

## Miners Voice Regrets After Man Attacked

### Voting on Contract Marred by Violence At Martin School

The orderly polling of United Mine workers on the proposed contract suddenly erupted into violence at Martin Elementary School last Saturday afternoon when a Frankfort news photographer was beaten, his equipment smashed and a news writer threatened.

Fred M. Johnson, 30, Frankfort video cameraman, was bruised about the head and face when struck by two men reportedly swinging one or more school desks. He also was hit on the back of his head by blows of a fist, it was said.

T. G. Moore, of the Associated Press' Frankfort bureau, said he was threatened. A third newsman, photographer Woodson Emmons, of the Frankfort State Journal, was not threatened.

Moore later said that after the incident 10 to 15 miners came to his car and apologized to him and his two associates. Moore said one of the group told him, "That's why the union has got a bad name."

A woman who said she was the wife of one of the miners who participated in the voting at the school later telephoned the Associated Press and listed four men as responsible for the incident. She also called The Times, saying that county officials should make an effort to identify those responsible so that not all the men would be blamed.

"It's a shame that good miners and good people have to take the rap for what three or four did," she said.

Although she said she could not identify herself for obvious reasons, she said that those responsible are troublemakers, and have been heard making threats.

"The ones who did this go from place to place and don't work long, willing to depend on food stamps," she said.

The photographer did not file any charges, and there was no indication here that the incident will be investigated further.

The incident occurred during, or immediately after, the voting by members of Locals 9845 and 1373 on the contract.

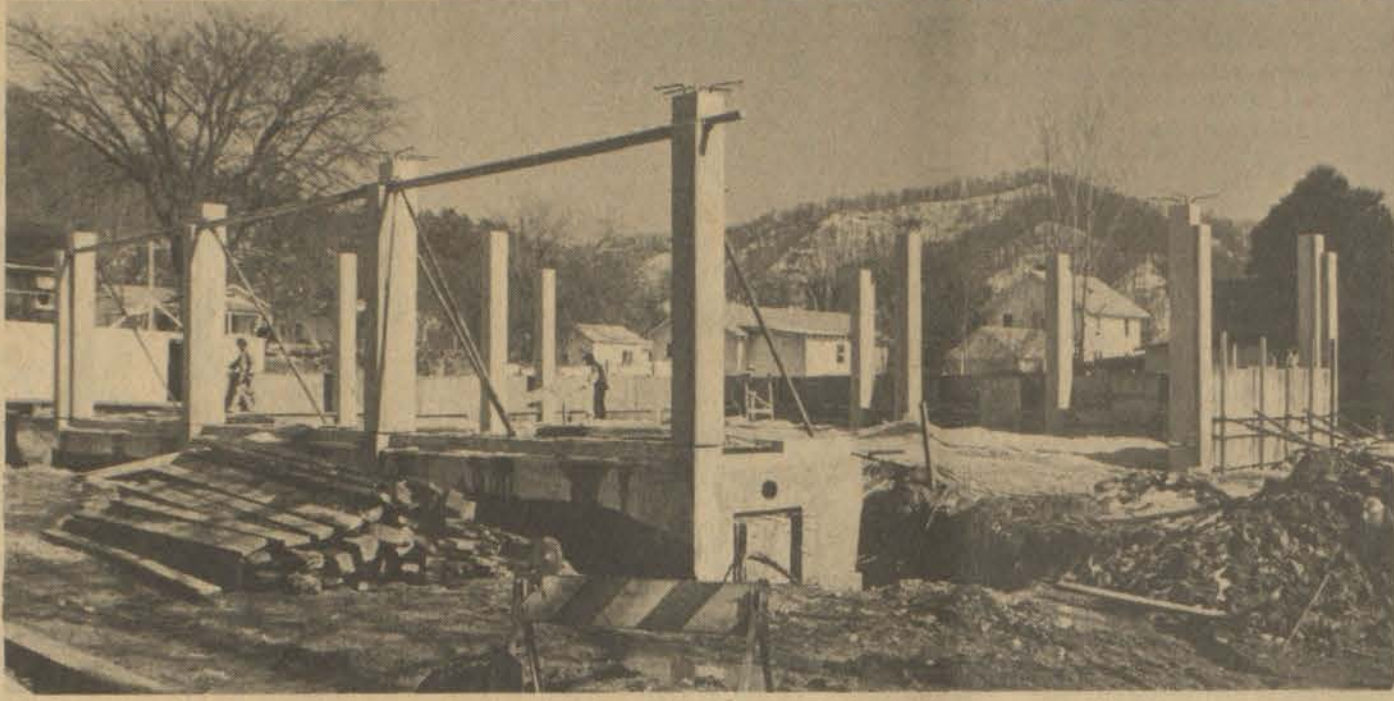
Moore filed this account of the incident.

Voting began at the school at 4 p.m., and up to 200 miners were gathered outside the school at one point. Some of the miners complained that some mine supervisory personnel were being allowed to vote.

At about 5 p.m., Johnson was standing near one of the doors where miners were coming out after voting, and one suggested that he photograph and interview the supervisory personnel.

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## Structure To House \$2.5 Million ESS System



Construction was well under way this week on the structure here which will house South Central Bell Telephone Company's \$2.5 million Electrical Switching System (ESS). The new facility with its computerized technology promises vastly improved telephone service to area customers including the elimination of four and eight-party lines, touch-tone dialing, call forwarding, as well as a number of other sophisticated features aimed at providing more convenient and reliable service to system customers. Work on the two-story structure which is being done by Robert T. Klensch, Inc., of Florence, Ky., was begun last November, and is expected to be completed by mid-summer. The new facility is being built in conjunction with an ongoing South Central Bell project which involves running new underground cable and beefing up existing conduit.

### This Town...That World

We report that March came in like a lamb. White.

#### THE EARLY BIRDS

Seen any "hung over" birds around? If you have, they're robins, Christine Spradlin indicates after reading that robins go to Florida during the winter and there gorge themselves on Brazilian pepper berries. As a result, they get downright tipsy, and provide a bit of entertainment to those human tourists whose eyes aren't also crossed. I may be wrong about some robins staying with us all winter. Maybe those we've seen have come home early to sober up.

#### DON'T FORGET THESE

While the mayor and city council are handing out compliments for jobs well done, they should remember, too, those boys of the sanitation department who have been bucking some mighty cold mornings and tough going to render a real service. If every public employee in the country did his or her job as well as these, some of us who live to complain would have to curl up our toes.

#### PAST DUE RECOGNITION

Nobody has been slipping Brazilian pepper berries into my soup to get me in an expansive mood, but I need to recognize a few people for their faithful service.

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### Some 'Ifs' Remain, But . . .

## New School Calendar May End Classwork by June 5

If a school calendar amended by the Floyd County Board of Education is approved by the State Department of Education, and no more teaching time is lost, and if time usually lost to the annual KEA session can be saved, Floyd county pupils will get out of school June 5.

The calendar, as amended, was announced by Supt. of Schools E. P. Grigsby, Jr. following last Tuesday's meeting of the school board. It provides for

—Five "disaster days" allowed by Governor Carroll.

—Five "calamity days" allowed by the State Department of Education.

—Cancellation of two days' spring vacation.

—Elimination of the one day normally given to the Floyd County Teachers Association meeting and two days for the annual KEA convention.

That would recover 15 days of the time lost to snow and ice. But approval by KEA of the cancellation of the two days given for its session must be received if the calendar is to stand unchanged. The Floyd teachers group has already agreed to save the day's time allotted for its

meeting this week (Tuesday) and is having the meeting at night to avoid loss of a day.

The board also voted to put into effect "extended days" for classroom work, beginning March 20 and continuing through April 28. Through this period one hour and 12 minutes per day will be added for instructional (classroom) work, and six days would be recovered, making 21 in all—if all goes well.

Saturday classes are a remote possibility. The board authorized Supt. Grigsby to order Saturday class sessions "only as a last resort," citing the shortage of electric power, the cost of operating school buses an extra day and the cost of utilities and other items that would be involved.

Extension of runs of school buses on rural roads is being made as these roads improve, Grigsby said. "If parents will get their children to the buses until we can make the runs as usual, we will get the full bus service restored as soon as possible," he said.

The board authorized the superintendent to write Commissioner of Labor Yocum, protesting Yocum's proposed increase in the minimum wage scale for this area. Supt. Grigsby said the board feels that the increase is inflationary and will adversely affect building programs.

He said one contracting firm has estimated that the minimum wage increase will double the cost of school construction.

Other items of business transacted by the board at last week's meeting:

Employed Earl Thompson to replace Martin Keith Darby who resigned as teacher at Auxier Elementary; Jane Ann Kendrick and Alice Howard Metcalfe as emergency substitute teachers; Frances Hall to succeed Dorothy Underwood, who resigned as teacher aide at Prestonsburg Elementary; Brendel Hamilton, Clarence B. Damron and Howard W. Wallen, Jr. as substitute bus drivers; Bonnie Newsome as substitute cook at McDowell.

## 7 Floyd Towns Get Snow Funds

Gov. Julian Carroll has allocated \$622,501.95 to cities and towns across the state to help them recoup their expenses in snow and ice removal after the January and February snows, and seven Floyd county communities will receive \$2,291.80 for their efforts, it was announced last week.

The money comes from the \$2 million allocated last month by the General Assembly. The governor announced in February that he was allocating \$1,121,931.40 to counties under a formula which took into account both road mileage and population. He had previously granted each county up to \$10,000 for snow removal expenses, and reimbursement out of that pot had to be for verified expenses only.

The remainder of the \$2 million General Assembly allocation is being distributed to agencies which incurred extraordinary expenses related to serving human needs during the winter storms.

The allocations made to Floyd county urban areas are:

Allen, \$253.40; Burton, \$50.75; Lackey, \$102.90; Martin, \$275.10; Prestonsburg, \$1,197.70; Wayland, \$134.40; Wheelwright, \$277.35.

## Miners May Defy Order by Carter

### Court House Happenings

#### SUITS FILED

Jo Ann Goble vs. Larry Ronnie Goble. Jean Akers vs. Perlis Akers. Commonwealth of Ky. Dept. of Transportation vs. (in separate suits) C. Robert Leslie, et al, Doris P. Pinson, et al, Patty Sue Allen, et al, Barbara P. Martin, et al, and Jeanette Neace, Melba Risner vs. Frank M. Hurn and Loula Ruth Hurn. Commonwealth of Ky., Dept. of Transportation vs. Roxie R. Justice. Mary Margaret Hamilton vs. Phil Gene Hamilton. Avonelle Gillespie vs. Ricky Gillespie.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Columbus Isaac Humble, 18, Printer, and Sheila Doris Hyden, 18, East McDowell. Steve Clay Whitt, 18, and Rosalee Thompson, 15, both of Prestonsburg. Morace Scott, 33, and Joan Carol Ferguson, 34, both of Flat Gap.

## Vote To Reject Proposed Pact Almost 2 to 1

There was an air of "watchful waiting" this week after a vote of United Mine Workers in all coal-producing areas of the nation had rejected a proposed contract by a near 2 to 1 margin and President Carter had followed that action Monday by invoking the Taft-Hartley Act.

Many miners frankly said the Taft-Hartley procedure will mean nothing to them, but there remained the possibility that independent coal production may pick up under government production.

State Police at Pikeville reported that the only picketing in the area Tuesday was that of the Triple Elkhorn Coal Company in this county.

The only real incident of the week was a minor one in Pike county where a truck belonging to Chester Newsome, president of Local 8100 at Drift, was overturned by angry union members at a meeting in Pike.

It was not clear what prompted the incident, although it appeared to be an internal dispute. Union members at the scene would only say "a strong March wind" had suddenly come up and turned the truck.

As for the union's next step, nobody seemed to know. Julius Mullins, secretary-treasurer of the UMW's District 30, said "I just don't know what's going to happen. We'll get a recommendation from the international headquarters, probably tomorrow, and we'll

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## State, County Officers Seek Floyd Escapee

Amos Gibson, 24, who was under 22-year prison sentence for the part he played in the slaying of an uncle of Circuit Judge Hollie Conley, escaped Feb. 27 from a state forestry camp in Harlan county to which he and other prisoners had been assigned, state and county officers have been notified.

Escaping with him was Harvey Frank Goldsmith, of Louisville, who was serving a 20-year term for storehouse-breaking and possession of burglary tools. Goldsmith was said to have lived at one time on Quicksand Creek, Knott county.

Both were listed as armed and dangerous. Gibson was described as 5 feet, 6 inches tall and weighing 180 pounds.

He and his brother, James, were charged with the slaying on Salt Lick Creek, near Hueysville, about 18 months ago, of Ollie James Conley. The trial was transferred to Magoffin circuit court on change of venue, and the brothers entered pleas of guilty.

Sheriff Doug Lewis said he has received several reports telling of Gibson's being seen in and around Garrett but that searches of the area have been futile.

## Court Moves To Reduce Use Of Electricity

The Floyd fiscal court moved at its special meeting last Tuesday to curb the use of electric energy consumption as the coal strike continues and mandatory cuts in power use are being contemplated.

The court directed that all county officials and employees reassess the lighting and energy consumption in their offices and work areas, and asked that they take "prompt action to reduce lighting and heating to the maximum extent that will not interfere with their safety and job performances."

Another fiscal court order pertaining to the Auxier television system was rescinded. The first order rescinded was that of Nov. 28 which gave the system 60 days from Dec. 11 in which to make specified improvements. At that time, Jan. 28, the TV system was directed to connect Auxier Heights and Ford Gap customers with three major network stations and one Kentucky station, if available, by Feb. 28.

Now, County Attorney Arnold Turner is asked to review the franchise and to report to the court March 14 on his findings. He also is asked to make recommendations at that time as to the status of TV franchises and on appropriate action.

The settlement of Ex-Sheriff Joe W. Lewis on 1977 tax collections, as sub-

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## Ligon Man Draws Fine After Littering Charge

The littering charge lodged recently by Conservation Officer, Dalton R. Conley against Charlie Hamilton, of Ligon, has resulted in Hamilton's paying a \$10 fine and \$27.50 court costs.

The fine was assessed by District Judge Harold Stumbo on Hamilton's plea of guilty. He was cited after the officer had found his name on envelopes in litter dumped on the grounds of Ligon church.

## US 23 Slide Danger Continues



One very predictable result of the winter's sub-normal temperatures and heavy precipitation is an increased frequency of rock slides along US 23 between Prestonsburg and Paintsville. The slide pictured above on the Auxier Road is one of several which may be seen below the bordering cliffs on the route and as temperatures become warmer the slides are sure to become even more common. Repeated requests for state help in alleviating the problem have yet to bring results.

## Jenny Wiley Trail Beckons Hikers

Although about a 70-mile section of the 200-mile-long Jenny Wiley Trail is yet to be completed, hikers are expected to begin taking advantage of the ridgetop route in large numbers with the arrival of warmer weather, according to Bryan Mattingly, trail director for the FIVCO Area Development District.

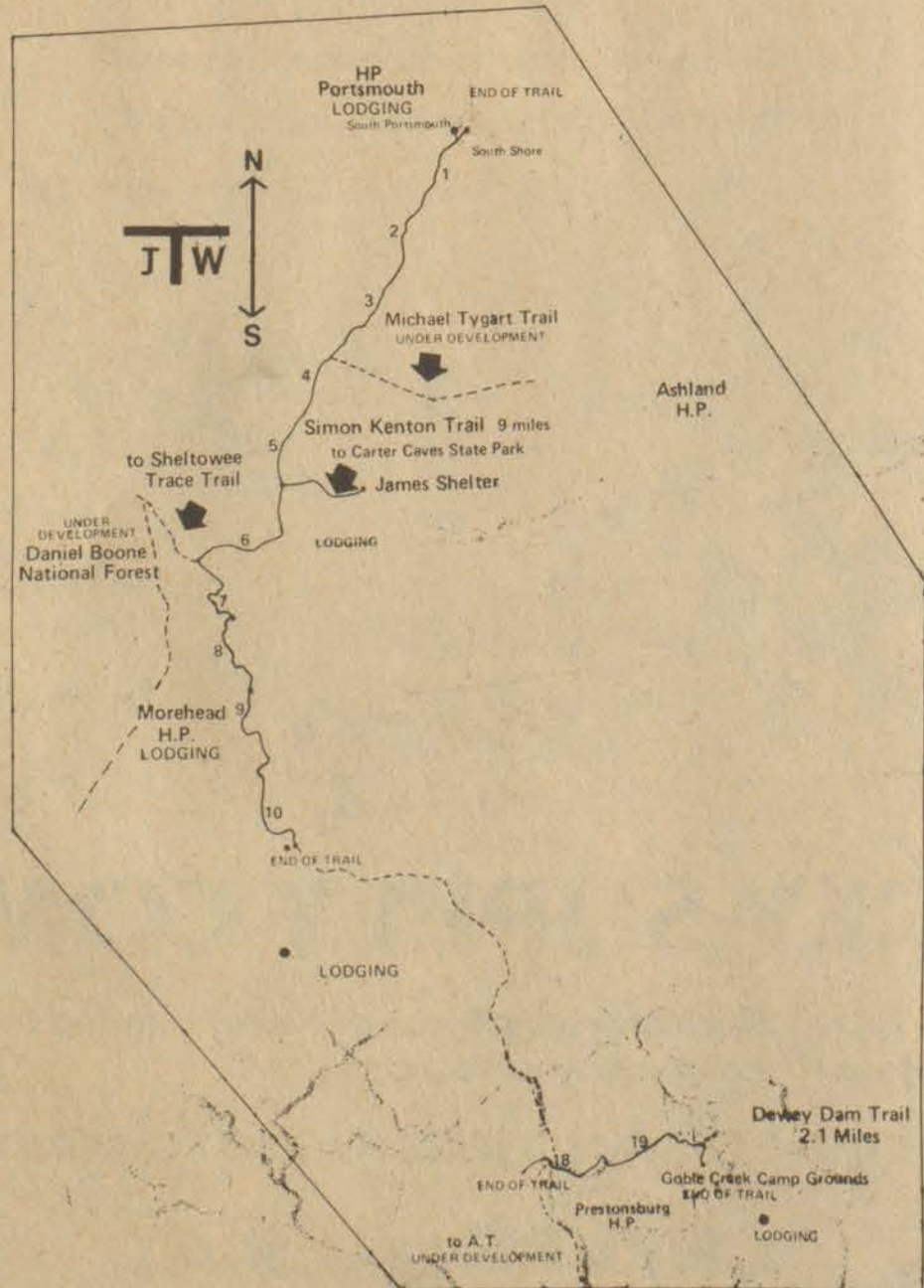
Mattingly said hikers in the northern section of the trail which extends 97 miles from South Portsmouth, O. to Wrigley in Elliott county, have already utilized the trail on several organized hikes, and he pointed out the need for hiking enthusiasts in this section to become familiar with the unique outdoor experience that the trail offers. A Jenny Wiley Trail Conference was organized in the northern trail area in 1975 when plans for the project were first outlined, and Mattingly told of plans to form a similar group in the southern area. The 23-mile southern leg of the trail extends from the Goble Branch camping area at Jenny Wiley State Park to a point near Ivyton, at the head of Middle Creek.

The trail follows the Pottsville Escarpment, one of the most prominent geological features of Eastern Kentucky, which roughly separates the Cumberland Plateau from the Knobs and Bluegrass regions. It is along the crest of this almost unbroken ridge that the Jenny Wiley Trail winds its way, offering the hiker nearly continuous views of surrounding hills and valleys. The route is also that generally accepted as the one taken in the capture by Indians of Jenny Wiley, 187 years ago.

The Jenny Wiley Trail, which is unique in long-distance hiking trail development because it passes over private land for most of its 200 miles, offers the hiker three-sided shelter huts to provide overnight sleeping areas, complete with protected water supplies. Two of these shelters have been built between Prestonsburg and Ivyton to accommodate area hikers.

The original concept of a long-distance hiking trail was first voiced in the late 1960's by David Salisbury, FIVCO ADD

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ROUTE OF JENNY WILEY TRAIL from Portsmouth, O. to its southern terminus near Prestonsburg is shown in above map. Dotted line indicates section of trail yet to be completed and numbers along route indicate location of overnight shelters.



### DES Appeals, Grants No Longer Accepted

Contrary to information circulated recently in counties affected by last April's flooding in eastern Kentucky, the state Division of Disaster and Emergency Services (DES) can no longer accept applications or appeals for the Individual and Family Grant Program.

The cutoff date for applications was July 5, 1977 and the final date that appeals could be accepted was Oct. 31, 1977. DES had received numerous appeal requests in recent months. These cannot be processed because of federal limitations on the time deadlines. The Federal Disaster Assistance Administration set those limits as 90 days after the disaster declaration for applications and 180 days after the declaration for appeals.

Citizens of the affected counties are asked to disregard any information or notification contrary to this notice.

## Former UMW Official Says Union Weakened

By SCOTT PAYTON  
(In The Lexington Herald-Leader)  
The embattled United Mine Workers union—weakened by a record strike and beset with internal strife—still faces serious difficulties even if miners return to work soon, a former UMW official says.

Squire Feltner, former president of the union's District 30, said in an interview last week that the UMW's recent trend toward local autonomy—and the resulting turmoil in the coalfields—is weakening the union dangerously. "You can't have an effective organization with 100,000 different policies," Feltner said. "You've got to have leaders who set policy, and the rank-and-file has got to follow that policy. But the way it is now, everyone wants to be a chief and nobody wants to be an Indian."

"I'll tell you one thing: If this union wants to survive as a labor organization, it's gonna have to unite and support the leadership it has. But, of course, that's the furthest thing from some of their minds." Feltner himself was an apparent victim of the increasingly-restive UMW membership last spring, when he suffered an upset defeat in a reelection bid, losing by 96 votes to Robert Carter, of Jenkins.

Now retired and living on his union pension, Feltner blames many of the UMW's current problems on the "union democracy" reforms instituted by national president Arnold Miller when he was first elected in 1972.

Prior to that time, the UMW had a tradition of authoritarian central leadership—a carryover from the days of John L. Lewis, the union's first president, who ruled the UMW with an iron fist.

Feltner said the long years of top-heavy control had left the rank-and-file unprepared to deal with the greater autonomy Miller gave them.

"We're choking to death on this democracy now," he said. "This union is just not ready for autonomy. The way it is, if a district official doesn't say yes to everybody, they'll just vote him out. I think you're gonna see a lot of one-term officials from now on."

Still, Feltner condemned the recent move by more militant strikers to initiate recall proceedings against Miller—which is ironic, since Feltner opposed Miller's re-election bid last spring and has long been perceived as a Miller foe.

"I have never been a Miller man, and I never will be," he said. "I've opposed him in the past. But this (the recall effort) is no way to run an organization like this. Recall isn't the right way to go about it. If we're dissatisfied, there's gonna be another election—we can take care of that then, in five years."

"A lot of this hollerin' comes from West Virginia," he added. "Miller managed to get elected this time because of the majority he got in West Virginia. They all voted for him and now they're hollerin' recall."

"What they should be doing is giving Miller their support. Any time we're in a situation like this, the president needs the solid support of the union membership so he can do his best bargaining."

Feltner declined to comment on the proposed contract between the UMW and the Bituminous Coal Operators Association, saying, "I'm not active any more and I really haven't studied it enough to comment."

But he did express misgivings about a controversial provision of the pact that would allow coal operators to discipline miners who lead unauthorized walkouts.

"I just don't agree with the operators being able to punish wildcat strikers," Feltner said. "I think our UMW constitution ought to have a clause to deal with local strikes in defiance of the union leadership. Until 1971, we had a clause like that."

Part of the problem, he said, is that

union miners have a tendency to honor any and all picket lines, however shaky their legitimacy. That, he said, leads to abuse:

"No union miner ever has or ever will cross a picket line. So the way it is now, it's nothing for two or three men to keep 800 or more from working. That's got to change. Somewhere along the line, we've got to decide what constitutes a legitimate picket line. Is it a guy with a flat tire at the portal? Is it a sign nailed up with nobody holding it? Or is it just a threat on the telephone?"

"That situation has got to be straightened out, no doubt about it. But it's an internal problem for the union itself to solve, not the operators."

However, Feltner seemed in agreement with another controversial provision of the contract: the clause that would set a range of health care deductibles averaging several hundred dollars a year before a miner could begin drawing from the union's health fund.

"I'll get a lot of criticism for saying this, but I don't care," he said. "I think if we'd had some kind of little deductible years ago, it would have saved many millions and millions of dollars to the fund. I've had friends and known people who would go to the doctor for every little problem, where if they'd had to pay some they might have waited a few days or not gone at all."

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**JACK'S CR. HOME BURNS**

The home of Randall Holbrook at Jack's Creek burned last Tuesday afternoon with all its contents. Cause of the blaze was not determined immediately but the fire was first discovered in the attic of the three-bedroom structure.

Mrs. Holbrook and her two children were alone at the time of the fire but escaped without injury.

**BETSY LAYNE COMMUNITY NEWS**

**HONOR TWIN SISTERS**

The 84th birthday anniversary of twin sisters, Mrs. Elisa Blackburn and Mrs. Elizabeth Spears, was co-hosted by Mrs. Dean Osborne and Mrs. John Newberry at the home of Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, February 26, following church services. Members of the two families, who could attend, gathered in, bringing varieties of food, to add to that prepared by the hostesses. The group was led in the singing of the Doxology by Billie Jean Osborne.

The mothers being honored, were seated at a special table with a silk flower arrangement centerpiece.

After the dinner, the decorated birthday cake supplied by Mrs. Mae Newberry was placed before the honorees and the gifts, presented by those in attendance and those sent by those, not able to be present, were placed on the table and snapshots of the sisters were taken, along with pictures of unsuspecting groups of relatives.

The decorated cake and an equally delicious red velvet cake, baked by Mrs. Blackburn's granddaughter, Mrs. Dale Meade, were served to all.

As is customary at any gathering of the members of this Taylor-Spears-

Blackburn clan, stories, (some factual, other slightly fabricated), of yesteryears began to float around. Many of these included things of which the beloved fathers, William (Woody) Blackburn and Andrew J. Spears, were integral parts. Then the mothers favored with stories from their younger days before their marriages.

These stories evoked laughter, but expressions of wonder, surprise and a bit of unbelief showed in the faces of the great-grandchildren (which is understandable, since they never had the knowledge of the many things that were mentioned). It will likely never register with the younger generation that family life of our childhood was happy and thoroughly enjoyed, even without all the modern "fol-de-rols," that discipline was seldom, if ever, questioned. And that no child was ever expected to do "his own thing." He or she did what was instructed by Papa or Mama.

Mrs. Kelsa Elliott, who fell several weeks ago, outside her home, breaking an arm, fracturing three ribs and puncturing a lung, was treated at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital for several days, and is now recuperating at her home, with her sister, Mrs. Palmer Crum, staying with her and other family members and friends assisting in any way possible. She is very appreciative of all visits, phone calls, cards, flowers, notes, visits, prayer and any helpful attention that has been shown by her many loved ones and friends.

Dr. June Brose, of Lexington, and co-owner and practitioner of the Children's Dental Clinic at Betsy Layne, recently had major surgery by Dr. Mary L. Wiss at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital. She has been recuperating for several days since being dismissed from the hospital at the home of Drs. Mary Fox and Mary L. Wiss, of Pikeville. Her many local friends will be glad to know that she was able to see dental patients Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, and after a few days in Lexington will, hopefully, be sufficiently recovered to be back on duty.

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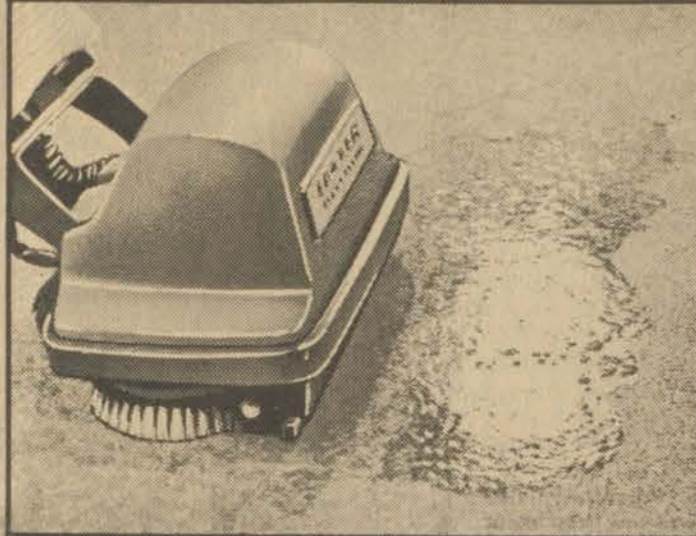
**Contributors Asked To Aid in Bonanza Youth's Treatments**

Eight-year-old Gary Howell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Howell, of Bonanza, began a brave battle for life last November. It was then that doctors removed a cancerous kidney at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington.

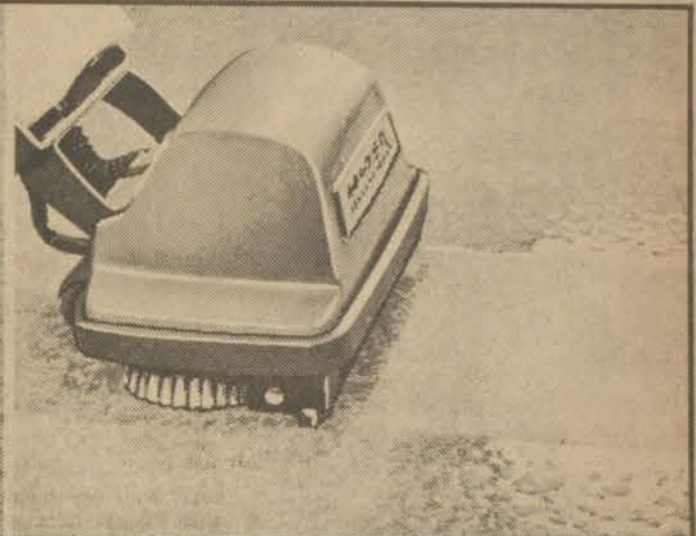
Although the kidney was lost, doctors say he has a good chance to recover and lead a fairly normal life. In order to prevent the possibility of the growth of new malignant tissue, however, Gary must take weekly shots and undergo chemotherapy treatments every three months, treatments which entail considerable expense.

Gary's father, an employee of Adams Construction Company, has not worked regularly this winter due to the snow and cold weather, and his insurance fell far short in providing full coverage for doctors and hospitalization.

Rev. Tommy Reynolds, of Paintsville's First Church of God, the church which the Howells attend, has opened an account at the Citizens' National Bank of Paintsville to help defray the mounting cost of the continuing treatments and at present there is a total of \$927 in the account. According to Rev. Reynolds contributions are still coming in slowly but more is needed. Donations can be made to the Gary Howell, Jr. Medical Fund at the Paintsville bank, or they can be sent to Rev. Reynolds or radio station WSIP, Paintsville.



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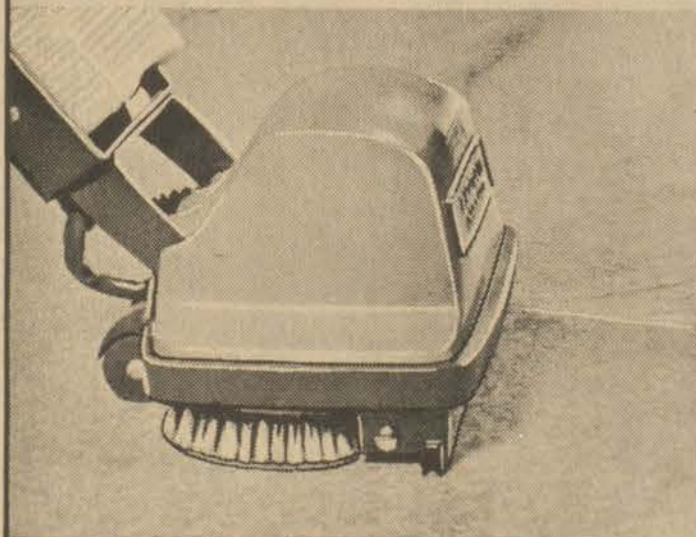


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## Needed: A Tranquilizer Fund

Although four-lane work on US 23 from Catlettsburg to Paintsville has already been begun, apparently the "missing link" between Paintsville and Prestonsburg where the four-lane section on south begins will lie untouched another five to ten years.

This means that the thousands of motorists travelling this Prestonsburg-to-Paintsville sector with its miles of almost vertical cliffs and overhanging rock and earth will continue to run a deadly gauntlet.

But there is some relief possible before the years of waiting for a safer route end. Damage suits may be filed now with some hope of collecting from the Commonwealth. At least one such court action has resulted in a decision for the complaining driver.

Remember that. The state is not inviolate. It cannot leave this section of US 23 as it is, threatening the safety of every person who accepts the invitation to travel it that is implied by its being open to traffic, without being responsible for what happens to motorists through no fault of their own.

More road signs—"Falling Rock" or even "Danger"—do not exonerate the state, it has recently been held. It is obvious that the state of Kentucky does not expect such warnings to turn motorists around for a cross-country trip by some other route, or that it expects them to turn back, go home and forego the trip.

The spring thaws will drop those rocks and earth which have been frozen in place during the winter. Coal miners have a word for it—it's "bad roof" the public will be passing under along that road.

The Times is aware that terracing those cliffs and clearing them of loose rock involve money, a lot of it. It is not blind to the financing problems the state may have with the proposed new US 23 between these two towns. But it cannot see any justification for continued delay when lives are at stake and while new roads are planned for work next year, or the year after, not five or ten years hence.

Meanwhile, it has been waggishly suggested, Governor Carroll should amend his budget bill to include a special Tranquilizer Fund for the benefit of all who must travel the present route while nothing is being done.

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We have two women among the thousands in the county who, week after week, write this newspaper the happenings in their communities. They do this for their communities, without thought of pay or praise (not even postage, we're ashamed to admit). There are larger towns in Floyd county than Allen and Langley (Maytown), but, thanks to Mrs. Ray Brackett and Mrs. Thurmalk Click, these places and their people are better known to some 30,000 readers of this newspaper than any others.

You may have noticed, too, that Rufus Reed, whom many have missed during recent months, is back. He wrote, the other day, that he was having trouble typing but could contribute his nature articles if we could read his handwriting. Can we? We can read our own—and we would appreciate Mr. Reed and his love of nature, even if he expressed himself in hieroglyphics.

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mitted by the accounting firm of Goble, Bottoms and Wright, was approved with the provision that if error is found in the settlement in June, this year, the county will reimburse Lewis the amount due him, if any, with interest.

The accountants' report showed that the ex-sheriff collected and paid into the county treasury during the last three months of his term of office \$784,293.25, and that \$2,244.47 is due. Magistrates Wilcox and Caudill voted for approval of the settlement. Magistrates Roberts and Hamilton abstained.

The county attorney and county surveyor were directed to determine the location of the road right-of-way on Hays Branch, near Betsy Layne, and to take action to open the road to the public.

Employment of Mercedith Hoffman as secretary to the county attorney at a monthly salary of \$661.50, effective Feb. 1, was approved.

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Johnson said okay, but thinks he may have turned his camera off.

The next thing he knew, two men were attacking him, each with a small school desk.

Moore, who was 12 to 15 feet away, saw the two men pick up the desk and go at Johnson.

"They were half-way chasing him, half-way beating him out of this little alley where we were standing," Moore said.

Johnson was trying to protect his camera equipment, pleading with his assailants that he would have to pay for it if it was destroyed.

But the men chased him and beat him 20 to 30 yards down the alley into a parking lot, where he was knocked to the ground. One assailant then hit him on top of the head with a school desk top, and Johnson was punched in the back of the head with a fist. In all, he was hit at least a dozen times.

Moore approached the assailants, urging them to leave Johnson alone and to allow the trio to take the equipment and leave. But one of the men started toward Moore with a desk top, threatening him and driving him back.

By that time, a crowd was gathering and the assailants eased off.

Moore and Johnson retreated to Moore's car.

Emmons had remained across the street taking pictures.

As they were getting into the car, the group of miners approached and apologized.

Johnson said he had permission of the presidents of both union locals to photograph the miners and that he also obtained permission of everyone he talked to. Emmons quoted one miner as saying later, however, that Johnson "didn't have any business pointing that thing at anybody."

The camera was a miniature, hand-held device for video taping and was unlike the larger television cameras.

Emmons said he asked several miners if they knew the names of the two assailants, but they just shrugged and turned away.

## Senate Marks 1958 Tragedy

The 20th anniversary of the Floyd county school bus tragedy was marked, Tuesday of last week, by a resolution introduced by State Senators Jim Hammond, Nelson Allen and Lowell Hughes and unanimously passed by the State Senate.

The resolution follows: "A resolution to adjourn the Senate on February 28, 1978, in memory of those who lost their lives on the Floyd County School Bus Number 27, February 28, 1958.

"WHEREAS, twenty years have elapsed since Floyd County School Bus Number 27 plunged into the Big Sandy River on February 28, 1958; and

"WHEREAS, the memory of this tragedy lingers still in the hearts and memories of those who lost their loved ones on that fateful day; and

"WHEREAS, those responsible for the

well-being and safety of school children must be ever vigilant in their duty and every mindful of their great responsibility; and

"WHEREAS, Kentuckians all share the deep loss of those twenty-six precious passengers and their driver aboard School Bus Number 27;

"NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

"That when the Senate adjourns this day, Tuesday, February 28, 1978, it do so in honor and memory of the twenty-seven loved ones who lost their lives aboard Floyd County School Bus Number 27, on February 28, 1958.

"That the Floyd County Emergency Rescue Squad, born from this tragedy, be commended for the outstanding job performed on that day and in the twenty years following."

# Our Yesterdays

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

## Ten Years Ago

(March 7, 1968)

An alternate plan for the proposed multi-million dollar Beaver Elkhorn Water District's water system was outlined here Wednesday by a Versailles engineering firm . . . Joseph L. McCauley, of Pikeville, was named as director of the five-county Big Sandy Development District office at a meeting Thursday at Prestonsburg Community College . . . A community "bootstrap operation" won for Weeksbury top honors at the Floyd County Community Development Awards Program sponsored here Tuesday night by the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce . . . The Dewey Lake Fish & Game Club at a recent meeting here discussed means of creating interest among sportsmen and landowners in providing food for wildlife . . . The McDowell Daredevils won the district tournament here last week and, along with the Wayland high school team, will represent Floyd county in the regional tourney under way here . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. William Rae Thompson, of Lexington, twin daughters, Staci Rae and Traci Lynn, Jan. 27 at Central Baptist hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Rice, of Banner, a daughter, Delilah Ruth, Feb. 20 at the Prestonsburg General hospital . . . There died: Mrs. Erma Huff Goble, 77, last Thursday at the home here of her son, James E. Goble; Raymond Dixon, 52, native of Martin and a resident of Louisa, Saturday when a small boat he occupied overturned in the Big Sandy River near Louisa; Mrs. Betty T. Clark, 63, Tuesday at her home at David; Mrs. Mahala Snavely, 91, of East Point, Monday at the Jenny Wiley Rest Home near Auxier; Robert Hamilton, 69, Saturday at his home at Grethel; Sam Harris, 79, of Price, Wednesday at the Jenkins Clinic; Ed Clay, 75, Sunday at his home at Ligon; Mrs. Mary Lafferty, 76, of Lancer, Tuesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Morgan Hall, 70, of Wayland, Friday at Paintsville; Mrs. Lyda Cooley Stephens, 87, of Lackey, formerly of Cliff, Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Conard Goble, 72, of Lancer, last Thursday at the Prestonsburg General hospital; Mrs. Gertrude Kidd Parsons, 66, of Honaker, Friday at the home of a daughter at Harold; Mrs. Mary M. Stratton, 38, native of this county, Feb. 19 at an Ypsilanti, Mich. hospital.

## Twenty Years Ago

(March 6, 1958)

Twenty-seven lives were claimed Friday in the worst school bus tragedy in the nation's history . . . A major addition to the electric power facilities of the Kentucky Power Company is being constructed at the Beaver Creek transmission station at Hi Hat, it was announced this week . . . Dallas Newsome, 33, former Floyd man, was shot and killed last Monday at Newport, Kentucky . . . Sol Branham, 36, of Melvin, died at Veterans' hospital, Huntington, W. Va. Saturday of head injuries he had suffered the preceding day in a car wreck at Bevinsville . . . Married: Betty Jane Burnette, of Waltz, Mich., and Airman Roy Frost, Jr., formerly of Weeksbury, Dec. 22 . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wade Moore, a son, William Wade, Feb. 27 at the Prestonsburg General hospital . . . There died: Mrs. Jenny G. Baldrige, 74, of East Point, Friday at her home; Mrs. Margaret Jarrell, 77, Saturday at Dwale; Jack Blackburn, 58, of Martin, Saturday at a Huntington, W. Va. hospital; David Banner May, 72, last Wednesday at his home at Allen; James S. Goble, 87, of Auxier, last Tuesday at the home of a daughter.

## Thirty Years Ago

(March 11, 1948)

Hopes of Floyd and Knott counties to remain in the same judicial district were blasted Tuesday as both houses of the General Assembly quickly approved the bill revising this and three other Eastern Kentucky districts and creating a new one, the 39th . . . Prestonsburg's Blackcats, the champions, and the Garrett high school Black Devils, the runners-up in last week's district basketball meet here, begin play tonight (Thursday) at Inez for regional honors . . . Arthur Conn, 34-year-old Printer miner, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, early Wednesday morning, several hours after both his legs had been severed by a train near his home . . . Mrs. Lula Music Caldwell, 26, former Harold resident, was shot to death in a River Rouge, Mich. night club, shortly before midnight Sunday . . . Cpl. Vernon P. Smedigar, formerly of Garrett, drowned Friday when he fell from a bridge in Kyoto, Japan . . . Seven parents were fined and two 14-year-old boys were given suspended reform school sentences Saturday by County Judge Alex L. Davidson after the boys had been arrested for truancy and their elders had been named in warrants for failing to send their children to school . . . Married: Miss Rosemary Malone, of Allen, and Mr. Walter Frasure, of McDowell, Feb. 19 at the Allen Baptist Church . . . Born: to Mr. and Mrs. William Damron, a son, William Mayo, Sunday, March 7 at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville; to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Derossot, of Martin, a son, Dennis Michael, Sunday at the Beaver Valley hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, Marilyn Gail, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin; to Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Mauk, of Jeffersonville, Ind., a son, Raymond Bruce, Feb. 18; to Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Gray, Jr., of New Haven, Conn., a son, Clark Bingham, Feb. 14 at New Haven hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Richardson, of Bonanza, a daughter . . . There died: Mrs. Tennessee Burchett Jarrell, 87, at home at Tram, Monday; A. E. Hays, 55, former Floyd resident, at home at Oakhill, O., Feb. 29; Dude D. Hamilton, 37, formerly of Emma, March 2 at Olive Hill; Charlie Allen, 41, Wednesday at his home at Wayland; Jack Ousley, 41, at home at Drift, Saturday; Harry Thomas Sparks, five-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Sparks, of Prestonsburg, Feb. 24 at the Paintsville hospital.

## Forty Years Ago

(March 10, 1938)

The Floyd County Board of Education, in session here Saturday, adopted a resolution which will, after July 1, this year, eliminate the sub-district school system in the county . . . The Garrett and McDowell basketball teams will represent Floyd county in the Regional tournament which begins today (Thursday) at the gymnasium here . . . Coroner Elliott Prater said last Saturday that an autopsy revealed that Brack Adkins, 35, who died at Shelbiana, Pike county, suffered a broken neck, although it had been claimed he died as the result of a long illness . . . Resolutions of Jack's Creek local, United Mine Workers of America, calling for the completion of the Left Beaver Creek road, were unanimously approved by a crowd of approximately 300 persons attending the local's meeting at the Burton school, Sunday afternoon . . . Fire departments of Prestonsburg, Pikeville and Paintsville battled here Tuesday night to save Prestonsburg's business section as fire destroyed the Unique theatre and threatened an entire block . . . The nation-wide publicity given Amos Tackett, young Wheelwright man, when he wore his father's wedding pants at his own marriage, recently, to Miss Ethel Rogers, came to a climax last Thursday night when Tackett appeared on the CBS Radio program, "We The People" . . . The city of Prestonsburg's petition for a restraining order from Circuit Judge John W. Caudill which would have compelled officers making arrests for drunkenness and other misdemeanors here to take their prisoners before Police Judge A. H. Spradlin for trial was denied Thursday, last week . . . Invited as sole representatives from Kentucky, the native Floyd Plainsong Chanters will appear at the National Folk Festival in Washington, D. C., May 6, 7 and 8 . . . There died: Lindsey Martin, 85, at home at Mousie, Sunday.

Today is the first day of the rest of your life. Give blood, so it can be the first day of somebody else's, too. Red Cross is counting on you.

VILLAGE SQUARE

By Chuck Stiles



"...REMINDS ME ~ THE JUDGE HERE ~ CALLED TO SEE ABOUT HUNTING ON OUR LAND THIS FALL"

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executive director and a native of Martin. A \$150,000 grant from the Appalachian Regional Commission was secured in 1975 for initial procurement of easements and clearing work. By last May, 132 miles of the trail had been completed and a CETA Title VI grant totalling \$92,000 was recently received by FIVCO to help complete work in the northern section. Funds will also provide for a spur to connect Greenbo Lake State Park to be called the Michael Tygart Trail as well as a 10-mile link-up with Carter Caves State Park.

Jenny Wiley Trail planners expect to see thousands of "high quality" tourists on the trail, now that it has been largely routed and trail markers erected. Trail official Richard Howerton estimated a booming popularity as soon as the word of completion is out.

"These hikers are the type folks we want to see some to our end of the state," Howerton commented, adding that by "high quality" he means the type tourist that will not create problems that are normally associated with tourism.

Howerton pointed out that since construction of the trail began, hiking and backpacking have gained tremendously in popularity and are presently the fastest growing form of outdoor recreation in the country.

Mattingly, a native of Pike county and a long-time backpacking enthusiast, has begun spending a good deal of time here in the past few weeks in an effort to stimulate interest in the trail among outdoorsmen of this section. "We really need to organize a Jenny Wiley Trail Conference for this area in order to involve local people and encourage local use of the trail," Mattingly said. He added that he will organize a hike within the next few weeks to familiarize local hikers with the route and with what the trail has to offer. He said that, although he has not hiked the length of the southern section of the trail, the route between Jenny Wiley State Park and Ivyton is said to be the most beautiful leg of the trail.

Floyd county hikers can enter the trail at the Goble Branch campground, and Mattingly suggested that hikers leave an outline of projected locations and a time schedule for the hike with park officials or a friend. "This way," Mattingly explained, "if the hiker is way off his time schedule, then efforts can be made to locate the hiker and make sure there's no problem."

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just have to follow those recommendations."

Although the first mine local reporting from this county on the workers' voting—that of Local 8100—favored acceptance of the contract, the voting at other locals failed to follow this trend, and over District 30 the vote Monday morning stood at 793 "yes" and 1,756 "no."

The miners have indicated they would be willing to return to work if the President under authority of Congress seizes the mines but that they intend to defy Taft-Hartley. Predecessors of Carter have on 34 occasions invoked Taft-Hartley, but the track record of the act is not good. When miners defied President Truman's injunction to return to work, he moved to seize the mines but this step was rendered unnecessary when miners and operators reached a quick settlement.

State officials were generally mum Monday about what plans the state has if striking coal miners in Kentucky don't obey a court injunction under the Taft-Hartley Act.

"The governor is not going to try to anticipate what the reaction to the injunction might be," said Carroll press aide Gary Auxier. "He will maintain law and order."

President Carter, in a telegram sent to Carroll and other governors, said that "the primary responsibility for maintaining order and protecting citizens of your state rests with you."

Asked if Carroll had plans to call out the National Guard, Auxier said, "The governor will maintain law and order and will not anticipate what might be necessary."

## Liquor Taken In Four Raids

Activity of law enforcement officers in the county over the past week included four liquor raids in various sections of the county and the arrest of three persons in connection with those raids.

In the week's first raid, last Wednesday night, Judy Taft was charged with illegal possession after Sheriff Doug Lewis, Detective Joe W. Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Harold Lewis confiscated 10 half-pints and three fifths of liquor. Two raids Saturday night resulted in the arrest of Ed Lowe on a transporting charge on Bull Creek, and Larry Lewis on Cow Creek for illegal possession. Deputy Sheriffs Randall Lewis and Kenneth Hughes seized 10 cases of beer from Lowe and three pints of liquor and a case of beer were taken from Lewis by Sheriff Doug Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Kenneth Hughes. Lewis was also charged with drunk driving.

Another raid Monday netted Sheriff's Department officers 15 cases of beer and 18 half-pints of liquor. The cache of illegal booze was hidden in a wooded area on Simpson Branch on Left Beaver and no arrests were made as a result of the action.

Mickey L. Keller and Kenneth Barnett were arrested Monday night at Archer Park by Prestonsburg Policemen Lawson and Woods. The two are charged with siphoning gas from city vehicles parked there.

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

Anthony Salisburg, wanton endangerment in first degree, by State Troopers Sizemore and Williamson; Kenneth Allen, drunk driving, by State Trooper Castle; Carl R. Sellard, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriff Randall Lewis; Bryan Vanhoose, drunk driving, by State Troopers Castle and Rederick; Nell Cartmell, theft by deception, by State Trooper Webb; Damon Newsome, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriff Don Nelson; William B. Scalf, drunk driving, by Sheriff Doug Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Kenneth Hughes; Daniel F. Branham, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policemen Lawson and Wells; Ricky Lee Hall, drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriff Randall Lewis; Lee Kidd, Jr., drunk driving, by Deputy Sheriff Randall Lewis; Stephen Wright, drunk driving, by State Trooper Weedman; Aaron Tackett, drunk driving, by State Troopers Castle and Rederick; Holley Barry Scott, drunk driving, by Prestonsburg Policeman Lawson; Thomas D. Spradlin, burglary in third degree and wanton endangerment, by Deputy Sheriff Randall Lewis; Bert Newsome, drunk driving, by State Trooper Weedman; Ben Curtis Sturgill, drunk driving, by State Troopers Rederick and Weedman; Hillard Hall, a.w.o.l., by F.B.I. Agent Smith.

## Child Death Probe Not Yet Complete

Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen said Tuesday that the investigation of the death last Jan. 22 of a Wheelwright child of unexplained causes is being continued by a State Police detective following the receipt of an autopsy report.

The report, authorities have been told, showed evidences of caffeine and salicylate.

The body was sent to an Ashland pathologist and was later cremated.

The victim was Michael Stanley Gilbert, son of Robert A. Gilbert, of Wheelwright. The mother has since been given a polygraph (lie detector) test.

## NO AGREEMENT REACHED ON TEXAS-TO-BRITAIN FARES

LONDON—A Braniff International jumbo jet headed back to Dallas-Fort Worth with 223 guest passengers Saturday after the British and U.S. governments failed to reach agreement on fares for a new daily service between Texas and Britain.



**BETSY LAYNE SENIOR LADYCATS**



Senior members of the Betsy Layne Ladycats basketball team, district champions with their win over the Allen Central Rebellettes, Saturday night, are pictured above. They are Vicky Salisbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Salisbury, of R. 1, Harold, Mary Stumbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stumbo, also of Harold, Karen Newsome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Newsome, of Teaberry, and Carla Hammonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hammonds, of Water Gap.

**Betsy Layne Lady Cats Win 58th District Net Tourney**

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON

The Betsy Layne Lady Cats rolled to their 24th win of the season Saturday night in capturing the 58th district basketball crown by defeating the Allen Central Rebellettes, 70 to 48.

In the championship game they were led in scoring by Pam Clark with 20 points, Karen Newsome had 18 and Mary Stumbo converted for 16. The Rebellettes were led by Tammy Francis with 18 points, and Becky Collins had 12 points.

Betsy Layne moved into the finals by defeating the Prestonsburg Lady Cats, 75 to 46. Pam Clark had 32 points, Karen Newsome 14 and Mary Stumbo 8. Prestonsburg was led by Dee Dee Music with 21 points and Brenda Wright with 11, Prestonsburg had to play without their fine guard and second leading scorer, Sheri Allen, who was out with an ankle injury.

The Rebellettes won their way into the finals by defeating the Wheelwright Trojanettes, 61 to 42, Tammy Francis had 16 points and Tammy Martin 12 and Carol Shepherd connected for 8 points. The Trojanettes were led by Tammy Hamby and Kim Hall, each with 15 points.

The Betsy Layne Lady Cats won the Floyd county conference title and Coach Bernadette Kok was selected as the outstanding coach.

The Rebellettes won over the McDowell Daredevilettes Friday night, 51 to 47. This is the first year that the McDowell girls have not won a place in the regional basketball tournament since it was first played five years ago. In the game Carol Shepherd led the Rebellettes with 14 points and Kristy Frye had 11. Brenda Hamilton had 14 points and freshman Melinda Hopkins connected for 12.

**MOTORIST TORTURED ON HIGHWAY**

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**McDowell Whips Jinx To Win District Title**

By C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON

The McDowell Daredevils last Saturday night broke the jinx which had plagued them for two years and won the 58th district championship by downing the host team, the Betsy Layne Bobcats, in an overtime, 61 to 59.

Two years ago, Coach David Turner's team lost to Betsy Layne in the finals. Last year, they lost to Wheelwright in an overtime game. And as they wound up the regulation time last Saturday night in a 61-all tie, the jinx threatened again.

But McDowell, the team rated on the basis of its record as the overwhelming tournament favorite, won this last encounter when Steve Newsome scored the lone field goal made in the overtime.

Newsome was high man for the evening with 32 points.

McDowell, the conference winner, had only one game to win to reach the finals, but it, too, was a tough one. Against Wheelwright's Trojans the Daredevils trailed for three quarters but in the final stanza pulled away to win, 61-58.

The three-point margin of victory in the championship game was the same margin by which McDowell won two of its other three encounters with Wheelwright during regular season play.

Betsy Layne opened the tournament by surprising the Prestonsburg Blackcats, 57 to 48. This game was a seesaw battle. Prestonsburg led at halftime, 24 to 22, but in the second half sophomore Ronnie Akers took charge and scored 20 of the 35 points scored for the Bobcats in those two quarters and finished out the night with 27 points. Rick Ferrell had 15 points.

Prestonsburg was led in scoring by Rick Morgan with 15 points, Jeff Burchett had 14 and Grady Stephens 8 points. Friday night, the Bobcats continued their winning ways as they defeated the Allen Central Rebels, 62 to 56, and again Ronnie Akers led the winners with 30 points. Phil Slone, of the Rebels, kept his team alive in the second half by scoring 16 of his 22 points. Freshman Tim Branham got into foul trouble in the first half and spent quite a bit of time on the bench, but scored 16 points. Rick Ferrell of the Bobcats also placed limited time due to foul problems in the first half.

The McDowell Daredevils won the Floyd County Conference title and Coach David Turner was selected as the outstanding coach.

Named to the all-conference team were:

McDowell—Steve Newsome, Steve Reid, Greg Mathews and Wesley Case; Betsy Layne—James Mullins, Ricky Ferrell and Ronnie Akers; Allen Central—Tim Branham, Phil Slone and Ralph Caudill; Wheelwright—Doug Isaacs and Monroe Jones; Prestonsburg—Ricky Morgan and Grady Stephens.

The winners' trophy was presented McDowell, runner-up trophy to Betsy Layne. Allen Central won the sportsmanship trophy, and Betsy Layne won the team free shot award. Steve

Newsome and Rick Ferrell tied for the individual free shot trophy. The Prestonsburg cheerleaders won first place, while Betsy Layne was the runner-up.

McDowell (26-5) and Betsy Layne (11-12) will both be in the regional tournament at the Prestonsburg fieldhouse this week. McDowell will open the regional tonight (Wednesday) at 7, facing Phelps, and in the second game Virgie will go against Johnson Central. Tomorrow night (Thursday) at 7, Betsy Layne will take on Belfry, and in the second game Sheldon Clark will battle Millard.

The tournament scoring: Betsy Layne (57)—Ronnie Akers 27, Ricky Ferrell 15, Daryl Newsome 12, Steve Jones 3, Mike Williams.

Prestonsburg (48)—Ricky Morgan 15, Jeff Burchett 14, Grady Stephens 8, Alan Herrick 4, David Pitts 4, Alvin Hall 1.

Betsy Layne (62)—Ronnie Akers 30, Ricky Ferrell 10, Daryl Newsome 9, Steve Jones 5, Mike Williams 2, James Mullins 4.

Allen Central (56)—Phil Slone 22, Tim Branham 16, Ralph Caudill 10, Gary Howard 3, Mark Martin 5.

McDowell (61)—Steve Newsome 17, Brian Turner 14, Gary Pack 10, Steve Reid 8, Steve Kidd 8, Wesley Case 2, Greg Matthews 2.

Wheelwright (58)—Tim Hunter 24, Monroe Jones 10, Glenn Hall 7, Victor Rhea 5, Lanny Hall 6, Strown Berger 4, Doug Isaac 2.

**CHAMPIONSHIP GAME**

McDowell (61)—Steve Newsome 32, Gary Pack 11, Steve Reid 8, Greg Mathews 6, Steve Kidd 2, Brian Turner 2.

Betsy Layne (59)—Ricky Ferrell 29, Ronnie Akers 16, Daryl Newsome 9, James Mullins 5, Steve Jones.

**Allen Club Extends Pageant Entry Date**

The Allen Woman's Club is extending the date to enter the Little Miss Floyd County Pageant to Saturday, March 25.

The pageant will be held at the Betsy Layne School Auditorium April 15 at 7 p.m. and winners of each age group will receive flowers, trophies, tiaras and gift certificates from local stores. Runners-up will receive flowers and trophies.

Ages for contestants are 5-7, 8-10, and 11-13 years. To enter, call Mrs. Joe Hinchman at 874-2821, Mrs. Dan Weber at 874-9320, or Mrs. Ricky Collins, 478-9178, after 5 p.m.

**EKU Season Ends With 15-11 Record**

Richmond, Ky.—Coach Ed Byhre's Eastern Kentucky University Colonels completed their 1977-'78 season, the most successful for EKV since 1971-'72, with a three-game winning streak and by winning six of their final eight games.

EKV finished with a 15-11 overall record and 8-6 in the Ohio Valley Conference which tied the Colonels for fourth place with Austin Peay. However, the Gobs were awarded the conference tournament playoff spot by virtue of its having defeated Middle Tennessee, this year's co-champions, twice.

"We set out before the season began to accomplish certain goals and, to a point, we accomplished some of these," said Byhre. "Yet, when you look back at a couple of games we could have won, it is very disappointing not to be able to be playing at Bowling Green this weekend."

**Weightlifters of the Week**

Dewey Layne, 6-1, 195-pound sophomore spent five days in the "factory" last week and for the fifth time has been selected as one of the Weight Lifters of the Week. Weight Coach Bob Stetson said, "Dewey is really beginning to push himself now and this is what it takes. When we can get everyone working with as much dedication and determination, we'll be in business."

Lee Carter is the 6-2, 230-pound sophomore tackle. According to Coach Stetson, "Carter is really beginning to develop his upper body and he has gained a great deal of confidence. The Blackcat coaching staff has high hopes for Carter next year."

Desi Whitt, 5-8, 170-pound sophomore, just this past week benched a maximum of 250 pounds. Assistant coach Ron Robinson said, "Desi is a good example of what a little bit of work and determination can do for you. He's gained close to 20 pounds in body weight since last season and is really beginning to fill out. This is the kind of output we need from everyone to have a successful football team."

Ralph Gilliam, a 5-8, 150-pound freshman has been selected for the first time. He played halfback for the Cats freshman team last year. Coach Stetson said, "Ralph is just now beginning to get the feel of the weights, which takes time. It seems as if he is beginning to grow and now all he needs to do is keep right on working hard in the 'factory.'"

**Betsy Layne Homecoming Queen**



Miss Mary Stumbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stumbo, of Harold, was crowned Betsy Layne Homecoming Queen at halftime ceremonies recently. She is pictured above with her escort, Robbie Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Roberts, of Grethel.

Members of the Homecoming Court are Pam Hamilton, Tammy Cordial, Carla Hammonds, Paula Layne, Stacy Conn, Karen Newsome.

**"HAM" RADIO HAPPENINGS**

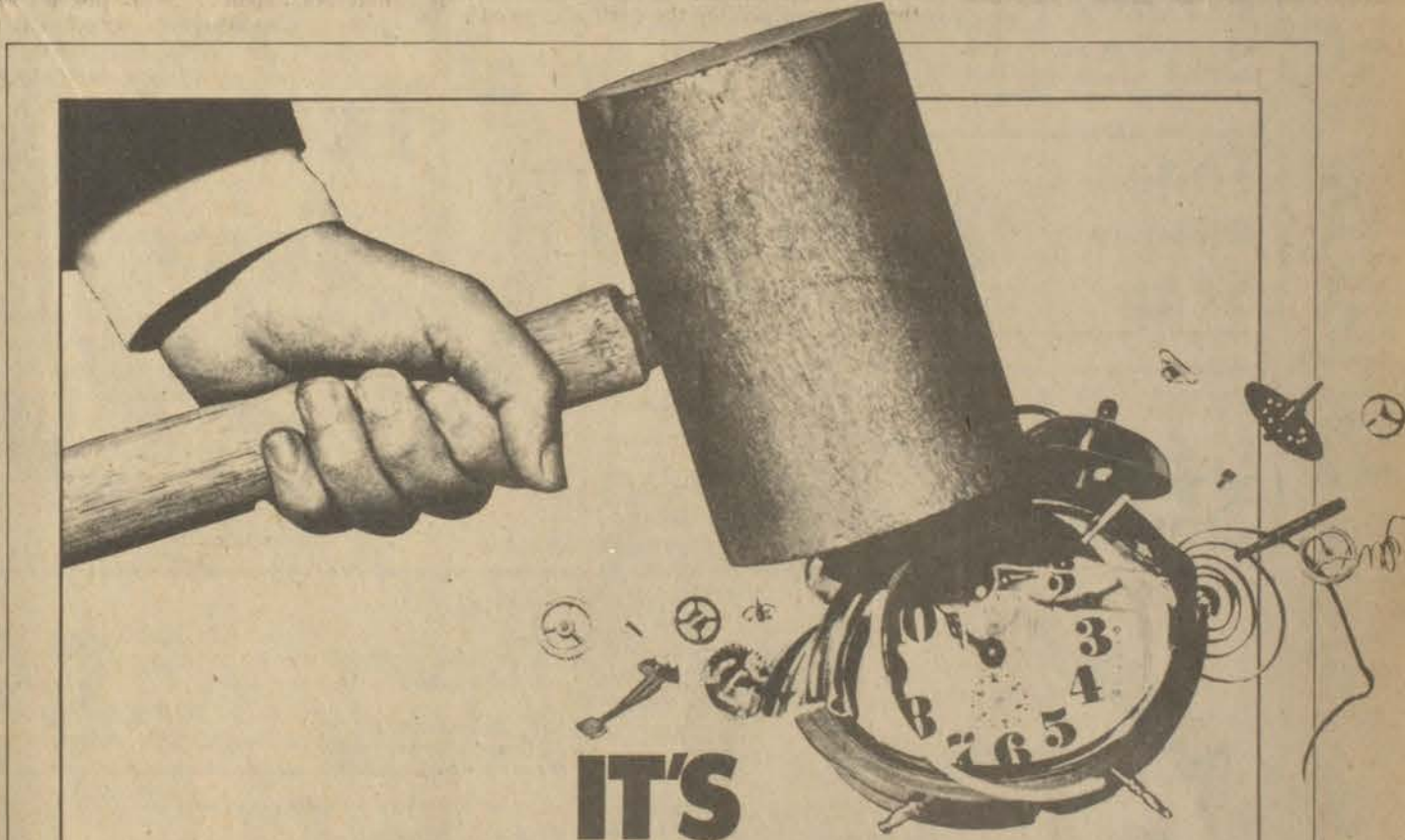
The Sandy Valley Amateur Radio Association sponsored a showing of the film "Moving up to Amateur Radio" Wednesday night, March 1. This film shows non-hams what amateur radio can mean to them. The non-hams that were present were enthusiastic about getting their licenses after viewing the film and plan to attend a class sponsored by the club beginning March 15. This film will be shown again tonight at the Floyd County Library at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend, especial CB'ers interested in stepping up to the rewarding hobby of amateur radio. If you would like more information on the class that the club is sponsoring come and see the film or write to: The Sandy Valley Amateur Radio Association, Rt. 2, Box 127, Martin, Ky. 41649.

**NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST**

David H. Neeley, of Prestonsburg, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at the Salmon P. Chase College of Law, Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, Kentucky.

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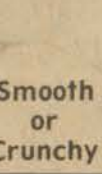
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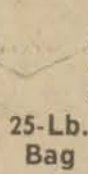
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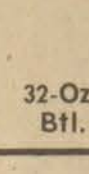
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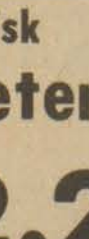
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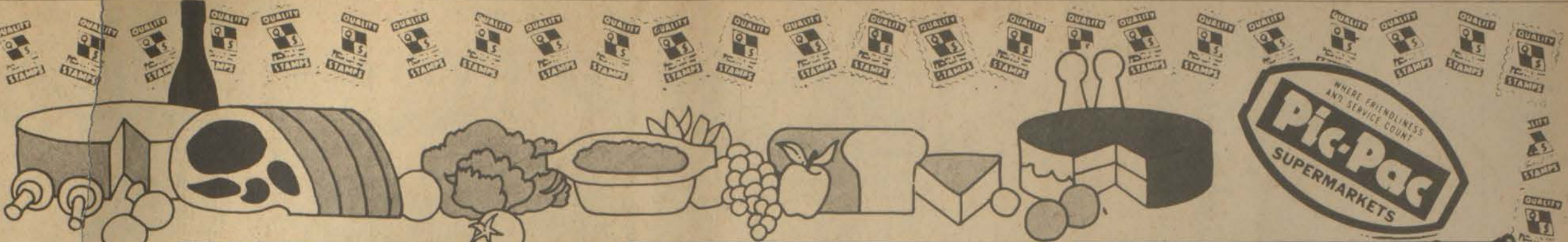


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## OUTDOOR LORE

By NEVYLE SHACKELFORD  
(UK College of Agriculture)



The great naturalist John Burroughs once wrote: "He who marvels at the beauty of the world in summer will find equal cause for wonder and admiration in winter." And this is true. While a season of simplicity, winter is not without its beauty. Snow softens harsh lines and clothes all immobile objects in royal cloaks of ermine. There's the magic of the winter moon. At no other time of the year does it appear so large, glow with such wonderful purity, or reach such sufficiency of illumination. Although stern, dark, and foreboding, the wooded hills are not without attraction. With naked branches of trees etched in sharp relief against the sky, these hills appear in brooding phantasy which is enough to cause the nature lover to pause and gasp in meditative wonder.

Unmuffled by vegetation, sounds are sharper in winter. The boom of the hunter's gun or the musical ring of the woodsman's axe can be heard from much greater distances. And while the bird symphonies are gone from the woods, much music remains. Rigid and tense and bare, twigs on the trees become like strings on a violin. With the wind serving as a bow, they play strains as stirring to the imagination as the music of Strauss, Mendelssohn, or Saint Saens.

Summer, the counterpart of winter, appeals to the sentiment and the senses. But cast in a more austere mold, winter appeals to the intellect—more to the head than the heart. Psychologists say severe studies and disciplines come easier in winter and one is less inclined to be tolerant or cater to his own weaknesses.

Despite its keening winds, piercing cold, frostbite and other accompanying inconveniences, there is much more that can be said for this brumal season. Without it we could never truly appreciate or so truly enjoy the glories of the other more gentle and seductive phases of the year. At no other time of the year does the home seem so snug or the rocker more comfortable. Slumber is more profound and restful and food appeals more to the palate.

The pomp and pageantry of spring, summer and autumn are swept away, leaving only essential elements such as day and night. But beauty remains as evidenced by the poet's words . . . "It's all around our paths, if but our watchful eyes can trace it amidst familiar things and through their lowly guise."

### Scout Council Adds Howson to Its Staff

Mark W. Howson, formerly of Pikeville, has joined the professional staff of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, it has been announced by John Fanning, council executive.

Fanning noted that Howson's employment represents an increase in the size of the council's staff, the first such increase since 1969.

Howson and his wife, Hobi, will live near Grundy in Buchanan county, Virginia. His assignment includes the supervision of all Scouting activities in Buchanan, Dickenson, and Wise counties of Virginia.

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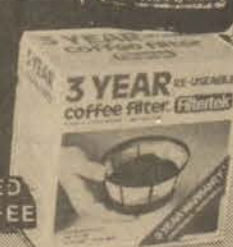


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STUDENTS AWAITING the school bus has been a rare sight during the 1978 school year, but by Monday, when this photo was snapped, there was promise, at least, of a "break" in the weather.

### Girl Scout Week Proclaimed Here

March 12 through March 18 has been proclaimed Girl Scout Week in Prestonsburg by Mayor Harold Cooley. The proclamation, in part, follows: WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. celebrate the 66th anniversary of its founding on March 12, 1978; and Whereas, This organization has influenced the lives of more than 32 million girls and adults who have been members since its inception, and Whereas, Girl Scout program...provides new worlds to explore to help girls expand their awareness of the world around them through activities related to conservation of natural resources and energy, international friendship, and other vital issues; and we in Prestonsburg are enriched by their services to this community. NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Cooley, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of Prestonsburg hereby proclaim March 12 through March 18, 1978, as Girl Scout Week in Prestonsburg, and I do further call upon all citizens of Prestonsburg to give Girl Scouting, now and throughout 1978, their support and cooperation so that more and more girls and the community may enjoy its benefits.

INDIAN FAMILIES SEE TV AS AN EVIL 'SHAKING TENT' London, Ontario—Traditionalist families among Canada's Cree Indians caution their children against the sorcery of television, known in their language as the "shaking tent," an anthropologist reports. Gary Granzberg of the University of Winnipeg, who studied two Cree communities, told a conference here that this description for TV comes from real tents used by medicine men in conjuring spirits. He said some Cree families, believing this magic to be evil, tell their children not to believe the visions of the electronic shaking tent.

THE FIRST FEDERAL legislation designating Labor Day as a national holiday was passed in 1894, according to "Labor Firsts in America," issued by the U.S. Department of Labor.

### Sound Happening

By COEY HARRIS Hello Floyd County! Here's something new in the black and white to rock you with the latest news on rock, country, and soul. Weekly, this column will bring to you news of upcoming albums, local, and national concerts and previews of current sounds.

Do you like to go to concerts but always run up against a hassle of getting tickets? Ticket distributors seem to believe no one in eastern Kentucky enjoys or attends concerts. There is presently a petition being taken at J. J.'s Sound Shop in Betsy Layne to prove the ticket distributors wrong. Check it out, get your name on it now!

Some March concert schedule news: March 10 (Fri.)—Foghat, Rupp Arena, Lexington, Ky.; March 10 (Fri.)—Styx, Civic Center, Huntington, W. Va.; March 12 (Sun.)—Styx, Coliseum, Greensboro, N. C.; March 15 (Wed.)—Rush, Coliseum, Knoxville, Tenn.; March 16 (Thurs.)—Rush, Civic Center, Huntington, W. Va.; March 17 (Fri.)—Gino Vanelli, Municipal Auditorium, Charleston, W. Va.; March 17 (Fri.)—Rush, Freedom Hall, Johnson City, Tenn.; March 17 (Fri.)—Crystal Gayle and Ronnie Milsap, Rupp Arena, Lexington, Ky.; March 18 (Sat.)—Rush, Coliseum, Greensboro, N. C.; March 10 (Sun.)—Parliament Funkentelechy, Louisville, Freedom Hall; March 19 (Sun.)—Rush, Chrysler Hall, Norfolk, Va.; March 20 (Mon.)—Tubes, Capitol Music Hall, Wheeling, W. Va.; March 26 (Sun.)—Blue Oyster Cult, Civic Center, Wheeling, W. Va.; March 30 (Thurs.)—Styx, Hulman Center, Terre Haute, Indiana.

If you Boston fans are still sitting tensely on the edge of your musical chairs waiting for album No. 2, relax because release date is unknown. One reason, previously released, was the basement where their recording is supposedly done, was flooded and the master tape destroyed. On the other hand, a more realistic excuse was Boston put together a new album, listened to the playback, and the sound didn't top the platinum sound of the first album. No use putting out a second album that can't rise out of the shadow of the first. Second album blues strikes again! The King Bob Seger's new album that was due in February seems to have had the same problem. The new album was taped and suited Seger except for one song. He reworked the song and it was so out of sight that the rest of the album looked bad. So the album is being completely redone and expected sometime the last of March. Watch this column for the big happening. The outlaws, a tough group coming up on popularity in the area, have a new double album, "Brining It Back Alive". Predictors call it a knockout!

Now turning to the ever growing and quickly changing world of country. Loretta Lynn has a new album out, titled from her new single, "Out of My Head, Back in My Bed," which is done in the usual knockout Loretta style. Willie Nelson has just cut a new album of older country tunes—title and release date yet unknown, but watch out! Merle Haggard is still in the running with a new album of some of his biggies called "Eleven Winners"—if it's the Hag, it's good!

A bit of hot news for you poor country fans who missed the Waylon, Willie and Jessi concert March 1—the concert was nothing short of a country explosion. Jessi Colter heated up the audience with an emotional, electric voice and a burning keyboard performance. An almost funky arrangement on "One Woman Man" illustrated the gradual rock influence on country. Each of Waylon's

numbers was highlighted with his trademark of get-down guitar picking as well as his unbeatable expressionistic voice. Neil Diamond was once quoted that Waylon's voice was "as a finely tuned instrument"—Wed. night Waylon proved it. In Waylon's song "Bob Wills is Still the King", came the line where Willie Nelson's name is mentioned and Waylon replaced it with "Willie What's-His-Name". The music stopped as a dark figure came on stage, tapped the microphone, and said "It's Willie Nelson." The crowd went wild as they recognized the figure as Willie himself in an oversized Stetson. They were putty in the hands of the outlaw duo as songs from the new album, "Waylon and Willie" were performed plus "Godd Hearted Woman" and "Lukenbach Texas". Willie's act can only be described as "older the grape, sweeter the wine." His voice and magnetism captured the Lexington auditorium. Both back up bands as well as bursting with talent. Jody Banks, lead guitarist and backup vocalist, and Mickey Raphael on harmonica are stand outs in Willie's band; Raphael's performance being second only to the great Charlie McCoy's. Bobby Nelson, Willie's sister, on the piano, missed a chance to display her piano versatility when her piano amplifier blew; causing the audience to miss her brilliant solos on "Amazing Grace" and "Rollin' in My Sweet Baby's Arms." The female backup vocalist in Waylon's Waylors has a voice that is a show in itself. Her name is unknown to this music fan but if someone knows, please contact me and let me know so as due recognition can be given.

WPRT had a progressive rock hour on the FM band, so catch it each week-day from 6-7 p.m. Until next week.

### NOTICE

Katie Adkins has filed application with the Floyd County Court for license to operate a place of entertainment, The Rainbow Drive-In, at R. 1, Box 225, Harold, Ky. C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON Clerk, Floyd County Court 3-8-78.

### Thieves Steal Safe Containing \$60,000 From Mud Cr. Home

Sterling Hamilton, Mud Creek coal operator, reported to the sheriff's office here that a safe taken from his home by thieves last Saturday night contained between \$60,000 and \$70,000 in cash.

His home, he said, was broken into while he and other members of his family were at the district basketball tournament at Betsy Layne.

Ex-Sheriff Joe W. Lewis, now of the Wheelwright police department, said he investigated the break and found tracks in the snow which indicated that four persons were involved. He said hinges of the safe were removed inside the Hamilton home and that the safe then was rolled out a back door for a distance of approximately 200 yards to the vicinity of the creek where the door was removed.

All contents of the safe except about \$100 in silver were taken.

Lewis said two of those taking part in the theft apparently left the scene by auto. Two others were tracked to a nearby point.

No arrest had been made as of Tuesday morning, but Lewis said there are "strong suspects."

Hamilton has been engaged in strip-mining operations in the Mud Creek area and within recent months has been involved in litigation with landowners who protested one or more of his operations.

### SCIENTISTS TRACING OIL SPILL SHOULD HAVE USED A BOTTLE

BOSTON—Scientists might have had better luck tracing oil spilled from the Argo Merchant had they used bottles for their messages. Instead, after the tanker broke up off Nantucket in December 1976, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration dumped 12,000 floating plastic cards into the ocean.

The cards were printed at a cost of about \$600 in English, French and Spanish, bore the agency's address in Boulder, Colo., and instructed finders to mail the cards back. Not a single card has been returned, the agency said recently.

NEW YORK—Americans are spending more than \$8.5 billion a year for dentists' services, the Health Insurance Institute says.

### Council Accepts Animal Shelter Bid of \$22,995

The long-delayed animal shelter planned for Floyd county won promise of a construction start soon with the acceptance last Thursday night by the City Council of a bid on Phase I of the structure.

The low bid of \$22,995 submitted by Marvin Crider Associates, Prestonsburg, on foundation work, concrete slab and plumbing above floor level was accepted.

A bequest from a Middlesboro, Ky. woman, plus county and city funds, are available for completion of the shelter. The council authorized advertising for bids on a police cruiser in two sizes—standard and compact.

During the meeting Mayor Harold Cooley commended, on behalf of the council and himself, the police and fire departments for excellent service.

A lapse in city contributions to the Combs Airport board for its operating budget was discovered and corrected with the appropriation of \$100 a month to the board. In other action the council:

—Employed the accounting firm of Goble, Bottom and Wright to do the 1977 city audit on its low bid of \$2,250.

—Tabled a motion to rezone the Eva Allen Horn property in West Prestonsburg for possible future action, and discussed the use by Colonel Montgomery of a mobile home here in violation of a zoning ordinance.

—Officially accepted the deed made by Monte Scott Harkins for acreage here to be used as a city park.

—Voted to update the \$150,000 bond ordinance for the water plant.

—Held that South Central Bell vehicles be cited for parking violations and held responsible, as are other motorists.

—Received from FDA a 90-day extension for repair of flood damage at Archer Park.

—Received franchise tax payments from Flanery & Dingus TV and the Kentucky Power Company.

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Charles Garrett, former Prestonsburg area resident, was recently named President of the Redondo Beach (California) Chamber of Commerce, 1977-78, at the organization's 56th Annual Installation and Awards Banquet.

Mr. Garrett is general manager of the Voi-Shan manufacturing facility in Redondo Beach, where he had resided for the past 24 years. He is a son of Mrs. Sybel Cooley, of Bull Creek, and the late Lee Garrett.

**BABY CHRISTENED**

John Lindsey Burchett, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Randall C. Burchett, was christened Feb. 26 at St. Theodore's Catholic Church here by Father William Poole. The baby's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William L. Roberts, of Lexington, and his paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burchett, of Prestonsburg. The godmother is Mrs. Chris Rivera, and the godfather is Blake Burchett. Following the christening ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burchett entertained with a reception at their home for the immediate families and a few close friends. Relatives and friends from out-of-town attending the christening ceremony and the reception were Mr. and Mrs. William L. Roberts and daughter, Litsa, of Lexington, Mrs. Wade Waugh, and son, Jeff, and Miss Carolyn Wolf, all of Pittsburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Burchett and daughter, Carlye Ann.

**BAPTISMAL SERVICE HELD**

Baptismal services were held at the Highland Avenue Free Will Baptist Church Sunday, with the pastor, the Rev. Clifford Austin, administering baptismal rites to Mrs. Phyllis Spradlin and her daughter, Tammy, and Harmon Leedy, all of Prestonsburg. Among the large crowd attending these services were Mrs. Spradlin's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Branham, of Jackson, Ky., and other relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Orville Spradlin and Mr. Spradlin's mother, all of Jenny's Creek.

**MEETING POSTPONED**

The meeting of the Floyd County Retired Teachers' Association, which was scheduled for Saturday afternoon, March 4, at the Emma Wells May Cultural Center here, was postponed, due to weather conditions. Mrs. Mae K. Roberts, president of this organization, has announced that the next meeting will be at the regularly scheduled quarterly meeting time in May, and that the program and the hostesses for the May meeting will be the same as those scheduled for the one cancelled during March.

**RECOGNIZED FOR WORK**

Mrs. Jennifer Helfrich, whose parents, Mrs. Lucille Conley Hackworth and Ballard Hackworth, formerly of this county, was featured recently in her hometown newspaper's "Know Your Neighbor" column, for assistance rendered to the Multi-Township Emergency Medical Services in Warsaw, Indiana. Mrs. Helfrich, a science teacher at nearby Mentone Junior High School, was among the first group to be trained as emergency medical technicians in Warsaw. Mrs. Helfrich is the granddaughter of Mrs. Johnnie Conley, formerly of Floyd county, now of Silver Lake, Indiana.

**IN HOSPITAL HERE**

Mrs. Anna Lowe remains a patient at the Highlands Regional Medical Center, where she underwent surgery a few days ago.

**ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS**

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Short upon the death of her mother, Mrs. Frankes Burke, of Walton. The funeral of the late Mrs. Burke was held at Walton, Thursday, March 2, with interment at Huntington, West Virginia. Mrs. Goldia Short Williams, of Nicholasville, came here during this time to be with Mr. and Mrs. Short and granddaughters, Clarissa and Carolyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry L. Hicks and son, Jeremy Michael, of Pikeville, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp, this week-end. Mrs. Hicks and Jeremy also visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Halfhill and new son, Michael Gene, II, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pruitt, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie James and sons, Freddie and Brett, of Frankfort, visited Mrs. Ocie Stone and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis, over the week-end.

Mrs. Lucille Ousley has returned to her home at Elizabethtown, Kentucky, after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Wendell Ratliff, Mr. Ratliff, and grandsons, Chris and Chip.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen R. Brackett surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Bevins, Sr., of Banner, with a cake to celebrate their 36th wedding anniversary at their home, Tuesday evening, February 28.

Mrs. O. B. Crisp was a business visitor in Pikeville, Thursday.

Beverly Clay, of Gallipolis, Ohio, has been here this past week visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Clay, and uncles, Howard Clay, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edward Clay and family.

Ola Gayheart, who had been a patient at Mountain Manor Nursing Home in Pikeville, was moved this week to the Mountain Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Bobby Osborne was able to return to her home this past Sunday after being a patient at Pikeville Hospital for several days.

Mrs. Russell Laven and Mrs. Goldia Short Williams visited Mrs. Kelsey Elliott at her home at Betsy Layne, Thursday. The visit was also a remembrance of Mrs. Elliott's birthday which was Sunday, March 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Douglas Porter, Mrs. Linda Blair and daughters, Angie and Michelle, were dinner guests, Sunday, of their mother, Mrs. Martha Jane Porter, and sister, Paula.

Frankie Grey, a junior at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, visited his father, Frank Grey, and sister, Betty Jean, this week-end.

The Rev. John Pelphey is a patient at Highland Regional Medical Center suffering from a respiratory ailment.

Ramona Hall was here this week-end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall. Miss Hall attends college at Columbia, South Carolina.

**HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS**

Admitted last week to the Highlands Regional Medical Center here were: from Prestonsburg—Ola Anderson, Marie Bingham, Charlene Hamilton, Virginia Hines, Grover Holbrook, Peggy Sue Howard, Nero Ousley, Eva Perry, Mary Prater, John Ratliff, Carolyn Stephens, Willis Tackett, Judy Wallen, Susan Warrens, Eugene Wells, Melvin Wells, Denzil Whitten, and Grover Young; and from other places throughout Floyd county—Christopher Allen, Harold; Dorothy Bentley, Alma Fannin and John N. Patton, Martin; Patsy Ann Conn, Endicott; Dorothy Hall and John Pelphey, Allen; Connie June Prater, David; Sheri Prince, Dwale; Joe Slone, and Thelma Slone, Garrett, and David Sluss, Auxier.

**SERVICE CANCELLED**

Services for World Day of Prayer, which were scheduled to have been held at the First United Methodist Church here last Friday evening were cancelled, due to inclement weather.

**Named to Dean's List**

Mrs. Teresa Pelphey Gibson has been named to the Dean's List of the University of Kentucky College of Business and Economics, it was announced this week. An average of only 10 per cent of the student body receives this honor each semester.

Mrs. Gibson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Pelphey, of Prestonsburg, and is the wife of Kent Gibson who is also an honor student at UK's College of Medicine. Mr. Gibson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gibson, of Langley.

Mrs. Lucy Crum, accompanied by Mrs. Sarah Laven, was in Pikeville, Tuesday, for medical reasons.

Mrs. Eula Spurlock, who had been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, for several weeks returned to her home, Sunday, at Springfield, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Crisp accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mitchell were in Lexington last week where he went for a medical checkup. Mr. Mitchell is much improved after having a very severe bout of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fulks and daughter, Tabitha, have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bragg, of Milton, West Virginia.

**TO PREACH HERE**

The Rev. Dean L. Pack, of Loyall, Ky., will be at the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here Sunday when he will deliver trial sermons during the morning and the evening services. A reception will be held in the church fellowship hall, from 3 to 5 p.m., that day. All members and others, are urged to attend these meetings and the reception.

**IN PACIFIC EXERCISE**

Navy Radioman Third Class Donald G. Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Osborne, of Hi Hat, recently participated in exercise "Readex 1-78" in the Western Pacific. He is serving as a crewmember aboard the destroyer USS Dupont, homeported in Norfolk, Va. Osborne joined the Navy in June, 1974.

**ATTENTION  
PRESTONSBURG HIGH SCHOOL  
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A meeting to plan the class reunion will be held at 8 p.m., Tuesday, March 21, at the Floyd County Library. All members of the class are invited and urged to attend.

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- \* YOU WILL NEVER BE THE SAME AGAIN



**CHURCH GROUP TO MEET**  
Members of the Baptist women's group will meet at the home of Mrs. Patty Minns, Monday evening, March 13, at 7:30. All members are urged to attend this first meeting of the year, following inclement weather.

**Ladies Exercise Club Formed Here Recently**

Ladies Fitness and Exercise Club held its first meeting on February 27. It was decided the club will meet on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:30-9 p.m. starting March 13 at the Prestonsburg High School gymnasium. A minimal fee has been set and for further information contact Mrs. Philip Haywood at 886-6052.

**HOMEMAKERS TO MEET**

Mrs. Becky Short, president of the Prestonsburg Day Homemakers, announces that the group will meet Tuesday afternoon, March 14, at 1 o'clock, in the clubroom of the Kentucky Power Company here. The lesson on "Landscaping" will be presented by Mrs. Mary Sue Moore. Hostesses will be Mrs. Grace L. Burke and Mrs. Otella Smiley. All members and prospective members are urged to attend this meeting, which, on account of weather conditions, will be the first to be held by the group during the 1978 club year.

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**HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

Michael D. Robinson honored his wife, Deanna L. Horn Robinson, with a birthday dinner party Sunday evening at their home in Russell. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Horn, Mrs. Ellen Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrum Robinson, and Mrs. Richard Wells, all of Prestonsburg. Following the dinner a birthday cake was served and Mrs. Robinson opened her many gifts.

**O.E.S. TO MEET**

Mrs. Hollie Blanton, worthy matron of Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of Eastern Star, announces that there will be an initiation on Monday, March 13, at 7 p.m. All members are urged to attend, and each member is asked to bring six sandwiches.

**METHODIST WOMEN MEET**

Women of the First United Methodist Church met at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the church parlor for their monthly meeting. The president, Mrs. Jess Stover, presided, and the meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Pearl Crum.

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. Walter Applegate, gave the program "Shrouds and Butterflies," an Easter program. Scriptures were read from Matthew 28:1 through 10, and the meeting was dismissed with prayer.

Hope Whitten and Alice Ball, hostess, served refreshments to Dorothy Stover, Alice Harris, Elizabeth Ramey, Genevieve Carter, Mable Brown, Bonnie Ppegate, Pearl Crum, Elizabeth Garriot, Gertrude Bradbury, Eleanor Horn, Mary Jane Brown. Next meeting will be April 3.

**ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SECOND CHILD**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hall, of Hager Hill, announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, Andrea Lynn, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, March 1. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hall, of Lancer, and Mr. and Mrs. James "Dee" Caudill, of Auxier.

**IN HUNTINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Chaffins were in Huntington on business, a few days last week, and while there spent some time visiting their son, Don, a student at Marshall University.

**MR. CARTER HONORED**

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Carter, Sr., of Pikeville, were here during the week-end for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Wells, and her family, Susan and Jack Wells, Jr. During their visit here, Mrs. Wells entertained members of the family with a dinner party, honoring her father, on the occasion of his birthday. Following dinner, a decorated birthday cake was served by Mrs. Wells, and the honoree, Mr. Carter opened the many gifts presented by members of his family from Prestonsburg, Pikeville, and Detroit, Michigan.

**GREEN ACRES VISITOR**

Miss Geneva Rowland was the guest for a few days during the bad weather of Mrs. Nora Decker, of Green Acres.

**OBSERVE BIRTHDAYS**

Residents and natives of Prestonsburg and vicinity observing their birthdays during the past week were: Beatrice Collins, Jess Mahan, Elizabeth Lynn Frazier, Mark Crider, Judy Roberts Wade, Jane Morgan Howard, Becky Joe DeRossett, Rick Hale, Juanita Hatfield, Paul P. Burchett, Karen Patton Howard, Frank Adams, Gayle B. Wells, Carolyn Ford, Mike K. Wells, Angela Kristen Ormerod, Linda Stephens, Missy Dillon, George H. Keenon, Michele Allen, Ethel S. Cross, and Rodney W. Keenon.

**VISIT IN LEXINGTON**

Mrs. Grace L. Burke and daughter, Mrs. Joe Buchanan, spent a few days last week in Lexington, where they visited Mrs. Burke's son, Dr. W. L. Burke, Mrs. Burke and children. Mrs. Burke consulted her doctor while there.

**CLUB MEET POSTPONED**

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club, which was scheduled to meet at the Emma Wells May Cultural Center, Thursday night, was postponed, due to weather conditions. Mrs. Helen Ankrom, club president, announces that the next meeting will be Thursday evening, April 6.

**BRIDE-ELECT HONORED**

Miss Mari Lynn Weddington, bride-elect of Mr. Andrew James Tucker, was honored Tuesday evening, February 28, at 8 o'clock with a miscellaneous shower at the First United Methodist Church here. White linen-covered tables, centered with floral arrangements and flanked by candles, held large arrangements of silverware, china, and many other gifts. The hostesses, Mesdames Marshall Davidson, Clifford Bevins, Charles Crum, Byron Nunnery, Lee Shannon, DeGarmo DeRossett, Carl Watson, George Brown, Donald Hicks, W. T. Archer, Jack Hyden, and E. R. Burke, served refreshments to a large number of guests who called throughout the evening to honor Miss Weddington.

**IN LEXINGTON**

Atty. and Mrs. Scott Collins were in Lexington for a few days last week, when they assisted their son, Tim Collins, a student at the University of Kentucky, in moving to a duplex apartment recently purchased by the Collins family.

**SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER TO BE CLOSED FRIDAY**

The George P. Archer Senior Citizens Center will be closed Friday, March 10, for staff in-service training. The center will resume normal activity on Monday, March 13.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER HONORS MISS WEDDINGTON**

Lynn Weddington, bride elect of Andrew Tucker, was honored with a miscellaneous shower, Tuesday, February 28. She received many useful gifts.

The table was decorated with the center piece, and arrangement of Chysanthemums with accents of pink and lavender.

The hostesses were Mesdames Marshall Davidson, Clifford Bevins, Charles Crum, Byron Nunnery, Lee Shannon, DeGarmo DeRossett, Carl Watson, George Brown, Donald Hicks, W.T. Archer, Jack Hyden and E.R. Burke.

**BRIDESMAIDS' SHOWER**

Mrs. Wm. Paul Fairchild hosted a bridesmaids' shower at her home in Lexington in honor of Lynn Weddington, bride-elect of Andrew Tucker.

A buffet luncheon was served to Derek Hicks, Miss Lynda Weddington, Miss Cindy Bott, Mrs. Wm. D. Bayer, and Miss Lea Davis.

**ENTERTAIN GUESTS**

Mrs. Jack Wells and children, Susan and Jack, Jr., had as their guests over the week-end her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estill Carter, Sr., of Pikeville, and her sister, Mrs. Virgil Adkins, and Mr. Adkins, of Detroit, Mich.

**HOME AFTER SURGERY**

Mrs. Dan Goble who underwent major surgery at the Highlands Regional Hospital recently, is recovering nicely at her home here.

**HERE FROM LEXINGTON**

Here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Randall C. Burchett during the past week were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Roberts, and daughter, Litsa, of Lexington, and, visiting them and Mr. Burchett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burchett, during that time were Mrs. Wade Waugh and son, Jeff, and Miss Carolyn Wolf, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

**VISITS SISTER**

Mrs. Pearl Frazier spent last week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Ark Castle, of Pyramid. On Sunday she was the dinner guest of her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Castle.

**HERE FROM NICHOLASVILLE**

Mrs. J. S. Williams, of Nicholasville, was here last week, en route to Allen, where she spent a few days with her son, Larry Short, Mrs. Short and daughters. She was called to Allen, due to the death of the mother of Mrs. Larry Short, who once resided in this county but moved a few years ago to Huntington.

**TO LEAVE ON VACATION**

Mrs. Stanley Combs will leave soon for a vacation with friends in California.

**HERE FROM LANGLEY**

Mrs. E. R. May and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Flannery, of Langley, were here last week, shopping and calling on friends.


**GUESTS OF AUNT**

Mrs. Lola Adkins and daughter, Mrs. Doris Williams, both of Louisa, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Erma Perry, and children in West Prestonsburg, Sunday.

**AT LEXINGTON GAME**

Miss Susan Wells and Gorman Collins, Jr. attended the basketball game at Rupp Arena, Lexington, Saturday afternoon.

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The gracious custom of open church will be observed. All family members and friends are invited to attend.

**CIRCLE MEETS**

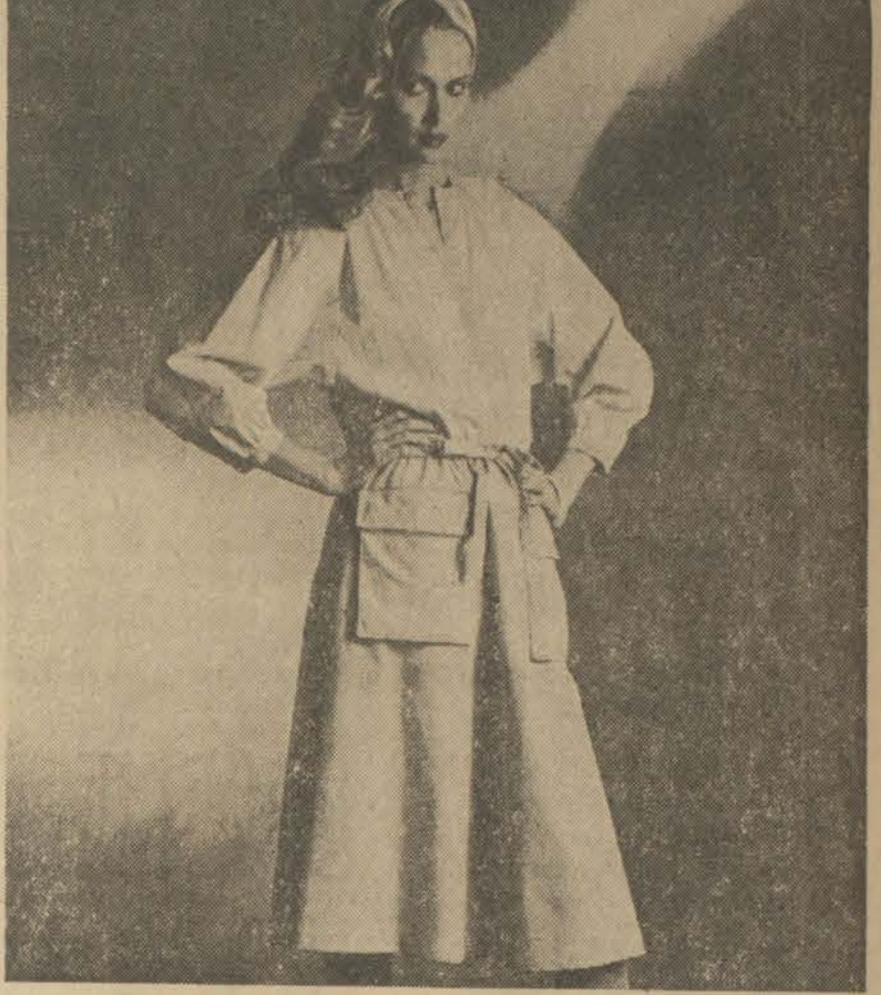
Members of the Sewing Circle of the First United Methodist Church met at the church, Thursday of last week. Due to the weather conditions, members of the group have been unable to work for the past several weeks, but, weather permitting, they expect to meet each Thursday during the remainder of the winter. Items made by the circle are sold each year, prior to Christmas, and the proceeds are used for the benefit of the church.

**Revival Meet April 9 At Katy Friend Church**

There will be a revival meeting at the Katy Friend Free Will Baptist Church beginning April 9, at 7 p.m., with the Elders James Kelley Caudill and Grover Castle officiating. The public is cordially invited. Pastor is Elder Bill Campbell and Assistant Pastor is Elder Bill Amburgey.

**BIRTHDAY HONOREE**

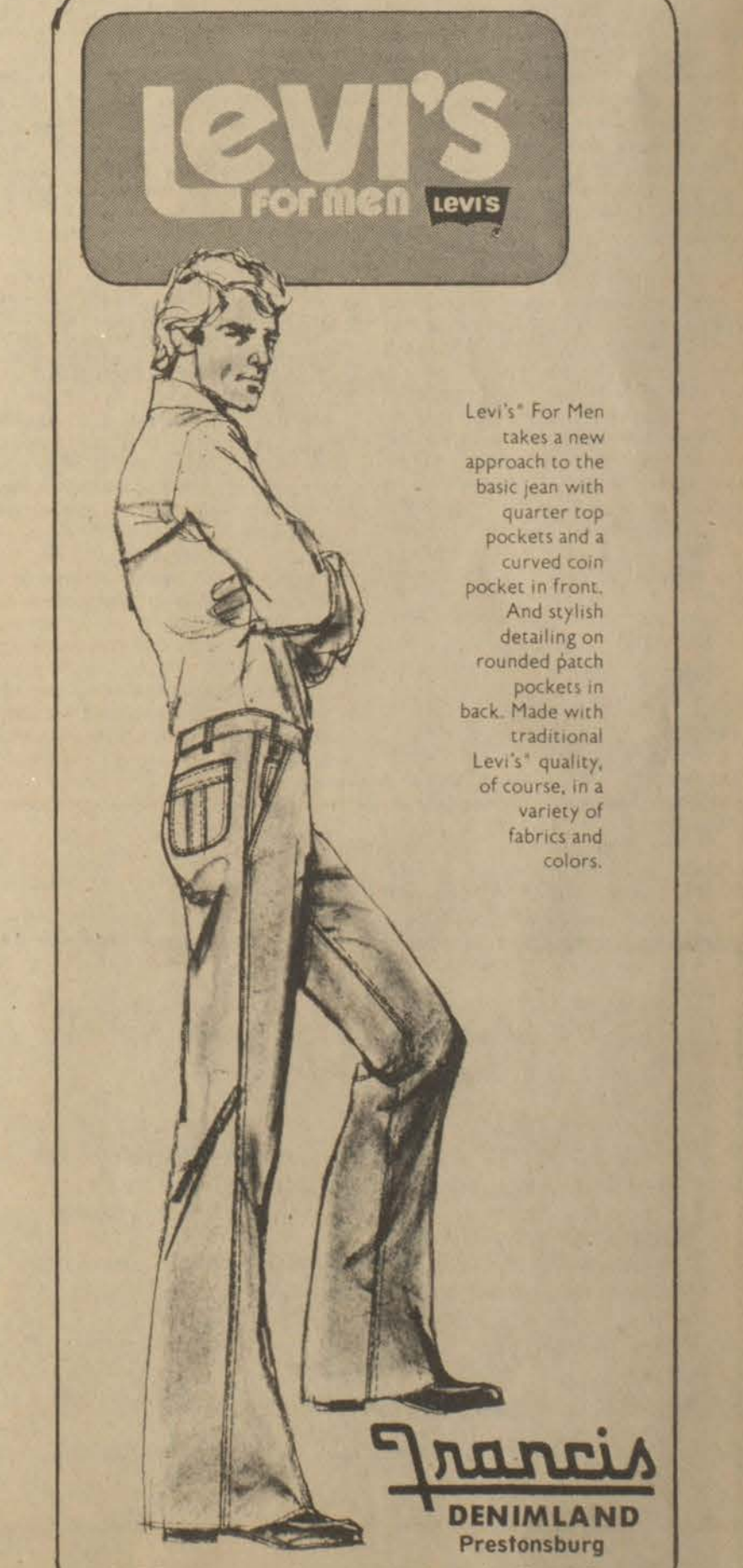
Mrs. Estill Carter was guest of honor Tuesday evening when her husband and members of her immediate family entertained her to dinner at May Lodge in celebration of her birthday. Following the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Carter and family members assembled at the Carter home on May's Branch, where a decorated birthday cake was served, and Mrs. Carter opened her many gifts.



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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Prater, formerly of this county, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary, March 8. They were married by A. J. Moore, of Pyramid, March 8, 1928. They lived at Hueysville for 20 years and moved to Ohio in 1951. Mr. Prater is a retired coal miner. His wife, Anna is a retired employee of Pioneer Rubber Co., Willard, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Prater have one son, Sidney Earl Prater, Plymouth, Ohio, and one grandson, Terry, of Willard, Ohio.

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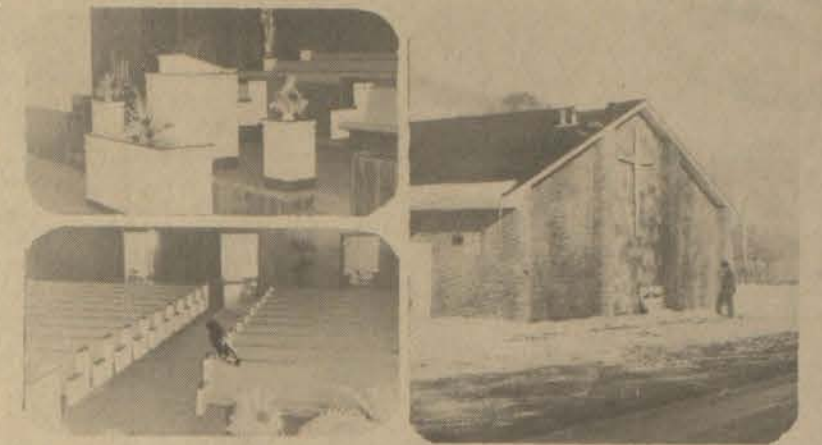
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**Part of Coal Severance Monies To Be Used for Coal Haul Roads**

State Senator Jim Hammond said last Thursday that Governor Carroll has agreed to let the state severance tax on coal remain at four and one-half percent and to permit part of the resulting money to be used for coal haul roads.

Hammond made the statement after senators from the coal regions met with Carroll to discuss his severance tax program. Hammond said he was speaking for himself and Sens. Bert Ed Pollette, D-Harlan, and Kelsey Friend, D-Pikeville.

Hammond indicated that, in addition to the money for maintaining coal haul roads in both coal-producing counties and "coal impact" counties—those which do not mine coal, but suffer an adverse impact from the hauling of coal—Carroll has basically agreed to several other changes in the severance tax package.

Hammond emphasized Carroll still plans to discuss some of those changes with House members from the coal region and others from the coal counties before finalizing them.

According to Hammond, Carroll has agreed to ask the legislature not to lower the severance tax from four and one-half to four and one-quarter percent—as he previously proposed.

Hammond said about \$18 million from that revenue is needed in the biennium to pay for Carroll's \$240 million energy road package.

Any leftover, Hammond said, Carroll has agreed to earmark for coal haul roads in coal and coal impact counties. He said no exact formula has been worked out yet, but that he and Sens. Friend and John "Eck" Rose, D-Winchester, would work with the administration to draft one.

Hammond also said the legislators and the administration are exploring the possibility of enacting legislation to issue overweight coal truck operators who travel these roads permits for the overweight portions of their loads.

Cost of the annual permit would be figured on the amount of overweight coal the trucks carried in a year, Hammond said. Money left over from the administration of these permits would go into the coal haul roads impact fund.

Carroll has proposed reducing the severance tax from four and one-half percent to four and one-quarter percent to compensate for his plan to change the tax from a severance tax to a severance and processing tax. His plan would bring in a projected \$33.9 million in the biennium.

Hammond said Carroll still plans to change the tax to a processing tax, but that transportation costs would be exempt under the revised proposal.

Some of the other changes, Hammond disclosed are along the lines of some of the compromises which sources within the Kentucky Coal County Coalition previously said they have been discussing with Carroll.

One key change involves a "lockin formula" so that the funding for the various severance tax programs will

grow in the 1980-'82 biennium if coal tax receipts grow. Currently they are funded by specific appropriations.

Hammond said under the plan the coal county senators agreed to the funding in the 1980-'82 biennium will use the percentage of the tax revenues represented by the appropriations for these programs in the 1976-'78 biennium. For example, if a program received \$10 million in 1976-'78, and that \$10 million represented five percent of the total coal tax receipts that biennium, then the appropriation in 1980-'82 would be five percent of whatever the tax receipts were in that biennium.

Hammond also released a memorandum Carroll wrote to the coal legislators last Saturday in which he agreed to some other changes including: —Expanding the definition of campital projects under the coal severance economic aid program.

—Expanding school projects under this \$5 million-a-year program.

—Expanding the membership of the local boards determining how economic aid is spent to include the county judge-executives, a member of the fiscal court in each county, the mayors of the two largest cities, one representative of the school board of boards and four members appointed by the governor. (That membership composition, Hammond said, represents a revision which has occurred since Carroll first sent the memo.)

—Creating a legislative advisory commission so counties could appeal decisions on the release of money from Frankfort.

—Letting the fiscal courts in the coal counties determine priorities for 40 percent of the \$13 million they are getting annually under the energy road fund.

(The fiscal courts would still recommend how the remaining 60 percent should be spent, but the state Department of Transportation would have final say in the matter.)

—Setting up an automatic approval process for projects up to \$50,000 on the coal severance economic aid fund.

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The association said De Beers, the huge South African mining concern, cannot keep up with orders for uncut diamonds and is trying to double production capacity.

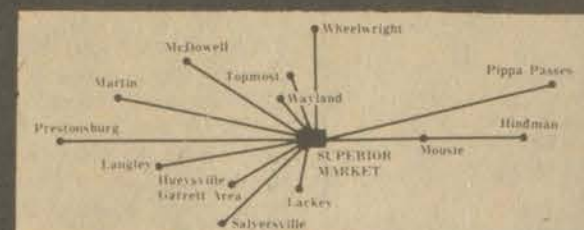
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### QUESTION BOX

The Question Box answers from the Bible to questions from readers. By Pastor Forrest Howe, M Div., Box 462, Allen, Ky.

**QUESTION:** Where in the Bible do you find the changing of the Sabbath from the seventh day to the first? Was it Jesus or was it the apostles who made this change?

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ANSWER:

You can search the Bible from cover to cover and no place can you find a Scriptural basis for the change mentioned in the question. The very opposite is true. Jesus said in Matthew 5:17, 18, "Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets: I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished." RSV. Jesus associated himself very closely to the Sabbath. In Luke 6:5 we hear Him say, "The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath" "And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up; and he went to the Synagogue, as his custom was, on the sabbath day." Luke 4:16. Jesus therefore never changed the day of worship but rather reinforced it.

Nor did the apostles change the day of worship. Paul is recorded to have worshipped on the Sabbath for over eighteen months at Corinth. Acts 18:4, 11. Whereas there are only eight references to first day meetings in the New Testament there are over eighty references to meetings on the seventh. Paul towards the end of his ministry says, "Neither against the law of the Jews ... have I offended at all." Acts 25:8. He hardly could have made this statement if he had been trying to change the day of worship. As late as the last decade of the first century John the Revelator still refers to the

Sabbath as the Lord's Day. Revelation 1:10.

It was not until long after the death of the apostles that Sunday worship crept in along with other pagan practices. The practice was isolated at first and ultimately spread to the other churches. It seems to have started in Rome and her power persuaded others to follow. However the observance of the seventh day was not completely eradicated. The seventh day Sabbath was observed even as late as the eleventh century by the Irish Celtic church. Many believe that the true St. Patrick was a Sabbath keeper. The Waldensian peoples of the Alps observed the Sabbath for centuries after the death of Christ.

This change is not surprising to those students of the prophecies. Daniel foretells this very occurrence in Daniel 7:25, "He shall speak words against the Most High, and shall wear out the saints of the Most High, and shall think to change the times and the law ..." Yet God was not to leave the issue here. For John in Revelation 14:12 tells of a revival of God's true Sabbath, "Here is a call for the endurance of the saints, those who keep the commandments of God and the faith of Jesus" RSV. God's people will again call attention to this essential truth in the last days and indeed they are.

(Write for the book FROM SABBATH TO SUNDAY)

### Observes 83rd Birthday



Mrs. Mellie Blackburn observed her 83rd birthday, Thursday, March 2, at the home of her daughter, Gertie Garrett, of Endicott. Those with her at her birthday dinner were some of her children: Bonnie Scaif, of Endicott; her daughter-in-law, Margaret Blackburn, also of Endicott; grandchildren—Deborah Goble, Teresa Garrett, Tanya Scaif and Kimberly Dawn Scaif, all of Endicott; great-grandchildren—Ronnie Blackburn, Jr. and Ricky Allen Scaif. Children not present were Troy, Trevert and Tom Ed Blackburn, all of Endicott, Delmar Blackburn, of Oceana, W. Va., Farinda Miller, of Jackson, Ohio, Margie Spears, of Ironton, Ohio. She is the mother of 11 children, eight of whom are living, grandmother of 24 and great-grandmother of 43. Her husband, Gordie Blackburn, died February 23, 1966.

### Martin County To Get \$44,800 Stream Help

Gov. Julian Carroll has announced that \$44,800 has been allocated to Martin county to clear and snag about one mile of Coldwater Fork and one-half mile of Backlog Fork. The project is being implemented to discourage the flooding of approximately 75 dwellings, several businesses and two schools.

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# Senator Allen Lands Action for Education

The chairmen of the House and Senate Education committees feel confident that measures adopted by the 1978 General Assembly will bring advancements to the education of Kentucky's children that will long be remembered.

"We have attempted this session to deal with the substantive matters concerning education in Kentucky at all levels," Rep. Jody Richards, D-Bowling Green, chairman of the House Education committee said of the progress being made by his committee.

"My feeling is," he continued, "that sometimes in the past we have left these substantive matters to the Appropriations and Revenue committee, but this session we have attempted to make the decisions in these matters."

Richards, a second term legislator, said that he is pleased with the progress of his committee, citing bills that range from HB 181 which allocates medical, dental and law school admissions by Congressional Districts; to mandating a personal leave day for teachers. Many bills he explained are housekeeping bills to eliminate redundant and useless educational statutes.

I feel that the 1978 session of the General Assembly will be noted in years to come for its record of accomplishments in the field of education," Richards said.

"In the initial stages of this session the Senate Education committee has been charged with reviewing interim committee work, particularly the Statute Review Subcommittee," explains Sen. Nelson Allen, D-Russell, chairman of the committee.

Allen said the committee found that many statutes did not comply with federal regulations necessitating the filing of many housekeeping bills.

The Kentucky Constitution in Section 183, provides that the General Assembly shall provide an effective education in the Commonwealth, Allen explained. "It is my opinion that this Governor's budget for elementary and secondary education is more akin to the Constitution than any other I have ever seen," Allen said.

"He was obviously sensitive to the needs of Kentucky's children," Allen added.

Research by the Department of Education in 1976 showed that 55,000 children were absent daily from school because of culture deprivation and the inability to purchase the required educational materials for a specific class in a high school curriculum, Allen said. "The removal of all student fees should eliminate this problem to a large degree," Allen explained.

Allen said he supported the Governor's proposed continuation of the power equalization concept; however, he added

that he did anticipate an interim study of power equalization and how it affects the affluent and the non-affluent school.

"I am in total agreement with administering diagnostic testing in elementary education," Allen said. "Research will show that if there is learning difficulty—the time to use remedial assistance is at the elementary level where susceptibility is at its highest point, Allen continued.

In the remaining three weeks of the session Allen anticipates the committee will review House Bills, specifically revenue bills, since they must originate in the House.

Senator Allen applauded the work of the Senate committee, saying "I feel that those people serving on the Education committee are some of the most learned and dedicated scholars serving in the Senate. Attendance is most always one hundred percent."

Members of the Senate Education committee are Senators: Robert R. Martin, D-Richmond, vice-chairman; John W. Ackerson, R-Louisville; Dr. Ed Ford, D-Cynthiana; Kenneth O. Gibson, D-Madisonville; David K. Karem, D-Louisville; Clyde Middleton, R-Covington; Ed O'Daniel, D-Springfield; and Joe Wright, D-Hardin.

Members of the House Education committee are Representatives: N. Clayton Little, D-Hartley, vice-chairman; Forest "Aggie" Sale, D-Harrodsburg, vice-chairman; J. W. Boatwright, D-Paducah; Buel E. Guy, D-Scottsville; Carl R. Hines, D-Louisville; Terry L. Mann, D-Newport; Carl A. Nett, D-Louisville; Claudia Riner, D-Louisville; Bill Weinberg, D-Hindman; Jimmy White, D-Barbourville; W. Stephen Wilborn, D-Shelbyville; Pete Worthington, D-Ewing; Lloyd McKinney, R-McKee, minority chairman; Willard "Woody" Allen, R-Morgantown; Ronny Layman, R-Millwood; and Randolph Smith, R-Monticello.

## Art Work Exhibited In Indianapolis Museum

Bryan McKenzie is one of three students of the Adams Township School in Sheridan, Indiana who has been selected as an exhibitor in the 26th Annual Young People's Art Contest. The drawings which were done to music recorded by the Indiana State Symphony, went on display at the Indianapolis Museum at Art Sunday, February 28, and will remain there through March 26.

McKenzie is the son of Rex and Sandra Lafferty McKenzie, formerly of this county; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lafferty, also of Sheridan, and a great-grandson of Rev. and Mrs. Clark Lafferty, of Banner.

## State Probe Of Derailments

At the request of Gov. Julian Carroll, the state Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection and Department of Transportation have scheduled a joint inquiry March 29 to evaluate the causes of railroad accidents and associated hazardous material spills.

In a letter earlier this month, Carroll asked Transportation Secretary Calvin Grayson and Natural Resources Secretary Robert Bell to hold the fact-finding inquiry with railroad spokesmen, users of the rail lines and federal, state and local government officials.

"I cannot help but take note of the increasing number of train derailments in our state which involve accidental spillage or discharge of toxic materials and other hazardous substances," Carroll stated in his letter.

"I am deeply concerned that these incidents may result in loss of life, serious public health problems or property damage," Carroll wrote. "I am anxious to know the total dimensions of this problem and what steps the Commonwealth of Kentucky should take in order to either prevent or minimize the harmful effects."

The governor's letter followed railway spills in Jefferson, Franklin and Grayson counties in Kentucky but was delivered three weeks before the recent propane gas explosion at Waverly, Tenn. which killed 11 and a chlorine gas leak yesterday which took the lives of eight others at Youngstown, Fla. Both railway accidents caused scores of serious injuries.

The March 29 meeting is scheduled for 9 a.m. at the Capital Plaza Tower auditorium here.

## Road Repairs Worst Aftermath of Winter

A rash of problems has evolved in the winter of 1978, but the worst may be yet to come for cities and counties.

When ice and snow finally leave the roadways, left behind will be a monumental job of repair and resurfacing.

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**Teacher Bargaining Bill Hit by School Boards Prexy**

"Although its supporters label it as only a meet-and-confer bill, the committee substitute for S.B. 88 is a collective bargaining bill, and if enacted, it will result in citizens losing their control of their schools."

This is how Dr. J. E. Johnson, a leading school boards spokesman and chairman of the Bourbon County Board of Education, described S.B. 88, which has already passed the Kentucky Senate. Johnson, who is president of the Kentucky School Boards Association, says he is concerned that the public may be misled into believing S.B. 88 is just "watered-down meet-and-confer" legislation.

S.B. 88 is flying under the flag of "meet-and-confer," Johnson says, "but a glance at the bill will show its real nature." The bill is titled "An Act relating to collective bargaining, arbitration and grievance procedures between boards of education and associations representing certificated personnel." It requires school boards and teacher associations, if either party requests, to "bargain with each other policy matters relating to compensation, salary schedules, terms and conditions of employment, transfer or personnel and negotiation of an agreement."

The Bill also provides arbitration, mediation and fact-finding provisions. It contains a no-strike clause, but critics say it would not be effective since no mandatory penalties for illegal strikes are provided. Experience in other states indicates that often amnesty for striking teachers is a part of the conditions for ending a strike.

Johnson says there are two primary dangers from any legislation requiring collective bargaining between school boards and employee groups:

"First, mandated bargaining ties the hands of the elected school board members in setting the direction of the schools. The school board exists to give parents, taxpayers and all citizens a real voice in their schools. When a private organization which is not accountable to the public exercises veto power on school board actions through a binding collective bargaining contract, the people are the real losers since their control of the schools is reduced."

"Second, our schools, and our children, cannot afford the costs associated with collective bargaining. Experience and research in other states show that it costs thousands of dollars each year for a school district to effectively participate in the bargaining process. That does not count the tremendous administrative time which bargaining consumes. And it does not even begin to count the cost of implementing the teacher benefits contained in most contracts. Kentucky schools cannot afford mandatory bargaining. It could mean that districts would be forced to cut services to pupils, since it is against the law to operate under a deficit budget," Johnson says. The school boards association maintains that bargaining required by law is much more severe and encourages more militant positions by teacher unions, than where a school board voluntarily agrees to meet with teachers' organizations. Johnson emphasizes that neither he nor the school boards association are

against teachers. "We have always supported improved salaries and benefits for teachers," he notes. "Teachers have made tremendous progress in salaries over the last two years, and they stand to do even better the next two years. Under the Governor's proposed state budget, a Rank I teacher with 10 years experience would receive \$15,290 in 1978-'79, and \$16,990 in 1979-'80. That's not bad for 9 1/4 months work—in fact, it's more than many other Kentuckians make. I believe teachers deserve good pay, but they should not demand mandated collective bargaining on top of large increases in salary and benefits."

James Melton, KSBA Executive Director, says the opposition of school boards to a law requiring bargaining certainly does not mean they are anti-union. The KSBA position is that public sector employment is basically different than private sector employment.

"There is not a profit motive in government services such as education, and the employer cannot just raise the price of services to the public. If there is a strike," Melton maintains, "the public cannot go elsewhere for essential services."

**3 from Floyd Named To Berea Honor List**

Three Floyd county students at Berea College, have been named to the Dean's Honor List for the term just completed. They are:

Tim Crawford, a senior political science major, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manis Crawford, of Melvin; Jolene Crawford, a senior biology major, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dlezie Crawford, also of Melvin, and David Hall, a freshman chemistry-pre-med major, son of Marie Hall, of Wheelwright. To be eligible, a student must receive a grade of B or better in all of four or more courses.

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**Ashland Man Files**

**As Perkins Opponent**

Frank V. Burns, Ashland Certified Public Accountant, filed Tuesday as a Democratic candidate for the U.S. House of Representative seat now held by Congressman Carl D. Perkins.

Burns, 33, is an ex-marine who served two years during the Vietnam War. He is a member of the accounting firm of Kimbleton, Blair & Co. which has offices in Ashland and Morehead. Burns is a native of the Ashland area and is a graduate of the University of Kentucky.

**ARTIST AKERS TO BE AT MAY LODGE, SUNDAY**

Gary Akers, well-known Kentucky artist, and native of this county, will be appearing in person at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Sunday, March 12 from 1 to 5 p.m. to release his latest limited edition print, "The Team." There are only 950 prints, all signed and numbered. The artist will sign his new print for purchase.

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Tuesday—Fish Sticks, Macaroni and Cheese, Carrot and Raisin salad, Cookies.



# Way Of The Cross Outreach

## One Year Old—Reminisce with Me!

"Way of The Cross Outreach work spurs interest here." These were the words written by the Editor of the Floyd County Times one year ago, February 1977.

The Way of the Cross Outreach's first anniversary was highlighted by the "Vicki Jamison Crusade" Feb. 6, 1978.

Would you for a few moments reminisce with me over the past year and allow me to share with you in the birth and growth of this new work?

In looking through what I call "My Memory Book", so many memories filled my mind which brought both joy and tears mixed together and to them all, I had to say, "To God Be The Glory!"

The Way of the Cross Outreach was born in the hearts of a very small group of people, and as the group began growing, in a Cottage Prayer group in the home of Phyllis Ranier, the need for expanding and reaching out came. Immediately we began praying and asking our Heavenly Father for His leadership in a place to worship.

May I quote again from Mr. Allen these words—"The second floor of a South Lake Drive building here which formerly was occupied by a store and offices has become the Center for a religious work which is described as a "Church and yet more than a place for worship". The idea has attracted the attention of members of traditional denominations. Professional people are lending their assistance. The second floor of the building was made available without cost by its owner, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr."

May I take this time to say, "Thank you Mr. Fitzpatrick and son for the kindness you have shown to this new work in our town of Prestonsburg".

We started out with a full schedule from Monday through Sunday. Activity was the word, so here we were, all new at this new work like a bee hive trying to fill every moment with some type of work. Our first schedule went somewhat like this. Monday 7:30 Youth Outreach - Tuesday 7:30 Chain Prayer - Wednesday 7:30 Prayer & Share - Thursday 7:30 Deeper Life Teaching and Prophecy by Wade Moore - Friday 7:30 Chain Prayer - Saturday 7:30 Chain Prayer - Sunday 10:00 a.m. Sunday School, Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. and Sunday Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Well, without saying anymore about the above schedule, we found by trial and error that one must be flexible and willing to change when change is necessary and sometimes drop back a few steps and take another look at what is going on and always be open to drop an idea if it isn't workable and pick up another one and see what works best for what you are aiming.

What was our Aim? To help reach our town for Jesus Christ. To reach the unloved and the lonely that pass us day by day.

What was the "Way of the Cross Outreach"? A non-denominational work to reach young people with problems and adults who need help. This work was not designed to take away from any church, but to work with and for the good of our society both physically, mentally and Spiritually.

What do we believe?  
1. The Bible is the inspired and only infallible and authoritative Word of God.

2. There is one God, eternally existent in three persons.

3. His Virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, in His personal future return to this earth in power and glory to rule a thousand years.

4. In the blessed hope - The Rapture or Catch-away of the Church at Christ's coming.

5. The only means of being cleansed from sin is through repentance and faith in the blood of Christ.

6. Regeneration by the Holy Spirit essential for personal salvation.

7. The redemptive work of Christ on the cross provides healing of the human body in answer to believing prayer.

8. The Baptism of the Holy Spirit according to Acts 2:4 given to those who ask.

9. In the sanctifying work of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a holy life.

10. In the Resurrection of both saved and the lost, the one to ever-lasting life, and the other to ever-lasting damnation.

Having now established our articles of faith, let us go a step further. To this work was added a Board of Directors consisting of Pastor-Director, Rev. Miss Jean Hale, and board members, Clyde P. Robinson, Paul F. Litz and Bob Grey (who later resigned) and his position was filled by Ed Bowlds from Beaver Dam, Ky.; Secretary, Ella Litz, and Eleanor Robinson as Advisory Consultant.

There have been many who have come and gone and always with no pressure applied, because we wanted people to be fully persuaded in their own mind as to what they believe, but all were welcome.

A goodly number of souls have accepted Christ as this Outreach. Many have walked in for counseling and received help in time of trouble. Yes, many have been filled with the Holy Spirit according to Acts 2:4. We have had the privilege of praying for those who were suffering in body and have heard their testimonies of the touch of the Master's Hand in healing. To this we say again, "To God Be The Glory!"

I mentioned the name of Mr. Ed Bowlds in the above paragraphs. From

the western part of the state, he and his wife Dorothy and son Jim came to be a part of this work. Mr. Bowlds has for several years worked as a professional photographer. He came here not knowing the full reason but like Abraham of old heard something like this... "Get thee out of thy country and from thy kindred and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee". I'm sure many times this family has truly wondered and even questioned the leading of the Lord because of the fact that they were yet to see the land God would show them. Soon to the Way of the Cross was added the downstairs of this building. Much hard labor, sweat and tears, tearing down and putting up and moving first in one direction and then another and before we knew it, the downstairs had taken on a whole new look. There before our eyes was a beautiful "Way of the Cross Religious Book Store", managed by Mrs. Bowlds, whom we call Dorothy and by some "Dot". Her lovely smile and love of Jesus greets you as one enters the store and comments have been made by many as they came in, "We feel something different. What is it?" It can be no more or no less than the Holy Spirit showing Jesus in the lives of those working there.

So much of the new improvements to the building must be laid in the hands of our faithful and loyal Youth Director, Clyde P. Robinson. He has been, aside from his office, shall I say, "a Jack of All Trades." More than that, I would rather say, "a creative tool in the hands of a great big wonderful God". Many thanks to this young servant of the Lord.

More features were added to this downstairs work and that was a complete black-white and color photo finishing lab for fast service of your snapshots, a complete photography studio. Equipment given to this work by Mr. Ed Bowlds who has trained several of the workers there in this particular field. As I understand, at the time of this writing, that his son Jim is doing most of the lab processing and developing. My compliments to you, Jim.

Friday and Saturday, December 2-3, 1977 came a highlight in the book store—"Grand Opening of the Way of the Cross Religious Book Store". It was a thrilling day for this small group of people. Yes, they did it with pride and dignity but the glory was given to our God. Without His help and patience with all, nothing could be done. I would like to add also that the decor and arrangements of the store, the show window, etc., were ideas of Mrs. Claude Robinson and help of some other friends.

Soon to our group was added another new face who came to us from Evangel Tabernacle in Louisville, Ky. This was Eugene Minton. I shall never forget his excitement, enthusiasm and glowing face as he came and really could not tell the reason why, other than he felt a move of God's Holy Spirit to come in this direction. If you have been walking down the street or were in a filling station or the grocery store and you heard someone say, "Hello there, Did you know that Jesus loves you?", than that was Eugene. I'm sure you did not leave empty handed, for he somehow happened to have a tract or booklet that was real good for you. Then leave with "Bless your heart."

Bro. Eugene along with Bro. Steve Wilson make a great team as Jail Chaplains. They have been going on Sunday afternoons to the jail services with other young men from our group. Many good results have come from this ministry, "To God Be The Glory!"

Thursday, December 1, 1977 came our first Gospel Concert featuring the "Happy Goodman Family". Also appearing that night - The Gospel Sunlighters, Trimbleaires, The Reflections, Paul and Ella Litz. The response to this singing was very good.

The last four or five months of the year 1977 were very critical months for me and I felt the need for an associate pastor. Having prayed and felt the "go-ahead" from the Lord, with the approval of the Board, Bro. Paul Litz was officially made Associate Pastor. He and his wife have given me much spiritual and moral support during these very dark hours of my life. Also, I would like to state here that the whole body of this small group of people have been about the greatest I have ever found. They have been patient, loving and kind when many others would have given up in despair.

I would like to stop here and mention a few other future events that will be coming up and that are happening now, and then add my last remarks at the end of the year (1977) of reminiscing from the "Way of the Cross Outreach".

The "Way of the Cross" added to this Outreach a Television Ministry - Host Ed Bowlds, seen on Channel 8, Charleston, W. Va. every Sunday 10:30 to 11 a.m.; Channel 57, Tuesday night 7-7:30 p.m.; Sunday morning, 10:30-11 a.m. Well, wonders never cease. Surprises! God has a Heaven full of them. Congratulations, Bro. Ed! Go out and win souls for Jesus Christ!

The Youth Program is getting under way under the direction of Clyde P. Robinson. He has many great events coming up in the future. One, watch for the coming date of David Wilkerson—founder of Teen Challenge. Bro. Clyde will be working together with our schools in a county-wide and local Crusade in reaching our youth for Christ.

Keep him in your prayers and thoughts and share your ideas with him.

There will be more Singing Concerts, more Crusades with outstanding speakers

and singers coming our way as soon as dates and times are established.

To this Outreach had been given lovely gifts and donations to which again we must say "To God Be The Glory"! Carpet for our lovely little sanctuary, a piano, chairs, office equipment and many other lovely gifts. Thank you from each of us here at the Way of the Cross. May you be given in return one-hundred fold!

I am thinking very hard not to leave anyone out and yet I realize this is possible to do. If so, it is not intentional. So I say to every person who has ever walked through these doors, who has ever worshipped and shared with us, you are still in our memories and you still share a place in our hearts. To all those who are with us now, both young and adults, you are dearly loved and appreciated. Without you there would not be the "Way of the Cross Outreach".

"Through many dangers, toils and snares, I have already come.

'Twas Grace that brought me safe thus far, And Grace will lead me on."

This verse of the beautiful old hymn "Amazing Grace" so portrays my life as a Child of God. Only in this past year do I wish to reflect any part of my life at the present time. The year of 1977 held more heartaches, pain and suffering of any time of my ministry.

I rejoice in my Lord, that the darkness was beginning to fade slowly at the ending of the year, but yet I had a long way to go. God's lovely people continue to hold the ropes for me, and many became weary and were at their wits-end, and I surely blame no one because at times, I almost looked like a hopeless case. Thank God for all His special patience and love He had for me.

I was slowly dying for one year and did not know what was happening to me. I was reaching out for helping hands and anything that spoke of life for me. Thank God for those who were there.

Finally the day it actually dawned on me that I was dying, I really knew nothing about death other than what most people talk about, what the Bible said and the loss of our loved ones. It was a world, a place we go after death if we have been a born-again child of God.

The day that it really dawned on me what was happening, I realized how human I was, I panicked. I cried out, "Oh, God not this". Yes, it was "Cancer"! I couldn't bring myself to even say the word.

I did not want anyone to know the terrible pain both physically and mentally that I was going through. I sought for God's sustaining strength by day and night. I read His Word night and day, I claimed His promises for myself and each day soon turned to one long, dark night.

That night, it seemed, would never pass. There is a saying—"It's a long road that has no turn", another, "The darkest hour is just before dawn". Somewhere I knew my dawning would come either by death or by a miracle. It came, but not in the way that I or anyone else thought.

I underwent surgery at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, Ky. August 22, 1977. I came through that with flying colors and within a matter of days, perhaps a week, I was back home. In two weeks I was back at the Way of the Cross.

It was not easy for many reasons. I had fears to overcome, I had to learn many new ways of doing things, I had always done with much ease. So I found myself trying to keep up, falling behind, rising again, falling again. My spirit would soar upward and down again. I knew I was very little inspiration to anyone in this state I was in. Did I want to be like this? A thousand times, NO!

I would resolve in my heart each day, I shall overcome! I tried, I cried, I felt self pity, I felt depression, I felt loneliness even in a crowd of people. People loved me, but I could not receive that love. I felt like a misfit. You name it, I had it.

Every force of Hell assailed me in my weakened condition but some where, buried deep in my soul, I knew that some time, somewhere I would, yet, rise to the mountain peaks and walk with "Hinds Feet".

Today, after a beautiful experience with the Lord, having been in the hospital a second time, I am a new person! All reports were negative. I said I am going for a good report and February 14, 1978, Valentine's Day, I was to truly know what the "Agape Love", God's Love was and is. I will never be the same again. My whole concept of life has changed. I have seen our Lord in all His splendor and glory and truly there is "Life after Life."

You want to know more? Just ask me and I will be happy to tell you.

Are you fearful, afraid to live, afraid to die? Then turn your life completely over to Jesus Christ and live.

Remember the way of the cross leads home. Remember, God loves you and so do we. We welcome you to the "Way of the Cross Outreach".

If you need counseling, love and prayers, we stand ready to serve you in every way by God's help.

REV. MISS JEAN C. HALE  
Pastor - Director

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### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

State Representative and Mrs. Bill Weinberg, of Hindman, announce the birth of their third child, a son, Tomas Stanley Weinberg, on Wednesday, March 1. Mrs. Weinberg is the former Lois Combs, daughter of former Governor Bert Combs, of Louisville.

## ZOELLERS TO SUCCEED WOOD



MR. WOOD

MR. ZOELLERS

Jarrett M. Wood, Pikeville division manager for Kentucky Power Company since 1968 and a well-known area personality, has announced plans to take early retirement effective Sept. 1, ending a utility career spanning 32 years.

The early retirement will prompt the return of another Pikeville man as managing head of Kentucky Power's Pikeville operations. W. W. Zoellers, who just last September was promoted and transferred to Hazard as division manager, will become Pikeville division manager upon Wood's retirement. Before moving to Hazard, Zoellers spent 26 years with the Pikeville division.

Wood is a past chairman of the board of trustees of Pikeville College and served as a trustee for 19 years. Among other activities, he is past president of the Pike County Chamber of Commerce and director of the Kentucky chamber, past president of the Pikeville Rotary Club, past president of the Lonesome Pine Council of Boy Scouts of America and recipient of the Silver Beaver and Order of the Arrow Awards. He serves on the Pikeville Methodist Hospital board of directors, is a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pikeville and an elder of that church. He served in the army airborne engineers from 1942 to 1946.

Although his plans after retirement are not yet definite, Wood plans to be a "man of leisure." Wood said he will fish, play golf and generally "take it easy."

Zoellers, a 27-year veteran of Kentucky Power, was active in Pikeville civic affairs before transferring to Hazard. Still involved with the Kiwanis Club, he is a past president and member of the board of directors of that organization. He has been associated with Little League Baseball for the past 25 years, including a nine-year stint as president. He has served as vice-chairman of Pikeville's Urban Renewal Board. He is an active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pikeville and is serving as a deacon of that church.

## MAYTOWN NEWS

### MAYTOWN WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular monthly meeting of the Maytown Woman's Club was held Tuesday evening, February 28, at the home of Sis Hall, with President Bonnie Crisp presiding.

The program was presented by Alicia Hughes. The theme of the program was "Distinguished Women of the Arts."

President Crisp appointed a nominating committee to select a slate of officers for the coming club year. Plans were discussed for the annual "Miss Springtime" competition to be held in April, and entry deadlines for district contests for both students and club-women were given as March 10.

Refreshments were served to the following club members and guests: Lillian Hall, Debbie Reid, Cheryl Campbell, Kathy Halbert, Marilyn Halbert, Nancy Blevins, Judy Banks, Judy Halbert, Peggy Gibson, Bonnie Crisp, Alicia Hughes, and Sis Hall.

### BEEF OUTLOOK: DECLINING SUPPLIES, RISING PRICES

Reductions in the number of beef cows and replacement heifers signal declining supplies of beef in the next few years and rising prices for beef at the farm and retail levels, according to a recent UK Extension Service release.

## Double Check Returns For Speedy Refund

Louisville, Ky.—Taxpayers can prevent probable slower processing of their tax returns and delay in the issuance of refund checks by double-checking their returns before filing, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) advises.

Some of the most common taxpayer mistakes, according to the IRS, include math errors, use of the wrong filing status, failure to sign the return and especially to provide the signatures of both the husband and wife in the case of a joint return, incorrectly using the "zero bracket amount", and failure to attach the necessary documents such as W-2 forms.

Using the peel-off label and mailing returns in the coded, pre-addressed envelope, both of which come with the tax package, also help avoid delays and speed issuance of refund checks.

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To all residents and employees who work in the City of Martin, city stickers are on sale now.

These must be purchased by April 15, and can be purchased from Chief of Police Lester, Mrs. Hazel Robinson, at Dr. Campbell's office or at home, or from Bill "Crush" Dingus.

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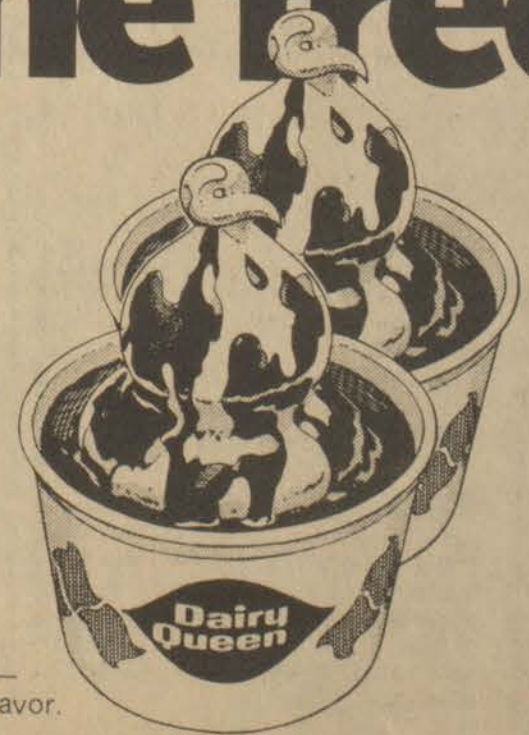
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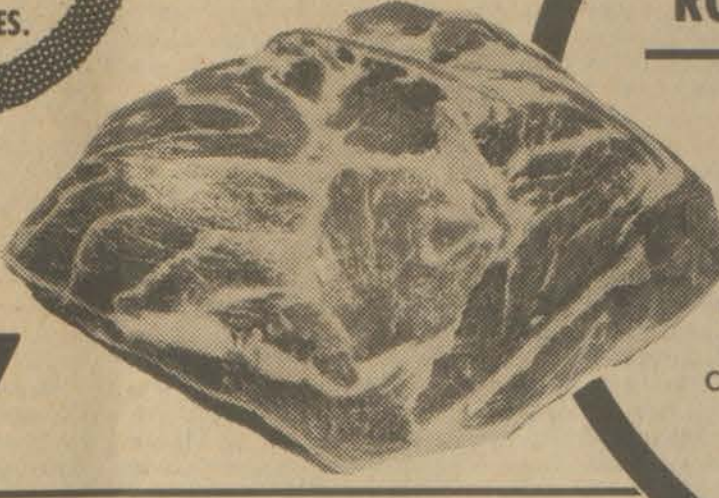
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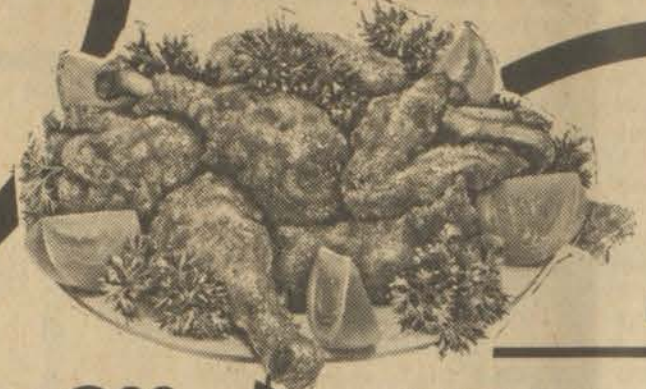
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Artist's rendering of new building to open soon.

Mountaineer Mack Sales, Inc., headquartered in Huntington, W. Va., is expected to open an ultra-modern building at Lowmansville, Lawrence county, April 1, to provide better service and easy access to Kentucky area patrons. The Kentucky division of Mountaineer Mack is located on US 23 and will cover a total of five acres, including 12,650 square feet of service and office space and 10 working bays.

Owners are Carlos Branham, of Huntington, formerly of Floyd county; John Younce, of Charleston, W. Va., and Bill Young, of Huntington. Mr. Branham is general manager of the business.

#### HRMC Womens' Auxiliary To Meet Sunday

A meeting of the Highlands Regional Medical Center Womens' Auxiliary will be held Sunday at 3:30 p.m., weather permitting. All members are encouraged to attend.

#### Two Floyd Students On Dean's List at EKU

Two Floyd county students have been named to the Dean's List for the 1977 fall semester at Eastern Kentucky University. Dr. John D. Rowlett, vice president for academic affairs, said the list, totaling 1,339 students, includes 368 who made a perfect 4.0 academic standing. To attain the list, a student must make a scholastic average of 3.5 or better for 14 or more semester hours.

The Dean's List, with the names of students making a perfect 4.0 standing underlined, includes Darryl C. Greer, of Martin, and Margie S. Johns, of Stanville. Miss Johns had a perfect 4.0 standing.

NEARLY 45 PERCENT of the nation's population are potential recipients of Veterans Administration benefits.

#### Garrett Parents Slate Meet at School There

Parents of children attending Garrett Elementary School have scheduled a meeting at the school at 1 p.m. Monday, March 13. Purpose of the meeting is to find ways to improve the school building which is said to be in poor condition. Complaints voiced include a lack of heat, leaking roof, and falling plaster.

CARD OF THANKS  
We the children of Gooden Clark would like to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who helped in anyway upon the passing of our father. A special thanks to all who brought food and sent flowers and to the Rev. Henry Crider and Rev. T. A. Patton; to the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church and Carter Funeral Home; also to the Magistrate for fixing the road to the grave site. God bless each and everyone.

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# ★ Legislative Update ★



In loving memory of Richard Lee Hicks who was murdered, Jan. 20, 1977:

It's been one year now since God took him away. We count every hour and day after day. We have only a grave now that needs our care. Because 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 a goodbye shall remain with us all until we die. Some will forget him, now that he's gone. But we will remember him, no matter how long.

Sadly missed by his  
Mother and Sister  
IDA HICKS  
Garrett, Ky.  
MARY WRIGHT  
Allen Park, Mich.

## Music Theatre Auditions Scheduled Next Sunday At College Auditorium

Ed Newman Smith, executive producer of the Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre, announced Monday that auditions will be held at the Prestonsburg Community College auditorium Sunday, March 12 at 2 p.m.

Parts are available, he said, for two boys, one 8-9-year-old, one 12 to 13 years; two girls of the same ages; one boy (black), 12-13 years old, and for chorus extras and replacements.

Auditioners should have one-minute audition piece and two songs (one up-tempo and one ballad), and be prepared for simple dance audition. All auditionees will be required to be present for briefing at 2 p.m.

## Says Rumor False

There has been a false rumor spread by some one in and around Lancer and Prestonsburg. This rumor is not true about me and Lawrence Hale or any one else having any trouble at all.

REV. RUDOLPH LEWIS

1t-pd.

## NOTICE

A Public Hearing will be held at Prestonsburg City Hall, March 16, 1978, at 6:30 p.m.

An ordinance amending Article II, Section 2.4, page 12 of the Zoning Ordinance by adding as follows:

B. Existing residential structures located in an Industrial District may be improved in accordance with R-2 Residential District Standards.

Prestonsburg Planning and Zoning Commission

3-8-2t.

## \$2,000 REWARD

to anyone with information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons behind the murder of Richard L. Hicks last January, 1977 at the Evans Mines in Breathitt County. Notify the family in Detroit, Michigan.

3-8-2t-pd.

## CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KY. ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the office of the City Clerk in the Ford Building, at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 7:00 P.M., March 16, 1978, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing labor and materials and performing all work as set forth by this advertisement for bids.

The equipment to be furnished is as follows:

1978 Model, Police 4-door sedan. Copies of specifications may be obtained from the office of the city manager in the Ford Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Bids received after scheduled closing time for reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidder. BIDS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY BID BOND PAYABLE TO THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, IN AN AMOUNT NOT LESS THAN 5 PCT. OF THE BASE BID.

In event an award is made and the successful bidder failed to execute contract for performance of the work under the award then the bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

Bids and bid bonds shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's identification, addressed to the City of Prestonsburg, labeled in the lower left-hand corner:

"Proposal: 1978 Model Police, 4 door sedan."

The City of Prestonsburg reserves the right to reject any or all bids, bids shall not be withdrawn for 45 days subsequent to the opening of bids, without consent of the City of Prestonsburg.

JACK CLARK HYDEN

City Manager, City of Prestonsburg

3-8-2t.

The Senate last Thursday adopted eight House bills and forwarded them to Governor Carroll for his signature or veto. Four additional Senate bills were also approved and sent to the House for its consideration.

Only one dissenting vote was cast in the day's Senate session, that by Walter Baker (R-Glasgow) on Senate Bill (SB) 251 which requires notification by mail to persons whose property is annexed in fifth and sixth-class cities.

Notification of annexation in fifth and sixth class cities is currently made in newspaper advertisements.

House-passed bills given unanimous approval by the Senate were:

—HB 18, introduced by Rep. Dottie Priddy (D-Louisville), requiring physical examinations of children placed in foster care and temporary homes.

—HB 57, introduced by Rep. John Carpenter (D-Nicholasville), reducing from 35 to 25 years the qualifying age for special registration of historic motor vehicles or antique cars.

—HB 271, introduced by Rep. Jim LeMaster (D-Lexington), permitting merchants to detain and question shoplifting suspects, in accordance with two recent rulings by the U.S. Supreme Court.

—HB 160, introduced by LeMaster, providing for extradition of persons charged with custodial interference, such as a parent who abducts a child from its legal guardian and takes that child to another state.

—HB 209, introduced by Rep. J. R. Gray (D-Benton), prohibiting an employer from withholding, except for authorized deductions, any part of wages agreed upon with employees.

—HB 37, introduced by Rep. Ed Holloway (R-Middleton), extending present law covering credit card fraud to cover debit card fraud. Debit cards are used to withdraw or transfer assets.

—HB 55, introduced by Rep. Arthur Schmidt (R-Cold Spring), providing for concurrent jurisdiction by state and federal authorities over national park system lands in Kentucky.

—HB 404, introduced by Rep. Bobby Richardson (D-Glasgow), permitting only one 30-day renewal instead of two for conduct of a going-out-of-business or liquidation sales.

The Senate also passed SB 284, introduced by Sen. William Sullivan (D-Henderson), revamping the state judicial retirement system to include district judges. Basically, SB 284 lowers the benefits for other judges to account for the inclusion of the district judges.

SB 138, introduced by Sen. John Berry (D-New Castle), was unanimously endorsed. It requires payment of service charges from persons required to participate in solid waste management systems.

Local building and housing authorities would be permitted to enforce regulations regarding minimum requirements for facilities for the physically handicapped under provisions of SB 171, given 34-0 approval. SB 171 was introduced by Sen. Daniel Meyer (D-Louisville).

In other action, the Senate voted to recommit a bill outlining the authority and function of the state Fire Marshal's Office to the State Government Committee. The bill, SB 192, is an administration-backed bill introduced by Majority Floor Leader Tom Garrett (D-Paducah). SB 192 has already received two readings, but several members said they needed more time to study its implications.

The House approved a bill that would require the Department for Human Resources (DHR) to conduct periodic reviews of cases where children have been placed under department custody or guardianship.

House Bill (HB) 80, sponsored by Rep. Gerta Bendl (D-Louisville), would also require periodic reviews of foster child placements in foster homes. The bill passed by an 83-4 vote.

A bill sponsored by Rep. Elmer Dietz (D-Ludlow), HB 401, would prohibit forced political contributions from members of police and fire departments in cities of the second and third classes and in urban county governments. The vote was 92-0.

HB 531, sponsored by Rep. Aubrey Williams (D-Louisville), was approved by a 78-4 vote. The bill establishes levels of mental incompetency and would allow persons classified in certain levels to have limited control over their personal and financial affairs.

Rep. Bobby Richardson sponsored HB 567, which is a power equalization bill authorizing local school boards whose districts meet certain criteria to levy a tax rate increase of 10 cents for the 1978-'79 school year and 15 cents in the 1979-'80 school year. The bill passed 52-21.

Other bills approved by the House were:

—HB 549, sponsored by Rep. Jim Dunn (D-Pleasure Ridge Park), which requires school board divisions to be as nearly equal in population as practical and to contain contiguous voting precincts. The vote was 79-0.

—HB 515, sponsored by Rep. Dottie Priddy (D-Louisville), which would permit police and firefighters in any city or county to participate in limited political activities. The vote was 72-0.

—HB 534, sponsored by Rep. John Carpenter (D-Nicholasville), which exempts agricultural plant pesticide applicators using only ground equipment from financial responsibility requirements. The vote was 82-0.

—HB 423, sponsored by Rep. Jody Richards, (D-Bowling Green), which increases from \$500 to \$5,000 the maximum amount an electric plant superintendent may purchase without electric plant board approval. The vote was 81-5.

—HB 540, sponsored by Rep. Don Blandford (D-Philpot), applying to the State Farm Bureau Federation, defines regular memberships and would require a two-thirds vote to adopt, amend or repeal by-laws. The vote was 81-0.

—HB 329, sponsored by Rep. Frank Smith (D-Shepherdsville), which reclassifies Hillview in Bullitt County from the fifth to fourth class. The vote was 81-3.

—HB 539, sponsored by Rep. Bill Weinberg (D-Hindman), which reclassifies the merged city of Fleming-Neon as a city of the fifth class. The vote was 83-0.

—HB 165, sponsored by Rep. Carl Nett (D-Louisville), which would put school board elections in counties containing cities of the first or second class under the registry of election finance, and remove conservation district office elections from that jurisdiction.

—SB 182, sponsored by Sen. Robert Martin (D-Richmond), which would require school boards to pay teachers' salaries on an established schedule, and

—SB 35, sponsored by Sen. David Karem (D-Louisville), which would delete the requirement that two members of the Kentucky Authority for Education Television be qualified in technical aspects of television engineering.

The House Labor and Industry Committee last Thursday voted, 9 to 4 to take controversial House Bill (HB) 8, which would prohibit recruitment or employment of strikebreakers, off the table and send it back to the full body. The measure, sponsored by Rep. Al Bennett (D-Louisville), provides penalties for recruiting or hiring "professional strikebreakers." Controversy centers around the question of whether "one who consistently offers his services for the purpose of breaking a strike" is a definition sufficient to exclude a person who happens to have worked more than once for a company under strike. Supporters of the measure say it is designed to curb the growing problem of professional thugs being brought from out of state to break up legal strikes.

The Senate Labor and Industry Committee adopted a substitute for House Bill (HB) 358 which would grant continuing workmen's compensation benefits to widows and dependents of injured workers whose deaths are not related to their injuries.

The Senate approved a measure that would raise the state's minimum wage from \$1.60 to \$2.15 over a two-year period. House Bill (HB) 39, sponsored by Reps. J. R. Gray (D-Benton) and Ron Cyrus (D-Greenup), would raise the minimum wage to \$2.00 per hour effective July 1 of this year. A year later the wage would automatically increase to \$2.15. The Senate passed the bill on a 31-4 vote. The bill had passed the House, 85-1. The bill applies to workers not covered by the federal minimum wage law.

An administration-backed bill that reorganizes state government was amended to give the state boards of elementary, secondary and occupational education approval of policy-making decisions by the superintendent of public instruction.

Ironically, the change resulted from concern expressed by the focal point of the amendment, James Graham. As the current superintendent of public instruction, Graham said he favored a "team approach."

After adopting the amendment, the Senate State Government Committee gave its second endorsement to Senate Bill (SB) 289, which was recommitted by the Senate Rules Committee following its second reading Wednesday.

SB 289, a huge, 212-page document, basically establishes in statute what Gov. Julian Carroll has done through various executive orders. Among the Governor's reorganization acts was an executive order issued last July which split the former board of education into two separate boards, one for elementary and secondary education and the other for occupational or vocational education. Introduced by Senate Majority Floor Leader Tom Garrett (D-Paducah), SB 289 validates that separation of the educational boards. Yet, the bill also removed those boards' authority to approve policy decisions of the superintendent.

Questioned by Sen. Larry Hopkins (R-Lexington), Graham agreed that the superintendent should be an administrator of policies defined by the board. Graham said the boards should exercise approval of the superintendent's actions to ensure "more impartial execution of policy."

Speaking in favor of the amendment, Dr. Henry "Bud" Pogue, long-time chairman of the board of elementary and secondary education, said the unamended version of SB 289 would "dilute the effectiveness of his board and the occupational board."

SB 289 was then reported favorably for a second time, with abstaining votes cast by the two Republican members of the committee. Hopkins and Gene Stuart of Prospect.

"Sunset" legislation which would make the state Department of Human Resources justify the existence of the programs it administers was tabled by the House State Government Committee. Upon a motion by Rep. William Donermeyer (D-Belleuve), the panel essentially killed House Bill 741 which contained the sunset measures.

Anti-abortion forces scored another victory when the Senate Health and Welfare Committee reported favorably on a bill that would prohibit the use of public funds for elective abortions. House Bill 179, sponsored by Rep. William Donermeyer (D-Belleuve), would allow the use of Medicaid funds for abortion

only when pregnancy endangers the woman's life. The House passed the bill, 84-6, Feb. 16.

Kentucky took a step forward on an issue of national concern as the House Judiciary Statutes committee moved out a measure providing for relief in cases of spouse abuse. House Bill (HB) 499 provides for procurement of a restraining order without the necessity of having previously filed for separation or divorce in abuse cases. The bill also allows for arrest by police officers at the scene if they have reason to believe an assault or related offense has occurred. Victims of abuse further are assured they will not suffer from taking action since the law grants them the right to the residence or household. All legal actions under the proposed bill are to be handled in circuit court.

On nine other measures considered by the committee, action was as follows:

HB 605, creating special peace officers, amended and approved; HB 347, broadening powers of police to use deadly force, failed; HB 418, requiring the use of a surveyor in preparing deed and easement descriptions, tabled; HB 453, allowing for citizen intervention in matters pertaining to the environment, tabled; HB 575, dealing with persistent felons, tabled; HB 521, dealing with status of a will following a divorce, approved; HB 472, a committee substitute raising defrauding of secured credit to a felony, approved; HB 519, relating to recordability of mortgage, approved; HB 419, committee substitute providing for notice in landlord-tenant actions, approved.

## Maytown Homemakers Supply Baskets, Gifts

The following members of the Maytown Homemakers Club supplied more than 60 fruit baskets and gifts for the Maytown Mountain Comprehensive Care Center group programs:

Minnie Gayheart, Helen Boyd, Trible May, Alda Gibson, Carolyn Puckett, Sandy Bradley, Gloria Allen, Betty Bentley, Carolyn Moore, Pearl Ellis, Thelma Hicks, Loraine Beach, Marcella Bailey, Betty May, Sandra Lowe, Weble Blevins, Marge Samons, Alice Hayes, Charlene Sexton, Stella Martin, Kitty McCann, Alta Jean Gibson, Sue Osborne, Burette Moore, Imolene Stillman, Dora Reed, and Geneva Rollins.

The Mountain Comprehensive Care acknowledges, with thanks, this help, a staff member said.

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## Allen Woman's Club

Due to weather conditions, the February meeting of the Allen Woman's Club was held approximately two weeks late. Meeting was called to order at the clubhouse by the president, Wanda Weber. Pledge to the flag was given, and both the treasurer's and secretary's reports were read and approved.

Lois Marshall, co-chairman of the "Little Miss Floyd County Area Pageant," reported on the upcoming pageant which is to be held April 15 at the Betsy Layne Grade School auditorium. Various committees of this pageant also reported.

Bonnie Spencer, chairman of the promotions committee, reported that the theme of the pageant would be "A Beautiful Dream."

Club president appointed a nominating committee. This committee is to present a slate of officers at the next meeting. The committee members are Anita Lafferty, Nancy Marcum, Carol Collins, and JoAnn Adams.

Theme for the March meeting is to be "Membership." Prospective club members were voted upon by the club. These are to be contacted and invited to attend the March meeting.

Tickets were distributed among the club members to be sold for Tiara glassware. Winners are to be announced at the club's annual "Little Miss Floyd County Area Pageant."

## CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

David Lee Garrett celebrated his fifth birthday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George David Garrett, on Cow Creek Sunday. Attending were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, his brother, Michael Jason Garrett, Mrs. Arco Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Birkey Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Harris, Mrs. Earl Garrett, Mrs. Dewey Greer and Misses Rebial Jean Hunt, Margaret Jo Greer, Janice Lewis, Coletta Harris, Zina Goble, and Messers Arco Hunt, Jr., and Gary Harris. Birthday cake and ice cream were served, after which the honoree opened his many birthday gifts.

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**FORMER LEGISLATOR HONORED**



Attending the organizational meeting held in Frankfort Feb. 17 of members of the Senate and House during the years 1960-1964 were Ex-Representative Allen Slone and Mrs. Slone, of Blue River. While in the capital, the former legislators were honored by the Senate and House of Representatives, and were luncheon guests at the Governor's Mansion with Gov. Carroll, Lt. Gov. Thelma Stovall and Senator Walter "Dee" Huddleston. Representative and Mrs. Slone were also floor guests of State Senator Jim Hammond in the Senate. Pictured are Lt. Gov. Stovall, Mrs. Slone, Ex-Representative Slone and State Senator Jim Hammond.

**To Consider 'Calamity' Days On Individual School Basis**

Local school superintendents have been assured that their requests for five "calamity" days would be considered favorably on an individual basis by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

While refusing to automatically grant five "calamity" days to every school district, the board did tell superintendents present at the special meeting last Wednesday that requests for the five days, when accompanied by a revised school calendar, will be approved if school regulations are followed.

Superintendents from several districts appeared before the board and asked that the board grant the five days so that they could return to their home districts and pay teachers and bus drivers today. One superintendent told the board that if he was not able to pay his bus drivers last week, he might not have any drivers when schools re-opened.

Most of the superintendents present told board members that their schoolchildren had missed more than 30 days of school due to the weather, and many agreed that it will be difficult without the five "calamity" days to make up the time they have missed before June 30.

Lawrence County Superintendent Paul Wright told board members that schools in his district had been closed on days when buses could have run on main roads and 70 per cent of the pupils could have got to the schools. "We could have held classes, but we would have lost too much money if we hadn't called off school," Wright said.

(State funding of schools under the Minimum Foundation Program is calculated on the basis of average daily attendance in the schools. When attendance is extremely low, schools lose funding.)

After hearing from local superin-

tendents, the board passed a series of motions designed to alleviate problems created by the winter weather. The first motion authorized the superintendent of public instruction, Dr. James B. Graham, to approve requests by districts to teach classes on Saturdays and requests to extend the school day by up to 72 minutes. By extending the school day by 72 minutes, local districts can make up one school day over a five-day period.

The motion would also authorize him to grant up to five "calamity" days to districts upon submission and approval of their revised school calendar and to approve school calendar amendments.

Local school districts will make the final decision on how they will make up the time they have missed. The board's motion makes available several options from which the district may choose. Ways of making up days include applying for five "calamity" days, extending the length of the school day, extending the school year into late June, teaching classes on Saturday and cancelling planned vacation days, such as spring vacations.

The board's second motion requested that the governor, under his emergency powers, calculate the average daily attendance for make-up days on the basis of the attendance of the first two months of school, so that no district would lose funds due to low attendance.

A third motion asked that colleges and universities consider the fact that school calendars are being extended when they plan their summer calendars. Many teachers in Kentucky take university or college classes during the summer to work toward an advance degree.

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- Friday, March 11, at Angela Dale Pizza House at McDowell
- Friday, March 11, at the First National Branch Bank at Betsy Layne from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m.
- Friday, March 11, at the First National Branch Bank at Martin from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m.
- Saturday, March 11, at Wheelwright in the Library across from the Post Office Building and at the Western Auto Store in Martin.

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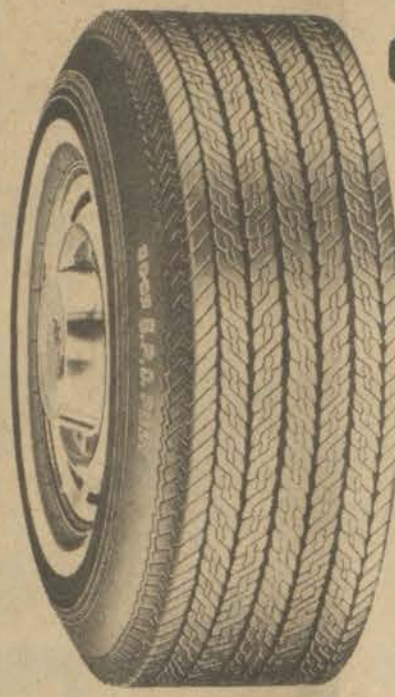


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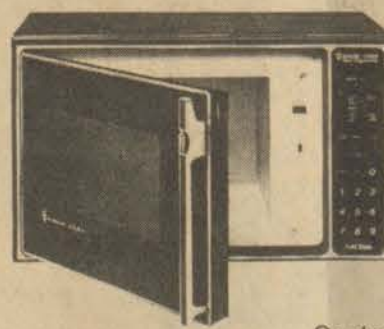


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
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## Health Center Offers Miners Free Service

East Kentucky Health Services Center, Inc., a non-profit, community-governed health care corporation, announced Tuesday that members of the United Mine Workers of America may receive services which can be provided by its two clinics at Mallie and Kite, Knott county, free of charge until the current miners' strike ends and the miners return to work.

Dr. Benny Ray Bailey, executive director, said in making the announcement, "EKHSC has never refused any patient any of its services for any reason. During the current coal miners' strike it has come to the attention of the medical staff that many people who need to be seen regularly at the clinics are not keeping their appointments. Many of these are retired beneficiaries of the UMWA Health Funds. It is very important that those people who need medical care know that they may receive this care, even if they cannot pay anything at all at EKHSC. Patients who need medical care and have no money to pay for such care, should feel free to come to either the Kite Clinic, located on Right Beaver Creek in Knott County, or the Mallie Clinic, located four miles from Hindman."

Dr. W. Grady Stumbo, medical director of EKHSC, said, "This is not a new policy. EKHSC has never refused to see any patient because of his inability to pay."

Drs. Bailey and Stumbo are natives of Left Beaver Creek, Floyd county.

## March—Red Cross Month

March has traditionally been observed as Red Cross month. For more than 100 years the Red Cross on a field of white has been recognized by people and nations around the world as the universal symbol of help to mankind, in war and in peace. It is the emblem under which men, women, and children unite voluntarily to combine their resources to prepare for, prevent, if possible, and alleviate the many kinds of suffering resulting from family, community, national, or international crisis.

The Congress of the United States chartered The American National Red Cross to assume certain responsibilities in behalf of the American people, including alleviating sufferings caused by disasters, serving as a means of communication between members of the armed forces and their families at home, and carrying out the humanitarian purposes of the Geneva Conventions of the Red Cross.

The Congress specified that the powers of government, directions, and management at the national level be vested in an all-volunteer group of 50 democratically selected men and women. In more than 3,000 local units across the country, known as chapters, management is also in the hands of volunteer boards of directors.

Although the American Red Cross works closely with the government, there are no federal funds appropriated for its support. The American Red Cross depends upon memberships and other voluntary contributions from the American people to enable it to carry out the functions of its charter.

The Red Cross has earned its title of The Good Neighbor through the dedicated efforts of thousands of volunteers who daily give of their time, talents, and skills to help others in their communities so that they will be better places in which to live.

As the needs of the American people change, so do the Red Cross services provided to them. Since Red Cross programs are so diversified, the scope of the Red Cross is much broader than that of any other voluntary agency. There is hardly a problem area in this county in which the Red Cross is not involved in helping to solve.

Headquarters for the Kentucky Division American Red Cross is in Louisville at 510 East Chestnut Street. From this location and chapters throughout the state, programs in service to members of the Armed Forces, veterans, and their families, disaster services, blood program, nursing and health, safety, youth services and community volunteers are conducted for the people of Kentucky.

The Floyd Red Cross Chapter has offices in Prestonsburg, 886-2521. Floyd Chapter executive director is Mrs. Shelby Willis.

## Review Set Friday Of Plan Application Of Martin Hospital

The planning grant application by Our Lady of the Way Hospital to demonstrate coordinated planning of Primary Care Services will be reviewed Friday by the East Kentucky Health Systems Agency's Project Review Committee.

The proposal requests \$25,000 from the Rural Health Initiative Program to support initial efforts in planning for the provision of primary care services in the Big Sandy area. According to the application, the project will address three basic issues. These are:

—The need to pool resources within a geographic area to meet primary care needs of the population.

—The need to involve local health care providers and institutions that are currently providing health care in the design of primary care services.

—The need to coordinate efforts at the local level with those of EKHSA and other governmental levels.

The Big Sandy Subarea Health Council reviewed this application at its meeting February 9 and forwarded its recommendations to EKHSA. Representing the Big Sandy Subarea on EKHSA's Governing Board are Dr. Mary P. Fox, John A. Herald and Emma McClain.

The Project Review Committee meeting will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at the Ramada Inn in Winchester. The meeting is open to the public, and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Mrs. Anzie Howell's application to operate a three-bed family care home at Beaver will also be reviewed at Friday's meeting. Mrs. Howell proposes to provide personal care services to three patients who will be referred by Mountain Comprehensive Care Center or Bureau for Social Services.

The Big Sandy Subarea Health Council reviewed this application on February 9 and forwarded its recommendations to EKHSA. Representing Floyd County on the Subarea Health Council are Jay Blevins, Don C. Bunch, Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Sister Loretta A. Hummendorf, Joseph Hershel, William Kilburn and Eleanor Robinson.

### MAYTOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson, Mrs. Tim Robinson and Shawn, Lisa and Geneva Robinson visited Timothy Joe Robinson at La Grange, on Sunday, and report he is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks, of Mendon, Ohio, were here last week on business and also visited relatives.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Pershing Bentley whose mother recently passed away in Louisville.

David Webb and son, Davie, of Lexington, spent the week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Webb, and other family members.

Sympathy is extended to relatives here of Mrs. Beryl Turner Jarrell, of Huntington, W. Va., who passed away Sunday morning following an illness of several years.

Several friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sword Saturday for a birthday party in honor of Mr. Sword's father, Cleveland Sword, who observed his 91st birthday.

Friends here have learned that Mrs. Tivis Reynolds, who was taken to a New York hospital recently, is now recuperating at the home of a daughter and it is hoped she will be able to return home soon.

Mrs. Lucy Patton is still a patient at Highlands Regional hospital.

### Drivers' Permit Class Scheduled at College

A class of instruction to prepare adults for the written examination for the driver's permit will be offered at Prestonsburg Community College. The course will be taught by Brenda Castle and Mazola Salmons, of the college faculty. The class will meet, 7 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays, March 21 and March 28, for a total of four hours' instruction.

For information, contact the Office of Community Services, Prestonsburg Community College, telephone 886-3863, Extension 243.

### CANNON BRASS USED IN VICTORIA CROSS

LONDON—Great Britain's most coveted military award, the Victoria Cross, was originally struck in brass from the melted-down barrel of a Russian cannon captured at the Battle of Sevastopol.

The medal bears an imperial crown surmounted by the British lion. Beneath the crown appear the words, "For Valour." The medal is suspended from its ribbon by the letter "V" passing through a small ring.

## Perkins Again Changes Story About Burglary

Denzil Perkins has again changed his story relating to the part played by him, Melvin Caldwell and John Britton Preston in the burglary of the Abbott Creek home of Billy Frasure.

When testimony was heard Feb. 20 on Caldwell's motion for a new trial after he had been given a 10-year pen term in the burglary, Perkins renounced testimony which he gave at the trial and said he was not at the scene but was at home with his parents in Magoffin county. He was jailed for perjury, since he had testified at the trial of Caldwell that he sat in a car while Caldwell and Preston entered Frasure's mobile home and emerged with household items.

Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Allen said this week that Perkins asked the jailer for permission to talk with Allen, a few days after Perkins had been jailed, and that Perkins told him his original version of the burglary, as told at the Caldwell trial, was true. He explained that he changed his story because he feared for his own safety and that of his parents.

His parents, Allen said, also testified at the hearing on motion for new trial that their son was at home in Magoffin county on the date the Abbott break-in was committed. But the younger Perkins told the prosecutor that his parents merely were mistaken in the date, that it was the preceding Saturday when he was at home.

Allen said he took two separate statements from Perkins and that the only difference in his latest story and the testimony given by him at the Caldwell trial was that only he, Caldwell and Preston were at the robbery scene and that the fourth person whom he mentioned at the trial did not exist.

The prosecutor said he explained to Perkins that he could not promise him immunity from prosecution on the perjury charge now against him in return for cooperation as a witness. "In fact," Allen said, "I can't see how I can avoid prosecuting him."

## PAW Program For Food Stamps To Halt April 11

Beginning April 1, Kentuckians will no longer be able to get food stamps through automatic deductions from their public assistance checks, Department for Human Resources officials announced today.

For the past four years, Kentucky has offered the public assistance withholding program (PAW) to households receiving monthly public assistance checks. A household choosing this system now gets a reduced check and the balance in food stamps each month. Most households on public assistance get a check and a card authorizing the purchase of food stamps.

According to Gail Huecker, social insurance commission, PAW is being discontinued because there is not much demand for the service. Of some 94,000 Kentucky households using food stamps, 321 participate in PAW.

Huecker says the decrease in demand is due to the federal Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program, a part of Social Security. SSI replaced a state public assistance program, Supplemental Security for the Aged, Blind and Disabled, in 1975. Kentuckians who were eligible for the state supplementation program began receiving benefits through SSI. Until April 1, PAW remains an option for Kentuckians receiving support from the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program.

According to Huecker, PAW costs the state \$1,100 a month in postage charges plus administrative costs. "The program is not cost-effective with so few households participating," she said.

Households now participating in the public assistance withholding program will receive a letter of notification at least 60 days before PAW ends. The letter will explain that these households will begin receiving full public assistance checks and food stamp cards by mail after April 1. The letter also will explain how these households may order food stamps by mail if they desire.

### SPECIAL GRATES RECOMMENDED

Install an "energy" or "thermal" grate to circulate heat back into the room from your fireplace, say engineers with the UK College of Agriculture Cooperative Extension Service. This makes your fireplace far more efficient. A tempered-glass door with the damper closed can prevent warm air from escaping up the flue all night after the fire goes out.

### STOVES SAID MORE EFFICIENT

Wood or coal stoves are more efficient to operate than the conventional fireplace, according to engineers with the UK College of Agriculture Cooperative Extension Service. With a free-standing stove, more of your heat radiates out into the room and less heat goes up the flue. At night, you can keep the fire burning low or close up the dampers and let it go out.

THE FIRST LABOR official to be elected to Congress was Ely Morre, president of the General Trade Union of New York and of the National Trades' Union, in 1834, according to the U.S. Department of Labor's "Labor Firsts in America."

## Blue Ridge Quartet In Martin Co. Sing

The Martin County Fair Board, Inc. will sponsor a Gospel Sing Sunday afternoon, March 19. The event is slated to begin at 2 p.m. at the Sheldon Clark High School gymnasium and last until 5 p.m.

Some of the best known gospel groups have been secured for the event, according to Wanda F. Walker, president of the Martin County Fair Board. Three well-known local groups and one nationally known group will perform.

The three local groups include, "The Galileans Quartet from Fort Gay, West Virginia", "The Golden Trumpets Quartet from Wayne, West Virginia", and "The Meade Family from Flat Gap, Kentucky". Rounding out the afternoon performance will be "The Blue Ridge Quartet," from Sparta, S. C., a widely known gospel group.

In addition to the hundreds of personal appearances each year, the Blue Ridge Quartet is seen by millions via their own syndicated T.V. show, "Music for all America". The Blue Ridge Quartet has always been a leader in the field of Gospel Music. Currently The Blue Ridge Quartet has the number one song on the billboards chart for gospel music.

## LETTERS To the Editor

### Seeks Family Information

I am trying to gather information on the ancestors of the Crider family in Floyd county. This family first appears in Pike county in 1827 and in Floyd county in 1831, John Crider, Sr. being the first of this family to settle in Floyd county. His children were William, Reece, John, Jr., Elizabeth, Eliza Ann, Jane, and Sarah Catherine. William married Elizabeth Vaughan, Reece married Catherine Setser, Elizabeth married Samuel Setser, Eliza Ann married Wiley Spears, and Sarah Catherine married Moses Spears. Reece Crider was my great-grandfather and, while I am especially interested in his descendants, I would like to contact any and all descendants of John Crider, Sr.

You may notice that my name is spelled with a Y (Cryder). This is only because my grandfather, Alexander Morgan Crider, chose to change the spelling after he left Kentucky. He was born in Floyd county, October 7, 1874 and left Kentucky in February, 1920, moving to Oklahoma.

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## 31.1 Million Visit State Parks in '77

A record 31.1 million persons visited Kentucky's network of state parks, shrines and museums in 1977, according to a state Department of Parks survey.

In releasing the figures, parks commissioner Bruce Montgomery noted that Kentucky's 15 resort parks likewise reflected an increase in their occupancy rates—67.5 percent as opposed to 66.46 percent in 1976. Greenbo Lake's camping area registered the highest occupancy rate with 80.5 percent of that park's available sites being occupied during the April through October season.

In a breakdown on lodge, cottage and camping attendance, the largest lodge, Lake Barkley in Western Kentucky, claimed the largest number of guests, over 31,000. But most campers chose sites at Kentucky Dam Village, over 101,000. Campers also averaged a three-day stay at Kentucky Dam, longer than at any other park.

The No. 2 choice for campers was not another resort park but Fort Boonesborough in Clark County, visited by nearly 86,000 campers last year.

General Butler lodge and cottage guests averaged a longer stay at the Carrollton resort than at any other Kentucky park. The park recorded an average 2.3 days for lodge guests and 3.1 for cottage guests. Parks officials attribute this higher average to the fact that a large number of tobacco buyers reside at the park during the tobacco market season.

John James Audubon State Park at Henderson, normally considered a "day" park, also has five one-bedroom cottages, where some 1,900 persons stayed in 1977.

Just as the lodge at Lake Barkley

housed the largest number of guests of any park, so too, did that park's restaurant feed more people. In fact, the Lake Barkley staff prepared 15.8 percent of all park meals served in 1977.

And, most of the parks meals were probably served to Kentuckians who accounted for over 40 percent of the total parks attendance. Ohio guests accounted for nearly 17 percent of the total 60 percent out-of-state attendance, followed by Indiana and Illinois and then remaining states and some foreign countries.

Understandable, the beaches at Kentucky's parks were more crowded in July than during any other month, especially at Kentucky Dam, where an estimated 271,000 persons came to swim and sun.

Museum and shrine visitations were down in 1977 from the previous year, from over 438,000 in 1976 to just under 391,000. Montgomery pointed out that Federal Hill at Bardstown, better known around the world as "My Old Kentucky Home," was closed for an extensive renovation for months, thus largely accounting for the decrease.

However, the historic house still was visited by 140,000 people, more than all other museums or shrines.

Too, the Jefferson Davis monument at Fairview and Danville's Constitution Square are presently under renovation.

Montgomery predicted that museum attendance would probably pick up substantially when all renovations are completed.

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**Mrs. Beryl Turner Jarrell**

Mrs. Beryl Turner Jarrell, 66, of Huntington, W. Va., wife of Paul F. Jarrell, retired Columbia Gas Company official, died Sunday morning at St. Mary's Hospital following an illness of several years.

A daughter of the late Jake and Amanda Preston Turner, of Northern, she was reared in the Maytown area and later resided here in Prestonsburg. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ray Coy, of Lexington, and Mrs. Glina May, of Huntington, W. Va.; four sisters, Mrs. Olvo Dingus and Mrs. Oma Jean Hall, both of Martin, Mrs. Fletcher May, of Langley, Mrs. Rob Waddles, of Eastern; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday from the Farm Bell Church of Christ in Huntington. Burial was made in the mausoleum in the Abbey of Peace in Woodmere cemetery, Huntington, under direction of Henson Mortuary.

**Alex Patton**

Alex Patton, 67, died Sunday at his home at Lackey, victim of an apparent heart attack.

Born February 21, 1911 in Weleetka, Okla., he was a son of the late Jack M. and Polly Stephens Patton. He was a retired postal clerk at Lackey and a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Helen Edison Patton, and one sister, Mrs. Jeanette Hall, of Beaver, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Lackey Free Will Baptist Church by the Revs. Bill Amburgey, Brody Amburgey, and Ellis Layne. Burial was made in the Lackey cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Mary Goodman Sweeney**

Mrs. Mary Goodman Sweeney, 78, died at her home in Prestonsburg Tuesday morning following an illness of several weeks.

Born July 17, 1899, she was a daughter of the late Jeff and Nancy Prater Goodman. Her husband, Starlin Sweeney, preceded her in death in 1963.

Surviving her are five daughters, Stella, Julie, and Christine Sweeney, Mrs. Pauline Slone, and Mrs. Maggie Mullins, all of Prestonsburg; four sons, Fred Sweeney, of Warsaw, Ind., George Sweeney, of Marshall, Mich., Frank Sweeney, of Fort Stewart, Ga., and Eddie Sweeney, of Prestonsburg; two brothers, Sandy Goodman, of Allen, Andy Goodman, of Marshall, Mich.; 19 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed Tuesday afternoon at Carter Funeral Home.

**FRENCH WOMAN LOCKED IN ROOM 47 YEARS DIES**

BETHUNE, France—An elderly woman, locked in an unheated room by her sister 47 years ago, died four days after a delivery man discovered her by accident, officials disclosed last Saturday.

Madeleine Delton, 70, died in a psychiatric hospital near the northern French town of Bethune Friday. She weighed 66 pounds at death, officials said.

Her 72-year-old sister, Marie-Louise, told police she had locked her sister, then 23, behind barred windows in 1930 because "she had lost her mental faculties" shortly after their mother died.

Officials said the woman's neighbors apparently never knew of her existence and she went unnoticed even during the German occupation of France during World War II when houses were routinely searched.

**Obituaries**

**Fred Goble**

Fred Goble, 64, of Highland Avenue, Prestonsburg, died Thursday at the VA Hospital in Lexington following an extended illness.

Born July 23, 1913, he was a son of the late Will and Alice Calhoun Goble. A retired miner and veteran of army service during World War II, he was a member of Walter Karr Bowling Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and Amvets.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Martha Hughes Goble; one son, Don Goble, of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Mrs. Barbara Powers, also of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Stumbo, of West Prestonsburg; three brothers, Charlie and Claude Goble, both of Dwayne, and Oakie Goble, in Michigan; four sisters, Mrs. Billie Jewell, of Dwayne, Mrs. Mary Bauers, in Oklahoma, Mrs. Irene Enix, of Dayton, O., Ann Goble, in California, and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at Floyd Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Clifford Austin. Burial was made in Richmond Memorial cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Bert Porter, Carl Horn, Mack Johnson, Henry Hale, Donald Fitch, Woodrow Lafferty, Glenn Webb, Curtis Warrix, Charlie Johnson, and John Wallen.

Honorary pallbearers were Paul Thompson, Paul H. Thompson, Jesse Lafferty, Sr., Jesse Lafferty, Jr., Tom Lafferty, Frank Leslie, Greg Johnson, Stevie Stumbo, and Larry Miller.

**A. N. (Nat) Cooley**

A. N. (Nat) Cooley, 63, of Lexington, formerly of Wayland, died suddenly in Lexington last Thursday evening when he was stricken by an apparent heart attack.

Real estate broker and former coal operator, he was a son of the late Frank H. and Byrd Allen Cooley and was a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd. His widow, Mrs. Anne Mandt Cooley, survives him.

He is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Sally Branham, of Lexington; two sons, John Franklin Cooley, of Nicholasville, and Robert Allen Cooley, of Lexington; two sisters, Mrs. J. C. Wells and Mrs. J. E. Miller, and two brothers, Dave and Arnold Cooley, all of Wayland; and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Church of the Good Shepherd by the Very Rev. Clarke T. Bloomfield.

**Mrs. Berniece Hall**

Mrs. Berniece Hall, 47, of Allen, died suddenly at her home Sunday when she was stricken by an apparent heart attack.

Born July 27, 1930, she was a daughter of Mrs. Nancy Bentley Carr, of Martin, and the late Frank Carr.

She is survived by her husband, Ervin Hall; three brothers, Lum Carr, of Martin, Phillip and Bill Jim Carr, both of Ivel; two sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Carroll, of Allen, and Mrs. Avanelle Tew, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Hall Brothers Funeral Home chapel by ministers of the Church of God. Burial was made in the Riley Hall cemetery at Allen.

**IN APPRECIATION**

We would like to express our many thanks to all our friends and loved ones who gave of their time and helped during the passing of our dear mother and wife, Rosa Boyd. Thanks to all who provided food and flowers, and a special word of appreciation to Dr. Hyden and the staff of the Highlands Regional Medical Center, to the ministers for their consoling words, and the Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service. May God bless you all.

The Family

**A CONSUMER TIP . . .**

If you throw away the liquid from canned vegetables, you're wasting a good deal of the nutrition that can originally contained, according to UK Extension nutritionists. To get the full value of the vitamins and minerals in the vegetable liquid, try draining it off and boiling it down to about one-third of its original volume—then add the vegetable to this concentrated liquid and heat it for serving. Or try using the liquid in gravy, soup, or in a cream sauce or stew, the nutritionists suggests.

**Mrs. Virginia M. Brashear**

Mrs. Virginia Mandt Brashear, 70, of Manton, died Thursday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following a long illness.

Born November 18, 1907 in Cedar Grove, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late William F. Mandt, pioneer developer of the coal industry in this county, and Mary Ann Harrington Mandt. Mrs. Brashear was a former secretary-treasurer of the Stephens-Elkhorn Fuel Corporation, past president of the Mountain Deanery DCCW, and a founder of St. Juliana Altar Society at Martin. She was a graduate of St. Catherine's Academy, Lexington, and of Nazareth Academy in Bardstown.

She is survived by her husband, L. Byron Brashear; two sons, William B. Brashear, of Winter Springs, Fla., and Richard L. Brashear, of Orlando, Fla., and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday at Hall Brothers chapel by the Rev. William Poole, and burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

**A CONSUMER TIP . . .**

Carefully planning the amounts of food you purchase and prepare at home can help you cut the family food bill, according to UK Extension foods specialists. To avoid waste, plan family meals for five to seven days at a time; this lets you determine the most economical amount of food you can buy.

**\$150 Reward Offered**

**By Lucy Hall Cemetery**

A reward of \$150 is being offered for the return or information leading to the return of equipment stolen last fall from the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell, it was said this week by Elder Clifford Williams.

Items taken included three lawn mowers, shovels, axes, picks, and all grave-digging equipment such as socket sets, wrenches, screwdrivers.

Anyone having information, should contact the Sheriff's office, or Elder Williams.

**Ex-Governor Chandler To Head Cancer Drive**

Former Governor A. B. "Happy" Chandler has been named 1978 Crusade chairman for the American Cancer Society's Kentucky Division. The announcement was made by George R. Anderson, of Louisville, during a meeting of the Society's Board of Directors in Louisville.

Chandler, whose name is synonymous with the political and sports scene in Kentucky, will lead more than 25,000 volunteers in a statewide effort to help "wipe out cancer in your lifetime." The Society's goal this year of \$950,000 will be used to combat cancer through programs of research, education and service.

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# Extension Service News

By JACK M. FRIAR  
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**Betsy Layne 4-H Clubs Organized**  
Nine additional 4-H clubs have been organized in the Betsy Layne Elementary School for the 1978 club year.  
Officers and leaders of these clubs are as follows:  
Betsy Layne 3rd—President, Tracy Smiley, vice president, Rusty Campbell, secretary, Janet Caudill, reporter, Brian Hardwick, song leaders, Henry Akers, Melissa Reynolds, Rosemary Damron, game leaders, Tammy Morgan, Christie Stumbo, Stacy Smiley, Michelle Charles; leader, Mrs. Mildred Brooks; Betsy Layne 4th—President, Terra Clark, vice president, Chad Collins, secretary, Missy Patton, leader, Mrs. Vestilene Hall; Betsy Layne 4th—President, Dean Cecil, vice president, Timmy Boyd, secretary, La Gina Boyd, reporters, Tabatha Lewis, Mary Choney, Larry Akers, Randy Howell; game leaders, Tommy Lynch, Patty Click, Rebecca Gillispie, other, Burnetta Wilson; Party Committee, Tammy Howell, Ervin Adkins, Mark Sellards; leader, Mrs. Agnes Kidd; Betsy Layne 5th—President, Lora Hardwick, vice president, Mark Meade, secretary, Teri Smith, reporter, Marsha Keathley, song leaders, Anita Hall, Elmer Watkins, Mike Lackey; game leaders, Charles Walker, Millette Lyons, Brian Kidd;

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## Star of Future?



Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goble, Sr., of Prestonsburg, have received word that their four-year-old granddaughter, Charlette Lynn Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Carr, of Ypsilanti, Mich., is being interviewed in Los Angeles this week by the Gene Holliburton Agency for possible T.V. and movie appearances. Charlette Lynn has recently won many honors to qualify for this interview: On February 3, in Saline, Michigan, she won first place as Queen of the Day, Military Strut, Fancy Best Appearance and Military Best Appearance. On February 11, in Cleveland, Ohio, she won first place in Solo Twirl, Military Strut and Fancy strut. On February 18, in Ashland, Ohio, she won three first-place awards as Little Miss U.S.A., and for Valentine Queen (a modeling contest for girls throughout the United States). On February 25, at Mason, Michigan, she won first place in seven of eight events.  
The child's mother is the former Miss Teresa Goble.

**50 SPECIES OF GARFISH KNOWN**  
There are about 50 known species of garfish, also known as needlefish, because of their long, slender bodies and their prominent beaks, which are pointed and bony. A species common along the coasts of Britain is called "longnose."

# Club Speaker Says Recycling Waste Answer

Wayland, Ky.—"The best solution to the solid waste problem is recycling". So advised Don Wills, environmental engineer for National Mines Corporation, speaking recently before the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club.

Discussing the subject "Conservation," he explained that it takes less energy to make aluminum from recycled material than from the original ore. He also pointed out that oftentimes the substance that is polluting the air, water or ground is a commodity that might be recycled; so, pollution can often be considered as a substitute resource, as in the case of fly ash, which has many uses.

After giving eye-opening statistics on the amount of solid waste in the nation and the stupendous amount of money spent annually to dispose of it, Mr. Wills stressed the need for organized pickup of solid waste and a program for getting it to recycling centers.

Wills, a graduate of the University of Kentucky and formerly employed by the state of Kentucky in the Environmental Department, has been with National Mines for the past several years and is a registered professional engineer.

The club's program on art, which was scheduled for January and which was postponed because of the severe weather, was combined at this meeting under the heading, "Art and Conservation," by Mack W. Martin, Floyd county elementary teacher.

On the first part of the subject Mr. Martin asked the question, "Why do we need art in the elementary schools?" Explaining that "children are naturally creative and unless we develop that, they may completely lose it before they get to high school," Mr. Martin summed up the most important reason. He further read from a three-page list of careers centered around the field of art under three main categories, commercial art, fine art and art instruction.

The speaker then asked the question, "What can the elementary art teacher do to promote conservation?" He explained that a list of some of the elements in our environment which detract from the

beauty of the natural surroundings might go something like this: "Garbage piles, junked cars, unsightly buildings falling down, water pollution, thick underbrush, weeds, etc." He further asked, "What, if anything, can be done about it?" He suggested an open discussion in the classroom. He suggested students sketching from location some of the aspects of their environment, and he pointed to the need for teachers to stress to their students the importance of cleaning up the communities in which they live and getting the students to get their parents interested and involved in cleaning up and beautifying the area around them.

Martin is a graduate of Cumberland College, Williamsburg, Ky., and has had a year's training in commercial art at the Art Academy of Cincinnati. He currently is teaching at five elementary schools in Floyd county—Wayland, Garrett, Maytown, Martin and Allen. He also conducts private classes in his residential studio and is widely known throughout Eastern Kentucky for his church murals.

During a business meeting after the program it was decided that club members would each bake two dozen cupcakes, to be delivered by the club president, Mrs. Bobby Joe Castle, to the Golden Years Rest Home, Feb. 27. This custom has been carried out for a number of years by the club for Valentine's Day, but due to the severe weather was two weeks late this year.

Since the club had previously voted to sponsor Mack Martin insofar as the two elementary schools in the club area are

concerned (Wayland and Garrett), the club voted a contribution for Mr. Martin to purchase some additional art supplies for these two schools.

The subject of how best to approach the solid waste problem was discussed and a committee will check with county officials to see what can be done in the way of pickup for a possible recycling center.

Those attending the meeting at the home of Mrs. James E. Martin, Wayland, were Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Mrs. Bobby Joe Castle, Mrs. John Reed, Mrs. Mervil Dixon, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. Otto Martin, the hostess Mrs. James E. Martin, and the speakers, Mr. Wills and Mr. Martin.

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## POLICE HAVE NO COMMENT ON TELEVISION MOVIE

HARTFORD, Conn.—State police had no formal comment on a television dramatization of the celebrated Peter Reilly murder case, "A Death in Canaan." The movie portrayed state police as coercing Reilly into admitting he killed his mother, Barbara Gibbons, in their Falls Village home in 1973.

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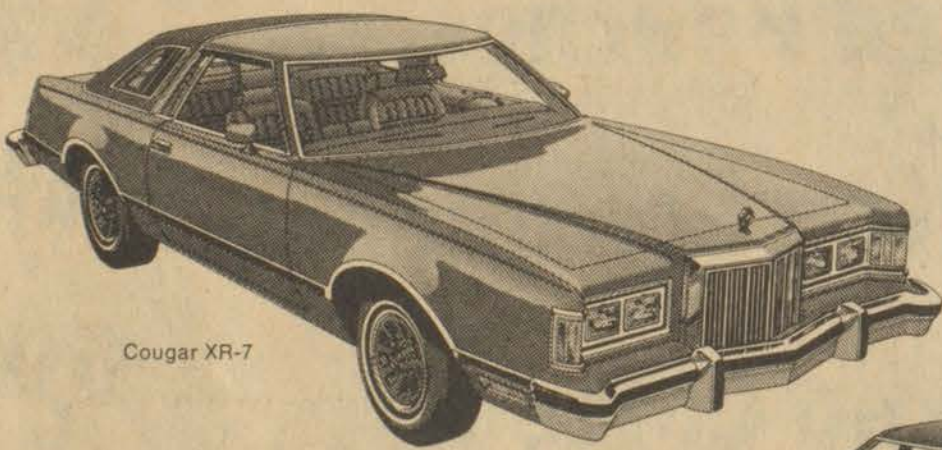
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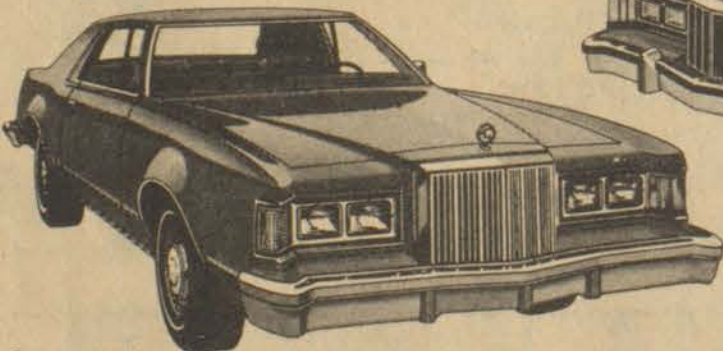
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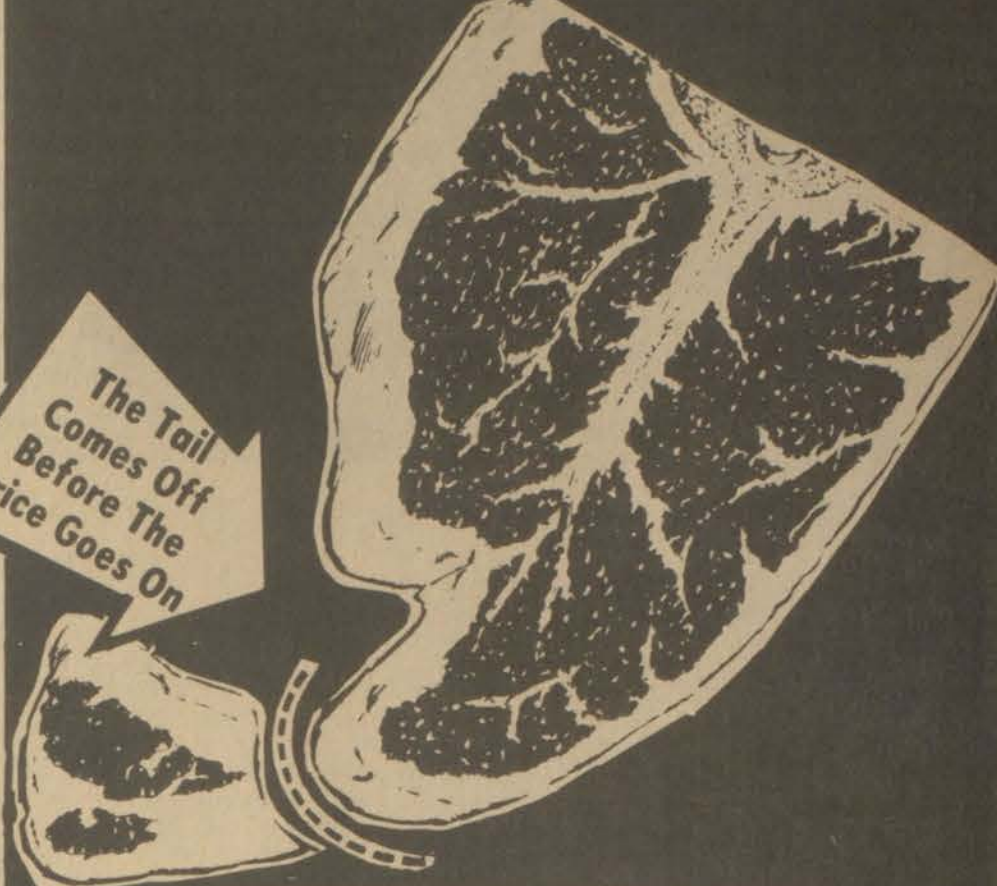
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Corsages were presented to the women and key chains to the men as well as bags of fruit and candy. Singing was also enjoyed by the scouts and senior citizen members. Members of the Martin Woman's Club served as hostesses including Eulene Ratliff, Sherry Ratliff, Phyllis Gearheart, Bonnie Crisp, Mona Ratcliff, Charlotte Hall, Freda Barnett, and Ruby Mayo. Also present was Shelby Willis.

**173,000 Names To Be Removed From Voter Rolls**

Approximately 173,000 Kentuckians will be the victims of a "purge" beginning this week that state officials believe will result in a reduction in voter fraud in Kentucky.

The purge will be conducted by the State Board of Elections in all 120 counties in an effort to remove the names of voters who have not cast ballots in any primary or general election since 1973.

Some of the 173,189 registered voters who fall into this category have either died or have moved out of the Commonwealth, but Assistant Secretary of State Clinton Newman believes a large majority just haven't voted in the past four years.

"We want to clear the voting rolls by removing the names of those who haven't voted in the past four years of elections," Newman said in an interview. "Some people may have died, others moved, but I'd say it's a fair guess that many just haven't voted after registering."

The right of the state to remove these names comes under a new law passed in 1976 that was designed to reduce the chances of voting irregularities in statewide elections.

In the past, some voters could use the name of a person that was deceased or who has moved to vote twice, Newman said, and this will all but be eliminated by cleaning the voter rolls.

The breakdown on the voters to be purged by party falls along the same lines as the number of registered voters.

Newman said 116,244 of the voters to be removed are Democrats while 48,842 are Republicans. Another 8,103 fall in the other category.

**81,600 UMW Pensioners To Miss March Checks**

The United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) Health and Retirement Funds announced last Friday that the 81,600 beneficiaries of the 1950 Pension Plan will not receive their March pension checks, and that 7,100 beneficiaries of the 1950 Benefit Plan will not receive their March death benefit payments.

The 1950 Pension Plan pays pensions of \$225 per month to miners who are receiving federal black lung benefits, and \$250 per month to miners who are not receiving black lung benefits. Death benefits payable under the 1950 Benefit Plan total \$2,500, and are paid in monthly installments over a two-year period.

Officials of the Funds noted that if a new coal wage agreement ties the income of the 1950 Pension Trust to coal production, as has been the practice since the trust was created, the beneficiaries of the 1950 Pension Plan may not receive checks in April and May as well. Death benefit payments to survivors of miners who retired from the coal industry prior to 1976 have been suspended because the cash flow problems of the 1950 Benefit Trust have been exacerbated by the prolonged coal strike. Whether these benefits are eventually resumed will depend on the provisions of the next coal wage agreement.

The Funds are, however, continuing to pay pensions to the 6,500 beneficiaries of the 1974 Pension Plan and Death Benefits to the 1,500 survivors of miners who retired after 1976 who are covered by the 1974 Benefit Plan. Pensions being paid under the 1974 Pension Plan average \$425 per month, and death benefits paid under the 1974 Benefit Plan range from \$2,500 to more than \$20,000. But the money in the two 1974 trusts cannot be used to provide

any benefits for those covered by the 1950 trusts. Federal laws and the plan and trust agreements incorporated in the 1974 coal wage agreement forbid shifting money already paid into one trust to another trust. The law says that once money has been paid into a trust, it cannot be loaned or given to another trust for any reason.

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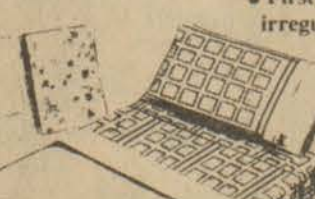
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**TOWN OF WAYLAND**

Wayland, Ky.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT—CALENDAR YEAR OF 1977**

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Balance on hand January 1, 1977       | \$ 2,611.80 |
| <b>RECEIPTS:</b>                      |             |
| Property Taxes                        | \$ 2,917.22 |
| Property Taxes - Utility Co. and etc. | 859.78      |
| <b>LICENSES:</b>                      |             |
| Truck                                 | 990.00      |
| Business                              | 190.00      |
| <b>OTHER INCOME:</b>                  |             |
| Rebates                               | 653.36      |
| Christmas Fund                        | 200.00      |
| Misc.                                 | 251.16      |
| Anti-Recession                        | 619.00      |
| Pines                                 | 13,328.55   |
| Car Stickers                          | 1,518.25    |
| Bank Loan                             | 2,000.00    |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS                        | 23,587.32   |
| TOTAL - ON HAND PLUS RECEIPTS         | \$26,199.12 |
| <b>LESS DISBURSEMENTS:</b>            |             |
| Salaries                              | \$ 4,710.00 |
| Police Travel - car expense           | 1,435.09    |
| Retirement - S. S. Payments           | 421.89      |
| Police Court expense                  | 3,197.00    |
| Municipal Supplies                    | 648.32      |
| Office Supplies                       | 323.76      |
| Insurance - Bonds                     | 679.00      |
| Adv. - Sub.                           | 125.38      |
| Legal Fees                            | 314.00      |
| On loan plus interest                 | 2,042.85    |
| Street Lighting                       | 1,708.59    |
| Other Utilities                       | 726.76      |
| Purchase of police car - equipment    | 2,395.00    |
| Outside Labor                         | 631.21      |
| Fire Truck expense                    | 92.55       |
| Christmas Treat - Dec.                | 497.80      |
| Misc.                                 | 16.50       |
| Bad Checks                            | 101.00      |
| Jail - County and town expense        | 231.12      |
| TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS                   | 20,357.81   |
| BALANCE ON HAND 12-31-1977            | \$ 5,841.28 |
| (\$5,831.28 in Bank)                  |             |
| ( 10.00 on hand)                      |             |

I certify the above is a true statement to the best of my knowledge.

*J. B. McManis*  
Clerk



### Lucy Hall Cemetery

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To all whom this may concern, friends, relatives, and all who own lots on this cemetery:

As you know, this is a large cemetery—four acres or more. For the past several years, we, the citizens and owners of lots, have been keeping up this cemetery beautifully. This past fall we had all our equipment (including lawnmowers, shovels and all grave digging equipment) stolen. None of it has been located yet. It amounts to around \$1,000.

I can't get in contact with each of you personally, so I'm hoping to reach you through this article. We want to continue keeping up this beautiful cemetery with your help and support. We are in desperate need of your help. We have a meeting scheduled for March 11, at 6 o'clock. This is on a Saturday evening at McDowell High School Auditorium. All are urged to attend. It will be a fund-raising meeting. To ones in other states who read this and can't attend our meeting can send their contributions to Harry Moore, East McDowell, Ky., or Elder Clifford Williams, Box 83, McDowell, Ky. (committeemen).

Make all checks or money orders to the Lucy Hall Cemetery Fund.

Thank you,

ELDER CLIFFORD WILLIAMS  
3-8-21.

## Floyd Group Supports Bills To Help Female Abuse Victims

In commemoration of International Women's Day, March 8, a group of Floyd county women have joined with others across the state in travelling to Frankfort to voice their support of three bills before the Kentucky legislature dealing with spouse abuse. The group hopes to provide testimony to the Judiciary Statutes Committee on a bill allocating funding for shelters throughout state, HB 750. This same committee analyzed and passed on to the House last week two bills concerning battered women, HB 499 (the Domestic Abuse Act) and HB 498 (the Abandonment bill).

Testifying before the committee, Karen Jones, a staff attorney with Prestonsburg's legal services office (APPALRED), outlined the key points of the Domestic Abuse Act. Miss Jones participated in drafting the legislation because her experience as a legal services' attorney had convinced her that this was an important problem for her clients that was not being dealt with in the best possible manner.

"From the cases in our office," Miss Jones said, "the problem seems prevalent in this county."

In order to afford a battered wife more immediate protection, the Domestic Abuse Act allows an abused woman to obtain a temporary protection order without initiating a divorce proceeding. The proposed law further expands the ability of law-enforcement officers to effectively respond to complaints by allowing them to arrest on "probable cause" that abuse has occurred. And, to develop a comprehensive approach to reducing violence in the home, the act provides for the collection of data on each incident.

Because a woman may be in peril of her life, she is sometimes forced to flee the home without her children. She has not willfully abandoned them; rather, she has been forced to become separated from them. The Abandonment Amendment prohibits the courts from considering the woman's departure, under these conditions, as an "abandonment" of her children. This bill was passed by the House on March 1 and will now move to the Senate for consideration.

Responding to the problems facing battered women in custody disputes in rural areas, a group of Floyd county citizens has formed to help find some possible solutions. Eula Hall, a member of this group, strongly urged support of the proposed bills. She expressed concern that HB 501, a bill requiring women to prosecute their assailants in order to receive assistance from the Department of Human Resources, would only make the situation for a battered woman more difficult.

### Ashland Oil Names Harkins Chief Council Of Labor Relations

William H. Harkins has been named chief labor relations counsel of Ashland Oil, Inc., according to Norman R. Trimble, vice-president.

In the new post Harkins is responsible for the coordination of all legal matters pertaining to labor relations, wage and hour laws, and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission regulations and proposals.

A Pikeville native, Harkins joined Ashland Oil's personnel department in 1969, was named a labor relations attorney in 1971 and became assistant manager of corporate labor relations in 1973. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and also received his law degree from UK.

Members of numerous agencies who come in contact with battered women throughout the county feel that legal action is not enough. "Many of the women come to us (legal services) as a last resort because of the lack of alternatives available to them," Miss Jones explained. "And, if they do return to their assailants, it is, generally, because they are dependent on the man for financial and emotional support."

Shelters for women, as well as financial assistance and emotional support groups, would provide women in this area with more alternatives. The Shelter Bill, introduced recently, seeks to appropriate one million dollars for six shelters in Kentucky, particularly in the eastern portion of the state. These shelters would be developed by women who have been abused themselves and who have found successful ways to deal with the situation.

Providing alternatives for battered women is also the major goal of the recently formed Floyd county group. Some members of this group met last Saturday with interested people from other counties to discuss the legislation and the possibility of trying to establish a shelter in this area. Anyone interested in becoming involved in this group may do so by contacting Linda Kay Skeens at 886-3876 or 285-3583.

### RC&D Area Council To Meet Thursday

Harrison Preece, chairman of the Big Sandy Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Area Council, reports that the council will hold its quarterly meeting March 9 at 6 p.m. in May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

The council will have reports on planning progress for RC&D measures; the new Rural Areas Mine Reclamation (RAMR) Program; receive new RC&D measure proposals, and conduct other related business.

Several new members will be meeting with the council for the first time. Council members represent units of local government who sponsor the RC&D program. The council members are selected by each sponsor to represent that unit of government on the RC&D Area Council. The November 1977 election brought about several changes in elected officials and this resulted in changes in the RC&D Area Council.

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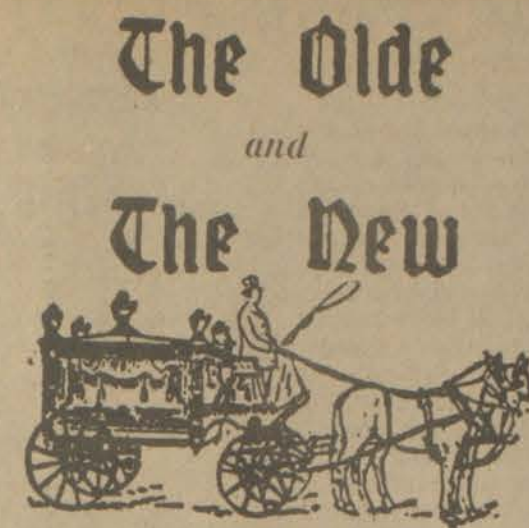
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# How Some Faced Bad Weather



Disenchanted with the weather around your house or place of work? Are you having thoughts of greener pastures? Well, a couple from Wickliffe, as reported in The Advance Yoeman, went visiting. They spent some time in Georgia, then in Arizona and in California. "However, they were very glad to get back home and came sooner than planned, as everywhere they went they found bad weather and unusual weather, so there's no place like home."

With that thought in mind, you might want to find out how other people manage, although spring will arrive with its green songs and golden daffodil trumpets, even March likes to have its fling.

In Morehead the weather provided opportunity for an ice skating rink. According to The Morehead News, the Morehead Woman's Club donated funds to the Morehead-Rowan County Recreation Department to provide the rink at the city park. More than 450 persons tried out the rink, the first week in operation. The rink was made by placing sheet plastic over the area and making a boundary of 4 x 4's, then flowing water onto the plastic. The weather did the rest.

George Wolfford, regional editor of the Ashland Independent, told readers that during cold weather they could spend time digging, not snow, but into family history. He advised those wanting to start to begin at home with questions to members of the family, then go through old trunks, read family Bibles, old letters, visit courthouses and libraries and write letters to relatives who might know about ancestors.

Hattie Ferguson who writes the Upper Crockett news in The Licking Valley Courier, West Liberty, said she finds plenty to do when the weather is bad. "I have hand-quilted one quilt. Ivory Williams gave me the top for a birthday present. Her mother had given her the pieces. They are such beautiful old fashioned pieces, so in memory of them I thought I'd quilt it by hand."

Jaunita Bottoms, writing in The Observer at Somerset, said she would be glad to donate to the Mudslingers. The Mudslingers are not what you might think, but are persons who banded together to provide help wherever needed during severe weather.

In The Elliott County News, Mrs. Sophia Adkins "visited by phone with her aunt, Lizzie Mason, to see if she was okay in all this snow. Lizzie is keeping busy piecing quilts."

A writer in The Lewis County Herald, who listens for church bells, said there had been no service at Concord for the last three weeks. "It seems strange not to hear the church bells." A writer from another part of the Commonwealth commented that she had missed attending church for three weeks and when she went back found some changes and strange faces. "Felt like I'd been away a year."

Audrey Pierce said in The Paintsville Herald that it had been hard for senior citizens to get to the center. When some did make it they didn't do any crafts, but "just had lunch together and then had a good gab session." Another time the senior citizens reporter said it seemed like cold weather was still hanging on, "and so are we."

Various writers in The Fulton Daily Leader state that writing anything more about weather is a no-no, but continue to write about it. Jane Taylor, of South Fulton, saw a snake crawling across the snow and took time to get "the snake on a broom handle and brought it to my house to show me," wrote Martha Mahan. Aline Williams wrote that she made a black

knit quilt top out of small squares, "and it's pretty. Then I set two tops together with strips I had for a long time but never got around to working on. Then I thought why not finish them, so I quilted them on the machine and now I'm setting a two-inch black top together for my little granddaughter."

Eunice Mitchell, of Fulton, wrote that her family had worn out two dictionaries playing scrabble, and spent much time at another chore: "Let the dog out. Then let the dog in. Then out. In. Out, in."

Rita Mitchell wrote that others in and around Fulton had been quilting, feeding and watching birds, working on genealogy, building fires to pop corn and roast marshmallows. Mrs. Johnny McConnell said "On two occasions another family has come over to spend an entire evening with us. We have just enjoyed the other's company."

Still other Fultonians have looked ahead. According to Rita Mitchell, "Mrs. Joe Holland has been busy decorating Easter eggs . . . another woman has already begun making Christmas ornaments for next year. One Fulton working mother, wrote Martha Mahan, "made good use of her time. She didn't go to work last week and as a result she says, 'I have the cleanest closets and drawers in town.'"

You, like countless others, might be spending much time eating. Mrs. Ballard Herald, according to The Floyd County Times at Prestonsburg, invited relatives and friends in to a Saturday evening "shuckey bean" dinner that featured dried-apple pie for dessert.

Kentuckians everywhere, including you, make a special, particular population. They make do, whatever the weather, and look for bright days ahead.

## Mrs. Conn To Head Stanville Bike-a-Thon

Mrs. Harold Conn has been named Stanville chairman of the Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon to fight children's lung-damaging diseases, according to Jay Crouse, president of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Mrs. Conn will lead volunteers in organizing a Bike-A-Thon in Stanville to raise funds to support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like Cystic Fibrosis, severe asthma chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis.

The Bike-A-Thon campaign will be held during the month of April. If you are asked to sponsor a rider or work with your local chairman, we hope you will be as generous as possible.

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## Floyd County Health Notes

By DONNA J. GRIFFITH  
 Health Educator  
 The Floyd County Health Department announces that a pap smear clinic will be held at the health department from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The health nurses urge all women needing their yearly pap smear tests to attend this clinic.

An outpost clinic will be held Monday, March 13, in the basement of the Methodist Church at Wayland from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the health nurse will be providing the following services: Immunizations, TB skin tests, diabetes screening, hemoglobins and blood pressures. These services are free of charge, and the public is welcome to attend.

The weight control class held at the Health Department has resumed its meetings. This class will meet each Tuesday night at 6:30.

## FLOYD CO. GOSPEL SING AT WAYLAND METHODIST

The Floyd County Gospel Singers Association will hold their monthly singing on March 11 at 7 p.m. at the Wayland United Methodist Church, Wayland.

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**ALL REGISTERED REPUBLICANS**  
 You are Urged to Attend and Participate in  
**The Floyd County Republicans Mass Convention**  
**2 P.M., Sat., March 18, 1978**  
**Floyd County Courthouse**

Purpose of this Convention is to elect Delegates and Alternates to attend the 7th District Convention and the 1978 Kentucky Republican State Convention.

All registered Republican voters of this county are eligible to participate by voting and seeking a Delegate or Alternate seat.

For further information, please contact:

**RONALD FRASURE, County Chairman**  
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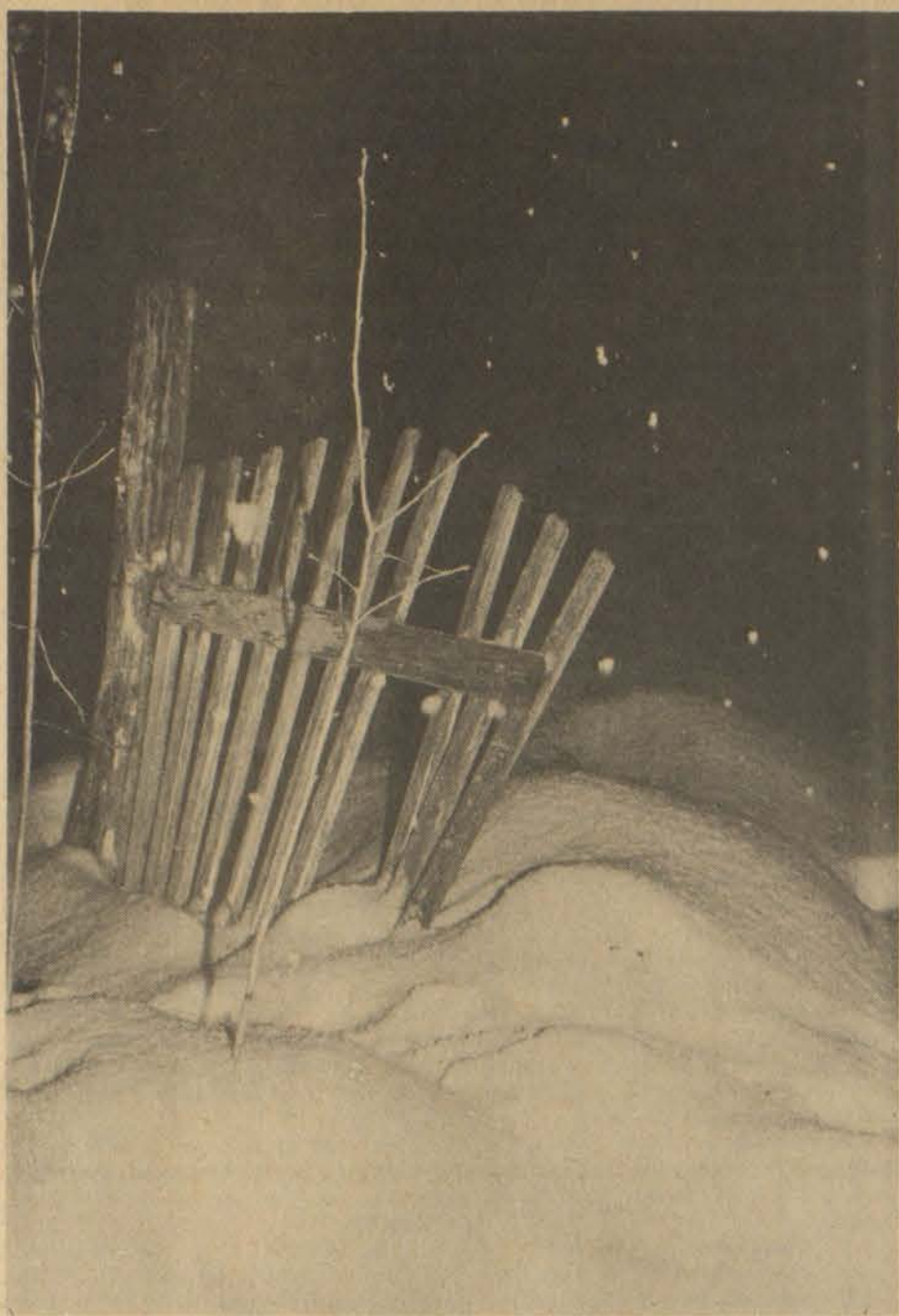
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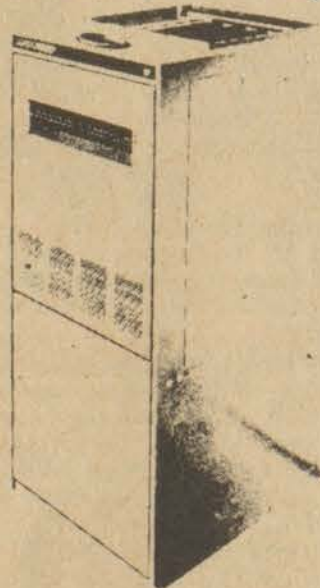
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## Beware

By WILMAY

This column is quoted with permission from Gospel Tract Society, Independence, Mo. Its timely title: My Experiences With a Kleptomaniac," by Don Hillis.

I would never have dreamed he was a thief. Our acquaintance had been friendly and casual. "An entertainer turned salesman," was his approach to me. I prodded him about his background. He had ties with several distilleries, an account with a tobacco company. "At present," he said, "I'm an agent for a magazine." I let him come in. "There's no place in my life for liquor or tobacco," I told him. My body is the temple of the Holy Spirit," I told him. He was undisturbed by my convictions. He would hold his views. I could hold mine. I had reservations on many of his stories. Still, his experiences excited me. I invited him back, hoping to have a helpful influence on him. My wife reminded me that his return visit conflicted with prayer meeting. I should go but I had to stand by the invitation given this friend. "I don't trust him," she said and grew more concerned as he took up more time of our family life.

My day was boring compared with evenings with him. His imagination was captivating. I would laugh myself sick at his experiences. His scrapes with the law were breath-taking. He was an "extra" in motion pictures. But he couldn't talk about this without including sex. I cut him off time and again. Then he began to affect my young son and daughter. They couldn't wait to hear his hair-raising tales. They would have stayed up all hours had we allowed it. This was hurting their studies. I began to worry about this fellow's presence in our home. Then it came. Several of my books turned up missing. I concluded the fellow might be a thief. It looked suspicious. I decided to check on him next door as he had been there also. Sure enough, he had taken things there, too. Most neighbors who knew him found something missing. No more Christian magazines in one home. The Bible missing in another. The family altar was missing in one home. I was surprised to hear that their Sunday and Mid-Week church hours had been spent with this guy.

At last I realized my visitor was afflicted with kleptomania. Like a thief he had stolen my books, magazines, and time. But the chief things missing were my close friendship with Christ and the evenings spent talking with my family and friends. Some have lost things of real value, not trifles, but precious family things. Spiritual, social, and intellectual experiences have been taken, replaced by only a moment of crackpot amusement. This fellow is not at our home now, though if I could keep him in his place he would be harmless to have around. Kleptomaniacs are not always deliberately bad. But you must keep your eyes open or they will continually steal things from you. I still see him now and then at my neighbor's. He keeps them laughing or excited hour after hour. I have been trying to recall his name so you would be alerted about him and his subtle methods. It escapes me, but I will never forget his initials. They were "T. V."

I wonder what has T.V. robbed from you. Time? Devotions? Good reading? Wholesome conversation? Church attendance? Check your list and see. You may be surprised at what you find missing. This sly character reminds me of a wild horse. You have to sit tight with a firm hold on the reins or he will run away with you. If you don't control him he will control you. When you learn to treat T.V. like Paul treated his body he will be kept in his place. "I buffet my body, handle it roughly, discipline it by

hardships, and subdue it, lest I myself should become unfit, not able to stand the test, unapproved and rejected as a counterfeit." (I Cor. 9:22 Amp. N. T.) With this type treatment T.V. will stay in its place. Better than that, you will experience the joy of keeping your affections on things above." (End of quote)

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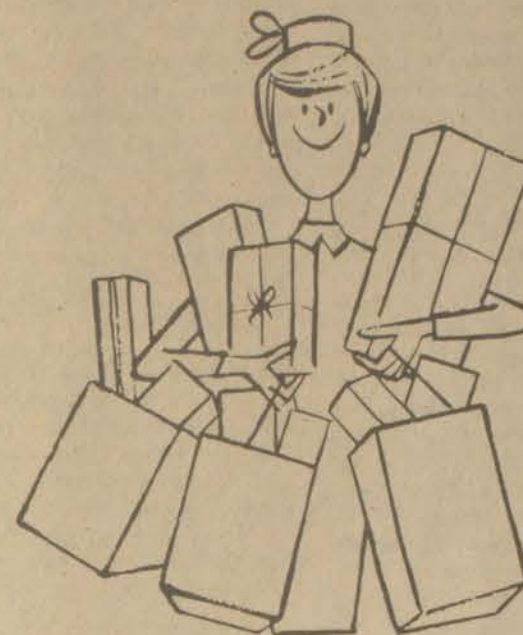
Will keep your child occupied for you. I guarantee they will learn from what I can teach them. I will show them how to drink liquor, smoke cigarettes, murder, rob and commit adultery. I will keep them up late on Saturday nights so they won't feel like church on Sunday morning, and I will offer exciting things on Sunday night to keep them home. Yes, I desire to sit with your child . . . you don't know me . . . but I live with you. MR. T. V. (Author unknown)

### THE 23RD CHANNEL

The T.V. set is my shepherd. My spiritual growth shall want. It maketh me to sit down and do nothing for His name's sake, because it requireth all my spare time. It keepeth me from doing my duty as a Christian, because it presenteth so many good shows that I must see. It restoreth my knowledge of the things of the world, and keepeth me from the study of God's Word. It leadeth me in the paths of failing to attend the evening worship services, and doing nothing in the kingdom of God.

Yea, though I live to be a hundred, I shall keep on viewing my T.V. as long as it will work, for it is my closest companion. Its sound and its picture they comfort me. It presenteth entertainment before me, and keepeth me from doing important things with my family. It fills my head with ideas which differ from those set forth in the word of God.

Surely, no good thing will come of my life, because my T.V. offereth me no good time to do the will of God; thus will I dwell in the place of the Devil and his angels forever. (Selected. Copy from THE LIFE MESSENGERS, Seattle, Wash., used with permission.)



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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Robin No. 2 mine, Kim No. 2 mine, Jet-Robin No. 3 mine, East McDowell, Kentucky 41623.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Morgan Branch of Big Mud Creek near Teaberry, Floyd Co., Kentucky.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining & Reclamation Enforcement, U. S. Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

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**INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Archer Park Board, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (Floyd County), at the Recreation Building, on March 15, 1978 Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. E.S.T., 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: Addition & Renovation of Skating Rink, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS: To construct a new addition, renovate existing structure, and add heating-air conditioning system.

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; 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 \$20.00 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 March 7, 1978.

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: Archer Park Board, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 and labeled in the lower lefthand corner: PROPOSAL: Archer Park Skating Rink Renovations, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

TIME OF OPENING: March 15, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

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.

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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 resurfacing, of tennis courts and installation of tennis net 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; 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 the Plans, Specifications, and other Documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days after date of Bid Opening.

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DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE, ON OR ABOUT March 3, 1978.

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The Proposals including the Bid Bond, shall be in a sealed envelope, bearing the Bidder's Identification, addressed to the: Archer Park Board, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653 and labeled in the lower lefthand corner: PROPOSAL: Tennis Court Resurfacing, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

Time of Opening: March 15, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: on Route 979 at Beaver, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Riley Reynolds Branch of Rt. 979 at Ligon, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Mink Branch of Big Mud Creek near Craynor, Floyd Co., Kentucky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Andy Branch of Tinker Fork of Big Mud Creek near Beaver, Floyd Co., Kentucky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Off Rt. 979 on Tinker Fork at Teaberry, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: on Mink Frank at Craynor, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Andy Branch of Tinker Fork of Big Mud Creek near Beaver, Floyd Co., Kentucky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Off Rt. 979 on Mink Branch at Craynor, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: on Frasures Creek at East McDowell, Ky.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Frazier Branch, Grethel, Ky.

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All interested parties will hereby take notice that an application for a Small Operator Exemption will be filed with the Director, Office of Surface Mining and Reclamation and Enforcement, for and on behalf of the following named company, which if granted would exempt the operator from certain environmental protection performance standards under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977: B & G. Coal Co., Orkney, Ky.

The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Spewing Camp, Floyd Co.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining and Reclamation Enforcement, U. S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Off Rt. 979 on Mink Branch at Craynor, Ky.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining and Reclamation Enforcement, U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: on Frasures Creek at East McDowell, Ky.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining and Reclamation Enforcement, U. S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Andy Branch of Tinker Fork of Big Mud Creek near Beaver, Floyd Co., Kentucky.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, office of Surface Mining & Reclamation Enforcement, U.S. Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

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The location of the surface coal mining operations to which this exemption will apply is: Tackett Ford of Big Mud Creek, Floyd county, Kentucky.

Public comments concerning this application may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining and Reclamation Enforcement, U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. 20204.

3-8-2t.

**Notice of Annual Meeting**

Notice is hereby given to directors and policy holders of Highlands Mutual Insurance Company of Kentucky that their annual meeting will be held at the principal office, 11 So. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. on March 16, 1978 at 10:00 a.m.

3-1-2t.

**INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Floyd County Economic Aid Board, Prestonsburg, Kentucky (Floyd County), at the office of the County Judge, on March 9, 1978 on Thursday 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 set forth by this Invitation for Bids, prepared by Crider & Associates, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The Floyd County Economic Aid Board will receive bids for Fire Fighting Equipment.

Specifications may be examined at the following places: Dodge Corporation of Knoxville, Tennessee; Charleston, W. Va.; and Lexington, Kentucky; and at the office of Crider and Associates, Architect, 315 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Copies of the documents may be secured from the Architect, Marvin Crider, Jr., and Associates, Prestonsburg, Ky.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond payable to the Owner, in an amount not less than ten (10 percent) of the Bid.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of the Bids, will be returned, unopened to the Bidders.

The Proposals including the Bid Bond, shall be in a sealed envelope, bearing the Bidder's Identification, addressed to the: FLOYD COUNTY ECONOMIC AID BOARD, PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY.

TIME OF OPENING: March 9, 1978 at 3:00 p.m. E.S.T.

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.

3-1-2t.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept sealed bids for the following lunchroom equipment until 12:00 noon March 8, 1978:

One dishwasher - Hobart Model C44 or approved equal, for Osborne Elementary School, FOB School.

For details and/or specifications call or write: Blanche E. Dings, Floyd County Board of Education, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

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PETE GRIGSBY, JR. Supt., Floyd County Schools

3-1-3t.

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### Historical Society Publishes 3rd Volume

The Pike County Historical Society announces the release of its Historical Papers No. 3, according to its president, Dr. Leonard Roberts, of Pikeville College. The previous volumes were 150 Years of Pike County, issued in 1972, and Pike County Papers No. 2, in 1976. These are still in print.

The present volume, running to 130 pages, plus several rare photographs, has a variety of 15 articles on well-researched subjects. Its longest and most complex undertaking is the continuation of Pike county marriages. 150 Years brought them from 1822 to 1865; now they are completed from 1866 to 1875 in some 50 pages, including an index.

Adding to the 10 genealogies previously issued, this book carries four other well-known families in this region—Ison, Hunt, Anderson and Newsome. Also included is a history of another church, Ashcamp Regular Baptist, from its founding in 1914 to the present.

Articles that have many names and will appeal to a wide readership are "Grand Army of the Republic" in 1890; "Pike County Teachers Institute" of 1895; and a large public gathering for the "Wedding of Bowles-Thornbury" in 1897, with a large group photograph.

An article that is curious and revealing is "Polk's Business Directory," published in 1879 and 1880. Some Pike County Towns (some gone by now) are Fish Trap, Pawpaw, Deskin, Jamboree, Stratton, Runyon, boasting businesses and professions like Blacksmith, Gunsmith, Flour Mill, Lawyer, Doctor, Mason, Distiller, and Cooper. Other entries are "Growing up in Pike County in the 1860's" and "Rafting, Farming, and Feuding," and many others.

The book will be on sale February 24 at the college, at Cumberland Galleries and at Alliance Book and Gift Shop, all in Pikeville, and over the region it will be found in most R. H. Hobbs stores.

### Consumer Comments

By ROBERT F. STEPHENS (Attorney General)

#### Federal Income Tax Preparation

The April 17 deadline for filing federal income tax returns is rapidly approaching. Within the next few weeks consumers will be gathering cancelled checks and receipts in preparation for filing their returns. Whether you decide to prepare your own tax return or to consult a tax preparation service, there are several points you must remember.

First, whether or not you must file a tax return with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) depends upon the amount of your income during the past year and your status as a taxpayer. The tax forms mailed or provided to you by the IRS outline the rules that determine if you file a return and what return you must use. Even if you are not required by law to file a return, you should file a form to get a refund if income tax was withheld from your paycheck, or if you are eligible for the "earned income credit."

Taxpayers can avoid additional costs in penalties and interest by providing all the information requested on the return and by paying the tax when it is due. A penalty of five to twenty five percent of your tax can be assessed for the filing unless you can show a reasonable excuse for the delay. If you must file a late return, be sure to attach a full explanation for the delay with your return.

Income tax law requires each taxpayer to keep cancelled checks, receipts or other records as long as their contents could be needed for evaluating your tax return. Records that substantiate your income, deductions or credits on your return should be kept at least three years from the date the return was due or filed, or two years from the date you paid the tax, whichever occurs later. Some records, however, especially those relating to real estate, should be kept indefinitely. Copies of your completed tax returns should also be retained for your records.

Also, it is very important that you sign and date your tax return or it will be rejected by the IRS. If you file a joint return, then both you and your spouse must sign the form. If you pay someone to prepare your return for you, then that person must also sign as the "preparer." Persons who fill out your form for free to not have to sign your return.

Finally, you must remember that regardless of who prepares the tax form or assists you in computing the tax owed, you are responsible for the accuracy of your return and for the payment of the correct tax. If an error is made by you or by the tax preparation service you hired, you are still held legally obligated to pay the proper amount of tax and any penalty or interest that is assessed.

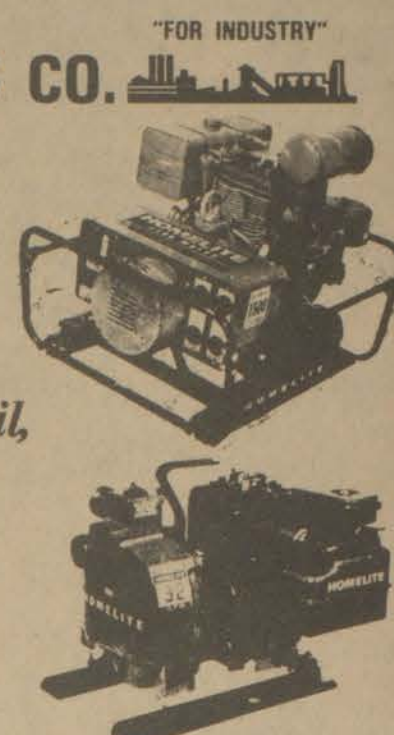
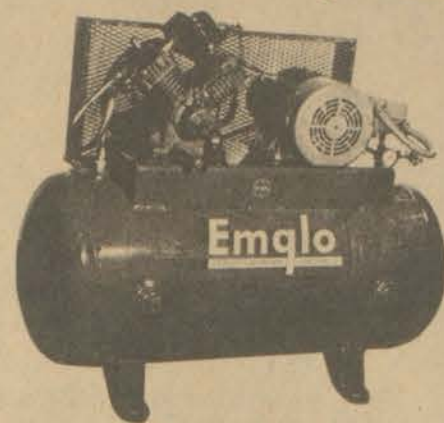
The Internal Revenue Service has established a toll-free telephone service to answer consumer's federal tax questions. While the IRS does occasionally monitor these calls, no record is maintained of the taxpayer's name, address, or social security number. In Kentucky, taxpayers can call 1-800-292-6570 for information. Lexington residents can use a local city number at 255-2333, and Louisvillians can call 584-1361. If you need tax forms, schedules or free IRS

publications, these items can be ordered by writing "Forms Distribution Center", P. O. Box 636, Florence, Kentucky 41042. Tax forms are also available at IRS offices or your local banks and post offices.

The Consumer Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General hopes that this general tax information can answer some basic questions about federal tax return law. While we cannot assist you in preparing your yearly tax return, our office is available to mediate your consumer complaints. We have found that we can most effectively handle your complaint if it's in written form, and encourage you to write us at Office of the Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. If you need information or have an emergency situation, you can call our toll free number at 1-800-372-2960 for assistance.

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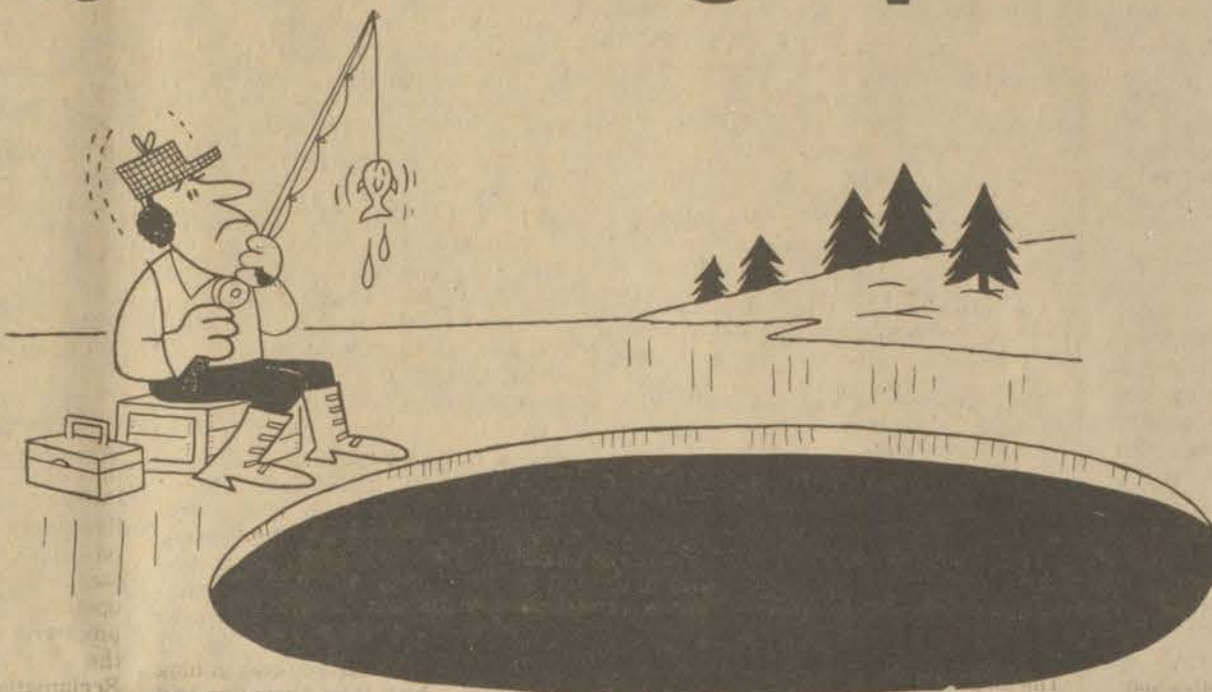


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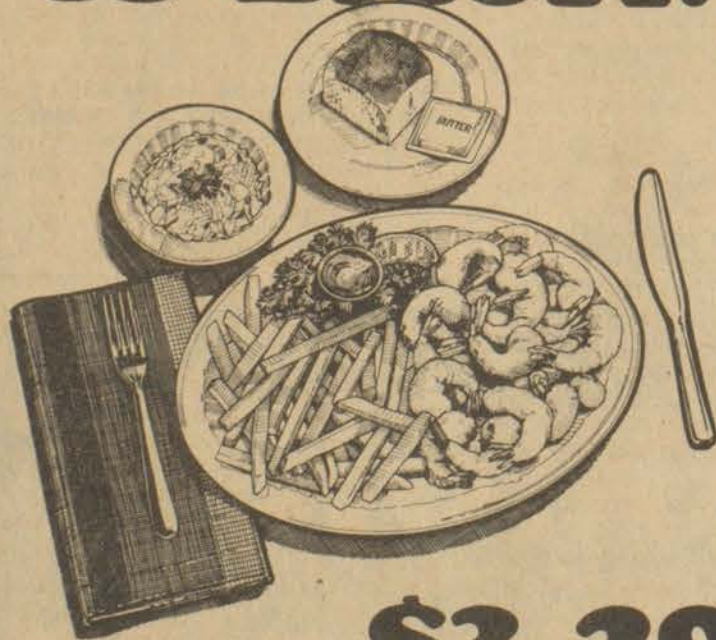
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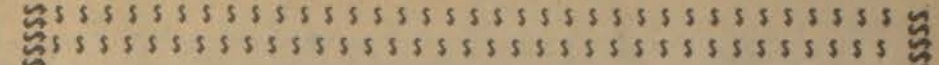
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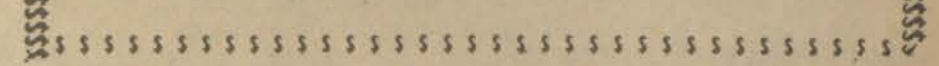
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# ★ Legislative Update ★

(Delayed from Last Week)

More than 110 bills were introduced into the General Assembly last week as legislators began speeding their activities to beat the 60-day meeting limitation set by the state Constitution.

The House began the week trying to take action on some 60 bills that had packed up in its orders of the day; however, the effort was surrendered when the chamber's voting machine broke down Friday.

Also on Friday, the Senate approved Senate Bill (SB) 88, which would grant the right to collective bargaining to certified educators and administrators. More than two hours of debate preceded the 22-15 vote on that measure.

Among the bills signed into law by Gov. Julian Carroll were three bills repealing obsolete statutes relating to public education.

Senate Bill (SB) 23, sponsored by Sen. David Karem (D-Louisville), deletes the provision that the board of education of a district embracing a city of the first or second class may appoint as secretary its business manager or assistant superintendent for business affairs.

SB 24, sponsored by Karem, deletes exceptions to the school district fiscal year.

SB 29, sponsored by Karem, deletes the requirement that a teacher who closes school before the end of the school year must make a report to the superintendent.

House Bill (HB) 184, introduced by Rep. Bobby Richardson (D-Glasgow), increases the daily per diem compensation to legislative employees. The measure provides a \$5-a-day increase for clerks, sergeants-at-arms, doorkeepers and janitors and a \$2-a-day increase for pages. The bill is retroactive to Jan. 3, 1978.

Among bills and resolutions passed in either the House or Senate were:

HB 406, which passed the House 62-15, would require tobacco warehouses to extend rebates without discrimination or favor to larger customers. The bill also prohibits warehouses from giving free-haul incentives.

The House also adopted two bills relating to disaster procedures and damage claims. HB 227, sponsored by Rep. Herbert Deskins (D-Pikeville), would permit the governor, in the event of a declared emergency, to send police or National Guardsmen onto private property to remove hazardous debris or other dangerous objects.

The House passed and sent to the governor SB 117, sponsored by Sen. Kelsey Friend (D-Pikeville), which permits disaster losses to be deducted from gross income for the computation of state taxes.

HB 59, sponsored by Rep. Mark Fitzgerald (D-Cynthiana), would remove the protective headgear requirement for motorcyclists. The House passed the measure 50-43.

The Senate passed legislation creating a state office of medical services, strengthening teachers' disciplinary authority and permitting the fermentation of wine for home use.

SB 109, sponsored by Sen. Danny Yocom (D-Louisville), would create an office of medical services in the Department for Human Resources. The bill, in its original form, called for creation of the position of surgeon general. But the measure later was amended to establish the office of medical services. The vote was 30-7.

SB 28, sponsored by Sen. David Karem (D-Louisville), would give school administrators and teachers more authority to discipline students. It passed 37-0.

SB 236, also sponsored by Karem, would permit the making of wine for home use in sections of the state where alcoholic beverages are sold legally. The senators were divided on the issue, voting to pass it by a narrow 18-16 margin.

## In Committee

A bill which would increase the state minimum wage from \$1.60 to \$2.00 on July 1 was passed out of the Senate Labor and Industry Committee this week. Sponsored by Rep. J. R. Gray (D-Benton), HB 39 was approved by the House 85-1. The bill would probably be considered by the Senate late next week.

The Senate Highways and Traffic Safety Committee approved HB 25, which legalizes the sale and use of mopeds—motorized bicycles—and establishes regulations covering the vehicle's use. The bill, sponsored by Rep. Sam Thomas (D-Beban), passed the House by a 62-32 vote.

Sen. Tom Easterly (D-Frankfort) sponsored a bill requiring minimum competency testing in elementary and secondary schools which was approved by the Senate Education Committee. Easterly's bill is SB 108.

The House Health and Welfare Committee reported favorably on a bill which would establish a program to provide short-term crisis assistance to persons facing financial emergencies. Sponsored by Rep. Jerry Kleier (D-Louisville), HB 15 would usually supply the aid for 30 days, although the bill leaves actual termination of the assistance to the discretion of the human resources department.

The House Elections and Constitutional Amendments Committee approved a joint resolution that would automatically rescind Kentucky's approval of the Equal Rights Amendment on March 24, 1979, the deadline for the amendment's ratification. Rep. Dexter Wright (R-Louisville), the resolution's sponsor, said House Joint Resolution 52 is a warning to the U.S. Congress not to extend the deadline.

The Appropriation and Revenue Committees are continuing hearings on Gov. Julian Carroll's 1978-'80 executive

budget proposal. This week, the committees heard requests from state agencies including the Department for Human Resources (DHR) and the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC).

Among bills introduced were: —HB 700, sponsored by Rep. Ron Cyrus (D-Greentop), creating a state-operated workmen's compensation insurance program. The bill carries a \$1 million appropriation for implementation during the 1978-'80 biennium. The bill was prompted by the rising costs of workmen's compensation insurance in Kentucky. A similar bill, SB 325, was introduced in the Senate by Sen. Kelsey Friend (D-Pikeville).

—HB 625, sponsored by Rep. Jody Richards (D-Bowling Green), which establishes the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corp.

—SB 307, sponsored by Sen. Tom Garrett (D-Paducah), which establishes a state Department of Energy, a cabinet level agency, that will reorganize the existing department of energy and include the Kentucky Center for Energy Research and other related agencies.

HB 616, sponsored by Rep. Mark Fitzgerald (D-Cynthiana), which establishes a trust fund for the Kentucky State Racing Commission.

In a marathon five-hour session Friday, the Senate rejected an attempt to remove the so-called "Berry Bottle Bill" from committee and adopted a watered-down version of a measure permitting collective bargaining by teachers.

The Senate has defeated two separate discharge petitions in as many days, having narrowly rejected an effort by opponents of the Equal Rights Amendments (ERA) to have their rescission resolution, Senate Joint Resolution 4, brought before the Senate.

Anti-ERA forces collected 19 supporting votes, one short of the required constitutional majority, in Thursday's vote to remove SJR 4 from committee, where the issue has simmered since Jan. 12.

Sen. Gene Huff (R-London) today moved for suspension of Senate rules to vote on the resolution. However, the vote on the rules suspension met the identical fate as Thursday's, failing 19-17.

Sen. John Berry (D-New Castle) experienced more difficulty with his discharge petition to remove from committee his "bottle bill" which prohibits the use of disposable cans and bottles by beverage companies.

After a lengthy debate over the merits of the legislative committee system and the issue of beverage containers, the Senate defeated the petition, 15-22.

More than two hours of discussion followed when the bill permitting collective bargaining by teachers was put before the Senators for their vote.

In two days since Wednesday's postponement of the vote, six amendments were filed. However, only two of those amendments passed, one making a \$30,000 appropriation for the bill's implementation and the other giving the superintendent of public instruction instead of the Department of Labor the authority to appoint mediators.

Actually, the Senate adopted a substitute for SB 88. The original version required binding arbitration in contract negotiations between teachers and local school boards.

Sen. Don Johnson (D-Louisville) called the substitute a "simple meet and confer" directive for teachers and school boards. The adopted version establishes procedures for such negotiations, providing teachers more input on the conduct of education business.

Similar measures have passed the Senate in the past, but they have either been defeated by the House or vetoed by the Governor.

In other action, the Senate passed a House bill and a House resolution and sent them to Gov. Carroll for his signature or veto.

HB 282, introduced by Rep. Steven Beshear (D-Lexington), permits urban-county governments to employ juvenile probation officers for the juvenile division of district courts. It passed the Senate 30-0.

Also unanimously adopted by the Senate was House Joint Resolution (HJR) 5 designating Agnes O'Rear, of Frankfort, as a poet laureate of Kentucky. Rep. Hank Hancock (D-Frankfort) introduced HJR 5.

The House voted down a bill that would raise penalties for second and subsequent convictions for carrying a concealed weapon from a class A misdemeanor to a class D felony.

House Bill (HB 355), sponsored by Rep. Aubrey Williams (D-Louisville), had been tabled Wednesday when the House voted to table a floor amendment to the bill that would have outlawed the manufacture and sale of "Saturday night special" handguns. The House voted to reconsider the bill early in today's session.

The bill began running into trouble when Rep. James "Jitter" Allen (D-Martin) expressed his opposition because persons carrying guns in automobile glove compartments could be arrested and charged under the bill. Williams responded that the bill was not a gun control measure, but was intended to offer protection to policemen.

The vote on the bill was 38-44. The House also approved Senate Bill (SB) 50, sponsored by Sen. Walter Baker (R-Glasgow), which requires the state law librarian to furnish copies of statutes, annotations, court rules and administrative regulations to circuit and district judges. The vote was 78-6.

The bill now goes to Gov. Julian Carroll for his signature or veto.

A bill that would allow county governments in counties with populations of 30,000 to charge license fees on

businesses, trades, occupations and professions was approved by a 60-17 margin. HB 393, sponsored by Rep. Elmer Dietz (D-Ludlow), will affect mainly northern Kentucky counties.

The House approved HB 221, sponsored by Rep. Jimmy White (D-Barbourville), which requires that state policemen who are disabled while on duty be retained on the state payroll. The bill further requires that limited duties be assigned to officers who are able to perform the duties. The bill passed 85-1.

A bill that clarifies the status of state Attorney General opinions as advisory rather than binding was passed 57-28. HB 297 was sponsored by Rep. Gross Lindsay (D-Henderson).

HB 202, sponsored by Rep. Hank Hancock (D-Frankfort) was approved 83-0. The bill extends retirement benefits to former state employees who held dangerous positions. The bill affects employees who retired before July 1, 1976.

A bill sponsored by Rep. Adrian Arnold (D-Mt. Sterling), HB 239, requires licensed funeral directors to supervise relocation of graves and cemeteries. The vote on the bill was 83-0.

A bill that prohibits electioneering within 50 feet of the outside entrance of a polling place was approved 52-38. HB 187 was sponsored by Rep. Frank Smith (D-Shepherdsville).

Other bills approved by the House today include:

—HB 263, sponsored by Rep. Bob Jones (D-Crestwood), which allows authorized local boards of health to grant variances as well as permits for on-site sewage disposal systems. The vote was 71-5.

—HB 362, sponsored by Rep. Bobby Richardson (D-Glasgow), requires that two attorneys be hearing officers in probation and parole hearings. The vote was 70-15.

—HB 369, sponsored by Rep. Ed Holloway (D-Middletown), which reclassifies the city of Douglass Hills in Jefferson County as a fourth class city rather than sixth class city. It passed 88-0.

—HB 435, sponsored by Rep. Carl Nett (D-Louisville), which permits cities and counties to form joint parking authorities. The vote was 85-2.

—SB 1, sponsored by Sen. Joe Wright (D-Harned), which exempts from state licensing non-residential nurseries and agents, dealers and sellers of trees representing non-residential nurseries. The vote was 60-22. The bill now goes to Gov. Carroll.

—SB 17, sponsored by Sen. David Karem (D-Louisville), which is a housecleaning measure removing obsolete statutes from state lawbooks on education. It was approved 86-0. It too goes to Gov. Carroll.

—SB 19, also sponsored by Karem, is also a housecleaning bill directed at education statutes. It now goes to the Governor.

—SB 33, also sponsored by Karem, is an education bill that raises the level for required competitive bidding by local boards of education from purchases of \$2,500 to \$3,500. The bill goes to Gov. Carroll now.

—SB 37, also sponsored by Karem, is also an education statutes housecleaning measure. This now goes to Gov. Carroll.

The Senate Health and Welfare Committee gave a favorable report to a bill that would legalize the use, manufacture and sale of Laetrile in Kentucky. Rep. Ron Cyrus (D-Greentop) said House Bill (HB) 70 would allow terminal cancer patients to remain in Kentucky to get treatments with the controversial substance. He said that interstate commerce and federal Food and Drug Administration (FDA) restrictions have forced patients to leave Kentucky for treatment at Mexican Laetrile clinics.

John Riley, a senior medical student at the University of Louisville, told the committee that no scientific testing has demonstrated Laetrile's effectiveness as a treatment for cancer. He said the bill could cause a medical crisis similar to the thalidomide scandal in Europe in the early 1960's.

The bill was amended to call for state board of medical licensure restrictions on Laetrile clinics and to require labeling of containers of the substance to warn that Laetrile's effectiveness has not been scientifically established.

The Senate Public Utilities and Transportation Committee failed to adopt a bill that would revamp the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC). The bill, sponsored by Sen. Tom Easterly (D-Franklin), proposed to make the commissioners' positions full time. The measure, as amended, also would reduce the number of commissioners from five to three.

The House Elections and Constitutional Amendments Committee gave favorable reports to four bills concerning the conduct of elections in the state. One of these, HB 187, sponsored by Rep. Frank Smith (D-Shepherdsville), statutorily prohibits electioneering within 50 feet of a voting booth, rather than within 50 feet of the entrance to a polling place.

## First Statewide Purge of Voters

Secretary of State Drexell R. Davis has announced that the State Board of Elections, of which he is chairman, will soon conduct its first statewide purge of voters as required by Kentucky law. The names of any registered voter who has not voted at least once during the last four years will be purged.

Davis emphasized that the legislative intent of the purge is not to penalize or harass registered voters. The purpose of the purge is to remove ineligible voters from the voting rolls. This should minimize the possibility of voting irregularities.

If a registered voter receives a notice that his name has been purged and he believes that he has, in fact, voted at least once since the November, 1973 election, he has 30 days to protest his purgation to his County Board of Elections. If, after examining voting records, the County Board finds that the voter has voted at least once, the County Board will reinstate the voter. If the protest is denied and the voter wishes to vote, he can re-register to vote immediately and vote in the next election.

Davis recognizes that there may have been a few clerical errors at the precinct, county or state level, whereby a voter may not have been given credit for voting. He hopes that any inconvenience to voters can be kept to a minimum by the ease with which voters may re-register to vote.

## NOTICE

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.

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 must 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 Bill Edmonds, District Relocation Assistance Agent, Bureau of Highways, P.O. Box 2468, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501.

Signed: Gail Mullins, District Engineer

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# TALKING ABOUT ALCOHOL

A Public Service Feature Presented By Mountain Comprehensive Care Center

By A. K. WEBB  
Public Information Specialist  
Pikeville has Alcoholics Anonymous, and now it has Al-Anon.

Weekly meetings are held each Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Wells Estate (418 Third Street) in Pikeville. The other Al-Anon Group in this area holds Saturday night meetings at the Floyd County Library in Prestonsburg at 8 p.m.

Al-Anon Family Group is for spouses, friends and family of the alcoholic. Nowhere can you find such good help since the understanding and courage for your problem comes from others in the same predicament. As a group, we get educated about the alcohol illness and begin learning how to cope with ourselves so we can cope with the alcoholic's drinking.

You have no power over the alcoholic. You can't make an individual stop drinking. Confiscating the bottle leads the drinker to search for a smarter hiding place; nagging provides needed punishment, for guilt the alcoholic feels, onsetting another drunk. Pleading is not an answer and usually does not change drinking patterns.

So you live with it—that is, if you decide to continue the relationship. Through Al-Anon comes the realization that alcoholism is labeled a family disease affecting the mental and physical health of the family, as well as that of the alcoholic. Informal group discussion leads to sharing experiences and strengths to collectively help each member.

Al-Anon can be for you whether your alcoholic is drinking or otherwise. It's possible the problem drinker hasn't touched alcohol in months, and it's also a possibility that you will see him drunk tonight. The alcoholic's drinking or not drinking need not change your involvement with Al-Anon Family Group. Remember, Al-Anon is for you, not the drinker.

A regular Al-Anon member from the Prestonsburg group related embarrassment in attending her first meetings. "I was uncomfortable because it might make people aware that my husband couldn't handle his liquor; oddly enough, everyone that knew had no doubts about the problem."

Another Al-Anon regular whose spouse refused to attend Alcoholics Anonymous (A.A.) told of one Saturday night when she was too tired to attend an Al-Anon meeting. "I was rushing to prepare supper, it had been a rough day, and when mentioning I probably wouldn't go to the meeting tonight, he said, 'No, honey, you'd better go'. Even he notices the help that I get from Al-Anon."

Are you living with, or near, a severe drinking problem? Are you confused, depressed, and nervous? Are you losing sleep? Are fears overwhelming you? Do you feel sorry for yourself? Have you been refusing invitations to family and social functions? Do you take your frustrations out on others? Are you resentful? Do you lie and try to cover up the drinking problem? Are you ashamed of your situation?

Try Al-Anon Family Group. Look there for answers. Remember, things cannot get worse, only better with Al-Anon.

For more information write Alcohol, Front Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, 41653, or call toll free 1-800-422-1060.

## Energy Commission Reduces Rate Charged By Ky. W.Va. Gas Co.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at its February meeting disposed of two remaining issues in a case involving a proposed \$5.3 million annual wholesale natural gas rate increase by Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company. The Commission's action will reduce the rate which was collected subject to refund for a 3-year period, and provides that refunds be made, with interest.

The Commission opinion reverses in part and affirms in part an administrative law judge's initial decision. The ruling involves the pricing of gas from leases acquired after October 7, 1969, and the proposed rate of return.

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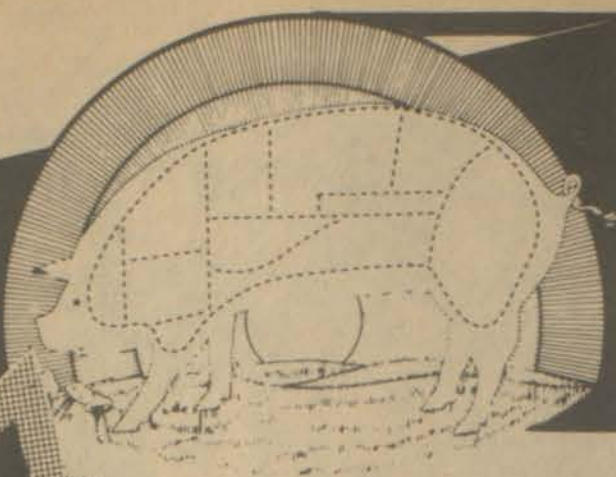
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