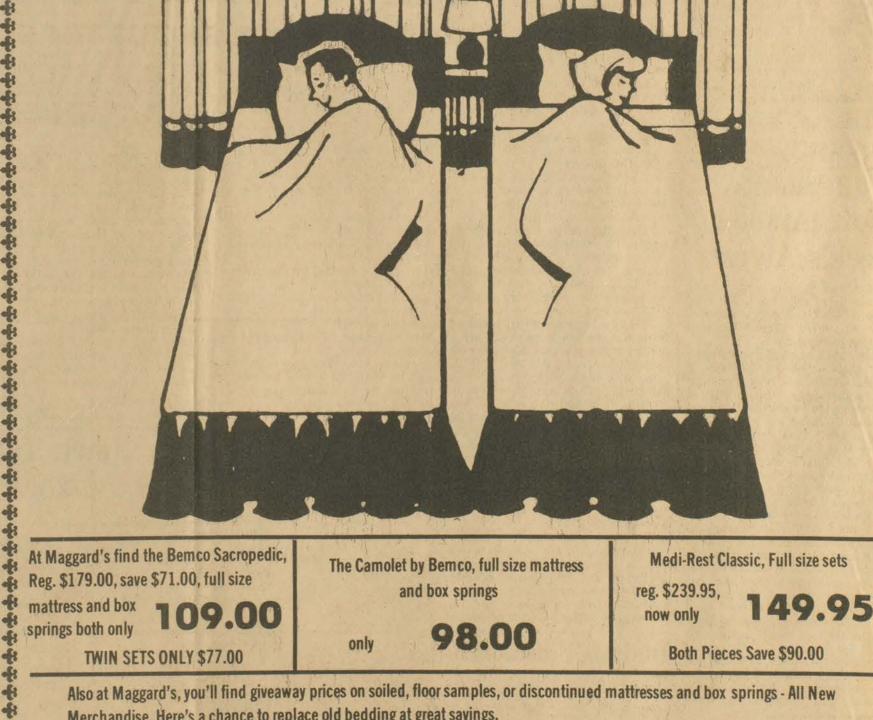


earthy Mausoleum of two men. They were Col. David Morgan and William C. Morgan, his son, both killed in a murderous rage by Edward Orsborne in 1813. I have been told by old members of both families that Orsborne's mother, a Leslie from our old prominent family of Floyd county, went into the split rail hog lot and pulled out the body of Col. David Morgan to keep it from being eaten by the hogs. After Col. Morgan's military service he was made sheriff of Floyd county and was killed in the line of duty. Since then many represenatives of the early settler's family have found a last place to rest here.

Davidson Memorial Gardens is a beautifully wooded slope shaded by cedars, and in my younger days was covered by Myrtle and was always well kept by members of the old Davidson family and by close friends. Rev. Isaac Stratton held services there for 50 years. Rev. Stratton was dearly loved by all who knew him. He rode horseback through snow and rain to give comfort to bereaved families who had lost loved ones. He died at age 96, sadly missed.

Near the Morgan grave lies buried Alexander Lackey, born May 25, 1772 in Pittsylvania county, Va. He married Judith Morgan, daughter of Col. David Morgan, March 17, 1798. Floyd county did not exist then. The state of Kentucky was only six years old. Lackey came to the Big Sandy and served in a greater official capacity than any other man. He was a magistrate in 1817, sheriff 1827-1829, was sworn in as tax commissioner Jan. 24, 1827, was succeeded by J. P. Harris March 17, 1828. He may have resigned to become sheriff. He and Electius Howes were joint tax commissioners in 1840. His first important office was that of circuit judge, a position he held three terms being sworn in June 28, 1808. He was state senator from 1819 to 1823 and served five terms as a member of the lower house of the Legislature. No one since has approached his record for office holding. He died in December, 1862.

Samuel Patton Davidson and his wife, Judith Morgan Lackey Davidson, lie near the Morgans and Lackeys. Samuel Patton Davidson is the son of Joseph Davidson who did not come to Kentucky to live. His home, a three-story cabin can now be seen in the city park in Bluefield, W. Va. Joseph Davidson was the son of John Goolman Davidson, born in Dublin, Ireland and married to Martha Draper. He enlisted in the French and Indian War on Feb. 21, 1756. He brought with him to Philadelphia, Jane, George, Thomas, William and Samuel, a good start on replenishing the Davidson blood in their new country. After the necessary period of time he was granted 200 acres of land here the city of Bluefield now stands.



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# Named To Head New Program **Initiated in Four Area Schools**

Miss Diane Matthews, of Lexington, has been named school psychometrist for four schools in this area for a new program initiated to identify students with special needs and give them the individual attention needed.

Region XI superintendents Charles F. Clark, Floyd County, Oran Teater, Paintsville Independent, Herald Whitaker, Magoffin County, and Charles E. Spears, Pikeville Independent, elected to use part of Title IV funds to finance the only program of this type in Kentucky so funded. The project was approved by the Division of Title IV in Frankfort, December 1, and Miss Matthews began work from the Kentucky Educational Development Region XI office here, January 5.

Testing of students in this county is already underway. In addition, Miss Matthews will design individual prescriptions for each student needing special placement according to data obtained from evaluation tests, and will consult with parents of students in special classes to explain the program and its objectives in order to foster a better understanding of the child and his needs

Superintendent of Floyd county schools, Charles F. Clark, said that he feels the program is "extremely important in view of the funding plan which is tentatively scheduled to go into effect in July." He indicated that with this pupil-testing program in effect, the schools involved should be able to qualify for more funds to be used for those students who need special equipment, that is, those with hearing or visual problems, for example, as well as other special needs.

Miss Matthews received her A.B. degree in psychology from Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., and her M.A. in Educational Psychology from the University of Kentucky where she completed the School Psychological Diagnostician Program. In addition she was awarded a





fellowship with the University of Virginia

Hospital's Psychiatry Department and a

National Science Foundation grant for

psychiatric research at the University of

Reo Johns, KEDR XI's executive

director, said, "These four superin-

tendents have demonstrated through use

of their Title IV funds for this project

their concern with the education of every

child in their districts, and I am sure with

Miss Matthews background and ex-

perience, she will do a fine service for

Job Opportunity

The Floyd County Health Department

is now accepting applications for the

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# **New Care Level Benefits Many**

Frankfort, Ky.-A new level of care which will immediately benefit 2,029 Kentuckians has been established by the state Comprehensive Health Planning Council.

The council recommended that 20 group homes with a maximum of eight persons in each be established during 1976-77 to meet an anticipated immediate need of 254 beds.

Under the group home care system, mentally retarded-developmentally disabled persons would receive care from infancy through old age. The homes would be located near social service agencies, public health agencies and recreational facilities. The new system meets the philosophy of Gov. Carroll and the Department for Human Resources of moving these people into a home setting as much as possible.

Persons under this system of care would receive rehabilitation services in an atmosphere that would not restrict personal freedom. Another advantage is that the costs are approximately 40 per cent less than larger institutions. In addition, the system may minimize the negative effects of labeling, avoid the depressing effects of institutionalization and will not duplicate existing community resources, but provide a greater choice of services for patients and the family.

The new level of care is less intense than intermediate care which is characterized by long-term rehabilitation treatment. However, it is more intense than the personal care level which provides non-medical institutional care for persons who are unable to meet their own personal needs.

The new level of care will be studied by the long-term care committee to write regulations governing group homes, and a mental health committee will be established by the council to study the present facilities and this level of care.

The council also adopted a policy that any facility which changes its location must obtain a certificate of need for that location. When there is a change in ownership, the applicant must apply for a new license. Also, when there is a change in ownership of a certificate that is not completed, a new certificate of need must be obtained.

The council approved application of Allen's Rest Home, Inc., West Liberty, to convert seven personal care beds to intermediate care beds.

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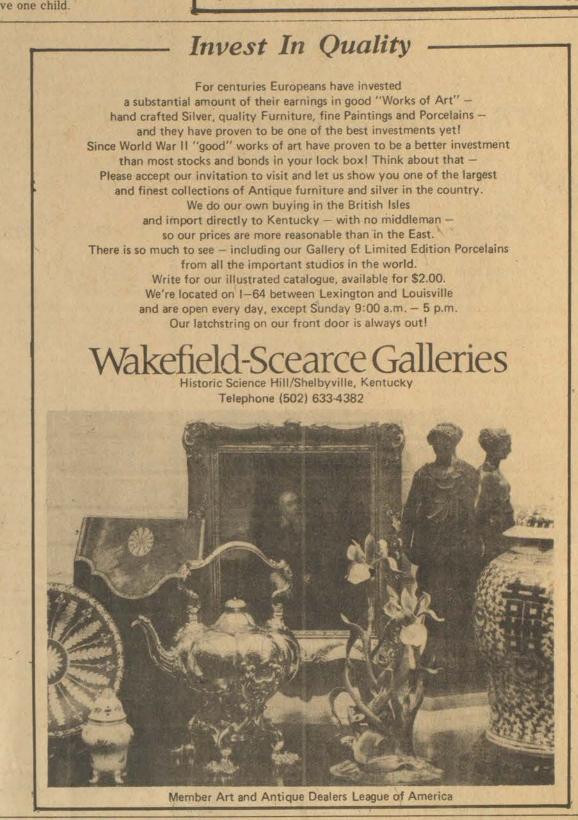
MOREHEAD, Ky .- Dan Collins, of Marlowe, has completed his first semester as a staff member at Morehead State University. A graduate of MSU, he is the director of refrigerator rentals and the Lakewood Terrace housing area.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Collins, of Isom, he is married to the former Charlotte McKinney, of Melvin. They have one child.

# ATTENTION

Floyd County Sanitation, Inc. request those subscribers of the Garbage Pick-up who need a Coupon Book or want to send in their payments to call 874-9437 or write to: FLOYD COUNTY SANITATION, P.O. Box 47, West Prestonsburg, Ky. 41668.

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Times, 10, 20, 30 and 40 years ago)

(January 13, 1966)

The war in Viet Nam came home to Floyd county this week as it was

learned that Cpl. Arvel Dewitt Akers, Jr., 20, of the U. S. Marines, formerly

of Grethel, was killed last Friday, and Staff Sgt. Burl Slone, 29, formerly of

Blue River, was wounded, in action in that conflict . . . A "Draft Combs for

county sufferers from meningitis during the outbreak of the disease in

Kentucky have recovered, it was said this week by the Floyd County Health

Department . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Little, a daughter, Gina Carol,

December 30 at the Prestonsburg General hospital . . . There died: Hobert

Burton, 71, of Auxier, Jan. 5 at Richmond, Virginia; Mart Wicker, 84, for-

merly of Amba, last Thursday at the Prestonsburg General hospital: Mrs.

Ellen Sexton, 69, of Drift, January 8 at the McDowell Appalachian Regional

hospital; Mrs. Eliza Bates, 81, January 9 at her home at Kite; Robert Mit-

(January 12, 1956)

Prestonsburg, Sunday night was a clever hoax, Prestonsburg police

declared today (Thursday) ... The Prestonsburg Board of Education at its

Monday evening meeting issued a four-year contract to Chalmer H. Frazier

as superintendent of city schools . . . 664,385 persons visited Dewey Lake, the

area's biggest attraction, last year, establishing a new record for the impoundment, according to J. R. "Red" Weaver, reservoir manager... As a

stopgap measure to meet this community's acute need for funds to continue

care of polio patients, a check for \$2,100.00 from March of Dimes

headquarters in New York was received last Thursday by the Floyd County

Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis . . . Married

Miss Laura Hale, of Manton, and Sgt. Bill Kilburn, of Martin, during the

Christmas holidays; Miss Bobby Jean Holbrook and Mr. Glen Gene Van-

derpool, of Chelsea, Michigan, Saturday night at the home of the Rev. John

P. Carr, of Martin . . . Born: to the Rev. and Mrs. Orville Pearson, a

daughter, Margaret Gladys, Jan. 7 at the Prestonsburg General hospital; to

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snavely, a son, Dec. 26 at a Petersburg, Va. hospital; to

Mr. and Mrs. DeGarmo DeRossett, of Prestonsburg, a son, Gregory Ray,

Tuesday . . . There died: Rev. Ed Howard, of Garrett, Wednesday at Our

Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; Wayne Bradley, 51, last Wednesday at

Clearwater, Fla.; Alex Wright, 51, of Hunter, Monday in a slatefall in No. 22

mine of the Island Creek Coal Company at Holden, W. Va.; Frank Rister, 59,

last Saturday at his home at Garrett; Thomas Anthony Jenkins, 40, formerly

of Weeksbury, last Monday at Huntington, W. Va.; James Whitaker, 79,

Monday at his home at Bonanza; Mrs. Alka Mellon Thompson, 52, January 5

at Miami, Fla.; Sol Patton, 94, of Hueysville, last Saturday at the home of a

The suspected attempt to blast the First Assembly of God Church, West

chell, 71, of Amba, January 9, at the Prestonsburg General hospital

Governor" movement was launched in Ashland recently .

Ten Years Ago

**Twenty Years Ago** 

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Indicted for assault in the first degree, in the Nov. 5 shooting and wounding of Tivis (Bo) Neeley, were Melvin Hoover, Carl Edward Whitaker, Carlos Hoover and Jasper Hicks. Neeley's brother, Russell, was also slightly wounded in the incident which was said to have occurred as the Neeley's were driving out of the Patton Fork of Raccoon where the Hoovers and Tivis Neeley reside.

Others indicted and charges against each follow:

Fred Osborne, first degree wanton endangerment (shooting into house of Dorris Osborne); Earl Patrick, three separate indictments charging second degree forgery (checks written to the First Guaranty Bank, Martin); Elmer Patton, theft of tools owned by William Stumbo, valued at \$250; Kenneth Ray Webb, first degree sexual abuse of a female by force; Gordon Bole, first degree wanton endangern. t (shooting in the direction of Lawrence Hicks); Jonathan Conn, theft by deception by issuing a worthless check in the amount of \$150.00 to Johnny Allen, Jr.; Harold Damron, theft by taking an electric saw owned by James Hall; Bubby Hayden, theft in cash and checks of Patton's Market (\$7,000); Rex Music, theft by deception (worthless check to Bank Josephine in the amount of \$400).

placed in a circle around the large stone as they pass away. First was a daughter, Mary E. Davidson Roberts, died Sept. 16, 1931, burial Sept. 18, 1931, the same date as her father's burial. There were only two days' difference in their deaths, both after extended illnesses. Others are James Morgan Davidson, a W. W. I veteran and his wife,Gertrude Weddington Davidson; Willie Mellon, husband of Anna May Hatcher Mellon, who survives; Dolly Lafferty Mellon, mother of Willie Mellon; Roy Perry, husband of Douglas Davidson Perry; George T. Roberts, husband of Judith Lackey Davidson Roberts; James Garnett and his wife, Cynthia Davidson Garnett; the infant son of May Kenny Roberts and E. D. Roberts; the mother of May Kenny Roberts; John P. M. Davidson and daughter, Loula Davidson Troutman; Dr. A. J. Davidson, a W. W. I veteran and a faithful old physician who rode horseback through the snow and swollen streams for miles around Prestonsburg to deliver babies and attend to the ill and dying; Mary Davidson Allen and her daughter, Jo Ann; C. L. Hutsinpiller, a well-remembered pharmacist of Prestonsburg, and his wife, Maxine Allen Hutsinpiller (who survives); Judith Morgan Davidson Archer. A mausoleum slightly Porth contains the bodies of Alexander L. Davidson and his wife, Alta Stephens Davidson (Alex spent most of his younger days in the Old Bank Josephine. He was elected county judge of Floyd county before retiring); and Andrew Jackson Davidson, married to Josie Martin Davidson. He was owner of the old Davidson cemetery and left it to the heirs at his death.

Lots of History in the Big Sandy was written by these dead, some of them were

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# Letters to the Editor

Irate Basketball Fan **Pins Our Ears Back** 

beloved Prestonsburg Blackcats! Just to

make sure that you can't plead

ignorance, I would like to take this op-

portunity to inform you that there are

four more high school basketball teams

in this county: Allen Central Rebels,

Betsy Layne Bobcats, McDowell

Daredevils and Wheelwright Trojans.

These teams play almost weekly, and

some of them have fared very well in

tournament play, both in and out of this

county. But they have received little, or

no, recognition. I know that I speak for

many other sports fans when I say that

we are sick and tired of taking a backseat

to one particular team. In the future, if

you continue to fail to supply coverage of

the entire county, please stop pretending

MISS BENITA RILEY

University of Ky.

Lexington, Ky. 40506

Miss Riley has a valid point when she

criticises the basketball coverage in The

Times. We have never been satisfied with

our sports coverage, but a small staff and

the distance between places of play,

which is almost always at night, make it

next to impossible, for us to give our own

coverage of the full basketball story in

For this reason, we have at various

times suggested to coaches that they

designate one of their students to supply

us their basketball reports. In the event

that we neglected to do this for the

Last year, County Clerk C. "Ollie"

Robinson contributed a weekly sports

roundup-football, basketball and

baseball-and this perhaps came nearer

to a consistent report than any we have

had. Last fall Brian Sturgill, a student at

Prestonsburg High, began reporting on

his school's football games. The

youngster has talent, and we were glad to

current season, we now ask this help.

our county.

to be a county-wide newspaper

Dear Floyd County Times,

**Thanks Homemakers EDITOR:** 

I would like to thank the Ladies of (Or should I say "Prestonsburg City North Prestonsburg Homemakers Club. Times"?!) As a fan of Floyd County They gave lovely fruit baskets to all sports, I, for one, am very disappointed patients of second floor at Highlands in the so-called sports section of your Regional Hospital. Those things mean so paper. By following the results published much to the old folks who must stay in the "Floyd Co. Times", it is virtually there. They can't all say thanks for your impossible to keep up with any team, visit. I would like to say it for them. My with the obvious exception of your mother is one of the dear old ladies there.

> Thank You Mrs. Peggy Kinsley

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model snaps together at the top, presumably, but in fact only the second snap works. So it was that when I stopped to chat with an acquaintance, then rose to return to my room, there crept upon me the sinking sensation that something was slipping. The snap had come unsnapped. A film of that sudden hitch in my loping gait and of the desperate clutch not of an aching midriff but of the confounded garment might have made a picture

Then there was the outer garment-the robe, a deep-blue job with white trim, offwrist sleeves, my deah, and half-spank in length. I was informed that this was a 'must" if I were to venture outside my room, also that I might save my strength by surrendering meekly. I did.

to have family and friends rally round, just as you knew they would. The hospital staff as I know this fourth floor crew is great-kind, patient and wonderfully efficient.

divest me of my regalia till the third day to put me into an "angel gown."

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In making nominations to the governing board of EKSHA, careful consideration is being urged not only of the nominees qualifications but also of the time the nominee has to devote to the health needs of those they will represent. General membership is open to all

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rivalling Little Liza Crossing the Ice.

No foolin', it's worth getting a little sick

They're so considerate that they didn't

program.

daughter; Philip Marion (Boy) Dingus, Sunday at his home at Hite; Mrs. Tenie Davis, 59, formerly of this county, Dec. 29 at her home at Louisa

## Thirty Years Ago

#### (January 10, 1946)

City, county and state authorities today (Thursday) were engaged in an investigation into the murders of two Prestonsburg policemen-Albert (Davey) Horn, 47, and Orbin Moore, 46-whose bodies were found this morning, in an automobile on Garfield avenue near the West Prestonsburg bridge .... Representative Jerry Fonce Howell, of Gearheart, this county, won the Democratic floor leadership of the Kentucky House of Representatives Monday by a one-vote margin over John Young Brown, of Lexington . Floyd county had another huge clean-up job on its hands this week after hours-long rain in unseasonable spring-like weather had sent every stream in the county past flood stage . . . County Attorney W. W. Burchett announced this week that highway officials have indicated they will construct through the business section of Martin sidewalks, storm sewers, curbs and gutters .

Married: Miss Lucille Roberts, of Martin, and Mr. Charles Kenneth Harrison, Dec. 15 at the Asbury Methodist Church; Miss Betty Jean Childers and Cpl. Orville Lawson, both of Garrett, Dec. 23; Miss Carlos Maureen Hale, of West Prestonsburg, and Mr. Arthur N. Haywood, of Wayland, Sunday, December 30 at the home of the bride; Miss Nelma Martin, of Drift, and Mr. Willie F. Hall, of Martin, Dec. 22 in Lexington . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Caldwell, of Woods, a son, Bill Frank, December 13 . . . There lied: Vester Howell, 23, last Thursday at his home at Dony: Clyde F. Hall, 34, Sunday at his home at Honaker; Mrs. Thalitha Rice, 88, of Banner, last Wednesday at the home of a daughter at Banner; A. J. Hicks, 70, Monday at his home at Hippo; Mrs. Sophia Kidd, 71, Wednesday at her home at Dana; Mrs. Frances Goble Jarrell, 80, last Thursday at the home of her son on Cow Creek

**Our Yesterdays** the line of the John Graham (Revolutionary soldier) granddaughters. John William Hatcher and James Samuel Hatcher, who are buried in this old cemetery, are from the same line of

. Two Floyd

Hatchers as above. About 50 years ago a new fence was put around the old cemetery. Uncle Sam Davidson came up from Prestonsburg and said it needed to be made larger. He walked quite a distance northwardly, then up the hill, then back to the southern end, quite an enlargement. He stopped, circled his arm over the plot and said "I want room for all my old friends and neighbors and relatives who wish to be buried here. I love all the people of Prater Creek, Ivy Creek and Daniels Creek, we grew up together.'

Along the northern end, all around the new addition, you will find the names Damron, Hall, Calvert, Rice, and Porter. Martha and Farris Porter are buried near two of their sons who were veterans of World War II-Lawrence and Brooks Porter.

Hattie Lewis and Hannah Crum, twin sisters, are marked by one stone. Others are Marion, Lewis, Rice, Osborne, Hunt, Goble, Dale, Preacher Johnny King and members of his family. The unmarked grave of Melvin Romans, a member of the Frank and Jesse James family (cousins) Bill Brown, brother of Molly Neal Hatcher, Edward Jarvis.

Rebecca Clark Hall, a granddaughter in line of John Graham . . . Rebecca Witten Graham has six members of her family near, almost in the shadows of the tall monument in the old graveyard. They are Ruth Elenor Hall Ratcliff. Edyth Hall Mullins, Ida May Hall, Edgar H. Hall, a 1st lieutenant in World War I, Bobby Gene Hall, a World War II veteran, and Glendon K. Hall, also a World War II veteran.

I am sure that all Revolutionary names in this article are related by blood and marriage and helped to build this Big Sandy Valley and tributaries.

Under the shadows of the old cedarcovered cemetery is a stone marked, Hall and Paul, and it marks the graves of Lemmie Walsh Hall and granddaughters, Betty Lou Paul. Joe Dillon, son of Uncle Sam, is near his son-in-law. Graham Williamson, a World War I veteran and General Lawfette Amburgy, 1859-1901, are buried close.

Samuel Endicott, 1864-1941, and his wife Alice, 1871-1845, are buried there. They lived for years on the northern extremity of the Big Bottoms that marked the Davidson acres, the Samuel S. Hill part of the farm.

The black man, Ralph Able, came here with the railroad. The Grant Weddington family made a place for his keep. They later developed typhoid fever, as the Samuel S. Hill family also did. Ralph, by crossing the Big Sandy in a boat to go from one home to the other, helped to care for both families, took care of the livestock, carried water and helped anywhere he was needed. Ralph was unfortunate enough to contact the dreaded disease and died in about 1902. He, too, was buried on the Davidson cemetery, not far from the Samuel P. Davidson monument. The grave is marked by a concrete block that bears only the name, Ralph. It seems there was no hatred for the blackman by those old families in those days. They have left a record of peace and harmony with all mankind, until what is about to become the end of the name. But the old cemetery will remain there with perpetual care and in memory of the old families and old soldiers of all wars. A large family stone erected by Josephine Hill Hall: Three headstones bearing the names Josephine Hill Hall, Aug. 11, 1901-; James B. Hall, Oct. 28, 1903-Dec. 4, 1956; Henry Eugene Hall, Aug. 25, 1936-Sept. 27, 1974. He has a government marker on a marble slab, U. S. Marine Corps.

encourage him. He continued when the basketball season rolled around.

But that doesn't help Wheelwright, Betsy Layne, McDowell and Allen Central. We want to remedy the situation, and perhaps we should thank Miss Riley for her sharp reminder.

On another point we do not thank her. Rather, we resent the implication that we have wilfully neglected any team and that we are "The Prestonsburg City Times.'

We even publish the honor rolls of any school which submits them to us, and Miss Riley surely knows that no "city" newspaper could ever, ever be oldfashioned enough to recognize scholastic excellence.-THE EDITOR.

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Hospital of Pikeville withdrawing its existing Certificate of Need for one unit. The second station's approval is contingent upon decision of the revised State Plan for Kidney Dialysis and Transplantation.

Other action of the Council included the approval with stipulations for the Breathitt County Primary Care Center at Jackson to construct and operate a primary care center at an estimated cost, exclusive of land requisition, of \$250,000. The stipulation is that the Kentucky Plan for Health Facilities Development is amended to reflect the need for additional outpatient facilities, and approval of the amendment by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

## **KSBA** Meet Scheduled Jan. 18-20 at Louisville

Governor Julian Carroll, Superintendent of Public Instruction Dr. James B. Graham, and Arizona Superintendent of Public Instruction and former school board leader Carolyn Warner, will be three of the featured speakers at the 40th Annual State Convention of the Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA).

KSBA President Dr. Clay C. Parks, chairman of the Grant County Board of Education, will preside over the convention, to be held from January 18-20, at Louisville's Bluegrass Convention Center.

More than 600 school board members, administrators and others interested in public education are expected to assemble in Louisville on Sunday, January 18 for the opening of the convention that afternoon with registration from 3:00-5:00 p.m., followed by the first

residents in the above named counties and nominations to the governing board may be made by individuals or organizations whose representatives are general members. The number of board members for each region is based on population.

Forms for general membership and for nomination to the governing board may be found elsewhere in this week's Times. These should be mailed no later than January 28 to Big Sandy Comprehensive Health Planning Council, 404 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

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Lawrence Conley and James Clayton Conley in the spring of 1972. His trial was first delayed on a change of venue to Pike circuit court where the case was dismissed. After the dismissal, Jones was reindicted by the Floyd grand jury, but the trial was further delayed when the Commonwealth attempted to secure another change of venue.

The Commonwealth's objections to Monday's proceedings were summed up in this excerpt from that office's statement: "The Commonwealth of Kentucky prefers to try this man in front of a jury and let a jury set his sentence of guilty or not guilty and if it is guilty, the number of years of punishment, and the Commonwealth of Kentucky objects to the entire proceeding.'

County Attorney Stumbo said the judge's ruling will be appealed at once and recommended that "this action should be set aside by the Court of Appeals of Kentucky.'

"I've never seen or heard of anything like it since I started practicing law, said Stumbo, who has been involved with the case for the past four years as chief prosecutor.

Commonwealth's Attorney Allen said the ruling may well hurt the Commonwealth's position in court. "After a ruling such as this, juries may fail to see the point in handing down a conviction or indictment," Allen said.

Charger of aiding and abetting against Agnel Jones, father of the defendant, were dismissed by Judge Walters, it was reported.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to everyone who was so kind and helpful to us in our time of trouble. Your kind words and good deeds can never be forgotten. A special thanks to the Floyd Funeral Home and also to Bros. Wallace Calhoun. May God Bless all of you

# Forty Years Ago

#### (January 10, 1936)

Quarantine established in the Caleb Fork section of Weeksbury following the recent outbreak of spinal meningitis there was lifted Monday ... Threat of litigation following the appointment by the new city council at its December 27 meeting of three new policemen for Prestonsburg was removed Monday evening when the council met and ironed out existing differences . . . On the first day of his service as chief of police of Wayland, Ben Whittaker's right leg was broken by a bullet said to have been fired early Tuesday night by an Estill man . . . Tuesday and Wednesday of next week Cledo, internationally known mentalist, will be seen at The Unique Theatre here in conjunction with John Bowles and Dixie Lee in "Red Heads On Parade" on the screen . . . Jim Clifton found what is believed to be the first snake of the year near the river here Wednesday when he chased a rabbit into a hole which turned out to be headquarters for a 5-foot, six-inch snake, which, Clifton said, was stiff as an icicle . . . There died: Mrs. Hetti Surgerner, 91, Tuesday at her home on Town Branch; Mrs. Joe Branham, 33, January 1 at her home on Turkey Creek; Mrs. Mary Adeline Layne Stratton, 71, at the home of a daughter at Betsy Layne

# **Extension Service News**

#### By JACK M. FRIAR (County Extension Agent 4-H)

1975 4-H AWARD WINNERS

One hundred twenty Floyd County 4-H club members are receiving recognition this month for outstanding achievement in club work during 1975. These members will be recognized with county 4-H medals and patches.

Members receiving recognition include: Beef-Ronnie Lawson, Chris Lawson; Bread Making-Kim Sturgill, Ruth Adkins; Clothing-Jayne Pitts, Ann Flanery, Vicky Blackburn, Linda Boggs; Achievement-Mark Westfall, Ann Flanery, Jeff Martin; Agriculture-Tim Collins, Teddy Meadows, Donnie Hicks, Paul Layne; Outstanding Campers-Bonita Terry, Toby Spradlin, Barry Handshoe, McKay Reynolds; Conservation-Todd Tackett, Lance Blackburn, Dale Marton, Gary Kidd; Home Economics-Lara Hopkins, Debbie Reffett; Dairy Foods-Kathy Collins; Dog-Valorie Hale; Electric-Donna Layne, Jerry Trimble, Kathy Hamilton. Peggy Tackett; Entomology-John Flanery; Foods-Linda Goble, Joann Sturgill, Kathy Hurd, Linda Boggs, Connie Turnley, Ann Flanery, Vicky Blackburn, Debbie Reffett, Mary Westfall, Sandy Campbell, Toby Spradlin, Danise Lawson; Health-Sandy Cole, Pam Clark, Debbie Reffett,

Blackburn; Home Management-Rita Cline, Janice Hurd, Vicky Blackburn;

Horse-Mike Parsons; Citizenship-John Flanery, Ann Flanery; Lawn Improvement-Melvin May; Style Revue-Lena Layne, Lisa Layne, Kathy Collins, Susie Burchett, Vicky Blackburn, Ann Flanery, Hilda Hunt, Connie Burchett, Joan Sturgill, Dani Smith, Lisa Ousley, Kathy Heintzleman, Debbie Reffett, Sandy Cole, Jayne Pitts, Lara Hopkins; Camp Leadership Patch-Sandy Campbell, Linda Boggs, Beverly May, Mary Westfall, Debbie Reffett, Gia Hall, Ann Flanery, Connie Turnley, Bobby Rowe, Jeff Martin, Anthony Moore, Jeff Campbell, Paul Peters, wier Toby Spradlin

A. L. Witten, 1844-1875, and his mother Polly Lackey Witten, 1800-1887, are marked by one stone.

Bill Osborne, W. W. II veteran, is buried on a small cemetery nearby. Adjacent to the old burial place on a beautiful knoll is the large Davidson family stone near the center of the plot facing the highway with the name, Samuel Patton Davidson, Jr., Sept. 6, 1854-Sept. 15, 1931 (he was a merchant); Laura May Davidson, Dec. 5, 1863-July 10, 1960. On the back of the stone is the name, Davidson. The family is being

pioneers, early settlers who came to preempt the Great Bottoms. All founded nomes and helped to develop the valley.

But, long before that, Alexander Lackey served in the Revolutionary War.

Decades later, when the first grave was dug to bury the Morgans, the War of 1812 was raging. The cemetery was there. When the boatsmen dropped down the Big Sandy on their way to Newport to sign up for the Mexican War. Nearby, almost at the foot of the cemetery hill General "Bull" Nelson planted the cannon in 1861 to fight the battle of Ivy Mountain and banged away at Col. Andrew Jackson May, the Confederate. A lot of history occurred around the cemetery in its 162 years.

This is some history from the old cemetery. I am sure there is quite a bit in the 2,000 graves filled in the new part and that there will be much more in the 3,000 yet to be filled.

## **Potter Medical Clinic**

#### **Has New Phone Numbers**

The Potter Medical Clinic at Lackey has acquired two new telephone numbers and can now be reached at 358-2381 or 358-2391.

Sa	00,
Ladies'	1/2 OFF
LEATHER COATS	1/3 OFF
Racks of SPORTSWEAR	1/2 OFF
Ladies' DRESSES & PANT SU	JITS 1/2 OFF
SHOES BUY ONE PAIR	AT REGULAR HER PAIR FOR 1c.
STOP & S	

Leadership-Sandy Campbell, Linda Boggs, Beverly May, Ann Flanery, Connie Turnley, Anthony Moore; Petroleum Power-Todd O'Brian, Larry Parsons, Myles Robinette, Ricky Ferrell, Stanley Hays; Photography-Sherry Watkins, Susan Ross, Kim Sturgill; Public Speaking-Chris Stephens, Teddy

Meadows, Lisa Ousley, Mike Banks, Susan McCown; Safety-Chris Conn, Ricky Conn, Terry Epling, Teresa Huff; Vet Science-Jackie Hall, Debbie Watts, Vicky Blackburn, Joann Sturgill; Garden-Todd Halbert, Randy Martin;

# **Those Eligible Urged To Apply For Food Stamps**

Floyd county pioneered the Food Stamp program with the first state pilot program in May, 1961. The state administered Food Stamp program began in 1964

Businesses in Floyd county are benefiting from the program as well as food stamp users. During the month of October, the 1,904 households participating paid \$108,088.25 for the stamps and received \$295,464 worth of food. This means that \$187,375.75 is brought into the county each month and spent locally.

According to the 1970 Census figures, Floyd county has an estimated population of 39,500 persons. The per cent of these persons with an income less than 125 per cent of the poverty level is 49.7 which means that there are a possible 19,632 persons in Floyd county eligible for food stamps.

"One of the problems in recruiting people for food stamps is the notion that food stamps have to be paid for and therefore are not worth it," says Bill Arnett, area outreach coordinator for Eastern Kentucky.

Arnett is one of four area outreach coordinators hired by the Department for Human Resources (DHR) Bureau for Social Insurance to serve the state. They are responsible for providing information about food stamps within their respective areas.

They work with volunteers, civic groups and organizations that help with the food stamp program, such as Community Action Agencies

In addition, they distribute food stamp information to all public places frequented by potential applicants, such as drugstores, laundromats and bus stations

Food Stamp payments start at \$0, increase on a graduated scale and are determined by income, resources, deductions and size of household. No two situations are identical. For example, two four-member families with equal gross incomes may not pay the same amount for \$150 worth of stamps. The amount of food stamps purchased is the same for a net size of household, but the cost per family is rarely the same.

A four-member family can purchase \$154 worth of food stamps. With a net monthly income of under \$20, the purchase price is \$0; net income of \$150 to \$169.99, the price if \$41. If the net income is \$513 or over, the household is not eligible.

Persons who think they might be eligible for food stamps should check with the local Bureau for Social Insurance office and bring the following: Social Security card; Names and occupations of family members and others in the home; Record of income being received now, including social security, supplemental security income or Veteran's Administratin checks, if applicable.

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Arnett is stationed in the Magoffin county Bureau for Social Insurance office and is available to answer any questions at the following numbers: 606-349-3104 or 886-3871.

Not Yet in Gear Frankfort, Ky.-A new court system went into effect in Kentucky at the first of the year, but it may be a few months

**New Court System** 

change About the only difference between the old system and the new one is the name of the state's highest court. The former Court of Appeals is now called the state Supreme Court.

before the average citizen notices any

However, the judicial amendment to the state constitution approved by the voters last November will eventually bring changes that all citizens will notice. The amendment does away with all local courts such as quarterly courts, police courts and county courts, and replaces them with district courts manned by trained attorneys.

It also creates another Court of Appeals which will act as an intermediate avenue of appeal and hopefully reduce the backlog of cases that were before the old Court of Appeals.

However, for the time being, things will continue as they were, with the new Supreme Court hearing all appeals.

Scott Reed, the first chief justice of the Supreme Court, said "in the immediate future we will be working on implementation, and in the meantime, general court procedures will be like before until the Court of Appeals is implemented. That will be the first major noticeable change."

Reed said there was no way to hazard a guess as to when the new Court of Appeals would be in full operation, "but hopefully before the middle of the year."

He said part of the slowup is the fact that the 1976 General Assembly, which convenes today, must set up the terms of office for members of a nominating commission which will recommend a total of 52 names to Gov. Julian Carroll for appointment to the new court.

Carroll will name 14 new Court of Appeals judges, two from each of the

# **Use of Highway Markers Increasing**

Reflectorized raised pavement markers will be placed on portions of non-interstate highways in 15 Kentucky counties next summer under a contract for which the state Bureau of Highways will take bids Dec. 18.

Gov. Julian M. Carroll said similar markers recently placed along center lines of some major Kentucky highways are definite safety factors and have been very well received by the public. The Transportation Department will let a single contract to cover all the work in the 15-county area. The markers will be put on other than four-lane superhighways, which were the first to get them. The work will be started next spring and completed during the 1976 construction season. Department spokesmen said that the epoxy-applied

current seven judicial districts, who will serve until the November general election, when the appellate judges will be elected.

'The Supreme Court has entered orders that appeals from circuit courts will be taken to it like formerly until other-wise provided," Reed said. "It has also entered an order that appeals from other courts will continue to the circuit courts during this transition period.

One change has put Reed in administrative charge of all courts in the state, down to the lowest police court. However, he will have little say over the lower courts, which go out of existence in 1978 and will continue under their old budgeting system.

However, he does have control over the financing for other courts and is currently working on the budget for circuit courts, the new Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court to present to the legislature.

## Save Our Land Club **Asks Citizen Support Of Environmental Bills**

With the approach of the coming legislative session, the Floyd County Save Our Land Club has become revitalized in an effort to direct, as effectively as possible, the collective voice of residents of the county who are concerned with the county's environment. The club, this week, listed several measures which it regards as most important to the environment. The club is encouraging citizens of Floyd and surrounding areas to write letters to Representatives and Senators asking them to support the following environmental measures:

1. Representative Raymond Overstreet's bill which requires mine operators to get the surface owner's consent to the reclamation plan before issuing a strip-mine permit. (H.B. 200) 2. The Interim Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources bill that would require owners of oil and gas rights to make use of them within 15 years or they will revert back to the surface owner

3. The Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection's requests:

A. To raise the maximum per acre reclamation bond requirement from the present level of \$1,500 to at least \$2,500. B. To hire more strip-mine inspectors

and to raise the salaries of strip-mine inspectors.

Mike Mullins, of Drift, club secretary, said the club considers "all these measures very important to the future of Kentucky.



Smoked Sausage

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# **Kentuckian Elected** To Nat'l Farm Post

A Kentuckian was named a new member of the Board of Directors by the American Farm Bureau Federation in St. Louis last week

J. Robert Wade, a Simpson County farmer and president of Kentucky Farm Bureau was elected to the AFBF Board of Directors. Wade, 48, farms 1,500 acres with two sons, producing mainly grain, livestock and tobacco.

He also serves as vice president of the Kentucky-Tennessee Grain Company, a farmer-owned grain marketing outlet based in Franklin.

Voting delegates to the AFBF convention went on record favoring a constitutional amendment to require a balanced federal budget. They urged that no salary increase be granted to any elected federal official or members of Congress until federal expenditures are brought in line with revenue.

Another policy voiced strong opposition to restrictions by the government on export sales of U.S. farm products. Referring to last year's moratorium on Soviet grain sales, the delegates said the secretary of agriculture should be consulted on agricultural trade matters, and deplored "such decisions being made by labor leaders and government agencies such as the secretary of state.'

Many staples such as rice, sugar and flour cost less per unit when you buy the larger package, UK Extension foods specialists point out. However, the large size is a bargain only when you have adequate storage space and you can use the larger amount.

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markers can only be put down during warm weather in order to get a bond between the markers and the paving material. They added that the work goes fast once it gets under way.

Secretary of Transportation John C. Roberts listed the following counties which will get the markers: Bell, Boone, Boyd, Boyle, Daviess, Fayette, Franklin, Jefferson, Kenton, Knox, Laurel, Lincoln, McCracken, Pulaski and Woodford. The contract now up for bid is the third. The second, which was let to Valley Fence Co. of Louisville in August of this year, calls for application in 13 counties next spring.

Under the first contract, the Interstate Traffic Equipment Co. of New Haven, Conn., applied the system to pavements in seven widely separated areas of Kentucky, including work on I-75, I-64, and the Watterson Expressway. Work under the first contract was completed in nearly all the scheduled areas before the onset of cold weather.

The markings have caused much favorable comment from the public and requests for the program have poured into the Bureau of Highways, said Bob Flener, director of the division of traffic.

"Drivers find the markers very helpful at night and often remark on the increased visibility they afford when driving in the rain after dark," said Flener

Funds for the new contract were secured through federal appropriations made avaiwable to the state through the 1973 Highway Safety Act, Roberts said. Federal funds will pay 100 per cent of the cost since it is a demonstration program. Invitations to bid carry special instructions specifying that minimum wage rates for the projects have been predetermined by the U.S. Secretary of Labor, Roberts said. Special provision for projects receiving federal aid also

insure that minority business enterprises will not be discriminated against because of race, color or national origin.

# Announcing . . . KEITH S. ALLEY

Is now official representative for Lexington Truck Sales, specializing in the finest line of heavy-duty trucks in the following counties: Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Magoffin, Morgan and Martin.



**Hack Bentley** 

at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Saturday, victim of an apparent heart

attack

disabled miner.

Hack Bentley, 65, was dead on arrival

A native of Pike county, he was born

February 15, 1910, a son of the late Evan

and Eunice Bryant Bentley. He was a

Surviving him are his widow. Mrs.

Mary Reynolds Bentley; two sons,

Gilbert and Bill Bentley, both of Toledo,

O.; two daughters, Mrs. Patsy Ann

Price, of Proctorville, O., and Mrs. Ruby

Badgley, of Toledo; two brothers, Jarvey

and Joe Bentley, and two sisters. Mrs.

Cordie Tackett, and Mrs. Betty Sword,

all of Pikeville; 19 grandchildren and

Funeral services were conducted at 2

p.m., Tuesday, at the Highland Avenue

Free Will Baptist Church. Revs. Clifford

Austin and W. D. Jaggers officiating.

Burial was made in the Richmond

Memorial cemetery here under direction

Pallbearers were Onda Lowe Hunt,

Kenton Lafferty, Woodrow Salyer, Jim

Nichols, Kenneth Mullins, Dave

Mrs. Cynthia Bentley

Mrs. Cynthia Bentley, 70, of Langley,

died Thursday at Our Lady of the Way

Hospital, Martin, victim of an apparent

Born April 11, 1905, she was a daughter

Survivors include four sons, Roy

of the late Hi and Florence Stephens

Bradley, Her husband, Elberson Bentley,

Bentley, with the Air Force in Thailand,

Walter Bentley, of Topmost, Willard

Bentley, of Laurel, Md., Elberson

Bentley, Jr., of Langley; three

daughters, Miss Nancy Bentley, Mrs.

Hilda Bailey and Mrs. Elizabeth Hagans,

all of Langley; two brothers, Clint

Bradley, of Langley, and Eli Bradley, in

Michigan; two sisters, Mrs. Nona

Bentley, of Langley, Mrs. Paul Pope, of

Funeral services were conducted at 10

a.m. Monday at the Wilson Creek

Regular Baptist Church by ministers of

that church. Burial was made in the

family cemetery at Langley under

direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Hollybush, and 10 grandchildren.

preceded her in death in 1968.

four great-grandchildren.

of Floyd Funeral Home.

heart attack.

Sizemore, and Noah Vance, Jr.

# **Taxpayers Ask IRS**

Q. I loaned money to a friend to start a

A. Whether you claim a bad debt depends on the circumstances under which you made the loan, and what attempts you made to recover it.

First, you may not claim a bad debt unless there is a legal liability enforceable in court.

Gifts cannot be the basis of bad debts. If you had no intention of collecting the debt, the advance is considered a gift. You must also take reasonable steps to collect the debt, although you do not have to go all the way to court if you can show the judgment obtained would be uncollectible.

Usually, if good business judgment indicates that the debt will remain uncollectible in the future, the debt will be considered worthless

Non-business bad debts are reported on Schedule D, Form 1040. For more information, see IRS Publication 548, Tax Information on Deductions for Bad Debts.

Q. We bought some Series E Savings Bonds for our grandchild and listed her as co-owner. We would like to transfer the bonds to her name. Are we respon-

A. Although the bonds are held jointly, since you actually bought the bonds, you are responsible for all the interest earned on them until the time of the transfer. You should include the interest in your income for the year the bonds were reissued in your grandchild's name. If the bonds had been taken out in the child's name, all the income would be the child's even though you paid for the bonds

Q. We are renting the second floor of our

A. Security deposits are not considered rent or income when they are received, unless they are applied to the rent payment for the last month of the lease. Then they are considered advance rental income and must be reported in the year they are received.

If all or part of the deposit is kept because the tenant defaults, it should be reported as income at the time it is ap-

small business. The business has gone bankrupt and I have no chance of getting my money back. Can I deduct the money I lost?

sible for any of the interest?

house and require the tenants to pay a security deposit equal to one month's rent. Is this considered part of the rent and should we report it as income?

propriated for back rent.

# **Obituaries**

## John Dillon

John Dillon, 76, died last Friday at his home at Goble-Roberts Addition. Prestonsburg, victim of an apparent heart attack.

Born December 11, 1906 at Emma, he was a son of the late Jack and Belle Caldwell Dillon. He was a retired employe of Kentucky W. Va. Gas Company who had worked at the Dwale compressor station.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Flaria Carr Dillon: four sons, John E. Dillon, of the Middle Creek Road, Winston and Donald Dillon, both of Prestonsburg, and Joe David Dillon, of Danville; two daughters, Mrs. Shirley Ann Maynard, of Emma, and Mrs. Wanda George, of Prestonsburg; a brother, Jim Dillon, of St. Louis; a sister, Mrs. Maggie Campbell, of Jackson, O., and 13 grandchildren

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, at the Highland Avenue Free Will Baptist Church here by the Revs. Clifford Austin and Douglas Burkett, Burial was made in the Richmond Memorial cemetery under direction of Carter Funeral Home.

### **Roy Wright**

Roy Wright, 67, of Martin, died Saturday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born August 22, 1908 at Bonanza, he was a son of the late Henry and Emma Collins Wright. He was a retired miner, last employed by Turner Elkhorn Mining Company and was a member of Faith Bible Church.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Rosey Kelso Wright; five sons, Henry Wright, of Minnie, Amos Wright, of Sturgis, Mich., John Paul Wright, of Martin, Andy and Roy Dale Wright, both at home; six daughters, Mrs. Kathryn Newman, of Lexington, Mrs. Emogene Castle, of Minnie, Mrs. Ruth Ann Rice, of Titusville, Fla., Mrs. Violet Hall, Mrs. Doris Armstrong, Mrs. Phyllis Mosley, all of Martin; two brothers, Ed Wright, of Drift, and Rev. Raymond Wright, of Prestonsburg; two sisters, Mrs. Molly Arnold, of Drift, and Mrs. Mae Centers, of Brooklyn, N. Y .; 27 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Tuesday, at the Drift Pentecostal Church by the Revs. Ted Shannon and Bob Martin. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

#### Jennifer Ann Harrison

Jennifer Ann Harrison, five-month-old daughter of Utah and Edna Sue Harrison, died at their home at Honaker Thursday after a sudden illness.

In addition to the parents, survivors include a brother, Gregory Dale Damron, and a sister, Susan E. Damron, both at home.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday, at the residence by ministers of the Church of Christ. Burial was made in the Case cemetery at Honaker under direction of Hall Brothers

## Luther McCov

Luther McCoy, 59, of Goble-Roberts Addition. Prestonsburg, died Friday, January 9, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness

A native of Pike county, he was born June 23, 1916, a son of Cora Nunnery McCoy, of Gulnare, and the late Tolbert McCoy. A veteran of World War II service with the Army medical corps, he was a carpenter

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Dora Campbell McCoy; a daughter, Miss Marlene McCoy, and five sons. Danny K. John, Stevie, Garv, and Jeffrey McCov, all of Prestonsburg; four brothers, Tolbert, McCoy, Jr., of Turkey Creek. Henry, Thomas Burley, and Ernest McCoy, all of Gulnare; three sisters, Mrs. Pearlie Crider, of Hennon, Mrs. Mabel Maynard, of Gulnare, and Mrs. Vada Elkins, of Stone.

Funeral services were conducted at 10:30 Monday at the Free Will Baptist Church at Gulnare by the Revs. Henry Crider and Lee Caudill. Burial was made in the McCoy cemetery on Brushy Fork of Johns Creek under direction of Carter Funeral Home.

#### Ark Castle

Ark Castle, 76, of Pyramid, died at 10:40 Friday night at Highlands Regional Medical Center

Born March 1, 1899, he was a son of the late Elbert and Rhoda Prater Castle.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Mary Hicks Castle; six daughters, Mrs. Harry Patrick, of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Henry Prater, of Ada, O., Mrs. Gene Dingledine, of Westminster, O., Mrs. Don Moser, of Bluffton, O., and Miss Gladys Marie Castle, of Cleveland, O.; four sons, Okie Castle, of Cleveland, O., Jessie Castle, of Wheatfield, Ind., Kermit Castle, of Ada, O., and Kenneth Castle, of Pyramid; a sister, Miss Ella Castle, of Pyramid; two brothers, Morgan Castle, of Sanders, Ky., and Malcolm Castle, of Dola, O.; a half-brother, Karu Castle, of Gunlock; four half-sisters, Mrs. Virgie Hicks, of Gunlock, Mrs. Gracie Whitaker, Bertha and Pearlie Castle, all of Indiana; 26 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at the home by Elders Bill Justice, Hobert Holbrook and Richmond Shepherd. Burial was made in the Castle cemetery at Pyramid under direction of Carter Funeral Home.

#### Anna Laura Castle

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Laura Castle, 63, of Harold, will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Boldman Church by the Rev. Arnold Belmont Johnson. Mrs. Castle died Tuesday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, follow ng an extended illness.

Born December 6, 1912, she was a daughter of Mrs. Avalia Davis Cecil, of Harold, and the late Harvey Cecil. She had been a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for 19 years.

Survivors, in addition to her mother, include her husband, Garfield Castle; one son, Jimmy Ray Castle, of Cardington, O.; three daughters, Mrs. Carol York, of Harold, Mrs. Shelby Jean Conn



Gardening Tips from Extension Specialists at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture

fertile soil will, if properly cultivated and

watered, produce enough vegetables for

a family of five and that an average of

four hours a week will be all the time

needed to tend it. If a surplus is needed

for canning, drying, and freezing, double

In making the garden plans, consider

the type or variety of vegetables to be

planted and order the seed early

Something else to think about is this:

hybrid vegetables will usually produce

more than standard varieties, and the

produce usually is of better quality, too.

Many newer hybrids, Roberts adds, also

If the ground is dry enough, this is a

good time to have the soil tested. Test

results will indicate the soil needs and the

Remember that gardening time will be

Perusing new seed catalogs that came

in the holiday mail is also a very in-

teresting pasttime for this time of year.

Masterpieces of color photography, they

are, almost without exception, filled with

mouth-watering pictures of fruits and

vegetables fit to make a person want to

New developments noticed in some

catalogs which should be of interest to

home gardeners include flower and

vegetable seed tapes. These tapes, which

come in up to 15-foot lengths, are filled

with the correct amount of precisely-

spaced seed which, according to catalog

description, makes for more uniform

emergence of plants, reduces thinning

Truly straight rows can be effected

with these seed tapes. They can be cut to

allow for succession growing, or-in the

case of flowers-for unusual and

The new seed catalogs represent ad-

ventures in reading. To give fair war-

ning, if you are not a gardener, they will

labor, and are easy to handle.

decorative garden layouts.

make you wish you were.

rush right out and start planting.

here before you know it. Be ready for it,

and eat better for less this summer.

the size of the garden.

have superior resistance.

correct fertilizer to be used.

Few, if any hobbies offer greater opportunity for pleasure, profit, and healthful exercise than gardening, and while it is now still too early to do any actual garden work, it is not too early to make plans

In making these garden plans, however, it will be well to take the advice of UK Extension vegetable specialist C. R. Roberts, and do not let winter imagination get bigger than spring and summer effort. In other words, do not bite off more than can readily be chewed. Roberts says a 20 x 50-foot garden of

## Use of Satellite Solar Power To Be Studied Sen. Ford Announces

The possibility of using large satellites to convert sunlight into energy that can be beamed to earth will be examined closely in two days of hearings later this month, Senator Wendell H. Ford, D-Kentucky, chairman of the Subcommittee on Aerospace Technology and National Needs, announced today

"Because the availability of sunlight in space is up to 15 times that on earth,' Senator Ford said, "we should be exploring what are longer-range concepts for tapping this potentially infinite source of energy.

The two concepts that will be studied involve collecting sunlight with very large satellites, converting it to microwaves, beaming them to earth and then converting them to electricity for eventual use in homes and businesses. While either concept could provide a large part of this country's energy needs in the next century, each also raises basic questions of cost and technical feasibility, Senator Ford said. The subcommittee will examine these questions in detail, he added.

#### VENTRILOQUISM CLASS TO AID SHYNESS, SPEECH PROBLEMS

PARKERSBURG, W. Va.-A new college class will have plenty of dummies. A course in ventriloquism will be taught at Parkersburg Community College in the spring semester.

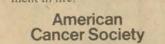
"Excellent for persons who are shy or lack confidence, the class will stress voice, acting, timing and comedy," said Doris Boggs of Millwood, the instructor. She is a graduate of West Virginia Wesleyan College in human behavior and a practicing ventriloquist.

The six-week course, which costs \$15, will teach the art of throwing the voice for fun or profit, and will help students with speech problems, she said.

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Burial will be made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

## **People Over State** Aided by Red Cross

The American Red Cross spent \$1,140,610.66 in assisting victims of major disasters throughout Kentucky during 1975 and 1975, Ronald Taylor, Director of Disaster Services for the Kentucky Division American Red Cross, announced today.

Mr. Taylor explained that by Red Cross definition a major disaster is one that affects five or more families. He was quick to point out, however, that Red Cross also assists victims of smaller disasters such as one family fires, and that this assistance amounted to several thousand additional dollars each year. The largest expenditure for disaster assistance was made following the April 3, 1974 tornadoes that swept across the state. Red Cross emergency aid at that time included food and shelter, nursing and medical assistance, blood and blood products. Aid to individual families covered clothing, essential household furnishings, health needs including prescription drugs, eyeglasses and prosthetic devices, emergency transportation, occupational tools and supplies, and funds for rent and minor repairs to make homes habitable again. Nationally, the American Red Cross spent \$21,990,323 in diaster preparedness and relief activities during the 1974-'75 fiscal year.

Assistance was given in 31,991 disaster situations, and 67,745 families were helped.

Mr. Bryce Torrence, National Director of Red Cross Diaster Services, disclosed that 1.570 dwellings, 919 mobile homes and 3,504 apartments or condominiums were destroyed during the period and 39,860 dwellings, 2,363 mobile homes and 8,984 apartments or condominiums were

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#### **RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA**

Robert Walker Spears has returned to his home in Claremont, Calif. after spending a few days with his sisters and relatives when he was called here upon the death of his mother, Mrs. Nina McGuire Spears.

#### HERE FROM BEREA

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Hager, Julie and Eddie, of Berea, attended the funeral of Mrs. Hager's grandmother, Mrs. Nina M. Spears.

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#### ATTENDING SEMINAR IN ATHENS, GEORGIA Mrs. Harry Short left Saturday for

Athens, Georgia where she will attend a seminar in regard to her housing position

#### **RETURNED TO NORTH CAROLINA** Miss Mary Francis Schroeder, of Greensboro, N. C., has returned home after spending the Christmas holidays here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Warrens.

#### SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Peot and children, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Meade

#### BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shultz, of Indian Hills, entertained to dinner Sunday evening, January 11, Mr. and Mrs. Rainley White. The occasion was the birthday of Mr. Shultz.

#### IN VET'S HOSPITAL

Louis Bauers returned Sunday to the Veterans' Hospital in Lexington for further treatment. His condition is unchanged.

#### ENTERS HOSPITAL SUNDAY Norman Allen, editor of The Floyd County Times, entered Highlands

Regional Medical Center Sunday for treatment and observation. His numerous friends wish him well.

SPRING MERCHANDISE SHOWING E. W. King Company, Bristol, Tenn., is having its spring merchandise showing this week at The Plantation Motel. Howard Miller and Mrs. Mary Allene Riffe are representing the company.

**RETURNS HOME FROM HOSPITAL** Mrs. Julia Harrington has returned to her home from a three-weeks stay after emergency surgery, at Highlands Medical Center





#### JR. WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING SCHEDULED

The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club's monthly meeting will be held Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the Floyd County Regional Library. Guest speaker will be KFWC 2nd V.P. Dr. Mary Pauline Fox, who will conduct a membership orientation. Hostess for the evening will be the Home Life Dept. with Hannah Stanley, chairman in charge.

#### **REVS. FRALEY AND CAMPBELL**

SCHEDULED AS GUEST PASTORS The Rev. Phil Fraley and Bill Campbell will be the guest pastors at the Katy Friend Free Will Baptist Church, Saturday night, January 17, at 7 p.m. The public is cordially invited. Pastor: Elder Rufus E. Johnston.

#### **RETURNS TO VIRGINIA**

Miss Gretchen Heinze returned Sunday to Mt. Crawford, Va. after spending the holidays here with her family. She is a student at Madison College, Harrisonburg, Virginia.

#### HERE FOR FUNERAL

John T. Stepp left Tuesday for his home in Niceville, Fla. after coming here for the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Nina McGuire Spears.

#### MIRIAM REBEKAH LODGE NAMES NEW OFFICERS

Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 held its regular meeting January 6th. Officers for the ensuing year were installed under direction of Sue Moore, Deputy President and staff. They are as follows: Noble Grand, Gertrude Arnett; Right Supporter to Noble Grand, Sue Lafferty; Left Supporter to Noble Grand, Leona Winkler; Vice Grand, Susie Clifton; Right Supporter to Vice Grand, Willa Mae Branham, Left Supporter to Vice Grand, Freda Compton; chaplain, Norma Stepp; Assistant to chaplain, Beatrice Patton; Secretary, Mable Jean LeMaster; Treasurer, Maman Leslie; Warden, Rebecca Bingham; Conductor, Lucille Bingham; Musician, Venilia Rinehart; Inside Guardian, Pauline Owens; Outside Guardian, Joan Gibson; Degree captain, Hope Whitten.

The retiring Noble Grand, Jean Highman, presented each of her officers a charm bearing the insignia of the Lodge. The newly installed Noble Grand, Gertrude Arnett, presented each officer as well as the Degree Team with a lovely corsage. The Lodge has experienced a prosperous year and looks forward to an even better one.

#### CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gunnell had as guests over the Christmas holidays the following: James O. Gunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gunnell and children, Lynne, Dennis and Doug, Frank Gunnell and children, Rebecka, Brenda and Jimmy, Tommy Brutkiewicz, Daniel Cooper, Mrs. Marilyn Beckett, all of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Gunnell and daughter Judy, of Panama City, Fla., Mrs. Shular Cecil, daughter Evelyn, Mrs. Helen Morgan, Mrs. Junior Cox, all of Olive Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brewer and son, Robbie, of Hammond, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Kendrick, of Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Woods and sons, Kermit and Joey, of Ypsilanti, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mills and children, Tracy and Linnie, of Marion, Ohio, Mrs. Jennie Statton, of Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lloyd Gunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blackburn, Gary Carr, Mrs. Glady Gunnell, Henry Mace, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reed Gunnell and girls, Pam and Trinka, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Grace Musick, of Auxier, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gunnell and sons, Winston and Anthony of Printer, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Woods, of Emma, and Mrs. Martha Jane Porter, of Allen.

#### HERE FROM MARYLAND

Dr. and Mrs. Charles O. Dotson, Dwayne and Chris, have returned to College Park, Maryland, after spending the Christmas holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dotson, of the Abbott Road, and her mother, Mrs. Salley Adams, of the Mountain Parkway.

#### VISITS AT FALMOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitch spent the week-end with Sally Music at Falmouth, Ky. Miss Music, a recent graduate of Eastern Kentucky University, has accepted a teaching position in the Pendleton county schools as a speech therapist.

#### **RETURN FROM VISIT**

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Keenon and Rodney W. Keenon, of Tazewell, Va., returned home January 3 from Baton Rouge, La. where they spent the holidays with their son, John H. Keenon, Jr. and family

#### HOLIDAY DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Rainley White were hosts to dinner on Christmas Day. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray White and family and Mrs. Evelyn Fowle.

**RECOVERING FROM FOOT INJURY** Barbara Lynn Howard, student at University of Kentucky, is convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harvey Howard on Bull Creek, from a foot injury. She is improved.

#### UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. E. D. Roberts is doing nicely from hip surgery performed last Friday at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. Roberts and her daughter, Mrs. Wm.

J. Baird, III, were with her during

## **RETURNS FROM VISIT**

surgery.

Mrs. Bess S. May has returned from

Frankfort where she spent the holidays with her children.

#### VISITS IN LEXINGTON

Mrs. Harry Sandige has returned from a visit with her daughter and family in Lexington.

UNDERGOES THROAT SURGERY Don Brickley, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Glenn Brickley, who was here recently with the singing group, "The Master's Men," is in a Columbus, Ohio hospital recuperating from throat surgery. His mother is at his bedside. His many friends here wish for him a speedy recovery.

#### VISIT FRIENDS HERE

Mrs. Arnold Compton, of Lexington, and Mrs. Minta N. Burke were here last week visiting relatives and friends.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET The United Presbyterian Women met at the church January 6, with the new president, Mrs. Frank H. Layne, presiding and opening the meeting with

#### **McCoy-Lewis**



Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. McCoy, of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Lamarr McCoy, to Mr. Douglas Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Lewis, of Stanville.

The marriage ceremony will take place January 17, at 6 p.m., at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church. The gracious custom of open church will be observed.

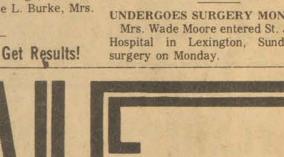
#### RICE RELATIVES AND FRIENDS CALLED AT FUNERAL HOME

Among the relatives and friends of Garland Hurt Rice who called at The Jones-Preston Funeral Home in Paintsville, Sunday, offering condolence to the family were Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fields, Mrs. George T. Roberts, Luther Shivel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Donald D. Baldridge, Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, Mrs. Grace L. Burke, Mrs. Joe Buchanan.

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#### oyed by Mrs. Virginia Jeffries, Mrs. Rebecca Rasnick, Mrs. H. A. Curtis, Mrs. Pat Minns, Mrs. Wm. Jaggers, Mrs. Edna Dempsey, Mrs. Wm. Pettrey, Mrs. Maman Leslie, Mrs. Margaret McGrew, Mrs. Gorman Collins, Mrs. Helen Clarke,

UNDERGOES SURGERY MONDAY Mrs. Wade Moore entered St. Joseph's Hospital in Lexington, Sunday, for



# **ALL WINTER** MERCHANDISE

### **Girl Scouts Begin Annual Cookie Sales**

The Annual Cookie Sale of the Wilderness Road Girl Scout Council began January 1 in Floyd county and will continue through February 7

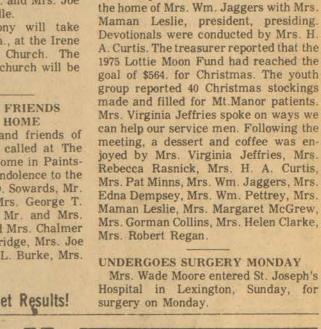
The 13,000 Girl Scouts in this council will be attempting to sell 240,000 boxes of cookies to raise money to be used for development of the 5 camp sites and support of the outdoor program throughout the Council's 57 counties. Troops receive 12.5c for each box of cookies they sell to be used to support the troop's own program activities.

Cookies this year will sell for \$1.25 per box, the same price as last year. Girl Scouts will be selling 5 kinds of cookies: Butter Shorties, Chocolate Mint, Peanut-Butter Sandwich, Sandwich Creme and Peanut-Butter Pattie.

The cookie chairman for Floyd county is Dorthy Harris. She will be responsible for distributing cookies to troops in this area.

The Baptist Women met January 5 at

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# **GERRY & JERRY'S SHOES**

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Fashion Merchandise

prayer. The minutes were read and approved. After the treasurers report, contributions of \$25. was made to Carol Samms "Crusade for Christ" and \$50.00 to Buckhorn Missions. The least coin offering was taken by Mrs. Ernest Osborn and dedicated by Mrs. Marvin Music with a poem. Mrs. Rainley White reported two pair pajamas and \$10 will be sent to missions. A thank you note from Carol Samms, for the gift for 'Crusade for Christ," was read. Mrs. John Rosman, of Ashland, announced the spring presbyterial would meet April 7 at the Lexington Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church. The National meeting is to be at Purdue University in June. The February meeting of the society will be entertained by Mrs. Stanley Combs. Mrs. Grace L. Burke will entertain the April meeting. Mrs. Ernest Osborn was hostess for the meeting, serving a salad course. Mrs. Evelyn Fowle will present the program in February. Members present were Mrs. Grace L. Burke, Mrs. James Goble, Mrs. Nelle Howard, Mrs. Rainley White, Mrs. Frank Layne, Mrs. Stanley Combs, Mrs. Marvin Music, Mrs. Brenda Kinder, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mrs. Evelyn Fowle.



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# Leva's Style Shop

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secretary of the department determines

it has to be for economic or social

development and that such change will

not adversely affect present or future

asked the water quality staff to clarify

several points and definitions at the

meeting. One point was whether or not

the requirement for the most effective

degree of treatment in the non-

degradation section means that the best

proposed noise control regulation. The

day; aircraft noise, railroad noise except

switching yards, station and main-

Committee scheduled for 1:15 p.m., Jan.

16, in the Capital Plaza Tower, Frank-

S.S. Co-op Valentine

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41522 or call 606-754-5395.

At the recent meeting, the EQC also

available technology must be used.

was certain to be revised further.

motorcycles

the public highways.

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Members of the EQC and the audience

### **Presents Check to School**



On behalf of the Martin Woman's Club, Mrs. Eulene Ratliff recently presented a check for \$50. to Phillip Dingus, Martin Graded School, for use by the school.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this means of thanking everyone who helped us during the passing of my husband, Harry Lafferty. We especially wish to thank those of you that sent flowers, food, or did anything to help, and a special thanks to the ministers, Rev. John Huffman and Don Crisp, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its fine service.

MRS. ELLEN LAFFERTY

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# **Public Meet Reviews** Water Regulations

#### By MARVA GAY

Frankfort, Ky.-Proposed revisions to the state water quality regulations got a second public review here Jan. 13 at a special meeting of the Environmental Quality Commission.

The advisory commission to the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection scheduled its second meeting on the revisions to give the public a better chance to review them and to question the staff of the department's division of water quality.

"The department has shown sincere effort to protect the dischargers as well as the waters of the Commonwealth," one commission member said. However, the EQC members agreed more time should be taken to study the changes.

William Forester, acting director of the water quality division, said the proposed changes are being rushed along because the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has notified the state that it will revise Kentucky's water quality regulations if certain changes are not made by February.

Forester said the changes that EPA requires are incorporated in the proposed revisions. He said EPA requires two main changes-coverage of more streams and inclusion of a nondegradation clause

The proposed regulations cover all water except "no flow" streams-those that don't flow year around. "No flow" streams still must meet certain state requirements. The present regulations cover only water shown on the map, "Streams of Kentucky," prepared by the Kentucky Department of Commerce in 1973.

The proposed non-degradation clause specifies that higher quality public waters shall not be degraded unless the



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### **Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pack, of Garrett, announce the engagement of their grandson, Larry Crager, of Center Line, Michigan, to Miss Joyce Salvadore, of Warren, Michigan

Larry is the son of Jack and Annabelle Pack Crager, of Center Line, and Miss Salvadore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Salvadore of Warren.

Larry is a 1974 graduate of Lincoln Senior high school at Warren, and is attending Macomb County Community College also of Warren, and is employed by Keystone Auto Parts, of East Detroit. Miss Salvadore is a graduate of Lincoln Senior High and Macomb College, and is employed as a paralegal secretary for the National Bank of Detroit.

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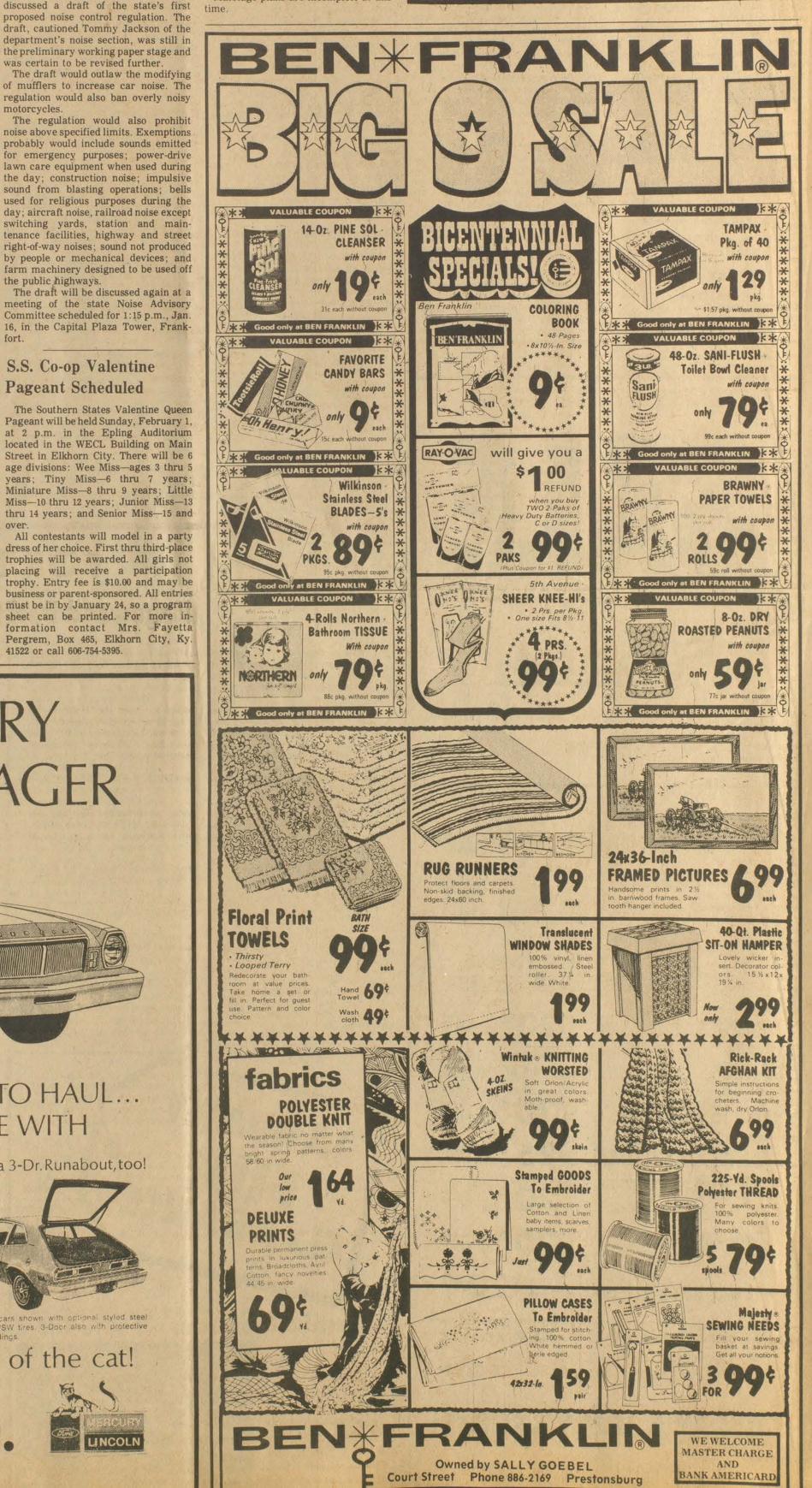
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# '76 Legislature May **Ask School Changes**

In the aftermath of tremendous increases in spending for public schools over the last two decades, educators and laymen alike are re-examining many school programs and the philosophies underlying them. Many are suggesting reforms to make the public schools more responsive to the public.

Two proposals which seek to do this will be offered to the 1976 General Assembly. One would emphasize career education, the other would seek to make schools more accountable for the programs they offer.

Supporters of career education stress that their concept involves more than vocational education programs or other specialized courses. It is, they maintain, a framework upon which all instruction is based.

Many of them believe the present system hasn't made sufficient use of learning opportunities outside the classroom and that too many people leave school deficient in the basic skills required to make the transition from school to work.

Many also believe that too many students fail to see the relationship between what they are asked to learn in school and what they will do when they leave school.

The career education programs offered as an alternative to the present system generally are divided into three major sections based on the student's age

The awareness phase, from kindergarten through sixth grade, introduces students to the world of work

through experiences designed to make them more aware of the many careers available in our society

The exploration-orientation phase, from grades six through nine, involves studying different occupational groups through the application of knowledge and skills.

The preparation phase from tenth grade through two years after regular high school graduation, includes experiences designed to prepare students to move into a chosen occupational field, continue formal education, or both. The distinction between career education and vocational education is most evident here, as students use their knowledge of careers to determine whether they will go to work, enter vocational training or continue on to higher education.

Under a bill which has been prefiled for the 1976 legislature, the Department of Education would work with local school districts, and teacher-training institutions to develop programs of instruction in career education and a method of measuring the programs' achievements. The plan and measurement proposals would be presented to the Governor and the General Assembly for approval.

The "educational accountability" bill calls for educators and the public to set definite objectives for public schools and devise ways of measuring how well the school, achieve the goals.

The idea has gained favor among many legislators who repeatedly have been asked to appropriate more money for schools

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8.30/7:30 AMERICAN ISSUES FORUM: "The Masses and the Millionaire: The Homestead

9:00/8:00 COMMONWEALTH

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 20

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Randy Newman, cult singer songwriter makes a rare telev

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# **Our Fragile Earth**

**By JERRY HOWELL Director of Environmental Studies** 

Morehead State University Radiological water pollution has been the subject of much recent debate, becoming more heated as nuclear energy looms closer and closer and as other countries develop nuclear capabilities. Of course, the concern is not just with water pollution; air and land are also involved. However, water quality is affected by radiation and water can be an insidious carrier.

Some compounds produced by radioactive explosions and manipulations only exist a few seconds or minutes, but many last for centuries or millenia and all the compounds or elements produced emit radiation which is potentially harmful in a number of ways. These radioactive elements can reach the water through leakages, precipitation from the air, and waste disposal practices. The waste includes spent isotopes from the power plant and

After some H-bomb tests in the Pacific. local tuna were disturbingly radioactive, although their edible flesh was not too contaminated. Over 457 tons had to be destroyed, causing panic among the Japanese public and bankrupting many tuna fishermen. Imagine what would happen in the U.S. if a large number of cattle suddenly turned up radioactive. The biological damage from a widespread storage accident is incalculable. Food chains and webs would

be permanently affected and man would suffer, Hopefully, we will be able to prevent such a happening, but the bit of pessimism in all of us realizes that our track record has not been too good.

## **First Music Careers Day** At Marshall U. Saturday

HUNTINGTON, W. Va.-Marshall University's Department of Music will sponsor a "Music Careers Day" for high

mid-1800's coincides with the American Issues Forum topic "Working in America." 8:30/7:30 CONSUMER SURsion appearance. Newman take a humorous but introspective look at politics, and people with the accompaniment of a 20 FRIDAY, JANUARY 23 Eastern/Central Time 3:30/2:30 p.m. KY. GED SE-KENTUCKY EDUCATIONAL TV+600 COOPER DR.+LEXINGTON, KY. 40502

their byproducts, construction materials contaminated in the process, and uranium mining and processing wastes.

Because of the longevity of these materials, we must find suitable places for their storage. One of the most common present methods is large underground storage tanks, but because the life of these tanks can be measured in decades, they are at best a temporary solution. In the past, intermediate and low level wastes were, and to some degree, are still being disposed of on the ocean floor. What happens if a container should break open? If dumped to great depths, water pressure can crush them. What if an offshore oil drilling rig accidentally opened one?

Because salt deposits are unusually dry, they have been considered as final resting places for the wastes, usually reduced to solid form and-or incorporated into glass or ceramic material before being stored. Salt mines do offer some protection against earthquakes because of the their resiliency.

But the storage of wastes in whatever form involves potential contamination of water supplies. Should contamination occur, if only locally, humans would certainly be affected, not only by direct poisoning, but indirectly through adulterated food and water. The most common method of food adulteration would probably be through the food animal's ingestion of radioactive water. This has already happened in a few cases and a 1956 documented example occurred in Japan.

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school students Saturday, Jan. 17, in Smith Music Hall on the Marshall campus.

Dr. James Taggart, coordinator of the program, said it will feature sessions on college music study, seminars on national trends in music careers, and mini-concerts by Marshall ensembles, students and faculty. The event will begin with registration and coffee at 9 a.m. and will close at 4:30 p.m.

High school students in the 10th through the 12th grades are eligible to attend, regardless of their place of residence, as are high school music teachers, guidance counselors and parents. Registration cards are available through music teachers and counselors in West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky and also may be obtained by telephoning the Marshall Department of Music, 696-3113. There will be no charge for any of the day's activities.

Taggart said between 200 and 300 are expected to attend. They will be guests at a luncheon in Marshall's Memorial Student Center, sponsored by the Marshall Alumni Association.

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35 a. more or less, fair house, 6 rms. another 4 rm. could be rented with little work. Ky. W. Va. gas, dug well, good garden-or could be used for 4 or 5 additional bldg. sites. Owners going to South Carolina. Located Brandy Keg, Corn Fork, 5 mi. out on black top rd.

4 b. rms. (3 yrs. old), 2½ baths, l. rm., kit., dining rm., built-in cabinets, range and oven, d. washer, hardwood floors, l. rm. carpeted, drilled well, panel elec. heat, fully insulated. 2-car garage. Located on M. Creek Rd. 400-500 ft. frontage, brick, first story; frame, 2nd. Location partially graded for another home site, high and dry on 5+ acres.

3 b. rms., bath, 1. rm., kit.-dinette, laundry off kitchen, carpeted, 1. r., hardwood floors, 4 walk-in closets, storm windows & doors, total elec., fully insulated, drilled well, concrete utility bldg. 15x18 ft. poultry house. Located on M. Creek Rd. on about 2 acres, 21/2 ml. from Pburg. Owner going to Indiana. A real buy, high and dry. Curtains & drapes stay. Air cond. units, range and refrigerator negotiable, double carport.

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The Martin Woman's Club met

January 5 at Frazier's Restaurant for its regular monthly meeting. The guest speaker was Mrs. Janet Ratliff, Governor, 7th District, Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Freda Barnett, Mrs. Lynn Reynolds, Mrs. Eulene Ratliff, Mrs. Phyllis Gearheart, Mrs. Glenda Frye, Mrs. Tommie Whicker, Mrs. Linda Batrum, Mrs. Ruthie Shelton, Mrs. Bonnie Crisp, Mrs. Roman Ratcliff, Mrs. Donna Griffith, Mrs. Charlotte Hall, and Miss Nancy Dingus.

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Members of the recently-formed Prestonsburg Auxiliary Police force are pictured above. They include, from left to right, (kneeling)—David Cooley, Roy Roberts and Don Bayes; (standing)— David Chaffins, Doug Wells, Jerry Caudill, Dean Webb and Shirley Lewis. The all-volunteer group assists full-time officers in a variety of police work and proved especially helpful in traffic control work during the recent holidays.

# **Smoke-Reading School Helps Air Pollution Investigators**

help keep Kentucky's air clean.

A portable smoke stack is used to teach smoke reading to investigators for the division of air pollution of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Smoke reading, as taught in the course, isn't the same thing as what the Indians did. There's no message-only variations of smoke opacity.

Smoke opacity is measured in stages of five per cent each. Each stage reduces visibility five per cent.

Air pollution investigators throughout the nation must become certified in judging the opacity of smoke to determine violations of air pollution regulations. The portable smoke stack used to train them puffs up specified

The state fights smoke with smoke to quantities of black or white smoke on command. The smoke generator has been calibrated according to federal specifications.

A recognizable object, such as a telephone pole in the background, gives the inspector something to focus on through the smoke to evaluate the opacity

To pass the test, most inspectors agree they need all the help they can get. A student must complete 25 readings of black smoke and 25 readings of white smoke with none of the 50 readings being more than 15 per cent off.

Participants in a recent smoke school-one of four held a year-came from the division of air pollution, the Louisville-Jefferson County Air Pollution Control District and several industries.

# Area Bridge Repair Bids asked by State

Frankfort, Ky.-The Kentucky Department of Transportation has begun inviting bids from contractors on highway improvement projects in nine Kentucky counties including one each in Floyd, Johnson, and Magoffin counties. The bids will be opened and publicly read here at 10 a.m., Thursday, January

The following projects are included in the January 15 letting:

-Repairs to the bridge over Tom's Creek near Nippa on the Paintsville-Louisa Road (US 23) in Johnson County; -Repairs to the decks of two bridges over Middle Creek on the Prestonsburg-Salyersville Road (KY 114) in Floyd County

-Repairs to the decks of eight bridges on the Mountain Parkway Extension in Magoffin County.

# **In Water Studies**

Frankfort, Ky .-- If you see dye in a Kentucky stream, it could be part of a special monitoring project by state water quality agents.

Regular daily monitoring of streams, lakes and sewage treatment plants by the water quality division of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection sometimes does not give all the information needed.

Then the state has to do special monitoring to get specific information for legal actions, research, in-depth studies and to fill in gaps.

Shelby Jett, chief engineer with the division, said each special monitoring project is tailored to answer a specific question.

In Scott County, the division is conducting a special biological study to obtain background information on the stream that will receive effluent from the proposed Stamping Ground sewage treatment plant. After the plant begins releasing its effluent, another study will show whether the plant and animal life in the stream has been harmed. Discharge studies can last anywhere from one day to a year depending on the nature of the waste

A pre-strip-mining study is being done on Greasy Creek in Eastern Kentucky. The results will be compared with a study done after strip-mining begins to determine its effect on the creek's biological life.

One common type of special study is waste load allocation, which determines the oxygen-utilization and regeneration in a stream. A controlled amount of radioactive materials, along with a fluorescent dye identifier, are placed in a stream above a waste water discharge point to determine the amount of oxygen transferred out of and into the water. Samples are taken at locations downstream from the discharge point and used in determining the level of treatment required for a sewage treatment plant

Bio-assays, another common type of special monitoring, subjects aquatic life to different dilutions of treated waste to determine effects in specific streams and lakes. The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency is conducting bioassays-which take about two weeks to complete-on some industries in Kentucky

Jett said an important use of special monitoring is as a back-up for regular instream and discharge monitoring. For instance, Jett said, special studies are performed in conjunction with routine discharge monitoring to identify problems associated with a portion of a sewage treatment plant

Special studies are also done to locate sites for routine monitoring. "Special studies," said Jett, "help us define the character of a monitoring location and help us determine where the most representative sampling point is.

"Another type of special study that we do in conjunction with the regular instream monitoring," said Jett, "is that of the biological study. This type of information can't be obtained at our regular monitoring sites because it must be performed on an entire stretch of a stream-not just at a few selected areas.

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FOR SALE-1970 Mobile Home, 60 x 12, 2-bedroom, furnished. \$4,500. CLAYTON MOBILE HOMES, Harold, Phone 478-9246. 8-6-tf

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FOR RENT-Beauty shop, JEAN-NETTE McGUIRE, Phone 886-2557. 11-12-tf.

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FOR SALE-1967 Chevy dump truck, 112ton. Phone Paintsville, 789-8153.

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## **County Heart Fund Officers** Appointed

The appointments of Mrs. Dan McGrew, Prestonsburg, to serve as County Heart Fund Chairman and Miss Karen Evans, county co-chairman, in the 1976 Floyd County Heart Fund drive, have been announced by the state



Eugene and Treva Collins, of Honaker, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Debra Jean, to Mr. Billy Eugene Wicker, of Sandusky, Ohio. Mr. Wicker is the son of Allie and Ed Ross Wicker, of Harold. The wedding will take place at 3 p.m. Saturday, January 31, at the home of Mary and George Hall, of Grethel. Family and friends are cordially invited. A reception will follow immediately afterwards.

## **Cassady Named Chairman Of KSBA Region South**

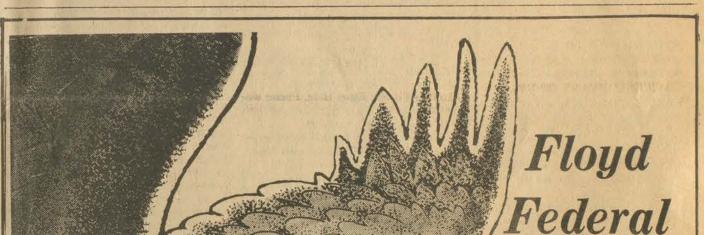
Holmes Cassady, chairman of the Martin County Board of Education, will be installed as chairman of the Eastern Kentucky Region (South) of the Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA) during the annual KSBA State Convention to be held in Louisville at the Bluegrass Convention Center, January 18-20.

Cassady was elected chairman of the Eastern Kentucky Region (South) last October in the annual meeting of area school boards.

As chairman of the region, Cassady will be a member of the KSBA Board of Directors, the governing body of the Association.

The Eastern Kentucky Region (South) of the State School Boards Association is composed of the school boards of Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike Counties, and the independent school boards of Paintsville and Pikeville.





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Each recipe must be entered in one of the four categories listed below. Please indicate the category in which you are entering your recipe: (a) Main Dishes (b) Breads (c) Bars & Cookies (d)Desserts

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1 Uniqueness-unusual ways to use oatmeal in the preparation of any part of a meal or snack. 2 Special attention will be given to the use of oatmeal for economy in preparation of meals. 3 Originality-consideration will be given to a recipe you have developed.

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Decisions of the judges are final. All entries become the property of the National Oats Company, and as such may be used with the entrant's name and picture in future advertising and promotion materials. Recipes may be adjusted or edited as needed before they are printed.

In each state where the contest is conducted. several \$10 and \$25 prizes will be awarded in each category-and in addition, there will be a \$200 Grand Prize Winner in each state.

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campaign chairman, poet-novelist Jesse Stuart, of Greenup.

The month-long Heart Fund appeal will be launched Tuesday, February 3, with Coffee Day. The house-to-house solicitation will be conducted on Heart Sunday, February 29. Sponsoring the drive in the county is the Home Life Committee of Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club.

Jesse Stuart, himself a heart attack victim, urged full support of the 1976 appeal, noting that 492,000 Kentuckians suffer from heart disease and that 57 percent of all known causes of death in the Commonwealth are due to heart and blood vessel diseases

He also announced that Mrs. Pauline Hyden Sparks, Prestonsburg, will continue to serve as the year-round Memorial Gifts Chairman for Heart in Floyd county.

A new high total of \$726,000 was contributed last year to the Heart Fund in Kentucky, Stuart said.

#### **CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to take this means of thanking everyone who helped us during the passing of our beloved father, George Salisbury. We especially wish to thank those of you that sent flowers, food, or did anything to help. And a special thanks to the ministers of the church and the Hall Bros. Funeral Home for its fine service. The Family

## **To Subscribers**

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**PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY** 

Accounts Insured to \$40,000 By F.S.L.I.C. **Receives Second Oak Leaf Cluster** 



Capt. Robert J. Perry, right, was recently awarded the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Force Commendation Medal and the Outstanding Unit Citation which he is shown receiving from Col. James Randall, Aerospace Defense Command chief of safety. Capt. Perry is currently assigned to ADCOM Headquarters, Colorado Springs, Colo., where his duties involve the implementation of the missile-nuclear safety program affecting fighter interceptors assigned to national defense. He is married to the former Jane Carter Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb, of Prestonsburg.

KNA DISTRICT MEET SET The KNA District 11 bi-monthly meeting will be held on January 15, at 7 p.m. in the Pike Technology Building, Room P207, at Prestonsburg Community College. All registered nurses are cordially invited to attend.



By LARRY BURKE

There is a story told about a man riding down the beach on a bicycle and he saw a young man out in the water calling for help. Immediately the man jumped from his bicycle and swam to the boy's rescue.

"Thanks, mister, for saving my life," said the boy. "That's all right, son; just prove that your life was worth saving."

You may feel that the man made a rather crude remark, and in a sense it is rather a hard way of looking at the situation. Or is it? There are so many blessings in the lives of all of us that we take for granted. The cost and sacrifices that have been made for us are so often forgotten.

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# **UMW Official Joins KET Issues Forum**

"Working In America," the national topic of the American Issues Forum, brings Kentucky's largest industry into the spotlight on Kentucky Educational Television's (KET) COMMONWEALTH CALL-IN Monday, January 26, at 9 p.m. (EST), 8 p.m. (CST).

Harry L. Patrick, international secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America; James Sherburne, author of several historical-fiction books including "Stand Like Men," set in the Eastern Kentucky coalfields; and, H. Lew Wallace, professor of history, and chairman of history, philosophy and geography at Northern Kentucky State College, discuss questions related to the issue of the social and economic ramifications of the growth and power of unions-particularly those unions in the coalfields of Eastern Kentucky.

Among those questions are: How much has organized labor increased the economic and political power of the American worker? Have labor unions generally represented the true interests of the worker? Has American labor achieved the goals set by 19th century trade unions? Will the power of unions continue to grow or has it reached its limit?

The three panelists discuss these and other questions with host Bob Shy and KET's viewer audience. People around the state are encouraged to participate in the program by calling (606) 233-0666 with questions or comments.

This program is funded by a grant from the Kentucky Humanities Council.

### Hammond and Hughes Named to Committees

in an upright position. The Egyptian was perhaps the first to lined the coffin with snow white satin. make extensive use of stone. It was not Lady, the best work of my life and all the until the Christian era that stone came skill I possess is in that coffin. I have into general use. The Romans made been offered a king's ransom for it but it extensive use of this material. The is not for sale. wealthy Romans used imported A few weeks later the nice old man limestone for their coffins. They believed passed away. He was placed in his coffin that the limestone would consume the and carried to a high knoll above his house and placed in his final resting

place beside his beloved wife.

**Earthwatch Program** 

**Offers Scholarship** 

Frankfort, Ky.-Kentuckians from 16

to 21 years of age are eligible to par-

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various kinds of scientific projects in this

The national program, now in its fourth

years, is open to any interested young

person. Scholarship competitors are

asked to answer questions about their

academic interests and educational

goals. Applicants need not be enrolled in

Earthwatch materials and scholarship

applications are available from Mrs.

Charmain Sperling, Coordinator for

Gifted-Talented Programs, Department

of Education, 1827 Capital Plaza Tower,

Feb. 18, 1976. State scholarship winners

will be announced in March; national

winners will be named in April.

The deadline for the 1976 competition is

country or overseas.

Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

school.

**The Coffin Makers** 

body The early Europeans used rough unhewn stone for coffins. A rough flat stone made the bottom while the sides and ends were rough flat stones turned on edge. A flat stone served as a lid.

By GEO. L. MOORE

civilization has had it's own peculiar

method of disposing of its dead. The early

Greeks used coffins of various shapes but

the two most commonly used was in the

shape of an urn or triangular shape. The

coffins were made of clay and clay was

moulded around the body which was left

It is interesting to note that every

The first wooden coffins used by primitive people consisted of a section of a tree trunk split in half and dug out much like a trough. The two hollowed-out pieces were then fit together restoring the original shape of the log.

Perhaps the American Indians had more different ways of disposing of their dead than any other people. Each separate tribe had it's own method. Some tribes used no coffins at all and left the corpse in a standing position as it was covered with earth; others cremated their dead. They used every conceivable kind of materials from a bark canoe to the dry shell of a large turtle. When a canoe was used, the corpse was wrapped in skins and the canoe was placed on a high scaffold. This gave the mourners a better view of the departed. After the coffin-canoe was left on the scaffold for a long period of time, it was taken down and placed in the stream to drift with the current. It seems to have been a custom the world over for the very poor to have no coffins at all. They were wrapped in cloth, placed in a rectangular shaped pit, and covered over with a thick layer of earth.

Around the turn of the century, most of the coffins in the hill country of Appalachia were still handmade. It was only the well-to-do that could afford factory made coffins. This type of coffin was referred to as brought-on or storebought. Most of the large country stores carried factory-made coffins and all the hardware that was used for the handmade variety.

Almost every community had at least one coffin maker and these coffin makers became quite skilled in their work. In our community, Uncle George Stone

mountain. I took it to the mill and had it sawed into inch-thick boards. Then, I placed the boards in my barn loft and let them season for a year. I planed each board with a hand plane until it was smooth and then rubbed each one with a pumice stone. I spent months mortising the joints for the ends. It was given three coats of varnish with a hand the school for an application. For furtner rubbed finish. Before my wife died, she information, call 606-789-5321.

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others-and by looking today at many of our actions they could easily say, "Were they worth it?"

It was Goethe who said: . . each generation must win anew its basic freedoms." In a sense, we must start from scratch, and that is a great responsibility.

**Floyd Funeral Home** 

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Phone 874-2121

Frankfort, Ky .- State Sen. Jim Hammond, D-Prestonsburg, and Lowell T. Hughes, D-Ashland, received their senate committee assignments on the opening day of the 1976 session, Jan. 6. Sen. Hammond was appointed vice chairman of the Cities committee, and Sen. Hughes was appointed vice chairman of the Public Utilities and Transportation committee.

Both were named to serve as members of the Judiciary No. 2 committee and of the Labor and Industry committee.

The committees are set up to review proposed legislation and recommend action to the senate.

The opening session was marked by the confirmation of the senators' certificates of election, the official swearing-in of senate leaders and the recognition of party leaders.

was the master craftsman in the art of making coffins. I can recall, as a small boy, I sat up far into the night as I watched Uncle George direct his three sons in the making of my grandmother's coffin. They used inch-thick poplar boards about 18 inches wide. The first thing they did was to plane all the boards that were to be used with a hand plane. The most difficult part of the operation was to bend the side boards so as to form a six-sided hexagon-shaped coffin. This part of the operation required a great deal of skill and know how. It was done in this manner. A razor-sharp handsaw was used to saw a wedge-shaped trench across the board about two thirds the distance from the foot. Boiling water from a cast iron kettle was poured in the trenches of both side boards. The water was kept here for a few minutes and the process was repeated until the boards were soft and pliable. Slowly the boards were bent in a graceful curve and the two end pieces were fitted with mortised joints. White satin was used to line the interior of the coffin. The lining was secured to the wood with short tacks with heads colored to blend with the inside lining. The coffin and the lid was covered with blue velvet cloth. Four handles were attached to the sides which looked to be made of bronze or copper. Four small holes were drilled in the lid and bright copper brackets were fitted into each hole. These brackets were so constructed that they could be removed easily so the lid could be lifted for viewing the corpse.

The finished coffin was a thing of beauty. A former high school student of mine worked for the welfare department in a large industrial county. She was a field worker and, as such, made trips into the remote sections of the county. Stern's Creek was some twenty miles long and was heavily populated with many welfare clients. On her trips up and down the valley, she passed by a large twostory farmhouse located some distance above the road. Over the bluff from the house was an extra large outhouse located close by the road. Some days the door would be left slightly ajar, revealing a highly polished wooden coffin stored inside

One day her curiosity got the better of her and she stopped to have a closer look. A very ancient-looking man came ambling down the path to meet her. He was quite friendly and began to discuss the coffin with her in depth. He said, "This coffin has been five years in the making. I went up on the mountain top and cut down a virgin red oak. I worked a long time in gettin' it down to the foot of the

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# **Consumer** Comments

#### By ROBERT F. STEPHENS (Attorney General)

Every week, you see ads that look something like this: "Special-three cans for a dollar." Every week, too, many of you go to the supermarket only to find out that the advertised special is not in stock. This is especially aggravating if you go to a particular store just because of an advertised special.

Such "specials" are often used as "bait advertising" to get you into a store so that a more expensive sale can be made. In fact, some stores have a habit of always being "sold out" of advertised specials. Bait advertising is unlawful in Kentucky, however, and a Federal Trade Commission rule relating to retail food store advertising and marketing practices states that supermarkets must make advertised specials available at the price advertised, either right on the shelf or immediately upon request. If the supermarket has sold out of the

advertised special, you should ask for a

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raincheck. This is a ticket or credit allowing you to purchase the item at a later date, but at the presently advertised special price. While this policy may be fair, however, the Federal Trade Commission rule says that a raincheck in itself is not enough to comply with the law. You have a right to the product at the advertised price the first time you go to the store.

If the supermarket wants to put any restrictions or limitations on its advertised specials, it must do so by means of a clear and conspicuous disclosure in all advertisements with respect to stores, products or prices. General disclaimers such as "not all items available at all stores" or "available at most stores" tell the consumer nothing and are not considered to be in compliance with the disclosure provisions of the Federal Trade Commission rule. Disclaimers in advertising must be clear, conspicuous and specific with respect to when, where and how the availability of an advertised special will be limited or restricted. If you find that an advertised item is

not available at the supermarket, check the ad to make sure there are grounds for a complaint. If you decide there are, complain to the store manager. If that doesn't work, protest to his or her boss. If these steps don't get results, you can report your complaint to the Federal Trade Commission and to the Kentucky Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection. When filing complaints with either of these agencies, please be specific and send a copy of the ad along with your statement of the facts involved.

If you have a consumer complaint, please contact the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, The Capitol, Room 34, Frankfort, Ky. 40601, or call toll-free on the consumer hotline: 1-800-372-2960

### Abbott Creek Clubs Hold Christmas Meet

The Abbott Creek Homemakers and Community Development Clubs met Tuesday, December 16, for their annual Christmas dinner with a very large crowd in attendance.

President James Shepherd asked for pledge of allegiance, led by Tommy Hereford, and grace was said by John Hill. The girls chorus from the Bonanza Free Will Baptist Church entertained the group with Christmas carols.

Guests present were Magistrate Bill Wells, State Representative James Allen, Jack Friar, John Sparks, Francis Pitts, Novella Froman, county extension agents.

A delicious meal and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The public is invited to attend our next meeting, Tuesday, January 20

SECOND SON BORN Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stumbo, of McDowell, announce the birth of their second son, James Scott, November 27 at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs. Dee Howell, Jr. and the paternal grandmother is Mrs. Virdie Stumbo, all of McDowell.

#### TO PREACH SATURDAY AT ESTILL CHURCH

Rev. Robbie Wheeler, of Staffordsville, will conduct services at the First Church of God at Estill Saturday, January 17, and each third Saturday of coming months. A welcome is extended to the public to attend these services.



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#### ASSETS

First Mortgage Loans	\$14,127,598.25
Passbook Loans	292,994.90
Home Improvement Loans	537,457.41
Mobile Home Loans	1,129,837.26
Land Contracts	19,781.67
Cash & U.S. Government Securities	198,846.85
Other Investment Securities	4,442,238.57
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock.	127,300.00
Office Building and Land (Less Depreciation)	115,579.35
Furniture, Fixtures & Equip. (Less Depreciation)	21,903.42
Prepaid Federal Insurance Premium	106,657.72
Deferred Charges and Other Assets	97,796.43
TOTAL ASSETS	\$21,217,991.83

#### LIABILITIES

Savings Accounts Loans in Process Deferred Income	\$19,750,005.88 165,807.44 28,026.35
Advance Payments by Borrowers for Taxes and Insurance Unearned Interest on Mobile Home Loans	50,022.50 252,158.11
Unearned Interest on Home Improvement Loans Other Liabilities	196,201.35 12,563.27
Federal Insurance Reserve      Undivided Profits	724,743.40 38,463.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$21,217,991.83

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PARTONE ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS CONTRACT XI WATER PLANT PUMPING EQUIPMENT PRESTONSBURG CITY UTILITIES COMMISSION PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 1. Sealed bid will be received by the Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, hereinafter referred to as the "Owner" for performing the work described herein, at the Utilities Commission Office, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 2:00 P.M., Local Time, Tuesday, January 27, 1976. The proposals will be for furnishing labor, materials and performance of all work described and set forth by the general and technical specifications and working drawings prepared by Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, Inc. Immediately following the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids, all

proposals which are submitted in accordance with this advertisement will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be bid upon is described as follows:

Contract XI—Water Plant Pumping Equipment Division "A"—Raw Water Pumps and Motors Furnishing and Installing New Submersible Type Pumps and Motors in Existing Raw Water Pump Station.

Division "B"—High Service Pump and Motor Fusnishing and Installing One New High Service Pump and Motor in Existing Clear Well.

Division "C"—Electrical Control Equipment Furnishing and Installing New Starter and Motor Control Equipment for New High Service Pump.

2. All bids must be made on the blank forms of proposal to be furnished.

3. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond payable to the Owner for five per cent of the total amount of the bid. As soon as the bid prices have been compared, the Owner will return the check or bond of all except the three lowest responsible bidders. When the contract is awarded, the checks or bonds of the remaining unsuccessful bidders will be returned. The check or bond of the successful bidder will be retained until the contract and surety bond have been executed and approved, after which it will be returned.

4. A performance and payment bond in the amount of 100 per cent of the contract price with a corporate surety approved by the Owner and the Engineer, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, and the bidder shall state in the proposal the name and address of the surety or sureties who will sign this bond in case the contract is awarded to him. A maintenance bond guaranteeing the repair of all damage due to improper material or workmanship for a period of one year after the acceptance of the work by the Owner will also be required.

5. The party to whom the contract is awarded will be required forthwith to execute the contract and a performance and payment bond within ten calendar days from the date when the written notice of the award of the contract is mailed to the bidder at the address given 13. The Construction Contract and the Detailed Specifications contain the provisions required for the construction of the project. No information obtained from any officer, agent, or employee of the Owner on any such matters shall in any way affect the risk or obligation assumed by the Contractor or relieve him from fulfilling any of the conditions of the contract.

14. Proposals which are incomplete, unbalanced, conditional or obscure, or which contain additions not called for, erasures, alterations or irregularities of any kind, or which do not comply with the Detailed Specifications may be rejected at the option of the Owner.

15. A bidder may withdraw any proposal he was submitted at any time prior to the hour set for the closing of the bids provided the request for withdrawal is signed in a manner identical with the proposal being withdrawn. No withdrawal or modification will be permitted after the hour designated for closing the bids.

16. For the purpose of clarification it is understood that the work to be done is being financed in whole or in part by means of a loan and-or grant made or insured by the United States of America acting through the Farmers Home Administration of the Department of Agriculture. The Farmers Home Administration will, therefore, require approval by its representatives of all contracts, attachments, and similar documents, all partial and final payment

estimates, and all change orders. 17. Computation of quantities that will be the basis for payment estimates, both monthly and final, will be made by the Engineer.

18. The word "Owner" means the Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Owner will be responsible for payment in accordance with the terms of the contract. The word "Contractor" means the person, firm or corporation to whom the award is made. Subcontractor as such will not be recognized.

The word "Engineer" refers to Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, Inc., Lexington, Kentucky, designated by the Owner as its engineering representative during the course of construction to make appropriate inspections and computations of payments. The word "Representative" means the State Director of the Farmers Home Administration or his designee. 19. Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined at the following places:

City Utilities Commission Office South Lake Drive Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

F. W. Dodge Corporation 3715 Bardstown Road Louisville, Kentucky 40218

F. W. Dodge Corporation 2528 Kemper Lane Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

F. W. Dodge Corporation 620 Euclid Avenue Lexington, Kentucky 40502

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# Art Display At County Library



Currently on display at the Floyd County Library here are several watercolors by Miss Lynn Rogers, of Prestonsburg. Miss Rogers' work also includes renderings in silk screen and woodcuts, and examples of ceramic sculpturing. Miss Rogers, an art teacher, will teach beginning ceramics as a part of Prestonsburg Community College's community services program during the spring semester. Miss Rogers' display will run through January 19.

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## Rep. Allen Receives Legislative Duties

Frankfort, Ky.—State Representative James "Jitter" Allen, D-Martin, received his legislative committee assignments on the opening day of the 1976 state legislative session last Tuesday, Jan. 6.

Rep. Allen was named as member of the Agriculture and Natural Resources committee and as member of the Labor and Industry committee.

The committees are set up to review and study proposed legislation and recommend action to the legislature. The opening session of the legislature

was marked by the official confirmation of the legislators' certificates of election and the official swearing-in of the legislative leaders.



#### First Assembly of God

Martin, Ky. (below Lorie Vannucci, Past	Hospital) or (285-3051)
Sunday School	10 a.m
Morning Worship	11 a.m
Youth Service	6 p.m
Evangelistic Service	7 p.m
Prayer Service and	
Bible Study	7 p.mWed





by him. In case of failure to do so, the Owner may, at his option, consider that the bidder has abandoned the contract, in which case the certified check or bidder's bond accompanying the proposal shall become the property of the Owner.

6. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids for any justifiable reason. It is understood that the work to be done is being financed with a loan from the Farmers Home Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Contractor's proposals shall hold firm for sixty (60) days to allow the Owner time to complete its financing arrangements. Mutually agreed upon extensions of time may be made, if necessary.

7. If the prospective contract exceeds \$10,000, the bidder must submit Form FHA 400-6, "Compliance Statement," with his bid. An Equal Opportunity Clause will be a part of all construction contracts exceeding \$10,000.

8. If the prospective contract exceeds \$10,000 and the contractor has one hundred (100) or more employees, he will file Standard Form 100, "Employer Information Report," with the Joint Reporting Committee, P. O. Box 12, Springfield, Virginia 22150, within thirty (30) days after the contract award and annually on or before March 31st thereafter for the life of the contract.

9. If the prospective contract is for \$50,000 or more and the successful bidder has fifty (50) or more employees, he will develop and place on file within 120 days of the contract award written affirmative action compliance programs using Form AD-425, ''Contractor's Affirmative Action Plan for Equal Employment Opportunity,'' as a guideline.

10. Before the award of the contract, any bidder may be required to furnish evidence satisfactory to the Owner and to the Engineer of the necessary facilities, ability, and pecuniary resources to fulfill the conditions of the said contract.

11. Prior to signing the contract, the Contractor shall submit on a form acceptable to the Owner and Engineer, an overall construction schedule for the project. This construction schedule shall start with the proposed date of signing the contract, and the completion date shall be the date specified in the contract. 12. Bidders must satisfy themselves by

personal examination of the location of the proposed work, by examination of the Plans and Specifications and requirements of the work and the accuracy of the estimate of the quantities of the work to be done and shall not at any time after the submission of a bid dispute or complain of such estimate nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of work to be done. Builders Exchange 3595 Dutchman's Lane P. O. Box 5662, Cherokee Station Louisville, Kentucky 40205

Association General Contractors 1019 Georgetown Road Lexington, Kentucky 40511

or may be obtained from Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, Inc., P. O. Box 546, Lexington, Kentucky 40501, upon receipt of deposits as follows:

CONTRACT XI-Ten Dollars (\$10.00)

The deposits of Contractors making legal bids will be returned in full upon receipt of plans and contract documents in good condition within two (2) weeks after bids are opened. Deposits of parties not making legal bids will not be returned. 20. Sealed proposals shall be marked clearly on the outside of the envelope, as follows:

"Sealed Proposal for Contract XI-Water Plant Pumping Equipment; City Utilities Commission, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. No to be opened until 2:00 P.M. Local Time, Tuesday, January 27, 1976."

If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the proposal must be enclosed in another envelope and mailed to the Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission, P. O. Box 468, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, Attention: Mr. Bill H. Howard, Superintendent, allowing sufficient time for such mailing to reach this address prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of proposals.

21. Funds for this project are being provided by a loan from the Farmers Home Administration; therefore, Contractors bidding on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246 and any other orders or directives pertaining to EMPLOYMENT OP-EQUAL PORTUNITY NONand-or DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT. The requirements for bidders and Contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

PRESTONSBURG CITY UTILITIES COMMISSION PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY By C. J. McNALLY Commission Chairman

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Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, Inc. 553 South Limestone Street P. O. Box 546 Lexington, Kentucky 40501 Telephone: 606-252-7771 DINWOOD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Johnson wish to

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Marie, born January 5 at the Pikeville

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Revolutionary War ancestor Capt. An-

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Army as a first lieutenant in the 45th

In this Bicentennial year of America

many families will become interested in

their ancestors. They will travel from

county to county, state to state, search-

ing courthouse records and family Bibles for names and dates. They will

find some were heroes of the Revolution

and some were not. In Morgan county a

man was disturbed when he discovered

his Revolutionary War ancestor had been

hanged as a traitor, but regained his

family pride when his research took him

to another region and here the same

ancestor was listed not as a traitor, but

as a hero. There are, he noted, two sides

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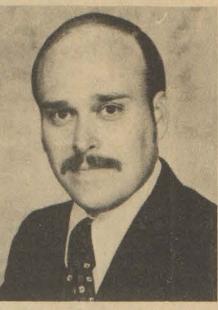
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### **Becomes Diplomate**



Dr. Paul Stephan Combs, native of Prestonsburg, became a Diplomate in the American College of Radiology in December, 1975.

In June, 1975, Dr. Combs joined the radiology practice of Drs. Boswell, Batts, Bain, and Dochterman at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. Dr. Combs previously resided in Savannah, Georgia where he completed an internship and a radiology residency at Memorial Medical Center. A graduate of the University of Kentucky, he attended the Albert B. Chandler Medical Center at the University of Kentucky where he completed his medical training and obtained his Doctorate in Medicine in 1971.

Dr. Combs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs, of Prestonsburg, and the nephew of Dr. and Mrs. Ballard F. Combs, of Lexington. He resides in Lexington with his wife, Nancy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Howard E. Dorton, of Lexington.

### **Family Histories Assume Increased Importance During Bicentennial** known as a quiet, peace-loving man and By HELEN PRICE STACY served as justice of the peace. The son

In the years following the war for independence, settlers cleared land for homesteads in lush Kentucky valleys, alongside navigable streams and when the view from mountaintops was too beautiful to resist, they stopped there. One of the adventurous soldiers was Archibald Prater. He and his brother Jonathan, both veterans of the Continental Army, together with Ebenezer Hanna and others came through Cumberland Gap in 1791 looking for home sites. The found what they wanted at the head of Licking River near the present Salyersville and made camp. Their stay was brief due to Indians, but four years later after settling in Bourbon (now Nicholas) County, they returned to build permanent homes in the area that was known as Meadows of Licking, Lick Station and finally Salyersville.

The log house built by Prater was destined to stand until 1974 and today the logs are in a wing of the handsome David Prater house in Westmoreland Estates, Lexington.

Among veterans who used the Ohio River to reach home sites was Capt. John Wilson, son of Col. George Wilson of Fayette county, Pa. Wilson, born in about 1753, was 23 when he married Drucilla Swearingen and died at Cabin Creek near Maysville in 1799. He built the first blockhouse in what is known as Wilson's Bottom. The blockhouse was a necessary defense against Indian attack.

The Amburgey family traveled from Wilkes county, N. C. to Russell county, Va. in about 1814 and settled in what now is Perry county a few years later. Indicating great determination, an ancestor, Conrad (Johannes) Amberger, and a group of Germans came to America in 1717 and settled in Virginia. Conrad financed his passage to America by indenturing himself as a servant to Governor Spottswood of Virginia for seven years.

It was in 1835 that Elizabeth Hamons Amburgey applied for a war pension and to prove that her husband John Amburgey II had served in the Revolution, she tore pages from the family Bible and sent them along with her application. Her husband was born in Orange county, Va. in 1758 and they were married in 1787. She received her pension and the pages she tore from the Bible remain in the files in the National Archives.

A veteran who built his cabin on Grapevine Creek of the North Fork of the Kentucky River made his name as a marksman in the Revolution. Daniel Davidson, who was born in Virginia in about 1753, was an ensign in Morgan's Riflemen in the Revolutionary War. Records indicate that he was a brother of John Goolman Davidson who was killed by Indians in Virginia and of George Davidson who married Mary Woods and were ancestors of William Jennings Bryan.

Capt. Andrew Hatfield, who served in the Revolution, is buried in Roach, W Va. His brother, Joseph Hatfield, served

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#### COMMUNITY SERVICE COURSES

- BASIC MATHEMATICS WORKSHOP John Sammons and Charles Robertson J148 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays Feb. 10, 12, 17, 19 \$8 (includes \$3 workbook fee). CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH (AS A SECOND LANGUAGE) Leatha Kendrick P207 7 p.m., Wed., Mar. 10 (Organ-
- izational meeting. 512. SMOKING CESSATION CLINIC Katherine K. Sohn P216 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mondays Jan. 26-Mar. 1 (follow-up
- on TBA) \$35. AMATEUR RADIO CLASS Kenneth Robinson Organizational Meeting Wed., Feb. 4 6:30 p.m. 1105 \$2.
- BASIC ASTRONOMY CLASS Charles Robertson TBA. STANDARD FIRST AID: MULTI MEDIA (fulfills OSHA requirement) P205 6-10 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays Section A-Jan. 26-28: Section B-eb: 23-25; Section C-Mar. 29-31; Section D-Apr. 26-28. \$10. STANDARD FIRST AID AND FERSONAL SAFETY IN THE HOME Edith Kowabsky P205 and P207 8:30-10 a.m.
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- \$25. NON-VERBAL COMMUNICATION WORKSHOP Don Stokes and Dan Kirkbridge TBA \$5. CHILDREN STORY-TELLING TECHNIQUES WORKSHOP Carolyn Francis TBA. THE ADAMS CHRONICLES Michele Butts P105 7 p.m. Tuesday Jan. 13 Organizational Date \$2 plus materials. INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT Rev. Bill Jaggers P208 7-9 p.m. Mondays Jan. 26 Mar. 22 \$12. SEMINAR ON RELIGION Discussion Leaders: Stephen Hodges and Bill Thomas P105 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays Organi-tic Marketing Jaggers P20

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   TEXTILE COILED MC A1 7 p.m. First Turesday each month. S10 per six months.
   INKLE LOOM WEAVING Sister Mary Pineau MC A1 7.9 p.m. Turesdays Mar. 230. S10. Enrollment limited to 6.
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   ART GULLD Russell May, Thomas Whitaker P106 7 p.m. Thursdays S10 per year.
   LANDSCAPE OIL PAINTING Russell May P106 6:30-9 p.m. Jan. 13-Mar. 23 530. Enrollment is limited to 16.
   BEGINNING WATERCOLOR TECHNIQUES Thomas Whitaker P106 7.9 p.m. Wednesdays Feb. 4- Mar. 10 S12.
   POTTERS GULLD: Okey Jackson and Natoma Powell MC A2 515 per six months
   WORKSHOPS: Powell "Techniques of Glazing as Complement to Form" Mar. 13-14 \$15 Jackson: "Raku" May 15-16 \$15
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- Jan. 20-May 4 525. STRINGS CLASS B. VIOLIN, VIOLA, CELLO and STRING BASS. Buddy Ratchiff J155 8-9 15 p.m. Tuesdays 34

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- Jan. 20-May 4 525. STRINGS CLASS B VIOLIN. VIOLA CELLO and STRING BASS Buildy Ratchiff J155 8-9-15 p.m. Tuesdays Jan. 20-May 4 525. For those who have had the beginning class A. STRINGS INDIVIDUAL LESSONS Buildy Ratchiff J155 TBA 560. COMMUNITY CHORUS Gus Kalos J155 7-9 p.m. Mondays beginning Jan. 19. JAZZ ENSEMBLE Gus Kalos J159 3-4:15 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays PLANO LESSONS Maney Maximo, John Williamson TBA. Lessons begin Jan. 26 and 27. 570. VOICE LESSONS Gus Kalos, James Ratchiff TBA 560. Call 886-3863. Ext. 208. BAND INSTRUMENT LESSONS Gus Kalos J155 TPA 560. Call 886-3863. SEWING CLASSES Alice Gray Buchanan P216 TBA 560. Call 886-3863. SEWING CLASSES Alice Gray Buchanan P216 TBA 560. Call 886-3863. CANCER WORKSHOP FOR NURSES March 19. ONTOMY CARE WORKSHOP FOR NURSES March 9. Contact Madonna Combs, Coordinator, Associate Degree Nursing Program, 886-6431 or Prestonoburg Community College, 886-3863, F. t. 208. CANCER WORKSHOP FOR NURSES March 10. BURN PATIENTS WORKSHOP FOR NURSES March 10. BURN PATIENTS WORKSHOP FOR NURSES March 30. CAKE DECORATING Connie Scarberry P216 6:30-9:30 p.m. Section A-Wednesdays, Jan. 28- Mar. 3: Section B-Thursdays, Jan. 15 Feb. 19. 518. Enrollment limited to 18 in each section. ADVANCED CAKE DECORATING Connie Scarberry P216 6:30-9:30 p.m. M. T, Th, F. Mar, 22, 23, 25, 26. 512. BOOK REVIEWS During the year. Prestonoburg Community College facility will review a variety of books that will be on the mailing list, indicate this on the pre-registration form. NO FEE. -To Be Arranged

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as a spy in the company of Capt. William Campbell. Joseph's wife, Rachel Smith Hatfield, died in 1858 at the age of 103 and is buried in Campbell County, Tenn. The first of the Hatfield family to reach America was Joseph Hatfield, who bought land in Virginia as early as 1632. Others of the family settled on Tug River in West Virginia and the Big Sandy. It was Ephraim, son of Valentine, who was father of the noted feudist Anderson "Devil Anse" Hatfield. The father was

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CARD OF THANKS The family of John Wells wishes to thank Hall Brothers Funeral Home, Rev. Green Boyd, Rev. Randall Vanhoose, Rev. Bill Amburgey and all the wonderful friends in Floyd County who remembered the family with prayers, cards, flowers and food at the time of his death. JOAN and Family

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# MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Dennis Mayo, of Hite, and Mrs. Adith Morris and son, Pat, were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Haley Webb Other guests of Mrs. Webb during the holidays were Mrs. Wilma Mayo, of Hite, Mrs. Brenda Barnett, Janet and Sue, of Lexington, Mrs. Darlan Vanderpool and Kim, of Louisville, Mrs. Judy Ellis, Doug and Brad, Mrs. David Mayo and Emily, of Brighton, Mich., Mrs. Barbara Salisbury, and Wanda, of Hite, Mrs. Arnold Webb, Mrs. Elaine Fugate and Christie, of Hindman, and Mrs. Marvin Howard, Teresa, Tina, Sheila and Alicia, of Willard, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Howard, Alicia, Teresa, Sheila and Tina, of Willard, Ohio. spent a week here during the holidays visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis and Tommy Moore and Mrs. Oda Howard at Hueysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis and Tommy Moore saw the New Year in at the Free Will Baptist at Martin.

Mrs. Haley Webb celebrated her 87th birthday with dinner at her home,

Sunday, January 4, a day early. Those visiting her during the day were Mrs. Emma Turner and Ezra Turner, of Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. Tramble Turner, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. James Webb, of Thacker, W. Va., Mrs. Gorman Clark, Kim and Barry, of Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Moore, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mayo and Mary Sue, of Hite, Mrs Rudolph Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Akers and Teresa, of Martin, Lowell Frazier, of Warsaw, Ind., Mrs. Miles Frazier, of Sidney, Ohio, Mrs. Dianne Kellen and Steve, of Sidney, Ohio, Mrs. Arnold Lee Salisbury, Wanda and Kenneth, of Hite, Robert Webb, Casey and Brian, of Delphos, Ohio, Mrs. Robert Barnett, Sue and Janet, of Lexington, Richard Webb, Rob Lewis, Tommy Moore, Mrs. Beatrice Chaffins and Paula

Robert Webb visited his brother-inlaw, Rudolph Akers, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital where he is a patient suffering from a heart condition.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manor Manuel were Mr. and Mrs. Jack West and family, of Ashville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Manuel and children, of Shiloh, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Manuel and children, of Garden City, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowling and family, of New Albany, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. James Manuel and children, of Houston, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Tuttle and children, of Westland, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore and children, of Alger, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hall, Patty Ann Lanhoff and Mike, and Mrs. Martha Everage, Mrs. Manuel's sister from Fredericksburg, Md. She also visited another sister, Mrs. Marie Hayes, while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Taulby Tussey, Jeff, Scarlett and Shasta Jean, of Springfield, Ohio, spent last week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and other relatives.

Mrs. Peggy Vaughn, accompanied by her daughter, Margaret Vaughn, returned to her home in Oak Ridge, Tenn. Friday after spending the past three weeks here visiting her father, Dr. J. H. Allen and her sister, Harriet.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Cynthia Bentley who passed away Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Williams were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Allen. They also visited her uncle, Dr. J. H. Allen, and other relatives.

## USDA Invites Comments On School Lunch Change

ATLANTA, Ga.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has invited comments from the public on proposed changes in the regulations governing federal, state, and local revenues used in the National School Lunch Program. The proposed changes would give state educational agencies and local school districts clear authority to use state and local monies to support each or all of the three categories of lunches served under the program. These categories are: paid lunches, where the child pays the full price charged by the school; reduced price lunches, where the child pays 20



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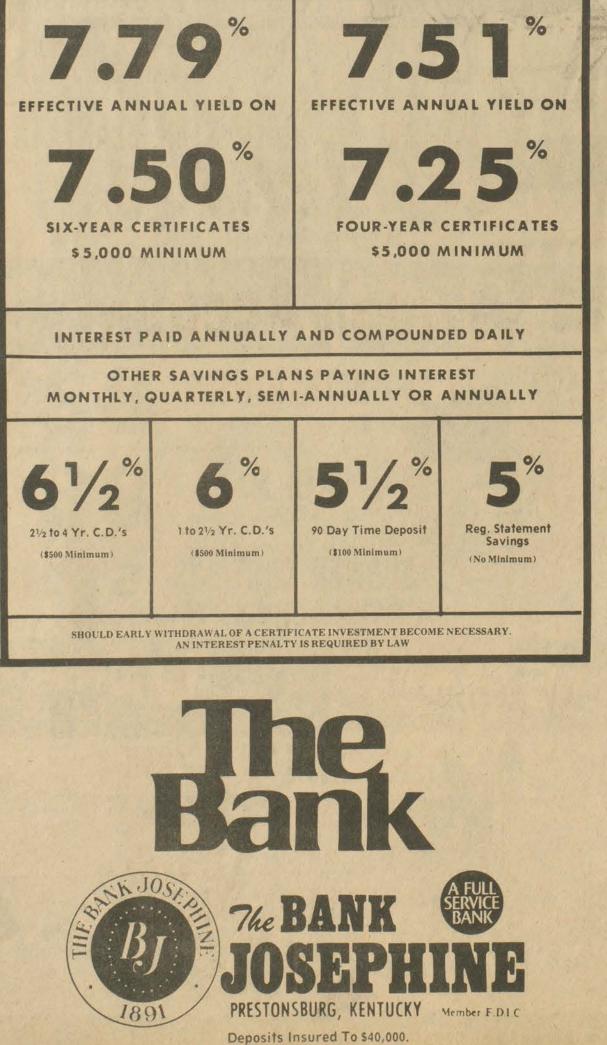
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cents or less per lunch; and free lunches. Under the proposed changes, states and local school districts would have clear authority to target state or local monies to support paid or reduced-price lunches, thereby keeping their price as low as possible.

In addition, regulatory language on USDA's cash assistance for all school lunches would be changed to allow states to vary per-lunch reimbursement rates among school districts in order to maintain the lowest possible lunch prices to children. By varying these rates, states would have the flexibility to assist those districts in greatest need of such funds.

The proposed amendment to the regulations was scheduled to appear in the Federal Register of Dec. 29, 1975. Comments are invited and should be delivered to William C. Boling, Manager, Child Nutrition Programs, Food and Nutrition Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250, or submitted by mail postmarked no later than Jan. 28, 1976.

All comments received will be open to public inspection.

DEATH RULED SUICIDE Eddyville, Ky.—Lyon County Coroner Eugene Denney has ruled that the Dec. 21 death of Kentucky State Penitentiary inmate Clarence Reynolds was a suicide. Reynolds, 43, of Owsley county, was found hanging by his belt from a bar in his cell door.

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# **Two Faithful, Old Servants**

#### By GEO. L. MOORE

The mule is an animal that has always fascinated me. For more than a century it was the principal beast of buren in the mountain counties of Kentucky. The pickup and the tractor caused it to become obsolete. I have learned over the years that you cannot always believe what you read in books. The mule has commonly been regarded as a dumb beast of burden that knew nothing but hard work. Despite what all the books on animal psychology say, animals, and especially the mule, do think.

After living as close to the soil for the past eight years as did Henry David Thoreau at Walden Pond, I have come to the very definite conclusion that a mule is more intelligent than a man. Man's problem is that he is not intelligent enough to communicate with the mule. Several years ago I wrote an article about a mule that supervised a farm. I related how, after a sojourn of 40-odd years on the Old Clabe Jones Place, that

the mule, Old Dan, yielded to the inevitable forces of nature and cashed in his chips. Not long after his passing, two other mules took his place to roam the same fields.

It was about eight years ago that I became well acquainted with these two mules. I learned many things from them. A mule can sense danger long before his master takes any notice of it. When an intruder comes into the field where you are working, the mule is the first to notice it. If it is too difficult for you to see, the mule will point his long ears toward the object as if to say, "There it is, stupid." A man will walk directly into a clump of weeds in which a poisonous snake is concealed; the mule is far too wise to do such a foolish thing. A mule knows his capacity and will not be pushed beyond it.

The two mules that I became acquainted with were Red and Blackie. They were more fortunate than most mules. Their owners are not only kind and considerate persons but have a genuine compassion for all of God's creatures. This was especially true where Red and Blackie were concerned. No other animal responds to kind treatment as well as a mule. This was the only team of mules in this part of the country that never had a curse word hurled in their direction. They have never felt the cruel lash of the whip; they have not known what it was like to be hungry or not to have a comfortable place to sleep in winter.

The original names of these mules have long since been forgotten. Their owners, Elmer and Burbee Stone, who live on Clay Fork of Sinking Creek, purchased them in 1941 when they were two years old. As Elmer moved past the house, his six-months-old daughter called out, "Yed and Blackie." They were always called Red and Blackie since that time

After the two had given a quarter century of arduous toil, their owners said they had earned their freedom. They had pulled a heavily laden wagon, loaded with groceries and other supplies, over the long road from Olive Hill; they had pulled the plough over hills and valleys to break the soil for corn, oats and other crops. They pulled the mowing machine over the steep hills to harvest the hay. As had other farmers in this section of the country, Elmer switched to the pickup and the tractor, and the mules were no longer needed. The owners refused to sell or trade them for fear that they would fall into the hands of cruel master. They were turned loose on the Old Clabe Jones Place to roam the fields at will.

Occasionally they were used to mow on the steep hillside. Father Time had slowed the tempo of their steps but they could still move fast when necessary. If, perchance they ran into a nest of yellow jacket's, they could reduce a good mower to scrap iron in a matter of minutes.

One late, wintry evening a thick, cold mist was falling. I could just make it to the barn to feed and bed down the cattle for the night. As I returned to the house, I heard a distress call from one of the mules on a thickly wooded ridge about a half-mile from my house. Since my house was the nearest place of human habitation, he had moved in as close as he could. The call seem to say, "We're in trouble; some over and help us." The weather had become so foul that it was impossible for me to venture out into the gathering storm.

Early next morning, I moved around the ridge in a Jeep till I came to the old barn. Just as soon as I came into view, Old Blackie hurried to meet me. He was sounding the distress call louder than ever. He was clearly saying to me, 'Something tragic has happened.'

I began to search the old wheat field and the old bullfrog fields. A thick growth of pines made the search very difficult. After searching for a couple of hous or so, the cold mist turned into rain and as it increased in intensity, I was forced to retreat to the safety of the house. Old Red's master was seriously ill of pneumonia. I called on the phone and broke the sad news about the mules to his wife. Despite the flu and bad weather, she made a two-mile journey and procured the help of a neighbor to continue the search on horseback. As he rode through the pines and tangled thickets he emerged on the valley below. Suddenly he came upon Old Red. Now he knew the cause of Blackie's concern.

The old mule had been walking down the path, near the little stream that flows into Arab Fork of Sinking Creek. As he had walked beside this little stream, time had caught up with him and his strong heart had ceased to beat. As darkness fell over the little valley he had met the grim reaper and, as it must to all of God's creatures, death came to Old Red at the age of thirty-five.

#### **Engagement Announced**

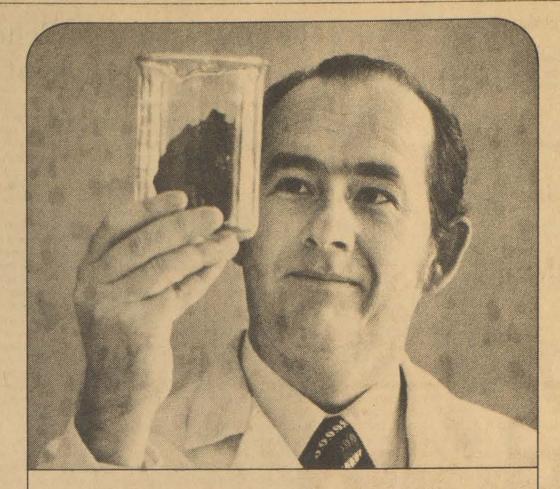
Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Flanery, of Allen, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Sue, to Mr. Fred Daniel Klatka, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theodore Klatka, of Chardon, Ohio. Miss Flanery, an honor graduate of Prestonsburg High School, was graduated cum laude from Morehead State University in 1972, where she obtained a Bachelor of Music Education Degree and is currently pursuing a Master of Music Degree. Among the honors she has received are first runnerup in state piano competition, the Governor's Merit Award, election into Kappa Delta Pi and Cardinal Key (national education honoraries), "Who's Who Among Student in American Colleges and Universities," and Zeta Tau Alpha social sorority. Miss Flanery spent two years as co-ordinator of choral music for the Wolfe county school system and now operates a private business, The Patricia Flanery School of Music, in Allen

Mr. Klatka, a graduate of Chardon High School, attended Max Hayes Vocational School, Kent State University, and was graduated cum laude from Kentucky Christian College, having obtained both the Bachelor of Arts and the Bachelor of Theology degrees. While attending Kentucky Christian College, he traveled as bass guitarist with "The Watchmen," a professional gospel quartet. Among honors received at KCC were the American Bible Society Award for outstanding Greek translation and oral interpretation, and being named 'Who's Who Among Student In American Colleges and Universities." He is enrolled in the graduate program at Emmanuel School of Religion, Johnson City, Tennessee, pursuing the Master of Divinity Degree. Mr. Klatka is an ordained minister of the Church of Christ and is presently serving at the Hueysville Church

A June wedding is being planned.

#### HIGHLANDS CLINIC AUXILIARY **TO MEET JANUARY 18**

The Highlands Regional Medical Clinic Auxiliary will meet Sunday, Jan. 18 at 3 p.m. in the hospital cafeteria. All members and interested persons are invited to attend



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#### HERE FOR CHRISTMAS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stratton, of Stanville, over Christmas were their two daughters and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Preston and children, Anthony Allen and Marsha Leigh, all of Milan, Michigan and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childers and children, Tina Lyn and Jennifer Rhea, of Louisville. Another daughter, Mrs. William Edward Yost, IV, formerly of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, left for Guam, November 19 for a two year stay with her husband and son, William E, V. Mr. Yost is serving in the U. S. Air Force.

#### **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Floyd County Fiscal Court will accept sealed bids for the purchase of the following

8,000 tons of No. 57 gravel, 2,000 tons of No. 2 gravel.

The gravel must be delivered to the Kentucky State Highway Garage, 1 mile north of Allen on Old U. S. 23. Bids, to be filed with County Judge Henry Stumbo, will be opened Jan. 19, 1976, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m. The Floyd County Fiscal Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids

C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON Clerk, Floyd County, Ky. 1-7-3t

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## Ford Proclaims January **Blood** Donor Month

President Ford has proclaimed January, "National Volunteer Blood Donor Month.

The official proclamation reads as follows:

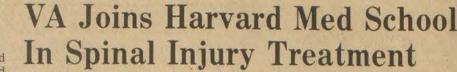
January is known traditionally as National Volunteer Blood Donor Month. It gives each of us the opportunity to honor those fellow citizens who willingly offer their blood to benefit those who need it. Their life-giving gesture is cherished not only by its recipients and their families, but by all of us.

In this first month of our Bicentennial year, it is most appropriate that we dedicate ourselves to the achievement of an all-volunter supply of blood to meet the nation's needs. I welcome this occasion to urge all Americans to make this worthy goal a reality in 1976."

Obtaining a safe all-volunteer supply of blood and blood products is the goal of the Central Kentucky Blood Center and all blood agencies working in Kentucky and the surrounding areas.

MINOR FLOODING SEEN

Minor flooding is expected at several points along the lower Ohio River throughout this week, the National Weather Service said.



A landmark in care of the paralyzed in the U.S. was reached recently when the Veterans Administration broke ground for a new center, affiliated with Harvard Medical School, that is expected to be a prototype for future care of the spinal cord injured, reported Richard L. Roudebush, Administrator of Veterans Affairs.

The agency has pioneered rehabilitation and prosthetics for these patients since World War II with the result that victims of war and the worst accidents have been given life and more opportunity to become independent.

The VA head noted that new concepts of care now permit many victims of spinal cord injury to hold full-time paid jobs, working in wheelchairs as ceramic designers and teachers, flight controllers, upholsterers, computer programmers, wig makers, scuba diving instructors, and a host of other occupations.

The \$10.6 million, five-story center at the West Roxbury, Mass., VA Hospital will be headed by Dr. Alain B. Rossier, for whom Harvard, in 1973, established the nation's first professorship in spinal

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#### cord injury rehabilitiation. A paraplegic himself, Dr. Rossier now heads VA's existing spinal cord injury center at West Roxbury

Roudebush said the 100-bed building will be one of the first in the U.S. designed exclusively for comprehensive acute care and rehabilitation of the spinal cord injured.

The new facility will be in addition to the 17 centers for paralyzed veterans at other VA hospitals. This includes a new center recently opened in the St. Louis, Mo., Hospital at a cost of almost \$2 million for renovation and equipment. Advances made possible by such concentration of VA resources in this field have benefited veterans, military, and civilian patients as knowledge is passed on to private medical personnel through VA seminars and publications.

The present West Roxbury center is headquartered in an older building. The center includes a specially designed building at the Brockton, Mass., VA Hospital which serves as an auxiliary to the West Roxbury facility. Here patients receive specialized vocational and other rehabilitation after being treated for the acute period after the injury at West Roxbury or other hospitals.

The 17 VA centers treat an average of 1,300 paralyzed veterans per day. About 35 per cent are paralyzed from the neck down (quadriplegics) and 65 per cent are afflicted from the waist down (paraplegics). About one-fourth have service-connected injuries.

VA's program began in World War II when spinal cord injuries were considered fatal or near terminal. With the help of Dr. Howard Rusk's pioneering work, VA after World War II established the nation's only large scale program for rehabilitation of the spinal cord injuries.

The agency's current program is carried out with active support of the Paralyzed Veterans of America.

The continuing improvement in treatment is shown by medical evidence that Korean conflict paraplegics are living considerably longer than World War II paraplegics, and equal or longer life span is predicted for Vietnam era paraplegics. The quality of these lives is constantly being improved by technology.

In addition to those named, VA spinal cord injury centers are located at Castle Point, N. Y. (specializing in new prosthetics), Cleveland, Ohio, East Orange, N. J., Hampton, Va., Hines, Ill., Houston, Tex., Long Beach, Calif. Memphis, Tenn., Miami, Fla., Richmond, Va., San Juan, P. R., Tampa, Fla., and Wood (Milwaukee), Wis.

#### **TWO OFFICERS FIRED**

Frankfort, Ky .- State Wildlife Commission Arnold Mitchell says his firing of two Kentucky conservation officers arrested in South Dakota for hunting law violations last fall "likely will come before a Personnel Board hearing." Because of that, Mitchell would add only brief comment to his written statement Monday that Jerry P. Maupin of Murray



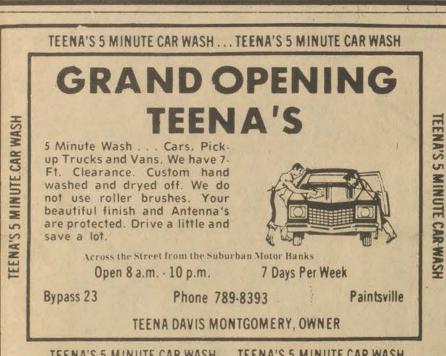
# **Going Out of Business**

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# Makes Fearless Forecast for '76

Woodrow Burchett, Prestonsburg's own fearless soothsayer, has like Old Man Mose once more given forth with his annual predictions for the coming year. Although his prognostications came a week later than usual, he still seems the only one willing to be publicly quoted.

Burchett delivered his predictions last Thursday night to the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club Ladies' Night meeting at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Among his recollections from last year's predictions were:

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Ford will keep most Nixon men in high places and his prestige will continue to slip; President Ford will not be on the ballot; Johny Connally will have a long trial; there will be a tax cut, so small you'll need a microscope to find it; a lot of people will lose money on gold-both the yellow and the black; the stock market will get back in the 700s; Appalachia could be the boom area of America; Cincinnati will win it all; you won't see many streakers; heavy snows in January and February, 1975; Blanda still alive and kicking.

His observations, particularly about sports and politics, have through the years been close enough to give Burchett, a leading attorney, some prestige in his own territory-somewhat of a prophet with honor-but he says the annual predicting is becoming not only something of a chore, but the limbs he crawls on become longer. That he says after finally being correct about "Cincinnati taking it all.

His predictions for '76:

"The big political news will be the presidency. The incumbent was not elected by the people. Never in history has a non-elected incumbent failed to get the nomination for his first full term. This one could be a record breaker. Never before has the party not in the White House failed to have a candidate off and running. To be a winner you must have a candidate.

'Kentucky may have its first Presidential Primary if the law is not changed to head off George Wallace. He will carry Florida, and is saying a lot of things people like to hear, but reality will overtake him and Reagan.

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"Discontent with government makes this a tough one to forecast.

"Only a politician would sell you a ticket to a \$100.00 a plate dinner and then give you a speech on how he intends to stop inflation. 'Kennedy won't be a candidate. He

could have family trouble.

"Our congressional elections will not be exciting. Incumbents should be returned with the possibility of one Republican being replaced by a Democrat.

"In West Virginia we will hear a lot about Arch Moore. Court test for third term, trial and election. He will win. 'Coal is still King. Internal strife in the UMW may cause strikes and work stoppage. This will affect the industry and in turn our economy.

"A Democrat will win the presidency-Henry Jackson, Birch Boyle or Hughbird. Reagan will not get the nomination but may run as a Conservative, third party

"Kissinger and Ford will come to the parting of ways before July 4. Kissinger will go home to write his memoirs.

"Ted Kennedy will not be a candidate for president or senator. He may accept a position as an ambassador or a cabinet post

"You will be amazed at the confusion in the courts that will be brought about by the Constitutional Amendment that was supposed to streamline and simplify our judicial system. It will be a mess.

"There will be a major change in the Food Stamp Program.

"Vikings and Raiders will have a better season.

'Blanda will still be alive and kicking. "Mohammed Ali will still be heavyweight champion.

'Joe Namath will quit and go into movies and-or television.

'Kentucky will not make it to NCAA in basketball. Louisville will.

'Kentucky Colonels will win their division

'A Kentucky-bred horse with blue in silks will win the Derby.

'Lexington team will win state

basketball tournament. 'Cincinnati will play in world series.

"Fran Curci after a desperate search for a quarterback will decide to play the position himself.

"There will be talk of a professional tackle football league for women.

"U.C.L.A. and Indiana will play in the NCAA finals 'We may have a new Pope.

"A tragedy in the Kennedy family is expected.

Liz Taylor will have a major operation.

'The cost of living will level off. "Dow-Jones industrials may get above

950 points.

"Automobiles will go more to the medium size. Large cars will get smaller and small cars will get larger. The automobile industry may have the best year in the past decade.

"We will still have air tragedies and hijacking

"The biggest continuing news in Kentucky will be the 60-day session of General Assembly. Some people think the state would be beter off if it met 2 days every 60 years instead of 60 days every 2 years. There used to be a sign on the wall in the press room at the State Capital saying, roughly, "No man's life, liberty or property is safe while his Kentucky legislature is in session." It can repeal the laws that protect him and enact laws that destroy him.

"During the lucid intervals of that 60 day period it will consider these items; 1. Possible reconsideration of the Equal Rights Amendment it passed in 1972. Does it have the legal authority? E.R.A. will never become law.

"2. Measures to modify price controls on milk and whiskey. They won't pass.

"3. The "new car lemon" bill with a lot of talk but not enough votes. It would be a bad time for a legislator to come out with a new car while this bill is up. "4. Open records-a hot potato.

"5. Some form of medical malpractice

bill to lower insurance rates for insurance for doctors. '6. The teachers are not expected to

get much increase in salary even though we have a 100 million dollar surplus and this promise was the first plank in the platform of the governor and all the lawmakers.

"7. There will be a lot of bills introduced relative to school busing, but none with any significance will be passed.

"8. There will be a lot of publicity about consumer protection bills. If any are passed they will be watered down and ineffective.

"9. The abortion legislation will be highly controversial, emotion and everybody will try to duck it.

"10. The Public Service Commission won't get a new face, but may get some more muscle.

'11. Coal-mining counties will not be able to get much more benefit from the coal severance tax.

"A former governor has been quoted as saying, "Give me enough jobs and I can pass any legislation." This governor has a huge majority of his party in the legislature and will be able to pass or defeat any legislation he wants.

#### RETURN FROM LIMA

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pennington recently returned home from Lima, O. where they were called when their older son, Phillip Pennington, was injured in an auto accident, December 23, while on his way to work. He is now recovering at his home in Lima.

#### NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We would like to send our deep appreciation to all the friends that contributed to us after the tragic fire that claimed our home at Dana. We would especially like to thank the Betsy Layne Volunteer fire department for saving the surrounding building and homes. Mr. and MRS. ARLEY BOYD

Dana, Ky

#### NOTICE

To members of Floyd Federal Savings and Loan Association of Prestonsburg. Kentucky:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members of Floyd Federal Savings and Loan Association of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, will be held at the office of the association, 19 South Lake Drive, in the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the hour of 4:00 o'clock. P.M. (EST) on Wednesday, January 21, 1976, for the purpose of transacting any business that may come before said meeting.

C. L. ALLEN, President LORENA G. WALLEN, Secretary 1-7-2t

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'Women watchers picked Nancy Kissinger as the most watchable woman in the United States. She can't repeat.

"Patty Hearst will get out of jail. "No one will attempt to assassinate the President

"The economy will remain about the same. Jobs and inflation will still be big problems.

"Manners and morality have about reached their low and should bounce back to some degree.

"School busing will still be unpopular, but no laws to curtail it will be passed. "Starting in 1976 there will be three years of good crops but very little change in farm prices.

"Elvis Presley will announce his retirement after a barn-storming tour of United States

'Some men will be wearing pantyhose. "There will be another tax cut and an

increase in the national debt. "We will have an earthquake and a volcano eruption in the United States.

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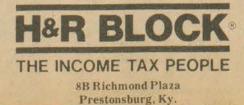
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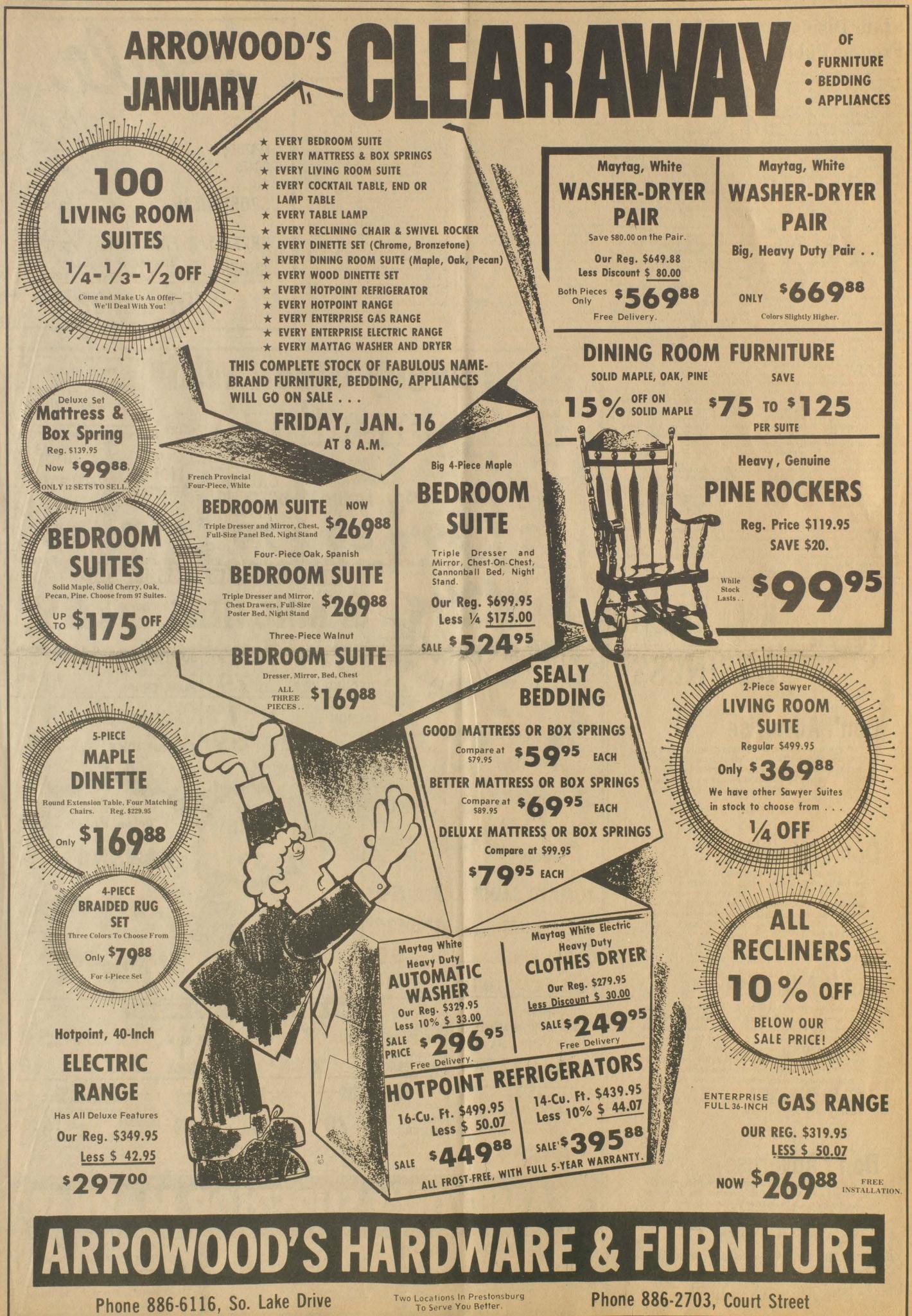
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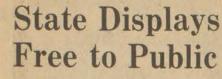


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Frankfort, Ky.-Many people probably don't realize Kentucky government owns and operates a solid waste transfer station, landfill and sawmill. That's probably because they didn't take much money to build and cost only pennies to run. And, unlike most such facilities, these are portable and easy to obtain. They are miniature replicas of the real thing and are used by divisions of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection to demonstrate proper operating procedures.

The landfill and transfer station are available from the division of solid waste. The sawmill comes from the division of forestry.

The displays are free and will be transported by the division. During the past year, they were used by civic clubs, banks, schools and fairs.

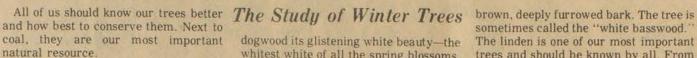
The electrically operated working model of a garbage transfer station requires four feet by six feet of exhibit space. The sanitary landfill displays, which depict a landfill before, during and after its operation, come in three segments. Each segment is four feet square and one foot high. The solid waste exhibits require 11-volt electricity and must be requested a month in advance.

The division of forestry has been exhibiting its home-made portable sawmill for 10 years. The exhibit must be scheduled at least a month in advance and requires a trained operator. It kicks up a lot of dust and, therefore, is usually used outdoors.

The division of air pollution also provides several air pollution monitoring instruments for display. Those include a high volume sampler, an AISI tape sampler and a sulfur dioxide bubbler. Those displays must be operated by trained personnel.

To obtain a display, call or write the appropriate division of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, Capital Plaza Tower, Frankfort, Ky. 40601, telephone 502-564-3350.

A weather service spokesman in Louisville said "minor flooding" is expected at Tell City, Ind., at Mt. Vernon, Ill., and at Uniontown, Ky., Shawneetown, Ill., and Fords Ferry, Ill., Saturday.



1. THE BLACK GUM. Recognize the black gum tree in winter by its dark. almost black, bark. The bark is deeply furrowed, with numerous elongated, rectangular ridges. Another important feature to note, the black gum plays host to the evergreen mistletoe, popular at Christmastime for decoration. The mistletoe may be seen growing in green clusters high upon the limbs. This "fairy mistletoe," as the poets call it, lends a springlike touch to a large winter black gum

Many of the larger black gums are hollow, and these were sought by the oldtime beekeepers to make a "gum" for their bees. The bee-gum was fitted with doors at the bottom and had cross-sticks in the middle to hold up the honey and bees.

2. THE DOGWOOD. Recognize the dogwood in winter by its scaly, alligator hide. The rough, reddish-brow bark is broken up into numerous scales. Also learn the winter buds, which stud the ends of the branches and resemble small doorknobs. These fat, squatty buds will burst open and expand in spring, to form the four white bracts, which lend the

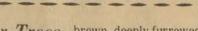
#### D.A.V. REPRESENTATIVE TO BE AT AUXIER, JAN. 19

D.A.V. staff service officer will be at the Auxier Volunteer Fire Department building, Monday, January 19 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. He will be there to assist veterans, widows or dependents of veterans in obtaining benefits to which they are entitled.

#### INTERIOR SECRETARY

TO SPEAK IN KENTUCKY Interior Secretary Thomas S. Kleppe will be the featured speaker at the Fifth District Lincoln Club dinner Feb. 7 at Cumberland Falls State Park near Corbin, Ky.

Rep. Tim Lee Carter, R-5th District, announced Friday that Kleppe had agreed to address the Republican organization's 38th annual gathering.



By Rufus M. Reed

dogwood its glistening white beauty-the

Nature Trails

whitest white of all the spring blossoms. 3. THE PERSIMMON TREE. The winter bark of this tree closely resembles that of the black gum. It is a rugged, corrugated bark, which is also compared to alligator hide. Also identify the persimmon by the wood, which is yellowishbrown. The wood is used to make shovel handles and golf clubs. 4. THE WHITE ASH. Learn this highly

valuable tree by its grayish bark, which is broken into deep, diamond-shaped fissures. The outer bark seems to be woven into a loose fabric with diamondshaped openings. This tree is called "the tree with the diamond bark." Also recognize the white ash by its stout, blunt twigs, each of which has two or more small terminal buds. The wood of the white ash was used in ancient times to make chariots. The modern uses of its wood are to make baseball bats, hoe handles and hockey sticks.

5. THE LINDEN OR BASSWOOD TREE. Identify the linden in winter by its red twigs and red buds-a peculiar feature of the tree. Also by its grayish-

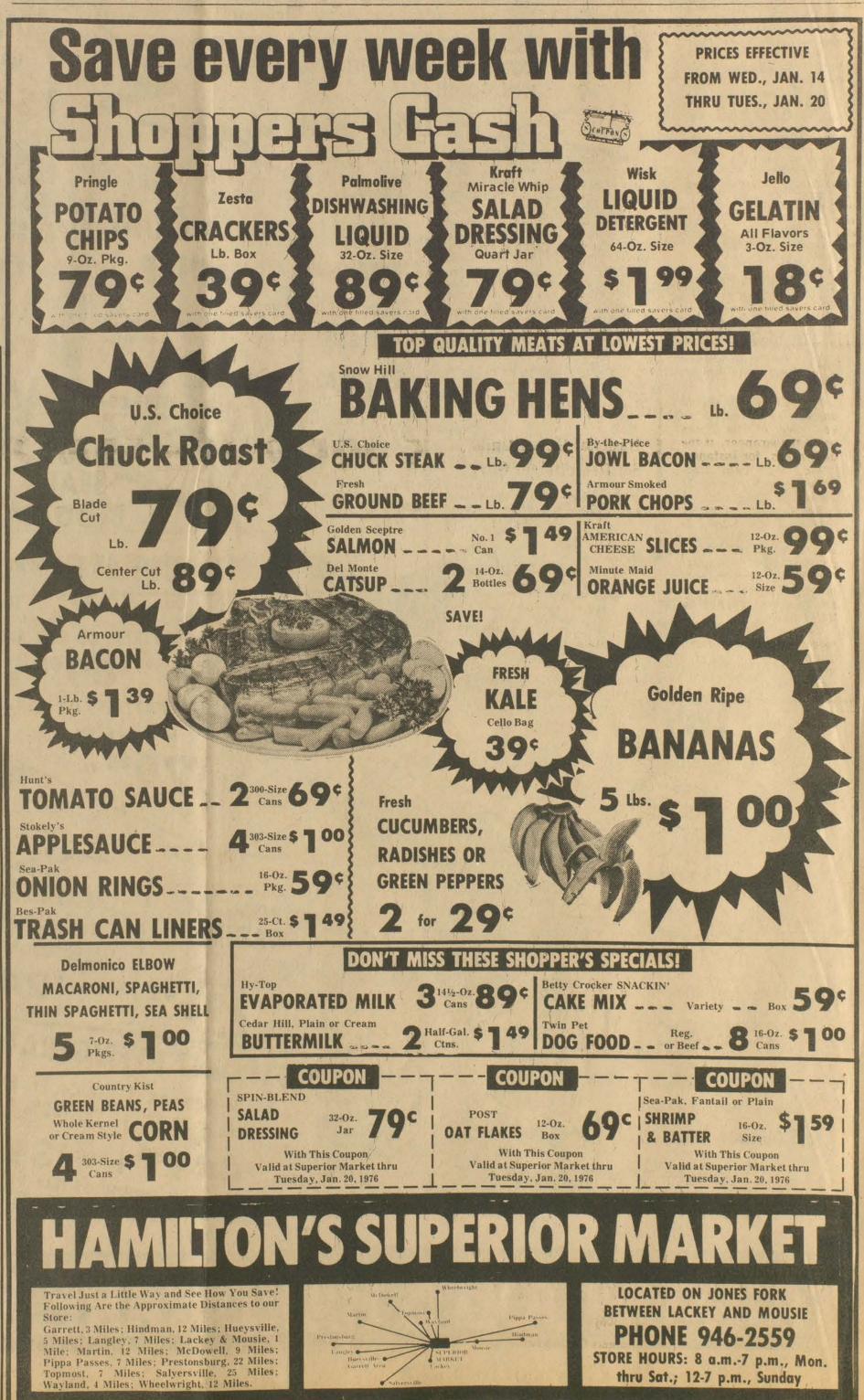
sometimes called the "white basswood. The linden is one of our most important trees and should be known by all. From its fragrant yellow flowers, bees make a clear, delicious honey-the pride of beekeepers

6. THE SUGAR MAPLE. This tree is the state tree of West Virginia, Vermont, Wisconsin and New York. It is easily recognized in winter by its gray bark, which breaks up into long, irregular plates; also by its sharp-pointed, small winter buds, which hug the twig.

7. THE AMERICAN HOLLY. This tree, popular at Christmastime, recognized by the clusters of red berries decorating the female trees, and by its spiny, evergreen leaves. Each leaf usually has 13 sharp spines, which is said to represent the 13 persons at the table when Christ ate the Last Supper with his disciples. The wood of the holly is used to make piano keys.

THE SUMACS. All the species of sumacs of our region may be recognized by the large red seed pods that persist on the branches during winter. These pods furnish much food to winter birds. The seeds are quite sour and are used by Boy Scouts to make "Indian lemonads,





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#### **Engagement** Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hopkins, of Mc-Dowell, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Debbie Ann Hopkins, to Mr. Howard Morris Tackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tackett, of Price.

Miss Hopkins is a senior at McDowell High School. She is a four-year honor student and an active member of the science, math, and pep club. She was also vice-president of her junior class. She plans to attend the nursing class at Mayo State Vocational School.

Mr. Tackett is a 1973 graduate of McDowell High School and a 1974 graduate of Mayo State Vocational School. He is presently employed as a welder at the R. & S. Body Co. of Allen. Wedding plans are not complete at this time.

#### NOTICE

Order of Chief of Police Hack Thornsbury and J. W. Laferty, Sgt.:

All red parking tickets must be paid within 24 hours after they are issued, or a fine of \$3 will be imposed.

Effective Jan. 1, tickets will be issued every hour, with an additional red ticket being added for each hour overtime. A ticket will also be issued if money is placed in meter without turning meter mechanism. Thomas B. Lafferty

Police Judge City of Prestonsburg

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## **To Subscribers**

Please note date shown opposite your name on your copy of The Times or on the wrapper. If the date reads, for instance, "Dec. 75," your subscription will expire at the end of December.

Because of increased mailing costs, notices to subscribers of their expiration dates will be discontinued. Subscriptions which have expired must be cancelled within one month of the expiration date. Yearly subscription rates are: \$6.30 in Floyd county; \$7.35 elsewhere in Kentucky; \$8.50 outside Kentucky.

# **Extension Service News**

Vice-President, James

President,

Secretary, Pamela Scarberry; Reporter,

Teresa Case; Song Leader, Barbara

Crum, Ticher Conn, Lisa Gayheart,

Claudine Crum; Game Leader, Shawn

Martin, Jeffery Powell, Roy Pack; 4-H

Leader, Mrs. Janet Hughes. Martin 4th-

President, Brent Lafferty; Vice-

Secretary, Gina Marshall; Reporter,

Craig Hall; Song Leaders, Marla Conley,

Deneen Martin, Alice Reynolds; Game

Leaders, Larry Wireman, Gina Van-

nucci; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Yvonne Mosley.

Mariza DeGuzman;

By JACK M. FRIAR (County Extension Agent 4-H) MARTIN 4-H CLUBS ORGANIZE Eleven 4-H clubs were organized recently in the Martin Elementary School for the 1976 4-H Club Year.

Officers and leaders of these clubs are: Martin 8th-President, Ricky Crum; Vice-President, Chris Salisbury; Secretary, Kim Terry; Reporter, Anna Wicker; Song Leaders, Gordon Carrol, Dewey Layne, Larry Fletcher; Game Leaders, Joey Crum, Lois Hutchins, Libby Carr; 4-H Leader, Raymond Griffith, Jr. Martin 7th and 8-President, Sherri Hall; Vice-President, Chanda Spencer; Secretary, Shelia Salisbury; Reporter, Tammy Shepherd; Song Leaders, Jeffery Meade, Bennie Rose; Game Leader, Diana Sexton; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Charlotte Moore. Martin 7th-President, Ramona Salisbury; Vice-President, Mathew Hughes; Secretary, Tywonna Salisbury; Reporter, Sandy Terry; Song Leaders, Martha Kilburn, Sherry, Flanery, Patty Reynolds; Game Leaders, Lisa Conn, Donna Stumbo, Cindy Crisp. 4-H Leader, William Patton. Martin 7-B-President, William Vance; Vice-President, John Ousley; Secretary, Laura Humble; Reporter, Bruce Miller; Song Leaders, Freddie Carroll, Ricky Caudill; Game Leaders, Henry Napier, Ricky Carroll, Donny Miller; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Vivian Tackett. Martin 6-A-President, Billy Dingus; Vice-President, Mike Clouse; Secretary, Bradley Crum; Reporter, Tobieta Baldridge; Song Leaders, Mark McKinney, Keith Anderson, William Everage, Rhonda Sizemore, Kathy Barnett; 4-H Leader-Mrs. Ruth Reynolds. Martin 6-B-President, Angelia Terry; Vice-President; Mark Judd; Secretary Elizabeth Collins; Reporter, Donna Reynolds; Song Leader, Kathy Conn; Game Leaders, Beatrice Meade; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Geneva Bailey. Martin 6-C-President, Robert Vance; Vice-President, Tommy Sexton; Secretary, Denise Bush; Song Leaders-Shelia Meade, Devanna Tackett, Joyce Harvey; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Sonja Greer. Martin 5-A-President, Denise Crum; Vice-President, Timothy Reynolds; Secretary, Terri Bentley; Reporter, Alesia Meade; Song Leaders, Keesha Dingus, Johnny Layne, McKay Reynolds; Game Leaders, Glenis Hale, Jodi Colburn, Johnene Reynolds; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Syrilda Martin. Martin 5-B-Prsident, Jerry Wildman; Vice-President, Melissa Greer; Song Leader, Debbie Allen, Melissa Greer, Sherry Goodman; Game Leader, Keith Meade; 4-H Leader, Mrs. Josephine Robinson. Martin 4 & 5-President, Pauline Crum;

### National Guard Units Set Recruitment Goal

Frankfort, Ky.—Nearly 150 National Guard commanders and senior officials from all Kentucky units met here Saturday to learn the details of "Operation Spirit of '76," a two-month recruiting drive.

## Floyd Students Named To Western Dean's List Named to the Dean's List at Western

Kentucky University, Bowling Green, for the fall semester are the following students from this county:

Marvin Hood, of Wheelwright, 3.5; Robert B. Herrick, 3.9; Susan Jett Jaggers, 3.4, and Robert Lowe Tackett, 3.6, all of Prestonsburg.

To be named to the Dean's List, a student must achieve an academic standing of 3.3 or above of a possible 4. Students with an average of 3.8 or above are designated President's Scholars.





Major General Richard L. Frymire, the adjutant general, said that "troop strength is of great concern" and set a goal of 1,000 new enlistments before Feb. 29.

Frymire explained that Kentucky is far behind other states of comparable size and that immediate progress must be made if the state is to retain the units already established. Current strength is slightly under 6,000.

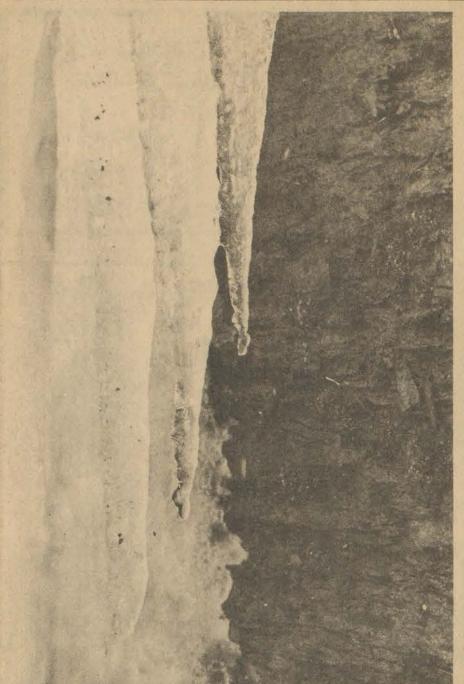


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#### **CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to take this means of thanking everyone who helped us during the passing of our son Bobby Ray Quillen Billips. We especially wish to thank those of you that sent flowers, food, or did anything to help. And a special thanks to the ministers and the Hall Bros. Funeral Home for its fine service.

> JOHNNY and EMMA GRACE BILLIPS

CARD OF THANKS We wish in this manner to thank the many friends for the food, kindness, help and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our father, Elbert Howell. We also wish to thank the Hall Bros. Funeral Home, the members of the family who took part in the funeral, also the pallbearers, the Rev. Bill Jaggers and those who sang before and at the funeral. These things will be long

The Family

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remembered.

# Consumer **Comments**

By ED W. HANCOCK (Attorney General)

Be wary of telephone magazine salespeople One elderly Kentucky resident was

called and asked to buy magazines. The salesperson stated that the contract could be cancelled within three days. When the man received the contract, he discovered that the cancellation period was past and the magazines were not as represented. The total cost was much higher than he realized. He called the company to register his complaint and was told that he could not cancel the agreement. At that time, he brought his complaint to the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection.

This is just one of several phone magazine complaints our office has received recently. The gimmicks vary but in each complaint the consumer naively agreed to unwanted magazines. for a price much higher than he realized.

Protect yourself against these types of schemes by employing the following suggestions:

1. Ask magazine salespeople if they are registered with the county clerk's office. According to Kentucky's Consumer Protection Laws each salesperson must be registered with the county clerk's office when selling printed materials by phone or in person.

2. Do not make any agreement without seeing it in writing.

3. Be sure to read and understand the contract before signing. Are these the magazines that you want, at a price you can afford?

Remember, exercise caution when a magazine salesperson calls.

If you have a consumer complaint, write to the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, The Capitol, Room 34, Frankfort, Ky. 40601 or call tollfree on the consumer hotline: 1-800-2960.

## **Big Sandy ADD Meet** Scheduled January 19

Monthly board meeting of the Big Sandy Area Development District will be held at 5 p.m., Monday, January 19, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Most projects for the coming years will be presented at this meeting for review as well as discussion of an area action plan to be developed.

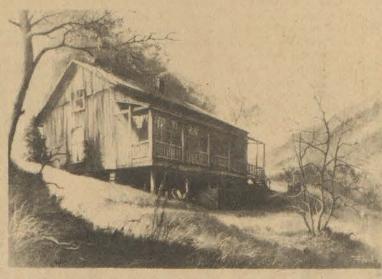
The meeting will conclude with dinner at 7 p.m.

#### The equal pay provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act prohibit an employer from paying employees of one sex at rates lower than those paid to employees of the opposite sex in the same establishment for doing equal work under similar working conditions

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# **TOYOTA CELICA FOR 1976**



TOYOTA LIFT -- A handsome new Liftback version of the popular Celica GT has been added to Toyota's versatile line for 1976. The Liftback's sporty design is accented by new taillights, side louvers, outside sport mirror and styled steel wheels. Styling and engineering highlights inside include simulated woodgrain appointments, cut-pile carpeting, 8,000-rpm tachometer, AM/FM stereo radio, rally clock and a special Electro Sensor Panel for monitoring eight mechanical functions. For performance and economy, the car features a four-cylinder, 2.2-liter engine, a five-speed overdrive transmission and steel-belted radial tires.

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# **Highlands Hospital Notes**

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BOYS

Banner: Teresa Stewart, Minnie; Sherry Crum, Prestonsburg; R. G. Thomas Pinetop; Earlene Ditty, Paintsville; Judy Delong, West Van Lear; Carolyn Barnett, Burning Fork; Avis Cantrell, West Van Lear; Ellis Castle, Jr., Auxier; Mark Holbrook, Auxier; Lucille Nunnery, Prestonsburg

#### BIRTHS

A son, John Christopher, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur Porter, of Prestonsburg, January 3; a daughter, Carrie Anne, born to Mr. and Mrs Clifford Feltham of Van Lear, January 3; a son, Eric, born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Lee Newberry, of Van Lear, December 16; a son, Paul Chester, born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Herman Butcher, of Van Lear, January 7.

## Floyd County **Health Notes**

Friday, January 16, the Floyd County Health Department will conduct a Glaucoma clinic from 10 a.m. to 12 and from 1 to 2 p.m. Glaucoma is a serious disease which can slowly and painlessly cause blindness. This disease most frequently occurs in persons who are 35 years of age and over.

Since early detection and treatment is your best defense against Glaucoma, the Public Health Nurses advise all persons within this age group to take advantage of this free Glaucoma screening.

On the following Monday, January 19, a Public Health Nurse will conduct an outpost clinic at Ethel Osborne's Store at Bypro. This clinic will last from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 2 p.m. with the following service available: immunizations, TB skin tests, diabetes screening and blood pressures.

This clinic is free and all persons in the Bypro vicinity are welcome to attend.

#### **RECOVERS FROM SURGERY**

Mrs. Helen Goble is recovering nicely from surgery last week at St. Joseph's Hospital in Lexington.





again for what he or his predecessor in

title has already received com-

Citing a precedent by the Court of

Appeals, Lukowsky also pointed out, "We

demonstrated that the consent of the

surface owner bears no rational

relationship to environmental con-

An unidentified legal adviser noted the

Court of Appeals decision seem to stress

legislation geared to the public health or

welfare, rather than that of the in-

dividual land owner. He also suggested

that the new Overstreet effort appears to

have exactly the same effect as his

earlier effort although Rep. Overstreet

guidelines established by the court.

insists the measure falls well within

Broad form deeds, which allow a miner

to extract fuel reserves, particularly

coal, without respect to damage caused

to a surface owner's land, became

common in the latter part of the 19th

century when vast acreages were bought

for miniscule sums from farmers who,

more often than not, could see little value

in that which lay beneath the ground. The

deeds became more a cause for alarm

when strip mining became widespread,

especially in the mountainous sections of

Kentucky, within the last two decades.

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### **Girl Scout News**



Junior Troop 65 of Auxier enjoyed and accomplished many activities in 1975. January-Cookies were sold by the girls and Roby Lynn Goble received a patch for selling 50 boxes.

February-Girls attended the tribute to Juliet Lowe that was held at Allen. Our girls represented different states and countries and introduced some of their foods. They attended Arts and Crafts Workshop. Also made valentines and enjoyed a heart shaped cake at their Valentine party

March and April-Easter Basket Bunnies were made out of clorox bottles and cotton balls. The girls enjoyed their trip to Frankfort with other scouts from Floyd county. They were able to tour the capitol and the Governor's mansion.

May-Mother's Day flower arrangements were made of cups and saucers. The girls also enjoyed camping out one week-end at Camp Chattawha with cadettes as their guests. The Brownies were invited over during the late afternoon for songs, a tour of the camp, and an onion trail hike.

June and July-During the summer the fun really began. The girls met on some afternoons and Saturdays with Mrs. Ferguson. At these meetings, they worked on bottle art, papier mache string art, drawing, bicycling, hiking, cookouts and backyard fun.

Most of the girls attended Day Camp at Archer Park. Swimming learned at camp was enjoyed at a swimming party held for all the girls that attended camp. August and September-The troop kicked off the fall season of scouting

learning to canoe at Camp Chattawha. Also they attended the Indian Pow-Wow and enjoyed seeing the Indians dance and learning their methods of cooking. October, November, December-The

girls helped in giving the salute to Bert T. Combs during the Red, White, and Blue celebration. They made the welcome sign that was placed on the courthouse and were hostesses for K.E.T. that was held in the circuit court room.

The troop attended a Song Fest held at Drift and were treated to an evening of eating out as a troop. They also were guests of the cadettes to a masquerade party during the Hallowe'en season.

During meetings, stuffed animals were made by a pattern, embroidered service patches were designed and made out of blue denim, fruit baskets were made of clorox bottles and later filled with fruit.

As a contribution to the community and helping others celebrate Christ's birthday, the community enjoyed having the girls carrying lighted candles and singing carols. The troop treated the second floor patients at Highlands Regional Hospital with songs and gifts. The stuffed animals were given to the children that would be in the hospital during Christmas and fruit baskets were

# **Overstreet Resumes Fight Against Broad Form Deed**

Although the Kentucky Court of Appeals affirmed in May, 1974, a Franklin Circuit Court decision ruling unconstitutional a bill which would have, for all purposes, abolished the broad form deed, the man almost solely responsible for pushing the bill through the General Assembly earlier that year, is planning a brand new offensive against the broad form deed.

Rep. Raymond Overstreet, R-Liberty, is resuming the fight against the deeds, which sever the surface property rights from the mineral rights, as he did two years ago, although this time from a somewhat different strategic standpoint. Overstreet's new bill, it appears, will hinge on the issue of reclamation in hopes of meeting guidelines set out in the Court of Apper decision that ruled his 1974 measure unconstitutional. His strategy is derived from the high court opinion, written by Justice Robert O. Lukowsky, who wrote:

"It may well be that the General Assembly, in the exercise of its legislative wisdom, might strike a balance between the 'energy crunch' and the necessity to conserve the environment which, for example, would prohibit strip mining entirely, prohibit strip mining which would remove tillable soil from production, limit strip mining to areas which have less than a given percentage of grade, require extensive restoration and reforestation of land to be stripped, limit the activity in areas where the watershed and wildlife might be adversely affected and even protect aesthetic beauty."

In accordance with the recommendation of striking a "balance" between energy needs and the environment expressed in the opinion, Overstreet would require that the reclamation plan submitted to the state by the strip mine operator "shall bear the written consent of all surface owners whose lands will be affected by the proposed strip mining.'

Although Overstreet said he expects far fewer problems getting this measure through the House than he did in 1974, and that the court will rule favorably on his new bill, some points have been made, contrary to the representative's view.

Overstreet admits that the intent of the bill is basically the same as that of his 1974 effort, and referring to this, it is stated elsewhere in the Lukowsky opinion that the 1974 bill, "does no more than delegate to an individual, a privy of a party to the contract which severed the mineral, veto over the use of land by the other party to the contract. It puts the surface owner in a position to be paid

#### DEATH RULED SUICIDE

PADUCAH, Ky.-A tape-recorded message discovered Monday led Mc-Cracken County Coroner John Barker to rule suicide in the death of a Paducah surgeon, Dr. Frank Reeder, whose body was found in his locked office early Dec.

## Waste Collection Was Court Decision Magistrate Kenneth Roberts this week

expressed concern over the fact that many people are not aware that all members of the Floyd County Fiscal Court who were present voted for mandatory compliance with the waste collection system by all residences, mobile homes and businesses as reported in last week's Times.

Although Magistrate Roberts was quoted as a representative of the Fiscal Court, the decision was made by the court in an effort to eliminate much unsightly litter as well as rat-infested roadside dumps.

The order has been effective since January 1.

If all you know about the gypsy moth is that it's a fuzzy insect with a voracious appetite for things green, a new Forest Service publication can make you more fully informed. The booklet shows the life history of the gypsy moth from egg mass to adult in full-color illustrations and is designed as an identification guide for landowners and other interested individuals. Free copies of "Meet the Gypsy Moth" are available from: Information Services, Northeastern Forest Experiment Station, 6816 Market Street, Upper Darby, Pa. 19082.-SPORTS AFIELD



**Highlands Regional Medical Center Announces Its Fourth** 

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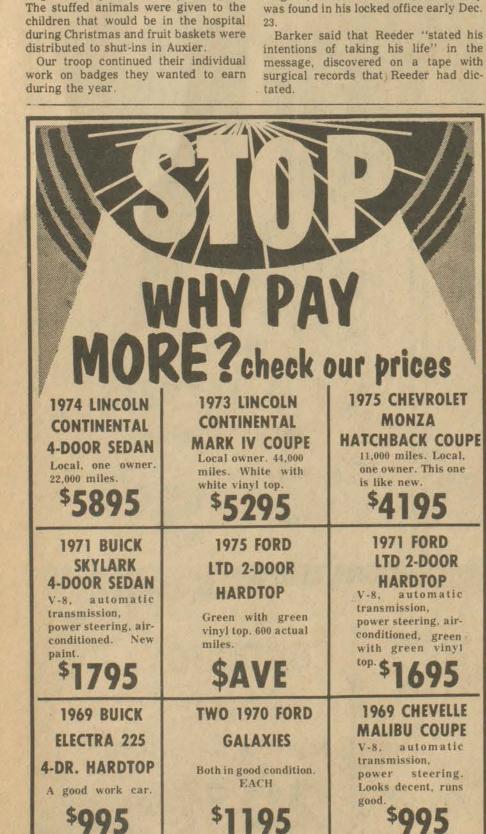
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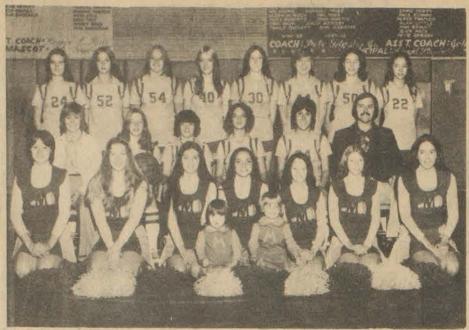
Barker said that Reeder "stated his



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## McDowell Girls' Team Still No. 1



Pictured above are members of No. 1 ranked McDowell Daredevil girls basketball team. They are, in front row, from left, Debbie Vance, Brenda Hamilton, Sharon Slone, Glenita Bailey, Jerri Ward, Carrie Howell, Kathy Martin; second row, Gail Stumbo, manager, Gina Carter, Cindy Floyd, Marcia Bentley, Geri Grigsby, Coach Johnny Ray Turner. In back row are Kay Williams, Jamie Martin, Cathy Howell, Lisa Stegall, Donna Humphrey, Pam Reid, Rita Jo Roberts, and Donna Caudill. Mascots for the team are Margalee Turner and Lea Turner.

Coach Johnny Ray Turner and his McDowell Daredevil girls' team have been voted the No. 1 team in the State for the third consecutive week.

The Daredevils are unbeaten in 13 outings and have captured two tournaments in the first half of the season, the Tom Wiley and the Floyd County Pre-Season Tourney

McDowell will host its own tournament this week January 14-17, Wednesday through Friday, at the J. H. Allen Central Fieldhouse. McDowell girls and boys teams will play Whitesburg, Wednesday night. Thursday the Prestonsburg Blackcats and Allen Central Rebels will meet.

#### Veterans' Counselor Here Every Friday

Bill Queen, a veterans' counselor of the Kentucky Center for Veterans' Affairs, will be present every Friday at the Economic Security office in Prestonsburg to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. Hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.



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## **Trojans Defeat Blackcats; Daredevils Edge Bobcats**

In a game played at Wheelwright last Friday night, the Wheelwright Trojans defeated the Prestonsburg Blackcats by a decisive 20 points. A closer game played the same evening at McDowell saw the McDowell Daredevils edge the Betsy Layne Bobcats by three points. Box scores in the two games follow.

McDowell (64) IDaugherty 12, Tuttle 6, Tackett 4, Osborne 27, Grigsby 9, Newsome 6. Betsy Layne (61)-Roberts 15, Clark 9,

Hall 4, Sammons 9, Rose 8, Lykens 2, Ferrell 4, Stapleton 10. 28 47 61

Betsy Layne 16 McDowell 10 28 46 64 Wheelwright (65)-Riley 23, Anderson 20, Jamerson 7, Berger 6, Gore 6, Thornsberry 2, Matthews 1 Prestonsburg (45)-Burchett 11,

Morgan 9, Crisp 8, LeMaster 6, Stevens 5, Dickson 4, Shepherd 2. 29 45 Prestonsburg 10 20 23 38 52 65 Wheelwright



Whether an angler owns thousands of dollars worth of fishing accessories or nothing more than a simple cane pole, a line and a few hooks, proper maintenance of fishing equipment is essential to the enjoyment of the sport.

Whatever the equipment may be, now is the ideal time to check your fishing gear and "winterize" or repair it, as need be. Now is the perfect time to send that rod or reel in to the manufacturer for servicing and repair. In a couple of months, these firms will be swamped with orders and you may miss a few good day's fishing waiting for the equipment to get back to you.

Actually, the average layman can take care of most maintenance matters himself without much effort or technical know-how.

The outboard motor needs to be winterized, particularly if it is to be stored outdoors. The lower unit should be drained and refilled with a proper lubricant. Grease seals should be inspected and replaced if necessary. Don't forget to inspect the propellers. If they're warped or chipped, you'll want to replace them. The cylinder walls should be oiled to keep the cylinders from freezing to the walls. New spark plugs should be installed and the gap adjusted to factory specifications. Finally, the outside of the motor should be cleaned and an oil cloth used to polish the exterior.

Of course, we're talking about a lot of work. Should the fisherman not desire to get this involved, he should consider taking the motor back to the dealer for winterizing and a tune-up as well.

The inside and the outside of your boat should be due for a good cleaning, too. The bottom shouldn't be overlooked if you want your boat to plane well this spring. If the boat is stored outside on a trailer and can't be covered, remove the drain plug and set in a position that will allow water to drain. That way, the bottom won't be damaged by frozen water

Next, spend a little time on the trailer. Now is a good time to inspect the lights and the resting area where the boat is supported. The wheel bearings will probably need repacking. A paint touch up can prevent rust damage. Last but not least, check the winch, cable and trailer hitch. A good lubricating job will insure their proper function.

Tackle boxes should be cleaned out completely and all lures, hooks and other items checked before the box is repacked. Make a list of items that are needed and do your shopping before spring. Those that wait until March may be confronted with an empty space on the shelf where that favorite lure should be.

Lures sometimes need to have hooks sharpened or replaced and occasionally a bit of paint will add another year's life to



Dean Tomberlin, son of Gerald and Nora Tomberlin, of Asheville, N. C., and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Parley Flanery, of Martin, has recently been named to the All-Buncombe County football team in Asheville, N. C. Dean played quarterback at Ervin high school and his team finished second in the conference, beaten only by the State Champions, Pisgah high. Dean passed for 718 yards and seven TD's in leading Erwin to their best season since 1962. The 6-ft., 180-lb. junior hopes to win a scholarship to Brigham Young University.

## **Environmental Offices Temporarily Relocated**

FRANKFORT, Ky.-State environmental officials are temporarily relocating the Morehead offices for the division of solid waste and water quality. As a result of a Dec. 22 fire, two Morehead field offices of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection sustained damages-totaling \$250,000-due to fire. smoke and water. The records of both divisions survived the fire.

Inquiries and requests for information from those offices may be directed to the Morehead forestry field office located at 749 West First Street. That office can be reached by writing the forestry office, Box 357, Morehead, Ky. 40351, or calling (606) 784-7504.

MEXICO CITY-The coastal trader Kankun rescued on Saturday 17 seamen who had been adrift in a lifeboat since their tug caught fire and exploded last Monday, according to the newspaper Ultimas Noticias.

EASTERN KENTUCKY has produced numerous high school

and college basketball "stars" through the years, and many

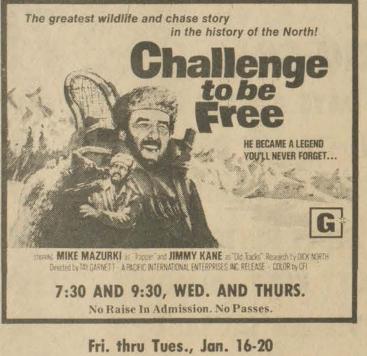
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# **Strip Mine Acreage Drops During 1975**

The total number of acres permitted for strip mining in Kentucky during 1975 dropped slightly from that recorded in 1974.

According to the division of reclamation in the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, more than 54,600 acres were permitted for strip mining in 1975. The total number for 1974 was about 57,000 acres.

Despite the drop in total acres permitted for stripping, the number of permits issued in 1975 was slightly greater than in 1974, showing a trend toward permits involving fewer acres. In 1975, 1,522 permits to strip mine were issued. The total for 1974 was 1,370.

According to Ken Ratliff, of the division of reclamation, the decline in the total number of acres permitted in 1975 was probably the result of a gradual decline in the coal boom market.

Other statistics show that bond releases on a total of 10,182 acres of strip mined land were made during 1975. Also during the year, 1,636 permit applications were received. There were 17,116 mine inspections and 1,502 compliant investigations made by the division.

#### OPIUM TRAFFICKERS KILLED

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