East Kentucky Backs

Governor's Proposal

loading into rail cars. Power generating firms have become since EPA set a July, 1977 deadline on the

sulphur content.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1976

City Warns . Coal Truck **Operators**

Spillage of Coal Presents Problem, City Manager Says

A warning to coal truckers was issued last week by Prestonsburg City Manager Curtis Clark in the form of a letter to area coal companies requesting that coal trucks hauling within the city limits promptly correct certain "annoying" practices.

Overloading and spilling of contents, speeding, tail-gating and faulty mufflers were cited as the more serious problems connected with hauling coal through the city, and Clark stressed that if the coal haulers refuse to correct these matters voluntarily, "the City is prepared to impose a license fee of \$1,000 for each truck, plus a weigh station will be installed and all overweight trucks will be

Clark said overloading of trucks has "caused coal, stone, and dirt to spill over onto our streets, especially at corners and intersections." He said a new \$40,000 street sweeper was purchased to help take care of such spillage but "even with this new equipment we still are unable to keep our streets clean." To help alleviate the problem, the city is requesting all trucks transporting coal, dirt, street gravel, trash, etc. to cover each truck with a tarpaulin and not to load trucks to the point where spillage occurs.

Although Clark said most truckers observe the 25 m.p.h. speed limit in the city, he pointed out that "it is quite different in a truck hauling 30 tons of coal at 25 m.p.h. and a small passenger car

traveling at the same speed.' "We've had several near accidents because these trucks could not stop at the

traffic lights," Clark said. Trucks operating either with no mufflers or faulty ones were cited by Clark as another problem and he said, "We are asking the state to run noise level tests on all trucks within the city limits and if the noise is above the acceptable level, a very heavy fine will be imposed for muffler failure.

Clark said an alternative for coal haulers would be to use the new U.S. 23 by-pass, from the Tourist Information Center here to Water Gap on U. S. 23 and

"We're all aware of the favorable impact the increased mining of coal has had on our economy," Clark emphasized, 'and our citizens welcome this boost to our well being, but it has also brought its problems.'

Rum Raids, Theft Arrests Occupy Officers In County

A raid at Harold Saturday night netted county officers the largest haul of illegal booze in recent months and resulted in the arrest, three days later of Earl Damron on a charge of possession of alcoholic beverages for purposes of sale.

Deputy Sheriffs Linzie Hunt, Doug Lewis, Harold Johnson, John D. and Melvin Martin seized 17-fifths and five half-pints of whiskey, five fifths of wine, nine pints of gin, eight pints of vodka and two additional fifths of wine which were partially empty, in the raid on Damron's mobile home. Damron, who was allegedly selling by the drink as well as by the bottle, was arrested three days later by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis, and Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis and Harold Johnson and booked in Magistrate Dewey Roberts' court.

John Bray, Jr., of Martin, was arrested last Wednesday on a charge of possession of alcoholic beverages for purposes of sale by Deputy Sheriffs Isaacs and Johnson. The arrest was made on a warrant issued by Deputy Sheriff Swetman who reportedly had made a liquor purchase at a Drift pool room where Bray was selling several days

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Receive All Kentucky City Award for '75



Representatives of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce and of the City of Prestonsburg are pictured above at the Bluegrass Convention Center in Louisville, January 22, when Paul Reitz, chairman, Kentucky Chamber, presented to Ted Nairn, president, Prestonsburg Area Chamber of Commerce, a plaque designating Prestonsburg an All Kentucky City. To the right of Mr. Nairn, Cloyd Johnson holds one of 15 signs which will be prominently displayed in the Prestonsburg area.

Others pictured are Harold Cooley, City Manager Curtis Clark, George Cecil Brown, Jeff Wells, Roy Ramey, Bill Harvey Howard, Estill Lee Carter, Ronald Hager, Paul Phillip Hughes, Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., Jay Runyon, Marvin Eugene Music, Jr., and Edgille "Shag" Branham.

This Town...That World (

Saw a boat on our street this rainy day, all ready, I presume, for a fishing jaunt. Time was, in weather such as this I would have decided the boat had been made ready for a getaway from floodwaters. If you get in a salaaming mood, when the rains come and the streams rise, turn in the direction of those upriver dams and this Prestonsburg floodwall.

EXPLICIT DIRECTIONS

For some years now the peregrinations of one of our brood to distant places has been a matter of concern to us. Now, Jimmy Goble, of our staff, joins the club. His daughter, Lou, was far enough away, there in Virginia, but when she moved out to the Virgin Islands the distance was a bit dismaying. But daughter was plumb comforting with this quip:

"Oh, I won't be hard to find. Just go to Cuba and turn left.

COMPLICATIONS

Mrs. Thelma Miller, of the Auxier road, reminds me that you can't trust even yourself, these days. Says she is 69-what a woman, to admit her age!and that she has had dentures nine years. And is now in the process of cutting a wisdom tooth which must come out before the dentures can be used.

THE BIRD SANG A SERMON

Sometimes bird-watching isn't good for the blood pressure. The other day as I watched a small bird feed from the

(See Story No. 2, Page 4)

Union-Hospital Wage Contract Talks Continue

Negotiations which have been under way for several weeks on a wage contract at Highlands Regional Medical Center will resume next Tuesday, a hospital source said Monday.

Two employee groups, one representing licensed practical nurses, the other service and maintenance employees, voted last Nov. 13 to be represented by National Hospital Union 1199. A third group representing registered nurses voted against such representation. Contract discussions began shortly after the NLRB-supervised

unionization vote was held. Approximately 225 of the medical center's 312 employees are represented by the union in the negotiations.

A Federal Mediation Service board of inquiry met in Morehead last week to review the contract negotiations. Results of the inquiry are not yet known.

area by National Mines, but The Times now planned.

use of coal with more than 1 per cent

Martin Stream Work Getting Another Try

improvement project, like the cat with nine lives, is still kicking after having been repeatedly threatened with certain

Federal funds earmarked for the work are still available, although more than one deadline for contract letting has already passed.

New surveys by engineers for the city of Martin and the Floyd fiscal court are under way, and soon an attorney is expected to be named to negotiate new easements required because of new boundary lines. John Hill has completed engineering work for the county, and Mayor E. P. Gribsby, Sr., of Martin, said this week that Richard E. Martin, engineer for the city, is expected to

complete his work within a week. Easements were procured more than a Branch, a distance of about three miles.

talked with U.S. Senator Wendell Ford at

the courthouse here last Wednesday

afternoon discussed such matters as

social security and black lung benefits,"

community development and veterans'

pensions, but at least one group, a

delegation from Prater Creek, came

simply to say, "Thank you" to the former

The Prater Creek group expressed

their appreciation to the Owensboro

native for his role in giving the go-ahead

to construction of a bridge to span the Big

Sandy at Banner. Ford, while governor,

let bids on the structure which will

replace the outdated suspension bridge

which now provides access to the Ban-

ner-Prater Creek section. Construction

Ford began meeting with area

residents in the county judge's office at

about 2 p.m. Wednesday after addressing

the Prestonsburg high school senior class

and meeting with county and city of-

had brought "government to the people"

in Floyd county-his first trip coming

about two years ago while still governor.

As senator, he has continued the practice

he began as governor of periodically

setting up office in various county seat

towns to meet with residents and discuss

individual concerns as well as area

Hours before last Wednesday's session

began, members of Ford's staff began

registering those who wished to speak to

the senator, categorizing the topics

which each person wanted to discuss.

Because 58 had come with questions

concerning black lung benefits, Ford met

with the entire group in the circuit

courtroom soon after arriving. He told

the former miners that it was his un-

derstanding that most of their problems

on claims had come after a judge had

ruled them individually eligible for the

benefits. It was then, according to Ford,

that individual claims were reviewed by

the Social Security Administration ap-

peals board, where, he said "those

bureaucrats spend more money

reviewing your claim than they're going

to pay you." He told the group that a bill

just out of committee, under the spon-

sorship of Representative Carl D

Ford's trip here was the second time he

on the bridge is well under way.

ficials earlier in the day.

problems.

project, and it was thought at that time that a contract was forthcoming. But the Corps of Engineers later held that boundary lines established in the original survey were not adequate and that some property had been omitted.

This means that when engineering vork is completed the process of renegotiating easements will have to be done all over again. Upwards of 50 condemnation suits were required to procure the original easements.

When and if the work is begun it will include deepening and straightening of the channel and fortifying the banks of Beaver Creek from a point near the confluence of Right and Left Beaver Creeks through the downstream to the Sammy Clark

which delays awarding of benefits to

Cards filled out by those with questions

concerning black lung were collected by

staff workers for inclusion in a file which

is referred to by Ford's office in

Washington. Similarly, Ford's secretary,

Helen Price, took notes on the con-

versations of all those who met with the

senator to use as written references for

Meeting with Senator Ford and

requesting help in obtaining federal

money for the Left Beaver Creek section

were Rex Gayheart and W. D. Lawson,

representatives of the Left Beaver

Community Development Club. After

confirming that the club was receiving

cooperation from the Floyd Fiscal Court

and the Big Sandy Area Development

District, Ford told the men to notify him

at the time the grant application is sent to

Washington in order that he and Carl

Perkins "can get on it." The club

representatives explained that money

was desperately needed on Left Beaver

for housing. "We've got a good hospital

and we've got good recreation, but we

can't keep doctors because we don't have

(See Story No. 1, Page 4)

housing," Lawson told Ford.

future work by Ford's staff.

Pump Contract To Up Capacity

MARRIAGE LICENSES

has awarded a \$44,500 contract to the Frye Engineering Company, Winchester, Ky., for the installation of new pumps to increase the capacity of its plant from 1 to 11/2 million gallons a day.

the system, said the installation of pumps is expected to be completed by June 1. The added equipment will include two raw water pumps of 2-million-gallon capacity and a finished water pump with a daily capacity of 3 million gallons.

Work covered by the contract with the Winchester firm is designed to get the Prestonsburg water plant out of its present emergency situation, the plant superintendent said. Cost of the work will be covered by a \$150,000 FHA loan. Tube settlers and mixed filter media will be

for \$1,100,000 in HUD funds to do total plant expansion which would bring it to a daily capacity of 3 million gallons. If these funds are made available, Howard said, the expansion would enable the water system to serve an area with a radius of approximately 15 miles and a population of more than 12,000. This work done, he said, the Prestonsburg water system could provide water for the towns of Allen, David and Auxier and the Bull Creek and Abbott-Little Paint water

Regional planning for the area includes available, Howard added,

Father Finds Tot

Before their arrival, however, the child was found by his father, a man whose name was given as Hunter, atop a mountain at an elevation of about 2,500

The volunteer groups answering the call for help were the Floyd County, Left

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Ivel. Ricky Thacker, 21, Pikeville, and Terri Lynn Hall, 20, Prestonsburg. System Awards

Court House Happenings

Nancy Louise Wilcox Blevins vs.

Gaylan Blevins. Nancy Venters Nelson vs. Vigus Samuel Nelson. Lou Ann Hall

vs. Leonard Hall. Edith Tackett Hall vs. Willie D. Hall. Earlean Hall vs. William

Hall. C. D. T. Corporation vs. Burl

Johnson, d.b.a. Jerry Howell vs. Dewey

Howell. Edith Spears vs. James E.

Spears. Betty Jo Payne vs. James G.

Payne. Stanley Martin, et al vs. Howard

Martin. Randall McKinney vs. Tel. Com.

Inc. Charles Edward Collins vs. Ruby

Johnson Collins, Randel C. Dotson vs. C.

Leslie Dawson, Sec. Bank Josephine (in

separate suits) vs. Kenneth Elliott,

Clarence Johnson, et al, Tilden Johnson,

et al, and Edward Robinson, et al.

Evelyn M. Hall vs. Robert C. Hall. Donna

Hill vs. James S. Hill. Audrey Newsome,

et al vs. Appalachian Regional Hospital,

Stephen Alex Anderson, 25, and Ilene

Moore, 21, both of Martin. Kenneth Ray

Stumbo, 24, Drift, and Pamela Akers, 17

Inc., et al

The Prestonsburg Water & Gas System

Bill Harvey Howard, superintendent of

The Prestonsburg system has applied

sewer services to the same areas, and the Prestonsburg sewage treatment plant is adequate to serve all these if federal funds for sewer construction are made

Lost on Mountain

Three rescue squads, two from this county, were called Saturday night to Topmost to search for a three-year-old boy who had been missing for several



Senator Ford discusses social security benefits with Willard Hughes.

'80 East Ass'n' Formed at Meet **Held Last Week**

A movement initiated here less than a week earlier resulted last Thursday in the gathering at the Frankfort Country Club of 62 civic leaders and officials of five Eastern Kentucky counties in a vigorous display of the support Governor Julian Carroll had asked in his move toward reconstruction of KY 80 from this county to Hazard in Perry county.

The group, which met with the governor, Secretary of Transportation John Roberts, Ex-Governor Bert Combs and a number of legislators, formally organized the 80 East Association at the Frankfort meeting and dedicated itself to a continuing effort toward the building of the four-lane highway which would not only link US 23 with the Mountain Parkway and the Daniel Boone Parkway but also connect the Big Sandy, Kentucky

and Cumberland river valleys. It adopted the slogan, "80 by 80, descriptive of the goal of seeing KY 80 completed by 1980. And that is not being over-optimistic, if the money can be found for the \$175 million undertaking, Commissioner Roberts said. He pointed out that design work can be completed and work begun by the spring of 1977. That, he added, would mean that Governor Carroll could cut the ribbon opening the new road before he leaves

Marvin Music, of Prestonsburg, who spearheaded the move toward the Frankfort meeting, presided as temporary chairman at the organization meeting. Estill Lee Carter, also of Prestonsburg, was elected chairman of the executive committee, with Bill Gorman, of Hazard, vice-chairman, and Floyd County Judge Henry Stumbo, secretary-treasurer.

Officials of the association returned home to stress the importance of every person who is interested in a new KY 80 making that interest known by writing Governor Carroll, immediately, and letting their legislators know of their support. "Copies of your letters should be sent to Transportation Secretary Roberts," the chairman of the association said, "but, above all, write the governor.'

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Parents Picket Topmost School

About 50 parents picketed the Beaver Creek Elementary School in Knott county again Monday as State Police watched from the road.

Police were called to the school after receiving reports that three armed men had been seen in the vicinity of the Both the pickets and several bus

drivers have been threatened by both sides in the dispute involving principal Clyde King. The parents began picketing and

keeping the children home to protest King's decision not to evacuate the school recently when it received a bomb threat. No explosive was found in the building.

Last month, the school was damaged by an explosion, apparently caused by dynamite thrown through a window.

The boycott has kept 25 per cent of the 476 students out of class.

Woodland Fire Record in Area Most Improved

Acreage burned in the Eastern District of the Division of Forestry which include Floyd, Pike, Martin, Lawrence, Magoffin and Johnson counties, dropped from 22,196 acres in 1974 to 6,316 in 1975, according to Harry Nadler, director.

This represented the greatest improvement in forest fire control of any district in the state in a year which is third lowest in totals both in number of fires and in acreage burned.

Eastern district was a major factor in reducing the size of forest fires, according to Nadler. Average size fire in the district dropped from 60 acres in 1974 to 18 acres in 1975, he said.

Aerial detection recently begun in the

Other factors in the reduced size of fires were favorable weather as well as fire prevention activities of the division's field personnel.

Of the 1,672 forest fires in the state that burned 18,275 acres, all but two were caused by people. The two exceptions were touched off by lightning. Burning of debris was the leading cause with arson next and careless smokers a close third.

Unconfirmed, But . . . **New Coal Work Indicated**

Property-owners at Hueysville have within the last two weeks been contacted by one or more representatives of the Kentucky Power Company which, residents there said, is seeking easements for future construction of a rail sidetrack and possibly the site for a tipple or coal preparation plant.

No confirmation of the power company activities was available this week. Nor was The Times able to learn the plans for coal production.

It has been surmised that the coal for the Huevsville facility might come from acreage held in the Salt Lick-Quicksand

learned on the best authority Tuesday that no production from that section is The power company has coal holdings

in the Ball Fork section of Knott county, it was said, and this may be the coal to be mined and trucked to Hueysville for

interested in sources of low-sulphur coal

year ago by the county and city for the The million-dollar Martin stream

Ford Hears Problems of Many.

Receives Prater Creek's Thanks

Most of the 300 or more persons who Perkins, will help eliminate the red tape

eligible miners.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

An Explanation

Referring to the fiscal order reported in last weeks Floyd County Times as rescinded:

On February 29, 1975 the Floyd County fiscal court met and filed a condemnation suit, to condemn a strip of land just above my house, which reads as follows

On the motion of Kenneth Roberts, seconded by LeRoy Akers, it is moved by the Floyd County Fiscal Court that a strip of land 10 x 150, be condemned to provide a wider right of way for the county road. Said land is described as follows and lies on Salyers Branch: Starting at a point on the right hand side of Salyers Branch (County Road) as you go up same at a point approximately 75 feet above Zeb Ousley's house & continuing for 150 feet up said road. Said land is to be a strip of land 10' x 150'

'All members being present voted for

The road broke off and needed widening out. They filed this suit unknown to me, without talking to me about it. Five or six months later, county attorney James Allen told me about this. I told them to come up and fix this road any way they wanted to.

County Judge Henry Stumbo, County Attorney James Allen, and Magistrates Bill Wells, Dewey Roberts, and Leroy Akers all came. Now the road is fixed.

I just want the people to know that I never did try to block any road work. Thanks to Judge Stumbo for not sending out any appraisers, for I believe he knew what was right

ZEB OUSLEY Hueysville, Ky.

Democrats for Carter Plan Organizational Meeting Here, Feb. 21

Seventh District Democrats supporting former Georgia Governor Jimmy Carter for the Democratic Presidential nomination, will conduct an organizational meeting, February 21 at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg. The meeting has been organized by a four member committee headed by O. T. Dorton of Paintsville. Other committee members include Bill Weinberg and Benny Ray Bailey, both of Hindman, and Dale Emmons, of Flemingsburg.

Members of the Carter National Campaign Staff will be on hand to discuss campaign progress and tactics.

The organizational meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m.

A new VA record for a single sale of silver bullion was set last month when the agency sold an unprecedented 210,803 fine troy ounces for \$911,933. Supply service reports the amount anticipates an increase of about 50 per cent for 1976 from expended x-ray solutions and the disposal of x-ray films

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DAR Good Citizen



Laura Francis Brackett, Prestonsburg High senior, has been named by the John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, to receive the 1975-'76 Good Citizen Award. The senior student chosen for this award must exhibit high qualities of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism.

Besides having a scholastic average of 'A," Miss Brackett is treasurer of the National Honor Society, parliamentarian of the Student Council, co-editor of the 75-'76 yearbook, co-sports editor of the Hi-Times, and serves as statistician for the varsity basketball team. She is a member of the honorary Quill and Scroll and national Beta Club and is a member of the golf team, lettering two years. She received the Junior Achievement Award, Top Ten Junior Student medal, was selected as girl in Junior year who had contributed most to the class, served as chairwoman of the Prom Committee, served as DAR Page to the Kentucky State Convention at Lexington, and received medals in English and typing.

Named this year to Who's Who Among American High School Students, Outstanding Teenager of America, The Society of Outstanding American High School Students, and to the Top Ten of the Senior Class, she was also an attendant on both the 1975-'76 Football and Basketball Homecoming Courts.

Miss Brackett is a member of the Allen United Methodist Church, where she sings in the choir, and has served as Allen MYF vice-president and treasurer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett, of Allen.

Police Offer Way To Identify What **Burglars May Take**

There's something you can do before the burglar arrives, and the Prestonsburg Police Department has arranged to help you.

With the cooperation of the Kentucky Crime Council, the department has six electric pencil engravers which are available for use in marking your property so that it can be identified if later stolen. The engraver may be used on metal, plastic or wood.

Chief of Police Ralph Thornsbury said this week that householders or owners of businesses may borrow these engravers without charge. The police department also has available an Operation Identification record and decals. The latter can be placed at entrances to homes or businesses as a warning to criminals.

Operation Identification, it was pointed out, is a statewide program which has dramatically reduced crime in communities where the majority of citizens has joined the program. Police point out that most burglars steal valuables for resale, but if all items are marked with permanent identification numbers (Social Security, Kentucky Sales Tax or other number), the burglar will be unable to sell them to his "fence" or to other underground contacts. The permanent numbers also will enable officers to contact the owner if a stolen item is

HAROLD NEWS

VOGEL DAY UMW MEETS AT HAROLD

A program entitled, "And All These Things Shall Be Added" with special emphasis on the gift of grace, the renewal of the gift and the sharing of the gift, was the highlight of the recent meeting of the United Methodist Women of the Vogel-Day United Methodist Church, of Harold.

The meeting was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Church, Friday night, February 13. Mrs. Nancy Tackett presented the program on "Prayer and Self Denial," using the theme of the Gifts of Grace with special readings, hymns and a litany with all members participating. The gift of offering for the group was an altar presentation to be used for missionary work. This special part of the meeting was closed by prayer led by Mrs. Regina Daniels.

A business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Ruby Staton, and the secretary's and treasurer's reports were given. Several matters were discussed and officers for the new year were elected. They are Mrs. Ruby Staton, president; Mrs. Aneitta Williams, vice president; Jackie Kidd, treasurer; Mrs. Addie Bea Hall, secretary; Mrs. Harriet Mullins, publicity chairman, and Mrs. Nancy Tackett, spiritual life leader. Pledges for the year were made and dues were collected. Cards were signed and sent to the sick and shut-ins.

All members agreed to sign up for a new service for any member or person in need of prayer to be able to call any member of the group at any time for any kind of help. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Nancy Tackett.

Refreshments were served to Jackie Kidd, Ruby Staton, Aneitta Williams, Regina Daniels, Nancy Tackett, Ann Daniels, Margaret Branaham and Harriet Mullins.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Margaret Branaham with Aneitta Williams in charge of the

FOXHUNTERS TO ELECT

The Floyd County Foxhunters Association will meet Sunday at the courthouse at 2 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to elect officers.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19-Wayland Postoffice FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20-Wayland Postoffice SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21-Petry's Furniture & Appliance, Marfin

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23-Drift Postoffice TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24-Conley's Ky. Food Store,

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25-Conley's Ky. Food Store, Garrett THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26-Vernon Hall's Grocery,

McDowell Postoffice FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27-Vernon Hall's Grocery, Mc-

Dowell Postoffice SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28-Wheelwright City Hall

Auto Decals, Truck and Motorcycle Tags will be issued daily in Martin, Ky. at the Albert Burchett Law Office from 9:30 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. effective Monday Feb. 23.

OFFICE HOURS AT COURT HOUSE.

MONDAY-8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. TUESDAY-8 a.m. until 8 p.m. WEDNESDAY-8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. THURSDAY-8 a.m. until 8 p.m. FRIDAY-8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. SATURDAY-8 a.m. until 4 p.m.

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The University of Kentucky's Center for Labor Education and Research announces an officers and committeemen training course for UMW District 30, to be held at Prestonsburg Community College on March 8, 9, 15 and 16 at 7 p.m. The same course will be given at Wayland High School, Feb. 23 and 24 and March 1 and 2. All classes will be from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

The purpose of the course, according to Squire Feltner, president, United Mine Workers, District 30, is to provide officers and mine committeemen with a better understanding of their jobs and improve their skills in performing it. The course includes training in handling grievances and in dealing with people.

The course will be taught by Stan Inman, labor education specialist, and Carol Fuller, associate director. Each participant who attends the four sessions will receive a certificate of completion.

NOTICE

Kindly take notice that the Mud Creek Water District, located in Floyd County, Kentucky, has filed application before the Public Service Commission of Kentucky for authority to increase its water rates for all consumers. Said rates to be charged area as follows:

MUD CREEK CONSUMERS

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First 2,000 (min.)	\$5.00
Next 3,000	\$1.80
Next 15,000	
(over minimum)	\$1.90
Next 30,000	
(over minimum)	\$1.30
Next 50,000	4
(over minimum)	\$1.00
All over 100,000	12.50
(arran maintenance)	00.00

A public hearing has been scheduled on the application of Mud Creek Water District to increase its rates and same will be held in the offices of the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, Capitol Plaza, Frankfort, Kentucky, on the ninth day of March, 1976, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time. MUD CREEK WATER DISTRICT

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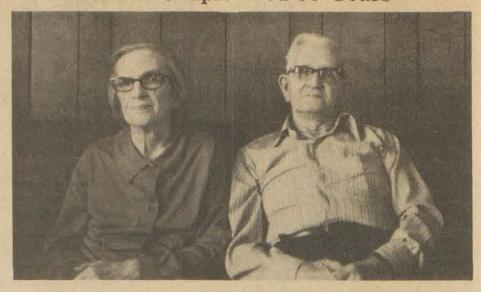
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Martin Couple Wed 55 Years



Mr. and Mrs. D. M. (Dock) Hutchinson, of Martin, will observe their 55th wedding anniversary Sunday, Feb. 22. They were married Feb. 17, 1921 at Sutton,

Mr. Hutchinson is 84 and was born at Denton, Carter county. He is a retired C. & O. Railway employee of 40 years' service. Mrs. Hutchinson is the former Loretta Justice, native of Pike county. She is 75. They are members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

They are the parents of five children: Mrs. Stafford (Vivian) Tackett, of Martin, Garland, of Louisville, Jack, of Richmond, Donald and Eugene Rodney, both of Martin. They have 11 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Open house will be held in their home at Martin, Sunday, Feb. 22, from 1 to 4 p.m. Every one is cordially invited.

ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Thompson and family, of Washington Courthouse, Ohio, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B.

Thompson, of Prestonsburg. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Willard Kinzer, and Donna Sue Clark visited Rev. and Mrs. Jim Stratton, Stephen, Jon, and Chris at Corbin, Sunday. Donna Sue remained there until Monday before

returning to Morehead State University. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Larry Vaughan and sons, Phillip, Larry, and Marty, of Lexington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Crisp, and

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp. John D. Preston, of the University of Kentucky, spent Thursday through Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston.

Sgt. and Mrs. Oscar L. Hyden, James David, Lee, and Stephen, of Ft. Lee, Virginia, visited Mrs. Josephine Hill Hall

over the week-end. Other visitors last week to visit Mrs. Hall and her sister, Mrs. Fanny Workman, were Mrs. Maxie Lovely and daughter, Sandra, of Williamson, West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Willis and son, Ronald, were in Lexington overnight last week where Ronald went for medical

Mrs. David Marcum, Kim and Bill David, were in Lexington, Monday, where Bill David went for a medical

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Halfhill and Bud Pruitt were in Lexington over the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Don McQueen, Jamie and Stacy. Mrs. McQueen is recuperating from surgery, and her mother, Mrs. Pruitt, remains there with

Mrs. Mary L. Thornsbury has returned home after some time spent as a patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Elmer Endicott, of Point Pleasant, West Virginia, a former resident of Floyd county, who passed away Friday. Relatives from here are his sister, Mrs Keen Setser, Mr. Setser, and a niece, Mrs. Ronald Johnson, Mr. Johnson, and Todd, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Porter visited her brother, Clyde Beverly, at Steele's Creek, Sunday.

James Oscar Ratliff, a student at the University of Kentucky, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Bill Ratliff. Ray Brackett, Pete Grigsby, Jr., and Charles Clark, were in Frankfort,

Monday, on school business. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snodgrass were in Pikeville, Tuesday, where she went for medical reasons.

Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, of Win-Frazier, Sunday. Mrs. Eula Spurlock and grand-

daughter, Melissa Parr, of Springfield, Ohio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp. Kenneth Donta, a student at Eastern

State University, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Donta and James, returning to school Monday evening.

The Allen United Methodist Women met Tuesday at the church with the vicepresident, Mrs. Jerry Martin, presiding over the meeting. Reports were given as called for. Program chairman, Mrs. Jimmy D. Gray, presented the program entitled, "Prayer Is the Key." Hostess, Mrs. Charles Callison, served refreshments to Mrs. Eugene Allen, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Mrs. Jimmy D. Gray, Mrs. Galloway Lafferty, Mrs. Ken Lemaster, and Mrs. Jerry Martin.

Walter Stewart is a patient at the Veterans' Hospital in Lexington where he is quite ill. Mrs. Stewart is there with him. Other visitors the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Craft and family, and his son, Dr. Melvin Stewart, Mrs. Stewart and family, of Catlettsburg.

McKinney To Hold Oil Painting Workshop At PCC, Feb. 21st

An oil painting workshop will be held February 21 at Prestonsburg Community College with Letcher county native, Sam McKinney, as the instructor. The workshop will consist of instruction, demonstration, participation and

Mr. McKinney received his A. B. degree in art from Morehead State University. He is presently a free lance artist, specializing in portraits. He shares a pottery business (Artisans Village Pottery) in Morehead.

The workshop will be limited to 20 persons. Participants must bring their own supplies. For information, call 886-3863, extension 208.

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Road Contracts Last Year Amounted to \$184.3 Million

Department of Transportation (KYDOT) has released figures showing that the state did \$184.3 million in business through highway contracts during 1975.

State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts said the figure was about onehalf million dollars below the amount reported in 1974. The highest figure ever recorded occurred was in 1971 when the state awarded highway contracts totaling \$370 million.

According to Roberts, the interstate program in Kentucky received the largest dollar share of the contracts awarded last year. The over-all interstate contract total was \$46.6 million.

Project award totals in other major construction areas during 1975 were: state projects-\$41 million; primary highways-\$22 million; state rural secondary roads-\$20 million; the Appalachian Development Program (ADP)-\$17 million; and secondary highways-\$14 million.

State projects include projects funded 100 per cent with state monies from the general fund. Primary and secondary highway projects, as well as the ADP, are funded on a 70:30 ratio with federal and state dollars. Rural secondary roads programs are financed by allotments from Kentucky motor fuel tax monies. The interstate system is supported on a

90:10 ratio by federal-state funds. Most of the interstate fundsapproximately \$25 million-went to I-24 construction in the western section of

Kentucky, although I-275 in northern

Historical Society Sets Genealogy Workshop

A genealogy workshop sponsored by the Big Sandy Valley Historical Society is scheduled to be held at the Ceredo-Kenova Civic League Building, 12th and Chestnut Streets, Kenova, W. Va., February 28, from 9 a.m. till 3 p.m. Bob Kennedy, president of the historical society, said two or three genealogists will be on the program to discuss research methods and old records. Other genealogists scheduled to participate in the workshop are Mrs. Evelyn Jackson, Ashland, Clayton R. Cox, Lexington, Henry P. Scalf, Stanville, and Mrs. Doris Miller, Huntington, W. Va.

Reservations should be made by contacting Mrs. Evelyn Jackson, Box 1834, Ashland, Kentucky 41101, or by calling (606) 324-7439, or (304) 453-2350.

Kentucky's oat acreage continues to decline as farmers intend to plant only 38,000 acres in 1976—a decline of 10 percent from 1975. For the 48 states, oat acreage is expected to total 17.1 million acres. In 1975, planted acreage totaled

Frankfort, Ky.-The Kentucky Kentucky received nearly \$16 million in contracts

"Kentucky now is in a position to complete its Interstate program as soon as more federal matching funds become available," Roberts said. "We have 92 per cent of the interstate system open to traffic now.'

I-24 is tentatively scheduled to be completed in 1980-'81.

I-471 is expected to be opened in late 1978, and all but 4.9 miles of I-275-also in northern Kentucky-should be open by the end of this year, Roberts said.

Those are the only interstate projects still uncompleted in Kentucky, he explained.

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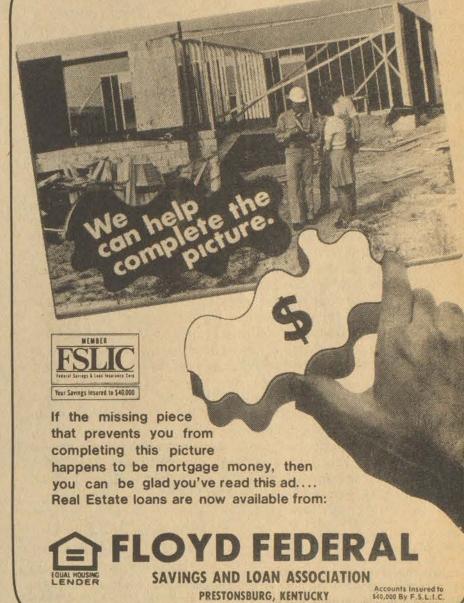
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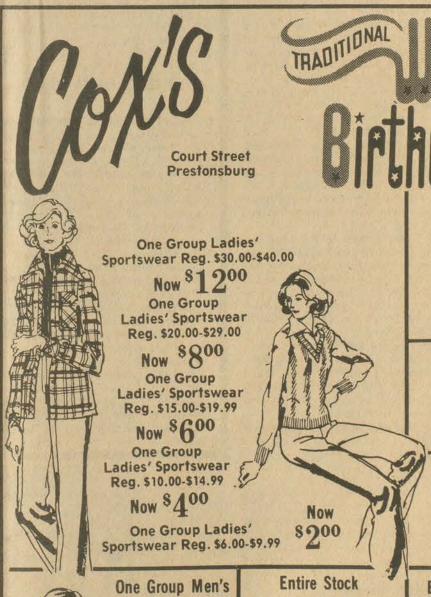
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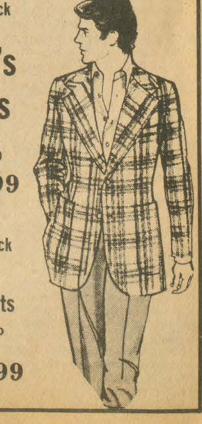
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We Offer Our Support— Your Support Is Needed

Whatever comes of Governor Carroll's plan for severance tax benfits to the coal-producing counties, we are convinced that he has a deep desire to see that the counties receive just and beneficial returns and that these benefits be of a lasting nature.

Naturally, we hail his effort to include the financing of reconstruction of KY 80 in the severance tax "package" which he will submit to the General Assembly. He has taken this firm stand, knowing the miserable condition of the present narrow, winding, dangerous route that passes for KY 80, and aware of its vital importance to Eastern Kentucky and to the state as a whole as he looks to the future.

The Times has no feeling of guilt about its interest in this highway; we do not feel that we are being selfish. If any individuals or interests oppose it, they might consider the fact that this road, if made a real highway, will connect three other arterial highways and three Kentucky valleys; that it is of prime importance to coal production from a coal-rich section of the state and nation, and that it will stand, even after the last coal has been mined, as the Commonwealth's effort to open an area to other development.

We trust the coal industry will not be harmed. It would appear that Governor Carroll has planned benefits to it in reduced occupational disease costs to the industry and that this should ease the burden of 1 per cent added to the severance tax levy. The governor is fully aware of the importance of the coal industry.

In any case, The Times is committed to full endorsement of Governor Carroll's effort and it suggests that readers have a part in this effort. Write the governor-immediatelyexpressing the support that he urgently needs at a time when a program of supreme importance to Eastern Kentucky, and to all Kentucky, hangs in the balance.

(For the convenience of those who are pressed for time or who do not have the facilities for writing personal letters. The Times publishes on this page a form letter to Governor Carroll which they may clip, sign and mail to him.)

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a larger bird swooped down and chased it

away. I fumed, literally, and wished I

hadn't "fixed" that air-rifle beyond

repair, but while I fretted this bird flew

into the top of the overhanging tree and

proceeded to sing what could have been

nothing less than a lovesong, its music

Now, had I been up there I would have

And we who were created for an even

Some years back, there was a certain

purveyor of hardware items hereabouts

who had a stock defense against any

customer who tried to haggle over the

price. Invariably, he assured the buyer

that the item was "already marked

Now I identify him by recalling that

the time came when the Eagles Club was

making up Christmas baskets for the

needy. When the committee began trying

to recall all such, hoping not to miss

anybody, the late Herschell Graham

suggested that Lenna Moore's name be

those who were making up the baskets,

there was loud protest that Moore didn't

need help at Christmastime. But Her-

schell was there to defend his

below cost as he has just has to need

The late Noah Harris often told

acquaintances that he had always

noticed that if he made it through March.

he made it the rest of the year. With

February warming up, the peepers heard

in spots, though not in our rill yet, and

March promising a bit of fishing not far

We're not button-bustin', but The

Lexington Herald published Senator Jim

Hammond's coal severance tax story,

and copyrighted it, 24 hours after The

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Beaver and Knott County Rescue

Two weeks ago, the Floyd squad found

a 13-year-old boy in the hills at Bonanza

after he had been missing for some time.

The youth was a nephew of Eddie

Medical schools affiliated with

Veterans Administration hospitals now

number 100. A record number of

physicians, dentists, nurses and allied

health workers is receiving clinical

training in VA facilities. The total of

79,953 trainees in fiscal year 1975 exceeds

the 1974 level by 12 per cent, according to

Dr. John D. Chase, VA chief medical

Floyd County Times had printed it.

'Any man who has sold as much stuff

nomination. He explained:

something for Christmas.'

ahead, I am encouraged.

When the name bobbed up later before

put in the pot

AH, SPRING!

Squads.

director.

been all for dropping a rock on the head

of that larger bird that was feeding below.

the Creater made it for. It sang.

WHY HE NEEDED HELP

greater purpose are shamed by it.

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crumbs which had fallen from the feeder, Ford stressed the fact that the Left Beaver community would be competing with other areas of similar size for the funds, but he added, "If we fail, we'll just have to shove 'er back and try 'er again.'

Several people just stopped in to greet the senator and Ermine Hall, of Prestonsburg presented him with a small, handcrafted game board he had carved. "This is going back to Washington with me," Ford said.

Discussing his "government to the people' policy. Senator Ford told The Times that the sessions benefit his office as a means of "input to me." By talking to people and listening to their concerns, he explained, "I keep in touch with the matters that concern Kentuckians most, whether they be individual or area problems.'

"Talking with the people," Ford continued, "helps me determine what my priorities as senator should be . . . what I should work for.'

The senator said the sessions were made worth it when individuals were helped in securing benefits which they deserved. "Although in most cases there's some reason for an individual not receiving benefits, there's always those who are not getting what they deserve because of bureaucratic complexities or some other reason." He added, "We help people cut through the red tape.

Ford said the concerns of people in all sections of the state are very much the same. "They're worried about inflation and unemployment, and things like the new social security tax increase," the senator said. He said the major difference in his Eastern Kentucky sessions were the number of black lung cases he encounters. "Otherwise, it's pretty much

the same everywhere," he remarked. Ford, who as governor initiated planning and preliminary funding for the rerouting and improvement of KY 80 between Allen and Hazard, said he is encouraged that work on the road is relatively close at hand. "We made a mistake by not putting it in the Appalachian Regional Commission road program," Senator Ford commented. "but I think with the growing support the project is getting that it will only be a

matter of time until KY 80 is improved." Although Ford and his staff were scheduled to leave Prestonsburg at 5:30, meetings with area residents continued

Three-Category Pageant To Be Held on Two Days

The 1976 Tiny Miss, Little Miss and Pre-Teen Miss Kentucky Pageant will be held April 30 and May 1 in Epling Auditorium at Elkhorn City.

Contestants will be chosen at large from areas that do not have a local pageant. Contestants will be judged on poise, beauty and personality.

Any contestant in the state pageant will be permitted to enter the national contest this year, due to the fact that it will be held in Louisville at the Galt House.

Additional information may be had by contacting Mrs. Fayetta Pergrem, executive director, Box 465, Elkhorn City, Ky. 41522 or phone 606-754-5395.

Our Yesterdays

The Floyd County Times

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

Ten Years Ago

(February 17, 1966)

Visitors at Jenny Wiley State Park totaled 1,165,000 last year, an increase of 482,000 over 1964 attendance totals . . . The Floyd County Mental Health Association was formed at a meeting attended Tuesday night at the Health Department building by about 40 interested citizens . \$1,515,000 grant to help construct vocational schools in 13 Eastern Kentucky counties was announced Wednesday by Eugene P. Foley, assistant secretary of Commerce for economic development . . . Ricky Hall led the McDowell Daredevils to a 104-57 victory over Dorton Monday night, scoring 38 points . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Goodman, twins, Larry Michael and Evonda Michelle, Friday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, of Maytown, a son, David Preston, January 24 at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin . . . There died: Russell Slone, 23, formerly of David, Sunday, a short time after entering a Warsaw, Ind. hospital, of injuries suffered in the collision of his auto with another at Warsaw; Joe B. Lafferty, 82, of Dwale, Tuesday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin; Sarah Lou Layne, 11, of Harold, Monday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Twenty Years Ago

(February 16, 1956)

A fox believed to have been mad attacked several girl-pupils of the Neeley school on Abbott Creek, Wednesday morning. The animal chased the children across a bottom but did not succeed in biting them preliminary mandatory injunction which would require Artie and Harry Moore to remove a fence they allegedly built across a road leading to plaintiff's mines and which would enjoin the Moores not to interfere with plaintiffs in use of the road is asked in a suit filed this week by Eugene Akers, Tax Commissioner Clive Akers, the Bailey Coal Company and the Moore Branch Coal Company . . . The Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources next week will poison Dewey Lake in a shad-killing operation for the third time in a year, The Times learned today (Thursday) . . . The two-way radio system to link the Sheriff's office here with cars of deputies and police of several incorporated towns in the county neared reality this week . . . The Prestonsburg Youth Center is a big success according to the parents who visited it last Friday evening . . . The Floyd County Health Department moved Tuesday in an attempt to curb the spread of scarlet fever in the county after one case had been reported on Cow Creek . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Iley Baker Browning, II, of Evansville, Indiana, a son, Iley, III, Feb. 10 at an Evansville hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Busch, of Stamford, Conn., a son, Feb. 14... There died: A. R. Matney, 59, of Dwale, Tuesday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin.

Thirty Years Ago

(February 14, 1946)

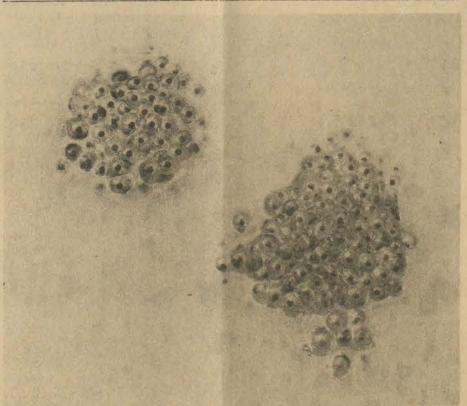
In an effort to procure more effective mine inspection service, Circuit Judge E. P. Hill ordered the Department of Mines and Minerals to supply representatives of the United Mine Workers of America certified copies of state mine inspectors' reports on practically every mine in Floyd county . . Veterans' of Foreign Wars met here Sunday, elected officers and named their local Post in honor of Walter Kerr Bowling, West Prestonsburg soldier who was reported as the first Floyd countian killed in World War II . . youths with a record of a dozen escapes from the Kentucky House of Reform at Greendale were arrested near Drift last Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Mack Lewis . . . As a result of a survey made by E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg, district fish and game supervisor, and the interest of Pike county citizens in conservation of fish, 53 indictments were returned last week by the grand jury of the Pike circuit court against three Pike county coal firms, charging them with stream pollution caused by negligent coal washing methods . . . Rights of entry to all property within the construction are surrounding the site of the Johns Creek dam have been procured from landowners, it was said here Wednesday by H. W. Witte, engineer representing the government Married: Miss Betty Ann Brooke, of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Major Edmund Castle, of Estill, January 30 at Charlotte . . . There died: Ernest McGuire, of Hi Hat, Friday on his 40th birthday, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin; Alex L. Patton, 60, at his home at Auxier, Saturday; Austin D. Laferty, 5 years old, of Ashland, February 6 at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey.

Forty Years Ago

(February 14, 1936)

Ballard Hunter was removed as Superintendent of Floyd county schools, Saturday, and Palmer Hall, of McDowell, was named to replace him . . . Two Floyd countians fatally injured by Chesapeake & Ohio Railway trains last week: Mrs. Hicks, of West Garrett, who died at the Beaver Valley hospital of injuries sustained Friday when she was struck by a freight train as she walked along the tracks from Lackey; Tommy Cole, 59, of Melvin, Sunday at a Martin hospital of injuries received Saturday night at Melvin when he fell against a coal "shifter" . . . Tentatively approving the plans of a Huntington architect for the remodeling and enlargement of the Floyd county courthouse, the fiscal court Tuesday turned to the task of financing the project. Irvin Hicks, 23, of West Garrett, was instantly killed Tuesday morning when he was crushed beneath a mine motor and a coal car inside the mines of the Wells-Elkhorn Coal Company at West Garrett . . . Four Training Work Centers are now located in Floyd county, furnishing employment for approximately 80 women under the WPA . . . M. C. Russell, 22, of Weeksbury, was shot and killed Sunday morning at the home of Will Pitts, of Weeksbury

. Silas Holt, 60-year-old McDowell farmer, was fatally injured this week when he slipped in the snow and ice on a mountainside on the Will Hamilton Branch of Mud Creek . . . Married: Miss Minnie Neil, of West Garrett, and Mr. Adam Jacobs, of Estill, January 25; Miss Mae Prater, of Hueysville, and Mr. Albert Salvers, of West Garrett, January 25 . . . There died: Rufus Blackburn, 79, of Little Paint, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ida Robinson, Tuesday; W. H. Fitzpatrick, 76, at his home on Middle Creek, Tuesday; James Turner, 42, Tuesday at his home at Wayland; Mrs. Lee Frasure, of Teaberry, at home



Numerous members of the local "toad frog" population were fooled by the weekend's balmy weather into thinking it was time to do their annual part in the propogation of frogdom. Although these eggs probably won't make it through the cold weather that's bound to return, the parents are sure to be back, probably at the same mud puddle, when mating season "officially" arrives later in the Spring.

Interested in KY 80?

——— (Clip, sign and mail to Governor Carroll)————

Honorable Julian M. Carroll, Governor Commonwealth of Kentucky

Dear Governor Carroll:

As a resident of Eastern Kentucky, and one of many who realize the need for modern highways if an area is to grow, I respectfully urge you as Governor of the Commonwealth to use your best efforts to cause to be constructed a modern, four-lane highway that will connect the Big Sandy Valley and the Kentucky River Valley; this road to run generally parallel with now existing Route 80, commencing in the proximity of Allen, in Floyd county and connecting with the Daniel Boone Parkway in the vicinity of Hazard, Perry county.

As you know, Route 80 is a narrow, winding, obsolete road that has impeded the progress of our area for years. Now that the Mountain Parkway and Daniel Boone Parkway have been realized it is extremely important that these two highways and the valleys they serve be con-

All of Eastern Kentucky is looking to you for help in completing this critical link in our transportation system, and will be extremely grateful to you for your efforts in our

Sincerely Yours, (Name) (Address)____

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Ex-Governor Combs presented Governor Carroll resolutions urging the highway construction.

Repeating his oft-expressed interest in KY 80, Carroll spoke at length of the great need of the road. But financing remains the big question. The governor reportedly has KY 80 construction tied into the coal severance tax package which he is expected to present to the General Assembly

"I cannot in good conscience ask the people of Kentucky to go into debt for another road, unless financing is assured," he said. "If we can find a source of funds, I am ready to design and build it.

The governor called on county officials and other leaders at the meeting to talk to their legislators and enlist their support of the plan which he will unveil, perhaps this week. What that plan is, is not definitely known, although statements issued by State Senators Jim Hammond, Prestonsburg, and Lowell Hughes, Ashland, have been fairly specific, though not in agreement as to amounts Carroll would earmark for various purposes out of severance tax monies.

Much hinges upon the person-byperson support given his program and to legislators whose votes are needed when the plan is presented, Carroll added.

Carroll cited the need in Eastern Kentucky for good education, housing, and sewer and water projects if the economy there is to grow, but "even all that is for naught if you don't have a good transportation system.'

He described the area through which KY 80 passes as an area which has the greatest need for good transportation. Combs and Congressman Carl D. Perkins, D-7th District, are the honorary

chairman of the 80 East Association. County Judge Henry Stumbo's resolution recommending that KY 80, when rebuilt, be named the Carl Perkins Parkway was adopted at the Frankfort meeting.

It was recalled that Congressman Perkins has been urging a new KY 80 since the 1960's and that he sought unsuccessfully to have it placed on the list of Appalachian Regional Commission projects after it had been unfortunately omitted.

Floyd, Knott, Perry, Pike, Letcher and Johnson counties were represented at last Thursday's meeting. The addition of four other counties-Martin, Lee, Laurel and Clay-will be sought. One television program over WKYH, Hazard, has already been presented in support of the highway, and others will be offered, Carter said.

Crider Registered By State Examiners

Marvin Crider, Jr., last week received his architectural registration from the Ky. State Board of Examiners and Registration of Architects.

Designer of the courthouse annex now under construction here, Mr. Crider has his office in Prestonsburg. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky College of Architecture and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Crider, Sr.

Virginia Tech Honor Roll Lists Snavely as All-A

Blacksburg, Va.-A total of 506 students in Virginia Tech's College of Engineering made the dean's list during the fall quarter. Eighty-one made all A's, or a perfect 4.0 average.

To make the dean's list at Tech, a student must make a 3.4 average or better in the University's 4.0 grading system. A 3.4 average is the equivalent to a middle B average.

Among the honor students is Charles G. Snavely, of Prestonsburg, a straight-A student in mining engineering.

The groundhog is called woodchuck in some parts of the United States.

officers at the residence of Ottis Hall, of Galveston, netted nine fifths of vodka. A warrant has been obtained for the arrest of Hall who was not at home at the time of the raid. Participating in the raid were Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis, Linzie Hunt, John D. and Melvin Martin, and Harold Johnson.

Another liquor raid Saturday by county

Sheriff Joe W. Lewis last Thursday arrested Fred Goble in the vicinity of the Eagles Club here and charged him with possession and transporting of alcoholic beverages. Five cases of beer were recovered.

Gary Allen, of Abbott Creek was booked at the jail here Friday on charges of theft by unlawful taking and knowlingly receiving stolen property in connection with the Feb. 8 theft of \$375 worth of automotive parts from the home of Joe Ousley, of Prestonsburg. Allen was again booked the following day on similar charges after an investigation by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis and deputies named him in connection with the theft of two tires from Carrol Knaus, of Bonanza. Prestonsburg Police Chief Ralph Thornsbury and Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis and Linzie Hunt also participated in the

State Troopers Stephens and Shelton arrested Hobert Terry, of Wheelwright Saturday night shortly after he allegedly broke into Dickie Allen's service station at Wheelwright. Stolen from the station was a reported \$500 in cash. Terry was charged with burglary in the third

Others booked at the county jail, charges against each and arresting of-

Ronnie Howell and John M. Kidd, possession of stolen property, by State Trooper Weedman; Arthur S. Thomas, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; Ollie Robinson, Jr., criminal mischief, by Deputy Sheriff Harold Johnson; Hatfield Bentley, Jr., drunk driving, by State Trooper Stephens; Donnie Howard, contempt of court, by Jailer; Homer Jones, wanton endangerment in the second degree, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D. and Melvin Martin; Tremble Tackett, resisting arrest, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D and Melvin Martin; Fred Johnson, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs Linzie Hunt and Harold Johnson; Donald D Meadows, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; William Martin, drunk driving and attempt to elude police officer, by State Trooper Shelton; John W. Taylor, possession of dangerous drugs, by Deputy Sheriff Doug Lewis; Malcolm Johnson, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Police Chief Ralph Thornsbury and Deputy Sheriffs Linzie Hunt and Doug Lewis; Janet Goble, drunk driving, by City Police Sgt. Darrel Conley; Clarence Bruner, drunk driving and reckless driving, by Sgt. Conley; Royce Amburgey, drunk and reckless driving, by Sgt. Conley

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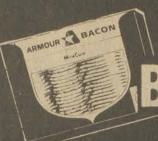


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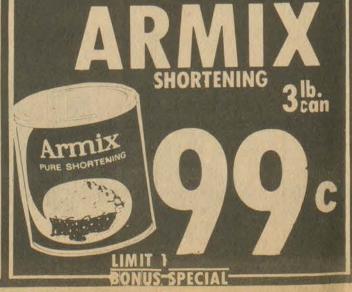
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Duna Combs Has Art Exhibit



Artist with exhibit of works.

The Prestonsburg Community College Library was the scene Feb. 9 of an art exhibit and reception featuring Mrs. Duna Combs' works. Many persons came to the reception to meet the artist and to view her paintings. They also enjoyed refreshments provided by several of Mrs. Combs' friends who were the hostesses for the reception. The art exhibit was held, February 9-16.

JOHN GRAHAM CHAPTER, D.A.R., MEETS

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met February 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the Floyd County Library with the regent, Mrs. J. F Preston, presiding. Mrs. Victor Hale conducted the ritualistic service in the absence of the chaplain, Mrs. Sallye L. Clark. The national president's message was read by Mrs. Ray Collins. The secretary's report was read by Mrs. J. G. Stepp and the treasurer's report given by Mrs. Ray Brackett. Mrs. Effie Milby read an article on national defense. The program, "Museums and Libraries of Washington, D. C.", was shown with color slides by Mrs. May Kendrick who was program chairman. The president reported 110 paperback books had been donated by the chapter and a letter was read from the Veterans Hospital expressing thanks for the contribution. The regent read a letter from Gorman Collins, of WDOC, saying he was happy to assist the chapter in any patriotic publicity. The annual D.A.R. State Conference will meet in Lexington, March 23, 24, 25 at the Lexington Hilton Motel. The hostess, Mrs. Effie Milby, served a dessert and punch to Mrs. Opal May, Mrs. J. G. Stepp, Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Mrs. Ray Brackett, Mrs. J. F. Preston, Mrs. Mae Kendrick, Mrs. Ray Collins, Mrs. Effie Milby.

SPENDS WEEKEND HERE

Ed Lyon, of Lexington, formerly history instructor at Prestonsburg Community College, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Tackett at their residence on Lower John's Creek.

SURPRISED ON BIRTHDAY

A large banner proclaiming "You're not getting better, you're getting older!" greeted Bill Gordon Francis at his home on Trimble Branch Thursday evening as he was honored on his 30th birthday with a surprise party. A Mexican dinner prepared by Mrs. Francis and an "unusual" birthday cake highlighted the evening. Mr. Francis also received many interesting gifts.

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, IN REGARD TO THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, BEING NAMED AS ONE OF THE ALL KENTUCKY CITIES AT A RECENT MEETING OF THE KENTUCKY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HELD AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, AT WHICH MEETING THE CITY OF PRESTONS-BURG, KENTUCKY, WAS NAMED ONE OF THE 16 ALL KENTUCKY CITIES OUT OF 79 CITIES WHO EN-TERED SUCH CONTEST.

WHEREAS, this was due chiefly to the hard work of the President of the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, its Executive Secretary, the All Kentucky City Committee, as well as many othe publicminded citizens of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as

follows SECTION 1: That the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, expressly thanks the President of the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, its Executive Secretary, the All Kentucky City Committee, and to all other persons who

helped to bring about this award. SECTION 2: That the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, also expresses its thanks to all citizens of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, who attended the meeting of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce at which this award was given to the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the

5th day of February, 1976. HAROLD W. COOLEY Mayor Pro-Tem City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky

ATTEST:

BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH City Clerk 11.



P'burg High Students In EKU Music Clinic

Prestonsburg High School was represented in the recent music clinic sponsored by the Eastern Highlands Music Educators Association by the following students who participated in the 60-voice chorus:

Keith Arnett, Tom Blackburn, Wendell Blackburn, Karen Bradley, Dwayne Campbell, Kenneth Campbell, Susan Campbell, Terry Childers, Laneva Conley, Brett Davis, Mike Fitzpatrick, Angela Goble, William O. Goebel, Jr., Judith Hale, Kermit Joseph, Dee Dee Kalos, Sandi Lafferty, David Lemaster, David Leslie, Sandra Perry, Rayanna Rodebaugh, Cindy Roth, Tammy Salisbury, Tim Sammons, Lisa Scutchfield, Kenneth Wallace, Jerry Waugh, Sammie Wells, Edith Yates.

Vasile Vennetozzi, of Morehead State University, directed the chorus. David Leslie, Prestonsburg High School junior, was piano accompanist. Carlos Haywood is Prestonsburg High School choral director

SPEND WEEK HERE

Mrs. Anna Laura Bolous, of Lexington, is spending the week here with relatives.

PRESENTS PROGRAM ON LINCOLN Mrs. Stanley A. Combs presented an interesting program on "A. Lincoln" last Thursday, to the Research Historians sponsored by Mr. Hazelett at Johnson Central High School in Paintsville. Mrs. Combs presented her Lincoln memorabilia, consisting of Lincoln letters, the playbill at Ford's Theatre when Lincoln was assassinated and biographies of Lincoln. She was accompanied to Paintsville by Mrs. John Rosenberg.

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Observes 92nd Birthday



"Aunt" Belle Ellis, observed her 92nd birthday Sunday, February 1, at her home on Graham street here. She is the oldest of 12 children born to the Rev. John and Martha Crisp Lafferty. Only two others, Jesse and Alice Lafferty, survive. After being widowed at the age of 42, she worked at public work until her retirement when she was 76. Of the 14 children born to her, she reared 10 of them. Seven are still living. After retirement, she until two years ago kept busy making quilts and other handwork.

A full dinner was prepared for the following guests: June Gearhart, Josephine Howard, Tilden Ray Ellis, Judy Carter, Jim III, Susan Raye and Rebecca, Jesse L. Lafferty, Sr., Sue Lafferty, John Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Howard and Stacia, Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Baldridge and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Peters and Libby, Mike Lafferty, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messer, James Conn, John Conn, Robert Conn, Lana and Scott Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kelly and Matthew, Mrs. Lily Parker, Dorothy Burke, Mrs. Bertha Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Isom Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spradlin, Joy Gibson, Pearl Ellis, Wanda Rodebaugh, Carolyn Ellis Moore, Mrs. Perry Green, Beulah Williamson, Billy and Dolly Osborn.

In addition to the many gifts, she received flowers and numerous telephone calls from friends and family.

MT. MANOR REGISTRANTS

Registering this week at Mountain Manor Nursing Home were Reddie Hall, of Bypro, Charles N. Eagle, of Williamson, W. Va., and Myrtle Reed, of

VISIT HERE

Mrs. William Mattingly, of Lexington visited her brother, Stanley A. Combs, last Sunday, accompanied by her neice, Miss Dana Ison, of Lexington. Mr. Combs, who injured his back in a fall from a ladder three weeks ago, is doing nicely at home.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woody, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Turner, of Garrett returned this weekend from a ten-day visit with relatives and friends in the Homestead, Florida

ENJOY NATURE OUTING

A nature outing in the environs of Dewey Lake was enjoyed Sunday af-Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Tackett and Mr. and Mr. Paul N. Allen. The group had lots of interesting fun collecting the shells of stunted mussels, bottle caps and other debris, and they whiled away the time throwing sand rocks at Clorox jugs. Find of the day was a very old, half-full Woodbury bottle.

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BROWNIES MAKE VALENTINES

Brownie Troop 19, of the Goble-Roberts Addition, Prestonsburg, made Valentines as a service project at its meeting, Feb. 5. The Valentines were delivered Feb. 10 by Troop Leader Amanda Hall to Billie Post, social service director of the Highlands Regional Medical Center to be distributed to young patients.

Brownie members participating in the project were Melinda Borders, Stephanie DeRossett, Kim Greene, Karen Goble, Debra Hall, Angela Keathley, Mary and Todie Leedy, Leslie Morgan, Michelle Roth, and Maria Short. Adults assisting the troop were: Donna Goble, Mary Belle Short and Leader, Amanda Hall.

Brownie Troop 19 is sponsored by Dr James D. Adams, of Prestonsburg.

REVIVAL SCHEDULED AT EAST POINT CHURCH

There will be revival services at the Church of God at East Point beginning at 7 p.m., Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, February 20, 21, and 22. These services will be conducted by Evangelist Jerry L. Castle, and a welcome is extended to the public to attend.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Orville Cooley, Mrs. Charles Butcher, and Miss Bertha Parsley attended the funeral in Huntington of Mrs. Susie Rucker Rose, Wednesday, February 11.

RETURN FROM TENNESSEE Mr. and Mrs. Eli Schoolcraft returned

Sunday from a visit with relatives in Lafayette, Tenn.

HERE OVERNIGHT

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Coop, of Mt. Sterling, were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris, at Auxier, last Friday. Rev. Coop officiated at the funeral of Earle Moore at the First United Methodist Church, Saturday af-

HERE FOR MOLES FUNERAL

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Coop, of Mt. Sterling, were here Sunday afternoon attending the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Goble Moles at the Carter Funeral Home. Rev. Coop delivered the funeral address, having been a former pastor of Mrs.

HEALTH PROGRAM FEATURED

AT RETIRED TEACHERS MEETING The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association held its winter meeting Saturday afternoon at the regional library here. In the absence of the president, Mrs. May K. Roberts, Miss Alice Harris presided.

The devotional was given by Miss Myrtle Pugsley followed by the pledge of

The program presented by Mrs. Grace Sutherland was a new health program for Older Americans prepared by the National Retired Teachers Association and the American Diabetes Association. It featured a prepared script on diabetes. a film, and audience participation.Mrs. Sutherland introduced as a person knowledgeable on the subject, Sister Virginia Farrell, R.N. of the Appalachian Regional Hospital in Hazard. Sister Farrell led the discussion and conducted a question and answer session.

As chairperson for the bicentennial celebration for FCRTA, Miss Alice Harris outlined plans for preparing information on the history of education in Floyd County to be used in a scrap book now being planned. She requested each retired teacher to prepare pertinent material on her experiences as teacher in SPEND WEEK-END HERE the various communities of Floyd County where she had taught, and to send pictures and other information to her.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Kelsa G. Elliott and Mrs. Margaret Compton who served refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Norma Stepp, Victoria Spradlin, Lucy Regan, Beatrice Collins, Opal S. May, Sola P. Ousley, Kelsa G. Elliott, Margaret Compton and Grace H. Sutherland, Miss Alice Harris, Carmel Akers and guests, Miss Myrtle Pugsley, Mrs. Fannie Runnels, Mrs. Nora Spradlin, Sister Virginia Farrell and Rose Hatcher.

ATTEND RECITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Haywood attended the recital presented by their daughter, Miss Rebecca Haywood, at Eastern Kentucky University, Tuesday

W'WRIGHT SINGERS TO BE AT KATY FRIEND CHURCH

The Gospel Tone Singers, of Wheelwright, will be singing at the Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, Saturday, February 21, at 7 p.m.

Elder Robert Smith will deliver the message. The public is cordially invited to come and worship in this service, the pastor, Elder Rufus E. Johnston, said.

LODGE OFFICERS INSTALLED AT PIKEVILLE, SATURDAY

Sue Moore, Deputy President of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31, and staff installed officers of Queen Esther Lodge No. 53, Pikeville, Thursday night.

Participating in the Installation were Mable Jean LeMaster, Norma Stepp, Violetta Wright, Maman Leslie, Rebecca Bingham and Venelia Rinehart.

A social hour was enjoyed at the close of Lodge with refreshments.

FIRST CHILD, A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Preston announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Angela Mae, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington, February 14. Mrs. Preston is the former Belinda Chaffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chaffin, Sr., of Prestonsburg. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Preston, of Van Lear.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Dr. and Mrs. Forrest Skaggs, of Lynch, and Mrs. Robert Burnette, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill on North Lake Drive.

HERE OVERNIGHT

Miss Vera Kendrick, of Honaker, Va., was overnight guest of Miss Mary E. Powers last Wednesday. She was enroute to Indianapolis to visit Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Powers, and receive a gift of a new car for years of nursing service to Mrs. Hattie McCune, aunt of Mr. Powers and Miss Powers.

REV. THOMAS AND FAMILY RETURN Rev. William Thomas and family returned Saturday from Pittsburgh, Pa., where they were with her mother who underwent major surgery. Rev. Thomas attended conferences in New York, Connecticut, Pittsburgh, and other cities where Presbyterian associations were being held. Mrs. Thomas remained with her mother who will undergo more

ATTEND FUNERAL AT BONANZA Mrs. Beatrice Collins and Mrs. Nora Spradlin attended the funeral of Robert E. Frasure at Bonanza, Sunday.

IN CENTRAL BAPTIST HOSPITAL Mrs. Keith Alley entered Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, last Sunday, preparatory for surgery Tuesday. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Carl Horn and Mrs. Leva Clarke. Mr. Alley went on Monday to be with her.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher and daughters, Elizabeth Lynn, Elissa Lee, and Glenna Jo, of Frankfort, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell.

Judge and Mrs. Edward P. Hill, of Frankfort, attended the funeral of Earle Moore here last Saturday. They were week-end guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jack Stumbo, Mr. Stumbo and son.

VISIT GRANDMOTHER HERE

Michael and John Fridley, of Columbus, Ohio, visited their grandmother, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, here last week-end.

VISITED HERE

Mrs. Isabel Reed, of Martin, was here last week-end visiting with friends.

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Engagement Announced



-Photo by Sam Nelson Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rodebaugh, of

Prestonsburg, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dewana Kay, to Mr. David Robinson, son of Mrs. Nan Robinson, and the late George Robinson, of Katy

Miss Rodebaugh is a 1971 graduate of

Prestonsburg High School and also a graduate of Mayo State Vocational-Technical School where she was a member of Phi Beta Lambda Society. She is presently employed by the Floyd County Times. Mr. Robinson is a 1970 graduate of

Prestonsburg High School and attended Prestonsburg Community College. He is employed by Big Sandy RECC, of Paints-

Wedding plans are incomplete.

HERE FOR MRS. MOLES FUNERAL Relatives who attended the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Goble Moles last Sunday at Carter Funeral Home were Jack Jones, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Warden Auxier, of Johnson county, Mrs. Frances Moles and daughter, Betty Moles, of Ashland, and Claude Goble, of

UNDERGOES EMERGENCY

APPENDECTOMY Mrs. Ethel S. Cross underwent an emergency appendectomy Sunday at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She is doing nicely.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs Earle McDonald, of Louisville, were week-end guests of Mrs. Dorothy Wells on Arnold Avenue. They formerly resided here and their many friends were glad to greet them.

WEEK-END GUEST HERE

Mrs. Marion Wilson, of Louisville, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keenon. Her many friends were happy to see her again.

VISIT PARENTS HERE

Mrs. J. S. Kelly, of Lexington, and Mrs. Ray Steineau, of Louisville, were here last week-end visiting their father, E. L. Hopson, on Riverside, and their mother, Mrs. Hopson, a patient at Mt. Manor Nursing Home.

DINNER GUESTS

Mrs. Josephine S. Hill, of Bonanza, entertained to dinner last Sunday at her home, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Shepherd, Mrs. Nora Spradlin, Mrs. Beatrice Collins,

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Elizabeth Goble Moles

Mrs. Elizabeth Goble Moles, 78, last surviving member of the family of the late James and Elizabeth Clay Goble, died Thursday night at Mountain Manor Nursing Home here following a prolonged illness.

A native of Prestonsburg, she was born November 17, 1898 and was the widow of Lon S. Moles. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Surviving her are several nieces and nephews, among them Mrs. Ernest Osborne, Miss Frances Jones, J. Y. (Sonny) Goble, all of Prestonsburg, and Jack Jones, of Lexington.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Howard Coop and the Rev. Walter Applegate at 3 p.m. Sunday at Carter Funeral Home chapel. Burial was made in the Mayo cemetery

Pallbearers were William Arnold Spradlin, Jody Spradlin, Jimmy Hatcher, Frank Friend, William Ernest Osborne, James Clay Osborne, Bill Tom Archer, and Brady Shepherd

Robert Earl Frasure

Robert Earl Frasure, 94, of Abbott Creek, died Friday, February 13, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

A son of the late Noah and Millie Miller Frasure, he was born January 23, 1882 at Bonanza and was a retired farmer. His wife, Mrs. Clara Stanley Frasure, preceded him in death.

He is survived by one son, Scott Frasure, of Myrtle; four grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m., Sunday, at the Bonanza Freewill Baptist Church by the Rev. Bill Campbell. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Myrtle under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Earl Moore

Earl Moore, 75, former head of field accounting in the Prestonsburg office of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, was found dead near his home at Cliff late last Wednesday afternoon. Death was ascribed to a heart attack.

Mr. Moore had been associated with the gas company and its predecessors, the Pennagrade Oil and Gas Co. and the Louisville Gas and Electric Company, for more than 45 years at his retirement in May, 1965. He had been a member of the First United Methodist Church here 44 years and for 16 years had been a member of its board of trustees and its administrative board. He was a 50-year member of Zebulon Masonic Lodge, and during World War II served on the Floyd County Rationing Board.

A native of Lackey, Mr. Moore was born May 25, 1900, the son of the late Ex-Sheriff Kendall Moore and Jay Osborne Moore. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ida May Moore; two sons, Gordon Moore, of Prestonsburg, and Edsel Moore, of Frankfort; one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Stephens, of Ashland; a sister, Mrs. Rebecca Bailey, of Eastern, and six grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday from the First United Methodist Church here, the Revs. Howard Coop and Walter Applegate officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Cliff under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Suzie Rucker Rose

Mrs. Susie Rucker Rose, 96, wife of the late Rev. George W. Rose, former pastor of the Pilgrim Holiness Church here, died February 8 at her home in Huntington, W. Va.

Rev. and Mrs. Rose and family moved from here to Huntington in 1936.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Opal McClung and Mrs. Margaret Perry, both of Huntington, and Mrs. Vivian C. Byrd, in Florida; three sons, Alfred Rose, of Huntington, Paul Rose, in Florida, and Wallace Rose, of Fairmont, W. Va.; 17 grandchildren and 41 greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. February 11 from the Reger Funeral Chapel in Huntington, and burial was made in Grayson Memorial Park, Grayson, Ky.

Thelma Mae (Sally) Hunt

Last rites will be observed this morning (Wednesday) at 10 a.m. at the Dwale United Baptist Church for Mrs. Thelma Mae (Sally) Hunt, 54, of Allen, who died at her home there Sunday following a prolonged illness. The Rev. Wallace Calhoun will be the officiating minister.

Born June 10, 1922, she was a daughter of the late Richard and Lou Webb Hinton and was the widow of Eugene Hunt who preceded her in death in 1975. She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist

Survivors include three sons, Billy, James, and Gene Hinton Hunt, all of Allen; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Hale and Mrs. Bonnie Howell, also of Allen; a brother, Bud Hinton, of Jackson, Mich.; three sisters, Mrs. Hazel Wallen and Mrs. Magalene Rowe, both of Allen, Mrs. Lorraine Conley, of Ypsilanti, Mich., and seven grandchildren.

Burial will be made in the family cemetery at Dwale under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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Obituaries

Martin Hammond

Martin Hammond, 64-year-old Martin businessman and father of State Senator Jim Hammond, died Wednesday, victim of an apparent heart attack while hunting in a field near Martin.

Born November 11, 1911 at Water Gap, he was a son of the late Tom R. and Susan Lafferty Hammond. He attended Alice Lloyd College, Pikeville College and Morehead State University, and was a teacher for 14 years in the Floyd county school system. He also had worked as a miner for 16 years and had operated the Hammond and Hamilton 5 & 10c Store at Martin for more than 20 years. A veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

In addition to his son, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillie Hamilton Hammond; a daughter, Mrs. Reba Blackburn, of Meta; two brothers, John Hammond, of Water Gap, and Charlie Hammond, of Ivel; a sister, Mrs. Daisy McGuire, of Allen, and five grand-

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday from the Hall Brothers Funeral Home chapel by the Revs. Billy Tackett, Grover Adkins, and Banner Manns. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

Pallbearers were Curtis Hatfield, James Goble, John Hamilton, Ruford Hamilton, Carmel Clark, Bill Hamilton, Ray Branham, Curtis Hamilton, Billy Hamilton, Tom Rowe Hammonds, Carl Hamilton and Butler Hamilton.

Honorary pallbearers were Troy Hall, Pete Grigsby, John Richard Porter, Jimmy Ison, Chester Layne, Frank Howard, Ralph Stevens, Herman Conn, Dr. Warren Grady Stumbo, Ralph Rowe, Denzil Halbert, Eddie Taylor, Johnny Maddox, Raymond Griffith, Jr., Clyde Hogsed and Hershell Lester.

Mary Preston Webb

Mrs. Mary Preston Webb, 86, of Lexington, formerly of this county, died Feb. 5 at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, after an extended illness. She was the widow of Thomas Jackson Webb, who died last Oct. 28.

A native of Langley, she was the last of the family of Arthur and Rebecca Preston. She was a sister of the late Ann, Oma and Ella Preston, Mrs. Sue P. Ward, Mrs. Amanda P. Turner and Mrs. Rhoda P. Allen.

Her survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Charles V. Tingue, of Lexington, and one son, Thomas J. Webb, Jr., Lamar, In-

Her funeral was conducted Feb. 7 from the Milward Funeral Home (Broadway), and burial was made in Hillcrest cemetery, Lexington.

Wayne D. Blackburn

Wayne D. Blackburn, 79, of Ypsilanti, Mich., formerly of this county, died at Beyer Memorial Hospital in Ypsilanti Friday morning, February 13, after an extended illness.

Born January 10, 1897 at Bonanza, he was a son of the late Edward and Melissa Stevens Blackburn. His wife, Margaret Branham Blackburn, preceded him in death in 1968

Survivors include three sons, Charles Blackburn, in Tennessee, Robert and Ray Blackburn, both of Ypsilanti, Mich.; three daughters, Mrs. Pearl Goble, of Ypsilanti, Mrs. Faye Cornelius and Mrs. Betty Smith, both of Gainesville, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Sally Compton, of West Prestonsburg, and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Monday, at Moore Memorial Chapel in Ypsilanti by the Rev. Nathan Small and Rev. Dewey Fraley. Burial was made in Washtenong Memorial Park in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Jack Riddle

Jack Riddle, 82, of R. 1, Prestonsburg, died Saturday at Highlands Regional Medical Center, victim of an apparent heart attack.

Born February 13, 1894, he was a son of the late Bill and Charity Collins Riddle. He was a former sawmill worker and was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church. His wife, Linnie Jarrell Riddle,

preceded him in death in 1963. Surviving him are a son, Estill Riddle, and a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Woods, both of the Prestonsburg area; five sisters, Mrs. Victoria Jarell, Mrs. Oma Jarrell, Mrs. Susan Gillespie, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Sallie Burchett, of Zebulon, and Mrs. Florence Rice, of Ivel; nine grandchildren and 18 great-

grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Tuesday, at Benedict Chapel at Emma by the Revs. Henry Crider, Lee Caudill, and Rololph Lewis. Burial was made in the Jarrell cemetery at Emma.

Henry L. Meador

Henry L. Meador, 80, of West Prestonsburg, died Saturday, February 14, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home here following an extended illness.

A retired clerk for the C&O Railway and a veteran of World War I, he was a son of the late Dock and Biddie Osborne Meador, born March 9, 1895.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Eva Hughes Meador; three sons, John Henry Meador, of the Middle Creek Road; Charlie Meador, of Richmond, and Dock Meador, of Middleton, Mich.; one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Shepherd, of West Prestonsburg; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Monday, at Floyd Funeral Hme chapel by the Rev. Lorie Vannucci. Burial was made in the West Prestonsburg cemetery.

James Elmer King

James Elmer King, 54, of Bypro, died Wednesday, February 11, of an apparent heart attack in a Hindman doctor's of-

A son of Mrs. Costa King, of Bypro, he was a retired mine foreman and a veteran of World War II

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna (Pet) King; two daughters, Mrs. Glenda Hall, of Melvin, and Mrs. Charlotte Jean Newman, address unavailable; two sisters, Mrs. Opal Hobson, of Englewood, O., and Mrs. Zelda Johnson, of Pikeville; one brother, Estill King, of Bypro, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday, at the Joppa Regular Baptist Church at Melvin. Burial was made in the Buckingham cemetery under direction of Hindman Funeral

Raymond (Barber) Hall

Raymond (Barber) Hall, 76, of Jeffersonville, Ind., formerly of Floyd county, died Feb. 10 at the Jeffersonville Memorial Hospital after an extended

He was a son of the late Robert Hatfield Hall and Francie Martin Hall, of Mc-

He is survived by his wife, Lucy Hall; two sons, Wallace Hall, of Steubenville, Ohio and Ward D. Hall, of Jeffersonville, Ind.; two daughters, Wilma H. Mellon, of Lexington, and Mrs. Alma Jewell, of Louisville; five brothers, Revis Hall, Roanoke, Ind., Hollie Hall, Keaton, Ky., Leonard Hall, of Hite, and Earl and Homer Hall, of Ohio; two sisters, Margie Osborne, of Hite, Nellie Craft, of Ohio; seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was a member of the Regular Baptist Church for 40 years, was a barber in this county for many years.

Funeral services were conducted at the Grayson Funeral Home in Charlestown, Ind., Feb. 12. Burial was made in the Charlestown cemetery. Officiating ministers were Rev. William R. Haynes and Rev. Pridemore. Pallbearers were James K. Bryan, David Lee Hall, Tom Hall, Eugene Crisp, Delano Hall and Martin Mellon.

Mrs. Erma Crum

Mrs. Erma Crum, 43, of Banner, died Friday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a prolonged illness.

A daughter of the late Albert and Cora Crum Spears, she was born July 9, 1932 at Martin, and was a member of the New Life United Baptist Church.

Surviving her are her husband, Jay Crum; one son, Albert L. Crum, at home; five brothers, Italy Spears, of Honaker, Mexico, Oscar, and Kenneth Spears, all of Banner; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Mulkey, of Dana, and Mrs. Alien Crum, of Banner.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at the New Life United Baptist Church at Banner by ministers of that church. Burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Sheryl Ann Hall

Sheryl Ann Hall, three-week-old daughter of Bill and Madeline Damron Hall, of Honaker, died Tuesday, February 10, at U. K. Medical Center, Lexington.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are a brother, Billy Ray, at home; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Damron, of Honaker, and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall, of Printer.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Friday at the Norman Damron residence by ministers of the Church of Christ. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Honaker under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bertha Fraley

Mrs. Bertha Fraley, 65, of Murray, Ky., died at Riverside Hospital, Columbus, O., Feb. 2, after open heart

She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star and Mullins Memorial Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Allen Fraley, formerly of Thomas, Ky.; sons, Allen, Jr., Bobby and Billie Fraley; daughters, Shirley Long, Laura Fuller and Delma Brehm; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held at 1 p.m. Feb. 5 at Shoedinger Linden Chapel, Cleveland and burial was in Glen Rest cemetery, Columbus.

Justin Paul Leslie

Justin Paul Leslie, two-day-old son of John Paul and Pamela Spradlin Leslie, of Goble-Roberts Addition, Prestonsburg, died February 12 at King's Daughters' Hospital in Ashland. In addition to the parents, survivors are the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leslie, of Cow Creek.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m., Friday at Floyd Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Taylor Biggs. Burial was made in the old Mayo cemetery.

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Rev. John Wesley Ousley

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday at the Brush Creek United Baptist Church by ministers of the church for Rev. John Wesley Ousley, 71, of Manton, who died Tuesday at Mc-Dowell Appalachian Regional Hospital after a long illness.

Born at Alphoretta February 19, 1904, he was a son of the late Allen and Della Stephens Ousley. A retired mine and member of Local No. 6282, UMWA, he was a minister of the United Baptist Church and had been a member of that church for 30 years. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs.

Audrey Howard Ousley; two sons, Jason and Wade Ousley, and a daughter, Mrs. Lou Jean Gibson, all of Manton; 10 half brothers, Fred, Henry, and Tolbie Ousley, all of Dock, Jobie Ousley, of Toledo, O., Jerry Hackworth, of West Prestonsburg, Albert Hackworth, of Pyramid, Henry, Ballard, and Gordon Hackworth, all of Warsaw, Ind., Oliver Hackworth, of Claypool, Ind.; five half sisters, Mrs. Bessie Bradley, of Stockbridge, Mich., Mrs. Polly Barnett and Mrs. Nannie Hunter, both of Martin, Mrs. Lula Holbrook, of West Prestonsburg, Mrs. Bessie Jameson, of Claypool, Ind.; 11 grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren.

Burial will be made in the Ousley cemetery at Manton under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

New Administrator At Hazard Hospital Is Floyd Co. Native

Russ D. Sword, 31, Floyd county native, has been named administrator of the Hazard Appalachian Regional

The appointment was announced by William D. Gorman, Hazard, chairman of the hospital's 22-member board of

Chosen from among six applicants, Sword has been acting administrator since August. He joined the 148-bed hospital's administrative staff as an assistant in 1973.

A graduate of Prestonsburg High School and Berea College, Sword earned his master's degree in hospital administration at the Medical College of Virginia at Richmond. Sword and his wife, Erma, have an 18-month-old daughter, Donna, and they live in

VISITS HERE MONDAY

Mrs. Lon Hill, of Huntington, visited Mr. Hill's sisters, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett and Mrs. Myrtie Davis, here Monday and Tuesday while Mr. Hill transacted business in Whitesburg.

Spurlock To Head Heart Fund Drive, **Stuart Announces**

The appointment of Burl Wells Spurlock, of Prestonsburg, to serve as county Heart Fund treasurer in the 1976 Floyd county Heart Fund drive has been announced by Kentucky campaign chairman, Jesse Stuart.

The 1976 appeal, which began with Coffee Day on February 3, continues throughout the month, reaching its high point on Heart Sunday, February 29, when local Heart Fund volunteers will visit their neighbors to distribute heartsaving information and collect contributions for research, educational and community service programs dedicated to combatting cardiovascular diseases.

In making the announcement, Stuart said that heart disease is the No. 1 killer in the nation, and he urged local residents to give generously when the Heart volunteer calls.

CANCER SOCIETY SLATES ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

The Floyd county unit of the American Cancer Society will hold an organizational meeting Monday, February 23, at 7 p.m. at the Floyd County Library, here. Anyone interested in working with the society in a volunteer capacity is invited to attend their meeting

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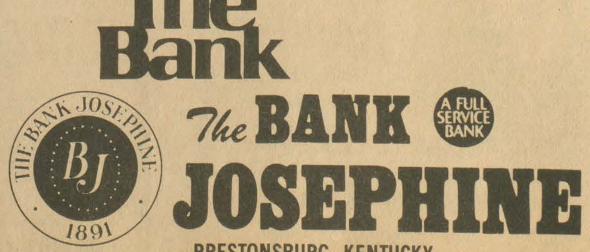
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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

Local Sports

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON The Floyd County Basketball Conference ended in a three-way tie with Betsy Layne, McDowell and Wheelwright holding identical won-lost records of 6-2. 58th district coaches met Tuesday at Allen Central High School to work out the tie. In conference play, the winner and runner-up teams are seeded in opposing brackets of the 58th district which is scheduled to get underway March 3, with the girls' tournament games preceding the boys'. Last week, the Betsy Layne Bobcats won their 20th game of the season over Mullins by 74 to 65. Betsy Layne won-lost record is now

Wheelwright Trojans won over Allen Central by a score of 57 to 50 as the Trojans won their 16th game against 5 losses. Wheelwright also won over Fleming-Neon by 81 to 61, and on Friday night, won over McDowell 73-60.

The McDowell Daredevils split their two games winning over Elkhorn City 62-30 and losing to Wheelwright.

The Prestonsburg Blackcats defeated Mullins 62-58. On Friday night the Cats traveled to Belfry to lose 58-45. The Cats tied in field goals but got only five of the attempts at the free throw line and made

The Allen Central Rebels shocked the Virgie Eagles at Virgie Saturday night by winning 80 to 65. Rick Pack scored 31 points for the Rebels. AT McDOWELL

McDOWELL (62)-Buddy Osborn, 33, Terry Tuttle, 10, Larry Daugherty, 9, Harold Tackett, 6, David Grigsby, 2, Steve Newsome, 2

ELKHORN CITY (30)-Epling, 14, S. Owlers, 4, Clevenger 4, B. Owens, 3, Mullins 2, Sloan, 2, Belcher, 1. AT FLEMING-NEON

WHEELWRIGHT (81)-Jeff Riley 31, Gary Anderson, 25, Gore, 9, Jamerson, 2,

FLEMING-NEON (61)-Duty, 13, M. Bentley 12, R. Bentley 9, Short, 9, Hall 8, Vanover 5, Whitaker 3, Johnson 2. AT PRESTONSBURG

PRESTONSBURG (67)-Grady Stevens, 22, David Lemaster, 10, Rick Morgan, 9, Mike Dixon, 4, Tim Crisp, 5, Jeff Burchett 2, Gary Shepherd, 2, Jim

MULLINS (58)-Marcum, 26, Edmonds 19, Ratliff, 5, Tackett, 4, Justice, 3, Mullins, 1

SATURDAY NIGHT ATVIRGIE

ALLEN CENTRAL (80)-Rick Pack, 31, Wayne Scarberry, 10, Dewey Bailey, 10, Halthouse, 10, Rick Prater, 16, Jeff Ellis, 2, Delbert Ison, 1.

VIRGIE (65)-Robert Newsome, 23, Stoney Newsome 12, Bill Reddle, 8, Jeff K. Newsome, 8, Jeff M. Newsome, 7, Greg Newsome, 7

AT WHEELWRIGHT MONDAY WHEELWRIGHT (57)-Gary Anderson, 22, Jeff Riley, 13, Berger, 9, Gore,

8, Dewey Jamerson, 5. ALLEN CENTRAL (50)-Rick Pack, 25, Wayne Scarberry, 10, Rick Prater 8, Halthouse, 4, Doug Bailey, 2, Jeff Ellis, 1. Wheelwright (14-25-38-57)

Allen Central (10-22-33-50) Tuesday Night's Scores (Feb. 10) Prestonsburg 62, Mullins 58 Wheelwright 81, Fleming-Neon 61 McDowell 62, Elkhorn City 30 Virgie 104, Belfry 76 Sheldon Clark 64, Paintsville 59

Johnson Central 68, Pikeville 63 Millard 69, Johns Creek 62 Powell County 94, Salyersville 79 Crum, W. Va. 70, Louisa 61 Friday Night's Boy's Scores Belfry 58, Prestonsburg 45 Wheelwright 73, McDowell 60

Betsy Layne 74, Mullins 65 Lexington Lafayette 66, Pikeville 58 Johns Creek 64, Johnson Central 57 Paintsville 70, Ashland Holy Family 61 Fairview 73, Sheldon Clark 71 Millard 63, Phelps 49 Lenora, W. Va. 87, Feds Creek 70 Saturday Night's Boy's Scores Kermit, W. Va. 65, Belfry 60

Feds Creek 63, Phelps 53 Allen Central 80, Virgie 65 Friday, Feb. 20 Prestonsburg at Paintsville Johns Creek at McDowell Virgie at Wheelaright Dorton at Mullins Millard at Hazel Green Academy Pikeville at Sheldon Clark Raceland at Louisa

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Boy's District Tournament Wednesday, March 3, 8:45 p.m.-Allen Central vs. Prestonsburg Friday, March 5, 8:45 p.m.-McDowell

Thursday, March 4, 8:45 p.m.—Betsy Layne vs. Wheelwright.

58th District Tournament For Girls Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Prestonsburg vs.

Allen Central Friday, 7 p.m.—Betsy Layne (Bye) Thursday, 7 p.m.-McDowell vs. Wheelwright

Scores of the Denzil "Hoss" Halbert Tournament

Maytown 36, John M. Stumbo 25. Wayland 39, Dewey Osborne 15. Martin 26. Clark 27 (Semi final) Maytown 33, Wayland 21 (semi final) Maytown 45, Clark 17 (Championship)

John M Stumbo 63, Maytown 46 Dewey Osborne 49, Wayland 45 Martin 42, Clark 37 Prestonsburg 56, Flat Gap 46 SEMI FINALS

John M. Stumbo 39, Dewey Osborne 38 Prestonsburg 56, Martin 33. CHAMPIONSHIP

John M. Stumbo 59, Prestonsburg 34 Girls' Team Cheerleaders Martin, first place; Wayland, second

Boys' Team Cheerleaders Wayland, first place, Dewey Osborne School, second place.

Prestonsburg at Wheelwright Sheldon Clark at Allen Central Paintsville at Raceland Betsy Layne at JohnsonsCentral McDowell at Wheelwright Johns Creek at Elkhorn City

Elkhorn City at Millard Monday Night Girls' Scores McDowell 50, Prestonsburg 54 Paintsville 60, Fairview 47 Pikeville 104, Dorton 21 Wolfe Co. 41, Salyersville 32

Boy's Scores Monday, Feb. 16 Wheelwright 57, Allen Central 50 At Belfry (Girls)

McDowell (36)-Geri Grigsby 21, Kathy Howell 8, Jamie Martin 2, Jeanie Carter 5.

Belfry (34)-West 20, Curry 12, Patensky 2. Other Girls' scores, Monday

Paintsville 65, Louisa 33 Russell 62, Sheldon Clark 58 Pikeville 61, Johns Creek 58 Boys' Scores, Monday Feds Creek 51, Lynch 32

John M. Stumbo Graded School won ne first Denzil (Hoss) Halbert Invitational Graded School Basketball Tournament over Prestonsburg Graded School in the championship games 59-34 and ran their winning streak to 18 games without a loss. John M. Stumbo advanced to the finals by winning over Maytown Graded School 64-47 and defeated previously unbeaten Osborne Elementary 39-38. Osborne's record now is 14 and 1. The Prestonsburg Graded School advanced by defeating Flat Gap and Martin. Best offensive player was Ronnie Akers, of John M. Stumbo. Best defensive player award went to Henry Isaac, of Osborne Graded School. The alltourney team players were Ronnie Akers, Darrell Newsome, and Frank Hamilton, all of the John M. Stumbo School, Henry Francis, Monroe Jones, both of Osborne School, Tim Branham, of Wayland, Joey Crum, of Martin, David Pitts, Clark Elementary, Mark McGuire, Dwayne Rodebaugh, both of Prestonsburg Graded, and Phil Slone, of Maytown.

VISIT IN PIKEVILLE

Mrs. Stanley A. Combs visited Mrs. C. A. Combs and daughter, Priscilla, in Pikeville last Saturday.

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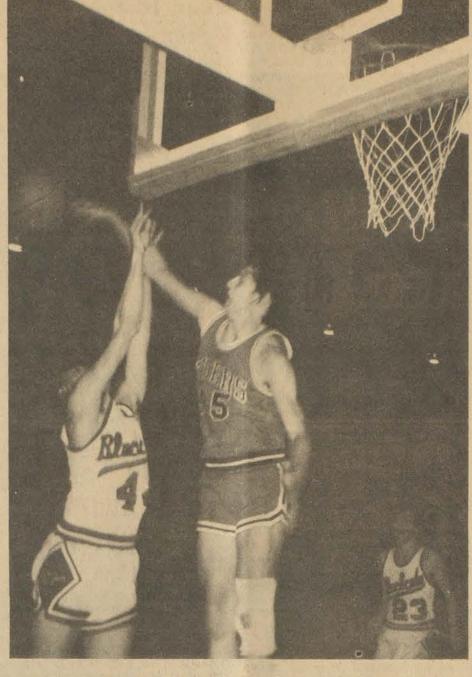
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DEFENSIVE PLAY by Mullins, such as that pictured in the above photo, didn't stop the Blackcats from winning the game,

Cats Tame Tigers, Robbed by Pirates

By BRIAN STURGILL

The Prestonsburg Blackcats played two games last week, winning Tuesday night's contest against the Mullins Tigers, 62-58, then losing Friday night to the Belfry Pirates, 58-45.

Leading scorers for Prestonsburg in the Mullins game were Grady Stephens with 22, David LeMaster with 10 and Ricky Morgan, 9. Outstanding shooters for Mullins were Bob Edmonds, who

scored 19, and Berl Marcum with 26. The Blackcats ran into some bad luck in the Friday the 13th game with Belfry. Ricky Morgan and Grady Stephens took top scoring honors for the Cats with 10 and 12 points respectively. Outstanding player for the Pirates was Mike Dotson with 30 points

The Blackcats, now with a 9-14 record, will face the rival Paintsville squad Friday night at Paintsville.

Bigtime Bowlers Make Way Weeksbury Man Bowls 299

Dale Compton, of Weeksbury, came within one point of bowling a perfect game at the Starlite Lanes, Pikeville, last Friday night. In league play for the Bruce Walters Ford team, he bowled a 299, 232, and 220 for a 751 series.

Gunlock Student Wins **ALC Memorial Grant**

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Judy Lynn Hamilton, daughter of Thelma Shepherd, of Gunlock, has won an Alice Lloyd Memorial scholarship, which covers tuition, room and board for two years of study at the college, provided students maintain high standards.

Miss Shepherd earned a 3.94 grade point average (4.0 is a perfect "A" record) at Salyersville High School, where she graduated in December, 1975. In high school she participated in the Science Club and Library Club, in addition to being a member of the yearbook staff. Judy is considering a major in physical therapy at ALC.

STANDINGS

58th DISTRICT BOYS Betsy Layne, 20-6 Wheelwright, 16-6 McDowell, 17-9 Allen Central, 13-13 Prestonsburg, 8-14

GIRLS' ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM In girls' basketball in the Denzil Halbert Tournament, Trena Hensley, of Maytown, was named the best offensive player, and Becky Collins, of Wayland, was named best defensive player. Other members of the all-tournament team are Tammy Martin, Dava Smith, both of Maytown, Delores Martin, Charlotte Tackett, both of John M. Stumbo, Christie Mayo Frye, Maria Reynolds, both of Martin, Kaye Hale, Pam Dingus, both of Clark Elementary, Donna Roop and Deana Clatworthy, both of Wayland.

Stories Vary, But All Agree: Carroll To Build KY 80

of Frankfort, each varying as to the details of Governor Carroll's coal severance tax "package" which is being readied for the General Assembly.

The latest, written by Ray Cohn, of The Lexington Herald, says the governor has apparently decided not to raise the tax a full 1 per cent but may hold the increase to 12 per cent.

But, according to Cohn, the "informed sources" which he quotes are emphasizing the point that Governor Carroll has not weakened in his determination to build KY 80 from this county to Perry county. Wrote Cohn, in part:

They explain Carroll has found alternate ways of financing the proposed 45-mile highway

These sources did not know-or

weren't at liberty to reveal-how the highway will be financed. Two sources indicated there are two or three different alternatives These sources had different estimates

about how much of an increase in the severance tax the governor would request. Two sources speculated the raise may

be as much as one-half of one per centfrom four per cent of the selling price to four and one-half per cent.

But another source, who is opposed to any raise on the percentage part of the tax, indicated there may be no increase

The news-stories continue to come out or one of only one-quarter of one per cent. A fourth source speculated a percentage of the tax may be hiked, but

would not indicate by how much. The tax is currently four per cent of the selling price or 30 cents per ton,

whichever is greater.

All the sources agreed Carroll intends for the minimum of the tax to be raised from 30 to 50 cents. One source said Carroll may even ask for it to go as high as 60 cents, although the final figure which would be enacted into law would probably be about 50 cents.

Carroll is continuing to meet with legislators, elected officials, civic leaders, coal industry representatives, and other interested parties as he finalizes his severance tax package.

One source familiar with the talks said 'you'd be surprised" how many people Carroll has contacted about his package. Carroll is to meet with representatives

of the Kentucky Coal Coalition, composed of county judges and other elected officials from the approximate 45 counties in the coal regions, on Thursday.

All the sources contacted Carroll will go ahead with the highway. One, when asked, pointed out two of its prime supporters are former Gov. Bert T. Combs and Seventh Dist. Cong. Carl D. Perkins, D-Hindman.

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Seminar on Alcoholism To Be Repeated at PCC This Spring

"A Community Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism," a seminar on alcoholism presented for the first time last fall by the Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, will be presented again this spring beginning March 16.

Steve Knowles, district coordinator of alcohol services for MCCC, will act as moderator and coordinator of the class which will be presented in 10 two-hour sessions as part of Prestonsburg Community College's community services program.

Following last year's format, the class, said to be the only program of its kind in the state, will feature a series of speakers who possess an expertise in alcoholrelated problems either through personal experience or professionally. Alcoholism will be viewed through the eyes of an alcoholic, alcoholic's spouse, sociologist, judge, medical doctor, psychiatrist,

psychologist and a panel of clergymen. Leo Weddle, instructor of sociologypsychology at P.C.C. said the classes utilized "one of the best seminar approaches to alcohol education we've seen.

Knowles said the purpose of the seminar is a "two-way education between the speakers and the community, and to hopefully rework attitudes toward alcohol abuse.

The series of classes are free of charge and Knowles stressed that "anyone can attend one or all of the sessions." Two continuing education credits are given class members at the end of the seminar

"Alcoholism and problems of alcohol abuse should be the concern of everyone," Knowles said, and he pointed out that last semester's seminar included among its members a nurse, social service employees, alcoholics and alcoholic spouses.

"This type of seminar would cost a lot in most places," Knowles said, "and we're hoping to attract a variety of people willing to take advantage of what we think is an exceptional learning situation." Mr. Knowles said MCCC hoped to attract law enforcement officials, educators, those in health care, government officials as well as the general public to the seminar.

Among the professionals scheduled to conduct seminar sessions is Dr. Robert Straus, chairman of Behavioral Sciences, College of Medicine, at the University of Kentucky. Dr. Straus has worked in the field of alcoholism for 30 years and has written two books on the subject, "Escape from Custody," and "Alcoholic Society.

The course outline will be as follows: March 16-Citizens Look at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter:

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Frank Layne addressing a session of MCCC's alcoholism

Stephen Knowles, Mountain Comprehensive Care Center.

March 23-A Psychologist Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Mr. Ray Silva, Alcohol Program Director Comprehend, Inc., Maysville, Kentucky.

March 30-A Psychiatrist Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Mr. Robert Granicher, M.D., Intensive Care Services, Eastern State Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky.

April 6-A Doctor Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Mary Fox, M.D., Pike County Health Depart-

April 13-A Judge Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Honorable Hollie Conley, Floyd County Circuit Judge.

April 20-An Alcoholic's Spouse Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Mrs. Lyda Howard, Prestonsburg.

April 27-An Alcoholic Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Mr. Frank Layne, Prestons-

May 4-Ministers Look at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenters: Rev. Walter Applegate, First Methodist Church; Rev. William Jaggers, Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church; Rev. William Thomas, First Presbyterian

May 11-A Sociologist Looks at Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Presenter: Dr. Robert Straus, chairman of Behavioral Sciences, College of Medicine, University of Kentucky

May 18-John Q. Citizen Revisited-An overview of course with the class drawing conclusions. Moderator: Mr. Stephen Knowles, district coordinator, Alcohol Services, Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, Prestonsburg. Classes will meet at the college from 7 to 9 p.m.

Manuel-Chaffin

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Manuel, of Allen, announce the marriage of their son, Charles Edward Manuel, to Virginia Ann Chafins, daughter of Mrs. Martha Chafin and the late David Chafin, of Martin, Ky. Jan. 10 at Clintwood, Virginia.

Mr. Manuel was graduated from Martin High School in 1972. Miss Chafin is a senior at Allen Central High School.

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Area residents are invited to browse through this outstanding collection of original graphics. A knowledgeable Roten representative will be on hand to answer questions about the prints and the artists and to discuss other prints not in this collection but which may be procured from the gallery in Baltimore.

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WHEREAS, the total Budget for all such expenses for general purposes during the year of 1976 in said City has been estimated in the amount of \$474,982.00, and the Budget's source of revenue for 1976 includes an estimated amount of \$100,000.00 to be derived from such property taxes, and without such amount to be derived from such property taxes, the revenue required for such general purposes would be insufficient. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT OR-DAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS

FOLLOWS: SECTION 1. A tax is hereby levied upon all property, both real and personal, having a tax situs in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of January 1, 1976, for general purposes, including general expenses of the City. All monies received hereunder shall be paid to the City Treasurer of Prestonsburg and placed in the credit of a general fund of the City and shall be used in defraying current and incidental expenses of said government. The tax hereby is levied as follows:

A. The sum of Thirty-cents (30c) for each one-hundred dollars (\$100.00) valuation of all real and personal property located within the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of January

SECTION 2. The property taxes for the year 1976 shall become due and payable on October 1, 1976, by which date tax notices shall have been mailed each taxpayer, and all taxes paid prior to November 1, 1976, shall be allowed a discount of 2 pct.

SECTION 3. All taxpayers who do not pay the tax herein levied prior to January 1, 1977, shall be required to pay a penalty of 6 pct. of the amount of the tax in addition to the tax levied herein.

SECTION 4. All taxpayers who do not pay the tax herein levied on or before the 1st day of April, 1977, shall be required to pay a penalty of 25 pct. of the amount of the tax, in addition to the tax levied

SECTION 5. The Delinquent Tax Collector is hereby authorized to advertise for sale in a newspaper having a general circulation in Floyd County, Kentucky, all delinquent taxes on real property placed in his hands for collection, and the charge for such advertising shall be added to the amount of the tax bill.

SECTION 6. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and this Ordinance shall take effect as of the date of adoption and publication as required by law.

SECTION 7. The provisions of this Ordinance are separable, and if any of the provisions or penalties provided herein shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision of the court will not affect or impair any other section, clause, provision or portion of the Ordinance which is not in itself invalid or unconstitutional

HAROLD COOLEY Mayor Pro Tem City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

ATTEST

BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH Clerk, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

Winter Week-End Prize Winners







Pictured above are three prize-winning entries in the Artists' Winter Weekend held recently at Jenny Wiley State Park which were submitted by local artists. Top photo shows the third prize winner in the oil landscape category, by John Paul Francis, of Hager Hill. Middle and bottom photos show Marvin Meade's second place winner in acrylic seascape and third place winner in acrylic landscape, respectively. Mr. Meade resides at Paints-

One Floyd Coal Company Gets Strip Mine Permit

One permit to strip mine in Floyd county was issued by the division of reclamation, Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection for the week of Feb. 2 through Feb. 6.

The Paula Coal Company was granted a permit to mine 10 acres.

Permits in other area counties were: Perry county, five companies, 195 acres; Johnson county, one, 24 acres; Boyd county, one, 76 acres.

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Auxier Student at MSU Selected for 'Who's Who'

Morehead, Ky.-Paul Brooks Wells, of Auxier, is among 14 Morehead State University students selected to appear in the 1975-'76 edition of "Who's Who Among Vocational and Technical Students in America.

Nomination is limited to students in the last year of study and must be approved by the faculty. Considerations include attitude, academic standing and per-

He is the son of William L. Wells, of

Newman Named to UK Engineer College List

A Floyd county student is among the one-hundred and twenty-four students in the University of Kentucky College of Engineering who have been named to the dean's list for the 1975 fall semester.

Named to the list was Byron Dale Newman, a son of Curt Newman, of Martin. He is a sophomore majoring in electrical engineering.

To be honored by their dean, engineering students must attain at least a 3.6 grade point average based on a 4.0 grading system.

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Ermine Hall, of Prestonsburg, chats with Senator Wendell Ford after presenting him with a handcarved game. The meeting took place at the courthouse here last Wednesday when Ford was here in his "government to the people" appearance.

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Rep. Hopkins **Plans Funeral** Cost Bill

Frankfort, Ky.-State Rep. Larry Hopkins, R-Lexington, said Monday he will introduce a bill requiring that funeral costs be itemized.

"I've decided to go ahead with it because I've had two meetings with funeral directors, asked them for suggestions or alternatives and I've heard nothing from them," Hopkins said.

Basically, the bill would require funeral directors, upon request from those making arrangements, to produce an itemized list of the costs of merchandise and services involved in a

Currently, Hopkins said most funeral directors quote an overall price for a funeral.

'They (funeral directors) say this thing would increase the price of funerals, but I don't buy that," Hopkins said. "How could handing a piece of paper to a person cost anything?"

"If it does, there is something wrong, and there has been something wrong for a hell of a long time," Hopkins said.

Hopkins said he is basically opposed to regulation by government, but that he felt something ought to be done to control the high price of funerals.

For that reason, he said, he invited local funeral directors, plus their state association, to meet with him three weeks ago, and again last week, to offer any alternatives to his bill.

'They were just like stone," Hopkins declared. "I told them the decision to introduce the bill wasn't mine, but theirs, and since they've offered no suggestions, I guess they've made their decision.'

Hopkins noted that his bill calls for a list of costs only if the person making funeral arrangements asks for one. A similar law is on the books in Colorado. Florida and North Carolina, he said.

The idea behind it is to allow people who don't want or can't afford some goods or services connected with the 'complete' funeral to reject them.

Such things might include use of additional limousines other than the hearse, arrangement of church services, transportation of flowers, organists or vocalists, prayer cards and so on.

"If a person could see this list he might find they had two organists or three extra limousines, for example," Hopkins said. "He might want to cut these out to lower

'Why, you wouldn't go into a supermarket and buy a basketful of groceries without a list of what's in the basket, would you?"

HOMEMAKERS MEET

The evening Homemakers Club met Feb. 9 in the Martin school lunchroom. Dorothy Mullins presided. Wilma Mayo gave the devotional, and the lesson, "How To Sew Sweater Knits," was given

Those present were Wilma Mayo, Dorothy Mullins, Kathryn Osborne, Mexie Bates, Gail Osborne, Alice Hayes, Jean Watson, Margarette Conn, Eva Stephens and Frances Pitts. Three new members-Zelma Martin, Gracie Hicks, and Susan Handshoe-were welcomed. Hostesses for the evening were Mexie Bates and Dorothy Mullins.

The next meeting is planned for March

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New Funeral Home Opens This Week

The J. H. Nunnery Funeral Home is opening here this week under ownership and management of James H. Nunnery, Jr., who recently sold his interest in the Preston Funeral Home at Paintsville.

Mr. Nunnery is the son of Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery Purdy, of Portsmouth, O., and the late J. H. Nunnery, Sr., who for many years owned and operated a grocery and dry goods store in Prestonsburg. Mrs. Nunnery is a nurse at Highlands Regional Medical Center. They are the parents of a daughter, Beth.

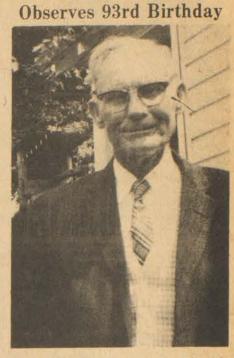
Charter Member of Club Is Honored at Meeting

L. B. Jesse, of Weeksbury, who is a charter member of the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club, was honored at the Feb. 10 meeting of the club. The club was chartered in 1948.

A commission as Admiral of the Great Fleet "of pleasure boats cruising on the waterways of the Commonwealth of Kentucky," conferred by the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, was presented to Mr. Jesse by Marcus Owens, club president.

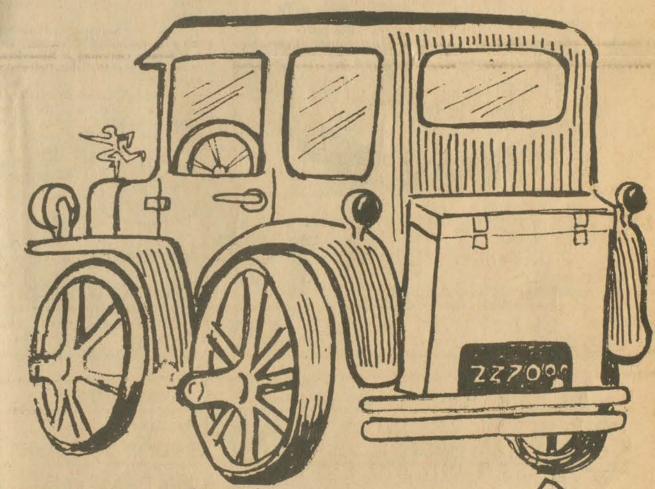
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Observes 93rd Birthday



A birthday dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paris Bartley, of Central Avenue here, on his 93rd birthday. The following guests were present: Tandy and Ethel Bartley, of Williamson, W. Va., Curtis and Cleo Bartley, of Phelps, Ky., Earl and Thelma Bartley and daughters, Missy and Melinda, of Elkhorn City, Chas. and Lottie Turner, of Wayland, Boots Powers and son Jerry Dean, of Ypsilanti, Mich., Ed. and Peg Ousley and daughters, Tanda K. and Edwina, of Middle Creek, Mrs. A. B. Mead and Mrs. Nora Blackburn, of Prestonsburg. He received many gifts.

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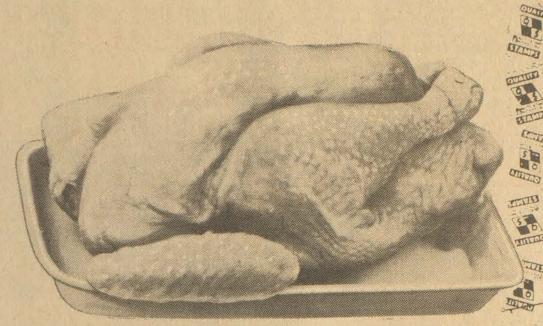
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National Guard Has 483 New Enlistments

Frankfort, Ky.—The Kentucky Army National Guard has recorded 483 new enlistments in the first six weeks of its two-month recruiting campaign, according to Lt. Col. Armando Alfaro, recruiting and retention manager for the

Guard. The Guard's program, called "Operation Spirit of '76," is designed to recruit 1,000 new members by the end of February. Officials report that the number is required to bring the Kentucky National Guard to full strength through

"January was the best month we've had in a long time," Alfaro said. "We enlisted 341 people, including 171 high school seniors.

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South 29th Street, Ashland. Miss Hayes was graduated in 1975 from Paul Blazer high school where she was a member of the student council, choir and the National Honor Society. She is presently attending Ashland Community College as a pre-nursing student.

An employee of Ashland Oil, Inc., Mr. Salyer was graduated from Paul Blazer high school in 1971 and was a member of Key Club, the golf team and the Tomcat basketball team. He attended Ashland Community College and the University of Kentucky.

Plans are being made for an August wedding.

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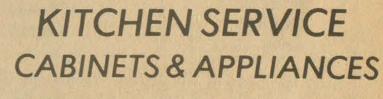
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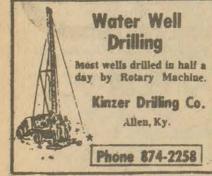
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George Cleaver Gets Life Term

Paintsville-A man convicted of murder received a life sentence and a man convicted of manslaughter received a 10-year sentence last Thursday in Johnson circuit court by Judge W. B.

George Herman Cleaver, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Sandra Penix and the robbery of the Boons Camp post office, was sentenced to life on the murder conviction, and 20 years on the robbery conviction. The terms will be served concurrently.

Commonwealth's Attorney Eugene C. Rice had asked for the death penalty, based on the new Kentucky Penal Code which allows the prosecutor to ask for the death penalty in a case of combined armed robbery and murder.

It was for that reason—the discretion of the prosecutor-that Hazelrigg declared the death penalty in this case unconstitutional, the first test of the new code in the state.

Hazelrigg had also ruled against a death penalty for Johnny (Doc) Preston, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Robie Fairchilds. Preston was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to 10 years, however.

Rice had asked for the death penalty in Preston's case since the alleged murder involved the death of a police officer in the line of duty. Since the death penalty was again at the discretion of the prosecutor, Hazelrigg struck it down as unconstitutional.

Hazelrigg had announced at the beginning of his eight-year term as judge, which began in January, that he hoped to see the conclusion of a number of substantial cases this term, some of which had been continued from last

Five of these substantial cases were taken care of, Hazelrigg noted, leaving only one, a murder case, which was continued to next term.



At Bull Creek School 60 Years Ago



This photo of teacher and pupils of the Warix school on the right fork of Bull Creek was made in 1916 and is made available by Mrs. Theodore Warix in memory of her husband, who died Oct. 12, 1975. Taylor Calhoun, the teacher, is at left of second row. Pupils are, from left:

First row-Keen Goodman, Charley Goodman, Bert Wallen, Jimmy Goodman, Theodore Warix, Troy Calhoun. Second row-Mattie McGuire, Lydia McGuire, Mary McGuire, Dora Warix, Mollie Warix, May Wallen, Susan

Third row-Jobe Calhoun, Jarvey Hall, Hazel Wallen, Rebecca McGuire, Myrtle Pigman, Rosa Warix, Hainey Calhoun, Lizzie McGuire, Ora Pigman, Eva Warix.

Fourth row-Lottie Reynolds, John Banks, John Warix, Clara Gearhart, Ella Scutchfield, Lee Goodman, Beckham Scutchfield, Ollie Hall, Alex Wallen.

Hand Speed Guns To Enforce Limit

Frankfort, Ky.—In a move designed to further strengthen enforcement of the 55 mile-per-hour speed limits, the Kentucky State Police have purchased 16 additional

hand-held, radar digital speedguns. The guns are being financed under a \$16,000 grant announced by the state's Department of Transportation and Office of Highway Safety Programs (OHSP)

State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts said each of the 16 regional state police posts will receive one of the new

Bennie Maffet, traffic safety coordinator for OHSP, said the guns already are being used successfully by many police agencies across the nation. When hand held and pointed at a moving vehicle, the gun gives a digital readout in miles-per-hour on a small screen located above the pistol-grip handle at the rear of the unit. The reading also may be locked in so that the police officer can show it to

However, the most important feature of the speedgun is its flexibility, Maffet said. It can record the speed of vehicles traveling in any direction

Roberts added that the speedguns are expected to reduce the number of speedrelated accidents in Kentucky by further beefing up state police traffic enforcement capabilities.

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We accepted with great pride the beautiful floral arrangements and food contributed by V.F.W. Post 5839 and Ladies Auxiliary Post 5839 and for many services rendered during his illness. We appreciate the services by the DAV. We thank the Floyd Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

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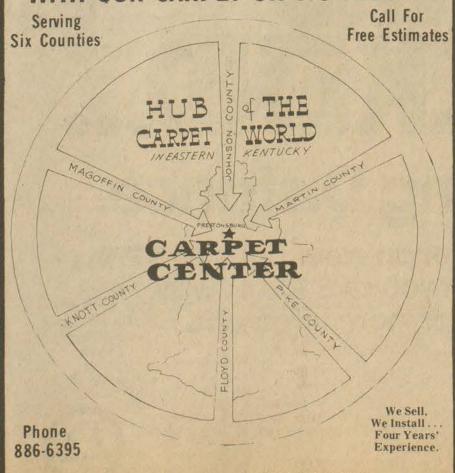
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Paul Niederecker, IRS director for Kentucky, said last week that farmers who did not file a declaration of estimated Federal individual income tax by January 15 should file their 1975 tax return and pay all tax due by March 1 to avoid a penalty.

Farmers are defined as those persons who earned at least two-thirds of their 1975 gross income from farming.

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Countless millions, however, will rejoice to see their Savior and Friend. These have accepted His death as the payment for their sins. They acknowledge Him as Lord. They obey His commandments and honor His name.

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Inc., and members of the community

following the advisory team's visit to the

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district banks in the area which have

pooled funds to be made available for

Other team members who participated

in the meeting in Beattyville included

Jack Hoover, executive director of the

Kentucky Industrial Development

Finance Authority; Russ Sloane, Ken-

tucky Utilities; James Coleman, In-

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The newly-formed team comprises members of the Kentucky Industrial Development Council (KIDC) who work and communicate daily with industrial prospects and are familiar with the needs of industries and how a community can meet these needs. Secretary for Development William L. Short has described the team as, "In reality not one team, but many-each composed of development professionals familiar with

During their visit to Beattyville, the team visited the currently empty Lycoming Shoe Factory and two potential industrial sites being con-

sidered for development. missioner Larry Townsend and coor-

Extension Service

Wayland 8th-President, Mark Martin, Don Caudill; secretary Lisa Martin; reporter, Lisa Collins; song leaders, Becky Collins, Trena Combs, Connie Cardial; 4-H leader, Mrs. Lois Turner Wayland 7th-President, Myra Martin; vice-president, Teresa Thornsberry; secretary, Donna Roop; reporter,

Martin; 4-H leader-Delmos Inmon. Wayland 6th-President, Shelia Duff; vice-president, Lynn Collins; secretary, Kim Wiley; reporter, Debi Elkins; song leaders, Linda Cardial, Sarita Bentley,

Wayland 5th-President, Susan Collins; vice-president, Darla Mustard; secretary, Darvin Wiley; reporter, Lewis Crum; song leaders, Jeff Craft, Rhonda Martin, Chad Waugh; 4-H leader, Franklin Pack.

Eighty 4-H clubs with a total membership of 2,777 have been organized for

The Floyd County Health Department will conduct a glaucoma clinic Friday, February 20. Clinic hours will be from 9 to 12 and from 1 to 2. Glaucoma is a serious disease which can cause blindness, slowly and painlessly in persons who are 35 years of age and over.

urge all persons within this age group to take advantage of this free glaucoma

nurse will hold an outpost clinic at Ethel Osborne's store in Bypro. This clinic will offer immunizations and blood pressure tests and is free and open to the public.

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for the ad.

The factory was identified as the greatest potential for immediate development as it is a finished, airconditioned, 50,000 sq. ft. building with additional office space attached which could be occupied rapidly when the right industrial prospect is located, said Jim Nutter, assistant to Commerce Com-

dinator of the advisory team.

News

By JACK M. FRIAR County Extension Agent, 4-H 4-H ORGANIZATION COMPLETED 4-H Club organization for the 1976 club year has been completed with the organization of four clubs in the Wayland Elementary School.

Officers and leaders in the Wayland

Fave Wiley; song leaders, Katrina Thornsberry, Rita Vanhoose, Larry

Eugene McKinney; 4-H leader, Mrs. Sandra Branham

1976 in Floyd county.

Health Notes

For this reason, public health nurses

Monday, February 23, a public health

Sales of Decals At Slow Pace

State and county officials are beginning to express growing concern over the slow pace at which many automobile owners are buying the new Kentucky 1976 license decals.

"The last minute lines of the past will be nothing compared to what we may see this March if sales don't pick up soon," said State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts.

Midnight, March 1 is the deadline for buying the decals which are to serve in lieu of issuing new metal tags for 1976. The decal is to be displayed on the lower, right-hand corner of the old 1975 plate. According to Roberts, "There currently is no plan to extend the deadline for getting those decals."

Roberts said he believed that the lagging decal sales could be explained, at least partly by public forgetfulness.

"In years past, we all were reminded that it was time to get our plates simply by seeing the new colored plate on other cars around us. This year, however, the old, blue (1975) plate is not being changed. The only difference is that small, silver decal in the lower, right-hand corner of the 1975 plate," he said.

Kentucky formerly alternated blue-onwhite, white-on-blue color schemes from year to year on the metal license tags. At least six county clerk offices across the state also echoed Roberts' concern

about lagging decal sales.

Floyd County Clerk C. "Ollie"
Robinson said decal sales are badly lagging here.

Fayette county officials said they were 9,000 sales behind last year's pace—"maybe more," said a spokesman, "no one's coming in." In Warren county, another spokesman reported that they also were "way behind," possibly as many as 5,000."

Officials in Jessamine, Kenton, Henderson and Pulaski counties also said they were running far behind in the number of the decals sold thus far this year, as compared to plate sales one year ago.

Of eight counties contacted, only Franklin and Pike counties reported sales "about the same as last year."

Heart Disease Major Killer in Kentucky

Nearly 19,800 residents of Kentucky will die of heart and blood vessel diseases in 1976, according to statistics from the American Heart Association. This number represents 56 percent of the state's estimated total of 35,500 deaths from all causes this year.

In February, American Heart Month, the nationwide Heart Fund campaign will be conducted to educate the American public about the nation's number one killers—heart and blood vessel diseases.

These diseases will kill more than a million Americans this year. Early diagnosis and treatment can reduce the incidence of heart attack and stroke, the two major cardiovascular diseases. Knowing their early warning signs and risk factors can save lives.

During February, volunteers from Floyd County will visit residents to distribute heart-saving information and collect Heart Fund dollars to help your heart.

A groundhog's natural life span is usually four to seven years.

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT CR 11,367

Goldie Hamilton . . . Plff.

VS. NOTICE OF SALE

Ralph Hamilton and Matilda Hamilton . . Defts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November 10 term, 1975 in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 27th day of February 1976 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of six months, the

following described property to-Wit:
Starting at the left hand side of the house coming down Mud Creek owned by Francis Hall which was sold to Goldie Hamiilton; thence a straight line to the creek; thence with the creek down to Cindy Newsome's line; thence from said line a straight line to the highway; thence a straight line back to the beginning

The above described tract of land lying and being on the waters of Big Mud Creek as described in a deed of February 19, 1975, as recorded in Deed Book 220, page 428, in the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$2,518.15 with interest thereon at 6 percent annually from the 10th day of November 1975 until satisfied and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 9th day of

February 1976.

MARSHALL DAVIDSON

Master Commissioner

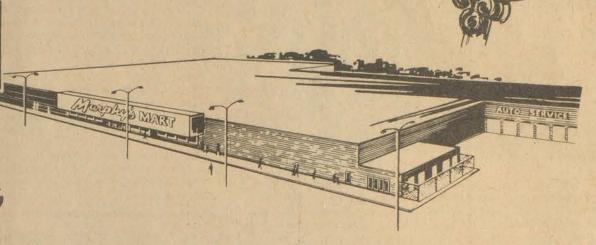
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All-State Chorus Members



Representing Prestonsburg High School in the 362-voice Kentucky All-State Chorus in Louisville, February 5-7, were the students pictured above. In first row, from left, are Dee Dee Kalos, Sandi Lafferty, Rayanna Rodebaugh, Tammy Salisbury. In back row are Tom Blackburn, Paul Magura, and Tim Sammons. Linda Baldridge, who is not pictured, also sang with the group.

Consumer Comments

(Attorney General)

Frankfort, Ky.-April 15th draws nearer, with consumers preparing and filing their income tax returns.

Many consumers will have a tax practitioner complete their forms. But regardless of who completes your tax return, remember that you are responsible for your taxes being completed correstly. Here are some practices of which you whould be aware.

A tax practitioner may suggest discounting your refund. This is an arrangement where the consumer signs a legal document agreeing that the practitioner will receive the income tax refund and give the consumer a percentage upon filing. While this practice is not illegal, it does mean that the consumer is not receiving the total amount

Be wary also of tax practitioners who guarantee a refund. Remember, you are liable for any inaccuracies in your tax

NOTICE

Kindly take notice that the Sandy Valley Water District, portions of which are located in both Floyd and Pike Counties, Kentucky, has filed application before the Public Service Commission of Kentucky for authority to increase its water rates for all consumers. Said rates proposed to be charged are as follows:

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Each 1,000 gallons A public hearing has been scheduled on the application of Sandy Valley Water District in Case Number 6462, to increase its rates and same will be held in the offices of the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, Capitol Plaza, Frankfort, Kentucky, on the ninth day of March, 1976, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time.

SANDY VALLEY WATER DISTRICT By JACK I. BRANHAM, JR. Chairman

report. If your form is audited, you should be able to personally justify the deductions and all other information.

Do not sign a blank income tax return and leave it for the tax practitioner to complete and mail to the Internal Revenue Service. To insure that your income tax form is complete—review the final document for accuracy, then sign

Check the reputability of tax practitioners before you do business with them. Ask friends and neighbors if they have been satisfied with their services. Make sure your taxes are done by someone in whom you have confidence.

If you have specific questions about income tax preparation, don't forget that the Internal Revenue Service provides a toll-free number to call in Kentucky. The number is 1-800-292-6570. Also, the IRS will provide you with the free publication, "Your Federal Income Tax" to help answer your tax questions. Contact the IRS office for this guide.

If you have a consumer complaint write to the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, Room 34, Capitol Building, Frankfort, Kentucky

Relief Funds Needed For Quake Victims

The American Red Cross has sent a contribution of \$100,000 to the League of Red Cross Societies for relief of victims following the catastrophic earthquakes in Central America.

In making the announcement, George M. Elsey, president of the American Red Cross, stated that the League indicated most emergency items are available in the stricken areas. He said the greatest need is for funds to purchase local supplies and to offset transportation and operational costs.

Immediate aid both in kind and in personnel is already at the disaster location from the Red Cross Societies of Costa Rica, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, El Salvador and the United States. These teams are distributing beans, powdered milk and corn meal to the disaster victims.

The Red Cross recommends that persons wishing to help the relief efforts send cash contributions, earmarked for Central America Earthquake Relief to their local Red Cross Chapters.

For the 48 states, barley acreage is expected to total 9.5 million acres, virtually unchanged from 1975.

Murder Suspects Face Grand Jury

Columbus, Ind.—Three persons accused of killing a Louisville man in Indiana will face a grand jury in Jackson county. A grand jury has decided that the man the trio is accused of killing did not die in Bartholomew county.

The jury said the alleged murder of John Simmons Jr., 46, took place in Jackson county.

The jury said it found that Simmons was strangled in his truck while en route to Indianapolis and then dumped in Bartholomew county along Interstate 65 near Columbus.

James Amburgey, 34, and David Jacobs, 26, both of Pippa Passes, Ky., and Glenna Fay Shepherd, 17, Gunlock, Ky., are being held without bond.

Amburgey is alleged to have strangled Simmons after he talked the victim into giving the trio a ride from Louisville to Indianapolis. Jacobs turned himself in to In-

dianapolis police and the other two

suspects were arrested as they slept in

the Indianapolis bus station, authorities The Employment Standards Administration of the U.S. Department of

Labor sets and enforces standards under

child labor laws

EXPLORER SCOUTS ATTEND MEET, SCHEDULE CAMPOUT

Explorer Post No. 21, Lonesome Pine Council, which was formed here last November under sponsorship of the Floyd County Emergency and Rescue Squad, was among five posts attending a council meeting at Elkhorn City Country Club, Saturday. Representing the local post were Clyde DeRossett and David Chaffin, advisors, Marty Osborne, president, Scotty Walker, vice-president, and Richard Ellis, secretary-treasurer.

A picnic and campout for all Explorer Posts of Lonesome Pine Council will be held April 24-25 at Jenny Wiley State

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Madison and Carter Provide 2 Winners

A Madison county boy is the winner of the 1975 Conservation Essay Contest sponsored by The Courier-Journal and The Louisville Times. Jonathan David Green of Route 6, Richmond wrote the essay that was judged best of some 70,000 written throughout Kentucky by elementary and high school students on the subject, "Land-My Community's Heritage: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow.

The annual statewide contest is sponsored by the two Louisville newspapers in cooperation with the Kentucky Association of Conservation District and the Kentucky Department of Education. The contest was begun in 1944.

James C. Hall, circuit

supervisor for Jeohvah's Witnesses, will be making his

semi-annual visit to the Allen

congregation, February 24-29.

This will be a special week of

activity in which the growth to

spiritual maturity will be

emphasized. The visit was described by William Wells,

local presiding minister, as

part of an advanced training

program of Jehovah's Witnesses. "Also, through his

visit, we hope to encourage

families of all religions, or none at all for that matter, to

The program is slated to begin Tuesday, Feb. 24, at 7

study the Bible," he stated.

p.m. at the local Kingdom Hall.

Scouts List First

Aid Meet Results

Twelve patrols of Boy Scouts

participated in the annual

Lonesome Pine Council first-

aid meet which was held Feb. 7

Tying for first place were

Cougar Patrol of Troop 24, of

Maytown, and Bobcat Patrol of

Troop 81, of Millard. Two units

also tied for second place:

Daniel Boone Patrol of Troop

91, Jackson, and Troop 129,

Other troops and patrols

participating in the meet and

winning the proficiency blue

ribbon included Troop 32,

Prestonsburg, Troop 91's Minute Man Patrol, Jackson, and Troop 148's Panther

School, Johnson county, also attended the meet as visitors,

as did several Webelos Scouts from Pack 507, Millard.

The meet was hosted by Explorer Post 21, sponsored by

the Floyd County Rescue

Squad. President of the post is

Marty Osborne and advisor is

Clyde DeRossett, Sr. Post 21

also demonstrated the use of

the rescue squad's equipment.

Wavland Man Gets

Two-Taxicab Permit

Frankfort, Ky.-Henry S.

Clay has been granted authority by the Kentucky Department of Transportation

to operate two taxicabs at

Approval for the service was

signed by state Transportation

Secretary John C. Roberts and

O. B. Arnold, commissioner of

the state's Bureau of Vehicle Regulation, who directed that

Mr. Clay, operator of Clay's Taxi at Wayland, be granted a

certificate of public con-

venience and necessity as a

common carrier

Patrol, Drift.

at Archer Park here.

As the winner of the 32nd contest, Mr. Green will receive a \$500 U.S. Savings BOond.

Second Place winner in the contest is Laura Kathryn Ashby, of Christian county. Her prize is a \$200 savings bond. Third place goes to Mary Kathleen Cahill of Jefferson

County. She will receive a \$100 savings bond. The champion essay writer, an 11th grade student at Madison Central High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Green. The three top winners, along with their parents and teachers, will be guests of honor at the annual Farm Awards Luncheon in Louisville, March 6. They will

This particular meeting

centers around family

The Witnesses, along with

Mr. Hall, will spend time

during the week calling on

homes in the community as

part of their regular field missionary work. This work is

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The regular congregation meeting, which provides ministerial training, will be

held Tuesday evening at 7.

Thursday evening at 6:30, a

special Bible question period,

discussed by the local

congregation with Mr. Hall.

'New Things Learned'', will be

Highlight of the week will

come on Sunday at 10 a.m.,

when Mr. Hall will deliver the

public discourse, entitled "God

Prospers The Subjects of His

Kingdom". This will be ac-

companied by colored slides.

After the congregation Bible

study, using the Watchtower

magazine, Mr. Hall will bring

the week's activity to a close

encouraging the Witnesses to

continue their worship to

Jehovah, the God of the Bible.

An invitation is extended to

all interested persons to attend the meetings held at the

Kingdom Hall, located on old

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receive their awards at that

The second annual Jim Claypool Conservation Poster Contest, a companion to the essay contest with the same subject, was won by a nineyear-old fourth grader of Olive Hill. Jamie Beth Greene's artistic talents produced the poster that was judged best of 26,000 made by Kentucky first through fifth graders. For making the winning poster, Jamie will receive a \$100 U.S. Savings Bond.

Second place winner is Teresa Jo Cooper, of Russell county. Her prize is a \$75 Savings Bond.

Third place goes to Jo Carol Ockerman, of Nelson county. She will receive a \$50 bond.

The poster contest winners, along with their parents and teachers, will also be guests of honor at the Farm Awards Luncheon where they will receive their awards.



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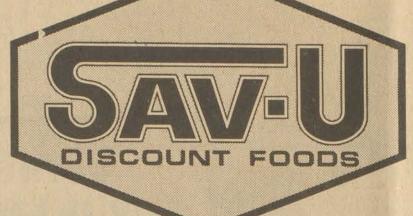
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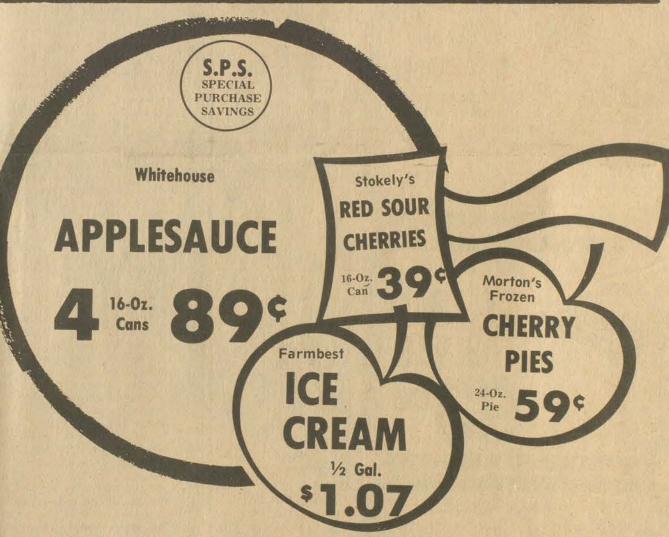
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Pike Plant Plans Announced by Evans

Sam Evans, board chairman of Coal Processing Equipment. Inc., of Pikeville, announced last week that General Molded Products, Inc., of which he is a major stockholder, intends to establish a modern manufacturing facility in Pike

A spokesman for the manufacturer of a wide range of plastic products for the building and construction industry said the company expects to employ approximately 100 persons during the first 18 months of operation.

Negotiations are presently under way to procure a site for construction of the 25,000 square foot facility. Future plans call for an additional 25,000 square feet during the second year of operation, plus an additional 100 employees.

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A citizens group has begun action to gain a voice in the Eastern Kentucky Health Systems Agency (EKHSA) which is scheduled to take over health planning this summer in the eastern half of Kentucky, and is now preparing for the installation tomorrow (Thurs-

Called the Eastern Kentucky Citizens for Better Health Care, the dissident group is composed of members of the Floyd County Citizens Association, the United Mine Workers, the Black Lung Association, the Knox County Economic Opportunity Council as well as others, primarily mountain residents.

The group has formulated a proposal that they feel would allow "true public participation" in the decisionmaking process of the nonprofit health-planning corporation. EKHSA, which was tentatively formed pending federal approval by the Department of Health. Education and Welfare

In a press release, the

Council To Help Form Perry Group

Members of the Jenny Wiley Council will go to Perry county Feb. 23 to assist Hazard Community College personnel in establishing a branch of the International Reading Association in that area.

Marcia Blandau, learning lab co-ordinator, has informed Council President Nadine Hicks that educators in and around Hazard have been invited to the organizational meeting at the college at 7 p.m., Feb. 23.

The Jenny Wiley Council, the local chapter of IRA, includes the counties of Floyd, Pike, Magoffin, Martin and Knott and was organized in 1971 to encourage and promote the improvement of reading and reading instruction. To accomplish this aim the council has sponsored many activities such as the presentation of informative speakers, county fair displays, and miniworkshops designed to construct simple reading supplementary aids. Council members have also taught speed reading and reading comprehension classes as a community service, and assisted ROPES XI personnel in teacher in-service activities. One of 17 reading councils in Kentucky, the Jenny Wiley Council has been awarded the Annual Achievement Award Kentucky State Council of IRA. each year since its inception.

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Black Lung Association and at least three members whose income falls below federal poverty guidelines.' Although the 1974 Health day) of its governing board. Planning and Resources Act that revamped health planning across the country and created EKHSA in its massive health care redistricting "attempted to provide for grass roots citizen participation", the

> EKHSA has failed to allow this. EKHSA, "contrary to the intent of the legislation that formed it, is not representative of the needs and problems of the vast majority of people in Eastern Kentucky," release claims. The EKHSA "has failed to properly inform the public about their functions and has systematically excluded private citizens, particularly those from lowincome groups, from having any input into their organization", according to the

press release continues, the

citizens' group proposes that

the EKHSA governing board

"include representatives of the

United Mine Workers, the

press release Other objections voiced by residents in the EKHSA region focus on the facts that none of the people involved in selecting or electing members for the governing board were themselves democratically elected; that the EKHSA will be located in Winchester, outside the coal fields, and that board members from the mountains will be outnumbered 10 to 18 by representatives from the

foothills and flatlands. 'We're mountain people and they're (most of EKHSA officials) flatlanders," said Julius Mullins, secretarytreasurer of UMW District 30, who supports the citizens' group proposal for low-income and miner representation on the board. "Most of the people in the agency aren't going to know what black lung is or

Group Claims It Is Denied Voice in Health Agency what should be done about it," during that period. he said.

> East Kentucky Health Systems Agency Inc., a nonprofit, private corporation, was formed as the direct result of the passage of The National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974, (P. L. 93-641). The Agency, if designated by HEW, will be responsible for health planning, development and implementation. The future provision of health services will be greatly affected as a result of the decisions made by

During the past year, open meetings have been conducted, news releases have been printed, radio, TV shows been aired, and public hearings have been scheduled to inform and involve the public in the development of the agency and its organizational structure. Articles of incorporation have been filed with the state, bylaws have been approved, and the application to HEW for designation, as an official health systems agency, is being prepared.

According to the law, the application will be available for public inspection, 30 days prior to submission, and review and comments will be

heard at a public hearing

Any person interested in membership in the EKHSA may make application by filling out the required form which can be obtained through Big Sandy Comprehensive Health Planning office (404 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, Telephone-886-6869), or by writing to EKHSA, Box 531, Winchester, Ky., or by making application at the annual meeting.

Local participation in the decision-making process is the basic philosophy of the organization, leaders claim. The annual meeting is open to

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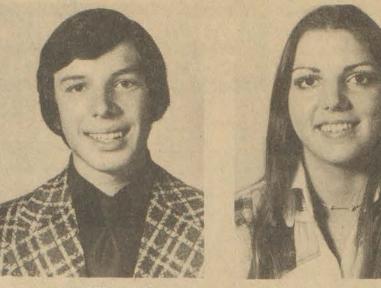
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Allen Central High School seniors selected to appear in the 1974-1975 Edition of Who's Who in American High Schools are: Stanley Kent Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray Hayes, of Hueysville, and Brenda Justice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Justice, of Martin.

During his senior year Mr. Hayes also has been carrying for college credit courses at Prestonsburg Community College. Miss Justice has been participating in a work-study program while completing requirements for her senior year in high school.

Belding Named Curator At California Museum

Richard N. Belding has been named curator of history and agriculture at the San Joaquin County Historical Museum, Lodi, California.

Belding, who most recently served as curator of history at Texas Memorial Museum, Austin, Texas, has been a recipient of several graduate fellowships for historical and anthropological research while engaged in doctoral studies at the University of Texas at Austin.

He and Mrs. Belding, the former Sharon Allen, of Prestonsburg, have moved from Austin to Lodi.

Little Miss Floyd County Pageant Slated Mar. 13

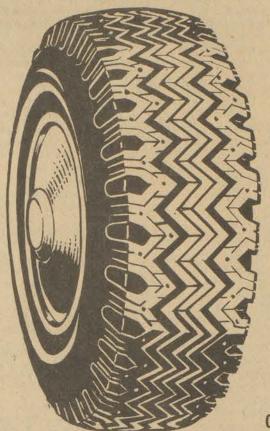
The Allen Woman's Club is sponsoring its annual Little Miss Floyd County Pageant. Entires are now being taken for all contestants, ages 3-5, Tiny Miss; ages 6-9, Little Miss, and ages 10-13, Preteen Miss. The pageant is to be presented Saturday, March 13, at 7 o'clock at the Martin Elementary School auditorium. The winners in each category will be presented with awards and a wardrobe.

For additional information, all interested contestants may call 874-2684, 874-2832, or 874-9154. The entry deadline is February 21 at noon.

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House Bill 494 would allow any county's fiscal court to levy a franchise tax on coal processed in that county. The minimum rate of tax would be 10 cents per ton with a maximum rate of one percent of the gross value of the coal processed during the reporting period.

Pike county's fiscal court levied such a tax but its validity has not yet been decided by the Kentucky Court of Appeals. The bill would also allow a coal producer to deduct his local franchise tax payments from the state severance tax assessment

The Nicholas County Historical Society will publish in July, 1976 a history of the county, including discoveries and development of Blue Lick Springs as a fashionable resort. Mrs. Joseph Conley, editor of The Carlisle Mercury, is author of the history





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Project Underway To Meet Clean-Water Requirements

Frankfort, Ky.-One of the largest coordination efforts in the history of Kentucky's water pollution control effort has begun—the result of a Supreme Court ruling handed down this fall

The result will be the collection of information about water quality throughout the state, the working out of budgetry, regulatory and enforcement procedures for localities to clean up their water and the implementation of those clean-water plans.

Implementation of the plans is the key difference between what the state had to do before the Supreme Court ruling and what must be done now.

The Supreme Court decision indicated that the entire state should come under control of section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. As a result of that decision, last Nov. 28, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency adopted regulations requiring each state to implement the provisions of section 208 by November 1978.

Briefly, section 208 requires each state to implement detailed plans for water pollution control. According to the original interpretation of section 208, that was required only for areas with complex water quality problems-generally urban industrial areas. Those areas were designated by the governors of each state.

Former Gov. Wendell Ford designated Louisville and northern Kentucky as such areas. That was to take two years after grants were awarded by EPA. The northern Kentucky project should be finished in a year. The Louisville project should be complete in one-and-a-half to

Now, though, the state must also produce detailed plans and implementation procedures for the nondesignated areas of the state. To do that, the division of water quality in the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection is combining information from studies done by the division and other agencies.

State Idle Rate Up for January

Frankfort, Ky.-Kentucky's January jobless rate was 7.9 per cent, up from December's rate of 7.7 per cent, according to statistics released by the Department for Human Resources.

The nation's unadjusted jobless rate for January was 8.8 per cent.

"We're starting out with the highest first of the year unemployment since January, 1964," said Robert MacDonald, chief labor market analyst for Human Resources. At that time the jobless rate was 9.5 per cent.

When the recession had just begun affecting Kentucky last January, the unemployment rate was 7.2 per cent, said MacDonald.

This January's rate means that 117,000 Kentuckians are unemployed-an increase of 2,8000 since December, and an increase of 13,700 since last January.

MacDonald attributed most of January's increased unemployment to layoffs, particularly in construction, trade and service industries. The layoffs, in part due to seasonal factors, are for the most part caused by the present economic conditions, he said.

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Some of the information is coming from a comprehensive three-year water resource planning study being done of Lexington and Ashland by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Other information will be drawn from a study of the Kentucky River which is being done by the U.

S. Soil Conservation Service. Most of the information is coming from river basin studies which were completed last summer by private consulting firms under contract with the state division of water quality.

Division officials also plan to use a computer information system developed for the river basin studies.

According to William Forester, acting director of the division of water quality, EPA has not decided how detailed the plans for the nondesignated areas must be. "We're still finding out what level of detail we need." Forester said, "and coordinating with federal and local agencies so we won't duplicate what is already being done.

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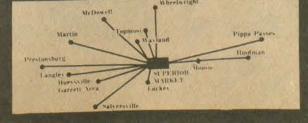
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Greg Wells, president of the Prestonsburg Community College Chess Society, presents the second place team plaque to the Allen Central High School chess team. Team members are, from left, Phillip Flannery, Richie Salisbury and Tommy Thompson.

Prestonsburg Community College was the scene Jan. 30 of the finest chess competition for high school students ever held in the Big Sandy area.

Represented were chess teams from Russell High School, Knott County Central High School, Allen Central High School, Wheelwright High School, Prestonsburg High School, Pikeville High School, and Belfry High School. The tournament was sponsored by the Prestonsburg Community College Chess Society. Greg Wells, a sophomore from Prestonsburg, is the president of the organization and Prof. John D. Sammons is the faculty sponsor.

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Four members of the Jenny Wiley Council of the International Reading Association will be participants at the fourth Southeast Regional Conference of the International Reading Association in Jacksonville, Florida, February 18-21.

The group will exhibit teacher-made materials at the Jacksonville Civic Auditorium Exhibition Hall, February 20. Later in the afternoon, they will join with other distinguished teachers at the Robert Meyer Hotel to answer questions and for a discussion period with conference attendees.

The Floyd county group will also be viewing an innovative program from Tallahassee and attending sessions on the teaching of reading. The conference theme for this year is, "Read To Learn: Live: Lead"

Teachers representing the Jenny Wiley Council are Bertha Ratliff, McDowell; Lexie Allen, Maytown; Nadine Hicks and Delphia Hicks, both from Clark Elementary. All are remedial reading teachers in their respective schools.

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Mrs. Walter Reid were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stephenson, of Ashtabula, Ohio. Sympathy is extended to the families of Mrs. Mary Henson, Mrs. Maggie Yates, and Walker Derossett who have passed away within the past few days.

The Feb. 2 meeting of the WMC of the First Assembly of God Church was held at the home of Mrs. Stella Stumbo. Business was conducted and refreshments were served to Mrs. Jan Gildy, Mrs. Frona Rowe, Miss Virginia Skeans, Mrs. Alva Davis, Mrs. Nora Martin, Miss Rebecca Roberts, Mrs. Annette Vannucci, Mrs. Stella Stumbo, Mrs. Naomi Reid, Mrs. Stella Griffith, Mrs. Mary

A double elimination bracket system of

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dividual and team winners. The in-

dividual winners were: Tim Lemaster, Russell High School, first place,

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Pikeville High School, third place, \$25

School, first; Allen Central High School, second, and Knott Central High School,

third. Each of these three teams received a plaque reflective of the position in

which they finished the tournament.

MARTIN NEWS

Due to Willie Holts' illness and ex-

tended stay at the U.K. Medical Center, Lexington, through the holidays, the Holt

family finally were able to enjoy a

belated Christmas dinner together on Feb. 8. Family members present were

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Holt, of Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burchett and daughters, Anglia and

Renee, of Ashland, Mrs. Holt's mother and sister, Mrs. Dorcus Lafferty and

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The team winners were Russell High

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Phillip Jenkins was a business visitor in Lexington this week.

John Lee Hunter is a patient at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

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QUESTION: My wife and I had a joint income of \$17,000 last year. Our deductions including contributions, interest, taxes and medical expenses, totaled \$2,250. Would it

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ANSWER: Since the standard deduction in your case would be \$2,600 it would be to your advantage to itemize your deductions only if they exceed that amount. However, since you already have \$2,250 it may benefit you to have your deductions reviewed by a competent tax preparer to see if you might have any additional items such as educational and child care expenses, union dues, alimony, tax return preparation fee, or income production expenses. Then if you total deductions exceeds \$2,600, it would be to your advantage to itemize.

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Accepts District Forestry Award



Lee Akers, (right), of Grethel, is shown accepting the Tom Wallace Forestry Award plaque from David Johnson, forester with the Kentucky Division of Forestry office on the Middle

Mr. Akers received the Eastern future was also recommended. District Tom Wallace Forestry Award in recognition of outstanding forest management practices.

The Tom Wallace Forestry contest is an annual event sponsored by the Louisville Courier-Journal. Private forestland owners throughout Kentucky and southern Indiana are nominated by professional foresters who have assisted the landowners in planning and carrying out proper forest management practices on their woodland areas. David Johnson, prepared a forest management plan for Mr. Akers which included timberstand improvement on three acres of shortleaf pine which had been planted previously. Pruning of young black walnut to produce higher quality lumber in the

Mr. Akers carried out these forestry practices under the Forestry Incentive Program which provides cost-sharing of 75 percent of the cost of getting the work done up to \$35 per acre for timberstand improvement. With cost-share incentives and landowners such as Mr. Akers who realize the multiple benefits gained by sound forest management practices, a better natural environment can be attained for the enjoyment of all, a Forestry Division spokesman said.

'Not only can better quality and faster growing timber be produced, but proper forest management also provides watershed protection, food and cover for wildlife, and suitable outdoor recreation

EPA Issues Recall

The U.S. Environmental Protection

Agency has issued a recall of Cythion

5EC Insecticide—The Premium Grade

Malathion, which is manufactured by

Coastal Chemical Corp. of Greenville,

North Carolina. All lots of the product coded "L430702" are included in the

According to EPA, the sample product

coded "L430702" was tested and found to

be contaminated with Chlordane. EPA

said the use of this adulterated product

may cause illegal residues of Chlordane

in wheat, oats, rice, rye, barley, grass,

livestock and poultry. There is no

tolerance for Chlordane on those com-

According to the pesticide control

agency within the Kentucky Department

for Natural Resources and En-

vironmental Protection, the recalled

product is not registered for sale in

Kentucky. However, anyone who has

purchased it from another state and

brought it into Kentucky should return it

Mrs. Helena Johnson, of Prestonsburg,

has been named chairman of the 1976

Easter Seal Campaign for Floyd county,

according to Bert Combs, Louisville,

The annual appeal will begin March 1

Contributions to the annual campaign

and continue through Easter Sunday,

will be used by the Kentucky Easter Seal

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Of Insecticide

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION **BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS** NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Bureau of Highways, at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky until 10:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time on the 26 day of February, 1976, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

BDR Group 5 (1976):

Floyd Co., MP 036-0114-B0020-The Prestonsburg-Salyersville Road (KY 114). Repairs to Deck of Bridge over Middle Creek, 1.799 miles west of US 23 in Prestonsburg.

Floyd Co., MP 036-0114-B0019-The Prestonsburg-Salyersville Road (KY 114). Repairs to Deck of Bridge over C & O Railroad, 1.977 miles west of US 23 in Prestonsburg.

The Bureau of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity vitation, and will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color or national origin in consideration for an

Bid Proposals for all projects will be available until 9:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time, Thursday, at the vision of Contract Procurement. Bid oposals for all projects will be ilable at a cost of \$2 each and ittance payable to State Treasurer of

ntucky must accompany request for oposals. (NON REFUNDABLE) BID ROPOSALS ARE ISSUED ONLY TO PREQUALIFIED contractors

Specimen Proposals for all projects will be available to all interested parties at a cost of \$2 each (NON REFUN-DABLE). Specimen Proposals cannot be used for bidding.

Summertime Work Seen For Youth Conservation Corps

Young Kentuckians interested in recently granted it permanent status. conserving the state's natural environment may have an opportunity to do so this summer through the Youth Conservation Corps (YCC)

Secretary C. Leslie Dawson of the Department for Human Resources (DHR) said his department, on the request of Gov. Julian Carroll, has applied for a federal grant of over \$445,000 to operate the YCC program statewide this summer.

Funded jointly by the U.S. Departments of the Interior and Agriculture, the program aims at developing an interest in the conservation of natural resources while providing gainful employment for young men and women between the ages of 15 and 18.

Workers spend six hours of each work day in beautification or conservation work and the remaining two hours in environmental education classes. All are paid the minimum wage.

'The hope of the program is to develop an appreciation and understanding of our nation's beauty and heritage while providing a means of earning income during the summer months," Dawson

The program has operated on a pilot basis nationally since 1970 and Congress

The success of the 19 YCC projects in Kentucky last summer has drawn 55 applicants this year. Dawson said, "We are anticipating approval of our requests

for these funds since we have had good performance ratings in our previous projects.'

RETURNS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Bates have returned to New Jersey after a seven-day trip to Frankfort, Mr. Bates is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bates, of Bevinsville.

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Truck Business

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TOTAL RECEIPTS - 1975 TOTAL - On hand * 1975 Receipts

Fines from Police Judge

Penalties Vehicle Stickers

Fire Dept. Donation

LESS DISBURSEMENTS:

Salaries

Licenses:

Med Board Reviews Drivers' Illnesses

Frankfort, Ky.-The young woman needed her car, "I don't have any other way to get around," she said, a note of panic edging in her voice.

Clutched in her hand was a letter from the state's driver licensing division stating that the Kentucky Medical

Review Board-"Who are they?", she wanted to know-had been asked for a recommendation as to whether she would be allowed to continue driving. Only a few weeks earlier, a routine

physical examination had revealed that she had diabetes. The diagnosis was serious. A prescription for daily dosages of an oral medication had been ordered. But that, she already knew.

What she hadn't known-until receiving the letter-was that the diagnosis also brought her to the attention of driver licensing officials in the Kentucky Department of Transportation who are charged with administering a relatively little-known program called Driver Limitation.

Created more than 10 years ago, the

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program was established to help the state identify drivers and applicants for drivers licenses, with mental or physical infirmities that might dangerously impair their ability to operate a motor vehicle safely

The case of the young woman cited above illustrates much of the public misunderstanding which still surrounds both the program and the laws that created it, say State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts and his driver licensing director, Eugene Hodges.

"Many people still jump to the conclusion that their license is about to be taken away from them," said Roberts, "when, in truth, only about 15 per cent of the 40 or so cases reviewed monthly ever result in actual revocation.'

"For example," said Hodges, "nearly everyone is familiar with the requirement that drivers with less than normal vision must wear corrective glasses or contact lenses when driving an automobile. They also are familiar with the fact that restrictions must be entered on the reverse side of the person's driver's license.

'The misunderstanding sets in, along with the fear that the license is in jeopardy, when it is determined that a driver suffers from some of the more serious maladies, such as the onset of diabetes in the case of our young lady driver," Hodges explained.

Diabetes and epilepsy account for the vast majority of the cases referred to the driver limitation program. Other maladies include stroke and heart cases, and sight and hearing problems.

And that's where the medical review board enters the picture.

Made up of a panel of medical specialists and general practioners appointed by Dr. William P. McElwain, commissioner of the state's Bureau for Health Services, the board meets once a month at Frankfort to review each case referred to Hodges' office for a licensing determination.

'Safety is our criterion," said Hodges, 'but we are not doctors, and the guidance given us by the review board is absolutely essential if we are to reach the right decision in each ase.'

The law establishing the review board guarantees complete privacy to its deliberations and confidentially for the records under review.

Generally, the board may recommend either revocation or restriction of certain driving activites. Sometimes, however, the law decides the case for

Revocation is mandatory where a motorist has actually suffered a blackout or seizure, Hodges said. However, the license may later be restored if the driver has no seizure or blackout for one

Many diabetics and epileptics are driving legally in Kentucky right now, said Hodges, because they haven't suffered any seizures or blackouts within the past 12 months and are taking a medication which keeps their infirmity under good control.

In some cases, cooperation is so complete that epileptic patients themselves have reported their seizures and accepted the revocations. Once the license is restored, the person's on-going records from a physician are reevaluated on a regular basis by the review board.

The licensing division also receives frequent requrests from concerned relatives to revoke or restrict the driving provileges od elderly family members. However, Hodges said, "we do not discriminate on the basis of age. A specific medical condition must be cited since approaching old age does not automatically mean a lessening of driving skills.'

He added that all such communications must be in writing and are kept confidential.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN MEET

\$ 7,598.31

The Floyd County Democratic Women's Club met February 11 at May Lodge. Mrs. Fay Patton, president, opened the business meeting.

Senator Wendell Ford spoke briefly to the club, before returning to the Floyd County Courthouse where he was available to all citizens, fulfilling his promise by bringing government to the people.

Mrs. Patton introduced her scholarship committee for a special report. Next meeting will be held March 10 at noon at May Lodge.

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Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Bevins, of Hatfield, are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Debbie, to Larry Laferty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Laferty of Martin.

Miss Bevins is a member of the 1976 graduating class of Belfry High School where she has participated in many school activities.

Mr. Lafferty is a 1972 graduate of Martin High School and has completed two years at Prestonsburg Community College. He is presently employed with Maloney Enterprises with the position of assistant store manager at Prestons-

Wedding plans are incomplete at this

HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Maytown Homemakers Club met in the school lunch room for their monthly meeting. The meeting was opened by the president, Helen Boyd. Alda Gibson gave the devotional, titled, "A Friend." The lessons for the coming club year were discussed and 13 members paid their dues. Two lessons were given, as the January meeting was cancelled due to snow. Betty May gave the lesson on sewing sweater knits. The lesson on patchwork was given by Alice Hayes. Many articles of patchwork were shown. Hostesses were Gertrude Webb, Carolyn Moore and Pearl Ellis. Refreshments were served to Sandy Lowe, Alda Gibson, Minnie Gearheart, Betty May, Gloria Allen, Emma Collins, Carolyn Moore, Pearl Ellis, Thelma Hicks, Helen Boyd, Gertrude Webb, Alice Hayes, Imalee Spillman, Karen Moore and Francis

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Home consists of 6 rooms and bath on large lot. Three bedrooms, living room, kitchen and dining room as one. Kitchen built in. Utility room. Interior of residence part panelled; balance of residence is drywalled and painted walls and ceiling. Wall-to-wall carpet in living room and one bedroom. Balance of rooms is covered with linolum rug. Residence has alumnum siding on outside. Carport, concrete floor with aluminum overhead. Concrete drive from blacktop to carport. Underpinned with cobble stone. Gas furnace heat and cook with gas. City water; home owned sewage system. There is on this property a one room residence now being occupied, adjacent to the home. This property is served by TV service, and all modern conveniences.

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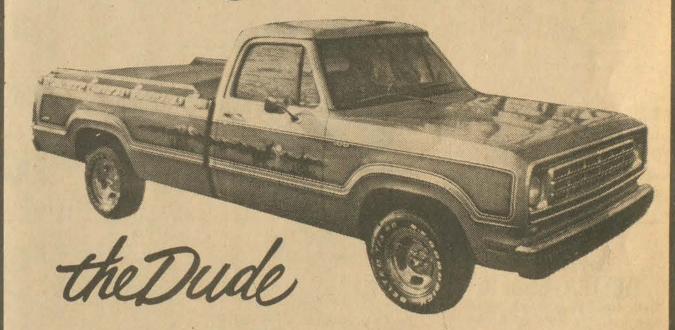
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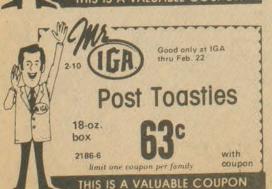


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