

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

BOARD UPS
SCHOOL TAX
COMMISSION

Allows Sheriff 2 Pct.,
Rescinding Old Order;
Building Delay Is Seen

The regional Red Cross bloodmobile from Huntington will make its February visit to Floyd county next Tuesday when it will be in Wayland, it was announced this week.

Wayland and surrounding communities have organized to make a strong effort to reach the 125-pint quota asked.

Reinforcing the appeals of workers in that section for blood donors was the statement made recently by a wounded veteran of Korea—Pfc. John Ward, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, of Garrett. He wrote home:

"You ask me if I have ever seen boys receive blood. I certainly have. Not only that—I have had it three times myself. That's exactly what saved my life. I was wounded in the back, a lung was punctured, there was a hole you could put your fist in. But due to the blood and excellent care, I may be well enough to come home in a couple of months."

After next Tuesday's visit to Wayland, the bloodmobile's next Floyd call will be in Martin, March 3.

2 FLOYD MEN
ARE ADVANCED

With C. & O. System
As Mordica Retires;
One Post Abolished

Retirement this week of W. A. Mordica, Ashland, trainmaster of the Lexington-Louisville division of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway System, resulted in promotions of several employees of the company, including two Floyd countians.

Guy E. Childers, Ashland, formerly of Allen, who has been terminal trainmaster at Ashland, was named to succeed Mr. Mordica, and C. L. Stapleton, of Martin, was named assistant trainmaster with headquarters at Jenkins, succeeding G. J. Johnson who was moved up as assistant trainmaster at Ashland.

K. E. Stephenson succeeds Mr. Childers as Ashland terminal trainmaster.

The post of general yardmaster at Martin, formerly held by Mr. Stapleton, is being abolished, it was said.

Mr. Childers, 52, a native of Gallup, Ky., started with the C. & O. in 1918. Mr. Stephenson, 41, with the company 14 years, is a native of Danville, W. Va. Mr. Johnson, 57, born at Newport News, Va., joined the C. & O. in 1894, and Mr. Stapleton, 49, with the company for 28 years, was born at Offutt, Ky.

12-MAN CALL
HARD TO FILL

As Bottom of Barrel
On Manpower Is Near;
New Inductees Listed

A call for 12 men to be inducted into the army Feb. 14 was hard to fill, since the government bulletin setting the call made it mandatory that all of those inducted on that date were to have been age 20 prior to Feb. 12, this year, E. S. Collins, clerk of Draft Board 25, said this week.

The draft board received the call some two months ago and it was completely made up Feb. 6. The March or later calls will be for those born between 1927 and 1932 and for others if their draft status changes for any reason to place them in 1A classification. Some 4F classifications have been called up for re-examination and of a recent group of this class of 12 only three were able to now meet the requirements for induction. The usual rejections on those who have their first examinations runs around the ratio of 18 or 20 acceptances from 45 men called.

Collins stressed the importance of registrants keeping their draft board informed of things that might change their draft status. "They should keep their file or questionnaire up to date. Any change of status should be reported at once. This will save the board time and trouble and may save the registrants money. It is expensive to say, miss a day's work at Wheelwright and travel to Prestonsburg when a three-cent stamp would have informed the board in a letter of the change of status and thus saved him the trip."

Those called for Feb. 14 are: Chester Calhoun, volunteer, Water Gap; Earnest Junior Sanders (volunteer); Weeksby; Burchel Sexton (volunteer); Hueysville, now of Plymouth, O.; James W. Skiles, volunteer, Weeksby; Charles Akers, volunteer, Melvin; Andrew William Cecil, Harold and New London, O.; Critt Howell, Martin and Louisa; Leonard Holland Goble, Auxier; Virgil Jones, Amba and Wyandotte, Mich.; Charlie Duncan, Hueysville; Shirley Roger Martin, Wayland; Homer Johnson, Weeksby; Dallas Shepherd (volunteer), Hueysville.

Lake Rose Nine Feet
Last Week As Rains
Posed Flood Threat

Dewey Lake rose 9.33 feet while gates at the dam were closed from Jan. 28 till last Thursday night to cut down the run-off of floodwaters into the Ohio where a serious flood threat had been created by heavy rains.

Roy Moore, reservoir manager, said the lake had dropped by Monday morning to elevation 647.5, two and a half feet above the pool stage, and that normal stage would be reached by the following day.

The rise in the lake caused the sinking of a few boats which had been tied to trees or posts.

The total number of visitations last month at the lake was 5,637, it was estimated, with 2,428 for the week ending Jan. 20, setting the month's best weekly record.

BILLS AGAINST
4 DISMISSED

Jury's Double Verdict
In Kendrick's Hearing
To Result in New Trial

Closing days of the January criminal term of circuit court saw the dismissal of indictments against two officials and also an indictment against two men who served as election officers at last November's polls.

Dismissal of charges of neglect of their official duty which had been made by the January grand jury against Magistrate M. C. Wright, of Eastern, and Police Judge R. W. Peller, Prestonsburg, was made on motion of Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin.

The indictment against Bill Sherman and Lon Childers, accused by the grand jury of receiving an illegal vote at Cow Creek precinct, was dismissed Friday for lack of evidence.

Two of three men charged with breaking and entering and with knowingly receiving stolen property in connection with a break into the warehouse of Harris Brothers Construction Company, here, were given pen terms, but a new trial may be granted in one of the cases.

The new trial may be given because the jury in the trial of T. J. Kendrick convicted Kendrick on two of seven instructions given by Circuit Judge Hill and fixed his pen term on each. On Instruction 1 it set his term at one year, and on Instruction 4 the term fixed by the jury was four years. Judge Hill said the jury could properly have convicted him on Instruction 1, not setting a sentence, then fixing the four-year term under Instruction 4. Kendrick was given trial as a second offender, and Kentucky law provides that conviction as such is to carry a term twice that of the first, which in his case was two years. To avoid the possibility of reversal by the Court of Appeals, the new trial may be granted.

Second of the two convicted was Willie Harris, who was given a one-year pen term. Trial of the third, Melvin Osborne, under the habitual

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GIRL SCOUTS
BEGIN DRIVE

Leaders Say \$1,000
Must Be Raised Here
To Carry Work Begun

Beginning today (Thursday) and continuing through the week, the Prestonsburg district, Girl Scouts of America, will be engaged in the work of raising \$1,000—a sum which, leaders say, must be raised.

Other Girl Scout districts of Floyd county—David and Wheelwright—already have successfully staged their fund-raising drives, but in Prestonsburg the campaign was delayed by a lack of leaders. Now, they have the leaders here and all are dedicated to the job at hand.

With a membership of 45 Brownies and 33 Intermediates, the Girl Scout movement here now has six leaders, four assistant leaders, nine troop committee members, five district committee members and three board members. Officers and committee members recently elected and installed only this week here are:

District officers—Mrs. E. P. Hill, chairman; Mrs. N. L. May, vice-chairman; Mrs. J. R. Hurt, secretary-treasurer.

Finance committee—H. O. M. R. Wright, chairman, Mrs. DuRan Moore, Marshall Mahan.

Program committee—Mrs. Chalmers H. Frazier, chairman, Mrs. Virgil Warrick, Mrs. Fred Francis, Mrs. James Camelia, Mrs. Olga M. Latta, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Ethel Helms.

Organization—Mrs. W. S. Harkins, chairman, Mrs. Eddie Worland.

Camp—Mrs. Marshall Mahan, chairman, Mrs. A. E. Mandt, Mrs. W. W. Greenwade.

Publicity—Mrs. Ray Howard, chairman, Mrs. Orville Cooley.

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CHURCH PLANS
YOUTH RALLY

To Launch Revival
In Methodist Church
Here, Saturday Night

The revival at the Prestonsburg Methodist Church will begin Saturday night, at 7:30 o'clock, with a youth rally enlisting all Methodist youth in Floyd county and from the upper part of Johnson. Dr. G. Ray Jordan will speak at this rally, as also throughout the next week, Sunday through Friday.

A new plan for the day's services will be to meet at 7 a. m., to 7:30, with the evening services at the conventional hour of 7:30 p. m., the pastor, Dr. Gerstle M. Haggard, said.

Carter Berkeley, of Wayland, youthful local preacher in the Methodist Church, and a talented vocalist, will have charge of the music program throughout the week. He will also conduct a special service for children at 3:15 in the afternoons and for youths at 7 p. m., just before the evening meeting.

Considerable interest is being shown in the coming "Days of Decision," the Reverend Haggard likes to call the revival. Visitation has been in progress, and the congregational meetings are already increasing above the regular crowds, both in the church school and worship services.

SPEND WEEK-END IN OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Baldrige and children returned home Sunday from Columbus, Ohio, where they visited relatives over the week-end.

A Pet Kentucky Cardinal
Is the Star of the Show



That ornament atop the head of Mrs. Emma Sizemore, shown here as she and her husband, Dr. John Sizemore, view their collection of birds and fishes, isn't one of those millinery doo-dads so dear to the millinery host.

It's a real, honest-to-goodness Kentucky cardinal which has made its home with the Sizemores, these last eight years, and which provides the

"human interest" in the story of how the Prestonsburg couple has collected such a variety of birds, fish and flowers that their Graham street home is one of the most interesting in an interesting section.

You might say, this cardinal is star of the show in the Sizemore residence. And that show consists of fish ranging all the way from the ordinary goldfish to black Chinese moors with their big pop-eyes and sweeping tails and fins; birds, among which are finches, lovebirds, red factors and cockateels, miniature cockatoos from Australia; and a profusion of flowers and plants that engage the interest of the botanist and flower-lover.

Most of these are inside the home. But outside is the largest aquarium, a pool inside which there now are 135 fish of various species—moors, fantails, shubunnies and, of course, the ordinary goldfish. The birds are all inside the home. So are most of the plants and flowers, though a few are in a first-floor room of another building owned by the Sizemores. They plan construction of a greenhouse this year to accommodate an even wider range of flora.

Buddy, the Kentucky cardinal, is an example of what can be done with wild things through kindness. This gay rooster of a redbird is a playful pet, unafraid as he expects

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HUNT JAILED
IN OLD CASE

Peace Bond of \$5,000
Asked of Bryant; Trio
Held in Lackey Break

Milt Hunt, whose comings and goings at the county jail here were frequent recently while the matter of his bond in the slaying of Jake Salisbury was being argued, is back in jail again.

This time he is serving time on a sentence given him four years ago on his conviction of selling whiskey, which was 30 days and a \$50 fine and costs. He was jailed by Deputy Sheriff Frank Parsons on a capias from the Circuit Clerk's office.

Truman Bryant is held in jail in default of \$5,000 peace bond asked by County Judge Henry Stumbo. Bryant allegedly beat up his brother, threatened to kill his brother's family and burn his home near Melvin. It is the steepest peace bond set by Judge Stumbo. Bryant previously had pleaded guilty before Magistrate Ellis Martin to charges of breach of the peace and drunkenness and had been fined a total of \$35.

Three residents of the Right Beaver section were jailed this week by Officers Stone and Napier after the Collins Hardware Store at Lackey had been looted. The prisoners are Junior Hicks and John Mitchell, and it was said here their loot consisted of seven radios, \$88 in cash and a variety of small items.

Others booked on major offenses at the jail within the week: Edd Martin, possessing whiskey, arrested by Obe Ousley and Edd Ambury; Joe Morris, possessing moonshine whiskey, and Grover Shephard, drunk driving, both arrested by Deputy Sheriff Frank Parsons, Constable George Hall, Jr., and Grant Akers; Andy Moore, possessing beer, jailed by Deputy Sheriff Parsons, Constable Hall and Deputy Constable Paul Stilton; Italy Spears, driving while under the influence of an intoxicant; Haskell and Luther Tackett, drunk and arrested by Deputy Sheriffs Willie Johnson and Enoch Hatfield.

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\$30,000 LOSS
IS TOLD HERE
BY STEPHENS

Dental Lab Owner
Names Henry; Bond
Of Accused, \$10,000

Accused of robbing D. C. Stephens, owner of the Big Sandy Dental Laboratory here, of \$30,000, Willis Clay Henry is slated to face examining trial here Saturday before County Judge Henry Stumbo on charge of assault with intent to rob.

Henry, a resident of Mt. Sterling and one-time operator of the Clu Rustique here, was released under \$10,000 bond, early Monday morning, a few hours after he was brought here by Deputy Sheriff Bill Meade and Frank Crum from Williamson, W. Va.

He was arrested Saturday by West Virginia state police and jailed at Williamson on a warrant issued by County Judge Stumbo. Henry, waived extradition from West Virginia. His bondsman here was R. G. Eubank, of Mt. Sterling.

The warrant for Henry's arrest was issued Jan. 21 on an affidavit made by Stephens alleging that while he was working in his dental laboratory at 10 p. m., Jan. 13, he was robbed of the \$30,000 by Henry and a man whom he was unable to identify.

The affidavit claimed that the two men entered Stephens' dental laboratory, pushed him into a private room and took the money.

Stephens did not comment this week on the case.

"The most ridiculous thing I ever heard of," said Henry to Judge Stumbo.

Little is known here of the case beyond the allegations contained in Stephens' affidavit.

BARTER GROUP
HERE FEB. 19

To Offer 'Vinegar Tree'
Under Jr. Woman's Club
Sponsorship at School

Tickets for the Barter Players' presentation of "The Vinegar Tree," famous stage-hit, under the local sponsorship of the Junior Woman's Club, went on sale here this week.

The Barter Theatre of Virginia, the country's first official state theatre, will bring the hit-play to Prestonsburg for one performance on the night of Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the grade school auditorium.

This month's performance will be the Barter Players' third Prestonsburg appearance under auspices of the Junior Woman's Club. Announcing that tickets are now in the hands of clubmembers, officers of the club pointed out that public support is necessary to continue sponsorship of such cultural and entertainment programs.

"We are not hoping to make money for the club; we hope, instead, to make this contribution in the field of entertainment self-supporting. Naturally, if the club cannot present the Barter Theatre without losing money, we cannot afford to bring entertainment of this high type here."

The Barter Theatre, America's oldest, largest, and as TIME magazine

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HEARING SET
FOR WILLIAMS

Here Saturday; Drift
Man Is Jailed on New
Warrant; Denies Guilt

Examining trial of John Williams (or Williamson), who was arrested last week on a warrant accusing him of the attempted rape of a six-year-old Drift child, will be held Saturday, County Judge Henry Stumbo said, Wednesday.

Williams was first arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Rosa Belle Tackett, aunt of the child, and was released under \$1,000 bond, Saturday a new warrant was issued by County Judge Stumbo on information supplied by Commonwealth's Detective Alex L. Davidson, who with Magistrate Ellis Martin arrested Williams at his Drift home and brought him here.

Williams denied guilt of the crime. Judge Stumbo said he had directed the Jailer to have Williams undergo an examination to ascertain if the venereal infection contacted by the child may have resulted from the alleged attack. Tests were not made until Wednesday, it was later learned.

CAST ADRIFT

It may be fate, I dunno. Anyway, teen-age Charles Howell's note in a bottle travelled a long way before it turned up in the hands of a pretty girl, about his own age.

The East McDowell boy was visiting his sister at Wayne, W. Va., last May, and while there he went fishing. While he was waiting for a bite he found a pickle jar, lid and all, and so the ancient note-in-a-bottle idea struck him. He scribbled a few lines, asking that the finder write him (he does not say he hoped the finder would be a girl) and set the bottle adrift in Twelve Pole Creek.

Last month, the bottle was found—130 miles south of the mouth of the Ohio river. That's what Miss Irene Ricketts, who will be sweet sixteen, come April 17, and who resides at Steel, Missouri, wrote Charles on Jan. 5. The girl wrote, in part:

"In regard to your note that you dropped in the river in a pickle jar, sometime ago . . . It came a long way but it finally got to me near Cottonwood Point, Caruthersville, Missouri, about 130 miles south of the mouth of the Ohio river. . . I found the bottle on a drift near Cottonwood Landing. If you receive this letter, please answer."

Irene's letter said she is a brunette, with brown eyes and that she is a high school freshman. Fact of the matter is, what she wrote Charles is so interesting that he didn't send his next letter by the long river route.

No, the Age of Romance is not past.

LET THE FRECKLES SHOW!

Miss Jo Stafford is a gal who is sure of one of two things: (a) her voice is her fortune; or (b) she has her man already staked out and bound by ties stronger than those of matrimony.

For she has dared to wipe all the goo off her face, scrub said face to remove any goo that might be hanging around after the wiping, and to say to her sisters, "Go, thou and do likewise."

In short, this singer of sweet songs ("The Shrimp Boats Is A-Coming," etc.) has decided to take the dough off her man and let the freckles show.

From the looks of a "before" picture accompanying Miss Stafford's

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HALL ELUDES
FLOYD SEARCH

Rumors Beset Officers
Sent on Vain Searches;
State Police Help Seen

The search for John S. (Smith) Hall, 58-year-old Branham's Creek farmer who is wanted for the rape-torture of 22-year-old Allifair Shoffner, this week became a job of chasing rumors.

First there was the report which reached the Pike county Sheriff's office that a man intimately acquainted with the fugitive saw him on Island Creek, Pike county. Search of Island Creek was in vain.

Then came a hot tip from the Clear Creek section. Officers left here hurriedly, certain the quarry was about to be run to earth. That one proved to be a rumor, too.

As of today, Hall's whereabouts remain in the rumor stage. Officers are growing more skeptical and hope of his arrest at any early date is growing dimmer.

State police were reported ready to help in the search, but many believe the fugitive has left Kentucky.

Meanwhile the girl who has sworn to brutal beatings and repeated attacks from Hall is near recovery from frost bite, starvation and the beatings.

Court House
Happenings

SUITS FILED

Richard England vs. Ruby England; J. B. Clarke, atty. Stella Napier vs. R. M. Barnett, et al; Edward L. Allen, atty. Beckley Loan Co., vs. R. W. Thomas, etc.; E. H. Tackett, atty. Mary Elizabeth Wolverton vs. Elmer B. Wolverton; Henry Stephens, atty. Glenn Troy Stambaugh vs. Maggie Ellen Stambaugh; Combs & Combs, attys. Commonwealth of Ky., on Relation, etc. vs. Amos Napier, etc.; Joe Hobson, atty. Nancy Blair vs. Bruce Blair; Burnis Martin, atty. Alice May Ryan vs. G. D. Ryan, Jr.; W. W. Burchett, atty. Julia Elliott vs. Curt Elliott; Tackett & Tackett, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Worley Johnson, 18, Halo, and Mavis Little, 20, Wheelwright married here, Jan. 31, by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Bert B. Minix and Marion Salyers, Charles Edward Tackett, 19, and Ladonna Jean Cross, 18, both of Bevinsville; marriage solemnized here, Feb. 2, by the Rev. Alex Stephens. Willie Conn and Geraldine Castle, Orville Turner and Fanny Terry.

Emmitt Hamilton, Sr., Prominent Farmer, Dies Sunday of Paralysis

Funeral rites were held Sunday, Feb. 3, for Emmitt Hamilton Sr., of Teaberry, Ky., aged 75, who died at his home from paralysis.

A son of William and Rhoda Francis Hamilton, he was born March 18, 1881, and was widely known and related in this county. He had been a farmer all of his life and for years was trustee of the local school.

He was first married to Frances Newsome, who died about 25 years ago, leaving no children. After the death of his first wife he was united in marriage to Maude Hamilton, who survives.

He is also survived by the following sons and daughters: Virgil Hamilton, of Rising Sun, Md.; Emmitt Hamilton, Jr., at home; Mrs. Estill Meeks, Teaberry; Mrs. Arnold Prater, Teaberry; and the following brothers and sisters: John Hamilton, of Teaberry; Bill Hamilton, of Betsy Layne, this county; Everett Hamilton, of Ashland; Mrs. Bert Frasure, of Pocahontas, Idaho; Mrs. Harve Newsome, of Waverly, O.; and Mrs. John Tackett, Grethel.

The funeral was under direction of Hall Brothers Regular Home, of Martin, at the Regular Baptist Church, Teaberry. Officiating ministers were E. V. Hamilton, J. B. Hamilton, Mitchell Chaffins, Jonah Isaac and Sam Thomas. Burial was in the family cemetery.

The 47,000 Scouts at the National Boy Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., in July 1950 was the largest gathering of youth in the Western Hemisphere.

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criminal act was postponed till April 10. The delay was necessary to have Osborne given a physical and mental examination as required by law in the case of habitual lawbreakers.

The two-year term given Warren G. Hill, earlier in the court session, for voluntary manslaughter in the death of a Left Beaver Creek man who allegedly was struck by Hall's car, was set aside last week. Conflicting evidence caused the action. Hill previously had been denied a new trial.

The two-year term given Caudill Stanley for child desertion was probated after Stanley had executed bond to pay \$80 a month for the support of his children till they reach age 16.

Convictions in circuit court since last Tuesday morning include these: Kermit Moore, driving while license revoked, \$20 fine and 20 days in jail; Clay Daniels, cold check, \$25 fine and 10 days, granted new trial for April 17.

The jury disagreed in the trial of Denzil Whitten on a charge of selling alcoholic beverages. Hillard Mitchell was acquitted of a child desertion charge.

Cases dismissed, all for lack of prosecution, were: Clayton Gee, unlawful conversion of property; Bumm Hays, drunk driving and drunkenness; Riley Creech, reckless use of a deadly weapon.

Richard Mentor Johnson, only vice-president of the United States elected by the Senate, was born near Louisville.

MAGOFFIN BOY, 14, BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD WITH CORN

On display at the office of the Floyd County Times office are two ears of corn from the world's record acre production grown by a 14-year-old Magoffin county boy, on the North Middle Fork of the Licking River.

Cledith Rowe, 4-H Club boy, is the new world's champion corn producer. His yield of 233.2 bushels on one acre of land surpasses the previous world record of 224.2 bushels held by Carroll Brown of Iowa.

The yield was made with two white corn hybrids of which the major part was Kentucky Certified US 523W. The creek bottom land where the corn was grown has been built up during recent years by young Rowe's father, J. H. Rowe, who produced only 17 bushels per acre on it in 1936. The land has been limed and fertilized well in recent years and cover crops of rye and vetch have been turned under annually.

The fertilizer treatment for the record crop of corn included 1,000 pounds of 20% superphosphate applied in the fall of 1950; 1,400 pounds of 6-8-6, 600 pounds of 33% ammonium nitrate and 560 pounds of 60% muriate of potash applied in the spring of 1951.

Planting was done by hand on May 8, dropping 2 or 3 kernels in hills 110 inches apart in 26 rows. A total of 24,696 stalks were estimated to be on the acre. Yields were based on 15 1/2% moisture, the test for moisture being made at the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station.

Cledith and his father have taken part in the Kentucky Corn Derby in each of the 6 years since it was organized, with previous yields running from a low of 100 bushels in 1948 to 145.3 in 1949. Their average yield for the 6 years is 158.7.

S. L. Isbell, former County Agent for Floyd, visited the Rowe farm recently and inspected the corn in the crib. He says there is not a "nubbin" in the entire lot. The Rowes, father and son, have as their goal, a production of 300 bushels to the acre, a goal scientists have been thinking about for years but agreeing that it was a very remote future accomplishment.

The boy has been invited to appear at the Midwest Soil Conservation Service meeting in Chicago, March of this year. There he will explain some of the problems he solved in his record production and tell about his goal of 300 bushels this year which he hopes to accomplish with the installation of an overhead sprinkling system in the event precipitation is insufficient, and the raising of the fertility of the acre by addition of other fertilizers.

Of this goal of 300 bushels to the acre, Harold B. Rice, present county agent of Floyd county says: "He may do it but it will be difficult. I wouldn't say he can't, in the face of this year's record".

Mr. Isbell states that one advantage the Rowe farm soil had was the clay base which would take fertilizer well and retain it. "The elder Rowe", Isbell added, "has been a 4-H Club leader in his community for about 10 years and keeps pure bred Brown Swiss cattle and pure bred Hampshire hogs. His tobacco is so superior that he competes in the Lexington tobacco shows. He is an all around farmer".

Kentucky has 1,424 miles of navigable streams—more than any other state.

Mississippi Southern Finds Needed 'Big Man' In Person of Jr. Hunley

HATTIESBURG, Miss. — Coach Lee Floyd may have finally found that "big man" for his Mississippi Southern basketball team.

The tall Texan will have a better idea this week-end when the Southern's play Northwestern State and SLI here Friday and Saturday night in a pair of crucial Gulf States Conference tilts.

Inability to control the backboard and get even a fifty-fifty break on rebounds has hindered the Southern's cause considerably.

But for the past three games freshman Russell Hunley, a lanky six-foot 6 3/4 inch center from Prestonsburg, Ky., has performed admirably—has given the Southern's the tall man needed to go with the fast little men, Nick Revon, Tom Bishop and Jack Gallagher.

With Hunley at the center spot, Floyd switched the former pivot man, John O'Keefe, who stands six-foot, to guard opposite the classy Gallagher.

Against Fort Jackson here Monday in a March of Dimes thriller, Hunley played a featured role in the 77-56 victory—Southern's 13th of the year against six setbacks.

The big rookie showed well at Memphis State and again at Centenary, but against the khaki-clad Divis Division artillery cagers, Russ Hunley finally "arrived".

Hunley, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunley, Sr., played center on the Prestonsburg high school team.

ANNOUNCES SERVICES

The Rev. Walter Webb, of Wayland, a student at Louisville Bible College, announces he will conduct services at the Bosco Church of Christ Saturday night, Feb. 15, Sunday morning and Sunday night. His sermon topic for the first two services will be, "Why I Believe in God," and "Contrast Between the Righteous and Unrighteous".

Clubs Sponsor Heart Fund Drive in Floyd

Eight local women's organizations will sponsor the 1952 Heart Fund drive in Floyd county, according to state campaign officials of the Kentucky Heart Association.

Chairmen of club committees which will undertake distribution of the plastic heart coin containers and other drive activities are Miss Alice V. Williams, Betsy Layne Woman's Club; Mrs. Dwane Deal, Drift Woman's Club; Mrs. Helen Ison, Maytown Woman's Club; Mrs. William E. Stinnette, Allen-Martin Woman's Club; Mrs. Mark K. Reed, Prestonsburg Woman's Club; Mrs. Herbert Gillis, Jr., Wheelwright Woman's Club; Mrs. Russell Harman, David Woman's Club, and Mrs. R. F. Vinson, Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club.

The month-long campaign for funds to fight heart disease starts Feb. 1. Kentucky's goal is \$100,000, of which 75 per cent will remain in the state.

Cpl. Charles Fraley Is Service Man of Week

Cpl. Charles Fraley, son of Sam Fraley of Martin, who is stationed at Camp Detrick, Md., has been made Service Man of the Week, an honor conferred for outstanding service in some feature of army life.

Fraley, formerly of Wayland, a high-scoring center, when assigned to Camp Detrick in November, 1951 immediately entered into post basketball activities and has been starting center on almost every contest this season. He is 6 feet, 4 inches in height, a valuable asset to an otherwise short statured team.

Cpl. Fraley is a veteran of more than a year in Korea and while he is only 19 has earned the Presidential Citation of Merit, received the Purple Heart and wears five battle stars.

Betsy Layne Men's Club Meets at Church, Jan. 24

The Betsy Layne Men's Fellowship met at the Methodist Church, Jan. 24, at 7 p.m. The officers prepared a delicious fish fry dinner which everyone enjoyed. Rev. Anderson, pastor of the church, gave the devotional. A business session was directed by Al Snyder and Walter Hall, vice-president and president of the club. A film entitled, "It's the Brain That Counts," was presented. In attendance were: Al Snyder, Walter Hall, Jesse Elliott, E. P. Davis, James George, Arthur Van Kammen, Clayborne Bailey, Howard Jones, Gerald Hunter, A. M. Boyd, Ernel Ratliff, Jim Smith, Jack Branham, Joe I. May, Urhal Hurley, J. W. Stecle, Robert L. Anderson, Palmer Crum, Graham Sellards, Masters Stevie Branham and Robert Fletcher Anderson. Walter Nance, of Pikeville, was a guest.

Plans were made for a joint meeting with the Vogel-Day Fellowship, Feb. 28, at 6:30 p.m. James L. Patton, of Paintsville, will be the speaker.

The University of Louisville, oldest municipal university in the country, was founded in 1798.

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announcement to give up on the camouflage, I'd say, off-hand, that the make-up wasn't hurting her or anybody else. But you can't convince a female of this turn of mind that a freckle looks better under the second coat, and she produces arguments which might convince you that you're all wet.

She, for instance, points to the Egyptians of five to seven thousand years ago who started this cosmetic thing and put Eva Arden, etcetera, in business, and swears those paint-and-polish gals and guys of that day were orrier even than those who are causing our Henglish cousins so much trouble around Suez. Furthermore, she tells what Jezebel did when she hear that Jahu was on his way. "Painted her face," says the Stafford. "And look what happened to Jezebel." She even lays the defeat of the American Indian more to the paint they used on their mugs than to the whites and a sort of powder our ancestors used in their guns.

"I honestly believe," says the singing star, "one reason for today's divorce rate is the hypocrisy of women."

"That'll do for one reason. I could list several others, one of which is the pure cussedness of both women and men.

By and large, freckles and all, with a lovely singing voice and a wholesome outlook, I am tempted to say this Miss Jo Stafford is a splendid example of American womanhood. But I shan't.

The last time I gazed on such a critter and pronounced her passing fair and a gal of the finest type, she up within a week, left her husband and took up with an Italian movie director.

Water Well Drillers Under New Procedure

A new procedure requiring water well drilling contractors to apply for allotments controlled by filing Form CMP-4C construction application has just been announced by the National Production Authority, according to Prentiss M. Terry, Louisville, district manager.

The new procedure outlined in Directive 4 to CMP Regulation 6 specifies that drilling contractors must file an application for their steel and other requirements for the second quarter of 1952, by not later than February 15. The second quarter must also be accompanied by Form CMP-65.

All well drilling contractors are urged to file for allotments of steel and copper, if they have contracts to fulfill in the second quarter of this year.

CPM applications and forms, as well as information on the new procedure, may be obtained from the Louisville District Office, National Production Authority, address as above.

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HONOR COURT PLANS TOLD

Function Here Monday To Attract 100 Scouts; One To Get Eagle Award

One hundred or more Boy Scouts from all parts of Floyd county will gather here Monday evening for the first district Court of Honor held in this county in several months, Jack Hodge, district Scout executive, announced this week.

Scouts from David, Auxier, Dwayne, Maytown, Wayland, Drift, Wheelwright and Prestonsburg will participate and receive awards ranging from Tenderfoot rank to Eagle, Scouting's highest award.

Gary Martin, of Martin, will be awarded this coveted Eagle rank—a place in Scouting attained by a relatively few and by these only through hard work, living up to the highest Scout standards and earning at least 21 Merit Badges.

The Court of Honor, which will be under the direction of C. H. Corbin, Prestonsburg, and George Evans, of Wayland, will begin at 7 p.m., in the county courtroom. In addition to the Scouts and their parents, Cub Scouts and their parents also will take part in the ceremonies.

Ehmsen, Former Manager Of Co-op Here, Promoted

LeRoy A. Ehmsen, formerly manager of the Big Sandy Electric Co-operative here, has accepted a position with the Hubbard Company of Pittsburgh, a manufacturer of electric distribution line materials, it was announced recently. After his resignation from the management of the rural electric co-op here, Ehmsen was salesman for Graybar Electric Company, of Cincinnati, and covered the Big Sandy for that company while living in Lexington.

His new job will be as sales engineer for the Hubbard Company and he will be located in Des Moines, Iowa. The Hubbard Linebuilder, a trade magazine, in announcing Ehmsen's connection with their company, said: "His friends call him 'Slim,' but that's only because his 6 feet 6 inches give him that appearance. He started to work with the Iowa Power & Light Company, spent some time as lineman with the American Telephone & Telegraph Company. He received his education at Iowa State College, University of Iowa, and Westinghouse Technical Night School. Slim has two sons, aged 15 and 12. They are old enough to go along when their father goes hunting and he is well able to teach them the joint arts of getting the game and doing the camp cooking."

'Skid Row', Religious Film, Portrays Alcoholic Life

"Skid Row," a part of the film, "Out of the Night," will be presented in the Methodist Church, Martin, on Sunday, Feb. 10th at 7:30 p.m. free. This film portrays a prominent and well-to-do young husband, who starts out as a social drinker, and soon seeks to drown his troubles.

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Hays Announces Sale Of Lumber Company

State Senator Douglas Hays announced here, a few days ago, that he had sold the Douglas Hays Lumber Company to the Hamilton Lumber Company, thus retiring from the lumber business in which he had engaged for 51 years.

Eugene Hamilton, of McDowell, is manager of the new firm.

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LINES DRAWN ON MINE BILL

Bitter Fight Develops As Merits of Two Bills Argued before Committee

Lines were drawn for a bitter legislative fight in the General Assembly this week with the United Mine Workers, bulwarked by the Federal Bureau of Mines, on one side and the coal operators on the other.

The anticipated battle is over House Bill 10, a mine safety bill sponsored by the former and House Bill 158, a mine safety bill having administration approval and supported by the operators.

Appearing before the House committee on mines, oils and minerals were an imposing array of witnesses, some pro and con, a few like A. D. Sisk, chief of the Department of Mines and Minerals who while speaking in an official capacity defended the house bill. Pros for House bill were Sam Caddy, head of UMWA District 30, Troy L. Black, Washington, inspector of the Federal Bureau of Mines, and J. B. Benson, another inspector. Kenneth Howe, of Pikeville, and John Young Brown, attorneys for the Mine Workers, were present but did not testify.

O. S. Batten, of Pikeville, representing the Kentucky Coal Operators Association, was present and presented the operators' side.

The United Mine Workers' objection is thus summed up by one of their spokesmen, who said: "It is a mere compromise with mine safety based upon the false notion that the costs of real mine safety should run many operators out of business." But the operators say: "The bill is loaded with punitive and nuisance sections. It demonstrates that miners are unwilling to accept their fair share of responsibility for mine safety."

Sisk said he started preparation of the bill in December under a directive from Governor Wetherby. He consulted his own organization, Sam Caddy and the Federal Bureau of Mines. "But I say to you," he added, "that mine safety cannot be had without the education and the co-operation of the miners themselves. Each miner has got to come to the mental attitude that he is his own safety committee."

But Caddy implied that he believes the cards are stacked against him at Frankfort.

"We have no reason," he said, "to believe that our bill is the one really under consideration at this hearing. But I will not come to this committee-hearing, or to any other, and compromise with the lives, backs, and limbs of the 70,000 miners in Kentucky."

Since the eight-hour day in 1898, Caddy said, operators have advanced the notion that better working conditions would drive them out of business.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the many friends and relatives who offered their assistance, kindness and sympathy upon the death of our beloved son and brother, Jake Thomas. We would especially thank Revs. Benedict and Stratton for their comforting words, and the Allen Baptist Church choir for the beautiful songs. We thank Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for their fine efficient services. Last but not least we thank the young military escort, Sgt. Boice, for his kindness and understanding sympathy.

THE THOMAS FAMILY

SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Margaret Frasure Plaintiff vs. SHERIFF'S SALE Floetine Bentley Defendant

By virtue of an execution No. 12291 which issued from the Clerk's office of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of Margaret Frasure on the 12th day of December 1951 in the amount of \$65.79 with interest at 6% interest per annum from the 25th day of September 1951 and cost (\$60.60) I, or one of my deputies will on Monday 25th day of February, 1952, at the hour of 1:00 o'clock p.m., at the courthouse in the City of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder, all the title, interest that the defendant has in the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on Frasure's Creek of the Left Fork of Beaver Creek near Dona, Ky.

Beginning at a branch running up the hill to the top of ridge adjoining Bee Howell's land, thence around the ridge to the line of Curt Elliott, thence back down the hill to the branch at the beginning, containing 50 acres more or less.

This tract of land has a four-room house on the property.

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WITNESS my hand this 5th day of February, 1952.

A. B. MEADE, Sheriff of Floyd county, Ky.

Rites for Albert Ratliff Conducted at Brandy Keg; Was Mine Injury Victim

Funeral of Albert Ratliff, 64 years old, retired miner, who died Jan. 24 at his home at Lancer, was conducted from the Freewill Baptist Church on Brandy Keg by the Rev. Henry Crider.

Mr. Ratliff had been in ill health since suffering a mine injury, about four years ago. He was a son of Tom and Nan Roberts Ratliff, and was a native of the Johns Creek section. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Nellie Lawson Ratliff, two sons and three daughters, Tom and Morgan Ratliff, both of Lancer, Mrs. Vada Owens, Turkey Creek, Ky., Mrs. Alma Maynard and Mrs. Amy Campbell, both of Lancer. He also leaves two brothers, Dick Ratliff, Ivel, and Denzil Ratliff, of Martin, and two sisters, Mrs. Nora Mandkins and Florence Ratliff, both of Ashland.

Burial was made in the family cemetery at Lancer under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

Echo River in Mammoth Cave is three-quarters of a mile long.

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zine says, "most active professional touring company," made theatrical history when it became the country's first official state theatre. In addition, it is sponsored by the American National Theatre and Academy, which operates under a charter from the United States Congress.

Barter tours are sent out under the aegis of many distinguished personages. A number of the members of the board of directors are theatrical greats, such as Katherine Cornell, Helen Hayes, Gregory Peck, Margaret Sullivan, Howard Lindsey and Russell Crouse. But many are public-spirited individuals, like Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Mrs. Wendell Willkie, who have never been directly connected with the stage. James Hilton, author of "Goodbye Mr. Chips," "Lost Horizon," and "Random Harvest," is one of Barter's most active supporters.

All of these and many others have aided Founder-Producer Robert Porterfield in realizing his dream of bringing good theatre at popular prices to audiences all over the country.

Two-Year Illness Claims Roy E. Williams

Funeral rites were held Tuesday, Feb. 5, at the home for Roy Earl Williams, 17, son of Early and Josephine Neeley Williams, who died Jan. 3 after a two-year illness of cancer.

He was born in Floyd county and at the time of his death was a student. He is survived by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Curtis Williams, of the army, Fort Knox, Ky.; Elmer Oletis Williams, with the army of occupation in Germany; Mrs. Goldia Sipes, Bo manza; Mrs. Gladys Bayes, Fleming county; Mrs. Maida Dyer, Lima, O.; Mrs. Hazel Meadows, Lima, O.; Mrs. Virginia Hempker, Lima, O.; Bobby Lu and Betty Sue Williams, at home.

The funeral was under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home, with the Revs. Alex Stephens and Wallace Calhoun as officiating ministers. Burial was in the Neeley cemetery.

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Five Escape Serious Hurt in 2 Car Wrecks

Two auto wrecks near here within four days involving five persons resulted in no serious injuries.

Three Prestonsburg high school students, Jimmy Dick Spurlock, Joe Isbell and Billy Titlow, escaped with cuts and bruises Saturday night when the auto driven by young Spurlock skidded and plunged over the high embankment near Knotley Hollow. The car overturned five times and was a total loss.

Trooper Ira Taylor, of the Kentucky state police, was injured at Lancer Tuesday afternoon when his car and a semi-trailer collided. Circumstances of this wreck were not learned.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. Richard Webb, II, are announcing the birth of their second child, a daughter, born on Feb. 5, at Lexington, Ky. The babe has been named Lillian Pittman. Mrs. Webb is the former Miss Patty Rimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, of Prestonsburg.

Pioneer in Floyd Oil Victim at Huntington; Came to County in 1891

George H. Dimick, who with his father, the late George H. Dimick, Sr., and his brother, T. E. Dimick, pioneered oil development in this county, died Wednesday at 2 a.m., at his home in Huntington, W. Va. He was a victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Dimick, who was widely known in Floyd and other counties of this section, came with his father and brother from Pennsylvania to Beaver Creek in this county in 1891. Their first producing well was drilled at Hueysville.

He had been in ill health for the last few years, suffering from a heart condition. Surviving, besides his brother and his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Dimick, are two sons, John M. and George Dimick, Jr.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday at 2 p.m., from the home of T. E. Dimick, 12th avenue, Huntington, and burial will be made in Woodmire cemetery there.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who offered assistance and kindness during the last illness of our father, J. D. Foster. We gratefully thank those who sent flowers and extended other courtesies during his death. We would especially thank the members and choir of The First Baptist Church of Grayson for the beautiful music, songs and other arrangements, the Rev. L. Durham for conducting his last rites and the Grayson Funeral Home for its efficient service.

THE FAMILY

Notice:

Any person may obtain 1952 License Sticker by mailing to the County Court Clerk their 1951 license receipt and the same fee that was charged for 1951 license. DORAN MOORE, Clerk Floyd County Court

Fiscal Court Sets Up Bull Cr.-Martin Road Approves TV at Auxier

The fiscal court at its Monday meeting set up for future construction a Bull Creek to Martin route which would extend up the Left Fork of Bull to the Derosssett school and from there go via Saddle Tree Gap through Mosley's Cove to the Hunter Branch, and from there to Buck's Branch and Martin.

Ora Curnutte was granted a franchise to construct a system for television reception at Auxier which would include poles, wires, transformers and other equipment.

The court noted that there is an unencumbered balance in the county treasury of \$10,000, and it provided for the payment of the Circuit Judge's \$600-a-year salary.

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Raccoon Fork Survey
Changes Would Save
An Estimated \$3,000

The State Highway Department is considering changes in the survey down Raccoon Fork of Salt Lick in this county for the Salyersville-Hindman road, County Judge Henry Stumbo said, Wednesday.

Map work is now being done and is expected to be completed by February 18, he added. Judge Stumbo expressed the hope that changes on the survey will save Floyd county upwards of \$3,000 on rights-of-way purchases.

Changes in the survey will not make necessary re-advertising of the route, which already has been let to contract, a highway department employee said. All that will be necessary will be for the department and the contractor to agree on contract figure changes resulting from a greater or lesser amount of work made necessary by survey alterations, he explained.

Judge Stumbo said condemnation suits on the Raccoon right-of-way have been prepared as little hope of settlement with the various property-owners was seen under the original survey, but announcement of the state's willingness to attempt a change of the survey in certain spots will delay the filing of the suits.

The route, when completed, will open up the head of Licking section of Magoffin county and the Quick-sand area in Magoffin, at the same time linking the Right Beaver part of Floyd with new coal operations in Breathitt and giving the three counties a short route to the Blue-grass.

St. Mary's Cathedral in Covington, Ky., is modeled after Notre Dame in Paris.

There are 150 miles of charred passages in Mammoth Cave.

solidly Republican as the present Ninth, and the other districts would remain in their respective folds about as prior election returns have dictated. It is conceded by the realists, though, that nobody would get very far with a re-districting plan anticipating major changes in the political complexion of the state's Congressional delegation.

The University's plan, it is conceded by all, obtains almost a mathematical exactitude in their districts, well within the 15 per cent ratio. In some instances, this exactitude was obtained at the expense of geographic distortion and its attendant evil of having two or more major and diverse economic interests in the same district.

A plan proposed here envisions a compact, contiguous Seventh district, while it has something near 9,000 population in excess of the exact 398,101 population desired for each district for those inclined to be mathematically correct, yet it has, its proponents say, so many other added features of merit that it deserves consideration. The Seventh, as proposed here, would begin with Bell and include Letcher, which is left out of the University group's Seventh, Harlan, Perry, Knott, Pike and Floyd. Inclusion of Leslie would give a population of 375,000. Deletion of Leslie, which would lessen the geographic contiguity and compactness, would leave a district with a population of 260,000. This district would have no geographic distortions and the population would have the common industrial interest of mining.

This plan should not throw the other districts out of line in the matter of attaining an approximate population within the suggested percent of allowance envisioned in HR 2648. Very little partisan consideration entered into the drafting of the district, it is claimed. It could conceivably be Democratic or Republican, depending upon the prevailing sentiment of the time.

"My Old Kentucky Home was built in 1795 by Judge John Rowan.

Billy Jean Blackburn, of Betsy Layne, teacher of music in the Wheelwright school, was seriously injured Friday afternoon, Feb. 1, when the car in which she was riding left the road on Big Mud Creek. Mr. Meece, driver of the wrecked car, and who lives at West Van Lear, was injured only slightly. He was driving Miss Blackburn to her home at Betsy Layne, by way of the Big Mud Creek road, and when they neared the Joe Reynolds farm, a few miles from Ligon, gravel that had been recently applied to the road surface caused the car to skid and strike an embankment.

THE TIMES FAMILY

Miss Barbara Allen, who has been with the news department of The Times, left recently for St. Louis, Mo., where she is employed by the D'Arcy Advertising Agency. Her place on The Times staff has been taken by Henry P. Scalf, whose historical articles have for months been an interesting feature of this newspaper.

Last rites for Pfc. Jake R. Thomas, who was killed at the age of 23 in the Korean fighting, were conducted Monday at 2 p.m., from the Allen Baptist Church, with veterans of other wars, represented by the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign War and the VFW Auxiliary, according to military honors.

Body of Pfc. Thomas arrived here Saturday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ruth Thomas. Born at Garth, July 9, 1928, he was graduated from Prestonsburg high school with the class of '47 and entered the army in January, 1951.

His father, Lawrence Thomas, preceded him in death. Surviving, besides his mother, are three sisters and three brothers, Mrs. Robert Wilcox, Wayne, Mich., Misses Gertrude and Ethel Thomas, both of Prestonsburg, Arnold Thomas, Pontiac, Mich., William Thomas, Columbus, O., and Ralph Douglas Thomas, Prestonsburg.

Officiating at the funeral were Revs. L. W. Benedict and Isaac Stratton. Burial was made in the Dwayne cemetery, the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing.

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Since January 1 there have been mild outbreaks of infectious hepatitis—commonly called yellow jaundice—in scattered areas of the state, according to G. R. Jones, M.D., Associate Director, Division of Preventive Medical Services, Kentucky State Board of Health.

Although only 37 cases have been officially reported thus far this month, there are undoubtedly cases which have not yet been reported to us," Dr. Jones said. In Pendleton county the health officer reported 13 cases, seven of them in one school. Henderson reported 12 cases officially and 14 more cases were unofficially reported. Other counties in which cases have occurred are: Grayson, Harlan, Marion, Lee and Knox.

A virus infection, infectious hepatitis is believed contagious through human excreta. Outbreaks often occur as the result of poor sanitation, Dr. Jones said. The incubation period is approximately one month which often makes tracking down the infecting agent "most difficult," he explained.

A number of cases of ringworm of the scalp also are reported in the state, mostly in western Kentucky. Dr. Jones said. A very contagious disease, ringworm is caused by a fungus and its victims usually are school children, especially boys, between the ages of 7 and 12. It is usually "picked up" from seat backs in trains, buses or movie theaters, or is transmitted by using, combs, brushes, caps or hats belonging to someone who has ringworm.

An epidemic of ringworm two years ago and was brought under control only by a prolonged campaign waged by health authorities, assisted by several civic organizations.

Drift Woman, Second
In Week To Be Fined
In Forest Fire Case

The second conviction of one week of the fair sex for setting a forest fire was that of Oma Amburgy, of Drift, who was fined \$10 and costs in county court, Saturday, Forest Warden Forrest Burchett said. A conviction of Mrs. Lloyd Calhoun, of Hi Hat, with the same fine and on the same charge occurred earlier in the same week.

Other county court convictions of the week: Randolph Hunt, selling whiskey, \$50 fine and 30-day jail term; Italy Spears, drunk driving, \$100 fine, driver's license revoked; John Belcher, permitting operation of his car by an intoxicated driver, \$10.

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Transferred to London
For Trial; Brown Says
That Site 'Unfriendly'

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 4—A \$2,000,000 suit brought by the United Mine Workers on charges that a reign of terror existed in Clay and Leslie counties was ordered transferred to the London docket of federal court by United States District Judge H. Church Ford today.

The judge's decision to transfer the widely discussed case from the Jackson docket came after a U.M.W. attorney had pleaded that the suit not be set for trial at London.

"Many of the witnesses in this case are fearful that if the trial is held at London they will have to go through unfriendly territory to get there," John Young Brown, attorney for the union, told Judge Ford.

"In a civil-rights trial held at London several years ago, a witness testified during the case and the next day was killed after returning to his home," Brown said. He apparently referred to a case tried at London in the summer of 1938.

Defendants in that case, which involved the alleged violation of the civil rights of miners, were 22 coal corporations, 24 executives of coal companies, and 22 law-enforcement officers. The trial started in May and ended in August.

In ordering the case transferred to London, Judge Ford said he "was primarily concerned with the convenience of the defendants and I believe that London is the ideal place to hold this trial in view of its location close to the homes of many witnesses and the fact that there are ample hotel accommodations there."

"After all, you would have to come through somebody's territory if you came to Lexington or Richmond for the trial."

Brown previously had suggested both Lexington and Richmond as possible sites for the trial.

The London term of federal district court will open April 7. No specific date for the start of the \$2,000,000 damage suit was set at today's hearing. Judge Ford said he would determine the date later, after conferring with attorneys for both sides.

In the suit filed September 11, representatives of the union charged its officials and members were terrorized, threatened and intimidated in Clay and Leslie counties—the last stronghold of non-unionism in the Eastern Kentucky coal fields. Included among more than 140 defendants in the case were coal companies, their officials and operators, and law-enforcement officers.

The petition stated there were 11 incidents against union organizers and representatives between last May 1 and the time when the action was filed in September.

Specifically, the suit asked for \$1,000,000 actual and \$1,000,000 punitive damages against the mine operators and law-enforcement officers. It also asked generally that the defendants be "enjoined, restrained, and inhibited" from interfering with the right of miners to become members of "labor organizations and their own choosing."

Funeral Rites Sunday
For Cpl. Roy L. Layne
Victim of Korean War

Funeral rites will be conducted from the Betsy Layne high school auditorium Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock for Cpl. Roy Leon Layne, son of the Rev. Carl and Ollie Bush Layne.

Cpl. Layne, who was killed in action in Korea, October 9, 1951, was born Oct. 13, 1927. Before entering the service he was employed as an operator for the C. & O. Railway at Betsy Layne, this county. He was a graduate of the Betsy Layne high school. He entered the armed services on Jan. 8, 1951 at Portsmouth, Ohio and received his basic training at Fort Knox, Ky. On May 18, 1951 he was home on furlough but soon reported for assignment, sailing from Seattle for Japan on June 10. After a few days in Japan he was sent to Korea and met his death in action at Rogers Hill.

A soldier in Cpl. Layne's unit who survived a serious wound wrote the parents about the action, in which three others were killed and 17 wounded. The men were caught in between the cross fire of two enemy machine guns. This action, the soldier buddy wrote, was one of several battles in which Cpl. Layne engaged.

Besides his parents, he leaves a brother, Robert Layne, of Betsy Layne, and two sisters, Mrs. Lucille Whitaker, Paintsville, and Mrs. Ruth Layne, Paducah, Ky.

The body will be removed from the train and taken to the parents' home at Justell. The funeral at the high school auditorium will be conducted by the Baker Funeral Home and the officiating ministers will be the Revs. Dewey Fraley, Isaac Stratton and Clyde Layne. Burial will be in the Ferguson Cemetery at Laynesville.

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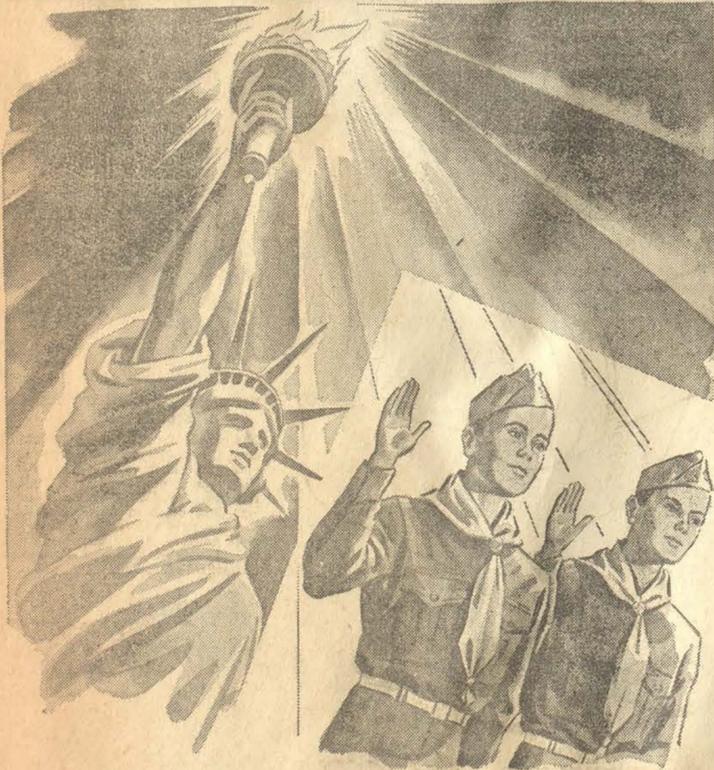


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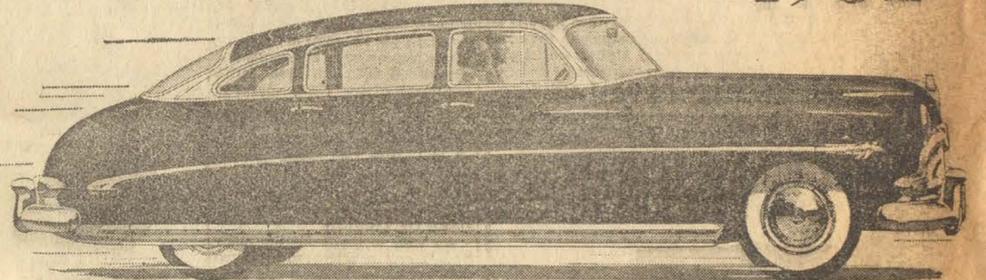
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Johnnie Robinson, Aged, Victim of Freak Mishap At Buck's Branch Monday

Robinson died, Wednesday night, The Times learned today.

Johnnie Robinson, aged about 80, is in Our Lady of the Way hospital, in a critical condition from an accident suffered at a coal tippie Buck's Branch, Feb. 4.

Robinson had gone to the coal tippie after dark, and Heber Hunter, a said, was getting coal from a car. He allowed a large lump of coal weighing about 50 pounds to roll off, not knowing anyone was near. The coal struck Robinson on his head, seriously injuring him. At this time it is not known if he will live.

INFANT IS VICTIM

Donnie, three-months-old son of Bob and Hattie Page Webb, of Teaberry, died at its parents' home Feb. 2, of an undetermined illness. Funeral rites were conducted at the residence of the parents Sunday, Feb. 3. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home. Survivors are the father and mother, a twin brother, Ronnie, and two sisters, Mavis and Billy Jean, at home.



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MRS. BURKE, HOSTESS TO PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

Mrs. E. R. Burke was hostess to members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary at her home on Second avenue, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Ernest Osborne, the president, presided. Mrs. Burke conducted the devotionals. Mrs. Orville Pearson was in charge of the program on "The Church Budget and What It Means." Assisting were Mrs. James Hartley, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Rainley White and Miss Alma Collins. Plans were discussed for the entertainment of the Presbytery and Presbyterial, which will convene here April 15-16, and committees were appointed for arrangements. The hostess served a dessert course to Mesdames Rainley White, Harvey Howard, Everett Sowards, Marvin Music, Dick Davis, James Hartley, Ralph Davis, Ernest Osborne, F. L. Heinze, Dan Reed, Cecil Willis, Frank Layne, Orville Pearson, E. R. Burke, Cliff Rinehart, W. V. Bunting, Ray Howard, Mrs. Linda, Misses Alma Collins, Mary E. Powers, Catherine Reed.

DAR TO MEET

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Tuesday, Feb. 12, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Olga M. Latta.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Sgt. James Andrew May spent a week-end furlough here last week with his mother, Mrs. Bess S. May. He is stationed at Ft. Knox.

BAPTIST CHURCH CIRCLES STUDY MISSION WORK

The three Circles comprising the study groups of Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church met Monday evening to study the mission book, "Pilgrimage to Spanish America," by Everett Gill.

Mrs. Phil Schroeder was hostess to the Julia Mayo May Circle, Mrs. Schroeder being the leader. The devotionals were conducted by Mrs. E. P. Hill. Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, chairman, presided at the business session. Members present were Mesdames E. P. Hill, Marvin Ransdell, Phil Schroeder, Estill Hyden, Grover Lowe, Russel Shaw, John Archer, Robert D. Francis, Joe Harkins, Jr., John Hale, J. R. Hurt, A. B. Combs, Miss Annie Allen.

The Daisy Harris Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. B. Clarke. Mrs. Clarke was the leader. The business session was conducted by Mrs. Tom G. Dingsus. Those present were Mesdames Troy B. Sturgill, W. W. Burchett, Carrie Baxter, A. J. Davidson, Charles Hughes, Curtis Clark, Peter Rippe, Cora Cook, Bill Napier, James Clark, T. G. Dingsus, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke.

The Chaddie Salsbury Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ralph B. Archer with Miss Anna Martin as leader. Mrs. Hoover Harrington presided at the business session. Members present were Mesdames Robert Sirkle, Lawrence Ketterhagen, Avanelle Dills, L. W. Benedict, Herbert Salsbury, Richard Feiler, S. L. Isbell, Robert Spurlock, John Caudill, Olga M. Latta, Hoover Harrington, Ralph B. Archer, Miss Anna Martin. Mrs. Susan Norton was a guest. Salad plates were served by all hostesses at the group meetings.

CHURCH CLASS MEETS

The Kome Join Us Class of the Church of Christ at Martin, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fraley, Allen, Ky. on Feb. 4 at 7:30. Brother Dewey Sargent opened by prayer, Devotional was by Brother Demra Taylor, business recordings were read by Secretary Joan Wilson. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Brownie James, Mrs. Steve Stout and daughter, Mrs. Walter Babb, Mrs. Bill Fraley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reynolds and son, Mrs. Henry Mace, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sargent and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, Mrs. Raymond Griffith, Mrs. Thomas E. Allen, Mrs. Virginia Short, Mrs. Ed Copley, Miss Genevieve Stambaugh, Mr. James Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Davis, Miss Janet Sue Fraley, Miss Bille Ann Fraley and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fraley.

BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hayward, of West Prestonsburg, at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Feb. 1, their second child—a daughter, Rebecca Margaret.

HOSTESS TO BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. F. M. Leake was hostess Saturday evening at her home at East Point to a birthday party honoring her husband, Miss Katherine Leake, of Prestonsburg, J. W. Leake and Miss Linda Sue Preston, both of Paintsville. Table decorations were red carnations in the Valentine motif. The honorees received many useful gifts. Gests included Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Preston, Mrs. Russell Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Derossett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Derossett, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Leake, Betty Jo, Kenneth and Dona Jean Derossett, Wanda, Mary Sue and Paul Leake.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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WEEK OF FEBRUARY 10:
Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
2:30 p.m.—Mission Sunday School at Buckeye.
6:30 p.m.—Jr.-Hl. Westminster Fellowship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Midweek service.
8:30 p.m.—Choir practice.



BIRTHDAY DINNER
Mrs. J. D. Mayo entertained a family group to dinner last Sunday, honoring the birth anniversary of her husband. The decorated birthday cake centered the table which seated Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, Joe Mayo Spradlin, Mr. and Mrs. William Damron, Bill Mayo Damron, Mr. and Mrs. Greenville Spradlin. Personal gifts were presented to Mr. Mayo after the meal was served.

HOME FROM HEALTH RESORT
Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and Henry D. Fitzpatrick returned home Sunday from Dillsboro, Ind., where they spent 10 days at the Dillsboro Health Resort.

RETURNS FROM LOUISVILLE HOSPITAL
Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Jr., returned to her home here Sunday from St. Joseph's hospital, Louisville, where she submitted to major surgery recently. She is convalescing nicely. Mr. Hereford accompanied her home.

GUESTS FROM INEZ
Mrs. Joe Hobson entertained to dinner Monday, at her home on First avenue, Mr. and Mrs. John Cassidy, Mrs. Vernon Collinsworth, of Inez, and Mrs. Russell Kirk, of Paintsville.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holcomb, of Huntington, W. Va., stopped here Sunday and visited relatives, while en route to their home from Dania, Florida, where they accompanied little Misses Carolyn and Betsy Cottrell, who will remain with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cottrell, there, until they return here in the spring.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL
Miss Minerva Friend returned to her home here last Friday, from Paris, Ky., where she submitted to surgery at the Massie Memorial hospital recently. She has been convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Colcord, until her return here. She is improving nicely.

VFW AUXILIARY MEETS
The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW held its regular meeting at the studio of Mrs. Tom James Friday evening. A new member, Mrs. Anna Ruth Tootsey, of Van Lear, was initiated. Those present were Mesdames W. V. Bunting, Tommy Lemaster, Florence Lemaster, Edith James, Gloria Hatton, Virginia Stephens, Lucy Mae Crisp, Wanda May, Miss Geraldine Burchett, and Mrs. Blackwell, who is chairman of the Civil Defense for Kentucky.

Mr. Shinn To Address Foremen's Club Here
The Foremen's Club of the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company will hold its regular monthly dinner meeting Saturday evening at 6:30 at the Victoria House here, with L. C. Shinn, a member of the executive staff of the International Nickel Company, Huntington, W. Va., as guest-speaker.

To Get Pay Every Week
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7 — Corporations doing business in the State would be required to pay their employees weekly instead of twice a month if a bill offered by Rep. Henry C. Hale, Democrat, Blue River, Floyd county, is approved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaek Richmond, Mart Benjy, Mary Osborne and Mint Hammond were in Ashland Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Osborne is quite ill at her home on Westminster street.

Mrs. John Hughes and Mrs. Rhoda Barbour have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes at McRoberts, Ky., this week. Mr. Hughes has just returned from an Abingdon, Va., hospital where he has been undergoing treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ward and Miss Ernestine Ward attended the funeral of a friend in Inez, Monday.

Mrs. Adrian Blackburn and Mrs. Lloyd Miller were in Huntington, Friday.

Mrs. W. V. Bunting and Tom Ellis were in Pikeville last week on business.

Mrs. J. M. Weddington and Mrs. Elmer Collins were business visitors in Pikeville this week.

William P. Runnels spent the mid-semester vacation last week with his mother, Mrs. W. P. Runnels, at West Prestonsburg. He is a student at the University of Kentucky. Recently initiated into Sigma Chi social fraternity, he is also a member of Phi Mu Alpha-Sinfonia, a national music honorary fraternity.

Mrs. AmBel Branham spent the week-end in Huntington with her daughter, Mrs. John W. Simmons, and Mr. Simmons and new son.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reed returned home last week from a two-week vacation spent in Florida.

UNITED DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY MEET

Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin and Mrs. John Hensley were co-hostesses on Feb. 4, at their home on Second avenue, to members of the Greenville Davidson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy. Mrs. Tom Fields, the regent, presided. Mrs. John Hensley conducted the ritualistic service followed by the salute to the American, Confederate and Kentucky flags. The program chairman, Mrs. S. R. Auxler, presented a most interesting program. Mrs. Everett Sowards read a poem, "The House of Long Ago," by Mary Johnson Posey. The Mardi Gras story was told by Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Mrs. Gwynn Ford read a short poem, "The Photograph," depicting the love affairs of Sidney Lanier. A letter from Mrs. Hugh Hammond said the Jefferson Davis plaque would be unveiled at Fairview some time in June.

After adjournment the hostess served a salad course to the following members and guests: Mesdames Tom Fields, Everett Sowards, Roy Perry, A. J. Davidson, Sam Spradlin, Joe Hobson, S. R. Auxler, Osa F. Ligon, Gwynn Ford, Luther Shivel, John Hensley, Jo M. Davidson and Joe A. Spradlin. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom Fields and Mrs. Luther Shivel.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HOSTESS
Miss Betty Jo Parker was hostess to a group of her friends last Friday evening at her home on Richmond street in observance of her 18th birthday. She received many gifts. Games were enjoyed, and refreshments were served to the following:

Katy Greenwade, Mary E. Layne, Libby Burchett, Bonnie Welles, Carlos Horne, Betsy Spurlock, Martha Archer, Anna McComas, Nancy Spurlock, Helen Price, Patsy Marcum, Vera Baldrige, Jean Rae Cooksey, Anna G. Felton, Rhoda L. Osborne, Virginia F. Wilson, Yvonne Stumbo, Margaret Ann Collins, Dorothy Herald, Peggy Spradlin, Linda S. Stephens, Bill Ray Collins, Sonny Ford, Ralph Rorer, Jack Boyd, Red Rowe, John F. Brown, Bill J. Compton, Billy Titlow, Robert Preston, Sonny Carver, Donny Compton, Jimmy D. Spurlock, Pete Howard, Sidney Parker Willie Spradlin, Jimmy Mayo, Joe Isabelle, Charles Grigsby, Vyrion Smiley, Bobby Ranier, Charley Pike.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED
Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Simmons, of Huntington, W. Va., announce the birth on Jan. 26 at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, of their first child, a son, John Ballard. Mrs. Simmons is the former Margerilla Branham, daughter of Mrs. Mabel Branham, Prestonsburg, and the late Ballard Branham.

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Cooking — Mrs. Ralph Archer, chairman, Mrs. Arnold Clark, Juliette Low committee—Mrs. E. S. Collins.
Telephone — Mrs. S. L. Isbell, chairman, Mrs. Curt Homes.
Leaders—Mrs. Rainley White, Mrs. Ray Davis, Mrs. N. L. May, Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Mrs. Curtis Clark, Mrs. Russell Shaw, Mrs. Betty Worthington, Miss Pauline Hereford, Mrs. Arnold Compton, Mrs. Fred Dickerson.

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Bill Steve Evans is now with the armed services in Korea. He was called December 7, 1950, took his training at Fort Knox, and went to Korea in April, 1951. He is now with the 27th Infantry Division in Korea.

Bill was wounded June 2, 1951, and returned to Korea in September. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Evans. He was employed with Elk Horn Coal Co., Local 5895 when called into service and is a graduate of Wayland high school.

Walter Douglas Castle is now with the armed services in Korea. He went into service December 7, 1950, took his training at Fort Knox, Ky., and went to Korea in April, 1951. He is now with the Tank Battalion, 24th Division in Korea.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Castle. He was employed with Elk Horn Coal Co., at Wayland, Local 5895 when called to service and is a graduate of Wayland high school.

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and receives daily gratuities of food and careful handling. He not only is unafraid, he goes hunting what could be trouble for him if he were not a beloved pet. Buddy on occasion clambers about his mistress, onto her hand, then to her shoulder or on top of her head. And there he indulges in a favorite sport, that of plucking out bobby-pins and dropping them to the floor, watching them fall and listening intently for their tiny tinkle on the floor. Let it be said for Billy, however—he always recovers the pins.

Pal, another cardinal cage-mate of Buddy's, went blind and died, a few years ago. Buddy, however, is in fine fettle, though he's been molting and looks smaller than usual.

Dr. and Mrs. Sizemore like to tell how this bird came to their house. They had been feeding a redbird couple all through the winter of 1943-44. Dr. Sizemore had kept snow cleared away for their feeding-place, and the birds came daily for their handout. But when spring came and it was nesting time, the two went across the street and set up house-keeping. Mrs. Sizemore kept close watch while the mother bird was hatching her eggs, hoping to adopt two or three of the youngsters. But she found, one morning, to her dismay, that the entire cardinal family had disappeared.

Her next contact with the cardinals was when, hanging out the wash in her backyard, the male bird suddenly appeared, creating considerable fuss about something, and keeping it up till she followed him. The bird flew across the street into a peach tree, and there she found Buddy—a pitiful fledgling. "How the father bird ever got Buddy up in that tree I can't imagine," Mrs. Sizemore says.

When Mrs. Sizemore took the fledgling home, the father bird left, apparently satisfied.

But that wasn't the last seen of him. Several months later, he appeared at the window, fluttering about and apparently seeking entrance. The window was opened, and the bird came in—even entered Buddy's cage for a snack with him.

Every year since, the Sizemores say, Buddy has had a visit from his old man—till this winter. The old bird hasn't shown up yet, and his human friends fear some boy armed with an air rifle or some older person with an even more lethal weapon has killed him.

On the subject of killing birds the couple have an idea if more people would become intimately acquainted with these wild things and see their real gentleness and beauty there would be less wanton destruction.

The doctor and his wife can tell you a lot about birds. Not the scientific stuff the ornithologists will rattle off, but the intimate things, the little happenings, their comings and goings, their likes and dislikes, and their loyalties to each other.

For instance, the martins will begin to come to the Sizemore yard, March 28. Dr. Sizemore predicts that confidently. And there'll be quite a hullabaloo when the gang's all here—50 or 60 of them. If there are any starlings about, the furore will be even greater. "You should see two or three martins haul a starling out of their house and send him about his business," Dr. Sizemore says.

There is only one bit of dissension about this household. Dr. Sizemore hints that he has not retired after more than 50 years' medical practice. Mrs. Sizemore hints that he has. All that aside, they're planning, just now, a new aquarium, a greenhouse and more of the things that go in them.

Asked how they started pursuing their hobby which has turned into a fair-sized job, Dr. Sizemore said, "Emma is a country girl, and she always has loved flowers and birds and teh like, and so I have tried to help her get them."

Cpl. Ballard Branham, Jr., of Prestonsburg, was the commanding officer insofar as a recent service baseball game in Manila went. Hurling for the 6208 Depot Wing Raiders, the former Prestonsburg mound star held the National U. team to two hits while fanning eight and walking none. His team scored in the bottom half of the first inning, and that was the ball game, a 1-0 victory for the Raiders.

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"Blazing Bullets"

Johnny Mack Brown.

SUN.—Double Feature—Starting time, 1 p.m., continuous—

"Flying Leathernecks"

John Wayne, Robert Ryan.

"As You Were"

Wm. Tracey, Joe Sawyer.

MON.—TUES.—Double Feature—Starting time, 7 p.m.—

"Happy Go Lovely"

Vera Ellen, David Niven.

"Ghost Chasers"

Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall.

WED., starting time, 7 p.m.—

"Behave Yourself"

Shelley Winters, Farley Granger.

"Dogs is Dogs"

"Fuddy Duddy Buddy"

"Country Cop"

THURS.—FRI., Feb. 14-15—Double Feature, starting time 7 p.m.—

"Right Cross"

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TUES.—Double Bill—

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"Trigger Trail"

(Western)

Rod Cameron.

WED.—THURS.—Super-super show—

"Annie of the Indies"

Jean Peters, Louis Jordan, Debra Paget.

"Flying Leathernecks"

John Wayne, Robert Ryan, Janis Carter.

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FRI., Feb. 8, 7:00 p.m.—

"Trail of Robin Hood"

Roy Rogers, Trigger, Penny Edwards.

SAT., 7:00 p.m.—Double Bill—

"Wanted—Dead or Alive"

(Western)

Whip Wilson.

"Stormbound"

Constance Dowling, Andrea Cheechi.

SAT., 10:00 p.m.—

"Lady Takes a Chance"

Jean Arthur, John Wayne.

SUN., 1:00 and 7:00 p.m.—

"Two Tickets to Broadway"

(In Technicolor)

Janet Leigh, Tony Martin.

MON., 7:00 p.m.—

"Lady Takes a Chance"

Jean Arthur, John Wayne.

TUES., 7:00 p.m.—

"Oklahoma Justice"

Johnny Mack Brown, James Ellison.

WED., 7:00 p.m.—

"Pals of Golden West"

Roy Rogers, Dale Evans.

THURS., 7:00 p.m.—

"Journey into Light"

(Religious)

Sterling Hayden, Viveca Lindfors.

FRI., Feb. 15, 7 p.m.—

"The Iron Man"

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FRIDAY—

"Happy Go Lovely"

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SAT.—Double Feature—

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SAT., 10 p.m.—Late Show—

"Warpath"

Edmond O'Brien, Forrest Tucker.

SUN., 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.—

"A Place in the Sun"

Montgomery Cliff, Elizabeth Taylor, Shelley Winters.

MON., 7 p.m.—

"Warpath"

Edmond O'Brien, Forrest Tucker.

WED., 7 p.m.—Double Feature—

"Six-Gun Mesa"

Johnny Mack Brown, Gail Davis.

"Behave Yourself"

Farley Granger, Shelley Winters.

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The Scout campaign is being launched in nine communities of the county, and from these the work will spread out to contact persons in other communities. J. R. Hurt, Prestonsburg, is county drive chairman.

In Prestonsburg the drive will begin next Monday morning with a "Kick-Off Breakfast" at the Victoria House at 7:30.

Community chairmen named for the drive are:

Wayland, Edgar Dale; Prestonsburg, Fred G. Francis; Lackey, Gorman Collins; Martin, Lamar Evans; Garrett, Shelby Draughn; Drift, Ward Reed; Wheelwright, Hobert Smith; Allen, W. A. Malone; Betsy Layne, James George (Betsy Layne's drive has been completed and its quota reached); David, Clark Todd.

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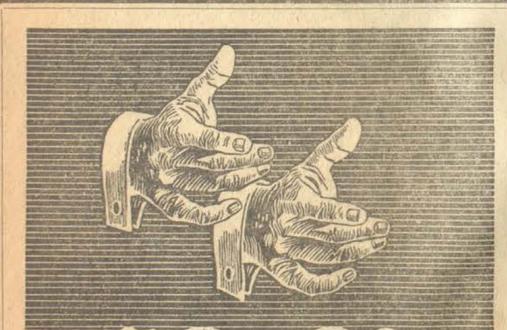
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"MILITARY LAW"

In the old-fashioned school we were subject to a type of military law. At least, theoretically we lived under constant fear that the law would get us. There were official pronouncements on just about everything that we might do or say. No teacher that I ever had wrote rules on the blackboard, but I heard of just such things. We did hear often a lot about discipline. The teacher represented to us the visible law. Do something, even a slight bit of off color, and you would get punished in some humiliating but approved way.

Having been a teacher myself ever since I was all of eighteen years old, I know how hard it is to keep active, squirmy children pleasantly and noiselessly employed. When I began teaching in 1907, I was still of the old time and believed that discipline was the one big thing in anybody's school. If anything happened, it must not be ignored; dire and swift punishment must come. And yet there were so many stories of teachers who had been sued in court because of brutality to children that I was in a state of uncertainty as to how much authority to show, how much to reserve I did not know what to do; I would not have submitted it then on threat of punishment; today I know it was so. The children had been reared to feel that the teacher was an ogre; I had to live up to that belief or else admit defeat. And I tried to give all that was expected of me. Sometimes I wake in the night, after all these years, and shiver a little at how hopelessly I usually failed. I did not want to be a military commander, but society and my own self-respect demanded that I be one anyway. In one corner of my schoolhouse stood a convenient switch, ready for use. And it got use, too, entirely too much use. Just what I could have done then I do not know.

I was a victim of having been born at an age when times were changing. Of course, I like to think that I could go back today into the same schools and do much better. I am truly thankful, however, that Dr. Wonnug's Time Machine, in the comic strip, does not send me back to try my skill again where I know I failed so utterly.

There was something slightly comic about the attitude toward the teacher. My teachers were normally young girls or boys of our own or adjoining neighborhoods, perfectly harmless youngsters, good scouts, in a later phrase. Yet when they entered the schoolroom, we had to feel that they were Oriental rulers, whose word was law, and no fooling. Looking back now, I know that most of my rural teachers were good, plain people who would not have harmed a fly. But I feared most of them as I now fear few things in the world. If the teacher said it was so, it was so. To have argued the matter would have been to court disaster, not only from the teacher, as I thought, but from the pupils. There was an endless feud between the teacher and the pupils; the teacher was always right, the pupils always wrong. But this attitude was kept up much more by the children than by the teacher. Occasionally, especially after I was a 'teen-age boy, I got glimpses of a teacher's being a regular feller. Sometimes a teacher could break down and laugh at our tricks; in my old diary I record how we had several laughs one day, as if that were something unbelievable. I hope that the next generation after me got over some of that teacher-pupil complex, but I am sorry to say that every year I get students in college who feel instinctively that the teacher is always an opponent, never a friend. Some years ago, when my department started personal conferences in Freshman English rather than group meetings for extra work, many of my students came to my office in fear and trembling. Some of them later told me that they had never been in a teacher's office before except to be scolded; hence they were accepting this personal scheduling of a conference as just another visit to the principal's office for a scolding—just how much law is to be used in the schoolroom I still do not know, but I would hate to be responsible for the right-wrong attitude that I used to demand at all times of easy-going children who probably did not need half the severity that I used.

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IN THE ARMED SERVICES

LIEUT. BURCHETT GRADUATES

Ft. Knox, Ky.—Second Lt. Glenn B. Burchett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Burchett, Prestonsburg, Ky., is one of the recent graduates of the Associate Armored Company Officers Course here.

Lieut. Burchett first entered the army in October, 1946, and served in Japan for 16 months. A graduate of the University of Kentucky, he was called to active duty in 1951.

PVT. GIBSON IS BASIC AIRMAN

Lackland Air Force Base, Texas—Pvt. Marcus Gibson, 23, son of Gomer Gibson, of Wayland Ky., is completing his AF basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

His basic training has prepared him for entrance into Air Force Technical Training and for assignment in specialized work.

PVT. HATFIELD IN KOREA

Fort Riley, Kans.—Pvt. Curtis Hatfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Hatfield, is now receiving his army basic training here with the 10th Infantry Division.

Ordered into the active military service in October, he has been assigned to Company F of the 10th Division's 87th regiment.

KOREA VETERAN NOW IN JAPAN

With the 1st Cavalry Division in Japan—Pfc. James D. McKinney, Wheelwright, Ky., is on duty with the battle-toughened 1st Cavalry on Hokkaido, the northernmost of the Japanese home islands.

The division was recently transferred to Japan following 17 months of frontline duty in Korea. Members of the division are now setting up defensive positions and learning to fight on skis and snowshoes in the mountainous terrain.

McKinney, a field wireman in Headquarters Company of the 5th Regiment's 1st Battalion, had been in Korea since May 8, 1951. He wears the Korea Service Ribbon with one campaign star and the Combat Infantry Badge. Before entering the army, he was employed by the Inland Steel Company.

PFC. PORTER NOW IN TEXAS

Luke AFB, Phoenix, Ariz.—Private First Class Clinton E. Porter has recently completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and is now stationed here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Porter, of Emma, Ky. His wife, Daphne, lives in Wayland, Ky.

Pfc. Porter entered the service in November, 1951. Prior to his enlistment he attended Prestonsburg high school.

PHS GRADUATE IN SERVICE

Miss Marcena Rowe, a local girl, volunteered and was accepted for service with the United States Air Force according to an announcement made by Sgt. Alberta Holston, WAC-WAF Recruiting Sgt. of the Paintsville Recruiting Station.

Miss Rowe, who graduated from Prestonsburg high school in 1949 and later attended Morehead State Teachers College, departed for Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas on Friday. While in Texas she will take a 13 week course in basic military subjects prior to her assignment to one of the many technical schools now offered young women who are qualified.

Miss Rowe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rowe, of 39 Carter st., Prestonsburg.

SERGEANT ADKINS COMPLETES COURSE

Sergeant First Class Maxwell E. Adkins, 22, Wayland, Ky., was recently graduated from the 5th Infantry Division's 3-week Leaders' course for non-commissioned officers here at Indiantown Gap.

Sfc. Adkins is a graduate of Wayland high school, Wayland, Ky. He is the holder of the Combat Infantryman's badge, and the Bronze Star, as well as other decorations. Sfc. Adkins is the son of Lonnie C. Adkins.

PFC. BLANTON AWARDED BADGE

With the 2nd Infantry Div. in Korea—Pfc. Elie Blanton, McDowell, Ky., recently was awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for excellent performance of duty in combat with the 2nd Infantry Division.

Blanton, a cook in Tank Company, has been in the army over 12 months. Before coming to Korea, he was stationed at Ft. Lawton, Washington.

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Rice Receives Award



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IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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Announcements, February 10

Sunday Schools—Lancer, 9:30 a.m., church, 9:45 a.m., Slick Rock, 2:30 p.m. Worship Hours with sermons—10:55 a.m., "The Name Above Every Name"; 7:30 p.m., "Loyalty" A special service recognizing our Scout Troop and Scoutmaster Victor Wright, in cooperation with National Scout Week.

Mid-Week Service—7 p.m., Wednesday. Other announcements in church bulletin.

Let's all attend the Methodist revival, Monday night.

MISS DELPHINE CRIDER WEDS GOMER JENKINS IN CHRISTMAS EVE CEREMONY AT CHURCH

The Presbyterian Church in Jackson, Ohio, was the setting for a quiet but pretty wedding on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, 1951, when Miss Delphine Crider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trevett Crider, Rt. 1, Oak Hill, exchanged wedding vows with Mr. Gomer Jenkins, son of Mr. David E. Jenkins, Gallia.

The impressive ceremony was performed by the Rev. Stuart Barr Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the presence of the immediate families.

The attractive bride chose for her wedding a becoming street length gown of navy blue taffeta, trimmed with lace, with which she combined matching accessories. An orchid was fastened on her shoulder.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter, Cadmus, friends of both the bride and bridegroom, were the couple's only attendants.

Both the bride and bridegroom

were graduated in 1949 from Cadmus high school.

Mr. Jenkins, who is with the U.S. Navy, has completed his boot training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Chicago, and also his submarine training in Connecticut. At the conclusion of a five-day leave he will return to South Carolina, but expects to be sent to Norfolk, Va., in the near future.

The bride plans to join her husband in Norfolk in the near future. The bride's parents are Trevett and Ollie Whitt Crider, formerly of Johns Creek and Betsy Layne, this county.

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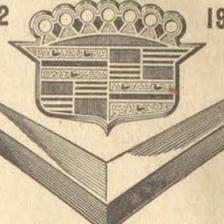
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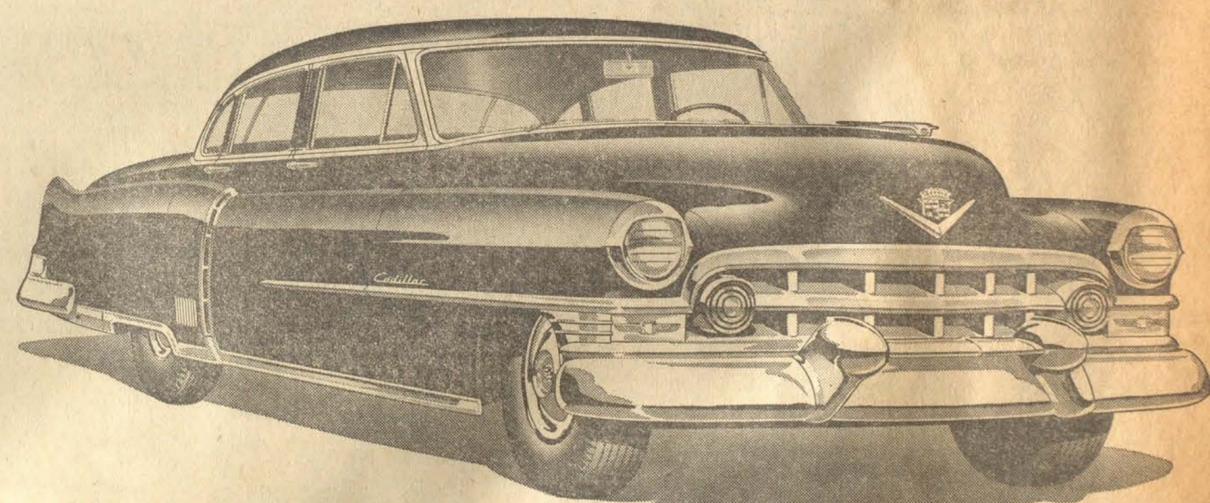
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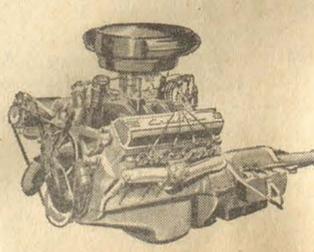
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At this banquet, which is tendered by the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, the Central Kentucky branch of which Mr. Allen is an important member will be presented the President's Trophy, emblematic of leadership in the field of agency management. The award will be made by Morton Boyd, president of Commonwealth, to Elwood N. Chambers, manager of the Central Kentucky Branch.

Martin First Baptists Have Record Growth

The First Baptists of Martin have met there only two years, but growth has been extraordinary in recent months. Attendance reached 108 last Sunday. Baptist Training Unions for all ages, from adult through nursery, were organized Sunday. Meetings are held each Sunday at 6:30 p.m., with preaching at 7:30. Regular Prayer service Thursday at 7:30 p.m., Baptist Brotherhood meetings now Mondays and Saturdays at 7 p.m., preceding revival in April. The young folks will hold a get-together this Friday at 7 p.m. in the church. All who are 13 and above are welcome.

Sunday morning, Mrs. Pearl Wadley, dropped in her birthday pennies. As she did so, Miss Billie Jean Ward read an appropriate poem, "The Preacher's Wife," following which Miss Georgianne Roark presented the Wadleys with an eight-volume set of Bible books, the Book of Life, from friends, and Mrs. Wadley with a cash donation from WMS members, in appreciation of their services here.

The church had two new converts recently, and three more Sunday morning, Misses Barbara Ratliff, Josephine Hayes and Donna Tackett, members of Mrs. Claude Hagan's intermediate class.

The church has just purchased another bus to operate from Drift on Left Beaver Creek, chairs for the choir, BTU register, hymnal board and Sallman's head of Christ. The Left Beaver bus will leave Drift, Sunday mornings, at 9:30.

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First grade: Honor—Verlie Marie Adkins, Valerie Hurlly, Tanis Lynn Layne, Ruby Lynch, Linda Carroll Rice, Lorene Rickman, Edgar Sword, Von Sherrill Elkins, Connie Conn, William Henry Barker, Sharon Carroll Barker, Mary Ann Johnson, James Little.

Second grade: Honor—Roger Goble, Jimmie Carl Hall, Maudean Anderson, Cherry Blackburn, Linda Farley, Anis Hunt, Judy Mae Layne, Mary Lou Long, Linda Sue Monk, Betty Lou Mullins, Lily Mae Spradlin, Anna Fay Stratton.

Third grade: Honor—Thelma Spradlin, Tracy Little, Henra Faye Rogers, Sarah Ann Barker, Rosemary Stratton, Virginia B. Ethington, Joetta Conn, Patricia A. Garrett, Rosa Stone, Anna Lea Burchett, James T. Stratton, Linda K. Layne, Jimmie Hamilton, Jeanette Collins, Sarah Alice Hale, Jimmie Lykins, Chester Stratton, Nancy A. Stratton, Charles D. Stratton, Lu Neita Anderson, Jerry Van Raiff, Judy Gale Tackett, Georgia M. Rickman.

Fourth grade: Honor—Dolly Allen, Aquila Bailey, Darlene Blackburn, Nancy Jo Butt, Geradine Hall, Karen Compton, Lucille Hamilton, Virginia Jo Meade, Judy McClanahan, Nancy K. Moore, Vivian Walters, Larry Joe Blankenship, George Ed Clarke, Jr., James Ed Damron, Clarence Goble, Claude Hall, Ronald Muncy, Donald Muncy, Ronald Rice, Kenneth Roberts, Ralph Roop.

Fifth grade: Superior—(A average)—John E. Epling, Barbara Monk, Beulah Johnson; Honor (B average)—Madama Gail Williamson, Dewey Lee Adkins, Bonnie Watson, Ernestine Parsons, Nancy Goble, Barbara Hall, Maggie Meade, Florene Adkins, Norma Lou James, Ollie Francis May, Glenda Bush, Judy Boyd, Bonnie Jean Justice, Nelma Ruth Hall, Donald Jackson, Thaddeus Blackburn, Bobby Blanton.

Sixth grade: Superior—Eva Mae Epling, Billie Ray Delong; Honor—Allie Harvel, Fannie Carroll, Stonie Carroll, Lloyd Dillon, Harold Dillon, Gienna Sue Daniels, Connie Caldwell, Everette Newsome, Anita Daniels, Gwendolyn Leedy, Juda Robinson, Betty Smith, Gloria Stratton, Kay Tibbs, Barbara Jones, Lola Little, David Hinchman, Franklin Mims, Freddy Smith, Larry Stratton, Jerry Stratton, James Steffey, Leon Steffey, Billie Joe Stevens, Marvin Tackett, Ronnie Stratton, Johnny Hall.

Seventh grade: Superior—Arvenia Reed, Patricia Sargent; Honor—Bill Tom Bartley, Yvonne Bayes, Willis Clay, Jimmy R. Hall, Nita June Stover.

Eighth grade: Superior—Bessie Lea Stratton, Howard Rice, Sue Ratliff, Janelle Howard, Beth Furman, Raymond Adkins; Honor—Fannie Robinette, Janet Johnson, Peggy Hamilton, Geraldine Clark, Bonnie Stratton, Virginia Lea Howell.

Freshmen: Superior—Phyllis Jean Duvall, Norma Jean Frasure, Anna Laura Hall, Bonita Hinchman, Georgia Ann Newsome, Ballard Hall; Honor—Shelba Jean Castle, Lora Virginia Cecil, Beulah Crisp, Betty Jane Deskins, Geraldine Hall, Eva Nadine Hamilton, Ethel Mae Harvel, Janet Howes, Katherine Mae Layne, Melinee Layne, Betty Lea Lewis, Betty Marie Marshall, Lucy Martin, Margarette Martin, Bonnie Meade, Juda Elizabeth Newman, Mary Louise Smiley, Mary Ellen Stover, Josephine Stratton, Lola Jean Stratton, Octavia Ann Stratton, Marlene Tackett, Trilba Jean Wilburn, Peggy Hamilton, Eva Hamilton, Cleadis Kenthley, Clarence Akers, Tommy Compton, Lawrence Adcock, Forrest Porter, John D. Sealf, Paris Harvey, Gene Davis, Delno Keen, John Melvin Barbe, Earl Lee Layne, Doug Ratliff, Jimmie Patrick, Jimmy Brooks, Edwin Donathan, Bennie Lafferty.

Sophomores: Superior—Mary Ellen Blackburn, Bertha Hunter; Honor—Peggy Ann Adkins, Juanita Akers, Montis Boyd, Jean Clay, Bobbie Jean Blanton, Allene Conn, Opal Crum, Virgil Fannin, Ruby Hamilton, Lizzie Newsome, Roxana Jones, Belle Reynolds, Audrey Robinson, Mabel Lawson, Eyalena Spears, Sue King, Jackie Jarrell, Sally Layne, Hazel Layne, Hillard Newsome, Betty Waugh, Lorene Newsome, Howard Powell.

Juniors: Superior—Darvene Conn; Honor—Glenda Lynn Blackburn, Ruth Scott, Betty Ann Phillips, Beuna Stephens, Joyce Stratton, Alpha Conn, Grady Wallace, Ruth Ann Tibbs, Kenneth Crum, Verlie Marie Hopkins, Irene Reynolds, Emma Sue Lawson, Lizzie Marie McClanahan, Edmund Lowe Stratton, Lessie Kidd.

Seniors: Superior—Kenneth Burchett, Francis Layne Branham, Virginia Marrion, Charles Phillips, Ruth Stratton, Betty Lou Porter; Honor—Emitt Adkins, Euhlan Akers, Beulah Akers, Clinton Akers, Betty Lee Akers, Gail Boyd, Homer Cecil, Shirley Clark, Bobby Dean Elkins, Rozella Hal, Jack Hopkins, Hubert Jones, Roscoe Layne, Janet Lynch, Jean Moles, Ralfau Perry, Lydia Marie Roberts, Herbert Saunders, Curtis Senters, Irvin Senters, Nadine Sturgill, Jack Stratton, Georgia Layne.

GARRETT

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wallace had as their guest over the week-end Mrs. Wallace's brother, Sgt. Douglas Prater, of Wise, Va. He has been stationed on Luzon for two years with the army air force.

Oscar and Harold Ray Conley, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Conley, of Willard, Ohio, were visiting friends and relatives here this week-end.

M. Herbert, who has been ill in a hospital at Ashland, is home for a few days before going to Louisville for further treatment. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Ada Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Huffman were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Huffman's mother who is ill at Pikeville.

Buell Campbell is now employed in Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. Vina Patton, who has been ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital, has returned to her home.

John F. Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Wallace, has been promoted to sergeant. He has been with the armed forces in Korea for nine months.

Linzie Hunt, son of Marcus Hunt, has been promoted to sergeant first-class. He is stationed in Korea.

Wanda Lee Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Wallace, and Elizabeth Oney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price Oney, were visiting their parents over the week-end. Both girls are employed in Columbus, Ohio.

Donald Oney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Price Oney, was visiting on Carr Creek, Friday.

Harry James Wallace was home from Caney College this week-end. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Wallace.

Mrs. Willie Howard has been ill at her home for some time. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Grover Lowe, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Pearl Sturgill were visiting relatives here Wednesday.

Orville Esterling and children, Mrs. Harry Campbell and Mrs. Orville Rice, were in Betsy Layne Sunday night to hear Rev. Osborne preach.

Mrs. Carmel Patton and Flossie McPeck were shopping in Prestonsburg, Friday.

Ernest Wallace and son, Danny, of Price, were visiting his rothers, Jim and O. K. Wallace, here Sunday.

IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. Fair Stanley's children, Helen and Jimmy, of Cumberland, Ky., were visiting the Roosevelt Stanley family of Ivel, Sunday.

Roosevelt Stanley has been very ill but is improving.

Pvt. Thomas E. Stanley 27550 Hqs. Wright Patterson, Field, Dayton, O., was home on a three-day pass to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Stanley.

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MINNIE

Sgt. 1/c Charles McDonald has returned to the Korean battle zone, after a three weeks furlough with his father, Mr. C. F. McDonald, and sister, Anna Rose McDonald. Sgt. McDonald is a war veteran with nine years of army service. He was wounded in a Korean battle in September, 1950.

After serving in the navy for four years, Haden Roberts has been discharged and is at home now with his sister, Mrs. Bobby Moore and Mr. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stewart visited Mrs. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sparkman at Mousie last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin were business visitors in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Judy Anderson was the week-end guest of Carolyn Sanders.

The Revs. Troy Nichols, Sherman Crum, Kendall Moore and Henry King conducted services, Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Martin. Mrs. Martin is ill, and remains still in a critical condition.

Avean and Joyce Martin were shopping in Martin last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Ray Stumbo, and Mousie Turner visited "Aunt Mint" Webb at Lackey and Tom Turner at Wayland last Wednesday.

Mrs. Fanny Collins and Alma, of Prestonsburg, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stumbo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Ray Stumbo and aHrold James Stumbo have returned to their studies at the University of Kentucky, Lexington after a week mid-semester vacation with relatives here.

Pfc. Ellis Little, of the air force is spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Elva Hull.

Mr. Edgie Daniels of aBileysville, W. Va., was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. oJhn Daniels, over the week-end.

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After the business session, Mrs. Otis Bussy introduced Mrs. Gerstle M. Haggard, of Prestonsburg, as guest-speaker. Mrs. Haggard's subject was, "The Christian Home and Family Solidarity." A vocal solo by Mrs. Luther Shivel, also of Prestonsburg, concluded the program.

Mrs. Fiedler and Mrs. Francis Harmon were co-hostesses at the meeting.

Henry Clay represented Kentucky as Congressman and United States Senator for 30 years. He also served as Secretary of State.

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We would like to express our sincere thanks and deep appreciation to all our friends and relatives who assisted us during the death of Bud Spradlin. We thank all of those who sent flowers, and we wish especially to thank the Carter and Callihan Funeral Home for their services and the Rev. Hargis Conley for his words of consolation.

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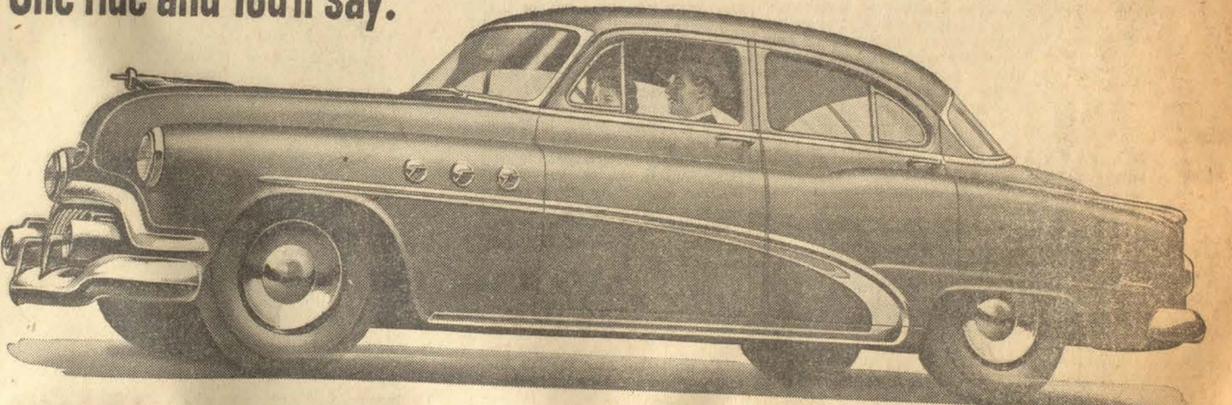
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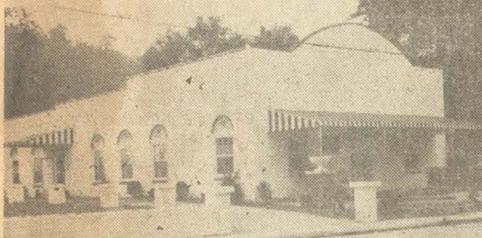
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Mr. and Mrs. Clay Spradlin and little daughter, Ruth Kathleen, of Newcastle, Ind., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fraley, all of the Auxier road, over the week-end.

Ben Fraley, who has been ill at his home for the past week, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin, Jr., and son, Tommie, of Indiana, visited their parents, Ben Fraley and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin, on the Auxier road, over the week-end.

Harold Wright, of Lexington, was visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Eda Curnutte, Saturday.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
F. S. Vanhose, Etc. Plaintiff
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
Butler Hall, Etc. Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the January term, 1952, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction on the 25th day of February, 1952 at 10 o'clock, a.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on the waters of Left Beaver Creek, in Floyd county, Ky., beginning at a plum tree above the road; thence straight up the hill to No. 2 seam of coal; thence around the hill 150 feet to a stake; thence straight down the hill to a stake in the road; thence 150 feet with the road to the beginning, and being the same property conveyed by deed from R. E. Halbert and Dora Halbert on April 7, 1951, recorded in Deed Book 147, page 324, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment against the defendants in favor of plaintiffs for the sum of \$2,200.00 with interest from April 10, 1951, and the cost of this action.

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

Given under my hand, this 4th day of February, 1952.

J. B. CLARKE,
Master Commissioner,
Floyd Circuit Court

NO ROAD MEANS "TOBACCO ROAD"

ONE who travels rural sections of Floyd county, this season of the year, cannot agree with all critics of WPA said.

They said it was making of us a nation of loafers, and it may have helped do that. They also said the farm-to-market roads WPA built could be built for a third these routes cost the government as "we piddled along."

That may be true, too. But the fallacy in these arguments presented by critics of WPA is—they haven't built any rural roads since WPA to prove that they could be constructed more cheaply.

Travel Floyd county creeks, and find where one road has been built since those dark days. They're not there, except in those scattered instances where the state sought to connect two or more important points or routes. The business of extending good all-weather roads up creeks, with the primary purpose in mind of reaching the fellow up there, went out with the much-maligned WPA.

This is not to recommend another Works Progress Administration. Rather, it is intended to point up the need for some of the work the WPA did.

The system Kentucky has followed in handling its rural highway money, with Frankfort setting up the program and administering it has been as proportionately wasteful as the WPA ever was and has achieved far less. Perhaps, if each county could have its allotment for its own use, the people could convince those in charge of the work here at home that road help for the fellow far up the creeks not only is justified but also is politically practicable. As matters now stand, Floyd county is hard put to maintain those roads already built, not to mention new highways.

The Times had hoped the present session of the Legislature would correct this situation.

Removal of Magistrates as supervisors—or, more exactly, denial of pay to them for supervisory work—in a y have eliminated some waste, perhaps some graft here and there, but it has not increased efficiency or the interest of these officials in road work. And these are the boys who either know what is needed, out there in the country, or who will soon find out from their constituents.

The Times is not opposed to the construction of arterial highways or even minor routes which play an important part in the life and industry of a section as a whole. But it does think these are receiving such attention that the farm-to-market road is neglected.

This is the motor age, and everybody belongs to the age, not only those who are favorably located. Continued neglect of those without roads will inevitably cause their neighborhoods to be abandoned by the more progressive residents; left behind will be those who are content to live without these conveniences which modern man naturally expects. When that happens such sections will become deep in squalor and backwardness and will ultimately fall into outright lawlessness.

No, let's not have another WPA. Neither let us have Tobacco Road when it should be apparent that good roads would go far toward eliminating that sad plight.

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MAYTOWN

The following First Class Boy Scouts of Troop 24, Maytown, went before a Board of Review Tuesday, at 6 p.m., and were advanced to the rank of Star Scouts: Justin Turner, Morris Maggard, Glennis Ramey, Nickey Turned and Rodney Click. Chalmer Hicks was advanced to a Second Class Scout. Board members present were John Ison, Arnold Maggard and Charles V. Tingue. Scoutmaster Edward F. Robinson is doing a good job of handling the troop. His assistant is Clarence Stone.

The Maytown Woman's Club reports that its final tabulation of donations for the March of Dimes brings Maytown's total to \$136.00.

Mrs. Viola Stewart left this week for Miami, Florida, for an extended visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Dixon, Jr.

Mrs. George A. May, Jr., has been ill at her home with influenza for the past two weeks.

Ermal Hicks passed his pre-induction examinations and is now stationed at the Naval Training Station in Bainbridge, Maryland.

Congratulations to Cecil Caudill and Wanda Acree, who were married at Paintsville, Saturday, Feb. 2. They have returned to Sidney, O., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ison and children were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Edmonds, of Pikeville. Mrs. Edmonds is the former Esteva Ison.

Rhoda Patton is a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital.

Dr. C. L. Allen and daughters, Teddy and Elizabeth, spent the week-end in Lexington. They were accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, who is taking care of the children while Mrs. Allen is vacationing in Florida.

Mrs. Lucy Patton is in Zionsville, Ind., on an extended visit with her daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klingler.

Miss Elizabeth Boughton, who is employed in Dayton, Ohio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes has been confined to her home for several days with a deep cold.

Mrs. T. R. Stapleton spent the week-end with her father, Grant Coleman, at Marrowbone.

Peggy Sue Allen has returned to school after a week's absence with a throat infection.

Theodore Gibson, who left for service last Wednesday, is stationed at Ft. Meade, Md.

Mrs. Amanda Patton has returned home from Zionsville, Ind., where she spent several weeks with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Post. Mr. and Mrs. Post (she is the former Ette Patton) are the parents of a new daughter, who has been named Billie Jean.

Bill and Lucille Stapleton are at home from the University of Kentucky where they have been finishing their studies. They plan to go back in June to graduate with their class.

Miss Betty May has finished her studies at Caney Junior College and is now at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry May.

T. J. Webb and son, Jackie, have returned home from a week's vacation in Indiana.

Mrs. Thomas Patrick and Mrs. Peggy Jo Vaughan, accompanied by 36 high school girls, presented a music program at the Prestonsburg high school last week. They presented eight choruses, two trios, one duet and a piano solo. They hope that the Prestonsburg school students enjoyed it as well as they enjoyed presenting it.

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KENTUCKY ON THE MARCH

Every now and then for three or four years I pressed a big land-owning friend to answer a question I myself am asked at least five thousand times a year—how many acres of land he owned. He evaded me every time. Usually he changed the subject quickly, adroitly so as not to seem rude. Finally I tumbled to his reason. He didn't want the tax authorities to start snooping.

That didn't necessarily mean he was perjurying himself. It is quite likely he didn't know himself how much he had. There are thousands of deeds to Kentucky land that are based on land guessing 150 to 175 years ago.

My grandfather Galloway and a

neighbor named Kelly Sutton struck up a land trade before surveys were popular and when land grant records were accepted by nearly everybody. Grandfather always thought his tract was 100 acres. After deeds had been exchanged, Sutton sneaked in a surveyor. He was certain he was getting more than 100 acres in a "more or less" deed. The tract surveyed out 157 acres. Grandfather never learned the truth.

So, it is likely thousands of Kentucky land owners are paying taxes on much less land than they own.

Says a report from the Local Assessment Section of the Division of Property Taxation at Frankfort:

"The first step in valuing property is to find out the list of property valued. This may sound simple but the fact is that thousands of acres of Kentucky land are not on the tax rolls today."

State Tax Commissioner Clyde Reeves' staff have done much to educate county assessors for the work they are employed to do. Good results will come from that coaching. But in the meantime it doesn't take a tax expert or a master detective to point out how to spot land that has been escaping assessors. I understand practically every acre of land in Kentucky has been mapped from aerial photographs. Here in west Kentucky the size of every field is in the records of the AAA in county seats. These records are open to inspection by county tax commissioners.

Just to make sure the Agriculture Department's measurements of some of my fields were accurate I checked them by the acreage registered by our grain drills, used to sow soybeans or topdress bluegrass with chemical fertilizers. There was not more than a small fraction of difference in any case. So county tax commissioners may do a fine public service by checking their own line maps with the aerial surveys under the same roofs with the commissioners' offices.

Commissioner Reeves discovered a year or so ago that the state was losing nearly a million dollars in school funds through failures of county assessors to list over a quarter of a million cars. Failed to get them when all locally owned cars were available in the records of county clerks. Since then a big gain has been made in car assessments by most county commissioners.

County tax commissioners have much painstaking work to do and they are none too well paid. But they have an opportunity to do a praiseworthy public service. Honesty and diligence are the two main essentials.

John Cabell Breckinridge, who served as United States Senator, Congressman and vice-president and Confederate Secretary of War, was born near Lexington, Ky.

BOBCATS LEAD A CLOSE CALL

Hughes of Prestonsburg Leads Score Both Teams In Tuesday Night Game

The Betsy Layne Bobcats had their closest call of their season series with the Prestonsburg Black Cats here Tuesday night, but contrived to get away with their third victory over the Cats this year. This last one wound up with the Betsy Layne team holding a 61-59 margin.

Previously, they had beaten the Cats at Betsy Layne in a regular, scheduled game, and at Wheelwright they defeated Prestonsburg in the finals of the Big Sandy Conference tournament. The game here Tuesday night was fast but singularly free of fouls, only 20 being called on both teams. Betsy Layne took a 17-14 lead at the end of the first quarter, but Prestonsburg was leading at the half, 31-27. They were all tied up, 46-46, at the end of the third quarter, leaving the final period to write the story. The Bobcats won from the foul circle, hitting nine of 11 tosses while Prestonsburg connected on five out of nine.

Hughes of Prestonsburg led both teams in scoring with 24 points. Wallace, big Bobcat center, was the winners' high scorer with 18 points.

Last Tuesday, the Black Cats lost to Inez on the Indians' floor, 59 to 48, despite a strong closing period rally. In this game Inez's Williams was high scorer with 18 points while Hughes and Pike led Prestonsburg with 17 and 13 points, respectively.

Line-ups:

Inez	fg	ft	f	Pts.
Cassady, f.	5	2	2	12
Hardin, f.	2	2	5	6
McCoy, c.	5	2	5	12
Perry, g.	2	1	2	5
Williams, g.	3	2	2	18
Nickoles, f.	0	0	2	0
Webb, f.	1	0	0	2
Fannin, c.	1	0	0	2
Totals	24	9	18	51

P'Burg	fg	ft	f	Pts.
Patton, f.	0	1	4	1
Mayo, f.	2	3	1	7
Hughes, c.	8	1	3	17
Dixon, g.	0	2	0	2
Caudill, g.	3	2	1	8
Pike, g.	3	7	4	13
Woods, c.	0	0	1	0
Rowe, g.	0	0	1	0
Totals	16	16	15	48

Betsy Layne	fg	ft	f	Pts.
Hall, f.	7	0	2	14
Hopkins, f.	3	0	2	6
Wallace, c.	7	4	2	18
May, g.	2	2	2	6
Fannin, g.	6	3	1	15
Clark, g.	1	0	2	2
Totals	26	9	11	61

P'Burg	fg	ft	f	Pts.
Patton, f.	1	0	0	2
Mayo, f.	5	0	2	10
Hughes, c.	11	2	1	24
Dixon, g.	1	1	2	3
Caudill, g.	7	0	3	14
Pike, g.	2	1	1	5
Woods, c.	0	1	0	1
Totals	27	5	9	59

SOIL CONSERVATION
By L. R. JOHNSON
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Jerry Goble, of the Auxler community, Alex Bingham, Cliff, and Willard Stephens, Middle Creek, have planned to improve drainage on their farms by the use of farm tile. The tile lines will be staked out by the Soil Conservation District.

If you are interested in soil conservation, contact one of the supervisors of the Floyd County Soil Improvement District: Billy Merritt, Virgil Smith, J. B. Clarke, R. C. Barnett, Milt Stanley, or L. R. Johnson, soil conservationist. The office is located in the Sizemore Building.

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FOR RENT—4-rooms and bath, West Prestonsburg. Call 6641. 1-31-51

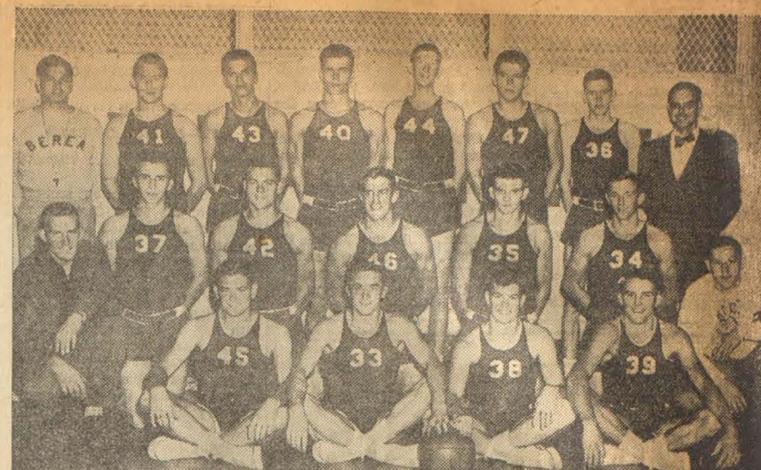
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The Drift Woman's Club attended the food show given Monday night at Martin high school through the courtesy of Armour & Company and Dermott's Store. Club members were guests of the Allen-Martin Woman's Club. Refreshments were prepared and served by the Home Economics class of the school.

Mrs. Rex Ankrum gave a report on the winter Board meeting in Lexington, Thursday and Friday, which she and Mrs. D. L. Deal attended as representatives of the local club. During the brief business session the Drift club voted sponsorship of the Heart drive, with Mrs. D. L. Deal as chairman, and planned a card party to be held at 8 p.m., Feb. 23, in the office building of the Turner-Elkhorn Coal Company here.

Attending the Martin meeting were Mesdames J. C. Moore Howard Sticker, Claude Martin, Milton Stumbo, W. L. Reed, D. L. Deal, W. M. Sexton, Alan Reed, Bobby Hall, Lloyd Stumbo, Alvin Reed, Rex Ankrum, C. J. Cahill, Misses Katherine Reed and Ruby Akers.

Next meeting of the club will be held Feb. 18 at the home of Mrs. Alan Reed.

The court house at Cynthiana, Ky., was built in 1854 and contains complete county records back to 1801 when Henry Clay practiced law there.

Butler To Ask Training For High School Drivers

The State Board of Education, which prescribes the course of study for Kentucky's school system, will be asked to include high school driver education as part of the curriculum, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Wendell P. Butler said this week.

"The seriousness of this subject and the appalling accident toll on the part of persons under twenty-one makes the matter one deserving of urgent consideration," said Butler. "Proper steps will be taken to bring the matter before the State Board for action."

Charles B. Jones, executive secretary of the Governor's Coordinating Committee for Highway Safety, reported that during the first fifteen days of January 168 accidents were reported to the State Police involving teen-age drivers.

He said a 1951 study of Kentucky schools revealed that of 522 high schools with 26,225 students of eligible age for driver training, only twenty-nine offered classroom training to 331 students and thirty-one schools offered classroom training and behind-the-wheel courses to 862 students.

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DAVID

Mr. Bert B. Minix and Miss Marian Salyers, both of Tip Top, Ky., were united in marriage at the home of Rev. J. E. Durham, February 1.

Pvt. Arlin Shepherd, who is stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Shepherd, here last week-end.

Miss Verdie M. Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fair Shepherd, of David, and Mr. Kenneth DeLester, of Kansas City, Mo., were united in marriage, Jan. 30.

Carl Clay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clay, who is stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky., was visiting his parents here, Sunday.

Ollie Clay, who underwent a major operation in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., several days ago, has returned to his home here and is improving nicely.

Tom Cole is ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. Willie Lyons, who has been ill in the Paintsville hospital, has returned to her home here, much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Clark and daughter were visiting in Huntington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Clark and son, of Auxier, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson here last week.

Donald Gene, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh, who has been ill, is some better.

Stevie, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daniels, who has been ill in the Paintsville hospital, has returned to his home, much improved.

Grover Johnson and children, of Evanston, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Johnson here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson and children visited relatives in Paintsville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward and children were visiting her parents at Van Lear, Saturday.

Mrs. Oliver Marshall, who has been ill for several days, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Wilkison and son, of Wheelwright, visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harman here, Sunday.

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**Warinner Raps Plan
Of Board Inspection
Of Assistance Rolls**

By TOM SMITH

The home-district representative of Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson believes that the nation's top jurist will visit Frankfort in an effort to keep Joe B. Bates from being re-districted out of Congress.

The Elliott-Lawrence member of the Kentucky House of Representatives, William B. Wells, who hails from Judge Vinson's hometown of Louisa, said he has a definite commitment from the judge to "do what he could for Bates."

The General Assembly schedule calls for devoting the final two weeks of the current session to the knotty problem of cutting the state's nine congressional districts to eight.

There is some opposition to the administration's plan to attend the redistricting matter during the regular session unless a number of the assemblymen's pet measures are brought out for vote. Feeling among House members is that they shouldn't leave their own bills hanging by lopping two weeks off the regular session for the reappointment measure. Some prefer a special session for the redistricting problem.

Meantime the General Assembly has swung into high gear and at the pace set last week stands a good chance of clearing the dockets fairly well during the next four weeks.

Important administration measures submitted during the week were the bills to broaden the list of groups allowed to inspect public relief rolls and the unemployment compensation boost.

Senator Ed P. Warinner of Albany calls the present inspection of relief rolls by local boards a "farce." Himself a board member in Clinton county, Warinner criticized the inspection procedure and declared "it is no inspection at all."

Said he:

"The relief people get the records out and flip through the pages real fast and call that an inspection. We aren't allowed to make any notes, nor to study the records." The administration measure adds members of the General Assembly and Congressmen to the list of persons allowed to inspect the relief client lists.

The unemployment compensation measure would lift the average benefit payments from \$17 to \$20 and plugs up some loopholes through which fraudulent claims could be paid. Strict policing of claims and elimination of fraudulent claims is expected to provide the additional money to care for the higher average benefits.

A measure prepared for presentation would provide for compulsory vaccination of dogs against rabies and strengthening the dog licensing law. The State Department of Health would be given responsibility for the vaccinations and the Department of Agriculture the responsibility for licensing. The license fee would be boosted from the present \$1 to \$1.50.

Veterinarians would be allowed fees of \$1.00 for vaccinations given during annual county clinics. The program would be administered by a six-member board representing farm groups, Kentucky Veterinary Association and the commissioners of health and agriculture.

Marshall county Representative Shelby McCallum brought a union fight to the floor of the House in a measure which would require national and international unions having Kentucky membership to have state locals. The assemblyman cited work stoppages at the atomic plant near Paducah because of intra-union friction as dictating need for such a law.

Labor people generally oppose the proposal on grounds that solution to the problem should come through the union itself rather than through legislation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Baker and Ronnie of Ashland, spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier.

Mrs. Gertrude Louder of Augusta, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Louder, who drove to Portsmouth Saturday to bring them here.

Mrs. Ben S. Westfall has returned from a visit with her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are the parents of a six-pound daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Denver Baldrige, Thursday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin a six-pound daughter. Mrs. Baldrige is the former Frankie Osborn, a nurse at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Miss Mary Spillman, teacher in Pikeville college, spent last Saturday here guest of Mrs. Florence May. Miss Elizabeth Laven was also her guest for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kane and Mrs. Harry Suroder attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Floyd Austin near Louisa, Saturday.

Mr. Billy Ball visited here Saturday afternoon while enroute from his home at Weeksbury to Catalpa, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Ball.

Mrs. Harrison Frazier and Mrs. Russell Frazier were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Willard Kinzer was shopping in Martin, Saturday.

Returning to school after brief mid-semester vacation, are Darnell Salyers, Olga Frances Preston, Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, Doug Laferty, Frank Gordon Gray and Charles Phillips, Pikeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pruitt and children, spent the week-end in Louisville, visiting relatives.

Rev. Burt Caldwell of Ashland was guest minister in the Missionary Baptist Church, Sunday. He was invited and accepted the pastorate of the church and will move here in March.

Revival services closed in the Methodist Church, Sunday night with 25 definite victories. Baptismal services were held Sunday morning with rites administered to Mr. and Mrs. David Louder. They were also received into the church. Baptismal services and reception of members will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. G. C. Gaunce was the evangelist. He returned to his home in Carlisle, Monday. Music director was Fred Daniels of Betsy Layne, pianist, Mrs. Joe Allen of Martin. Visitors out of town during the revival were from Wayland, Garrett, Maytown, Martin, Salisbury, Dwale, Emma, Bull Creek, Prestonsburg, Ivel, Banner, Harold, Betsy Layne, Boldman, Pikeville, Lexington and Augusta.

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ABC BOARD UPHELD

Franklin Circuit Judge William B. Ardery handed the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Board a legal weapon—which may go a long way toward elimination of gambling on licensed premises where liquor and beer are sold.

Judge Ardery in Franklin circuit court held that "law is order... and law violations are disorder" in holding that the Board acted within its authority in suspending for thirty days the licenses held by Beverly Hills Country Club in Campbell county on such charges.

ABC Board Chairman Guy C. Shearer announced he would recommend that no licenses be renewed for any premises where the holder held a gambling stamp.

CIRCUIT COURT UPHELD

The Kentucky Court of Appeals opened a new source of tax revenue for cities—television towers—as it held towers of radio and television stations may not be constructed as tax exempt "manufacturing machinery." In so upholding it upheld a ruling of the Jefferson circuit court.

The court also held used car dealers are required to give bills of sale and license registration receipts to persons with whom it deals.

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The Kentucky Real Estate Commission suspended one real estate brokers' license for sixty days, revoked three others. License of Damon Allen, Louisville, was suspended sixty days on a charge that he obtained for a client a sales contract on a piece of property already under contract for sale to another. Revoked were licenses held by Mrs. Jewell Walk, Covington; Mrs. Reva Petty and Miss Belinda Jefferson, Louisville, whose checks for renewal were returned unpaid.

PURGATION BOARDS NAMED

The State Board of Election Commissioners named "purgation" boards in Kentucky's 120 counties—a Democrat, Republican and Citizen member—charged with the task of purging voter registration rolls of names that should not be there.

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TELEPHONE LOAN SOUGHT

The Mountain Rural Telephone Co-operative, West Liberty, obtained approval of the Public Service Commission to borrow \$455,000 from the federal government to finance a rural telephone system in Morgan, Elliott and Wolfe counties.

WETHERBY NAMES DIMMICK

Governor Wetherby named Dr. Graham B. Dimmick, Lexington, a member of the State Board of Psychologists to replace Dr. Noble H. Kelley, recently of Louisville, who is now connected with Southern Illinois University.



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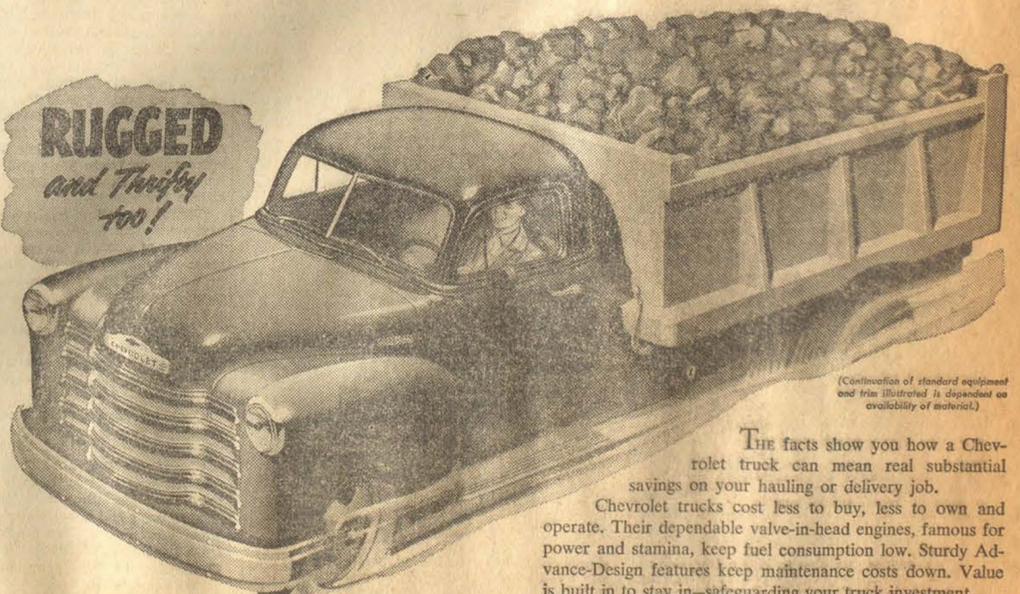
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Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

More than a year ago this column became interested in the evangelism of George O. Barnes, who, with his daughter, Marie, travelled over the eastern part of Kentucky, preaching to great throngs and bringing about a great religious awakening. Some of the county seat towns visited by Barnes had only a few professing Christians. When he left these towns, some of them, like Salyersville, were almost totally converted. Two men only in Salyersville were left out of the pale of the church.

A biography, "Without Scrip or Purse," was written about Barnes and the evangelist's diary was liberally excerpted. Since the book is very rare and could not be procured at any book dealer's, this columnist wrote Claude Beverly of Clintwood, Va., who owned a copy. He very kindly sent me a copy of the Prestonsburg reference in the book. Since that time this column has acquired a copy of the biography, but Beverly's letter, which is in itself interesting, and the Prestonsburg reference are given here:

"With great pleasure I have copied all the account in 'Without Scrip or Purse' of Rev. Geo. O. Barnes' meeting at Prestonsburg between February 20 and March 6, 1880. He does not give a day-by-day account of his meeting at Prestonsburg or at least the author does not. He came to Prestonsburg from Paintsville, boarding the boat, 'Jerry Osborne,' down the river below your town. From Prestonsburg he went to Pike-ton (Pikeville).

"He was evidently a stirring evangelist, judging from the number of converts at his meetings. Does any old person there remember him? Probably not unless they are far advanced in years."

While the evangelist was in West Liberty he received a petition from Prestonsburg signed by 285 people, requesting that after he had preached at Paintsville, a meeting to which he was already committed, he would consent to preach in the Floyd county seat.

The section of the book devoted to the Prestonsburg meeting is quoted at length in full:

"Prestonsburg, Floyd County.

"February 20, 1880. These 'Sandy' boats are sui-generis' little crafts with naked sidewheels and very limited passenger accommodations, except in the eating line. About one hundred returning raftmen were aboard. By request, after dinner, which occupied from half-past eleven to half-past one, with five tables set, we had services. The weak cabin floor gave way a little under the weight of the congregation, cracking two girders, and threatening to break through on the boiler. That would have suited Satan exactly. The Lord kept us in perfect safety. Two roughly clad but good-countenanced men from Pike confessed the dear Saviour's name. The 'Jerry Osborne' made the fourteen miles in six hours—rather deliberate for steam, but the current of Sandy is swift, and the boat small and heavy laden."

"The Prestonsburg meeting, which was brought to a close on March 6, resulted in four hundred and thirty-eight converts; eighty-three were baptized. The experience was much the same as at Paintsville. The evangelist delights in rambling over the mountains with companions; notes those for whose salvation he trusts; rejoices over the victory in the conversion of an infidel; and enters as minutely into details of village life—as we have have seen in other extracts. The arrival of the boat and his lantern becomes an incident. Marie is sorely tried by chills.

"But we all trusted 'straight along,' and said, 'Praise the Lord' with aching hearts. She is resolved to trust the Lord wholly for her cure. We all trust with her. Joe's letter reports Uncle Matt still 'off' on the organ. Poor, dear, loving, obstinate Uncle Matt!

"Visited the jail. It has two compartments—one a sheet-iron cage, the other of wood. In the sheet-iron room were two men, who became brethren in the Lord before the interview was over. The third man in the wooden room got out before nightfall, and confessed at the night meeting. Praise the Lord for His precious love 'opening the prison doors to them that were bound'.

"Dear Marie escaped her chill through the Lord's loving kindness, answering prayer and trust. Last night as I went to bed, I just knelt down and said 'Dear Lord, thou hast said the prayer of faith shall save the sick; I trust thee to make this good to us.' I had a sweet assurance when I lay down. The Lord gave fresh light and full liberty in Acts 13, showing me that the question of sin is not raised in that sweet gospel sermon at Antioch from Paul, 'the Little,' as his name is.

"The captain of the 'Jerry Osborne' and his clerk bring a petition from Pike-ton. It is quite different from any petition thus far received, being signed exclusively by ladies, who state in it, in a very business-like way, that having waited for husbands and brothers to send an invitation until opportunity was almost passed, they had resolved to take the matter in hand themselves, and so entrusted us to come. Accompanying the petition was a very kind invitation from a Mr. Dils to come to his house while in Pike-ton, and stating that a petition had been

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coffee, of Bull Creek, attended church near Martin during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayes spent Saturday night, guests of his sister, Mrs. Edna Key. Mrs. Key has been very ill at her home here. She is improving nicely.

Pfc. Boyd Eugene Thweatt, Pfc. Donald Foster and Pfc. Milton Gore, left last week for New York and then for Germany. They have been stationed at Fort Knox for several months.

Mrs. L. B. Skeans has been receiving treatment in Our Lady of the Way hospital this week. She is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor took their son, Bob, back to Morehead for school, a few days ago.

Tommy Hampton won a quiz contest of 50 and was asked to go to Huntington, W. Va., to receive the prize from Gold Furniture Company.

Sgt. Glenn Patrick, James M. Crisp and Pfc. J. C. Skeans, of Fort Knox, spent the week-end at home with their families. Sgt. Patrick and Pfc. Skeans are looking forward to being discharged soon. Ralph Webb, of Auxier, was visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Hill, here Sunday.

Pfc. Harry Gene Preflatish called his mother, Betty Preflatish, Friday evening to tell her he would leave Santa Ana, Calif., Saturday afternoon for Hawaii, where he will serve with the Marine air force.

Bobby Billiter has again been granted a deferment from his draft board, so he can serve with the Merchant Marine.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Newsome announce the birth of a daughter in a Charleston, W. Va., hospital, Jan. 23. This is their second child.

Robert Whitte, of the army, stationed in Fort Clayton, Panama, is spending a 45-day furlough at home. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Paul Billiter, here.

Mrs. Ann Stumbo was the Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Cpl. Donald Jones has just returned from a visit to the home of his girl friend in Michigan.

Pvt. James Clark, of McDowell, was visiting in Martin during a recent furlough home. He is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

Sister Ethel Tanguay was the week-end guest of Deck Roberts. Norman Roberts has returned home here from Kopperston, W. Va. He has been working with his brother-in-law, Kruger Martin.

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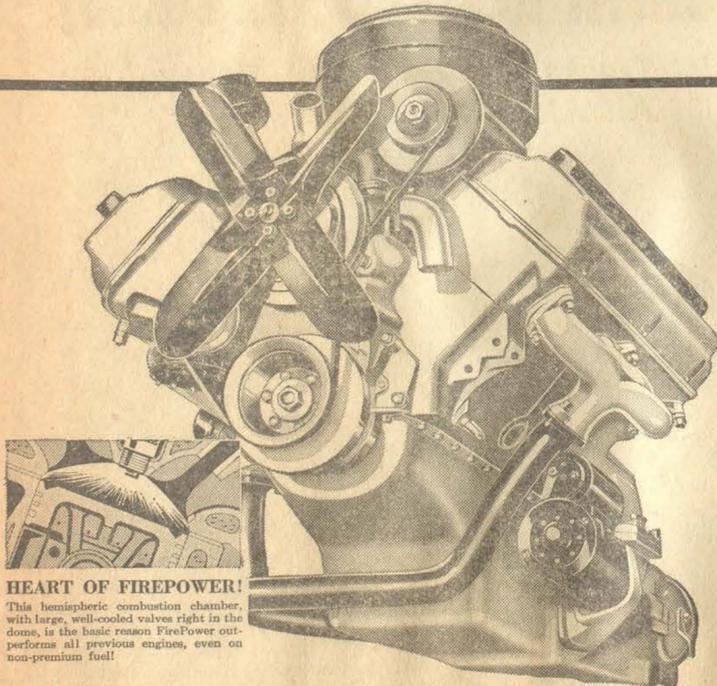
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Rev. E. W. Baxter read the marriage vows before an altar banked with greenery and white blooms. Prior to the ceremony, Mrs. W. F. Vatter, organist, rendered a program of nuptial music. The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a pastel blue dress with black accessories and carried a prayer book topped with white carnations.

Mrs. James Linford, of Richmond, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a navy dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mr. Marvin Burdine, of Richmond, Ky., served the groom as best man.

Mrs. Myers chose for her daughter's wedding a pink dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

The bride attended Eastern State College at Richmond and was graduated from the State Board of Health School of Laboratory Technique in Louisville. She is now employed by Dr. Thomas P. Leonard, in Frankfort, Ky.

Mr. Osborne attended Eastern State College, Richmond, and was graduated from the University of Kentucky, Lexington. He is now employed by Radio Station WKIC, Hazard, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne left immediately after the ceremony for a short wedding trip north.

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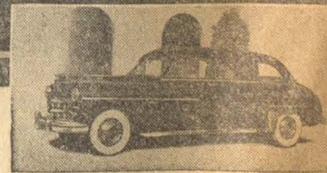
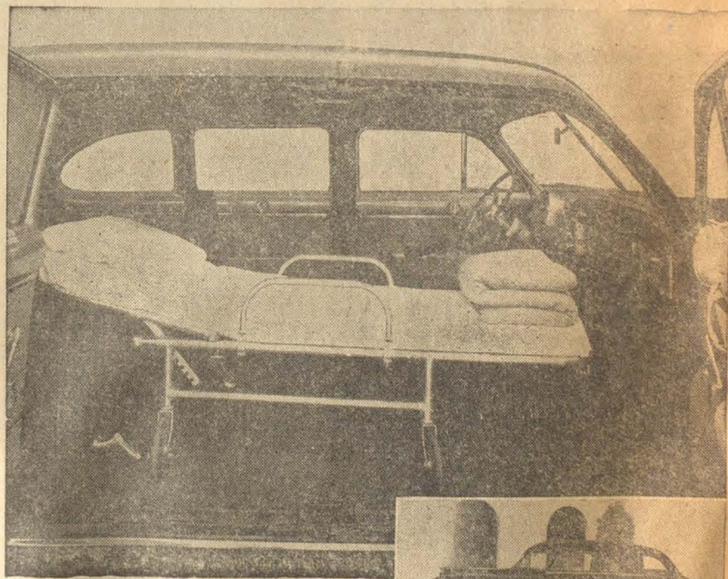
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