

One Murder Trial Set For Term

Criminal Hearings Begin Here Monday With Guilty Pleas

The trial of Johnny Wayne Charles, charged with murder in the knife-slaying near here recently of his father-in-law, Jeff Nelson, has been set for trial in circuit court here April 29.

Two other trials involving homicides have been continued till the September term. The Bobby Workman murder trial was continued for the reason that he has not been extradited from the state of Michigan. The trial of Mary Sue Couch Flanery, charged with first degree manslaughter in the shooting death of her husband, also was continued till the next term.

The first criminal hearings of the current term were held Monday. Before that, the court had heard only civil cases and set future trial dates for persons under indictment.

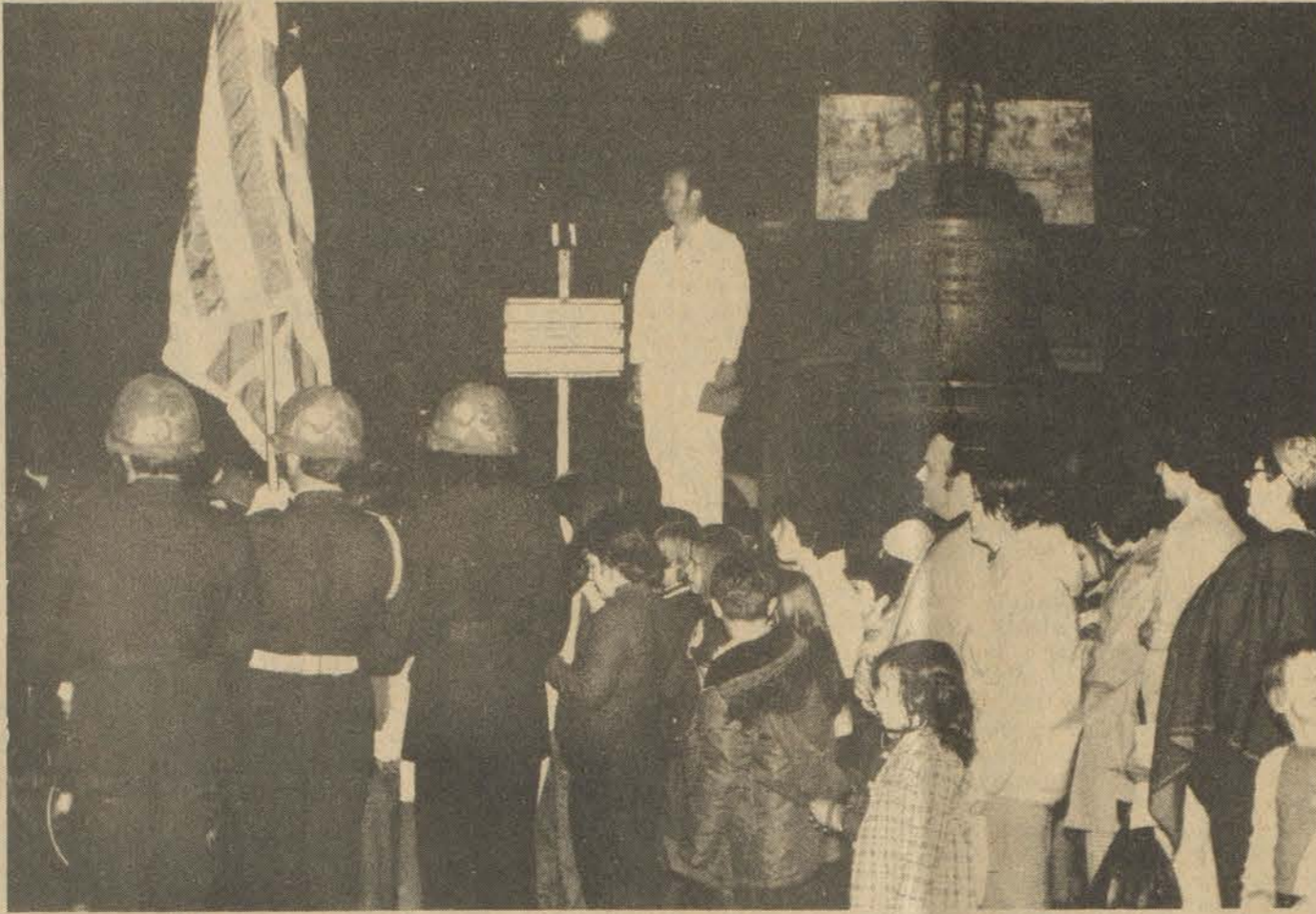
Pleas of guilty were entered in three cases Monday. Among these were Earl Ray Stone, Kenneth Ray Webb and Richard Hale, to the charge of kidnapping. Sentence is expected Friday. Sentencing of two others who entered pleas of guilty also was deferred till their motions for probation are investigated. The defendants are Gary Allen and Clarence Stone, both accused of obtaining money under false pretense.

John Tracy Hamilton, listed as a minor having possession of alcoholic beverages, was fined \$25.

Bonds forfeited were those of Gene Hayden, charged with theft, \$1000; Jeffery and Charlene Johnson, theft, \$500; Kenneth Allen, Left Beaver man charged with rape and incest, \$5,000.

Cases dismissed at the request of the prosecuting witness: Vester Smith, grand larceny and knowingly receiving stolen property; Jim Bob Vance, first degree assault; Gordon Bolen, first degree wanton endangerment; Jonathon Conn, theft by deception; Lawrence Hicks, third degree criminal mischief; Melvin Hoover, Carl Edward Whitaker, Carlos Hoover and Jasper Hicks, first degree assault; Rex Music, theft by deception; Earl Patrick, forgery. The first degree assault charge against Bob Frasure was filed away, subject to being redocketed.

Continued till later in the current court term were these cases:
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BICENTENNIAL EVENT . . . The replica of the Liberty Bell issued to the state of Kentucky occupied a prominent place in the community program conducted at the Courthouse parking lot last Tuesday evening under auspices of the Prestonsburg unit, Kentucky National Guard. The program, emceed by the Rev. W. D. Jagers, pastor of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, included a reading by Bernadine Wells; the history of the Bell, by Sgt. Ingram, of the Kentucky National Guard unit here; the Prestonsburg High School chorus, directed by Carlos H. Haywood; group singing, led by Gus Kalos, and prayer led by the Rev. Taylor Biggs, of the Community Methodist Church. The Bell was taken during the week to the campuses of 17 Floyd schools and Prestonsburg Community College.

This Town...That World

These blackbirds, cowbirds, whatever are saving us money. We've stopped buying birdseed, trying to starve 'em out. Without success, I regret to report.

SOMETHING WORTHWHILE

My business hours neighbor, George D. Brown, has just published a booklet, "Historical Record of the Brown Family," purely for the record and as something of value to leave his children and friends. Its interesting pages not only trace his family origins and activities but also record vignettes of life in a day that this "younger generation" may, if it isn't careful, lose forever.

EASTER STORY

There was this fellow who turned up at his neighbor's house, bright and early on Easter morning, crying, "Easter gift!" The man of the house reminded him that
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Big Sandy CAP To Lose Aging Program Control

Administration of the Big Sandy Program for the Aged will pass May 1 from the hands of the Community Action Program (CAP) to the five counties, including Floyd, which are served by the program.

The action was announced at a Monday night meeting of the Big Sandy Area Development District at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, by Grady Conley, of Salyersville, chairman of ADD's subcommittee on aging. The announcement simply was to the effect that the committee was ending its contract with Big Sandy CAP to handle the program for the aging.

Although it was held that the subcommittee had authority to end the contract without other confirmation, the

full ADD board voted its support of the cancellation.

Claude Swiney, Floyd county planner, representing County Judge Henry Stumbo, led the drive at the CAP meeting to terminate the contract. Big Sandy ADD staff member, L. B. Lemaster, said the subcommittee had decided to oust CAP from the program management because the aged citizens of Floyd, Johnson and Magoffin counties were not participating. Arthur Pope, CAP board member, called the complaints against CAP management "nit-picking." He noted that CAP served 18,500 senior citizens last year, adding, "and people come here and tell us we're not doing the job."
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KET MINI-BOARD TO MEET THURSDAY

Kentucky Education Television's Floyd County Mini-Board will meet Thursday, April 22, at 7 p.m. at the Floyd County Library. All members are urged to attend this meeting to plan our May 7 dinner.

Floyd County Coal Production Hit 4.4 Million Tons in '75

Floyd county last year during a boom the likes of which has never been witnessed before in the industry produced 4.4 million tons of coal, according to statistics released last week by the state Department of Mines and Minerals.

Although production remains heavier than that of pre-boom days, this and other counties are not expected to approach the 1975 tonnage. Most coal being sold now is high b.t.u. and is being produced under contract.

Kentucky led the nation last year in coal production, and Eastern Kentucky led the state, outproducing Western Kentucky mines by almost two to one.

More than 144 million tons of coal were produced in 45 Kentucky counties last year.

Commissioner H. N. Kirkpatrick said the figures show a 5.41 per cent increase over production in 1974.

More than half—78.1 million tons—of the total came from surface mining, Kirkpatrick said. Underground mines produced 66 million tons.

Muhlenberg county was the state's largest producer with 22.4 tons. More than 17 million tons came from surface mines there.

Pike county was second with 19.3 million tons, with Harlan county next at 10.9 million tons.

Eastern Kentucky coalfields produced 41.2 million tons from underground mines and 46.9 million tons from surface mining. Western Kentucky produced 24.7 million and 31.2 million, respectively.

Kentucky finished well ahead of West Virginia, the second biggest coal producing state.

Coal production appeared to continue on the rise even in northeastern Kentucky counties, which have not been known for coal mining operations over the years.

Convention Trek Begins in County

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

The Bank Josephine, a corp. vs. Clifford Hayden, et al. Phyllis Jean Eagleson vs. Jake Bates, Jr. Connie Sue Moore vs. William Moore. Ramona Flannery Shepherd vs. Bill T. Shepherd. Miley Prater, Committee vs. Troy Hicks. Margaret M. Coburn vs. Frank Coburn. Estelle F. Hall, et al vs. Fred Hall, et al. Cynthia L. Chaffins vs. Earl E. Chaffins. Ella Mae Mahannah vs. Ralph C. Mahannah. Merlin or Maryland Hall, Gdn. vs. Mearl Dean Hall. Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Harloss Hall, d.b.a. Brown Produce Company, a corp. vs. Herman May, et al.

THE WRONG NAME

In last week's Times the name of Darrell Meeks was incorrectly listed as a defendant in a suit. Correctly, the suit was that of The Bank Josephine, a corporation, vs. Darrell Hicks.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles Hall, 33, and Theresa Lynn Adkins, 17, both of Galveston. Clyde Collins, 49, Franklin, O., and Nancy Dennon, 33, Mason, Ohio. Randolph Hunt, 18, Ivel, and Brenda Goble, 15, Brandy Keg.

Both Political Parties Start At Precincts

The long process toward nomination of Democratic and Republican nominees for the Presidency has begun in this and other counties with precinct "grassroots" meetings for both parties from which delegates go to county, district and state conventions—all apart from the direct voting the people will be doing at the May 28 primary for the candidates themselves.

Floyd county Republicans began the organizational work first with precinct caucuses recently, followed by the county caucus here at which party officials and 30 delegates and the same number of alternates were named to the district convention to be held at Morehead Friday, this week. The state convention will be held in Frankfort Saturday at 2 p.m.

Precinct delegates elected Elmer Ferguson, of Wheelwright, Republican county chairman; Teddi Pence, of Prestonsburg, chairwoman, and Clyde George, Prestonsburg, secretary-treasurer.

Democratic precinct meetings were held last Saturday, and precinct committeemen will meet at the courthouse here in county caucus Saturday of this week at 2 p.m., County Chairman Woodrow W. Burchett announced.

From here delegates later will go to district and state conventions.

Names of both President Ford and Governor Reagan will appear on the G.O.P. primary ballot. In Kentucky the Democratic presidential primary apparently lies between Gov. Jimmy Carter, of Georgia, and U. S. Senator Henry M. Jackson, of Washington.

Governor Carroll has openly announced his support of Carter, but the United Mine Workers threw their backing Monday to Senator Jackson.

The primary vote will determine the number of Kentucky delegates each candidate will hold for the first ballot at the national convention of each party. After that, the delegates are not bound by the popular vote mandate.

Council Moves To Cover Dump For Pound Site

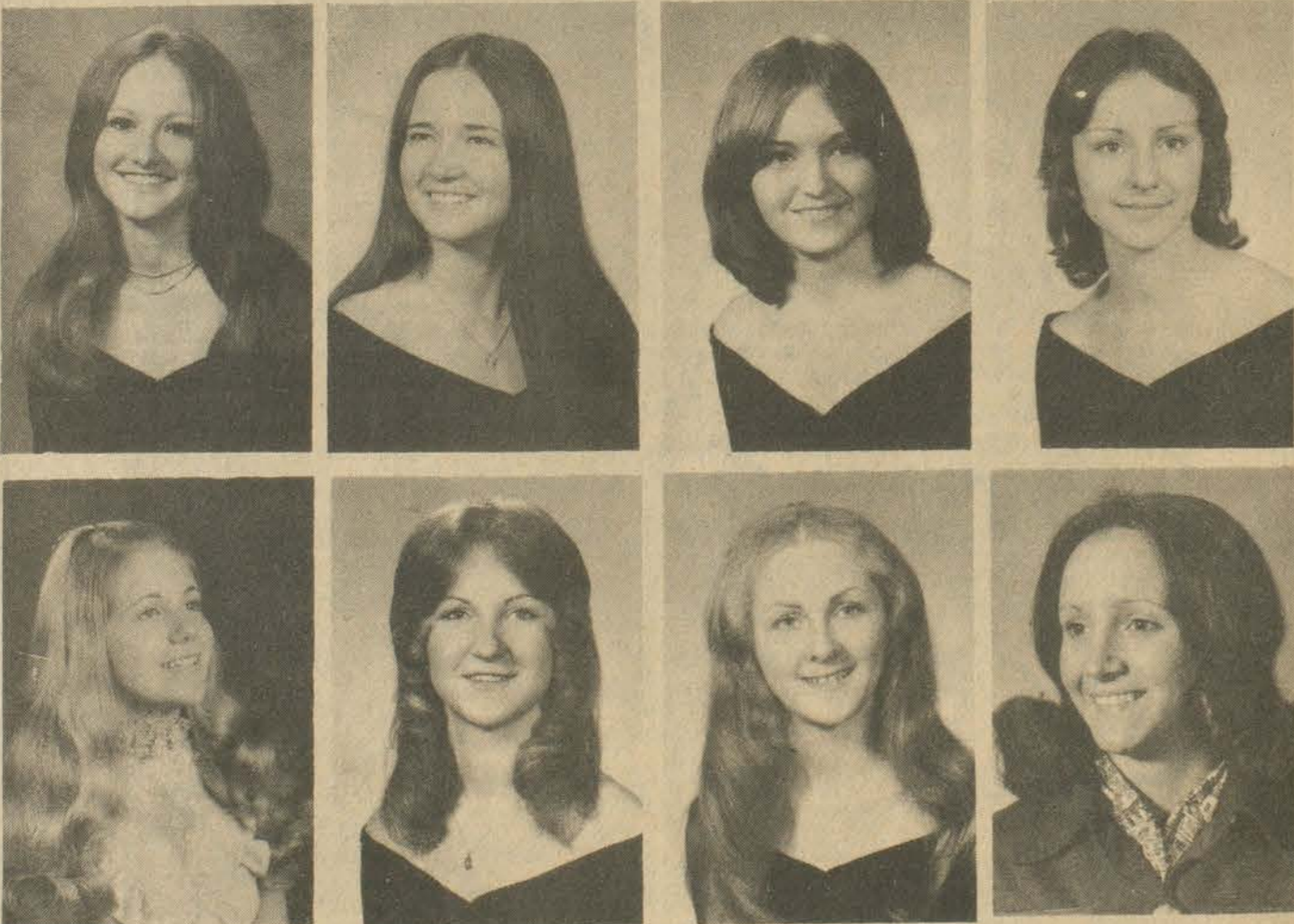
Plans to reclaim the now-abandoned city garbage dump on the old Middle Creek road and restore it to a condition suitable as a site for the proposed Floyd county animal shelter were announced at last Thursday's meeting of the City Council.

The council directed that the dump be covered with earth to a depth of three feet and reseeded, and that, this done, a reward of \$25 be posted for information leading to the conviction of any person who dumps waste materials on the site. The fine for such dumping was set at \$100, plus costs, for each offense.

Parking lot beautification work also was voted. The \$474 bid of the Hensley Nursery to furnish and plant evergreens along Parking Lot No. 3 between Arnold Avenue and Lake Drive was accepted, and City Manager Curtis Clark was authorized to expend \$100 for flowers to be planted at parking lots.

Two new members of the Public
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Miss Floyd County Candidates



Every young girl dreams of becoming Miss America, and the young girl who is named Miss Floyd County, 1976 could realize that dream.

The Miss Floyd County Pageant, sponsored by the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club, will be held Saturday night (April 24) at the Prestonsburg Fieldhouse. One of the following young ladies will be chosen to represent Floyd county in the Miss Kentucky Pageant next month. From left, they are:

Top row—Miss Mary Lynne Wright, 21, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elder Wright, of Prestonsburg, sponsored by the Prestonsburg Woman's Club, will be doing a monologue; Miss Jonell Tackett, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tackett, of Prestonsburg, sponsored by the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce, to present a piano selection; Miss Jacqueline Lois McDowell, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDowell, of Prestonsburg, sponsored by the Martin Kiwanis Club, to do a pom pom routine; Miss Charlotte Sue Wells, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wells, of Prestonsburg, sponsored by the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, to do a modern dance; Miss Martha Ann Shepherd, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shepherd, of the Abbott road, sponsored by the P.C.C. Chess Society, to do a piano selection; Miss Sherry Lynn Music, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Music, of East Point, sponsored by the Floyd County Emergency & Rescue Squad, will give an organ performance; Miss Vivian Elizabeth Haywood, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haywood, of Van Lear, sponsored by Vance Volkswagen, will present a monologue; Miss Kathi Anne Mullins, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Mullins, of Melvin, sponsored by the Beaver Valley Kiwanis Club, will present an organ performance.

Akers Says East Ky. In Conversion Plans

Dr. Dee Ashley Akers, administrator of the Kentucky Center for Energy Research, Lexington, recently wrote Congressman Carl D. Perkins to the effect that The Courier-Journal news-story of Feb. 1 saying that Akers did not envision coal conversion in Eastern Kentucky was the "direct opposite of the view expressed there."

Dr. Akers wrote Congressman Perkins in response to Perkins' request that he clarify his position in relation to The Courier-Journal story:

"The basis for the reporter's comment was my expression of concern that most of the industry proposals to the Kentucky Center for Energy Research are related to high sulphur coal and seem headed for Western Kentucky. I am concerned that these projects indicate no conversion developments for Eastern Kentucky. The point of my comment is that we must

take special steps to assure development of such an industry in Eastern Kentucky. The comment about metallurgical coal is improperly related to the conversion matter since, as you know, steam coal is the principal object of coal conversion programs.

"We are taking such steps, some of which you know about. I am currently assisting in the development of new contracts for construction and operation of the H-coal plant at Catlettsburg. I am also working closely with a proposal that could bring coal conversion technology to Eastern Kentucky sooner than it will come to other parts of the state under other projects. There are still many problems with the new proposal, but if the project can be successfully put together, I believe it will do more good for the central part of Eastern Kentucky than any project on the horizon."

Company Quits Plan To Mine Mud Cr. Tract

The coal company which for months has been seeking a permit to mine Mud Creek lands bordering on KY 979 has apparently given up the fight.

Almost on the eve of a hearing scheduled in Frankfort last Wednesday to give those who objected to the mining operation, the Paul Pelphrey Coal Co., Paintsville, reportedly notified the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection that it was withdrawing its application for a permit.

The 32-acre tract of coal involved extends approximately 7,200 feet along Mud Creek in the Teaberry vicinity, and has three coal seams. Ralph Moore, of this county, sought the first permit to mine the tract but was denied a permit in April, 1975. Last October, however, preliminary approval for mining was granted the Pelphrey firm by the Division of Reclamation. At that time reclamation officials said all that was needed to get a final permit was the construction of a silt dam.

Meanwhile, however, residents of the community protested. A petition asking denial of the permit application was filed by Steven J. Millemann, Appalachian Research and Defense Fund attorney here, for landowners, Milford and Shirley Newsome, Georgie and Cassie Tackett and Elza and Lula Newsome. They contended that the operation would be injurious to their lives and property, that the location of the proposed operation was "on a dangerously steep hillside which constitutes one of two sides of an extremely narrow and steep hollow, through the narrow bottom of which run Mud Creek and Mud Creek highway . . ."

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Newsome claimed their new home, across the highway from the mine site, would be endangered. The Tacketts' home is downstream from the Newsome residence.

Accompanying the petition for denial filed for the plaintiffs by Millemann was a handwritten petition protesting the work, signed by 36 residents of the vicinity.

Evaluation Program Contract Negotiated

A proposal by the General Electric Company, Fairfield, Connecticut, to conduct a materials evaluation program for two advanced types of high temperature, gas-cooled nuclear reactor concepts has been selected as a basis for contract negotiation by the Energy Research and Development Administration.

The aim of the program is to identify metal alloys for use in the manufacture of components that can operate in the high temperatures required for direct cycle helium turbine and very high temperature gas-cooled reactors.

The program is estimated to require five years for completion and cost about \$5,000,000.

ERDA's overall gas-cooled reactor development program includes development of high temperature gas reactor technology for very efficient electric power operation, and investigation of the technology required for gas-cooled breeder reactors and very high temperature reactors for industrial process heat applications.

NEW YORK—A record \$32.9 billion was paid out in benefits in 1975 by private U.S. health insurers, 18.4 per cent more than in 1974. Hospital, medical and dental expenses accounted for \$30.2 billion.

Practical First Aid



Mrs. Lucille Akers is shown above applying a bandage to Mrs. Loretta Conn. Both are among those completing a First-Aid Course instructed by Simon Akers, which was recently sponsored by the Prater Creek Development Club.

Those receiving certificates were Loretta Conn, Sandra Roberts, Pamela J. Boyd, Katheryn Akers, Debbie Tackett, Lucille Akers, Herma Lynn Conn, Gail Taylor, Lynn Boyd, Gordon Boyd, Bryan E. Conn, Clinton Akers, Thelma Conn.

The Development Club meets the first Monday of each month at the Prater Creek Grade School at 7 p.m.

Selected To Attend Alice Lloyd Session

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Four Floyd County students were recently selected to participate in the 1976-77 Upward Bound Program at Alice Lloyd College. They include Suzette Little, of Bypro, a student at Wheelwright High School, and the following from the David School: John B. Jones, of Martin, Juanita Williams, of Tram, and Donna Gail Robinette, of Justell.

The program will seek to encourage students to pursue their education beyond the high school level through a wide variety of educational experiences which include English, social studies, reading, crafts, physical education, music, drama seminars, field trips, and many other student generated activities. Students will live in the college dormitories for eight weeks during the summer.

These various experiences help students discover and develop their potential, leading many to realize that they are capable and prepared to enter a college or vocational school. The Upward Bound staff works closely with each student in helping him to develop his interests and to plan his future.

Applications are still being accepted for qualified 10th and 11th graders. They may be obtained from high school guidance counselors or by writing the Upward Bound Office, Box 42, Alice Lloyd College, Pippa Passes, Kentucky 41844.

MOSCOW—Ignor A. Moiseyev, leader of the Soviet folk dance company that has toured around the world, has been named a hero of socialist labor, the news agency Tass said.

Moiseyev received the honor, one of the Soviet Union's highest civilian awards, for his "outstanding service in developing the Soviet art of choreography," the citation said. Moiseyev will be 70 today.

Danger of Houseboat Fires Discussed as Summer Hazard

Siren wailing, the ambulance wheeled away from the dock with a full load of unconscious and severely-burned passengers. Behind them, all that remained of a once luxurious houseboat was a charred and smoking hull.

Firemen still prodded the gutted interior, searching through blackened wreckage for more victims and trying to discover what triggered the explosion.

Unhappily, said Doug Shoulders, director of the state Department of Transportation's Division of Water Enforcement, this scene is likely to be repeated more than once in Kentucky this summer.

Spring is a particularly dangerous time, because many boats have been unused through the winter, he said.

"If the boat operator does not purge the engine compartment of the fuel fumes that can accumulate inside, the gases will be ignited when the ignition switch is turned on for the first time in the spring," he said.

"It doesn't matter if the boat hasn't been used in weeks or for only a matter of hours. The gases can collect incredibly fast."

For boaters getting ready for the coming season, he recommends raising the cowling over the motor and turning on the bilge fans (if you have them) before starting the engine.

"Common sense cleaning and maintenance of the engine and its compartment also should be at the top of the boater's spring check list," he said.

"Don't allow fuel, oil or greasy rags to accumulate in the bilge. And, obviously, there should be no smoking or open flames around when refueling the boat," he added.

All boats should also carry at least one fire extinguisher. State law requires extinguishers on the following types of craft:

—All inboard motor vessels, regardless of size; and all outboard motor vessels with enclosed or semi-enclosed bilges.

—All boats equipped with butane, propane, kerosene, gasoline or any petroleum product consuming device, except outboard motors.

—All boats having closed or semi-enclosed cabins; and all craft with sleeping quarters.

—All open-type boats with decks at the bow, 30 inches or longer.

"When mounting an extinguisher on the boat, put it in a place least likely to be the scene of a fire," he warned. "I've seen extinguishers mounted on the inside wall of the engine compartment, but they won't do much good there, since that's where most boat fires originate."

If a fire should break out on board, Shoulders advises boaters to spray the extinguisher through a vent or porthole if at all possible.

"Obviously, if there is no other access, the only recourse is to fight the fire by opening the engine cowling or compartment door," he said.

If the fire cannot be extinguished with reasonable caution, Shoulders says there are only two things left to do . . . "Put on your PFD (personal flotation device); and take a swim."

The labor force participation rate of mothers in the United States has increased dramatically over the years; in 1940 only nine percent of all women with children worked, but by 1974 that figure had risen to 46 percent, according to the U. S. Department of Labor.

AMERICAN SCULPTURE AT WHITNEY NEW YORK—An exhibition of the art of American sculpture, "200 Years of American Sculpture," is at the Whitney Museum of American Art through Sept. 26.

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Kentucky Afield

By Hope Carleton
Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

By JOHN WILSON
Although fishing is the current topic among Kentucky's outdoorsmen, now is also the time to think about next fall and winter's wildlife. This is particularly true for landowners who want to enhance wildlife habitat on their property.

Some wildlife management practices carried out now can increase the number of both game species, such as quail and rabbits for fall hunting, and also provide habitat for songbirds and other desirable wildlife, according to Joe Bruna, game management director for the Department of Fish and Wildlife.

There are some things landowners should not do, Bruna says. Don't clean up all fence rows or other brushy areas which can provide cover and nesting sites for wildlife and attract birds, spiders and other insect eaters. Don't remove dead trees which furnish dens for several species of birds, particularly woodpeckers and doves and occasionally for squirrels. Remember, a completely "clean" farm may look nice, but it offers very little habitat for any kind of wildlife except harmful insects and mice.

During May and June hay cutting, leave an uncut portion around woods, brushy areas or fence rows. These unmowed areas provide good nesting sites for quail and rabbits. And later on, at harvest time, leave a row or two of corn around the edges of fields to provide winter food for wildlife.

Early wildlife foods, such as Korean lespedeza, should already be in the ground, but they can be planted in April on a well prepared seed bed. Now is the right time to put in bicolor or japonica lespedeza. Later wildlife foods, which can be planted in May or June, include millet, corn, sorghum, buckwheat or cowpeas. Soybeans are especially good, since they both provide rabbit browse and also improve the soil.

Now would also be a good time for landowners to look for seed-producing trees such as white ash, oak, pine, sassafras, black locust and beech. The mast from these trees provides excellent winter quail food, as do the fruits from hackberry, wild cherry, blackhaw, dogwood, huckleberry, sumac or sawbrier.

If any of these mast-producing trees or shrubs are present, they should be encouraged by clearing away competing trees and bushes. The landowner may also want to plant other mast-producing trees, such as pine, walnut, black locust, Chinese chestnut, autumn-olive or white ash.

Landowners wishing some professional advice on wildlife habitat improvement should get in touch with their local conservation officer, who can request that a wildlife biologist visit the property and make specific recommendations to the owner. With some pre-planning and just a little work, almost any land can produce good wildlife habitat.

MEGEVE, France—The European Cup ski meet scheduled here Jan. 26-30 has been cancelled for lack of snow, the organizers announced.

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Floyd Escapes Fires Outbreak

Almost three weeks of rainless weather have resulted in extremely hazardous conditions in the area in terms of forest fire risk, and although numerous woodland blazes were reported over the past week for surrounding counties, Floyd county during the same period escaped fire damage.

Arthur Leach, district forester, called the present situation "real critical" and pointed out that fires were being battled in Pike, Magoffin, Johnson, Lawrence and Martin counties.

Risk of fires in the area is so great that six forestry officials from other districts in the state have been called in to supplement local forestry personnel.

Hardest hit by fires is the Daniel Boone National Forest area. Joe Nadolski, public information officer for the national forest, reported that last week seven people were arrested for deliberately setting fires during the peak spring fire season.

Activities of arsonists have resulted in perhaps the majority of this spring's blazes and present a perplexing problem to state foresters. Kentucky State Forester Harry Nadler said, "It takes an unusual, maybe even sick, person to go and deliberately set fires when it is so dry and windy out. I just don't understand why people do these things, and until we do, we are facing a problem that is of serious proportions."

July 4th Celebration Scheduled at Martin

Martin will hold its own bicentennial celebration, July 1 through July 4. During these days, there will be sidewalk sales, flea markets, fruit and vegetable stands and refreshment booths. In addition, on Saturday, July 3, there will be church booths, a parade, Little League baseball, gospel singing, a water fight between fire departments. On Saturday evening, the U. S. Male Band with members Steve Reector, Mark and Tony Stephens, Mickey Bentley, and Forrest Porter, will play.

The July 4th celebration on Sunday will feature pretty baby contest, beauty contest, ugly man contest, greasy pole, hog calling, largest family contests. Representative James "Jitter" Allen, Senator Jim Hammond, and city and county officials will take part in a salute to Martin. The celebration will conclude with a giant fireworks display.

Flea market booths, vegetable, fruit, or refreshment stands, and church booths will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. Anyone interested in getting one of these should get in touch with Ed Taylor at King Sales Co., Phyllis Gearheart at Martin Floral, or Mrs. Roy Ratliff.

Almost as Much Fun as Christmas



These youngsters, two of whom are shown at the apparent moment of discovery, were among 75 who participated in Sunday's Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Tri-Community Development Club of Wayland.

Bell Issues Order Halting Coal Company Plan in McCreary

Frankfort, Ky.—Robert D. Bell, Secretary of the Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection today issued an abate-and-alleviate order against the Stearns Coal and Lumber Company, which had announced plans to begin, tomorrow, a wide-ranging program of land development including logging, home site development and deep and surface mining near the Cumberland River in McCreary County.

The area is the Bald Knob section of McCreary County, which lies along the Cumberland River's Big South Fork. Secretary Bell's order schedules a formal investigative hearing on the issue for 10 a.m., April 22, in Frankfort.

The order points to plans outlined by Stearns Coal and Lumber Company President Robert Gable in a letter written to Bell April 6, as posing a danger to, and likely to result in damages to, the Commonwealth's natural resources, including the quality of the waters. Gable's letter tells of plans to clear cut timber, develop sites for new homes, begin timber clearing operations near the river, build a railroad extension into the area and build roads. Additionally,

the Stearns Coal and Lumber firm's president tells in his letter of substantial deep and surface mine coal reserves, and refers to the leasing of substantial oil and gas drilling rights in these areas.

Bell has also notified Gable by letter that some of the proposals outlined in his letter, specifically those pertaining to mining, require a permit from the department, which has not been issued.

The formal hearing will be conducted in the hearing room on the fifth floor of the Capital Plaza Tower, and will be participated in by departmental attorneys and a member of the staff of Kentucky Attorney General Robert Stephens. The hearing officer will be Eugene F. Mooney of the University of Kentucky College of Law.

The land in question is part of a large tract designated for purchase by the federal government and incorporation by the U. S. Corps of Engineers into the Big South Fork National Wild Rivers Recreational Area.

A part of the land also lies within the perimeters exempted from such activities by the Kentucky Wild Rivers Act passed by the 1974 Kentucky Legislature.

Nature Trails

By Rufus M. Reed

The world of Nature is a vast one and includes many kinds and classes of nature. There is human nature, as people; animal nature, as a dog or cat; plant nature, as a tree or flower; mineral nature, such as coal or diamonds; reptile nature, as a turtle; bird nature, as a robin; worm nature, as an angletworm; fish nature, as a bass; bug nature, as a chinch bug; insect nature, as a fly or a moth; universal nature, as the cosmos; the sun and solar system, and there are many modifications of these.

What is man's role in this great world of nature, of which he is chief participant? Man was not meant to be an abuser of nature, a bruiser of nature, but rather as a friend and co-worker with all nature.

Nature consists for the most part of life... and there are many kinds of life, the three main ones being human life, plant life and animal life.

Once I studied the teachings of that great humanitarian and humane worker, Dr. Albert Schweitzer, who taught that man should have reverence for all life on earth and should feel a sense of responsibility for its well-being. The more I studied nature, the more I began to see how man is part and parcel of all life on earth; that he is one with all and that his role is to seek and find his truth and fulfill his role by safeguarding and protecting all life. Man's role is not to be a greedy conqueror or an abuser of nature; now is it his role to pollute the earth, defile the water and poison the air. It is not man's true role to break the countless chains of nature and cause suffering to innocent victims.

Man's chief role is to study nature in all her divisions and classes and to try to understand the laws and operations of nature, so that he might live in harmony with his environment.

Just as surely as man flouts or abuses nature's laws, he will just as surely have to pay the penalty.

Nature speaks to the heart of all who

HERE FOR EASTER

Joe and Sarah Buchanan returned to Bowling Green Sunday after spending the Easter week-end here with their parents.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fox Homes, of Louisville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Homes, here several days last week.

VISITING IN LOUISVILLE

Mrs. Nelle B. Howard is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Mack Langford, Dr. Langford and daughters in Louisville.

love her ways and who try to understand her laws; nature is made to be used and enjoyed by man; she has healing in her heart for all who seek her peace in the quiet cloisters of the woodlands. Too long has man been a despoiler of Nature, an abuser of the good planet earth. Man has burned and plundered the great forests of America and has caused the soil to wash away during heavy rains. Through his greed, man has disrupted the delicate balances of nature and caused the extermination of many fine species of plants, as well as birds and animals.

Nature has a way of striking back at her despoilers. Man destroys her forests, and she punishes him with disastrous floods; man abuses her soil and depletes it, and she punishes him with a drouth and poor crops; man kills off the predators, such as owls, hawks and coyotes, and she punishes him with plagues of pests that destroy his crops; man kills off the beneficial insects that pollinate his crops, and Nature gives him

a bad yield; man kills off the birds and Nature sends plagues of insects. Nature is older than man, far wiser than man, far greater than man. She brought forth on this good planet earth a multitude of life forms of all kinds. Man himself is the crowning achievement of nature's creative processes but he is also the arch-destroyer of nature, the poisoner of the earth, the killer of wild life.

Man's role should be to respect nature, to work and live in harmony with her and help to maintain the proper balance.

Nature created abundant beauty for the delight of man's heart and the uplift of his soul; she brings inspiration for his mind. Man's role, then, is to study nature and try to understand her ways and put his life in harmony with her laws. His role is to appreciate the beauties of nature and seek inspiration from the Great Outdoors... Like the Psalmist David, he is glad to say: "I will lift up mine eyes to the hills, from whence cometh my help."

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Wildflower Walk Set In Letcher County

Pippa Passes, Ky.—Sweet william, columbine, dwarf iris, and jack-in-the-pulpit—these wildflowers and many more will be in beautiful profusion for Alice Lloyd College's Third Annual Wildflower Walk to be held on Sunday, April 25 at 10 a.m., at the Lilley Cornett Woods in Letcher County.

Edith Hayes, wife of ALC's president, invites the public to join on the walk with the College's trustees, faculty and students. Lilley Cornett Woods is located just off Route 7 at Ulvah. As in past years, Rufus Fugate, ALC alumnus and Leslie County Extension Agent, will direct the walk, assisted by regular guides from the Lilley Cornett Woods. He also will be assisted by Lewis Sizemore, an alumnus and ALC instructor. Fugate recommends that participants wear outdoor clothing on the walk, because, as he puts it, "You get down on your hands and knees for prayer, but on your chin and elbows to capture a wildflower's beauty."

Not only is Fugate skilled in leading a wildflower walk, but he has prepared a color slide show of this area's wildflowers which will be presented prior to

the walk to enrich the experience for participants.

Early spring days find the floor of the virgin forest literally carpeted with wildflowers, including many rare plants. Pink lady's slipper, spotted mandarin, bellwort, crested dwarf iris, and trillium are but a few of the exotic wildflowers. To protect the virgin forest and flowers, and to allow more freedom for questions, participants will organize into small groups on the walk.

A brief devotional service will be held at the Woods, prior to the walk.


Persons interested in joining the Wildflower Walk are asked to register ahead of time with Mrs. Hayes, Alice Lloyd College, Pippa Passes, Ky. 41844, or call: (606) 368-3411. Mrs. Hayes suggests that participants bring a sack lunch.

ANIMAL FOSSILS FOUND IN NEPAL KATMANDU, Nepal—Dr. Robert M. West, a curator at the Milwaukee, Wis., museum, says he has found fossils of animals, fish and reptiles including crocodiles and a rhinoceros in this mountainous country.

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A New-Old Subject Wanted for the Schools

A Gallup poll released for publication only a few days ago shows that 84 per cent of the parents who have children attending public schools favor instruction in morals and moral behavior in the schools.

From these figures we deduce that the fathers and mothers of schoolchildren are ready to give up on the doctrine of "do your thing" and eschew all discipline because discipline may twist the personality of the "young idea." It would appear that, dismayed by the violence which in many schools has called armed guards or policemen to patrol school hallways, parents have decided that the accumulation of mere knowledge to the exclusion of the welfare and rights of those with whom the pupils associate is not the summum bonum some educators have expected.

Morals and morality are as basic to human development as the knowledge of the alphabet. Discipline is part and parcel of these fundamentals.

It is highly important that the schools teach the virtues of right conduct and living. To do so, they will have to drop some of the sophisticated teachings that have invaded the classroom and at least curb the teachings of those "free souls" who scoff at things that are right and who actually encourage young people to follow their instincts. (Those textbooks filled with the prurient and violent also would be tossed into the discard where they belong.)

So it would be that the teaching of morals and morality would improve the overall quality of the women and men who teach America's children. In short, the teacher who herself is lacking in morality would not qualify to teach the subject.

We join the vast majority in holding that such teaching is needed in the schools. But with that work in the schools—even before that school training begins—there is needed the teaching of morals by the parents themselves. The mothers and fathers of this world cannot expect a teacher, or any number of teachers, to counteract by their teachings what the child learns in the home. Father and mother need to teach morals and morality to their children, not so much by what they say as by what they do in the presence of their youngsters.

Twenty-five years ago, more than half of the people questioned in a poll expressed the belief that people in general then were as honest and moral as they had been in the past. Today, two-thirds of the people say that people in general are less moral and honest.

Obviously, something must be done to halt the drift toward a social age of fang and claw. The church, generally speaking, stands to stem this drift, teaching the tenets of faith and hope and loving relationships between people and peoples. But these youngsters of ours need help from those who are with them, day after day—they need parents and teachers who are moral, teaching by precept and example morality, which in the years ahead must be a required, not an elective, subject.

Letters to the Editor

Beauty in Your Own Backyard

I look forward to reading "This Town-That World" and feel that you strive to give the public a bit of wit and humor as did Joe Creason.

Much has been said about birds native to our community as well as those which migrate. I, too, will be glad when the Evening Grosbeaks return to the Canadian forests. They are beautiful, rude and greedy; I think they have learned Kentuckians share more generously. It would be interesting to see them at the sunflower harvest. The small birds busy themselves in the search for insects until the greedy birds have gone. Even the blue jay fears the grosbeak. I fill the feeders about an hour before dark as the chickadee, titmouse and cardinal return and the greedy birds, even sparrows, have gone. If you don't have a feeder, use two perforated pie tins on a broomstick or similar support and place near a small bush or tree or, if you are a shut-in or invalid, near your window. The small birds fear the cats.

If you have time on your hands, there's beauty in your own backyard. Everyday of my life, I wonder at all that goes on in nature and how miraculous is the life there. I'm sure it was God who first arranged the way of life for all living things in nature. An early poet, J. F. Holland, has said: "God gives every bird its food but does not throw it into the nest."

Have you wondered who taught the spider to weave such a delicate, silken thing as its web sparkling in the morning sunlight? Have you thought of the artistic talents of the birds and insects? Each specie of bird has its own form of architecture and fashions its nest accordingly. They weave, tie knots and some are real masons.

Have you observed the butterfly as it flits from flower to flower and thought of the service it renders in pollination in its short span of life of perhaps five to ten weeks? The skill of the honey bee is unsurpassed; the shape of the honey comb and the ability to fill it with such delicacy. Please don't eat the honey and swat the first bee you see!

It has been said the wasp was producing paper, centuries before man learned how to write, and legend has it that the American Indian learned how to fashion clay jars by watching the potter wasp at work. Have you observed a wasp's nest and the dainty material that fashions it. It is a real, work of art. Observe, also, the mud-doubter's clay home

How fascinating is the praying mantis and how valuable it is in the destruction of insects. Last fall, the adult left two egg bags attached to a small hemlock bush and I look forward to their hatching.

The chickadee is a most fascinating bird. Legend has it that it was the favorite of the Indian. It is said to be "least in strength and strongest in mind." They are often seen upside down, searching for insects and larvae. It nests in a hole in a tree or stump and will lay as many as nine eggs that hatch in 12 days. Just 10 days later, the young are able to take care of themselves. At least 70 percent of their diet is insects, and they are most valuable in destroying the eggs of the cankerworm. They travel closely with the titmouse, which is equally adorable.

Last spring, we could hear a mourning dove in the early hours, and I'm sure she nested nearby. Why couldn't they have been protected from the hunter?

The crows on the hill communicate in the early morning, but never venture over for food. I recall not too long ago when one of Watt Hale's pet crows would be the first to welcome me to West Prestonsburg. He would sit on the hood of my car and look as if to say, "What did you bring?"

The skunk family I claimed never got back home. Too many have the urge to kill—I hope my pet 'possum can survive.

VENELIA RINEHART
Prestonsburg

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The ADD board also refused to approve a \$65,000 program for extending Meals on Wheels to senior citizens. The board pointed out that the five county school systems had offered to supply the service through their lunchrooms at less cost. CAP's application had viewed the purchase of kitchen equipment.

Harry Eastburn, Big Sandy CAP director, jostled verbally with ADD board members, particularly Lemaster, but fought in a losing cause.

The Employee Retirement Income Security Act, is designed to protect the interests of workers and their beneficiaries who depend on benefits from employee pension and welfare plans.

Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago

(April 21, 1966)

The first annual Mountain Dew Festival began here today (Thursday) and will continue through Saturday. All but one of the 422 one-room schools remaining last year in Kentucky were in the state's eastern counties. Pfc. Andrew Jackson Campbell, 23, of Langley, is the second Floyd county soldier to fall victim to the fighting in Viet Nam. Commissioner of Highways Henry Ward last week authorized the reconstruction of South Lake Drive, here, a project which will cost an estimated \$330,000. Married: Miss Harriet Estes, of Winchester, and Mr. R. Bruce Thompson, of David, April 8 at Clintwood, Virginia; Miss Brenda Clay, of David, and Tom Edward Music, of the Abbott road, April 16 at the David Baptist Church. Born: to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hager, a son, James Warren Hager, Jr., April 13 at the Prestonsburg General hospital. There died: Mrs. Tina Clark Ramey, 58, of Town Branch, March 3 at the Paintsville hospital; M. D. Osborne, 71, of Buckingham, April 8 at a Lexington General hospital; R. J. "Jake" Gunnell, 80, of Emma, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Twenty Years Ago

(April 19, 1956)

At least six of the county's nine high schools already have selected girl representatives to compete here the evening of April 27 for the title of "Miss Floyd County." Big Sandy river towns and some on smaller streams got their usual spring flood scare over the week-end after more than 24 hours of almost continual rainfall. The Stumbo Memorial hospital near Lackey closed its doors Saturday. The Floyd County Health Department after almost 30 years of service to the people of the county was legally created only last week. State-owned wholesale and retail liquor stores was offered last week by Representatives David Martin, Jr., of Hi Hat, and Russell Reynolds, Beatyville, as a bill for house consideration. The Floyd County Board of Health in a special meeting last Thursday approved a budget of \$35,632.56 to cover expenses of the Floyd County Health Department for the fiscal year beginning July 1. The United Fuel Gas Company plans to spend approximately \$2,305,000 for the drilling this year of gas wells, none which will be in Floyd county. Billie Sue Click, 20, of Martin, is a candidate for Queen of the Mountain Laurel Festival at Pineville. Martin Douglas May, eighth-grade pupil in the Prestonsburg grade school, this year won for the second year in a row his school's spelling championship, and will represent the school in the Herald-Dispatch Tri-State spelling bee at Huntington, W. Va. Married: Miss Carol Jean Robinson, and Mr. George Austin Wright, both of Jackson, Mich., April 7 at Jackson. There died: George P. Bingham, 77, of Lancer, Tuesday; Andrew Poe, 83, Monday at the home of a son at Katy Friend; Jimmy D. Salisbury, 66, of Hunter, last Wednesday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin.

Thirty Years Ago

(April 18, 1946)

Unskilled workers employed by the Ryan Construction Company in construction of the Johns Creek dam are on strike this week, protesting the 65 cent-per-hour wage scale set for them by the Department of Labor. Except for train service, public transportation north of Prestonsburg was nonexistent after 33 employees of the Kentucky-Virginia stages had gone on strike Monday. Lucas Gibson, 26, was instantly killed Monday near Lackey when two telephone poles from which he had cut the wires snapped at the ground level, plummeting him to earth and falling on him. Henry Blair, 47, Pikeville miner, was struck and instantly killed by a passenger train, Sunday morning on the tracks near the home of George Clifton, across the river from upper Prestonsburg. The Big Sandy Baseball League will open play, Sunday. James G. Williams, 24, of McRoberts, is in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, suffering from a gunshot wound sustained Monday night at Wheelwright Junction. Married: Miss Ethel May Shepherd, of Abbott road, and Mr. Carl Chaffins, of West Prestonsburg, April 2. There died: Mrs. Ida Lewis, 31, and her new born babe, Monday night at home on Daniels Creek; Riley Shepherd, 74, formerly of Middle Creek, at home near Packerton, Indiana, Tuesday.

Forty Years Ago

(April 17, 1936)

Lieutenant-Governor Keen Johnson, acting as the state's executive in the absence of Governor A. B. Chandler, Tuesday appointed Dewey Roberts to his former office as Magistrate in District No. 4, this county, Wednesday. The NYA project here has employed 38 of the city's youth. Body of Everett Hunt, 30 years old, mortorman for the Sandy Valley Coal Company at Water Gap, was found Sunday morning beside the tracks of the C. & O. Railway Company near his home at the mouth of Bull Creek, where he is believed to have been struck by a freight train. Before the grand jury of the Floyd circuit court adjourned last Saturday, it filed a total of 14 murder indictments. Work sheets are now available in the office of County Agent S. L. Isbell for farmers who wish to cooperate with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in the soils conservation program, it was announced this week. Married: Miss Alice Frasure, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Samuel Robinson, of Cincinnati, Ohio, April 9, at Covington. There died: Mrs. E. S. Pratt, 49, at home on Stone Coal Creek, Monday; Mrs. Mary Ann Bradley Bentley, 77, at the home of her son at Allen, Thursday; Thomas Leslie, 74, at his home at Emma, Wednesday; Brack Miller, 65, at home at West Prestonsburg, Tuesday.

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Properties Corporation, which was formed when a municipal building was first planned, were named. The new members are Joe Hobson, succeeding Albert A. Burchett as process agent, and Donald C. Nunneery, to fill the vacancy in the office of secretary-treasurer created by the death of his father, Byron Nunneery. Burl W. Spurlock was reappointed president of the corporation.

Councilmen Donald Nunneery, Paul Phillip Hughes and Harold Cooley were appointed to the Personnel committee.

In other action the council:

—Rejected an offer to lease the Court-house parking lot for Sunday use only as a flea market site.

—Held that court action would be necessary to effect widening of a 15-foot alley in the Ford Division, Lancer, to a 30-foot street.

—Heard complaints from West Prestonsburg residents about operation of lumber and coal trucks there and advised the chief of police to contact the operators.

—Received from Flanery & Dingus TV franchise payment of \$2,198.58, and from Police Judge Tom Lafferty, \$3,449.50 fines collected for month of March.

—Authorized purchase of new packer-type garbage truck and the sale of an old police cruiser.

MALAYSIA HAS
KEROSENE SMUGGLERS

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia—Officials blame smugglers for Malaysia's kerosene shortage. They say the fuel is shipped into Thailand where it can be sold for 48 cents a gallon compared to 32 cents here.

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James Poston, Jr., wanton endangerment, May 5; Willie Hatfield, second degree assault, May 3; David Hunt, first degree assault, May 5; John Turner and Ruby Carol Butcher, possession of alcoholic beverages for sale, May 3; Harold Damron, theft, April 20; Jerry Dale Hall, first degree assault, May 5; Buddy Hayden, theft, May 5; Fred Osborne, first degree wanton endangerment, April 23; Rodney Salisbury, first degree assault, May 6; Hobert Terry, third degree burglary, May 4; Patty Branham, arson, May 6; Paul Jackson, grand larceny and knowingly receiving stolen property, two cases, April 22; Marvin Neeley and Johnny Conley, grand larceny and knowingly receiving stolen property, April 21; Cisco Neeley and Johnny Conley, grand larceny and knowingly receiving stolen property, April 21; Ruthie Tackett Hall, second offense possession of alcoholic beverages, April 28; Jim Branson, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, April 28.

Cases continued to the September term:

John Destry Brown, violation of the narcotics law; Billy Joe Robinson, Larry Owens, Doug Sexton, Jack Christmas, each charged with grand larceny and knowingly receiving stolen property; Clinton Jones, embezzlement; Archie L. Duff, cold check; Bruce Huff, knowingly receiving stolen property; Odis Riffe, third degree burglary; Paul Sherman Mullins, selling and possessing illegal drugs.

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Display Features Mrs. Bailey's Work



An art exhibit, featuring the work of Dianne M. Bailey, of Salyersville, is currently on display at the Floyd County Library here. The exhibit, which will run through May 6, consists of examples of Mrs. Bailey's work in ceramics, crochet, embroidery and other needlework, and paintings in oils and acrylics. Mrs. Bailey, a daughter of James Russell Miller, of the Middle Creek section, is a student at P. C. C. and a member of the college potter's guild.

Rum Raids Net Four Prisoners

Four persons were arrested in three separate liquor raids by law enforcement officials in the county, Friday and Saturday.

Percy Johnson was arrested Friday by Wheelwright Police Harold and Mildred Bates on charges of possession of alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale, attempt to elude police officers, and reckless driving. Johnson executed bond the following day.

State Troopers Weedman and Stumbo arrested Donna Brown, Saturday, on a charge of transporting alcoholic beverages in local option territory. She was released on bond the same day. In another raid Saturday, Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis, Isaacs, J. D. and Melvin Martin arrested Sherman and Thelma Brown on charges of possession. The two executed bond the same day.

Others booked at the county jail over the past week, charges against each, and arresting officers follow:

Manuel Smith, knowingly receiving stolen property, by Deputy Sheriff Linzie Hunt; Randy Hall, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; James P. Castle, bond forfeiture, by State Trooper Estep; Jimmy Hicks, drunk driving, by State Trooper Goble; Denver Hamilton, drunk driving, by State Trooper Goble; Burley Kidd, drunk driving, by State Trooper Shelton; Ernest Hall, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriffs Doug Lewis, Isaacs, J. D. and Melvin Martin; Lynn Hall, attempt to elude police officers and reckless driving, by State Trooper Goble; Terry C. Lykens, driving under the influence of narcotics, by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis; Frank Ferguson, drunk driving, by State Troopers Shelton and Weedman; Gary Dean Rister, drunk driving, by City Policemen Kelly and Trusty; Everett Hunt, drunk driving, by City Policemen Kelly and Trusty; Frank Ed Stephens, drunk driving, by City Policemen Kelly and Chaffins; Delbert Osborne, drunk driving, by City Policemen Kelly; Joe D. Dillon, drunk driving, by City Policemen Trusty and Bays; Charles R. Hensley, drunk driving, by City Policemen Lawson; Steve Burchett, drunk driving, by City Policemen Lawson.

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gifts were for Christmas, not for Easter, then turned to his wife and gave with this profound remark:

"Easter gift, he says. Poor fellow's all mixed up in his theology."

HOW IT HAPPENED

Over in Tennessee they tell of the man who lived on a bluff overlooking the lake and of his dog, which had grown old and over the years had become rather widely known to passing boaters and fishermen. The time came when the dog was missing, and the old man reported that his pet had drowned in the lake.

"How did it happen?"

"Wal," the oldtimer explained, "it were strange. In his old age he begun chasin' boats."

A TURN FOR THE BETTER

Until two weeks ago I was almost convinced that darkling skies, thunderbolts and the wings of the storm hovered, resounded and thrashed, any time I set out for a bit of fishing any distance farther away than Dewey Lake. But that superstition has been set to rest. Two weeks in a row now, I have ventured to Tennessee—and, instead of hatching up foul weather my wanderings brought out the sun so hot, so long that we're threatened with a springtime drouth. And yet... though the sun smiles, Lady Luck is, to my way of thinking, a strumpet. Those who had a look at my stringer can explain why I say that.

EASTER THOUGHTS... This day commemorates the Event on which every segment of Christendom worthy of the name is agreed: Christ arose. But on that day 1976 Rightist Christians and Leftist Moslems were at war in Palestine. And in Ireland Catholics and Protestants plotted mayhem, each for the other. They will tell you that the warring is more political than religious. Whatever the excuse, Christianity is disgraced. And nobody seems to be willing to let his religion interfere with his politics.

When does Daylight Savings Time begin? Don't ask me—I'm asking you.

Child Care Center Holds Spring Carnival

The David Child Care Center held its Spring Carnival, Saturday night, April 10, with residents of all ages attending.

The carnival, which was planned by two center teachers, Gladys and Gloria Shepherd, was successful in attaining \$550 which will be used primarily to buy much-needed chairs for the center children.

Activities at the carnival included such things as bingo, a spook house, dime toss, ring toss, novelty booth and a white elephant sale. A special activity was a cake walk, run by Dolores Baldrige and Gladys Shepherd, which offered a prize each time, of either a cake or a pie. Prizes for all these activities, and financing for refreshments, were donated by area merchants.

Leo Music won the power sander donated by Lloyd's Hardware, Mrs. Doris Slone won the portable, electric mixer donated by Arrowood's Hardware, Howard Hamilton won the serving tray donated by Castle's Jewelry, and Ashland Howard and Mrs. Joyce Nelson won the handmade poodles crocheted by Mrs. Joyce Whitaker.

Many other prizes were donated by VanHoose Lumber Company, Ray Howard Furniture, Factory Outlet Shoes, Ratcliff Farm and Home Store, Cox's Auto Parts, Western Auto, Abby's Gifts, Peggy's Children's Fashions, Pam's Beauty Salon, Scott's Store, R. H. Hobbs, Herrin and Johnson Pharmacy, Jan's Shoe Box, Janie and Cleo's Sewing Center, Stop and Shop, Thomas Hereford's Store, Prestonsburg Bargain Store, Factory Fashions, and Buddy Slone's Store, near David. All of the food was also donated by local stores including Buddy Slone's Meats, Spurlock, Brown's Produce, Pic Pac, and Shopper's Choice.

The staff of the Child Care Center extends a thank you to all those who made this event such a success.

BONN—The average woman driver in West Germany washes her car about 25 times a year, three times less than the typical male. The German Tribune reports after a survey.

Red Cross Chapter Post Remains Vacant

Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, remains without an executive director following the death of Miss Ella Noel White, David D. Allen, Red Cross fund drive chairman, said this week.

Mr. Allen said the drive for funds continues and that contributions may be mailed, as usual, to Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, P. O. Box 583, Prestonsburg.

He said he or E. B. May, Jr., also of Prestonsburg, may be contacted by persons needing information or other services from the Red Cross chapter.

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Basketball Camp Set At Transylvania U.

Transylvania basketball coach Don Lane will continue a basketball tradition at the Lexington college by once again offering a summer camp program for boys, ages 7 and over, and girls, ages 10 and over.

This is the ninth season for Transylvania's basketball camp—a tradition started by former coach Lee Rose, and continued by Don Lane after his appointment as head coach last year.

The camp is operated in one-week sessions, allowing youngsters to compete within their own age groups under expert and individualized instruction from some of the region's top high school and college basketball coaches.

In addition to Don Lane and Ron Whitson, coaches of the 1976 NCAA South Region Runners-up, Transylvania Pioneers, a few of the coaches participating in this summer's program are Bo Davenport, coach of the 1976 Kentucky High School Champions, Edmondson County; Julian Cunningham, coach at Bath County; Ernon Simpson, the Union County coach; Gary Schulte of St. Henry; Gene Kirk, coach at Woodford County High; Shelby County coach Tom Creamer; and Jim Morris, the coach at Indiana University Southeast.

The camp strives to maintain a camper-to-coach ratio of only ten-to-one so the coaches can work with each camper, collecting objective data on the youngster's strengths and weaknesses. This information is then used to outline a program for the camper to help correct any deficiencies. The camper's regular coach is also notified of the camp staff's recommendation so a year-round development program can be organized.

Two sessions will be offered for boys 11-14, the weeks of June 14-18 and July 12-16. The session for boys 15 and over will be July 19-23. Boys 7-10 and girls 10 and over will participate in the session June 21-25. The younger boys' session will be held in the mornings, 9-12, with the girls' session in the afternoons.

Food for the camp sessions is served in the University's resident cafeteria and prepared by the University's trained cafeteria staff under the supervision of a dietician. Housing for resident campers is provided in Transylvania's modern dormitories, and all campers will have access to the University's infirmary and first aid facilities on a 24-hour basis.

More information and a free brochure containing applications and medical examination forms can be obtained by contacting Coach Don Lane at Transylvania University in Lexington.



CONTACT—Bobby Wells, Morehead junior at Morehead State University, makes contact with a pitch in an early game this season. He is the regular first baseman for the MSU baseball squad which is coached by former major leaguer Steve Hamilton. Wells is the grandson of Mrs. Sam Wells, of Prestonsburg.

Pops Concert at PCC Sunday Afternoon

The Prestonsburg Community College Music Department will present an all "Pops" concert Sunday, April 25, 3 p.m., in the college's Pike Auditorium. Performing will be the college dance band. The dance band is patterned after the big bands of the 40's and 50's. They will be playing numbers by Count Basie, Duke Ellington, Tommy Dorsey, Stan Kenton and several modern day composers. The public is invited to attend.

Larry Sparks Show Scheduled Saturday

Larry Sparks and the Lonesome Ramblers, nationally-acclaimed Bluegrass musicians, will appear April 24 at the Alamo Theatre, Salyersville, in a show which will begin at 8 p.m.

Sparks, who sang lead and played lead guitar with Ralph Stanley and the Clinch Mountain Boys for a time, is widely-recognized for his renditions of traditional as well as more modern material.

The Lonesome Ramblers consist of Tommy Boyd, banjo and tenor, David Cox, mandolin, Art Wydyer on bass and Remine Munsey, rhythm guitar.

TEHRAN—The Shah of Iran is likely to call off his annual skiing vacation at St. Moritz in the Swiss Alps, it was reported in Tehran. Diplomatic sources said the move followed fears by Swiss police of a plot to assassinate him.

MSU Summer School Schedules Available

Morehead, Ky.—Class schedules for Morehead State University's three summer sessions are available by mail. Intersession, a three-week term, opens May 17 and ends June 4. The eight-week summer session starts June 7 and closes July 30. Post Session, a two-week term, begins Aug. 2 and ends Aug. 13. Scheduled requests should be directed to Office of School Relations, MSU, Morehead, Ky. 40351.

First Aid Course Offered at PCC

The Community Service Program of Prestonsburg Community College will offer a course in standard First Aid: Multi Media, which fulfills the OSHA requirement. The class will be held in Room 205 of the Pike Technology Building, Prestonsburg Community College, Monday and Wednesday, April 26 and 28, from 6 to 10 p.m. To enroll, contact the Community Service Office, 886-3863, Ext. 208.

FARM DECLINE

Farming is facing a continuing decline in employment needs; factors resulting in past declines—including rapid mechanization and improved fertilizers—are expected to continue, and the U. S. Department of Labor estimates the 1985 farm work force will be 45 percent lower than in 1972.

To Speak Here Sunday



Rev. Laverne H. Snyder will be guest speaker at the morning service, Sunday, at the First Assembly of God in West Prestonsburg. Former pastor of Assembly of God Churches in Hartford, Versailles, Lexington, and Anchorage, he pioneered the churches of Bethel Temple in Lexington and Salem Assembly of God in Anchorage.

Rev. Snyder has served as District C. A. president and presbyter of the Blue Grass section five years each, as district secretary, treasurer, and Sunday School director of the Kentucky District Council of the Assemblies of God.

Sunday afternoon at 3:30, he will speak at the dedication ceremony to be held at the home on Spradlin Branch of Rev. Henry Wright, pastor of the First Assembly of God.

An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

MR. BANKS HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Banks, of Meally, entertained friends and relatives, April 17, with a homecoming and surprise dinner in honor of Mr. Bank's 76th birthday. He was born in Floyd County, April 16, 1900, the son of the late Robert and Susan Porter Banks. The family moved to Butcher Hollow in Johnson county where Mr. Banks grew up. He married Alice Hannah, the daughter of H. M. (Dock) Hannah and Loumintie (Davis) Hannah of Dicky Fork, Meally, Ky., Dec. 22, 1920. The couple have lived on Dicky Fork for the past 55 years.

All seven of their children were present for the homecoming dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Arrowood, of Meally; their son, Fontaine, his wife Connie and sons, Eddie and Walt; their daughter, Penelope Greene, and husband, Robert Greene, and children, David Fontaine, Jennifer, Timothy, Lisa, Theresa and Jonathan; Mr. and Mrs. Monty Givens, of Columbus, Ohio; their daughter, Teresa, at home, and Jonnee Givens Western, her husband Art and son Douglas, of Bozeman, Montana; Bill Banks, of Lexington; Gerald Banks and son Gerry, of Elgin, Ill.; Carl Banks and wife Mildred Webb Banks, their daughter Cindy and son-in-law, Tom Morris, of Cincinnati, Ohio; Lon (Banks) Wallen and daughter Susan, of Birmingham, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Banks and children, Lucinda and David Sean, of Stanardsville, Va. Other guests were Estill Gearheart, Burieta Gearheart, Clara Warix, and Sara Jane Banks, all of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Fontaine Banks, Sr., of Hardy; Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Williams, of Paintsville; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wallen, of Williamsport; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stapleton and daughter, Sherry, of Huntington, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Galen Picklesimer, Jr., of Meally. Mr. Banks acknowledged all the nice gifts he received.

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The agenda will address what the governor calls the pressing "matters of budget limitations and resource conservation."

Land Company Files Appeal In Tax Boost

The Pocahontas Land Corporation has filed an appeal with the Board of Tax Appeals, seeking relief from the assessment figure placed by Lovel Hall, Floyd county tax commissioner, on unmined coal lands which the company owns in the Johns Creek section of this county.

The assessment on coal was raised by Tax Commissioner Hall from \$45,663 to \$91,326, his valuation being arrived at by the "zone method" suggested by the state Department of Revenue. This method provides for \$50 an acre assessment on unmined coal.

Floyd county won a tax review hearing of the case here several weeks ago. Pocahontas then filed its appeal to the state board. County Attorney Harold J. Stumbo was preparing this week a brief on behalf of the county.

The company claims that of the 1855 acres of land involved, only 760 acres are coal-bearing.

Hall said Pocahontas is the first coal-owning firm in the county to protest the revised valuation figures reached by using the zoning method since he has been in office.

Plimpton To Speak At Derby Lunch

Celebrity guest speaker of the 1976 Kentucky Derby Festival "They're Off" Luncheon on Friday, April 23, will be famous author-editor George Plimpton. Noted for his writings as "an amateur in the world of the professional" and his best-selling books "Paper Lion," "The Bogey Man" and "Mad Ducks and Bears," Plimpton is also founding editor of Paris Review, international literary quarterly.

Plimpton is known as a contributor to Sports Illustrated and as a star of Dupont television specials in which he drove in the Baja Peninsula sports car race, was a stand-up comedian at Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas, played last-string quarterback for the Baltimore Colts and was an aerialist for the Clyde Beatty Cole Brothers Circus. Further writings by Plimpton include an account of Hank Aaron's attempt to exceed Babe Ruth's homerun record, a juvenile book, and co-authorship of American Journey: The Times of Robert F. Kennedy. Plimpton has been influential in encouraging unknown writers of exceptional merit.

He will give the feature address at the traditional "They're Off" Luncheon at 11 a.m. April 23, at The Galt House, Louisville. Horseman-industrialist C. V. Whitney will receive the "Silver Horse Shoe" award for his contributions to the Thoroughbred Industry.

Tickets for the luncheon are available by mail from the Kentucky Derby Festival, 621 West Main Street, Louisville, Ky. 40202 or at Founder's Square.

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Observes 80th Birthday



"Granny" Jay Turner, former Wayland resident of Wayland who now resides in Trenton, Ohio, celebrated her 80th birthday there recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Houston. Shown above are, Mrs. Turner, seated, holding her great-great-granddaughter, Sheryl L. Turner. Standing are her daughter, Mrs. Houston, her granddaughter, Mrs. Thomas Martin, and her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Larry Turner.

The widow of Bill Turner, she has 10 children, Berlie Wallace, Geneva Houston, Berneice Hicks, Jacqueline Hopper, Patricia Fletcher, Rose Mary McGuire, Charles, John and Harry B. Turner, all in Ohio, and Graham Turner, of Wayland. Mrs. Turner also has 29 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, and six great-great-grandchildren.

Expect 500 Works By Student Artists For Exhibit Here

Reports from school chairmen indicate that at least 500 works will be registered at the Floyd County Student Art Festival to be held at Archer Park, May 1-2.

The public may view the work of student artists from schools over the county from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, May 1 and from 1 to 5 p.m., Sunday, May 2, on the second floor of Clark Hall.

The festival is being sponsored by the Prestonsburg Branch, American Association of University Women. The organization urges the public to attend the exhibit, admission to which is without charge.

Thomas Whitaker, art teacher at Prestonsburg Community College, and members of his Art Education class will hang the art work, assisted by Mrs. Charles Robertson, display chairman. Judges, Janice Ford, Golden Glen Hale and Clyde Pack, will view the art work and award blue, red and white ribbons.

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Annual Baptist WMU Meet in Owensboro

The 73rd annual meeting of the Kentucky Women's Missionary Union will be held at the First Baptist Church, Owensboro, April 20-22, 1976. The theme for the meeting will be "Where the Spirit of the Lord Is, There Is Freedom."

Hundreds of women from across Kentucky will convene for this annual event. Featured speakers will be presented to the convention by Mrs. Wayne Dehoney, president of the Kentucky Women's Missionary Union. Kicking off the Tuesday evening, April 20, session at 7 p.m. will be the Youth Handbell Choir of the First Baptist Church, Owensboro and the Kentucky Baptist Male Chorale. The major address entitled "Liberty in America" by Wendell Belew, Director of the Division of Missions, Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Georgia; Chester Swor, religious lecturer and author, Jackson, Mississippi, will close each session with an interpretation of the theme "Where the Spirit of the Lord Is." Featured in the Wednesday morning session, April 21 at 9:15 will be the testimonies of Ann and Dale Beighle, missionaries to Ethiopia.

Featured on Wednesday afternoon at 1:45 will be Mrs. Laurabelle Yoder, missionary to Belgium. Mrs. Yoder is the former Laurabelle Barr, a native of Paintsville, who also lived in West Van Lear, Allen, and Hazard, and has worked as a home economist in Louisville and Lexington. Speaking Wednesday night and Thursday morning will be Miss Carolyn Weatherford, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention's Women's Missionary Union, Birmingham, Alabama. Supplying special music for each of the sessions will be Beverly Terrell, lyric soprano evangelistic soloist and faculty member of the Criswell Bible Institute, Dallas, Texas. Kathryn Jasper is the executive director of the Kentucky Baptist Women's Missionary Union.

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our gratitude and appreciation to all neighbors, friends, and relatives who expressed their sympathy in so many ways during the passing of our dear father, Selton Slone. The lovely floral offerings, visitations, words of solace and comfort will long be remembered, as will the efficient service of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home, and the consoling words of the Regular Baptist ministers.
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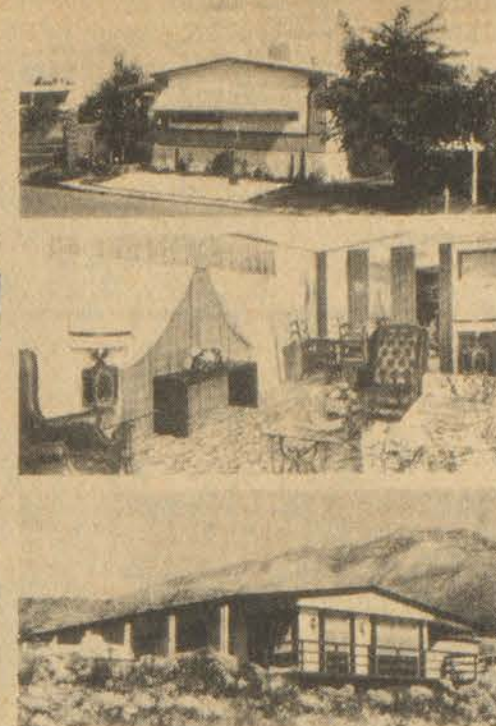
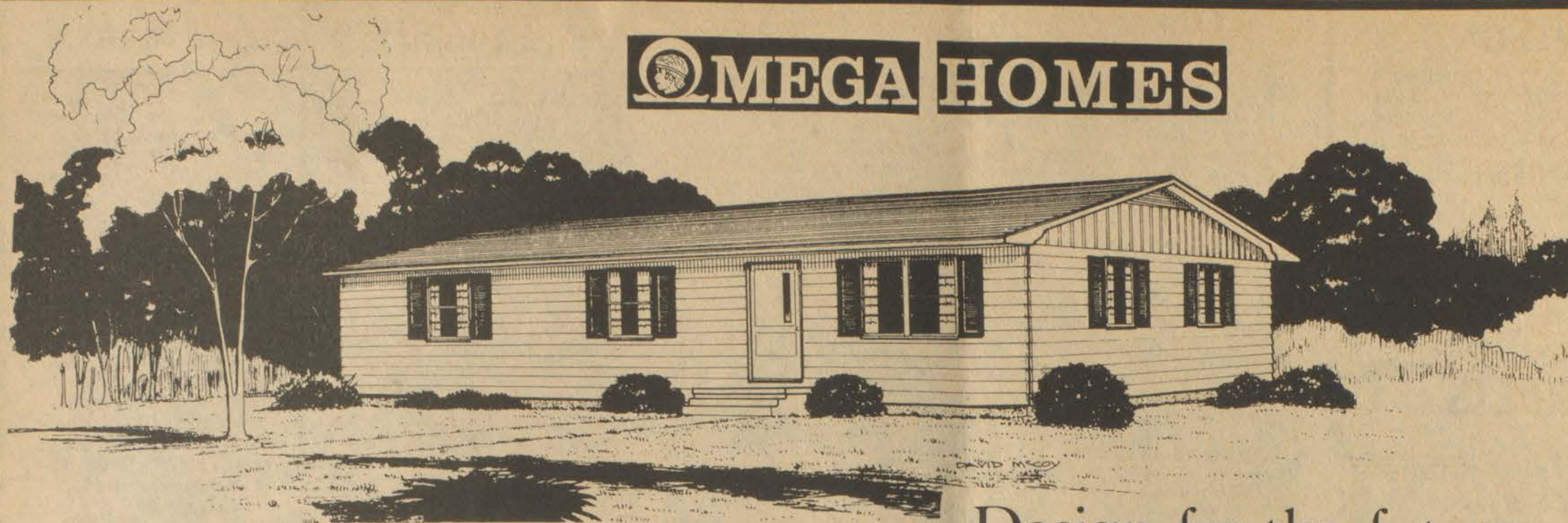
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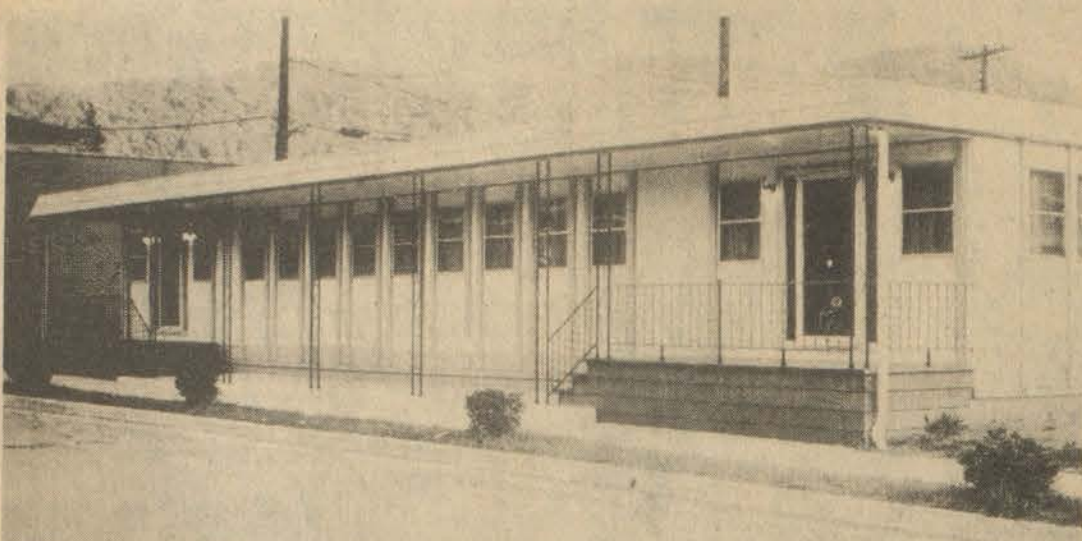
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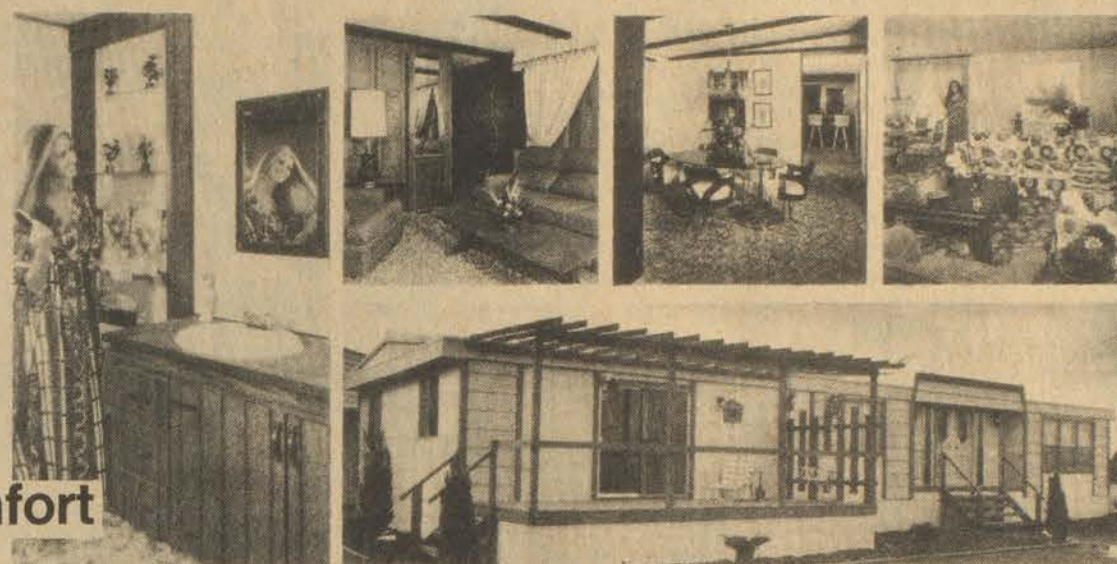


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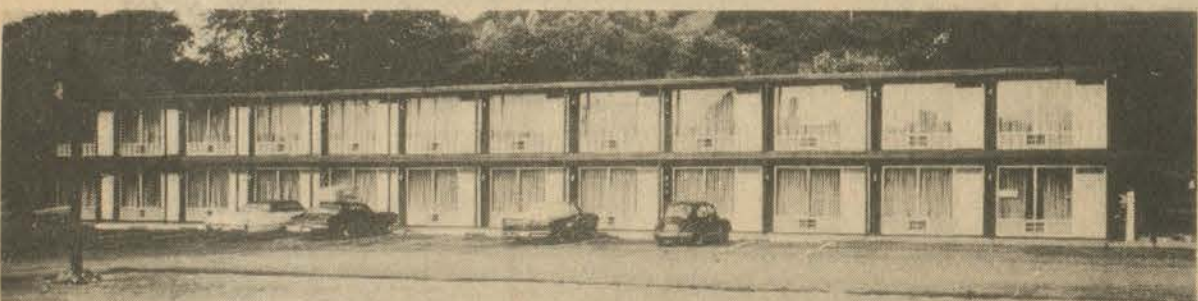
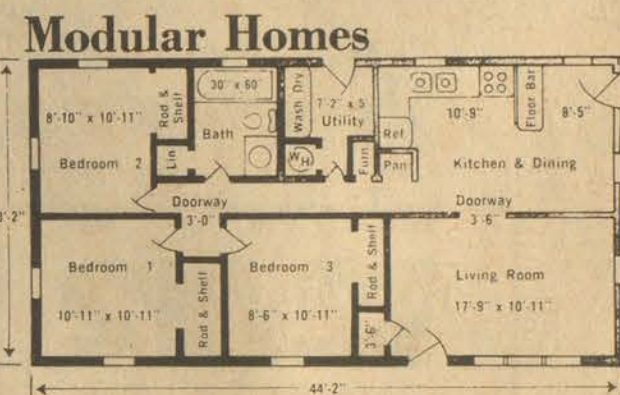
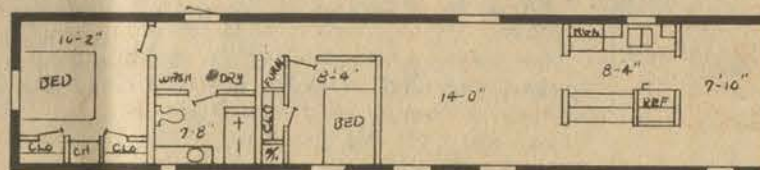
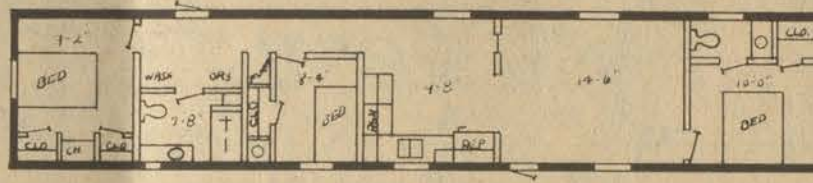
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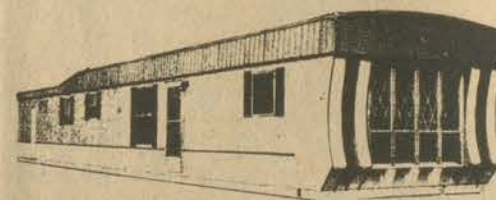
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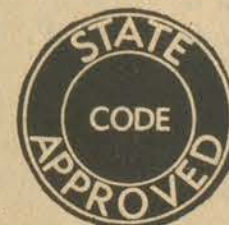
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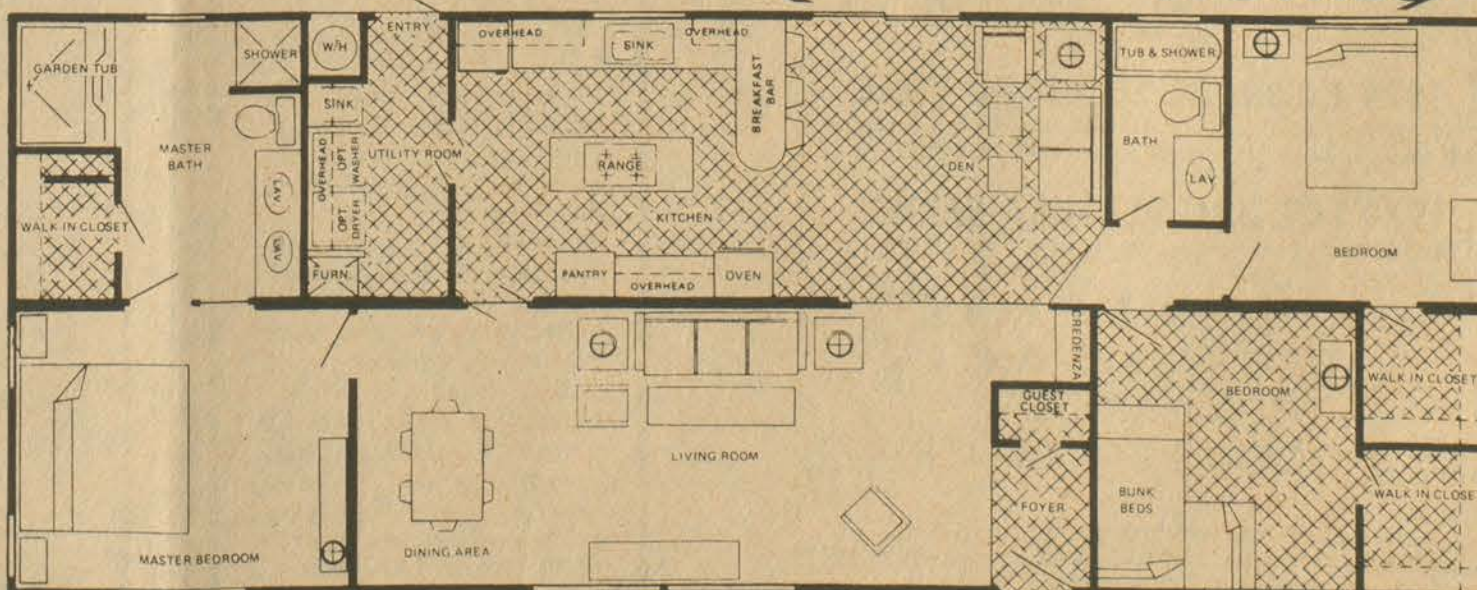


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JOHN GRAHAM CHAPTER, D.A.R. MEETS

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of The American Revolution, met Tuesday evening, April 13, at the Floyd County Public Library, with the Regent, Mrs. J. Frank Preston, presiding. Mrs. Edith James, chaplain pro tem, conducted the ritualistic services. The President General's message was read by Mrs. Victor Hale, and the national defense message was given by Mrs. Ray Brackett. Mrs. Norma Stepp, Secretary, read the minutes, and Mrs. Ray Brackett, treasurer, reported the marker fund netted \$2. Mrs. Preston reported that Mrs. Ruth Sowards and Mrs. Sallye G. Clarke were attending the national Daughters of The American Revolution Continental Congress in Washington, D. C. Miss Laura Francis Brackett, senior at Prestonsburg High School, was presented the Good Citizen Pin by Mrs. Preston. Mrs. Preston also presented slides on, "How Foreigners Become Citizens." The hostess served a dessert to Mesdames Frank Preston, Victor Hale, Tom James, J. G. Stepp, Ray Brackett, Mrs. Margaret Collins, and Mrs. Mae Kendrick.

VISIT DURING EASTER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Arnett spent Easter week visiting their son and daughter-in-law, S. Sgt. and Mrs. Glenn Philip Arnett, of Falls Church, Virginia. Accompanying her parents on the trip were Mrs. Keith Campbell and children, Dwayne, Richard, Joey and Tina. While there, a visit to Rehoboth Beach, Delaware was enjoyed, as well as visiting the various patriotic shrines in and around Washington, D. C. The visits to Andrews and Bolling Air Force Bases were especially interesting. S. Sgt. Arnett is based at Bolling Air Force Base in Washington, D. C.

RETURNS FROM SPAIN

Mrs. Betty Porter has returned from Spain, where she was the guest of Kentucky Auto Association, April 8-16. She represented Porter Chrysler Sales.

IN LOUISVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hereford and children, David, III, and Anna Laura, spent the week-end in Louisville with John Robert Hereford.

HENSLEY-GOBLE

Mrs. Cecil G. Hensley, of Whitesburg, announces the approaching wedding of her daughter, Faith Lea Hensley, to Mr. Donald Hughes Goble, son of Fred and Martha Hughes Goble, on Sunday, April 25, at 2 p.m. in the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church.

VISIT IN CHARLESTON

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopson and Mrs. Ernest Hopkins visited relatives in Charleston, W. Va. during the Easter holiday.

PATIO SALE SCHEDULED

A patio sale of a variety of items will be held all day Thursday, April 22 at the home of Mrs. George Noe at Goble-Roberts Addition. Proceeds will go to the Community Free Will Baptist Church Woman's Auxiliary.

CHRISTIAN GROUP SCHEDULED TO SING

The Messengers, from Pittsburgh, Pa., will present songs of praise and of the gospel in two concerts Saturday, April 24. Describing the joy of living for Jesus through their beautiful songs and words, they will appear at 5 Saturday afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg and again at 8 Saturday night at the Drift Presbyterian Church in Drift. The public is invited, and there will be no admission charge. An offering will be taken to further The Messengers' Christian witness in song.

VISIT IN PIKEVILLE

Mrs. Margaret P. Alley, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Curtis spent Easter in Pikeville with their sisters, Mrs. J. R. Herron and Miss Lena T. Porter.

CELEBRATES NINTH BIRTHDAY

Geisella Sue Rodebaugh celebrated her ninth birthday Thursday, with a party at her home here. Enjoying refreshments and games with Miss Rodebaugh were guests: Valerie Walker, Todd Nairn, Trent Nairn, Thomas Nairn, Margaret Branham, Dougie Branham, Tonya Ratliff, and Jennifer DeRossett. Helping out with the day's activities were Miss Rodebaugh's mother, Mrs. John Rodebaugh, sisters Kay and Rayanna, and brother, Dwayne.

Social Events

HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Mrs. Martha Rose underwent major surgery at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, Saturday. Her condition was improved, early this week.

VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin D. Allen and children, Kelly and Mark, of Ft. Mitchell, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Goble visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Prater on the Middle Creek Road, Sunday.

GUESTS OF MRS. CAHILL

Miss Chloe Gifford, Lexington, Mrs. Donald Dammert and Mrs. R. C. Doyle, both of Erlanger, and Mrs. Oscar C. Sowards, Lexington, were houseguests of Mrs. C. J. Cahill while attending the 25th anniversary festivities of the Drift Woman's Club on April 9. Saturday morning, Mrs. Cahill entertained with a brunch for the guests and clubmembers.

EASTER VISITORS

Members of the Haywood family visited their mother, Mrs. John Haywood, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Haywood, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes, of Allen during the Easter holidays. A family picnic was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Haywood on Easter. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill Haywood, El Paso, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haywood, Ann, Lisa and Todd, of Byesville, Ohio; Mrs. Craynor Slone, Stephanie, Joan and Robin of Bedford, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes, Thelma and Regina, of Allen, and Mrs. John Haywood.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Honorary pallbearers for Mrs. Maxie A. Hutsinpillar, who died last Thursday, were the following:

Buddy Hatcher, Frank H. Layne, Tom Fields, Luther Shivel, Joe Hobson, Floyd A. Mann, John F. Ribble, III, Thomas G. Cranwell, Edmund Points, Edford Clarke, Dr. Joe Taylor Hyden, Dick Davis, J. Woodford Howard, Jr., H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Earl Allen, Glenn Allen, Oliver Webb, Thomas Hereford, Sr., Fred R. Cottrell, Hazie Freeman, Roland Burchett, Greenville R. Spradlin, Marvin Music, Byron Brashear, Cloyd Johnson, Ronald Johnson, Yancey Ligon Clark, John Allen, E. Dick Roberts, Harold W. Cooley, Gomer Martin, Donald L. Meade, Joe Wheeler Jarrell, Ellis Bailey, Harris Howard, Joe Burke, Johnny Burke, T. J. Allen, Rueben M. Allen, and Sammy D. Hatcher.

ATTEND CHRISTENING

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts attended the christening of their granddaughter, Sarah Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Baird, III. The service was on Easter at the First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Ben Sheldon officiating.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Attending the funeral of their mother, Cynthia Layne Crabtree, who died April 5, at her home in Osceola, Indiana, were Mrs. Cynthia Helen Alley, Mrs. Bruce Bolling, Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Ora Edith Keel, Mrs. Thelma Meade Spencer, Ricky Meade, Ashland, Roe Crabtree, Tommy Jo Kozee, Osceola, Indiana. The funeral was conducted from the Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, April 8, at 10 a.m. Mrs. Crabtree was widely related here where she resided many years before going to Indiana.

CALLED HERE BY SISTERS DEATH

Mrs. Nelle Allen Ribble, of Warrenton, Virginia, was called here Saturday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Maxie Allen Hutsinpillar, April 15 at Crest Haven Nursing Home in Paintsville.

CALLED HOME

Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, who was attending the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and conventions of other patriotic societies in Washington, D. C., was called home Saturday by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Maxie A. Hutsinpillar.

ATTENDED FUNERAL HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Hazzie Freeman, Findlay, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Martin, of Drift, Mrs. E. M. Points, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Dorsey, of Ashland, attended the funeral of Mrs. Maxie A. Hutsinpillar here Saturday.

RETURN TO OMAHA

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Verley, Scotty and Lisa returned to their home in Omaha, Nebraska last week. They were called here by the critical illness of her father, J. B. Ford. His condition is unimproved.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bingham, of Falls Church, Va., spent several days here last week with his aunt, Mrs. Carrie Hubbard. While here they visited Miss May Beam in Lexington.

GUEST OF SISTER

Mrs. Docia B. Woods, of Lexington, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. Julia Stephens, has purchased the new cottage from Mrs. Venelia Rinehart and will move here soon.

TO BE GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. Walter Applegate, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, will be guest-speaker at Lindsey Wilson College, Columbia, Ky., April 21. The Rhythmic Choir from his church will present special music which will be broadcast from there.

TO OBSERVE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Dr. and Mrs. Richard D. Howard will observe their 25th wedding anniversary with a reception to be held at the Holiday Inn in Winchester, Sunday, April 25, from 1 to 6 p.m.

Dr. and Mrs. Howard are both natives of this county, and extend an invitation to all their friends to attend.

DOES STUDENT TEACHING

Annette Moore, of Prestonsburg, is fulfilling her student teaching requirements for Transylvania University by teaching psychology at Henry Clay High School in Lexington. She is the daughter of Mrs. Omadell Adkins and is a senior student.

RECOVERING FROM INJURY

Mrs. H. D. Hewlett is gradually recovering from a recent back injury. During her illness she has been visited at various times by her children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hewlett, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Henderson and baby, of Columbus, Ohio.

SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Vickers announce the birth of their first child, a son, April 13 at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. He has been named Shadrick Daniels Vickers. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Francis. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vickers, of Paintsville.

ATTENDED WEDDING

Among the relatives and friends who attended the wedding of Miss Sharon Ann Papst and Mr. James Bartram Dingus April 17 at Central Christian Church in Lexington were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham Dingus, Miss Elizabeth Graham Dingus, Miss Gwendolyn Carolyn Dingus, Mrs. Ray Collins, Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill, Dr. and Mrs. Forest Skaggs, Forest Skaggs, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordon Francis, Mr. and Mrs. John Lafosse, of Chicago, Fred G. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Garland, Paintsville, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose, Mrs. Robert Hughes, Mrs. Hardin Short, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and Jennifer, Wayne Burke, Vicki Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Sturgill, Mt. Vernon, Ill., Mrs. T. J. Allen, of Martin, Mrs. J. D. Adams, Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Greer announce the birth on April 15 of a daughter, Elizabeth Kristen, at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cottrell. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Eddie Greer, of Martin.

Proclaim Shrine Days

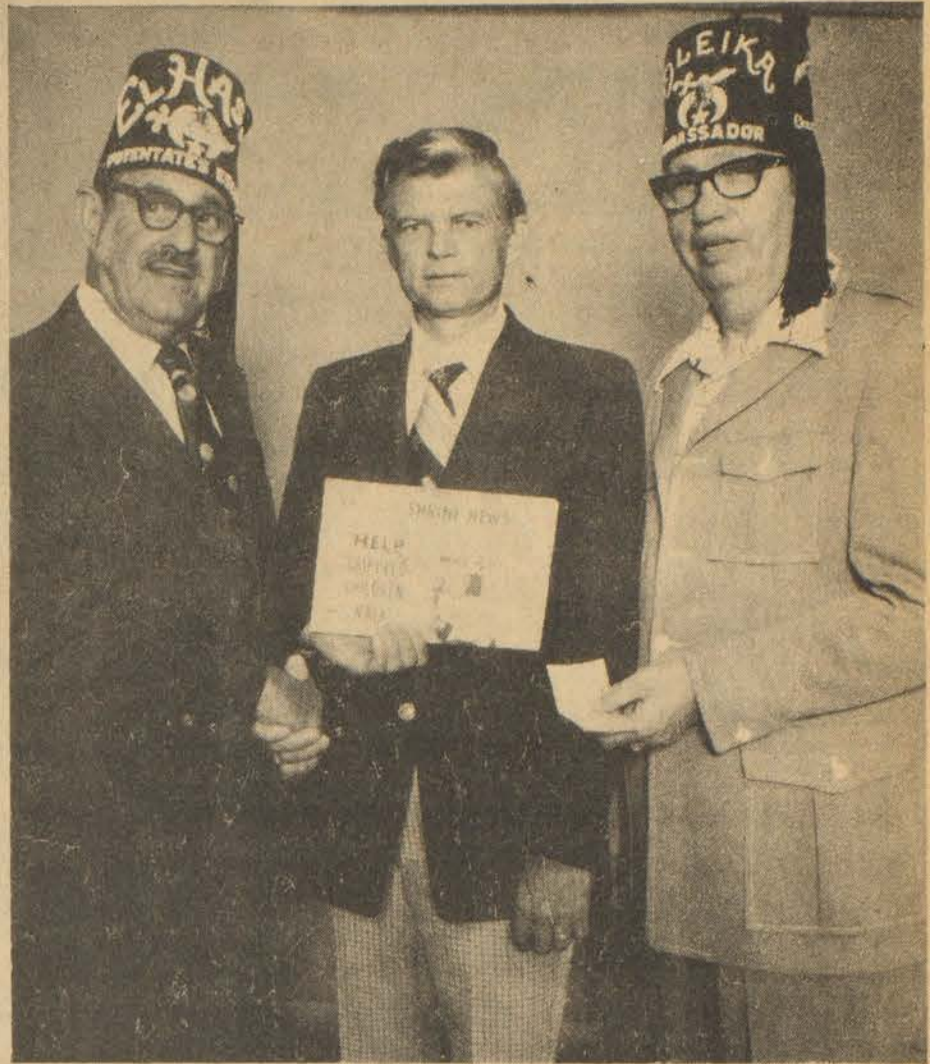


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From left—E. L. Bierman, Shrine Days chairman; Mayor Goebel, and Carl Castle, co-chairman of the Shriners' event.

Mayor William O. Goebel, Jr. last week proclaimed three days, beginning Friday of this week and ending Sunday, as Shrine Days in Prestonsburg.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday will be devoted to a drive by Shriners for funds to help support the 22 Shriners' hospitals for crippled children.

"As Mayor," the proclamation reads, "I would like to ask the citizens of Prestonsburg to make welcome the Oleika and El Hasa Temples to the city, to be greeted by Shriners to receive your contributions for the crippled children of America."

IN LEXINGTON

Rev. and Mrs. Jonas Miller were in Lexington last Monday on business.

RETURNS TO IOWA

Bob Cooley returned to his home in Waterloo, Iowa after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Delena Cooley, and his sister, Mrs. Irene Hester, and other relatives.

VISITING IN FRANKFORT

Mrs. Fanny Jarrell went to Frankfort last week to be with her daughter, Mrs. George Glenn Hatcher, who has been very ill of pneumonia at St. Joseph's Hospital in Lexington. Mrs. Hatcher's condition is improved.

GUEST OF RELATIVES

Mrs. Anna Laura Boulous, of Lexington, is here this week visiting relatives.

NURSERY SCHOOL REGISTRATION TO BE HELD TUESDAY, APRIL 27

The Calico Nursery and Kindergarten will be registering children for its fall and winter terms at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 27 at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg. For further information, call Mrs. James Allen.

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Prestonsburg City Police Officers Kelly and Trusty attended the April 8 meeting of Brownie Troop 19 at the Community Center building, Dixie Heights, Goble-Roberts Addition. Officer Kelly showed films on the police, fire, health and postal departments, parks and playgrounds, with narration by Mrs. Vickie McCoy.

After a cartoon film of "Mrs. Hen's Easter Surprise," officers Kelly and Trusty talked with the Brownie Troop and showed the use of two-way radios, handcuffs and the police car, then gave each member a Kentucky Travel Guide and Prestonsburg city map.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mrs. Vickie McCoy, Mrs. Sharon Kelly, Earl C. Cline, officers Kelly and Trusty,

and Brownie members, Melinda Borders, Kim Greene, Karen Goble, Stephanie DeRossett, Debra Hall, Michelle Roth, Leslie Morgan, Maria Short, Angela Keathley, Todie and Mary Leedy, leader Amanda N. Hall, assistants Cindy Roth and Mrs. Mary Belle Short. Brownie Troop 19 is sponsored by Dr. James D. Adams.

Members of the Prestonsburg City Police Department are available at anytime to attend any adult or children organization to give a program on the facilities which they have to offer our community. Anyone interested in this type program may contact Chief of Police Ralph "Hack" Thornsbury at 886-2335.

Mobile Home Parks Required To Meet Plumbing Code

Sanitation and safety are two key concerns for the Division for Consumer Health Protection Services and local health department environmentalists who inspect mobile home parks.

In an effort to assure the public of a thorough program of sanitation in mobile home and recreational vehicle parks, revised regulations were adopted by the Secretary for Human Resources under authority granted by the Mobile Home and Recreational Vehicle Park Act of 1972. This Act requires park owners to obtain a permit to operate, which is granted by the Department for Human Resources. It also requires anyone planning construction or enlargement of a park to submit plans and obtain a permit to build, before construction begins. A \$25 fee to cover processing and reviewing costs, and an application must accompany the plans to be approved. With the construction permit, building may begin, according to approved plans. After satisfactory construction is completed, a permit to operate can then be granted.

The revised regulations specify such things as the amount of square feet required for each lot and the distance required between each mobile home.

Plumbing and sewage can often create safety and sanitation problems, particularly if prospective park operators are negligent in complying with the state plumbing code. If mobile home park waste systems and connections, like those for public buildings, don't meet the code requirements, then they are not being operated legally. The regulation includes a provision for existing parks, which allows them to continue in operation only as long as the facilities in the park can be maintained in a safe and sanitary manner and no public health nuisance is allowed to exist.

Copies of the Mobile Home Recreational Vehicle Park Law and Regulations can be obtained at the Floyd County Health Department or the Bureau for Health Services, Environmental Sanitation Branch, 275 East Main Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Watts, of Shelbyville, announce the birth of a son, Matthew Joseph, April 11 at Baptist Hospital East, Louisville.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Branham, of Melvin, and Mrs. Susan Watts, of Shelbyville.

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Sales Tax Exemption Aids Historic Sites

Frankfort, Ky.—Properties listed on the National Register of Historic Places have been exempted from state sales tax by legislation passed in the recent Kentucky General Assembly. The legislation has been signed into law by Gov. Julian Carroll.

James Thomas, president of Shakertown at Pleasant Hill, Kentucky, Inc., said the sales tax exemption applies to National Register properties owned and operated by non-profit corporations.

He said at least 28 such properties in the state will be affected.

"This will provide additional income to the properties, as well as stimulate new preservation projects," Thomas said. "Not only is the sales tax exempted from admission fees, but also on the sale of construction materials, office and houseware supplies and services such as electric, gas and water used by such properties."

The Kentucky Department of Parks operates 12 properties listed on the National Register, but their operations will not be affected since sales tax is not included in admission fees, according to state Parks Department officials in Frankfort.

Also, another new law requires the Kentucky Heritage Commission to publish notice of proposed nominations to the National Register of Historic Places 30 days in advance of their consideration by the Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Committee. The committee meets quarterly and Mrs. Eldred Melton, executive director of the commission, explained, "It is responsible for screening all Kentucky nominations to the National Register. Those approved by the Review Committee are forwarded to the U. S. Department of Interior in Washington, D. C., for approval."

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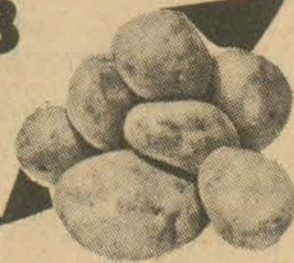
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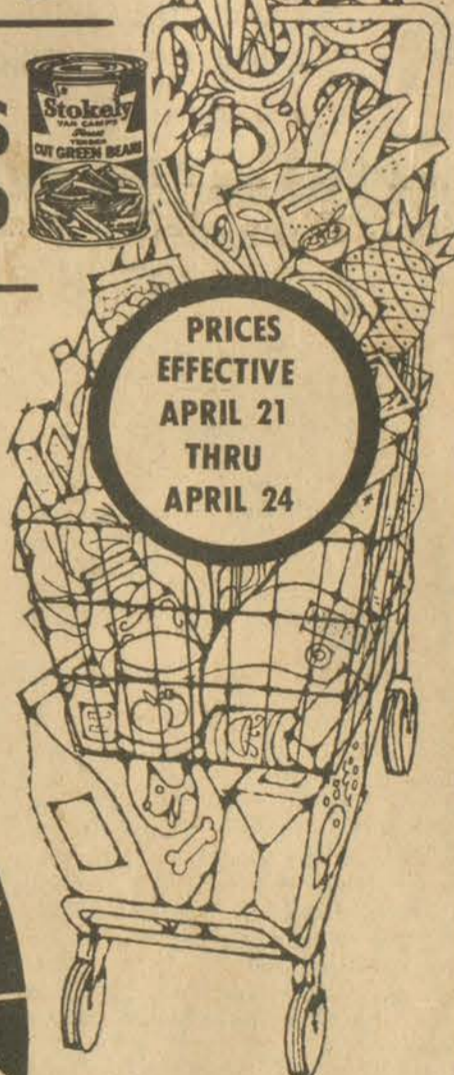


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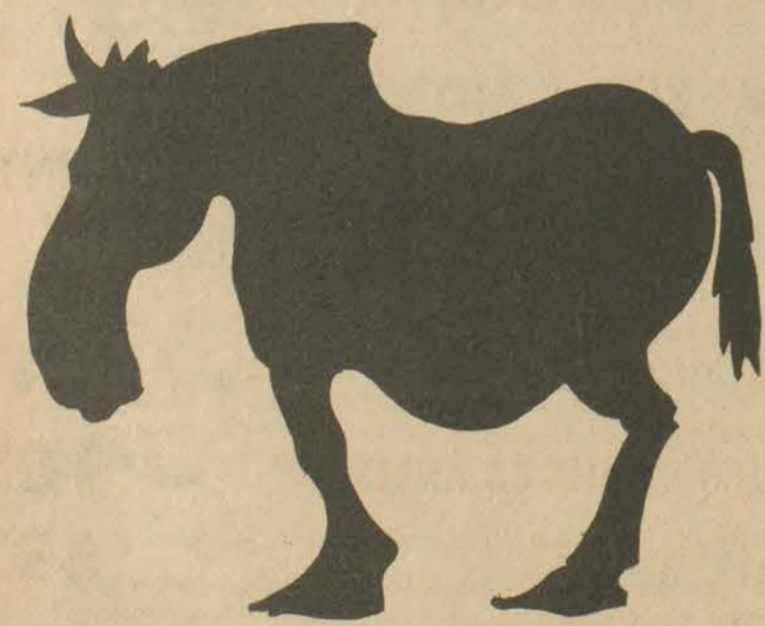
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Maxie Allen Hutsinpiiler

Mrs. Maxie Allen Hutsinpiiler, 79, of Prestonsburg, died last Thursday at Crest Haven Rest Home, Paintsville, following a prolonged illness.

A daughter of the late Marion Taylor Allen and Mary Davidson Allen, she was born October 5, 1896. She, with her husband, the late Dr. C. L. Hutsinpiiler, for many years owned and operated Hutsinpiiler Drug Store here. She was a charter member of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club, and had been active in the John Graham Chapter, D.A.R. and Adah Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Surviving her are one daughter, Mary Catherine Hutsinpiiler, of Prestonsburg, a sister, Mrs. Nell Ribble, of Warrenton, Va., and a granddaughter, Laura Lee Holland.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday from the First Methodist Church by the Rev. Walter Applegate and the Rev. Harold Dorsey. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens under direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Hern Burke, Jimmy Hatcher, Harry Short, Bill Arnold Spradlin, Joe D. Spradlin, Marshall Davidson, David Hereford, and Has Freeman.

Spencer Sloan

Funeral rites will be conducted at 10 o'clock this morning (Wednesday) from the J. S. Bell Memorial Baptist Church at Dema for Spencer Sloan, 88, who died Sunday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a short illness. Officiating ministers will be the Revs. J. S. Bell and Harve Johnson.

A former teacher in the Knott County school system and magistrate of District 4, Knott county, he was for years employed by Inland Gas Company. He had a varied business career as a sawmill operator, owner of an appliance store in Hindman, and a road contracting business. He was a 50-year member of the James W. Alley Masonic Lodge, F. & A.M. at Wayland, a 32nd degree Mason, Covington Lodge, and a member of El Hasa Shrine Temple, Ashland. He was a member of the J. S. Bell Memorial Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mallie Terry Sloan; two sons, James Gordon Sloan, of Columbus, O., and Odes Sloan, of Grayson; four daughters, Mrs. John Farler, of Anderson, Ind., Mrs. David Hall, of Lexington, Mrs. Mildred Osborne, of Hindman, and Mrs. Richard Hall, of Dema; 17 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

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

Knott Co. Magazine Widely Circulated

Pippa Passes, Ky.—How does Appalachian Heritage magazine, published by Alice Lloyd College in Knott county, acquire readers in Australia, Italy, France, Germany, England, Scandinavia, and Spain? A letter received recently by Al Stewart, its editor, is typical of the way in which the magazine's circulation grows.

The letter from Mrs. Dorothy Blake of New South Wales, Australia, states, "I thought you may be interested to know just how I came to read Appalachian Heritage all the way over here in Australia.

"Back in 1969-'71, during the Vietnam War, my husband and I had the privilege of entertaining in our home many U.S. servicemen on R & R (rest and relaxation) leave in Sydney. One of these was George Robert Leach, of Boston, Ky. After returning home... Robert kept in touch with us. In fact our two families have grown quite close and "adopted" each other. It was Robert's mother, Mrs. Elsie C. Leach, who mailed me my first copy of Appalachian Heritage because she knew of my interest in American history, generally, and Appalachian mountain culture in particular.

"In January 1975, Robert returned to Australia to teach school for two years, and of course we love having him here and showing him as much of our country as possible. Also I have learned so much about Kentucky and her beautiful mountains from him.

"Robert is a great-grandson of William M. Creech of Pine Mountain Settlement School, so imagine my delight when I read an article in the Fall '75 issue about the founding of the school.

"I hope to visit Kentucky some day soon, but in the meantime I look forward very much to receiving my copy of Appalachian Heritage and to many happy hours of reading your fine publication."

Appalachian Heritage was originally funded, in 1973, by a grant from the National Endowment of Humanities, and Alice Lloyd College. It has grown in three years from 400 subscribers to over 1,800. In addition, 600 copies are sold individually.

In the words of Albert Stewart, this quarterly aims "to present the people of Appalachia—or let them present themselves—as individuals often reacting to an untoward environment with verve, humor and imagination. It avoids the usual dull, generalizing flap about Appalachia that we get in other magazines."

TOLKIN TALES TO BE ANIMATED FILM

LOS ANGELES—"The Lord of the Rings," classic tales by J.R.R. Tolkien, will reach the screen as an animated feature by Ralph Bakshi.

MGM has announced the production by Bakshi, creator of "Fritz the Cat," "Heavy Traffic," "Coonskin" and the forthcoming "War Wizards."

Obituaries

Mrs. Dallis Stone Hall

Mrs. Dallis Stone Hall, 80, of Bypro, died Wednesday, April 14, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin after a prolonged illness.

A daughter of the late Green and Mary Gibson Stone, she was born June 6, 1895 at Caney, and was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church of Bypro. Her husband, Sill Hall, preceded her in death in 1966.

Surviving her are three sons, Garland Huff, of Sandusky, O., Cullen Stone, of Louisville, and Corbet Stone, of Ligonier, Ind.; a daughter, Mrs. Brookie Click, of Bypro; two brothers, Clinton Stone, of Mousie, and Travis Stone, of Shelby, O.; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Phillips, of Estill, and Mrs. Ada Nichols, of Paintsville; 21 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Free Will Baptist Church in Bypro by ministers of the church. Burial was made in the Sill Hall cemetery there under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

Mrs. Elsie Derossett

Mrs. Elsie Derossett, 72, of Jeffersonville, Ind., formerly of this county, died Friday at Clark County Memorial Hospital in Jeffersonville, victim of an apparent heart attack.

Born January 3, 1904 at Auxier, she was a daughter of the late H. J. and Emma Zell Howard Music and was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Lee Derossett; two daughters, Mrs. Joan Myers, of Jeffersonville, Ind., and Mrs. Wilva Ballard, of Miami, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Cora L. Thomas, of Paintsville; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday from the Bull Creek Regular Baptist Church by ministers of the church. Burial was made in the Derossett cemetery at Water Gap under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Bradshaw I. Gibson

Bradshaw I. Gibson, 80, of Milton, W. Va., formerly of Knott county, died Friday at Morris Memorial Nursing Home in Milton following an extended illness.

A native of Knott county, he was a son of the late Dee and Vina Hicks Gibson. A veteran of World War I, he was a retired farmer and a member of the Regular Baptist Church. He was married three times. His first wife, Mindie Hicks Gibson preceded him in death, and he later married Sarah Ashley, and after her death to Viola Gibson, who also is deceased.

Surviving him are two daughters, Mrs. Holly Cox and Mrs. Ollie Cox, both of Ottawa, O.; four brothers, Enoch Gibson, of Howard, O., Sam Gibson, in Indiana, Taylor Gibson, of Wayland, and Mason Gibson, of Hindman; two sisters, Callie and Anna, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at the Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church by ministers of the church and burial was made in the Hicks cemetery at Ball Branch under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Tom Sparks

Tom Sparks, 72, former Prestonsburg resident, died Friday, April 16, in Albion Community Hospital, Albion, Mich. following a brief illness.

A son of the late Elijah and Hattie Waddle Sparks, he was a former miner and was employed in Albion by the McGraw Edison Manufacturing Company. He was a member of the Chestnut Grove United Baptist Church.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Josie Adams Sparks; two sons, Walker L. Sparks, of Jackson, Mich., and Bobby Gene Sparks, of Albion, Mich.; two brothers, Cornelius Sparks, of Kenton, O., and Johnny Sparks, of Jonesville, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. Minerva Cooper, of Estill, and Mrs. Lou Bays, of Cleveland, O., and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted in Albion Friday evening, following which the body was brought here where funeral rites were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Chestnut Grove United Baptist Church by the Revs. Walker Calhoun, Delmer Stanley, and Richmond Shepherd. Burial was made in the Duff-Holbrook cemetery at Brainard under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Funding Lack Halts State Info Project

Frankfort, Ky.—On April 15, the citizens service provided by Kentucky Legal Information Service will discontinue its operation due to its lack of funding.

The citizens project provided service to persons seeking information on state agencies and other sources of assistance.

Other services provided by Kentucky Legal Information Service to people working in the criminal justice field will continue.

EDINBURG, Va.—Edinburg's town council, upset by the new 13-cent postal rate, has decided to have town water and sewer bills hand-delivered—at half the price of postage.

The Postal Service warned that it is illegal to put the bills in mailboxes. The council voted Tuesday to pay ex-Mayor Peter Craig 6½ cents a letter to deliver the bills in this western Virginia mountain town of 800.

Mrs. Ossice Bays Prater

Mrs. Ossice Bays Prater, 87, of Cliff, died Wednesday, March 31, at Jordan Geriatric Center in Louisa following an extended illness.

Born May 12, 1888, she was a daughter, of the late William K. and Callie Waddle Bays. Her husband, William B. Prater, preceded her in death in 1963.

Surviving her are two daughters, Mrs. Fleddie Kinsley, of Cliff, and Mrs. Pearl Hurd, of Claypool, Ind.; six sons, Vernie and Eddie Prater, both of Water Gap, Burley Prater, of Wabash, Ind., Ernest Prater, of Winona Lake, Ind., Lonnie Prater, of Long Beach, Calif., and J. B. Prater, of Huntington Park, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Effie Compton, of Ironton, O.; 35 grandchildren, 71 great-grandchildren, and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at Carter Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Bill Campbell, Friday, April 3. Burial was made in the Fitzpatrick cemetery in West Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Elsie Collins

Mrs. Elsie Collins, 62, of Weeksbury, died Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following an extended illness.

Born December 14, 1913 in Pike county, she was a daughter of the late Will and Maryland Childers Sanders, and the widow of the late John D. Collins.

Survivors include two sons, Johnny B. Collins, of Prestonsburg, and Eddie Frank Collins, of Weeksbury; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Sanders, of Ash Camp, Mrs. Betty Mae Hall, of Weeksbury, and Mrs. Katie Newsome, of Buckingham; two sisters, Mrs. Alva Rae Bartley, of Mannassas Park, Va., and Mrs. Lexie Mae Rogers, of Columbus, O., and six grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday from the Pentecostal Church at Weeksbury by ministers of the church. Burial was made in the Collins cemetery there under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends for the food, kindness, help and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our father, Selson Stone. We also wish to thank the Hall Bros. Funeral Home, the members of the Regular Baptist Church who took part in the funeral, also the pallbearers, the minister and those who sang before and at the funeral. These things will be long remembered.

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WANT RESULTS?— Times Want Ads!

Pike County's Tax on Coal Voided by Supreme Court

Frankfort, Ky.—The Kentucky Supreme Court last Friday voided Pike county's tax on coal, declaring the ordinance is unconstitutional.

The issue is moot at the moment, because a new state formula distributing the coal severance tax prohibits coal counties from imposing their own levies on production.

A number of other counties had adopted franchise taxes similar to Pike county's, and also awaited the high court ruling. (Floyd county awaited the high court ruling before imposing the tax.)

The unanimous decision, written by Justice Robert Lukowsky, said in part: "1. The General Assembly cannot constitutionally delegate to subordinate units of government the authority to levy an excise tax.

"2. The Home Rule Act cannot validly bestow such authority upon a subordinate unit of government.

"3. The Pike county coal tax is a use tax.

"4. A use tax is an excise tax.

"5. The ordinance which imposes the Pike county coal is unconstitutional and void."

Barring any appeal, that seems to end the proposed approach under which coal counties hoped for an extra source of revenue.

"This view of the case relieves us of the burden of tilting with the other legal windmills conjured up by the parties (in the test suit)," Lukowsky said.

The high court thereby reversed Pike Circuit Court. The C.D.C. Coal Co., Inc., and others had appealed the lower court decision.

Plan To Establish Breathing Clinics

A Breathing Clinic for anyone in the area who has a respiratory problem such as black lung, asthma, emphysema, or other, or for those interested in learning to care for another with such a problem, is being planned by the Regional Medical Clinic of McDowell.

The clinic which will be conducted either in the evening or on Saturdays in accordance with the convenience of those attending, will be free. Each class will be limited to 20 members to allow for personal instruction under direction of Jan Berger.

A spokesman for the clinic said that if response is great enough, clinics may be held in different parts of the county.

Those interested may call 377-2492 for information.

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Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Ellis B. Kidd, Fayette Rd., New London, Ohio, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy, to Terry M. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell, 124 South Main St., New London, Ohio.

Miss Kidd is employed by MacMillan Ward, Inc., New London. Her fiancé is a student at North Central College, Mansfield. Both are New London High School graduates.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Priscilla Kidd Collins, of Honaker, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Silas Williams, of Printer, Ky.

A July 3 wedding is planned for 1:30 p.m. at the Old Regular Baptist Church, Ruggles, Ohio. The open-church ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Claude Ousley. A reception will immediately follow the ceremony at the Grange Hall, New London, Ohio.

NEWS OF THE MARTIN COMMUNITY

A miscellaneous shower was held at the Hut, April 16, in honor of Barbara Rydenbauch, bride-elect of Jeffery Conley. Hostesses were Alma Key, Wilda Stout, Dixie Hyden, Rosemary Osborne, Billy Sue Billiter, Verle Frazier and Ann Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Queen and son, George Miller, of Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Peters, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peters and Mrs. Fanny Branham last week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Repts Osborne last week were Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Williams, of Winchester, Mrs. Marvin Moore and children, Dwayne and Carey Ann, of Morehead, and Bobby Billiter and sons, David and Bobby, of Winchester.

Pastor Lorie Vannucci, Presbyter of the Big Sandy section of the Assemblies of God Church, was in Ashland last week on church business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rabon Flanery and children, Robin, Daren, Aaron and Nicole, of Houston, Texas, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holley Flanery, and his sister, Mrs. Dolores Dingus, and Mr. Dingus last week.

Mrs. Hazel Adams is in Melbourne, Florida to be with her son, Don Adams, who is seriously ill and a patient in Brenard Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hall and children, Michael and Shawn, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Chaffins, this week.

Mrs. Lee Derossett, sister-in-law of Mrs. Elizabeth Flanery and Mrs. Mae Flanery, passed away this week. The funeral was held Monday at Hall Bros. Chapel and interment was made in the family cemetery at Water Gap.

Mrs. Susanne Taylor, of St. Marys, Ohio, is a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Taylor, this week.

Edd Manns, son of Johnny Manns, and the late Betty Manns, died Tuesday morning in a Ft. Wayne, Ind. hospital of injuries suffered on his job in a foundry. He was buried Saturday, April 17, in the Martin cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Hara, of Sarasota, Florida, was called home last week because of the illness of Mrs. O'Hara's brother, Ralph Allen, who had been seriously ill in the McDowell Hospital. Mr. Allen is much improved.

Members of the McGuire Community Church enjoyed a picnic and the children hunted Easter eggs Sunday and enjoyed the beautiful weather. Pastor and Mrs. Don Crisp were sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hayes, Jr., of Ypsilanti, Michigan, were house guests of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crisp, over the Easter week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Mayo, of Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McKinster, of Connecticut, spent the Easter holiday with Mr. Mayo's mother, Mrs. Pearl Mayo, and other relatives.

Mrs. Peggy Allen is a patient in Highlands Regional Hospital.

The Easter play at the Martin Free Will Baptist Church was held Sunday at 10 a.m. "The Witness", directed by James and Judy Cole, included 17 members in the cast. A large crowd saw the play concerning a miracle answer to prayer. Later, the children of the church enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. David Skeans and children, Rebecca Kay and David Kenneth, of Belleville, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Skeans and son, Kenny, of Louisa, were guests of Mrs. Rebecca Skeans and Virginia Skeans over the Easter week-end.

Mrs. Allie Anderson has moved to Blue River where she will have her home near her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hale, and Mr. Hale.

Mrs. Florine Arnett and sons, Steve and John, of Madisonville, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Linky Robinson, and Mr. Robinson over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and children, Randy, Carolyn, and Billy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Taylor this week and also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Gibson, of Garrett.

Mrs. T. J. Allen attended the wedding of her nephew, James Bartrum Dingus, of Prestonsburg, and Sharon Ann Pappst, of Austin, Texas, held at 4 o'clock, Saturday, April 17, at Central Christian Church in Lexington. Afterwards, a reception was held at the Hospitality Inn. Mrs. Dingus is a teacher in Lexington.

Mrs. Myrtle Childers, of Ashland, Mrs. Amy Callison, of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen, of Allen, Mrs. Mary June Allen and Steve, Mrs. Ethel Frazier, Mrs. Elizabeth Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzpatrick met for dinner at May Lodge, Sunday evening. Later they enjoyed fishing at the Fitzpatrick farm pond.

Darryl Luxmore, of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sherron Dingus, Crush Dingus, Nancy Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Dingus, Mr. and Mrs. Holley Flanery, Mrs. Mae Flanery, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griffith, Jr., Mary, Michael and Belinda Click, and Deanna and Chris Dingus gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dingus last week-end to celebrate the 15th birthday of Brian Click. Refreshments were served, and Brian received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ratliff and daughter, Stacy, of Lexington, were guests of their parents, Mrs. Cecelia Peters, of Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ratliff, of Betsy Layne, this week.

Mrs. Estill McGuire and children, Ruby, Kevin, Gina, and Michael, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, were guests of Mrs. Harry Lafferty this week.

The Martin First Baptist Church had a revival this week, ending Friday night—Rev. Bob Jones, of Paducah, was the Evangelist.

Lexington, visited their parents, Mrs. Cecelia Peters, of Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Patton, of Prestonsburg, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peters, this week.

Phillip Spencer, a member of the Martin Assembly of God Church, has been attending Bible school at South Eastern Bible College at Lakeland Florida and is now home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Douglas and infant daughter, of Flatwoods, were here last week visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Lynn Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Burns Jarrell and Mrs. Ellen Lafferty.

Mrs. Marge Sammons and Mrs. Katherine Hall were in McDowell last week visiting with an old friend, Mrs. Carl West, of Sarasota, Fla., who will be remembered as the former Ruby Stumbo.

Mrs. Hazel Creech, of St. Mary's, Ohio, and Mrs. Cecelia Hamilton, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ratliff and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ward and son, Gabriel, of Garden City, Michigan, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Claudia Ward, over the Easter week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holbrook, of Jenkins, visited with Mrs. Holbrook's mother, Mrs. Earl York, and Mr. York over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Luxmore and sons, Bryan and Marty, of Chicago, Ill., were houseguests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Maggard thru Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spencer had as guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hansford, of Elyria, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ratcliff, of Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith and son, Rodney, of Norris, Tennessee, and Mr. and Mrs. John Serrer and children, Stephanie, Joshua, and Peter, of Ft. Knox, were guests of Mrs. Minnie Smith thru the Easter week-end.

Members of the Martin Methodist Church enjoyed special singing during their Easter service Sunday as Mrs. Alicia Mayo sang a solo and Miss Pearlline Derossett, of Louisa, sang special songs. Members of the Allen Methodist Church met with the Martin Church as they baptized one of their congregation.

The Martin Assembly of God church had a record number of people present as the youth choir sang several special choruses during the Easter service. The group hopes to be in their new church by the latter part of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jenkins and family have moved into the Billiter home place on Old Post office street.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ray Turner, of Martin, announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, Melissa Diane, April 14 at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hogsd, of Martin. The paternal grandparents are Ray Turner, of Drift, and the late Amy Lee Turner.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN MONDAY AT BETSY LAYNE

A revival, featuring the Rev. Lloyd Senters, of Sherman, Ky., will begin Monday, April 26 at the Calvary Baptist Church, Betsy Layne. The revival, which will run through May 2, will also feature the Rev. Earl Best, of Pikeville as song leader. Services will begin each evening at 7. Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church is the Rev. Cohen Campbell.

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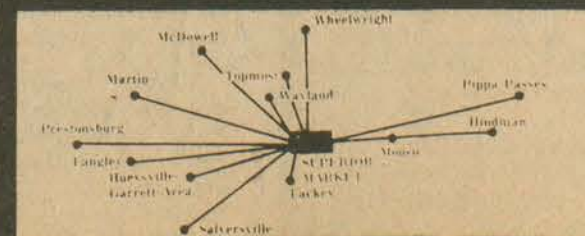
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Evening Health Careers class: front row—C. Denny, M. Denny, B. Hancock, K. Ousley, S. Mutter, A. Jones, T. Woods, H. Greer; back row—J. Meade, P. Jacobs.

Health Careers students began their clinical rotation, the second semester, at the McDowell hospital and the Regional Medical Clinic. Each student has the opportunity to observe health professionals in action. Instructors are registered nurses, Mary E. Anderson and Melvina S. Thomson.

Consumer Comments

By ROBERT F. STEPHENS
Attorney General

The Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection was established in 1972 to protect ethical buyers and sellers in the Kentucky marketplace. The people who work in the division hear a lot about fly-by-night commercial fraud, and stories of "rip-off artists" are told to the division every day. Little, however, is publicly said about reputable companies operating according to law and dealing fairly with consumers.

The experience of our office in complaint mediation has shown that most business people are concerned with consumer problems and customer relations affecting their businesses. That's why many of the complaints we handle are resolved.

However, some customers whose problems are satisfactorily resolved, either through this office or their personal negotiations with the company, don't tell us about it.

We would like to hear about successful consumer-business problem-solving experiences. If you have had a consumer complaint and feel the business treated you well, let us know about it. We would like to hear how you and the company found a mutually satisfactory solution to your problem. Please write our office and tell us of these experiences.

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

The office has found that it can most effectively deal with written complaints and encourages you to write when you have a complaint. However, if you have an emergency situation, call the consumer hotline. The number is 1-800-372-2960.

Mr. Connors Celebrates 87th Birthday Sunday

Charles Connors, of Auxier, was honored on his 87th birthday, April 18, with a dinner at his home. Family and friends who were present for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. James P. Connors, Londa, Jimmy and Scottie, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Connors, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connors, Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Connors, Debbie and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lloyd Connors, and Michael, all of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. James D. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. James Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Connors, of Russellville, Ohio. Local friends who honored Mr. Connors were Mrs. Bess Wells, Mrs. Rosey Burchett, Mrs. Dorothy Wells, and Mrs. Ester Evans, all of Prestonsburg.

Others present included Mrs. Pauline Symbulski, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Roland, of Ashland; Mrs. Clara Harris, Rita K. Harris and family, Mrs. Honey Music, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. John Ratliff, Mrs. Wilma Sturgill, Mrs. Betty Bays, Mrs. Ora Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson, Mrs. Spurgeon, Mrs. Grace Litteral, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Stambaugh and Clem Wells, and Mrs. Onde Holbrooks, all of Auxier.

Pineville Coal Firm Strip Mining Halted

Frankfort, Ky.—Bruce Hoskins, Hosco Mining, Inc., and the Green Road Mining Co., Inc., all of Pineville, have been temporarily restrained and enjoined from strip mining without a permit on land lying on Beech Fork near Helton; on Short Creek near Hyden, and on Dollar Branch off Greasy Creek in Leslie County.

The order by Franklin Circuit Court came as a result of action by the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

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Girl Scout Meeting Scheduled at Allen

Girl Scout adults will hold an area association meeting today (Wednesday) at the home of Mrs. William Smith in Allen. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. Mrs. James Cauley, area chairman, will preside.

All Girl Scouts 14 years old and older living in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties are asked to attend. Delegates to the Council meeting will be elected.

ROMANS GET 'MINICHECKS'

ROME—Merchants here are issuing "minichecks" in denominations equivalent to 12 and 18 cents because of a lack of small change. Candy, postage stamps and pay telephone slugs also are used.

RETURN FROM VIRGINIA

Mrs. Herschell Tackett returned here Monday afternoon from a week-end trip to Suffolk, Va. where she visited her mother, Mrs. Irvy Burchett, and other relatives and friends. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carter Tackett.

A CONSUMER TIP

Buy bread by weight, not by size, UK Extension foods specialists recommend. They point out that the big soft loaf of bread, popular for children's sandwiches, may look bigger but actually weigh the same and have the same nutritional value as a small firm loaf.

REMINDER TO TAXPAYERS

Unpaid county and state taxes for 1975 have been delinquent since February. According to law, the Sheriff must publish a list of all delinquent taxes the last three weeks in May. Please check your tax notices and records. If you have any question, get in touch with the sheriff's office.

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Advise RR Crossing Place for Caution

Frankfort, Ky.—Old railroad hands will tell you that the speed of an approaching train can be very deceptive. A locomotive running at 70 miles-per-hour straight toward you may appear to be rocking from side to side, but barely moving forward. You think there's plenty of time to get across the tracks—but suddenly the engine is right on top of you.

James Fehr, facilities planning director for the Kentucky Department of Transportation says that some of the 100 automobile-train collisions annually in Kentucky attest to that deadly phenomenon.

Under his direction, the transportation department recently has embarked on a two-year program to upgrade 124 public railroad crossings in Kentucky. Upgrading, he says, refers to the installation of automatic warning devices such as flashing lights or barriers that lower automatically upon the approach of a train.

To date, nearly half of those 124 crossings have the new equipment. The remainder should be upgraded by November of this year. "That compares more than favorably with perhaps just 7-15 crossings upgraded per year in the past," says state Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts.

Kentucky, with 3,300 public grade crossings, ranks 27th among all states for the total number of railroad crossings on public highways. There also are another 5,200 private crossings on non-public roads over which the transportation department has no jurisdiction, the secretary said.

Currently, it costs approximately \$40,000 to install an automatic crossing barrier, as compared with about \$30,000 a year ago, and \$26,000 for a signal light—up about \$5,000 from last year. The state pays 90 per cent of the costs with the railroads paying the remainder.

The transportation department also is responsible for maintenance costs, although the railroads do supply the labor.

Roberts said that the state is moving as fast as the funds become available.

"We are selecting the most hazardous locations and systematically working through that priority list first," he said.

The criteria for determining whether a particular crossing is hazardous depends upon the number of motorists as well as trains which pass over them on a daily basis, Fehr explained.

Other factors include the average speed of the trains, the legal speed for motorists at the crossing, the accident history for each crossing and the distance (from the tracks) at which a motorist has an unobstructed view of an approaching train.

"You might be surprised to learn that more than 50 per cent of all crossing fatalities which occur annually in Kentucky happen on low-usage roads," he said. (A low-usage road is one which carries an average of 1,000 or less vehicles daily.)

Barring mechanical failure, most grade crossing accidents can be attributed to driver error.

Fehr said that even after safety devices are installed, some motorists still don't heed the warning. "People will take chances. They try to beat the train even when the red lights are flashing, and it isn't unusual at all to see drivers go around the barriers after they are lowered."

Although the 1975 accident figures are not yet available, 1974 records show that there were 111 car-train collisions in Kentucky, resulting in 29 fatalities and 74 injuries.

Since four or five pedestrian crossing deaths also are reported each year, the department now has begun equipping all

newly-installed lights with clanging bells. The extra \$135 per unit is considered well-spent.

According to Fehr, the chances of any one of the new automatic warning devices failing to function are virtually nil. A-1 systems have back-up batteries in case of a power failure.

In addition, the systems are engineered so that if a break in the rail circuit which activates a device should occur, that break will act to turn the system on—not off, he said.

"About the only thing we can't count on the system to do is to help out when a car stalls on the tracks," Fehr said. But he does have some ready advice for motorists caught in that sort of situation.

Get as far away from your car and the impending crash as possible, he says.

Some time ago, a driver and his wife hurriedly abandoned their car when it stalled on the tracks before an onrushing locomotive, he said. Unfortunately, they remained near the tracks to watch the crash. When it came, the train whipped the car around with such force that the woman was struck and killed.

First 'Christmobile' In Use at Langley

Floyd County's first Christmobile was put into operation recently and is now being used in conducting a Bible school at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Combs on John's Branch, Langley.

Sister John Martin Herzog, Sisters of Divine Providence, has put to use a former bookmobile, equipping with shelves, cabinets that house story books, film strips, projector and art materials. The Christmobile has been a work of several years' planning by Sister John Martin, who is a former teacher at Our Lady of the Mountains School in Paintsville. She is a native of northern Kentucky with wide teaching experience. Assisting her is Doug Blackburn, of David, student at Prestonsburg Community College.

Students of the unique Bible school, which will continue through April 22, are Andrea, Shawn and William Combs, Randy Brown, Rondall Brown, Phyllis Ann Brown, Lisa Brown, Jenny Robinson, Jeff Robinson, Judy Robinson and Charles Eddie Robinson.

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Mrs. Louise Johnson, of Williamsburg, Va., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Linda, to David Paul Salisbury, son of Mrs. Dorothy Newcombe, of Williamsburg, Va., and Dr. Robert Johns Salisbury, of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Miss Johnson also is the daughter of CWO (ret.) Ronald Johnson of Newport News, Virginia. She is a graduate of Denbeigh High School and is employed by the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Mr. Salisbury is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Salisbury, Sr., of Prestonsburg. He is a graduate of York High School, served four years in the U. S. Navy and is at present a student at Morehead State University, Morehead, Kentucky.

A June 12th wedding is planned in historic Bruton Parish Church in Williamsburg, Virginia.

Among Top Salesmen, Jarvis Awarded Trip

Pete Jarvis, of Prestonsburg, has been named a winner in the Haul of Fame by TEREX Division of General Motors. The Haul of Fame honors the top 30 salesmen of TEREX equipment in North America each year. This is the second time Jarvis has qualified for membership in the select group as a salesman for Midco Kentucky Co., Louisville.

Among the awards was a trip to Honolulu for him and his wife Betty.

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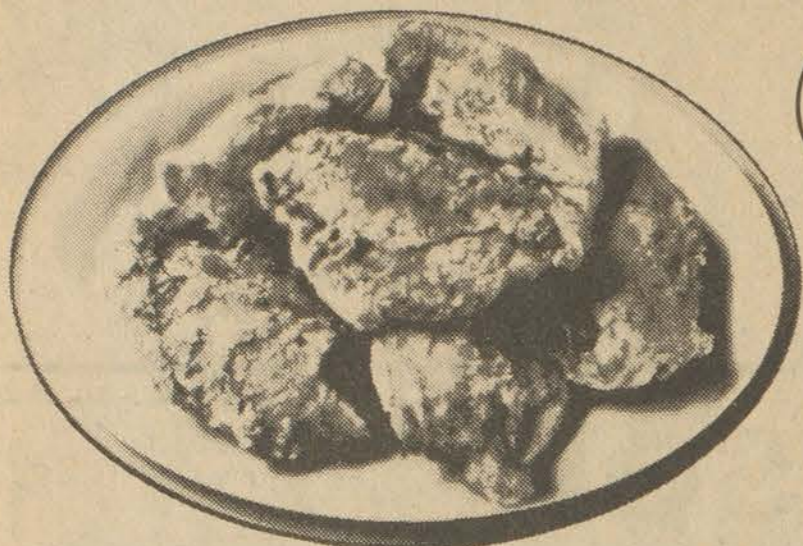
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Nature Photo Meet At Lake Cumberland

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Special guest lecturer for the week-end will be John Earl, a noted Georgia nature photographer and author of the recently published "John Muir's Longest Walk," a photo essay following the route that naturalist John Muir traced from Kentucky to the Georgia coast in the late 1880's.

Earl will lead sessions on the "Nature Photography Setting" as well as a field trip utilizing nature photography skills.

Concurrent with the Nature Photography Week-end, the Kentucky Trails Association will hold a trail development workshop and business meeting.

The trail development workshop, to be held on Saturday, will be directed toward the Jenny Wiley Trail in Eastern Kentucky.

For further information on the events scheduled for the week-end, contact Janie Daugherty, Department of Parks, (502) 464-3013.

To Appear Here Thursday Evening



Peggy Cowles will present her one-woman show, "Just Between Us" here Thursday at 8 p.m. in Pike Auditorium, Prestonsburg Community College campus. The show ranges from intensely dramatic to archly comic and according to the Courier-Journal provides "A delightful evening . . . a magnificent tour de force." This is the final offering of the current Concert Series season.

State Jobless Rate Below Nat'l Average

Frankfort, Ky.—Kentucky's unemployment rate fell 0.6 per cent in March and now stands at 7.4 per cent, according to figures released Tuesday by the Department for Human Resources.

Bob MacDonald, chief labor market analyst for the department, reported that an estimated 103,700 Kentuckians are currently unemployed. This is a drop of approximately 8,200 from the February figure.

MacDonald said most of the drop was caused by "increased hiring throughout the state." Of the 8,200 no longer on the state jobless list, some 5,500 were covered by the state unemployment insurance tax.

The national rate for March is 8.1 per cent.

Insurance Man, Wife Attend Seminar In London, England

Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Conn, of Stanville, have just returned from a week-long trip to London, England. As an agent for Kansas City Life Insurance Company, he qualified for himself and his wife to attend the company's President's Club Seminar. To qualify, an agent must meet unusually high production and professional standards.

Mr. and Mrs. Conn stayed at the Royal Lancaster Hotel in London while attending business seminars conducted by company executives.

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Attend Regional Meet On Richmond Campus

Members from the Garth Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America attended a Regional Meeting at Eastern Kentucky University campus, Richmond, Saturday, April 3.

Members attending were Sandy Ousley, Pat Thornsbury, Wilma Hunt, Debbie Parsons (alternate), Julie Meade (delegate), Joetta White, Zondra Meade, Tonya Holman, Stephanie Mullins, Darlene Collins, Marlene Collins, Fayette Caudill, Glenda Younce, Marian S. Spears, Nettie M. Slone, Mary Ann LeMaster (guest), and Alice Williams, club adviser.

A variety show was provided for the entertainment of the members and advisers. Wilma Hunt, Mary LeMaster and Nettie Slone participated in the show.

Phi Beta Lambda members from the EKV campus provided a tour of the campus, helped with the registration and with the variety show.

The election of Region V Officers for the 1976-77 year was held with the voting by delegates. Speeches were presented by the candidates before the election. Officers are as follows: vice-president, Carayn Lamb; secretary, Pam Bear, of Somerset Vocational;

treasurer, Debbie Clemenson, of Casey County Vocational, and reporter, Kim Shepherd, of Leslie County Vocational.

Eighteen schools participated in the regional conference.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Shawn Nathan Allen celebrated his first birthday March 13 at the home here of his grandmother, Roberta Setser. Cake and ice cream were served to family and friends. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ed Allen, of Pikeville, formerly of Prestonsburg.

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IN VETERANS HOSPITAL Wayland.—James (Bud) Stewart who is in Veterans Hospital at Lexington, after brain surgery, is improving nicely. He wants to wish every one who sent him cards and good wishes and the C. B. Clubs of Right Beaver for the beautiful flowers, and all who prayed for him.



MRS. JULIAN CARROLL surveys the bicentennial youth exhibit, which she sponsors, at the Capitol in Frankfort. The exhibit featuring Bicentennial-related crafts and art work by seventh and eighth graders throughout the state, is housed in cherry cabinets made by Kentucky Correctional Industries, a division of the state Bureau of Corrections.

Kentucky Afield
By Hope Carleton
Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

By JOHN WILSON

Kentucky's crappie runs are just around the corner. We've had a pretty early spring this year so it's time to start watching water temperatures and lake conditions, and time to have the boat, motor and tackle ready to go.

While water temperatures are now in the low 50s, the lakes should start warming up quickly, provided we don't have a long cold spell. As the temperatures approach 60 degrees, the crappie will start moving into the shallows to spawn, and the "runs" will be underway.

A water temperature of 62 degrees in optimum. Traditionally, this magic mark falls right around the time of the Kentucky Derby (the first week-end in May), but it does vary enough, depending on the weather, to make this traditional time just a rough estimate.

The key to successful crappie fishing during the spawning runs is to locate the places where the fish are spawning. Crappie's eggs have an adhesive surface and stick to underwater brush, submerged treetops and so on.

So if you're fishing in open water, you're in the wrong place. If you don't get your hook snagged on underwater brush occasionally, you're most likely wasting your time. To catch crappie, you have to get right in where they are spawning.

In Kentucky and Barkley Lakes, the favorite crappie fishing areas are around the shoreline brush (buck brush, as it's called locally). Since the lakes are usually high in the spring, look for flooded areas containing blackberry brambles, cockleburs and similar cover.

Submerged stump beds, the tops of trees which have fallen into the lake, sunken logs and willow bushes are other favorite crappie spawning sites. In fact, just about any shallow water area which contains underwater cover has the potential of being a crappie hot spot.

The most effective crappie rig is a cane pole with a small, sensitive float and an aberdeen hook. Use a fairly heavy monofilament line, a small split-shot sinker and bait up with a lively minnow.

Even anglers with several hundred dollars worth of rods and reels will choose this set-up for their serious crappie fishing. With the cane pole, the bait can be lowered through underwater obstructions and the fish can be pulled straight out. Casting into a typical crappie spawning area, on the other hand, almost always leads to a snagged hook or lure.

The aberdeen hook is made of light wire and bends easily. So when a snag occurs, a tug on the line will straighten the hook, freeing it from whatever it was hung on. The fisherman can then bend the hook back to its original shape and continue fishing.

But if you just don't like cane pole fishing, a lot of crappie are caught each spring on do-jigs—small dollie type lures. These can either be cast along the shoreline or jigged vertically through treetops or other brush. The upturned hook on these lures makes them comparatively weedless, but be sure to have a good supply in your tackle box when fishing in heavy cover, because you're bound to lose a few.

Although Kentucky Lake is famous for its crappie runs, all of the Commonwealth's major lakes, and many of the smaller state-owned bodies of water, also have good crappie populations. Chances are, you're not far from some good crappie fishing this spring, so get ready—it won't be long now.

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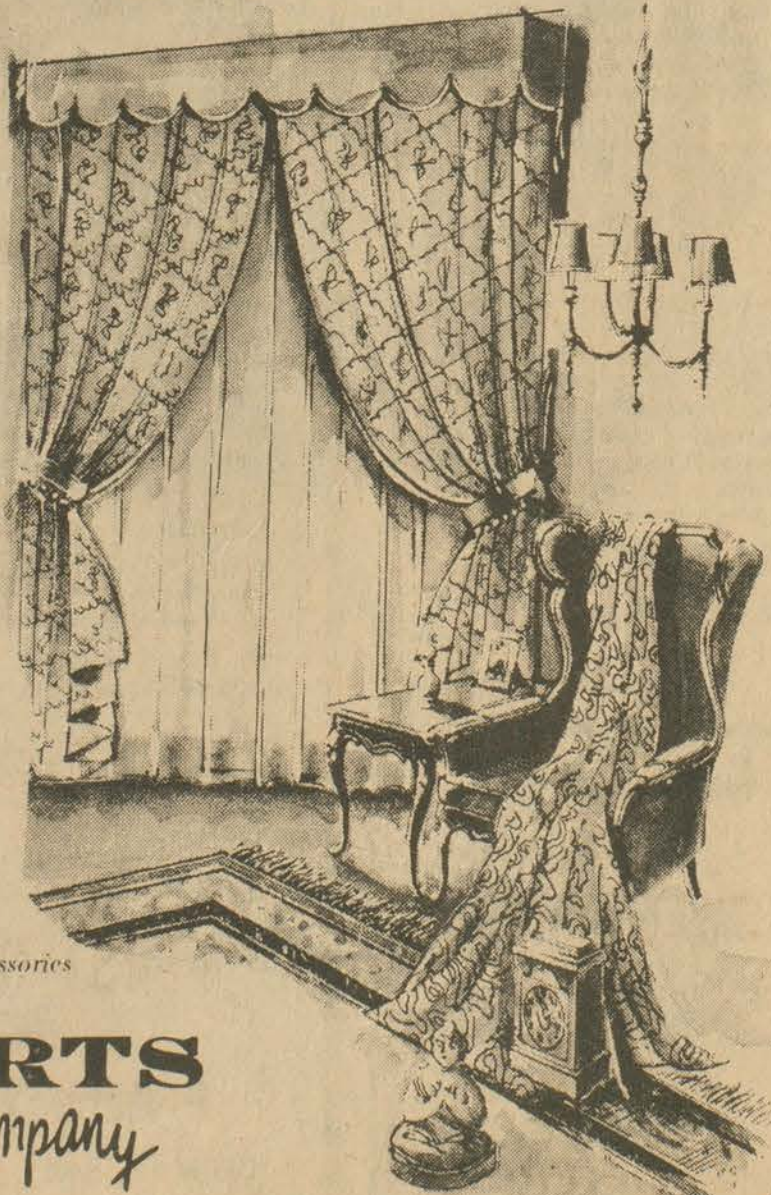
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Poetry Circuit To Be Expanded

Frankfort, Ky.—The Bluegrass Poetry Circuit, a competition sponsored by the Kentucky Arts Commission for college poets, will be expanded next year to include all Kentucky colleges.

Funded as part of the commission's literary arts program for the 1975-'76 school year, the circuit originally included 11 central Kentucky junior colleges, colleges, and universities.

Student poets from the participating schools submitted their work to a panel of prominent poets. The students whose poetry was judged best gave readings of their work at each participating campus. The winning poets were given stipends and travel expenses to those readings.

The success of the program encouraged the commission to open membership in the circuit to all Kentucky schools of higher education, said Jon Dunn, who directs the commission's literary programming.

Those interested in exploring membership in the circuit should contact Dunn at the Kentucky Arts Commission, 100 W. Main Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

SIMILARITY OF NAMES CAUSE OF CONFUSION

The Gary Allen listed in the April 14 edition of The Times as being indicted for knowingly receiving stolen property, etc., is not the Gary D. Allen, of Martin, who is employed by the First National Bank in Prestonsburg.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Floyd County Health Department is accepting applications for the classification of Health Service Aide. Minimum requirement for this position is graduation from high school. Experience in typing and (or) health service fields is helpful. The beginning salary is \$358.00 per month. Persons interested in this job position can obtain further details and an application blank from the Floyd County Health Department, Ask for James B. Goble, Administrator. Applications must be received by the Floyd County Health Department on or before April 26, 1976.

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INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received by the office of the County Judge, Pike county courthouse, Pikeville, Ky. 41501, until 11 a.m. local time, on April 30, 1976, at which time they will be taken to the Quarterly Courtroom, opened and read aloud.

Bids will be for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment to complete the following single and multiple-span bridge projects using new precast superstructure on new and (or) modified concrete substructure:

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3-6	3	15' wide x 25' long
5-12	5	24' wide x 27' long
5-13	5	15' wide x 33' long
6-8	6	24' wide x 21' long
6-9	6	24' wide x 23' long
6-10	6	24' wide x 35' long
7-39	7	18' wide x 28' long
7-40	7	18' wide x 18' long
8-2	8	15' wide x 74' long
8-3	8	15' wide x 91' long

Project plans, specifications and proposal forms may be examined at the office of Pike County Judge, or Charles Engineering Company, 424 Main Street, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, or Brighton Engineering Company, 117 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, or Brighton Engineering Company, Versailles Road, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. A set of such documents may be obtained from one of the Engineering Companies aforementioned. A charge of five dollars (\$5), non-refundable will be made for each project.

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Science in Spotlight at Allen Central

According to ACHS students, Kay Craft and Debbie Reffett, publicity committee of SWAT (Science Watchers Acting Together), and Mrs. Shirley Stewart, Media Club sponsor, March 31, April 1 and 2 were very important dates for science at Allen Central High School. On those three days, as a culmination of SWAT's desire to improve the interest in science at the school and in surrounding communities, the second annual Science Awareness Days were held in the high school building as well as in the J. E. Campbell Athletic Center.

SWAT members and their advisor, Lowell L. Martin, ACHS biology instructor, worked hard to bring to the student body important science activities. Some of those activities were:

March 31—Kick-off speaker, Dr. Pritam Sabharwal, UK biology professor; science projects on display and science poster contest.

April 1—A science-oriented movie, "World Without Sun," by Jacques Yves Cousteau; Garrett and Maytown eighth grade class tours of projects.

April 2—NASA lecture-demonstration program presented by George Allison; Allen and Martin eighth grade tours of the science projects; science poster winners announced and model rockets blast-offs, conducted by SWAT's model rocketry team.

Science projects were placed on display in the J. E. Campbell Athletic Center. Participating Allen Central High School students were Judy Bailey, Karlos Brown, Peggy Burchfield, Denver Bush, Dora Coburn, David Crisp, Lynn Derossett, Randy Hagans, Cheryl Halbert, Terri Hall, Melissa Lykens, Carlos Marshall, Richard McCown, Susan Patton, Deborah Reffett, Jennifer Reynolds, Nyria Salisbury, Gail Samons, Larry Shepherd, Deborah Watkins, Jane Gibson, Bartley Bartrum, Danny Bradley, Kathy Bradley, Brenda Campbell, Vickie Gibson, Doyle Handshoe, Trudy Hunter, Mary Jones, Joyce May, Ina Owens, Debora Patton, Reta Ratliff, Teresa Rowe, Connie Miller, Mark Stephens, Cheryl Tackett, Mike Thorpe, Steve Salisbury, Tammy Martin, John Flanery, Tonya Martin, Jennifer Mullins, Jeannie Beard, Gladys Manns, Angela Lafferty, Karen Gibson, Daniel Handshoe, Debbie Johns, Brenda Manuel, Carla Martin, Teresa Moore, Eulah Murray, Clara Ousley, Robin Ratliff, Delinda Slone, Alicia VanHoose, Curt Brengle, Arbadellia Bailey, Ricky Bentley, Kay Craft, Ronald Halbert, Donna Lafferty, Leah McKinney, Tammy O'Quinn, Rita Ratliff, Angie Ratcliff, Richard Salisbury, Glen Ison, William Petry, Mike Smith, James Layne, Byron Coburn, Jeff Wicker, Melvin May, and Garth exhibits by Randy Martin, Mike Reffitt and Toby Hicks.

Seventy-nine students participated in SWAT's second annual Science Poster Contest. The purpose of this competition was to have students create an original poster depicting some aspect of the science class that was being taken by the student. Three teachers judged the posters on grammar-neatness-expression and the relationship of the material to science.

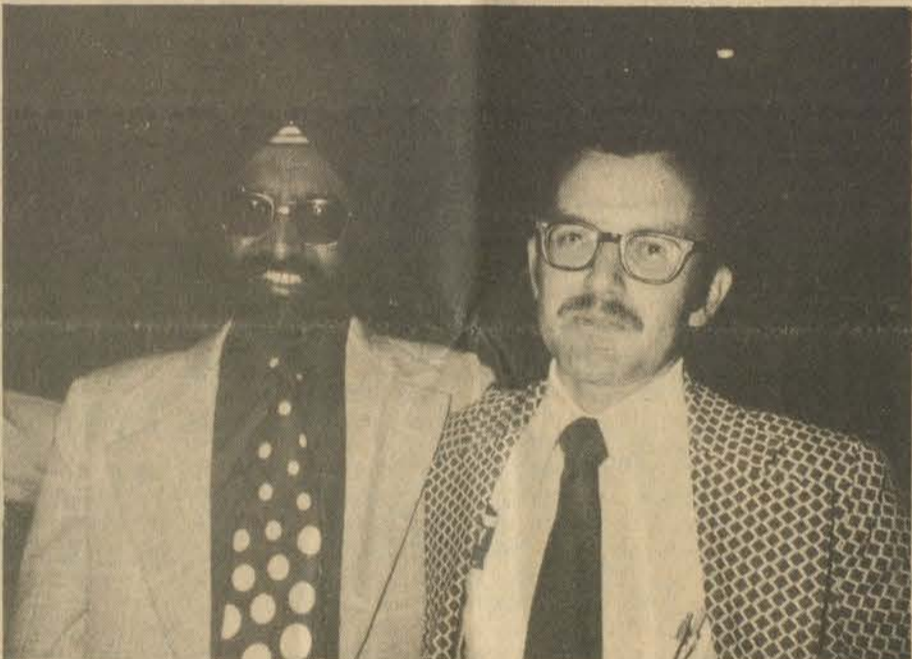
The ACHS students who entered were Kay Craft, Randy Bentley, Sherry Hale, Tammy Francis, Connie Mattin, Edwina Bentley, Willard Conn, Melissa Lykens, Alice Potter, Steve Conn, Ken Dyer, Linda Crum, Donnie Titlow, Mary Jones, Wesley Case, Carla Martin, Mary Hagans, Carla Watson, Connie Ross, Forrest Porter, Alberta Sexton, Don Hughes, Tammy Prater, Donna Pratt, Kim Merion, Jackie Ratliff, Larry Shepherd, Gregory Conn, Rick Barnett, Melvin May, Teresa Duncan, Maxine Martin, Regina Caudill, Debra Hamilton, Taunda Hicks, Wanda Murphy, Randy Carroll, Tammy Chaffins, Doug Harvey, Teresa Bradley, Rhonda Hall, David Williams, Ann Flanery, John Flanery, Teresa Duncan, Bertha Flannery, Ina Owens, Reta Ratliff, Debbie Reffett, Barbara Hicks, Ronald Halbert, Ronnie Ousley, Trudy Hunter, Robyn Frasure, Clara Ousley, Vickie Smith, Judy Jones, Beverley Reffitt, Toby Spradlin, Lynn Derossett, Deborah Watkins, Debbie



S.W.A.T. (Science Watchers Acting Together) members and Mr. Martin, adviser.



Science Poster Contest winners: From left, first place, Melissa Lykens; second place, Kim Merion; third place, Kay Craft.



Kick-off speaker and adviser of S.W.A.T.: from left, Dr. Sabharwal, Mr. Martin.

Johns, Jennifer Reynolds, Leah McKinney, Rita Ratliff, Nyria Salisbury, Richard McCown, Debora Patton, Peggy Burchfield, Carol Shepherd, Janey Case, Sharon Turner, Larry Collins, Regina Ousley, Mary Ann Mulkins and Martha Conn.

First, second and third-place posters were selected by a panel of three non-science teachers. A \$5 first prize was won by Melissa Lykens with a poster on Chick Embryo Development. A \$2.50 second prize was awarded Kim Merion for her poster on Insect Study, and \$1 third prize was given to Kay Craft for her poster on the World of Science. All other entrants received a Certificate of Merit.

Dr. Sabharwal, accompanied by his wife and two sons, spent the first day of the three-day event at Allen Central, and

proved to be a favorite with the student body and faculty. A native of Pakistan, he received his Ph.D. degree from the Delhi University, India. Before going to the University of Kentucky in 1966 he was a research associate at Indiana University, and before that at the University of Pittsburgh.

The NASA Space Science Education Project was presented under the direction of Mr. George Allison. His hour-long program to approximately 600 persons included discussion and demonstration of aeronautics, rocketry, propulsion systems, satellites, probes, orbits, communication, human factors, and manned space flight. In addition the application of NASA achievements to everyday life may have been the most fascinating portion of the program.

Pesticides May Also Cause Damage To Eyes

Foresight can save sight when working in the yard, the garden or on the farm during the spring and summer months, counsels the Kentucky Society for the Prevention of Blindness.

The Society recommends the wearing of safety goggles when mowing the lawn,

pruning bushes, and especially, when spraying. "Eyes are particularly vulnerable to insecticides and herbicides, and should be protected whenever they are used," warns Elinor Zollinger, executive director of the Society.

Severe irritation and burning may be experienced when pesticide compounds come in contact with eye tissue, but this is not always the case and eye damage can occur even if severe pain is absent.

Here are further safety guidelines from the Kentucky Society:

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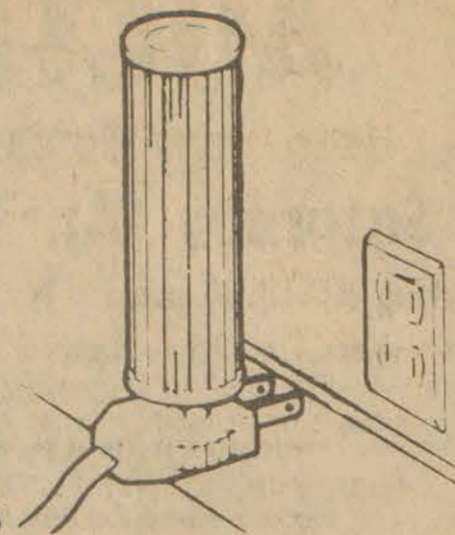
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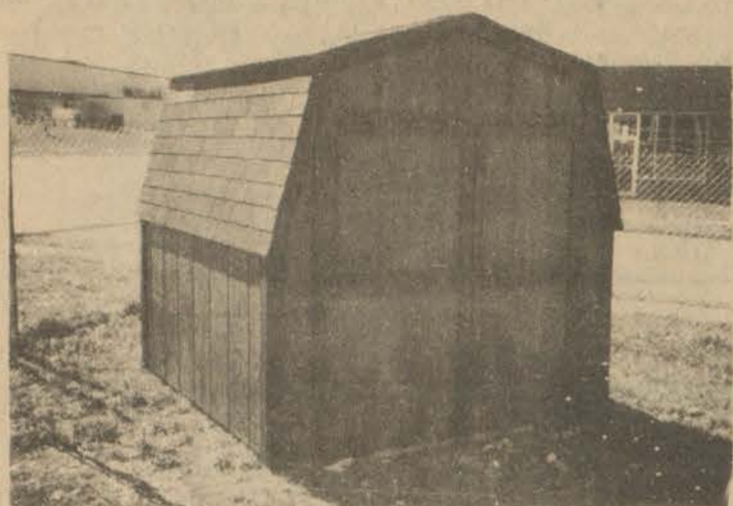
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More Coffee Tree Seedlings in Demand

Frankfort, Ky.—The creation of the Kentucky coffee tree as the Commonwealth's official state tree is beginning to create a demand for seedlings, plants, paintings, prints, wood carvings and gadgets related to the tree, according to Bill Johnstone, a retired county agent now living in Berea.

Johnstone, one of the initial movers of support for the Kentucky coffee tree, is regarded as an authority on the tree. Supporters of the coffee tree legislation claim that Johnstone's efforts, along with those of late Louisville Courier-Journal columnist Joe Creason, were instrumental in getting the coffee tree bill through the state legislature.

As a history to the coffee tree effort, Johnstone explained that before Gov. Carroll signed Senate Bill 150 into law on March 8, 1976, Kentucky did not have a legally designated state tree.

"The tulip tree, often erroneously called the tulip poplar," he said, "was considered to be the state tree. But there was no statute to that effect. A resolution passed several years ago naming the tulip tree the state tree was never properly recorded. It was when this oversight was being corrected in 1976 that the proposal was made to name the

Kentucky coffee tree our official representative in the field of trees."

Supporters of the coffee tree bill called it a memorial to Creason, who was a long-time advocate of such legislation. They claim the tree to be "as distinctly Kentucky as fine horses and Derby Day juleps," and add that no other state has such a unique tree with a built-in state name, Johnstone said.

He explained that the tree grows "from southern Canada to the middle Gulf states, and from the Atlantic coast to the Great Plains. It is strong, resistant to ice, snow, insects, disease and drought, and is easily shipped and transplanted."

Explaining that the increased public demand for coffee tree-related items will be hard to fill for a few years while production increases and more trees mature, Johnstone stated: "In the meantime, much needs to be done to make the tree better known and admired."

"There are many activities in which the state, garden and civic clubs, and interested individuals can participate to make the tree better known. I would suggest, over the years, extensive plantings at all public places of interest."

"As soon as enough trees become available, there should be group plantings along main highways, especially at rest areas, where the traveling public can get acquainted with the Kentucky coffee tree."

Noting the increasing interest in the new state tree, Johnstone stated: "One proud Kentuckian, in the week the bill was signed, ordered several Kentucky coffee trees for planting at his home, at his place of business and for the campuses of his high school and college."

An urgent project, he believes, is the identification and labeling of those trees already in prominent places—"like the giant old trees at White Hall in Madison County and near Hartford in Ohio County."

Planning other projects for coffee tree promotion, Johnstone said: "I can think of many things—photos and paintings of the tree at different seasons, the colorful pods and seeds, the graceful, giant leaves in autumn gold, wood products such as gavels and novelties. There seems to be no limit to opportunities if vision and imagination can be created."

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Pam Inmon Patton, of Garrett, has been selected for the 1976 fall term, Respiratory Therapy program at the Lexington Technical Institute, University of Kentucky.

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The Varsity Men's Glee Club also will make a guest appearance at the concert. The glee clubs are directed by Prof. William Olson. Accompanist is William Buhr, 5516 W. Cortland St., Chicago.
Women's Glee Club members include Miss Marilyn Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose, of Prestonsburg. She is also a member of the Girls Next Door, a small ensemble within the Glee Club, which will present a number of popular songs.

**Alumni Meet Begins
Friday at Marshall**

Huntington, W. Va.—Parties, sports events, a musical play, an awards banquet and a picnic are just some of the activities awaiting Marshall University alumni when they return to campus next week-end.

History and noted scholar, will present a seminar at 11 a.m. in Room 2W22 of the Student Center. Tickets for his address, "What Manner of Men Were Our Presidents?", can be obtained without charge from the alumni office.

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The theme for MU's Alumni Week-end, scheduled Friday through Saturday, April 23-25, is "A Time to Return to Campus" and a wide array of events is planned, according to Donald D. Ferguson, MU Alumni Association president.

Kicking off the week-end at 9 p.m. Friday is a "Roaring Twenties" party at the UpTowner Inn, featuring the Lucky Jazz Band. Tickets can be obtained from the Alumni Affairs Office, Room 2W20, Memorial Student Center or by telephoning the office, 696-3134.

All of the events are open to the public, including the Alumni Banquet to be held at 7 p.m. Saturday in the multi-purpose room of Memorial Student Center. Reservations for the prime rib dinner should be made by Thursday with the alumni office.

Four Marshall alumni will be honored at the banquet which will be preceded by the association's annual business meeting. Receiving Distinguished Alumnus Awards will be Dr. William E. Hatfield, noted author and research chemist at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and Soupy Sales, entertainer and television personality. William Edward Blevins, vice president of the National Bank of Detroit, will be presented the Alumnus Community Achievement Award, while John L. "Patsy" Jefferson, Jr., operator of the Riviera Golf Club near Huntington, will receive the association's Distinguished Service Award.

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Club Has 25th Anniversary

The Drift Woman's Club celebrated its 25th anniversary on April 9. The evening festivities began with a reception at the clubhouse at 6 p.m., honoring the president of KFWC, Mrs. Donald Dammert, Erlanger, Ky.; Miss Chloe Gifford, Lexington, past GFWC president and past KFWC president, Mrs. Oscar C. Sowards, Lexington, treasurer, KFWC, past president, KFWC, and KFWC chairman of trustees; Dr. Mary Pauline Fox, Pikeville, second vice-president of KFWC. Following the reception, a dinner was served at the Drift Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m. Mrs. C. J. Cahill, president, welcomed the

guests, charter members, and members of the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland, Wheelwright and Martin Woman's Clubs. The invocation was given by Mrs. William Hoffman. Miss Ruby Akers and Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo gave the history of the club.

Mrs. Rex Ankrom, Prestonsburg, first president of the Drift club, congratulated the club on 25 years of community service. Mrs. Herman Kessler, of Louisville, governor of the Seventh district when the club was federated in 1951, spoke briefly on the first year of the club and wished it many more years of service. Dr. Mary Pauline Fox, brought greetings and in keeping with the KFWC theme presented a crystal and silver bell to the club to ring the bells for freedom.

Mrs. Oscar Sowards spoke on her close association with the Drift Club in her work in the Seventh district and also at the state level.

Mrs. Donald Dammert challenged those present to become totally active in their clubs and communities. She presented a citation from KFWC for 25 years of meritorious service in promoting the programs and activities of the federation.

Miss Chloe Gifford, also an honorary member of the Seventh district clubs, told of her previous trips to Drift as state president and of happy memories of the close association with the clubs on Left and Right Beaver Creeks. She asked the clubs to become involved in all aspects of community work.

The Drift Club members were pleasantly surprised with a shower of anniversary gifts from the attending clubs. An engraved silver tray was presented by the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland club. The Wheelwright club gave a crystal and silver tray, and the Martin club presented the Drift club a plaque. Miss Catherine Reed, Winston Salem, N. C., a charter member, sent flowers and Jan's Flower Shop, Martin, also sent flowers.

In 1951 there were 21 charter members. Six of these are still active in the club and were presented engraved silver trays in appreciation of 25 years of faithful service. They are Miss Ruby Akers, Mrs. C. J. Cahill, Mrs. Harry Martin, Mrs. G. W. Showers, Mrs. Ward L. Reed and Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo.

Guests present: Mrs. Donald Dammert and Mrs. R. C. Doyle, both of Erlanger; Mrs. Chloe Gifford, Lexington and Mrs. Oscar C. Sowards, Lexington; Mrs. Herman Kessler, Louisville; Dr. Mary Pauline Fox, Pikeville; Mrs. Rex Ankrom, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Eva Kilgus, Louisville; Mrs. Vada Reed, Ashland; Mrs. Don Meade, Langley; Mrs. Alvin Reed, Drift; members from the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Club—Mrs. Maxine Martin, Mrs. Otto Martin, Mrs. June DeCoursey, Mrs. T. J. Spillman, Mrs. LaFaye Hughes, Mrs. Ann Castle, Mrs. Beatrice Collins, Mrs. Dorothy Conley, Mrs. John Reed, Mrs. Mervil Dixon, Mrs. Elizabeth Duff; Wheelwright club members—Mrs. Fred Salisbury, Mrs. Mary E. Wilson, Mrs. Jimmie Lou Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Fain, Mrs. Alma Souleyrette, Mrs. Betty Mullins; Martin club members—Mrs. Lynn Reynolds, Mrs. Ramona Ratcliff, Miss Bonnie Crisp, Mrs. Phyllis Gearheart, Mrs. Ruth Shelton, Mrs. Linda Bartrum, Mrs. Charlotte Hall, Miss Nancy Sue Dingus, Mrs. Charlotte Hall, Mrs. Thomasine Whicker.

Drift club members attending were Mrs. Kermit Martin, Mrs. Harry Martin, Miss Ruby Akers, Mrs. Belfrod Reitz, Mrs. G. W. Showers, Mrs. William Hoffman, Mrs. McKinley Little, Mrs. Ward L. Reed, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, Mrs. C. J. Cahill, Mrs. Demoris Martin.

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by Nevyle Shackelford

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Back during the years of the Great Depression, a lot of people ate a lot of possum. They did the same thing during World War II when meat and about everything else was in short supply. To get many things required one had to make frequent trips to the ration board for stamps, tickets, tokens, and the like and upon this hangs another possum tale.

The story is that during these war years there was a man with a big family who found it necessary to hunt wild game to supplement the scanty supply of meat he could afford to buy at the store.

One day while out scouting the briar patches, weed fields, and woods, his dog treed an old sow possum in a hollow tree. Whereupon the man pulled her out by the tail, dropped her alive in his hunting sack, and hurried home to kill, skin,

and otherwise prepare her for the baking pan.

Amid all his numerous progeny gathered round with their mouths watering in anticipation of a pan of baked possum, the man pulled the old gal from the sack and was drawing back with an axe handle to administer the coupe de grace, when he suddenly stopped short and let the club fall from his hand.

Old Ma Possum escaped being killed and eaten because her captor proved to be a man of sympathetic nature. For as he swung her up by the tail to whack her across the head with the axe handle, there dropped from the pouch in which she carried her young two acorns, a dried up persimmon, and a ration book!

Despite his hunger and the hunger of his children, the man simply could not kill the old critter who was as hard up for something to eat as he.

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MARTIN NEWS

Martin Evening Homemakers club met at the Martin lunchroom recently. Dorothy Wildman called the meeting to order, and devotions were read by Gail Osborne on "Thoughts on Taking a Walk." Francis Pitts gave a lesson on flowers and rock gardens.

Dorothy Tackett could not attend because of illness. Present were Gail Osborne, Mexie Bates, Alice Hayes, Katherine Osborne, Dorothy Wildman, Eva Stephens, Francis Pitts and daughter, Jayne Pitts. Hostesses for the evening were Katherine Osborne and Alice Hayes.

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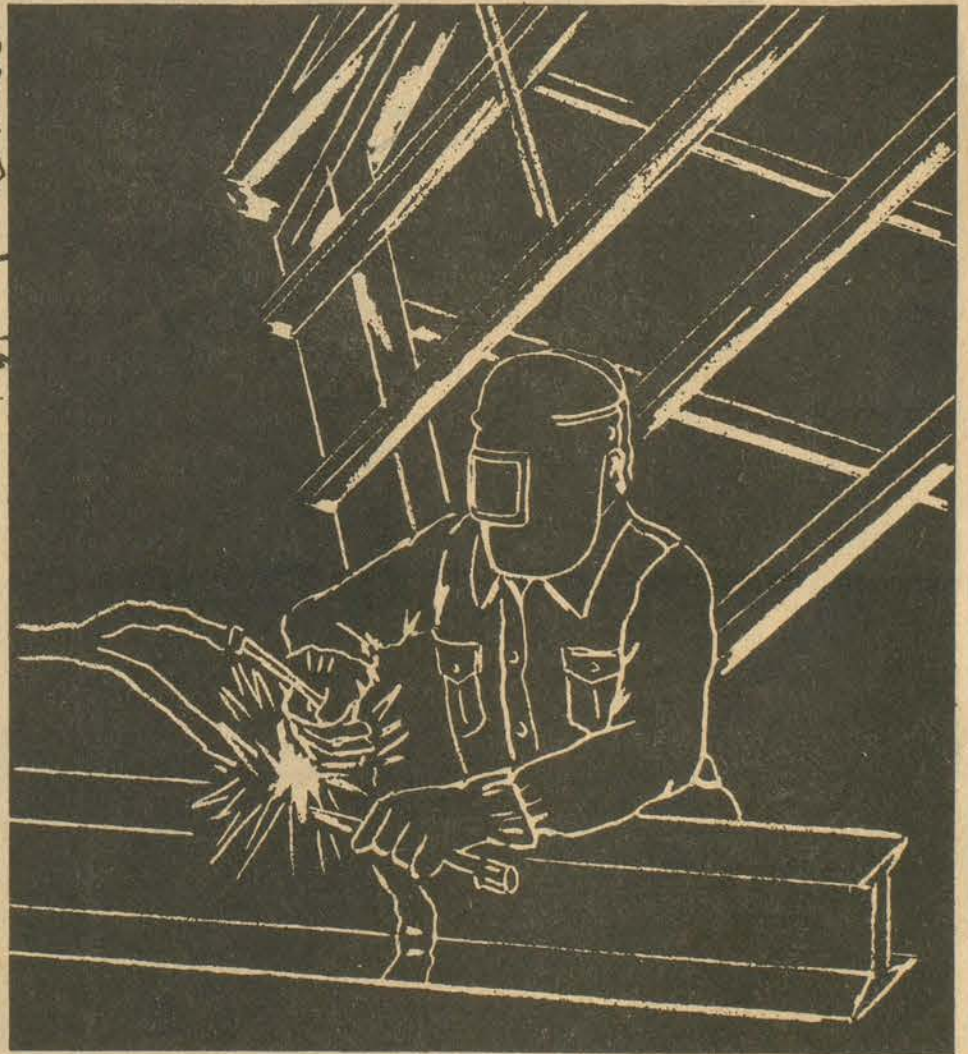
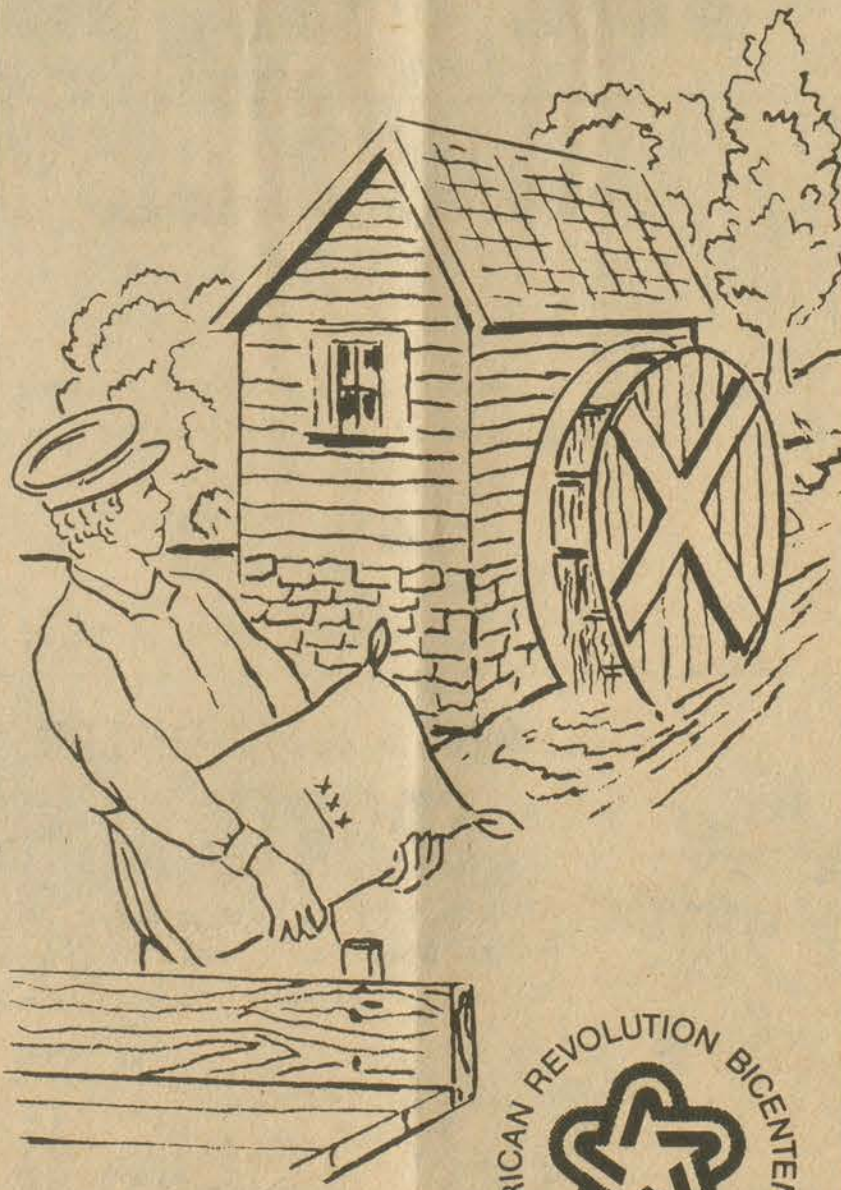
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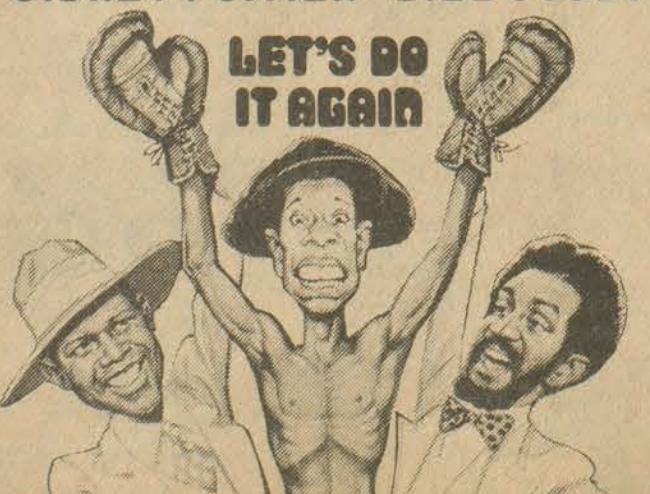
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UMWA Head, IEB Clash Over Cutback Plan

Major services to UMWA members including the UMW Journal, organizing campaigns, compensation assistance, medical clinics in the coalfields, and UMWA political programs will either be cut back drastically or eliminated entirely under major budget cuts voted by the International Executive Board at its last meeting, according to UMWA President Arnold Miller.

In a special message to the membership, contained in the April 1-15th UMW Journal, Miller warned UMWA members that budget cuts voted by the IEB would mean:

UMWA members would receive the UMW Journal every 5 to 6 weeks rather than every 2 weeks; organizing campaigns would be cut back by at least one third; the UMWA's political action efforts, including lobbying for black lung and mine safety legislation, would be cut back 80 per cent; safety and contract education training for local union members by the Research Department would be eliminated; the UMWA's compensation department would be eliminated completely; organizing of coalfield medical clinics such as those at Cabin Creek, W. Va., Wheelwright, Ky., and Jacksboro, Tenn. would stop and International employees helping to organize new clinics would be laid off; housing assistance to survivors of the Buffalo Creek flood disaster would be ended; 25,000 dues paying members of the UMWA who do not receive the UMWA

Journal would not be added to the list. Miller called the IEB budget cuts "wrong and unnecessary" and in some cases contrary to the UMWA constitution.

The UMWA president said he had submitted a balanced budget to the IEB which emphasized services to the membership, but that the IEB had made "arbitrary cuts" which would mean that "many of the services you receive as a UMWA member will come to a quick halt."

The IEB refused to back a Miller proposal to transfer payment of health and pension benefits for district employees to the districts and voted instead to make cuts in major International programs.

Miller said that most districts are now self-supporting and receive a larger share of union dues money than does the International.

By forcing the International to pay the district employees' health and pension benefits, the IEB is forcing cuts in vital services like organizing and safety education," Miller wrote.

Miller noted that the UMWA is one of the richest unions in the nation with assets of over \$60 million.

"The UMWA is a labor union not a business," Miller wrote. "The duty of the officers is to use the dues money for the benefit of the members. We want a balanced budget, and I submitted one to the IEB. The membership is crying out for safety and contract education. They want services, not a profit margin at the end of the year."

In his special message, Miller urged the rank-and-file to "speak out" and make its views known. "The future of the union is in your hands."

Shortly after taking office, Miller cut his special salary by \$15,000, eliminated a special full-salary retirement program for International officers, and abolished an automatic per diem paid to International officers.

Employment in professional and technical occupations, the fastest growing major occupation group, is projected to increase from 11.5 million workers in 1972 to about 17 million in 1985, about 1.5 times the annual rate of employment increase projected for all occupations combined, reports the U. S. Department of Labor.

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Observes 94th Birthday



T. B. Connors was visited by friends and relatives at his home at Estill on his 94th birthday, Sunday, April 4. Cakes were presented to him by Mrs. Mitchell Nichols and Mrs. Henry Hillman, both of Estill, Mrs. Jack Wetzig, of Lebanon, O., sent a cake, as did his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ballard Connors, and his granddaughter, Garnet, of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. Connors also received approximately 100 birthday cards, and he expressed his appreciation to all his friends for their thoughtfulness.

Allen Central S.W.A.T. Takes Campus Tour

The year's activities of S.W.A.T. (Science Watchers Acting Together) of Allen Central High School culminated with a science-oriented tour of the University of Kentucky's campus in Lexington, Friday, April 9.

Members participating in the tour were Richard Salisbury, James Layne, Trudy Hunter, Glen Ison, Jennifer Mullins, Nyria Salisbury, Kay Craft, Reta Ratliff, William Petry, Mike Smith, advisor, Lowell L. Martin, biology instructor, and Mr. Casey, driver.

Pete Manchikez, UK Information Service, who met the group on their arrival, accompanied them on a tour of the campus via the University's old English double-decker bus.

Following this, he escorted them to the new Hunt Morgan Biological Science building where a graduate student showed them through the facility. From there, S.W.A.T. members were directed to Dr. P. S. Sabharwal's research station No. 3. Dr. Sabharwal took part in S.W.A.T.'s second annual Science Awareness Days, beginning March 31. Next on the agenda was a look at the Wenner-Gren Research lab where they were told about research being done in the study of sound. After this they were taken through the Electrical Engineering Department, and shown demonstrations on work in this field.

After lunch at the Student Union building, the group went to UK Medical Center where they were shown several units including the Pathology Department whose director, Denver Robertson, a native of Lackey, gave them a personally conducted tour of the facility.

Pine Sawfly Damage Seen as Negligible

According to surveys made during December 1975 by the Kentucky Division of Forestry defoliation by the Virginia pine sawfly is expected to be negligible this spring throughout most of eastern and northeastern Kentucky.

The Virginia pine sawfly is a defoliating insect that attacks Virginia, shortleaf and pitch pines during the spring. In eastern Kentucky, this insect has caused light defoliation of its hosts during the past two years.

The larval or caterpillar stage of the Virginia pine sawfly is responsible for the defoliation. These caterpillars, often found in groups, are light green with four gray-to-black stripes running the length of their bodies. Their heads are shiny black. The feeding activity of the caterpillars begins in mid-April and is completed by the end of May. This activity is restricted to the one-year-old pine needles, and the larval stage is usually completed before the new needles emerge in May. This allows the trees to acquire enough foliage to survive if other conditions are favorable. However, trees under attack are often severely weakened to the point where they are highly susceptible to attack by other insects or diseases.

Control of the Virginia pine sawfly is primarily restricted to nurseries, and ornamental and shade trees. In the forest, natural controls such as parasites, predators, disease and weather conditions limit this insect's population.

For further information concerning the Virginia pine sawfly and its control, contact the Kentucky Division, 618 Teton Trail, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, (502-564-4496).

In Memoriam at Easter Of Husband and Father

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No Easter morning dawns, no nights return,
Dad, but that we think of you;
Those left behind are very dear,
But none replaced you.
And since you've gone, it's not the same;
The world is black and drear,
We miss you every place we go
But you just aren't there.
I like to think when life is done
Wherever Heaven may be,
That you'll be standing at the door
Up there to welcome me.

Easter lilies on earth do bloom
But, you, Dad, are among Heaven's flowers.
We know He's keeping you in His great room
Forever through His love and power.
We know you were only loaned to us by our
Heavenly Father
But our hearts still ache and the tears still flow,
And, Dad, we didn't want to let you go,
But in His great love He left us much more than
Your sweet memory,
And that is the Blessed Assurance that you're
Sheltered and safe in the arms of God
I'll live in Memories Garden, dear, and wait for Easter morn.

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Dickerson Cited by College Board

Harrisonburg, Va.—Dr. Z. S. Dickerson, Jr., head of the Madison College business education department, has been cited by the college's Board of Visitors for "continuing and distinguished service to Madison College and the field of higher education".

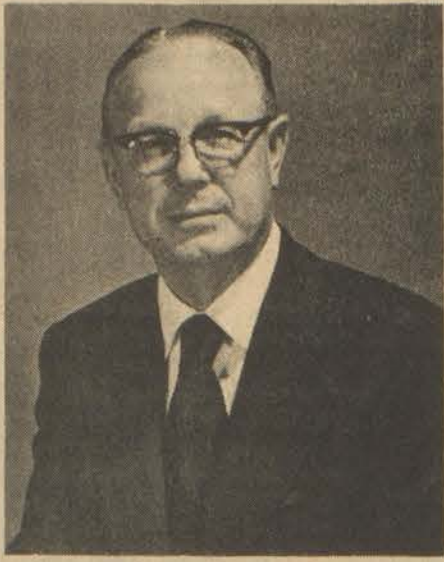
The citation was made by Madison President Dr. Ronald E. Carrier in San Francisco last Friday at the National Business Education Association's (NBEA) annual convention. Dr. Dickerson is president of the NBEA, and Dr. Carrier was one of the featured speakers at the NBEA convention.

Dr. Dickerson has been at Madison since 1958. He has received the Madison Distinguished Faculty Award and the Southern Business Education Association Distinguished Teacher Award and is a past president of the National Association for Business Teacher Education.

He received his B.S. degree from Eastern Kentucky State University and his M.A. and Ed. D. degrees from the University of Kentucky. He received the Eastern Kentucky University Distinguished Alumni Award in 1974.

Dr. Dickerson is married to the former Mildred Gortney. Mrs. Dickerson is an assistant professor of education at Madison College.

The Dickersons have two children, Richard and Margaret. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Dickerson, Sr., of Prestonsburg, Ky.



MAYTOWN NEWS

Morton Adkins has again been a patient at Highlands Regional Hospital. Mrs. Lillian Hall has been hospitalized, suffering a severe case of pneumonia and complications.

Keith Webb, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Webb, celebrated his fifth birthday, April 12, at his home. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Webb to the following guests: Mrs. Joyce Akers, Bart, Brett and Bridgett, Mrs. Charles Graham May and Kari Lynn, all of Allen; Davie Webb, Lexington; Mary Beth and Melissa Hicks, Mrs. Earl Webb, Mrs. Thurmal Click, Tom, Steve and Dean Webb and Earl E. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey returned home Monday after spending the winter in Belleview, Fla.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lynn Allen and children last week-end were Mrs. Allen's grandmother, Jay Turner, her aunt, Mrs. Geneva Houston, and her cousin, Mrs. Dora Birch, and son John, all of Trenton, Ohio. They were also dinner guests of the Allen's on Monday evening.

Earmest Hayes is recuperating at home after spending two weeks at Highlands Regional Hospital following a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click and Mrs. Earl Webb were shopping in Huntington, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ramey and Tim, of Alexandria, Ky., were Easter week-end guests of relatives here and at Eastern.

The Bill Harrelson family, of Louisville, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hagans.

Kenneth Webb, of Ashland, was the Easter week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Webb, along with Mr. and Mrs. David Webb and children, of Lexington, and Mrs. Webb's sisters and their families from North Judson, North Carolina.

For DAV Membership

Anyone in and around Prestonsburg who would like to become a member of Disabled American Veterans may contact Homer Robinson, 308 Davis St., Phone 886-8027, Prestonsburg, who has application forms and can give information on the services DAV does for Veterans.

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1975 Record Year For Coal Production

Frankfort, Ky.—Figures released Tuesday, April 13, by the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals point to another record year for coal production in the state. A total 144 million tons of "black gold" was unearthed during 1975, compared to some 136 million in 1974, the previous record.

Muhlenberg County again leads the nation as the largest county producer with 22,470,369 tons, up from 21.8 million in 1974. Pike County claims the second highest production with 19,332,430 tons. That figure is slightly lower than 1974's 21.6 million ton figure.

Other Kentucky counties surpassing the one million mark for coal tonnage include Harlan, 10,931,838; Hopkins, 9,789,456; Ohio, 9,652,695; Union, 7,757,258; Martin, 6,880,471; Breathitt, 6,829,993; Perry, 6,329,573; Letcher, 4,870,139; Floyd, 4,479,074; Bell, 4,164,876; Knott, 3,988,662; Leslie, 3,781,441; Whitley, 2,803,354; and Webster, 2,007,687.

Other large producers include Clay, 1,095,363; Henderson, 1,180,016; Johnson, 1,413,924; Knox, 1,881,982; Laurel, 1,533,808; Magoffin, 1,976,391; and Morgan, 1,159,847.

Wallace for President

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Also mentioned in the Mines and Minerals report as coal counties are Boyd, 76,238; Butler, 740,732; Carter, 275,152; Christian, 199,445; Daviess, 975,582; Edmonson, 34,555; Elliott, 459,961; Grayson, 40,292; Greenup, 178,377; Hancock, 261,088; Jackson, 514,760; Lawrence, 794,450; and Lee, 218,930.

Remaining counties are McCreary, 966,758; McLean, 855,790; Menifee, 6,962; Owsley, 311,709; Pulaski, 463,069; Rockcastle, 75,513; Wayne, 229,825; and Wolfe, 182,330.

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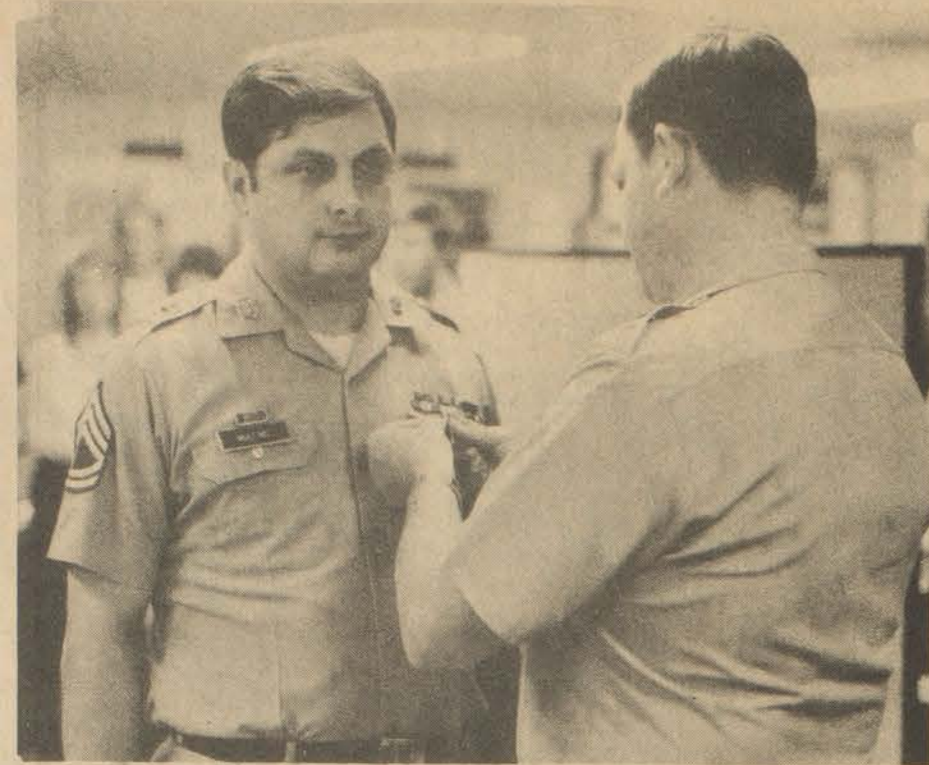
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Sgt. 1-C William S. Mullins, a native of Melvin and a field recruiter at the Pearl (Miss.) Army Recruiting Station, was the subject of a dual observance at the office of the Jackson District Command recently when he reenlisted in the U.S. Army for a six-year period, and was, at the same ceremony, presented the Meritorious Service Medal by Lt. Col. William C. Sanders, II, commander of the Jackson DRC.

Mullins, an Army veteran of 14 years, has served as a field recruiter since June, 1971, after his return from Viet-

nam. He is a graduate of Wheelwright High School, and is presently continuing his education at the University of Southern Mississippi.

In addition to the Meritorious Service Medal, SFC Mullins has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal, second award, Army Commendation Medal, third award, National Defense Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal, third award, Vietnam Service Medal with six stars, and the Vketnam Campaign Ribbon.

Sgt. Mullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman E. Puckett, of Melvin.

Senior Citizen News

A covered dish dinner was held Friday, April 16, and among the activities enjoyed were bingo, pool playing and a cake walk, winner of the cake was Mrs. Herbert Spradlin, of East Point, and the door prize winner was Sola Blackburn, of East Point. There will be an activity committee meeting on Wednesday, April 21, at 11 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center, Archer Park. Among the dinner guests were Mrs. Granville Setser, Maude McGuire, both of Allen, H. L. Church, Prestonsburg, Sola Blackburn, Gypsie Baldrige, Edith Elkins, all of East Point, Martha Marsillett, Cynthia Ousley, both of West Prestonsburg, Dora Mitchell, Rhoda Brickley, Alta Hayes, Bessie E. Jones, Mary Ratcliff, Rosha Moore, Amanda Lafferty, Martin, Joe Helton, all of Prestonsburg, Jessie Helton, Mrs. Pritchard, of Garrett, Darcus Lafferty, of Martin, Fannie Runnels, Beatrice Collins, W. E. Warrens, Ora Mae Warrens, Alice Harris, Otela Smiley, Ethel Hall, Grace Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pennington, all of Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spradlin, of East Point, Hawley Scott, of Garrett, Alma Baldrige, of East Point, Lynn Johnson, of Blue River.

COMING EVENTS

The Senior Citizens of Archer Park will host a Community Development Club meeting Tuesday, April 27, at 7 o'clock at Archer Park. A bake sale is planned for the Friday before Mother's Day.

OBSERVES 94TH BIRTHDAY

T. B. Connors, of Estill, observed his 94th birthday, April 4, when he was visited by many friends and relatives. Mr. Connors received many gifts and cards.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Taylor Stone, who died April 20, 1975:

He was born March 25, 1899, He was a man that worked his life in the coal mine.

He was kind and gentle as the wind, Always seeking and finding a friend.

His little dog, he loved so dear, Seems to always be shedding a tear.

He is gone, the past will stay, But the memories will never fade away.

I look back a year and try to find Why God took his life instead of mine.

As the years pass, I hear them say He fades slowly, slowly away.

A piece of stone now bears his name, But memories of him stay the same.

I cannot bear to think, deep in the ground Of him, lying, silent, not making a sound.

Oh, we hope and we pray We'll see him in heaven some day.

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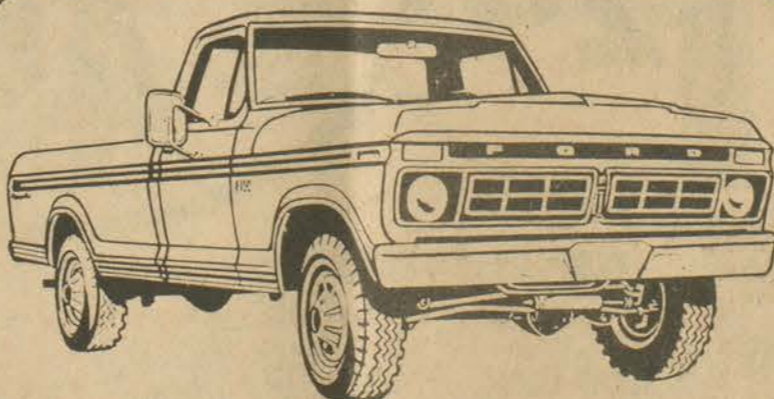
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Fischer Mellwood Bacon	1-lb. pkg.	1 ³⁷
Fischer Smoked Pork Chops	lb.	1 ⁶⁹
U.S.D.A. Choice English Roast	1-lb.	89 ^c
U.S.D.A. Choice Arm Roast	1-lb.	89 ^c
U.S.D.A. Choice Stew Beef	1-lb.	1 ⁰⁹

FARM FRESH PRODUCE

TableFresh Yellow Corn	each	5 for 69 ^c
TableFresh Green Cabbage	2 lbs.	29 ^c
TableFresh California Navel Oranges	4-lb. bag	89 ^c
TableFresh Kale	10-oz. cello	49 ^c
TableFresh New Crop Yellow Onions	3-lb. bag	79 ^c

Rose's DOG FOOD MEAL
50 Lb. Bag \$5⁸⁹

TASTY BAKERY SPECIALS
TableTreat SANDWICH BREAD 20-Oz. Loaf 39^c

SPECIALY PRICED

Betty Crocker All Varieties Layer Cake Mixes	18 1/2-19 1/2-oz. boxes	2 for 99 ^c
Betty Crocker All Varieties Fluffy Frosting	with 7.2-15-oz. coupon boxes	69 ^c
White, Decorated, Assorted Bounty Towels	1's	49 ^c
Hi-C 4 Flavors Fruit Drinks	46-oz. can	47 ^c
Betty Crocker Noodles & Cream Sauce	8.75-oz. can	49 ^c
Tuna Helper	box	49 ^c
Betty Crocker 4 Varieties Specialty Potatoes	4.75-5.5-oz. pkgs.	49 ^c
Wesson Oil	48-oz. bottle	1 ⁴⁹
Hunt's Tomato Juice	13 1/2-oz. can	4 for 89 ^c
Lysol Spray Disinfectant	21-oz. can	1 ⁷⁹
Bes-Pak Tall Kitchen Bags	15 ct. box	89 ^c
Bes-Pak Leaf and Lawn Bags	6 ct. box	89 ^c

TableRite
Ground Beef
lb. 79^c

USDA CHOICE BLADE CUT
Chuck Roast
lb. 69^c

Regular or Diet
Shasta Drinks
12-oz. cans 10\$¹ for 1
Limit 20 Per Family With \$10.00 purchase.
7 selected flavors

TableFresh Russet
Potatoes
20-lb. bag 189

Fischer
Smoked Picnics
4-8 lb. lb. 73^c
(water added)

Heinz
Ketchup
14-oz. bottle 3\$¹ for 1
Limit 3 per family please.

Breeze
Laundry Detergent
38-oz. box 119
Limit one per family please.

IGA
Canned Milk
Limit 6 per family.
13-oz. can 3 79^c for

IGA
Fish Portions
2-Lb. Box \$1⁰⁹

TableRite
2% Lowfat Milk
half gallon 2\$⁷²⁹ for

Parkay
Margarine
6 sticks 1-lb. box 49^c

Royal Guest
Jelly
18-oz. jar 3\$¹ for 1
Limit 6 per family. With \$10.00 purchase.
Apple Raspberry, Apple Strawberry, Apple Grape

Step Saver
Floor Care 16-oz. bottle 89^c
Ajax
Window Cleaner 15-oz. bottle 49^c
Peter Pan Smooth
Peanut Butter 28-oz. jar 1⁴⁷

SPECIALY PRICED
Hershey Instant
Cocoa Mix 1-lb. can 85^c
Hershey 7 Varieties
Candy Bars 6 pak 69^c
Right Guard Reg., Unscented
Double Protection 5-oz. bottle 79^c

Schick
Super II Cartridge 9 ct. pkg. 1⁵⁹

Good only at IGA Stores thru April 25
Betty Crocker
Fluffy Frosting
7.2-15.4-oz. boxes 69^c
All Varieties
limit one coupon per family with coupon
THIS IS A VALUABLE COUPON

Good only at IGA Stores thru April 25
Premium
Saltines
16-oz. box 49^c
with coupon
limit one coupon per family
THIS IS A VALUABLE COUPON

STORE HOURS:
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
SEVEN DAYS A WEEK.

Hi-C
Fruit Drinks
46-oz. can 47^c
Orange, Cherry, Grape & Fruit Punch
Minimum Purchase May Be Required. We Reserve The Right To Limit All Quantities.