Two-Front

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Move Seen

Hannond Predicts

Severance 'Package'

To Win in Assembly

State Senator Jim Hammond said here

Monday that Governor Carroll's coal

severance tax "package" will get action

on two fronts this week, with a House

committee acting on the tax portion of

the legislation and a Senate committee

taking action on the portion which in-

cludes allocations of severance funds and

construction of a new KY 80-all this

designed to hasten the program to a floor

vote by Friday of this week, or next

Representative James "Jitter" Allen

expressed confidence that Gov. Carroll's

program will win approval of both the

Tax legislation must under the con-

stitution originate in the House, and the

proposed .5 per cent increase of the

severance tax to 41/2 per cent must have

its three House readings prior to a vote.

The House budget bill was reported out of

committee last Thursday, went to the

floor for its second reading and will be

referred again to committee early this

Senator Hammond predicted that the .5

per cent increase of the severance tax

and the per-ton increase from 30 cents to

50 cents will be reported out this week by

the Appropriations and Revenue Com-

mittee of the House. The next step would

be the final third reading of the bill and

To expedite movement of the

severance tax and the governor's

program "package" through the General

Assembly, Hammond said, Senate Bill

142, co-sponsored by him and Senator

Kelsey Friend, of Pikeville, will be

(See Story No. 5, Page 4)

Because Magistrate Dewey Roberts

who presided at the fiscal court meeting

Monday morning in the absence of

County Judge Henry Stumbo insisted

that the matter await Judge Stumbo's

return, the proposed action on possible

purchase by the county of Floyd County

It was Judge Stumbo's vote against

purchase at an earlier meeting, with

Roberts' "No" vote that prevented

Adrian Lafferty, president of Floyd

Sanitation, voluntarily reduced the price

he originally set on the solid waste

collection franchise and his company's

to buy the sanitation service and the

attendant publicity had damaged his

firm, leaving employees in doubt as to

their future employment. He insisted the

matter should be settled, one way or

County Attorney Harold J. Stumbo

pointed out that the county does not have

funds budgeted for the purchase and that

if a purchase is made it will involve a

revision of the budget and its approval by

The court adjourned without any of-

Mrs. Hayes Will Be

KET Panel Member

On Mar. 8 Program

Mrs. Irene Hayes, of Hueysville,

compiler-publisher of the nationally

known cookbook, "What's Cooking in

Kentucky," will appear on Com-

monwealth Call-In, Kentucky Edu-

cational Television (KET) program,

Monday, March 8, between 9 and 10 p.m.

Kentucky foods will, in addition to Mrs.

Hayes, be composed of Richard Hougen,

of Berea, Elizabeth Cramer, of

Shakertown, and Fudge Maruyama,

University of Kentucky nutritionist. Mrs.

Hayes, Mr. Hougen and Mrs. Cramer will

present food displays as a part of the

includes favorite recipes of Kentucky

women, was first published in 1964, and

its sales to every state in the Union and

several foreign countries now total more

The Floyd county panel member has

appeared on Huntington, W. Va., Louis-

ville and Lexington television, in some of

the programs showing the actual

preparation of foods from recipes in her

cookbook. In addition to her work with

the cookbook and her church and civic

activities, Mrs. Hayes is postmaster at

than 75,000.

Hueysville.

"What's Cooking in Kentucky," which

The panel presenting the program on

the state local finance officer.

Mr. Lafferty said the move by the court

purchase of the system for \$315,000.

Sanitation, Inc. was postponed.

equipment by \$100,000.

another.

ficial action.

Court Action

Awaits Judge

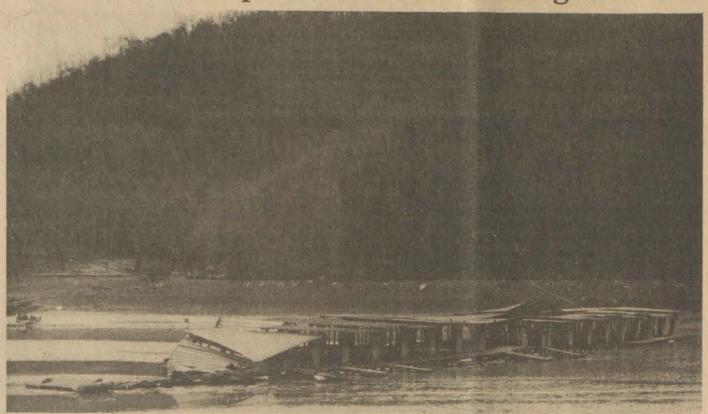
Senate and House.

the House vote.

Senator Hammond and

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Wind-Swept Metal Docks Damaged



Heavy rainfall last week raised the level of Dewey Lake a few feet from the near creek channel level at which it has been held all winter and allowed high winds to blow the metal-covered docks anchored at the mouth of Brandy Keg Cove a quarter-mile down the lake and deposit them on a broad mud flat. Considerable damage was sustained by the docks and it is not yet known if they will be replaced. Jenny Wiley State Park Superintendent Lowell Baker said officials were meeting this week in Frankfort to decide the course which work on the boat dock and dredging of Brandy Keg Cove will take.

Jones Case Back For Future Trial

Court House Happenings

Vernon R. Hall vs. James Rigney Willie Little vs. Marvin Little. Lonnie L Starnes vs. Colson Couch. Debra Gunnell Blackburn vs. John Henry Blackburn. Wayne Ratliff, et al vs. Cora Webb Music, et al. Lola R. Ousley, Gdn. vs. Samuel W. Ousley. Louise Hunter Moore vs. Sherman Moore. Beulah Mae Stephens Leckrone vs. John Eugene Leckrone. Jennie Ratliff vs. Harold Meek. John G. Goble, d.b.a. vs. Linzie Hale. Purvis Riley vs. Barbara A. Riley. Jim Gillum vs. Eastern Ky. Mack, Inc., et al. Rebel Hackworth vs. Glenda Sanders Hackworth. Della Oakes vs. Amy Sue Zemo. Robert L. Newsome, et al vs. Mack Maynard, et al. Shirley Hall vs. Palmer Hall. Italy Spears vs. Nannie Spears. Oliver Credit Corp. vs. Verdis Ousley. Pearl N. Booth vs. Phillip Gene

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Kirk Van Wells, 25, and Carol Ann Geiser, 26, both of Harold. James Troy Parnell, Jr., 27, and Sandra Halfhill, 22,

Opinion Holds Judge May Not **Reduce Charge**

Kentucky's Supreme Court in an unanimous per curiam opinion made permanent last Friday the temporary writ of prohibition blocking the attempted reduction by Special Judge Ralph Walter, of West Liberty, of the charge against Eddie Jones in two Floyd county slayings.

The case presumably will be returned to the Floyd circuit court for trial. Jones was named in murder indictments which charged him with the slayings in 1972 of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence Conley at Garrett and James Clayton Conley a Wayland. The accessory charge against Agnel Jones, father of Eddie, was dismissed on motion of the Commonwealth on the grounds that evidence was insufficient to convict.

Judge Walter's decision to reduce the charge against Eddie Jones to manslaughter, accept a plea of guilty and sentence the defendant to a five-year probated pen term never became official because Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen and County Attorney Harold W. Stumbo, special prosecutor in the case, procured from the Supreme

Court a temporary writ of prohibition In granting the permanent ban against reduction of the charge, the court wrote:

"The basis for our opinion that without consent of the Commonwealth a trial court may not before a trial amend or reduce to a lower degree the charge brought against a defendant is that it is not the prerogative of a court to choose what the accusation will be. Only after the evidence is in does the court have a comparable function, which comes in the form of determining what the instructions to the jury will be, and that determination must be made according

See Story No. 4, Page 2)

Protests Are Heard at Meeting To Organize Health Agency

The organizational meeting of the East Kentucky Health Systems Agency had barely begun in Lexington last Thursday night than those gathered there to name a governing board for the agency heard protests from a group which apparently is seeking better representation on the

The protest group of more than 100 was said to have included members of the Floyd County Citizens Association, the Kentucky Black Lung Association, the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund, the United Mine Workers of America and the Knox County Economic Opportunity Council.

A nurse, Betty Brown, speaking for the Knox county group, said the purpose of her group was to win representation on the 30-member governing board-that, or to see that the agency is not designated the official planning agency for the 68 Eastern Kentucky counties included in the area it is designed to serve.

who was elected president of the governing board, commented that he could understand why the protesters thought they had been "railroaded," pointing to a lack of effective communication. He expressed the hope that future sub-area groups will use as much democracy as possible in forming the local organization Seventeen members of the governing

Dr. C. M. Dupier, Jr., of Williamsburg,

board as it now stands are health service "consumers," and 13 are "providers." Each Area Development District (ADD) seats one member for every 47,000 population, and as a consequence the Bluegrass ADD, which includes the Lexington area, has 10 of the 30 members. Big Sandy ADD has three members; FIVCO, three; Kentucky River, Cumberland Valley and Lake Cumberland, four each, and Buffalo Trace, Gateway and Northern Kentucky, one each. Northern Kentucky's representation is low, despite its heavy population, bedause three of its counties. Boone, Kenton and Campbell, are in the Cincinnati district.

The Big Sandy district's three members are Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Jr., director of Prestonsburg Community College, elected for two years; Dr. Mary Paulene Fox, Pike county health officer, for three years, and Michael Adams, of Salyersville, for one year. Dr. Campbell was named to the executive committee, and Dr. Fox to the agency's by-laws and procedure committee.

Some of the protest, it was said. stemmed from the fact that easternmost counties of the area, which claim to have the greatest need of health services, have (See Story No. 3, Page 4)

Hospital, 3 Doctors Defendants in Suit Seeking \$1 Million

A million-dollar malpractice suit was filed in circuit court here Feb. 17 by a Floyd county woman who contends that 'reckless, careless and negligent' diagnosis and treatment following her injury in an auto wreck at Orkney in February, 1975 kept her unaware for several months that she had sustained a skull fracture.

The plaintiff, Audrey Newsome, names as defendants the McDowell Appalchian Regional Hospital and three of its doctors, Carlos Mereno, H. O. Uddok and Jose Cordero.

Mrs. Newsome asks \$500,000 for physical pain and mental anguish and the same amount for doctor, hospital, nursing, drug and medical bills already incurred and to be incurred in the future. Her husband, Darling Newsome, seeks to recover \$50,000 for loss of consortium.

Cleanup Job Leaves David Only 39 Projects To Go

Barely more than a week ago the David Community Improvement Council was organized, and by Saturday morning, a community clean-up, the first of some 40 projects planned by the group,

The community improvement group was formed last Tuesday night, to be exact, one week after members of the David community viewed a slide presentation given by Bill Bridges, a community development expert from the University of Kentucky whom the community had contacted for help. The slides showed the results of a clean-up project in another coal camp town similar to David.

The David clean-up was initiated Saturday morning when about 40 people turned out to clean up a large lot on David's main street where two houses had once stood. Older residents of David, young people, members of St. Vincent's Mission, all pitched in to pick up trash, cut down trees and clear the land.

The state also helped out and within one day of hearing about the planned project, special garbage bags with the state bicentennial seal were delivered to the town. The improvement council also learned through the state of a Bicentennial Keep American Beautiful program which provides help for just such community projects.

Saturday was only the beginning of the clean-up and Betty Davis, executive director of the David Community Development Corporation, said, "So many places need cleaning up, it was hard to know where to start.' Two main goals of the improvement

group are better traffic control in David and beautification of the city. A heavy flow of coal trucks through David cause problems but town residents do not hesitate to call coal companies whenever they feel a truck is in violation of the law. particularly when they feel the traffic is endangering the children who attend the day care center located near the coal tipple. Complaints about mud on the road near the tipple has resulted in regular scraping of the road by the coal company. Traffic signs for the town have been ordered to aid in slowing down the trucks as well as other traffic and the group plans to paint double "no passing" lines on the straight stretches of road through David. Then the problem, of course, is en-

forcement," Mrs. Davis said.

The people of David are not content to sit by and allow the once-thriving coal town die with the passing of the "big coal" in the area. As Rue Hager said, "What we'd like is to see David like it used to be."

(See photos of Saturday's clean-up elsewhere in paper.)

Red Cross Sets 46th Fund Drive

March is Red Cross Month and Floyd countians will be asked to contribute as generously as possible to the organization which has many times aided residents during times of personal tragedy and natural disaster.

This is the Red Cross' 46th annual fund drive, and Floyd county's quota is set at \$5,500 with \$500 asked for victims of the Guatemalan earthquake.

David D. Allen, of Prestonsburg, is chairman for the county this year, and E. B. May, Jr., heads the special gifts drive. Funds will be sought through letters, special campaigns and door-to-door

The following have been named community chairmen:

Mrs. Golda Boyd, Betsy Layne and Harold; Mrs. Orville Stephens, Hi Hat; Prestonsburg; Elizabeth Howard, Dwale; Mrs. Bonita Stumbo, Branham Village; Mrs. Lillie Price, David; and Mrs. Ora Reynolds, Auxier.

Other community chairmen will be

Miss Ella Noel C. White, executive secretary, Floyd County Chapter, American Red Cross, who has served the organization for many years, said this week, "We failed to reach our goal last year, but if everyone who is able to would contribute just \$1 we could and would achieve the goal set for us. It doesn't seem much if you remember all the times the Red Cross has helped us."

P'burg Men Buy **Cemetery Tract**

Three Prestonsburg men this week purchased from the state of Kentucky 8.1 acres of land in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel which the state had acquired in settlement of litigation involving right-of-way through the cemetery for new US 23.

The purchasers, Paul Phillip Hughes, John F. Brown and Harry Burke, were high bidders for the property with a bid of \$33,100. They assumed control of the property, Tuesday, and announced that a fulltime manager would be employed to restore the cemetery to its original high standards and provide continuing care of the property

The right-of-way acquisition for the highway resulted in a lawsuit. Meanwhile, the state had placed in escrow the amount at which the land had been appraised. When the case was heard in circuit court and the landowner was awarded a judgment far below the appraisal figure, it was discovered that the acreage had been sold and that the new owner, who later had died, had claimed the money left in escrow at a Prestonsburg bank. The state then claimed the

Harold Man Fined In Possession Case

Earl Damron, of Harold, was convicted in Magistrate Dewey Roberts' court, February 18, on a charge of possessing alcoholic beverages in dry territory for the purpose of sale. He was fined \$50, plus \$14 costs, and was required to execute cash peace bond of \$250 not violate liquor laws in Floyd county or state for six

This Town...That World

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

The crocuses are up, the peepers are in full cry, hope is eternal and Spring is just around the corner . . . Ever sit on a chilly evening and listen to the peepers till the chorus becomes ragged, then thins out till only two or three hardy souls still give tongue and finally you're listening to a strange silence?

The latest report from Sassafras Corners tells of the two old codgers who were yakking away via telephone when one held up the proceedings to inquire: 'Tell me, Joe, is that your false teeth clackin', or my ears poppin', or is it this derned tellyphone?

LOOKING AHEAD

This item has no connection whatsoever with the foregoing. Watt Hale called today to report that he was "stirring" but had an idea neither he nor

(See Story No. 2, Page 4)

A lot of people either have never heard of the Mud Creek Health Project at Craynor or, else, they are aware only that "they had some kind of a thing going on up there." What many don't realize is that for the past three years a clinic there, established primarily through the efforts of local residents, has provided quality health services to one of the more remote sections of Floyd county.

Last Friday, as a matter of fact, was the official third anniversary of the original clinic started in Feb., 1973 in a small house on the Tinker Fork of Big Mud Creek.

The need for the founding of that first clinic became apparent during the summer of 1972 when a group of medical students from the University of Kentucky, along with Drs. James Squire and Ellie Graham, representatives of the Medical Committee for Human Rights (MCHR), came to the Mud Creek area as part of the university's summer health program. During the summer program local young people were trained to do door-to-door health screening and to identify health problems and needs.

Eula Hall, key figure in the clinic's success and one of two persons in the nation who were awarded presidential citations for work in the health field in 1975, said, "We found conditions so bad that we realized we had to have some care." At that time, Mrs. Hall reported, 90 per cent of dug wells on Mud Creek were found to be contaminated.

residents started having bake sales and securing "bits and pieces" of donated equipment. Money was borrowed from the Kentucky Welfare Rights organization, and the now-defunct Appalachian Volunteers group gave a donation of \$1,300 for the clinic. Drs. Squire and Graham agreed to do volunteer work at the Mud Creek Clinic two days a week for a year while maintaining a private pediatric clinic the remainder of the week at Martin.

"Third party payments such as Medicaid and Medicare and the United Mine Workers supported the clinic,' Mrs. Hall said, "and after about a year these funds allowed us to put our doctors on a salary." (See Story No. 1, Page 4)



Pictured receiving inhalation therapy at the Mud Creek Clinic are, left to right, James McKinney, of Toler Creek, Willie Tackett, of Grethel, and Sally Stephens, of Toler Creek.

Mud Creek Health Project Begins 4th Year of Service

It was then that a group of Mud Creek

Miss Coleman-Mr. Hall Wed



-Photo by Strahan-Nelson

A Christmas season ceremony united in marriage Miss Connie Elizabeth Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Audra G. Coleman of Coal Run Villiage. Pikeville, and Dan E. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Hall, of Stanville.

The impressive double-ring candlelight ceremony was solemnized Tuesday, December 23, at 6:30 in the evening at the Immanuel Baptist Mission, with the Rev. Jack Stephens, pastor of the church, officiating.

The altar, centered with a white linencovered table, was flanked with spiral candelabra which were entwined with English ivy. White mums, pine sprays and holly adorned the altar.

A program of traditional nuptial music was provided by pianist, Miss Beverly Jo Justice, who also accompanied vocalist, Miss Paula Compton, who sang several selections. Miss Sherri Smith accompanied Miss Justice at the organ in the impressive processional and recessional wedding marches.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father. She wore a floorlength gown of imported peau de soie, featuring a Victorian neckline, fitted bodice and long, tapered sleeves of Chantilly lace and seed pearls. Her cathedral length train was also of chantilly lace and seed pearls. Her fingertip veil of illusion was secured to a pearl accented headpiece. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses and gardenias accented with pink rosebuds and long satin streamers.

Miss Tami Coleman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a floorlength forest green velvet dress styled with an empire waist and cape sleeves. Her headpiece was of matching velvet with an organza veil. She carried a colonial bouquet of red carnations and baby's breath with long green velvet streamers

The bridesmaids were the Misses Sabrina Draughn, Deannie Newsome and Mrs. Teresa Ritchie. They wore mint green dresses styled identically to that of the maid of honor. The little Misses Angel Justice and Alisha Tackett served as flower girls. Their dresses were miniatures of the honor attendants.

Miss Pamela Coleman, cousin of the bride, presided at the guest register.

Mike Phillips, of Manchester, Ohio, served as Mr. Hall's best man, and ushers included David Spradlin, Tim Blackburn, and Ralph Bryant. Junior ushers were Chris Coleman, brother of the bride, and Gary Newsome, cousin of the groom. Ringbearer was Master David Spradlin. Tim Blackburn and Ralph Bryant served as taper lighters.

The mother of the bride attended her daughter's wedding in a floor-length dress of green organza. Her accessories were silver. The groom's mother was dressed in a lime green floor-length dress. Both wore shoulder corsages of white orchids.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the social hall of the church. The bride's table was covered with a white linen cloth and was centered with the four-tiered wedding cake decorated with pink roses and silver wedding bells. The cake was topped with the traditional bride and groom figurines. The entire hall carried out the Christmas colors of red and green with red candles, holly and pine sprays accenting the windows.

The wedding was under the direction of Mrs. Daniel H. Stamper. Assisting Mrs. Stamper at the reception were Mrs. Robert Childers and Mrs. Curtis Wallace, cousins of the bride. Other assistants were Mrs. Charles E. Lowe, Mrs. Paul Compton and Mrs. Billy Joe Justice.

For the wedding trip, the bride wore a black velvet ensemble accented with

The newlyweds are presently residing in Huntington, W. Va., where Mr. Hall is attending Marshall University.

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Welfare Jones

By GEORGE L. MOORE

One of the rewarding things that has come to me as a result of serving for a long period of time as a high school principal is the contact that I have kept with the graduates down through the years. Scarcely a week goes by that I do

not hear from one of them. About two weeks ago I received a letter from a former graduate who told me a story about a man named Jones. His first name was Looie but all the people of the valley called him Welfare Jones. The name seemed quite appropriate as his next door neighbor said of him, "All he knows how to do is to have younguns and draw welfare."

As formal education goes, Welfare Jones had scarcely been exposed to it. However, there was one subject about which he was well informed. He knew all the rules and regulations relating to welfare and, in addition, he made up some of his own.

Welfare Jones had always lived from hand to mouth with the wolf of starvation lingering on his doorsteps. Before the advent of welfare, he had to struggle to scratch out a meager living from the steep hillsides. In his own way he had a deep religious faith. He would often say, 'My faith in the Almighty will sustain me." He was twice married. His first wife died of natural causes. The second spouse he took as his bride was 26 years his junior.

Some people of the valley would say, 'She has lost some of her marbles." This probably accounted for the fact that not even her closest neighbors were ever inside her house. Her husband would say that he had to keep her busy. For the most part he had to re-do all the things that she did. She never volunteered for any work but when a task was assigned to her, she did it in her own peculiar way. For example, when preparing pinto beans for canning, she washed each individual bean separately. Her hands were clean from having them much in the water, but above the wrist there were several layers of dirt that had never been

She was the mother of four children by Welfare Jones, two boys and two girls, each of whom had some physical or mental impairment. The oldest boy, Ezra, was 16 and the most vocal of the group. He criticized the rest of the family for being so dumb. His most prized possession was a twist of King B chewing tobacco which he carried in the bib pocket of his oversized overalls.

One of the girls married one of her own kind. He met the approval of her father because he was eligible for welfare. His pregnant wife was soon to have a baby which further enhanced his value to his father-in-law, as this would add one more to the welfare roll.

Welfare Jones had never darkened the school house door, and he was determined that his children should follow in his steps. He told the attendance officer.' I sent my children to that air school one day and they made fun of them. There ain't nobody goin to laugh at my vounguns '

One day, the wife was stricken with a heart attack and died suddenly. The undertaker performed a miracle on her in preparing her for burial. It is strange how people change their attitude when a death occurs in the family. All the neighbor women, who had never set foot in her house before began to show up with cakes, pies, boiled ham and other good things to eat. They all marveled at how well she looked. One woman said, "She is so neat and clean. Why, her feet are so clean that she could walk on them Golden Streets in glory.

The funeral was held in a little church, just above the narrow, mountain road. The voice of the minister could scarcely be heard above the roar of the big coal trucks as they rambled down the valley.

Nat'l Guard Said 'Best Parttime Job'

Prestonsburg's unit of the Kentucky Army National Guard is participating in an intensive state-wide recruiting campaign, according to Lieutenant Roy E. Sturgill, commander of Detachment 1, Company B, 149th Mechanized Infantry.

The campaign is designed to bring the Kentucky Army National Guard to the strength necessary to meet the needs of the citizens of the state. It will continue through February.

Sturgill, a resident of Pike County, said this is more than a normal recruiting

"Governor Carroll and Adjutant General Richard Frymire are squarely behind this program," he said. "I think everyone realizes that the National Guard gives Kentucky a valuable resource that no other organization can match. Whenever there's a problemwhether it's a flood, tornado, water problem, or civil disturbance-the National Guard is ready with trained manpower to help. We simply can't afford to get below a size that would offer that help.

Though Prestonsburg's strength is near 100 per cent, more people can be accepted to fill vacancies created by retirement, moves, or other changes, the officer said. He noted that the training program is good and the Guard provides an excellent second income.

"I think it's the best part-time job in the country," he said. "A Guardsman makes good money for spending only one week-end per month and two weeks in additional training per year. At the same time, he contributes substantially to the defense of the nation and the well being of

Anyone interested should contact Specialist 4 Becky Coldiron or Staff Sergeant James M. Ingram at the Armory in Prestonsburg

(Continued from Page One)

the law." Judge Walter's decision was made before the jury had been empanelled for trial of the Jones case.

to the sufficiency of the evidence under

Discussing, first of all, the question if the Commonwealth had adequate remedy by appeal, the court criticized The Floyd County Times, presumably for its editorial following Judge Walter's action. The court wrote that if the Commonwealth has this remedy, and if the judge was acting within the scope of his jurisdiction, "then of course the respondent (the judge) is entitled to be let alone, to exercise his power as he sees fit until he is through with the case, because if what he does is wrong it can be undone in due course and in the same manner applicable to any other case. Anyone with a rudimentary understanding of the administration of justice understands of course that if every action taken or about to be taken by a trial judge were made subject to dayto-day supervision by an appellate court the result would be chaos. We take the time here to recite this elementary principle not because we suspect that any of the parties to the case may not be aware of it, but because the exhibits before us suggest that the local press in Prestonsburg, Kentucky either is in the dark or, if not so benighted, prefers noise first and facts later.

The court added.

"It follows, of course, that the Commonwealth has an adequate remedy in this case and that prohibition is not strictly necessary. Nonetheless, as in Wiglesworth v. Wright, Ky. 269 SW 2d 263, 266 (1954), we recognize that the existence of an effective right of appeal under the circumstances has not been clear. Moreover, the record shows that the incident on which the indictment is based took place several years ago, and the interests of justice require that the matter be resolved without further delay. For these extraordinary reasons we think the petition for prohibition should be granted."

The court made these other points in its judgment:

1. While there was other remedy in law available to the commonwealth, both recent changes in criminal codes and existing law on double jeopardy are sufficient reason to accept the prohibition appeal.

2. Jeopardy doesn't attach in Kentucky until a jury has been sworn. (A footnote points out the new criminal code contemplates that jeopardy attaches when the first witness is sworn.)

3. Judge Walter's words in chambers were not written in court records, therefore subject to change of mind until placed in an order and signed. "The order of the trial court that is under attack here has not been signed, hence the guilty plea has not been officially accepted, In this status the defendant is free to withdraw it as the trial court is to accept or reject it.'

MARTIN COMMUNITY NEWS

Members of Mrs. Myrtle Moore's family who have been called home because of her critical illness are Mrs. Wanda Clay, of Gallopolis, Ohio, Mrs. Lenore Martinez, of Marion, Illinois, Mr. Freddy D. Crisp, of Hawaii, and Mrs. Rhea Jennings, of Morehead. Mrs. Moore is a patient in Our Lady of the Way

Mrs. Stella Justice has just returned from a month's visit in Mateland, Florida where she was a houseguest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Ratliff

Mrs. Ethel Frazier has been confined to her home with flu this week. Her sister, Mrs. Gardez Dingus filled in for her at her business, the Frazier Jewelry

Members of the Phoenix Pro Junior Basketball team are Mark McKinney. James Greer, Mike Crisp, Samuel Hughes, Stevie Jacobs, Robie Miller, Sammy Conn, Mike Parsons, and Randy Steele. Cheerleaders are Chanda Spencer, Dewana Tackett, Rita Crum, Shelia Salisbury, Judy Stone, Mona Crum, Diane Sexton, and Tammy Shepherd. Coaches are Terry Sizemore and Bide Click. The team is sponsored by Mrs. Eulene Ratliff and played two games on Feb. 14, winning both at the Martin gym.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sammons attended the ball game at the University of Kentucky, Saturday night.

Joe Hughes is convalescing at home after an extended stay in Highlands Regional Medical Center

The MYF of the Martin Methodist Church went to Salyersville Monday night to a district meeting. The MYF group there was in charge of the program whose main theme was "What think ye of Christ." A large crowd was present.

The Senior Citizens meeting at Archer Park this week featured a monthly birthday party for all members whose birthdays come in January or February. Birthday cake and punch were served to 55 members present. Those attending from Martin were Mrs. Anna Mae Spencer, Mrs Dorcus Lafferty, Miss Amanda Lafferty, Mrs. Lyda Hall and Miss Audilee Hall.

Mrs. Johnny Huffman and son, Mark, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pierce, of Albany, Kentucky, last week-end. Mrs. Myrtle Skeans has been a patient

in Highlands Regional Medical Center but is now at home and is feeling better. Mrs. Sara Derossett, Mrs. Elizabeth Flanery, Mrs. Josephine Robinson, Donald Ray Robinson and Mary

Elizabeth Click were in Jeffersonville, Indiana to visit Mrs. Derossett's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Derossett, this week. Mrs. Lee Derossett has been very ill. En route home this week-end, they stopped in Frankfort to visit Mrs. Derossett's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Weldon, and Mr. Weldon.

Mrs. Haskall Frye is a patient in Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

Mrs. Stella Justice and family were in

Ashland Saturday for the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Tommie Smith, who passed away at the Alemwood Nursing Home

Pastor Lorie Vannucci, L. B. Skeans and John Lemaster of the Martin Assembly of God Church were in Grayson last week to attend a Home Missions meeting at the Grayson

Mrs. Mary June Allen has been ill with flu at her home here this week.

Assembly of God Church.

Mrs. Juanita Roark was hostess at a birthday dinner, Feb. 14, for her husband, Fess Roark, at their home here. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Rector and daughter, Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Rector and sons, Tommy and Robby, Mrs. Ana Kay Akers and son, Billy Joe, Mrs. Susie Roark, of Morehead. Mr. Roark was presented with many nice gifts.

Rev. and Mrs. Boyd Reynolds and daughters, Patty and Jennifer, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fess Roark last Sunday. Phillip Jenkins was a business visitor

in Harlan and Ashland last week. Sympathy is extended to the family of

Martin Hammond, who passed away last Wednesday. Mrs. Lucy R. Smith was a guest of her

daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Garnett, of Huntington, W. Va. this week.

E. C. Slade is a patient in Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Maggard this week included Mr. and Mrs. Donald Simmons and daughter, Monica, Mrs. Rhonda Speer, Miss Carol Ann Tackett and Mrs Kathy Hinton, all of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ratcliff, of Morehead, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spencer, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hansford, of Elyria, Ohio.

Members of Martin First Baptist Church, Rev. and Mrs. Boyd Reynolds, daughters, Patty and Jennifer, Susie Roark and Pal Anderson opened a Baptist Mission in McDowell last Sunday. Seventeen were in attendance at the first Sunday school held there. Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Martin, of

Alexandria, Virginia, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ratliffe this week Susie Roark was home from Morehead

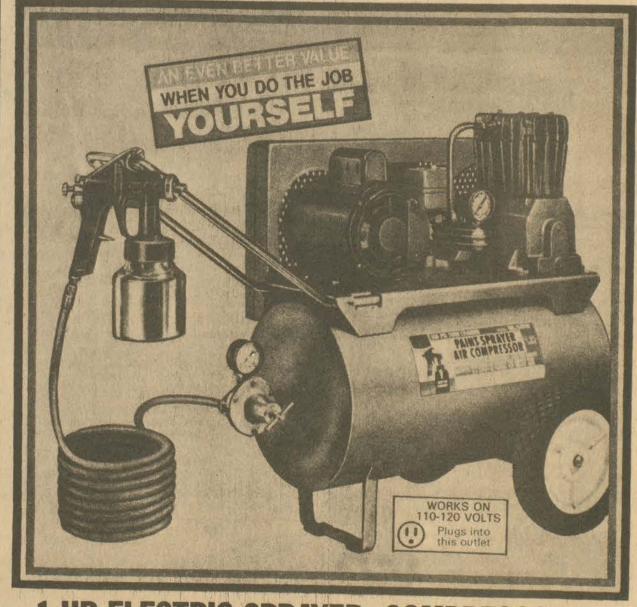
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fess Roark last week-end.

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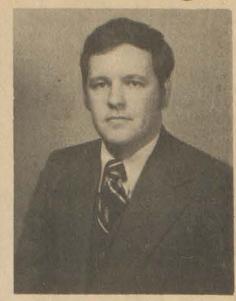


MR. WIMMER

Lexington, Ky.—George E. Evans, Jr., president of National Mines Corporation, announces the appointments of Robert A. Wimmer as vice president-sales, and Herman L. Mays as vice-president-administration.

Mr. Wimmer is a native of Tazewell, Va., where he attended public schools. He is married to the former Lavetta Dial, of Huntington, W. Va. After serving overseas during World War II he attended Marshall University, Huntington, and was graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor of science degree.

Wimmer comes to National Mines Corporation with a diverse background in coal sales and distribution. Most recently he was vice-president and director for South-East Coal Sales Company, Columbus, Ohio. His background also includes four years with Black Star Coal Corporation in Louis-ville, where he was general manager, and 10 years with Princess Coal Sales Company, Huntington, where he held the position of manager of traffic and domestic distribution.



MR. MAYS

Mr. Mays is a native of Logan, West Virginia. He is married to the former Janet Stapleton, also of Logan. Mr. Mays was graduated with honors from Virginia Polytechnic Institute with a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering.

For the past 18 months, Mr. Mays has held the position of assistant to the president of National Mines Corporation. He was previously affiliated with the Westmoreland Coal Company, Big Stone Gap, Virginia, as assistant chief electrical and mechanical engineer and prior to that held the position of sales manager of the new equipment division of the Elmac Corporation, Huntington, Virginia.

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five in Kentucky, and one in Arkansas.

The company is in the process of acquiring new coal properties and planning several new mines.

Clark Tells Disappointment In Carroll Budget Decision

Charles F. Clark, superintendent of Floyd county schools and chairman of the KEDR XI board of directors since the board was formed in 1972, said in an address at a regional supervisors' meeting here Friday that he is "very disappointed" in the governor's decision not to include educational development regions in his budget.

Terming regionalization "one of the most exciting things to happen in education," Mr. Clark said he was at a loss to understand why the governor looks with such favor on regionalization

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for economic development and programs such as crime prevention and not for education. He also said that he and others favoring the continuation of educational development regions had not given up on the possibility of having the regions reinstated in the budget.

Reo Johns, executive director of KEDR XI, welcomed participants to the meeting and introduced Mr. Clark and Dr. Sidney Simandle, director of the Division of Teacher Education and Certification, and Clovis Whittaker and Gordon Cook, instructional supervisors with the Department of Education. Mrs. Whittaker and Mr. Cook discusses proposed accreditation standards and changes in school operation that will arise if the standards become effective. Dr. Simandle discussed the improvement of professional performance and the role of the supervisor in implementing a plan to comply with state regulations.

Following program presentations, small group meetings were held to discuss program topics. Woodrow Allen, supervisor, Floyd county schools, spoke of the necessity for cooperation on all school levels to insure the best performance of all school personnel.

Local school district personnel attending the meeting were: Henry C. Sizemore (Magoffin county); Tilden Deskins, Ervin S. Pruitt and Arson Justice (Pike county); Anna Sue Stumbo, Gordon Moore and Woodrow Allen (Floyd county); Harold L. Preston (Johnson county); Chester Bailey, Parker Tiller, and John Waddell (Pikeville independent).

In addition to Executive Director Johns, KEDR XI was represented by Audrey Pratt, Shirley Beard, Bronelle Skaggs and Larry Jervis.

The Eastern coyote male usually weights 30 to 40 pounds, mates in the Northeast in February and stays mated for life. Although coyotes were virtually unkown east of Wisconsin at the turn of the century, the first true coyote appeared in New Hampshire in 1944 and in Vermont in 1948 and has since proliferated and moved south. The Eastern coyote, Canis latrans var, should not be confused with coyote-dog hybrids, popularly known as coydogs. While the male Eastern coyote is a devoted father and teacher, the male coyote-dog takes no interest in his offspring.

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Group Asks Repairs For Day Care Center

A committee of parents of the KYRC, which includes day care center at Drift and Dwale under the Headstart program, met Monday with Superintendent of Schools Charles Clark to discuss roof repairs, or the possibility of a new roof, on the day care center at Drift. The building houses, in addition to the day care center, the county clothing distribution center and a lunchroom.

The committee, composed of Milton Stumbo, Rev. George K. Elste, Lucy Wallen, Brenda Crisp and Jeanene Martin, indicated that some repairs were promised by the school board, but that a new roof would necessitate a community fund-raising effort in order to procure matching federal funds.

Members of the committee expressed appreciation of the generosity of Mr. Clark and the board of education in allowing them use of the building and other help.

Anyone interested in helping in this

program is asked to contact any of the committee members.

The U.S. Department of Labor's Employment Standards enforces the Federal Wage Garnishment Law, which limits the amount of an employee's wages or salary that may be garnished.

State Senate Passes Anti-Busing Bills

The Kentucky Senate passed last week two bills aimed at thwarting courtordered busing despite an impassioned plea from its only black member.

One measure would prohibit the use of city, state or county taxes to buy buses to transport children beyond the closest schools, or to purchase fuel for the buses. It also would prohibit use of public money to pay the salaries of bus drivers.

That bill was approved 25 to 9.

The second bill would exempt from state truancy laws some children who are required by federal court to be bused past schools closest to their homes.

The bill allows children to be kept out of school without penalty if there was no room for them in the closest school to their home, and if they are part of a busing program.

Sen. Georgia M. Powers, D-Louisville, said passage of the first bill "would communicate to the anti-busing groups throughout Kentucky that their state legislative body supports them in their efforts to block equal educational opportunity for all, and would serve as an encouragement for continued protest which could evolve into further vio-

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The Sound and the Fury

This was the situation:

Special Judge Ralph Walter, of West Liberty, had announced here that he would accept from Eddie Jones a plea of guilty to a charge of manslaughter in a case in which Jones was accused of two slayings, and that upon receiving such a plea he, the judge, would impose upon the defendant a five-year prison sentence which would be subject to probation.

The Floyd County Times in an editorial asked the guestion, "Is a Judge's Power Unlimited?" It posed this question because it had been told by a source whose veracity it had never had reason to question that the chief justice of Kentucky's Supreme Court had said that a circuit judge has the power to do as he pleases.

The Times editorial made no attempt to saddle Eddie Jones with guilt. It even suggested that Judge Walter might have hitherto-undisclosed information which might justify his reduction of the offense alleged against the defendant. It had no criticism of the Supreme Court or any other court except the special judge's.

Yet the Supreme Court this week in its per curiam opinion making permanent the temporary writ of prohibition against reduction of the sentence took occasion to castigate "the local press in Prestonsburg, Kentucky" in these words:

"Anyone with a rudimentary understanding of the administration of justice understands of course that if every action taken or about to be taken by a trial judge were made subject to day-to-day supervision by an appellate court the result would be chaos. We take the time to recite this elementary principle not because we suspect that any of the parties to the case may not be aware of it, but because the local press in Prestonsburg, Kentucky either is in the dark or, if it is not so benighted, prefers noise first and facts later."

Perhaps we were "benighted" when we accepted as true the statement attributed to the chief justice of the Supreme Court. Assuming that he had been accurately quoted, we created a "noise," suggesting that if such judicial invulnerability is provided by Kentucky law it is time to change the law.

This newspaper has been published here almost fifty years, and in all that time it has never asked, or known any other to ask, that an appellate court ride herd, so to speak, on a trial judge.

We commend the Supreme Court on its action returning the case to circuit court for trial.

We apologize to Chief Justice Palmore if he was misquoted. But we do not apologize for the "noise" we made.

A Thinly Disguised Editorial

The Associated Press distributed to its member-newspapers this week an article by Sy Ramsey which purported to be a news feature but which, in fact, was a thinly disguised editorial in opposition to the reconstruction of KY 80.

The first paragraph of Mr. Ramsey's article asked if the work proposed for the highway is boon or boondoggle. From that point the case against the road continued, with interspersing questioning of Governor Carroll's motives.

Included in the latter was the suggestion that the governor's interest is not in the highway but in a project which will give contractors work in return for past support.

The Associated Press writer is hereby reminded that plans for improvement of KY 80 were made long before Julian Carroll became governor. It was Governor Wendell H. Ford who promised an end of the Eastern Kentucky disgrace that is embodied in this narrow, twisting 45 miles of highway between this county and Perry county. Governor Ford tried unsuccessfully to get the highway included in the Appalachian Regional Commission's system of highways. He expressed during his entire term at Frankfort his determination to rebuild the road.

Governor Carroll's interest now is the same as Ex-Governor Ford's. And he has found a way it can be done. Let us be thankful for governors who can see beyond Louisville and Lexington as they look to the needs of their state.

ABBOTT HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Abbott Creek Homemakers held their regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. February 10 in the church annex bulding. The president, Eukie Merritt, presided. The devotional was given by Nancy Howard. The Homemakers' creed was read by Mary Jo Hereford.

Items of patchwork were displayed. Frances Pitts showed types of material and explained how to choose materials. The hostesses were Phyllis Shepherd and Lois Calhoun. The next meeting will be March 9 at 7 p.m., with Alta Hall and Eukie Merritt as hostesses. A special meeting will be held March 30 on wills and deeds.

EAST POINT HOMEMAKERS MEET

The East Point Homemakers met Feb. 18 at 1 p.m. at the Masonic Temple for their regular monthly meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president, Betsy Baldridge. Devotion was by Nell Robinson. Secretary and treasurer's report with roll call was given by Elsie Leake. Dorothy Harris gave the lesson on sweater, knits and stretch sewing. Mrs. Pitts had an illustration on patchwork and had many lovely items on display. Elva Spradlin and Edith Elkins served banana split cake, nuts and mints, with coffee and pop to 12. The next meeting will be March 17 with Elsie Leake and Dorothy Harris as hostesses



Exterior view of the Mud Creek Clinic. Standing in front of the clinic are Mrs. Eula Hall and Mountain Comprehensive Care Center counselor Don Laferty.

Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago

(February 24, 1966)

Plans for a \$1,500,000 major highway project to link Inez and Prestonsburg were announced this week by Governor Edward T. Breathitt and Commissioner of Highways Henry Ward . . . Possibly as much as 100 acres may be planted in cucumbers in this county this spring to meet the demands of a pickle manufacturer, it was said this week . . . Tax Commissioner Clive Akers, 51, of Drift, died Tuesday at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., in the first year of his sixth term of office . . . A federal prisoner, Charles S. Wilson, fled from the Floyd county jail here Tuesday afternoon, stole the automobile of George Cecil Brown, abandoned the car in Salyersville, and transferred to another. He was re-arrested by state police late that night at West Liberty . . . There died: Herman Hall, 45, of Orkney, Monday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin; Aaron Bradley, 56, Tuesday at the home of a brother at Estill; Pete Mills, 63, of Wayland, Saturday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital; Willie Patrick, 66, of Tram, Friday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Ezra Newsome, of Teaberry, Thursday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Lewis Bolen, 95, Saturday at his home on Rock Fork at Garrett; Mrs. Rina Marshall, 65, of Water Gap, Tuesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Twenty Years Ago

(February 23, 1956)

The McDowell Memorial hospital will open for patient care on Monday, February 28, it was announced this week . . Mayor Harry Sandige instructed the supervisors of the Prestonsburg Youth Center this week to discontinue use of the second floor room in the Municipal building here for the center . . . Two months work will be required to restore roads and bridges washed out in this county by last week's flooded streams, County Judge Henry Stumbo said here Tuesday . . . "Town Center," the new shopping area on North Lake Drive, has been completed and several firms are preparing to move in by March 1 . . . The homes of Bill Marsillett and Theodore Holbrook were destroyed by fire at West Prestonsburg, Tuesday . . . Fox dens on Abbott Creek were being gassed this week under the direction of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources in an effort to destroy the rabid animals . . . Married: Miss Katherine Jean Shepherd, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Douglas Sample, of Rochester, N. Y., February 18 in Rochester There died: Mrs. Myra Hamilton, 76, Wednesday at her home at Honaker; Mrs. Lizzie Hill, 83, of Martin, Wednesday of last week at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; Mrs. Callie Prater, 74, of Water Gap, last Saturday at the home of a daughter; Mrs. Mary F. Jenkins, 78, of Garrett, Monday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey; Mrs. Lizzie Hall, 83, of Lackey, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; Willie Sizemore, 60, of McDowell, last Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; Toney Shepherd, last Friday at his home on the Open Fork of Middle Creek.

Thirty Years Ago

(February 21, 1946)

The City Council of Prestonsburg voted unanimously Monday to act as fiscal agent for the City Board of Education in its plan to amortize the \$44,000 to help pay cost of construction of the grade school building here a few years ago and to provide an additional \$40,000 to help on the high school grounds and the later building of a gymnasium . . . W. J. Slone, 72 years old, was stabbed and killed almost instantly, Tuesday night, at his home at Estill As state and federal engineers surveyed possible routes to the site of the Dewey dam Monday, Floyd and Johnson county officials and citizens vied with each other in laying claim to the more practicable road . . . Prestonsburg's undefeated independent basketball team defeated Elkhorn City Saturday night in the finals of the Big Sandy independent tourney to win the section's net championship for teams outside scholastic circles . . . Married: Darwin Lafferty and Miss Dottie Dimpel Burchett, of Emma, February 2; Miss Bertha Marie Walters, of Dover, Ohio and Mr. Earl D. Lafferty, of Siloam, Kentucky, December 29, at Dover; Miss Louise F. Scutchfield, of Wheelwright, and Pvt. Frederick Munson, of Lancer, February 16, at Prestonsburg; Miss Betty Jo Ludwick and Mr. Leonard Tackett, both of Melvin, January 29; Miss Wanda Peters, and Mr. Burns Jarrell, this week at Paintsville . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis, a son, William Gordon, at Colorado Springs, Colorado . . . There died: Mrs. Amanda Gearheart Martin, 82, at her home on Salt Lick Creek, Friday; Grover Cleveland Adkins, 48, of Manton, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Friday; Mrs. Bonnie Saunders Golden, 24, of Betsy Layne, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Tuesday; Mrs. Cordelia Reynolds, 67, at the home of a granddaughter at Bevinsville, Friday; Della Mae Collins, two years old, of Hi Hat, Thursday at the Beaver Valley hospital; Vivian Branham, four months old, at home at Printer, Saturday.

Forty Years Ago

(February 21, 1936)

Earl Heath, 35 years old, of Garrett, died at the Beaver Valley hospital Wednesday morning of a gunshot wound received Sunday afternoon during a gun battle at Garrett. Also wounded in the shooting were Hence Terry, 33, of Garrett, who was shot through the jaw, and Calloway Minix, 21, who was grazed across the back . . . Lonnie Calhoun, of West Prestonsburg, was struck and killed by an auto at West Union, Ohio, February 16 . . . Miss Opal Mae Banks, 17, was seriously wounded Sunday afternoon by an accidental shot from a revolver near her parents' home at Brandy Keg . Spivey was struck and instantly killed by a freight train early Saturday morning near his home at Harold . . . James Hammond, of Paintsville, state commander of the American Legion, last Thursday was named superintendent of the state reformatory at Frankfort . . . Floyd county's Citizens' Military Training Corps quota this year is 13, Carl H. Corbin, county CMTC chairman, announced last week. Trainees this year will be at Fort Benjamin Harrison . . . There died: Mrs. Winnie Estelle Linkous, 29, of Wheelwright, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Wednesday; Billie Dowell Smith, three years old, of Tram, February 9; Mrs. Nan Hayes, 72, at the home of a son at Garrett, February 12; James Allen, 88, at his home on Little Paint, Tuesday; Jack Bennett, of Betsy Layne, last week.

KLEC Announces Position On Pending Legislation

Frankfort, Ky.-Col. Robert B. Holt, chief of the Paducah Police Department and Chairman of the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council (KLEC) has announced that the KLEC has taken a position on legislation now pending before the Kentucky General Assembly

The council favors passage of the following pieces of legislation: Senate Bill 9: Which changes city civil

service probation period from six to 12 months

SB 70: Which requires bail bondsmen to obtain a warrant prior to arresting or removing a person from Kentucky for having broken the terms of his bail. (This would apply to out-of-state bail bondsmen only, if banning in-state bail bondsmen is upheld by the courts.)

House Bill 143: Which related to sexual offenses and makes evidence of the complaining witness's prior sexual conduct inadmissible in prosecution.

SB 95: Which allows deadly physical force to protect oneself or another against physical injury; allows deadly physical force to prevent the theft of personal property, and by a peace officer when making a felony arrest.

SB 118: Which requires all police officers participating in the state's pay incentive program and employed on or after July 1, 1972 to complete 400, rather than "a minimum of 240," hours of a basic training course at a certified school

The council voted to oppose the following bills: HB 16: Which prevents denial of cer-

tain licenses and disqualification from employment by a government agency because of a prior conviction of a crime. HB 138: Which establishes a policy that public records are open for inspection and copying by any person.

HB 159: Which permits accused speed violators to pay fines directly to the

arresting officer HB 323: Which deletes the prohibition against monitoring police radio calls. The Kentucky Law Enforcement

Council is composed of the state attorney general, the commander of the Kentucky state police, the dean of the University of Louisville's college of law enforcement, the president of the Kentucky Peace Officers Association, the president of the Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police, the Kentucky president of the fraternal order of police, the Kentucky special agent in charge of the F.B.I., the mayor of Ft. Wright, the sheriff of Hopkins County, a representative of the Kentucky bar association, five chiefs of police and a citizen member not associated with any of the other organizations.

In July, 1974, the clinic moved from Tinker Fork to a house at the mouth of Mink Branch at Craynor, owned by Mrs. Hall and her husband. Mrs. Hall, who described the house as being "really too big for what we needed to live in," moved

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from the dwelling to a smaller house on the hill near the present clinic. Although the Craynor clinic doesn't sport the fancy glass and concrete construction that characterizes many "modern" medical clinics, the structure is large with plenty of space for examining rooms, waiting rooms, a clinic pharmacy, offices and a

Serving almost exclusively persons from the isolated but heavily populated Mud Creek area who are unable to pay average medical costs, the clinic offers complete physicals and health screening, EKG's, hearing testing, vision screening and routine laboratory analyses. A Volkswagen station wagon driven by Verlie Hall, of Mud Creek offers patients

respiratory therapy clinic.

transportation to and from the clinic. In addition to Drs. Graham and Squire, Dr. Marie Swaykus works four days a week at the clinic, in addition to practicing in Martin. Other personnel at the clinic includes a registered nurse, a pediatric nurse-practitioner, a licensed practical nurse, a lab technician, one receptionist and two billing clerks.

Patients pay on a sliding scale, based on income. "They pay as they are able," Mrs. Hall pointed out, "and no one is denied health care.'

Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin is the "back up" hospital for the Mud Creek clinic, with all referrals being made either to the Martin facility or to the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington.

The clinic pharmacy serves only patients who visit the clinic, and patients pay the lowest scale on medication. Mrs. Hall said the clinic was trying to maintain a non-profit status. "We're just trying to make ends meet," she said.

A modern respiratory unit supported by the UMWA and operated out of the Mud Creek clinic is one of three such units in the county. Scores of former miners visit the clinic each week for inhalation therapy which affords the sufferers of black lung, silicosis and other lung diseases related to coal mining relief from debilitating respiratory ailments. Butch Page, of Price, respiratory technician, said the treatments relieve the smothering and shortness of breath characteristic of the black lung and silicosis sufferers and generally minimize symptoms.

'You can't reverse the damage that has resulted from these diseases," Page pointed out, "but these treatments go a long way to make the sufferers lives a lot more liveable.

Ezra Jones, of Beaver, a miner for 24 years began taking advantage of the respiratory unit last August. "They've really helped me," Jones said, "Before the treatments I was about to smother to death." Jones takes treatments twice weekly, and if he misses a treatment, he said, "I can really tell a difference."

As a center for health care in the Mud Creek section of the county, the clinic works with Mountain Comprehensive Care Center and MCCC field workers visit the clinic weekly to talk with patients. The Floyd County Health Department sends nurses to the clinic one day a month for immunizations and one day for a family planning clinic.

At present, Mrs. Pat Little, of Price, administrator of the clinic and respiratory treatment unit, and Mrs. Hall are working to procure the services of two doctors to replace Drs. Squire and Graham who are leaving in April. The National Health Service will provide two doctors and pay their salaries for a twoyear period if the Mud Creek area is designated by the appropriate health agencies as an "area of need."

The people who have worked to see a clinic established to serve Mud Creek saw the need three years ago and they continue to see it. Now, in their search for new clinic doctors, they're confident that the Mud Creek Health Project and the Mud Creek section will be viewed in the same light by the officials who must decide whether or not the clinic should be staffed by National Health Service

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(Continued from Page One) referred again to committee. The bill originally dealt with occupational diseases compensation, but when it returns to committee all of the severance tax plan except the tax itself will be included in the bill. This would cover allocations of severance tax monies to KY 80, occupational diseases, industrial development and the like.

The senator said he expects the Senate committee to report the bill out by Thursday, have a third reading Friday and possibly a floor vote on it Friday or by next Monday.

Thus, he said, simultaneous action in House and Senate would expedite final approval of the entire program.

Hammond added, however, that this route for the legislation will depend upon Governor Carroll's decision.

The levy of an additional .5 severance tax instead of the full 1 per cent which was at first considered will, Senator Hammond said, reduce the amount available to coal counties to \$94 million per biennium. This represents a loss of \$12 million per biennium from the original plan.

Senator Hammond has introduced SB 180 which will allow teachers to retire at the end of 30 years' teaching service. regardless of age. The bill is scheduled to leave committee for a floor vote, Thursday. He said it is possible the bill will be amended to make the 30-year eligibility at age 53 because some teachers received credit for military service on their teaching time.

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I felt like taking on poke warden duties this year and that Lenna Moore had disqualified by spraying one patch of poke with insecticide. Watt thought, and I agree, that it might be a good idea to declare it open range this year and see how it pans out.

'Might work, if we can keep Earl Butz out of it," he added on sort of a doubtful

PREDICTING THE WEATHER

Time was, before the days of daily newspapers, radio and television, that folks depended upon the almanac for their weather predictions, and even as now there were those who swore they could guess the weather as well as those who professed to know something about its vagaries. Sometimes the most critical would undertake an almanac of their own, just to compare their scores with the published verions.

One such homespun almanac author fell sick when he was no more than halfway through January. But his son said he could take over, and he did, and sailed merrily along for quite a spell. Finally, he turned to the old man and said, "I'm up to May now. Reckon we ought to drop in a thunderstorm or so?'

The old man shifted gently in his bed, and advised, "Yeah, you might. Give her a few claps about the 20th.

Hope I don't hark back overmuch, but can't resist asking both of my readers if they ever heard an oldtimer get wound up on a yarn in which he quoted himself or others a lot and used the expression, 's'y." I have on occasion got lost at the far turn trying to keep up as an old gent would recall: "I s'y, 'Let her go.' " "He s'y, 'Yeah, let 'er go,' " and then "I 'sy, s'y I" and so on.

The "s'y," of course is for "say," and possibly came across with some of our Cockney foreparents.

Found in this desk drawer of mine, just now, a scribbled note which says, sundown of a dream." And I wonder what brought that on and what was the big idea bounding around at the moment.

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(Continued from Page One) the fewest members on the governing

board. They threatened to take their protest to Governor Carroll. The health group's interim board, part of the gathering of more than 200 attending the Lexington meeting, claimed, however, that citizens' input had been received at several public hearings that

had been held to inform the public of the new health services system. They also said nominations for membership on the governing board were received from the public and not only from area development districts and local planning Under the new system, which is provided by a federal health law, local

planning and local health projects will be initiated by sub-area councils, with final review of such plans and projects left to the health systems agency's governing It has been feared on local levels the

law would strangle local control in local projects and prompted a law suit against the federal Department of Health, Education of Welfare (HEW) by the National Association of Regional Councils (NARC).

The suit questions the constitutionality of the law, charging the mandatory health planning and management system administered by free-standing non-profit

FIVCO board members last month voted to donate \$250 to help pay for the suit, which, if won, would force congress either to pass a new law or revise the present measure to meet NARC's objectives. The main objective is to return planning and project review powers to the local level.

Local input was stressed by Dr. Dupier, who said the sub-area councils will serve as the "real power center-the originators" for health services. He said the sub-area councils will receive the thrust of all planning.

Next meeting of the governing board will be at 7 p.m., March 11, at a place later to be designated.

"Garfield Place" Closed. Contents To Be Sold

Mrs. Claude P. Stephens closed the doors of Garfield Place here last November. Due to failing health, she is making her home with her niece in Ashland. For many years, she kept the heritage of the south alive for Eastern Kentucky as she opened her doors to the public for tours and told them of the history of the historic home. The home is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. The house was built in 1857 by John M. Burns and has remained in the same family, as Mrs. Stephens is a direct descendant of Mr. Burns.

The furnishings of Garfield Place have been moved to Irish Acres Farm at Rush. Ky., and will be sold at public auction on March 27 and 28.

One artifact of the Garfield occupation is still at the house. It is a revolver which Garfield left behind upon the Union troops withdrawal. It was found behind a plaster wall about sixty years later by a carpenter who had been called in to do repair work. The gun was identified and verified by James A. Garfield, Jr., when he visited his father's old headquarters during a political campaign trip to Prestonsburg.

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Among those participating in David's clean-up project Saturday were Ashland Howard, top left (in hat), president of the David Community Development Corporation; Gwen Music, lower left; and Glenda Shepherd, Virginia Pitts, Debby Shepherd, Leatha Pitts, and Dorothy Gray, president of the David Community Improvement Council, displaying special bags provided by the state.





Public Defender Is Club Speaker

Wayland.-Crime prevention was under discussion at last Monday evening's meeting of the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club with Floyd county's public defender, Dan Rowland, the speaker. The program was held at the home of Mrs. James A. Duff, Garrett.

Mr. Rowland, who is public defender for the 31st judical district (Floyd county), explained the need for law and order, that all citizens might be protected and safe whether on the streets or in their homes, emphasizing that this ia constititutional right. "This is the reason that many came here from other countries," he said. "Everyone is entitled to representation before the courts of justice in this country, though, and anyone who is accused of a crime has the right to have a defender whether or not he is able to pay for that defense." Mr. Rowland explained that the circuit judge decides whether or not the person accused is able to afford an attorney or is in need of a public defender.

The speaker cited two landmark cases which are often quoted in television programs-one, that the accused has the right to remain silent and to be advised that what he may say could be used against him, and that he has the right to have an attorney present; the other, that police cooercion is not permissible in obtaining a guilty plea from the accused.

Mr. Rowland stressed that all citizens should have much respect for the policeman who puts his life on the line every day of the week at very little pay. He also emphasized the importance of

Mrs. Don Hughes led the Pledge to the Flag at the beginning of the meeting, with the Club Collect being read by Mrs. Marie Mullins. Devotions were given by Mrs. J. T. Spillman.

During the business session it was announced by Mrs. James A. Duff, first vice-president, acting in the absence of the president, that the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Fults will represent the Wayland club in the Little Miss Floyd County Pageant.

Those present were: Mrs. Felix Coburn, Mrs. Brady Collins, Mrs. E. E. DeCoursey, Mrs. Mervil Dixon, Mrs. James A. Duff, Mrs. Marcellous Dunfee, Mrs. Don Hughes, Mrs. James E. Martin, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. Marie Mullins, Mrs. Patsy Patton, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, and Mrs. Otto Martin, members, and Mrs. Willie Martin, guest

the home of Mrs. Otto Martin, Wayland, and the subject will be "Fine Arts". Mrs. Duna Combs will be the guest speaker.

there was nothing to tie it to the coal

industry which is regulated by his

'The writer could just be angry about

water and air regulations. We have suits

A source in the Frankfort office of the

FBI, who asked to remain anonymous.

said there was no investigation of Hoff-

man's letter, because it did not violate

federal extortion laws. The letter was

kept on file, however.

pending in those areas too," he said.

Girl Scout News

Members of Brownie Troop 19 of the Goble-Roberts Addition attending the Girl Scout Thinking Day program at the First Presbyterian Church here February 21 were Stephanie DeRossett, Kim Greene, Maria Short, Mary and Todie Leedy, Angela Keathley, Michelle Roth, Debra Hall, Leslie Morgan, Leader, Amanda Hall and assistants Cindy Roth, Sue DeRossett and Mary Belle Short

Brownie Troop 19 won the third place award for the Olympic games in the Brownie division. Individuals receiving Olympic gold medals were Maria Short, Kim Greene and Debra Hall for 10 pins; Angela Keathley, basketball and noodlethreading; Stephanie DeRossett, ball

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Occasional telephone intimidations and a threatening letter have been received by top officials of the Department for Natural Resources and En-

An obscene and threatening letter received by Secretary John Hoffman, head of the department, was turned over last summer to the FBI. At about the same time the fanbelt of his car was cut while it was parked in a state parking garage. Six weeks ago eggs were

In the past month the wife of Robert Bell, commissioner of the Bureau of Land Resources, received a telephone call asking if her husband knew what he was doing to the "industry," Hoffman

The family of an engineer in the Division of Reclamation, Warner Ford, received a call asking if they would like to see Ford go to jail. It occurred a few

is "unusual" for his department.

'I don't think there is anything to it. I took the letter to the FBI because it involved use of the mails. It was an unsigned note charging that I exceeded the authority of my office and was using it as a power base," Hoffman said.

persons within the department are

'It's just possible some employes don't agree with me. There are 1,000 people in the department. I couldn't expect everyone to agree right down the line," Hoffman said.

the performance of his duties, but said

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Park Meet Set On Aviation Plan

The third in a series of regional public meetings seeking local input for a new Kentucky Aviation Systems Plan (KASP) has been scheduled for 1 p.m., March 1 at Jenny Wiley State Park.

According to state Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts, the regional meetings are being held to gather information needed to update the state's first airport systems plan completed in

"While the original plan served its purpose well as a general guide for airport development, changes in our economy and the world of aviation in general since 1971 make it necessary for us to re-examine the state's needs now and for the future in air facilities and services." Roberts said.

Roberts said he expects the plan to be completed within 18 months. It then will be revised every five years in order to keep the state abreast of changing needs and developments.

Public participation and input are a key ingredient to the planning process, and will be solicited from locally-based state agencies, airport boards, local government officials, and various aviation associations and interests within the Fivco, Gateway, and Big Sandy Area Development Districts, Roberts said.

"Regional planning review committees also will be formed from these groups and will meet several times during the planning stages," he added.

Counties to be represented at the Jenny Wiley Park meeting will include Floyd, Pike, Martin, Johnson, Lawrence, Magoffin, Morgan, Elliott, Carter, Boyd, Greenup, Rowan, Menifee, Bath, and Montgomery.

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Anthrax-Laden Yarn Sold in Kentucky

State health officials have learned from the National Center for Disease Control that anthrax-contaminated yearn may have been sold in Kentucky. The yarn, which is believed to have been the source of infection causing the death of a California resident late last month, was imported from Sarfraz Bros., Lahore, Pakistan and is distributed throughout the United States by a California company, Creative Handweavers, and one in New York, Tahki

Imports, Ltd. The four-ounce skeins or balls of yarn may include camel hair, goat hair, or sheepwool and is sold in natural or dyed colors. Usually packaged in plastic bags, the yarn is coarse and thick, and it is the variety which is used mainly in wall hangings, macrame objects, and other handicrafts.

Doctor C. Hernandez, who directs the state Bureau for Health Services' Division for Preventive Services, describes anthrax as an acute bacterial disease, usually of the skin, characterized by blisters at the site of infection which develop into a depressed black scab. Untreated infections may lead to blood poisoning and death. Infections of the lungs and gastro-digestive tract are highly fatal, and the spores which carry the disease can exist on contaminated items for many years. Highly specialized procedures are required for the destruction of the spores.

Local health officials in Jefferson and Madison Counties, the only two locations with shops known to have received the potentially dangerous yarn, have initiated necessary procedures for the safe disposal of the yarn. The shops are in Shelbyville and Berea.

Doctor Hernandez advises anyone who may have purchased suspect yarn to check with the retailer to determine the source and distributor of the product. Contaminated yarn should not be handled. Instead, one should contact the local health department immediatey for instructions.

The Consumer Product Safety Commission says that persons turning in yarn or items made from the yarn to health departments shoud get a receipt with the following information: name of yarn owner; date product is being turned in; description of the product; and health department identification. This receipt should be taken to the place of purchase for refund. Refunds will be for the price of the yarn only.

Those who think they may have purchased the yarn, should deliver the carefully wrapped product to their local health departments after wrapping as

Place the yarn in a plastic bag (of the type commonly used for garbage disposal) and seal the bag with a pliable wire which may be twisted tightly around the closed mouth of the bag; and then place the bagged yarn in a second heavy bag which also should be sealed with a twisted wire.

Natural Resource Officials Report Threat, Intimidation

By AL MARSH (In The Lexington Herald)

vironmental Protection in recent months.

smeared over his car, he said yesterday.

Hoffman said that while the incidents are isolated, the number and frequency

He said it is possible to speculate that

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John H. (Jack) Vincent

John H. (Jack) Vincent, 77, died Tuesday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, victim of an apparent heart attack suffered earlier at his home in

A native of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, he was born February 2, 1899, a son of the late William and Katherine McClintock Vincent. He was a retired

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Goldie Blair Vincent; two sons, John W. Vincent, of Bloomington, Ill., and Billy Joe Vincent, of Lexington; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Stewart, of Wayland, Mrs. Mae Slone, of LaGrange, O.; one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Yuill, of Verona, Pa.; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 p.m. Tuesday at the Steele's Creek Regular Baptist Church by ministers of the church. Burial was made in the Martin cemetery at Wayland under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Abbie Branham Warrix

Funeral rites will be held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, at the Floyd Funeral Home chapel for Mrs. Abbie Branham Warrix, 68, of Jane Brown Branch, Auxier Road, who died Monday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness. Officiating ministers will be the Rev. Harold Wright and Rev. Lorie

The widow of Dennis Fleet Warrix, she was born February 14, 1908 and was a daughter of Mrs. Daisy Osborne Branham Banks, of Prestonsburg, and the late Joe Branham.

Surviving her are three sons, Leon Warrix, of Knoxville, Tenn., Denny and Steve Warrix, both of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Mrs. Louellen Allen, of Prestonsburg; five sisters, Mrs. Viola Bingham, Mrs. Martha Miller, Mrs. Bama Music, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Tommie Pigman, of Ashland, Mrs. Clara Blanton, of Marion, O.; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Burial will be made in the family cemetery on Jane Brown Branch.

The Price They Paid

In this Bicentennial Year when we are celebrating the 200th birthday of our great nation, have you ever wondered what happened to those men who signed the U.S.A. Declaration of Independence?

Five signers were captured by the British as traitors, and tortured before they were executed. Twelve had their homes ransacked and burned. Two lost their sons in the Revolutionary Army. One had two sons captured. Nine of the fifty-six fought and died from wounds or from the hardships of the Revolutionary

What Kind Of Men Were They?

Twenty-four were lawyers and jurists. Eleven were merchants. Nine were farmers and large plantation owners, men of means and well-educated. But they signed the Declaration of Independence knowing full well that the penalty would be death if they were captured. They signed and they pledged their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor.

Braxton of Virginia, a wealthy planter and trader, saw his ships swept from the seas by the British Navy. He sold his home and properties to pay his debts and died in rags

Thomas McKean was so hounded by the British that he was forced to move his family constantly; he served in the Congress without pay, and his family was kept in hiding. His possessions were taken from him and poverty was his

Ellery, Clymer, Hall, Walton, Gwinnett, Heyward, Rutledge and Middleton all had their properties destroyed by soldiers or vandals. At the battle of Yorktown, Thomas Nelson noted that the British general, Cornwallis, had taken over the Nelson home for his headquarters. Nelson quietly urged General George Washington to open fire, which was done; the home was destroyed and Nelson died bankrupt.

Francis Lewis had his home and properties destroyed. The enemy jailed his wife and she died within a few months.

John Hart was driven from his wife's bedside as she was dying. Their thirteen children fled for their lives. His fields and grist mill were laid waste. For more than one year he lived in forests and caves, returning home after the war to find his wife dead and his children vanished. A few weeks later he died from exhaustion and a broken heart. Norris and Livingston suffered somewhat similar tragedies.

They Paid For Your Freedom and Mine!

Such were the experiences and sacrifices of these who cared most for freedom. These were not wild-eyed, rabble-rousing ruffians; they were softspoken men of means and education. They had security, but they valued freedom more. Standing tall and straight and unwavering, they pledged, "For the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other, our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor.

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Obituaries

Myrtle Elizabeth Moore

Mrs. Myrtle Elizabeth Hill Moore, member of a well-known Floyd county family, died Feb. 8 at an Oklahoma City, Okla, nursing home.

Mrs. Moore was a native of Abbott Creek, a daughter of J. Polk Hill and Jane May Hill. She was first married to James Dotson and lived on Bull Creek till she and her family moved to Missouri in 1906, later going to Oklahoma. Mrs. Moore was a member of the Methodist Church and the Order of Eastern Star. Surviving her are two sons, James and Raymond W. Dotson, both of Tulsa, Okla.; three daughters, Mrs. Goldie Watkins, Mrs. Jane Shibely and Mrs. Margie Swihart, all of Oklahoma City; one brother, H. T. Hill, of Cliff; nine grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Her funeral was conducted Feb. 10, and burial was made in the Highland Park cemetery at Lawton, Oklahoma.

Walter Eugene Price

Walter Eugene Price, 37, of Decatur, Ga., died Feb. 10 in the crash of a private plane in Coweta County, Georgia.

He was self-employed in the hotel and motel business and was president of the Hotel and Motel Association in New Orleans and Shreveport, Louisiana. He was a member of Mt. Carmel Christian Church, was president of his Sunday School class and a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He attended East Tennessee State

He was the son of Mrs. Eva Sutphin Price, of Johnson City, Tenn., and the late Walter C. Price, former Floyd county residents.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jean Dudley Price, and two daughters, Gina Gail and Tonia Joellen, both at home; one sister, Miss Helen Price, Johnson City, and one brother, Kenneth R. Price, Yuma, Arizona, and his grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Sutphin, Prestonsburg.

Funeral services were conducted February 13 from the Harris Ward Funeral Home chapel in Decatur, the Rev. Jack Ballard, pastor of Mt. Carmal Christian Church, officiating. Burial was made in Fairview Memorial Gardens, Stockbridge, Georgia,

Evelyn Johns Salisbury

Funeral services for Mrs. Evelyn Johns Salisbury will be conducted at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon (Thursday) from the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here by the Rev. W. D. Jaggers.

Mrs. Salisbury, who had been ill, was found dead in bed at her home here Tuesday morning.

For many years a teacher in the Prestonsburg and Floyd county school systems, Mrs. Salisbury was librarian of the Prestonsburg Elementary School for 18 years. She retired five years ago. She was a member of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist

Born March 3, 1904, she was a daughter of Mrs. Winnie Fitzpatrick Johns, of Prestonsburg, and the late Thomas G. Johns. Her husband, Herbert G. Salisbury, Sr., preceded her in death.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by two sons, Dr. Herbert G. Salisbury, Jr., of Prestonsburg, and Dr. Robert Johns Salisbury, of Mt. Sterling; nine grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren.

Burial will be made in the Johns family cemetery here under direction of Floyd Funeral Home. Friends may call at the residence after 11 a.m. today (Wednes-

Perkins Granted National Honor

U.S. Rep. Carl D. Perkins (Dem.-Ky.), chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee, received a national honor Saturday afternoon in Lexington as a sponsor of landmark federal legislation on vactional education.

Ohio State University's National Research and Development Center for Vocational Education presented its Distinguished Service Award to the congressman in recognition of "outstanding national service to vocational education.'

Chairman of the Education and Labor Committee since 1967, Rep. Perkins is the 12th person to receive the award.

Dr. Robert T. Taylor, director of Ohio State's center, made the presentation at the University of Kentucky during field hearing sessions on pending vocational education legislation.

Rep. Perkins sponsored the Vocational Education Act of 1963, also known as the 'Perkins Act," which educators credit with redirecting and revitalizing vocational education nationally.

"Although Congressman Perkins comes from a rural district," Dr. Taylor said, "he has continuously expressed concern for the educational needs of people located in inter-city and suburban America. His perspective and balanced and persistent leadership to provide access to quality vocational training programs for people of all ages and in all areas have benefited millions of Americans during the past decade.

Growers in Kentucky intend to plant 1.200,000 acres of soybeans in 1976. This is 4 percent below last year and the first indicated decline in soybean acreage since 1961. Spring weather and growers reaction to this report will contribute heavily to final acreage planted to

Jobe Haywood

Funeral services for Jobe Haywood, 76. of the Hollybush section of Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, will be conducted at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Regular Baptist Church at Hollybush by Rev. Mitchell

Mr. Spurlock died at 6:40 Monday evening at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an illness of a month.

Born January 11, 1900, he was a son of the late Wally and Elizabeth Miller Haywood. A retired miner and disabled veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Disabled American Veterans, Post 128, Garrett, and of the American Legion post at Prestonsburg. He was also a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Grace Ousley Haywood; a son, Calvin Haywood, of Claypool, Ind.; three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, of Tucker, Ga., Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, of Risner, Mrs. Nancy Ousley, of West Prestonsburg; a sister, Mrs. Molly Winters, of South Point, O.; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial will be made in the Ousley cemetery at Spurlock under direction of Floyd Funeral Home. Relatives and friends may call at the

church to pay their respects prior to the

Oscar Hensley

Former Melvin resident, Oscar Hensley, 60, was killed instantly last Wednesday when he was caught in a press which he operated at the Springfield Champion Company in Springfield, Ohio

A son of the late George and Nancy Jane Tackett Hensley, he was born November 27, 1915. He had lived in London, Ohio for the past 30 years and had been employed as a press operator for 25 years.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Martha Vanover Hensley; a son, Okie Hensley, also of London, O.; two daughters, Mrs. Ocelene Blevins, of Springfield, O., and Mrs. Janet Miller, of West Jefferson, O.; two brothers, Ernest and Luther Hensley, both of Melvin, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday, February 21 at the Joppa Regular Baptist Church at Melvin by Regular Baptist ministers. Burial was made in the Matthew Tackett cemetery under direction of Merion Funeral

Burnem L. Coburn

Funeral rites will be conducted at 1 o'clock this afternoon (Wednesday) at the Garrett Missionary Baptist Church for Burnem L. Coburn, 63, of Garrett, who was dead on arrival at the Paintsville Hospital Sunday where he was taken following an apparent heart attack suffered while en route to his home.

Officiating ministers will be the Rev. Rush Slone and Rev. Edward Sturgill.

Born February 27, 1912 at Handshoe, he was a son of the late James H. and Mary Amburgey Coburn and had for 20 years been employed as a foreman for Winston Ford Construction Company. He served in the Navy in World War II and was a member of the Wayland Masonic Lodge Survivors include his widow. Mrs. Thelma Compton Coburn; a daugher, Mrs. Carol Sue Stapleton, of Pikeville; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Martin, of Cannonsburg, and Mrs. Elsie Croft, of Dale,

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

Luther Davis

Luther Davis, 84, died Jan. 30 at Rensselaer, Ind., following a long illness. Born Sept. 1, 1892, he was a retired miner and a minister of the United Baptist Church. His wife, Joanna, preceded him in death in 1973. Survivors include five daughters, Laura Smith and Lillie Allen, both of Rensselaer, Ind.; Martha Quigley, of Michigan; Mary Marshall, Chicago, Ill., and Rachel Hughes, Remington, Ind.; two sons, Kyle and Carter Davis, both of Rensselaer.

Funeral services were conducted at Jackson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. David Rowe. Burial was made in the Highland cemetery at North Judson,

File Early, Miners Advised by Funks

Mine workers who are planning to retire should file a pension application with the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) Health and Retirement Funds at least six months before they actually intend to stop work.

"Actually," says Funds Chairman Harry Huge, "it takes the Funds no more than two months to process pension applications. The problem is that before the Funds can take any action, they must obtain a work history from Social

Since the enactment of the pension reform law in 1974, the time it takes the Social Security Administration to furnish such records has doubled-it now takes at least four months instead of two. This is because Social Security has been receiving more requests for work histories from all pension plans, not only the Funds. Increasing backlogs at Social Security will probably result in even longer delays during coming months.

Blue Lick Springs battlefield State Park once was called Salt Springs. In Collins' History of Kentucky it is stated that the only station between Maysville and Lexington in 1789 was the Lower Blue Lick. A Mr. Lyon had a thriving salt making business here.

RC&D, ADD Sign Agreement Memo

The Big Sandy Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Project Council and the Big Sandy Area Development District (ADD) have signed a memorandum of agreement which has as its main purpose that of documenting the spirit of cooperation and inter-relationship that already existed between the two area planning bodies. It further clarifies the authorities and responsibilities of each.

The RC&D Project has as its primary concern the conservation and development of the area. The ADD group has planning responsibility for development of all resources. ADD serves as regional clearinghouse for all development in the

The memorandum provides for the RC&D Council to serve as the environmental board for the area. This means that the council will review and comment on all development projects involving renewable natural resources that are submitted to the clearinghouse. This will not duplicate the usual clearinghouse review but will be an integral part of it, in that the RC&D Council will be looking at the environmental aspects at the same tie ADD people are considering economic, social, and other aspects of proposed projects, it was

All RC&D measures (or local projects) sponsored by local groups will continue to be sent through the area and state clearinghouse for review, as in the past.

The document was signed by Dr. W. C. Hambley of Pikeville, chairman of the ADD board and treasurer of the RC&D Council; Ollie J. Arnett, of Salyersville, chairman of the RC&D Council and member of the ADD board, and H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., of Prestonsburg, secretary of the RC&D Council.

Administrative details pertaining to the preparation, signing and implementation of the agreement were done by Joe McCauley, executive director, and other members of the ADD staff, and by Bill Dempsey and Roslyn H. Burchett, of the RC&D staff.

Kentucky Afield

Dept. of Fish and Wildlife By JOHN WILSON

February is the month when I envy the groundhog-he peeps out of his hole on Groundhog Day, says "Oh, what the heck," and goes back to sleep for six-

February is that sort of month for most outdoorsmen. Quail and grouse hunters can keep themselves entertained during this time, but for the rest of us, particularly the fishermen, it's a month we could easily spend hibernating.

And if fishermen did hibernate during February, what would they dream bout? Fishing, of course, and in their dreams they would probably anticipate the coming of spring when the fishing will really "bust loose.

The first sign of spring for fishermen is not the appearance of migrating robins but the first reports of white bass showing up in the headwaters of our larger lakes. These first white bass are almost always small males, the products of last year's spawn, who are moved by the slight increase in water temperature to begin congregating at the heads of tributaries for their own first spawning

From this point on, things start picking up rapidly. As the water temperature approaches 60 degrees, the larger white bass will begin their runs. By the time the dogwoods are in full bloom, the runs are usually going full blast and fishermen are out in force at such spots as the Dix River and the South Fork of the Cum-

Then word will get out that the crappie are moving into the shallows, sending another group of fishermen to the lakes to prowl the shoreline with cane poles and minnows, looking for submerged treetops or brush which they hope will have attracted spawning crappie.

Then, finally, what the bass fishermen have been waiting for-water temperature rising into the mid-60s and the tell-tale splash of bass feeding on the surface. That means it's time to break out those top-water lures and enjoy the most exciting kind of bass fishing there

All the while, fishermen will be keeping careful watch on the weather, knowing that spring can also bring unsettled weather, heavy rains, cold snaps, high and muddy water-or beautiful days when everything is just right and the fish are biting like crazy.

To keep track of spring fishing, the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources will rouse its daily fishing report out of hibernation, where it's been since November. Beginning March 15, this run-down of fishing conditions on Kentucky's 15 major lakes will be available to newspapers and radio stations around the state and will, as always, be a feature on the weekly 'Kentucky Afield' television program.

operation of the National Cemetery System the VA has announced plans for the development of two additional national cemeteries. A 750-acre site at March Air Force Base near Riverside, Calif., will be developed to provide 390,000 graves. Another 750-acre site at Otis Air Force Base in Massachusetts has been selected also.

Only two years after taking over

Club's Effort Given Support

Dwight Burchett, president of the Highlands Bass Club, has received from U. S. Senator Dee Huddleston and Congressman Carl D. Perkins assurances of their support of the club's effort to get \$25,000 included in the fiscal 1977 budget for a study of siltation in Dewey Lake.

The club has been urging construction in the German area of a silt dam to check the flow of silt and debris into the lake. A petition bearing the names of several hundred persons and urging such action has been submitted to the Army Corps of

Senator Huddleston told Mr. Burchett that he has written Col. Smith, district engineer, Corps of Engineers, of his interest in the lake situation and urging Col. Smith's "careful attention to the monitoring survey the Corps plans for this year.

Congressman Perkins wrote: "I agree with you that such a survey

will confirm the need for some mechanism in the German bridge area of the lake to prevent debris from entering the lake.

Floyd-Pike La Leche Group To Meet Here

The newly organized Pike-Floyd counties group of La Leche League will hold its first meeting on Friday, March 5, at 10:30 a.m., at the home of Mrs. John M. Rosenberg, in Prestonsburg.

The name, La Leche, is Spanish and means "the milk". A non-sectarian, nonprofit organization, the League's purpose is to help encourage good mothering through breastfeeding

The group will meet the first Friday of each month. A series of four meetings will discuss, informally, different phases of breastfeeding. Topic for first meeting: Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Child, Discussion leader will be Mrs. J. Victor Foote.

All women who are interested in nursing their babies are invited, as are their babies. You need not be pregnant or even have a family to attend. If you are a wife and hope some day to have children, if you are a grandmother, or if you are interested, you are welcome.

La Leche League began in a Chicago suburb nineteen years ago, when one mother who had successfully nursed her baby helped another who wanted to breastfeed.

This is still the basic approach, although the League is now international in scope, with more than 2,000 groups helping thousands of women in the United States, Canada, and 40 foreign

For further information about the new Pike-Floyd Counties La Leche League Group, contact Patricia Foote at 432-

If the persimmons you have picked are not quite ripe enough, do what Jack Frost does . . . freeze them. Put them in the deep freeze for 72 hours. Upon thawing they'll be ripe.—SPORTS AFIELD

Reading Program's Late Developments **Outlined by Jervis**

In a recent meeting at the Allen Elementary School Larry Jervis, curriculum consultant for KEDR XI, presented to the Jenny Wiley Council the latest developments of the Right To Read program in this area.

Region XI personnel became involved in Right to Read programs when notified a grant was available for the purpose of developing and administering a Right to Read program in this area. Subsequently, a regional planning team identified the existing reading programs and conducted a needs assessment. In priority listing the areas needing improvement are: 1, teaching vocabulary skills; 2. comprehension skills; 3. word attack skills; 4. student motivation; and 5. teacher insecurity in reading diagnosis and follow-up prescription. The Regional Planning Committee

decided to limit staff development activities to three intermediate teachers in one school in each local school district. 'It appears to be at this level-grades four, five, and six-that most students seem to be falling behind," Mr. Jervis said. "And we selected those educators whom we felt would benefit most from these kinds of reading activities and possessed the ability to disseminate those kinds of things to other teachers at

In preparation for the program Region XI conducted a workshop, using outside consultants including a team from the Jenny Wiley Council.

The purpose of Right to Read programs is two-fold: to help children overcome reading problems before they become magnified, and to help bring about a lesser degree of illiteracy in the United States.

Other council business included the discussion of providing aid to the Hazard Community College personnel in the organization of a local IRA chapter in

The invocation was given by Anna Mary Friend. Refreshments were served by the Allen School personnel.

Kentucky farmers, based on intentions around January 1, plan to plant 1,400,000 acres of corn. This would be an increase of 5 percent from the 1,330,000 acres planted in 1975 and 9 percent above the 1974 crop. Actual acreage planted will depend on growers reaction to this report, spring weather conditions, and cost of production items such as fuel and fertilizer. A wet spring will probably divert some acreage to soybeans. Prices received by farmers for corn in recent months have averaged lower than a year earlier, but are still favorable for corn to maintain competition with soybeans for

Barley acreage in Kentucky is expected to total 46,000 acres-4 percent below the 48,000 planted in 1975. Farmers have experienced disappointment with performance of barley in recent years and are substituting wheat in double-crop

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The Hatfields of Floyd County

By HENRY P. SCALF

The Hatfield families of England had been migrating to America for a century or more when Jeremiah Hatfield, ancestor of the Floyd county Hatfields, left England to find a home in the New World. The date is lost in the mists of time but it was in the last decade or two of the eighteenth century. He found himself in Powell's Valley, Virginia, in the 1790's where he was married. Here his first child, Samuel, was born late in the decade. Birthdate of Samuel, afterward hero of the Battle of Lake Erie, was either in 1795 or 1796.

It is uncertain, too, when Jeremiah Hatfield brought his family to Floyd county. It was before 1816, for the first Mrs. Hatfield had died and Jeremiah remarried Aug. 17, 1816 to Sally Waller. The family was settled in Johns Creek, probably in the area of the present Dewey Dam site. News of the War of 1812 had filtered back to Floyd county and many young men were going off to fight.

Came May 1813 and Thos. Dye Owings, of Owingsville, Bath county, Ky., lately commissioned Colonel, came to Prestonsburg seeking recruits. Young Samuel Hatfiel, now 18 years old, enlisted. The date was May 24 and the term of enlistment was 12 months. He was sent, with others, to serve under Gen. William Henry Harrison, in Ohio. Organization of the 28th U. S. Regt. was soon completed. Owings was named colonel

Gen. Harrison was stationed at Lower Sandusky, awaiting military developments, particularly the building by Commodore Hazard Perry, of a fleet on Lake Erie to challenge Commodre H. R. Barclay, the British commander of a fleet standing nearby and watching with amusement the preparations of the Americans. Commodore Barclay, onearmed naval veteran, had a formidable flotilla of vessels under his command. He had six men-of-war and 63 guns. Both the British and American fleets had about 500 men each. Perry's flag ship, the Lawrence, carried high on the mast a battle flag with the legend, "Don't give up the ship." The men cheered when it was run up.

Many Eastern Kentuckians were enlistees under Gen. Harrison, afterwards President. He had received a request from Perry for a few sharpshooters to station in the foretop of his vessels with orders to pick off the British officers. Harrison sent Perry 120 volunteers, all Kentuckians. One of them was Samuel Hatfield. The Floyd countian has been described to us as "five feet, eight inches high, dark black eyes and dark complexion.

These Eastern Kentuckians were a wild bunch. When they came aboard the flagship Lawrence, they lost all semblance of discipline. They became completely irrepressible, once aboard. They climbed to the masthead, invaded the sick bay, even the captain's cabin. As they roamed over the ship they paused only to wonder at the accoutrements of naval warfare. Perry, looking at these wild men dressed in linsey-woolsey hunting shirts and drawers, was at first nightly amused at Hattield and his comrades but soon, fearing for the longrange effect on general discipline, had the officers to calm them down.

Perry sent for the Kentuckians, questioned them at length. History records for us his interview with Hatfield: "Where are you from, soldier?" "I'm from Kentucky," Hatfield replied. "What part of Kentucky are you from, Hatfield?" Perry asked. "I'm from the Eastern part, the mountains," he answered. "Isn't there a lot of game up there and did you do any hunting?" "There is much game there," Hatfield told the commander. "Are you a good shot," Perry asked. "I am," Hatfield

Perry then told Hatfield he would be placed in the "foretop" and his duty would be to pick off the British, particularly the officers. "You won't have any difficulty in picking them out," Perry said. "They will all have red uniforms." Hatfield was dismissed. Record of the conversation would have slipped into the limbo of unremembered things many decades ago except that Hatfield spelled it out when he made application, for pension at Prestonsburg June 27, 1872 before John G. Johns, Floyd county clerk. It was 1969 before a historian, Anderson Chenault Quisenberry, in his book, "Kentucky in the War of 1812," got around to writing about this heroic band of sharpshooting Kentuckians.

Sept. 10, 1813, the battle was joined when the six British ships, led by Commodore R. H. Barclay, pulled up anchor off Amhurstburg and Ft. Malden and began the short cruise across Lake Erie.

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At first the American fleet was hampered by lack of wind and the guns of the British ship Detroit began to blast holes in Perry's flagship. This was near noon. By 2:30 p.m. Perry realized he must abandon the Lawrence. He had at the start of the battle 103 men on the Lawrence. Eighty-five were either killed or wounded.

Hatfield, high in the rigging that was fast being shot to shreds, was firing as fast as possible at the red coats on the Detroit when he was ordered down by an officer. Untying himself, he descended to the deck of the Lawrence, now filled with the dead and dying. Commodore Perry was having a boat lowered. When he had entered the small craft he motioned for Hatfield to follow. The Floyd countian was not thinking of history when he sat down on the side of the boat and began to help row for his and his commander's life. As long as Americans have history books there will be pictures of Perry switching ships and one of the men rowing fiercely as shot and shell fell. The man at the oars was Samuel Hatfield, landsman from the mountains of Ken-

The boat having reached the Niagara, the men were hauled aboard and Hatfield again climbed a high foretop with his rifle. Lashing himself to the mast as he had done on the Lawrence, he began to set his sights on red coats on the Detroit. There was the crack of his rifle and there was a British eyeless on the enemy ship. Twenty minutes of devastating fire from the Americans made a shambles of Barclay's decks. Barclay himself was wounded. All his officers and seconds were either dead or severely wounded. The Eastern Kentuckians, who had learned to shoot in the forests of their native hills, had done their deadly work. Barclay ordered his flags pulled down. It had been only twenty minutes since Perry had switched from the Lawrence to the Niagara.

The guns ceased firing and Perry went back to the deck of the bloody Lawrence, which had not sunk, to receive the sword of Barclay. Hatfield stayed on the deck of the Niagara. Perry, when he had returned to the Niagara, wrote a brief dispatch to Gen. Harrison: "Dear General: We have met the enemy and they are ours-two ships, two brigs, one schooner, and a sloop." In a few weeks the War of 1812 was over. Hatfield's term of service had expired in May and he planned to return to Johns Creek.

On May 24, 1814, one-year from the time he had enlisted at Prestonsburg, he appeared before Capt. Jos. C. Betts at Fort Covington in Canada and asked for a discharge. It was 500 miles from Fort Covington to Floyd county, and he asked for the remainder of his pay and enough rations to see him home. Capt. Betts was very obliging. He wrote out, in Hatfields's discharge application, a description of the mountain soldier to prevent impersonation. Betts listed all the arms and clothing that had been issued to him and stated these were satisfactorialy accounted for. Returned were a hat, two pairs of socks, two pairs of shoes, two shirts, two pairs of woolen pantaloons, one blanket, one roundabout whatever this item might have been. Divested of all this paraphernalia and with money and rations, he set out to walk 500 miles back to the mountains of

He had not been on the road but a few days until he became ill and had to stop. It was a month before he recovered enough to resume his journey. We do not know the nature of his illness but surmise it was the result of long marches in the cold of the Ohio and lower Canadian spring. He had been one of the 18 uninjured on the Lawrence and had survived the rigors of a Canadian winter, only to be brought down by an obscure sickness in the aftermath of campaign.

We do not know when he arrived back home but it was probably in early July. 1814, for in late June he was at Cincinnati. He had walked across the state of Ohio and was now turning his face homeward. April 12, 1815, Samuel married Polly Franklin at Prestonsburg. They reared 14 children of whom John was the eldest. Samuel, with such a large family, needed land and he set about its acquisition. At first he acquired by patent 50 acres in 1824, somewhere in the Brandy Keg Creek area, and in 1837 he acquired 200 more acres.

It was 1860 before the state of Kentucky got around to recognizing properly the services of the Kentucky volunteers at the Battle of Lake Erie but by that time only six were still alive. These were Hatfield, James Artus, of Mason county, Dr. William T. Taliaferro, in 1860 living in Cincinnati but formerly of Kentucky, John Tucker, of Mason county, and Ezra Youngglove, county not stated. The

TEENA'S 5 MINUTE CAR WASH

Kentucky General Assembly on Feb. 11, 1860, passed the following resolution that the Governor of the Commonwealth and he is hereby authorized and directed to procure suitable gold medals with

appropriate inscriptions and devices and in the name of the State of Kentucky to present to each of the surviving officers and men of the Kentucky volunteers . The medals cost \$120 each but there were only six survivors. Hatfield received his, carried the token of his bravery for years. In the last year of his life, at 110 years, he went to Prestonsburg and made the mistake of showing the medal to a storekeeper named Frazier. He may have left it with Frazier for awhile. Anyway it disappeared and the Hatfields were outraged. They marched in a body to Prestonsburg, went to the Frazier store, demanded its return. But the precious medal was nowhere to be found in the store. Hatfield went back to Brandy Keg and died that year, 1905. He had lived in three centuries.

If is difficult to reconstruct the names of the children of Samuel and Polly Franklin Hatfield. In the household on Brandy Keg Creek were 14 children if we are to believe tradition. The 1850 Floyd county census lists eight children-John, Owen, Alta, Samuel, Jr., Martha, Shadrick, and William Henry Harrison, his name shortened by nickname to "B. When Samuel Hatfield died in 1905 his son, Owen, who had married Alta West, moved into the homeplace. Owen and Alta had three children-Augusta, Lewis W., and Jack, who died unmarried.

Many elderly Floyd countians, especially in the Johns Creek, Brandy Keg and Prestonsburg area remember 'Uncle B" Hatfield, as he was called. In his old age he was wont to take long walks up and down Johns Creek, his visage featured with long gray whiskers. Lewis W. Hatfield, son of Owen Hatfield, married Mary Young, lived on George's Creek, Johnson county. He was a versatile man, being in his lifetime cooper, attorney, constable, and a practitioner of medicine. It was while he was a constable that he was shot but not fatally by Bob King. The memory of that shooting failed to die and years later "Uncle B" shot and killed King at or near Prestonsburg. 'Uncle B" married Susan Frazier. They had no children of their own but reared 26 children of their neighbors and relatives. Born in 1841, he attained the age of 107 years, three years short of his father Samuel who lived to be 110.

There are hundreds of descendants of Samuel Hatfield living in the Big Sandy valley today. But no one knows exactly where he lived or died or is buried. Somewhere a lonely Doric stone may mark an obscure grave, maybe not.

Tip Leads Officers To Illegal Booze

Information received by the Sheriff's office Saturday led to the recovery of a cache of illegal booze the same day on a hillside near Wheelwright.

Acting on the tip, Deputy Sheriffs Jarold Johnson and Ed Isaac found 38 pints of whiskey on the hillside. No arrests have yet been made in connection with the find

Others arrested over the past week, charges against each and arresting officers follow:

Paul Harris, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; James Norman Little, drunk driving, by State Troopers Sizemore and Stephens; Thomas Hayes, drunk driving, by State Trooper Williams; Hubert Sartin, reckless driving, by Wheelwright Police Harold and Mildred Bates; Billy B. Messer, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; Gary Tackett, drunk driving, by State Trooper Akers; Joyce Ann Jacobs, abandonment of a minor, by Constable Bob Hackworth; Arnold Akers, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D. and Melvin Martin; Ralph Akers, resisting arrest, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D. and Melvin Martin; Michael Akers, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs J. D. and Melvin Martin; Millard Pennington, crimincal mischief in the third degree, by City Policeman Kelly; Jesse Lee Lafferty, Jr., drunk driving, by Sgt. Darrel Conley; Leonard E. Poe, drunk driving, by City Policemen Trusty and Lawson; Ronald Collins, drunk driving, by City Policeman Lawson; Robert Jackson Rowe, drunk driving, by City Policemen Trusty and Chaffins; Taylor Walter Tyrone, drunk driving, by City Policemen Trusty and Chaffins; Gifford Osborne, drunk driving, by City Policemen Lawson and Cooley; Jeff Nelson, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis and Linzie Hunt; Warner Willis, Jr., drunk drkving, by City Policemen Lawson and Roberts.

IN APPRECIATION

I would like to thank everyone who has been so kind and thoughtful during the illness of my mother, Mrs. Josephine Haywood, who is undergoing treatment at U. K. Medical Center; also, the Rev. Grayson for his wonderful prayers. Mrs. Haywood appreciates the cards and letters from her many friends and relatives. Her mailing address is: Mrs. Josie Haywood, 569 Woodland Ave., St. Agnes House, Lexington, Ky. 40508.

MRS. DEXTER BALDRIDGE Prestonsburg, Ky.

A new 120-bed state veterans' nursing home in Florence, Colo., received its first patients this month. The VA provided 65 per cent of the funding for the \$1.4 million project. The balance was comprised of state, public and private donations. Head of the facility, Marie R. Baughman, is believed to be the first woman administrator of a state veterans' home in

City Receives Legislative Citations



Representative James "Jitter" Allen and State Senator Jim Hammond last week presented legislative citations to the City of Prestonsburg for having been selected an All-Kentucky City for the second time. It was first selected in 1968. The citations commended the citizens of Prestonsburg for their efforts in attaining the honor and pointed to "the involvement in developing the community and area pride." Pictured at the presentation made at city hall are, left to right, Harold Cooley, Cloyd Johnson, Estill Lee Carter, Curtis Clark, Mayor William O. Goebel, Jr., Rep. Allen, Sen. Hammond, Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce President Ted Nairn, Paul Phillip Hughes, Hansel Cooley, Donald Nunnery, Edgille "Shag" Branham and Ronald Hager.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Acknowledges Honor

I would like to take this means to publicly thank Mr. Philip Dingus, principal, and Mr. Raymond Griffith, Jr., coach, of the Martin School for naming their first Invitational Basketball Tournament in my honor

I have devoted 37 years of my life to the Martin School, 12 years as a student and 25 years as a teacher and coach. My greatest satisfaction is not in my personal accomplishments but in the achievement of the many fine girls and boys it was my privilege to teach and

I shall never forget those who wore the Purple and Gold.

DENZIL HALBERT Martin, Ky.

City Council Talks Mini-Park

The Goble-Roberts Addition mini-park was a major topic of discussion at Thursday night's Prestonsburg city council meeting as council members reviewed a map of the proposed park and made final plans for its preparation.

Julia May, director of the Prestonsburg Housing Commission, told the council the commission would loan the city playground equipment. The council also learned that the Church Housing Authority would lease recreational equipment. The council directed City Manager Curtis Clark to purchase additional equipment needed to supply the mini-park adequately

Fill work has been completed on the 100 x 200-ft. site which was purchased several years ago from the late John Branham. City officials hope to have the

park in full operation by summer. The annexation of the Sheep Field Hollow area and south side of Abbott Mountain into the city limits of Prestonsburg was discussed, and the council authorized an engineer's study so that annexation procedures could be initiated. In other business the council issued five taxi permits to Denzil Whitten and

mits were also issued to eight drivers of A committee was named at Thursday night's meeting to write officials of Ashland for suggestions in coping with

problems caused by truckers hauling

five to Geneva Joseph. Operators' per-

coal through the city limits. Ashland law enforcement officials have "cracked down' on coal trucks in recent months. The council received a \$3,524.02 check from Kentucky Power as a rebate from

the city's street light franchise, and the police judge's report for January showed \$2,598 collected in fines and fees. The city received a \$9,500 storm sewer

cleaner last Wednesday and by this week the new machine had been put to use, freeing storm sewers which regularly clog and flood city streets.

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Bible Study

More about 'Little Floyd'

Frankfort, Ky.-In the 1845 Acts of the

General Assembly, chapter 254, section three, page 95 states: "Be it . . . enacted that the county line between Floyd and Pike counties be so changed, on Mare Creek, as to include the farm of Tandy R. Stratton, on said creek, in Floyd county.'

Tandy Richard Stratton has long since been dead, but the controversy created by the boundary change in 1845 is still very much alive. Stratton's old farm and the land between his farm and the original Floyd-Pike line of 1821 has never been claimed by either Floyd or Pike

Today, a full 131 years after the creation of "Little Floyd," as this land became known, the General Assembly may move to straighten out the situation.

James "Jitter" Allen, Democratic representative from Floyd county, has indicated that he may ask the Legislative Research Commission to draft a bill to reaffirm the 1845 Act and recognize landowners on Stratton's old land and the land between his estate and the original Floyd-Pike line of 1821 as being Floyd county residents.

In addition, the bill would provide funds to survey the original Stratton estate to firmly establish the original boundaries between Little Floyd, Floyd and Pike counties.

Allen may introduce a bill because, he says, the people of Little Floyd cannot get road maintenance from either county. Compared to past difficulties, the



By LARRY BURKE

Very few of us have ever heard the word 'Patrin', and even fewer of us know its meaning. According to Webster it is a noun meaning a gipsy trail marked by leaves, bunches of grass, etc.

The gipsy would mark trails for his friends to follow. His friend knew what to look for, and had no difficulty in staying on the trail his predecessor had designated.

In a sense, we all leave a patrin in life. There is always someone who follows us. For example, our children make the turns we have made, though unaware, their journey through life will be pretty well in our footsteps. We blazed the trail-we marked the crossroads. With this in mind we should be constantly looking back over our shoulders.

After all, hasn't our own course been influenced by someone else's patrin?

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residents of Little Floyd never had it so

It used to be that taxes could not be assessed the residents of Little Floyd by Pike county because they considered the land part of Floyd county. Floyd county could not collect taxes, either, because the sheriff did not have jurisdiction in what he thought was Pike county.

Also, the residents of Little Floyd had to vote by absentee ballot because they were technically from both Pike and Floyd counties.

Who was Tandy Stratton, anyway, and why was the Floyd-Pike line changed to include his farm?

In 1821 when Pike county was created, mostly from Floyd territory, the line was drawn straight from north to south, bisecting Buffalo Creek, Mare Creek and Floyd-Pike Hollow. Stratton's farm, located in the headwaters of Mare Creek, was placed in Pike county.

The new line would not seem to draw the ire of anybody but Tandy's grandfather, Solomon Stratton. The elder Stratton had directed the layout of Prestonsburg in Floyd county and Piketon, now Pikeville, which was looked upon as an upstart village by the Floyd county establishment, of which Tandy considered himself a member.

According to Allen, Stratton "got himself a legislator" whom he sent to Frankfort for the sole purpose of getting the General Assembly to put his farm back in Floyd county

Everything would have been all right except for the small fact that Stratton's farm did not touch Floyd county anywhere, thus creating a half-mile strip of land between the Stratton farm and Floyd county with no county allegiance.

Cartographers, in preparing the Broad Bottom Quadrangle, which includes the land in question, did not learn of the 1845 Act dealing with the area because the title of the Act was, "An Act establishing additional election precincts in Harrison and Crittenden counties and for other purposes." The confusion concerning Little Floyd has never ended.

Before considering a bill, Allen asked an opinion from the Attorney General on the matter. It was suggested that all interested parties file suit in circuit court in hopes that the court may direct the county surveyor, or some other licensed surveyor, to figure out the boundary line fixed by the creation of Pike county in 1821 and the amending Act of 1845.

Whatever happens, Rep. Allen perhaps understates things when he says: "Sometime or other we've got to come up with a boundary between Floyd and Pike

Constitutional Amendments Discussed in Committee

Frankfort, Kv.-A Kentucky Senate committee last week began discussion of five proposed constitutional amendments, but took not action on any of

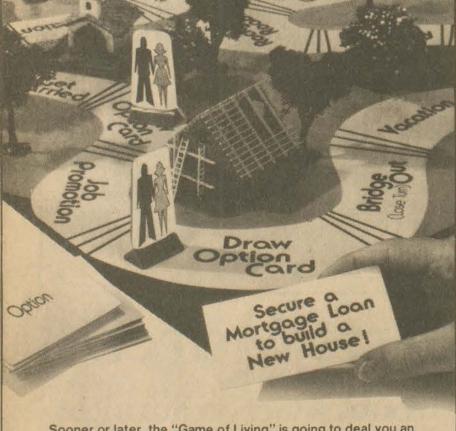
Those amendments were:

-A proposal to allow convicted felons to work outside prisons during the day. -A bill to allow leaders of each house of the General Assembly, "upon request of the majority of the members," to call a special legislative session for the purpose of considering nor more than five sub-

-A proposal to amend the state constitution to grant equality of rights under the law to both sexes.

-A proposal to amend the state constitution to make eligible for the homestead exemption any person who is permanently and totally disabled. -A proposal to require all state

elections be held in even-numbered



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Floyd County Health Notes

Health Educator

A public health nurse will be conducting two pap smear clinics with the first pap clinic to be held tomorrow, Feb. 26, at the Floyd County Health Department from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. On Wednesday, March 3, a pap smear clinic will be held at the Wayland Elementary School from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The health department reminds all women that they should have a pap smear at least once a year in order to have continuing protection against cervical cancer.

These clinics are free and all women are welcome to attend.

Monday, March 1, a public health nurse will hold an outpost clinic at the Beaver Valley Clinic in Martin. The clinic will last from 10 to 2 with the following services available: Immunizations, TB skin tests, diabetes screening, pap smears and blood pressures

All persons in the Martin area are urged to take advantage of these free medical services being offered in their community.

The University of Kentucky Medical Center, Department of Neurology, will conduct a regional neurology clinic at the Floyd County Health Department, Thursday, March 4, from 8 a.m. till 3

Any patient who wishes to see a neurologist at this clinic must be referred by a physician and must be under 21 years of age.

Your Support Will Be Appreciated

I am a candidate for County Attorney in the primary election in May of 1976.

There are many complex problems in County Government today. I do not intend to make a promise that I can not perform if elected to this office.

I summon all good men and women to my side. The complex problems mentioned above can not be solved in one day but we must make an effort to restore faith in our system of government. "Let us dare to try." The faith that I speak of holds that all men are equal before the Law and protected by it. Justice must be done beyond prejudice, beyond rancor, beyond the possibility of a fix. Faith and confidence are the bedrock of all types of Government. We must work together if we are to solve the problems which we

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ISSUES REMINDER The Floyd county chapter of the national Heart Fund organization reminded residents this week to make contributions only to those persons wearing a heart fund name tag.

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Winner of the county pageant will enter the Miss Kentucky Pageant held to select the state representative who will them compete for the crown of Miss America in the national competition in Atlantic

Mrs. Brown also announced planning committees, and said that local and civic organizations in the area are being requested to sponsor contestants for the pageant which will be held at 8 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Fieldhouse.

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A new chapter of TOPS, Inc. has been formed here in Prestonsburg. TOPS is a non-profit organization formed to help all people with the problem of overweight. It is based on group therapy, competition and motivation

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VISITING SISTER HERE

Mrs. Carrie Banks and daughters, Brenda and Mrs. Roland Orr, of Detroit, Michigan, came Sturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Russell Hagewood. The daughters returned home Monday, leaving Mrs. Banks for an extended visit with Mrs. Hagewood.

IMPROVED THIS WEEK

Mrs. R. G. Francis is improved this week from an attack of flu. Her sister, Miss Anna Laura May, has been attending to her needs.

HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. Garland H. Rice and Mrs. Wm. Garland, of Paintsville, visited Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, here last Sunday af-

RECUPERATING FROM PNEUMONIA Danny Howard has been a pneumonia patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center for the past two weeks. He hopes to be dismissed this week.

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TO GIVE CONCERT SATURDAY EVENING

"The Master's Men," of Columbus, Ohio, will present a concert at the First United Methodist Church here at 7 o'clock, Saturday, February 28. They appeared here in concert several months

METHODIST YOUTH TO SERVE SUNDAY DINNER

The youth assembly of the First United Methodist Church will serve dinner at noon, February 29, in the church dining room. They will appreciate the patronage of the public and members of the church.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Combs entertained over the week-end his niece, Mrs. Catherine Spisso, of Washington, D. C., and John Walch, of Silver Springs, Maryland. They returned home Monday.

RETURNS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Schoolcraft returned from Lafollette, Tenn. last week. She is ill this week with flu.

REOVERING AFTER SURGERY

Dan Goble, who underwent recent major surgery at Highlands Medical Center, has resumed part-time work with the Strand Theatre.

IN HOSPITAL HERE

Beekle Ray, of the Abbott road, is a patient the Highlands Medical Center, where he is undergoing examination and treatment.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Willie Sparks returned home last week from a ten-day stay in Highlands Regional Medical Center. He is convalescing at his home.

VISIT AT M. E. PARSONAGE

Miss Janet Lee, of Mt. Sterling, visited Rev. and Mrs. Walter Applegate at the Methodist Parsonage, last week. Bob Lee, student at Eastern University, was the week-end guest of Rev. and Mrs. Applegate. He was guest soloist at the morning service of the First United Methodist Church, last Sunday

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sloane, of Pikeville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sparks here last Sunday.

SUNDAY CALLERS IN PIKEVILLE Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel, Mrs.

George T. Roberts and Mrs. Tom Fields visited Mrs. E. D. Roberts, last Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm.Baird, III, in Pikeville. Mrs. Roberts is greatly improved from hip surgery in Lexington recently. She hopes to return

MOVE INTO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Nunnery and family moved into their new home recently completed on East Court Street.

RETURN TO MASSACHUSETTS

Miss Kate Lillis, who has been associated with the Appalachian Research and Defense, Inc. for several months, completed her tenure here last week and returned to her college studies. She was visited by friends who accompanied her to New York on Friday.

VISITING DAUGHTER AT DAVID Mr. and Mrs. Frank, of Harrisonburg, Va., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Robert Valentine, and family at David.

IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. Catherine Weicher was admitted to Highlands Regional Medical Center, Sunday, for observation and treatment.

DOING NICELY FROM SURGERY

Mrs. Ethel S. Cross will be returning home early this week from Highlands Regional Medical Center, after undergoing an emergency appendectomy. She is recovering nicely.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA VACATION Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dingus returned home last week from a vacation of a week in Naples, Florida, with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose. They called on relatives en route home.

HOME FROM WEEK-END VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan and Mrs. Grace L. Burke returned home Sunday from a week-end spent with Miss Sarah Buchanan, student at Western University. Mrs. Burke visited her son, Dr. and Mrs. Winston L. Burke in Lexington, returning home with the Buchanans on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Schroder, of Decatur, Nebraska, have been visiting Mrs. Schroder's family this week. They have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hyden, of Prestonsburg.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Herald, of Goble-Roberts Addition, had the following guests for dinner, Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Schroder, of Decatur Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hyden, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hyden and Dougie, Mr. and Mrs. David May, Mrs. Gladys Wallen, of Prestonsburg, Mickey Lawson, of Harold, and Rhoda Herald.

HOLDS WEEKLY MEETING

Tops Inc. (take off pounds sensibly) held its weekly meeting at Prestonsburg Community College, Martin Building, last Monday night at 7. Mrs. Evelyn Parker, of Allen, is the leader.

GOES TO FLORIDA

County Judge Henry Stumbo is in Palm Beach, Fla., where his brother, George Stumbo, was scheduled Monday to undergo surgery.

ON FISHING TRIP

Earl Castle and son Mike left last Friday for 10 days' fishing in Florida.

VISIT PARENTS HERE

Mrs. George Litton and daughter, Laura Hale, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hale.

MOVING HERE FROM LEXINGTON Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Don Roark and son, Johnathan, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Fanny Jarrell. Mr. and Mrs. Hall have sold their Lexington property and are returning here after his retirement, to live in their recently remodeled home on Arnold Ave.

ATTENDING HEALTH CONFERENCE

Mrs. Alice Howard, Miss Connie Smith, John Bailey and Worley Johnson are in Louisville this week attending a conference.

SUNDAY CALLERS

Mrs. Delena Dooley and Mrs. Irene Hester, of Bull Creek, visited their cousin, Mrs. Fanny Jarrel, Sunday af-

IN PIKEVILLE THURDAY

Mrs. Henry Curtis and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards were in Pikeville last Thursday on business. Mrs. J. R. Herron, who had been Mrs. Curtis' houseguest for a few days, returned to her home in Pikeville with them.

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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 By OLIVER HALL Chairman and General Manager

Love Stories—Some Old, Some New

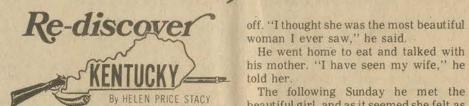
John Wells married Lydia Rupe more than 70 years ago. It was a case of love at first sight. He remembers seeing her walking along a country road, and turning to a friend, saying, "There is the girl I'm going to marry.

The Menifee county couple has weathered the years with grace and considerable dignity, and it was Lydia who said on their 75th wedding anniversary, two years ago, "He's still a

In nearby Powell county, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stewart have been married 70

Joel Gordon Henry and Frances Yocum Henry, of Morgan county, had been married 72 years when he died four years ago. Their marriage, too, resulted from love at first sight. He was in uniform and sat across from her in a country church where he turned to his friend and told him that the young lady across the aisle would be his future wife.

Another love story that began at "first sight" occurred 128 years ago when Judge George Morgan Thomas, of Vanceburg, saw the girl who would become his wife.



In 1911 Judge Thomas, who was a U.S. Congressman many years, wrote to his daughter Araminta and gave an account of his meeting the girl he would marry. The letter was used by Dr. William Talley in his book, "Northeastern Kentucky Papers," and now is in the private collection of W. C. Dugan, Vanceburg.

George M. Thomas described the schools he attended, starting with the one taught by William Smith on Kinney (Kinniconick) Creek in 1836. He started teaching in 1846 at Myers School, near Concord, then hired on a flatboat bound for New Orleans. His pay for the 33-day trip was \$16.50 "in silver. I was prouder of that \$16.50 than I would be of a thousand dollars today.

He started teaching again and in the fall of 1847 went to Mississippi where he worked at chopping wood, became ill and was told by his doctor he would not live 24 hours. "I could not turn over in my bed of straw and boards." But he did not believe a word the doctor told him about his not getting well. "Will power helps medicine," said Thomas

He returned again to Lewis county and on the day he left for Clarksville to resume teaching, he decided to attend services at Bethel Church.

Easter Seal Drive To Begin, March 1

The 1976 Easter Seal campaign will begin Monday, March 1 and continue through Easter Sunday, April 18. Former Governor Bert Combs, of Louisville, state Easter Seal chairman, has an-

Sponsored by the Kentucky Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults, the funds raised are used to provide care and treatment for handicapped Kentuckians.

In urging that Kentuckians give widespread support to the Easter Seal drive. Combs pointed out that the cost of care and treatment services has increased greatly during the past year.

'This is our main appeal to the general public," Combs emphasized. "The number of physically handicapped in the state is becoming greater each year. Our goal is to provide more services for more crippled children in Kentucky.

He went home to eat and talked with

his mother. "I have seen my wife," he The following Sunday he met the beautiful girl, and as it seemed she felt as he did, their courtship began. Late in 1849

they pledged their love to one another and set their wedding date. The couple married July 8, 1850. 'That was a true love match at sight,"

wrote Judge Thomas to his daughter. The marriage prospered with mutual

affection and understanding. They began housekeeping, aided some by relatives. The groom had saved \$200, in keeping with a life principle of always having a surplus. They did not spend the surplus to buy extra furniture or housewares but used only \$25 of it to get started.

Thomas later studied law, was elected school commissioner, county attorney, county judge, member of the legislature, circuit judge, and in 1881 was appointed United States Attorney, and later was with the Internal Revenue Service. Judge Thomas retured in 1901

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APPLE-

Rev. Darrell Jones has been named chairman of the Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon to fight children's lung-damaging diseases, according to Stanley H. Tichenor, president of the Bluegrass Chapter, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Rev. Jones will lead local volunteers in organizing a Bike-A-Thon in Allen. The funds that are raised will support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like Cystic Fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis.

The Bike-A-Thon will be held during March or April.

Sewing a large topcoat button on the top of the shoulder of a hunting jacket will keep a rifle sling from slipping off and will free both hands when necessary.—SPORTS AFIELD

Carroll Backs Legislation To Keep 'Repeaters' in Prison

habitual criminals in Kentucky, Gov. Julian Carroll is seeking legislation that would prohibit probation or conditional discharge to persons convicted of a

felony for the second time. Gov. Carroll, made the announcement Friday during a press conference where he unveiled his proposed legislative changes in the state's two-year old penal

code. The governor also called for a minimum 10-year sentence for persons found guilty of a third felony offense.

According to Carroll, "for years, prosecutors have been hampered with the current persistent felony offender laws, since they call for the actual serving of time before a defendant can be classified as a habitual offender.'

As a result, he proposed two changes in the state's penal code to "help alleviate this problem." The proposals would disallow any type of probation to a second felony offender, regardless of whether or not he actually was incarcerated for the first offense.

His proposal also would prohibit any form of probation or conditional discharge of anyone who commits an offense while on probation, and would further prohibit concurrent sentences for

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In Harlan county, descendants of Jonathan Kelly, who was born in 1760 on New River, Va., and his wife, Patience Spencer Kelly, have always been told they and George Washington were related. This blood relationship was through Patience Kelly.

The couple had 12 children and on long winter evenings around the fireside in their Kentucky mountain home, Patience would tell her children, "I am kin to George Washington and if I am kin to him, then you are, too.

Jonathan, according to family legend, was the son of (some say, brother of) John Patrick Kelly who fought in the Revolutionary War.

Family history indicates that John Patrick Kelly was the son of Lawrence Kelly who was born in 1727 in Ireland, stowed away on a ship bound for Virginia and at age 30 fought in the French and Indian War under Maj. Andrew Lewis.

The Swango family of Kentucky does not claim kinship with George Washington, but there is an important connection

According to Harley S. Little, now of Dayton, Ohio, but formerly of Eastern Kentucky, his ancestors, William Swango, wife and son Abraham, left their native Germany in about 1714. Mrs. Swango became ill on the ship, died and was buried at sea. William and son Abraham, 14, left the ship in Philadelphia, but soon the father became ill and died and Abraham was completely

"He became a wagon maker by trade," stated Little, "and was married to Ailsie Pyles in Old Swedes Church, Wilmington, Delaware, in 1760.

The couple then moved to Frederick county, Va. "Abraham became a lessee of George Washington." Original records of this transaction have been located in Virginia. "The lease called for building of all necessary buildings, clearing land, setting fruit trees and other work, all according to a plan laid down by Washington.

Abraham and Ailsie had four sons and three daughters. The family moved to Kentucky in about 1783. Their first son Samuel, born in 1765, and wife settled along Red River and the remainder of the family lived two years near Lexington, then moved on to the vicinity of Warsaw. Abraham and Ailsie are buried near Warsaw

Samuel Swango's son Abraham (grandson of Abraham and Ailsie) married Deborah Ogden and settled in Wolfe county. "This Abraham walked from his home to Mt. Sterling to enlist on April 30, 1813," stated Little, "and served

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in the War of 1812 at Detroit in Capt Henry Daniel's company and Capt Johnson Magowen's company, commanded by Col. Thomas Deye Owings, of Owingsville.

Chap (Henry Chapman) Swango, the youngest son of Abraham and Deborah, was a captain in the 5th Ky. Infantry Regiment and fought in the Floyd county Battle of Ivy Mountain in the Civil War. Chap Swango was ambushed and killed on his parents' porch on a visit back

According to Little, Abraham and Deborah's second son, Harrison Swango, married Annie Rose in 1837. Among their children were Capt. David Franklin Swango, commanding officer of Co. E, CSA, who was killed at Mt. Sterling in 1864 when John Hunt Morgan's troops took the town; and Lt. William H. Swango, who was killed in action in Virginia while fighting with Confederate forces against Union troops, and is buried in Tazewell, Va.

As history sometimes takes strange turns to reach certain roads, descendants of the young Abraham who helped George Washington plant trees and beautify grounds in Virginia, married into the Nancy Hanks family. Emilie Jane Swango (daughter of Abraham and Deborah) married William F. Hanks, grandson of Fielding and Lydia Harper Hanks and grandson of Abraham Hanks. Jesse Swango (son of Abraham and Deborah) was married Sept. 11, 1852 in Edgar County, Ill. to Nancy Jane Hanks.

This year would be a perfect one to plan pleasure trips and vacations to places where research can be done on family history. It is nice to learn that an ancestor was a skilled mason, seamstress, cook, artist, horticulturist or farmer, and especially interesting to discover that some of them were related to kings, queens and presidents or once

Wholesale Ends Stay in P'burg Of 36 Years

The Central Wholesale Company, a branch of the Williams Grocery Co., Paintsville, this week ended a 36-year stay in Prestonsburg.

Retail customers of the firm were notified several days ago of the proposed closing of the branch here, and last of the stock was being loaded Monday onto trucks and moved to the main Paintsville

Kermit Baldridge, Sr., manager of Central Wholesale, said the decision to close was not because of any lack of business but was prompted by the difficulty encountered in getting help, particularly in the matter of transport.

"All our stock was hauled from Paintsville here," Mr. Baldridge said. "By closing, the company is simply deciding to pull back to the main store and eliminate handling from Williams Wholesale in Paintsville to Central Wholesale here.'

Central Wholesale served merchants in Floyd, Knott and Pike counties. It normally employed seven to eight persons. O. P. Williams, Jr. is head of the Williams Grocery Company.

Central Wholesale first opened here in the First street building now occupied by the Thomas Hereford Company, then moved to its present location on South Lake Drive in 1946.

Mr. Baldridge said he will work temporarily at Williams Wholesale in Paintsville, then take a rest, explaining, "I haven't had a vacation in 17 years."

The Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) requires disclosure of pension and benefit plan provisions and financial information and establishes standards of conduct for trustees and administrators of plans, the U. S. Department of Labor reports.

Fifth Generation



Casey Dean Bartley, above, 14-monthold son of Randy and Debi Newsome Bartley, of Springport, Mich., represents the fifth generation of the family of Mrs. Lula Prater, of the Middle Creek Road, and the late Robert Prater. He is the great-great-grandson of Mrs. Prater; the great-grandson of Cedi and Ruth Woods Prater, of Springport, Mich., formerly of Middle Creek, and the grandson of Archie and Leora Prater Newsome, also of Springport, formerly of Melvin.

Consumer **Comments**

(Attorney General)

During 1975, the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection received 3,926 written consumer complaints. Close to 300 of these complaints involved problems with goods ordered through the mail:

The complaints fell into three categories: failure to receive the merchandise within a reasonable length of time, failure of companies to answer inquiries consumers have about orders, and failure to receive refunds.

The Federal Trade Commission has been investigating this consumer dilemma for several years, and has recently issued a new trade regulation which gives the buying public new rights to assist in resolving problems with mail order companies.

The new rule becomes effective Feb. 2, 1976, and covers all mail ordered items except: (1) subscriptions, such as magazines ordered for serial delivery, after the initial shipment is properly made, (2) seeds and growing plants, (3) orders made on C.O.D. basis, or (4) goods ordered or sent under negative

It establishes the basic requirement that mail order companies ship ordered merchandise to the buyer within company-advertised time periods or, if no such time is advertised, within 30 days after receiving the buyer's order.

If these deadlines cannot be met by the company, the consumer must be notified within the advertised time period for shipment of the order or, when no time is advertised, within 30 days after the company receives the consumer's order. At this time the company must give the consumer an option to either consent to a delay in shipment or to cancel the order and receive a prompt refund of money.

The company is also required to supply a cost-free means, such as a postage-paid card, for the consumer to notify the company of his or her intentions. If a consumer wants to cancel or consent to a delay, this card must be returned. If the consumer fails to respond to the notice of delay in delivery, the company can assume that the buyer agrees to the 30day delay in delivery. If there is to be a delay beyond that, the buyer must consent to it in writing.

If the consumer has paid by cash, check or money order, and cancels and requests a refund, the company has seven days to make a refund. If the consumer used a credit card to pay for the merchandise, the company is permitted one billing cycle to credit the consumer's account

The most important aspect of this new trade regulation rule is the option to cancel. When you receive a notice that your merchandise will not be shipped by the originally designated time, make sure that you return the post-paid card if you want to cancel the transaction and get your money back.

In addition to the help provided to consumers by this new FTC rule, the U. S. Postal Service will continue to provide assistance in resolving complaints about mail order purchases.

If you have a complaint concerning mail order purchases write to the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, The Capitol, Room 34, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

TEHRAN, Iran-The Shah of Iran warned major Western oil companies that violations of their oil agreement with Iran will bring an increase in the price of crude oil.

Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlevi complained that production and pur-chase of Iranian oil by the companies had fallen below the 1973 agreement and that the companies had failed to pay their share of exploration costs.

The Shah did not specify what increase he had in mind, but it would presumably cover the exploration costs. Iran is a leading memeber of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries and bases its oil prices on OPE's standard of \$11.51 per barrel.

ERDA Launches Program To Produce Devonian Shales Gas

ment Administration (ERDA) has launched a new program to stimulate the production of natural gas from Devonian shale in the eastern United States.

The Devonian shale formation underlies approximately 150,000 square miles between the Appalachian Mountains and the Mississippi River from New York as far south as Tennessee. The formation ranges in thickness from 200 to 3,000 feet. Studies indicate 500 quadrillion cubic feet of natural gas may be contained in these tight geologic formations. The shales remain untapped because they cannot be developed economically with current technology.

ERDA's program, funded with \$10 million during the current fiscal year, is designed to stimulate increased commercial production of natural gas by providing reliable resource date, developing economical extraction alternatives, and demonstrating the commercial feasibility of promising production techniques.

Dr. Philip C. White, Assistant Administrator for Fossil Energy, ERDA, said initial planning is focusing on a fiveyear plan of activities leading to the achievement of resource assessment and alternative technology development.

The resource evaluation portion of the program includes surface and subsurface mapping, structural studies, geochemical studies, clay mineralogy studies, borehole-gravity surveys, and data acquisition and processing for an appraisal of potential gas reservoirs in the Devonian shales throughout the Appalachian Basin. Much of the needed data and analyses will be obtained from universities and state geologic surveys of

Gas production from the shale depends upon finding or making fractures-either naturally-occurring or man-made-in the shale. Technology development work already in progress in the Appalachian region includes limited field projects on water and foam hydraulic fracturing, chemical-explosive fracturing and study of natural fractures both by field investigation and aerial photography.

Laboratory work also includes chemical, physical, elemental and mineralogical studies; fractureorientation determination on cores, statistical analyses of fracturing data, and cost-effectiveness studies of fracturing techniques. This work also will be augmented by field projects resulting from requests for proposals now being issued on massive hydraulic fracturing and chemical explosive fracturing, as well as from unsolicited proposals that

complement the technology development of the program.

The program should define the zones most likely to yield natural gas and prescribe the best techniques for

The program will be managed by the Gas Stimulation Branch of the Division of Oil, Gas, and Shale Technology and the Morgantown (West Virginia) Energy Research Center. The U.S. Geological Survey will provide coordination and assistance in the resource assessment activities.

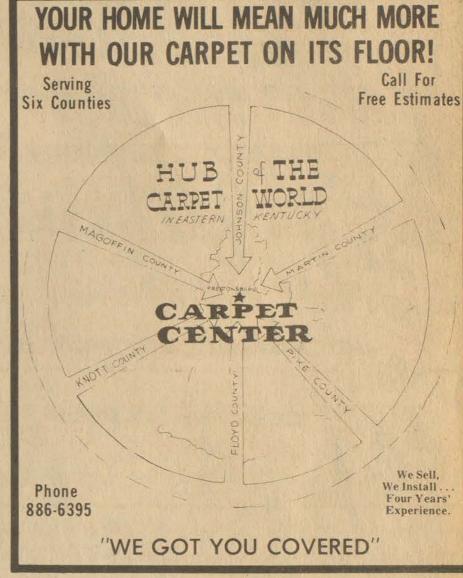
Farmers in Kentucky intend to plant 36,000 acres of sorghum during 1976, the same as 1975. Intended sorghum acreage in the 48 states surveyed is 18.6 million acres compared with 18.3 million in 1975.

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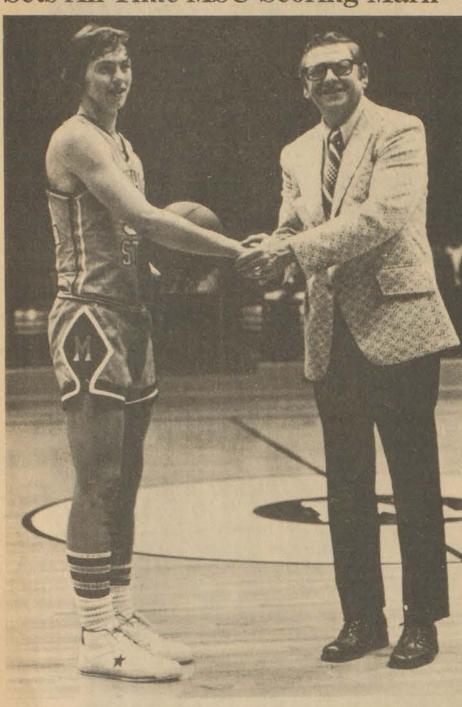
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Knott County's Herbie Stamper Sets All-Time MSU Scoring Mark



Morehead State University freshman guard Herbie Stamper, left, accepts the game ball from MSU Head Baseball Coach Sonny Allen after Stamper had eclipsed Allen's freshman scoring mark. Allen scored 400 points during his freshman year in 1946-'47 and Stamper broke the mark with a 25-point effort in MSU's 76-63 win over Austin Peay.

Morehead, Ky.-Herbie Stamper, the 6-3 freshman guard from Knott County Central High School, last week became the leading freshman scorer in Morehead State University basketball history and received a standing ovation from more

"It was a real thrill to set the record," said Stamper. "But the best part was beating Austin Peay and pulling closer to

Stamper and his MSU teammates had completed a 76-63 win over Austin Peay and raised their Ohio Valley Conference

"Herbie is truly a pure shooter," said former recordholder Sonny Allen. "But the thing that makes him so tough is his

ability to control his body under the

Allen, now MSU's baseball coach, held the record for nearly 30 years after scoring 400 points during his freshman season in 1946-'47. He later became an

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All-American at MSU and is the only Eagle to be honored four times as an allconference selection Stamper established the new mark

with 12 minutes to play when he triggered a 16-foot jump shot.

'Herbie was passed over by some schools who felt he was too slow," said MSU Head Coach Jack Schalow. "But Assistant Coach Jimmy Russell said he could play and I am very glad I listened

Stamper has been in the Eagle starting lineup since the season opener and is the favorite of the MSU fans

He opened his career with a 26-point outburst and his average has been over 20 points all year. He scored his season high on Jan. 10 with 35 against Marshall.

player," said the shy Stamper. 'Although I didn't see him play, I know I have broken the record of a fine gen-

Allen presented Stamper with the game ball following the emotional win as fans in the packed Wetherby Gymnasium thundered their approval.

MSU President Adron Doran announced Tuesday that MSU's remaining regular season home game, Feb. 26 against East Tennessee, has been designated "Herbie Stamper Night" in honor of the young sharpshooter.

'My freshman year has been very gratifying," said Stamper. "The people here have been great and that makes me want to win even more.

The purpose of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) is to protect the interests of workers and their beneficiaries who depend on benefits from employee pension and welfare plans, according to the U.S. Department of Labor.

Local Sports

The 1975-1976 basketball season will come to an end for the regular season this Saturday night, and the 58th District Tournament for both boy's and girls will get underway Wednesday, March 3, at the John E. Campbell arena at J. H. Allen Central High School at Eastern. Gene Frazier, athletic director of Allen Cen-

tral, will serve as tournament manager. Last week, the Wheelwright Trojans won three games to bring their season record to 19 wins, 5 losses. The Trojans rolled over the Virgie Eagles 108 to 97, and last Tuesday night won over Fleming-Neon, 78 to 58. The third win of the week by the Trojans was over Johns Creek, 77 to 62.

The Prestonsburg Blackcats split two games last week, losing to Paintsville at Paintsville, 74 to 61, and rebounding

Saturday night to defeat Phelps, 65 to 46. Allen Central lost two during the past week with one to the Paintsville Tigers, 79 to 67, and the other to the Russell Red Devils, 77 to 72.

The McDowell Daredevils won over Mullins, 91 to 71, Tuesday night, and defeated John's Creek, 100 to 71.

Feb. 23-28

58th Dist. (Floyd Co.) BOYS' TEAM RECORDS Betsy Layne 21-7 Wheelwright 19-5 McDowell 19-5 Allen Central 13-15 Prestonsburg 10-15 Schedule For Boy's,

TUESDAY

Prestonsburg at Pikeville Wheelwright at Millard Johns Creek at Allen Central Whitesburg at Betsy Layne East Carter at Paintsville Feds Creek at Salyersville Louisa at Johnson Central Mullins at Elkhorn City Belfry at Sheldon Clark Jenkins at Phelps THURSDAY

Fairview at Louisa

Letcher Co. at McDowell Betsy Layne at Johns Creek Johnson Central at Ashland Paintsville at Morgan Co. Breathitt Co. at Sheldon Clark Phelps at Pikeville Feds Creek at Mullins Virgie at Tates Creek Ft. Gay, W. Va. at Louisa SATURDAY

Johns Creek at Prestonsburg Pikeville at Allen Central

Feb. 17-Boys' Team Scores Paintsville 79, Allen Central 67 McDowell 91, Mullins 71 Wheelwright 78, Fleming-Neon 58 Johnson Central 68, Belfry 64 Holy Family 73, Louisa 56 Millard 52, Elkhorn City 40 Breathitt Co. 60, Wolfe Co. 40 Bath Co. 74, Ashland 44 Hazard 98, Clark Co. 79 Knott Central 87, Dilce Combs 77

Friday night Scores (Boy's) Paintsville 74, Prestonsburg 61 Wheelwright 108, Virgie 97 Sheldon Clark 82, Pikeville 59 McDowell 100, Johns Creek 71

Saturday Night Scores—Boy's Prestonsburg 65, Phelps 46 Wheelwright 77, Johns Creek 62 Russell 77, Allen Central 72 Betsy Layne 83, Morgan Co. 64 Virgie 84, Elkhorn City 42 Knott Co. Central 74, Johnson Central

Sheldon Clark 86, Holy Family 66 Sheldon Clark Girls 72, Holy Family 41 Tuesday, Night, Feb. 17

At McDowell McDOWELL (91)-Buddy Osborne 27, Terry Tuttle 27, Larry Daugherty 14, David Grigsby 11, Steve Newsome 6, Harold Tackett 6.

MULLINS (71)-Edmonds 23, Ratliff 16. Tackett 10, Mercer 10, Famine 7, Thacker 4, Mullins 1. McDowell 14-39-53-71

Mullins 18-35-55-91

At Allen Central PAINTSVILLE (79)-Paul Brown 30,

Bill Majakey 20, Bob Meade 17, Randy Daniels 3, Dave Lemaster 3, Jim Vanhouse 1

ALLEN CENTRAL (67)-Rick Prater 28, Wayne Scarberry 10, Rick Pack 11, Jess Holthouse 8, Doug Bailey 8, Wayne Paintsville 16-31-54-79

Allen Central 21-35-53-67 At Wheelwright

WHEELWRIGHT (78)-Jeff Riley 22, Berger 22, Gore 10, Dewey Jamerson 7, Isaacs 7, Anderson 6, Smith 2, Hall 2. FLEMING-NEON (58)-Short 12, R. Bentley 11, M. Bentley 11, Vanover 9, Hall 8, Johnson 4, Whitaker 2, Wright 1. At Paintsville, Feb. 20

PAINTSVILLE (74)-Majakey 33, Paul Brown 13, Meade 2, David Lemaster 9, Daniels 4, Fylee 8, Vanhoose 3, Ward 2. PRESTONSBURG (61)-Rick Morgan 16, Jim Patton 14, Tim Crisp 8, Grady Stevens 10, Mike Dixon 5, Gary Shepherd 2, David Lemaster 2, Jeff Burchett 2, Greg Dixon 2.

SATURDAY NIGHT SCORES (Boys')

At Allen Central RUSSELL (77)-Smith 21, Merideth 19,

Adams 16, Roberts 15, Watkins 2. ALLEN CENTRAL (72)-Rick Pack 26, Wayne Scarberry 10, Charley Slone 5, Jess Holthouse 5, Doug Bailey 2. Russell 19-41-58-77

Allen Central 12-27-64-92

At Morgan County BETSY LAYNE (83)-Ron Clark 19, Rick Roberts 18, Jim Rose 15, Mike Hall 8, Wilburn Samons 5, Randy Ferrell 4, Greg Lykins 1.

MORGAN CO. (64)-Collins 22, Fyffe 17, Cain 9, Cecil 5, Osborne 2, Bellamy 1. Betsy Layne 17-42-64-83

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON

Saturday Night Scores-Boy's WHEELWRIGHT (77)-Jeff Riley 20. Dewey Jamerson 16, Gary Anderson 14, Sheldon Berger 12, Marty Gore 10. JOHNS CREEK (62)-David Lyons 29,

James Blankenship 14, Jim Blankenship 10, Taylor 4, Thacker 4.

At Prestonsburg PRESTONSBURG (65)-Grady Stevens 16, Greg Dixon 9, Rick Morgan 9, David Lemaster 7, Gary Shepherd 4,

Mike Dixon 3, Gearheart 2, Herrick 1. PHELPS (46)-Smith 11, Hager 9, Campbell 6, G. Fletcher 5, Barker 4, McCoy 4, K. Fletcher 3, Casey 2, Wagoner 2.

The McDowell Daredevilettes will move into the district tournament for girls with an impressive won-lost record of 25-1 and only one game remained on their schedule (Millard at McDowell Tuesday night). The Daredevilettes have the state's top scorer, Geri Grigsby, and are in the opposite bracket from the Betsy Layne girls, the only team to beat Coach Johnny Ray Turner's quintet this season. The McDowell girls drew a bye and will play the winner of the Allen Central-Prestonsburg game Friday night. The Betsy Layne girls will play Wheelwright on Thursday night. Betsy Layne now has a record of 21 and 7

The Prestonsburg girls suffered a great loss when their top scorer and playmaker Bridget Clay was injured in a game two weeks ago. She has been sidelined with a knee injury. Monday night, Prestonsburg picked up win number 15 over Salyersville, 41 to 24. Sherry Allen, of Pretonsburg, took scoring honors with 24 points. Dee Dee Music had 14 points. Also on Monday night, the McDowell Daredevilettes scored 76 to 37 over Johnson Central. Geri Grigsby had 44 points. The Wheelwright girls defeated Dorton, winning their third game of the season with eleven losses.

58th Dist. (Floyd Co.) Girl's Teams Record McDowell 25-1

Betsy Layne 15-7 Prestonsburg 15-9 Allen Central 9-11 Wheelwright 3-11

Monday at Johnson Central McDOWELL (76)-Grigsby 44, Reid 6, Howell 6, Roberts 11, Martin 0, Carter 2, Caudill 2.

JOHNSON CENTRAL (37)-Price 6, Carla Price 2, Roberts 8, Ely 8, Mullins 4, Jackson 3, Wells 2, Chandler 2.

BETSY LAYNE (56)—Brenda Hamilton 19, Mary Stumbo 17, Pam Clark 8, Karen Hall 6, Ruth Martin 4, Karen Newsome 2

JOHNSON CENTRAL (54)-Jerri Roberts 26, Darla Ely 12, Lora Price 6, Cheryl McKenzie 2, Linda Jackson, Carla Price 1

Girls Basketball Schedule, Feb. 22-26

McDowell at Johnson Central

Paintsville at Boyd Co. Louisa at Fairview Salyersville at Prestonsburg

TUESDAY Millard at McDowell WEDNESDAY

Wheelwright at Betsy Layne THURSDAY Prestonsburg at Wheelwright

Johnson Central at Allen Central Johns Creek at Betsy Layne Salyersville at Sheldon Clark Belfry at Feds Creek

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Wins Clark Tournament



The Prestonsburg Elementary A-team basketball players won the Clark Invitational Tournament by defeating Allen Elementary School. The Prestonsburg boys were also runnersup in the Martin Invitational Tournament and in their own invitational tournament. The team is coached by Henry "Mutt" Harris, Jr. and Thomas Tackett, principal. Team personnel:

From left, first row-David Allen, mgr.; second row-David Brengle, Jack Goodman, Randy Chaffins; third row-Danny Daniels, Dwayne Rodebaugh, Clyde Porter, Cohen Swiney, Lee Carter, Russell Music, Thomas Hastings. Not pictured-Mark McGuire, Randy Fowler, Keith Colvin and David Lafferty, assistant manager.

PHS Records Loss, Win During Week

By BRIAN STURGILL Prestonsburg kept up its habit of late of

winning one and losing one during a week's basketball play by losing Friday night to the Paintsville Tigers, 74-61, and winning Saurday night over Phelps, 65-Friday night's loss to rival Paintsville

came on the Tigers' home court in a game which saw Paintsville lead the foulplagued Cats from start to finish. Twenty-four of Paintsville's points came from 38 free throws while the Cats hit for 7 of 12 free throws. High scorers for the Blackcats wee Ricky Morgan 16, Jim Patton 14, Grady Stephens 10, and Tim Crisp 8. For the Paintsville team Bill Majakey racked up 33 points and Paul Brown hit for 13.

The Blackcats fared considerably better in Saturday night's game, winning easily over the Phelps team. Prestonsburg hit for 26 field goals and 13 of 19 free throws. Phelps scored on 14 field goals and 17 of 31 free throws. Top scorers for the Blackcats were Grady Stephens 16, Ricky Morgan 9, and Greg Dixon with 9. David LeMaster had 10 rebounds during

The Blackcats play the last regular season game here Friday night against John's Creek.

McDowell B-Team Has Perfect Season

By Kathy Martin, JV Cheerleader

The McDowell Junior Varsity boys have distinguished themselves this season by not losing a game in 25 con-

The Junior Daredevils' last game was played last Friday night and opponent Johns Creek was beaten by a large

Team standouts this year have been Stevie Newsome, Sam Bentley, Barry Spurlock, Stevie Reid, Stevie Kid, Brian Kid and Gary Pack. Coach of the team is Johnny Ray Turner.

The team's last game will be against Letcher county this week.

The Equal Pay Act, enforced by the Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, prohibits discrimination in wages on the basis of sex.

Trojans Tally Wins Number 14 and 15

By BRADY CURRY

Last Tuesday night the Trojans traveled to Letcher county taking on the Fleming-Neon Pirates. After the first quarter it was smooth sailing as the Trojans dominated the backboards and hit a blistering 76 percent from the field to defeat Fleming-Neon 81-61. The Trojans picked up win number 14 against

Leading the Trojans attack was Jeff Riley with 31 points and Gary Anderson with 25, Marty Gore 13, Sheldon Burger 9, Dewey Jamerson 2, William Younce 1.

Friday night the Trojans played host to a fired-up McDowell Daredevil team. Wheelwright was down two points at the half, but the Trojans stormed back in the second half to overtake the Daredevils and go on to post victory number 15 downing the Daredevils 73-60.

Leading the Trojans in scoring was junior guard Marty Gore with 20 points. His running mate Sheldon Burger tossed in 15, Bobby Issac 15, Gary Anderson 11, Jeff Riley 10, Mark Smith 2.

Dewey Jamerson, a junior forward who is averaging 11 poins and eight rebounds a game didn't play due to illness. Hopefully he will be back in the

The Daredevils were led in scoring by senior David Grigsby and TerryTuttle with 16 points each. Bobby Osborne had 11, Larry Daughtery 7, Stevie Newsome 8, and H. Tackett 2.

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EASTERN KENTUCKY ARTIST BRETT JOHNSON last week presented Gov. Julian Carroll with the No. 1 set of his "Hard Times" series of life in eastern Kentucky. The Knott county native now lives in Lexington. He was recently featured in "Appalachian Heritage" magazine.

Highlands Hospital Notes

Langley; Paris Music, Prestonsburg;

Joe Salyer, Oil Springs; Joy L. Mc-

Cormick, Prestonsburg; Suzie Green,

Estill; Tammy Lemaster, Lowmans-

ville; William Bond, Paintsville; Luther

James, Pikeville; Anna D. Keaton,

Pyramid; Delila Calhoun, Water Gap;

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BIRTHS

Mrs. Jackie Arnett, Feb. 15; a daughter,

Carrie Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. David Joe

Campbell, Feb. 11; a daughter, Shannon

Renee, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott, Feb.

11; a daughter, Jamie Renee, born to Mr.

and Mrs. Paul Williamson, Feb. 11; a

daughter, Kellie Ann, born to Mr. and

Mrs. Kerry Preston, Feb. 12; a son,

William Grover, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald

Parker, Feb. 13; a son, Scottie Dwayne,

to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Arnett, Feb. 12; a

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ALLEN NEWS

Mrs. Laura Sargent visited her mother, Mrs. Martha Stambaugh, of Paintsville, last week.

Mrs. Thomas Porter and daughter, Pam, Mrs. Aaron Derossett, and Rhonda, and Nancy Jo Crisp were shopping in Lexington, Saturday.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Daisy McGuire upon the death last week of her brother, Martin Hammonds, of Martin. Mrs. Bud Pruitt has returned home

after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Don McQueen, of Lexington. Mrs. McQueen, who underwent surgery recently, is much improved

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston were in Lawrence county, Saturday, on business. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leslie and son, Michael, of Ashland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leslie, of Emma, over the

week-end Mr. and Mrs. Paul Porter were in Louisville on business, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Porter and daughter, Paula, also spent the week-end at their home in Orlando, Florida.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Marshall, Renee, and Stacy, visited Bill David Marcum, Sunday. Bill David is a patient at King's Daughter Hospital at Ashland. His mother, Mrs. David Marcum, is there with him.

Ray Brackett and daughter, Laura, were in Morehead, Friday, on business. Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Sally Hunt, who passed away last week. Mrs. Hunt had been ill for some

Chester Porter and Bill Hinton were in Bristol, Tennessee, on business, Thurs-

Mr. and Mrs. Keen Setser returned home Tuesday evening after being called to Point Pleasant, West Virginia, upon the death of Mrs. Setser's brother.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Spears, of Ottowa, Ill., announce the birth, February 15, of their second child, a son, Jonathan Worth. He is the grandson of the late John W. (Bob) Spears and Lucy Spears, of Kimper, Ky., and the great-grandson of the late Walker and Nina McGuire Spears, of Brandy Keg.

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Perkins Bill Assures State Vocational Rehab To Continue

assured that it will be able to maintain its vocational rehabilitation program.

Doubt had arisen when president Ford vetoed the Rehabilitation Act Amendments of 1975, which raised the basic support level of federal aid from \$680 million to \$720 million. Congress, however, overrode the president's veto.

The action, part of HR 11045, was introduced into the House of Representatives by Kentucky's Seventh district Congressman Carl Perkins. The resolution extends federal aid to state rehabilitation programs for two more years and also increases the support level.

Ben H. Coffman, assistant superintendent of Kentucky's Bureau of Rehabilitation Services, said the additional funds would probably be delayed by the Office of Management and Budget. But he expects some of the money to reach the states before the end of fiscal year 1976.

Of the \$690 million Congress first appropriated, Coffman said Kentucky's rehabilitation programs received almost \$14 million. With the \$40 million in additional funds, he said, Kentucky's total could possibly be increased by \$1 million.

Commenting on the additional money, Coffman said, "We will have several project proposals in the making (before the funds are distributed), so we will definitely know how to utilize the funds. We already have a few projects to submit to the federal government for approval."

In his introduction of HR 11045 to the House, Congressman Perkins said such federal funds were largely responsible for the quality of the state's vocational rehabilitation programs and cited Kentucky's rating as fourth among the states in rehabilitations per 10,000 handicapped persons. Last year, Ken-

JOB OPENING

The Floyd County Health Department is taking applications for the position of janitor. This position requires a working knowledge of methods used in general house cleaning, of tools, equipment, and supplies used in janitorial work, ability to follow written and oral instructions and to do strenuous physical work. The beginning salary is \$2.20 per hour. Persons interested in this position can obtain further information by calling James B. Goble at 886-2788 or 874-2325.

Freedom from anxiety is one of the most important factors in successful aging and encourages remaining at work until late in life, according to a study by the Boston outpatient clinic of the VA. Involving 2,000 men over a 12-year period, the study shows anxious people tend to want to retire younger while more calm and stable men prefer to retire at an older age.

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10,772 get back on the job. Perkins was also highly com-plimentary of Coffman, citing the agency's "significant progress in the rehabilitation program." Perkins said the Eastern Kentucky Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Thelma, Ky., was "instrumental in this rehabilitation

CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Nina McGuire Spears, wish to express our appreciation to all our friends and relatives who helped in any way during the time of our mother's illness and death. Our special thanks to the Rev. Walter Applegate for his comforting words, the Cow Creek singers for the beautiful singing, those who sent flowers and food and the Carter Funeral Home for its efficient service. Your deed of kindness in this time of sorrow will always be remembered. God bless you all.

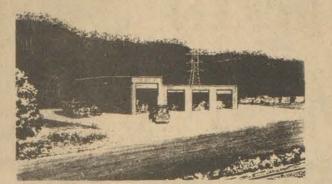
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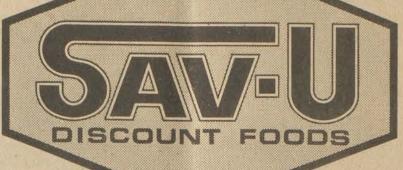
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KEA Directors Oppose 3 Bills

The Kentucky Education Association (KEA) board of directors has voted to oppose three education-related bills now before the General Assembly. They are: -HB 452, which would place

a non-voting teacher on every school board -HB 193, which would

permit children to enroll in public schools closest to their homes, if their parents so choose. -HB 505, which would

exempt from provisions of the truancy law any parent of a school-age child not permitted to attend the nearest or nextnearest school to his or her

KEA president Billye Pope said HB 452 would undermine the bargaining process now used in a number of Kentucky's public school systems, including six systems where master agreements have been signed by local KEA affiliates and school boards.

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"What is needed is the negotiations law we are seeking," said Mrs. Pope. There is no other adequate substitute for involving teachers in the decisionmaking process.'

The other two bills would circumvent court-ordered desegregation plans. In addition, HB 505 would do away with mandatory school attendance, upon which school funding is based.

KEA lobbyists were instructed to lobby against any bills that seek to circumvent

The Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) requires disclosure of pension and benefit plan provisions and financial information and establishes standards of conduct for trustees and administrators of plans, the U.S. Department of Labor reports.

Engagement Is Announced



Announcement is made of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Karen Grey Blackburn, to

Dana Miles Stephens. Miss Blackburn is the daughter of Mrs. Betty C. Riddle, of West Williamson, and William F. Blackburn, Jr., of Forest Hills, Ky. Mr. Stephens, a native of Pyramid, Ky., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Stephens.

The couple plan a May 15 wedding.

Miss Blackburn was graduated from Williamson High School, where she was active in school events and from the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky., with a B. S. degree in textile merchandising and design.

While attending UK she participated in many campus activities, holding the offices of publicity and social chairman of Alpha Xi Delta, social sorority. Miss Blackburn was also elected to Phi Upsilon Omicron, the National Home Economics Honorary and was a finalist for Miss Lexington, as well as receiving the Alda Henning Award and Scholarship the and President's Progress Award

She received her master of science degree from Florida International University in Ad-Supervision and ministration Education. She is presently working on her doctorate in Higher and Adult Education and Merchandising at the University of Kentucky and is director of the Retail Management program and an instructor at the Southern West Virginia Community College.

Mr. Stephens is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School, where he participated in many school activities. He graduated from the University of Kentucky with a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering. While attending UK he was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha, social fraternity and was elected to Pi Tau Sigma, national honorary fraternity of mechanical engineers.

Mr. Stephens also has completed a Masters of Business Administration with an emphasis in management from Murray State University, Murray, Ky. and is presently employed as maintenance foreman for Johns Manville in Athens, Ga

Pike, Johnson, Morgan Sites Listed for National Register

Frankfort, Ky .- A non- merit preservation. Those structure in eastern Kentucky are scheduled to be reviewed for inclusion on the National Register of Historic Places when the Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Board meets in Frankfort March 9.

The nominations are the Hatfield-McCoy Feud Non-Contiguous Historic District in Pike county and the Hensley Settlement at Cubage in Bell county.

Sixteen nominations in Johnson and Morgan counties for the Paintsville Lake Project and 26 for the Yatesville Lake Project in Lawrence county will also be submitted for preliminary discussion.

The National Register is a federal program established under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966. It recognizes national, state, and local sites and buildings that

contiguous district and a nominations approved by the board will be forwarded to Washington, D.C. for federal approval

The Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Board requests those who wish to comment on properties considered for inclusion on the National Register to forward their comments to the Kentucky Heritage Commission prior to the meeting which is open to the public. Those planning to attend the 1 p.m. meeting should notify the Kentucky Heritage Commission, 104 Bridge St., Frank-

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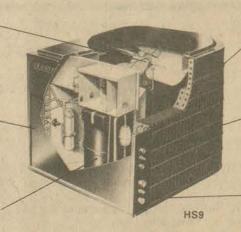
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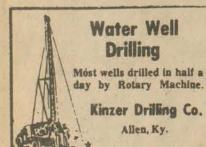
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FOR SALE-1973 12 x 60 foot 3-bedroom mobile home. Only \$3,995. Call Nelson's Mobile Homes, 886-8844.

MAYTOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Robinson attended the annual coin show in Ashland, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Allen attended the funeral of Mrs. T. J. Webb at the Milward Funeral Home in Lexington, February 7.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and Margaret Ann Vaughn were the luncheon guests of Mrs. Teddi Pence and Rebecca in Prestonsburg, last Sunday.

Lorena Hall, Margaret Ann Vaughn and Beckie Stewart spent last week-end in Washington, D. C. where they attended the George Washington vs. Duquesne University ball game Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Webb, Mecca

and Jennings spent last week-end in Ohio visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goins, Dawn and

Delbert Milton spent last week-end in Richmond, Indiana visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click and Mrs. Earl Webb have returned from a vacation in Ocala and other places in Florida. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Reffett while there and

and Mr. Click's cousin, Mrs. Clifton Ward, in Chattanooga, Tenn. by phone. Sympathy is extended to the family of Earl Moore, of Prestonsburg, who passed away last week. The Moore family, former residents of Maytown, have many

relatives and friends here.

spoke with Mr. and Mrs. Willard May

ORDINANCE NO. 3

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, TO INSTITUTE AN ACTION IN THE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CLOSING OF A 40-FOOT STREET IN GOBLE-ROBERTS ADDITION LYING BETWEEN LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, and 10 IN BLOCK Q OF SAID GOBLE-ROBERTS ADDITION WHICH STREET EXTENDS TO THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF THE C & O RAILWAY COMPANY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the City Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to institute an action in the Floyd Circuit Court for the closing of a 40-foot street in Goble-Roberts Addition lying between Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 10 in Block Q of the said Goble-Roberts Addition and extending to the right-of-way of the C & O Railway Company

SECTION II. That the said City Attorney is further ordered and directed to take all steps necessary for the closing of said street.

SECTION III. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION IV. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from this date, after publication as required by law and the provisions of this ordinance. PASSED AND APPROVED, THIS

THE 19TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1976. WILLIAM O. GOEBEL, JR. Mayor, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH

Clerk, City of Prestonsburg, Ky.

Floyd Students Serve as Pages



During the past week, Floyd county students of Morehead State University were on a political science seminar observing the legislative process in action in the State Capitol in Frankfort. Pictured, from left to right at ceremonies in the Senate of the Commonwealth of Kentucky: Nancy Coldiron, John Chaffins, Senator Jim Hammond, Lt. Governor and President of the Senate Thelma Stovall and Sidney Jane Bailey. Sidney Jane Bailey, of Langley, John Chaffins, of Martin, and

Jeffrey Preston (not pictured), of Allen, received certificates for serving as active pages of Senator Hammond in the Senate on February 10 from Lt. Governor Thelma Stovall and Senator Hammond.

FOR THE RECORD . .. The Audrey Newsome who last week brought suit against Appalachian Regional Hospital, Inc., is not the Audrey Newsome who resides at Teaberry.

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

2-18-3t

Correction

Charles W. Bates was arrested a couple weeks ago by Wheelwright Policeman Harold and Mildred Bates on drunk driving and no operator license, which was printed in your paper.

Charles W. Bates went to court in Wheelwright, Ky. on Feb. 16, 1976. The charges for drunk driving and no operator's license were dropped. He was found not guilty on these two charges, but was found guilty of careless driving only. M. BATES

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Libraries To Exhibit Paintings PCC Announces Two Two Named in County



Pictured from left to right, Gov. Julian Carroll; Robert A. Powell, executive director of the Kentucky Heritage Artists; Don Ensor, president of the heritage artists; and Charles Hinds, state librarian, look at paintings selected for the Kentucky Department of Library and Archives' Bicentennial exhibit and tour. Powell and Ensor are each holding one of their own paintings and Hinds is displaying a painting by Tony Oswald.

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Frankfort, Ky.-Paintings by the styles, the diversity which has display in scheduled showings at public libraries across the state through May 31.

The artists, considered the most prestigious group of artists in the state, will be participating in "The Kentucky Heritage Artists Bicentennial Exhibition", which is being sponsored by the Kentucky Department of Library and

Gov. Julian Carroll, in reviewing selected paintings by the artists, said, 'This bicentennial exhibition gives us the opportunity to review the best that is in us. It represents more to us than just a tribute to our proud past. It is an evidence of the firm foundation on which we now build our future."

He added, "The 14 well-known Kentucky artists, whose work comprise the exhibition, represent, through their individuality and unique interests and

Kentucky Heritage Artists will be on strengthened and unified this Commonwealth throughout its history.'

Paintings in this exhibit are on loan from the following artists, companies and galleries: Russell May, Prestonsburg; Gary Akers, Florence, formerly of Grethel; Investors Heritage Life Insurance Co., Frankfort; Successful Achievement Inc., Lexington; Paul Sawyier Galleries, Frankfort; Doug Adams, Morehead; Harold Collins, Lexington; Al Cornett, Slade; C. Don Ensor, Louisville; A. Jack May, Danville; Nellie Meadows, Clay City; Robert A. Powell, Frankfort; Jim Smith, Lexington; Helen Price Stacy West Liberty; Florence; and Tony Oswald, Louisville.

Persons interested in the exhibition should contact their county librarian for dates and times when the exhibition will be at their library.

Courses Scheduled

A short course, entitled, "Automobile Maintenance and Emergency Repair," will be taught by Ronald L. Carter as part of the Community Service Program at Prestonsburg Community College. This class is especially for those who need to know what to do when the car will not start, how to change spark plugs, head lights, etc., and who need other practical, money-saving information. The class will be held in Room 105 of the Johnson Administration Building, on Tuesdays 6:30-8:30 p.m., beginning March 2 and continuing through March 30. Enrollment will be limited.

A second course, "Inkle Loom Weaving," will be taught by Sister Mary Pineau as part of the Community Service Program. The course will cover the mechanics of simple types of weaving on the inkle loom for the making of belts, purses, pillow tops, wall hangings and book marks. The class will be held in Temporary Building A, Room 1, on Tuesdays, beginning 7 p.m. on March 2 and continuing through March 30, Enrollment in this class also will be limited.

Those interested in either course may contact the Community Service Office at Prestonsburg Community College, 886-3863, Ext. 208

To Lead Bike-A-Thon Mrs. Beulah Collins, of Lackey, and the Rev. Donald Crisp, of Martin, have been named chairmen of the Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon in their communities to fight children's lung-damaging diseases, according to Stanley H. Tichenor, president of the Bluegrass Chapter, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

They will lead local volunteers in organizing a Bike-A-Thon in Lackey and Martin. The funds that are raised will support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like Cystic Fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis.

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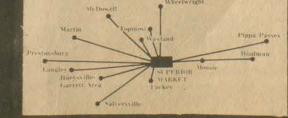
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continually and tries to learn her most cherished secrets. He sees nature as one great fabric closely woven together. He walks hand in hand with nature and has heart to heart communion with trees, birds, brooks and beauty. He sees how the crows give warning of danger not only to their own flock but to all other creatures roundabout.

The dedicated conservationist doesn't seek to destroy all the swamps and wetlands, because he knows the need to conserve the water table. He knows that such wetlands help to maintain the water supply. He also knows that many useful creatures live in the swamps and help to make the earth a more interesting place. He refuses to cut down all the dead trees on his land because he knows that such fine birds as woodpeckers, bluebirds, nuthatches and great crested flycatchers, all build their nests in hollow trees and need holes in trees for shelter from winter cold

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He realizes that man is a steward, a keeper, of the living things of earth; thus he never exploits any of the precious resources of the earth. Often he walks out among the green-leafed trees of summer, imbibe their peace and drink in their beauty. He feels himself a brother to the trees; he feels a primitive kinship with the ancient sandstones and the mossy mountain cliffs. He shakes hands with the first toad he sees out in the spring, and feels as did the poet Riley, who said "Hello, Mr. Hoptoad, I'm glad to see you out; it's been a month of Sundays since I've seen you hereabout.

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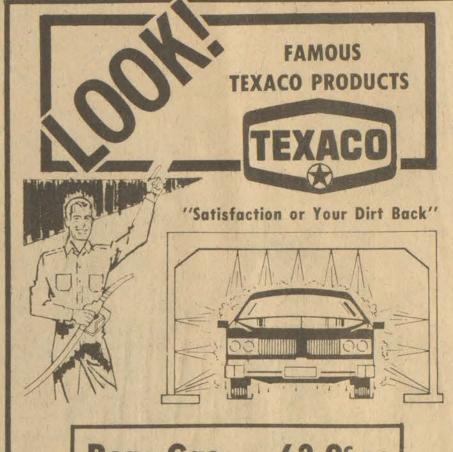
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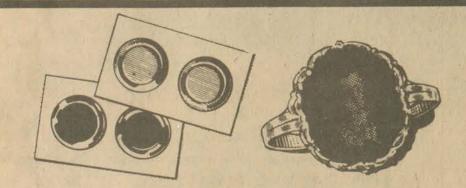
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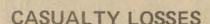
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Among First in Pension Plan, Jenkins Man To Be Honored

George A. Fleming, of Jenkins, one of the first miners to retire under the new 1974 Pension Plan of the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) Health and Retirement Funds, is one of six mine workers who will be honored at a ceremony at the Hay-Adams hotel in Washington, D.C., February 24.

Among those attending the ceremony will be Arnold Miller, president of the UMWA, Joseph Brennan, president of the Bituminous Coal Operators Association (BCOA), and the Funds' three trustees.

"For the first time," said Funds Chairman Harry Huge, "the size of a mine worker's pension will be determined by how many years he has worked and how old he is when he retired-which in most cases means a substantially larger pension. In addition, the plan introduces lifetime pensions for widows, an entirely new benefit for the industry."

Mr. Fleming, who is 62 and worked in the mines for 46 years, will receive a monthly pension of \$578.62 during 1976. In 1977, his pension will be increased \$10 a month as a hedge against inflation. Had Mr. Fleming retired before 1976, he would have been covered by the Funds' 1950 Pension Plan, which provides a maximum pension of \$225 a month for mine workers who have 20 or more years of credited service.

A second-generation coal miner, Mr. Fleming began his career in the mines in 1929, when he was 16 and went to work as a "bug duster" (the crew member who shovels slate out of the mine after it has been cut) for a Consolidation Coal Company mine in Jenkins. The following year, the mine was bought by the Beth-Elkhorn Corporation, and Fleming became a tipple operator (i.e., he operated the equipment that processes coal for shipment). He continued to work at the job until his retirment in January.

A member of local union 5741 in Jenkins, which is located in UMWA District 30, Mr. Fleming is a Missionary

STRIKING TEACHERS JAILED

Seventy-seven striking high school teachers from New Haven, Connecticut, were "jailed" in November for refusing to obey a court order to return to work. The teachers, found guilty individually of contempt of court by a superior court judge, were taken to a nearby military camp. Twenty-six other teachers were purged of the contempt charges by standing in front of their colleagues, and swearing that they would return to work immediately and not strike for the rest of

Baptist minister and is a proficient carpenter. In addition to three grown children of their own, he and his wife, Loretta, raised a nephew.

The miners who will represent other coalfield areas at the February 24 ceremony are: Paul Zelina from Daisytown, Pennsylvania; Orville Green from Winslow, Indiana; Thomas Pierce from Princeton, Indiana; and Joseph and Steve Schumaker, two brothers from Houston, Pennsylvania, who retired together after working together in the mines for most of their lives.

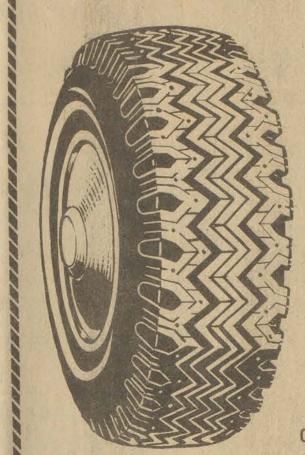
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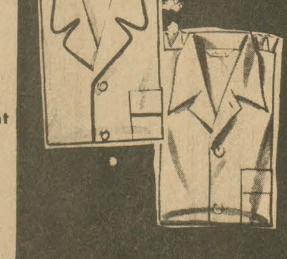


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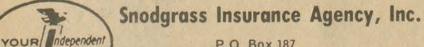
ALLEN WOMAN'S CLUB

COMMITTEE MEETS

The entry committee for the Tiny Miss. Little Miss, and Pre-Teen Miss Floyd county area pageant of the Allen Woman's Club met February 21, at 2 p.m.

Plans and questions were discussed at the meeting, about the pageant which is to be held March 13, 7 p.m., in the Martin Grade School auditorium. Members present were Vicki Boyd, Janet Lester, Carol Jo Collins, and Anita Lafferty.

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'Most of this 90 percent will pay higher rates because of high unemployment last year," he said. "State law requires the increased tax rate when the balance in the state fund that pays jobless benefits declines.

Kentucky paid out approximately \$149.8 million in jobless benefits in 1975 while collecting some \$55.2 million in unemployment taxes from employers. This, coupled with \$11.2 million interest earned on the trust fund balance, resulted in the fund's balance dropping from \$219.1 million on Dec. 31, 1974, to \$135.7 million last Dec. 31.

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STEPHANIE WILCOX

and Mrs. Willard McKenzie, of Auxier, and third place went to Damita Revis, 10year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B Revis, of Auxier.

There were three honorable mention awards presented to Miki Jones, nineyear-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Jones, of Auxier, Stephanie Wilcox, nine-



RHONDA ADKINS

vear-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilcox, of East Point, and Rhonda Adkins, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Adkins, also of Auxier

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The Great Beast

United States is facing today. Devaluation of the American dollar is one of the major problems. It is now worth less than 26 cents. What are we going to do?

The United Nations has a plan already being put into effect that will solve all our economic problems. In July 1967 at the United Nations meeting in Geneva, Switzerland, a one-world government system with a one-world currency was organized and plans were considered to dissolve the United Nations in order to make room for this world system. The U. N. decided that all possessions, savings, and personal bank deposits would be taken away and everyone would receive a number and a certain amount of money with which to buy and sell. This specials currency was printed by the European Common Market at that time and is now waiting to be distributed. The American

dollar would then be done away with. Since that time, amazing progress has taken place to bring such a system into effect. On December 12, 1973, Dr. Henry Kissinger made an open proposal to unite Canada, Japan, the European Common Market, and the United States, saying that we could overcome the oil embargo, economic problems, and world food problems. A few months ago at the United Monetary Fund Meeting, it was stated that a one-world currency must be brought about soon. "The U.S. News and World Report" stated several months ago that a one-world currency would

become a reality by September 1976. The necessary equipment for putting this system into operation is already set up. In Brussels, Belgium, there is a computer system three blocks long and thirty feet high if put side by side. The name of this computer is "The Beast". It is said to be alive because it makes up its own sentences and holds conversations. It is programmed to give every person in the world a number overnight. Little "beasts" are being set up around the world to handle this new money system. Here in the United States, Birmingham, Alabama's major bank has a computer system that handles and approves all

transactions in the state of Alabama. In order that no one loses his number, The United Nations decided that it should be tatooed on you. Scientists experimenting with this found that such a process could be done only on a persons hand or forehead with an invisible laser tatoo. The computer cash registers which you see now in all the stores have a place available for a box that once hooked up can read such a tatoo with ultraviolet

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name and pays your bills for you. With a world of currency and government system, it is necessary that everyone use the same standards of measurements. All nations, except the United States, have now switched over to the metric system. Already here in the United States there are bottles and cans with metric weights on them. On Interstate 71 in Ohio, you now travel by

schools will be required to teach the metric system.

At the U. N. meeting of July 1967, the question was asked, "What would be done about those people who did not want to go along with this newone-world system?" The answer was, "Their numbers will be cancelled with a black line at the world bank headquarters and they would be forced to destruction. We don't want anybody that would be against a one-world order." In Revelation 13:18, the number of this system will be six hundred three score and six. The numbers ready to be distributed are in three groups with six in each group. The number of the one-world bank is 666. The social security numbers of the European Common Market members begin with 666, the new Israeli license tags begin with 666. And, the businesses in America listed with the Business Bureau are recorded with numbers beginning with

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Congressman Perkins said the bill includes many safeguards, including two provisions very important to the Eastern

Kentucky coal areas. One requires that the government give priority to establishing liquefaction and gasification plants in areas with high unemployment, such as Eastern Ken-

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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, IN REGARD TO THE PROPOSED RECONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAY NO.

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Kentucky has under plans for the reconstruction of Highway No. 80 extending from Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to Hazard, Kentucky, where it will connect with the Daniel Boone Parkway extending from Hazard, Kentucky, to London, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Kentucky has spent a large sum of money in the planning of such highway,

WHEREAS, the reconstruction of such highway would materially enhance the industrial development of the area covered by said highway, and

WHEREAS, the reconstruction of said highway is essential to the future prosperity of the area above referred to. NOW, 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, expresses its belief that it is essential to the future development of the area covered by said highway that said highway be reconstructed at the earliest

possible date. SECTION 2: That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Floyd County Times for publication to Hon. Julian Carroll, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and to the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

SECTION 3: That the City Council will co-operate in every way with the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Kentucky in regard to the reconstruction of said highway.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 5th day of February, 1976.

HAROLD COOLEY Mayor Pro-Tem, City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky

BEVERLY M. HACKWORTH City Clerk

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Murphy's Mart Grand Opening Near Pikeville Slated Tomorrow

Mr. Warren

C. R. Kahler, with 15 years' Murphy

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manager. He moved to his new position

from Jackson, Ohio, where he managed

Assistant managers are J. A. Franitti,

with six years' Murphy experience; H. P.

Lester, who began her Murphy career at

the Murphy store on Main Street,

Pikeville; M. L. Workman who started

with Murphy as a stockman at the

Murphy's Mart in Dunbar, W. Va.; M. D.

Fisher who began with the Company as a

management-trainee at Cincinnati,

where he continued as assistant manager

Personnel director is Mrs. M. K

Morgan, who began work with Murphy at

the Murphy unit in Pikeville, and R. Q.

Sizemore, who moves to Pikeville from

Circleville, Ohio, is stockroom manager

since January, 1974.

the Murphy store since April 1974.

Grand opening tomorrow (Thursday) of the new Murphy's Mart in Weddington Plaza on US 23, near Pikeville, will mark the opening of the 531st store of G. C. Murphy Company and the first Murphy's Mart in Kentucky. The 70-year old general merchandise company, which has retail outlets in 24 states and the District of Columbia, has operated a large variety store in downtown Pikeville for many years.

Encompassing 65,700 square feet with approximately 54,560 square feet of sales area, the retail complex features an indoor-outdoor seasonal shop, a four-bay auto service center, and a modern restaurant with a seating capacity of 54.

The store is operated on the selfservice principle with carrying baskets and shopping carts provided for shoppers' convenience. A battery of seven checkout counters at the front entrance and one in the seasonal shop facilitate

Designed for maximum customer shopping ease, merchandise lines in the new mart are displayed in related groups, according to natural shopping habits. Included in the groupings, which contain items for all members of the family and for the home are fashion accessories, fashion apparel, men's and boys' furnishings, including a young men's shop, music-TV-photo, writings and wrappings, knit 'n stitch, fabrics, home furnishings, housewares, home improvements, toys and hobbies, sweets 'n eats, tobacco shop, sporting goods and auto accessories

The overall look of the store is that of masses of merchandise. Company planners, according to D. M. Warren, manager, have designed new fixtures intended to present the maximum amount of merchandise exposure per counter foot.

G. C. Murphy Company had its origin in McKeesport, Pa. in 1906 when the late George C. Murphy opened his first store. In 1911, the firm had a total of 10 stores when J. S. Mack and W. C. Shaw purchased controlling interest. They instituted revolutionary ideas and the firm began to thrive and expand.

Manager of the new Murphy's Mart in Weddington Plaza Shopping Center, Pikeville, is D. M. Warren. He moved to his new position from the Murphy's Mart in Pekin, Ill., where he served as the operations manager since August 1974.

Warren started his Murphy career as a management-trainee at Mt. Pleasant, Mich. and continued as assistant manager at Greencastle and Seymour, Ind., Columbus, Ohio, Hialeah and Jacksonville, Fla. He received his first managerial opportunity at Tifton, Ga. in 1968, and advanced to management of the Murphy store in Linton, Ind. in 1972, where he served before his appointment at Pekin.

Total employment in the new Murphy's Mart will exceed 70 persons, according to Mr. Warren.

The management team includes, in addition to Warren, a staff of qualified individuals who have received operational training and background in other stores.

Medical Scholarship Loans Being Accepted

Applications are now being accepted by the Rural Kentucky Medical Scholarship Fund for medical students entering school this fall, according to its chairman, Dr. G. L. Simpson.

The fund was created in 1946 as a means of providing a better distribution of physicians in rural areas of Kentucky and now has about 200 physicians in practice in 87 Kentucky counties, with 28 serving in critical counties. Since its beginning, the Fund has loaned over \$1.25 million.

Loans are available to residents of Kentucky who have been admitted to one of the two accredited medical schools in the state. A student may borrow up to \$3,500 providing he will agree to practice in any of the over 100 rural counties of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Students interested in obtaining more information about the Rural Kentucky Medical Scholarship Fund Loan program should, prior to April 1, write to: Rural Kentucky Medical Scholarship Fund, Kentucky Medical Association, 3532 Ephraim McDowell Drive, Louisville, Kentucky 40205.

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No Plan To Extend Tag Sale Deadline Frankfort, Ky.—State Secretary of Transportation John C. Roberts says the state has no plans to extend the March 1 deadline for displaying 1976 license

According to Roberts, county clerks across the Commonwealth report a lag in sales "even though we've had excellent

weather and plenty of publicity.' With less than a week left before the deadline, county clerks offices in the state are taking varying stands on assisting the late-buying customers.

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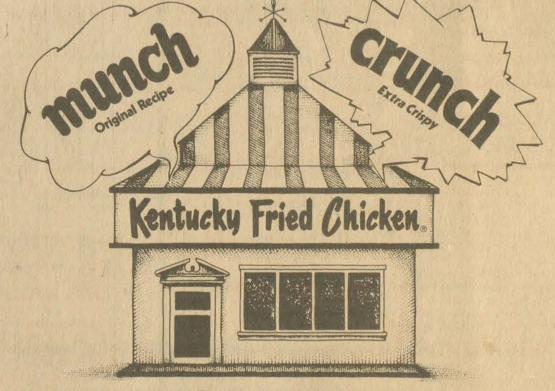


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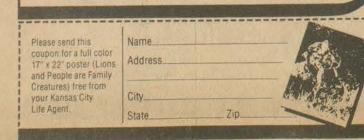
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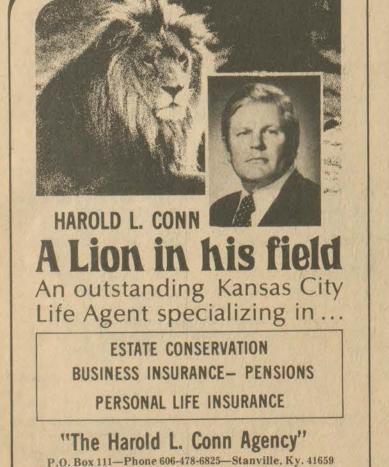
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Screen Hearing Deficiencies



Lois Marshall and Nancy Marcum, of the Allen Woman's Club, conducted a hearing screening in the Allen Elementary School, Feb. 11. Grades 3 and 5 were screened for hearing deficiencies and the results turned in to the Floyd County Board of Health.

Nature Trails By Rufus M. Reed

Most Popular State Trees

trees. The majestic white oak has been chosen as the state tree of Conn., Ill., and Maryland. The beautiful scarlet oak is the official tree of The District of Columbia. The southern live oak is the state tree of Georgia. Unlike the other oaks, this tree's leaves are evergreen and hang on the tree all winter long. They are quite glaucous and keep their sheen throughout the winter. The live oak has a gigantic, wide-spreading crown and is a magnificent tree.

The stalwart red oak is the state tree of

THE YELLOW POPLAR.-This stately tree is known to botanists as the tulip poplar. It has been chosen by three states as their state tree-Kentucky, Indiana and Tennessee. The yellow poplar once grew in great stands throughout the Appalachian Region. Some of the virgin poplars were ten feet in diameter and stood over 150 feet high.

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The oaks are highly favored as state Their great trunks were cut, splashed to the rivers and fastened in rafts of 50 and floated downstream to the lumber markets of Catlettsburg. One of the largest lumber companies of the first part of the century was called, "The Yellow Poplar Lumber Co., " as this company handled yellow poplar log and no other. They built huge splash dams to flat the logs down to the main river for

> THE SUGAR MAPLE—This tree is known locally as "sugartree," and is the state tree of West Va., New York, Vermont and Wisconsin. It was a highly popular tree in the days of sugar-making in New England.Sugar camps were set up in the great groves of sugar maple; the trees were tapped in February and their sweet juice was collected in pails, which were carried to the camp, where the sweet juice was boiled down to make

> The red maple, most flamboyant of all the autumn trees, is the state tree of Rhode Island.

> The American elm is also a highly favored state tree. It is the state tree of Mass., Nebraska, and North Dakota. The famous "Washington Elm" stood in Cambridge, Mass. Under its spreading boughs, George Washington took the oath of office as Commander-in-Chief of the Colonial army. This was on July 3, 1775. The fine old elm stood for many years after that momentous occasion, as it was a shrine until its demise in a storm.

> Believe it or not, the Judas-tree, known to us as the gorgeous readud, is the state tree of Oklahoma. Our redbuds glorify the hills of Tug Valley in April with a wondrous display of reddish-purple blossoms, which seem to burst right out ot the bark before there are any leaves

According to legend, Judas Iscariot hanged himself by jumping down from a redbud tree. It is said that the blossoms have blushed with reddish-purple shame ever since that tragic death.

Almost 45 Million Americans Have Served in Nation's Wars

in 1775, 44,482,000 men and women have served in the armed forces in our nation's 10 wars. A publication of the Veterans Administration says 29,459,000 veterans are still living today.

The Revolution, which had its start in 1775 and continued until 1784, had 290,000 men under arms during the nine year period. Only 4,000 men were killed during the entire war.

America's second war, the War of 1812, lasted for three years until 1815. There were 287,000 participants with 2,000 service deaths.

The Mexican War (1846-1848) had the smallest number of participants: 79,000, but the death toll reached 18 pct. or a total of 13,000.

The Civil War pitted 2,213,000 Union soldiers against an estimated 1-million Confederate soldiers, with the Union suffering 364,511 deaths as compared with 133,821 deaths by the South. Of the total Confederate deaths an estimated 28,000 died in Union prisons.

The active dates for the Indian Wars span 81 years (1817-1898), during which there were 106,000 participants but only 1,000 soldiers lost their lives.

The four year Spanish-American War (1898-1902) involved 392,000 participants and resulted in 11,000 service deaths.

The first of what is termed the "big" wars, World War I which lasted only two years (1917-1918) saw 4,744,000 men called into service. Total deaths during the two years amounted to 116,000-or less than one-fourth of the men lost by both sides in the Civil War.

World War II taxed the nation as 16,535,000 men and women put on the

uniforms of the different services. World War II's deaths in service amounted to 406,000-still less than the over 500,000 deaths on both sides in the Civil War.

On June 27, 1950 the Korean War began and lasted until January 31, 1955. During this time 6,807,000 persons served the nation. There were 55,000 deaths in

February 1, 1955 saw the beginning of the Post-Korean Conflict era, during which time America's involvement in Viet Nam took place. From that beginning date until August 4, 1964, 3,195,000 service personnel were serving the country. During this time there were 20,000 deaths in service from various

America's tenth war began on August 5, 1964 with the period designated the Vietnam Era. Almost II years later on May 7, 1975 the conflict was ended. During this time 9,834,000 persons served, with 2,049,000 still in service at the termination date. There were 46,000 deaths due to hostile action during the period, and an additional 57,000 persons died from other causes.

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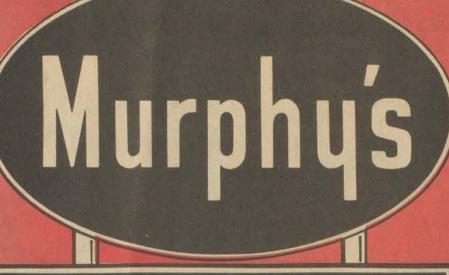
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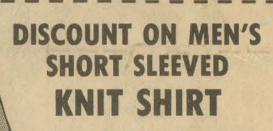
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MEN'S & BOYS' REG. \$2.97 PRO STYLE BASKETBALL OXFORDS

Durable canvas uppers in white or black. Comfortable cushioned insoles. Court gripping molded soles. Men's and boys' sizes to 12. Discount prices.



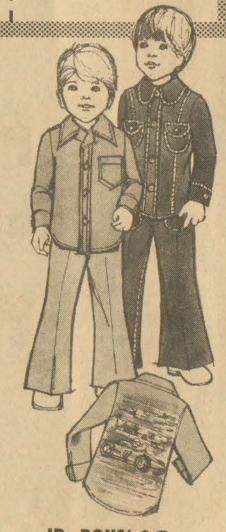
REG. \$3.97 — Comfortable ROPE TRIMMED WEDGIES

Fashion pretty step-ins have vinyl uppers in popular colors. Rope trimmed wedgie bottoms. Save on them during our Grand



WOMEN'S REG. \$3.97 **DUTY OXFORDS**

Ideal for work or casual wear. Sturdy vinyl uppers in white or black. Thick cushioned insoles. Comfortable crepe



JR. BOYS' 3-7



Denim, brushed or pre-washed denim. Flare leg pants. Snap or button front jackets.

WEDDINGTON PLAZA - ROUTE 23 NORTH, PIKEVILLE







OPENING SPECIALS: THURS. thru SUN. FEBRUARY 26-27-28-29

PRICES ARE SLASHED ON MEN'S & BOYS' FASHIONS



MEN'S 100% POLYESTER DOUBLEKNIT SLACKS

Popular ivy styling with belt loops and flare legs. Two front and two back pockets. Choice of solid colors and fancy patterns.

OUR LOW REG. \$7.88



OR BRIEFS

T-SHIRTS

OF Full cut, extra long T-shirts

have taped shoulder. Sizes S. M. L, XL. Briefs have double panel seat. Sizes 28-42. Super saving! LIMIT 2 PKGS. EACH





MEN'S REG. \$29.88 POLYESTER DOUBLEKNIT SPORT COATS

SOLID COLORS & **FANCY PATTERNS**



Big selection of beautifully tailored sport coats. Contemporary styling with wide lapels, flap pockets, center vent. Short, medium and long lengths; 36-46.

MEN'S NO IRON DRESS SHIRTS

Permanent press blend of 65 pct. polyester and 35 pct. cotton. Short sleeves, one pocket. Popular solid colors and fashion prints in sizes 141/2 to 17.



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BOYS' PAK-NIT

PKG. 3 TSHIRTS

or BRIEFS

REG.

Save on long wearing crew neck tee shirts and rib knit cotton briefs. Both in sizes 6-



Boys' Short Sleeve

OUR SPECIAL PRICE

Pak-Nit

Easy fit in handsome patterns and fashion solids. Popular styles perfect for school and play. Sizes 8-18.

BOYS' RUGGED DENIM FLARES

Popular wash out indigo denim in 10ounce 100 pct. cotton. Back patch pockets, flare legs. Slim sizes 6-18; regular 8-18. An opening super buy.



CUSHION FOOT STRETCH TUBE SOCKS Men's Reg. \$1 67°

Cotton-nylon. Striped BOYS' top. Stretch to fit sizes 6- REG.

PERMANENT PRESS POLYESTER/COTTON!

JR. BOYS' SIZES 4-7 SLACK SETS

REG. \$3.98

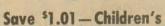
Crew neck knit tops in stripes or patterns. Coordinated solid color boxer waist pants. Blue, brown, mint, tan.



Children's Flame Retardant

PAJAMAS

Short sleeve print tops. Elastic waist. solid color bottoms. Sizes 4-8



Western SLACKS

Discount 5 Price!

100 pct. cotton twill. Flare leg style with elastic back waist, zip front, belt loops. Solid colors in sizes 2-7.



TODDLER'S POLO AND SLACK SETS

BIG OPENING SAVINGS FOR OUR LITTLEST CUSTOMERS



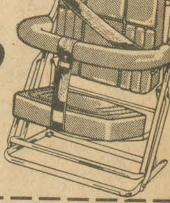


Elastic waist flare pants. Crew neck tops. 2T-4T.



Reg. \$17.98

release nylon harness. Meets govt. safety requirements.



Reg. \$2.98 & \$3.98

DIAPER SETS

No-iron polyester and cotton. Styles for boys and girls. 0-3 and 9-18

GTON PLAZA—ROUTE 23 NORTH—PIKEY







Opening Specials: Thurs. thru Sun., Feb. 26-29

GREAT KNIT 'N STITCH BARGAINS FOR OUR OPENING

100% POLYESTER



 Spring mood solid colors and textured solids.

* MACHINE WASHABLE

 Big selection of yarn dyed fancy patterns.

remnants.

 All carefree machine washable, permanent press.



REG. \$1.11 Sk.

KNITTING WORSTED SIZE

100% DuPont ORLON ACRYLIC

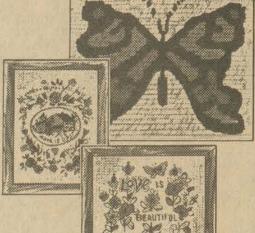
This lovely machine washable, dryable

yarn is sale priced now. We have dozens of new fashion solids and ombres to choose

SKEIN

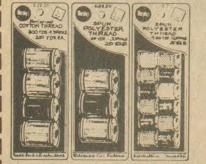
STITCHERY KITS-Reg. \$2.98

Colorful 12 x 16" samplers or easy to do 8x10" Quickpoint pictures. Includes homespun fabric, yarn, needle, chart. (Frames extra).



31/2 OR 4 OUNCE SKEINS



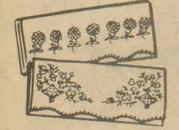


SPECIAL

REG. 88c PKG. SEWING THREAD

• Mercerized cotton and polyester thread.

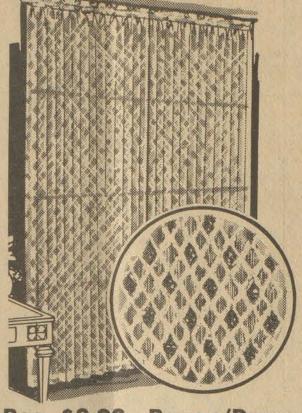
White, black, colors.



STAMPED PILLOW TUBING



Many lovely stamped designs to choose from at this opening sale price. HemBEAUTIFUL SAVINGS FOR THE HOME DURING OUR GRAND OPENING SALE



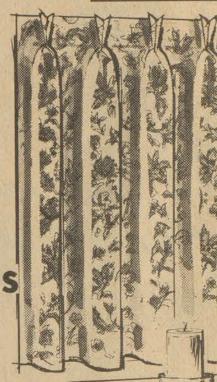
Reg. \$2.98 - Rayon/Dacron

63" or 81" LENGTHS

Lovely "diamond" design net curtains are a washable, permanent press blend of 35 pct. Dacron polyester and 65 pct. rayon. White, gold, green. 60" overall width.



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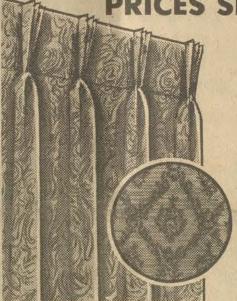


"SHORTIE" Pinch Pleats in PRINTS & SOLIDS

OPENING SPECIAL

Antique satin, fiber glass, other popular fabrics-every decorator color. 24", 30", 36", 45" lengths. 45" pinch pleated top. (overall width)

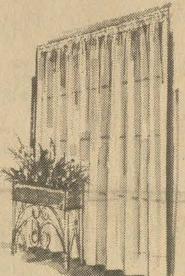
PRICES SLASHED ON CURTAINS & DRAPERIES



Reg. \$6.97 Insulated **Jacquard Draperies**

63" or 84" \$ LENGTHS

Machine washable, foam backed draperies in woven jacquard and textured patterns. Single window width. Decorator solid colors.



60" EXTRA WIDE **VOILE PANEL**

REG. \$4.98 63 INCH \$ 297 LENGTH Reg. \$5.49-81" Length . . . \$4.97 Machine washable, no iron Dacron

polyester ninon. 8" hem. Solid



Reg. \$2.98 RUFFLED TIER & VALANCE SET

No iron blend of 50 pct. Avlin polyester, 50 pct. Avril rayon. Solids with print ruffles, valance. 58" wide.

Reg. TM of FMC Corp.

GRAND OPENING DISCOUNT BUYS IN BEDDING & LINENS

colors. DuPont Reg. TM

CHARGE



QUILTED BEDSPREADS

Fully quilted spreads in a big selection of room brightening spring prints and solid colors. Carefree machine washable, permanent press fabric blends. Save on them now

"OLD TIMER" **BED PILLOW**

Plump filling of 50 pct, crushed chicken feathers, 50 pct. shredded foam. Durable ticking with corded edge. 21"x31'



24×42" BATH TOWELS

Big beautiful absorbent terry towels come in dozens of bath brightening stripes and solid colors. Now's the time to stock up for spring and summer.

MATCHING 12x12" WASHCLOTHS_

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AND AS ALWAYS MURPHY'S MART HAS THE BEST SELECTION OF POP, COUNTRY AND

CONTEMPORARY MUSIC ANYWHERE. PLUS THESE UP-TO-THE-MINUTE NEW RELEASES.





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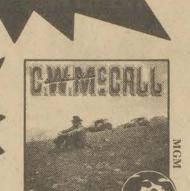
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No metal frame to mar your view of the fish. Comes with filter, pump. floss and charcoal. Start a fascinating hobby now at a saving.

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Flash without batteries. Series "X"

24 PKG. 3



5x7" or 8x10" Metal PHOTO FRAMES

PRICED

Gold finish - won't tarnish. Low priced for our opening sale.

ZEBCO Regular \$14.88

PKG. OF THREE

BLANK CASSETTE TAPE CARTRIDGES

High quality Mylar tape. 60 minutes per cartridge - total of 180 minutes per cartridge.



SHOP OUR SPORTING GOODS DEPT. FOR OPENING DISCOUNT



Fires up to 15 shots as fast as the trigger is pulled. Tubular magazine holds 15 cartridges. 20" long barrel. Automatic loading. One piece hardwood stock with pistol grip. Front, rear sight,

elevator.

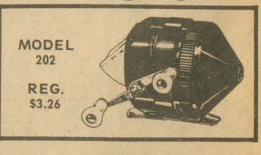


WITH 4x SCOPE



CHARGE IT!

Stainless steel covers, Lexan body. Selective anti-reverse. Easy-change zinc spool with about 100 yards of 10 lb. test monofilament line.



SAVE! ZEBCO SPINNING REEL

Smooth running. Easychange spool. With 75 yds. 10-lb. line.



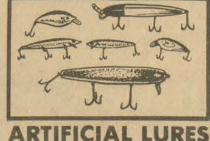
SAVE \$5—"Alaskan" SLEEPING BAG

33" x 76" size. Warm 3 pound Dacron 88 filling. Washable. Big saving now for our Grand Opening



266 REG. \$4.90 Won't leak. Firmly

handle. Tight



Big selection of realistic, liveaction baits. They'll get results



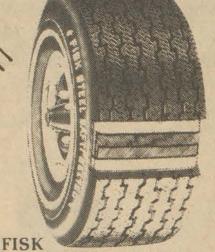
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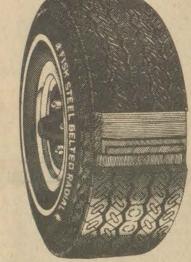
STEEL SAFTI BELTED

· Rayon Cord Plies · Steel Belts

C78-13 whitewall tubeless plus Fed. Ex. Tax of 1.98

TUBELESS TIRE SIZE	WHITEWALL PRICE EACH	
C78-13	\$22	
E78-14	\$26	
F78-14	\$28	
G78-14	601	
G78-15	\$31	
H78-14	\$33	
H78-15	333	
L78-15*	\$37	

All prices whitewall tubeless plus Fed. Ex. Tax from 1.98 to 3.30, depending on tire size, and trade-in tire off your car. FREE TIRE MOUNTING AND ROTATION WITH TIRE PURCHASE. "Cadillac Grind



FISK STEEL BELTED RADIAL

- 2 Radial Rayon Cord Plies • 2 Steel Belts
- 1 Nylon Cap Ply

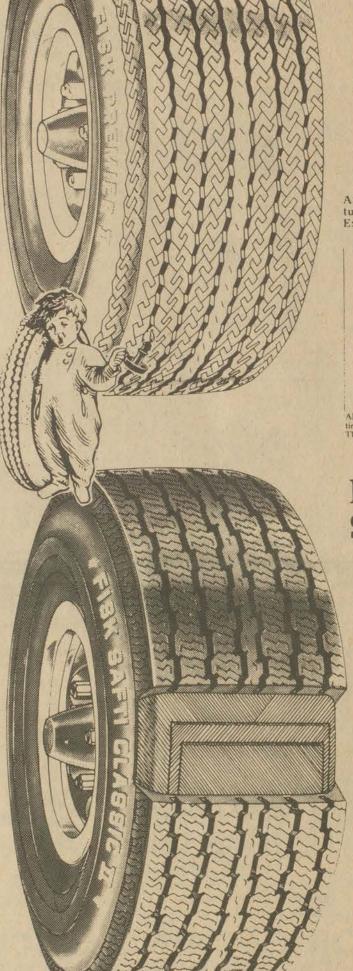
BR78-13* whitewall tubeless Tax of 2.16

YOUR

CHOICE

TUBELESS TIRE SIZE	PRICE EACH	
BR78-13*	\$29	
ER78-14	\$36	
FR78-14	\$39	
GR78-14	\$41	
GR78-15		
HR78-14	\$43	
HR78-15	343	
JR78-15	\$45	
LR78-15**	\$47	
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All prices will receive the size and trade-in lire off your car. FREE TIRE MOUNTING AND ROTATION WITH TIRE PURCHASE. *Does not include nylon cap ply. **Cadillac Grind Only.



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FISK

4 Ply Polyester Cord

A78-13 blackwall tubeless plus Fed. Ex. Tax of 1.76

TUBELESS	BLACKWALL PRICE
TIRE	EACH
A78-13	\$15
B78-13	\$16
C78-13	\$17
C78-14	\$18
E78-14	\$19
F78-14	\$20
G78-14	\$21
G78-15	
H78-14	\$22
H78-15	
1.78-15*	\$26

tire size, and trade-in tire off your car. FREE TIRE MOUNTING AND ROLLA-TION WITH TIRE PURCHASE Whitewalls \$2.00 more carb. Whitewalls uply

FISK SAFTI CLASSIC II

- 2 Polyester Cord Plies
- · 2 Fiberglass Belts

TUBELESS	BLACKWALL		
TIRE	PRICE		
A78-13	\$17		
B78-13	\$18		
C78-13	\$19		
C78-14	520		
E78-14	\$21		
F78-14	\$22		
G78-14	\$23		
G78-15	523		
H78-14	\$24		
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L78-15	S28		

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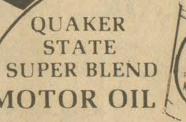
- . Check steering · Final road test
- Any additional parts or services needed but not listed will carry a supplemental

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