



CLEARING IN THE FOREST of hardwoods covering the slopes at the headwaters of Dewey Lake has been home to Big Sandy area Scouts since 1951. With dwindling use and the prospect of costly repairs, however, the future of Camp Shawnee may be in jeopardy unless the camp finds a new sponsor.

Future of Camp Shawnee Unclear in Council Plans

Troop 871 of Harold left its sign. Troop 9, out of Whitesburg, was there every year but one from 1969 through 1977. The insignia of troops from Hazard, Millard, Ary, Paintsville and Buckhorn line the walls of the dining hall yet, gathering dust. Troop 47, from Clintwood, Va., made its mark four years, from 1972 through 1976.

That was about when the long summer camps petered out, said James Sherman, who moved into a cottage on the site of Camp Shawnee that year—rent-free, in return for his keeping an eye on the place—and who has since watched the camp, which has served Boy Scouts since 1951, slip into a steady decline.

Now the future of the 300-acre tract, located near the German bridge on the headwaters of Dewey Lake, is in doubt. According to a report by staff writer

R.G. Dunlop in a recent edition of the Courier-Journal, the Bluegrass Council, which coordinates Scouting activities in 50 central and eastern Kentucky counties, must decide whether to retain the camp or give it up.

One question facing Scouting officials is whether to spend \$50,000 or more on needed improvements at the camp, which the Council does not own and which has not been heavily used in recent years.

The Council leases Camp Shawnee from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for \$1 a year. It owns two other camps—one in Harlan county, the other near Mount Sterling—which are more modern and which officials say may meet the needs of the Council's 13,000 scouts for years to come.

But some local Scout leaders hope to

preserve Camp Shawnee as a primitive recreational area and outdoor classroom, which they say is well suited for instructing Scouts in wilderness survival and camping skills. "Camp Shawnee has the advantage of being a primitive area, which makes it ideal for any of the outdoor merit badges. That's what makes it different from the other two camps," said Johnnie Ross, an Abbott Creek scoutmaster.

Most agree that the dirt road leading to Camp Shawnee near the German bridge needs work; that the cluster of buildings at the site need repair; and that better toilet facilities, and perhaps water, would be desirable. Water must now be trucked from the German bridge campground, and open-pit toilets are used.

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Acid Rain Heavy Here But Water 'Insensitive'

Soil Alkalinity Seen As Barrier To Lake Damage

To update an old Al Jolson number: it isn't raining rain, you know, it's raining tomato juice.

That, at any rate, is one way of looking at the data gathered by a Lexington monitoring station operated by the Kentucky Center for Energy Research—data indicating that, on average, Kentucky rainfall has a pH ranging from 4.2 to 4.5.

According to Harry G. Enoch, who directs the technology assessment division of the state Department of Energy Research and Development, that means Kentucky rain has about the same acidity as tomato juice but is "not as acidic as lemon juice."

Nevertheless, despite the acid pollutants falling from the skies and running off mine workings, recent tests at Dewey Lake showed the waters sufficiently alkaline for this area to be designated "acid-rain insensitive," Enoch said this week.

The information currently being gathered by the state Energy Cabinet is part of a research program into the damage being done to vegetation and water life by acid rain. As part of the study, the cabinet is establishing a nine-station monitoring network—one of the stations is in Jenny Wiley state park—and has measured the acidity of half a dozen Kentucky lakes, including Dewey.

The Jenny Wiley station has not been operational long enough to give meaningful information about the amount of acid falling in the rain here, Enoch said, and the testing of the lakes has only provided baseline data, with which the data from later tests will be compared.

But the first sampling of Dewey Lake produced something of a surprise: while the alkalinity level was expected to be high, it turned out to be higher than ex-

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WITH THE AID of the Prestonsburg Fire Department's new ladder truck, a city workman decorates the upper branches of the large evergreen near the corner of Court Street and Lake Drive in preparation for the yule season. A special Christmas tree lighting ceremony will be held Saturday at the Floyd County Library here, beginning at 5 p.m. in which a 15-ft. tree in the library will be lighted. County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo and Prestonsburg Mayor Harold Cooley will participate and Christmas music will be provided by the Prestonsburg Honor Choir under the direction of Elizabeth Frazier. The public is invited.

This Town...That World

Balance the budget? With Christmas owingly 27 days ahead?

Many of us gathered around Thanksgiving's festive board were haunted by those television horror scenes of starvation in Ethiopia—but not enough to keep us from making pigs of ourselves.

WEATHER PREDICTION

What sort of winter will it be? Don't ask me. The Old Farmer's Almanac hasn't arrived, and the usual reports on the color of the woolly worms are strangely missing. With scientists such as these derelict in their duty, we hesitate to make any prediction except this, and you can depend on it: it will get a lot worse before it gets better.

ABOUT THE BIRDS

My friend, Carl Wright, recently gave me one of the finest books on birds that has come my way. It's "America's Favorite Backyard Birds," and guess which birds it places in that select group. There are the cardinals, sparrows, chickadees, wrens, jays, flickers, mockingbirds, others—and my old friends, the evening grosbeaks.

Now if somebody will explain where the lot of them has gone, and why, I will be indebted to them, also.

ENCORE COMING UP

If I make it till December of next year, I will join that comparatively small group of graybeards who will have seen Halley's comet twice in their lifetimes. This comet shows up every 76 years. It already is stirring the scientific community, and when it becomes visible to

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Council Hears Grant Application Plans

Major improvements, from renovation of recreational facilities to the redesign of a major traffic approach to the City of Prestonsburg, are likely as a result of grant applications which total nearly \$600,000.

Announcement of three proposed projects was made at Monday night's meeting of the city council by City Manager David Evans.

Design is complete, Evans said, for improvements to the Mountain Parkway approach to the city which would include construction of a safe turn lane onto Arnold Avenue and widening of the narrow lanes through which traffic merges onto U.S. 23 from the Parkway (KY 114). The Frankfort engineering firm of Haworth-Meyer-Boyleyn is assisting the city in preparation of a block grant application for \$525,000 for the work. "The money will hopefully come either from the Community Development Block Grant Program or the Appalachian Regional Commission," according to Evans, who said the money could be received as early as January.

Through the Big Sandy Area Development District, the city has applied for a \$50,000 matching grant from the state Department for Local Government's Land and Water Conservation Act Fund for renovation of the Archer Park swimming pool. According to provisions of the grant, half of the total would come from local sources, which may include use of city

labor and equipment, Evans pointed out.

A third grant through the same fund would work in similar fashion for the improvement and complete renovation of the park and playground at Goble-Roberts Addition which, Evans said, had deteriorated to the point of being almost unusable. The grant, which would total \$12,000, would allow the city, according to Evans, to "make it really nice, with children's playground equipment as well as swings for adults."

Both projects, which were approved by the council, should be completed by mid-April of the coming year, Evans said.

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Court House Happenings

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joel Dwayne Spradlin, 21, and Patty Lou Evans, 16, both of Grethel; Brian Howard Thomas, 18, and Hope Ann Sword, 18, both of Prestonsburg; Michael Gene Reed, 18, of Garrett, and Imogene Hall, 17, of Printer; Ernie Lee Collins, 36, of Ivel, and Rutha Gayle Roberts, 29, of Dorton; Irvin Shepherd, 52, and Ruby Moore, 29, both of David; Phillip Clark Slone, 23, of Langley, and Toby Lynn Spradlin, 23, of Martin; George Edward Barnette, Jr., 34, of Martin, and Patricia Lee Sturgill, 25, of Prestonsburg; Aaron Clarence Bucks, 57, and Betty Martin Ballard, 47, both of Henderson, Ky.; Rodney Harold Johnson, 19, and Shelly Nicole Barnett, 18, both of Ypsilanti, Mich.; Gordon Hayden Rider, 46, and Julianne Gray, 29, both of Prestonsburg; Jimmy Johnson, 41, and Gracie Ann Gibson, 30, both of Hi Hat.

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Officers Stage Roundup On Holiday DUI Charges

State and city police officers were kept busy over the Thanksgiving holiday weekend, booking nine motorists here Saturday on charges of drunk driving. In all, 14 were arrested on drunk driving charges over a five-day period.

Arrested were:

Timothy D. Hoover, 25, of Hippo, at Garrett on Nov. 21; Roger L. Goble, 42, of West Prestonsburg, at Corn Fork on Nov. 22; Randy L. Hall, 39, of Craynor, on KY 122 at Martin on Nov. 22. State Trooper Wendell Scott arrested Hall after his vehicle allegedly sidwiped another vehicle. He had a Breathalyzer reading of .22 percent. He was also charged with failing to maintain insurance.

William Lee Myers, 33, of Robbinville, NC, was booked on Nov. 23 by Prestonsburg city police officer Mike

Meade. City policeman Gerald Clark stopped Steven A. Greer, 22, of Prestonsburg the following day at Lancer, charging him with drunk driving, driving on an expired license and with expired registration, resisting arrest, terroristic threatening, disorderly conduct and escape—the latter charge added after Greer ran away while he was being lodged in the county jail. He was apprehended before he fled the courthouse.

James D. Hall, 21, of Betsy Layne, was pulled over near the high school here in a Chevrolet Z-28 on Nov. 24 and charged by Prestonsburg Police Capt. Darrell J. Conley with drunk driving and running a stop sign; Clyde Sparkman, 30, of Topmost, was stopped at the intersection of KY 1428 and KY 3 the same day; Larry V. Bentley, 40, of Garrett, was apprehended at the Cliffside housing project.

Also on Nov. 24, Teddy Walters, 31, of McDowell, was arrested after he was allegedly involved in an early-morning accident; Rex Reynolds, 18, of Prestonsburg, was stopped by State Trooper J.D. Blanton on U.S. 23 at Allen; Ronald Wooten, 32, of West Prestonsburg, was charged with drunk driving and reckless driving after he allegedly almost hit a police car. Prestonsburg Police Capt. D.J. Conley said Wooten's Jeep wagon crossed the center line on U.S. 23, heading into the path of oncoming traffic, before running off the highway. The driver was barely able to walk, the police officer alleged.

Ricky Johnson, 21, of Rough and Tough, was stopped on KY 114 and David Gordon Hoover, 37, of Hippo, on KY 1428 at Martin. Both were charged by state police with drunk driving and driving on expired tags.

Tavis Colley, 22, of McDowell, pleaded guilty to charges of drunk driving and criminal mischief. He was arrested Saturday on KY 122 at McDowell and drew the criminal mischief charge when he broke the glass out of a courthouse door; He was sentenced to a 90-day jail term, with 30 days to be served and the remainder of the sentence probated, and was ordered to pay for the broken door.

Jenny Wiley Theatre Begins Project 1000 To Raise Funds

The Jenny Wiley Theatre has begun a new fund-raising project this month. Entitled PROJECT 1000, it marks a major step in the organizational development of the theatre.

The goal of PROJECT 1000 is to enlist the support of 1,000 new \$25 contributors to the theatre. To that end, 25-member teams have been formed in Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, Knott, and Lawrence counties. Each team member (100 in all) has a personal goal of raising 10 \$25 contributions, so the overall goal of 1,000 contributions can be met.

A kick-off meeting was held Oct. 30 at the Carriage House in Paintsville, where team captains received packets for their

teams and instructions from coordinator Bob Abrams.

Floyd county team captains are Nancy Martin, Abby Grant, Linda Smith, the Rev. Tim Jessen and Dr. Henry A. Campbell, Jr. Jenny Wiley Theatre Managing Director Keith Stevens is also a team captain.

PROJECT 1000 has gone quite well so far, with most teams meeting their intermediate goals, a spokesman said, and many more tax-deductible donations are needed to reach 1,000. If anyone is interested in becoming involved with PROJECT 1000 and supporting the Jenny Wiley Theatre, please contact one of the team captains, or Keith Stevens at 886-9274.



EARTH MOVING WORK was begun in recent weeks as part of construction of a multi-million-dollar exhibition coal mine, proposed as a major tourist attraction for the area. Thomas Kuss and Donald L. "Dootney" Horn, both of Prestonsburg, developers in the project, have received the blessing of state department of parks officials who estimate yearly visitors to the mine to exceed 60,000, but are unable to get state financial help since the venture is a private one. Visitors will be transported by train through the 1,200 foot mine where displays will depict the history and methods of coal mining. A museum, snack bar and gift shop will also be included.

Job Corps Renaming Ceremony Postponed

The rededication of the Prestonsburg Job Corps and its naming in memory of the late Cong. Carl D. Perkins—originally scheduled for today (Wednesday)—has been postponed until 10 a.m. Friday, Dec. 14. Job Corps officials announced late last week.

Catholic Church Events Listed

VISITOR SUNDAY SCHEDULED AT ST. MARTHA CHURCH
 Ralph Hodson, president of St. Martha's Catholic Church Parish Council, announced a Visitors' Sunday at St. Martha Catholic Church, Water Gap-Lancer Road, to be held at the 11 a.m. Sunday service, December 2. Visitors will not only have the opportunity to visit the church and attend a service, but will also have an explanation of why the church is laid out as it is, what the purpose of statues and other decoration are, and what the various parts of the service signify.
 There will be refreshments served to all church visitors in the parish hall adjacent to the church following the 11 a.m. services.
 This will be the first Visitors Sunday held at the new St. Martha's Church. Everyone is welcome. A special invitation is extended to Sunday school groups, clubs and other organizations in the county.

ST. MARTHA CHURCH ERECTS OUTDOOR NATIVITY SCENE
 The people of St. Martha's Church, Water Gap-Lancer Road, have put up a large outdoor Nativity Scene to call attention to the fact that Christ is the heart of Christmas. The scene occupies the whole lawn in front of the church. There is a giant display of lights that illuminates the scene and the church. A musical program is also presented each night beginning at 7 p.m. till 8:30 p.m.

ST. MARTHA CHURCH OBSERVES FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
 Father Ralph W. Beiting, pastor of St. Martha Church, announces a special service to begin the Advent season at the church. Advent is a four-week period prior to Christmas, to prepare the Christian people for the coming of Christ on Christmas day.
 The entire interior of the church has been redecorated to emphasize the spirit of longing for Christ, that is characteristic of Advent. Besides the interior decoration, a large outdoor display of the Nativity Scene has been erected.
 A special invitation is extended to all to visit the church during Advent. Sunday services are at 11 a.m., and serve as an excellent time to view the services and understand the significance of these services.

TRAINING DAY SET
 A training day for officers and leaders of the Methodist Church, entitled "KLER DAY," will be held at Lexington Centenary, Dec. 1.

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Hold Program at War Memorial



Andy J. Blanton Chapter, No. 18, DAV, of Auxier, held its annual Veterans Day program at the Archer Park Memorial here. The chapter's firing squad is shown, from left, Kelly Webb, Namon Click, Lloyd Williams, John Rogers, Elmer Hackworth, Paul Connors, Hassel Hampton and Leonard Music.

Department Seeking Help For More Trees at Parks

The state Department of Parks has started a program to solicit cash donations to buy trees for state parks, according to Commissioner Fran Curci.
 The project, called "Trees... A Growing Concern," began with a tree-planting ceremony Nov. 18 at My Old Kentucky Home State park in Bardstown.

Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops planted trees and seedlings donated by Historic Trees, a Living Heritage, Inc. Each tree came from a parent traced to historic figures like Abraham Lincoln and Johnny Appleseed.

Additional trees were donated by nurseries in the area.
 While the state has accepted donations for tree replacement in the past, this is the first time the department has taken an organized approach. "We lose trees every year to harsh climate, disease, and pests," Curci said. "It's important that we replace them, because trees are both beautiful and useful to combat environmental problems like soil erosion."

The Parks Department believes the donation program will especially appeal to people who want to help maintain the beauty and utility of the park system. Birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, and weddings can all be observed with a tree. A \$35 donation will place a 3- to 4-foot white pine in the parks of a donor's choice, and \$75 will place a 6-to-7-foot ornamental tree. A contribution of \$100 will buy a 7- to 8-foot coniferous tree and \$150 will purchase a 10- to 12-foot shade tree. An individual or group giving more than \$250 will have their name engraved on a special plaque mounted at the entrance or lobby of the park to which they are donating. A donor of \$75 to \$250 will receive a special edition poster and a paperweight, while all contributions of \$10 or more will receive a conservation patch.

Curci noted that My Old Kentucky **HEADS POINSETTIA SALE**
 Central Ky. Blood Center of Prestonsburg, has named the area's 1984 chairman for the Kentuckiana Hemophilia Foundation's annual poinsettia sale. Orders for the Christmas plants can be placed by calling 886-1557 with delivery in December.

HEALTH NEWS

By JANE BOND
 Health Educator

There will be a pap clinic at the Floyd County Health Department today (Wednesday) November 28, from 8:30 until 11:30 and from 1 until 2. This clinic is a free service of the health department and is open to women of all ages, but those women age 45 and over are especially urged to take advantage of this service since this is the high-risk age for the disease.

A nurse from the health department will be in Martin at the Beaver Valley Clinic, Monday, December 3, from 10 until 2. She will offer T.B. skin tests, urinalyses, anemia screenings, blood pressures, immunizations and pap tests. This clinic is a free service of the health department and is open to the public.

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To Assist Veterans

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The office will be in the National Guard Armory. Office hours will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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The Squad Six members enrolled in the course voluntarily to gain advanced skills to help save and protect lives.

Allen Central Senior Listed In Top 5% in Merit Program

Allen Central High School has been notified that one of its seniors has been designated a Commended Student in the 1985 Merit Program.

J.O. Dingus, principal, announced that Ronnie Lester placed in the top five percent of more than one million participants in the 30th annual competition and will receive a Letter of Commendation in honor of outstanding promise for future academic success.

An officer of National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which administers the program, said, "The exceptionally high test performance of young people who are named Commended Students in the extremely competitive Merit Program is deserving of recognition in their communities. To acknowledge the attainments of academically talented students and to credit schools for the part they play in the development of these youth are important in a nation that values excellence."

Participants entered the current Merit Program in the fall of 1983, when most of them were juniors. Although the qualifying test scores of the 35,000 Commended Students designated nationwide were very high, they were slightly below the level required for Semifinalist standing in the competition for some 5,500 Merit Scholarships to be awarded in 1985.

The only male speaker at the first Women's Rights convention in Seneca Falls, New York in 1848 was black abolitionist Frederick Douglass.

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HOMEMAKERS MEET

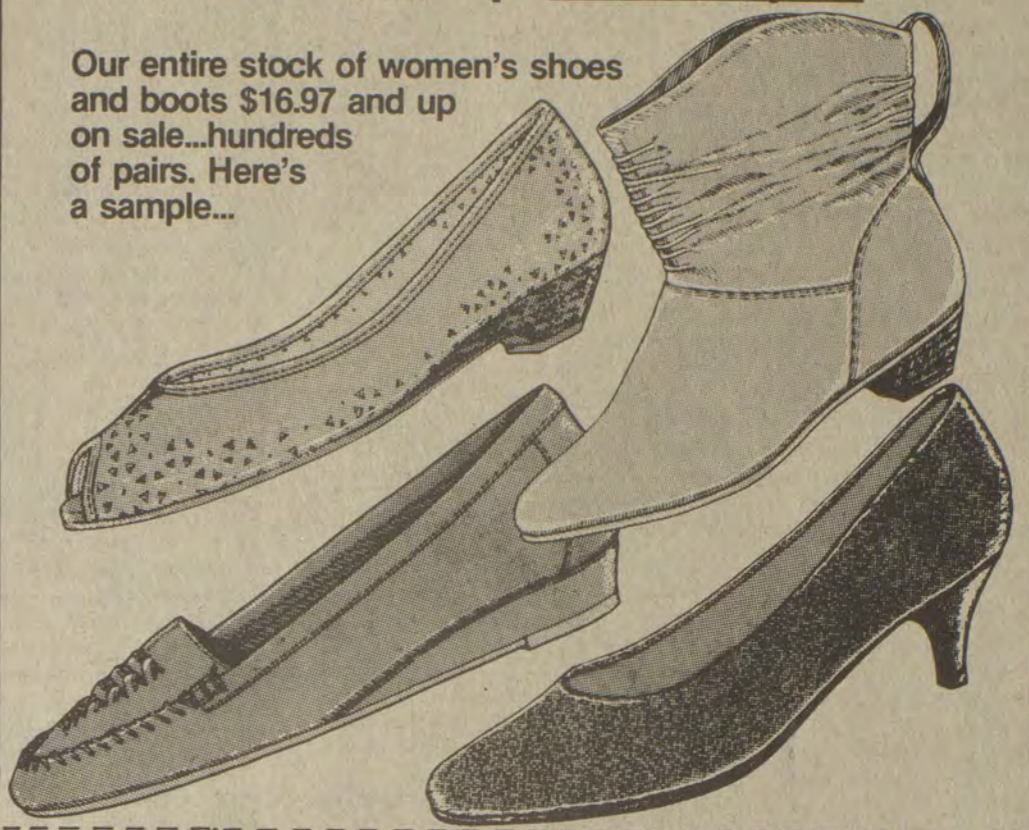
The Allen Homemakers Club held its regular monthly meeting at the Allen park Convention Center last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Linda Porter, the president, presided. In the absence of the devotional leader, Sarah Laven read the Kentucky Homemakers Creed. The roll call was answered by those present telling what they were thankful for. There was a display of an array of inexpensive gifts that could be made for giving at Christmas. The program on this topic was presented by Pearl Watts and Linda Porter. Members brought tree decorations for the tree placed in the regional library. They also brought teddy bears for children in area hospitals. Attending were Frances Pitts, Donna Reitz, Sue Reynolds, Pearl Watts, Sarah Laven, Linda Porter, Minnie Alice Hall, and Susan Barnette.

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But Ross said the improvements needed would not cost the council much. "Local businesses have said they'd help by donating time, equipment and money," he said. "I don't think water is a problem now; you could build pit toilets lined with concrete for less than \$500; and a couple of loads of gravel and a grader would help fix the road."

Alternatively, the Council could leave the property in its present state and try to renew its lease with the corps when the current agreement runs out in March, 1986, or it could surrender the lease to somebody else with the stipulation that the tract still be available for Scouting activities.

One such proposal being considered would see the lease taken over by the Christian Appalachian Project (CAP), a charitable agency founded in 1957 by the Rev. Ralph W. Beiting, pastor to Floyd Roman Catholics. Beiting envisions an upgraded camp which would continue to serve the Scouts but would also be available to other groups.

If CAP assumes the lease, Beiting says it would expect to spend \$65,000 or more on improvements at the camp during the first year. Among the amenities he foresees are a swimming pool, athletic fields, and dormitories.

Scout Executive Charles Speicher, who heads the Bluegrass Council, emphasizes that no decision has been reached concerning Camp Shawnee's future. A meeting has been set for Dec. 6 to discuss the issue with local Scout leaders and a final decision could come early next year.

James Sherman poked around the deserted camp this week, making a rough inventory of things that need to be fixed. Some of the windows need to be replaced. Doors are pretty bad. Screens are gone. Plumbing should be replaced in the kitchen. "But those old buildings are pretty sturdy," he said. "It would be a shame to see buildings like that go to waste."

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Steve Allen, from the accounting firm of Allen, England and Hensley, summarized the city's audit report for fiscal year ending June 30 and reported that the city had about \$6,800 in excess revenue. "We apparently under-budgeted," Evans said, "but that's always preferable to going the other way."

Announcement was made of the city's official notification that its fire insurance classification had been upgraded from Class 6 to Class 4, and would become effective, December 1. The classification is the best of all Big Sandy River communities and may be the best in Eastern Kentucky, it was said, with Class 4 being the same classification as inner-city Lexington or Louisville. Although residential rates will not be affected, businesses will receive a considerable insurance break as a result of the new classification, City Manager Evans told the council.

In an effort to exert greater control of travelling merchants who sell their wares from the back of pickup trucks and roadside stands within the city limits, it was decided that a two-day waiting period be imposed between the time a merchant applies for a city license and the date it is granted. Such a waiting period on the so-called pedlar's licenses, which is a part of some other Kentucky communities' regulations, would, ideally, allow checks to be made on the exact nature of the merchant's business with an eye to the possibility that illegal merchandise might be involved.

Expressing consternation that Archer Park Manager Myra Walker was absent from Monday night's meeting and alleging that she consistently ignores a city regulation which requires the presence of all department heads at council meetings, Councilman Bill R. Collins made a motion that Ms. Walker be relieved of her park duties. The motion was seconded by Councilman Bobby Watson but overruled by other council members who either disagreed or abstained.

City Manager Evans announced that Cablenetertainment, Inc., the cable system which has provided television service to city residents for the past several years and has been involved in a long-standing series of conflicts with city officials, had been sold to Consolidation Communications, Inc., a West Virginia-based company (the same address as Cablenetertainment). The regional general manager of the new company was listed as Marty Crawford, also a long-time official of the firm's predecessor.

In other business, Harry Short was named as traffic control hearing officer for the city.

TO HOST MEETING

Members of the W.M.U. of the Irene Cole Memorial (First) Baptist Church will host the Baptist Associational Sunday School and pastors meeting and dinner next Monday at 6:30.

Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 years ago.)

Ten Years Ago

(November 27, 1974)

The private Knott county clinic leased by Dr. Grady Stumbo, Floyd county native, is flying straight into the face of all the rules for inflation by cutting costs for its services...The Public Service Commission has approved two loans totaling \$597,000 for improvement of facilities of the Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corp...Four persons have been charged with liquor violations in three separate actions by law enforcement officers in Floyd county within the week...As a federal mediator set a meeting here Monday between Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company officials and representatives of the striking Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers union, a hearing was slated on the following day in circuit court here on the injunction issued against the workers last week...Nearly 1,500 unemployed poor people in the 12-state Appalachian area will get on-the-job training under a new \$1.3 million contract with the AFL-CIO Appalachian Council...Prestonsburg, McDowell and Wheelwright basketball teams all recorded wins Friday night...Monroe Vanderpool, of Hippo, was recently appointed to the office of aide to the national commander of the Disabled American Veterans for 1974-75...There died: Walter Harris Porter, 64, Friday at his home at Emma; Mrs. Martha Conn, 94, Monday at her home at Harold; Mrs. Minta H. Hammond, 76, October 6 at Gahanna, Ohio; Fred Newsome, Jr., 54, of Blue River, Friday at Gaines City, Fla.; Daniel Lee Hall, month-old son of Ralph and Carol McGinnis Hall, of Salyersville, Monday at the UK Medical Center, Lexington; Kennis Bates, 68, of Bevinville, Thursday at the McDowell hospital; Samuel Nelson Smith, 81, of Danville, formerly of Garner, Sunday in Danville; James Salmons, 85, of Garrett, Thursday at a Martin hospital; Cecil Ward, 60, formerly of McDowell, Thursday in Calhoun, Georgia.

Twenty Years Ago

(December 3, 1964)

Twenty-eight Civil Defense students, in addition to completing 30 hours classwork toward their certificates in shelter management, spent 19 hours inside a fallout shelter erected in the Floyd County Emergency and Rescue Squad building here...Bids for bituminous concrete surfacing on the Salyersville-Prestonsburg road in this county will be received by the Highway Department on December 18, it was announced this week...Miss Sharon Collins, of Wheelwright, was picked Saturday afternoon as Yule Season Queen...Martin squeezed past McDowell, 67-65, to gain the title in the first annual Jenny Wiley Invitational Tournament here Saturday night...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Music, a daughter, Sharon Lynn, November 27 at the Methodist hospital Pikeville; to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Slope, of Halo, a son, Gregory, November 16 at the McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Handshoe, of Handshoe, a son, November 19 at McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Rondel Shepherd, of Hueysville, a son, November 19 at McDowell Appalachian Regional hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Johnson of Hi Hat, a daughter, Pauline...There died: Mrs. Marie Stephens Pitts, 48, of Blue River, Friday at the Pikeville Appalachian Regional hospital; James E. Miller, 62, Monday at his home on Abbott Creek.

Thirty Years Ago

(December 2, 1954)

State Police at Pikeville voiced the threat this week that they may pull out of Floyd county altogether due to the failure of Floyd county courts, and juries in particular, to uphold their work through convictions of persons arrested for drunken driving...Applying for food aid in Floyd county this month were 15,732 persons according to Geenville Spradlin of the local relief office...Mayor E. P. Grigsby, of Martin, this week announced plans for construction of a municipal building there, with bids of prospective contractors to be opened Dec. 15...County Judge Henry Stumbo announced this week that he has designated W. H. (Hite) Martin, of Garrett, as Safety Driving Day director for Floyd county...The Irene Cole Memorial Baptist church put into use last Sunday, the property purchased from Russell Pelfrey last summer...There died: Herbert D. Prater, 37, of Brainard, Tuesday at Prestonsburg; L. J. Harris, 85, Friday at his home at Justell; Mrs. Linda Johnson, 67, Tuesday at her home at Weeksbury; Mrs. Rebecca Burton, 70, of Auxier, last week in Detroit, Michigan; Albert Marshall, 69, Monday at his home at Manton; Mrs. Alice Jane Warrrix, 64, formerly of this county, last Saturday at the home of a daughter in Miami, Fla.; Ned G. Branham, 59, Monday en route to a Louisa hospital; Basil Martin, 69, of Hunter, last Saturday at his home; William C. Johnstone, 52, of Betsy Layne, Nov. 22 at Pikeville Methodist hospital.

Forty Years Ago

(November 30, 1944)

Floyd county soldiers reported as casualties: Killed in action—Pvt. Robert C. Lambert, of Martin; missing in action—Sgt. R. C. Hayes, Jr., 20, of Alphoretta; wounded—Pvt. Mack Nelson, of Prestonsburg; Pfc. Thomas Spears, Jr., of Banner; Pfc. Noah Williams, of McDowell; Pvt. Joseph W. Holbrook, of Middle Creek; Kessie Boyd, of Dana; prisoner of Germans—Ferrell Deal, of Grethel...Floyd county bond purchases during the Sixth War Loan drive have reached the quarter-million dollar mark...Pfc. Frank Perry, 21, of West Prestonsburg, has been awarded the Silver Star for bravery during recent fighting in New Guinea...Commenting on the proposed appointment of new Floyd registration-purgation officers, by the state board, County Judge E. P. Hill said this week that the work of previous purgation boards in the county had been wholly inadequate, and that hundreds of absent and dead voters' names are still on the county registration lists...Pfc. Edgar Scott, formerly of Garrett, has been reported a prisoner of the Germans...Death struck the same family twice last week on Thanksgiving Day when six-year-old Gertrude Slone, of Lackey, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital of burns suffered the preceding day, and her great-grandmother, Mrs. Anna Sturgill Slone, 71, died at her home at Leburn, Knott county...Dr. J. F. Hall, Floyd native, now of Flemingsburg, has won the \$200 Tom Wallace Forestry Award first prize. The Courier-Journal announced Sunday...Born: to Cpl. and Mrs. Otis D. Spurlock, a daughter, Margaret Ann, November 3 at the Martin General hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Shepherd, of West Garrett, a son, November 27; to Mr. and Mrs. James Halbert, of Salisbury, a son—Hubert Eugene; to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bates, of Salisbury, a daughter—Dorothy Mae; to Cpl. and Mrs. Glenn Harold Hall, of Harold, a daughter, Diana Dawn, November 16, at the Pikeville hospital...There died: Nelson Hall, 80, at home at Dwale, Monday; Mrs. Susan Allen, 74, of West Prestonsburg, at the Prestonsburg General hospital Thursday of last week; Clyde Hamilton, 15, of McDowell, Monday; Green B. Newman, at home at Hi Hat, November 23; Frank Whitaker, 80, at home on Little Paint, Tuesday.

Fifty Years Ago

(November 30, 1934)

Another mystery confronts Floyd officials following the discovery on the mountaintop above Weeksbury, Tuesday, of the headless skeleton of a man...Four relief projects have been approved for Floyd county, and work on four others has been requested by the fiscal court since re-establishment of the relief office here...The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hicks, of Rock Fork, above Hueysville, was burned to death Tuesday morning when the child set afire wallpaper in the Hicks' home...Negotiations were completed last week for the purchase of fourteen natural gas producing properties in this territory by the Kentucky Consolidated Gas Company...Concerned with preserving the state's and area's natural beauty, the Prestonsburg Woman's Club is opposing the plans of a North Carolina manufacturing firm to establish a lumber mill here for the purpose of cutting dogwood timber...George P. Archer, county treasurer, last week received a check for \$8,043.96 from State Treasurer Elam Huddlestone as Floyd county's share of the fund derived from the first three months' of sales tax collections...Another Floyd county baby beauty to be named a winner in the Sears, Roebuck & Company World's Fair contest is little Miss Martha Ann Keeling, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keeling, of Prestonsburg...There died: The 10-month-old child of Emzie Cisco, here, Friday.

Cyclist Cleared Of Being Threat To Self, Others

"It was a day for the underdog," his attorney said. That was last Wednesday, when a judge ruled Eddie Merritt wasn't a threat to himself or anyone.

Merritt is the young man commonly seen riding a bicycle—its handlebars reversed, a knapsack on his back—around Prestonsburg or on the road to Emma, where he lives in a disabled van.

He wheels to his own rhythm, a beat sufficiently out of sync with the rest of the world that some thought he should be locked up. A district court jury heard law enforcement officers and others argue that he should be "involuntarily committed" to Eastern State Hospital.

Merritt insisted on conducting his own defense—with occasional advice from Public Defender Ned Pillersdorf—cross-examining a psychiatrist and police officers who appeared as witnesses against him.

Special Judge John Gardner, district judge in Johnson county, who sat in for the ailing Floyd District Judge Harold Stumbo, said the prosecution had not made enough of a case to submit it to a jury. For one thing, testimony had been heard from only one psychiatrist—the law requires two opinions before a person can be confined against his will—and, for another, the evidence of Merritt's erratic cycling fell short of proving he was a danger to himself or anyone else, he said.

The judge issued a directed verdict of acquittal.

"The point is, he got to question his accusers," said Pillersdorf. "He did a good job." And attorney Gary Johnson, commenting on the case, called it "a victory for the right to be eccentric."

LETTERS To the Editor

The views expressed here are those of the writers, and not necessarily those of this newspaper. No unsigned contributions will be published.

Why Funds Are Needed

At the November meeting of the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club, the club voted to sponsor again the Miss Floyd County Scholarship Pageant in 1985. This decision was made after a lengthy discussion, during which it became clear that the only obstacle to sponsoring the pageant was the large amount of money which the club must invest.

In order to present the pageant again in 1985, we must pay a large franchise fee to the Miss Kentucky Pageant, purchase decorations and awards, print programs, and pay scholarships to the winners, among other things. Entry fees paid by the contestants cover only a small part of these costs. The majority of the necessary funds must come from the people of Floyd county, the business community, in particular, as sponsors and advertisers.

In the next four to eight weeks, members of the club will be soliciting ads for the pageant programs and donations of merchandise for awards. These donations and advertisements will provide the club with the operating capital necessary for production of the pageant, and provide the advertisers and sponsors with valuable good will in the community and a tax deduction. Although the pageant will not be held until the spring of 1985, funds are needed immediately so that preparations may begin.

The Miss Floyd County Scholarship Pageant is a preliminary to the Miss Kentucky and Miss America pageants. Thus, it is possible that Miss Floyd County 1985 could go on to become Miss America. With the help of the community, we would like to give some talented young women that opportunity, but we cannot do so without your help. Please give us your consideration when a club member calls upon you.

P'BURG JR. WOMAN'S CLUB
Sharon Burchett, Pres.

Advent 1984

CANDLE OF HOPE

Sunday, Dec. 3, Christians the world over will be lighting the first candle of this Advent season—the Candle of Hope. Hope for a world suffering from war, hunger, pain, heartache and despair.

We sang a hymn in our church Sunday called "The King is Coming," by William Gaither. It tells us how work on earth ceases in anticipation of the second coming of Christ. The stores are empty, streets cleared, housewives cease their labors, builders lay down their tools and there is no debate in the courtrooms.

Let's just imagine our community if we thought President Reagan, or perhaps Queen Elizabeth, were coming. Wouldn't we be doing the same thing—making preparations, telling our families, friends and neighbors? Yes, it would be nice to see these important people, but you know—the only thing they can offer us is material hope for this split second or maybe for four years.

Christ has told us He is coming again. Do we believe? Are we preparing ourselves? Have we told our friends and neighbors? Will we be in that heavenly choir as it sings "Amazing Grace"?

Man can offer us hope for right now—this split second. Christ is offering us hope for all of our todays, tomorrows and all eternity. And you know, He asks for so little in return—only our love.

There, my friend, is where the hope of the world is.

LOCAL CHURCHWOMEN
By Carolyn Ford

\$10,000 Bail Asked After Prater Shot

A 44-year-old Tram man was booked at the county jail on a charge of first-degree assault Friday, after he allegedly shot another man in the course of a domestic argument.

Police said Otto Honaker shot Eddie Prater, 23, once in the left arm shortly after midnight. Prater reportedly went earlier to Honaker's house where Prater's estranged wife, Brenda, was staying. An argument broke out and Prater left the house, but was later pursued by Honaker and Mrs. Prater, it was said.

According to a report filed by State Trooper Jeff Carrington, Prater was walking north on U.S. 23 near Ivel when Honaker and Mrs. Prater pulled up behind him in a car. Another argument ensued, and Honaker shot Prater with a 9-mm. automatic handgun.

Prater was treated at Pikeville Methodist Hospital and released. Honaker was released from custody after posting a \$10,000 property bond. A Feb. 4 court appearance is scheduled.

In the meantime, Brenda Prater swore out a warrant charging her estranged husband with assault. She alleged Prater punched her and threatened to kill her.

Still at large this week was a Branham's Creek man who escaped from custody 10 days ago.

Chester Dale Cobb, 33, was in Floyd county jail awaiting trial on a burglary charge when he was escorted to Pikeville Methodist Hospital on Nov. 19 to visit his daughter. He fled from the hospital on foot around 2 p.m. and has since eluded authorities.

Jailer Is Named In Federal Suit

A \$7.5 million lawsuit filed Monday in U.S. District Court in Pikeville claims Floyd County Jailer Lawrence Hale is responsible for the death last Nov. 22 of a 19-year-old woman in the Floyd county jail.

Mary Vina Mae Tackett was found dead, hanging by a narrow belt from the bars of her cell, where she was serving the first day of a 30-day sentence for shoplifting. Her death was held a suicide.

The suit filed on behalf of her father, Denver Tackett, of Halo, by Prestonsburg attorney Gary Johnson says that Hale was negligent if Tackett died by her own hand—and it raises the possibility that she may have been murdered.

In either event, the jailer's alleged negligence deprived Denvil Tackett of his daughter's association and his share of the estate she could reasonably have been expected to accumulate during her lifetime—a sum put at \$2.5 million—the suit says. A further \$2.5 million is claimed in compensation for Miss Tackett's pain, \$2.5 million more in punitive damages, and \$500 to cover her medical and funeral expenses.

While a coroner's inquest concluded that the victim took her own life, Johnson said this week that the investigation of her death failed to consider the motives some may have had for killing her.

The suit notes that Miss Tackett had been released earlier from Knott county jail after agreeing to testify for the prosecution against her former boyfriend, C.B. Hall, who was awaiting trial on a charge of conspiracy in the shooting of a pregnant Knott county woman.

That case resulted in a hung jury, a circumstance Johnson attributes largely to the fact that statements of Mary Tackett, who was no longer available for cross-examination, were ruled inadmissible as evidence by the trial judge. The case has been set down for a new trial.

"Denver and Lula Tackett want to find out why Mary died," said their attorney. "The coroner's inquest did not answer that."

Missionary to Uruguay To Speak at Churches

The Reverend Terry A. Collier, Assemblies of God missionary to Uruguay, will be guest speaker Sunday, December 2, at the First Assembly of God, Martin, at 11 a.m. and at the First Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg, at 7 p.m.

During their first 4-year term of missionary service, Mr. Collier and his wife, Anita, plan to be involved in evangelism and new church planting.

Prior to missionary appointment Mr. Collier pastored churches in Kentucky and Tennessee. He co-founded a church in Houston, Texas, and founded the Teen Challenge Center in Lexington.

Rev. Collier received the Christian Ministry degree from Southern Bible College in Houston, Texas, and attended the Assemblies of God Graduate School in Springfield, Missouri. Mrs. Collier attended Southern Bible College in Houston, Texas.

At this special missions service, Rev. Collier will share his concern for reaching the people of Uruguay with the Christian message. The public is invited to attend.

Tree Lighting Set at Library

A 15-foot Christmas tree will be illuminated at the Floyd county library at 5:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 1. The tree will be decorated with ornaments made by homemakers' clubs throughout the county or donated by area merchants. A choir will sing carols at the lighting.

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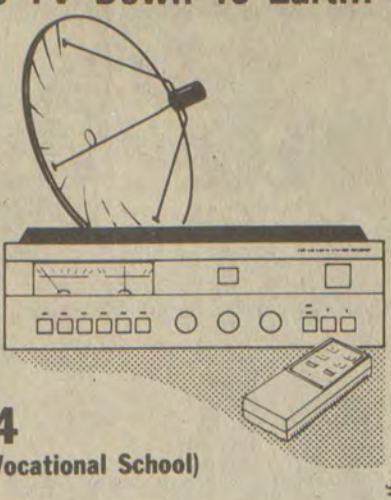
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Attending were his sister, Monica Jo Moore, Shannon Hamilton, Amanda Hall, Shawn Keathley, Mona Hamilton, Jessica and Alexis Maldonado, Rachael Henson, Michael Gross and Barry Hall.

Ernie Christopher is the grandson of James K. and Geneva Hall, of Beaver, and Edward and Thelma Moore, of McDowell. His great-grandparents are Mrs. Maudie Hall, of Grethel, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hamilton, of Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Moore and Mrs. Lucy Moore, all of McDowell.

Lees College Announces Awards For Area Students

Dr. Troy R. Eslinger, president of Lees College in Jackson, has announced a special scholarship program available to qualified area students. The Presidential Award, the college's most prestigious academic scholarship, is being offered to attract more students into the areas of engineering and medicine.

The Presidential Award will be presented to high school students with a grade point average of 3.5 or better or an ACT score of at least 25. To be eligible for the award, students must also complete an application for admission to the College by next April 1, and must enroll in a curriculum of engineering or medicine. The Award will assure the student of at least \$1,800 in grants and scholarships toward educational expenses at Lees.

Lees and the University of Kentucky have worked closely to insure that the courses taken at Lees permit students to transfer easily to the University.

Despite the common association of lightning with rain, it can strike at other times too, says National Wildlife's Ranger Rick magazine. Lightning occurs in snowstorms, sandstorms, tornadoes, over volcanic eruptions and during nuclear explosions.

McDowell Home Health Providing Equipment

The McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital Home Health Agency announces that they have now expanded their services to include the sale and rental of durable medical equipment. Such medical equipment as beds, walkers, wheelchairs, bedside commodes, etc. can be obtained by contacting the Home Health Agency at (606) 377-2411, extension 130.

Among the services now being provided by the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital Home Health Agency are skilled nursing services, home health aide service, and physical therapy. These services include a broad field from patient and family teaching to dressing changes and injection of medications, etc.

Appalachian Regional Hospitals is a not-for-profit health care system with hospitals, primary care centers, and other related facilities and services in Hazard, Whitesburg, Harlan, Middlesboro, West Liberty, McDowell, and South Williamson, in Kentucky; Beckley and Man in West Virginia; and Wise, Virginia.

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Junior Woman's Club To Sponsor '85 Pageant

The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting Nov. 19, at the Municipal Building. President Sharon Burchett called the meeting to order, and welcomed the new members that were present. Old business discussed included the initiation ceremony to be held at the January meeting and amendment of the by-laws of the club.

The main topic of discussion was the advisability of sponsoring the 1985 Miss Floyd County Scholarship Pageant. After a lengthy discussion of the pros (opportunities for the young women of the community) and the cons (large expense to club), a vote was held, with a majority of the club members voting to sponsor the pageant again in 1985. Sherry Jones Goebel volunteered to serve as chairperson of the 1985 pageant committee, and was so elected by unanimous vote.

The December meeting of the club will be the annual Christmas party to be held at the home of Robin Simpson Smith on Thursday, Dec. 6. Gifts will be exchanged.

Members present were Sharon C. Burchett, Sherry Jones Goebel, Leslie Ford Fannin, Judi McDowell Calhoun, Traci Collins, Robin Simpson Smith, Betty Ann Calhoun, Karen Vaughn, Jennifer Hager, Jacki L. Mitchell, Pamela Spears, Lori Lemaster, Leigh N. Stanley, Sharon C. May, Pam Goble, and Julie Osborne.

PRESENT PROGRAM

On Nov. 20, pupils at the Baptist Day Care Center here reenacted the First Thanksgiving Story for family members and friends. Those participating in the program were, Dwayne Goble, Rory Patton, Myra Moore, Melissa Dye, Varlerie Stratton, Abby Roberts, Amanda Hall, Bethany Evans, Nicholas Peters, Adam Caldwell, Todd Wells, Daila Birchfield, Aaron Clay Spradlin, Forrest Pauley, Anjum Ameji, Becky Daniels, Jeremy and Jason Osborne, John Sims, Vanessa Tackett, Bryan Fitzpatrick, Drew Brown, Jilley Brown, Neill Hamilton, Joey Capelli, Andy Roberts, Jeremy Shepherd, Andrea Ratliff, Leslie Johnson, Robert Lee Spradlin, Wendy Birchfield, Jay Skeens, Jessica Young, Grant Castle, Greta Hicks, Jessica Stephens, Kim Nunnery, Elaine Ousley, and Jessica Jani.

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HAS FIRST BIRTHDAY

Little Jessica Davidson Hicks celebrated her first birthday with a dinner and birthday party at the home of her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hicks, Sunday, Nov. 25. Guests were her parents, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Derek Hicks and Greta and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davidson. Also Mr. and Mrs. John Fogle, of London, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Watson and John Woodford Howard, of Prestonsburg. The honoree received many gifts of clothes, toys, and money. Following the dinner, decorated birthday cake, baked by her grandmother, Mrs. Donald Hicks, and other refreshments were served.

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D.A.R. CHAPTER MEETS

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the Emma Wells May Cultural Center Tuesday, Nov. 13, with the regent, Mrs. Ray Brackett, presiding. The ritualistic service was conducted by Mrs. Opal S. May, and the salute to the American Flag was led by Mrs. Mae Kendrick. Mrs. Virginia S. Goble gave the National Defense report, who also reported on her attendance at the Board of Management meeting at the Springs Motel, Lexington, Nov. 2.

Mrs. Opal S. May, chaplain, conducted a memorial service for two of the chapter's deceased daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Archer Wells Garriott and Mrs. Bess Salisbury May, with Mrs. Edith James playing the prelude and appropriate musical selections. The eulogy is for Mrs. May and Mrs. Garrett given by Mrs. Virginia S. Goble, and the call to remembrance was by Mrs. Frances Brackett.

The program, presented by Mrs. James B. Goble on film, was written by the late Henry P. (Buck) Scaif, and directed by the late James Salisbury, and was entitled "Proud Heritage," with the setting at the Garfield Place, here.

Mrs. Goble also showed slides of the Floyd County Health Department, depicting scenes and showing persons who were employed there in the early 1960's.

The hostess, Mrs. Virginia S. Goble, was assisted by Mesdames Olga Preston, Martha Jo Crisp and Eleanor Horn in serving refreshments to guests, Mrs. Pauline Archer Burchett and Miss Julia Mayo May, and members, Mesdames Frances Brackett, Opal S. May, Edith James, and Mae S. Kendrick.

The next meeting will be the Christmas party in early December.

HAVE THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey, Sr., of West Prestonsburg, had as their guests for Thanksgiving dinner Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tussey, Jr., and daughter, Regina Kay, of Van Lear; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mills and son, Joshua Michael, of Mealy; and Mr. and Mrs. Green E. Tussey and son Derrick, of Lebanon, Ohio. Mrs. Tussey was assisted in preparing the dinner by Mrs. Curtis Tussey, Jr. Unable to attend, but remembered by the family, was William J. Tussey, who is serving with the U.S. Air Force.

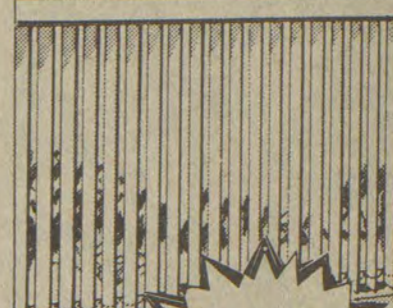
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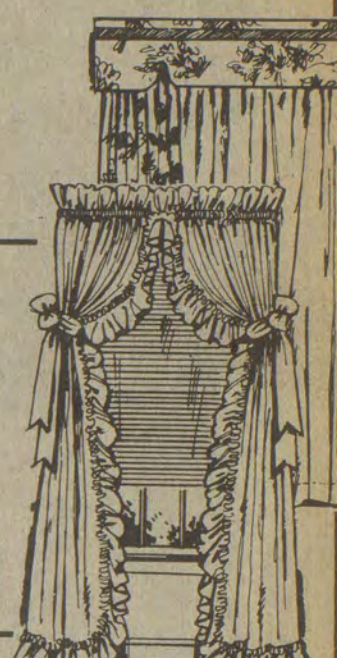
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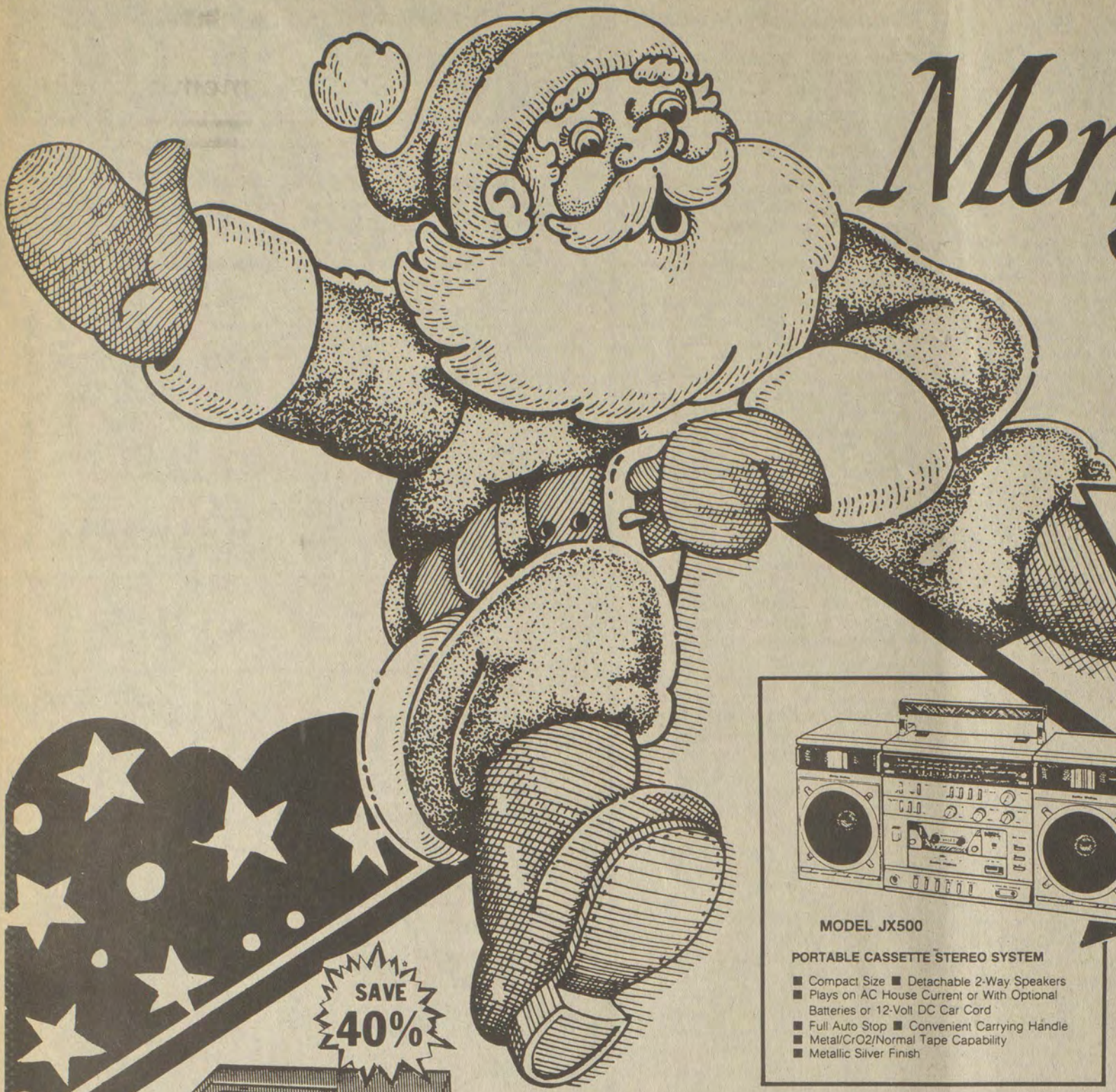
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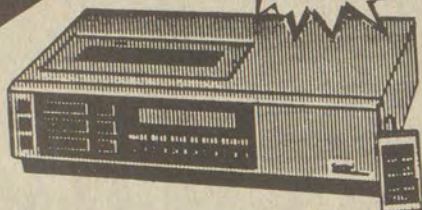
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Aaron David Gayheart, son of Ronald G. and Kim Gayheart, of McDowell, celebrated this sixth birthday, Nov. 18. He received many gifts and with his guests enjoyed the Gremlin's birthday party.

He has two brothers, Gregory and Keith. He is the grandson of Hershel and Carolyn Johnson, of Bevinsville, and Ray and Nanae Gayheart, of McDowell.



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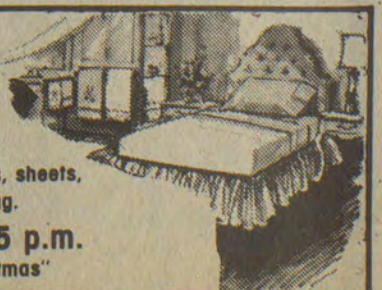
Ramblin' Rooks Chess Team

The Ramblin' Rooks chess team announces the Holiday Swiss chess tournament at Whitesburg, Saturday, Dec. 15. There will be sections for advanced and novice players. The tournament will be rated by the U.S. Chess Federation. For more information, write the Ramblin' Rooks Chess Team, 206 Fields Cliff, Whitesburg, Ky. 41858.

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Two Floyd Principals In New Training Program

John Pitts and Ralph O'Quinn, principals, respectively, of the Clark and Garrett elementary schools, are among the 20 Kentucky principals participating in a new training program coordinated by the Kentucky Department of Education's Office of Education for Exceptional Children.

The project, titled Principals, Resources, Information and Direction for Excellence in Special Education (PRIDE), enables principals to study ways to put people and resources to work to improve services for handicapped students.

PRIDE was recently awarded a \$271,850 grant by the U.S. Department of Education. The project focuses on the needs of handicapped pupils, but all Kentucky students are expected to benefit from the program.

"Principals will be learning new approaches in problem identification, analysis and solution," said Alice McDonald, superintendent of public instruction.

The three-year project is designed to provide training to 720 of the state's 1,100 school principals by the end of the 1986-'87 school year.



MARGARET ACKERMAN, quality assurance coordinator at Highlands Regional Medical Center, cuts a white cake inscribed with birthday wishes from fellow HRMC employees. Ms. Ackerman, who turned 65, last Thursday, has been with HRMC and its predecessor, Prestonsburg General Hospital, more than 38 years. She plans to retire next March.

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Winston and Willavene Tackett, of Teaberry, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Lynn Hall, to Mr. Jack Shannon Mulkey, son of Jack Mulkey, of Ivel, and Sandy Halsey, of Sandy Hook.

The wedding will take place at 2 p.m., Saturday, December 8, at the Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church. The gracious custom of open church will be observed.

Surprise Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James Bolding, of Warren, Ind., were honored with a surprise party for their 34th anniversary. Those present were their family and friends, Bonnie, Larry, Jenny Farmer, Lisa Bolding, all of Warren, Ind.; Danny, Jo Micheal, Joseph, Johnny and Jeff, Rita and Nick, all of Elkart, Ind.; Brenda and David Paynter, Glenna and Barry Shatzer, Rita Bolding, all of Huntington, Ind.; Glen and Rose Caudill and grandson, Brandon, of Andrews, Ind.; Cathy Bittner and Tom Workman, of Huntington, Indiana. They were served cake and punch.

Mrs. Bolding is the daughter of Mrs. Effie Howard and the late Kelly Howard, of Garrett, and Mr. Bolding is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Mance Bolding, also of Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudill, Denise and Darren, of Marion, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bolding. She is a sister of Mrs. Bolding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howard, of Swanton, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bolding. He is a brother of Mrs. Bolding.

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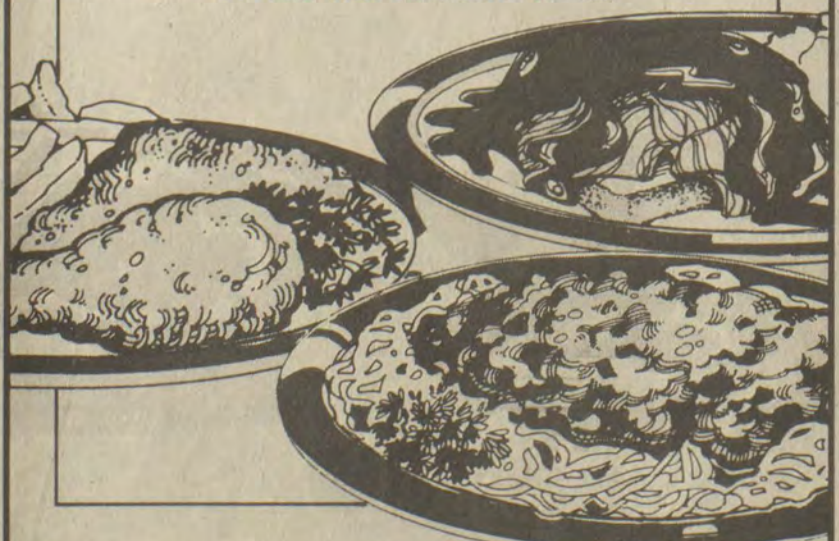
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Karrie Allison Lovins celebrated her fourth birthday at her home in Louisville, Nov. 13, and at the home of her grandparents in Indiana. She received many gifts and money from her aunts and uncles and her "maw-maw" Robinson, of Langley.

She is the daughter of Bridget and Curt Lovins, of Louisville; the granddaughter of Mrs. Hollie Robinson, of Langley, and the late John Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lovins Sr., of Clarksville, Indiana.

St. Martha's Sets Visitors' Sunday

Sunday school groups, clubs and other visitors are invited to attend the 11 a.m. service this Sunday, Dec. 2, at St. Martha's Catholic Church on the Lancer-Water Gap road. The service and other aspects of Catholic devotion will be explained and refreshments will be served, said Ralph Hodson, president of the parish council.

Father Ralph W. Beiting, pastor, said visitors are especially welcome during the four-week Advent season, for which the church has been decorated within and a nativity scene erected outside.

Warm, Wet Fall Keeping Leaves Green, Experts Say

By LORA WESTERN
(In The Lexington-Herald-Leader)
Shopping malls may be decked with holly, but if the green on the tree in your front yard reminds you more of late summer than the month before Christmas, you are not alone.

Leaves on many trees have remained green longer than usual because of the warm, wet fall weather, tree experts say.

"I have a maple in my front yard that until a few days ago was pretty dark green," said Rich Green, a forester with the state forestry office in Frankfort.

He added that forestry workers in Eastern Kentucky had told him that many oak trees also still had leaves. Usually, he said, trees are bare by Thanksgiving weekend.

"The hard freezes generally kill off the leaves and bring them on down," he said. But this year's autumn weather has been warm and wet rather than the usual cold and dry.

The first killing frost, when temperatures drop below 28 degrees long enough to stop plant growth, hit Lexington this year on Nov. 13, according to records at the University of Kentucky agriculture extension office.

Thermometers usually reach 28 degrees before Nov. 12. In the last 10 years the latest killing frost arrived in 1978, when temperatures remained above 28 degrees until Nov. 25.

"It's been odd from the beginning to the end, and it's all got to revolve around the weather that we've had," said Mary Witt, a horticulturist with UK's Cooperative Extensive Service.

She noted that in addition to the leaves that had remained green exceptionally late into the season, leaves on many trees started to turn colors as early as August this year because of damage to trees triggered by the dry summer of 1983.

The heavy rains this fall also contributed to the muted show provided by many trees whose leaves traditionally turn a brilliant red, she said. The red hue comes from anthocyanins, a water-soluble chemical in the leaves. The color may literally have been washed out, she said.

The warm, wet fall may affect foliage next spring in some fast-growing plants, she said. Those trees and shrubs that seized the opportunity to grow through early November may have suffered some damage from the drop in temperature during the last couple of weeks.

"I don't think it's going to be a dead plant next spring, but there will be less than normal leaf development," she said.

Now that the weather is turning colder, any lingering leaves probably will fall soon, Green said.

"We say that the fall color is triggered by short days, but it helps to have the cool temperatures. We just didn't have them," Witt said.

"There's nothing very moderate about the Kentucky climate," she added, citing widely fluctuating temperatures and precipitation levels over the last two years. "That's what causes problems for the plants."

Two new postmasters took office in Floyd county last Friday—Glenn O. Frazier at Minnie and Leonard J. Sturgill at Stanville.

Installation ceremonies for both postmasters were held at their respective offices, with their families and postal managers attending. Harry Hall, MSC manager, administered the oath of office for both.

Mr. Sturgill joined the U.S. Postal Service at the Pikeville Post Office in 1965. He has held the position of distribution clerk at the Pikeville office since August, 1977.

Sturgill succeeds Myrtle Hamilton, who retired June 1, 1984. The Stanville office serves an area population of approximately 1100, including 63 general delivery families, 187 lock box customers, and 24 highway contract route patrons.

Sturgill has previously served as a carrier, window clerk and acting supervisor in the Pikeville Post Office.

Frazier succeeds Elfriede Samons, who retired last April. The Minnie Post Office serves an area population of approximately 600, including 49 general delivery families and 89 lock box customers.

Mr. Frazier has previously served as officer-in-charge at the Minnie office.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Danny Adams, of Middlecreek, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Sheena Brooke, born Nov. 4 at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Adams, of Middlecreek, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, of Lancer.

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Annual Concert Sunday at PCC

Prestonsburg Community Chorus will present its annual Christmas concert this Sunday, December 2, at 3 p.m. in the Pike Auditorium at Prestonsburg Community College. Under the direction of Gus Kalos, the chorus will perform "A Ceremony of Carols," by Benjamin Britten and "Christmas Oratorio," by Camille Saint-Saens. Mary Grace Garland, pianist will, accompany the chorus.

Soloists for the performance will be Elma Jessen, soprano; Malinda Crothers, contralto; Vicki Pack, mezzo soprano; Bob Goodwin, tenor, and Doug Smith, bass.
 The public is invited to attend.

HAVE FAMILY REUNION

For the first time since 1963, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen, of Pippa Passes, gathered for their family reunion and dinner, at Milan, Indiana, with fifty-seven family members present. Attending from Prestonsburg were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen, who were joined there by their son, Woodrow Allen, II, Mrs. Allen and sons, Daniel and Charles, of Overland Park, Kansas, and other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley D. Allen and Mrs. Polly Dills, of Milan, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cornett, of Brooksville, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Cordus Wallen, of Rome City, Indiana, as well as many grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Allen, in whose memory the event was held.

STUDENTS HOME

Among the students who were home for the Thanksgiving holidays, and schools which they attend, were: Miss Rhondetta Goble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Goble; David and Jim Allen, sons of Mr. and Mrs. David Allen; Jean Glenn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Glenn; Karen Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hager; Eddie Bradley, son of Mrs. Danny Rowe; Miss Patricia Stumbo, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Harold Stumbo, all of the University of Kentucky, Lexington; Miss Laura Cooley, daughter of Prestonsburg Mayor and Mrs. Harold Cooley, of Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green; and Jack Wells, son of Mrs. Jack Frost Wells, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri. Also here for the holidays were Misses Sarah and Dorothy Sturgill, daughters of Atty. and Mrs. Barkley Sturgill, and Misses Sandra and Angela Goble, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Goble, all of whom are employed in Lexington.

ATTEND BAPTISMAL SERVICE

Relatives of Miss Charlotte Wells, who was baptized during services at the Irene Cole Memorial (First) Baptist Church, by the Rev. Steve Hopkins, pastor there, this past Sunday morning, who attended these services were: her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Wells, her sister, Miss Stephanie Wells, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wells, and Mrs. Eunice Lafferty, and other members of the family, including Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Stephens, and son Ray; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walters, and daughters Jessica and Jennifer; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leslie and sons Nathan and Michael; Mrs. Jewel Bayes, and Mrs. Billie Gail Murdock and baby. Sean Dotson also was baptized during the service.

OUR MISTAKE

In listing the members of the McDowell High School scholastic team which competed in KET's "KET Scholastic Challenge," Sunday, team member Marion Krumm was listed as the "daughter" of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Krumm, of Beaver. He is, of course, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Krumm.

First Birthday



Amanda Marie Arnett, daughter of Charles and Nan Arnett, of Prestonsburg, celebrated her first birthday, Sunday, November 4, at her home. She and her guests enjoyed a delicious kitten cake made by Mrs. Stacy Anderson. Guests included Terry Wetz and Jim Fillippini, of Chicago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnett, Minerva Branham, Edie Greer, Sandi, Chris, Todd and Eric Cooley, Stacy, Ronnie and Matthew Anderson, Bob and Amy Wildman, J.W. Sutherland, Rita Mulcahy and Dannette and Rachele Greer.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnett, of the Abbott road, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wetz, of Dayton, Ohio.

OPEN HOUSE SLATED

The New Beginnings Christian Book Store will hold open house tomorrow (Thursday) through Saturday, Dec. 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., at its location on Court Street here.

ENTERTAIN ON THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Stephens and son Ray entertained to lunch on Thanksgiving Day, his mother, Mrs. Ray Stephens, and his aunt, Mrs. Carl Woods. Following lunch, plates of food were delivered to some of their shut-in friends.

ANNOUNCES INDOOR GAME

Bob Goodwin, youth director at the First Baptist Church, has announced that youth fellowship, an indoor board game will be held at the church annex, Friday at 7 p.m.

HERE FOR THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Waltman, of Millville, New Jersey, spent Thanksgiving week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. LeMaster and other relatives here. During their visit, they enjoyed Sunday dinner, November 18, at May Lodge as guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeMaster. Also joining them were Jennifer and Doug Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. LeMaster had with them for Thanksgiving dinner Mr. and Mrs. Waltman, Mrs. Florence Reynolds, and Mrs. Winifred Blackburn. Joining them later in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas James Blackburn, of Bowling Green.

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DINNER HOSTESS

Mrs. Phyllis Ranier entertained her family and some friends with a buffet dinner at her home on North Arnold Avenue, Thanksgiving Day. Enjoying her hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Ranier, Lorin and Lea Ranier, all of Midway; Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Colmenares, Mrs. Rose Caudill, Morris Caudill and Greg McDonald, of Lexington; Miss Rebecca Haywood, of Falmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Philip A. Haywood and Misses Melissa and Jacquelyn Haywood, of Belfry, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Haywood, Mrs. Edward Worland, Miss Stephanie Branham, Alan Ranier and Rick Morgan, all of Prestonsburg.

LODGE TO HONOR PETRY

John W. Hall Masonic Lodge of Martin will be host at 7 p.m. Saturday to a reception and dinner honoring a member, William (Bosh) Petry, who recently became right worshipful grand junior warden, Grand Lodge of Kentucky Masons. The reception will be held at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

IN HOSPITAL HERE

Mrs. Lucy Ransdell has been a patient at Highlands Regional Medical Center since last week. Her condition is little improved.

VISIT HAYWOODS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood had as their houseguests during the Thanksgiving holidays members of their family, Miss Rebecca Haywood, of Falmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip A. Haywood and daughters, Melissa and Jacquelyn, of Belfry. Miss Haywood was guest-soloist at the First United Methodist Church, Sunday morning.

CHURCH DINNER HELD

Members of the First United Methodist Church enjoyed a covered-dish dinner in Fellowship Hall of the church, Sunday, Nov. 18, with a large crowd in attendance. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Deliverance Quartet, of Allen.

To Wed Dec. 1



Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sizemore, of Martin, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ramona, to Micheal Terry, of Prestonsburg.

The wedding will take place on December 1, at the First Baptist Church, Martin, at 2 p.m. The gracious custom of open church will be observed. A reception will follow at the church.

Advocates Mandatory Use of Seat Belts

The American College of Physicians (ACP) advocates the passage of legislation that makes seat belt use mandatory in all motor vehicles, the national medical society announced recently.

In a position statement-part of a series of studies of various health promotion and disease prevention activities—the physician's role in supporting seat belt use is examined. Physicians should encourage patients through counseling and by example to wear seat belts, says the ACP, and medicine should be involved in researching reasons for the low frequency of seat belt use and the motivations for wearing seat belts.

Automobile-related injuries are the greatest single cause of death and disability among young adults and children, the ACP reports, adding that the risk can be reduced by 50% to 60% if seat belts are used. Although some claims of negative effects from seat belt use are made, these effects are minor in comparison to the risks involved in neglecting to wear them.

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Betsy Layne Wins In Net Panorama

(Stats provided by Malletta Campbell)
While Betsy Layne doesn't begin regular season play until Saturday night when they face Dorton at D. W. Howard Fieldhouse, the Bobcats picked up a morale-boosting win last Wednesday night over Louisville Fairdale in the Greenup County Basketball Panorama.

Betsy Layne's Brett Meade was high scorer in the 65-63 victory with 19 points. Also in double figures for the Bobcats were Jimmy Parsons with 15, Jeff Campbell 12, and Duran Hall 10. Other Betsy Layne scorers included Davie Mitchell 7, and Mike Conn with two points.

Louisville scorers included James Harrison 16, Gary Turner 13, Danny Stamper and Darrin Hyden, both with 10, Courtney Longacre 8, Pat Fahringer 4, and Walter Underwood 2.

Other teams participating in the panorama were Johnson Central, Bourbon County, Knott Central, West Carter, Lexington Lafayette and Greenup County.

To Be Transy Forward



Kelly Cecil, a 6-6 freshman forward for the Transylvania Pioneers, was introduced to Lexington news media, during the Pioneers' annual Media Day, held recently. Commenting on the Prestonsburg native to the sports writers, Coach Lane said, "Kelly, at 6-6, is the strongest, physically, of all the new players. He will have to adapt to a forward spot after playing center in high school. Look for Kelly to contribute his fine rebounding and shooting skills as the season progresses."

Cecil is a former standout player at Prestonsburg High School.

Physicians Attend Black Lung School

Dr. Ellen Joyce, family practitioner with Big Sandy Health Care, and Dr. Raghun Sundaram, pulmonary specialist, will be attending a seminar in Lexington this weekend on work-related lung diseases, especially those caused by coal and rock dust. The conference is sponsored jointly by the University of Kentucky and the federal Dept. of Health and Human Services.

Coroner Sponsoring Crime Scene Seminar

The Floyd County Coroner's office will sponsor a Crime Scene Investigation seminar Wednesday evening, 6-10 p.m., in the Prestonsburg Community College auditorium, with David Jones and Dr. David Wolfe, forensic anthropologists. All are invited to attend, but police officers, rescue squad members, emergency room workers, and members of fire departments are especially urged to attend.

ENTERTAINS FAMILY

Mrs. Vera Ford entertained to Thanksgiving dinner members of her family, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford and children Kelli and Winn, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fannin and children, Jenna, and Michael.

Epsilon Beta Plans Holiday Homes Parade

The second Holiday Parade of Homes in Pikeville has been scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 2, between the hours of 2 and 6 p.m. The tour is being sponsored by Epsilon Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Five homes in the Pikeville area, decorated for the Christmas holidays, will be open to the public. The homes featured this year are those of Mike and Jean Ann Corbin, Bowles Addition; Dr. and Mrs. John R. Phillips, Myra Barnes Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey, Ramsey Drive; Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey, Stone Coal road; and Gene and Leonor So, Foxcroft Development.

Tickets for the tour are \$10.00 and all proceeds will be donated to the Ronald McDonald House of the Bluegrass. The Ronald McDonald House is a "home away from home" where families from all over Kentucky can stay while their children are receiving treatment at Lexington hospitals for chronic illnesses.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or in advance from any Epsilon Beta chapter member. For more information, contact Mary Lynn VanHoose at 432-1892 or 432-2260.

And Both Dans Are Proud... Goble's Christian Co. Team Wins State 4-A Grid Title

It was hard to tell who was the prouder—Dan Goble, Jr. of his championship Christian County High School football team, or Dan Goble, Sr., of his son.

The younger Goble's team, which won the state title two years ago, started this season off in less encouraging fashion. It lost two of its first three games. It was then that Goble made some changes, mostly in his line, and after that it was victory all the way to a 10-2 record in regular season play, and on undefeated through the district, regional and state playoffs.

Coach Goble had every reason to be proud of this team.

And his father, armed with a handful of newspaper clippings, Monday morning admitted he "probably was prouder than Dan." He and Mrs. Goble watched the televised championship game between Christian County and Louisville

Ballard via television in their home here Saturday night.

Dan Goble, Sr. can tell you all about his son's coaching record over the last 15 years—in Louisville, at Shelby County High and for the last four years at Christian County (Hopkinsville), where his teams have won 38 games while losing only 12 to some of the state's finest high school competition.

The changes Coach Goble made in his team after losing two games at the outset of the current season resulted, he said, in "the most improved defensive team" he has ever coached. That defense paid off late Saturday night when Christian County came from behind to defeat Louisville Ballard, 14 to 10.

To get to Ballard and the state 4-A title, Goble's team defeated Madisonville for the district championship, then in the playoffs downed Daviess County, Oldham County and Lafayette.

MAYTOWN NEWS

David Webb and daughter, Trudi, Sharon Lawson and Susan Clark, of Lexington, spent Thanksgiving here with Mrs. Gertrude Webb and family.

Mrs. Tommy E. Webb visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asie Hayden, of Thealka, several times last week due to the illness of her father.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Louise Lewis, Rhonda and Richard were Elder Lonnie Sparks, Elder John Lindsey and Mrs. Linda Joyce Howard.

Glennis and Stanley Ramey, of Alexandria, spent Thanksgiving here with their aunt, Mrs. Thurmal Click.

Last Wednesday evening, Rhonda and Richard Webb attended Open House Family Night at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at Martin.

Mrs. Sarah Allen and Mrs. Agnes VanHoose were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zanotti, of Lexington.

Mrs. Sonja Ramey and Tim, of Alexandria, spent the holidays at Eastern with her mother, Mrs. Marie Martin, and Yvette and with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin and family at Garrett. Tim also visited his aunt, Mrs. Thurmal Click, at Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hyden, of Nashville, Tenn., were here for the holidays. They visited Mrs. Bertha Gibson, Mrs. Sarah Allen and Mrs. Agnes VanHoose here and relatives at Martin.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Bertha Gibson were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gibson and family, of New Richmond, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Clark Shelton and family, Minnie; Mr. and Mrs. David Gibson and children, of McDowell, and Laban Gibson, of Langley. Mrs. Bessie Gibson, of Wayland, also visited Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Sarah Allen on Friday.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Webb were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goins and Delbert Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Webb and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Skeans, Jr., and Brandon, Mrs. Lula Webb and Mrs. Thurmal Click.

Mrs. Earl E. Webb and Mrs. Thurmal Click were in Barboursville, Friday, on business.

During the holidays, Dr. Gregg May and his fiancée, of New Brunswick, N.J., spent several days here with his grandmother, Mrs. Wilma May, and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Flanery.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Skeans, Jr., and Brandon and Miss Mecca Webb were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Skeans, Sr., Sammy and Debbie, at Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Flanery announce the birth of their first child, a son, Thomas Benjamin Nov. 16 at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Flanery, of Langley, and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Huff, of Eastern.

Mrs. Rose Bowling, Mrs. Connie Bowling and Miss Verna Bowling were in Lexington last Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bowling and sons, of Falmouth, were holiday guests of his mother, Mrs. Rose Bowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Allen and girls, of Freeport, Ohio, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer and Lexie Allen at Eastern and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen at Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. French Spencer, of Vermillion, Ohio, have been here visiting Mrs. Nancy Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer at Eastern.

Mr. and Mrs. N.D. Turner and David, of Vienna, Va., were Thanksgiving guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allen.

Dr. and Mrs. Justin Turner spent Friday and Saturday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson, and other family members. On Saturday, they drove to Lexington to visit Dr. Turner's father, V.O. Turner, and Mrs. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Champ Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Denny Gibson spent Thanksgiving in Lexington with the Tom Hewlett family.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gayheart and sons, of Manchester, Ohio, were the weekend guests of Ralph, Paul and Bill Patton. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Patton and Mrs. Ruth Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowling and Beth, of Stone Mountain, Ga., have been here for several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ory Bowling, and her aunt, Mrs. James E. Allen, and Mr. Allen. Also visiting the Bowlings were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowling and Richard, of Vandalia, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Oakley, of Sidney, Ohio.

First Shot Successful



Carlos Devon Akers, 14, of Grethel, killed his first deer with the rifle his father, Carlos Akers, bought for him on the way to Cave Run. The first shot fired from the rifle netted a 7-point buck. Akers plans to go after bigger game next year.

Snipe Hunting

A lot of kids (and maybe even some grownups) fall for the old "snipe hunting" trick and are literally left holding the bag in the middle of the woods on a dark night.

So when folks hear about a snipe hunting season, they are understandably just a little suspicious. But the snipe is an actual game bird, just like a duck or quail, with its own season and bag limit.

The snipe is one of a handful of migratory game birds that receive little attention from Kentucky hunters. Others in this group include woodcocks, gallinules and rails. Regulations for these species are set each year within federal guidelines in much the same way duck, goose and dove seasons are set.

The woodcock is perhaps the best known and most sought-after in this group. In Kentucky, the woodcock season opens Oct. 1 and will run through Dec. 4, with a daily limit of five birds and a possession limit of 10.

The same season dates (Oct. 1-Dec. 4) apply to snipe, but the limits on this bird are eight and 16. Snipe and woodcocks are both members of the shorebird family, although woodcocks are often found in upland woods, probing the soft forest floor with their long, slender beaks for earthworms.

Snipe are most likely to be found near wet meadows, grassy marshes or bogs. Both woodcock and snipe have the disconcerting habit of waiting until the hunter practically steps on them, then exploding away in a swift, zigzag flight that presents a challenge to even the expert wingshooter.

Rails and gallinules may be hunted from Nov. 20 through Jan. 20. The gallinule limits are 15 and 30, while both the daily and possession limits on rails is 25.

Both these birds are members of the rail family, which also includes the coot, a species familiar to most waterfowl hunters.

Rails and gallinules are both marsh birds, and while gallinules can often be found in or near open water, the sora and Virginia rails (the two legal game species) tend to stay far back in the marsh or swamp and are hence seldom seen.

The Virginia rail has a long, skinny bill, while the sora rail and the gallinule have short, chicken-like beaks. Gallinules look something like coots but are smaller, have reddish bills and white lines along their sides.

Because Kentucky doesn't have extensive wetlands, it has only limited populations of the water-loving birds. Few people hunt specifically for rail, gallinules or snipe, but there is a small band of dedicated woodcock hunters in the state. Most of these birds are taken incidentally by hunters after other species. Many bird dogs will point woodcock in addition to quail, and duck or goose hunters, particularly those in the wetlands areas of Western Kentucky, will occasionally encounter a snipe, rail or gallinule.

With limited habitat and short migrating seasons, it's not likely that hunting for these species will ever become major sports in Kentucky. But the next time someone invites you to go snipe hunting, don't automatically dismiss him as a practical joker—he just might have an actual trip for a legitimate game bird in mind.

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The program includes 24 mini-courses and about 80 speakers from throughout the U.S., Canada and Australia.

Further information may be obtained from Juanita Snedegar, symposium coordinator, (606) 257-3973.

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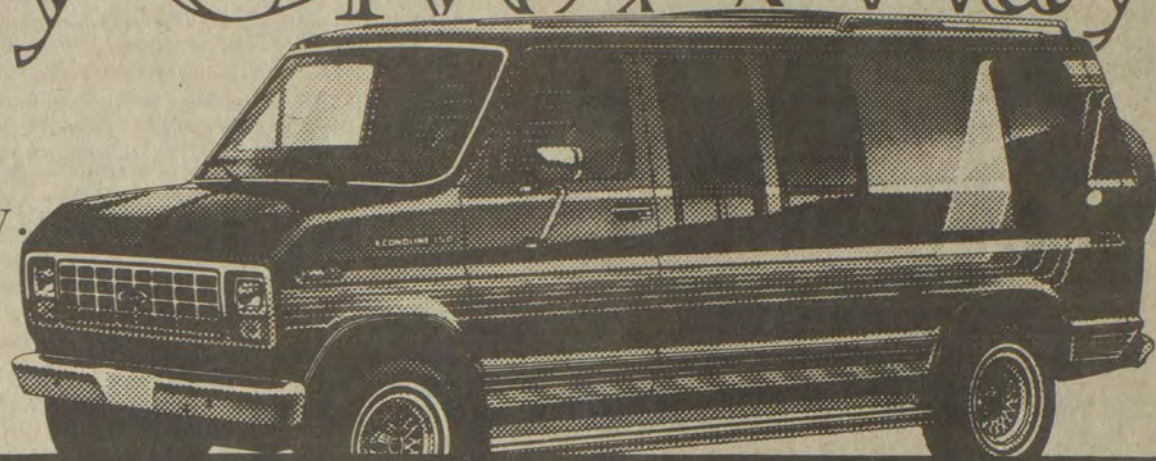
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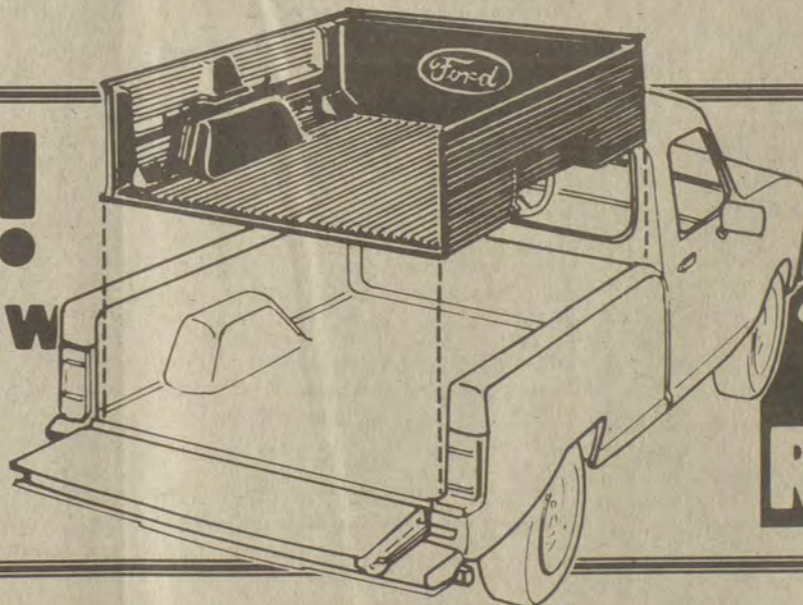
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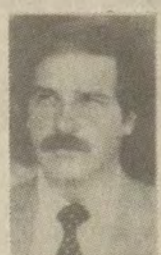


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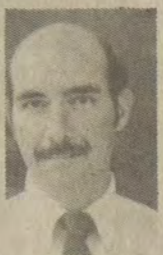
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Johnnie Williams
Johnnie Williams, 71, of Harold, died Nov. 19 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin.

He was a retired miner and was a native of Pike county, the son of the late John and Lydia Tricks Williams. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Siltana Tackett Williams; three sons and one daughter, Ronald Dean Williams, R. 3, Pikeville, Gene Bennett Williams, of Grethel, Roger Lee Williams, Mallory, W. Va., and Mrs. Joyce Ann Burgess, R. 3, Pikeville; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Blankenship, Betsy Layne, Mrs. Florence Clevenger, McConnell, W. Va., and Mrs. Alberta Meadows, of Harold. He also leaves eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. last Friday from the residence by Regular Baptist ministers. Burial in the Mitchell cemetery at Craynor was directed by the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Obituaries
Charlie Osborne
Charlie Osborne, 82, of McDowell, died last Thursday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following a long illness.

Born November 13, 1902 at Grethel, he was a son of the late George and Phenie Hamilton Osborne. A retired coal miner he was a member of the U.M.W.A. No. 5967 at McDowell.

He is survived by his wife, Rebecca Lawson Osborne; six sons, Rush Osborne, of Price, Howard Osborne, of Lebanon, O., John Osborne, of Shiloh, O., Charles E. Osborne, of Plymouth, O., Wade J. Osborne and Hugh Osborne, both of McDowell; two daughters, Shirley Brown, of Price, Vonnice Moore, of McDowell; 21 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 10 a.m. at the Little Nancy Regular Baptist Church, at Hi Hat, with Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was made in the Lawson cemetery at Price, under direction of the Hall Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lola Fields
Mrs. Lola Fields, 58, of Thelma, native of Floyd county, died Nov. 15 at the Paul B. Hall Medical Center, Paintsville.

She was the wife of Carl Fields and was a daughter of the late Millard Adams and Maudie Howell Adams. Surviving, besides her husband, two sons, David Fields, of Thelma, and Dean Fields, of Staffordsville; four brothers, two sisters, a half-sister and two grandchildren.

Her funeral was conducted Nov. 18 at the Island Creek Regular Baptist Church. Officiating ministers were Louie Muncy, Harold Coleman, Virgil Fields and Wendell Hamilton. Burial in the Tackett cemetery on Island Creek was directed by the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Jim Tackett
Jim Tackett, 93, of Kings Mountain, Ky., formerly of Grethel, died last Thursday at the Ft. Logan Hospital at Stanford.

He was born October 21, 1891 in Grethel, and was a son of the late Bill and Rebecca Elswick Tackett. He was a retired miner and was a member of the Old Samaria Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry, for 50 years.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy Hall Tackett, of Grethel; seven sons, Emmitt Tackett, of Kings Mountain, Wilburn Lee Tackett, of Haw River, N.C., John F. Tackett, of Columbus, O., Jim Tackett, Jr., of Liberty, Charles Tackett, of Crab Orchard, Grant Tackett, of Waynesburg, Harold Tackett, of Reynoldsburg, O.; a daughter, Marie O'Brien, of Lockbourne, O.; 44 grandchildren, 100 great-grandchildren, and 30 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, at 10 a.m. at the Samaria Regular Baptist Church with Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, of Ivel, under direction of the Hall Funeral Home.

Rev. Dewey Fraley
Rev. Dewey Fraley, 76, of Ypsilanti, Mich., formerly of Auxier, died Saturday, Nov. 3, after a long illness.

He was born May 8, 1908 in Paintsville, the son of James and Bessie Newcomb Fraley and was married to Edna Rice Fitch, who preceded him in death.

Rev. Fraley moved to Ypsilanti in 1943 and was the founder of the Free Will Baptist Church in Washtenaw county. He retired as pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church in 1967.

Survivors include two sons, Donald Fitch, Prestonsburg, and Paul Fitch, Belleville, Mich.; two daughters, Mrs. Ann Music, of Canton, Mich., and Mrs. Josephine Clark, of Lakeland, Ga.; three brothers, Ruel Fitch, of Paintsville, George Fitch, in Michigan, and Homer Fitch, in Ohio; three sisters, Gypsie, in Ohio and Catherine and Lizzie, both of Paintsville.

Funeral services were conducted Nov. 5, at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Ypsilanti with the Rev. Robert C. Porter, Rev. J.B. Varney and Rev. David Kirby officiating. Burial was made in the Cherry Hill cemetery, there.

**Charles A Price
Burton E. Price**
Two brothers, natives of Martin, have died this fall in Arizona. They are Charles A. Price, 51, of Buckeye, Arizona, who died August 30 following a short illness, and Burton E. Price, 55, of Phoenix, Arizona, who was found dead there, October 24.

They were sons of the late James P. and Cinda Price.

Charles A. Price is survived by his wife, Marilyn Price, and Burton E. Price is survived by three sons, Robert, Paul, and Donald Price, and two daughters, Shannon and Charlene Price, all of Los Angeles, California. One sister, Helen P. Ison, of Martin, also survives them.

Both were buried in Buckeye, Arizona.

Evaline Lewis Porter
Evaline Lewis Porter, 66, of Harold, died Tuesday, at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home, in Pikeville, following a long illness.

She was born November 1, 1918 in Floyd county, and was a daughter of the late Wallace and Rosa Bell Roop Lewis. She was a member of the Faith Bible Church at Martin, and was preceded in death by her husband, Bill Porter, September 27, 1983.

She is survived by a step-daughter, Mrs. Barbara Porter Gilliam, of Pikeville; two brothers, Graham Lewis and Malcolm Lewis, both of Banner; two sisters, Ada Lewis, of Glasgow, and Florence Lewis, of Allen.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, at 11 a.m. at the Hall Funeral Home chapel, with Cohen Campbell officiating. Burial will be made in the Ferguson cemetery at Harold.

Pallbearers were Ralph Gilliam, Jr., John William Gilliam, Curtis Goble, Thurman Lewis, Carl Steele, and John Richard Porter.

Margaret Sizemore
Margaret Sizemore, of Louisa, formerly of this county, died Monday, November 19, at the Humana Hospital in Louisa, following a short illness.

A daughter of the late Henry and Mollie Miller Sizemore, she was a member of the Cherrysville First Baptist Mission.

Surviving are an adopted son, Dale Joseph Sizemore, of Huntington, W. Va.; three brothers, Bill Sizemore, of South Shore, Butler and Joe A. Sizemore, both of Louisa; three sisters, Sally Goble, of Prestonsburg, Rebecca Robinette, also of South Shore, and Rena Radar, of Louisa.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, at the Cherrysville First Baptist Mission, with the pastor, the Rev. Burchett, officiating. Burial was made in the Green Lawn cemetery in Louisa under direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Joe Wheeler Sizemore, Paul Robinette, Bert, Lloyd, Tony, Vic, and Fred L. Goble.

Mrs. Noma Ruth Stumbo
Mrs. Noma Ruth Stumbo, 51, was found dead at her home on the Middle Creek road, Tuesday, victim of an apparent heart attack.

A daughter of the late Taylor M. and Rhoda Fitzpatrick Stumbo, she was born May 15, 1933 in Floyd county.

She is survived by a son, Gary Wolfe, of West Prestonsburg; a daughter, Mrs. Penny McKenzie, of Harold; a brother, Bill Stumbo, of West Prestonsburg; two sisters, Ethel Stumbo and Mary Ann Clark, both of West Prestonsburg, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, in the Floyd Funeral Home chapel, and burial will be made in the Stumbo cemetery on the Middle Creek Road. Visitation may be made at the funeral home after 1 p.m. today (Wednesday.)

Irene Majorie Wallace
Mrs. Irene Majorie Wallace, 71, of Prestonsburg, died last Thursday at the Highlands Regional Medical Center following a short illness.

She was born January 16, 1913 in Detroit, Mich., and was a member of the St. Patrick Catholic Church in Lagro, Indiana. She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl C. Wallace, in 1978.

Survivors include two sons, Earl C. Wallace, of South Bend, Ind., and Charles Wallace, of Andrews, Ind.; three daughters, Majorie Wolfe, of Macy, Ind., Maryland Cook, of Clayton, N.Y., Margaret S. Taylor, of Prestonsburg; a sister, Helen Honmika, of Detroit, Mich., and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Monday, at the St. Patrick Catholic Church, in Lagro, Indiana. Burial was made in the Riverside cemetery at Andrews Ind. under direction of the Deal Funeral Home. Local arrangements were directed by the Hall Funeral Home.

Jessica Noel Boyd
Jessica Noel Boyd, infant daughter of Terry and Denise Hall Boyd, of Topmost, died Friday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin.

She is survived by her parents, three brothers, Jason, Joshua and Justin, all at home; also her paternal grandparents, Ernest and Veaneada Boyd, of Halo; her maternal grandparents, Virgil and Inis Lawson Hall, of Topmost.

Services were held at the Providence Old Regular Baptist Church at Topmost. Burial was made Sunday in the Joe Hall cemetery at Topmost, under direction of the Knott Funeral Home.

Clergymen were Burt Hall, Cluett Hall and Curtie Hall.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Jim Tackett would like to extend our greatest appreciation and sincere thanks to the Hall Funeral Home, our neighbors, friends and family for the food, flowers, and the kind words of sympathy during our time of grief. We would also like to thank the Samaria Regular Baptist Church members and ministers for their services.

THE FAMILY

Terry Collier, Missionary
To Uruguay, will speak at services at THE FIRST ASSEMBLY of GOD, Martin Sunday, Dec. 2, 11 a.m.

THE FIRST ASSEMBLY of GOD, West Prestonsburg Sunday, Dec. 2, 7 p.m.

SPECIAL THANKS
Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen, of Allen, for the donation of a flag on the Confederate grave site on the Curtis Warrix farm.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Clyde Howard wishes to thank all who helped in any way upon the passing of their loved one. We deeply appreciated the flowers, food and the words of kindness given by all. Thanks to the minister, Sterling Bolen, and the Hall Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

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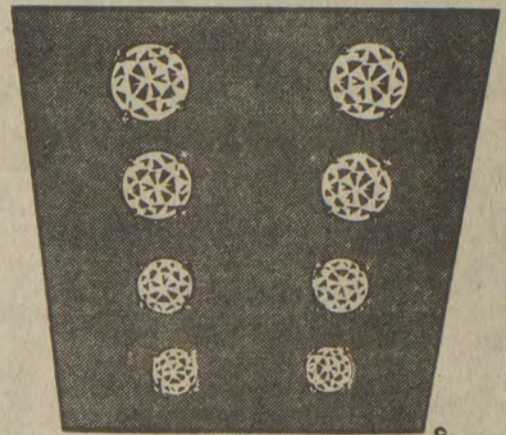
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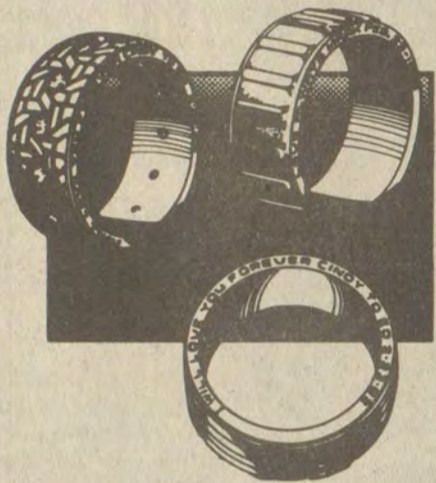
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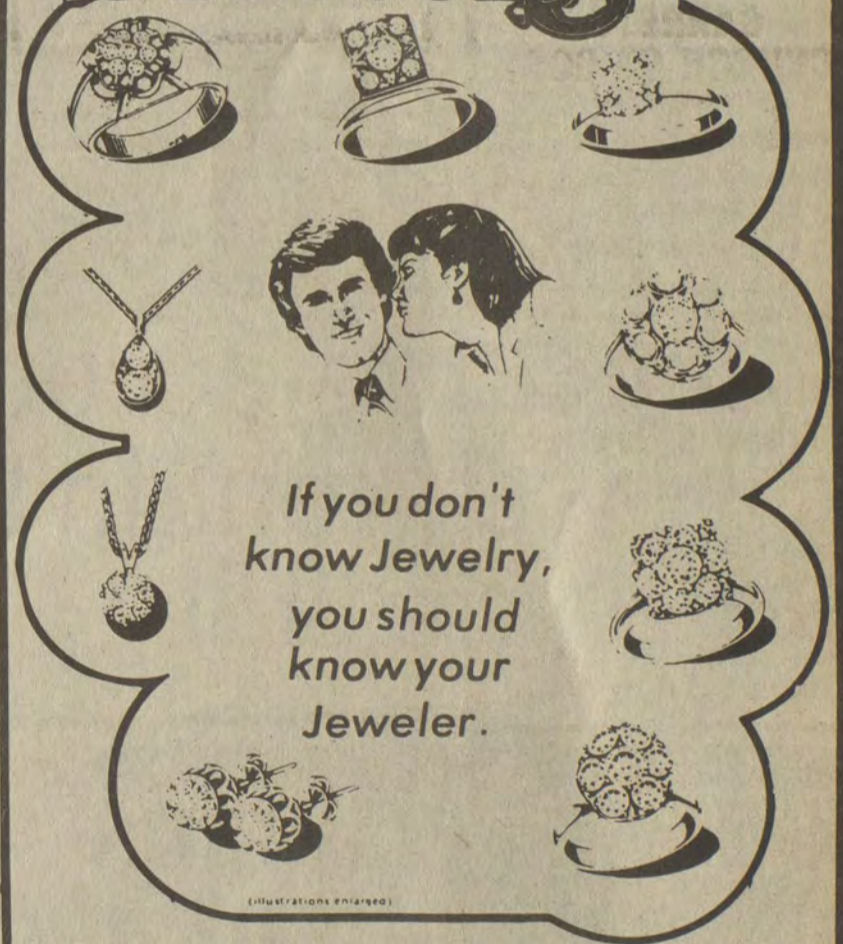
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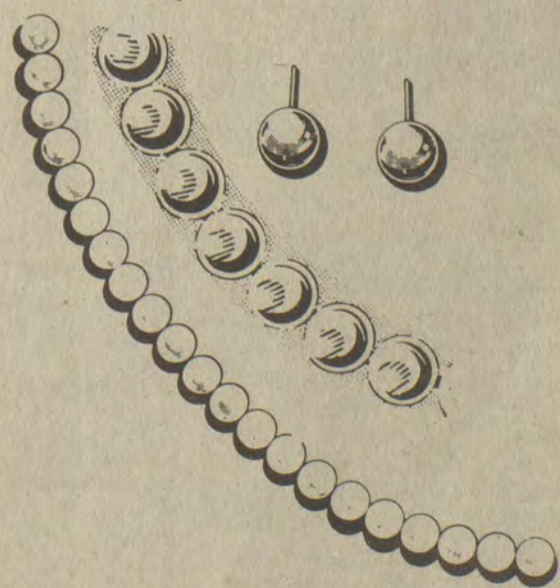
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Prestonsburg Community College's Community Service Program is again offering Driver's Education for persons 16 years of age or older, beginning Thursday, Nov. 29 at 5:30 p.m. in Building C of the Magoffin Complex. This is an organizational meeting. The instructor, John Noakes, will assign six individual driving lessons. A learner's permit is required. For more information or to register call Juanita Ratliff at 886-3863, ext. 215.

Crop Outlook Still Good

The outlook for most of Kentucky's major crops still remains good despite harvest delays caused by wet weather, the state Department of Agriculture reported last week.

Although the corn and soybean harvest has made some gains recently, it is still the slowest on record for this date.

The corn harvest is now 75 percent complete. Because of wet weather, this is well behind last year's 94 percent and the five-year average of 93 percent. The moisture content also remains high, and much of the corn harvested requires additional drying.

Kentucky's corn for grain production is forecast at 141.6 million bushels, more than three times last year's drought-and PIK-shortened crop.

The yield is expected to average 97 bushels per acre, compared to 48 bushels last year and 103 bushels in 1982.

The soybean harvest is 45 percent complete, compared to 85 percent last year and 89 percent on average. Crop dry-down remains slow, and some fields are still immature.

"Crop reporters indicate that 56 percent of the crop was sold before harvest or will be sold at harvest, with the remaining 44 percent to be stored on or off the farm for later sale," according to Agriculture Commissioner David E. Boswell.

Kentucky soybean production is forecast at 41.8 million bushels, 71 percent above last year, but 19 percent below 1982. Yield is expected to average 29 bushels per acre compared to 17 bushels in 1983 and 31.5 bushels in 1982.

Tobacco stripping is 33 percent complete, slightly ahead of last year's 30 percent, but behind the 36 percent average. Burley quality appears to be good.

"I am extremely pleased with the burley prices at the beginning of this year's market. I hope they will continue to give Kentucky farmers the boost they need," Boswell said.

Fall wheat seeding reached 58 percent complete, compared to 90 percent last year, and some acreage probably will not get seeded because of the harvest delays. Wet fields have also showed grain sorghum harvest.

Pastures have benefitted greatly, however, from recent rains and are in good-to-excellent condition across the state.

Harvest mice are the midgets of the mouse world, says National Wildlife's Ranger Rick magazine. The adults are only three inches long and four adult mice together weigh only as much as one slice of American cheese.

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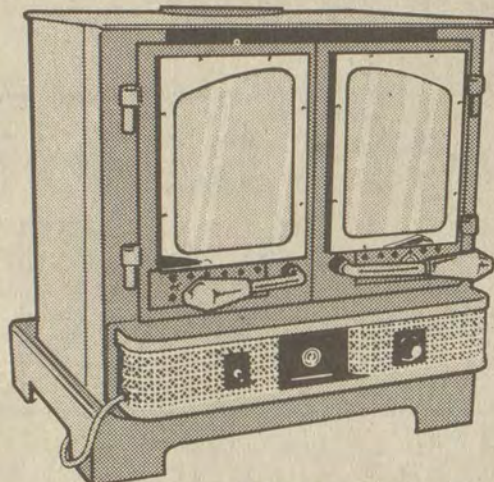
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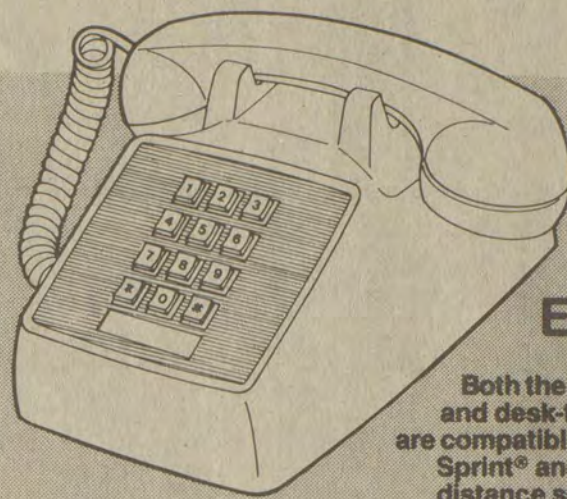
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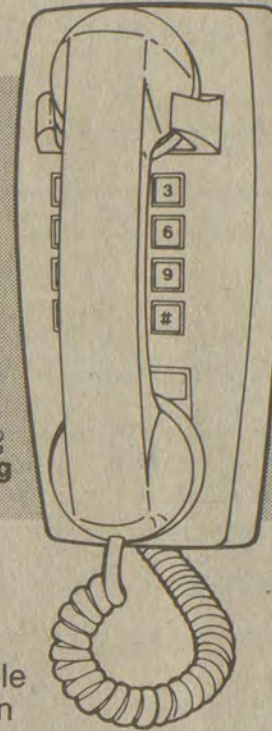
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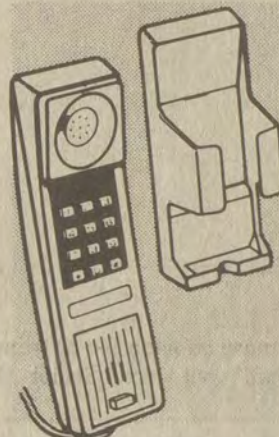


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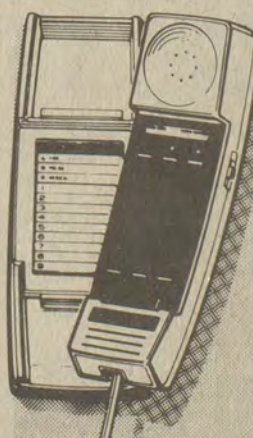


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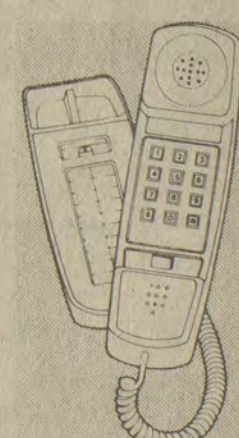
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More than 50 general insurance agents from 36 agencies in six Eastern Kentucky counties are expected today (Wednesday) at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, to attend the first seminar to discuss the dwindling number of insurers and other critical insurance coverage problems.

Howard See, Louisa insurance broker, will be the general chairman.

Agencies from Lawrence, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, Floyd, and Pike counties, will discuss the reduced number of national insurance companies that are restricting coverage, and in some cases have imposed a moratorium on some coverage.

A spokesman for the agents said this problem is not unique to Kentucky, but, because of the increased number of claims throughout the country, is nationwide.

Eastern Kentucky continues to be plagued with mounting fire claims due to faulty wiring; burglaries because the home is left unattended by working wives and husbands, and alcohol-related traffic accidents. One of the main problems in causing traffic accidents is bad roads and Eastern Kentucky has more than its share of road problems.

The spokesman pointed out that total claims in these six counties are out of proportion with the rest of the state, and the seminars will also focus on this situation.

Insurance companies pay claims from premiums and when claims exceed the amount of premiums collected, rates go up, which has been happening the last several years.

Insurance companies, the spokesman pointed out, are refusing to write the basic types of insurance, or are becoming more restrictive. This situation will be allotted considerable time for discussion at the seminar.

At the second session representatives from the insurers and insurance companies will be invited to explain their changing format, projections and, hopefully, some type of solution it was said.

Senior Citizens Menu

Monday, Dec. 3—Spaghetti/meat sauce, orange juice, tossed salad, Italian bread, brownie, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 4—Ham/pinto beans, pickled beets, kale, cornbread, pineapple marshmallow delight, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 5—Meat ball stew, stewed vegetables, lime perfection, whole wheat bread, sugar cookie, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 6—Oven fried chicken, macaroni and tomatoes, green beans, cornbread, petite banana, milk.

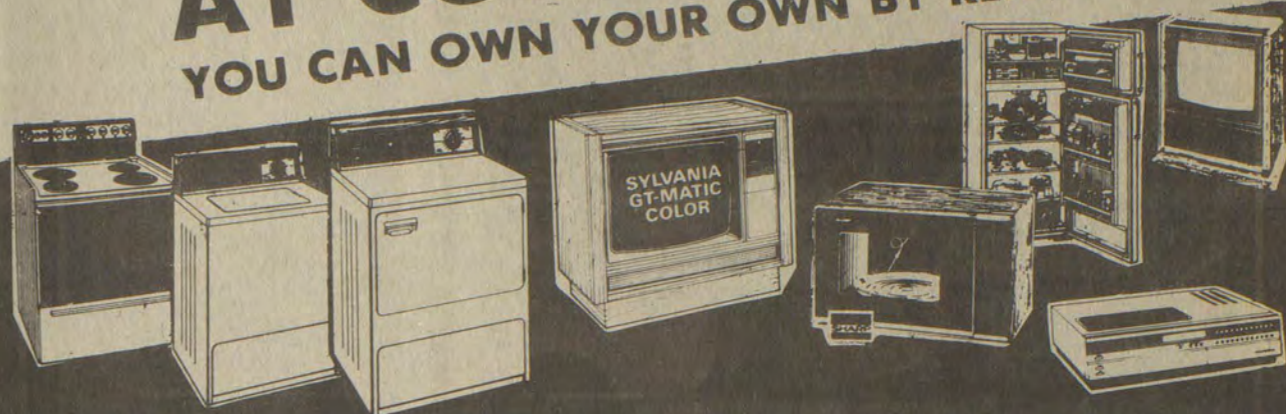
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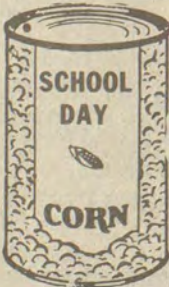


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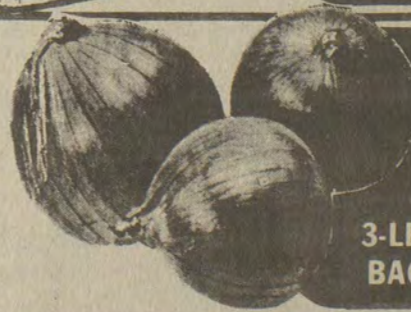


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Tract III Beginning at an elm tree about 100 feet west of a well; thence going an East course to another Elm tree with Noah Parsons present line...

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0024 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Energy Coal Income Partnership 1981-I...

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MARSHALL DAVIDSON, Master Commissioner 11-21-3t.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5052 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Prater Creek Processing, P.O. Box 2687...

The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles southwest from US 23's junction with Camp Branch County Road and located on Camp Branch. The latitude is 37 deg. 34 min. 16 sec...

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections and/or request for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 436-0100 Amendment No. 1 (1) In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Transcontinental Coal Processing, Inc., Branham Village, Star Route 2...

The proposed operation is approximately 2.27 miles south from KY 80's junction with Turkey Creek Road and located 0.01 miles east of Turkey Creek. The latitude is 37° 29' 53". The longitude is 82° 46' 35".

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5059 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Premium Elkhorn Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 3127, Pikeville, Kentucky...

The proposed facility is approximately 1.6 miles southeast from Ned's Fork Road's junction with KY 1929 and located 0.5 miles northwest of Signal Knob. The latitude is 37° 24' 20".

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Under the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (Public Law 88-578), citizens are afforded the opportunity to express their views concerning the recreational needs of their community.

11-21-2t.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 836-0138 In accordance with the provision of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Raschella Coal Co., Box 962-Y, Pikeville, Ky. 41501...

The proposed operation is approximately 1.25 miles southeast from Ky. 680's junction with Ky. 979 and located 0.50 miles east of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 26' 52".

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Notice is hereby given to all owners of property located in the Betsy Layne Fire Protection District that an election of trustees will be held on December 29, 1984...

NOTICE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Beaver Elkhorn Water District Commission will hold its regular monthly meeting, Wednesday, November 28, 1984 at 6:30 p.m. at the Water District office at Wayland.

HOMEMAKERS MEET HERE

The North Prestonsburg Homemakers met Nov. 20, at the Kentucky Power Company, with Mrs. Mabel Allen, president, presiding. Mrs. Frances Pitts announced that all Homemakers' cookbooks had been sold...

NOTICE OF FILING OF SETTLEMENTS

Table with 4 columns: Case No., Name, Date, and Location. Lists settlements for various cases including 83-P-177, 84-P-041, 83-P-183, etc.

Armageddon, Topic Of Witnesses Speaker

"War at Armageddon—Is It Near? What Will It Mean?" was the subject discussed Sunday afternoon at the Raleigh County Civic Center Armory, Beckley West Virginia.

The speaker, James A. Hinderer from the world headquarters of Jehovah's Witnesses in Brooklyn, New York, said, "There is to be no so-called 'nuclear Armageddon'...

Meredith Spurlock, spokesman of the Allen congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, said this was the highlight of the circuit assembly this past week-end with an attendance of 1443 from Southern West Virginia...

REBEKAHS MEET

A regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 was held Tuesday, November 20, with the Noble Grand, Miss Kelly Sue Moore, presiding.

The Noble Grand showed the members a plaque the lodge had received during the state meeting for initiating the most new members into the order during the past year.

Breakdown Holds Up Mobile Clinic Service

Mechanical problems grounded the mobile health van which Our Lady of the Way Hospital intended to have on the road this week.

Has Family Dinner Mrs. John Worth Spears, of Meta, was hostess to a family dinner at her home on Thanksgiving Day.

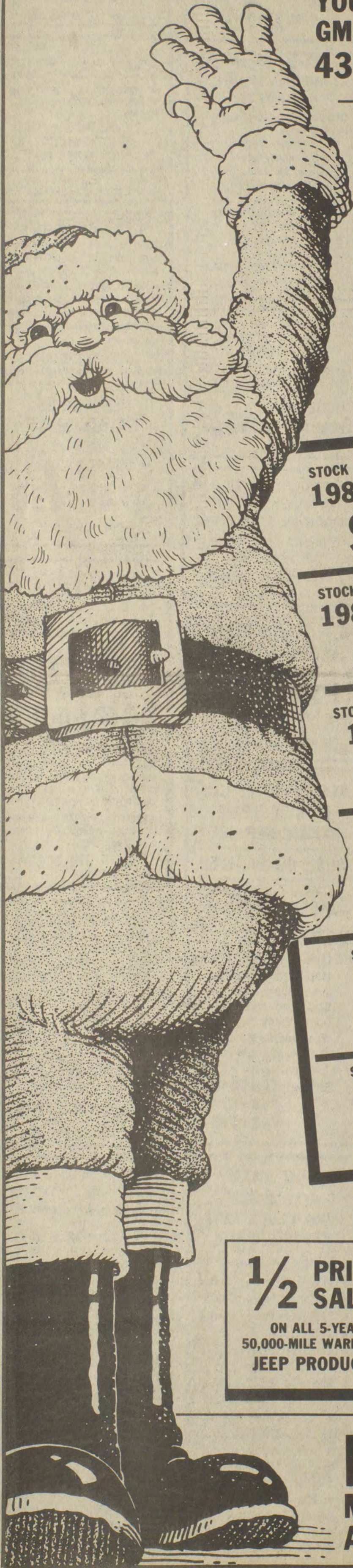
Spaghetti Dinner To Be Held Friday The Prestonsburg High School Honor Choir will sponsor a spaghetti dinner Friday, November 30, from 5 until 7 p.m.

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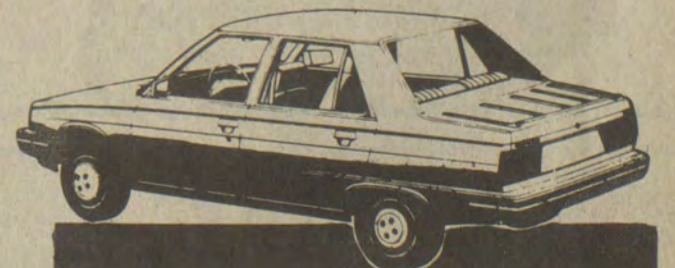
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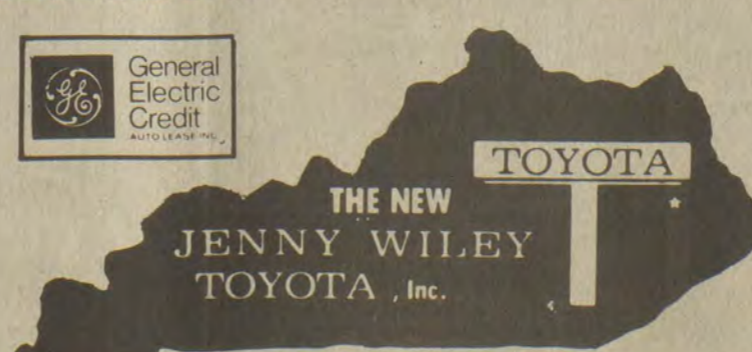


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National Home Care Week Is Proclaimed

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Donna Thomas, coordinator of the McDowell ARH Home Health Agency remarked: "There is a movement in this country to find less expensive and more humane ways to provide health care to our growing elderly population, as well as to children and young people who are temporarily or chronically ill or disabled. Lawmakers are finally discovering what we have known all along: Home care supports the dignity and independence of our most vulnerable by keeping them out of hospitals and nursing homes for as long as possible. It keeps families together and offers a compassionate and low cost way to care for our loved ones. In an era of skyrocketing health care costs, home care offers an excellent alternative to institutional care both because it is less expensive and because it encourages the self reliance and cooperative effort upon which this nation is founded".

Mrs. Thomas went on to note that the McDowell ARH Home Agency has been serving the residents of Floyd county for twelve years. They provide skilled nursing, physical therapy, home health aide and durable medical equipment services to more than 250 people every year.

She concluded by saying: "The theme for National Home Care Week is 'When It Comes to Health Care, There's No Place Like Home.' We think that says it all".

Appalachian Regional Hospital is a not-for-profit health system with hospitals, primary care centers, and other related facilities and services in Hazard, Whitesburg, Harlan, Middlesboro, West Liberty, McDowell, and South Williamson, in Kentucky; Beckley and Man in West Virginia; and Wise, Virginia.

Mine Tech Classes Offered at Garth

Evening upgrading classes are being offered in Mine Maintenance Technology at the Garth Vocational School near Martin from 5 to 10 p.m. beginning Monday, November 26.

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Asbestos Problems Hang On; Federal Program May Help

Kentucky public school districts are about a fourth of the way along on resolving their asbestos problems, a survey by the state Department of Education shows.

But schools in 121 local school districts still face asbestos abatement costs of about \$15 million, department officials say. Some may find help in meeting those costs through a new federal asbestos program or through two legal actions involving asbestos manufacturers.

The 170 local districts responding to the survey reported that they had spent nearly \$4.4 million on asbestos abatement as of last spring, Superintendent of Public Instruction Alice McDonald said.

That left about \$15 million in asbestos abatement work to be done, she said, and of that amount some was probably completed during the summer but not yet reported to the department.

The total cost of eliminating friable asbestos—asbestos that is crumbling and potentially cancer-causing—from school buildings in Kentucky was estimated at \$19.4 million in the survey.

Of the 10 districts that did not respond to the survey, five had earlier reported that had no asbestos problems. The

other five faced asbestos abatement costs totalling \$1 million at the time of a similar survey in 1983.

The 170 reporting districts represented 1,309 schools, of which 171 schools in 83 districts reported problems with friable asbestos on ceilings or walls. Abatement measures totaling nearly \$3 million has been taken at 104 schools, and replacement materials has been applied by 66 schools at a cost of \$562,261.

The presence of friable asbestos used for insulation on pipes, boilers, storage tanks and the like is a much more prevalent problem, department officials said. Its presence was reported by 649 schools in 44 districts, including 76 districts where some schools also had problems with asbestos on ceilings or walls.

The survey shows that abatement measures for asbestos in plumbing-related uses had been taken by 411 schools at a cost of \$587,375, and 137 schools had applied replacement materials at a cost of \$226,114.

Robert Spillman, associate superintendent for local services, said that as of the survey date 88 public schools in Kentucky still had abatement work to be done both for sprayed-on asbestos in school buildings and for asbestos on pipes or water tanks. Those schools are in 41 districts, he said.

An additional 10 schools in eight districts had problems only with friable asbestos on ceilings or walls, and 404 schools in 72 districts had work remaining to be done with the plumbing-related types of asbestos, he said.

Kentucky schools with asbestos work still to be done may qualify for aid under the federal Asbestos School Hazard Abatement Act of 1984, Spillman said. An appropriation of \$50 million was provided for the 1985 fiscal year.

The legislation assigns responsibility for the program to the governor of each state, and federal guidelines are still being developed for a record-keeping plan to be submitted by each governor's office.

Gov. Martha Layne Collins will later be asked to submit a list of Kentucky school districts seeking help and to assign priorities on the basis of need and the extent of asbestos problems in those districts.

Kentucky school districts have also been advised by the Department of Education to join two legal actions involving asbestos manufacturers if they now have asbestos problems or previously had such problems, said Jim Judge, director of the Division of Buildings and Grounds.

The deadline for filing claims in the Chapter 11 bankruptcy of Johns Manville Corp., a leading asbestos manufacturer, has been extended by a federal judge to Jan. 31. The state buildings director recommended that districts unsure whether their materials came from Manville file claims in order to keep their options open.

The other case is a class-action suit in Pennsylvania involving asbestos manufacturers other than Manville, Judge said. Under a recent ruling, schools that have already removed asbestos will be able to join in the suit in an attempt to recover the money they spent.

Notices will be sent to school systems across the country informing them they are considered part of the class action unless they remove themselves from the suit, which names 55 asbestos manufacturers.

"We are advising school districts that if they have or have had an asbestos problem, they should join the suit," Judge said. The alternative of filing a separate suit "is expensive and time-consuming," he added.

Judge said the federal legislation on asbestos abatement made local districts responsible for determining whether asbestos hazards exist in their schools, notifying parents and employees, and determining what action, if any, would be taken to resolve the problem.

The federal law does not require abatement but does require notification

and the maintenance of asbestos files at each school, he said.

"If there is asbestos in the building, then the parents and employees deserve to know about it," Judge said. "After they are informed, it's generally up to the local district and its public as to what is done about the problem."

The state Department of Education has no enforcement role with regard to asbestos, he noted, but is required by federal law to compile information on the progress of local school districts in complying with asbestos regulations and to forward this information to the U.S. Department of Education.

Material containing asbestos was sprayed on ceilings and walls for insulation, acoustics or appearance from about World War II to the early 1970s, before its potential hazards were generally known, Judge said. It was outlawed for sprayed-on use in 1973 and for other building uses during the next few years, he said.

No asbestos use was permitted in schools after Jan. 1, 1979, so reports are not required for schools built after that time.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has estimated that up to 14,000 schools in the United States contain crumbling asbestos and sets the total cost of removal at \$1.4 billion.

Friable asbestos on ceilings or walls is "a monumental, expensive problem to deal with," Judge said.

The 1984 abatement act says that in many schools "materials containing asbestos fibers have become damaged or friable, causing asbestos fibers to be dislodged into the air" and that their presence "creates an unwarranted hazard to the health of the schoolchildren and school employees who are exposed to such materials."

Schools employ four methods in dealing with sprayed-on asbestos, Judge said: an operation and maintenance plan to minimize hazards; encapsulation in a lacquerlike material that makes the soft, flaky substance hard; enclosure by some type of airtight wall; or removal.

Removal is "the only ultimate and final solution," Judge said. "With all the others, you still have the problem. The asbestos is still in the building."

Abatement measures for asbestos on pipes, boilers or storage tanks are simpler and less costly, he said. They include an operation and maintenance plan to minimize hazards; use of some other material to cover the asbestos; or removal of the asbestos insulation, with or without its replacement by some other material.

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By HAROLD COOLEY

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The Kentucky Garden Journal

By Bonnie Lee Appleton
State Urban Garden & Home Horticulture Specialist
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION PROGRAM
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Community Gardens

What puts vegetables on our dinner plates, greens up vacant lots and unused pastures, and brings people together for health-promoting recreation and socialization? Community gardens, special types of "people collectors" like county fairs, high school football games and church socials.

Many Kentuckians will be surprised to learn that we have very active community gardens in Bowling Green, Covington, Frankfort, Hopkinsville and Louisville. I'm very proud to announce that the first-year gardens in Frankfort and Hopkinsville just won honorable mention (and \$100 support money) in the first year of the National Community Garden Contest sponsored by the American Community Gardening Association (ACGA) and GLAD Wrap and Bags. A community garden in Covington was a big winner—first place (and recipient of \$500) for the entire southern region.

Having just returned from the fifth annual conference of the ACGA, I'm happy to report that the spirit of community gardening is very active across the United States, actually the world—we had representatives from Canada, England and Peru in attendance. Kentucky's involvement will increase because the two newly elected southern region directors are both from Kentucky (myself being one). Judging will be among our responsibilities in next summer's national contest.

You might argue that Kentucky is a farming state, so why do we need community gardens? Kentucky is a farming state indeed, but this state imports more than half of its fresh fruits and vegetables. And gardening spaces aren't just needed in Kentucky's urban areas; there are plenty of rural Kentucky towns where people don't own land on which to garden. Plus, there are young Kentuckians, who lack the knowledge, and senior Kentuckians, who could use a bit of physical help to bring their dormant gardening enthusiasm forward, who could certainly contribute to and benefit from community gardens. Plants are blind to color, sex, race and creed; the only prerequisite for community gardening is a desire to try.

This is the time of year when communities need to start planning for gardens for next summer. Most gardens open in late April or early May, and several months of preparation are necessary. Among the items that need to be considered are:

- A well-balanced advisory board to establish guidelines.
- A calendar of gardening activities—when to prepare the land, when to open, contests, member meetings, etc.

—Assignment of responsibilities—who acquires land, who does advertising.

Acquisition of land—it may be donated, leased or bought outright.

—Garden design and participant eligibility—who can garden and on how big a plot.

—Site preparation and plot assignment.

—Educational support and fellowship opportunities.

—General garden maintenance and security.

It takes dedication, determination and some plain old hard work to get a community garden started, but when plants begin to grow, and smiles appear on your gardeners' faces, the many phone calls and dirty fingernails will be quickly forgotten. Contact your county agricultural Extension agent or me, Dr. Bonnie Appleton, at Kentucky State University, for additional information.

TIMELY TIP: Grants of seeds and tools are available to youth and senior citizen groups from Gardens For All. For an application write: GFA at 180 Flynn Ave., Burlington, VT 05401.

Extension News

By FRANCES H. PITTS
CEA for Home Economics

Floyd County Homemakers attending the Area Homemakers Council meeting in Louisa were Sharon Sparr, Helen Boyd and Mary Sue Moore. Mrs. Sparr and Mrs. Boyd serve as Area chairmen, while Mrs. Moore is the Area treasurer.

ATTEND AREA COUNCIL

Floyd Homemakers attending the Northeast Area Extension Council meeting were Dorothy Harris and Carma Sturgill. Mrs. Sturgill has completed a two-year term as area secretary.

Mrs. Harris was elected as delegate to represent the North-East Area Council at the State Council meeting to be held in Lexington in February.

ORNAMENT WORKSHOP

A second Christmas ornament workshop was held to complete the ornaments that will be used to decorate May Lodge at Jenny Wiley State Park. Those attending were Mary Sue Moore, Eleanor Horn, Kay Miller, Grace Moore, Brenda McKinsey, Garnet Fairchild and Frances Pitts. A total of 150 handmade ornaments were completed. The public is invited to view the decorations at the lodge during the period of Dec. 1-through Old Christmas on Jan. 6.

TWILLING WORKSHOP

Floyd County Homemakers recently participated in a Twilling workshop. Those attending were Jean Meade, Dorothy Tackett, Mabel Allen, Ruth Francis, Marie Salisbury, Christine Spradlin, Mary Sue Moore, Marge Sammons, Betsy Baldrige, Alice Hayes, Kay Miller, Eleanor Horn, Grace Moore, Brenda McKinsey, Beverly Hackworth, Garnet Fairchild and Frances Pitts.

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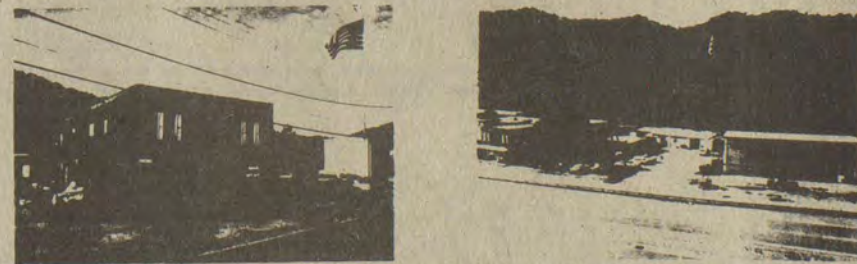
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In the new film, "Teachers," JFK High School is sued for graduating a student who never learned to read and write. Although the film is an exaggerated, farcical look at America's educational system, the problems of JFK High—teachers experiencing burn-out and nervous breakdowns, students graduating as functional illiterates—are, unfortunately, not too far from the truth.

"I think of the film as an exaggeration that serves the truth, that highlights what's really going on," scriptwriter Irwin Russo, who was a teacher for 10 years, said in a recent interview. "As a teacher, I saw the loss of faith in the American educational system. I thought this (film) would be the perfect way to suggest that maybe we've lost sight of what schools are there for. Not for the janitors, not for the administration, and not for the teachers—the schools are for the kids."

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"Ashland Oil decided to take an aggressive, leadership role to call attention to the problems of public education," Bell explained, "especially in West Virginia and Kentucky where we have extensive operations. Even more important, Ashland wants to promote solutions to these problems, and to challenge others to be more involved."

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LANCER HOMEMAKERS

The Lancer Homemakers met Nov. 15 at the Lancer Baptist Church. Linda Briggs gave the devotional, and Frances Pitts gave the lesson on "How To Make Economical Gifts." Betty Wilson brought some homemade gifts and showed how to make them.

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CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS
June 30, 1984

Table showing assets, liabilities, and fund equity for the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of June 30, 1984. Includes categories like Cash, Receivables, and Total Assets.

Table showing General Fixed Assets Account Group, General Long-term Debt Group, and Total (Memorandum Only) for the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of June 30, 1984.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
for the year ended June 30, 1984

Table comparing Budget and Actual revenues and expenditures for the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for the year ended June 30, 1984. Includes categories like Property taxes, Licenses and permits, and Total revenues.

Table showing Revenue Sharing Fund details, including Budget, Actual, and Over (Under) Budget for the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, for the year ended June 30, 1984.

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CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
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ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
for the year ended June 30, 1984

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CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
for the year ended June 30, 1984

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the City of Prestonsburg conform to generally accepted accounting principles applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the more significant accounting policies.

A. Fund Accounting

The accounts of the City are organized on the basis of funds or account groups each of which is considered to be a separate fiscal and accounting entity.

Governmental Fund Types are those through which most governmental functions are financed. The governmental fund measurement focus is upon determination of financial position and budgetary control over revenues and expenditures.

The following funds are used by the City of Prestonsburg:

Governmental Fund Types: General Fund - The general operating fund of the City is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Revenue Sharing Fund - A special revenue fund used to account for revenues received from the U. S. Treasury under the federal revenue sharing program.

Special Assessment Funds - Mays Branch Sewer Project Fund and Street and Sidewalk Project Funds are used to account for special assessment taxes levied against benefited property owners for retirement of debt issued to finance the projects.

B. Basis of Accounting

Basis of Accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred.

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C. Budgeting

The City follows the procedures established pursuant to Section 91A.030 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements. Budgets for all funds are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

Budgeted amounts in the financial statements are as adopted by ordinance of the City.

D. Other Accounting Policies

Investments are stated at cost.

General fixed asset purchases are recorded as expenditures in the general fund and revenue sharing fund at the time of purchase. Such assets are capitalized at cost in the general fixed asset group of accounts except for certain improvements including roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, and drainage systems.

No depreciation has been provided on general fixed assets.

Deferred revenues represents grant revenues received but unearned. Revenues are recognized when eligible expenditures are incurred.

Total columns on the combined statements are captioned Memorandum Only to indicate that they are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or changes in financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Scope

The scope of our examination did not include the Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission, which is administered by a separate commission appointed by the City and is operated on a fiscal year ending October 31.

The combined financial statements do not include the financial statements of the Prestonsburg Park Board which was organized by the City pursuant to KRS 97.550 for the purpose of properly supervising and controlling the City's park and recreational program.

NOTICE OF HEARING

Under the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (Public Law 88-578), citizens are afforded the opportunity to express their views concerning the recreational needs of their community. To provide a forum for discussion, an open meeting is being held on December 4, 1984 at 1:15 p.m. at Floyd County Courthouse Annex Conference Room 105 in Prestonsburg, Kentucky sponsored by the Floyd County Fiscal Court.

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3. Restatement

Previously reported fund balance at June 30, 1983 of the Revenue Sharing Fund has been restated for accrual of revenue to conform to generally accepted accounting principles.

Table showing fund balance adjustments for the Revenue Sharing Fund, including previously reported balance, accrual for April-June 1983, and restated balance.

4. Changes in General Fixed Assets

A summary of changes in general fixed assets as follows:

Table showing changes in general fixed assets including Land, Buildings, Streets and sidewalks, and Vehicles and equipment, with columns for Balance, Additions, and Deletions.

5. General Long-Term Debt

The City entered into long-term indebtedness in the form of a note payable to United Federal Savings Loan Association for \$50,000, accruing interest at fourteen (14) percent per annum, for the purpose of construction of a parking lot.

The City acquired a fire truck under a lease-purchase agreement dated April 9, 1984. The lease agreement is in substance an installment purchase and is reflected as such in the combined financial statements.

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6. Pension Plan

The City of Prestonsburg's employees are covered by a Commonwealth Life Insurance Company Pension Plan. The City's contribution for 1984 was \$23,437. All employees are covered by the plan after age 25, and completion of one year of service.

7. Compliance with K.R.S. 91A

Kentucky Revised Statutes Chapter 91A requires each city to enact an annual budget for each fund of the City and provides that "no city shall expend any moneys from any governmental or proprietary fund, except in accordance with a budget ordinance adopted pursuant to this section".

LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 65 and 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes the following information and supporting data may be inspected by the general public at Room 106, Courthouse Annex, Prestonsburg, Kentucky from November 21 thru December 5, 1984 between the hour of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

FLOYD COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION DISTRICT BOARD: Director - Billy Mettitt, Abbott Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; Assistant Director - Donal Hicks, West Prestonsburg, KY 41668; Secretary-Treasurer - Kermit Howard, Dwale, KY 41621; Members - Ernest Prater, David, KY 41616; Dorothy Harris, East Point, KY 41216; Arnold Lowe, Eastern, KY 41622; John M. Stumbo, County Judge/Executive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION DISTRICT BOARD
For Fiscal Year Period July 1, 1983 through June 30, 1984

Table showing beginning cash on hand and receipts for the Cooperative Extension District Board for the fiscal year 1983-1984.

Table showing expenditures for the Cooperative Extension District Board for the fiscal year 1983-1984, including University of Kentucky salary, Treasurer salary, and various operational expenses.

Ending Balance (June 30, 1984) \$64,392.16

PUBLIC NOTICE

The government of City of Wayland has submitted its report to the Census Bureau and the actual uses of general revenue sharing funds for the fiscal year of 1983-84.

A copy of the report and supporting data are available on Tuesdays at the City Hall Building, Front Street, during the hours of 9 a.m.-11 a.m. for public inspection.

MARY BRADLEY
City Clerk

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE
Pursuant to Application
Number 836-0106

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Long Fork Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 287, Virgie, Kentucky 41572, has filed an application for a surface and underground coal mining operation.

The proposed operation is approximately .25 mile north from 979's junction with Red Morg Branch Road and located .25 mile east of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 26' 06". The longitude is 82° 38' 17".

The surface area is owned by Levi Tackett, Holley Conley, Emmitt Howell, Scottie Hamilton, Pauline Hall, Olive Adkins, Quinton Adkins, and G.B. Spears. The operation will underlie land owned by Levi Tackett, Holley Conley, Emmitt Howell, Scottie Hamilton, Pauline Hall, Olive Adkins and G.B. Spears.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(4) (b), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd county: Earl Bentley/Back Carry Coal, 436-5054, issued, 10/24/84; Melana Coal Company, Inc., 436-5101, issued, 9/7/84.

PUBLIC NOTICE

An application for a place of entertainment license has been filed by Betty and Charles Mullins, of Box 443, McDowell, Kentucky 41647. The nature of the business will be carryout and grocery.

The County Attorney's Office is required to file a written report to the County Judge Executive's office reflecting if the person applying is "not of good moral character or who will not, in the judgment of the Court, (County Judge Executive) obey the laws of the state in the carrying on of the business."

Any interested citizen having information relative to said applicant's lack of "good moral character" or willingness to obey the laws of the state in the carrying on of the business is requested to file the same in writing, with the County Attorney's office. Said written information shall be signed, dated, and reflect the current address of said citizen, and must be delivered to the County Attorney's office no later than the 29th day of November, 1984.

ARNOLD TURNER, JR.
Floyd County Attorney

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Kentucky Power Celebrating 65th Year of Its Founding

When the first spark of electricity in Eastern Kentucky was generated in 1886, it came from a tiny operation in Ashland that served fewer than 50 customers.

Within the next 25 years or so, little power plants and electric lines began springing up throughout Eastern Kentucky, each serving only a small local area.

Now, Kentucky Power Company is celebrating its 65th anniversary with 145,000 customers in 20 counties.

"Our history is closely intertwined with the history of this region," said Robert E. Matthews, president of Kentucky Power Company. "Electricity provided the power communities needed to grow and develop. And as they demanded more electricity, we've progressed right along with them."

Kentucky Power was incorporated in 1919, then as Kentucky and West Virginia Power. Before that, service was provided by several smaller operations, mostly to light stores and street lights, and, in Ashland, to run the streetcars. Rural areas had no service.

In the early days, electricity was more of a novelty than a service. Service was limited, as well as expensive.

For example, in Ashland in 1888, 50-volt lighting service was provided for commercial use at night only. Flat rates equal to 14 cents per kilowatt-hour were charged—compared to 5 cents for commercial use, and 4½ cents for residential use today.

Service in those days was unreliable by today's standards. Wiring was haphazard and inadequate, and service interruptions were lengthy and frequent. Most industries and coal mines found it more economical to generate their own power.

Many of the small electric utilities found that maintaining lines in the mountains was difficult, and construction costs were high. Owners had to absorb excessive operating costs while they learned to improve production methods.

As financial conditions became difficult, the smaller companies generally sold their operations to a large company with greater financial backing—the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company.

"From its beginning, our company was fortunate in having the work of the early pioneers upon which to build," Matthews said. "They laid the groundwork, and we have been able to consolidate it into an integrated system that is efficient and reliable—something that smaller companies working independently of each other could not do."

Today, Kentucky Power has three divisions—Ashland, Hazard and Pikeville. (Its Sprigg Area in the eastern-most corner of the state is operated for it by a sister company, Appalachian Power.) Electricity was introduced in each division in a different way at different times.

In Pikeville, electricity came to town around the turn of the century via two young dentists—Drs. J.D. Meade and A.S. Reese. Foot-powered drills weren't good enough for them, and so they decided the town needed an electric power plant.

Equipment was hauled to Pikeville by ox teams, and the plant was finished about 1903. Later, the plant was sold to the Sandy Valley Light and Power Company.

Small plants began springing up in a few nearby towns, but it was the coal companies, needing electricity for their mines, that started building plants in a big way. Two of the larger coal companies' plants were interconnected and served, among other customers, the towns of Prestonsburg and Paintsville.

In 1923, Kentucky and West Virginia Power purchased the Sandy Valley Light and Power Company. Long-range planning became possible, and from the outset, the original lines in the Pikeville District were built to cover most of the area contemplated for service—a fact that distinguishes it from Kentucky Power's other districts.

In the Hazard area, electricity came on the heels of the railroad. When the first train chugged into Hazard July 17, 1912, it opened the way for economic development in this area where mountains had made transportation difficult.

Coal companies built their own power plants, and some of these developed into power companies, such as the Tug River Power Company, formed in the eastern-most part of Kentucky in 1915.

Coal operations had so dominated the production of electricity that no one thought of forming a company solely to furnish electric power—until 1916. That year, the Kentucky River Power Company was formed solely to produce electric power. The new concept was so

popular the company soon needed additional capacity, and a plant was built at Lothair, near Hazard, in 1917.

In 1919, Tug River Electric and Kentucky River Power were purchased by the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company.

Independent electric service companies were also being formed at Neon, Chavies, Whitesburg and Jackson, and they later became a part of the Hazard Division of today's Kentucky Power Company.

As these smaller companies were incorporated into a larger one, better efficiency and more long-range planning became possible. In 1922, Kentucky and West Virginia Power was purchased by American Gas and Electric (now the American Electric Power Company). After AGE purchased the company, it was interconnected with other utility systems.

Acquisition of Boyd County Electric Company in 1926 rounded out the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company to a system serving about 15,000 people. In 1928, a central office for the company was established at Ashland to oversee the rapid growth occurring in the young company's four districts.

As early as 1929, a rural construction program was started on a limited scale. Progress was slow until 1936, when a survey of all the company's rural areas was completed.

This was the same year that Congress approved the Rural Electrification Act,

The Wrong Prescription For Poor Miss Muffett

By POLLY WHITE

National Wildlife Federation
Spider pills spider-and butter sandwiches, and spider necklaces—do these sound like medicines to you? Probably not. Today, we know that eating spiders can make you sick. But 500 years ago many people believed that spiders could cure diseases.

The spider that sat down beside Little Miss Muffet was one of many that lived in her home. Her father was a doctor who lived in the 1500s. He thought that having spiders around would protect his family from diseases. Dr. Muffet gave Little Miss Muffet pills made from spiders when she got sick. He didn't know he was probably making his daughter sicker!

Another doctor of the time mistakenly thought that spider-and-butter sandwiches could cure high fevers.

Other people put spiders in tiny boxes. Then they tied the boxes around their necks. They thought their spider charms would keep them healthy.

But even though we don't use spiders as medicines any more, they are great for getting rid of insect pests. In 1973, the Chinese began using spiders to control harmful insects. In their first test, spiders were let go in rice fields. These spiders gobbled down the leaf hoppers and rice hoppers that damage rice plants. The spiders didn't cost much, and they sure saved plenty of rice. You might say they were just what the doctor ordered!

designed to help bring electricity to rural areas throughout the country. At that time, fewer than 10 percent of America's farms had electricity.

But the program ended abruptly in 1941, as the utility industry—along with the rest of the country—devoted its full energy toward the war effort. First priority was given to providing power for industries producing war supplies and equipment.

With the close of the war in 1945, the rural electrification program was renewed. At the end of 1948, 81 percent of the rural area was electrified.

During the '50s came another big step for the company. The name was changed from Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company to Kentucky Power Company in 1954—a name finally befitting of the area it served.

The company's greatest undertaking thus far came in 1963, when the first unit of the Big Sandy Plant in Louisa began commercial operation. Hailed by then-Governor Bert T. Combs as a "symbol of vision," Big Sandy sported a cooling tower that was the first of its kind in the Western Hemisphere. In 1969, a second unit was put into operation, bringing the plant's total generating capacity to 1,060,000 kilowatts.

Also in 1969, Kentucky Power became the first in the American Electric Power System—and in the nation—to energize a 765,000 volt line, the most powerful in the country.

Today, Kentucky Power is hard at work attempting to secure additional generating capacity for its customers, whose demand for more and more electricity is about to exceed Big Sandy Plant's ability to meet that demand.

This pattern of growth, the progress over the years, the changing panorama of eastern Kentucky—they all exemplify a changing Kentucky Power, which has grown from a small group of businessmen in one city to a unit of 850 employees that together help light every county in eastern Kentucky.

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FRIDAY—Steak and gravy, turkey and dressing, fried chicken, stuffed peppers, candied yams, green beans, greens, corn, peas, brown beans, cobbler, cornbread, roll.
SATURDAY—Roast beef and gravy, lasagna, fried chicken, hot dogs, corn, green beans, brown beans, greens, cornbread, roll.
SUNDAY—Steak and gravy, fried chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, roll.
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