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Wreck scene shows auto (left) in which Ray Jones, of Johnson county, was killed on US 23, near the Plantation Motel. Gasoline tanker and battered auto at right figured in the tragedy.

# Wreck Claims Paintsville Man

A Paintsville man was killed and his sister critically injured in the collision, Tuesday morning, of two cars and a gasoline tanker in front of the Plantation Motel, on U.S. 23 about three miles north of here.

Ray Jones, 69, was pronounced dead at the scene after the car he was driving collided with an auto driven by Barbara H. Hamilton, 35, of Wittensville, wife of Frank Hamilton, assistant superintendent of Johnson county schools.

According to State Police Trooper Terry Hall, the tragedy occurred when Mrs. Hamilton's auto, which had stopped in the

southbound lane to turn into the motel entrance, was struck by a southbound tractor-trailer which apparently was unable to stop, and was knocked into the path of an oncoming northbound car driven by Jones. Driver of the Beattyville Transport truck, Curtis Armstrong, of Columbus, O., escaped serious injury, as did Mrs. Hamilton. The victim's sister, Marie Wheeler, 54, of Paintsville, suffered multiple injuries and was hospitalized at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

No charges had been made in connection with the tragedy Tuesday afternoon.

# **Bell Denies Hamilton Permit To Strip Mine**

Sterling Hamilton, Mud Creek coal Natural Resources department to conoperator, may be out of business as a sider the performance record of a stripstrip-miner as the result of precedent- mine operator in deciding on new per-

### This Town...That World

October's bright, cold-blue weather! And-can you imagine?-one short month ago we were yelling for airconditioning.

INVITATION OR DARE?

The latest call to adventure came this morning when Lenna Moore stopped and invited me for a ride . . . Haven't heard from Watt Hale in weeks. May have to mandamus him for a yarn.

# **Grand Jury Names Five In Murder Indictments**

### Water Plant **Plans Talked For Two Areas**

**Bid Sandy ADD Hiring** Lexington Engineers For Location Study

A glimmer of hope for the customers of the often waterless Mud Creek and Sandy Valley Water Districts came out of a special meeting of representatives of the Big Sandy Area Development District and water district officials last Wednesday at May Lodge.

After considerable discussion of the plight of residents served by the water systems, the decision was made to ask for federal funding of a water filtration plant in the Harold area.

At present, the Pikeville water system sells water to the Sandy Valley Water District at Betsy Layne, and, as one observer put it, "the Mud Creek district gets what's left from the Sandy Valley district." The contract which links the Pikeville and Sandy Valley systems originally set an allowable maximum amount of water which Pikeville could provide the Floyd county water system, and, according to Ed Bertner, BSADD planner, "Pikeville has already gone past that point . . . and growth in the area has outstripped the capacity of the Pikeville plant.

Jack Branham is chairman of the Sandy Valley Water District while Oliver Hall serves in the same capacity with the Mud Creek system.

Bertner said Howard K. Bell Engineers, of Lexington is being hired by SADD is conduct a site location study and water treatment plant cost projection and that these findings would be submitted to the federal Farmers' Home Administration (FmHA) for review. "These are preliminary steps toward filing a preapplication for the necessary grant," Bertner explained.

Although the capacity of the plant was

### **Court House Happenings**

### SUITS FILED

Vanessa McKinney vs. Roger Dale McKinney. Sharon Patrick vs. Marvin Patrick, Jr. Lakewood Gardens, Inc. vs. Allen Florist & Gift Shop. The Allen Lumber Co. vs. Carl Bradley, et al. Carolyn Mature Carroll vs. Adrian B. Carroll. Helen Hatcher Kidd vs. Don Darvin Kidd. Ernest Owens vs. Pete Grigsby, Jr., et al. Linda Smith vs. Delbert Lee Smith, Sr. Frank Peters vs. William T. Osborne. Lora Vanderpool. gdn. vs. Douglas Edward Vanderpool. Gordon Ray Stephens, et al vs. Curtis Bentley, et al. Jackie Hunt vs. Billy F. Hunt. Denise K. Combs vs. Columbus Ousley, Haleem Kawaja vs. Brock McVey Refrigeration.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Billy Dean Bush, 21, and Benita Kaye Wilburn, 17, both of Harold. Kenny Lyon, 26, Salyersville, and Lema Patton, 28, Garrett. Ralph Vencil VanHoose, 21, and Kathleen Wanda Corty, 20, both of Foraker, Ky.

### **Mother-in-Law Held in Death Of Melvin Man**

A family quarrel culminated early Sunday night in the fatal shooting of Roger Dale Little, 26-year-old Melvin miner, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Hall, 55, was held in jail here Monday as his slayer.

A bullet from a .28-calibre revolver, one of two shots fired, entered Little's forehead and emerged at the top of his head. He was dead on arrival at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

The shooting took place about 8:30 p.m., outside Mrs. Hall's home at Melvin. Her son-in-law and daughter lived in a mobile home nearby. State Police Detective Fred Bailey said Little had a

butcher knife in his possession. The shot

### **State Senator Indicted After Parkway Crash**

Five murder bills and a reckless homicide charge against a state senator featured the list of 60 indictments filed Monday afternoon by the grand jury at its adjournment.

The grand jury session, which was interrupted early in the term because of lack of air-conditioning in the courthouse, was one of the most productive in recent years.

Named on murder counts were:

-Don Stephen Gearheart, charged with the July 21 slaying at Eastern of Brian Conley

-Ernie Lee Cole, slaying of his brother, Charles Cole, at Melvin.

-Edward Roy Jones, slaying of James Clayton Conley, near Wayland. (Jones, who has during long court hearings been listed as Eddie Jones, was acquitted in a trial at Pikeville, a few months ago, of a charge of murder in the slaying of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence Conley at Garrett.)

-Edd Hall, Jr., April 30 slaying on Little Paint Creek of Larry Spencer.

-Pearl Miller, slaying of her husband, Richard Miller, on Middle Creek.

The jury also voted a reckless homicide indictment against State Senator Jim Hammond. The charge grew out of the wreck of motor vehicles on the Mountain Parkway, near here recently, in which Bill DeRossett was killed, his wife seriously injured and Hammond himself less seriously hurt.

An early report of the tragedy said Senator Hammond attempted to pass another vehicle and was meeting an oncoming truck but returned to his lane

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**Two Contracts** On KY 80 Seen. **One in Knott Co.** 

setting action taken last week by Robert Bell, secretary of the state Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Bell refused Hamilton's two applications for permit to strip-mine 66 acres on Mud Creek on the ground that Hamilton has a long record of reclamation violations.

Perry White, general counsel for the department, said it apparently was the first time the department has refused a permit exclusively for this reason.

Bell said that his decision to refuse the permits means that in the future more attention is going to be paid to a mine operator's record of performance.

Hamilton has been in trouble before with the department, and last year paid a fine of \$20,000.

John Rosenberg, director of the Prestonsburg-based Appalachian Research and Defense Fund, who led the fight for Willard Johnson and Edgar Howell, members of two Mud Creek families which have been opposing Hamilton, said of the Bell decision:

"I'm delighted. We have said all along that when an operator applies for a permit, the department ought to pull out his record and review it, and they can schedule a hearing to determine whether or not the permit should be issued on that basis.

"It's the thing we've been screaming about for years and years," Rosenberg added

Clifford B. Latta, Prestonsburg, attorney for Hamilton, said Monday that "at this point we're considering an appeal to the Franklin circuit court."

"The thing about this that concerns me," Latta said, "is this: We had two days of hearings on the permit application. The hearing officer took two to three months and recommended the permit. Then the secretary overturned that recommendation. He could have accepted the hearing officer's recommendation because he (the hearing officer) had heard the testimony, studied it and accepted it. Instead, the secretary overruled this recommendation without reviewing the testimony

The attorney said he knew Bell did not review the testimony heard at the hearing-"because, when I called for a copy of the transcript the hearing reporter told me she had not typed it yet, and that was after Mr. Bell had made his decision.

Mr. Rosenberg said, however, that Bell did not act until after he had filed a brief citing the facts in the case and asking that the secretary overrule the hearing officer

State law empowers Bell to approve or reject permits. The law also requires the

mits, but the department has never obeyed a 1974 legal mandate to write regulations covering cases of repeated non-compliance.

In the Sterling Hamilton case, Bell said he is particularly concerned about a "massive" hollow-fill site where the company intended to place some 75,000 cubic yards of soil and rock taken from the actual mining site. "I believe below the fill there was going to be a series of silt structures and below the silt structures a couple of homes.

Bell was reluctant to allow mining activity there because, as he said in his legal findings in the case, "The evidence shows that the (Sterling Hamilton) Company, since November, 1972, and up to the week before the hearing in this proceeding, has committed continuous violations . . . and has failed to alter the pattern of conduct that precipitated the violations in question.

During that time, Bell said, the company was cited for more than 100 violations including strip mining without a permit, the placing of spoil off the permitted areas, improper construction and maintenance of access roads and silt structures, excessive spoil over the outslope, and improper bench construction, grading and seeding.

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### NO EDITORIAL NEEDED

Somebody wanted to know why we hadn't followed up with another editorial on the Garfield Place situation. The answer is: Readers have been doing the editorializing for us and doing the job as well as we could. Letters from Florida, Virginia, Ohio, Floyd county-all over. A lot of people are going to be disappointed if we sit around and let that grand, old link with the past be lost.

### IN DEFENSE OF THE GAIT

It has been brought to my attention more than once that my pace afoot is so slow that if I had got into that fabled hare-and-tortoise marathon both of them would have run me down.

It is on such occasions that I give with my best forbearing smile and quote that ancient proverb which runs to this effect: "Walk slowly. All you can ever come to

is yourself.'

I might, also, while I'm about it, remind those who are not admirers of my get-up-and-go, or lack thereof, that it's the natural thing to do, to walk slowly.

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not definitely established at last Wednesday's meeting, Bertner said the facility would probably be capable of handling 1 to 1.5 million gallons a day. At the same

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**Order on Trucks Held Void** 

Now that the Home Rule Act has been provides that "no vehicle shall be ruled unconstitutional, the ordinance enacted by the Floyd fiscal court requiring coal trucks to be covered while on highways of the county is of no effect. Assistant Atty. Gen. Charles Runyon said Monday.

Runyan agreed with County Attorney Harold J. Stumbo, who had expressed concern that the Supreme Court ruling on the Home Rule Act has negated the fiscal court's authority to enact legislation.

But he pointed out that the county is not without recourse against uncovered coal trucks, since there is a state law which

apparently was fired from Mrs. Hall's yard while Little stood on a nearby elevation (See Story No. 5, Page 4)

operated upon any highway unless it is so

constructed as to prevent its contents

from escaping." He also pointed to the

Stumbo had also expressed concern

about the validity of the fiscal court

ordinance, since it singled out coal trucks

for penalties, which, he said, might have

constituted class legislation. But that

point became moot when the Home Rule

County penalties for littering, dumping

and the like are also believed to have

been killed by the court decision.

Act was nullfied.

state law against criminal littering.

Two construction contracts for the new KY 80 (the Hazard-Water Gap road) will be among the state Transportation Department's list of projects going up for bids during the October 20 bid letting at Frankfort

According to State Transportation Secretary Calvin G. Grayson, one of the contracts involves grade and drainage construction in Knott county beginning a quarter mile east of the Perry county line and extending 2.1 miles to one mile west of Bearville.

The second KY 80 contract, also for grade and drainage work, calls for 1.8 miles of construction in Perry county beginning at the KY 15-Daniel Boone Parkway interchange and stretching easterly to Homing Mill Branch.

Another project up for bids is for surfacing more than nine miles of Pike county roads, the work to be financed by Energy Road Fund monies.



GARFIELD PLACE ... Side view shows porch built in ante-bellum days when the old home faced the Big Sandy river, main artery of traffic. Interest in preserving the home, which was headquarters for General (later President) Garfield during the Civil War's Big Sandy campaign, has been expressed from many parts of the country, and the Big Sandy Historical Society recently joined the move to convert the house into a historical shrine and museum.

### **Grand Jurors Point to Need Of More Police in County**

The final report of the grand jury to Circuit Judge Hollie Conley this week was brief, but it endorsed the report filed by the April grand jury and commented that the problems then mentioned are still in existence.

The report, signed by Gerald DeRossett, foreman, recommended that more police protection be provided for the entire county, with emphasis on the Right Beaver Creek area. It also asked that no juror be excused from service for any reason other than sickness.

The April grand jury report, which the new report indicated it would incorporate as current, asked that the fiscal court explore the possibility of moving the county jail from the third story of the courthouse and the building of a new jail. It also pointed to plumbing and other defects in the courthouse and asked that a qualified maintenance man be employed.

The April report also expressed the opinion that, since the fiscal court members' salaries were being increased, they should give fulltime service. It was

this report which called for the fiscal court to adopt an ordinance requiring coal trucks to be covered and asked representatives to the General Assembly to push legislation prohibiting the use of plastic, throwaway bottles.

The report asked that in the event the fiscal court did not carry out the grand jury's recommendations, its members be asked to appear before the September grand jury

This week's grand jury report noted that "the problems and recommendations stated therein are still in existence.

The trial of Cisco Neeley, charged with second degree manslaughter in the auto collision death of Mrs. Jackie Lynn Howard, was postponed when the Commonwealth learned that the Lexington doctor who attended Mrs. Howard at a hospital there was out of the country and that his testimony would not be available. Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen said arrangements have been made to take the doctor's depositions Oct. 14, and that the case then will be set for trial.

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# HAROLD STUMBO

(Pd. by Pluma Stumbo, treas., Stumbo for Judge Committee)

# **Define Requirements Of Strip-Mine Act**

The first of what is likely to be many speeches on the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977—the federal strip mine bill—was made in Louisville last Thursday by Robert D. Bell, secretary of the state Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Bell spoke at the 34th annual convention of the Kentucky Association of Conservation Districts. Bell pointed out that the group was the first statewide association to publicly endorse Kentucky's first "tough" strip mine legislation.

He outlined for the association the interim standards that will have to be met by new strip mine operations in the state, as early as February of next year and the standards that will be required of all strip mining operations under the bill's permanent program.

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All strip mine operations granted permits after Feb. 3, 1978 must comply with the interim standards. According to Bell these operations must:

-Restore mined areas to an equal, or higher and better, premining land use. -Return areas disturbed by mining to

their approximate original contour. —Segregate topsoil to provide a base

for satisfactory revegetation. —Minimize or prevent disturbances to

underground or surface waters. --Maintain coal waste piles in con-

formance with strict criteria to be established by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. —Use explosives in a more restricted

manner and according to detailed specifications regarding blasting.

-Revegetate all regarded areas to equal the natural vegetation of the area. -Place no material over the outslopes of a strip mining operation on steep slopes (defined as over 20 degrees) and to return the site to its approximate original contour. Also there is to be no disturbance of land above the highwall of the operation.

By May 3, 1978, all existing operations will have to conform the remaining portions of their operations to the interim standards.

"These standards which are set forth in the Act of Congress and the regulations which will be issued pursuant thereto will demand a level of mining and reclamation that is not required within the several states at this time," Bell commented.

He indicated that during the interim program his department would be developing a state regulatory program to assume primacy, or primary responsibility for enforcement of the act. Such a

The first of what is likely to be many plan must be submitted to the Departbeeches on the Surface Mining Control ment of the Interior by Feb. 3, 1979.

One key requirement for the state program is that a state law must be passed that is consistent with the federal bill. "It is absolutely imperative that the 1978 General Assembly pass the enabling legislation which will qualify our state program for primacy under the act," Bell said.

In addition to enforcement responsibility, an approved state regulatory program could mean approximately \$20 million annually for the state from a national trust fund for reclamation of land strip mined prior to state or federal reclamation law.

Beginning Oct. 1, a new federal tax of 35 cents per ton on surface mined coal and 15 cents per ton on underground mined coal will be imposed to develop the fund. Fifty per cent of the funds collected in any state must be returned to that state. The \$20 million figure was derived from 1976 production figures for Kentucky.

In explaining the new legislation, Bell also touched on a provision designed to protect prime farmland. This is the only element in the bill that became effective on the date of enactment, Aug. 3.

Under the provision a strip mine operator would have to follow certain practices to restore such lands within a reasonable period of time to equivalent or higher levels of yield than existed before mining. The U.S. and Kentucky soil conservation services have been working with the state and permit applicants to determine if prime farmland exists on a proposed mining site.

GETTING OIL IN NORTH SEA CAN COST \$2,000 A MINUTE

LONDON—Some oil companies are spending \$2,000 a minute to extract oil from beneath the North Sea.

Diving operations alone cost about \$100,000 to set up and as much as \$12,000 a day to maintain.

### **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids for school pictures, until 12 noon, October 6, 1977.

All who are interested may contact Eloise A. Hall, Floyd County Board of Education, Central Office Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

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### **\$2,000 FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**



Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Jr., (center) director of Prestonsburg Community College, is shown receiving a \$2,000 scholarship check from Island Creek Coal Company representative, Robert L. Piercey (left), director of Industrial Relations, and Gilbert H. Johnson, (right), director of Human Resources Development. The company's gift will be used to provide scholarships to students majoring in mining engineering.

### Perry Mine Fined \$25,000. **Heaviest Levied for Pollution**

The heaviest civil penalty ever imposed on a single company for violations of Kentucky water pollution laws was paid recently as a result of legal action by the state Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Blue Diamond Coal Company of Leatherwood was assessed \$25,000 for discharges of black water, coal solids and coal fines from its coal preparation plant on Clover Fork in Perry county.

Blue Diamond is the sixth company in recent months to sign settlement agreements with the department after being charged with violating state water pollution statues. Almost \$80,000 in civil penalties has been paid by the companies to the state.

In addition to the civil penalty, a water pollution abatement plan will have to be implemented by the company at their Leatherwood Mine which will cost Blue Diamond \$2.4 million, according to company estimates.

### **Emergency First-Aid** Workshop Scheduled

Sponsored by the Community Service Program of Prestonsburg Community College, the newly formed Parent and Child Organization will present a workshop in "Emergency First-Aid for Babies and Small Children" at 7 p.m. Oct. 13 at the First Presbyterian Church. The workshop will be conducted by Edith Kowalsky, R.N. Babysitting will be provided. The workshop is especially for parents of pre-school age children, but nursery and kindergarten workers may wish to attend also. There will be no fee.

"We feel like these settlements represent a major mobilization of our enforcement efforts in the area of water quality, particularly with coal preparation plants, in Eastern Kentucky," says Tom Glover, department attorney who has handled settlement negotiations with Blue Diamond and the other companies.

He added that action against the companies has been in response to citizen complaints and inspections by department personnel.

"One company will notice another discharging into streams and apparently getting away with it or a company will fail to maintain equipment that will prevent discharges, thinking that no action will be taken against them, and before long you have a rash of problems like we have had in the past few months,' says Glover.

Water pollution problems from mining operations apparently aren't ending with Blue Diamond since the department is currently negotiating settlements with three other companies charged with violations, according to Glover.

"We do think we've made significant progress and hopefully the civil penalties will deter other companies from discharging into streams," says Glover, 'but what we're really interested in, rather than the generation of revenue, is implementation of the abatement plans which virtually eliminates the possibility of further discharges."

### Louisa-Fort Gay **Span Bids Seen** For October 20

The Kentucky Department of Transportation will open bids Oct. 20 for construction of the Louisa-Fort Gay bridge, Governor Julian Carroll announced last week.

The new bridge will cross both forks of the Big Sandy, the Levisa and Tug forks, at the Kentucky-West Virginia state line. It will be located downstream from the existing structure.

The Louisa-Fort Gay bridge carries the traffic of KY 3 and of State Route 37 in West Virginia.

Like the one it replaces, the new bridge will include an intersection for KY 3 traffic from the Point section of Louisa.

According to Transportation Secretary Calvin G. Grayson, projects of this kind frequently require eight years to be completed. With cooperation from all the agencies involved, the time required to open this bridge will be only half of that, approximately four years.

The governor said that much credit is due a special Task Force, including state, federal and local officials, which worked to cut through red tape and helped Transportation Department officials make prompt decisions since it was named to assist KYDOT in March, 1976.

An October letting has been the Task Force's objective during the 18 months it has served, Carroll said.

Included in the Task Force were representatives of the Louisa-Fort Gay Bridge action group, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission, FIVCO Area Development District, the U.S. Coast Guard, the Norfolk and Western Railroad, the West Virginia Department of Highways and the Kentucky Department of Transportation. Chairman of the Task Force has been Charles G. Cook, director of KYDOT's bridge division.

Construction will be funded by the federal bridge replacement program and the two states. The federal share is 75 percent. The two states will divide the remaining 25 percent on the location of the state line. Kentucky's share is expected to be about four-fifths of the total state's share.

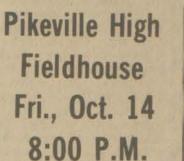
### **Area Head Start Group Reelects Dr. Mary Fox**

The Head Start Health Services Advisory Committee of Big Sandy CAP enjoyed a pot-luck dinner before discussing business in the conference room of the Johnson county courthouse. September 6.

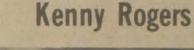
Dr. Mary P. Fox was re-elected chairman for the new program year, and Dr. Franklin Belhasen, vice-chairman. The Committee studied the recent Head Start evaluation and work plans. A second meeting was scheduled to give advice and suggestions for program improvements.

Attending the meeting were Dr. Mary P. Fox, Dr. Franklin Belhasen, Clifford

# **KENNY ROGERS IN CONCERT**

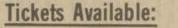


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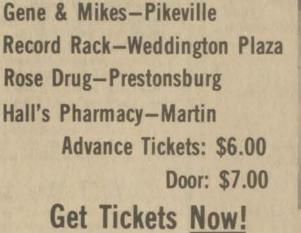








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### **To Assist Veterans**

Bill Queen, veterans' counselor of the Kentucky Center for Veterans Affairs, will be present every Friday at the Employment office in Prestonsburg to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will be at the office from 8:30 a.m. until 2 p.m.



# Alan Joe Hyden, M. D.

is announcing the opening of his office for family practice in the Town Center Building,

A course in Inkle Loom Weaving will be offered Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30, beginning October 11. Taught by Mary Pineau, of David, the course will cover the mechanics of simple types of weaving on the inkle loom for the making of belts, purses, pillow tops, wall hangings and book marks. Miss Pineau is a member of the Appalachian Guild of Artists and Craftsmen, Inc., and has been a teacher of crafts in David, Drift and at senior citizens centers in the Big Sandy area. Another class offered by the Office of Community Services is Advanced Cake Decorating, beginning October 12. It is open only to those who have completed the beginning cake decorating class. The class will meet 6:30-9:30 p.m., October 12, 13, 19 and 20.

FROM BACH TO ROCK, the record industry is booming. In fact, the October Reader's Digest declares that the record business will take in more money than either movies or television this year-a staggering \$2.5 billion. Rock rates well over Bach, as it happens, accounting for 60 percent of total sales.



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Kentucky law calls for civil penalties of up to \$5,000 for each violation of water pollution statues and a \$1,000 penalty for failing to report the discharges to the department's Division of Water Quality. Failure to implement the abatement plan would result in the revocation or suspension of the companies' water quality permit.

H. Austin, Margaret McReynolds, RN, Teresa Petot, Bonnie Hayes, Roger Marshall, Dr. J. Roger Castle, Frona Tackett, Mabel LeMaster, Donna VanHoose, Ester Titlow, James Grayson, Robert Preston, Juanita Dalton, Mike Prater, Sheila Allen, Teresa Preston, RN, Paul Castle and Billie Mason.

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of traffic. The driver of the truck, according to this report, cut to the side of the highway, lost control and ran back onto the road, colliding with the DeRossett auto. Testimony heard by the grand jury was not available.

Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen said Monday afternoon that he will disqualify for trial of Hammond and will ask the attorney general's office to handle the prosecution. He explained that he will withdraw because of his earlier business association with the defendant and the fact that the senator is a member of the Floyd county bar.

Senator Hammond could not be reached Tuesday morning for comment.

Harry Bishop, certified public accountant, was named in a bill alleging theft by failure to make required disposal of property. It was alleged by Clinis Anderson, of Kite, Knott county, that he gave Bishop \$28,813.69 to be paid to the Internal Revenue Service and that such payment was not made.

Two second degree arson indictments were voted against Clarence Slone who was named in the burning of Middle Creek houses owned by Jarvis Allen and James Slone.

Other indictments follow:

Michael Ward, theft by unlawful taking, involving \$7,785.65 paid for a trailer; John Paul Blair, theft by unlawful taking and third degree burglary, accused of breaking into Sammons Used Cars at Banner; Clyde Conn and Bobby Wallen, theft of property of Walk Carver; Ralph Roop, \$1150 cold check; Charley Hamilton, theft by failure to make required disposition of property; Rickey Adkins and Tommy DeRossett, first degree burglary of James Fulks store at Allen; Rickey Adkins, first degree burglary of Mitchell's Service Station at Lancer; Edward Kidd, Harold, knowingly receiving stolen property; Frank Edd Stephens, transporting alcoholic beverages; Chester Neeley, possession of alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale.

Johnny and Herl Vinson, of Johnson county, first degree burglary, accused of breaking into Moore's Hardware at Lackey; Billie Darrell Prater, theft by unlawful taking; Noah Howell, Pauline Barnett and James Bond McKinney, each named for possessing alcoholic beverages for the purpose of sale; Ralph Caldwell, burglary, charged with taking a breakfast set from Ralph Hamilton at Harold; Charles Edward Kidd, first degree burglery; Winfield Hale, menacing Maxie Patton by shooting into the top of her house; Larry, Clyde, Jack and Steve Shepherd, terroristic threatening; Morgan Joseph, Prestonsburg, theft, allegedly by taking \$1100 from the bank account of Morgan Joseph, of Salyersville; Dewey Shepherd, wanton endangerment, accused of shooting into the house of Edd Shepherd.

John Melvin Kidd, robbery in the first degree, accused of robbing Larry Lyons, and also charged with carrying a concealed deadly weapon; Rickey Adkins and Kenneth Mullins, first degree burglary; Melvin Caldwell, Denvel Perkins, Doug Nelson and John Breton Preston, first degree burglary, property of Billie Frasure: Edd Shepherd, hit-run and leaving scene of accident; Sandra K. Crider, forging additional prescription on a prescription obtained from Dr. E. E. Musgrave (two counts); Douglas R. Daniels, theft by deception, alleged worthless check for \$2,190; Rickie Stanley, second degree assault; Rickie Adkins, first degree burglary, Bell Telephone Co. property; Willie Watson, hit-run, leaving scene of accident; Leon Scott, wanton endangerment and criminal mischief, accused of shooting into Brandeis Machinery Co. truck; Walker and Katis Hall, third degree assault. Millard Jackson, intimidating a witness; Homer Caldwell, first degree wanton endangerment; Ernest Hall, first degree assault at Galveston; Ralph Roop, cold check, \$150; Paul Young, transporting alcoholic beverages; Rickie Adkins and Kenneth Mullins, first degree burglary of the Ruby Kinzer Grocery at Allen; Theodore Parker, carrying a concealed deadly weapon and selling soft drinks without a license; Donald Leckrone, theft by unlawful taking; Earshel Adkins, third degree burglary and second degree arson at Travis Newsome store, Grethel; Ralph Anderson, Sr., Banner, wanton endangerment, charged by Park Ranger Beverly; Glenn Vaughan, third degree assault; Otto and Jean Greer, theft of \$450 labor and \$478 materials claimed by Arvel Nelson; Michael Marshall, Jackson, Ky., theft by deception.

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### **KY 80—Proof What** A Governor Can Do

Next Monday's groundbreaking at Hazard for the new KY 80 will for the second time in recent years serve as proof of what a governor can do for a section of his state if he really wants to do it.

The first example was the Mountain Parkway which Governor Bert Combs was determined to build, and did build, despite all opposition and every discouraging circumstance.

Now, the beginning of the new, four-lane KY 80 is proof of Governor Carroll's commitment to a section of Eastern Kentucky that lay as an island of isolation while modern highways were being built all around it. Everybody admitted that the existing narrow, twisting KY 80 is not only inadequate to modern traffic but an actual deterrent to area development, but there were several reasons why it couldn't be done. Reason No. 1-the cost and the lack of money.

But Governor Carroll devised a plan to raise the money, and the legislative "package" which he devised was a masterly work, in that it satisfied all the divergent interests affected by the bill.

The severance tax on coal was increased half a cent, but a \$9 million annual appropriation to the miners' "black lung" fund countered that with the hope of reducing workmen's compensation costs. Opposition from the powerful Louisville-Jefferson county bloc was stilled by inclusion of the Jefferson Freeway for completion. And every Area Development district in the state was to share in a \$6 million annual appropriation.

So a governor worked when he could have more easily said, and with some logic, "No way."

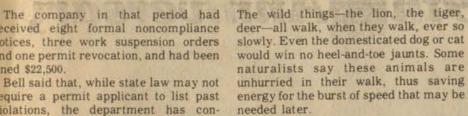
Give others their due. Credit Congressman Perkins, for years a supporter of a new KY 80; members of the General Assembly, county officials, the coal industry, men of goodwill elsewhere in the state who were willing to help an area of which they knew little.

But when the highest accolade is accorded, let it be to Governor Carroll. And when he fails to meet our every need or request, as he surely will, remember this accomplishment and let that recollection temper your criticism.

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received eight formal noncompliance notices, three work suspension orders and one permit revocation, and had been fined \$22,500.

Bell said that, while state law may not require a permit applicant to list past violations, the department has considered an operator's record-in ing the amount of bond he has been required to post to assure adequate reclamation of stripped land, and in deciding the kinds of special reclamation requirements a particular operation might have to meet. He also noted that the new federal strip mine law has "disclosure requirements that far exceed anything that's required (by the state) today. The federal bill has strong provisions for considering a strip-mine operator's record of performance, and regulations proposed for implementing the bill include a point system for judging how bad that performance has been.



These animals, I must admit, aren't aught up in the rat-race that keeps most of us legging it for all it's worth. But why bring the rats into this matter? Isn't the human race enough?

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**Our Yesterdays** 

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

### Ten Years Ago

(October 5, 1967)

Congressman Carl D. Perkins last Thursday announced in Washington the approval by the Department of Housing and Urban Development of a \$517,987 loan for the construction of 32 low-rent homes at Martin . . . Announcement was made Monday that the Department of Labor is extending the Neighborhood Youth Corps program in the Floyd county schools for another year . . . On decisions made at a meeting scheduled at Frankfort next Tuesday with Hill-Burton fund representatives will depend the construction of an adequate and modern hospital facility in Prestonsburg, it was said here this week .... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. James Snipes, of Plymouth, Mich., a daughter, Debra Marlene, Sept. 24 . . . There died: W. B. (Bill) Williams, 54, of Lancer, Tuesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; W. M. (Bill) Hall, 79, of Harold, Sept. 21 at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; Aquilla Harmon, 58, formerly of Floyd county, Tuesday in a Paintsville hospital; Mrs. Lona Belle Jones, 67, Wednesday at her home at Grethel; Mrs. Lula Collins, 64, Floyd county native, Friday in a Dayton, O. hospital.

### Twenty Years Ago

(October 3, 1957)

The dedication of the new \$120,000 Floyd County Health Center will be held here Saturday . . . The Floyd County Fair was ready today (Thursday) to begin with every indication of one of the county's best agricultural, school and industrial exhibits to be staged since World War II . . . Deputy Sheriffs A. J. Reed and Al Patton seized a large quantity of illegal booze Monday in a raid on the Miners' Club at Hunter ... Five Floyd mine rescue teams were in Louisville this week to compete for National Safety Day honors after having recently scored wins in the competition at the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Mining Institute's Safety Day at Pikeville . . . Married: Miss Ola Jane Haywood, of Wayland, and Mr. Alex Slone, of Wayland, Saturday, August 31 . . . There died: Roxie Abrams, 56, of Drift, September 25 at the Beaver Valley hospital; Mrs. Stella Hughes Compton, 49, formerly of this county, Tuesday in Charleston, W. Va.; Mrs. Laura Prater Spradlin, 73, Thursday at her home at Bonanza.

### Thirty Years Ago

### (October 2, 1947)

Grand jury this week expressed futility due to the lack of cooperation from citizens with only "one or two" indictments for liquor-selling possible from evidence produced ..., "Porky" the porcupine, a pet of Victor Conley, of Martin, has been offered to, and accepted by the Cincinnati Zoo . . . The home of Arthur J. Archer was destroyed by fire here Wednesday . . . GI. parties have been painting and beautifying the recently acquired American Legion clubhouse at East Point, readying it for operation . . . Married: Miss Jean Salisbury and Mr. Howard Clay, recently at Allen . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Don Boyd, of Allen, a daughter, Kay, Sept. 22 . . . There died: Major W. E. Sutton, 28, of Maytown, outstanding wartime flier, in a wreck in California; Wayne Johnson, 20, of Risner, in a car accident near Caney; Mrs. Virgie Crum, 58, recently on Arkansas Creek; Mrs. Mary Hall Fouts, 80, formerly of this county, recently in Pike county.

### Forty Years Ago

### (September 30, 1937)

The slayer of Robert D. Callihan, 65, of Garrett, confessed last week ending a statewide search . . . Roosevelt Elswick, Wallace Sword and Bill Bingham were slain over the past week as local shootings continue to increase. Elswick and Sword were slain on Garbage Hollow, near Wheelwright while Bingham was killed Friday at Garrett . . . The 19-year-old slayer of Sol Warrix was sentenced to life imprisonment this week by a Floyd county jury

Competing before thousands of persons gathered at Pikeville last Saturday for the Safety Field Day contests staged in the ball park, Inland Steel Company's Wheelwright team was judged the winner of the mine rescue contest ... F. L. Heinze was appointed as director of the Red Cross in this county ... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Turner, twin boys ... There died: Mitchell Hicks, 26, in a slatefall at a Garrett mine; Annabelle Hereford, of Cliff, Saturday from injuries suffered in a car wreck six months ago.

Whatever It Takes'

I feel confident that my friends and relatives in my native Floyd county will respond to the battle cry: SAVE GAR-FIELD PLACE. Whatever it takes, we (meaning residents and transplanted mountaineers like myself) should ensure the survival of this historic landmark for our sons and daughters and future generations.

Garfield Place, which I have seen inside and out, exemplifies a dark period in our country's history. But, more than that, it is the vestige of a period we should-and must-preserve as a reminder that we, as a united people, survived a bloodbath of fratracide and preserved a society of brotherhood under the mighty hand of God.

LETTERS

To the Editor

'Save Garfield Place-

I have always believed the past is a beacon that beams light from the present into the future. By that, I mean a knowledge of history motivates and guides our day-to-day experiences in working toward a better tomorrow.

In 1960, I had the privilege and honor to deliver the commencement address at my alma mater, Wayland High. If the graduating class, after 17 years, remember anything I said, I hope it is these words: "Wherever you go, whatever you do, don't ever forget your mountain heritage-I have found it a precious gift indeed." My opinion, as I fight the daily rat race in Washington, D. C., has not changed in the intervening years; if anything, it has been strengthened in the knowledge that the mountaineer spirit is still winning in the world series of progress against great odds

By the way, one of my Civil War forbears, John Jordan (same name as my late grandfather of Louisa), worked as a scout for General Garfield and his Yankees in the Big Sandy Valley between Prestonsburg and Louisa. Although the Rebel that I am, I've never held it against him!

I don't know all the details of what must be done to preserve Garfield Place, but I am willing to do-with all Floyd countians-whatever is necessary to achieve that goal.

By bringing this issue to the fore, the Floyd County Times and Norman Allen are performing a valuable public service-which comes as no surprise after 50 years of their speaking out for what is best for the best.

PAUL R. JORDAN 5201 Heming Ave., Springfield, Va. 22151

### **Artist's Name Omitted**

In your August 3 edition of the Floyd County Times was a list of local artists that had donated to the Kentucky Arthritis Foundation. Somehow, the name of a very fine artist from Morehead, Mr. Clifford Johnson, was omitted.

Although Mr. Johnson is not a member of The Kentucky Heritage Artists, he was

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Bell said his decision in the Sterling Hamilton case does not mean he is moving toward support of such a point system. He remains opposed to it.

He said, "I still feel the point system being proposed by the federal people is a rather sophomoric way to deal with this problem (of past performance). It's generally the MESA pattern (to use such devices as point systems), and there are those who strongly question how effective that has been.

Bell overruled the hearing officer, J. Gregg Clendenin, in refusing the Sterling Hamilton requests for a permit.

"I think this (the Hamilton decision) is an indication that we are more resolute, or trying to be more resolute, in doing our public duty," Bell said.

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time, Bertner pointed out, Pikeville is planning a water expansion which would almost double the city's present capacity. He said the Pikeville expansion would offer further insurance for adequate water service to south Floyd residents.

"We feel that we ought to be moving toward a time when the county's water systems would be linked in order to provide backup in times of emergency," Bertner said.

Bertner expressed confidence that FmHA would look favorably on the proposed plant.

### **Clark Horse Show** Scheduled Sunday

The Clark Elementary Playground Committee Horse Show will be held Oct. 9, beginning at 1 p.m., at Archer Park here.

The show, the committee's second of the year, will feature 17 classes and trophies and ribbons will be awarded in each class.

all proceeds will go toward the purse of new playground equipment and horse show will be held rain or shine.

By way of invitation for me to visit him in Florida, old friend J. D. Bond writes: "Didn't Confucius say, 'Better Florida sand in shoe than powdered ginseng in craw'?'

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Authorities were unwilling to discuss the shooting in detail, pointing out that the investigation had not been completed.

A warrant charging Mrs. Hall with murder was issued Monday morning by County Judge Henry Stumbo on the statement of State Detective Bailey. The grand jury was in session at the time, but because the investigation had not been completed the jury was not asked to vote an indictment. Instead, the accused woman will be given examining trial-perhaps Wednesday, after the funeral of Little.

Detective Bailey was joined Sunday night in the investigation by Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen, County Detective Sam Hale, Coroner James J. Carter, State Troopers Gary Rose, Don Weedman and Terry Hall and Wheelwright Policemen Danny Bryant and Arnold Adams.

The victim, a native of Bevinsville and a son of Mrs. Aggie Johnson Little, of Melvin, and the late Bill Little, was employed as a miner by National Mines. Besides his mother, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Deloris Hall Little; three brothers and two sisters, Ellis Little, of Bevinsville, Bill and Charles Little, both of Wheelwright, Mrs. Liza Jane Smallwood, of Ohio, and Mrs. Shirley Hall, of Bevinsville.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete, Monday afternoon. The body at that time has been removed from the Merion Funeral Chapel to the home of the victim's mother.

### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Glenn Brickley, who underwent major surgery at the Highlands Regional Hospital a few weeks ago, is convalescing at his home here.

### **REVIVAL TO BEGIN**

A revival will begin at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here Sunday evening, October 16, and will continue through October 23. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Ray Cummins, and the host pastor, the Rev. W. D. Jaggers.

# Ninth Horse Show Is Held at Drift

Drift, Ky.-The Drift Woman's Club's Clyde Mullins, Dorton; Delbert Ison, ninth annual horse show Sept. 18 was one of the most interesting events held at the ball park here during the year.

Trophies were presented first-place winners, with ribbons to winners of second, third and fourth places, by McDowell cheerleaders, Teresa Stumbo, Rita Hall, Kathy Martin, Sharon Slone, Jerri Ward, Brenda Hamilton, Glenita Bailey, Teresa Vance and Bobby Lynn Moore, and the McDowell majorettes, Jewell Tackett, Carolyn Salisbury, Taunya Shelton, Lori Hamilton, Vicki Hall, Tammy Moore and Mrs. John Thomas Pack.

Winners in the several classes follow, in each instance first, second, third and fourth place winners appearing in order:

Country Pleasure-Sherry Tackett, East McDowell; Sandy Ousley, Manton; Charley Gross, Pikeville; Arnold Frasure, Langley.

Pleasure Ponies-James Justice, Hi Hat; Sherry Tackett, East McDowell; Estill Tibbs, Harold; Deseree Collins, Salyersville.

Pleasure Ponies (50 inches and under)-Shane McCown, Melvin; Melissa Justice, Hi Hat; Sherry Tackett, Mc-Dowell: Jeri Smith, Stanville.

Style Racking-Delano Conn, Martin; Dan Martin, Thornton; Donald Niece, Thornton; Chris Taylor, Biggs.

Western Pleasure-Jamie Justice, Wheelwright; Claude Maynard, Raccoon; Arnold Frasure, Langley; Jeff

Open Pleasure-Sherry Goins; Jake Bates, Jr., Wheelwright; Sandy Ousley, Manton; Nebbie May, Martin.

Open Pacing-Teddy Howell, Jr., Meta: Hiram Hatfield, Pikeville; Virgil Young, Hardy; Jack Varney, Meta.

Open Three-Gaited-Jamie Justice, Hi Hat; Estill Tibbs, Harold; Sherry Tackett, East McDowell; Deseree Collins, Salyersville.

Amateur racing-Lucille Tackett, Craynor; Sonny Tackett, East Mc-Dowell; Billy Fields, Stanville; Clyde Conn, Printer.

Barrel race-Donnie Bowling, Pikeville; Bob Hensley, Salyersville; Bobby Hensley, Oil Springs; Philip Childers, Hindman.

Champion racking-Delano Conn. Pyramid; Dan Martin, Thornton; Donald Niece, Thornton; Sonny Tackett, East McDowell.

Flag race-Bob Hensley, Salyersville;

the only artist of the sixteen to donate an original framed painting. All of the other donating artists donated prints, of which only one of was framed.

Of the total amount of money which was taken in by the sale of the prints which was, \$834, the paintingy by Mr. Johnson brought a total of \$105.

During the Bluegrass Fair of 1976, Mr. Johnson also donated a framed original which also brought in \$105, of a total of \$675.49.

During this year's showing at the Bluegrass Fair, Mr. Johnson is to be congratulated for winning Best of the Show with oil, "My Old Favorite," and for winning the People's Choice of the show in acrylic of "Old Carter School". Mr. Johnson also had two second-place paintings in the show.

> BILL TUFTS Rt. 6, Box 316A Morehead, Ky. 40351

### Asks Help on Road

A dangerous curve on the road between US Shoe and the Goble-Roberts Addition was the scene of a wreck last week in which three persons were hurt. This is not unusual; this same curve has caused frequent wrecks.

I have tried to get help from both the county and state, but have been told that neither owns the road but that the road is owned by the Kentucky Road Oiling Company.

It seems reasonable to expect some authority of county or state goveernment to be able to require the private owner to eliminate this curve to the extent that the public can drive it without danger or injury.

The curve is dangerous during the summer months. It will be more dangerous this winter. Will the people of Goble-Roberts and others who travel this road help me in my efforts to get something done-by somebody? BILL MAY

### **Prisoner Writes**

I am presently incarcerated at London Correctional Institution, London, Ohio. I have no family or friends to speak of there, for I get very little mail.

Mail is one thing that I have found support in, and if you could find room in your paper to print this it might mean the end to much of my loneliness.

I can't put into words what this would mean to me, so I'll just say thank you for your time and consideration.

JOSEPH M. BADGETT Ser. No. 144-404, P. O. Box 69, London, Ohio 43140

### **Employ Handicapped**

The week of October 3-7, 1977 is National Employ the Handicapped Week. The President's Committee and the Kentucky Commission of Employment of the Handicapped, working through the Prestonsburg Employment Office, are encouraging Americans to hire the handicapped. The mentally and physically handicapped are good workers when properly placed. The Prestonsburg Employment Office daily counsels skilled workers with handicaps. A disabled worker can easily become an ABLE worker.

Our purpose in writing you is to ask your cooperation in this effort and to have you consider a handicapped person, the next time you hire.

Dept. for Human Resources By James L. Reed, Manager

### VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. Rebecca Rasnick is in Lexington this week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Don Harris, Mr. Harris and children.

Of Oct. 17th Seminar "Hodgkin's Disease" will be the topic of a seminar for area health professionals at the Highlands Regional Hospital here Monday, October 17, at 6:30 p.m.

Martin: Donnie Bowling, Pikeville.

Lead Line-Jerry Wildman, Printer;

Melissa Ann Akers, Drift; Carmel Conn.

Pyramid; Greg Tackett, Teaberry;

Jamie Smith, Stanville; Irvin Daniel,

Paintsville; Tim Meade, Martin;

Tommy Jones, Hi Hat; Candy Sword,

Melvin; Renee Pugh, Stanville; Tonya

Pugh, Stanville; Kevin Osborne, Stan-

ville; Ken Osborne, Stanville; Joy Baker,

Stanville; Nancy Patton, Minnie;

Pricella Tackett, Craynor; Todd

Tackett, Craynor; Alisha Tackett, East

McDowell; Steffanie Lee, Melvin; Trena

Daniels, Melvin; Darren Conn, Martin;

Franklin Conn, Printer; Clifford Jacobs,

Martin; Keith Young, Hardy; Stacy

Bevins, Pikeville; Chris Bevins,

Harold; Artie Salisbury, Printer; Harla

The junior majorettes, Tiny Moore,

Beverly Osborne, Tammy Maggard,

Chris Thornsberry, Linda Short, Gwen

Hall and Kim Moore, sponsored by Er-

nestine Turner, entertained with a

routine and led the Pledge to the Flag.

The club president Ruby Akers, ex-

pressed appreciation on behalf of the

Drift Woman's Club to all who have

shown interest in the community by

of the individuals and businesses the

Drift Woman's Club could not serve our

youth with our scholarship fund and

to the announcer and m.c., C. "Ollie"

Hodgkin's Disease, Topic

A token of appreciation was presented

Without the support and cooperation

supporting the horse shows.

community projects," she said.

Conn. Printer.

Robinson.

Sponsored by the staff of the hospital and the University of Kentucky College of Medicine, the seminar will include a lecture by Dr. Jon Gockerman, assistant professor of medicine in the UK College of Medicine.

Information regarding the program can be obtained bby contacting Dr. Jerry Fraim in Paintsville or the UK College of Medicine office of continuing education at 606-233-5161.

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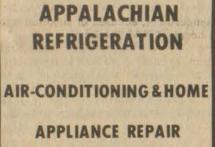
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The interim study committee on longterm care last week attacked conditions in nursing homes ranging from "indifferent and apathetic" personnel to dried urine on floors and "roaches climbing the walls."

The committee, part of the Interim Joint Committee on Health and Welfare, made more than 20 recommendations in a final report expected to range from 160 to 200 pages. The recommendations are based on visits by committee members during a year of study.

The final report includes a proposed 'Comprehensive Patients' Rights Bill' for all residents of long term care nursing homes and a request that the Department for Human Resources study the feasibility of creating an "Office for Long Term Care.'

Committee Chairman Rep. Gerta Bendl (D-Louisville) described her visits to nursing homes as "a cross-section of good, average and bad homes. But more were below average than above."

One chapter in the report dealing strictly with observations by the committee cited instances of neglect, inappropriate placement of patients, the lack of privacy for residents in nursing homes, and other deficiencies. Included were Rep. Bendl's observations of patients being over-medicated and poorly cared for.

### **Vietnam Vets Idle Rate High**

U.S. Under Secretary of Labor Robert J. Brown recently called attention to what he and Kentucky Department for Human Resources officials consider to be a growing problem—unemployment among Vietnam veterans. "For five solid years both Vietnam and disabled veterans have had higher unemployment than their non-veteran counterparts," said Brown.

Robert Barnes, Kentucky's veteran's employment representative, said the situation in Kentucky is improving although Kentucky's disabled, minority and young veterans unemployment rate is more than double the total for the state.

During July the unemployment rate among the 20 to 34 year old veterans was 8.1 per cent as compared to 7.9 per cent for the nation.

This summer President Carter initiated the HIRE program (Help through Industrial Retraining and Employment) which contains incentives for the nation's largest employers to put the nation's veterans to work.

The goal of the program is for national placement of 100,000 Vietnam-era and disabled veterans in jobs. In his address to the nation's personnel directors Brown concluded by saying, "What in the world lets Americans forget Vietnam veterans? What allows this shameful deficit to continue?"

Barnes said while the situation in Kentucky is improving there is a con-

Speaking of his tours of the homes, Rep. Sidney Adams (D-Littcarr) said, "I experienced things I never expected to see, as far as the human race goes. We certainly can't do too much to improve things.

One recommendation calls for a rating system for nursing homes to be set up by human resources. "Like restaurants, you shouldn't have to pay to be poisoned.' Rep. Bendl said. "A rating system would recognize those nursing homes that are better than others."

The study group added that information should be available to families and residents of nursing homes and that ratings should be posted prominently.

The report further calls for a review by human resources of the guardianship officers employed by human resources to oversee the well-being of nursing home residents and patients in institutions. The committee said the four officers in the department "have an average case load of 700 patients each." And a study by the Legislative Research Commission "found that the guardianship officer at Eastern State Hospital had a caseload of 1.200.

In the report, human resources is asked to review legislation for statutory changes to clearly define the responsibilities of the guardianship officers.

One plan outlined in the report would create "residents' councils" which would establish lines of communication to nursing home directors and others who have direct influence on the lives of nursing home residents. Another recommendation calls for human resources audits of homes receiving medical assistance payments. Nursing homes received \$52 million in 1976, the report notes.

The final document approved last week will be forwarded to the Joint Committee on Health and Welfare for approval. At least some of the recommendations are expected by committee members to result in legislation to be filed before the 1978 General Assembly.

### **Big Sandy ADD** Shares \$120,000 **ARC Grant**

Gov. Julian M. Carroll has announced that a \$120,000 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) grant has been awarded to Kentucky for initiation of areawide Action Programs in the Big Sandy, Buffalo Trace, Gateway, Kentucky River and Barren River Area Development districts and the continuation of the same program for the Lake Cumberland, Cumberland Valley, Bluegrass and FIVCO ADD's

According to Development Secretary William L. Short, Carroll's alternate on the commission, the Areawide Action programs are overall economic development programs designed to pull individual plans together to give an overall picture of future development within a particular area development district (ADD).

The state will subcontract the \$120,000 to the ADD's, Short said, and "no grant funds will be retained for state expenses in the administration of the program.

Through the subcontracts, the ADD's will be required to prepare an action program which will include the following objectives:

-Determine area development needs and priorities;

-Define area resources and policies in development, and -Establish goals, objectives and priorities for area

development. "The Development Cabinet will provide uniform action program procedures for use by the ADD's in developing the programs and will assume responsibility for monitoring the programs," Short added.



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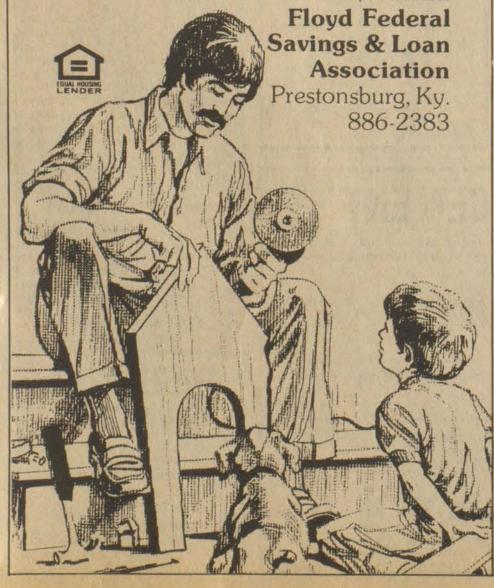
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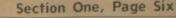
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### **McDowell PTA Moves Ahead**

which has contributed greatly to the school.

Concrete sidewalks now connect every building on the school campus. This project was made possible as a result of the parents' and teachers' cooperative action in money-raising projects such as the Hallowe'en carnival last year.

The primary building received a facelift during the summer with paint provided by the PTA. The primary building provides classrooms for the first and second grade, one special education class, the music department and the grade school library. The PTA employed Don Pack to paint the ceiling of the entire building, which was spray-painted because of the steel structure which comprised the ceiling. The classrooms and hallways were painted by the NYC aides under the supervision of art teacher John Stumbo. The interior of the building was changed to soft tones of golds and blues which changed the atmosphere of the building to a great degree. Mr. Stumbo then added his artistic abilities to the door of each room by painting vivid Disney characters on them

The students in the junior high building also benefited by the works of the PTA. In this building are located classrooms for the sixth, seventh and eighth grade classes, one special education unit, the school art department, and one fifth

With the opening of school this year the students of McDowell School saw several does not bother the students now because improvements to their buildings and of the air-conditioning which was incampus, thanks to the efforts of the PTA stalled shortly after school began this year. Last fall a candle sales project was completed by the PTA mothers in conjunction with grade school students, which resulted in the sale of nearly 3,500 ornamental and Christmas candles. The profits from those sales made it possible to air-condition every classroom in the junior high building. The Floyd County

Board of Education also helped with airconditioning by matching funds and providing the maintenance crew for installation of the units.

The PTA is very thankful to the Floyd Board of Education for still another improvement in the junior high building. The practically new structure, which was built for open classrooms, had no permanent partitions between the classes, but rather bulletin board-type dividers which were detrimental to the learning situation in the classes because of noise interference. The paneled-wall partitions which were installed during the summer have proven already to be a great improvement. Noise interference has been reduced to a minimum and students as well as teachers are much happier with the change. The learning and teaching situations have been remarkable improved by the partitions.

The PTA has in the past and will continue to provide such services for the school as: supplemental funds for teacher-student supplies, a textbook fund for needy high school students, plastic garbage bags to classrooms and janitors, and first-aid supplies for use in emergencies. The PTA also purchased a heavy-duty lawn mower for use by the school custodians in keeping the school grounds mowed.

The McDowell PTA is now in the process of listing priorities for further improvement projects for the 1977-'78 school year. Elementary school students and teachers are now implementing a membership drive which needs the support of every person who is interested in McDowell School. The membership card can be purchased from a student or teachers for \$1. All parents and interested persons are invited to attend meetings.

### **First Safety Talk** For High Schoolers Set at May Lodge

A series of regional traffic safety conferences has been scheduled for Kentucky high school students, Transportation Secretary Calvin G. Grayson has announced.

The first will be at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, next Tuesday (Oct. 11), beginning at 8:45 a.m.

Grayson said the one-day conferences, to be held in October and November, will serve to acquaint the participants with highway safety problems and to solicit possible solutions to the problems.

'The conferences will serve to alert young Kentuckians to the magnitude of the problem of highway safety. They will also provide each participant with in-

### **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals, will be received by The Floyd County Fiscal Court, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (Floyd County), at the County Court Room, on October 19, 977 at 4 p.m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the furnishing of all materials and labor and performing all work as set forth by this Invitation For Bids, the Instructions to Bidders, the General Conditions of the Contract and the Specifications, prepared by Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Architect, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

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Copies of the Documents, not to exceed two (2) sets, for the General Contractors, and his Major Subcontractors; may be secured from the Architect, Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Prestonsburg, Ky., upon payment of \$15.00 per set, which payment will be refunded upon return of the Plans, Specifications, and other Documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days after date of Bid Opening.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond payable to the Owner, in an amount not less than five percent (5 pct.) of the Base Bid.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of the Bids, will be returned, unopened to the bidders. DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE, ON OR ABOUT October 7, 1977.

In the event an award is made, and the successful bidder fails to furnish a satisfactory Performance Bond within fifteen (15) days after written notification of acceptance of the Proposal, and fails to execute a Contract for the construction of the work under the award, then the Bid Bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

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formation to be used in supporting traffic safety in their local communities," he said.

"As part of the conference agenda, prepared by our Office of Highway Safety Programs (OHSP), new members of the Kentucky Youth Traffic Safety Advisory Committee (KYTSAC) will be selected at the regional conferences,' Grayson added.

KYTSAC members, selected by their fellow students, serve in an advisory capacity to the Kentucky Department of Transportation.

According to Transportation Safety Coordinator Bennie Maffet, who heads OHSP, conference participants will discuss motorcycle safety and the problem of drinking and driving.

### ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Out-of-state guests of Mrs. Lula Hale Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pruitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Music last week at their homes on the Abbott road, were their cousins, Mrs. Bertha Lenington, Chadron, Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClaran, Cody, Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hale, Whichita Falls, Texas, and Taylor Hale, Sheisher, Idaho, The visitors were amazed at the growth of this section during the time they have been elsewhere, and marveled at the beauty of the mountains at this season of the year.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Gary Wright takes pleasure in announcing the addition of Mr. David Calhoun to the staff of Wright's Barber Shop and hairstyling.

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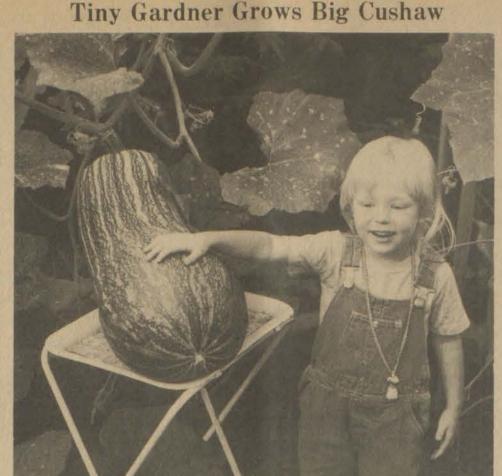
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7 p.m.

Rev. Lincoln Bingham, of Louisville, evangelist.

Rev. Cohen Campbell, pastor.

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Pictured with the 34-inch cushaw which she grew in the flower garden of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hern Burke, of Prestonsburg, is two-year-old Angela Kristen Ormerod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ormerod, also of Prestonsburg. Mrs. Burke reported that the young gardener planted a handful of squash seed among the flowers and that "nearly every one" came up. Kristen is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ormerod.

### Miss Artis-Mr. Hall To Wed October 14

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Artis, of Grayson, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sherry Annette, to James Riley Hall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Riley Hall, of Allen. The open ceremony will be at the Christian Baptist Church, Friday, October 14, at 7 o'clock at Reedville, Kentucky.

A reception will follow at Hitchen's Cafeteria

**Clark School Horse Show** To Be Held at Archer Park

The Clark Elementary Playground Committee will hold its horse show, Sunday, at Archer Park. The show, which will begin at 1 p.m.,

will feature 17 classes and trophies and ribbons will be awarded in each class. The show will be held rain or shine, it was said.

All proceeds will go toward the purchase of playground equipment for the school

### **Cost-Sharing Available** For Winter Cover Crops

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robin? It is also bad luck to take an egg or a fledging from a robin's nest. The same thing, according to an old Greek legend, applies to the wren, hence the rhyme: 'The robin, aye, the redbreast The robin and the wren If you take out of their nests You will never thrive again." The old legend holds that as a boy, Christ loved robins and often fed them. The birds loved Him, too, and the legend goes on to say that they followed Him to the place of crucifixion where in their frantic efforts to draw out the nails that bound Him to the cross, their breasts were forever stained with His blood.

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the singing of the angels.

Scandinavians are credited with giving

the swallow a role in the Crucifixion.

Their legend is that the bird fluttered

around the cross upon which Christ hung

crying "Svala! Svala!" which means

"console, console." For this reason the

swallow is sometimes known as the bird

There are many legends associated

with birds. They are mentioned all down

Take, for instance, the owl. It was this

bird that screamed when Macbeth was in

the inner sanctum slaying Duncan, the

Scottish king. An owl sat above the head

of Herod of Agrippa in a theater in

Caesara and warned him of his doom. It

was an owl that roamed with satyrs that

were lambasted by Isaiah in his

One of the most interesting legends

relating to the screech owl is why it

wails, rather than hoots as do most other

The old story is that while on His many

journeys, Christ stopped at a baker's

shop and asked for bread. He had no

money to pay for the bread but the kind-

hearted baker gave it to Him anyway. A

daughter of the baker hooted at Christ

her undoing. Perhaps angered by her

lack of compassion for the hungry, Christ

turned her into a screech owl and lest her

stinginess become a trait of all other

owls, caused her to wail instead of hoot.

So in view of these legends, to kill or

otherwise harm an innocent little

songbird is to risk the disfavor of Christ.

So don't do it. Whether the legends are

true or false, songbirds should be

protected and to kill one is to risk

**State Pledges Help** 

**On Hitchins Gasifier** 

Governor Carroll announced last

Thursday the signing of an agreement

between the state and General Refrac-

tories Co., Bala Cynwyd, Pa., covering

Kentucky's support for a coal gasifier

is an important step in achieving Ken-

tucky's overall goals of finding new, practical uses for Kentucky coal and of

offsetting natural gas curtailments in the

engineering, construction and operation of equipment to produce low-Btu gas from low-sulfur Kentucky coal to feed

existing refractory kilns. The kilns now

are fired with natural gas and oil, which

Hitchins project covers

demonstration project at Hitchins. The Governor stressed that the initiation of the refractory's plant project

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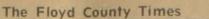
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of Parks show an 8.9 percent increase in total park sales for January-July, 1977, compared to the same period last year. The largest increase was in cottage rentals, up by 6.1 per cent over last year, and followed closely by a 5.7 percent increase in meals served. Lodge rooms experienced a 4.2 per cent increase and campsite occupancies rose four per cent.

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Parks Commissioner Bruce Montgomery said that although the department is pleased with the 8.9 per cent increase in sales, inflation consumed that increase. He noted that inflation took its greatest toll through wage increases for parks employes, utility increases and a rising cost of goods sold.

The parks figures reflect a consistent increase in attendance although weather problems this year have been more severe than usual. The past winter, one of the worst on record, cut back on park attendance, as did extensive flooding last April in southeastern Kentucky.

Montgomery said the coal boom in eastern Kentucky had benefitted parks in that area. However, Lake Barkley and Kentucky Dam Village State Resort parks in western Kentucky continue to attract the most visitors to any one park, he added.

Out-of-state visitors accounted for over 60 per cent of the parks' business in 1976, although 45 per cent of the lodge rooms were occupied by Kentuckians.

Montgomery noted that while some Kentuckians may believe they should be given park privileges over out-of-staters statistics show that they (the out-of-state park visitors) account for a large portion of the Commonwealth's multi-billion dollar tourist industry. A 1976 economic impact study on Kentucky's park system notes that out-of-state visitors spent over \$20.7 million in 1974 at the resort parks.

Montgomery further pointed out that visitors to Kentucky spend money in the state for food, gas and related travel expenses. They thus contribute far more to Kentucky's economy than just revenue generated from the parks, he said.

Montgomery added that fall reservation bookings at the parks appear promising.

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## Despite an uncooperative Mother Figures compiled by the Department Did you know it is unlucky to kill a where, at this latter event, they joined in



are subject to gas curtanments

A Woodall-Duckham two-stage gasifier will be used. It has a capacity of 54 tons of coal per day. Output will be approximately 1.5 billion cubic feet of gas per year with a heat content of 210 Btu's per cubic foot.

The total cost of the gasifier project will be approximately \$4,245,000. About one half of the total amount will be borne by the U.S. Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA), about 37 percent by General Refractories and about 13 percent or \$566,000 for engineering and construction, by the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Kentucky's funds will be made available from the Energy Development and Demonstration Trust Fund authorized by the 1974 Kentucky Legislature.

The timetable for the project calls for engineering to be completed in the Spring of 1978 and construction to be finished by January or February 1980.

David D. Drake, Administrator of the Kentucky Center for Energy Research (KCER), stated that "the Hitchins project resulted from proposals submitteed to ERDA and to KCER."

A total of six proposals nationwide were selected by ERDA for negotiation and possible support. Three of those, including the Hitchins project, are for facilities to be located in Kentucky

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### Jones-Hagans Vows To Be Said Saturday



The marriage of Miss Judith Hagar Jones to Mr. Don Franklin Hagans will be solemnized at 3 p.m. Saturday at the Calvary Baptist Church in Lexington.

Miss Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Edgar Jones, of Lexington, and Mr. Hagans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Hagans, of Louisville. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. F. (Red) Hagans, of Pikeville, and his maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. B. (Don) Bush, of Harold.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lafayette High School in Lexington, and she attended Morehead State University. She is presently employed by C. and H. Rauch Company, Lexington.

Mr. Hagans is a graduate of Fern Creek High School and attended Jefferson Community College and Sullivan Business College. He is employed by Advance Distribution Services, Inc., in Louisville.

### VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Astor Meade, of Paintsville, was here during the week-end for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Cross, and other relatives.

### D.A.R. TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be Tuesday evening, October 11, at 7 o'clock, in the clubroom of the Floyd County Library. The leader for this meeting will be Mrs. Margaret Collins. Mrs. Frankie Best, who, along with other members of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, worked with an Indian group in New Mexico last summer, will talk to the Chapter about the work her group did while there. Hostess for the meeting will be Mrs. Opal May.

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SEVENTH DISTRICT CLUBS

The fall meeting of the Seventh District, Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, was held on Saturday at Martin, in the school gymnasium. Mrs. Gary Ratliff, of Elkhorn City, district governor, presided. Mrs. James W. Davis, of Louisville, state president, was the guest-speaker. Other state officers present were Miss Pat Lee, of Louisa, second vice-president; Mrs. Everly Wheeler, Paintsville, fourth vicepresident; Mrs. Thomas McCoy, Catlettsburg, treasurer; Mrs. Chyron Wallen, Louisville, aide to the president, and Mrs. William Hoffman, of Drift, chairman of the Credential Committee. A special guest was the General Federation of Women's Clubs prsidentelect, Mrs. Oscar C. Sowards, of

elect, Mrs. Oscar C. Sowards, of Pikeville. Mrs. Sowards will be installed as president at the GFWC convention in Phoenix, Arizona, next June.

The Martin Woman's Club, with Mrs. Roy Ratliff, president, was hostess for the district meeting, which included 91 women from 14 clubs, in attendance. Ten clubs in the district were not represented. Floyd county clubs represented were Prestonsburg, Drift, Lackey-Garrett-Wayland, Martin and Maytown.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the display of arts and crafts. First, second, and third place awards were made in several classes, and the first place winners will enter the competition at the state Women's Club convention, in Owensboro, next June.

New district officers for the coming two years were elected, as follows: Governor, Mrs. Carl Banks, and vicegovernor, Mrs. Edmond Short, both of Whitesburg.

From the Prestonsburg Woman's Club:

Mrs. Glen Brickley received a third place award for her chalk drawing; Mrs. Rex Ankrom and Mrs. Stanley Combs presented a skit depicting the club's plan of work for the coming year, and Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, a former governor of the Seventh District, was so recognized during the meeting.

Representing the Prestonsburg Woman's Club at the meeting were Mrs. Rex Ankrom, president, Mrs. Stanley Combs, Mrs. Glen Brickley, and Mrs. Arthur Bradbury.

### PAY RESPECTS

Mrs. Docia B. Woods was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alta Fields, and Mrs. Fields' daughter, Miss Vicki Fields, of Allen, Sunday afternoon to Pikeville, to visit at the Baker Funeral Home, where the body of their uncle, Robert Jones, of Betsy Layne, lay in state. Mrs. Eleanor Fields, also of Allen, a former student of Mr. Jones, joined them for the visit there. Mr. Jones was a teacher in the Floyd county scholls prior to his recent illness.

### CONCLUDE VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stone, who formerly resided here, have concluded a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Stephens and son Ray, and have returned to their home, in Paonia, Colorado.

REVIVAL

### The Floyd County Times

### **Observe 50th Anniversary**



Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hall, of South Lake Drive, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They were remembered by relatives and friends, by long distance phone calls, cards, gifts, and flowers which were graciously acknowledged.

DANIELS PROMOTED

Hanau, Germany—David L. Daniels, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels, Route 122, Minnie, Ky., recently was promoted to Army specialist four while serving as a cannoneer with the 5th Field Artillery in Hanau, Germany. He entered the Army in October, 1975.

### AUXIER CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE

The Auxier Free Will Baptist Church is holding a rummage sale in the church basement today (Wednesday) through Saturday from 9 to 5 each day. Winter and summer clothing as well as miscellaneous items are being sold.

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### OCCUPIES PULPIT

In the absence of he Rev. W. D. Jaggers, pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, Sunday morning, the sermon was delivered by the Rev. Clay Mulford.

### LEAVES HOSPITAL

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Mrs. Mary Collins, of Lackey, who was a recent patient at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, is recovering now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Evans, Jr., and Mr. Evans there. Mrs. Collins was visited recently by members of her family, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Collins, Sr., of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Collins and Mrs. Georgia Stapleton, of Lackey While in Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Collins, spent some time visiting their son, Gorman Collins, Jr., a student at Transylvania University, and their daughter, Mrs. Don May, and Mrs. May, of Versailles.



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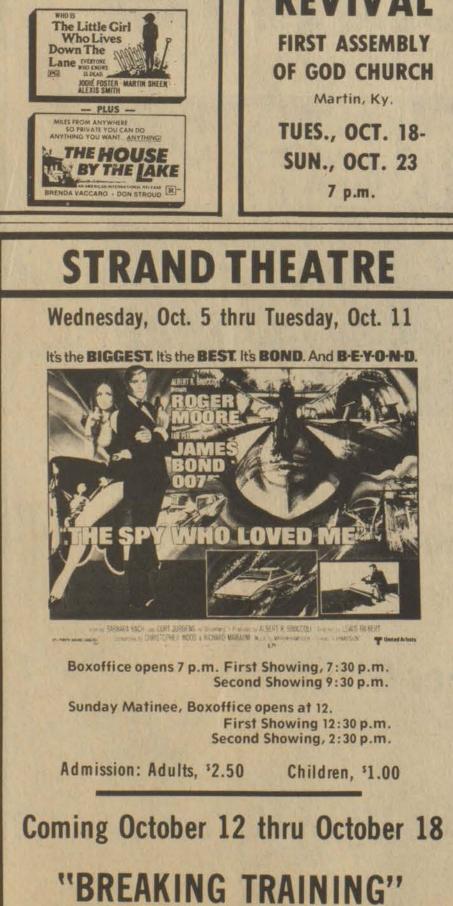
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### Floyd Women Attend Democratic Woman's Club 50th Convention

Eight Floyd County Democratic women were among the more than 400 who gathered for the 50th Anniversary Convention of the Democratic Woman's Club of Kentucky in Lexington, Sept. 30-Oct. 1.

The local delegation boasted the State Second Vice-President, Mrs. Tom G. Dingus, Seventh District Director Mrs. Wall Hamilton, and State Board Member and Floyd County Club President, Mrs. Cliff Latta, all of Prestonsburg.

The five delegates, representing Floyd county's 50 members were: Mrs. Roland Burchett and Mrs. Trilby May, Langley: Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Elizabeth Frazier, and Mrs. Phyllis Stanley. Prestonsburg.

Midge Costanza, special assistant for public liaison to President Jimmy Carter, was the principal speaker at the Friday night banquet at the Hyatt-Regency Hotel.

Costanza, the first and only woman to hold the title of "Assistant to the President of the United States" and one of the White House "inner circle", gave a rousing speech to the dinner crowd of more than 700 Democratic women and guests.

Gov. and Mrs. Julian Carroll, Lt. Gov. Thelma Stovall, Mrs. Wendell Ford, Congressman John Breckinridge and many state and local officials were featured at the convention.

State President Mrs. Richard Bell, Frankfort, presented the first annual award for the state's outstanding Democratic woman to Mrs. Dan Byck, of Louisville.

Members of the Floyd delegation will report on highlights of the convention at the local club's next regular luncheon meeting at 12 noon, Oct. 12, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Mrs. Latta urged all members and all Democratic women of Floyd county who would be interested in becoming members to attend this meeting.

County Judge Henry Stumbo will be the featured guest and plans will be made for a county-wide Democratic rally scheduled for Oct. 15.

Further information on the meeting may be obtained from Mrs. Latta at 886-9287.

### FIRE-LOSS SHOWER AT MARTIN, FRIDAY

A shower to replace, in part, household goods lost by Mr. and Mrs. Curt Hughes when their home on Buck's Branch burned last week-end is scheduled for 7 p.m. Friday Oct. 7, at Frazier's Restaurant in Martin. The Martin Woman's Club, which is sponsoring the shower, urges all those who can to attend. The Hughes home with all contents was destroyed.

# TO ALL GOOD DEMOCRATS



Last week my Republican opponent ran an ad in this paper stating he was the "Democratic" Candidate, and asked you to look in Webster's Dictionary to prove it. The reason he asked you to look there is he knows that by no other definition may you find him to be a friend to a true Democrat.

Instead of a dictionary, look to the county registration. When you and I decided to be a member of the Democratic party, he rejected you and your party. He chose to become the chairman of the Floyd Republican Party and to support Richard Nixon and Spiro Agnew when I fought for the defeat of those men.

He chose to fight for the defeat of Jimmy Carter and Governor Carroll while I supported those Democrats. Just a short time ago, he chose to support Robert Holcomb, a rich coal operator from Pike County, when he ran against Carl D. Perkins for the U.S. Representative seat. I fought Ron Frasure and others in this county to help elect Carl Perkins.

Throughout this campaign, I have and will refrain from personal attack on my opponent, in spite of the fact that he has weekly "swung" at me in this paper. But when a man who has consistently attacked and opposed every National, State and County Democrat running for election authorizes an ad saying he is the "Democratic Candidate," I must question how far he will go to be elected. He has chosen his party and should admit it, instead of trying to lure uninformed Democrats into thinking he is a "Democratic Candidate" and their friend.

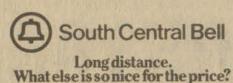
I humbly ask you for your vote, not only because I feel I am the best man, but also because I am one of you . . .

> HENRY STUMBO Floyd County Judge

(Adv. pd. for by Sam Hale, former Floyd County Democratic Chairman) 10-4-2t-pd.

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### It's Time To Revel in Beauty Of Kentucky's Wildflowers

By HELEN PRICE STACY If it's wildflowers you like, then don't wait. Start now at Ashland and travel to Paducah or start at Bowling Green and head for Northern Kentucky. Travel the parkways, interstates, two-lane highways, country roads and sideroads. All over the Commonwealth are great patches of color, a profusion of bloom, fields of beauty just for the looking. Even vegetable gardens are abloom, transforming bending stems and stalks into morning glory gardens!

This is the year of the ironweed, that stately plant that bows gracefully in autumn winds. Imagine an acre field nodding in purple, touching a border of golden daisies and sunflowers.

Fencerows, weathered barns and sheds and farm cottages all are touched with clusters of purple-headed ironweed like purple ruffles on new autumn frocks.

Kentucky's flower, the goldenrod is at its peak, as are mountain thistles, asters and a multitude of growing things showing off their autumn splendor.

Meadows in the state abound with blue and gold of goldenrod and wild ageratum or mistflower heralding October blue days ahead.

Nature has a way of putting the show together just for your pleasure. A play of pink thistle against purple ironweed. Or, a band of Joe-Pye weed (queen of the meadow) against the deeper hued ironweed. Blue chicory together with goldenrod.

Sometimes, if you look closely and drive slowly you will find a field, meadow or hillside where it seems nature has decided to make one full swoosh of color before calling it quits till next season. Here the pinks, the blues, the purples and mauves, the golds and yellows mingle with just enough of the greens and soft grays to create a wildflower masterpiece.

Don't wait. Pick out your favorite festival, ball game, concert or sunny afternoon and start out. Revel in the loveliness of early autumn, the season of brilliance when even the small creatures that live among the flowers are awed to quietness.

### Sorghum Fest Slated At West Liberty, Oct. 7-9

West Liberty, Ky.—The sweetest place to be in Kentucky, October 7, 8, and 8, will be at West Liberty for the seventh annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival. Among favorite festival activities scheduled will be the oldtime cane mill in operation. The arts and crafts fair this year will feature more than 90 craftsmen with the finest of mountain wares to sell. Food booths near by will be serving everything from country ham to pinto beans.

### Floyd County Health Notes Monday, October 10, a community

health nurse from the Floyd County Health Department will conduct an outppost in the basement of the Methodist Church at Wayland. She will be offering the following medical services, free of charge: immunizations, TB skin tests, diabetes screening, hemoglobins (or blood counts), and blood pressures.

This clinic is open to the public.

Thursday, October 13, the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Department of Neurology, is conducting a regional neurology clinic at the Floyd County Health Department in Prestonsburg. This clinic will begin at 8 a.m. and last until 3:30 p.m.

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

If you are interested in being referred to this neurology clinic, you should contact your private physician so that he can make an appointment for you.

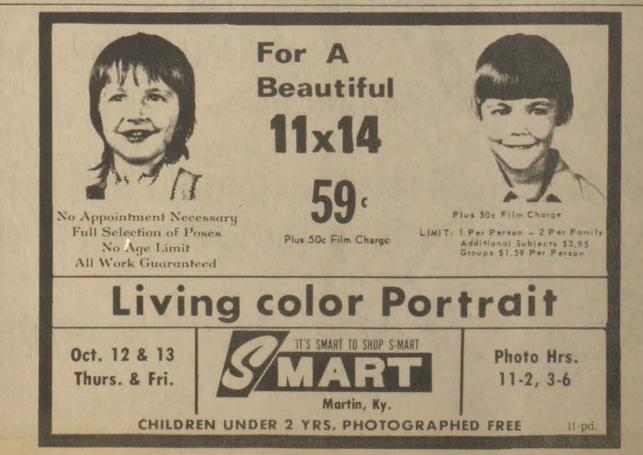
# DEMOCRATS ... BEFORE YOU VOTE, THINK!

The Republican candidates who seek your votes have opposed every State, National, and County Democratic Candidate you have supported in the past. Do you honestly believe that, once they are elected, they will not continue to work for the defeat of every Democratic Judge, County Attorney, Magistrate, Sheriff, Senator, Representative, Governor and President?

Do you honestly believe they will work for you and gain the full effect of State and Federal support and cooperation, or will they act in co-ordination with the State and National Republican Party to further their goals?

### **VOTE FOR YOUR CANDIDATE VOTE STRAIGHT DEMOCRATIC!**

(Pol. Adv. pd. for by Democrats United for '77-James R. Allen, Treasurer)



The Kentucky Bureau of Highways, in order to assist those people displaced by highway construction, desires to obtain listings of available housing and building lots which are for sale, rent, or lease in Floyd County in the Betsy Layne, Harold, Mud Creek area.

NOTICE

Information concerning any property listed with the Bureau will be made available, free of charge, to those people displaced by highway construction and at no cost to the property owner offering the property.

Any property owner having property for sale, rent, or lease, is requested to send a brief description of the property; giving the lot size, type (brick, frame, block,), number of rooms, type of heat, if gas and water are available, location, and whether or not the house has a bathroom. If the house is for rent, state monthly rent; if house is for sale, the sale price. Be sure to indicate the name and address of the owner and telephone number, if any.

All properties listed just be decent, safe, and sanitary, and available for sale or rent without regard to race, creed, color, or national origin.

All replies should be sent to C. M. Coleman, District Relocation Assistance Agent, Bureau of Highways, P.O. Box 2468, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501.

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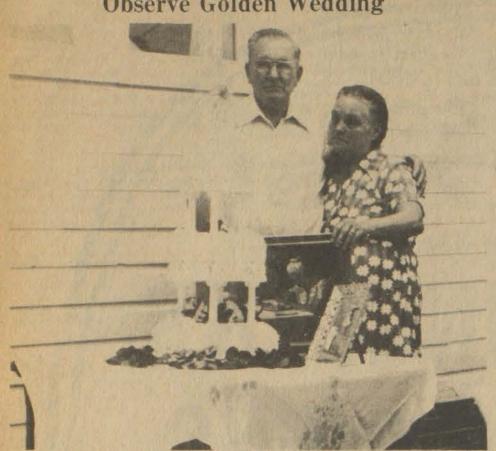
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### **Observe Golden Wedding**



Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Younce observed their Golden Wedding anniversary Aug, 27 at their home at East Point. Friends and family members joined them for the occasion.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Younce who attended were Cledith Younce, Mrs. Younce and son David, of Little Rock, Ark.; S. V. Younce, Jr., of the Air Force, based in Germany; Delmon Younce, Pensacola, Fla.; Mrs. Vonda Ladd and daughters. Penny and Tammy, of Romulus, Mich.; Mrs. Dotty Hastings, Mr. Hastings and children. Tom and Becky, of East Point; Mrs. Trena Ratliff, Mr. Ratliff and daughter, Lynn, of East Point; Wendell Younce, Alexandria, Va.; Glennis Younce, of East Point; and a grandson, Rickey Younce, Mrs. Younce and their two children, of Virginia.

### **Bill Would Combine Building Agencies**

A subcommittee of Interim Joint Committee on Cities last week recommended a proposed bill which would establish a state department of buildings, housing and construction.

If passed by the 1978 General Assembly, the legislation would place the state fire marshal's office, division of plumbing and office for building code enforcement under the same agency. Presently, matters concerning construction are directed to a number of state agencies, including the state insurance department and Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

In addition, the bill would create a board of buildings, housing and construction, which would adopt and promulgate a uniform state building code, electric code, boiler rules and regulations, and state plumbing code.

The bill is closely related to a similar bill which failed to pass the 1976 General Assembly. The bill passed the House, but failed to gain passage in the Senate.

Rep. C. M. "Hank" Hancock (D-Frankfort) said during the facilities and services subcommittee meeting studies had found a complete lack of enforcement of the present building code in some areas of Kentucky, and said the areas need state assistance to enforce a building code. He noted that citizens had expressed appreciation of the state plumbing code.

### **Catholic Church Events**

Saint Theodore Catholic Church in Prestonsburg will hold a First Friday worship service and pot-luck supper October 7 at 6 p.m. to which the public is invited. A slide presentation will also be made on the methods of receiving communion that have been used in Christian history.

Sunday, October 9, the church will hold October Devotions at 6:30 p.m. The Devotions consist of the recitation of the rosary (dating from the 14th century) and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

October 11, women of the Catholic churches at Prestonsburg and Martin will participate in a dinner meeting at the Hazard Country Club sponsored by the Mountain Council of Catholic Women.



**IN MEMORIAM** 

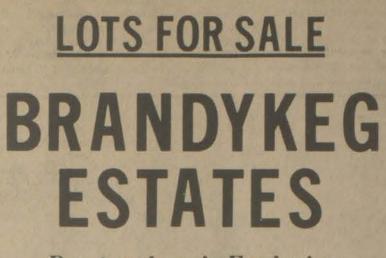
In loving memory of Ira Douglas Osborne, who died August 7, 1977

It's only a grave that needs our care, But the one we love is buried there, The call was sudden, the shock so severe, We never thought such grief was near. The pain of parting without even a good-

Shall remain with us all until we die. Some will forget him, Now that he's gone, But we will remember no matter how long

Mom and Family

GARRETT CHURCH OF GOD HOLDING RUMMAGE SALE A rummage sale will be held at the Garrett Church of God on Thursday and Friday. All proceeds from the sale will go toward financing work of the church.



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Robert Lake, representing the Kentucky Association of Architects, said all construction projects should be certified by the architects who design the project to insure that the contractors have followed their materials specifications.

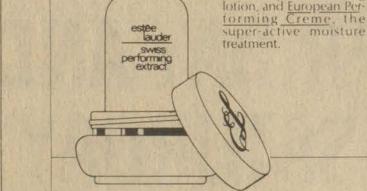
Bill Holcomb, building inspector for the Lexington-Fayette county urban government, endorsed the bill, because of its encouragement to adopt building, plumbing and electric codes. Uniform codes would, he said, "promote professionalism" among contractors and others involved in the construction industry.

However, Rep. Bruce Blythe (R-Louisville) noted that the bill is "only as good as the enforcement" of the law, and said that if "goofy people" are made inspectors, there will be no enforcement at all.

### CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Ida Mary Patton, would like to thank everyone who was so very kind and supportive during our recent grief. We especially thank Dr. Mary Hall and Dr. Sehra and the nursing staff of the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital for the kindness and care given to our beloved mother and sister; also, we are very grateful to the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for its kindness and understanding during our sorrow. The family wishes to extend gratitude and thanks to the Elder Clifford Williams and the other ministers and congregation of the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church, Minnie, Kentucky. We will all miss Ida, for she was a kind, good and self-sacrificing woman who was always there and willing to help anyone who needed her. We feel she would have been pleased with her funeral services and for that we thank everyone involved.





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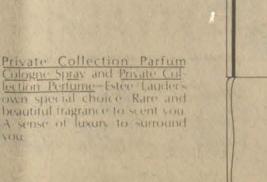
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### VISITS PORTERS

Miss Linda Stephens, of the Bull Creek road, called on Mr. and Mrs. Graham Porter at their home here recently. Mrs. Porter, who suffered a broken hip a few months ago, is recovering nicely.

HOSPITAL AUXILLARY TO MEET The Women's Auxillary of Highlands Regional Medical Center will meet at the hospital at 3 p.m. Sunday. All members as well as anyone who would like to join the group are urged to attend.







### **RETURNS TO OHIO**

Mrs. James Prater, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. James E. Goble and family, returned to her home in Portsmouth, O., Friday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Goble.

### NAMED TO U. OF L.

SUMMER DEAN'S LIST

John W. Mann, of Prestonsburg, was named to the Dean's List for the summer semester at the University of Louisville Law School. He is a senior and will graduate in December.

### METHODIST WOMEN MEET

Women of the First United Methodist Church met Tuesday night in the church parlor for their monthly meeting.

The president, Mrs. Roy Ramey, presided, and the meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Walter Applegate.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. George D. Brown, and treasurer's report was given by Mrs. James J. Carter.

Program director, Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, gave the program on, "Racism" assisted by Mrs. Carl Horn. Scriptures were read from James 2: 14-18, and the group read in unison the hymn, "God of Love and God of Power." The meeting was dismissed with prayer.

Geneva Carter, hostess, served refreshments to Bonnie Applegate, Gertrude Bradbury, Elizabeth Ramey, Katherine Stephens, Mable Brown, Ina Mae Hereford, Eleanor Horn, Mary Jane Brown.

### ATTENDS P.E.O. MEET

Mrs. William B. Cook, Chapter G, Prestonsburg, has returned from the convention of Supreme Chapter of P.E.O. Sisterhood held in Chicago September 26-29

She was among 1,500 delegates representing 200,000 P.E.O. members in the United States and Canada at the convention in Chicago's McCormick Place and McCormick Inn.

### **RALLY DAY HELD**

The Baptist MSU Rally Day, of the Northeastern Area, was held at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here, on Thursday, September 29th. The Rev. W. D. Bender, missionary to Nigeria, gave the message, entitled, "To Be, To Do." Discussions on "Spiritual Life Development" were given by Miss Bonita Pack and Miss June Rice. A style show, depicting the history of the MSU work in Kentucky, from the turn of the century to the present time, was enjoyed by the group. This was followed by "A Call to Prayer and Commitment" by Gwen. Dinner was served by the women of the church. The benediction, "Breathe on Me, Breath of Life," was sung by Mrs. Patsy Evans. The meeting, with a similar program in the evening, was attended by approximately 150 Baptist

### Fitzpatrick-Hubbard Wedding Announced

Jeannette M. Fitzpatrick, of Prestonsburg, and Richard Harmon Hubbard, of Shelby, N. C., were united in marriage September 20 at Holston View United Methodist Church in Weber City, Virginia. The Rev. Robert Copeland officiated at the double-ring ceremony at 4:30 p.m.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Waldo W. Smith. Mrs. Smith is a sister of the bride. Other attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Safewright.

A reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Smith following the wedding, with Mrs. Nova Barkley assisting.

Following a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S. C., the couple will reside at 120 Graham Street, Prestonsburg.

### CHURCH GROUP MEETS

The Wesleyan Circle of the First United Methodist Church met Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Edna Carol Greenwade as hostess. The meeting opened with prayer by the president, Miss Alice Harris. Mrs. Carlos Haywood gave the program on "Women in the Church." Refreshments were served to Mesdames Vera Ford, Virginia Shivel, Shirley Calihan, Ortha Meece, Lack Roberts, Olna Hamilton, Douglas Perry, Mary Margaret Webb, Anna May Mellon, Virginia Jeffries, Carlos Haywood, Victoria Spradlin, Fanny Runnels, Edna Carol Greenwade, Josephine Fields; Miss Alice Harris and the Rev. Walter Applegate.

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### MEETING SCHEDULED

The next meeting of the Day Homemakers will be on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 11, at 1 o'clock in the clubroom of the Kentucky Power Building. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Eleanor Horn and Mrs. Peg Hewlett. Mrs. Phyllis Herrick and Mrs. Mary Sue Moore will give the lesson on drving flowers. All members are urged to at tend.

### IN LEXINGTON HOSPITAL

Woodrow Greenwade, who became ill at his home here last week, is a patient in the University Medical Center Lexington. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Greenwade.



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TRIMBLE CHAPEL WOMENS'

AUXILIARY MEETS, SEPT. 9

Mrs. John Branham.

14 at 7 p.m.

The women's auxiliary of Trimble

Chapel United Methodist Church met

Friday, September 9, with the president,

Mrs. Curtis Hatfield, presiding. The

program, "Christian Sharing," was

given by Mrs. Tilden Ellis. Plans were

made for the annual picnic to be held at

Jenny Wiley Park. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Tom Branham and

Refreshments were served to Mrs.

Eunice Lafferty, Mrs. Nell Newsome,

Mrs. Gerry Lafferty, Mrs. Linda Laf-

ferty, Mrs. Billie Shepherd, Mrs. Peggy

Branham, Mrs. Mildred Branham, Mrs.

Verine Ellis, Mrs. Jerri Campbell,

Jimmy Campbell, Mrs. Joan Hatfield,

The next meeting will be held October

Carl B. Wright was here Thursday

calling upon Mr. and Mrs. James E.

Goble and family. Mr. Wright, who had

been visiting his mother, Mrs. Florence

Wright, Pikeville, was en route to his

home at Toledo, Ohio, but by careful

calculation was able to arrive here in

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Leslie announce the birth of their second child, second

son, born August 28 at Central Baptist

Hospital in Lexington. The baby has been

The maternal grandparents are Dr.

and Mrs. Garland Godsey, of Prestons-

burg, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leslie, of Cow

Miss Charlotte Wells, who underwent

surgery last week at Highlands Medical

Center, returned home Saturday where

she is recuperating. She is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wells, of Goble-

Henry and Layne Compton, both of the

Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, were

accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Compton, Jr., and Eddie, of Prestons-

burg, on a week-end visit to Warsaw,

Indiana, recently. They were the guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Minnix and

family and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hall.

They were also received by a host of

other relatives and friends. The main

objective of their trip was to visit with

Henry and Layne's brother, Albert

Compton, who is recovering from a

RECUPERATING AT HOME

Katie Hatfield and Curtis Hatfield.

HERE FROM TOLEDO, OHIO

time for the noontime meal.

SECOND SON BORN

named Darrell Blake.

Creek.

Roberts.

VISIT IN INDIANA

recent illness.

### MOVE HERE

women.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady Collins, and children, who formerly resided at Lackey, moved to Prestonsburg recently. Mr. Collins is the son of Mrs. Beatrice Collins and the late Dr. M. M. Collins, and is a brother of Atty. Scott Collins here.

### ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Don Chaffins, and children, Jeania and Randy, attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Chaffins' nephew, Bradley Stephens, in Knoxville, Tenn., Saturday of last week.

### IN PAINTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brickley were in Paintsville Sunday, when they visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rivers, and attended with them, the services at the Freewill Baptist Church there. Following the services, an oldtime dinner was served at the church, after which the group enjoyed a program of gospel singing.



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### FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT CR 11,694

Rose Dingus, widow and individually, and Rose Dingus, guardian for Lisa Marie Dingus, age 11, and James Douglas Dingus, age 9, and Rose Dingus, administratrix of the estate of R. J. Dingus, deceased . . . Plff.

### VS. NOTICE OF SALE

Jack Dingus, LeMayne Dingus, Phyllis Dingus, Janice Dingus, Lisa Marie Dingus, age 11, James Douglas Dingus, age 9, infants, South Central Bell Telephone Company, Inc., and the Bank Josephine, Inc. . . . Defts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the December 10 term, 1976 and August 23, 1977 in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 21st day of October, 1977 commencing at 10:30 o'clock a.m. same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of six months, the following described property to-wit:

The parcels being sold are in the vicinity of Martin, Ky.

The property herein referred to is located in Floyd County, Kentucky on the waters of Left Beaver Creek, and described as follows:

Tract 1 will be sold separately and not sold together with other tracts, after bidding completed on all tracts separately.

### Tract No. 1

"Beginning at a sycamore tree near Beaver Creek and running with the middle of the creek about 34 yards to a mulberry tree near the creek; thence running a southern direction across the bottom with Bee Osborn's line, to T. J. Dingus's line (deceased), thence with said Dingus line to the County road; thence running an eastern direction with the road to a large post at Perry Osborne's line; thence with Perry Osborne's line to the beginning, containing 112 acres, more or less. Being the same land conveyed to Reynolds Dingus and Addie Dingus by Elbert Gregory and Gertie Gregory, by deed dated November 26, 1935, recorded in Deed Book 106, page 275, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

There was excepted from the abovedescribed property that certain tract or parcel of land conveyed to Jack C. Dingus and Patricia Dingus by Reynolds Dingus and Addie Dingus, by deed dated July 31, 1959, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 172, page 171, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, which tract is described as follows:

Beginning on the right-of-way line of Highway No. 122 on the line of Bas Hamilton; thence running with said right-of-way 30 feet to a stake in said right-of-way; thence running back towards Beaver Creek a distance of 57 feet to a stake; thence running at right angles a distance of 30 feet to a stake on the property line of Bas Hamilton; thence with his line back to the highway right-of-way line to the point of beginArea Road Work Contracted

road (KY 111) in Bath county heads a list

of contracts awarded recently by state

Transportation Secretary Calvin G.

In all, 41 contracts, valued at more

than \$12 million, have been awarded

following the September 15 bid letting at

to Walker Construction Company of Mt.

northeast of US 60 and extend northerly

for almost one-half mile.

about .9 mile north of US 60.

for Boyd county.

US 60.

ning.

Sterling. The work will begin 3.2 miles

M. C. Webb, Inc. of Danville was the

successful bidder on two projects slated

The larger contract-\$356,815-

involves building across Williams Creek

on the Princess-Bellefonte road (KY 5)

\$135,966, calls for a culvert to be built

over Straight Creek, also on the Princess-

Bellefonte road about 1.5 miles north of

In Perry county, three bridges span-

ning Montgomery Creek along the Vicco-

Montgomery Creek road (KY 1095) will

be replaced under a \$182,058 contract

The structures are located 1.1 miles,

1.7 miles and 2.3 miles southeast of KY

Six roads in Pike county will be sur-

faced as the result of a \$136,172 contract

awarded to Adams Construction Cor-

Tract No. 4

in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Right

Beaver Creek and being part of the same

land conveyed Addie Dingus by deed of

March 17, 1952, recorded in Deed Book

151, page 80, Floyd County Court Clerk's

Office, containing acres, more or less.

County road; thence down the county

road 90 feet to twin locust trees; thence

up the hill to line of Reynolds Dingus and

Addie Dingus to corner tree at the top of

the hill; thence with the line of Reynolds

Dingus and Addie Dingus to the begin-

Tract No. 5

in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Right

Beaver Creek, forks of Beaver and being

same land conveyed to R. J. and Addie

Dingus by James Osborne, et. al. by deed

bearing date of February 18, 1944, which

is duly recorded in Deed Book 151, page

76, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office,

containing acres, more or less. Ten

feet east of Elm tree then a straight line

up the hill to a Beech tree at top of point;

thence down the hill, with the Leck

Martin line, to old County road, down the

Tract I is being sold to satisfy in-

debtedness to The Bank Josephine,

Prestonsburg, Kentucky, secured by

mortgage on same, and the remaining

tracts are being sold to settle the estate of

the late Reynolds J. Dingus. Tract No. I

is being sold subject to a lease now held

by the Defendant, South Central Bell

County road to the beginning.

Telephone Company.

A certain tract or parcel of land lying

Beginning at an iron stake at the old

A certain tract or parcel of land lying

poration of Pikeville.

awarded to Cee, Inc. of Lexington.

The second contract, amounting to

The Bath County project was awarded

Grayson.

Frankfort

A \$658,456 contract for reconstruction along the Owingsville-Flemingsburg The Sugar Camp Branch

The Sugar Camp Branch road from US 23 extending northeasterly for one-half mile; the Upper Chloe Creek road from KY 1460 and running northeasterly 1.9 miles; the US 460-Loop No. 1 road from US 460, 8 mile; the Sycamore Creek road from KY 197 extending westerly one-half mile; the Marshall Branch road from US 119 northwesterly one mile; the Lower Pompey-Raccoon Creek road (CR 1441) from Raccoon Creek road (CR 1001) extending westerly .8 mile.

Two contracts, amounting to \$255,351 and \$122,674, for pavement markings at railroad crossings in Floyd and 53 other counties were awarded to Swanston Equipment Company of Fargo, N. D. and Hug Concrete Paving Co., Inc. of Norwalk, Ohio, respectively.

The Eastern Kentucky counties involved, in addition to Floyd, are Bath, Bell, Boyd, Breathitt, Carter, Clay, Greenup, Harlan, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Montgomery, Mc-Creary, Perry, Pike, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Rowan, and Whitley.

THE FIRST STATE law restricting child labor was passed in Massachusetts in 1836, according to "Labor Firsts in America," a publication of the U.S. Department of Labor.

### Jenny Wiley Council State's Most Active

The Floyd County Times

The Jenny Wiley Council met September 13, at McDowell School with Bertha Ratliff, president-elect, presiding.

Dr. James Gibbs, president of the Kentucky State Council of the International Reading Association, was guest speaker. Dr. Gibbs presented Kathleen Keithman the service award for her year serving as president of the Jenny Wiley Council. The council's achievement award was also presented to her in recognition of the local council's being named the outstanding council in the state. This is the fourth consecutive year that the Jenny Wiley Reading Council has won this award.

Dr. Gibbs announced that the fall conference will be held in Owensboro, October 7-8 at the Executive Inn. This year's theme is "Competency Based Testing." He commented that the Jenny Wiley Council is the most active in the state and commended the council for sending representatives to the state and national meetings.

Refreshments were served by the McDowell reading teachers.

> Have your blood pressure checked.

### Section Two, Page Two

### HOLLIE BARNETT ANSWERS HENRY C. HALE TRUTH!

HENRY C. HALE was supported in the May primary by <u>friends</u> and <u>relatives</u>.

When HENRY C. HALE was defeated in the May primary, he in return deserted his friends and relatives. "I do not have any intention of deserting my party at this time." (Statement appearing in the Floyd County Times dated September 28, 1977) but his party apparently deserted HENRY C. HALE in the May primary. What is TRUTH? TRUTH is a Kept Promise.

> Your friend, HOLLIE BARNETT

It-pd.

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Adv. pd. by the Candidate

ning. The amount of mon this sale shall be in th

### Tract No. 2

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on or near the forks of Beaver Creek and being part of he same land conveyed R. J. and Addie Dingus by C. L. and Ada Osborne by deed bearing date of May 12, 1953, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 197, page 643, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, containing acres, more or less, and described as follows:

Beginning at a large elm corner in Charles W. Dingus 506 acre survey; thence No. 38 West 24 poles to a stake in the forks of the creek; thence with the corner South 51 E 28 poles to a stake in the fork of the Left Hand Fork of Beaver; thence Southeast to the beginning, being same land conveyed Grantor by Lydia O. Hall and others. this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$20,890.08 with interest thereon at  $8^{1/2}$  percent annually from November 10, 1976, until satisfied, and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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

Given under my hand, this 3rd day of October, 1977.

MARSHALL DAVIDSON Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court



It is now obvious that my opponent and his advisors have developed a strategy in this campaign in which they plan to mislead and confuse the good voters of our county. My opponent thinks there will be enough people that will to to the polls and blindly vote "Straight Democratic" to save him from defeat. I chose to be a member of the Republican Party because I believe in a two-party system. Efficient, honest and good government cannot exist when one man thinks he cannot be defeated. They commonly make a joke after the primary, "Well, it is all over." They think you will always vote "Straight Democratic" and they can count your votes before the November election. I do not believe the proud Democrats in our county want to be taken for granted this way. I think you realize that your best interest is not being served under "One Party". Can you imagine what prices would be like if there was only one store in Floyd County—No competition—everyone had to shop at that one store? By the same token, your local government and my opponent in particular is not responsive to your needs when he feels you will always vote for him regardless of his performance in office.

As I travel throughout our county, listening to your many concerns, I have found the response to my candidacy tremendous. You and I feel that our present County Judge is not doing enough; you feel that we can do much better. The good people of Allen, Martin, Maytown, Garrett, Wayland, Wheelwright, Mud Creek and all other sections of our county have problems that cry out for solutions. You know that you are being given the "run around" and you are getting tired of such treatment. You want relief from your bad roads, bridges, garbage and water problems. I ask you to give me the opportunity to do what can be done and must be done to correct this situation. You will have a friend in the County Judge's office. If you will go to the polls and elect me Judge with your honest votes, I will meet with you in your respective communities to develop concrete proposals for solving your problems. I will work and stay at the attention of our Honorable Carl Perkins and our Governor and two United States Senators, urging them to put Floyd County first. The funds for your needed projects frequently come available; however, it takes energy and hard work as well as the determination to not be pushed around and compromised in order that the funds may go to some other county.

When I was a child I dreamed that there would one day be a time in Floyd County when we would choose our elected officials not by the party that they happened to belong to, but by the candidate's character, qualifications and energy to act and get our county moving.

Should I be defeated for County Judge simply because that I am a registered Republican, then who among us would be content with educating our children? Who among us would want our children to learn about government and citizenship as well as the principles of the Two-Party System and the veils of the One-Party System of Communism? I believe that if you vote your good conscience in November, I will be elected your new Judge. Then, at last, after nearly one half of a century, we will together solve your many community problems. My office will be your office. And I will be available to listen to your concerns.

Your Friend,

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Section Two, Page Four

### MAYTOWN NEWS

Mrs. Rebecca Salisbury returned to her home at Stockdale, Ohio, Tuesday, While here, she was the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and Mrs. Shirley Stewart. She spent Sunday night with Bess Ratliff and they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rowland, Monday. Mrs. Salisbury became ill Saturday after her returned home and was taken to Scioto Memorial Hospital for treatment. Her friends here wish for her a speedy recovery.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Caudill and Rev. Bob Blake were luncheon guests in several homes while they were conducting a revival at the Maytown First Baptist Church last week.

Mrs. Shirley Stewart spent last weekend near Cincinnati visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stewart and Michael Edwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Webb, Brian, Robby and Christy Jean, of Beaver, Ohio, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb, Sunday evening.

A birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb Sunday evening honoring their daughter, Susan Goins, and their son, Claude Jennings Webb, was enjoyed by Mrs. Earl Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goins, Delbert Milton and Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Webb, Mecca, Jennings and Gary, Mrs. Thurmal Click, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Webb, Brian, Robby and Christy, Beaver, Ohio, and the hosts. Mrs. Shirley Stewart stopped by for dessert and to visit.

Mrs. Minnie Howell was in Mt. Sterling several days last week on business.

### HOME FROM SCHOOL

Miss Dee Dee Kalos, a music student at Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kalos. Miss Kalos was guest soloist during the Sunday morning services at Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church.

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# Martin County Brothers Jailed, Prisoner Flees

jailed here this week on charges stemming from an alleged attempt to sell stolen copper to Mountain Metal Company, of West Prestonsburg, and a fire which damaged the weigh station early Tuesday morning is believed to have been deliberately set in connection with the incident.

Joe Allen Davis was arrested Monday by Prestonsburg Policeman R. L. Webb after Mountain Metal employees suspected Davis of attempting to collect on allegedly forged weigh tickets. After his arrest it was discovered that 1,000 pounds of copper which he had sold earlier that day had been stolen from the Wolf Creek Mining Co., of Martin county. Davis was charged with receiving stolen peoperty, forgery and theft by deception. Fire at the weigh station was discovered by employees early Tuesday morning and quick action by the Prestonsburg Fire Department prevented extensive damage. Investigators said gasoline had been poured on and around the structure. Officer Webb arrested Alvin "Chip" Davis, a short time after the fire, in the vicinity of Mountain Metal and charged him with receiving stolen property and transportation of flammable liquids.

Local and state law enforcement officers were searching this week for Homer J. Caldwell, of Harold, who escaped last Wednesday from the county jail here. Caldwell reportedly broke away from the turnkey as he was being returned to his cell after making a telephone call, ran down the stairs and out the back door of the courthouse. Caldwell was jailed here August 8 on charges of wanton endangerment and terroristic threatening. A warrant was issued after the break charging Caldwell with escaping custody.

Constable Bob Hackworth arrested Joe David Stumbo Friday on a charge of possession of alcoholic beverages, selling alcoholic beverages, and possession of illegal firearms. The same day, Constable Hackworth booked Charles Doug Sexton on charges of assault in the third degree and theft by unlawful taking. Others booked at the county jail over

the past week, charges against each, and arresting officers follow: Marvin Neeley, eluding police officer,

by Wayland Policeman N. Thornsberry; Frank Hamilton, Jr., drunk driving, by State Trooper J. Sizemore; Randy Hall, drunk driving, by State Trooper Weedman; Curt Mullins, drunk driving, by State Trooper Terry Hall; Doug Nelson, resisting arrest, by Deputy Sheriffs Don and Jack Nelson; Bobby Lee Tackett, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policemen J. W. Lafferty and Bill Potter; Millard McCable, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policemen C. E. Kilgore, K. Lawson, J. W. Lafferty and Bill Potter.

AT COURT SESSIONS Judge Harris S. Howard was in

### W'wright Action Club Notes



WHEELWRIGHT HAS HAY RIDE . . . Shown are Linda Holbrook, Karen Thornsbury, Eddie Collins, Jimmy Harris, Kathy Tackett, Kerry Holbrook.

The Wheelwright Community Action Club sponsored a hay ride, Sept. 21. Jimmy Harris donated his time and flat-bed truck for this fund-raising event. The outdoor games at the Wheelwright tennis courts will be discontinued until

spring of 1978.

A building to hold the club's regular meetings has not yet materialized. The next regular meeting of the club will be Oct. 13 at 7 p.m. in the upstairs lobby of the Wheelwright Clubhouse.

On Sept. 27 the Wheelwright P.T.A. had a Drug Abuse presentation conducted by State Trooper Leeman Bevins. Approximately 60 persons attended this film showing and lecture.

Sandy Blankenship has opened a ceramics shop with evening classes on Monday, Thursday and Friday nights.

Mrs. Blanche Conley has agreed to be the social reporter for the Wheelwright area. She should be contacted for any social interest items.

The city of Wheelwright is in the process of setting up a Left Beaver Area Development Agency. A resolution was passed at the last regular meeting of the City Council to set up this agency. Nobody has yet been officially appointed to get this project off the ground, however.

A cordial invitation is extended to all interested persons to attend the regular monthly club meetings. Next meeting, Oct. 13, second floor lobby of Wheelwright Clubhouse, 7 p.m.

# NOTICE

### Floyd County Democratic Women Luncheon Meeting

Wednesday, Oct. 12—12 Noon May Lodge—Jenny Wiley State Park

All Floyd County Democratic Women Welcome SPECIAL GUEST: JUDGE HENRY STUMBO

For More Information Call Ann Latta, president, 886-9287

### GOSPEL SINGING JUBILEE AT THE NEW PIKEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL GYM PIKEVILLE, KY.

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Covington and Lexington recently attending Court of Appeals sessions.

### CLUB TO MEET

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club will meet in the clubroom of the Floyd County Regional Library, tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock, with Mrs. Jess Stover as leader. Hostesses for this meeting will be Mesdames Donald Fitch, James P. Allen, Marshall Davidson, Byron Nunnery, James Donahoe, Henry Curtis, Stanley Combs, and Zella Archer. Topic for the evening will be, "After Life—a Gift of Life or Sight." All members are urged to attend, and to bring with them the names of persons to be placed on the Birthday Calendar being sponsored by the club.

### To The Voters For Magistrate of District 3:

I, Emerson (Bob) Brown, am seeking your support and influence for Magistrate. This is my first time to seek a public office.

I feel that the people of District 3 need some representation in their District for a change.

I feel the people in District 3 have been deprived of many things, both the young and the old.

Vote November 2nd for a young, honest, and sober man. I will do the best and all I can for the people.

My opponents's past records speak for themselves—Stop, think and ask yourselves what happens to your tax dollars.

YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED ON NOVEMBER 2ND. EMERSON (BOB) BROWN

Section Two, Page Five



# **Blackcats Stun Belfry, 27-6** As Offensive Line Paves Way

Although a two-touchdown underdog, the Prestonsburg Blackcats defeated the highly touted Belfry Pirates, 27-6, last Friday night.

Behind the excellent offensive line blocking of Gene Holland, Dewey Layne, Kenneth Campbell, Marvin Marsillett, Brian Fulks, Tony Clevenger, and of tight and split ends, Jeff Burchett and Paul Ackerman, the Cats' groundoriented wishbone offense crunched out 445 yards on the ground as the Cats evened their record at 3-3.

Prestonsburg fell behind early in the first quarter when their first drive stalled. The punt attempt was muffled and Greg Varney picked it up for Belfry and raced 50 yards for what turned out to be the Pirates' lone t.d. of the night. The Cats came back with a 70-yard drive that stalled at the Belfry 7 after an apparent touchdown pass from quarterback Alvin Hall to Burchett was nullified by a penalty. The Blackcat defense stopped the Pirates again and turned over the ball to the offense at their own 35.

Prestonsburg began a sustained drive, using seven minutes of the second quarter before fullback Mark Chaffin scored from 6 yards out to knot the score. Dwayne Rodebaugh kicked the first of his three extra points to put the Cats in the lead for good with just under two minutes to go in the half. Belfry was stopped at their own 40 with only two seconds to go in the half. Then, to the surprise of everyone, halfback Kerry Slone took an option pitch from Hall and calmly threw a 40-yard strike to Ackerman, who was all alone in the Belfry end zone and Prestonsburg led 14-6 at halftime.

The Cats opened the second half by taking the kickoff and marching 70 yards to pay dirt, with Chaffin going in for his second touchdown of the night. Belfry threatened twice but couldn't score and Prestonsburg finally put the game out of reach, midway in the fourth quarter, as Jimmy Campbell sprinted 15 yards on the option play for the final score of the night. The Cats continued to move the ball behind the blocking of offensive linemen Bobby Wells, John Holland, Desi Whitt, Harry Adams, Bill Greer, Lee Carter, ends Monty Branham, Curtis Holbrook, Scott Verley, Keith Colvin, and the running of Thomas Hastings, Wayne Tibbs, Richard Burchett, Dwayne Rodebaugh and Danny Daniels as the Cats rolled up 475 yards in total offense.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Community Meals On Wheels, Inc., a non-profit organization is applying for a federal grant under Section 16 (b) (2) of the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended. These sections 16 (b) (2) funds are available to private, nonprofit corporations to purchase equipment (vehicles, etc.) to meet the needs of the elderly and handicapped of a community.

### **BETSY LAYNE TO MEET PHELPS** IN FIRST HOMECOMING GAME

Betsy Layne High School's first homecoming football game will be played here at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon when they face Phelps on the local high school football field.

Homecoming activities scheduled before the game will see one of four senior girls crowned Betsy Layne's first homecoming queen.

Competing for the title will be the following:

Lita Kim Blackburn, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Blackburn, of Stanville, member of the band, the 4-H Club and an honor student. Tammy Cordial, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Cordial, of Dana, who is an honor student, member of the band, and a majorette; Carla Beth Hammonds, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hammonds, of Water Gap, member of the girls' basketball team and an honor student; Paula Layne, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Layne, of Betsy Layne; an honor student, member of the band and a majorette.

Mark Chaffin and Kerry Slone led the Blackcat rushers with 181 yards each. Slone said, "You could have driven a truck through some of those holes," and all the Blackcat backs had praise for the excellent blocking up front.

John Henson and Paul Ackerman had interceptions and Greer had a fumble recovery as the Prestonsburg defense kept the high-scoring Pirates out of the end zone. The secondary play of Ackerman, Slone, Jack Goodman, Randy Chaffin and Tibbs was tough, and defensive ends Burchett and Chuck Hilton also stood out. The defensive interior was mainly handled by Campbell, Marsillett, Holland, Henson, Layne, Rodebaugh, and Chaffin. Though Belfry did move the ball some, the Blackcat defense rose up to stop any scoring threat.

The Blackcats travel to Louisa this Friday to take on a tough Bulldog football squad.

### Named to Dean's Lisr At U. of L. School

John W. Mann, of Prestonsburg, was recently named to the Dean's List at the University of Louisville Law School. He is a senior and will graduate in December. His wife, the former Sandra Garrett, is residing with her parents at Lancer, and teaches first grade at Prestonsburg Elementary School.

BETSY LAYNE CLUB MEETS The Betsy Layne Homemakers Club

Class attendants are Kay Johnson. junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, of Betsy Layne, an honor student, member of the band and a majorette; Jackie Samons, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Samons, of Banner, member of the band and girls' basketball team; Donna Lynn Williams, freshmen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williams, of Dana, member of cheerleading squad.

Escorting the girls are: Lowell Samons, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell. Samons, of Banner; Randy Allen son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen, of Betsy Layne; Andy Eplin son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eplin, of Betsy Layne; Greg Tackett son of Mrs. Gloria Tackett, of Harold; Byron Keith Akers son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Akers, of Allen; Jeff Scott son of Mr, and Mrs. Leon Scott, of Stanville; and Ricky Akers son of Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Akers, of Grethel.

The Homecoming dance will be held at the Prestonsburg High School Lunchroom at 8 p.m.

### Voc. Ed. Teachers Get 10% Pay Raise

Kentucky Personnel Commissioner Addie D. Stokley announced pay adjustments today for all vocational teachers employed by the state. Effective October 16, the 10 percent adjustments will affect approximately 1,200 employees.

"Governor Julian M. Carroll made these needed adjustments possible,' Commissioner Stokley stated. "He recognizes the quality of Kentucky's vocational programs and knows our vocational teachers are at the leading edge of providing vocational training. Vocational teachers' work is essential to Kentucky's economy and pay for them must remain competitive," Mrs. Stokley emphasized.

"Governor Carroll's pay improvements package included a \$28 million appropriation to be used in improving state employees' pay during this biennium. The vocational teacher pay adjustments will cost approximately \$11/2 million, and the funds will come from the \$28 million appropriation," Mrs. Stokley noted.

"Governor Carroll has directed the Department of Personnel to maintain equity among state employees' salaries and to identify essential jobs in need of pay adjustments. Our salary review system indicates that vocational teacher pay adjustments are justified on the basis of the criteria we apply, and the money is available to do so.

### **Blackcat Freshmen Down Allen Central** The Prestonsburg freshman football

team defeated Allen Central last Thursday afternoon, 26-0. The young Cats, coached by Thomas Slone, ex-Prestonsburg High School standout at halfback, completely dominated the game. David Collins, Tony Reynolds, Greg Slone, Robbie Horton and Ralph Gilliam all contributed greatly to the Blackcats' running game while Quarterback Greg Haywood did his share as he tossed a 30yard t.d. pass to Stephen Wright.

The Cats moved the ball consistently behind offensive linemen Raymond Gibson, Terry Click, Mark McKenzie, Charles Goble, Allen Frazier, Lonnie May, Denny Ousley. Gerald DeRossett and Willie Rainey stood out on defense as the Blackcat freshmen won their second game in four starts.

### **ARC, State Fund Mining Education At Three Centers**

Gov. Julian M. Carroll has announced that a \$39,240 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) grant has been awarded for funding of a new secondary training program in basic mining operations and maintenance, and health and safety precautions.

According to Development Secretary William L. Short, Carroll's alternate on the commission, ARC funding will provide for conversion of existing space for the program in areas vocational education centers at Garth in this county, Belfry in Pike and at that Martin county facility in Inez.

Funds will also be used to purchase equipment and provide for inservice education of instructors for the new program.

"The purpose of this program," Short said, "is to give young people a broad introduction to career opportunities in Eastern Kentucky's mining industry.

Total cost of the project is \$49,620. State funds will supply the \$10,380 not covered by ARC funds.

### **BIRTH ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Smallwood of Piney Flats, Tenn., announce the birth of their third child, a daughter, on Sept. 12 at Johnson City Memorial Hospital. She has been named Elizabeth Ann. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smallwood, of Wheelwright, and the maternal grandparents are Rose Feltner, of Hazard, and late Calloway Feltner.

### VISIT IN LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Saunders were in Lexington during the week-end for a visit with their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred Saunders, and their granddaughter, Mollie.

# **Burke Has Perfect Score In Annual Fish Fry Event**

held the crowd to moderate proportions, but the Floyd County Fish & Game Club's annual fish fry Sunday at Johns Branch, near Maytown, ran a full schedule of events.

Some of the "old" baitcasting specialists returned for the casting contest, and one of these, Bill Baker Burke, of Jackson, not only won both the men's open and the open events but also cast a perfect score in the latter. Steve Halbert, of Langley, won the junior open, and Zeda Martin, also of Langley, was the winner in the women's casting division.

In horseshoe pitching the men's team winners were Louis Collins and Delmer Hagans, of Langley; women team winners, Zeda Martin and Tammy Martin, also of Langley.

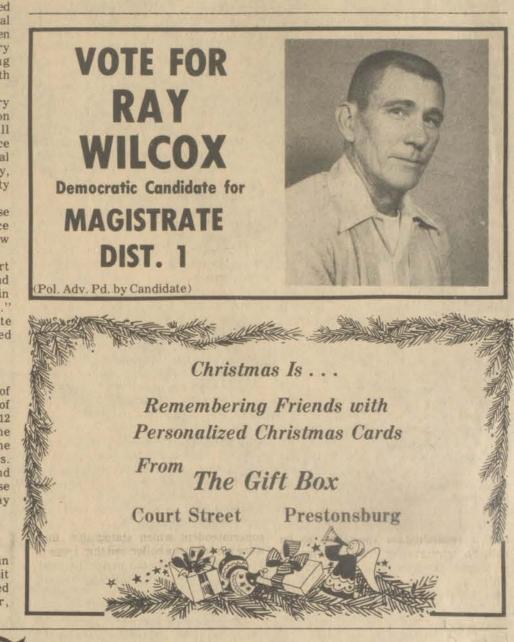
Raffle prize winners were:

Bradley Warix, Jr., of Allen, trolling motor; Tammy O'Quinn, Garrett, CB

Weather that was cool, dark and damp Larry Slone. Blue River, ice chest; John D. Webb, Allen, tackle box; Patty Bellamy, Hueysville, Coleman Heater; Lafe Scott, Harold, Coleman stove; Hubert Prater, Hueysville, Coleman lantern; William L. White, Prestonsburg, sleeping bag; Terry Bentley, Printer, life vest; C. "Ollie" Robinson, Prestonsburg, ice chest.

Donors of horseshoe pitching prizes were Moore's Phillips 66 Oil Co. and U.S. Shoe Company. Casting contest prizes were contributed by Hall-Clark Insurance Agency, Big Y Auto Sales, Merion Funeral Chapel and Reid's Pharmacy. Attendance prizes were donated by Elliott Glass & Electric, Ray Howard Furniture, Palmer's Gulf, Petrey's TV and Furniture, Mack Tackett Furniture. Raffle prize donors were First National Bank, Floyd Federal Savings & Loan, Bank Josephine, P. and

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Community Meals On Wheels, Inc. is applying for vehicles for the purpose of transportation of the elderly to and from Senior Citizens centers. Inquiries and questions should be addressed to: Community Meals On Wheels, Inc. P. O. Box 307, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. 10-5-3t

met Sept. 27 at Calvary Baptist Church. The president, Eulavene Conn, presided. After announcements, the lesson on Crock-Pot Cookery was presented by Mrs. Frances Pitts. Members present were Janice Hall, Era Ratliff, Virginia Jones, Myrtle Hamilton, Lillian Sturgill and Eulavene Conn.

Kentucky's vocational teachers last received pay adjustments August 1, 1976, and recruiting difficulties were being experienced in some parts of the state. 'We know these pay adjustments will help the state attract qualified vocational teacher applicants," Mrs. Stokley observed, "and we will continue to review their availability throughout the state after the current adjustments are implemented.

'The Department of Education agrees that vocational teacher pay adjustments were essential to help them maintain their service delivery. I am pleased that the Governor's efforts have made funds available for that purpose. Vocational education is vital to Kentucky's citizens and we must retain the best possible vocational teachers," she concluded.

### COON HUNTERS SLATE MEETING ON SUNDAY

The Big Sandy Coon Hunters Association will sponsor a water race and field trial Sunday, October 9, at 3 p.m. at the Johnson-Floyd county line. Signs will be posted.

### NOTICE

The Floyd County Farm Bureau will hold its annual meeting in the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse, October 14, 1977 at 7 p.m. MAGGIE MEADE, Secretary 10-5-2t.

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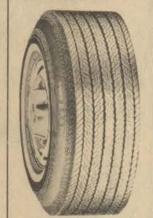
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**County Share Of Flood Fund** Said \$310,900

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) last week allocated \$4 million as a special grant to six Eastern Kentucky counties and eight towns to help in the situation created by last April's destructive flood.

Of this total, Floyd county and the towns of Martin and Prestonsburg are allocated \$310,900.

Distribution of the grant money, it was said, will be handled by local governments and the development offices in each of the counties.

Although the grant was labelled as help for rehabilitation work in the six-county flood area, less than half of the \$4 million will go to homeowners for restoration of flood-damaged property.

Grants to individual householders will amount to \$1,780,950. The assistance will supplement loans and grants that they have received from the Small Business Administration and the Farmers Home Administration.

HUD's decision to make the award came after considerable prodding by Congressman Perkins and other Kentucky legislators, whose offices were swamped with complaints from constituents about delays and confusion in the agency's disaster-relief effort.

HUD Secretary Patricia Harris told the Kentucky delegation that she authorized the grant, apparently the first of its kind from her "discretionary" account, after she toured the flood area and after congressional hearings pushed by the Kentuckians in May.

This is how the \$4 million is to be shared by other counties and towns: Pike county, \$922,300; Pikeville, \$512,000; Pineville and Bell county, \$674,000; Martin county, \$324,300; Harlan, Loyall and Harlan county, \$808,000; Williamsburg, \$287,000, and Middlesboro, \$160,830.

After individual grants are made, \$412,550 will be set aside for administration and management; \$688,500 will be used for acquisition of publichousing sites in Pike and Bell counties, Harlan-Loyall and Williamsburg; \$886,000 will provide utilities for a Pikeville housing site, while \$232,000 will be used for landdevelopment and site preparation at projects in Pike County and Williamsburg.

The program will be administered by the state's Department for Local Governments. Commissioner Ralph Ed Graves said the state is putting up \$50,000 to match another HUD allocation of \$100,000 to monitor the program and help train technical assistants.

Graves said his department expects to hire a rehabilitation specialist, to be called a "circuit rider," to supervise the six-county program from an office in Harlan

He said the circuit rider will be on the job within two weeks and that rehabilitation work under the program will begin soon after.

Sally Hamilton, leader of the departmint's community-development unit, said that while only about 45 per cent of

The Gypsies first appeared in Europe during the early part of the fourteenth century. Since that time, they have spread over the entire civilized world. Their mission in life has been the same and located the leak. He called for a down through the centuries-gyp everyone they came in contact with and move on in search of more victims.

Most of the Gypsies in this country came from England where they were coppersmiths and workers in other metals. Many were horse traders, and when Old Dobbin disappeared from the scene, so did the horse trading gypsies.

The women left all the work that called for physical effort to the men while they engaged in the lucrative practice of fortune telling. This was usually left tothe older women to perform as they were supposed to increase in wisdom as they grew older. This seems to have been true as they were wise enough to pick a "victim's" pockets as the latter was engaged in deep thought while his palm was being read. The gypsy never failed to tell her "prey" how rich he was about to become and how Dame Fortune was about to smile on him. Their fee for telling one's fortune depended on the economic status of the victim. The very poor would pay a dollar while the more affluent couldn't get off with less than five.

It was an easy matter to identify the married females in the tribe; they wore silk scarves that covered their heads entirely. They preferred bright colors of black and green. The young ladies wore silks of black and green; their heads were uncovered until they were married.

Their marriage customs, to say the least, were different from those of other people. To begin with, they were extremely lax about marriage-half brothers and sisters could marry, as could nephews and nieces. The ceremony was very informal. The first requisite was, there must be an elopment followed by a ceremony of jumping over a stick or taking a drop of blood from the bride and groom and baking it in a cake. When the cake was eaten, the marriage was consummated. The last act in the marriage was for the groom to carry the bride into the tent.

My first encounter with Gypsies came about in this manner. We had been having some difficulty with a leak in a boiler in our high school building. Despite several attempts to have it welded, it still leaked. A band of Gypsies had set up a camp near Prestonsburg, some 25 miles further down the valley. The men in the group repaired stoves and furnaces and the women fleeced the public with their fortune-telling.

Somehow, they learned that we were having trouble with the furnace. They visited the county superintendent and informed him that they would guarantee to fix it as good as new.

They came late on a Friday afternoon and handed me a note from the superintendent which stated that they were to repair the boiler and that I was to keep a check on all the materials used. One Gypsy crawled inside the furnace

### CARD OF THANKS

Our deepest appreciation to all who expressed their sympathy to us on the passing of our loved one, N. F. Belcher. We would like to thank those who sent flowers, food, the nurses and doctors at

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### The Gypsies

By GEORGE L. MOORE

blow-torch and after a few minutes, he pronounced the weld complete. Another Gypsy went inside and found other sections in need of repair. He callef for a buck of mortar made from crushed chrome ore. The outside Gypsies very carefully weighed each pail and asked me to check the weight on the ancient scales. From previous experiences in the steel mills, I had learned that mortar made from crushed chrome ore was very expensive. It will withstand intense heat I was very suspicious that they had stolen this material from somewhere as the cost would have made it difficult for them to buy it. They plastered almost all the inside of the boiler with this material and pronounced it as good as new. It did work for about three days and then suddenly all the plastered material fell out.

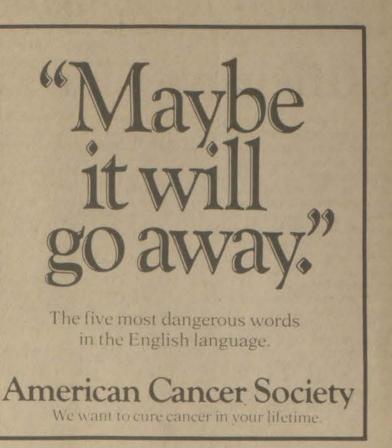
At that time, we had an elderly man for a janitor who had a garden on the creek bank near the school. The short Gypsy with the mustache made arrangements with the janitor to boil them 36 eggs and bake a large pan of cornbread for their evening meal. When all were seated at the table, one of the Gypsies looked at the janitor and said, "Pop, where is the butter? You can't eat cornbread without it." A large bowl of butter was set on the

about some of your fine green onions. Can we have a few?" He left the table and as quick as a wink returned with an armload of green onions, all washed and ready to eat. After they had consumed all before them, one of them said, "Pop, this is a fine meal, but all Gypsies finish their meals with a glass of buttermilk". In the beginning, the janitor thought he had made a profitable contract with the Gypsies, but, as it turned out, they nearly ate him out of house and home.

When the head Gypsy of the band went to see the superintendent about working on the furnace, he took his small son with him. The superintendent said, "You ought to give me that boy." He thought no more about it until the Gypsy and his wife called at his home a few nights later, dressed in their best, with the small boy with them. They said, "Here is the boy that you wanted. We have decided to give him to you." He had a difficult time explaining to the Gypsies that he was only joking; however, to the Gypsies, it was no joke. They said, "He belongs to you and we want you to keep him'

I should say, in conclusion, when I made out the bill for the material and work the Gypsies did on the furnace, I wrote on the bill that further inspection is needed before the bill is paid. He pleaded with me to make out another and leave off the "inspection" part of it.

The superintendent looked at the bill and paid him a small fraction of the fee





the \$4 million will go to residential refurbishing, the region is not administratively equipped to handle any larger amount.

"For a two-year project, they'll be fortunate to use all the money that is available. We think that is realistic,' Miss Hamilton said. "We estimate that it takes 100 hours of staff work to handle just one grant application."

the McDowell Regional Hospital for all their help, the ministers of the Regular Baptist Church and the Hall Bros. Funeral Home for their kind services. THE FAMILY

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### Naomi Austin Daniels

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Free Pentecostal Church of God at Wheelwright for Mrs. Naomi Austin Daniels, 74, of Wheelwright, who died Monday morning at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin. Rev. Darrell Sloce will be the officiating minister.

Born November 2, 1902 in Johnson county, she was a daughter of the late James and Caroline Music Austin.

She is survived by a son, Earl Daniels, of Wheelwright; three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Bartley and Mrs. Carol Tudor, both also of Wheelwright, Mrs. Anna Dobbs, of Westland, Mich.; two brothers, Cecil and Irvin Daniels, both of Columbus, O.; five sisters, Mrs. Lucy Eden, of Martin, Mrs. Wilda Demurry, of Wheelwright, Mrs. Sylvia Demartz, of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Nola Huff and Mrs. Virginia Hedrick, both of Wheelwright.

Burial will be made in the Newman cemetery at Hi Hat under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

### John D. Ousley

John D. Ousley, 63, former resident of Floyd county, died September 20 at his home near Plymouth, Ohio of a heart attack. Mr. Ousley was born at Martin, February 7, 1914, living there until about 1941. Then he resided at Hippo until 1952 when he moved to Route 1, Plymouth, Ohio. He was the son of the late Hager and Sally Ousley.

Mr. Ousley was employed in the maintenance department of the Fisher Body Division, General Motors Corp., Mansfield, Ohio. He was an elder in the Little Rebecca Old Regular Baptist Church at Plymouth, Ohio.

Surviving are his wife, Rhoda Hicks Ousley; three daughters, Mrs. Donald Haering and Mrs. Frank Krupa, both of Mansfield, Ohio, and Mrs. Kenneth Hamer, of Willard, Ohio; three sons, Frank, of Plymouth, Ohio, Claude, of Willard, Ohio, and Clarence, of Shelby, Ohio; four brothers, Claude, of Shelby, Ohio; four brothers, Claude, of Shelby, Ohio; Row, of Martin, Joe, of Grass Lake, Mich., and Raleigh, of Ada, Ohio; four sisters, Mrs. Hubert Stephens and Mrs. Georgie Wright, both of Martin, Mrs. John H. Shepherd, of Warsaw, Indiana, and Mrs. Kelly Reed, of Plymouth, and 16 grandchildren.

Services were held at the Little Rebecca Church, September 23, with burial in the Greenlawn cemetery at Plymouth.

### Durcilla (Dee Dee) Pack

Funeral services for Miss Durcilla (Dee Dee) Pack, 23, who died Sunday at UK Medical Center following a long illness, will be conducted at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday) at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church by Regular Baptist ministers.

She is survived by her parents, Russell and Eleanor Stumbo Pack, of Drift; a brother, John Ellis Pack, and two sisters, Diana Lee and Debra Lynn Pack, all at home.

Burial will be made in the Drift cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

### **Obituaries**

### **Robert L. Jones**

Robert L. Jones, 60, of Betsy Layne, died Friday afternoon, September 30, at Methodist Hospital. Pikeville, following an extended illness.

Born April 9, 1917 at Craynor, he was a son of the late Marcus Leon (King) Jones and Sarah Justice Jones. Mr. Jones was a retired teacher who taught at the Harold Grade School, the Betsy Layne High School, and was principal for 20 years at the Spruce Pine Elementary School. He was associated with the Floyd county school system for 37 years, was a member of the National Education Association, the Kentucky Education Association, the Eastern Kentucky Education Association. He was a veteran of army service during World War II in the Pacific Theater and was a member of the Betsy Layne United Methodist

Church. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Pauline Taylor Jones; two sons, Sgt. 1-C Randell Lee Jones, Washington, D. C., and Robert Lee Jones, Jr., of Betsy Layne; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Francis Stamper, of Pikeville, and Mrs. Beth Mahan, of Lexington; two brothers, Charley Jones, of Grethel, Kelly Jones, of Betsy Layne, and five grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Monday at 11 a.m. at the Betsy Layne United Methodist Church by the Revs. Charles Rowe, James LeMaster, Floyd Tackett, and Cohen Campbell. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Garden at Ivel under direction of Baker Funeral Home.

### **Maudie Hicks Slone**

Mrs. Maudie Hicks Slone, 82, of Prestonsburg, died last Friday at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home here after a long illness.

A native of Garrett, she was a daughter of Green and Peggy Margaret Howard Hicks. She was a member of the Prestonsburg Church of Christ. Mrs. Slone was preceded in death by three husbands—Sherman Collins, Evangelist Will Hall and Namon Slone.

Survivors include three sons and two daughters, Ershell Collins, Jacksboro, Tenn., Ralph Collins, of Wayland, James Edward Collins, Columbus, O., Mrs. Rusha Coleman, of Wayland, and Mrs. Georgia Simpson, Stanton, Calif.; one brother, Wonnie Hicks, Newpport News, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Mima Moore and Mrs. Effie Hughes, both of Garrett, and Mrs. Hazel Napier, of Indiana; 25 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday from the chapel of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home by Bennie Blankenship, and burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens.

### Lum Clark

Lum Clark, 75, of Auxier, died Monday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a long illness.

Born October 4, 1902 in Lawrence county, he was a son of the late Theodore and Mary Frances Carter Clark. A

### Rosanna Thornsbury

Rosanna Thornsberry, 89, of Topmost, died Sept. 26 at the Highlands Regional Medical Center here after a long illness. She was the daughter of the late Harrison and Elizabeth Bates Hall, of Knott county. She had been a member of the Dry Creek Old Regular Baptist Church for 35 years.

Survivors include three sons, Mack, of Kite, Roscoe and M. H., both of Michigan; three daughters, Mrs. Allie Hall and Mrs. Eliza Johnson, both of Kite, and Gracie Thornsburry, of Topmost: 27 grandchildren and many greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sept. 29 at 10 a.m. from the Dry Creek Old Regular Baptist Church, with Lonza Younts and others officiating. Burial was made in the Thornsberry family cemetery at Kite under direction of the Knott Funeral Home.

### Thomas B. Sexton

Family funeral service for Thomas B. Sexton, 76, of 9250 Butte Falls Hwy. Eagle Point, Oregon was held Sept. 26 in the Conger-Morris Downtown Chapel. He died at the Hearthstone Convalescent Home, Sept. 24. Committal followed the service at Hillcrest Memorial Park in Medford. The Rev. Richard Kirk, of the First Baptist Church, Medford, officiated.

Mr. Sexton was born Dec. 15, 1900 at Pyramid, the eldest son of Malcolm and Alice Cox Sexton. His early adulthood was spent in Wayland where he served as cashier of the Bank of Wayland for a few years. He was a member of the Southern Methodist Church and Masonic Lodge in Kentucky. In 1932 he moved with his family to Southern California where he resided for almost 40 years in the Los Angeles area. During this time he was associated with General Motors as a sales representative for a number of years. In 1965 he retired from the Chrysler Corporation after 12 years as district manager. He moved with his family to Eagle Point, Oregon in 1974.

On May 20, 1923 he married the former Lola Rhodes, who survives. Other survivors include one daughter, Alice Fauble, Eagle Point, two sisters, Elizabeth Hayes and Marie Armstrong, both of Medford; two grandsons and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers, Bill, Curtis, Floyd and Raymond, and one sister, Bertha Rhodes.

### Bennie Adams

Funeral services will be conducted today (Wednesday) at 11 a.m. at the residence for Bennie Adams, 82, who died Sunday at his home on the Middle Creek road following an extended illness. Officiating ministers will be Revs. Oscar Prater, Adam Marshall, and Byrd Poe. Born September 16, 1895 he was a son

Born September 16, 1895, he was a son of the late George and Polly Brown Adams and was a retired farmer.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Viney Holbrook Adams; two sons, Ellis and Lenna Adams, both of the Middle Creek road; four daughters, Mrs. Iris Bradford, of David, Mrs. Lina Howard



### **KENTUCKY REGISTRATION AND ELECTION LAWS**

1. Every United States Citizen who is a resident of this state and has resided in the precinct thirty (30) days preceding the day of any regular or special election may vote in the precinct in which he (she) is qualified to vote.

2. A voter's residence shall be where his habitation is, and to which, when absent, he (she) has the intention of returning.

3. Minors who will become eighteen (18) years old by the regular November election shall be entitled to vote in the primary election, if otherwise qualified.

4. When a voter changes his place of residence from one precinct to another within the county, the voter must contact the County Court Clerk in person or by mail to transfer his registration record to the proper precinct.

5. A registered voter who moves less than thirty (30) days before an election may vote at his (her) former residence in person or by absentee ballot.

6. Any voter who changes his ( her) name shall indicate the change at the precinct on election day by signing an oath.

7. If a change of party affiliation is made after the General Election in November, that person cannot vote in the next May Primary.

8. Primary elections are held in order to choose each political Party's candidate for public office. Thus, in a Primary Election, the voter must vote only for the candidates of the Party for which he (she) is registered. Primary elections are held on the 4th Tuesday in May.

9. IN THE GENERAL ELECTION, A VOTER MAY VOTE FOR ANY CANDIDATE IN ANY PARTY, REGARD-LESS OF HIS (HER) REGISTRATION. GENERAL ELECTIONS ARE HELD ON THE FIRST TUESDAY IN NOVEMBER.

10. APPLICATION FOR ABSENTEE BALLOT OR DISABLED VOTER'S BALLOT MUST BE MAILED TO THE COUNTY COURT CLERK'S OFFICE NOT LESS THAN SEVEN DAYS BEFORE THE ELECTION. THE ABSENTEE BALLOT NO LONGER NEEDS TO BE NOTORIZED, HOWEVER, THE APPLICATION FOR THE DISABLED VOTER MUST BE SIGNED BY A PHYSICIAN.

11. Registration books close thirty (30) days prior to and for five (5) days after said election.

12. All voters are required to sign the precinct list at polls prior to voting. The polls are open from six (6) a.m. to six (6) p.m. on Election Day.

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THE FIRST FEDERAL child labor legislation was the Keating-Owens Act of 1916, which prohibited carrying in interstate or foreign commerce any goods produced by firms employing children who were under 14 or who worked 14 to 16 hours a day, according to "Labor Firsts in America," published by the U.S. Department of Labor. veteran of World War II, he was a retired miner.

Surviving him is one brother, Buford Clark, also of Auxier.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday by the Rev. Tommy Spears in the chapel of Hall Brothers Funeral Home. Burial will be made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel. and Mrs. Irine Howard, both of Rochester, Ind., Mrs. Dorothy Jean Holland, of Frankfort; a half brother, Linzie Adams, of Columbus, O.; two half sisters, Mrs. Nora Sparks, in Ohio, and Mrs. Mary Owens, in Indiana; 21 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Burial will be made in the Holbrook cemetery at Chestnut Grove under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

### Phoebe Baisden Hamilton

Funeral services for Mrs. Phoebe Baisden Hamilton, 33, of Columbus, O., who died Saturday in Doctors West Hospital there following a sudden illness, will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Merion Funeral Chapel by the Revs. Delmar Hamilton and Willie Bailey.

Born June 25, 1944 in Williamson, W. Va., she was a daughter of Mrs. Betty Burke Upperman, of Hillard, O., and the late Oscar Baisden. She was last employed by the Columbus Glue Company and was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors, in addition to her mother, are her husband, Bill Gene Hamilton; a son, Billy Gene Hamilton, II, and two daughters, Nancy Eloise and Rebecca Carol Hamilton, all at home; two sisters, Mrs. Lora L. Bailey and Mrs. Linda C. Ward, both of Columbus, O.; a brother, Oscar Baisden, also of Columbus; a half sister, Lisa Upperman, of Hilliard, O., and her stepfather, Dallas Upperman. Burial will be made in the Burton cemetery at Ligon.

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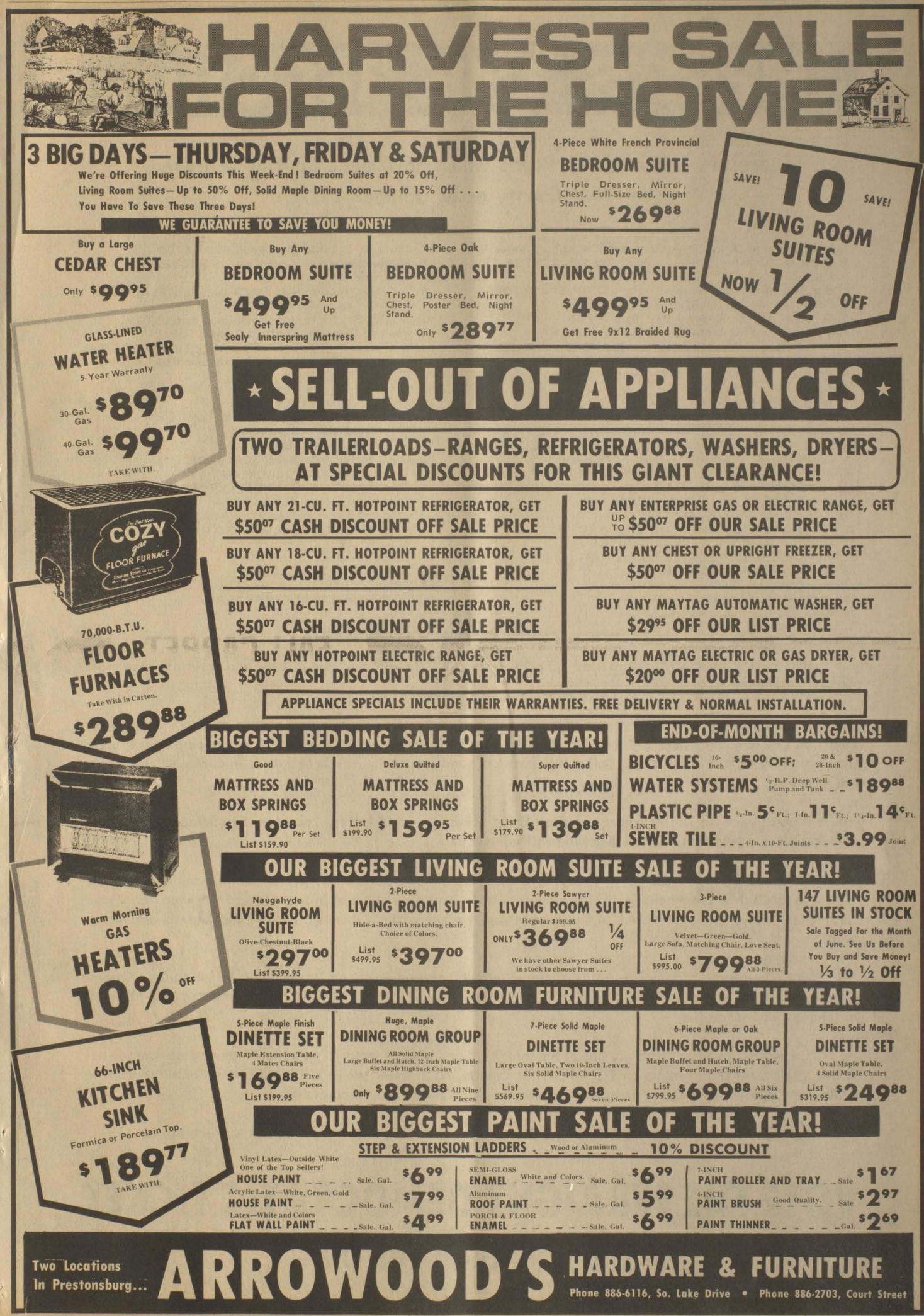
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- 2. Right and Left Fork of Little Paint Road BLACKTOP 3 Miles
- 3. Big Branch and Left Fork of Abbott Creek BLACKTOP
- 4. Bonanza to Whitaker Road BLACKTOP
- 5. Stephens Branch Road at Cliff BLACKTOP
- 6. Right and Left Forks of State Road Fork BLACKTOP
- 7. David Road to Magoffin County Line BLACKTOP
- 8. Middle Creek Road to Brush Creek BLACKTOP
- 9. Spurlock-Bucks Branch Road BLACKTOP
- 10. Buffalo Road BLACKTOP
- 11. Allen to Banner Road BLACKTOP
- 12. Mays Branch Road BLACKTOP
- 13. Right Fork of Bull Creek BLACKTOP
- 14. Left Fork of Bull Creek BLACKTOP
- 15. Johns Branch Road at Maytown BLACKTOP
- 16. Turkey Creek Road to Garrett Road BLACKTOP
- 17. Stone Coal Road BLACKTOP
- 18. Prater Fork of Brush Creek BLACKTOP
- 19. Brush Creek Road BLACKTOP
- 20. Goose Creek Road and Bridge BLACKTOP
- 21. Salt Lick Road and Bridge BLACKTOP
- 22. Wayland-Steels Creek Road BLACKTOP
- 23. Sizemore Road BLACKTOP
- 24. Mill Creek IMPROVED
- 25. Cracker Bottom Road BLACKTOP
- 26. Arkansas Creek Road BLACKTOP

- 27. Spurlock to Little Mud Road BLACKTOP
- 28. Stumbo Hollow to Drift Road IMPROVED
- 29. Sizemore Road BLACKTOP
- 30. Road from McDowell to road to cemetery BLACKTOP
- 32. Frazier Creek Road BLACKTOP
- 32. Bill Hall Branch to Mud Creek Road BLACKTOP
- 33. Head of Clear Creek Road BLACKTOP
- 34. Buckingham Road to Knott County Line BLACKTOP
- 35. Jacks Creek Road to Knott County Line BLACKTOP
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If ALL of your tax dollars were spent on these roads, it would hardly "scratch the surface." State and Federal dollars must be received to get the entire job done.

In addition to the roads built and improved in Floyd County during this period, other projects were the New Floyd County Courthouse, the Courthouse Annex and Juvenile Detention Center, work on the Floyd County Park and Mini Parks. All of these have taken place without increasing your local taxes one single penny.

Federal regulations do not permit the money which is being spent on Parks to go for building or maintaining roads. These are SPECIAL funds set aside by the Congress of the United States and can only be spent on recreational facilities.

Good recreational facilities are one of the things which industry looks for when considering whether or not it will move a new plant into a particular City or County. As a result, we MUST build recreational facilities to make our County more attractive to firms which may be looking for new plant sites.

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### BOARD MEETS

The fall board meeting and conference of the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, was held, Sept. 25-27, at the Drawbridge Motor Inn, Ft. Mitchell, Kentucky. One of the highlights of the meeting was a debate on the proposed Constitutional convention. Speaker for the convention was Dr. Martin Perley, volunteer director of the Coallition for a Constitutional Convention, Louisville; speaker against the convention was Joseph Summe, Covington attorney.

The conferees enjoyed a hilarious evening, in the process of participating in an arts and crafts auction which was under the direction of the Junior Women's Clubs of Kentucky, The auctioneer was Barbara Pope, junior director of the Federated Women's Clubs of Missouri.

Attending the meeting from the Prestonsburg Woman's Club were Mrs. Rex W. Ankrom, president, and Mrs. James D. Adams, parliamentarian.

THE FIRST CLOSED shop clause in a labor contract was won by the Journeyman Cordwainers' Union in New York City in 1805, according to "Labor First in America," a publication of the U.S. Department of Labor.

### CHURCH HAS HOMECOMING

The annual homecoming of the First Church of God was held at the church here, Sunday. A former pastor, the Rev. Coy Rigney, of Middletown, Ohio, was the guest-speaker during the morning service. Following an oldtime, fellowship lunch, a song festival was enjoyed by the church group. Approximately 200 persons attended.



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### **ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS**

Mrs. Blake Woods was the honoree at a household shower given Friday evening, September 30, at the Allen Baptist Church, where she received many lovely gifts. Hostesses for the occasion were Ocie May, Macil Davis, Norma Davis, Maxine Rice, Pearl Watts, Patricia Branson, Dotty Layne, Marie Stephens, Waynette Layne, Margaret Tackett, and Rosemary Frasure. Mrs. Woods is the former Barbara Whitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Whitt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langley and sons, Jeff and Jerry, of Lexington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Granville Setser last week-end. Mrs. Langley is the granddaughter of Mrs. Setser.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lumpkins and sons, Chris and Chet, were in Huntington, Sunday, to visit Earl Allen at St. Mary's Hospital. Mr. Allen was transferred this past Thursday to Highlands Regional Medical Center at Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen R. Brackett, of Hazard, were in Lexington, Saturday, to visit their daughter, Laura, and also visited Mike Dixon, both students at the University of Kentucky. Mrs. Joe I. May has as guests this week her brother, Cecil Bush, and Mrs. Bush, of Sarasota, Florida.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parsons were in Lexington to visit his brother, George Parsons and Mrs. Parsons and family

Raymond Crum is a patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center near Prestonsburg.

James Webbb, Jr., who underwent surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, was able to return to his home here this past Tuesday, where he is recuperating well after leg surgery.

Mrs. Mildred R. Hall has returned home after spending several days visiting her sisters, Mrs. Emma Gallup, of Catlettsburg, and Mrs. John H. Klaiber, and Mr. Klaiber, of Rush, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Johnson, of Lebanon, were guests last week of their son, Ronald Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, and grandson, Todd, of Prestonsburg. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson also visited friends here at Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Setser, Ethel Stumbo, and Bill Hammonds were the dinner guests of Bill and Dennie Stumbo, last Sunday. Others visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stumbo were Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Foley and daughter, Glenda, Geni Crider, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stumbo.

Miss Ramona Hall, who is attending college in South Carolina, was here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall, and Elizabeth last week-end.

Mrs. Gerald George, of Endicott, Mrs. Lundy George, of Lowmansville, and Mrs. Ed Daniels visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston, of Ulysses, one day this past week. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brackett and John D. Preston, of Paintsville, were visitors there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bailey had as their guest this past week-end her sister, Mrs. Virginia Francis, of Lexington.

Mrs. Dennie Slone has spent some time staying with her nephew, Dan Slone, of Dema, who has been quite ill at Highlands Regional Medical Center. His condition is improved at this time. Allie Howard, a former resident of Allen, and now of Owensboro, was here last week visiting friends. Kenneth Donta, accompanied by

Nancy Coyer, both students at Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Donta, Sunday, They also visited her parents at Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hicks and son, their new home at Millard.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Gills, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Slone over the week-end. family are visiting her parents, Mr. and

Ohio, this week.

for three days undergoing tests there.

Stephens, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis were in Cincinnati, Ohio, from Tuesday until Thursday visiting Mrs. David's daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Clay. Mrs. Clay underwent major surgery there at Good Samaritan Hospital, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, of Newark, Ohio, also visited there. They were all guests of Mrs. Davis's daughter, Mrs. Mary Ruth Clay, Mr. Clay, and their family while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Branson and daughter, Danette, were shopping in Huntington, Saturday. They also visited relatives at Inez, Sunday.

Jeremy Michael, moved Sunday into

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hinchman and

Mrs. Ralph Welheim, in Lewisbury, Mrs. Clarence Stephens was a patient

at Highlands Regional Medical Center Mrs. Manford Davis, Mrs. Clarence

Mrs. Joe W. Burchett was entertained with a surprise birthday part at the home

MRS. BURCHETT HONORED

of her son, Albert A. Burchett, and Mrs. Burchett, the evening of September 28. Mrs. Burchett was the recipient of many gifts. Others enjoying the occasion were Mr. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goebel, Jr., Mrs. Hershell Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tom Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Burchett, and the hosts.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Clemont Cartmell, of Dayton, Ohio, visited his brother, Bert Cartmell, Jr., Mrs. Cartmell and children, and with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stepp here last week. They also spent some time with relatives in Pike county before returning home.

YOU CAN COLLECT MOONDUST WITH BUCKET, SCIENTIST SAYS WASHINGTON-Want to collect some moondust?

It's easy, according to scientist Eugene M. Shoemaker. "Little bits of the moon are falling on us all the time," he says. To collect some samples, place a bucket under a downspout leading from the roof of a house. After a rain, carefully empty the bucket, leaving only silt.

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### A Plea for a Child's Life

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Today my daughter, who is 6 years old, started off to school. Her cocker spaniel, whose name is Scott, watched her leave and whined his belief in the folly of education.

Tonight we talked about school. She told me about the girl who sits in front of her, a girl with yellow curls, and about the boy across the aisle who makes faces; about the teacher who has eyes in the back of her head; about the trees in the school yard and the big girl who does not believe in Santa Claus.

We talked about a lot of things-tremendously vital and unimportant things.

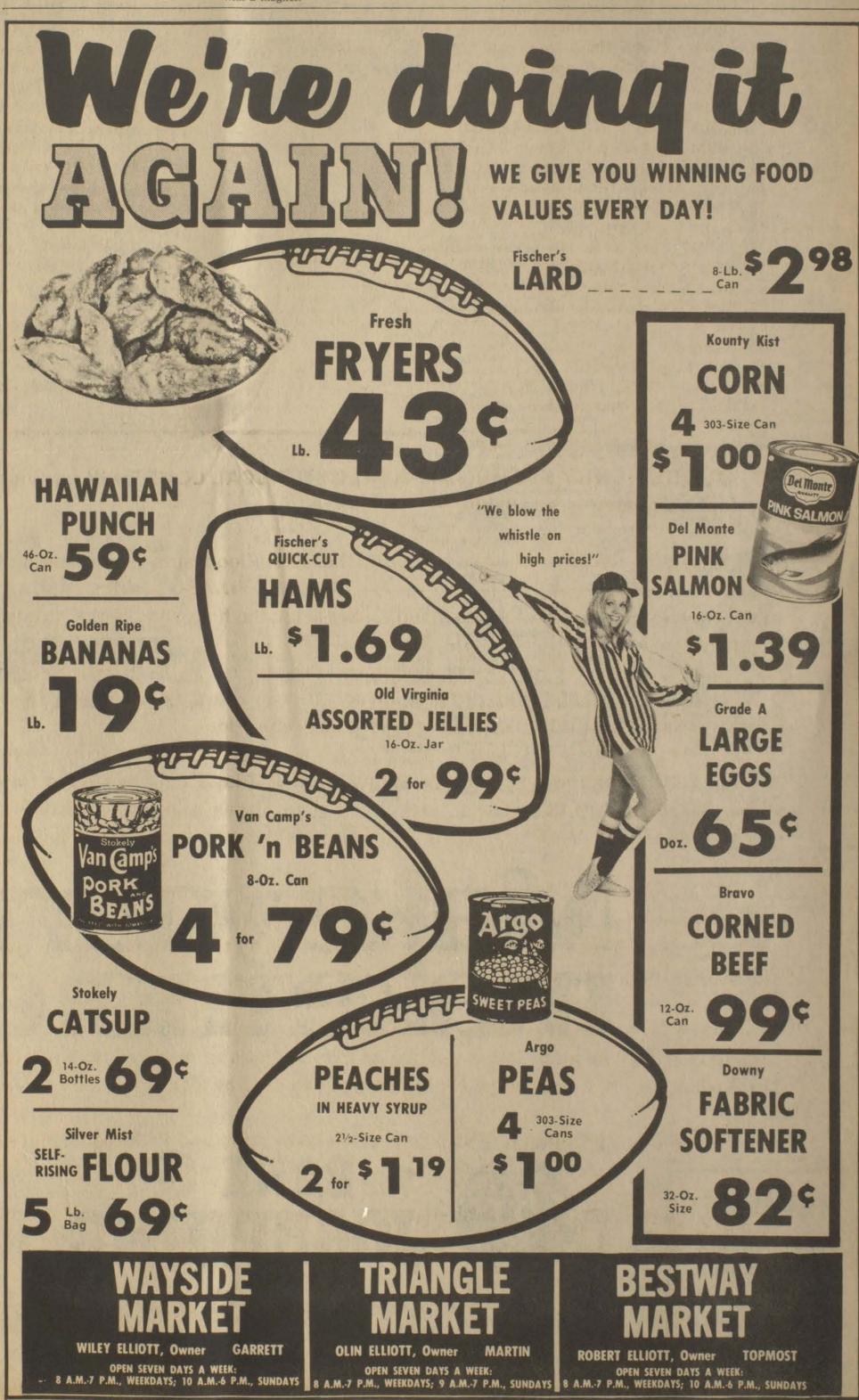
Now, as this is written, she is sound asleep with her doll "Paddy" in her arms. When her doll gets broken or her finger gets cut or her head gets bumped, I can fix them. But when she starts across the street-then, Mr. Driver, she is in your hands

Much as I wish I could, it's not possible for me to be with her all the time. I have to work to pay for her home, her clothes, her education.

So, Mr. Driver, please help me to look out for her. Please drive carefully. Please drive slowly past schools and at intersections. And please remember that sometimes children run from behind parked cars. Please don't run over my little girl.

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### Christian, Communist Coexistence, Subject **Of Two-Part Program**

A two-part program on "The Christian-Marxist Dialogue" will be held Sunday. Oct. 9 at 7:30 p.m. at Saint Theodore Catholic Church here and on Sunday, Oct. 16 at 7.30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church. The first session will be led by Father William Poole and the second by the Rev. William Thomas. The discussion will center on the

practical question of Christian and Communist co-existence. Areas to be examined include: the "underground church" in Marxist-oriented countries, purported "modifications" of traditional anti-religious Marxist doctrines in Western European Communist parties, the Christians For Socialism group in South America, the Communist Manifesto, the effectiveness of detente, the extent of cooperation with Marxist fron organizations, the Christian response to atheism.

The public is invited to this program.

### PLAN RUMMAGE SALE

The Betsy Layne M. Y. F. will sponsor a rummage sale. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 6-8, at Dean Osborne's Car Sales, behind the Fire Department The hours will be 9 a.m. till 5 p.m.

### NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT

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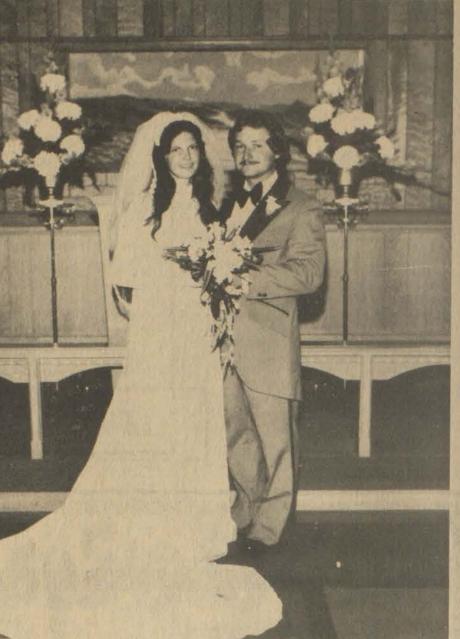
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The City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County propose to request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be used for the acquisition of a 12 to 15 acre housing site, extension of water and sewer facilities, curb and street repairs, and rehabilitation grants. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project activities include: 1) acquisition of approximately fifteen (15) acres on Abbott Mountain for the development of forty (40) low and moderate income housing units with FmHA funds; 2) construction of an access road with Kentucky Department of Transportation and Appalachian Regional Commission funds to provide access to ninety-four (94) units of New Section 8 housing proposed for the Cliffside site and to an industrial site; 3) construction of sanitary sewers in the Old Lancer neighborhood; and 4) provision of forty (40) rehabilitation grants to repair flood damage to homes in the Old Lancer area

These funds would also provide sanitary sewers in the Old Lancer area of

### Miss Collins-Mr. Cooley Wed



Miss Virginia Ann Collins, daughter of Mrs. Aggie Collins, of Wayland, and the late Lawrence Collins, became the bride of Mr. David Charles Cooley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cooley, of Estill, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 4, 1977. The wedding took place in the United Methodist Church at Wayland and was solemnized by the Rev. Mabry Holbrook.

A program of nuptial music was presented by pianist Mike Cooley, brother of the groom, and by Mrs. Carolyn Puckett who sang "Evergreen" and "If."

The bride was given in marriage by two of her brothers, Charles Collins, of Prestonsburg, and Marvin Collins, of Wayland.

She wore a long white gown of satin and lace fashioned with long sleeves and a modified victorian neckline. The A-line skirt featured a train length veil of lace with a pearled head piece. Her bouquet was of white orchids and baby roses.

Mrs. Donna Collins, sister-in-law of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a peach floral knit gown and matching hat, and carried a long-stemmed rose

The bridesmaids, Miss Lisa Collins and Miss Lynn Collins, neices of the bride, and Miss Mary Sue Martin, cousin of the bride, wore identical gowns of coral knit with coral hats and each carried a long-stemmed rose.

Mr. Barry Combs, of Garrett, served as best man.

Ushers and taper lighters were Delmar Collins, brother of the bride, Johnny Slone, cousin of the bride and Kern Patton, friend of the groom.

Chris Collins, of Prestonsburg, and Jimmy Collins, of Wayland, nephews of the bride, served as aisle attendants.

Craig Collins, of Prestonsburg, nephew of the bride served as ringbearer, and Miss Laressa Puckett, of Wayland, was flower girl.

Mrs. Collins chose for her daughter's wedding a street-length dress of pale blue with white accessories and a white orchid. Mrs. Cooley chose a street-length dress of white and navy, with navy accessories and a white orchid.

A reception was held, following the wedding, in the church basement. Those assisting were Mrs. Jennie Dixon, Mrs. Arendle Wells, Mrs. Lois Collins, Mrs. Vanessa Collins, Mrs. Melvina Scott, Mrs. Molly Holbrook, Mrs. Doris May and Mrs. Toby True.

Following a two-week honeymoon trip to Florida, the couple now reside at

### Island Creek To Hold **Intercompany** Contest

Island Creek Coal Company will hold its second annual intercompany mine

rescue contest on the grounds of the company's corporate headquarters at 2355 Harrodsburg road, Lexington, Saturday. The contest, which runs from 8 a.m. until noon, will include one mine rescue team from each of the company's four operating divisions. The public is invited to attend the meet

The teams will represent the operating divisions of Island Creek located in Madisonville, and Paintsville, Ky., Craigsville, W. Va., and Keen Mountain, Va The team from Paintsville was the winner of last year's event.

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It has been determined that such request of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment; and, accordingly, the City of Prestonsburg has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190)

An Environmental Review Record respecting the project has been made by the City of Prestonsburg which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reason why a statement is not required. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the following locations and is available for public examination and copying, upon request at Prestonsburg Housing Authority, Green Acres, Prestonsburg; Floyd County Community Development Agency, Allenburt Building, Court Street, Prestonsburg, No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request of Federal funds. Public comment on these activities of the City of Prestonsburg-Floyd County may be submitted to the office of the Community Development Agency through CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Harold W. Cooley Mayor of Prestonsburg c-o Mrs. Anna Jean Tackett **City Treasurer** P. O. Box 31 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

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### MYF HAS DISTRICT MEET

The Floyd County United Methodist Youth met for their sub-district meeting at Trimble Chapel, Sept. 26. The program for this month was the installation of new officers. The officers for the coming year are: Sara Lee Arnett, president; Kim Tackett, vice-president; Velina S. Adkins, secretary; Sherry Burke, treasurer. The guiding pastor for the year is Rev. Brown from Salyersville Methodist Church. The youth counsellor is C. Scott Hines, of Wheelwright. All youths in this area are invited to attend these monthly meetings. The next meeting will be at the Betsy Layne Methodist Church, Oct. 17.

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### **RETURNS TO SCHOOL**

Winn Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Jr., has returned to the Mills School in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, after spending his summer vacation here with his parents. He was accompanied back to school by Mr. and Mrs. Ford.

### HERE FROM LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahan and daughter, Sherri, of Lexington, were called here recently due to the illness and death of Mrs. Mahan's father, Robert Jones, of Betsy Layne. They also visited Mr. Mahan's mother, Mrs. Jess Mahan, and other relatives before returning home

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# Kentucky Coal Output May Approach '75 Record—If...

(From The Kentucky Business Ledger) Spokesmen for Kentucky's coal industry say coal production in the state during 1977 should exceed figures for 1976 and might come respectably close to 1975's record output of 144 million tons. But they hedge their predictions with a lot of IF's.

-IF UMW members don't go on strike December 6, considered by some to be a virtual certainty.

—IF there's no recurrence of the wildcat strikes that spread into Eastern Kentucky coalfields from West Virginia mines and shut down many operations for 10 weeks.

-IF new strip mines are able to get permits, which the state is denying if part of the operation touches "prime" farm land that has been worked for at least five of the past 20 years.

-IF new transportation difficulties don't crop up.

-IF another bitter winter doesn't take hold, freezing coal piles and coalhaul roads and rendering machinery inoperable.

While it's an impressive list of unknowns, coal producers are encouraged by figures that show total state production for the first 34 weeks of the year up from last year's comparison period. While Western Kentucky coal output is down, production of Eastern Kentucky coal has been up sufficiently to account for an overall stateiwde increase of more than two per cent.

The production figures and current activities that affect production are being looked at more closely these days due to national concern about energy shortages and the knowledge that under existing technology, coal reserves are the country's only abundant energy source for the future.

Yet there are many paradoxes to the supply-and-utilization future of coal.

While President Carter has called for increased utilization of coal and a doubling of coal production by 1985, coal producers and industries that burn coal complain of restrictive legislation that hinders coal production and use. At the same time, industries are resisting forced conversion to coal use and interests that are exploring methods of turning coal into other cleaner-burning fuels say they need more financial help from the government to build and operate experimental plants.

	34 Weeks (August 27) (Tonnage, 000 omitted)				
	1977	1976	% Change		
Stern Kentucky	60,526	54,920	+10.2		
Western Kentucky	28,112	31,836	-11.7		
entucky	88,638	86,756	+ 2.2		
West Virginia	60,113	80,784	- 25.6		
United States	437,880	428,405	+ 2.2		
Source: U.S. Burea	u of Mines				

Tom Duncan, president of the Kentucky Coal Association, cited as an example of legislation that restricts new production the 1977 Surface Mine Act. If are implemented substantially in their present form, he said, "Kentucky won't be able to recover in a few years from the set-back we'll take." As an illustration, he pointed out that the regulations would prevent a coal haul road from being built within a state's 100-mile flood-plain—the area that could reasonably be expected to be subject to flood within the next 100 years. Under this stipulation, Mr. Duncan said, "you couldn't have built an interstate in Kentucky; only the tips of a few mountains" could be used.

Coal-burning industries are concerned over possible requirements that costly scrubbers be instaled to smokestacks to remove sulphur-dioxide gas. The Tennessee Valley Authority in September approved construction of a prototype facility to test a new scrubber system at TVA's Shawnee plant in Western Kentucky. Other experimental scrubber work has been done by Louisville Gas and Electric under a demonstration project of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

State coal producers have mixed feelings about scrubber requirements, recognizing that they would increase costs which eventually would be passed on to the consumer but at the same time realizing that mandatory scrubbers would put much of Kentucky's highsulphur coal in a better competitive position with the low-sulphur (and cleaner-burning) coal mined in the western United States.

Growing production of western coal has been a concern of Kentucky miners, who view it as cutting into the traditional markets of the eastern coalfields. Cloyd McDowell, president of the National Independent and Harlan County coal operators associations, fears a future of heavy western production with eastern fields remaining relatively stable rather than growing as had been predicted a few years ago.

"On the basis of national production, the western fields are supposed to increase in production by 500 percent between now and 1985. If we're going to come up with 1.2 billion tons of coal by 1985, this means the western producers will be mining about 700 million tons and the eastern field will produce about 500 million tons which is practically what is being produced now," he said.

"If things had developed the way we anticipated them, the eastern field would have gained in production by at least 90 per cent by 1985."

Western coalfield mines are capable of producing vast tonnage at less expensive prices than the eastern field coal mines because the western fields primarily have strip mines. And there are no large mountains to contend with—operators simply remove a few feet of soil and they are in thick coal seams.

While they have this advantage, the only thing now that seems to be keeping them from just coming in and taking over our markets wholesale is there are not enough transportation facilities to do Mr. McDowell continued. SO,' "If the western field gets the slurry pipeline, and it appears as though they can within a reasonable period of time, then that transportation disadvantage will be removed to a certain extent." A bill considered by Congress would give condemnation powers to builders of slurry pipelines that use water to move crushed coal. However the transportation problem and regional competition are settled, the federal commitment remains to increase coal production and use. A bill passed by the U.S. Senate immediately upon return from its August recess would flatly prohibit all new electric generating stations and most major industrial plants from burning oil or gas as a primary heat source. Existing plants, except for carefully spelled out exemptions, would be required to convert to coal by 1990 and plants now using oil would not be allowed

to switch to gas in the meantime. By and large, plants not now equipped to burn coal would be required to convert to coal if their fuel consumption exceeds 250 million BTUs per hour. Federal loans and loan guarantees would be available to assist companies in the process.

As Walter A. Romanek of the Federal Energy Administration explained in a recent Louisville speech, "The President's program sees coal as the principal means for the United States to cope awith rising demand and declining oil and gas supplies during the next several decades."

Another type of coal conversionexperiments to turn coal into gas or some other fuel-has also colored the need for increased coal production.

Tying all these various proposals and developments together, however, is the nation's—and Kentucky's—ability to produce the additional quantities of coal needed. And according to Kentucky Coal Association's Tom Duncan, the ability can become reality only through more realistic governmental action.



Wins Ribbons

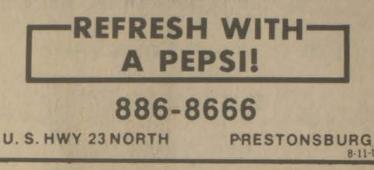
Michael Parsons, member of the Betsy Layne FFA chapter, won three ribbons at the Floyd County Fair. He won two blue ribbons for his entries of hickory nuts and walnuts. The red ribbon was for his apple entry. A sophomore, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Parsons, of Honaker.

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**1976 CHEVROLET CHEVELLE 4-DOOR** Silver-grey. Nice car.

> **1976 DODGE SWINGER** 6-cylinder. Real nice.

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Prestonsburg-Floyd County Section 407 Disaster Program

(Rehabilitation aid to this non-profit corporation is not available through the FDAA regulations for the 20 flood damaged units.) Rehabilitation grants will be issued in accordance with the criteria adopted by the City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County for flood damaged structures. This rehabilitation efforts combined with the new construction of Section 8 housing and the New Section 202 housing project, should provide a comprehensive approach to dealing with the housing needs created by the April 4, 1977, disaster.

**DeRossett School Students Circa 1934** 

### PUBLIC SALE

Under the terms of the Security Agreement, dated February 9, 1976. signed by Ronald T. Young, dba R & R Trucking Company, the undersigned will on the 22nd day of October, 1977, at 11

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606-886-2336 TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES,

GROUPS, AND PERSONS:

The City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County propose to request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be used for the acquisition of a 12 to 15 acre housing site, extension of water and sewer facilities, curb and street repairs, and rehabilitation grants. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County intend to conduct a rehabilitation program within the areas devastated by the April 4, 1977, flooding of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. The project activities include the acquisition of approximately 12 to 15 acres of Abbott Mountain to be used for the development of 40 to 45 low and moderate income housing units with HUD funds. An access road to serve 94 units of Section 8 New Construction at the Cliffside Site and an industrial area will also be constructed in combination with Kentucky Department of Transportation and Appalachian Regional Commission Funds. Community Development Funds would then be used to extend this road and water and sewer lines up to the Abbott Mountain Site.

In connection with the Community Development effort to rehabilitate the Old Lancer Neighborhood in Prestonsburg the Section 407 Disaster Application extends this effort to include the neighborhood of West Prestonsburg, the community of Martin, and the unincorporated areas of Allen, Betsy Layne, Emma and Harold. Section 312 Rehabilitation loans will be made available to both businesses and residents of the area who desire to repair their property to minimum property standards as adopted by the City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County. Through the Section 407 Disaster Application rehabilitation grants will be made available to low income, elderly and handicapped where it is essential that the house be brought up to minimum property standards and where additional Federal and State Funds are not available. Also a rehabilitation grant will be made available to the Highland Heights housing project, owned by the Church Housing Association, a non-profit private housing corporation.

It has been determined that such request of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment; and, accordingly, the City of Prestonsburg has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-

An Environmental Review Record respecting the project has been made by the City of Prestonsburg which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reason why a statement is not required. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the following locations and is available for public examination and copying, upon request at Prestonsburg Housing Authority, Green Acres, Prestonsburg; Floyd County Community Development Agency, Allenburt Building, Court Street, Prestonsburg, No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request of Federal funds. Public comment on these activities of the City of Prestonsburg-Floyd County may be submitted to the office of the Community Development Agency through CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER Harold W. Cooley Mayor of Prestonsburg c-o Mrs. Anna Jean Tackett City Treasurer P. O. Box 31 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

First Publication Date:

### D.A.V. SERVICE OFFICER TO HELP FILE CLAIMS, SAT.

A service officer of Andy J. Blanton Chapter 18, Disabled American Veterans, will be at the Auxier Fire Department Saturday, Oct. 8, to file claims for veterans, widows, and their dependents. The announcement comes in from James P. Connors, second junior vice-commander of Chapter 18.

### CORRECTION

In the obituary of Marshall Slone (last week's Times) the name of a brother, Bobby Collins, of Grove City, O., was omitted. The name of Ronsie Lee Cline also was incorrectly listed as Ronsie Lee Hennicker.



Pictured above are students who attended the Derossett School at Water Gap about 1934. In front, from left to right, are Ollie Lucille Derossett, James D. Derossett, Goldie Meadows, Aileen Derossett, Willie Derossett, Frank Meadows, Cottrell Meadows, Edna Derossett. In second row are Eunice Gray, Frank Derossett, Dennis Meadows, Taulbie Derossett, George Meadows, Merlon Derossett, Joan Derossett, Bill Derossett, Edward A. Derossett. In third row are Ida Webb, Gracie Belle Lafferty, Stella Derossett, Josephine Derossett, Robert Derossett, Hillard Derossett.

This picture was made available to the Times by Mrs. Lunata DeRossett, of Water Gap.

### **Obstructions** Close **Airport Temporarily**

MIDWAY MOTOR CO

The Pikeville-Pike County Airport Board has been told by the Kentucky Department of Transportation that the Pikeville airport may no longer be used for take-offs or landings until light poles and fencing on the northwest approach to its runway have been removed.

In a letter dated September 23 directed to Airport Board Chairman Frank J. Forsyth, Sr., Transportation Secretary Calvin G. Grayson gave notice that the airport's "landing area designation certificate," is being withheld temporarily.

Grayson explained that the light poles and fence obstruct the northwest approach to the extent that the airport no longer meets the requirements of KYDOT's regulations.

Forsyth was later quoted as saying the obstructions would be eliminated at once.

### Times Want Ads Get Results!

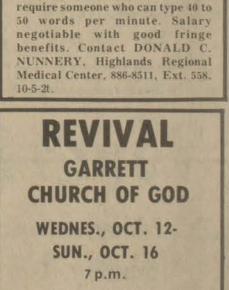
### STRIP MINE PERMITS ISSUED

The following permits to strip mine were issued by the reclamation division in the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection for the period Sept. 19 through Sept. 22:

Breathitt County-Centurion Properties, 23 acres; Johnson-Hy-Grade Coal Co., 34; Johnson-Lawrence-Temco Mining Co., 326; Lawrence-Tebco, Inc., 45; Letcher-Alla Coal Corp., 13; Martin-Birch Coal Co., 27; Perry-Green Brook Coal, 41; Pike-Bartley Fuel Corp., 18, Coal Run Coal Co., 22, and D. R. T. Coal Co., 50.

> YARD SALE Thursday, Fri., Sat. Town Branch Rd. Linda Gearheart 886-6694 It-pd.

THE FIRST FEDERAL labor bureau was created by the Hopkins Act of 1884, which placed the bureau under the Department of Interior, according to "Labor Firsts in America," a publication of the U.S. Department of Labor



Evangelist John Sims, Radnor, W. Va.

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I travel all over District 1. The roads are bad, I'll report to you every Fiscal Court meeting and tell you where your money is being spent.

### Wednesday, October 5, 1977



### The Floyd County Times

### PICNIC FOR PATIENTS

The picnic, given by the Floyd County ental Health Association recently, at Archer Park for Floyd county patients, at the Eastern State Hospital, Lexington, and their families, was a great success. Mrs. Glen Brickley, on behalf of the Association, states: "If you could have seen the happiness you helped to bring to these people, you would know it was worth any effort that you put forth." The Association wishes to thank everyone who furnished the food, and those who helped in the serving, and with the entertainment. Mrs. Brickley adds that a few unmarked dishes, left from the picnic, are at her home, and asks that persons to whom these dishes belong contact her there.

### IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. Paul Francis and Mrs. Hardin Short spent a day last week shopping in Huntington.

# THE FASHION BUG **Coming to** Weddington Plaza **OCTOBER 20**

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### **Inflation Hits Housing Plans**

Inflation may have stopped a \$2.7 million housing project here.

Highlands Terrace, the 80-unit minirise housing complex planned for the elderly by the Church Housing Association, was originally funded for \$2,700,000, but the contractor first raised the construction cost figure to \$240,000 more than that, and was last reported to have upped the cost to \$310,000 more than the amount allowed by HUD.

The Rev. Taylor L. Biggs, chairman of the Housing Association, said Tuesday that "there is a possibility we will not be able to build this year.

The Church Housing Association has operated the Highland Heights housing complex in the Goble-Roberts Addition for several years. Highlands Terrace was planned for location at the mouth of May's Branch here, near the Indian Hills low-rent project operated by the Prestonsburg Housing Authority.

'RED-LETTER DAYS' WERE RELIGIOUS

The phrase, "a red-letter day," comes from Christian calendars on which feast days connected with the life of Christ or dedicated to saints were printed in red

### **Proposed Law Would** Make PSC Fulltime

The Interim Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Transportation last week voted to establish a fulltime Public Service Commission (PSC).

The proposed legislation, adopted by the committee for pre-filing, provides for a fivemember PSC paid the same salary as circuit court judges. The governor would make appointments to the commission, subject to Senate approval, on a staggered-term basis.

Commission members may not have any business or financial interest in any utility. Speaking in behalf of the measure, Sen. Tom Easterly (D-Frankfort) said: "A parttime Public Service Commission is not only wrong, it's ridiculous." He said matters handled by the PSC are too complex to deal with on a parttime basis.

Forty-five states now have full-time utilities regulatory agencies, Easterly said.

### **Grant To Finance Housing Assistance**

housing corporation;

zations and activities;

supply cooperative which would

procure housing construction

materials at a low cost through

materials;

volume purchases.

Gov. Julian M. Carroll has announced that a \$37,000 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) grant has been awarded to hire a housingdirector-coordinator to organize and implement a housing technical assistance program for the Human Economic Appalachian Development Corporation (HEAD). The technical assistance will include the following activities: -Develop one new non-profit

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We, the members and officers of L. U. 8100 (United Mine Workers of America) do hereby endorse and pledge our support to the candidates of the **Democratic Party of Floyd County.** 

As labor people, we feel that the Democratic ticket would work towards our interest because our goals are essentially the same.

Therefore, we call upon all organized labor and UMWA members of Floyd County to support and vote for the Democratic ticket.

Recording Secretary, L. U. 8100 Harold Newsome President, L. U. 8100 Chester Newsome Financial Secretary, L. U. 8100 Cecil Newsome, Jr. **Vice-President Frank Matherm** 

(Pol. Adv. Pd. by James R. Allen, 1t.)

**Doorkeeper Edward Newsome** 

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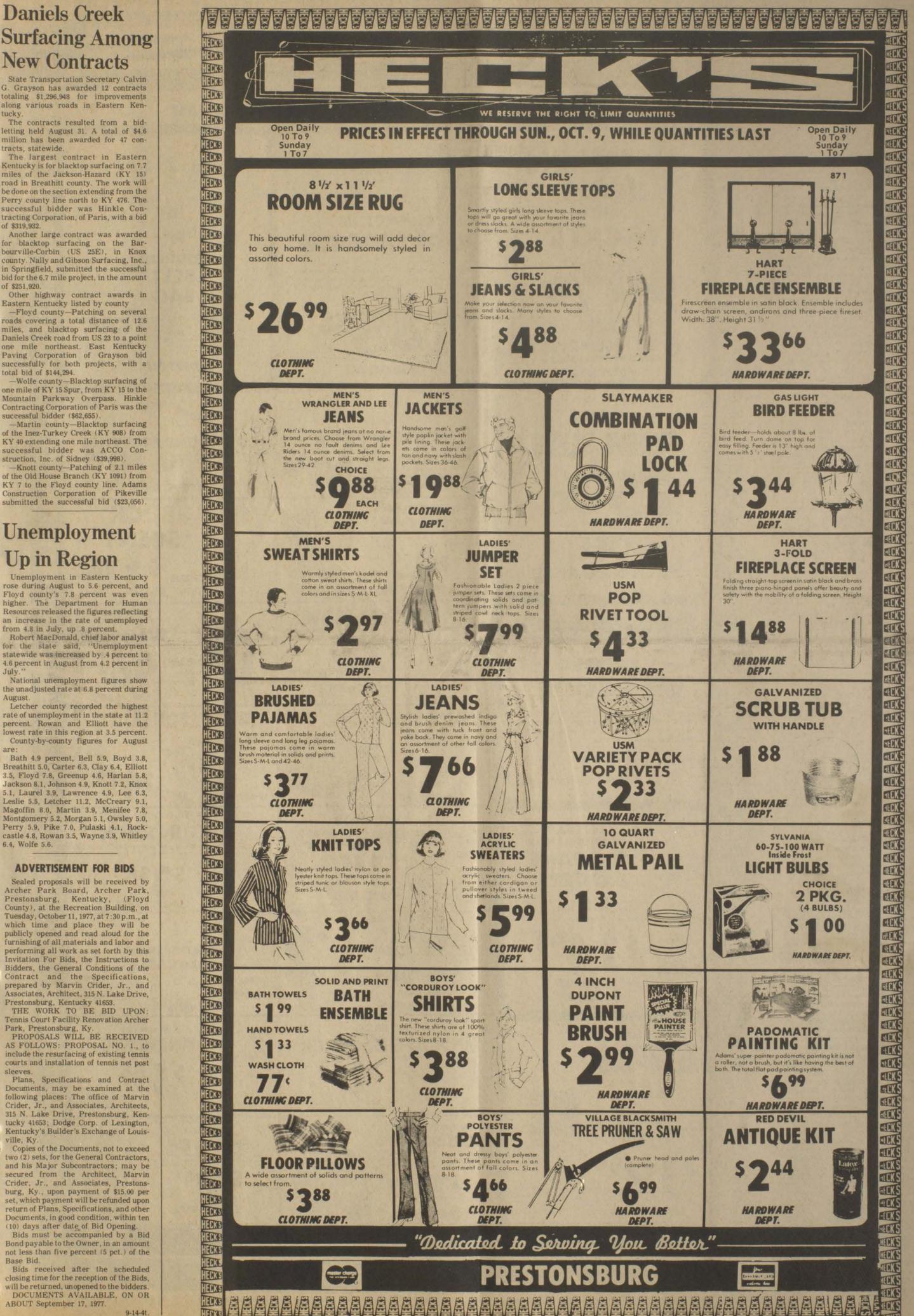
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of \$319,932.

of \$251,920.

total bid of \$144,294.

successful bidder (\$62,655)



percent. Rowan and Elliott have the lowest rate in this region at 3.5 percent. County-by-county figures for August are:

July.

August.

Bath 4.9 percent, Bell 5.9, Boyd 3.8, Breathitt 5.0, Carter 6.3, Clay 6.4, Elliott 3.5, Floyd 7.8, Greenup 4.6, Harlan 5.8, Jackson 8.1, Johnson 4.9, Knott 7.2, Knox 5.1, Laurel 3.9, Lawrence 4.9, Lee 6.3, Leslie 5.5, Letcher 11.2, McCreary 9.1, Magoffin 8.0, Martin 3.9, Menifee 7.8, Montgomery 5.2, Morgan 5.1, Owsley 5.0, Perry 5.9, Pike 7.0, Pulaski 4.1, Rockcastle 4.8, Rowan 3.5, Wayne 3.9, Whitley 6.4, Wolfe 5.6.

### **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals will be received by Archer Park Board, Archer Park, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, County), at the Recreation Building, on Tuesday, October 11, 1977, at 7:30 p.m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the furnishing of all materials and labor and performing all work as set forth by this Invitation For Bids, the Instructions to Bidders, the General Conditions of the Contract and the Specifications, prepared by Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Architect, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

THE WORK TO BE BID UPON: Tennis Court Facility Renovation Archer Park, Prestonsburg, Ky

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS: PROPOSAL NO. 1., to include the resurfacing of existing tennis courts and installation of tennis net post sleeves.

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents, may be examined at the following places: The office of Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Architects, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653; Dodge Corp. of Lexington, Kentucky's Builder's Exchange of Louisville, Ky

Copies of the Documents, not to exceed two (2) sets, for the General Contractors, and his Major Subcontractors; may be secured from the Architect, Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Prestonsburg, Ky., upon payment of \$15.00 per set, which payment will be refunded upon return of Plans, Specifications, and other Documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days after date of Bid Opening.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond payable to the Owner, in an amount not less than five percent (5 pct.) of the Base Bid.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of the Bids, will be returned, unopened to the bidders. DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE, ON OR ABOUT September 17, 1977.



### The Floyd County Times, Wednes., October 5, 1977

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US., COLOMBIA STUDY DRUG LAWS WASHINGTON—Officials of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration began a series of meetings with Colombian officials on methods of enforcing narcotics laws, recently.

A spokesman said the drug agency's administrator, Peter Bensinger, and other agency officials conferred with Cesar Gomez Estrada, Colombian minister of justice, and Jaime Serrano Rueda, Colombian attorney general.

### **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals will be received by the Floyd County Board of Education,



Prestonsburg, Kentucky (Floyd County), at the office of the Floyd County Board of Education, on October 13, 1977 at 3:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the furnishing of all materials and labor and performing all work as set forth by this Invitation for Bids, the Instructions to Bidders, the General Conditions of the Contract, the Specifications, and Drawings prepared by Crider and Associates, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The work to be bid upon: A New School Bus Garage, Garth, Kentucky Proposals will be received as follows:

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents, may be examined at the following places: Builders Exchange of Louisville, Kentucky; Dodge Corporation of Knoxville, Tennessee; Charleston, W. Va.; and Lexington, Kentucky; and at the office of Crider and Associates, Architect 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Copies of the documents, not to exceed two (2) sets, for the General Contractors, and his major Subcontractors; Mechanical, Air Conditioning, Plumbing, and Electrical only, may be secured from Crider and Associates, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, upon payment of \$40.00 per set, which payment will be refunded upon return of the plans, specifications, and other documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days, after date of bid opening. If more than two sets of documents are requested, they may be obtained upon payment of \$35.00, which payment will not be subject to refund. All deposits on hand after expiration of the ten-day period, become the property of Crider and Associates.

All subcontractors, material suppliers, and other interested parties, may obtain a full set of Drawings and Specifications for a total deposit of \$50.00, made payable to Crider and Associates, in two separate checks: one in the amount of \$35.00 completely refundable: and one in the amount of \$15.00—not subject to refund: or they may obtain the necessary sheets required to estimate their work, upon payment of \$2.50 per sheet of the drawings, which charge will include the corresponding section, or sections of the specifications.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond payable to the Owner in an amount not less than five persent (5 pct.) of the Base Bid.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of the Bids, will be returned, unopened to the bidders. DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE, on or about September 28, 1977. E. P. GRIGSBY, JR., Supt., Floyd County Schools

9-21-3t

### Bluegrass Is Set For "Black Beauty"

A novel by an Englishwoman, set in Maryland, is now being filmed in Kentucky and will be shown on NBC television on five consecutive nights late this year.

The film, "Black Beauty," is being shot this week on horse farms around Lexington, and filming will continue until the first or second week of November. Producer Ben Bishop said locations will include Shakertown at Pleasant Hill, downtown Lexington, downtown Frankfort, Winchester, Fayette and Bourbon County horse farms, and rural locations in several central Kentucky counties.

Pete Fisher, who wrote the screenplay and is executive producer, said, "the setting of the film is Maryland, but we were able to find ideal locations and superior cooperation in Kentucky." He added that assistance offered to the Universal production company by the Kentucky Film Commission was one of the primary reasons Kentucky was chosen.

Commission Executive Director Tom Clark-Todd said the film is set from about 1870 to the turn of the century. Its basic plot, he said, is "boy meets horse, boy loses horse, boy finds horse."

Among the actors who will be filming in Kentucky are Martin Milner, Clu Gullager, Jack Elam, Cameron Mitchell, Farley Granger, Eileen Brennan, William Devane, Forrest Tucker and Warren Oates. Oates, best known for his roles in "Dillinger," "The Wild Bunch," "Two Lane Blacktop" and "92 in the Shade," is a native of Louisville and a member of the Kentucky Film Commission.

Clu Gullager, who was a regular on the television series "The Virginian" and was in "The Last Picture Show," played a featured role in "Lawman Without a Gun," filmed in western Kentucky earlier this year.

The film is directed by Dan Haller, a highly respected Hollywood director. Haller has directed episodes of the television programs "Ironside," "Kojak" and "Charlie's Angels," among others.

Commerce Commissioner Terry McBrayer, chairman of the commission, emphasized the economic impact of motion picture production in Kentucky, pointing out that the University production will cast more than 70 speaking roles in Kentucky, is employing some two dozen Kentucky residents in technical and administrative positions and brought with them a company of nearly 100 persons who will be housed and fed in central Kentucky during the eight week production.

"It is impossible at this stage to assess the exact dollar figure that 'Black Beauty' will add to the Kentucky economy," McBrayer said: "But based on figures from past productions, we know it will be significant."

Clark-Todd joined Commissioner McBrayer in praising the quality of the Universal production company. "The people from Universal are efficient, responsible business people who are producing a motion picture of the higher calibre," Clark-Todd said, "and we are very excited about having them film



their entire project in Kentucky."

ICELAND'S MINISTER VISITS U.S. WASHINGTON—Iceland's Foreign Minister Einar Agustsson met yesterday with Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance for a review of political and security relations. Agustsson also has met with Vice President Walter Mondale and Defense Secretary Harold Brown. Officials said there are no major bilateral issues between the two countries.

### **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Project Number PLW04-51-21944 Prestonsburg, Ky., Owner

Separate sealed bids for A new Municipal Building for the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Floyd County, Ky. will be received by the City Clerk at the office of the city of Prestonsburg, Kentucky until 4 o'clock (A.M.-P.M., E.S.T.) October 18, 1977, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following:

Builders Exchange of Knoxville, Tennessee & Louisville, Kentucky; Dodge Corporation of Knoxville, Tennessee, Louisville & Lexington, Ky. and Cincinnati, Ohio; AGC Office in Lexington, Kentucky & the office of Marvin Crider, Jr. & Associates, Architect, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

Copies may be obtained at the office of Marvin Crider, Jr. & Associates located at 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky upon payment of \$150.00 for each set.

Any unsuccessful bidder, upon returning such set promptly and in good condition, will be refunded his payment, and any non-bidder upon so returning such a set will be refunded \$100.00. 50 (fifty dollars) will be retained to cover handling charges. The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditons of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof. 9-21-4t.

### Health Tip Carbon Monoxide From the American

Medical Association A silent killer may be loose in your house.

The criminal is carbon monoxide— CO—a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas produced every time a carbon-containing material burns.

The American Medical Association points out that CO combines with blood 200 times more easily than oxygen. If you breathe air containing a normal amount of oxygen and a moderate amount of carbon monoxide, your blood will be starved for oxygen. When blood cannot supply oxygen to your brain, permanent brain damage or death may result.

Dangerous quantities of CO accumulate when a cool, slow fire burns in limited air space. Since you can't see, smell or taste it, the gas is hard to detect except by your symptoms—drowsiness, headache, tightness across the forehead, confusion, nausea and muscular weakness. CO poisoning may confuse you so that you cannot reach fresh air to relieve the symptoms and prevent serious injury.

To prevent a carbon monoxide attack in your home-

-Have all heating systems checked annually for operating efficiency. Make sure that vents, pipes, flues and chimneys are tight.

-Make certain your heating plant is not starved for air.

-Be sure that all heating devices designed for venting are properly vented to the outside.

-Provide additional fresh air for charcoal grills and hibachis used indoors. Better still, don't use these charcoal cookers indoors.

-Never tamper with ducts or vents of a heating device to get more heat out of it.

-Be sure that heating devices have been tested by a reputable firm. Follow the manufacturer's recommendations for installation and use.

-When changing types of fuel, ask a qualified serviceman to adjust all appliances involved.

-Don't close your fireplace damper until you are certain the fire is entirely burned out.

-Be sure your garage is sealed from the house. Never run the car in a closed garage.

WHAT'S A SOOK? A female crab. How can you tell? The October Reader's Digest says sooks have bright red claw tips. Males do not.

### **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

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prepared by Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Architect, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

THE WORK TO BE BID UPON: THE WHEELWRIGHT SWIMMING POOL AND BATHHOUSE RENOVATION.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS:

PROPOSAL NO. 1., To remodel the swimming pool filtration system and propose the procedures necessary to put the pool into usable condition.

PROPOSAL NO. 2., To replace the roof on the pool bathhouse.

Contract Documents may be examined at the following places: The office of Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Architects, 315 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653; Dodge Corp. of Lexington, Kentucky; Builders Exchange of Louisville, Ky.

Copies of the Documents, not to exceed two (2) sets, for the General Contractors, and his Major Subcontractors; may be secured from the Architect, Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Prestonsburg, Ky., upon payment of \$10.00 per set, which payment will be refunded upon return of the Plans, Specifications, and other Documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days after date of Bid Opening.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond payable to the Owner, in an amount not less than five percent (5 pct.) of the Base Bid.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of the Bids, will be returned, unopened to the bidders.

In the event an award is made, and the successful bidder fails to furnish a satisfactory Performance Bond within fifteen (15) days after written notification of acceptance of the Proposal, and fails to execute a Contract for the construction of the work under the award, then the Bid Bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

The Proposals including the Bid Bond, shall be in a sealed envelope, bearing the Bidder's Identification, addressed to the:

FLOYD CO. ECONOMIC AID BOARD PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653 and labeled in the lower lefthand corner: PROPOSAL: WHEELWRIGHT SWIM-MING POOL AND BATHHOUSE RENOVATION.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any, or all Bids and to waive informalities.

No Bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of the Bids, without the consent of the Owner.

Signed: Marvin Crider, Jr. and Associates For: Floyd County Economic Aid Board

9-27-3t.

#### NOTICE

As of Sept. 17 I will no longer be responsible for debts incurred by any person other than myself.

EDDIE PATRICK 9-21-2t-pd.

#### THE FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD (Charismatic) West Prestonsburg, Ky.

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#### **Commends** Committee

I have sent to Governor Julian Carroll a copy of the following letter addressed by me to Senator Nelson Allen, chairman of the Interim Joint Committee on Education:

"The Kentucky Education Association wishes to commend you and the members of the Interim Joint Committee on Education for your endorsement of the recommendation of your Subcommittee on Issues and Legislative Proposals that no so-called 'educational accountability' legislation be introduced in the 1978 General Assembly

"We are aware of the thorough research that the Subcommittee conducted before reaching its conclusions. I have written to Senator Joe Wright, chairman of the Subcommittee, to express our appreciation.

'KEA believes your decision was the right one. As then KEA president James Sproul testified before the Subcommittee earlier this year, it is KEA's position that teachers should be held accountable for classroom preparation and professional knowledge but not for student achievement, for there are too many variables (such as attitudes, values, and background) over which teachers have no control.

"We are gratified that you and your fellow legislators have not allowed yourselves to be stampeded into following what several seasoned writers have called 'a fad which will predictably die a natural death.' Those commentators have noted that accountability is essentially a scientific structure superimposed on an unscientifically defined process-teaching and learning-and thus is unworkable.

Kentucky Education Association

A PTA meeting will be held at the Maytown Elementary School lunchroom at 7 p.m., Oct. 11. All parents are urged to attend

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WAYNE HARVEY, President

#### PTA TO MEET

## ARC Makes \$172,402 Grant For Knott Care Center Funding Gov. Julian M. Carroll has announced

that a \$172,402 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) grant has been awarded to the Appalachian Regional Hospitals, Inc. for fourth year funding of the June Buchanan Primary Health Care Center

Located in Hindman, the clinic serves some 12,000 residents of Knott and Breathitt counties, according to Development Secretary William L. Short, Carroll's alternate on the ARC Commission.

"This is the first attempt by the ARC to combine emergency and obstetrical services in an ambulant care center," Short said.

The project also serves as a demonstration in the use of dental hygienists as dental extenders for the University of Kentucky School of Dentistry.

In addition to continuing the seven-day per week, 24-hour service, specific project objectives for the coming year include:

-Increase the involvement of physician extenders in providing

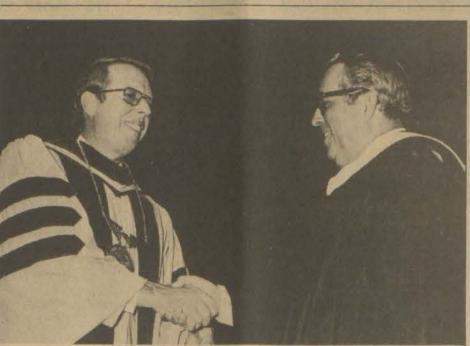
-Increase the number of babies delivered at the facility to 200 per year; -Develop the governing board as fully responsible body.

Total cost for the project, according to Short, is \$820,964. Local sources will provide \$648,562 in cash. The project's budget period is Sept. 1 through Aug. 31, 1978.

#### VISIT IN TENNESSEE

Wheelwright .- Mrs. Edward Smallwood, of Wheelwright, and Mrs. Jerry B. Smith, of Pikeville, were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Smallwood, of Piney Flats, Tenn., for a week

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INAUGURATED . . . Dr. Morris L. Norfleet, left, president of

Morehead State University, accepts congratulations from Lloyd

Cassity, chairman of MSU's board of regents during his

inauguration last Friday as MSU's eighth chief executive.

Cassity presented Dr. Norfleet with the President's Medallion,

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primary health care;

-Recruit an additional physician after a nurse midwife is recruited;

-Continue regular oral health surveys of Knott county children;

-Develop a unit for the dental hygienist to serve as a extender;

-Continue the Children's Incremental Dental Care Program, adding three more schools;

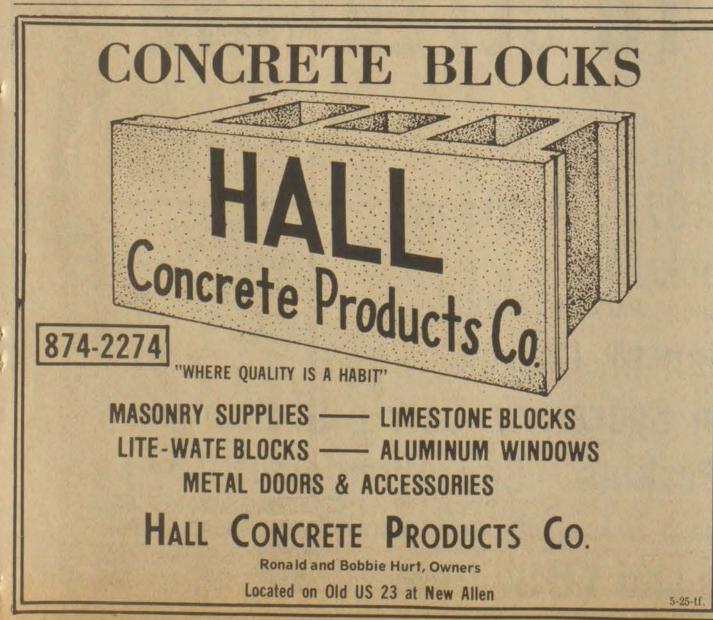
-Contract with the University of Kentucky Dental School for an evaluation of the dental program;

-Complete implementation of the computerized Pharmaceutical Support System:

-Continue to advocate a primary care payment mechanism from the state medicaid program;

-Maintain a productivity review of all staff;

-Assess patient flow and patient satisfaction;







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## P'burg Chapter, FFA Names New Officers



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Shown above are the newly-elected officers of the Prestonsburg Chapter of the Future Farmers of America for 1977-'78 fiscal year. These officers and the committee chairpersons will be responsible for carrying out the programs of activities of the Prestonsburg Chapter of F.F.A. throughout the year.

Pictured above, from left to right, (seated) are sentinel, Ronald Price; reporter, Robert Prater; secretary, Glen Ousley; president, Kerry Slone; vice-president, Charles Hicks; treasurer, Richard Hackworth; second row; Beulah Pitts, Otis Stephens, Dexter Reffett, Austin Bentley, David Anderson, Sam Horn, Clarence Arms and Ricky Burgey.

#### Farmers Are Asked To Make Choices

Farmers are asked to nominate candidates of their choice to be on the ASC county committee ballot.

The ASC county committee election will be conducted from Nov. 25 to Dec. 5 by mail ballot.

Floyd county farmers have the opportunity to nominate persons they feel would best serve the farm community. Farmers have received petition forms by mail and are now submitting them to the county ASCS office.

A few basic considerations should be kept in mind when circulating petitions. In order to be valid, petitions must be limited to one nominee each, must include written certification that the nominee is willing to serve if elected, must be signed by at least three eligible farm voters in the ASC community, and must be received in the county ASCS office no later than Oct. 31.

A farmer may circulate or sign nominating petitions for as many candidates as he chooses. Anyone wishing to nominate a farmer for the ASC committee election may contact the county ASCS office for full details, including eligibility requirements for officeholders.

The county ASCS office welcomes all valid petitions, it was said. The opportunity to nominate, vote, and be elected to office is guaranteed to all farmers regardless of race, religion, sex,



## **Senior Citizens**

## We would like to invite you to eat with us!

A hot meal is served every day Monday through Friday at 12 noon at your Senior Citizens Center. Why not come and eat with your friends or make some new friends?

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PRESTONSBURG-FLOYD COUNTY RESIDENTS Call: Mrs. Verlie Newman, 886-6855

> MARTIN AREA RESIDENTS Call: Mr. Paul Ritchie, 285-3091

#### MENU

#### WEEK OF OCTOBER 5-11

WEDNESDAY-Baked Ham, Lima Beans, Carrots, Applesauce.

THURSDAY-Chicken Livers, Cauliflower, Peas, Fruit Cup.

FRIDAY—Fried Fish, Greens, Applesauce, Cup Cakes. MONDAY—Chicken & Dumplings, Broccoli, Carrots, Apple Crunch.

TUESDAY—Ham, Applesauce, Green Beans, Peanut Butter Cookies.

All meals served with bread, butter, milk and juice.

PLEASE NOTE Since these menus are prepared in advance the unavailability of some items will necessitate periodic substitutions.

(Under Title VII of the Older Americans Act there is no direct charge for these meals, but a small donation is asked of each recipient in order that we may continue to serve)

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Thealka, Ky. 41259 Or call 789-3551, Room 370, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 9 a.m. to 12. color, or national origin.

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TIME: 10:00 A.M.

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FOR SALE-Four 1975 Kenworth Triaxles 290 Cummins, 13-speed, 50,000-lb. rears, 22-inch steel-belted tires. 201/2 ft. R & S bodies. These trucks are in A-1 condition, delivered March, 1976. Approx. 100,000 miles. Call 502-736-2273. After hours, call 502-736-2665. 10-5-2t-

FOR SALE-1969 Grand Prix. Good condition. Power steering, power brakes, air-conditioning, automatic transmission. RONNIE BRYANT, Box 51, Star Route 1, Hueysville, Ky., Phone 358-4587. 10-5-2t.

\$125. 377-6033. Mabel Collins, Minnie.

FOR SALE-35 ft. 1974 Coachman Travel trailer. Air-conditioning and tip out. Excellent condition. Phone 349-2239. Salversville, Barbara Porter. 10-5-2t.

FOR SALE-1972 Somerset trailer, 12 x 55. New carpet and central air. Located in City Trailer Court below Prestonsburg high school. David Newberry. 1t.

WANTED-Salem Auger Steel. 1-30" Head, 12-28" Flites. CONTACT, Jim Deyarmond, 886-8592. 10-5-2t-pd.

FOR SALE-1975 12 x 70 Windsor trailer within city. Two bedrooms, 11/2 baths. Unfurnished. Central air. Call 886-3122. 10-5-2t-pd.

TWO MARES for sale. Call Phillip Martin, 358-4936 after 3 p.m. 10-5-2t.

WANTED-FILL DIRT. To All Excavators: If you need space to dump your dirt will take all you want to get rid of. Phone 886-6218. 1t-pd

YARD SALE-Wednesday, Thursday, Friday on Ky. 80 in Old Allen. Guitars, bicycles, shotguns. Sesco Adkins. 1t.

LOST -Two dogs: one Boxer, brown; one part poodle, part terrier, white with brown and black markings. RALPH HODSON, R. 1, Clark Addn., Salyersville, Phone 886-9241.

FOR RENT-Two bedroom trailer. 874-2407. Mae Ryan, Banner. 1t.

FOR SALE-1969 Ford Van. Carpeted and panelled 874-9504. Mae Ryan, Banner.

FOR SALE-House and lot, upper end of NEEDED—Someone to stay with elderly lady in her home or take care of me in Auxier. All city utilities. Priced to sell. Phone 886-3466 or 874-2380. 9-14-4t-pd. their home. I am 85 years old, and am allergic to strong substances such as insecticides and tobacco. Call 285-3264,

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FOR SALE-One acre land, 4-room house in fair condition, mouth of Cow Creek. All utilities. See RAY CALHOUN or call 886-8307. 9-7-tf.

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE at Drift. One 4-bedroom with bath, fully carpeted,

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YARD SALE-Fri., Sat., Oct. 7, 8, 47 Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg, (across from Methodist Church). It-pd.

- FOR SALE-1973 Buick 225 Limited, all extras, one owner, excellent condition, 38,000 mileage. Tel. 886-6753 after 3 1t-pd. p.m.
- PAINTING, DRYWALLING, minor carpentry. Call 886-2183 after 4:30. HOWARD PERRY. 8-3-15t-pd.
- FOR RENT-Large trailer space, less than two miles from Prestonsburg. Also 20 x 60 ft. block building. ETHEL STUMBO BURGA, Phone 886-2277 or 8-3-tf. 886-9647.

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- VISIT the Chandler House Antiques and Collectibles. Choose your perfect accessory. Take home a treasure from the past. Jefferson Avenue, Paintsville, Kentucky, Hours: 12 noon-10 p.m. 4-27-tf.
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FOR RENT-Mobile home lots. Looking for a place to park that new mobile home? We have just the place for you, near Alice Lloyd College and National Mines. A new mobile home park, stateapproved, with space for 12 mobile homes, telephone, television, water, sewer, 200 amp electricity, all underground. \$35 per month. See or call MRS. LAWSON JACOBS, Pippa Passes, Ky., Phone 368-2392. 6-18-16t.

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FOR SALE-Modern three-bedroom, brick house. Three years old on lot, 200 x 166 just outside city limit. Owner leaving the state. Call 886-2474. 9-21-3tpd.

FOR SALE-Five-room house and bath. \$18,000, unfurnished. \$20,000 with furniture. Above high water. Located at Dwale, Ky. JOHNER LAFERTY, Dwale, Ky., Phone 358-4210. 9-21-4t-pd.

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FOR SALE-Harley-Davidson Sportster motorcycle. SLH electric start. CRIDER BROS. TIRE SERVICE, Phone 886-6175. 9-21-tf.

FOR RENT-Two-room business place. Call 886-3154, T. E. Neeley. 9-21-tf.

FOR SALE-12 x 60 mobile home. Good condition, new carpet. Also ¼-acre lot, all modern conveniences. Will sell together or separately. M. H. Allen, Hueysville, Ky. 9-28-2t-pd.

FOR SALE-Three-bedroom, brick, ranch house on three acres land. Large living room with fireplace. Garage, two full baths, built-in kitchen and dining room. Fully carpeted except kitchen and dining room. Up and out of the water on hill above Allen on Route 80. Shown by appointment only. Call 874-9417 or 886-6694. 9-28-2t-pd.

FOR SALE-Three-bedroom home. City water, gas, cable TV. Within two miles of Highlands Regional Hospital. Phone 886-2566. 9-28-2t-pd.

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U.S. 23.

FOR SALE-1971 Toyota. Needs work. 10-5-2t

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## A MESSAGE TO THE **VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY**

Before the November 8th election is held, I feel I have a duty to put certain facts before the voters of Floyd County. I am sorry I must bring this up because Yvonne and Jack Stumbo are my friends, but Floyd County is my home and I have an even stronger kinship and belief that its people should be treated openly and fairly

The Big Sandy Area Development District Board has three members from each of its five counties: the County Judge, the Mayor of the county's largest town and a third member CHOSEN JOINTLY by that Judge and that Mayor. Over a year ago, Dr. James D. Adams was apparently allright with Henry Stumbo when he was chosen as the third member. However, this June at the Board's annual convention in Lexington, when Henry Stumbo was Chairman, and our Mayor could not be present, Doug Adams was FIRED so he could be replaced with the Judge's own yes man, his hand-picked County Attorney, James Allen.

I was present, as the Mayor's representative, and I know this doublecross was already sealed early in the

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Due to the proposed construction of the Hazard-Water Gap Road, (KY 80). designated as project SP 36-61-2R4; KYRR 80 (214)-4, the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Bureau of Highways finds it necessary to relocate a number of graves in a cemetery located on the land of A. B. Osborne, Jr. at Martin, Kentucky. This cemetery is adjacent to the Preston Cemetery.

There is the possibility of several unmarked graves being within this cemetery. The Bureau of Highways desires information concerning these graves, identity of those unmarked, and any next of kin. Anyone having information or interest in this cemetery please contact

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morning of the second day of the meeting in a closed executive session of the Board by Henry Stumbo, but it was not made known until one half hour before the end of the convention that afternoon.

Dr. Adams is a close personal friend of mine and I believe he is one of the most conscientious and hard-working friends of all Floyd countians. He has served on many public boards and commissions, but the only salary he gets from tax money is \$15.00 a month as a member of the Floyd County Board of Education.

Dr. Adams has been involved in county affairs because he loves Floyd County and not because he makes his living as a Floyd County office-holder. He took the non-paying job on the ADD Board because he hoped he could help Floyd County get some of the millions of dollars in Federal money which is going to the other four counties in the ADD District. In my four years on the Prestonsburg City Council, Henry Stumbo has not brought in one cent of ADD money to Floyd County or Prestonsburg.

I do not like double-dealing or double crosses, and I do not like to see a hardworking good friend of the county put out of a job to make room for a political yes man. Therefore, I ask all my friends, if I have any, to give me a vote for RONALD FRASURE against Judge Stumbo on November 8th and give me a vote FOR good, clean, honest government in Floyd County

E. "SHAG" BRANHAM (Ad pd. for by E. "Shag" Branham)

## **Miss Mynhier To Be Betsy Layne Speaker**

Miss Betsy Mynhier, reading supervisor, Kentucky State Department of Education, Frankfort, will be guestspeaker at Betsy Layne School, October 11, at 7 p.m. for the Jenny Wiley Reading Council meeting.

Miss Mynhier has been with the State Department of Education for many years and travels throughout the state working with teachers to improve their reading programs. She has been a frequent visitor to this county as consultant to both classroom teachers and remedial reading teachers. She was instrumental in the selection of Clark Elementary School for the Right to Read Program and was there many times to conduct workshops for the faculty.

The Betsy Layne meeting will begin at 7 p.m. with Larry Jervis, president, presiding. The council welcomes all interested people in Floyd and the surrounding counties. Mrs. Delphia Hicks, corresponding secretary for K.S. C.-I.R.A. asks all teachers to bring paper and pencils in order to take notes on the many new ideas Miss Mynheir can be counted on to present.

Refreshments will be served by Miss Cindy Justice and Mrs. Hope Blackburn, reading teachers at Betsy Layne School.

BRITISH ARE RAISING FUNDS TO MAKE 'WHITE CLIFFS' A PARK



(A regular feature, prepared by the American Cancer Society, to help save your life from cancer.)

An engineer writes: "Someone told me that the Hunza people, who live very long, never get cancer because apricot pits are part of their diet. Is it true?'

ANSWER line: No. The Hunza people, who live in a remote area of the Himalayas, suffer from many diseases including cancer. A Japanese medical team who visited the area found this to be true in the mid-1950's, and after a visit to Asia in 1971, Dr. Alexander Leaf, Chief of Medicine at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, said, "the story that these people are immune from cancer is just rubbish." The story you heard may have originated with backers of Laetrile, a totally worthless cancer remedy that is extracted from apricot pits. Hence, an attempt to link Laetrile to the Hunza diet which uses the apricot as a fruit and its pit as a source of cooking oil.

A printer writes: "My wife will begin drug treatments soon as part of her cancer therapy, and this will go on for a period of time. I won't be able to drive her to the hospital after the first few times because of my job. We need help."

ANSWER line: Please check with your local American Cancer Society Unit. In many communities the ACS has volunteer drivers who will be glad to chauffer your wife in a neighborly way. In some areas, where there are no volunteer drivers, other helpful arrangements can be made.

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ANSWER line: Your son should have his throat and neck examined by a physician just as a precaution. Many years ago, physicians used radiation treatment for such conditions as acne, scalp problems, enlargement of the thymus gland, tonsils or adenoids, and even some problems of deafness. Sometimes the thyroid gland received radiation along with the area being treated. Some of these patients have developed thyroid tumors. These tumors are usually slow-growing and harmless. When they are cancerous (unlike other forms of cancer) the disease may stay confined to its area of origin, in this case the neck, for long periods of time. This means that they can be successfully removed. Your son is certainly a candidate for a checkup, and you both should keep in mind this fact: most thyroid tumors are not cancer.

A high school student asks: "How can I find out how many people get cancer in my state? I am doing a health survey report.

ANSWER line: Ask your local American Cancer Society Unit for a copy of the 1977 edition of "Cancer Facts & Figures." This useful source of information has the answer you seek along with other interesting facts. It is available free of charge.

#### ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Don and Ellen Holbrook announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, on Sept. 24 at Highlands Regional Medical Center. The baby has been named DeLora Lynne. The paternal grandparents are Boyd Holbrook, of Auxier, and the late Delores Holbrook. The maternal grandparents are Robert and Dorothy Harris, of Allen.



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#### Aged, Infirm Urged **DANNY STEPHENS To Take Flu Shots REAL ESTATE** Older Kentuckians or anyone who has a

chronic illness like heart or kidney disease should receive a dose of influenza vaccine now available to local health departments, according to Dr. Carlos Hernandez, preventive services director for the Department for Human Resources.

In a letter to the health departments, Hernandez noted that the new flu vaccine is available in a limited supply to immunize only "selected individuals who are over 65 or chronically ill."

The chronically ill are listed in four categories, regardless of age, who have heart disease, chronic lung disease, chronic kidney disease, diabetes or other chronic disorders.

Hernandez said the aged and chronically ill stand a much higher risk of suffering complications from influenza, so they have been singled out for immunization prior to the coming flu season.

The vaccine now available is a split virus type which has been associated with fewer side effects than the whole virus type, Hernandez said. It is made up of two strains of flu virus, A-Victoria and B-Hong Kong. Several outbreaks of both strains occurred last year, according to the prevention services director.

"We can anticipate local outbreaks of flu in Kentucky this fall and winter and ths risk of complication from flu in the elderly and chronically ill far exceeds the slight risk of any side effects from the vaccine," said Hernandez.

Hernandez noted that Gillain Barre', a disease which usually results in a temporary paralysis, has been studied thoroughly since it was associated with last year's swine flu vaccination program.

"In any given eight-week period, there is one case of Gillain Barre' per million population without flu vaccination," said Hernandez. "The risk increases to ten cases per million among vaccinated individuals," he said. "And among the high risk population, the threat from influenza far exceeds the chance of Gillain Barre'.

Hernandez suggested that high risk individuals should go to their family physicians or local health departments for a dose of the vaccine. The shots are free of charge at local health departments.

#### Spurlock and Horn

#### **New Army Enlistees**

Two Floyd county residents have enlisted in the Army as cannon fire direction-fire support specialists.

Sgt. First Class Gordon Shepherd and Staff Sgt. Darrell Layne of the Pikeville recruiting station announced the enlistments of Dana T. Spurlock, of Martin, and Michael Horn, of Ligon.

Spurlock is a 1973 graduate of Allen Central High School. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Spurlock, he said he joined the Army for job training and because he received assignment at his station of choice-Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Horn also said he enlisted for job

## **Budget Hearing Slated Here**



BUDGET HEARING SITES -- These are the 11 locations for Gov. Julian Carroll's state budget hearings scheduled during October. The Governor's cabinet secretaries will be meeting with Kentuckians to inform them on the current status of state government and to get their ideas on future directions for state government. Comments and suggestions will be considered as the state's budget proposal for 1978-80 is prepared for presentation to the 1978 General Assembly.

series of budget hearings to be held here noted. "the taxpayers, the citizens of this and at 10 other locations throughout Kentucky during October.

The hearing here will be held at 1 p.m. Oct. 28 at Prestonsburg Community

because we want to inform citizens of the current status of state government programs and to hear their ideas for the future direction of state government," Carroll said.

The hearings will consist of presen-Budget.

Gov. Carroll said the hearings will give taxpayers an opportunity to participate

Gov. Julian Carroll has announced a in the budgetary process. "After all," he Commonwealth, are the ones who foot the bill for services and programs.

Ideas gathered at the hearings will be considered as the Governor prepares his 1978-'80 Executive Budget for presentation to the 1978 General Assembly. The 1976-'78 Executive Budget was \$5.8 billion.

STEEL PRODUCTION ROSE

2.5 PCT. FROM PREVIOUS WEEK NEW YORK-Steel production rose to 2,389,000 net tons in the week ended Aug. 27, an increase of 2.5 per cent from the preceding week's 2,331,000 net tons, the American Iron and Steel Institute reported recently.

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## KY 80-a New Road **To Solve Old Problems** Gov. Julian M. Carroll's plan to con-

struct a new KY 80 between Hazard and Water Gap may have a familiar ring to followers of Eastern Kentucky history. The road will be new; the problems it will solve are old ones.

The cost of building roads in the mountains, like the mountains themselves, are high. Old local roads, in many places impassable or nearly so even in good weather, are a familiar story in this mountainous section of the state. Many state and local officials have considered the problem. Influential residents have worked doggedly for solutions.

But, with the advent of the energy crisis and the sudden importance of coal on a national scale, the renewed coalhauling activity further deteriorated the roads.

Taking office at the time of the first gloomy predictions about other fossil fuels, Governor Carroll recognized the gravity of the situation for the eastern counties which would bear the brunt of the increased hauling activity.

After calling on the federal government for help (since the Eastern Kentucky coal resources were of critical importance to the nation) the Carroll administration next sought and got a solution in the Kentucky General Assembly in 1976.

The governor's legislative package on "Resource Recovery Road System" received enthusiastic support from Eastern Kentucky legislators and supporters. House Bill 676 opened the way for the new KY 80. The measure was applauded by members of the KY 80 East Association, other civic groups and business leaders.

The Kentucky Department of Transportation immediately went into action, hiring design consultants and appointing a veteran KYDOT engineer, E. V. Hilton, to expedite the project.

Transportation Secretary Calvin G. Grayson notes that right-of-way acquisition and utility clearance are proceeding on schedule. A construction contract for the first segment was let in August, and Grayson said that all segments will be under contract for consideration by next summer.

As the first of the "resource recovery roads," the new KY 80 is also the culmination of years of planning and the dreams of a great number of individuals interested in eastern Kentucky's future. The history of the drive to improve KY 80 is worth repeating, going back as it does to the 1940's. Lack of roads kept the area in virtual isolation.

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Out of the gloom that shrouded eastern Kentucky's mountains during a bad year for the coal industry and the disastrous flood of '57 came a beam of hope aiming to develop the rugged area and improve the regional economy.

This dream for a brighter future for the people of the mountain centered around the Eastern Kentucky Regional Planning Commission (EKRPC), a nine-man committee named by Lt. Gov. Harry Lee Waterfield to create an economic development plan for that area.

Members of the committee were Rex Blazer, Ashland Oil; Adron Doran, then president of Morehead State University; Harry Laviers, Sr., president of Southeastern Kentucky Coal Company, of Paintsville; R. H. Worden, Pikeville; the Rev. William Hute, Corbin; B. F. Reed, president of Turner-Elkhorn Coal, Drift, and chairman of the EKRPC; L. O. Davis, Hazard; Dr. Alex Spencer, West Liberty, and S. C. VanCuron, at the time general manager of the Harlan Daily Enterprise.

Paramount in the commission's economic plan was construction of an arterial road system through the eastern mountains, and with the upcoming construction of KY 80 connecting Hazard and Water Gap, that system will soon be complete.

The construction of KY 80 will complete the network of modern eastern Kentucky highways that have involved the construction of or upgrading of the Bert T. Combs Mountain Parkway, the Daniel Boone Parkway, the Cumberland Parkway, US 119, US 23, US 25E, KY 15, KY 90 and, of course, interstates 64 and

Former Gov. Bert T. Combs, in a 1976 interview following Gov. Carroll's announcement concerning KY 80, with Van

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Curon, now editor-emeritus of the Frankfort State Journal, said, "This (KY 80) is part of the old EKRPC dream, and I don't think the commission ever envisioned this road would be built any time soon ... probably not in their lifetime."

The Floyd County Times

Combs said he and US Rep. Carl D. Perkins have been advocating a new KY 80 since the late 1930's and nearly every man who has run for governor in the last quarter century has either promised to build it or to give it priority attention.

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The District Judge will preside over all civil cases where the amount involved is \$1500, or less, all juvenile matters, and the violation of all state laws and city and county ordinances, except offenses punishable by penitentiary confinement or death.

In addition to the other duties, the District Judge will also preside over a new court, known as the Court of Small Claims (matters under \$500).

It is estimated that 68 of every 100 persons having business before the courts will come first to the District Court.

The office of District Judge will require a person with not only a law degree, but also with considerable administrative ability. It will require a person with good health, good nerve and a willingness to work long hours. How the office is operated for the first time may set the pattern of justice in Floyd County for a long time to come.

Believing that I am qualified for the job, I respectfully urge you to vote for me in the November election. If I am elected, the fact that my residence is next door to the court house (and jail) will somewhat ease the problem of having your District Judge available after hours.

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By FRAN SALVERS

cases of abuse or exploitation of persons

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and provides for protective services to

anyone 18 years or older who is too im-

paired physically or mentally to act on his or her own behalf and who is without

responsible friends or relatives who are

According to John Denton, adult

services specialist with the department's

bureau for social services, Kentucky was

one of the first states to pass such

legislation. He estimates that ap-

proximately 20 states now have an adult

protection law and that "several states

According to Denton, 41 percent of the

cases reported for investigation under

this law have been classified as "self-

neglect." Most often, he explained, the

victim of self-neglect is female, 70 to 75

years old, living alone and becoming

increasingly unable to take care of

personal needs. Such a person usually

does not want to leave familiar

surroundings to go to a nursing home or

to move in with relatives, even if these

helped through protective services:

Denton cited other examples of persons

-An elderly woman's alcoholic son

-A young mentally-retarded woman

-An elderly woman refused vital

-A man was evicted from his apart-

"Our goal is to help these individuals

ment because he forgot to make regular

remain independent for as long as

possible in familiar surroundings,"

Denton said. The bureau offers, either directly or by referral, a number of

services, including counseling,

homemaker services, home health care

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The Adult Protection Act was passed

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**Self-Neglect Among Abuses** 

# Wins Turkey Shoot

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By LARRY BURKE.

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

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In the 15 months that Kentucky's Adult help. The bureau also tries to locate Protection Act has been in effect, the state Department for Human Resources relatives and friends who will help care for persons in need. has investigated over 1,000 reported

"A person has the right to refuse service," Denton said. "We cannot force anyone to accept the help we offer. But we are required by law to investigate every report.

When necessary, social workers may obtain search warrants. "Legal intervention is a last resort," Denton emphasized. "Above all, we are committed to insuring each individual's legal rights.'

Reported violations of the adult protection act generally fall into five classifications: Physical abuse, selfneglect, caretaker neglect, exploitation or a combination of those factors. While it is usually a concerned neighbor, friend or relative who reports a violation, reports also come from medical personnel, law enforcement officials, schools personnel and social workers. In a small percentage of cases, adults have requested protective services for themselves.

Denton stressed that names of persons making reports are kept confidential and that these persons may remain anonymous. Anyone who reports a case of suspected abuse is granted immunity from civil or criminal liability and from participation in resulting judicial proceedings.

Reports should be made to county social services offices. Written inquiries may be sent to John Denton, Department for Human Resources, Bureau for Social Services, 275 E. Main St., Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

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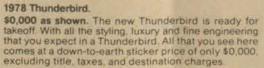
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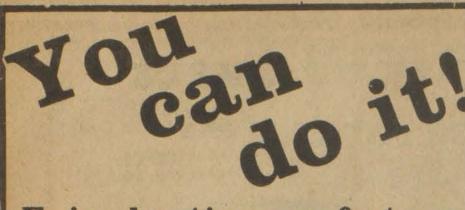
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## Reported Child Abuse Cases Average More than 1,000 a Month

More and more cases of suspected child abuse and neglect are being reported to the Department for Human Resources (DHR), says Lynn McCarthy, protective services specialist in DHR's Bureau for Social Services.

Last spring, McCarthy's office received about 900 reports each month now the average is over 1,000 per month. Kentucky law requires anyone who believes that a child is being abused or neglected to report the case to the bureau. People who report abuse-neglect cases are immune from liability.

"I don't think it's a question of more actual cases of neglect or abuse—we're just seeing more cases reported," Mc-Carthy says. "People are more open, now, in talking about these problems."

She notes that there are seasonal patterns to the reports. During the next few weeks, she expects to see teachers reporting that they have a neglected child in their classrooms. "They'll see a child who comes to school dirty, day after day—or a child who isn't properly clothed, when cold weather hits . no socks or still in shorts or a cotton dress. Sometimes a teacher will say she or he thinks the child isn't getting an adequate diet," she says.

McCarthy says there are two cases of child neglect for every child abuse case. "Lack of supervision" is commonly reported in the summer months. "The Louisville office received 35 calls like that in just one day, right after school let out last summer! That's when neighbors become aware of kids running around without parental supervision."

#### PRATER HOMEMAKERS MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Prater Creek Homemakers Club was held in the Prater Creek school lunchroom, Sept. 26, at 7 p.m.

The vice-president, Gail Taylor, presided. Frances Pitts, county extension agent, gave the lesson on Crock-Pot Cookery. Hostess for the evening was Toda Tackett. Members present were Loretta Conn, Gail Taylor, Toda Tackett, Doris Akers, Katherine Akers, Lynn Boyd, Ruth Slone. The club welcomed these new members: Pacilla Conn, Sharon Akers, Belle Jones, Pauline Akers, Ellen Campbell, Wanda Hall, Susan Akers, Sereda Brown, Willena Campbell. The lesson for October will be on drying flowers. The next regular meeting will be October 24 at 7 p.m.

#### **ENJOY EXCURSION**

Mr. and Mrs. Larry C. Roberts, Scott and Stacey Tackett and Glenna Childers, of Banner, went by railway excursion from Elkhorn City to Spartanburg, S. C., Sept. 24, returning home on Sunday.

McCarthy describes the child abuseneglect problem as "gigantic." She doesn't believe there are just a few major causes, but rather, a number of contributing factors: Single-parent families, families with either insufficient income or who misuse their income, parents with heavy child-care responsibilities, and parents with drinking problems are among the factors frequently cited. "Yet none of those factors occurs more than 10 or 12 per cent of the time," she says, "and social workers often report several factors."

She quotes some of the findings in a national survey taken by Parents Anonymous, a self-help group for abusive parents:

-Seventy-five percent of the abusing parents were once abused children. Verbal and emotional abuse were cited more often than physical abuse, and 17 per cent of the once-abused parents were sexually abused.

-Fifty-eight per cent reported that they had at least one child with a handicapping or "special" condition. "The handicapped child seems to run a higher risk of being abused than a normal one does," McCarthy adds.

Courses which help parents to be more effective in raising their children would mean fewer cases of neglect and-or abuse, McCarthy believes. "That's a more positive approach. We sometimes find that just pointing out alternatives other ways of disciplining a youngster, for instance—is enough to correct a problem."

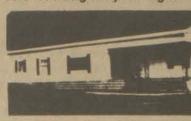
"There are two victims of child abuse—the child and the parent. We're here to help both," McCarthy says.



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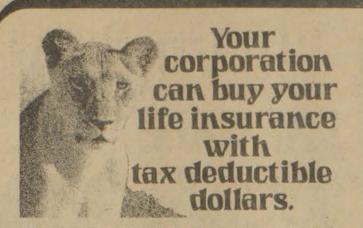
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## Court Ruling Review Asked

House Speaker William Kenton (D-Lexington) today requested two interim joint committees of the General Assembly to review a recent state Supreme Court decision which declared the 1972 Home Rule Act for counties unconstitutional.

In a letter to Sen. Gus Sheehan Jr. (D-Covington) and Rep. Gross Lindsay (D-Henderson), Kenton calls the present state Constitution "exceedingly restrictive" and "inflexible", and states that a constitutional amendment may be "the only way to insure permanent home rule powers to our counties."

Sheehan chairs the Interim Joint Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments, while Lindsay heads the counties and special districts interim committee.

The Supreme Court decision, Kenton states, places Kentucky counties' participation in the Federal Flood Insurance Program in jeopardy because of Kentucky's constitutional limitations. According to program requirements, county fiscal courts must approve certain plans and implement certain controls over flood plains to become eligible for federal flood insurance.

The recent Supreme Court ruling found that "fiscal courts of this Commonwealth are not legislative bodies under the Constitution and the General Assembly cannot declare them as such." The Home Rule Act had granted counties legislative powers on limited matters.

Last week, an Associated Press story reported that, an official in the federal Department for Housing and Urban Development indicated that Kentucky could now be suspended from the federal flood insurance program, since the counties no longer have authority to take the action necessary for eligibility.

If the AP story is accurate, Kenton states, "then out citizens, particularly in eastern Kentucky, have been threatened with a most tenuous situation."

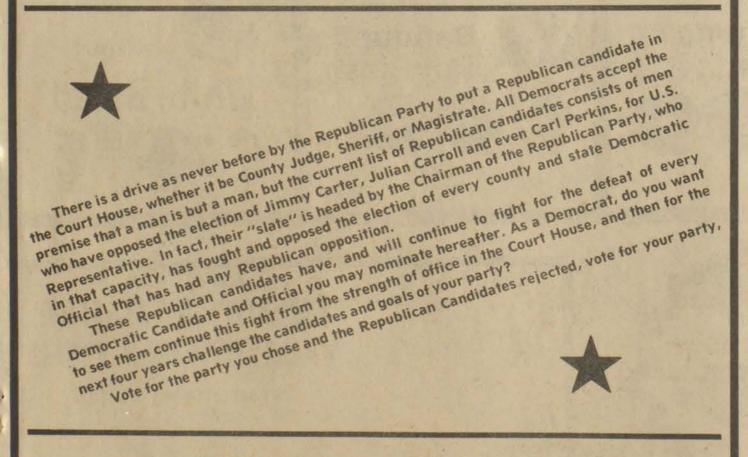
Kenton announced that he had communicated with the members of Kentucky's congressional delegation, asking them to check into the possibility of the state's being suspended from the insurance program. If such is the case, he states, "I am further requesting that appropriate congressional amendments be offered to maintain Kentucky" within the program.

"Meeting any of the challenges confronting local county governments is nearly impossible without necessary lawmaking powers," Kenton states. "If we expect fiscal courts to function in a responsible manner and provide effective leadership, we must act with dispatch to devise a mechanism to provide them the authority essential to achieving these goals."

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