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This Town... That World

A MATTER FOR CONCERN

We forgot to mention it, what with these stories about this or that, that more than anything else, the Floyd County Times had a birthday last week, our 22nd.

This anniversary of ours passed almost unheeded and all the sort of stuff, though we did our weekly coming-out party. We have grown to the age that we are interested in folks knowing old we are.

It is so good to grow old. The fact of the matter is, there have been a few reasons when The Floyd County Times didn't flourish to the point of a fairly tender age. And it is enough to be permitted to live through the ups and downs and have our share of friends and to be of some service to the community.

There is only one fly in the ointment. Every year, we miss one week's publication. So that week doesn't count on our age. Prince and Gable and I are worried about that—by the time we have spent 22 years in this business, we will have lost a whole year for no reason.

A MAN OF IMPORTANCE

With a personality about as reliable as a mule, an outfit often being mistaken for other people.

No later was it Hurlinton while I stood outside a certain store waiting for my wife, waiting to see the manager was beginning to have his suspicions, a personable woman in a dark dress asked her car, there was a smile and a sweet smile and a friend winding up by inquiring about my watch. I told her it was a good one, but she expected and returned the compliment, and I was sure some concern about her watch.

Not certain that this wasn't some body I knew, I moved over to the car to get a little bit of friendly exclamation. "You aren't Dr. Williams, are you?"

Wondering if this Dr. Williams was the head of a cut and dog hospital, I assured her that I wasn't. This straightened matters out, but just at that moment the buzzer out again. "Why, there, Williams, come on over!"

But then this face newcomer and her position in the community's mistake. I judiciously submitted around the corner before Mrs. Williams arrived.

You think that it is a bit far-fetched, my being mistaken for a doctor. Dr. O. W. Thompson of Pikeville, is one up on the Hurlinton woman.

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HARVEY BOND IS \$25,000

Two Accuse Each Other In Stabbing of Brannan At Martin Friday Night

Despite his claims his drinking companion, 18-year-old Willie Barnett, stabbed Clifford Brannan, 24, to death on the street at last Friday night. Dave Harvey, 24, Brannan's neighbor of Barnett, was held to \$25,000 bond by County Judge Alex L. Davidson after the hearing of testimony in an examining court. Young Barnett's bond was set at \$2,000.

Dick Harvey and Barnett declared the other fatally stabbed Brannan. Testimony elicited at the hearing failed to disclose any offense on the part of Brannan, a resident of Allen, who drove his car to a point near Tavis Plenary's restaurant in Martin and parked only a few minutes before he was attacked.

His throat slashed, Brannan sank to the street but quickly rose. "Good, you're hurt!" exclaimed Marie Sprinkle, a waitress in the restaurant who rushed to his aid. "Don't worry—I'm not," Miss Sprinkle quoted him as saying. Thereupon he entered his car, holding his wound with his hand and drove, unaided, a distance of approximately a mile to the Beaver Valley hospital where he collapsed soon after his arrival. He died a few minutes later.

It was the last stroke of the night cut the jugular and penetrated the windpipe. Barnett testified he and Harvey left Plenary's restaurant at 11:30 p. m. and drove to the corner near Brannan's, where they were waiting for Harvey. If any words were spoken, he said, he did not hear them. A few minutes later, he testified, he heard a bottle break over which he ran to a point near Barnett's store. There Harvey overtook him, he stated, and informed him he had "cut that boy."

Barnett denied on cross-examination he had any part in the stabbing or that he told others at the Harvey home on Buck's Branch, en route to his own home, to tell anybody they had seen him, that he had cut a man.

During the hearing Harvey seldom frequently, planning about the court room. He testified he did not know Brannan, had no cut or otherwise as

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BUS COMPANY REDUCES RUNS

As Service Resumed Today, Ending Strike; New Contract Signed

Sparks Brothers Bus Company buses were rolling again this morning. Thursday's strike of the one-week strike by an limited schedule.

Company officials were quoted as saying the curtailment of bus schedules is a temporary move while the union is idle. Six of the firm's 13 drivers, including Everett Wells, president of the employees' union local, drew out-of-town this week.

Operation of the buses was resumed with the renewal of a wage contract which, in effect, is the same as that of last year. The union agreed it was to be a discharge of Orla Patrick and Glenn Harold Hall, subject to arbitration.

Discharge of Patrick caused the walk-out of the company's employees. He was fired, said McKinley Sparks, Prestonsburg, general manager of the bus company, because he had failed to turn in promptly funds collected for fares.

The bus line serving Prestonsburg, both Beaver Creeks in this county, Hindman and Hazard, Louisa and Black, had been making 10 round trips daily and carried an estimated load of 1,500 passengers a day.

Eliminated by schedules changes were six round trips from Prestonsburg daily to McWhorter, Wheelwright, Dry Creek, Dry Creek to Garrett and back to Prestonsburg, to Hazard and another to Wheelwright. Two garage employees were also temporarily cut off.

TWO WOUNDED IN GUN DUEL

Club 23 at Boldman Scene of Fight; Drift Man Seriously Wounded

Club 23, barely across the county line at Boldman in Pike county, was the scene of an affray in which two men were wounded, one critically, last Saturday morning, shortly after midnight.

Both men involved in the shooting were residents of this county. Milford Tackett, of Drift, was wounded four times, twice in the abdomen in an exchange of revolver shots with Riley Hall, son of Hen Hall of Boldman. Hall was shot twice in the leg.

Although early reports listed Tackett as hopelessly wounded, he was said to be improved this week at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart hospital. Hall's condition was not regarded as serious at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Reports received here of the shooting were at wide variance. State police quoted witnesses as saying Tackett drew a gun on another guest at the club and that Hall intervened, saying, "We don't want any trouble here." Followed a shot from Tackett which struck Hall in the face, after which Hall knocked the other down, with the shooting taking place in a matter of seconds thereafter, in the street and on the street.

Another version of the shooting claimed Hall had brandished a gun prior to his trouble with Tackett and that the latter drew a gun after having been flicked by Hall's fire.

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E POINT MAN DIES IN RIVER

Inquest Slated To Fix Cause of Hayden Death After Dive from Boat

An inquest will be held at Paintsville today (Thursday) to determine cause of the death of Lacey Hayden, 24-year-old East Point miner, who was diving from the boat and was dead when pulled from the water, a short time later.

The Everett Hunt and Harvey DeLong, were boating and while Hunt, linked with the motor DeLong first, dived into the water, Hayden following. The tragedy was witnessed by several women who were swimming nearby.

The victim is survived by his wife, three small children and his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayden.

Business Men's Awards Made to Three Women

Prestonsburg Business Men's Association prizes were awarded this afternoon (Thursday) as follows: Mrs. A. B. Cobbs, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Bessie Wells, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Lucille Taylor, Drift.

The awards next week again will total \$150.

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THURSDAY

HUNT FOR GIRL'S SLAYER

Big Sandy Assn. Loses Canalization Project

OMNIBUS BILL LEAVES OUT RIVER JOB

Valley Group Held High Hopes in Meet Here Last Saturday

The Big Sandy river canalization project was not included in the omnibus bill approved by the Public Works Committee, The Times learned late today. This is probably the last of the bill for years to come, the fight to make the river navigable under the Big Sandy left Tuesday. The project can be saved through Senate action.

Directors of the Big Sandy Valley Association went into a huddle at the Brown hotel here Saturday afternoon to plot the strategy for playing what was described as "the last of the inning" in the game of politics in Washington from which they will either emerge with the prize, canalization of the Big Sandy river, or defeat.

As a result of their action, E. C. Thompson, A. J. May, Prestonsburg, for years a Congressional leader in the fight, Dr. O. W. Thompson, Pikeville, Association president, and others from the Lewis and Tug Fork of the Big Sandy left Tuesday morning to be in at the finish of the fight before the Public Works Committee in Washington.

Of the 27 members of the Committee, Dr. Thompson and H. A. Merrill, Appland, Association executive vice-president, predicted the vote of 17 for canalization.

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SCHOOLS MAY LOSE \$53,000

Held No Longer 'Needy,' Floyd Denied State Aid; Hall Thinks Error Made

Only 60 or thereabouts of Kentucky's school districts will receive equalization fund aid from the state for the coming school year, and not the Floyd county's nor the Prestonsburg Independent district is among them.

This the state's School Superintendents were told Monday by William D. Clemen, director of the finance division, State Department of Education.

As a result, Floyd county may lose a fund which last year increased school revenues \$370,000. However, Superintendent Palmer L. Hall believes figures on which the county's financial ability was figured are incorrect and is hopeful of producing corrected data in time to get at least a part of the equalization fund.

Floyd county's ability index was placed at \$75.32 per capita and since the state level is \$74.34, the county school system is not eligible for equalization aid.

The equalization fund of \$2,350,000 is intended to seek to bring up the poorer counties to that \$74.34 level, but figures above that are not given help.

The county's index was figured, Mr. Hall said, on an assessment of approximately \$13,500,000 as compared with \$10,000,000 the preceding year. Its potential revenue for the school year was placed at \$933,472.

Mr. Hall expressed the belief that the Prestonsburg assessment had not been accurately figured and deducted from the county total to give an inaccurate figure in estimating the county system's ability index.

The independent Prestonsburg district received no equalization fund help last year and was expected none this year.

Although the new per capita rate, \$75.32, is higher than last year's, the county will lose some from this source also, inasmuch as the school census is 176 below the 1946-47 census. Increased assessment, however, is expected to bring revenues well past last year's income.

Several non-legal, the coal company, which has freely spent in modernizing the plant, as well as its coal operations, began asking figures on a swimming pool. The cost was steep, so they said it caused the pool to be a liability to the plant.

Then, with the miners' vacation period at hand, the company's employees came forward with a petition. "If," they told company officials,

"You go ahead and build that pool, we will supply the labor and you the materials."

"And so work is under way this week. Most of the men who are digging for the pool itself are the drainage system live in the mining town, but some who live outside are at work."

"To make it fair to the men," Max Burns, personnel director, said, "the company is keeping time on the labor the fellows do, so that they can be laid off for the pool itself."

This plan involves assurance of five, adult tickets or 10 children's tickets for every hour of work. "Some of these boys," commented Burns, "are going to have a lot of swimming coming to them."

Joe Nekeorace, Preston Kirkham, is in charge of the underground work and the work of the various phases of work. Among these are Carl W. Trucks, bulldozers, steel reinforcement; W. H. Bailey, druggist and sewer contractor; Alex Bussey and Thomas Cole.

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Dog Quarantine Here for 6 Weeks Asked by Ransell

Dr. Marvin Ransell, director of the Floyd County Health Department, announced Wednesday he had asked County Judge Alex L. Davidson to sign an order directing the quarantine of all dogs in Prestonsburg for a period of six weeks. The order was requested after two dogs here had become rabid within the last week.

Nobody in Prestonsburg has been bitten, but in the Brannan's Creek section of Mad Creek a number of persons have been taking anti-rabies treatment for several weeks. It was said.

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LOCAL FIRMS TO CLOSE, 4TH Full Day's Program Planned by 3 Groups For Day's Observance

For the Fourth of July celebration Planned by the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion, practically all business houses in Prestonsburg will close, it was announced Wednesday. This includes 32 stores, barber shops and shoe repair shops.

For the day the sponsors of the celebration have planned a program beginning with a band concert in the morning followed by a flag-raising ceremony and patriotic address. The afternoon will be devoted to a series of contests, and in the evening a street square dance will be held.

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Body of Muriel Baldridge Found Here Early Tuesday

Murder Probe Fund Passes \$1,400 Mark

Funds actually on deposit in The First National Bank here this morning to finance investigation of the brutal slaying of Muriel Baldridge totaled \$1,400. From this a check for \$504.63 was drawn as a retainer to the Pinkerton Detective Agency, which will send agents here to join the probe into the mystery.

Persons desiring to contribute to this fund are asked to make checks payable to The First National Bank, Prestonsburg, marking the checks for the Muriel Baldridge Fund.

Russell Hagwood, cashier of the bank, will issue all checks on the fund after expenditures are approved by a committee already functioning.

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Fiendish Attack Victim

The girl's body was found, about 5:30 a. m., Tuesday on the west bank of the Big Sandy river, her head smashed by five blows. She lay within 75 yards of the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Baldridge, West Prestonsburg.

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CRIME TERMED MOST BRUTAL KNOWN HERE

As funeral rites for pretty Muriel Baldridge, 17-year-old Prestonsburg high school cheer leader, were being conducted here this afternoon, state, county and city authorities continued to pry into the mystery surrounding her death.

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KNOTT CLERK HEART VICTIM

John Sturgill, 67 years old, Knott County Clerk and a brother Sheriff Troy B. Sturgill, of Prestonsburg, died at his home in Hindman Tuesday night, victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Sturgill, who had been County Clerk for 16 years, was a candidate for renomination. Before his tenure of office as County Clerk he served as Circuit Clerk. He was widely known in this county, and was one of Knott county's most prominent political figures.

Survivors include two sons, Dennis Sturgill, publisher of the Hindman News, and Buster Sturgill, and three daughters, Mrs. Geraldine Sturgill, Mrs. Lena Dyer, Mrs. Jack Jones, all of Hindman.

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FIRST AVENUE

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Japanese Honor First Englishman
William Adams, the first Englishman in Japan, was honored there by a yearly festival.

RARE IS VICTIM
Dale Ann, month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lecher, of Hunter, ascribed last Thursday at Our Lady of the War hospital, Martin, a victim of a bacterial heart condition. Surviving are the parents, three sisters and one brother. Doctor Spaulding, Dr. J. B. J. and Wayne. Burial was made Saturday at the Three Mile cemetery, Pike county, the Arnold & Hall Funeral Home directors.

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ONE WHO IS NOT A CITIZEN AND TAXPAYER OF FLOYD COUNTY?

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YOUR COUNTY CLERK

(Pol. adv.)

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FOR SALE—Gertrude's Beauty Shop. Good location and good business. Phone 5201, Prestonsburg. GERTRUDE SHEPHERD, Owner, 6-16-44.

FOR SALE—House and lot on Earl street. Bath and all modern conveniences. Call 4974, or see JERRY LAFFERTY, Prestonsburg, Ky. 6-18-44.

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SWAP OR SELL—24 Dodge sedan, pretty good condition. Would consider outboard boat and motor. See BERT PORTER, Emma, Ky. 6-30-44.

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FOR SALE—one used, reconditioned upright piano, reasonably priced. At BROWN'S PIANO STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. E. B. Brown, owner. Phone 2148. 6-30-44.

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FOR SALE—Ira Hall property, lot 28x30, building 18'x30' being used for dry cleaning plant. This property is located at McDowell, Ky. See MILTON RAMSEY, McDowell, Ky. 6-30-21-44.

FOR SALE—one 8-ft. Electrolux refrigerator. \$50. FRANCIS STORE, Prestonsburg, 6-30-44.

BARGAIN ON COW CREEK—5-room house in good condition, 2 1/2 acres of fertile land. Good young orchard, outbuildings. Good fence. All for \$1,400. See JOHN DARBY, Emma, Ky. 6-30-44-45.

Turner-Hunt Wedding Solemnized on June 19

Miss Aveline Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Turner, of Har- old, and Mr. Wesley Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hunt, of Boldman, were married Sunday, June 19, at the Layneville Methodist Church. The Rev. Robert L. Anderson officiated at the double ring ceremony before a wedding banquet with baskets of garden flowers.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Gwendolyn Tackett, pianist, played a program of nuptial music. Billie Gene Blackburn sang "Beauvoir" and Fred Daniel sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride was attired in a blue dress with black accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of pink roses. She was attended by Mrs. Aileen Hamilton, of Pikeville, who wore a pink dress with blue accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. Mr. Richard Wells, Jr., of Pikeville, was best man. Jimmie Daniel and Julian Tackett were ushers.

Mrs. Tackett is a graduate of New Layne high school and is now employed by the Modern Appliance Co., Pikeville. Mr. Hunt is employed by the Utility Elkhorn Coal Company, of Bolman.

Immediately following the ceremony they left for a wedding trip to Virginia Beach. They will reside at Layneville.

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FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK

Dear Voter:

As a friend and neighbor I wish to inform you on a matter of much importance to every man, woman and child in Floyd county. On August the sixth you will go to the polls and cast your votes for candidates who will represent your party in the final election in November.

Doubtless every voter will take inventory of the various candidates and consider their background, training, and experience. Then vote for the person best fitted for each office.

As a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk, I ask you to consider my qualifications.

I am a native Floyd county boy, born at Emma, Ky., the son of Banner and Maude Harris Leslie. As a member of a large family with little income I was from my youth taught to work hard for an honest living.

I attended the public schools of Floyd county, after which I entered Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky., where I worked my way through college. Here I studied hard but was rewarded by gaining the highest recognition for scholastic attainment during the 1928-29 session. After graduation from college I became a member of the Floyd county high school faculty as Mathematics and Science instructor which position I have held until the present time.

As we all know, teachers' salaries have always been inadequate. With a large family to support and children to educate I feel that I am in greater need than any other of the candidates for this office.

If nominated and elected I pledge the people of Floyd county the best service possible. I will strive to make the County Court Clerk's office larger, better, and more efficient, as you know it should be. I will employ Floyd county girls and boys as my assistants.

Every consideration possible will be given ex-service men.

For the convenience of the public automobile licenses will be issued at the following places: Wheelwright Junction, McDowell, Drift, Wayland, Garrett, Maytown and David.

I shall ever be on the alert for improvements for Floyd county, and shall do all in my power in conjunction with my co-workers to improve the roads, better the schools, and aid the needy.

I shall greatly appreciate your loyal support for I will be fighting this race hard until the last vote is cast. So beware of last minute rumors.

Just remember that a vote for me means a vote for a native Floyd county boy who is deserving, qualified, and worthy of your trust and will make an efficient and honest clerk.

Sincerely,
GERALD G. LESLIE

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Mrs. McHone Wins 'Stop Music' Prize

The "big-time" radio quiz programs do, too, reach out to telephone numbers in the small towns. But Sunday evening, Mrs. Cora McHone, resident at the home of her brother-in-law, Blaine Smith, Wheelwright, what is believed to have been the first such quiz addressed to a resident of this section. Arriving at the Smith residence, she heard the telephone ringing. It was New York.

The New York operator was calling at 7:15, to prepare whoever answered for the quiz to come 10 minutes later. Radio tuned to the program, Mrs. McHone waited. Then a second call, and Larry Parks, m. c. of the Stop the Music program which is offering a sizeable fortune to the person who identifies the mystery number.

After the preliminary interview, Parks asked the Wheelwright woman to identify the number next to be played. Immediately she did so—"Pretty Baby." She had never before listened to Stop the Music, had not studied the clues and read guesses of columnists and this and that, and so was unable to name the Mystery Melody and win the grand prize.

But her identification of "Pretty Baby" was a fair evening's work. She was informed by Mr. Parks that just for that she will receive a \$350 living room suite.

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of whose home the initial attack is believed to have occurred, at 10:20 p.m. Monday. She said she had been tired and was startled by a scream. "While I was getting to the back door, there were several other screams," she said. "The last scream was when I turned on the light and opened the door. I didn't hear anything after that, and I hear so many voices around the bridge that I want to be dead."

Miss Sue Goble, a cheerleader with Muriel, was spending the night with Muriel's mother, Mrs. James Dotson, across the yard from the R. S. Dotson home, and she and Miss Tackett told of hearing screams.

The body was found lying next to a felled pile of willows on the river bank, at the only spot for a stretch of 50 yards where there was access through the brush to the river. This fact gave rise to the theory that the killer intended to throw his victim's body in the river at that spot but was alarmed by the switching on of lights in the two homes.

Miss Baldrige was not criminally attacked.

Parents of the dead girl thought she was spending the night with a girl friend and were not disturbed because of her absence.

She was last seen alive by three girl friends, Sybil McKenzie, also a cheerleader, Thelma Collinsworth and Carl Hamilton. Earlier in the evening, she had attended a softball game at the playground here with friends, then had gone to a traveling carnival in the Pigeon Addition here with the three girls. They walked home and parked at the corner of Seventh street and the Mayo Trail, Muriel, turning off toward home in West Prestonsburg, the others walking on up the Trail. The girls said she told them she was not afraid to walk home alone.

Discovery of the body was made by Don Pitts as he rode in a truck driven by his brother, en route from West Prestonsburg to work.

Officers were hindered in their investigation of the crime by the tramping of the ground in the vicinity of where the body lay by a large crowd of curious and excited persons who gathered as news of the crime spread. A heavy rain also fell early Tuesday morning.

In the absence of definite clues or word from officers who were working quietly, speculation as to the motive for the crime and the theory was to the effect that Muriel's assailant intended to rape her but was frightened when she screamed and as lights flashed in surrounding homes.

Leading the questioning was Louis, who was assisted by an FBI agent, County Attorney W. Burchett, city, county and state officers. The slain girl's father is a C. & O. Railway Company veteran, and so seven of the company's special agents, including M. L. Marston, of Louisville, and G. L. Gray, of Allen, are aiding in the investigation.

The only person to be held in jail here was a hitchhiker, Richard Funk, Carrollton, Mich., who was turned over to Calletsburg police Tuesday afternoon by the driver of a truck from whom Funk had thumbed a ride from Paintsville. Officers do not regard him seriously. He was booked on a vagrancy charge. Another man, whose name was given as Damron, was held at Pikeville until quizzed by Thompson. His story of having seen a girl beaten here was discounted when it was learned he was drunk on the night of the slaying and had not been near Prestonsburg then.

Otherwise, all questioned were never in custody.

Plaster casts of footprints, made by Dr. Earl T. Arnett in the area where the body lay, were of a No. 8 shoe. These are in the hands of authorities.

The crime left Prestonsburg residents agast. "This is what we have been reading about so long, and now it has happened here... Our killings have always been clean, nothing brutal like this... Who could have killed this innocent girl?—thus ran the chain of comment in stores, offices and from hoodlums going on the streets.

SUMMONS TO OPERATION

Mrs. Harold Combs submitted to a major operation at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, Tuesday. Her condition, Thursday, Tuesday, was reported as "fair." Prior to the operation she received four blood transfusions and a fifth during the operation.

LASTING MEMORIALS

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Bill Wright, Martin man, told of Harvey running into his yard on the night of the slaying. He identified Harvey's shirt and said he considered spots on it to be blood stains. Harvey denied having been at the Wright home or seeing Wright.

Harvey's shirt, spotted by what was claimed to be blood, was presented as an exhibit. He said it blood was on his shirt, it got there when he pushed between Barnett and Branham. When arrested at the theatre, to which he had returned after the slaying, he told state police, Sheriff's deputies and Martin policemen that his nose "followed bleeding." Testifying here, he stated his nose "did follow bleeding" but that the ailment did not produce the spots.

Buddy Barnett and A. B. Crisp corroborated Harvey's claim he left his knife with them in the theatre but Barnett and Miss Spierlock testified he had a knife open in the restaurant and put it in his coat pocket, still open.

Victim of the slaying was a son of Mrs. Branham and Dora Branham Allen. His widow, Mrs. Bobbie Branham, and one daughter, Edith Garman, 2, survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the school at Allen, the Revs. W. M. Flanery and Richard Wells officiating. Burial was made in the Hill cemetery, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

NAME OMITTED

Unintentionally omitted last week from the list of Democratic candidates published in The Times was the name of Belvie Moore, of Lackey, who is a candidate for Jailer. Moore's name will occupy fourth place on the ballot.

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FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY



In a recent issue of this paper, one of our insinuates that I have not diligently performed as County Attorney in regard to enforcing the law.

I have been in office as your County Attorney since 1937. I have been in office as your Commonwealth's Attorney since 1947. I have the record of past performance of both of you upon such record that the voters should decide. I am willing to let my record determine whether I am worthy of your support. You have had occasion to my conduct as a public official and you know what have fairly and fearlessly presented all cases, regard of personalities. You have heard no substantial criticism of my administration which you read in the article of opponent.

I do not want to engage in mud slinging and hope shall not be forced to do so. I do not want to remind you of the manner in which my opponent conducted the office of Commonwealth's Attorney. The office of County Attorney is more important than that of Commonwealth's Attorney because of the duty pertaining to county finances. If you believe from the past record of my opponent that he is better suited to serve you as County Attorney, you should support him. On the other hand, if my record indicates I am more suited to serve you, it is your duty as good citizens, interested in your families and in your community, to support me.

I pledge to you a continuation of the impartial, fearless performance of my duties and the same friendly, accommodating treatment of every person calling in my office.

Respectfully,

W. W. BURCHETT

(Pol. adv.)

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An Open Letter To Troy B. Sturgill

Dear Sir:

I am in perfect agreement with your statement in last week's Floyd County Times to the effect that, "we live in a free country where every man or woman has a right to seek office or vote for his or her choice."

I also agree that the people of Floyd county have been very kind to you, more than once. But for me or you to say that you have been loyal to your trust as a law enforcement officer—that is a matter I think the sound judgment of the good people of Floyd county can best decide.

Perhaps you have done your very best to enforce all the laws for the safeguarding of our homes and the protecting of decency in our county. You at least say you have never betrayed this trust placed by the people in you by your election as their Sheriff. I have only the word of others, and my own observations, but it appears that respect for law and order in this county is at its lowest, and if you have worked as you should you have failed somewhere along the line.

"There are a lot of people who like you, Mr. Sturgill, but smooth, nice words have been spoken and repeated all day long on their cars, these days, like water on a duck's back. This I know—they are tired of pretty speeches."

Now let us get down to another point in your statement which referred to the present election:

"The people of Floyd county would not hold it against you if you should come out in the open for your nephew (from Knott county). But, if they are like me and others I know, they cannot understand why you continue to deny support of him. You are a master at scolding rumors. I admit. That statement of yours in which you warned against any candidate spreading rumors about your shenanigans, and in which you asked the voters to vote against that candidate, was intended to serve as a rumor-stopper and at the same time a vote-getter. That might prove to be a master stroke. Again, it could fail of its purpose. Frankly, I think the people, this time, are awakened to the deals and politics you hope to play. I am not interested in beating you—the people will do that when the time comes—I am interested in electing a man whom you nor any other man can touch in any way."

That man is Ramsey C. Dyer. He is my nephew, and I do not for a moment hesitate to tell all that I am for him. If you had the true Floyd county blood, you would come out in the open for your nephew and join his brother, John, Chris Connett, in trying to make it three public officials from Knott county (although I concede you have been here long enough to be a Floyd county citizen.)

No hard feelings, Troy. I am just setting the truth and hoping the people will know the truth. Will you help me?

Sincerely,
CYNTHIA STEPHENS PRATER
(Pol. adv.)

Mrs. Meadows Dies At Lancer Saturday

An illness of six months resulted Saturday in the death of Mrs. Alice Margaret Meadows, 72 years old, at the home of her son, Alex Meadows, near Lancer.

Mrs. Meadows was the widow of Matthew Meadows, who died nine years ago. She was a native of Mingo county, the daughter of Joshua and Anna Reed Eldridge. A resident of the Lancer community for the last eight years, she was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church and was one of her community's best women.

Surviving are two sons, Henry and Alex Meadows, both of Lancer, two daughters, Mrs. Oliver Hunt, Lancer, and Mrs. Lillie Burchfield, Ironton, O., and one stepson, Willie Meadows, West Prestonsburg.

The funeral was conducted Monday from the home of Alex Meadows, the Rev. Jesse Stratton and C. F. Conn officiating. Burial was made in the Porter cemetery here under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Temperatures which kill living cells are often only a few degrees above those at which they are accustomed to living.

Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the Shop Fork Coal Co., Wayland, Ky., a partnership, has been dissolved by mutual agreement of the partners, Maynard R. Polly and Jack Nalle, and that the undersigned will not be responsible, on and after this date, June 30, 1949, for any debts incurred by or in the name of said partnership.

MAYNARD R. POLLY
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BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Nunamy are announcing the birth of their first daughter, born June 26 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital. The babe has been named Barbara Sherman. Mrs. Nunamy and daughter are now at their home on Second avenue.

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NOTICE

I am not hiring any deputies. Please do not waste your time and mine by asking me to do so.

MACK HARMON

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Saunders and son returned last Friday, from Manistique, Mich., where they were guests of Mrs. Saunders' sister, Mrs. John Davidson, and Mr. Davidson.

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4 tsp. remove or phosphate baking powder

1 1/2 tsp. salt
4 tbsp. fat
5 1/2 cups milk

Measure and sift dry ingredients into a bowl. Cut or work in fat until the mixture has a crumbly appearance. Add liquid and combine thoroughly. Turn dough out on lightly floured board, gather up into a ball and knead lightly until the dough appears somewhat smooth. Roll to one-half inch thickness. Dip cutter into flour. Cut biscuits and place upon greased baking sheet. If crumbly biscuits are desired, place about one inch apart. Otherwise biscuits may touch each other. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) for about 15 minutes.

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Floyd Residents' Kin Victim Near Louisa

Mrs. Nellie Jane Parker, 65, of Louisa, Route 1, died Monday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Julius York, of Louisa, after a week's illness.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Free Will Baptist Church on Lick Creek (formerly Moore's Chapel) by the Rev. William W. Moore and the Rev. Joe Hinkle. Burial was made in the Parker cemetery.

Mrs. Parker was a daughter of the late James and Mary Moore Gibson and had been a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for six years.

Surviving are the husband, Andy J. Parker, two sons, Arnold Parker, of Landale, W. Va., and Willie B. Parker, of Prestonsburg; three brothers, W. M. Gibson, of Louisa, Mont Gibson, of Prestonsburg, and John B. Gibson, of Kenova. She is also survived by 10 grandchildren.

Floyd Men in Wreck Which Claimed Life Of Breathitt-Co. Girl

Four men, all residents of Wayland and vicinity, were injured last week near Hazard in an automobile wreck which claimed the life of Miss Martha Flagote, 18-year-old Jackson girl.

State police were quoted as saying the auto in which she and the four Floyd men were riding plunged over an embankment onto the Louisville & Nashville Railway tracks where it was struck by a freight train.

The men were listed as Hager and Herbert Manns, brothers, John D. Vase and Chester Allen. The girl died in a Hazard hospital.

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Beaver Creek Native Dies at Willard, Ohio

Willie Gibson, 50 years old, native of the Right Beaver Creek section, died June 28 at a Willard, O. hospital, a victim of tuberculosis.

Surviving are his widow, four sons, Chester, Eddie, Clifford and Walter, and one daughter, Evelyn, all of Willard. Four brothers and one sister, Marion, Tommy, Homer and Lemmon Gibson and Mrs. Lawrence Hall, also survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday by the Rev. Bud Johnson and the Reverend Moore, and burial was made in the Turner cemetery, near Wayland, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

Three Hurt on Errand To Get Mine Payroll

Three employees of the Sizemore Mining Company at McDowell were injured Friday afternoon when the auto in which they were driving to work Martin for the company's payroll wrecked on a curve.

Frank Hall suffered a broken leg, and Leonard Anderson and Dock Tackett were less seriously hurt. The car overturned six times. Faulty brakes were blamed for the wreck.

Notice to Auto Drivers:

Driver's licenses have arrived at my office, and I will wait the following places, or find a deputy, for the convenience of motorists:

July 8 at Martin; July 12 at Harold; July 14 at Wayland; July 18, Wheelwright; July 22, Westbury; July 22, David; July 25, Garrett; July 27, Austin; July 28, Maytown.

W. W. COOLEY
Circuit Clerk

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Shall We Continue To Coddle These Killers?

WHEN, and if, the brutal slayer of young Muriel Baldridge is found and brought to trial, will a Floyd county jury again accept the old, farcical plea of self-defense?

That is a question which, on the face of it, is nonsensical, but which in fact is no more silly than the criminal-petting, gullible juries which for all these years now have been turning loose upon society, with little or no punishment, a long array of killers.

This girl who died at the hand of a soulless wretch was young and lovely. She had by only a few years left the fairland of childhood, barely had entered on young womanhood. Dark stratagems and thoughts of murder were far from her mind. Yet she was the one to die, to be dragged away from the scene of her death as if by a werewolf.

Can justification be found for this crime? We wonder. If the killer is of an influential, wealthy family, if he has an appealing personality, if his story is pitiful enough...

Self-defense? It is time Floyd county's people act in self-defense. This is not the time for rash individuals, or men who do violence, to talk of taking the law into their own hands. The law has been in their hands, all these years, and they have done little with it.

In our horrified realization of the fact that it not only can happen here but actually has, our deep indignation should be turned upon ourselves, not against any one individual or any one official. Self-excoriation and examination are the ingredients of the treatment we need.

Let us face this particular crime as we should face all crime—as good citizens of courage, coldly bent on seeing that justice prevails, nothing short of justice.

For others will die and other crimes will be committed. This present sorrow of ours is but a part of the dark panorama of crime we have been gazing upon and shall continue to face, with eyes half-closed, until the remaining forces of right in Floyd county get ready to fight for the right.

NOTICE

The Kentucky Railroad Commission will conduct a public hearing at its office in Frankfort, Ky., at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, July 13, 1949, on the application of The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company for permission to discontinue passenger service on its Lone Fork, Clear Creek and Wheelwright Subdivision between Martin and Weeksbury, Wheelwright and Wheelwright Junction, and Clear Creek Junction and Lison in Floyd county, Ky.

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"If this bill comes out of committee," declared Dr. Thompson, "Big Sandy is as good as locked and damned." He pointed out that, even if the House should fail to pass the bill, the Senate certainly will and that the bill thus would eventually be enacted.

Yet the Pikeville man pointed out that, for all its apparent strength in the Public Works Committee, the Big Sandy project does not have on that House group one man committed to it above all others. "Three leaders in the committee," he added, "are agreed on certain projects as certain of approval, but Big Sandy is not one of these. This is going to take all we can do."

Mr. Merrill gave the Washington report and was optimistic. Looks and odds for the Big Sandy, on the basis of 1945 figures, will cost, he said, approximately \$125,000,000. At the same time, it was pointed out, the ratio of returns from the investment has also increased—\$1.90 for each \$1 spent, as compared to \$1.50 for each dollar when earlier estimates were made by the U. S. Corps of Engineers.

The Arkansas river project, Dr. Thompson pointed out, has been approved, though it will cost \$245,000,000 in providing power, irrigation, flood control and navigation, and though the first three items were not justified in the official estimates.

Mr. Merrill, who returned only last week from a lengthy stay in Washington, declared, "Congressman Carl D. Perkins is 100 per cent for the Big Sandy project" and was supported by Dr. Thompson and others.

To My Many Friends, Brothers and Sisters and Fellow Laborers of Floyd County:

I am asking the voters to support Bill Hall for Sheriff on the Democratic ticket at the coming August Primary, as I personally know Mr. Hall threw open the doors of his storehouse to the miners through two depressions. I was one of the number.

He also always kept his doors open to the religious people. I collected \$3,000 back through the company office to pay these accounts he carried for the miners. I speak for a man who offers not promises for the future but the good, sound record of things he has already done.

Respectfully,
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the deadlock would be broken. Despite the stalemate, George H. Love, president of Pittsburgh Consolidation Coal Company and chief operator spokesman, doubted that Lewis would call the miners out when their annual 10-day vacation ends Thursday.

Love said he expected soft-coal miners in the North and West to operate at least till August 14, or 60 days from the date on which Lewis served contract-termination notices on the producers. The 60-day no-strike period is required by the Taft-Hartley Law.

Asked about Love's opinion, Lewis said, "It's very interesting despite the fact that Mr. Love said it before."

Sam Remfrey, Victim Here in 77th Year

Sam Remfrey, 76 years old, painter and well-known Prestonsburg resident, succumbed at his home here Tuesday after a long period of failing health.

Mr. Remfrey, an industrious citizen, had many friends here where he had resided for about 40 years. He was a native of Boyd county. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Mack Walters, Shelbyville, Ky., and a son, Arnold, of Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) from the Free Will Baptist Church, the Rev. Charles Rowe and the Reverend Davis, of Wheelwright, officiating. Burial in the Richmond cemetery was directed by the Arnold Funeral Home.

LEG AMPUTATED

Charles Baldridge, of Leburn, Knott county, brother of George Baldridge, of West Prestonsburg, underwent a major operation last week when it became necessary to amputate his right leg because of lack of circulation and other complications. A patient at the Stum-borg Memorial hospital, Lackey, for the past two weeks as a result of a stroke of paralysis and diabetes, Baldridge has been in serious condition for many months.

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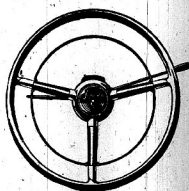


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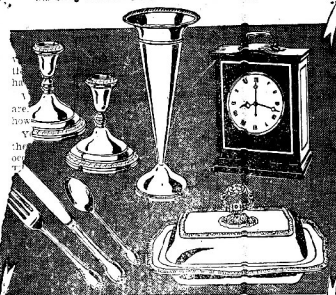


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Society Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Auxier and daughters, Nancy and Janet, of Logan, W. Va., were here Friday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paris Conley were in Pikeville Saturday on business.

Mrs. Bill Presitt, of the Abbott road, is an operative patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. She submitted to surgery Tuesday.

Katharine Jean Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brady Shepherd, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Blackburn, at Rochester, N.Y. Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd will spend Sunday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn. Their daughter will return home with them.

Albert Gallatin Jenkins, of Roanoke, Va., spent the night here Thursday, continuing his visit in Huntington. While here he visited Mrs. Maggie Lee and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Salisbury and daughter, Evelyn, returned this week from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick in Miami, Florida.

L. R. Trimble, of Huntington, W. Va., was here Sunday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Clarke have returned from a shopping trip to New York City, buying merchandise for the Margaret-Mann Shop.

BIRTHDAY HOSTESS

Gail Anne Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calhoun, was hostess to a few of her little friends at her home on Highland avenue, Tuesday at 2 p.m., celebrating her fourth birthday. Games were enjoyed and pictures were taken of the group. After she had opened her presents, refreshments were served to the following: Jane Osborne, Van Buren Stepp, Phyllis Whitten, Betty Jean and Jesse Wald Rowe, Jim Clay and William Osborne, Vickie and Judy Calhoun, Mrs. Tom Burke, Mrs. Hoover Harrington, and Mrs. Jesse Lafferty.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Mrs. Thomas Hersford, Jr., was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at her home on Second avenue, June 28. President, Mrs. Edna Worland, presided. At the business meeting \$20 was reported from proceeds of Mrs. Whaley's piano recital given recently at the Methodist church. This amount will go to Foreign Missions. Due for the annual picnic was set for August 1 on the lawn of the Methodist parsonage. A covered dish picnic will be served to the members who are privileged to bring one guest.

The program chairman, Mrs. Claybourne Stephens, presented Mrs. Minnie Grace Sutherland who gave an interesting program on the "United Nations," assisted by Mrs. Arnold Compton and Mrs. N. L. May. A salad course was served to Mesdames J. W. Sutherland, W. H. Smith, Cecil Kendrick, Earl Stumbo, N. L. May, Carl Horn, Frank H. Layne, Claybourne Stephens, Arnold Compton, Martin Lee May, K. J. Whaley, Earl Spurlock, and guests, Mrs. Oliver Webb, Jr., and Ray Ann Frazier.

F.H.A. MEET

Miss Hazel Hill, teacher of Home Economics at the school here, accompanied two members of her F.H.A. club to Lexington last week for the huge session of the Future Homemakers from other classes in the state. Reports of the state meeting held in Lexington recently were given to the group. A pot-luck dinner was enjoyed at the Home Economics building which was attended by 417 students attending from the local F.H.A. club were Misses May Whitt, Eddie B. Merritt and their chapter mother, Mrs. Evelyn Glaser, of Prestonsburg, and Miss Hazel Hill, teacher.

TWINS BORN SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stone are the parents of twins born June 26. They were delivered by Dr. O. T. Stephens and have been named Oscar and Virginia. All are doing well.

Chaffins-Huffman Vows Solemnized at Ashland

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chaffins, of Lucasville, Ohio, formerly of Garrett, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Aveline, to Mr. John Albert Huffman, of Cove, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Huffman. The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Hawkins in the presence of the Ashland, (Ky.) Methodist Church, June 11, at 7:30 p.m. The bride wore a white suit with navy accessories and archduke train and her shoulder corsage. Only the immediate families were present. Their attendants were Mrs. Alvin Meade, Jr., of Lucasville, sister of the bride, and Mr. Byron M. Thompson, of Nashville, Tenn., brother-in-law of the bride.

The bride attended Garrett grade school and is a graduate of Stockdale O. high school. She attended David Lipscomb College in Nashville, Tenn. She is now employed by the Farm Bureau Insurance Company, Columbus, O. The groom, a graduate of Garrett high school, is a student in the Commerce Department of Ohio State University.

A reception followed the wedding at the Chaffins home. Mrs. Clive Allen, of Davis, Ky., and Mrs. Byron M. Thompson baked the beautiful tiered wedding cake. The couple is residing at 148 East Lane avenue, Columbus, Ohio, since returning from a short wedding trip.

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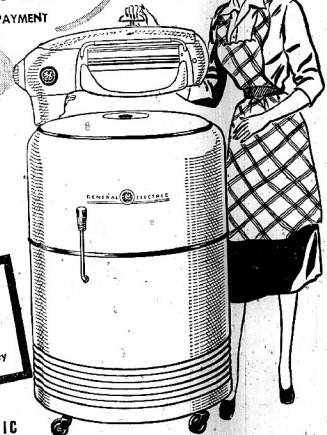
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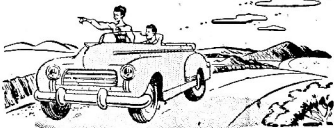
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Meets each second and fourth Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen and daughter, Miss Polly Allen, are leaving this week for Hopkinsville, Ky., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Tupper and Mrs. Charles R. Neale, and families for the next two weeks.

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SUNDAY-MONDAY—

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Joe McCoy, Virginia Mayo.

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TUESDAY—

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Barbara Bel Geddes, James Mason.

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Betty Grable, Cesar Romero.

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FRIDAY, JULY 1, 8 p.m.—

"Old-Fashioned Girl"

Glenn Ford, Francis Rafferty.

SAT., 8 p.m.—Double Bill—

"El Dorado Pass"

Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

"Jiggs and Maggie in Court"

Joe Yule, Renie Riano.

SUNDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Bad Men of Tombstone"

B. Sullivan, M. Reynolds.

MONDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Sorry—Wrong Number"

Barbara Stanwyck, Burt Lancaster.

TUESDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Homicide for Three"

Warren Douglas, Jane Frazee.

WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Isn't It Romantic?"

Ronald Culver, Veronica Lake.

THURSDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Castle on the Hudson"

John Garfield, Ann Sheridan.

FRIDAY, 8 p.m.—

"Strike It Rich"

Rod Cameron, Bonita Granville.

COMING SOON—

"Paradise Case"

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FRIDAY, JULY 1, 8 p.m.—

"Babe Ruth Story"

William Bendix, Claire Trevor.

SAT., 8 p.m.—Double Bill—

"Eldorado Pass"

Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette.

"Jiggs and Maggie in Court"

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Shade Crow Wins Again In Pike County Show

Shade Crow, which recently won the Grand Champion prize at the Pike County Show, last week took top place at the show held by the Pike County Fishermen's Association at Mt. Vernon, Ky.

The crowd, headed by Henry Harlow, West Prestonsburg, Ky., was in the hundreds and the show was the first of its kind in the county for many years.

NOTICE

For a recent committee of the Pike County Fishermen's Association, Districts 1 and 2, is hereby notified to submit, not later than 20 days before the primary election, a list of names from which election officers are to be selected.

W. W. COOLEY, Chairman
Democratic Party
815 Leitchfield District

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Bryant Expects To Uncover Bright New Grid Prospect

One of the brightest lights in the University of Kentucky grid picture in recent years may be dragged during the coming season from beneath the blanket of talent owned by Coach Bryant, the Wildcats' 2-former coach.

By June the top-flight prospect is Vito "Baby" Parrilli, 20-year-old Rochester, Pa., all-state selection and star quarterback on the successful Kentucky freshman team last season.

Whether the six-foot-one-inch sophomore develops the poise and form predicted for him may depend on the Wildcats' grid fortunes for 1949. A superior field general possibly is the most important link in the modern football machine and Kentucky this season is faced with the need of developing one from a field of youngsters.

Especially adept as a passer, Parrilli excels at getting the ball away with speed and accuracy. When the intended receiver is covered by the opposition, the versatile speed merchant pulls another trick out of his hat and smashes the ball into the hands of all the polish and speed of a halfback. Often he will leap into the air with a twisting motion while on the dead run to shoot the pigskin downfield to an uncovered receiver.

While it may be the least developed of his triple threat abilities, the Rochester ace also punts with better than average power and accuracy. And even this ability may be improved before the season opens for the Babe is often the last one off the practice field or taking advantage of free time to practice his kicking.

With such determination to make good plus natural ability, he has highly impressed Coach Bryant and the Kentucky coaching staff. To them and to other qualified observers generally, he seems destined to be a great performer. If he proves to have the "heart" and stamina necessary to stand up under extremely tough Southeastern Conference competition.

WHEELWRIGHT WIN STREAK CONTINUES

In Elkhorn League;
Wayland Wins Two,
Upsetting Drift

Wheelwright continued its fine winning streak to maintain a clear lead over other teams of the Elkhorn Baseball League, winning two games last week and a third Sunday.

Last Tuesday night in the play-off game, the Left Beaver Creek team defeated Drift, 8 to 5. Thursday night, the margin of victory was 9-5 over neighboring Wheelwright, and Sunday Wheelwright edged Wayland, 10 to 6.

Wayland won two straight, coping Tuesday night's "make-good" game, 11-4 from Pikeville, and following up with a 14 to 6 victory Thursday night over Drift, a contender for second place.

Other scores:
Thursday night, Elkhorn City 11, Pikeville 1.
Sunday, Wheelwright 4, Pikeville 3; Drift 7, Elkhorn City 4.

Available box scores:	AR	R	H	E
Wayland, 2b.	5	1	2	0
Boyd, ss.	6	0	1	0
Friday, ss.	5	3	3	0
Nelson, rf.	4	2	3	0
Martin, 1b.	5	1	4	0
J. Brannham, cf.	4	0	0	0
Jones, 1b.	4	1	0	0
Collins, c.	1	0	0	0
Moore, c.	4	2	2	0
Patton, p.	4	1	2	0
Ratliff, lf.	1	0	0	0

Totals: 43 11 17 0
Note: Home run in 3rd by Nelson with one man on.

Pikeville	AR	R	H	E
C. Ratliff, 3b.	5	1	2	0
Palmer, 2b.	2	2	0	0
Wiedel, cf.	3	0	0	0
J. Ratliff, ss.	4	1	1	0
Clayton, p.	1	0	0	0
Branham, p.	2	0	0	0
Justice, 2b.	1	0	0	0
Spence, 2b.	2	0	0	0
D. Ratliff, lf.	1	0	0	0
Roberts, lf.	1	0	0	0
Wray, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Smith, 1b.	1	0	0	0
J. Smith, rf.	1	0	0	0
Blankenship, rf.	2	0	1	0

Totals: 29 4 5 3
(See Story No. 11, Page 7)

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BIG SCORES MARK GAMES LAST SUNDAY

Close Contests Rarify
In Big Sandy League;
Leaders Lose Game

Allen Harold, Clear Creek and Henry Gray—those were the winners Sunday in the Big Sandy League with booming attacks featuring most games.

Harold enjoyed the biggest day of the lot with a 25-run, 25-hit assault on the offerings of a bevy of Martin hurlers. Harold went all the way for the winners, holding Martin to 10 hits and four runs. One of Martin's safeties was a homer by Denzil Halbert, Harrell and Crum hit for the circuit for Harold.

Another team to go on a slugging spree was Allen, which swamped triple threat bats and runs with the ball with all the polish and speed of a halfback. Often he will leap into the air with a twisting motion while on the dead run to shoot the pigskin downfield to an uncovered receiver.

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Available box scores:	AR	R	H	E
Gault, ss.	3	3	1	0
Hall, rf.	5	2	2	0
W. Lafferty, 1b.	1	0	0	0
C. Lafferty, 1b.	3	3	1	0
Howard, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Doug Lafferty, 2b.	2	1	0	0
Fincham, cf.	4	3	2	0
Denise Lafferty, cf.	0	0	0	0
Robinson, lf.	3	1	1	0
Elkins, cf.	2	1	1	0
Crisp, c.	3	1	2	0
C. Lafferty, c.	3	1	0	0
Brown, 3b.	4	2	0	0
Paton, 3b.	1	0	1	0
Tackett, p.	2	0	0	0
E. Hall, p.	2	0	0	0

Totals: 39 17 12 5

Westbury	AR	R	H	E
R. Daniels, 2b.	4	0	1	0
Ra, 3b.	4	1	0	0
Sanders, cf.	5	0	1	0
Banks, 1b.	5	0	1	0
B. Daniels, lf.	5	2	1	0
Sword, ss.	4	0	1	0
Musie, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Moore, 1b.	1	1	0	0
Smith, rf.	2	0	1	0
Mullatt, p.	2	0	1	0

Totals: 35 6 5

Prestonsburg Team Again Licks Louisa; Clark Slams Homer

In Louisa for the second time this season, the Prestonsburg baseball team again defeated the Louisa team, 20 to 6—a score approximating the easy victory won by Prestonsburg in the first encounter between the two teams.

Harmon again twirled for Prestonsburg, and he held Louisa to seven hits while fanning 13. Edwards took the full nine innings of steward at the hands of the hitting batters who benefited from a flock of Louisa errors as well as timely hitting. Clark slammed a homer for Prestonsburg, and Stanfill duplicated this feat for the losers.

THEIR CATCHES BEST

"Although Big Sandy fish on the whole have the 'No-Strike' stink out yet, an occasional bass is being snapped. Largest of recent catches was a 19-inch smallmouth taken at Krotzley Hollow by Billy Fannin, Prestonsburg, and a 17-inch from the same vicinity, caught Sunday by Fred Neece on a fly rod.

Thanks!

The managers of the church softball league teams wish to thank the following for their contributions to the purchase of balls and bats:

Banner Meade, Guy Horn, John Allen, J. E. "Speed" Harris, Alex L. Davidson, Kenney C. Dyer, and Charlie Lafferty.

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Permanent Camps Assure Future Work with Youth

Probably no other undertaking by Kentucky's Division of Game and Fish will have such far-reaching effects on the future of Kentucky sportsmen as will its Junior Conservation Club activities.

The Division and the League of Kentucky Sportsmen, 20,000 strong, are so gratified on the formation of such a program. It will insure that the future of wildlife in Kentucky will be in the hands of men who know the value of conservation and preservation; will know the law governing hunting and fishing and will respect these regulations.

With the dedication of Junior Camp John Will Currie at Kentucky Lake early in June, the people of the Commonwealth made permanent the future of the Junior Conservation program. This camp, erected by the Division, and dedicated to the youth of the state, will be a permanent reminder of the future of youth and its conservation efforts.

While the camp itself is not yet complete a number of permanent buildings have been erected and these will follow so that the camp can adequately care for more than 100 boys each week of the camping period. It stands as a monument to the good sportsman of Kentucky and the efforts of the Division of Game and Fish to bring education to the youth who so long have been denied knowledge of a phase of hunting and fishing that has largely been ignored.

Camp Currie is the first of a series of such camps. The Division says another permanent camp will be erected at the Wolf Creek impoundment and on Dewey Dam Lake when those projects have been completed.

Dedicated to the youth of Kentucky in memory of the late John W. Currie, Division employee, a beautiful boys' camp on Kentucky Lake was turned over to the youth of the Commonwealth by the League of Kentucky Sportsmen. The Division of Game and Fish in ceremonies at the camp, June 16.

The permanent camp, to be known as Camp John Will Currie, is now completed but is being used by the Junior Conservation Club members this year. Some of the permanent buildings have been completed and blueprints for the remainder have been made and construction work will be completed next year.

The ceremony at the camp was witnessed by more than 300 persons including high state, League and Division officials. Presiding was Earl Wallace, Director of the Division. The principal address was given by Henry Ward, Commissioner of Conservation. The key to the camp was given by Al Egan, League president, to Carl Sartin, Jr., who accepted it on behalf of the Juniors. Following the Conservation Pledge by the assembly the motion was given by the Rev. Bruce Willis, of Wickliffe. At the conclusion of the ceremonies a marble plaque bearing the name of the camp and to whom it was dedicated was unveiled by Mrs. Della Currie, widow of the man for whom the camp is named. The camp is located on Bear Creek, 10 miles from Benton.

Methodists Undefeated After Six Games Played

Prestonsburg's Methodist entry in the church softball League maintained their record pace through the week to remain undefeated after six games.

The David Community Church held second place with four wins and one loss; Prestonsburg Baptists third with a two win, three loss record; Martin Methodists, fourth with two and four, and the Prestonsburg Presbyterians last with six straight losses.

Scores for the week, beginning with June 14:
Prestonsburg Baptists 14, Presbyterians 6; David 14, Martin Methodists 6; David 10, Martin Methodists 8; Martin Methodists 13, Presbyterians 14; Prestonsburg, No. 10, David 16; David 4, David 10, Presbyterians 7; Prestonsburg Methodists 13, Baptists 7; Baptists 21, Martin Methodists 7.

Morehead College Eagles To Play 9-Game Schedule

By GORDON MOORE

The Morehead College Athletic Committee released the 1949 football schedule last week with nine contests for Ellis Johnson's eleven.

Six of the nine games will be Ohio Valley Conference U.S. Evansville College was added to this year's schedule in order to make up the necessary six games to be eligible for the Conference championship.

Rio Grande College of Gallatin, O., also replaces West Liberty State of West Virginia on the schedule. Johnson has 16 lettersmen returning from the 1948 squad.

The schedule:
Sept. 10—Cedarville at Morehead.
Sept. 17—Evansville at Evansville, Indiana.
Sept. 24—Marshall at Huntington, W. Va.
Oct. 1—Rio Grande (N) at Morehead.
Oct. 8—Western at Bowling Green.
Oct. 15—Tennessee Tech at Morehead.
Oct. 22—Open.
Oct. 29—Eastern at Richmond.
Nov. 5—Murray at Morehead (Homecoming).
Nov. 12—Georgetown (N) at Morehead.

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WRONG—AGAIN
GOOD RECORD

The recent Audax road motorcycle races were sponsored by the Sandy Valley Runners Motorcycle Club and by Hule's Motorcycle Shop, located in last week's Times.

The New York Yankees have not even out of the first division since 1923, and only once in that period did they finish fourth.

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I believe that you know you trust me, therefore I appeal to you again for your vote.

DANIEL AKERS
Amba, Ky.

Administratrix' Notice

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Dr. H. H. Mayo, deceased, to file same, properly proven, with

undersigned administratrix at
tyn, Ky., on or before July 15,
and all persons indebted to said
estate are notified to settle same
once.

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erk. He knows that life be-
live not only for ourselve
as we travel along Life's

our friend,
JOHN CHRIS CORNETT



ALEX L. DAVIDSON FOR COUNTY JUDGE



It is indeed a pleasure for me to visit among you many good friends of my county. I have spent several weeks now traveling over the county. The more of you that I see and become acquainted with, the better that I will understand the needs, the desires, and the problems of our friends and neighbors who in the County Clerk's office.

We still have several days before election day, and I will try hard to see and become acquainted with many more of you. Give me courage to keep on and on. If you elect me, I will work in office just as hard and diligently as I have worked in this campaign. As I go over the county, you good people help me to realize more and more each day that you are the boss at the polls and that this year, regardless of politics or politicians, you are going to make your choice of the polls for the best interests of our homes and our communities we hope to build in the future. We want our children to become better educated, and live happier and better lives than we have been able to live.

Let us hope that in this election the people will win at the polls. Let us hope that greater confidence will be placed in the men we elect to office. Let's not have some one in office we cannot understand, and who does not understand us. Let's not have some one in the Clerk's office that we do not feel are our friends, that we cannot love and respect, and above all that we do not trust. If you elect me, I will try hard to conduct your County Court Clerk's office, and myself, in such a way that you will feel proud of your office.

I might not get to see every one of you before August 6, but I'll be trying to meet you and become acquainted. In case I don't see you, I wish to say this at this time, through this great county newspaper, that every family in the county will have some kind of business or interest in the County Court Clerk's office in the next four years, and I want each and every one of you to feel that I realize that, with your help only, will it be possible for me to serve you, as your County Court Clerk, and that after I am elected, the office will still belong to you, yours to give and yours to take away. If you will help me, you will be able to come into the Clerk's office during the next four years to transact business or to visit, and you will feel at home and among friends. No job will be too large or too small for me to fail to work with you and your family and your friends for the welfare of us all.

My father, Marston Moore, was born on Left Beaver. His mother was Susan Mosley who married William (Wid) Henderson Moore, and after his death she moved over to Salisbury Branch above Wayland. My mother was the daughter of John A. Jones, who lived near Hindman. During the time I was in service in the last war, I married Kathleen Campbell, daughter of Turner Campbell, of Monaca. After the war was over, and I returned from Japan, we settled down at Cancer Creek with many of our friends. I have been in school at Cancer Creek with many of our sons and daughters, and although my education was interrupted by the war, and I didn't go through college, I have sufficient education to make you a good County Court Clerk. I hope that you will be able to help me attain this position.

I appreciate the courtesy that many of you have shown me in this campaign. If elected, I will forever be grateful to you for the privilege of serving as County Court Clerk, and may the friends I met that we form be everlasting and beneficial to us all in the future.

If not obligated to someone else, I will appreciate your help in this race, and will do my best to make you glad that you helped me.

Your friend,
DURAN MOORE

(Pol. adv.)

RAY COLLINS of Prestonsburg, for SHERIFF

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY, AUGUST 6

Republicans, nominate a man who will strengthen the ticket in November.

I promised the people of Floyd county, four years ago, that if they would elect me County Judge I would do the very best job I could, and that promise I have made every effort to keep.

I make you the same promise again, and I feel that with the experience of these four years behind me I will be better qualified to handle the office than before.

Now, I do not mean to say I have been perfect in every respect as County Judge. I have made mistakes, many mistakes, and I am the first to admit that I have. But I have tried my very best AND WHATEVER MISTAKES I HAVE MADE WERE HONEST MISTAKES. No man is perfect; no man can be all things to all men, and the voters of this county know this as well as I do.

I also admit many things have been needed by Floyd county that have not been done, but I think the people should have the facts about this matter, so they will understand exactly why we have fallen short in some respects. Several years ago, an indebtedness of nearly a million dollars was piled up against this county. Because of that, there must be paid, each year, interest and principal on that indebtedness. After taking care of the bonds as they come due, with interest, there is comparatively little left with which to do the many things that should be done.

Each year I have been in office, we have met our debt obligations as they came due, and I assure you, every year I am your County Judge these debts will be paid until this county is debt-free.

Right now, Floyd county has over \$300,000 in the bank, placed there in a sinking fund against this county debt. With sound business handling of the county's financial affairs, this debt will be paid within another four years. Many of the bonds against the county, now drawing heavy interest, could be retired at this time but, unfortunately for us, they are not callable.

All this I point out to show why the individual needs of communities in the county—roads, bridges and other improvements—cannot be available immediately, no matter how much you or I may want them.

Permit me to add: I intend to run a clean race during this campaign. I have no ill word to speak of any person I may have. I want the people simply to know the facts and to consider me as their servant strictly on my merits. I promise you courteous and faithful service and an honest administration. Did I seek your support on any other grounds, I would not merit your votes.

Your friend,
ALEX L. DAVIDSON

(Pol. adv.)



VOTE FOR
CHARLES E. BRADLEY
OF ESTILL, KY. FOR
COUNTY JUDGE
FLOYD COUNTY
Democratic Primary, Aug. 6, 1949
YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE
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To the People of
Magisterial Dist. No. 4:

This is to let you know that I am a candidate for the nomination for Justice of the Peace of Magisterial District No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. I have served you heretofore and always have been ready when you called I have fought for your interests at all times and have never failed to have my district share in anything that comes along. You all know that I am ready to accommodate you any time you call, whether rich or poor. Why change when you have a man who will do the job?

The same fellow every day and one who can see you all the time whether there is an election on or not. A man who is qualified for the office and who will do the job right. Your support and influence in this election for me will be appreciated. Most of you know that I am a fellow who will return the favor.

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(Pol. adv.) DEWEY ROBERTS



In announcing my candidacy for Jailer of Floyd county I will not make a lot of promises I have no intention of keeping.

This office is one of importance—a fact overlooked by too many people. The unfortunate people confined to the care of the Jailer need guidance as well as being controlled. I will try my level best to send the boys back home better men than when they were confined.

I am a member of Local Union 835, UMW of A; however, I am sensible enough to know that the UMW of A has for its main purpose the promotion of free collective bargaining and does not enter politics except in rare instances and then to defeat known enemies. I claim no special privileges because of my membership in the UMW of A; however, if you wish to vote for a Union Buddy it will be highly appreciated.

I was born and raised on the waters of the Beaver Creek and I know and understand the problems of the people of Floyd county. In short, I promise a fair deal to all the people all the time.

VOTE FOR

HELTON SLONE

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, AUG. 6, 1949

To the Fathers, Mothers,
And Other Voters of
Floyd County:



This writing is to give you a little of my life story. I was born and reared in Floyd county, near Goodloe. I am 34 years old and have spent 27 years in the coal mines. Also have been a union man ever since organized labor came into Kentucky. Also a member of Local Union No. 835, UMW of A, and expect to live and die one. Also am a minister of the gospel and, by the help of God and man, I expect to win this place for Jesus said, "Without me ye can do nothing."

This is what I stand for:
1. If elected, eliminate the restrictions on visiting hours.
2. Through State Board of Health, clean the jail to a sanitary condition.
3. Feed prisoners like I eat myself.
4. Fathers and mothers, if your boy gets sick in prison, I will contact you if it is the hour of midnight.
Elect me your Jailer and I will prove this. Thank you.

(Pol. adv.) SAUL SEXTON

**Tackett and Burchett
At Camp Campbell**
Two Prestonsburg students at the University of Kentucky are among 18 University ROTC students attending summer training camp at Camp Campbell. It was announced last week by Col. G. T. MacKenzie, head of the U. S. Department of Military Science and Tactics. The future army officers, Eddie B. Tackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, and Glenn B. Burchett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burchett, will undergo a six weeks' period of intensive training in infantry tactics and techniques. Coy MacKenzie said Tackett and Burchett are graduates of Prestonsburg high school. Tackett is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. Burchett is a member of Psi Sigma Kappa social fraternity.

THEIR FIRST
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Hurd of Sugar Loaf, near here, on June 28 their first child, an 8½-pound son, Johnny Troy.

My Plan for Real Service to the People Of Floyd County As Sheriff For Years



When I announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of our county for the next four years, I made a short statement relative to my plans for real service to you, the people of our county.

The campaign is nearing the final stage and you are entitled to know more in detail of my plans for real service as your Sheriff. I still intend to serve you along the lines originally outlined, and in addition to that statement, I want to submit herewith some other things that I have formulated in my mind as the campaign has progressed from day to day.

In the first place permit me to say that I am not a politician, and have no intention of trying to become one. I am just an ordinary citizen who has worked hard and earned my living by the "sweat of my brow," dealing with my fellow man honestly and with a deep conviction that first of all a man should be a law-abiding citizen. This has been my way of living and I invite your close inquiry of my life to see if I am giving you the TRUTH.

Forty-three years ago, I first saw the light of day right here among you, the people of our county. Ever since that day I have lived with and among you until today my sole ambition is to see "Old Floyd County" made a better place for me to rear my children, along with you in your efforts to help me reach that goal. If, by your help, I can serve you as Sheriff in such a way that we will, at the end of four years, have better conditions in OUR county for my seven children and yours, I will feel like my service has not been in vain. To do this, I will need your help, and I pledge you now, on my HONOR that I will work with you at all times during that four years to bring about such improvements in our government.

I don't believe that we can bring about this betterment by just singling out some one particular criminal or penal law that is on our statute book and devote all our time and efforts to administering that law in order to try to make a "Headline Name" for me as Sheriff, but it is my belief that ALL criminal and penal laws we have should be administered fairly, kindly, and with some flavor of MERCY where, under the facts of each particular case it is apparent that MERCY extended to some mother's young boy will permit him to return to that good mother where, under her prayers, there is hope that he will see his folly and settle down and make a good citizen when he grows into real manhood. I believe that many a mother's young boy has been hardened into a life of crime when, back in his youth, MERCY shown him in his first case might have put in his SALVATION.

I don't mean by the above that actual criminals should be turned loose upon the good law-abiding citizens to prey upon their liberties and peace and contentment of life. In no other words, I promise you to do the very best I can to make conditions just a little better in our county.

To my mind, my plan for the collection of taxes is one that will bring more relief to every taxpayer than they have heretofore enjoyed. It is my plan to have each year a reliable Deputy Sheriff spend enough time in each precinct in the county with the tax books to afford every taxpayer an opportunity to pay his or her taxes right in their "Home Precinct," instead of having to lose a day's work and pay the expenses of coming to Prestonsburg to pay them.

There will be hundreds, perhaps thousands, of taxpayers whose taxes will amount to a very few dollars and under the past system they have had to lose wages and pay expenses three or four times the amount of their taxes to come to town to pay them.

I make it my solemn pledge and promise to bring the tax books to your precinct so the people will have this real service which, in the past, you have not had. Your support of me, under this plan, is support for real service, too, and savings for you, and if I do nothing more than this, I will go out of office four years hence with the consolation that I have helped you save thousands of dollars.

Lastly, I promise the people that when I am sworn in as your Sheriff, I will then carefully select and appoint as my deputies men whom you will have the utmost confidence, men who are honest and honorable and men who will help me carry out the above plans fully.

Help me win and we'll work together the next four years.
Sincerely,

BILL HALL

(Pol. adv.)

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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:



As a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Floyd county I hereby present for your thoughtful consideration this statement.

I am not A RICH MAN. My father died when I was four years old and left my mother with nine children and heavily in debt. Being one of the oldest, I soon had to assume responsibility for the support of my mother (now dead), and my other brothers and sisters. I worked my father's rough mountain farm for the support of the family and a winter season when farm work was not required, I sought and obtained work with drilling contractors, where I did a very sort of work they had to do until I became an experienced driller. During these years of hard work I saved my wages until I had enough money to make the down payment on a well drilling outfit and went heavily in debt for the remainder. Without assistance from any one, by hard work and strict economy, I finally paid for the drilling outfit with which I, by hard work and good management, was enabled to support my wife and three children and make my widowed mother comfortable and happy in her last years.

If elected Sheriff I will use the same energy and determination to be an honest and capable official that I have used in the pursuit of my own business. With our rapidly increasing population and business activities the Sheriff's office presents many difficult problems that require cool judgment and discretion. I will see to it that no deputy sheriff is permitted to oppress or impose upon any citizen of this state, but I shall see that every deputy I appoint is an honest, sober and upright citizen of our county and they will all be required to do their whole duty in the execution of the processes of the courts, that the law may be promptly and fairly administered; that society be protected to the end that all our people may live peacefully in their homes and that our county may become a better place in which to live. This is my platform and I shall adhere strictly to it when elected. Give me a chance.

Yours for faithful service to all the people,

(Pol. adv.)

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After carefully considering the needs of Prestonsburg and what can be expected to be done here, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Mayor.

I have no motive behind this decision other than to try, as every good citizen should, to see the city grow and its people enjoy life under honest, progressive leadership.

Sincerely,

THOMAS HEREFORD JR.

(Pol. adv.)

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TO THE PEOPLE OF PRESTONSBURG:



I have been urged by a large number of my friends, including many business and civic leaders, to make the race for Mayor of Prestonsburg at the November election.

This I have decided to do. I am seeking the office on my past record as Mayor and with the sole purpose in view of serving my community.

(Pol. adv.)

A. C. CARTER

DWALE

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright and children, of Logan, W. Va., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wright, here.

Mrs. Hannah Crum and children have left for Wayne, Mich., to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. Dean Funk.

George Prince, of Crum, W. Va., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Craft, here.

Misses Billie June Whitley and Jean Varney, of Detroit, Mich., are spending their summer vacation here with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wright. W. M. Shepherd has just returned from Cincinnati, O., from visiting his son, who was seriously ill.

J. E. Akers spent the week-end with his son in Huntington. "Aunt" Amanda Patton, who has been seriously ill is improving. Miss Nedra Akers visited her sister, Mrs. Keith Bennett, in Columbus, Ohio, recently.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY.

MARTIN

Cader, Freddie Williams, formerly of Flemingsburg, now of Banner, has returned from Millersburg Military Institute, Millersburg, Ky., where he has been attending school for two years.

Mrs. R. H. Poe and mother, Mrs. Amanda Dingus, spent 16 days in Norfolk, Va., attending Ora Roberts' healing campaign tent meeting. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Prazier at North Pamlico Circle. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Prazier are former residents of Dinwood and Martin. They also went to Virginia Beach, Norfolk City Park, Buckaroo Beach at Newport News.

Mrs. R. H. Poe has returned to her home in Flemingsburg. Julianne Williams, who attends a girls' school at Midway, is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Poe, of Flemingsburg.

TIMES WANT ADS REALLY GET RESULTS--TRY THEM AND YOU'LL SEE.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

To the Democratic Voters of Floyd County:

After considerable insistence by many good citizens and Democrats of Floyd county I have decided to become a candidate for the office of County Attorney. My only desire is to serve Floyd county and the people, as their County Attorney, to the best of my ability.

VOTE FOR

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HARKINS**

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(Pol. adv.)



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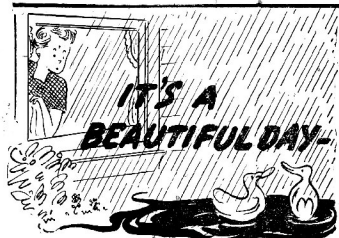
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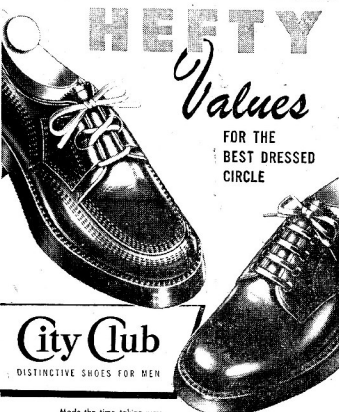
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Isaiah, 34th chap, 16th verse:
"Seek ye out of the book of the Lord and read. The judgment wherewith the Lord avengeth his people."

Isaiah 34:1: Come near, ye nations, to hear and to hearken, ye people, let the earth hear and all that is therein, the world and all things that come forth of it. Rev. 18th chap: The saints rejoice for the judgment of God upon Babylon.

2nd verse: And he cried mightily with a strong voice saying, Babylon the great is fallen and is become the habitation of devils and the hold of every foul spirit and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird. 3rd verse: For all nations have drunk of the wine of her wrath of her fornications and the kings of the earth have committed fornications with her and the merchants of the earth have waxed rich through the abundance of her delicacies. 4th verse: And I heard another voice from heaven saying, Come out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins and that ye receive not of her plagues. 5th verse: For her sins have reached unto heaven and God hath remembered her iniquities. 6th verse: Reward her even as she rewarded you and double unto her double according to her works and the cup which she hath filled all her double.

7. How much she hath glorified herself and lived deliciously so much torment her and sorrow give her for she hath said in her heart, I sit a queen and am no widow and shall see no sorrow. 8: Therefore shall her plagues come in one day death and mourning and famine and she shall be utterly burned with fire, for strong is the Lord God who judgeth her. 9: And the kings of the earth who have committed fornication with her and lived deliciously with her shall bewail her and lament for her when they shall see the smoke of her burning.

God is praised in heaven for Judging the Great Persecutor:
Rev. 19th chap, 2nd verse: For true and righteous are his judgments, for he hath judged the great whore which did corrupt the earth with her fornication and hath avenged the blood of his saints at her hand. 3: And again they said, alleluia, and the smoke rose up forever and ever. 4: And the four and twenty elders and the four beasts fell down and worshipped God that sat in the throne saying, amen, al-le-lu-lu. 5: And a voice came out of the throne saying, praise our God, all ye servants, and ye that fear him both small and great. 6: And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thundering saying, alleluia, for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. 7: Let us be glad and rejoice and give honor to him for the marriage of the lamb is come and his wife made herself ready. 8: And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen clean and white, for the fine linen is the righteousness of the saints. 9: And he said unto me, write: Blessed are they which call upon the name of the Lord.

God's Promise to Abraham when He Separated Himself
Genesis 12th chap, 2nd verse: I will make of thee a great nation, I will bless thee, and make thy name great, and thou shalt be a blessing. 3rd verse: And I will bless them that curse thee, and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed. 4th verse: I am working for my life and the saving of my people. If I perish I perish. My daily and sincere prayer to God—Give me liberty or give me death. Now, my Bible readers, be careful, for God is a Father to the fatherless and a judge to the widows. I pray for God to show the house to the house, and the individual to the individual.

EVA MEADE HALL
Widow and Gold Star Mother and Grandmother

IVEL
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burchett and son, Kenneth, attended church at the Freewill Baptist Church, Pikeville, Sunday night. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Clark and son, Donald, and the Rev. Tommy Blankenship, of Mare Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Layne and children were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hallett Hamon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hall and son, Cecil Bert, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall visited Jerry Hall at Banner Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. James and daughter, Norma Lou, have returned home

after a week's visit with her husband, W. M. James, who is employed at Petersburg, W. Va.

Miss Birdie Crum and Jimmie D. George attended the Betsy Layne theatre Sunday night.

Miss Jean Powell and Leo Hall attended church at Trum Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryn Owens, of Bunker, were visiting friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Preston and daughter, Linda Sue, of Paintsville, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burchett, last week.

Willard Darby, of Callettsburg, and his brother-in-law, Del Newsome, of Louisa, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Danron.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burchett and son, Kenneth, Mrs. W. M. James and daughter, Norma Lou, attended church on Mare Creek Sunday.

Mack Tackett and Les Hall left Monday for South Carolina, after a truck load of fruits and vegetables.

CRACK OF THANKS
I wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their help during the illness and upon the death of my sister, Mrs. Sadie Mae Stephens, wife of Robert Stephens, Jr. I also thank Rev. Green Boyd and the Rev. Fannin for their conoling words in conducting the funeral and those who sent flowers, and thanks to the Arnold Funeral Home for its kindness and sympathy—Mrs. Green Cuthoun, Dwaile, Ky.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm operating a coal mine in the name and style of "Northern Elkhorn Coal Company" at Eastern, Ky., has been dissolved and is no longer engaged in or doing business as a co-partnership, and the undersigned as a former partner will not be liable for or on account of any future obligations incurred by or in the name of said partnership.

Witness my signature this the 13th day of June, 1949.
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The Yale football team will play two visiting games during 1949—with Columbia and Princeton.

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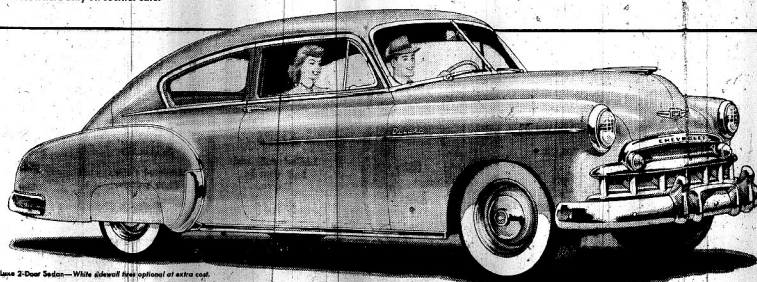
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MARTIN

Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Stratton have returned after spending their vacation in Louisville, Ky. and Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Halstead, of Prestonsburg, visited in Martin Sunday.

J. D. Payne has returned home after spending several weeks in Winchester with his family.

Mrs. Astor Halstead made a business trip to Maryland during the week-end, to see her son, Donald Ray Martin, who is a student in Kenrick Seminary, St. Louis.

Mrs. Hays is receiving treatment in a hospital in Lexington.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Matzka left Sunday for their home in Cincinnati.

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MAYTOWN

Misses Catherine and Lucile Stappleton have returned home after spending two weeks vacationing in Florida.

Miss Clema Catherine Jarrell, of Mr. Sterling, has been visiting relatives here.

The James Webb family has moved back here after residing in Kenova, W. Va., several months.

Miss Joan Dorton, of Prestonsburg, spent several days with Miss Peggy Sue Allen.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Robinson, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and son, Jimmy, and Miss Fossie Ratliff left Sunday to visit relatives in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Patton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patton visited the Wheelwright swimming pool, Friday afternoon.

Jim Click is at home after undergoing an operation in a Hamilton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart are the parents of a new son.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Jimmy Jones, Mrs. Thomas Patrick and Miss Sandra Sue Patrick have returned from visiting relatives in Atlanta, Ga. While there they attended a reunion of their family.

Miss Lily May and Donna Jean Patton represented the Maytown Methodist Youth Fellowship in the annual camp at Winchester.

Debbie Isaac has returned to camp in Virginia after spending a fortnight here with his mother and grandmother, Killy and Clara Webb.

Mrs. Bert Prater, of Jenkins, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb.

Mrs. Golda Patton Jones and children, of Zionsville, Ind., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Allen Patton.

Mrs. Robert Stewart and children spent several days shopping in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patton and Miss Bernice Patton have been vacationing in Oklahoma.

Miss Mary Lee Osborne, of May, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ratliff.

Master James Martin is visiting his uncle, Prof. Wayne Ratliff, and family in Wheelwright.

Miss Bettie Allison May is spending a month in Florida. She accompanied her grandfather and aunt who had been visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. Henry May.

DAVID

The daily vacation Bible school at the David Church closed Friday of last week. There was an average attendance of 90 each day. The following assisted in the teaching: Mrs. M. E. Thompson, Mrs. Otis Bussey, Mrs. Langley Patton, Mrs. Arnold Clark, Mrs. Bert Hicks, Mrs. Russell Harman, Miss Elouise Johnson, and the Rev. Durham. Friday afternoon, a picnic was given the children, with sack races, potato races and a smack-the-baby contest for entertainment. Cold drinks were served. In many ways it was one of the best daily vacation Bible schools ever held in David.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford have returned from a vacation in Atlantic City, N.J., Morgantown, W. Va. and other points.

The revival services conducted by the Rev. Horton T. Davis, of Ashland, at the David Community Church closed Sunday night. The Christian people were encouraged and strengthened. Three persons were converted during the week, and the entire community was helped.

Mrs. Everett Hager and daughters are visiting her daughter in Charleston, W. Va., this week.

Several of our menfolk are away on fishing trips.

Mrs. Margie Lemaster and daughters have been visiting in Martinsburg and Mrs. A. C. Wilson were shopping in Martinsburg last week.

Mrs. Jerry Stephens, of Dayton, O., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall and daughter are visiting in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carter, of Prestonsburg, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stambaugh and children visited in Twinsburg, Ohio.

Mrs. Carl Wise and son, Mrs. Dawson Bussey visited in Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Honeycutt and children were in Auxler, Sunday.

NOTICE

The Kentucky Railroad Commission will conduct a public hearing at its office in Frankfort, Ky., at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, July 13, 1949, on the application of The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company for permission to discontinue passenger service on its Elkhorn & Beaver Valley Subdivision between Allen and Wayland in Floyd county, Ky.

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The Immigrant Trail Into Big Sandy Valley

By HENRY P. SCALF

Very few immigrants found their way into the Upper Big Sandy valley except they came by way of Pound Gap or through the "Breaks" of Russell Fork. Pound Gap, originally called Sounding Gap, a high pass or head of Elk Horn Creek near where the town of Jenkins now stands, was the most frequented way.

The mountain itself is a bold backbone or ridge of the towering Cumberland, named in 1750 in honor of the Duke of Cumberland by Dr. Thomas Walker, pioneer and explorer. Pound Mountain is almost wholly drained into the west fork of Lewis or into Pound river, itself a tributary of Russell Fork.

At first thought we would think that Pound Mountain should be the dividing ridge between two or three distinct watersheds—in fact, it is the headwaters of various tributaries of the west fork of Lewis which is Russell's Fork. Pound river flows along its eastern and Virginia side into Russell Fork and upon the Kentucky side it is drained by Elk Horn Creek, which joins Russell Fork at Elk Horn City. Sandy Ridge, farther up in Virginia, is the head of Russell Fork.

Sandy Ridge is not in itself very high, not near the height of Pound Mountain, but Russell Fork has cut a deep gorge through the backbone of the Cumberland, creating a masterpiece of scenic beauty.



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An immigrant wending his way into the main Big Sandy valley, after crossing the Sandy Ridge, found himself upon the Russell Fork. Down in this fork he could travel to where the Pound empties into this stream. Here he had to choose one of two ways—the shorter route through the "Breaks" itself or detour around them by going over through Grassy Creek, or the longer but somewhat easier road up the Pound River, across Pound Gap and down Elk Horn Creek, through Sholly Gap into the Shelby valley. Following Shelby he came upon the main Lewis Fork, approximately eight miles above the present town of Pikeville. Immigrants with a wagon of necessity chose the longer way for in the narrow "Breaks" through this natural gorge there was no road except a narrow, rocky trail or cartway in pre-historic times beaten down by men and followed later by roving Indians of the Ohio country who used this trail as a way into a Southeast Virginia.

Of the historic personages who used Pound Gap as a gateway into Kentucky we may name Christopher Gist and Daniel Boone. Gist preceded Boone. In fact Gist was probably the first white man to use the pass. Years after Gist and Boone, immigrants found the pass and began to use it in increasing numbers.

These two ways, through the "Breaks" and over the Pound Gap, were the chief ways into Sandy but there was another route for those who came from farther up in Virginia, or what is now West Virginia. This was over the headwaters of the west fork of Lewis, into the west fork. The early settlers of John Creek came this way—the Leslies, Johns, Damons and Jackson families. The Leslies and their companions had, originally, intended to settle on Tus River where the first Williams settled but, driven out by the Indians, they out their second attempt swinging farther south into John Creek. This country of the Leslies came into John Creek indeed later immigrants to follow in their tracks.

The Jacksons were headed by Isaac Jackson (born 1786, died 1848), a close collateral ancestor of General Stonewall Jackson. He lived in Russell county, Virginia. Isaac was a famous store man of those days and he headed the Jackson immigrants to John Creek where he filled his ancient craft in the fastnesses of the valley. Chumneys are standing today in John Creek, built by men who learned their trade from the founder of the Jackson Settlement.

And as the Jacksons followed the Leslies, others followed them. Tabitha Couch Scalf, widow of Britain Scalf who had been killed by a fallow tree bark in Russell county, gathered up her 19 orphan children and came west after the Jacksons.

Russell county, Virginia, was the dividing of the ways in Virginia for Eastern Kentucky immigration, especially immigration to the upper Big Sandy valley. Some came by way of the "Breaks" or Pound Gap, others repeated the Leslie and Jackson movement. Too, some of the immigration north of Russell county did not all flow into the state by these different routes. Some of it came into Southeastern Kentucky through Cumberland Gap and flowed across the highland countryward to Floyd and Pike counties but this was an insignificant movement. The Poores, founders of Ashland, came from Staunton, Virginia, through Cumberland Gap and after swinging down into the state moved back and settled at Ashland.

There was now a meeting on Big Sandy of another wave of immigration that came up out of North Carolina through Southeastern Kentucky, through what is now Knott county, dropping many settlers by the way but in the main continuing on until it disappeared its strength by leaving pioneer families on Jones Fork of Right Beaver, Right Beaver above Wayland, as witness the early Cuyos family, and even on over into the headwaters of Big Mud creek.

Today a railroad goes through the "Breaks" of Sandy into Virginia and connects with the main trunk systems. A fairly acceptable auto road leads from the Kentucky and from the Virginia sides to this natural wonder.

But our thoughts revert to old Pound—that sublime and majestic mountain, today practically unscathed by man and retaining much of its pristine verdure and all of its primeval ruggedness, high up there in the "land of the sky." Now, we children of the hills drive a fast auto up a winding highway to its summit—on through the historic Gap and on down into the beautiful valley of the Pound River and on and on into the never-ending vista of the wide and open road.

Not so long ago our grandparents toiled days to cross even the rugged shoulders of old Pound.

The surf bird nests on the mountain tops of central Alaska but winters in South America. For nearly 150 years after the bird was given its scientific name, ornithologists were unable to locate its breeding ground.

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Wayland	AB	R	H	E
Boyd, B.	5	3	2	0
Fredy, J.	5	2	2	0
Adkins, B.	6	3	5	0
Neison, R.	5	0	3	0
Ratliff, C.	4	1	2	0
Jones, B.	2	0	0	0
E. Bramham, B.	2	1	1	0
Monroe, C.	5	0	2	0
Stapleton, P.	1	0	0	0
J. Bramham, C.	2	0	1	0
Totals	42	14	20	0

Drift	AB	R	H	E
Allen, B.	5	1	1	0
Johnson, R.	4	0	0	0
Edwards, C.	5	0	0	0
Butcher, B.	2	1	0	0
Harris, S.	3	2	0	0
Bramham, B.	3	0	1	0
Condit, F.	4	1	1	0
Wells, C.	2	0	1	0
Harrell, C.	1	0	0	0
Guntin, P.	2	1	0	0
Stumbe, P.	1	0	0	0
Kidd, P.	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	9	1

Noted ahead led the hitting with 3 hits, two of which were home runs. The first home run was in the 3rd with no one on base, the other in the 5th with two on.

Weeksbury	AB	R	H	E
B. Skille, C.	4	1	1	0
J. Johnson, B.	4	1	0	0
D. Butcher, B.	4	0	0	0
Doug Butcher, C.	4	1	1	0
C. Skille, S.	2	0	0	1
Fredy, J.	3	1	0	0
J. Skille, R.	4	0	0	0
S. Skille, B.	3	0	1	1
V. Adams, P.	4	0	0	1
Totals	32	4	3	3

Pikeville	AB	R	H	E
Justice, B.	3	0	0	1
Adkins, B.	4	1	0	0
Pace, C.	4	0	1	0
J. Ratliff, S.	4	0	1	1
Wright, B.	3	0	0	0
Clayton, B.	4	0	0	0
A. Smith, B.	1	0	1	0
C. Ratliff, B.	3	0	0	0
B. Harrison, B.	1	0	0	0
Robert, C.	2	0	0	0
C. Sullivan, B.	1	0	0	0
Way, B.	2	0	1	2
Totals	32	1	5	4

—batted for C. Ratliff in 9th; —batted for Roberts in 9th; —batted for Way in 9th.

NOTICE

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm of HOMER and AUTO SUPPLY STORE, now doing business at the corner of First and Court streets, Prestonburg, Kentucky, is this day dissolved by mutual agreement. C. H. SMITH and MARGUERITE G. SMITH, his wife, have sold their entire interest therein to EARL L. NOSS and BETTY NOSS, his wife, and the said C. H. SMITH and MARGUERITE G. SMITH are retiring from said firm. Any accounts due the firm or claims against the firm are to be settled by the remaining partners, EARL L. NOSS and BETTY NOSS, and the said C. H. SMITH and MARGUERITE G. SMITH will not be responsible for any debts incurred in the future by said partnership firm. EARL G. NOSS and BETTY NOSS, his wife, desire to announce to their friends that they will continue to do business at the same place under the firm name of EARL'S SPORT CENTER.

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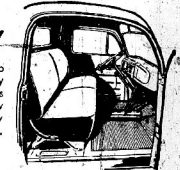
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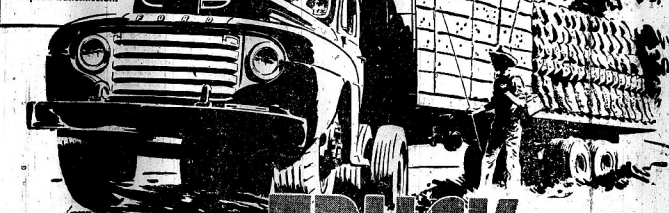


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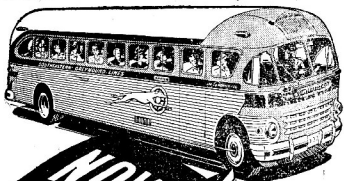
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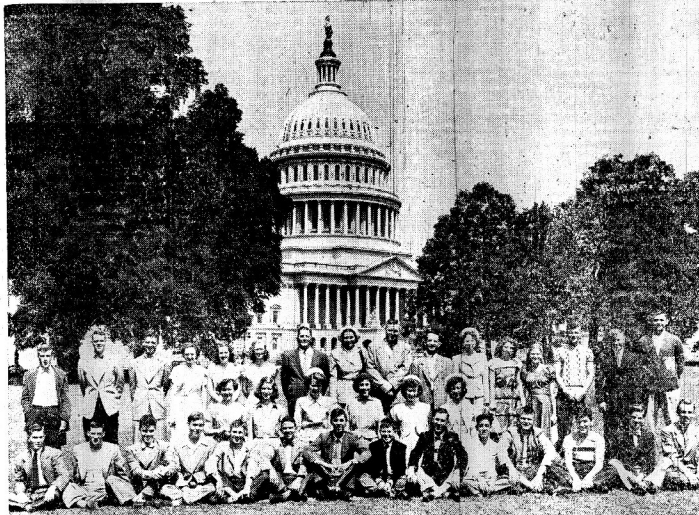
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Left to right, front row—Joe Hopper, Dicky Harmon, Granville Smith, Marvin Friley, Buford Stone, Tommy Meadows, Bob Berkeley, Robert L. Hatcher, R. L. Connors, Jack Stewart, Bruce Friley.

Teddy Roberts, Daniel Collins, Charles King.

Second row—Mildred Ralston, Bertie Spradlin, Hassie Layne, Bonnie Adcox, Helen Moore, Barbara Reed.

Rear (standing)—Will Craft, Bill Ridener, Harry Haywood, Sally Kaeze, Peggy Bowling, Willa D. Callahan, Emmitt Spears, by driver—Mrs. Lascia Hatcher, class sponsor, Congressman Perkins, L. B. Price, prin. ipal, Joyce Terry, Elaine Gibson, Nick Shepherd, Charles Stone, Jack Spradlin.

BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Hatcher, of Prestonsburg, announce the birth of a son, on June 29 by Caesarian section, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital. The babe weighed five pounds, one ounce, and has been named Ronald. Mrs. Hatcher will be remembered as the former Miss Maude Wallen. Mother and babe are doing fine.

MINNIE

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Frisco and son, of Huntington, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sizemore, of Prestonsburg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duren Hall.

Mrs. Fanny Collins and daughter, Miss Anna Collins, of Prestonsburg, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stumbo during the week.

Ronald Moore is vacationing at Cherokee Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Smith have returned to their home in Huntington after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Martin, Charlotte Section and Willie Moore have gone to Detroit to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Melba Conley and son, Harold Dean, of Drift, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Section.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis Stumbo spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hamilton, of McDowell.

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Earl Quick and small daughter have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mullins this week. They have also been visiting Mrs. Quick's parents in Pikeville. She formerly lived here but now lives in Indiana.

Jimmy Parsley, of Fairmont, W. Va., is visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Castle, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Daniels, here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and son, "Bucky," have gone to Cherokee Lake for a week of fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Raliff, Jr., and children, of Wheelwright, were guests Sunday of Mr. Raliff's mother, Mrs. Pearl Raliff.

Mrs. Arthur Wrightson and small son, "Bucky," have returned to their home in Huntington after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Castle and children, Mary Lois and Mike, and nephew, Jimmy Parsley, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Daniels and Thelma.

Janice Gray and Loretta Stone were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Lois Castle.

Mrs. Roy Souleyrette entertained at breakfast for the benefit of the P-T-A. Monday. She is president of the organization.

Mrs. Noah Howard and daughter, Alice Ann, and niece Katherine, and her father, Mr. Chase, and Mrs. Carleton Wrightson attended a Sunday wedding (Mrs. Howard's) and on the trip back spent a week at the beach.

We are happy to report that 23 new members were received into the Methodist Church within the past two weeks. A few are transferred memberships; the others, new converts.

ALPHORETTA

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Hicks were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hicks.

Melvin Allen, of Shiloh, O., visited his sister, Mrs. Arnette Owsley, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rudder, of Stone Mountain, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gregory for the week.

Mrs. Laura Crisp visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Comp, recently.

Casper Crisp and Isaac Flanery attended the Drift-Elkhorn City baseball game at Drift, Sunday.

Richard Crisp and Misses Dony Sturall and Sadie Sturall motored to Hindman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Prater and children, also Donald Prater spent Sunday at Cardigan Park, near Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Duvess, Mrs. Charles McDavid and daughter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen.

Reuben Stephens returned from the army Friday with his discharge, and at present, is spending a few days with his brother, Curtis Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Stephens enjoyed the company of many friends and relatives at a dinner Sunday in honor of their daughter Shepherd, who were married during the past week.

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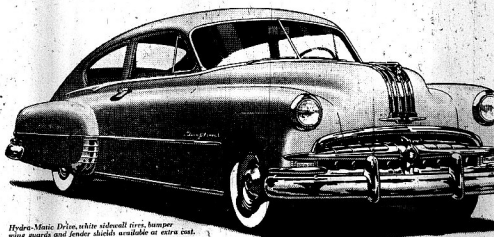
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Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Halbert and children, of Lima, O., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Halbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parsons were week-end guests of Mrs. Ervin Halbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasser Salisbury are the parents of a son born June 1 in the Lackey hospital. Mrs. Salisbury is the former Joan Spruick.

Mrs. Edna Mattingly has returned home after spending a few days in Our Lady of the Way hospital.

Mrs. Salie Robinson was the week-end guest of Mrs. Mary Sticker, of Drift.

Mrs. Dixie Halsinger was visiting her sister, Mrs. Alex Stephens, over the week-end.

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