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### Noah Howard Is Named Elk Horn Gen'l Manager

Noah Howard was named general manager of the Elk Horn Coal Co. at Waverly, effective April 1. It was announced by Mr. Howard formerly was the company's chief engineer.

The Waverly Elk Horn mine has been working five days a week since it was started. It has been reported that it is a fairly good mine.

### Kentucky River 'Adventurer' Ventures First in Floyd-Co.

A visionary adventurer has seen the possibilities of revitalizing the Kentucky River as an avenue of economic transportation for the Eastern Kentucky coal.

This begins an article by Gerald Griffin in the Courier-Journal. The "adventurer" is Charles W. Gilley, president of the Kentucky River Coal Co., Inc., with headquarters in Winchester. For several years he has been a Floyd county coal operator.

Gilley was a Floyd county coal operator, too, and is the present owner of a refining and processing plant at Betsy Layne. This refining plant, enjoying a profitable business during the war and immediately after, it burned in 1945, but Gilley rebuilt it. Today it is managed for him by Homer Parsons. It is one of Floyd county's very few manufacturing enterprises.

Gilley came to Magdalen from Shelby county and started a small refinery for gasoline with a 500-gallon boiler several years ago. He had the notion that possibilities existed for gasoline and by-product refinery from Eastern Kentucky petroleum. Having located a lot and made his bet in the Betsy Layne plant for the refining of crude petroleum and the manufacture and sale of by-products. Things were going well with the marketing of 15 products when a service call caught him for 34 months duty. Parsons managed the plant for him in his absence and upon his return Gilley found \$75,000 in the bank for him.

The plant manufactured gasoline, kerosene, coal spray, diesel oil, and other products. The plant was commonly called gas, oil, transmission, motor and machine oil. The gasoline was made by a process that was one of the by-products of the Portsmouth Steel Corporation and blending it with his product. It is marketed under the trade name of Bessol. When the Korean War broke out this phase of his operations had to be suspended, due to the restrictions on the availability of the steel company's product.

Gilley learned a lot about various kinds of the coal industry during those first years immediately following the World War. For one thing, he learned that the coal industry was not a simple business. It was made from salt and other common chemicals. He mixed it with other products and shipped it to the Betsy Layne plant. The resulting combination of chemicals was called Coal Add. It was ideal for spraying large walls in railroad cars and lining pits.

Gilley's contacts from coal companies to spray domestic coal covered the Eastern Kentucky counties, and was chiefly under the supervision of Jimmy Chagert. Once Chagert got to experimenting with the spray with the view of testing the usual line gallon of spray to each ton of coal. The result was a complaint from a Cincinnati home owner by Mrs. Wm. W. Mitchell. He was taken down in the basement of a fine Cincinnati home shown by Mrs. Wm. W. Mitchell on the walk. He never got such a bawling out in his life. And she had called him all the way to Cincinnati to do it. Parsons said that the Betsy Layne refinery burned down, almost completely, in 1948 and Gilley suffered an \$800 loss. To some men this blow would have been deadly but not to him. He began to rebuild and also to engage in truck mining. His Floyd mines were strung along US 25 below Alton and he had other mines in Pike county.

His source of petroleum supply for the rebuilt plant is assured, for he pays around 20 cents more per barrel than any other purchaser. This project was assured on his feet he began to interest himself in the Kentucky River project. It is said that to date he has invested about \$200,000 in that section. Part of the Griffin article which is an exposition of the economic and geographical conditions Gilley met on that river follows:

Eastern Kentucky coal, subject to the vagaries of the tide prior to the installation of locks and dams, was loaded down the river from Betsyville to Clay's Ferry for more than a century and a half. Now Gilley is repeating a process from the same port of embarkation to exactly the same destination, where he has installed a dock and unloading facilities. There can be no doubt that the impressive Memorial Bridge which spans the scenic stream at Clay's Ferry, between Lexington and Richmond on U. S. 25.

Realizing that coal can be transported by water at a fraction of the railroad cost, Gilley determined to make use of the highway provided by Nature. He figured the utilities plant, distilleries and domestic-coal markets along the Kentucky would

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Additional steel barges and another tug are on order. That indicates Gilley's optimism regarding Kentucky River transportation. He figures eventually to take care of the river—sand, cement, gravel, structural steel and other building material.

Gilley is building a floating crane that can be moved up and down the river. Now that profitable river traffic has been proved feasible, Gilley hopes the old hand-operated locks will be replaced with roller-type locks such as have been installed on the Kanawha River in West Virginia. They would speed up transportation on the river.

Besides supplying the utilities plants at Ford and Tyne, Gilley's Kentucky River Coal Co., Inc., operates a small domestic coal to the truckers at his Clay's Ferry unloading facility. A great deal of this is consumed in the Lexington area, although some finds its eventual market in Ohio and Indiana.

Gilley leased 30,000 acres of coal near Betsyville, on the Perry-Breathitt county line, to begin his coal operation. He installed a 14,000-ton storage area with a conveyor-belt line from storage to a barge. Then a tipple and screening plant at Clay's Ferry.

The enterprise was almost ready to start when disaster threatened. The United States Corps of Engineers closed the upper six locks of the Kentucky River. But Gilley was not without moral support. Coming to his aid with pressure on the Government engineers to reopen the upper locks were the Governor, the State Legislature, the Kentucky Agricultural and Industrial Development Board, the U. S. and Ore Operators Association and the Kentucky River Development Association.

The engineers gave lack of river traffic as their reason for abandoning the locks. But they agreed to keep them in operation, provided the traffic justified the expense. Gilley was given a deadline to ship 100,000 tons of coal through the locks. Gilley was not going to let a Pittsburgh company shut him out. He was going to show the world that the steel barges would be available in time, obtained three articulated wooden barges. The operation became a reality in the nick of time.

Gilley was still attempting to get those steel barges but Christmas was running out when Gilley had three of his wooden barges sunk in the dock at Clay's Ferry, carrying their coal cargoes to the bottom of the stream.

But Gilley refused to surrender. After two years, he finally obtained six steel barges, each capable of carrying 300 tons of coal. (A full-sized coal gondola carries 50 tons.)

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## Teacher Enrollments From Floyd Outnumber Other County Groups

Pikeville, Ky., April 15.—Floyd county has the largest number of teacher enrollments from any other county in the group which has been enrolled for the nine-week spring term at Pikeville Normal College.

Eleven young Floyd county women and 28 others, from Pike, Johnson, Martin, Lawrence and Leitch counties and West Virginia, have entered special teachers' classes which will run from the middle of the spring semester until commencement at Pikeville to all 30 have earned certificates to teach in the public schools on "emergency" certificates. Dr. A. C. Page, college president, said today.

Most of the group will complete the two-year course before next September 1 and become eligible for the Provisional Elementary Certificate. After that date requirements for the certificate will be raised to include four years of college study. Page said.

The Floyd county teacher-students are Bobby Jean Hale, Blue Hager, Fern S. Hahn, Charlotte Magg, Edna McQuerry, Leola Little, Prestonburg; Orilla B. McGuire, Prestonsburg; Della Mae Mitchell, Pikeville; Mary Ann Orrell; Pearl F. Newman, Orrell; Emma J. Stone, Betsy Layne; Norma Stapp, Lancer; and Merri Tackett, Clayton.

**CORRECTION**  
The Times erroneously reported last week that Miss Judy Lette was named state chaplain of the Children of the American Revolution. The organization which honored Miss Lette is the Children of the American Colonists.

The Shelbyville Kiwanis Club is sponsoring a pig dinner among 4-H club members in Shelby county.

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### Mrs. Dove Prater Hoover • Taylor, Lighting Director Succumbs at Carle, Ky. For College Production Rites, Today at Garrett

Mrs. Dove Prater Hoover, 92, died at the home of a son at Carle, Ky., at 7:15 p.m. April 15. She was the widow of Anderson Hoover and a former resident of Garrett. She was the daughter of John and Mary Hoover.

Surviving are the following son and daughters: Elza Hoover, Clarksville; Mrs. Rosa Cook, Carle; Mrs. Hilda Hoover, New York; Mrs. Clara Cook, Wayne; Mrs. Lela Neil, Wayne; Mrs. Maggie Hicks, Trenton, N. J. Also surviving are several grand-children and great grandchildren. Funeral rites were held today (Thursday) at the home of Lacy Taylor, at Garrett, at 2 p.m. The Rev. Billy Moore, Abingdon, Md., officiating. Burial followed in the family cemetery on Stone Creek. Burial under the direction of Taylor Funeral Home.

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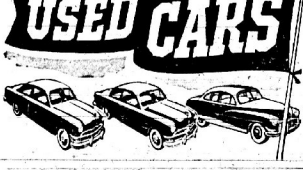
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### Needy of County Paid \$151,673 During March By Assistance Division

Needy residents of Floyd county drew \$151,673 in public assistance during the first three months of 1953, the Department of Economic Security's Division of Public Assistance reported this week. The Division administers three programs—old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to needy blind.

Division Director Aaron Paul listed distribution of the total in this county among the three programs:

Old-age assistance, \$67,259; aid to dependent children, \$79,472; aid to needy blind, \$4,942.

A statewide total of \$6,897,303 went to needy Kentuckians during the first three months, with old-age payments totaling \$5,847,307; dependent children, \$1,046,494 and needy blind, \$275,500.

The quarterly averages were \$33.11 to old-age assistance recipients, \$84.19 to families of dependent children, and \$37.10 to the needy blind.

Average monthly payments based on March 1953 figures compared with those of the same month of 1952 show \$26.14 for the needy blind in March of this year, an increase of \$5.56 to each of the 55,588 persons on the rolls last month. There were 63,713 on the rolls in March 1952.

Aid to dependent children went to 20,708 families last month for an average of \$46.24, compared with an average of \$41.81 to 20,396 families a year ago. Needy blind payments showed a similar trend, with average payments of \$37.00 to 2,654 recipients, compared with an average for March 1952 of \$31.35 to 2,532 persons.

Paul said the increases were "directly attributable to the increased appropriations voted by the 1952 General Assembly and additional sums provided by Congress. Each dollar of increased state funds was matched by approximately \$3 of federal funds."

A piano is one of several articles being refurnished by members of homemakers clubs in Bath county.

### STATE FIGHTS MAY'S PERMIT To Seek Writ To Bar Floyd Man from Right To Drive Automobile

If Joe I. May, of Belay Laine, is given the right to drive an automobile again, state authority to do so will be granted in spite of all the Kentucky Revenue Department can do.

The department this week notified the Court of Appeals it will seek Tuesday a writ of prohibition against County Judge Henry Stumbo to prevent an order from being entered in Floyd quarterly court restoring May's right to drive an automobile.

The Revenue Department's suit explains:

On January 12, 1952, May was convicted of driving while intoxicated, his driver's license was sent to Frankfort where the department revoked it for a year since May had previously been convicted of drunk-driving in Paducah police court on May 12, 1947.

Subsequently, May again was convicted of driving while under the influence of liquor on April 15, 1952.

May has applied for reinstatement of his driver's license. But the department he does not offer proof of his financial responsibility. Under the law, the department says it cannot restore the right to drive until financial responsibility is established.

May, meanwhile, has filed suit in Floyd quarterly court. His petition states he does not own an automobile, hence he cannot obtain the insurance necessary to establish financial responsibility. The petition says that when May does buy a car, he will furnish proof of responsibility to the Revenue Department.

May's suit asks Judge Stumbo to restore his right to drive and direct the license examiner here to test him and issue a driver's license if he passes the test successfully.

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Announcements for April 19.  
Our harvest meetings continue through the Sunday nights—Bro. Caldwell presiding.

Spiritual services both—Sunday morning and Sunday night, Dr. V. Tuesday.

An all-day meeting of the W.M.E. and the Executive Committee of the Enterprise Association of Baptists will be held at the First Baptist Church of Martin, Ky. (This includes all of our churches in Floyd county and Pike, Johnson, Martin, Morgan and Morgan counties.) Wednesday, 22nd.

Our postponed quarterly business meeting at the church at 7:30 p.m. God is working in our church. Come and get a blessing.

A portable sewing machine for 4-11 club girls has been bought by the Oldville Parent-Teachers Association in Harrison county.

Twelve homemakers clubs in Montgomery county are helping to keep first-aid kits at schools.

**Society**

• Notes •

Mrs. O. M. Haggard, Mrs. Robert Hughes and Mrs. Arnold Compton were in Lexington last week attending the annual meeting of the Kentucky Conference, Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Mrs. Maryann Austin was hostess Monday, to the regular meeting of Chapter O. P. E. O. The program, "A Tour of Korea," was presented by Mrs. Winston Reed. The president, Mrs. W. R. Oulahan, presided over the business session. Refreshments were served to Mesdames George P. Hughes, Wm. H. Oulahan, Edna Dingus, Winston Ford, Fred O. Francis, Woodrow Greenwood, Robert Hughes, W. A. Rose, Miss Marjorie E. May and the hostess, Mrs. Austin.

Joe Hobson was in Frankfort, Sunday, visiting his mother, Mrs. J. P. Hobson.

Tundy Martin, of Ashland, was here this week visiting his son, Fred Martin, and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Martin, of Lexington, Ky., then drove to Northern, last Saturday by the critical illness of his mother, Mrs. W. B. Martin.

Mrs. C. L. Vichard, of Harold, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hatcher here during her jury service.

Howard Miller and W. H. Treadwell, of Bristol, Tenn., were here last week calling on friends.

Mrs. Joe Hobson was accompanied to Greenville, S. C., last week. They spent several days there.

Mrs. Graydon Baker submitted to surgery last week at the Palmetto hospital. She is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Roberts accompanied their daughter, Miss Laura Virginia Roberts, to Lexington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hobson returned to Huntington last week after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd.

Miss Annie Ooble, of Arlington, Va., is the guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ooble, who also were visited last week by their guests, Charles Ooble, of the new, Palmetto River, Md., and Robert Radford, also of the new Palmetto River.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boyd, of Berea, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd, here, Easter Sunday.

W. J. May, cashier of the Bank building, attended the opening basketball game and the buffet luncheon at the Netherland Plaza hotel, Cincinnati, given Monday by the First National Bank of Cincinnati. This is the sixth annual luncheon he has attended. He was joined by Mr. Hobson, of Frankfort, who also attended the luncheon and the opening game.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers H. Prader were in Huntington Sunday afternoon, calling on George E. Brumham, of Paintsville, who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Mary Ann Ramsdell, Mrs. Chas. Wickers, Miss Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Cecil Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Montaine Clark have returned from Louisville where they attended the meeting of the State Public Health Association.

Elizabeth Lynne Fraser underwent a tonsillectomy at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Tuesday.

Joe Isbell underwent a tonsillectomy at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Payne, of Glasgow, were guests the first of the week of their daughter, Mrs. D. T. Perrell, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Payne were enroute to Charleston, W. Va.

Dr. Julian Harlowe, of Louisville, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clapperton, of Columbus, Ohio, were at their home here on a week-end visit.

Mrs. Mae Ford Hopper and Mrs. Winston Ford were in Huntington, Tuesday, for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall of Glasgow, Ohio, visited friends and relatives last week-end in Westwood and Prestonsburg.

Mrs. F. M. Mayo, of Norfolk, Va., has been visiting her son, Royce Mayo, and Mrs. Mayo and other relatives and friends here since Easter.

Mrs. C. C. Craft, of Hueyville, was a visitor here, Tuesday.

Edward Gessert returned to Ypsilanti, Mich., after spending his vacation here with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Philpatrick, and her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Asland Goodrich and son returned to Ypsilanti, Mich. after spending a week here with her mother, Hettie Starnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasmick to Huntington Tuesday as Mr. Rasmick was enroute to Danvers, N. C., for a check-up. His condition after a brief illness is improved.

### FLOYD COUNTY WOMEN MEET

Regular monthly meeting of the Church Women of the local Episcopalian Church of Christ met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Breeding, this evening of April 7, the president, Mrs. Lindsey Partridge, presiding.

Mrs. Glenn Brickley conducted the program. Mrs. J. T. Spillman, of the Church of Christ at Olo, talked on "Courage for All" and told the many accomplishments of the women of the church there. Mrs. Clifford Hainland was in charge of the program for the May meeting which will be held in the home of Mrs. Partridge. The members voted to have a free-will offering at each meeting and to have the secretary to send "get-well" cards to those who are ill.

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Mrs. Earl T. Arnett was hostess to a birthday party Saturday evening at her home here, honoring her mother, Mrs. John Hale. After the occasion was enjoyed, the birthday cake was cut by the honoree who received many pleasant messages of the occasion. Those joining Mrs. Hale for the evening were Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. Thomas Thompson, Mrs. Bill Hubbard, Dr. and Mrs. Earl T. Arnett and son, Earl Jr.

### HOME FOR EASTER

A. E. John Stepp was home for Easter visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stepp. He returned Monday morning to Griffith Air Force Base, Rome, N. Y., where he is stationed.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Thompson, Byer, Ohio, formerly of this county, announce the engagement of their daughter, Emily Frances, to Mr. James D. Kinchloe, of Louisville, Ky.

### ATTEND MISSION

The following members of the Prestonsburg Presbyterian Church attended the dedication of the Presbyterian mission at Paintsville last Sunday afternoon: Rev. and Mrs. Orville Pappas, James E. Ooble, Harvey Howard, Mrs. Ernest E. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Burke, Mrs. Panny Collins, Miss Alma Collins, Mrs. J. C. Spurlin, and Mrs. Elzel Henz.

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### A MECHANICAL PEERING TOM

Television just now may be disrupting affairs about the house, but happier days are ahead, we are told, as matters now stand. A body can't listen to anything as old-fashioned as a radio or phonograph (record-player). I believe they call it, these days, and you can't carry on a conversation above a hoarse whisper or even take a bath if you are the spinning or singing type of better.

But just wait! One day, it'll be the control center of the home, says David Barnoff, who should know. When that day comes you'll be able to get yourself a cheap camera attachment or so and through the television receiver be able to watch the youngster playing in the backyard (or out in the street), keep a weather eye out for bill collectors, or even watch your rights on hockey to see that he doesn't sneak off from that unattended chair. And a few hands of poker with the boys, a la the shuffle, Dagwood.

I can think of all kinds of objections to the proposed contraption, but will wait around to see if it works before setting them down in print.

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## 160 COMPETE IN NET MEET

Scout Troop 20 Here, W. Van Lear Explorers Win Benefit Tournament

One hundred sixty Boy Scouts of the J. Edgar Wiley district participated here last week in the basketball tournament staged as a benefit for the J. Edgar Wiley district. Scout Troop 20 of Prestonsburg, 21 to 22, and W. Van Lear defeated David for the Explorer title in a nip-and-tuck final, 46 to 45.

Prestonsburg Troop 21 won the Scout championship Saturday night, defeating their neighbors, Scout Troop 20 of Prestonsburg, 21 to 22, and W. Van Lear defeated David for the Explorer title in a nip-and-tuck final, 46 to 45.

Trophies were awarded the winners and the two runner-up five. Wheelwright Troop No. 75 won the sportsmanship trophy. All these awards were presented the youngsters by Dr. C. L. Hutcheson.

Play began last Wednesday. Starts up to the championship games follow:

Wednesday — West Van Lear Scouts 49, Wheelwright 27; West Van Lear Explorers 75, Wheelwright 43.

Thursday — Prestonsburg Scout Troop 21, 28, David 21; David Explorers 50, Prestonsburg Troop 21, 25; Price Scouts 35, Allen 23; Price Explorers defeated Allen (score unavailable).

Friday — West Van Lear Scouts 28, Cliff 23; West Van Lear Explorers 51, Cliff 34; Prestonsburg Scout Troop 20, 23, McDowell 26; Prestonsburg Troop 20 Explorers 31, McDowell 27.

Saturday afternoon — Prestonsburg Troop 20 Scouts 47, Price 41; David Explorers 52, Price 49; Prestonsburg Scout Troop 20, 24, West Van Lear 19; West Van Lear Explorers 42, Prestonsburg Troop 20, 18.

**March Bond Purchases In Floyd, \$30,356.00**

During the month of March, the citizens of Floyd county invested \$30,356 in Series E, U. S. and S. Savings Bonds. Cumulative sales of \$4,090 for Floyd county represent 20% of the county's annual sales of \$20,450.

For the entire state of Kentucky, March purchases amounted to \$4,125,586. Cumulative sales of \$14,449,258 represent 24% of the \$59.3 million goal.

Nationally, the month of March, 1953, was the third consecutive month in which the sales of U. S. Savings Bonds had exceeded record-high figures.

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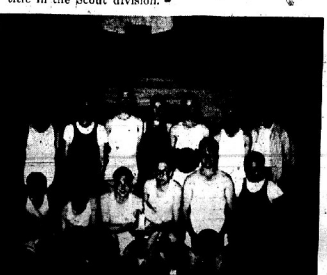
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Prestonsburg Troop No. 21, winners of the basketball title in the Scout division.



Explorer Scout division winners of the tourney were these boys of the West Van Lear troop.

## HIGHWAY DEPT PLANS ACTION

Against Persons Who Dump Roadside Debris; Noonan Issues Orders

J. P. Noonan, Pikeville, Highway Department district engineer, issued instructions last week to highway men and maintenance superintendents to enforce the law against dumping trash and all forms of debris on state road rights-of-way.

A dozen or more roadside spots in this county will be cleaned up by highway employees using graders and some of these later may be planted in trees, it was said here.

Any person found dumping trash will be arrested and prosecuted.

Mr. Noonan said the Highway Department has emphasized the importance of this effort.

Persons convicted of throwing trash, debris or litter on rights-of-way.

Noonan also called attention to property owners encroaching upon the rights-of-way by piling and planting a practice which he said would not be tolerated this year.

He said the practice has gone on for several years, and the state has spent large sums of money to keep the rights-of-way in a more presentable state of maintenance.

**Rules for Ky. Corn Derby Stated by County Agent; Enrollment Closes May 1**

The Kentucky Corn Derby rules and awards for this year have been released by O. E. Boops, county agent. The Derby aims, Mr. Boops said, are to stimulate interest in producing high yields to teach practical methods of production to raise Kentucky's average yield to 40 bushels or more by 1960.

There will be two classes — a one-acre class with a minimum of one acre, and a five-acre class with a minimum of five acres. In either class the area must be in one continuous plot of such shape that it can be easily measured.

A county corn committee will determine whether the county will sponsor a one-acre or five-acre class or both.

Any Kentucky farmer, adult or junior, who enrolls in a recognized county corn derby conducted by the county agent, and who complies with the rules prescribed therefor, can enter the Kentucky Corn Derby. A county corn derby must have at least six entrants, of which at least three complete their harvesting records.

An entrant is not eligible to compete in both the one-acre and five-acre classes.

Entrants must be enrolled before May 1, Boops said. He will report the enrollees to the State Agronomy department by May 15.

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## TO ORGANIZE PARK ASS'N

Industrial Foundation Calls Meet April 30th, Asher Informs Leaders

A. Joe Asher, of Jenkins, executive director of the Eastern Kentucky Industrial Foundation, said this week leaders in Floyd, Pike, Johnson and Martin counties have been notified that a meeting of a park association will be held at the Centex Grill here at 2 p.m., April 20, to organize a Dewey Lake Park Association.

The Foundation, Mr. Asher said, does not propose to direct the Dewey Lake state park but is vitally interested in assisting the formation of an association to give the project the "push" necessary.

At Tuesday's meeting in Prestonsburg of the Foundation directors, Mr. Asher reported on 13 Town Hall meetings conducted during March in as many member-counties, stating that approximately 1,200 people attended the meetings and that the interest in every county was exceptionally favorable to the support of a program of business development in Eastern Kentucky; that many new projects are now being considered and others are being studied.

Asher will be in Frankfort and Louisville this week conferring with officials of the Agriculture & Industrial Development Board and the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce on some specific objectives for the 14-county area.

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## IMOGENE MOORE FOR CLERK

In announcing as a candidate for the Democratic nomination of County Court Clerk, I, Imogene Stumbo Moore, realize that this is a task which must be taken very seriously and with a deep sense of responsibility.

As far as I know, this is the first time a woman of this county has ever tried to be elected to this office. We all know, however, most of the work has usually been done by women. This shows that a woman could efficiently hold the position as Clerk.

I was told by one of my opponents that I am not well known in this county. This is true as far as my personal life is concerned. I have never done anything which would make me notorious enough to make the headlines or front page of our local newspaper. But when it comes to my relatives, I believe they are very well known for my ancestors were early settlers of Floyd county.

So that the people may know something about me I shall attempt to explain to you who I am and who my relatives are.

I am a native Floyd county girl born at Printer, on Left Beaver Creek. I spent my childhood years before moving to McDowell.

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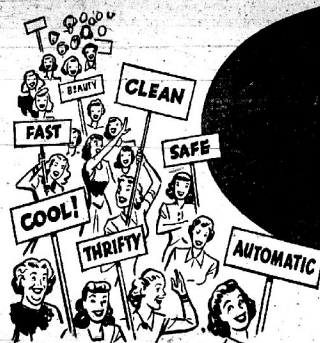
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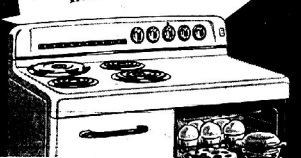
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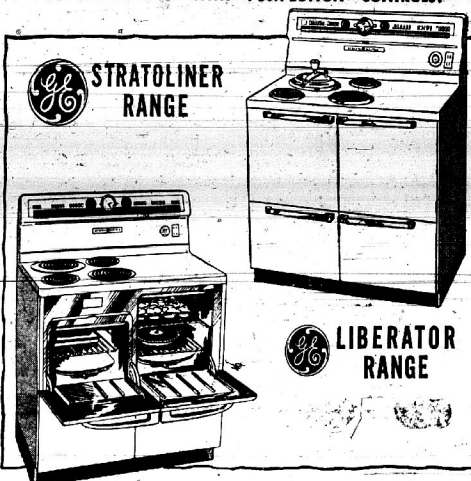


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### Floyd County Students On Spiritual Emphasis Program at Morehead

Leo Osborne, of Mt. Hat, Hugh Stumbo, of Prestonsburg, and Jack Elkins, of Harpud, were on the program in Spiritual Emphasis Week at Morehead State College recently. Morehead's formal observance of Religious Emphasis Week began on Wednesday, March 28, and carried on through the week. It was highlighted by assemblies and informal meetings.

Leo Osborne presided over the assembly on "Courtship, Marriage, and Home" held in the student lounge. Mr. Osborne was graduated from Morehead high school in 1930 and is majoring in business administration at the college. He is senior class representative on the Student Council and a president of the Kappa Mu Club.

Hugh Stumbo presided over an informal meeting also held in the student lounge, on Thursday. Mr. Stumbo is a senior on campus and was graduated from Martin high school in 1930. He is majoring in art, and is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Kappa Phi, Beta Beta Beta, and the Campus Club. He is vice-president of the Student Council, and was elected to represent Morehead College in this year's "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Jack Elkins presided over the special convocation meeting held in the student lounge. Mr. Elkins is attending the college on the G. I. Bill and is majoring in commerce. Mr. Osborne was re-elected to his office of president of the Kappa Mu Club. The membership in the Kappa Mu Club is sponsored of major and minors in commerce who maintain a scholastic standing of better than "C", with a superior standing in commerce.

Mr. Akers was elected secretary of the Open Forum Club. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Akers of Dana. Mrs. Akers was graduated from Betty Layne high school in 1932, and is majoring in commerce at the college.

### DRIFT

The Drift Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, April 6. Reading by Mr. Lloyd Stumbo of "The Resurrection" was an early part of the program. The president read a letter of thanks from the Red Cross. She also read a letter from Mrs. Regina Mayo, announcing that the T.B. mobile unit will be in Martin on April 28 and 29.

On April 24, the Drift club will supply clerks for the unit. Those who volunteered are Mrs. Alan Reed, Mrs. C. J. Cull, Mrs. Alvin Reed, Jackie Hall, Mrs. Ray Turner, Mrs. Rex Ankrom. Transportation will also be supplied by club members. Anyone desiring a ride, please be at Turner Elkhorn office. Miss Catherine Reed, Mrs. Dick Showers and Mrs. P. T. Jones will be drivers. A letter from Mrs. J. C. Spurlin was read on the Heart Drive in Floyd county which went over the top by 200.

The club voted to sponsor the Cancer drive.

An amateur show at Drift Theatre Wednesday, April 22 at 7:30 p.m. with the Drift and McDowell band participating, will be the main project to raise funds for the Cancer drive.

Mrs. Rex Ankrom, Mrs. Alan Reed, and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, conferred with Dr. Randall at Prestonsburg on the garbage disposal problem at Drift.

Milton Stumbo, sanitary inspector offered in his area, attended the meeting and outlined a plan of action.

The Club is anxious to sponsor a real clean-up campaign in Drift before hot weather. It is announcing a town meeting at the Drift school, April 14, at 7 p.m. Any member of the community who is interested is welcome to attend. There will be speakers.

The blood donor list was checked and members will outcall persons who have signed cards and never given any blood. This is a vital program of the Red Cross and all able-bodied citizens should give blood.

Members present: Mrs. J. C. Moore, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, Mrs. Alvin Reed, Mrs. Claude Martin, Mrs. Rex Ankrom, Mrs. Alan Reed, Mrs. C. J. Cull, Mrs. Bobby Hall, Mrs. Roy Turner, Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, Misses Catherine Reed, Pauline Moore, Ruby Akers, Jackie Hall, Betty Turner.

### MORELL AT LACKLAND

Lackland Air Force Base, Texas—James M. Morell, Jr., son of Mrs. Franklin W. Moore, Prestonsburg, Ky., is completing his AP basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "gateway to the Air Force."

His basic training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

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## GOVERNOR EXPLAINS REASON FOR REDUCING EXPENDITURES

By GOV. LAWRENCE WETHERBY

When the General Assembly was considering the matter, the appropriating funds for the operation of the state government for the 1953-54 fiscal year at its regular session in January of 1953, it was estimated that tax collections would amount to \$78,000,000 for 1953-54 and would climb to \$81,000,000 for 1954-55. I therefore recommended and the General Assembly approved a budget bill appropriating General Fund revenues in those amounts for those years.

I am now advised by the Department of Revenue that it does not appear safe to anticipate that more than \$74,000,000 will be collected for the General Fund during the present 1953-54 fiscal year and more than \$76,000,000 for the 1954-55 fiscal year. Accordingly, I have directed all agencies of state government to make further curtailment of their expenditures for the present fiscal year, and to revise their budgets downward to fit within the \$74,000,000 anticipated for the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

No other course can be followed. If the estimate of anticipated revenue for the present fiscal year had been \$74,000,000 instead of \$78,000,000 when it was made in January, 1953, I would have recommended that only \$74,000,000 be appropriated, and I assume that the General Assembly would have approved a budget in that amount for the year. It had been anticipated that the revenue for 1953-54 would be only \$76,000,000 rather than \$81,000,000. It has been anticipated that the revenue for 1954-55 would be only \$78,000,000 rather than \$81,000,000.

While these appropriations would have been lower than those that were made, they would have been provided for an improvement in state services. During the 1951-52 fiscal year, General Fund expenditures amounted to only \$71,000,000. The law requires that the state government operate within its revenue, and the people have a right to expect all of us to uphold the law. For a number of years the state has followed the wise policy of supporting recurring or current expenses of government out of current revenue, reserving any accumulated amounts from prior years for non-recurring capital outlay programs. This policy has some merit, and it should not be abandoned now. The task before us is to cut the pattern of current expenses to fit within income.

It became apparent last November that General Fund receipts were lagging behind the amounts which had been anticipated. Loss of revenue from whiskey production and tax cuts in receipts from corporate income taxes below the estimates upset the calculations. Based on these reports, I asked all state agencies to effect savings curtailment employment and postpone programs not already under way. Through these means, a reduction of approximately \$2,000,000 in spending was brought about.

Early in March it began to appear that hopes that General Fund receipts would reach \$75,000,000 or \$76,000,000 for the year would not be realized. An analysis of individual income tax returns indicated that the estimate of total revenue from this source would not be reached. Accordingly, I called a meeting of the Governor's Cabinet on March 10, and asked that spending be watched carefully.

Now it is more certain that revenues will reach only \$74,000,000 this year. It is mandatory, therefore, that immediate and more drastic steps must be taken to further reduce 1953-54 expenditures and to reduce expenditures for 1954-55 on the basis of an anticipated revenue of \$76,000,000 rather than on the appropriations of \$81,000,000.

I have asked all state agencies to comply strictly with a purchasing policy which will curtail the purchase of all materials, supplies and equipment which cannot be justified as being absolutely essential to the agency's operations. The purchasing policy which I indicated in November and which requires no state verify the merits of all personnel will remain in effect. It is necessary to reduce further the expenditures of the state and to cut state services in order to stay within the law.

I have requested each agency to examine every aspect of the services offered by it and evaluate whether or not these services should be continued or abolished in view of knowledge of the critical fiscal situation of the Commonwealth. Requests for funds for 1953-54 will be reviewed by the Department of Finance and by me in the same manner as such requests are submitted biennially to the General Assembly. Only in this way can we have assurance that the essential services of the state government will be continued.

### Pike Mine Explosion Probe To Widen Study Of Situation In Valley

The mine explosion at Biggs, Pike county, last Tuesday, that was a near tragedy for six employees of a coal company, resulted in a hearing that will broaden to include a study of the entire mine explosion situation in the Biggs valley. It was revealed this week.

A. D. Sisk, chief of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals, announced the study plans after a hearing on the blast at a small No. 4 mine of the Elkfoot Mining Company at Biggs, 32 miles south of Pikeville.

Mine Inspector Elmer R. Lavin said the six men had just quit work for the day and checked out when the explosion "blasted the mine out like a stoppage." No one else was in the mine.

The blast occurred an estimated 350 feet under ground. Sisk blamed it on the use of dynamite sent to the mine by mistake. He said the use of dynamite and black powder for coal blasting is prohibited in Kentucky. Explosives authorized for mine use, he said, are those that will not ignite gas or coal "just when set and discharged properly."

The No. 4 mine and three other operations of the Elkfoot Company at Biggs, and an Elkfoot operation at nearby Mouthcard have been closed pending further investigation. Great changes at Mouthcard is the owner.

Among those attending last Thursday's hearing were representatives of the United States Bureau of Mines and the United Mine Workers of America.

### ALLEN

Mrs. William Allen, John Snodgrass, Alice Howard, Bert Caldwell and Russell Laven, of Allen and Mrs. Earl Brewer, of Carroll, attended the state Woman's Missionary Union meeting in Lexington, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Ruth Ann Owsley spent last week in Ashland visiting her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robinson.

Mrs. Hedy Martin has been in Dayton, O. the past week consulting a physician. She is also visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rose Marie Parsons.

Friends of Dewey Martin are happy to hear of his improvement. He is in the C. & O. hospital in Huntington.

Mrs. Norma Freley and daughter, Billie Ann, and Mrs. George Laven and daughter, Tommy Clark, attended the wedding Saturday of Donald Daniel and Charlene Kennard in the First Baptist Church, Paintsville, Ohio, in spending a few days here with her father, Harry Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Music and children of Leno, O., visited his sisters, Mrs. Russell Laven and Miss Nellie Music, recently.

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### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

MARTIN — Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Dings, of Alport, announced the marriage of their daughter, Alka Laine, to Mr. Don Smith, of Saturday, April 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are both students at Morehead State College.

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<b>MEN'S ALL WOOL SPORT COATS</b> CHECKS, SOLIDS and PLAINS. Reg. up to \$29.95. <b>Sale price \$14.95 ea.</b>	<b>LADIES' BLOUSES</b> In prints and solids. Size 10 to 32. <b>Sale price 98c ea.</b>	<b>MEN'S NYLON SPORT JACKETS</b> Eisenhower style in checks and cord. Value \$8.95. <b>Sale price \$4.98</b>	<b>BOYS' 8-OUNCE OVERALL PANTS</b> Reg. \$7.98 Size 8 to 16. <b>Sale price \$1.69</b>	<b>GIRLS' GABERDINE and SHARKSKIN SUITS</b> Reg. prices up to \$22.95. 6 to 14. <b>Sale price \$4.98</b>	<b>GIRLS' TOPPERS and COATS</b> Size 6 to 14. Values up to \$12.95. <b>Sale price \$5.98 ea.</b>
<b>MEN'S OXFORDS</b> Size 6 to 11. Reg. price up to \$2.95. <b>Sale price \$4.98 pr.</b>	<b>ONE GROUP OF NATIONALLY ADVERTISED MEN'S OXFORDS</b> Reg. \$12.95. <b>Sale price \$6.95 pr.</b>	<b>MEN'S NATIONALLY ADVERTISED SUITS</b> All-wool, imported and all-wool gaberdines. Some with 2 pair pants. Sorry, cannot mention manufacturer's name. <b>Sale price \$39.95</b>	<b>BOYS' LACE-BACK PANTS</b> Size 8 to 18. Reg. \$2.98. <b>Sale price \$1.98</b>	<b>BOYS' GABERDINE TOP COATS</b> and hats to match. Reg. price \$18.95. <b>Sale price \$5.98 ea.</b>	<b>LADIES' NYLON PANTIES</b> In all colors and sizes. Tricot knit. Value \$1.98. <b>Sale price 69c pr.</b>

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# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**  
We are authorized to announce  
**E. H. STUMBO**  
of Harlow, as a candidate for  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
9th Legislative District, including  
Magisterial Districts Nos. 1 and 2.  
Democratic primary, Aug. 1,  
1953.

**ULYSES S. COLLINS**  
of Eastern Ky., for  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
9th Legislative District, including  
Magisterial Districts Nos. 1 and 2.  
Democratic primary, Aug. 1,  
1953.

**MILFORD "TODDIE" WELLS**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., for  
REPRESENTATIVE  
9th Legislative District, including  
Magisterial Districts Nos. 1 and 2.  
Democratic primary, Aug. 1,  
1953.

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**  
**JARVIS ALLEN**  
Democratic candidate for  
COUNTY JUDGE  
Primary election, August 1,  
1953.

**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**  
We are authorized to announce  
**ROBERT WELLMAN**  
as a candidate for  
COUNTY ATTORNEY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**HENRY STEPHENS, JR.**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate  
for COUNTY ATTORNEY  
Democratic primary.

**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**  
We are authorized to announce  
**BURNIE MARLIN** as a candidate for  
COUNTY ATTORNEY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**HOLLIE CONLEY**  
as a candidate for the  
Democratic nomination for  
COUNTY ATTORNEY  
at the August 1 primary.

**FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK**  
We are authorized to announce  
**DURAN MOORE**  
as a candidate for  
COUNTY COURT CLERK  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary.

**ANNOUNCING**  
**HAZEL DAMRON GEORGE**  
(Teacher)  
for  
COUNTY COURT CLERK  
(Democrat)

We are authorized to announce  
**HENRY O. HALE**  
of Blue River, Ky., as a candidate  
for COUNTY COURT CLERK  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August  
primary.

We are authorized to announce  
**HOMER WICKER**  
as a candidate for  
COUNTY COURT CLERK  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August 1, 1953, primary.

**FOR SHERIFF**  
We are authorized to announce  
**HURSHILL WARRIONS**  
of Wyland, Ky., as a candidate for  
SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**BILL HALL**  
of Betsy Layne, Ky., as a candidate  
for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

We are authorized to announce  
**B. L. (BEV) STURGILL**  
as a candidate for  
SHERIFF  
Subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

We are authorized to announce  
**GUY HORN**  
as a candidate for  
SHERIFF  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

We are authorized to announce  
**SAMPSON REPPERT**  
of Haysville, Ky., as a candidate for  
SHERIFF  
Democratic primary, August 1,  
1953.

**TROY B. STURGILL**  
Democratic candidate for  
SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY  
Fair treatment to all alike.  
The smart every day.

We are authorized to announce  
**SCOTT WALLIN**  
president of Local 888 of U.M.W. of  
Wheelwright, Ky., as a candidate  
for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY.  
Subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

**FOR JAILER**  
We are authorized to announce  
**T. J. BINGHAM**  
of Clark, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
Subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**CHARLIE WARRICK**  
of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a  
candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary.

We are authorized to announce  
**GEORGE R. TAYLOR**  
of Clark, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

**I. W. M. Turner** would like to  
announce himself as a candidate for  
Jailer of Floyd County on the Demo-  
cratic ticket.

I am 70 years old and have lived  
on Left Beaver of this county most  
of my life. This is the first time  
I have ever asked for an office in  
this county and I would like for the  
votes to come forward this elec-  
tion. You-votes will be highly ap-  
preciated.

Most sincerely your friend,  
**W. M. TURNER**

We are authorized to announce  
**ROBERT C. BARNETT**  
of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

We are authorized to announce  
**GROVER C. DESKINS**  
as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August 1, 1953  
primary.

We are authorized to announce  
**ED CARVER**  
of David, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**LAWRENCE SCOTT**  
of Allen, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the primary election,  
August 1.

We are authorized to announce  
**PERRY COSLEY**  
a crippled man, of Blaine, son of  
the late Lam Cosley, for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
Democratic primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce  
**WILL SPEARS**  
of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the primary election,  
August 1.

**JERRY B. STEPHENS**  
Democrat, of Prestonsburg,  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
Primary election, August 1.

We are authorized to announce  
**CHEROE C. R. TAYLOR**  
of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for  
the Democratic nomination for  
JAILER  
subject to the action of that party  
at the August primary.

**HARRY B. PRATER**  
CANDIDATE FOR JAILER  
To the Voters of Floyd County:  
I am a coal miner and I am an  
hundred percent union man. I am  
a member of Local Union 788 at  
David, Ky., and I am not making  
any promises that I will not  
approved. I would like to serve  
as your Jailer. I want to get ahead  
and I am a laborer right at  
chance and vote for HARRY B.  
PRATER.

We are authorized to announce  
**AMOS GRAY**  
of Prestonsburg as a candidate for  
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic primary.

**FOR TAX COMMISSIONER**  
We are authorized to announce  
**MANIS CONLEY**  
of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate  
for TAX COMMISSIONER  
Subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

**FOR TAX COMMISSIONER**  
**CLIVE AKERS**  
of Drift, Ky.,  
Democratic primary, Aug. 1.

**FOR MAGISTRATE**  
We are authorized to announce  
**JOHN MAY**  
of Lanesville, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary election.

We are authorized to announce  
**GROVER C. HOLBROOK**  
of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a can-  
didate for  
MAGISTRATE, District No. 1  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953  
primary.

We are authorized to announce  
**JESSE WALLIN**  
of Water, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1,  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August, 1953 pri-  
mary.

We are authorized to announce  
**MILT STANLEY**  
of Bonanza, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, DIST. 1  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

**ELIAS MARTIN**  
of Drift, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3  
Democratic primary, Aug. 1.

We are authorized to announce  
**JOHN N. BURCHETT**  
of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, District No. 1  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

**I. MONROE HALL**, of Berline-  
ville, announced himself a candidate  
for MAGISTRATE of District No. 3  
on the Democratic ticket. Your  
votes will be greatly appreciated. I  
will serve all alike.

**M. C. WRIGHT**  
of Eastern, Democrat candidate  
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2  
Primary election, August 1.  
This is my last time; will soon be  
30 years old. You all know me. I  
believe in fairness and honesty and  
peace in our community. My record  
will be open to the public.  
1953-1954.

We are authorized to announce  
**WALTER HERNOLD**  
of Tinsley, Ky., as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 4,  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the Aug. 1, 1953 pri-  
mary.

We are authorized to announce  
**CARL RAY FRALEY**  
son of Ray Fraley, of Wayland, Ky.,  
as a candidate for  
MAGISTRATE, District 2  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the August primary  
election.

We are authorized to announce  
**W. M. (BILL) SEXTON**  
of Haysville, Ky., for  
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 2.  
Republican primary.

**TO THE VOTERS OF  
MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT NO. 3:**  
I take this moment of announcing  
myself for magistrate on the Demo-  
cratic ticket. To most of you I need  
no introduction since I ran for this  
office four years ago. Some of the  
good citizens are urging me to run  
again.

I am asking for your support once  
more and I promise you if elected I  
will be honest, fair and straight in  
all my duties while in office. You  
give me your help now as voters  
and I will give you the kind of ser-  
vice that all good law abiding citi-  
zens would like to have.

Thank you  
**JAMES REYNOLDS**  
4-9-53.

**FOR CONSTABLE**  
**JESSE D. "STUNNY"  
FITZPATRICK**  
Democrat for  
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1  
Primary election, August 1.

We are authorized to announce  
**CORBIN JOSEPH**  
of Prestonsburg as a candidate for  
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic party at the primary election,  
August 1.

**RATES FOR CONSTABLE Dist. 3:**  
I, Kenneth Bates of Berlineville, a  
lost union member of 5890, wish  
to announce myself a candidate on  
the Democratic ticket for constable  
of District 3, Floyd county, Ken-  
tucky. If elected by the people, I  
will serve the people. A vote for me  
is a vote for a sober and honest  
man.

Your support will be appreciated.

During the present year the  
American Cancer Society is sup-  
porting 270 grants-in aid and 3  
institutional grants. Aid the work  
by giving to the 1953 AOC struggle.

## Announcing Bill Hall For SHERIFF

To the People of Floyd County:  
Among the five candidates for  
sheriff, four years ago, 2882 of you  
cast your vote for me, Bill Hall.  
I am a second class men four years  
ago, an honor for which I am deep-  
ly grateful to the people of Floyd  
County, I requested, and honored  
the right and the integrity of those  
who cast their vote for the other  
four candidates.

Since that time four years ago  
and especially during the last few  
weeks many of those who cast their  
vote for the other candidates have  
come to me and pledged their support.  
I have heard and seen the people  
and urged that I announce myself  
as a candidate for sheriff in the  
coming Democratic primary.

I now earnestly solicit your vote  
and influence and when elected I  
pledge to the people of Floyd County  
four years of HONEST ADMINI-  
STRATION. I pledge to the happy  
people of Floyd County that I will  
keep proper records of all my  
receipts and expenditures and at  
the end of each year as re-  
quired by K.R.S. §1200, I shall  
make a sworn statement of them in  
the local newspaper, and send a copy  
of the sworn publication to the state  
auditor as required by law. I shall  
list only those expenses as are au-  
thorized by law and for my services  
I shall retain only the amount that  
I am legally entitled to.

When elected to the office of  
sheriff I will not be controlled by  
any clique or group of politicians.  
All men and especially those  
young men of draft age will be  
treated as every mother wants her  
son to be treated. I shall never  
ever let him have a mother who  
expects only decent treatment at  
the hands of the law.

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on the Democratic ticket for County  
Judge of Floyd County.  
I have worked hard to do a good  
job for the people. None of us suc-  
ceed in everything we attempt to  
do, there are none who do not make  
mistakes along the way. But I sub-  
mit in all circumstances that I have  
succeeded in doing many things  
for our county, such as the  
improvement of roads, the paying  
off of much of the outstanding debt  
and reaching out to the ordinary  
citizen who needs help; and I also  
say that whatever mistakes I may  
have made, they have been made  
in good faith, and not mistakes promp-  
ted by any intention at any time to  
do wrong.

Later, I will point out in detail  
the work I have done and the things  
achieved. My record will be open to  
you.  
Your support will be deeply ap-  
preciated.  
(Pol. adv.) **HENRY STUMBO**

**MINNIE**  
Miss Elmer Hines, of Printer, was  
Saturday night guest of Miss Ha-  
zel Collins.  
Ovella Tuttle, of Mansfield, Ohio,  
spent the week-end with relatives  
here.

A surprise birthday party was  
given by Mrs. Bill Martin in honor  
of Wayne Martin here Saturday  
night. Those who attended were Mr.  
and Mrs. Grover Sammons, Bob  
Walton, Ben Martin, Mr. and Mrs.  
Elmer Martin, Ralph Anderson, Mr.  
and Mrs. Johnnie Martin and chil-  
dren, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner, Mr.  
and Mrs. Milton Little and children,  
Martha Martin, Mrs. Roy Cook and  
children, Mr. and Mrs. Reville  
Stewart and children, Mr. and Mrs.  
Charlie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra  
Martin and children, "Kennis Martin",  
Hazel Collins, Janice Higgins,  
Francis Martin, Elmer Hines, Kin-  
Joyce Martin, Jewel Martin, Marion  
Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tuttle, of Ohio,  
spent the week-end with relatives  
here.

Mrs. Belle Tuttle is visiting re-  
latives in Willet, Ohio.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stella Collins were  
Friday evening guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. W. M. Chaffin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Higgins spent  
Saturday in Pointsville on business.  
Misses Hazel Collins and Janice  
Stiggins were Sunday evening guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Lee Collins.

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trate because I am interested in  
things of vital importance to every  
person in District 3. I have been a  
member of the U. M. W. of Ameri-  
ca for 20 years and have been a  
miner more than 30 years. Through-  
out these long, hard years of work I  
have learned to understand and to  
appreciate other people and the  
better things of life.

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ciation qualifies me to be a good  
Magistrate.  
The things I am most concerned  
about:  
1. When our hospital is built at  
McBowell all roads in our district  
and county should, if possible, be  
kept open 12 months a year.  
2. My work in the field court will  
be honest and above-board at all  
times.  
3. In holding court at home I  
will be honest and impartial to ev-  
eryone, with no special privilege to  
any one.  
4. If I am elected voters of Dis-  
trict No. 3 nominate and elect me  
Magistrate. I can and will be a  
good official.

**JOHN C. HUFF**  
President, Local Union 815,  
Drift, Ky.

## Miss May in Cast Of Religious Drama

Miss Lily Mae May, of Maytown,  
is a member of the cast of "Job",  
the religious drama Georgetown Col-  
lege is giving over the state this  
year. The cast goes on a 10-day tour  
early in June.

Kentucky Baptists will hold their  
first religious drama clinic in Geor-  
getown, April 26. Similar clinics have  
been given annually at Ridgecrest  
assemblies for years. The Southern  
Baptist Radio Commission, a pre-  
siding religious drama clinic in  
stewardship schools this year, and  
the Baptist Motion Picture Ministry  
is doubling the output of dramatic  
films this year.

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## 1,035 Kentucky Veterans Of Korea Draw Benefits, Vets Administration Says

Veterans Administration reported  
the number of post-Korea veterans  
and their dependents or beneficiar-  
ies who are receiving certain fed-  
eral benefits under laws enacted by  
the Congress.  
Nearly 44,000 post-Korea veterans  
are drawing compensation for dis-  
abilities incurred or aggravated by  
service since June 27, 1950.  
Of this number, 1,035 are Kentuck-  
y veterans who are drawing dis-  
ability pay, and 838 of these are  
being compensated for disabilities  
incurred or aggravated since June  
27, 1950.

In addition to the 43,932 veterans  
on the compensation roll as of  
February 28, 1953, VA had award-  
ed compensation to 23,210 widows,  
children or dependent parents or  
beneficiaries of 17,551 veterans whose  
deaths were due to service since  
June 27, 1950.

VA is also making 10,000 monthly  
payments to beneficiaries of veter-  
ans whose death was due to service  
since June 27, 1950. These payments  
are being made under the Service-  
men's Indemnity Act of 1951.

Nearly 5,000 of these indemnity  
payments were for less than \$10,000,  
because the veterans were partially  
covered by either national service  
life insurance or United States Con-  
sumers Life Insurance.

NSLI or USCLI payments have  
been or are being made to 25,219  
beneficiaries of servicemen and wom-  
en who died in service since June  
27, 1950.

Of the nearly 44,000 post-Korea  
disabled veterans, with compensable  
disabilities, more than 2,000 are re-  
ceiving vocational training in  
schools and colleges, on-the-job,  
and on farm under federal law.

Ray R. Adams, manager of the re-  
gional office for Kentucky, an-  
nounced that there are 1,035 post-  
Korea veterans in Kentucky who  
are drawing disability compensation.  
Of this total, 838 are receiving  
compensation for disabilities  
incurred or aggravated by service  
since June 27, 1950.

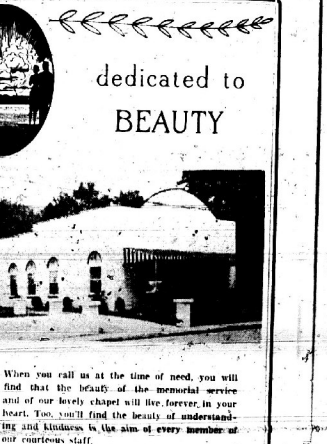
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Saturday—  
Revival starting—7:30 p.m.  
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VIRGIL O. TURNER, Supt.  
Floyd County Schools  
4-16-53



**GIVE TO FIGHT CANCER**—President Dwight D. Eisenhower points out one of the ways to control cancer is to give to the American Cancer Society. During April, which the President proclaims a Cancer Control Month, volunteers raise funds for a program to help save 70,000 lives from cancer in 1953.

**Mining Employment Skids To New Fifteen Year Low Says Security Department**

A steady decline in employed Kentucky miners that has been in effect for some time accelerated to an increase of 800 more for the month of February, according to an announcement by the Department of Economic Security this week. The number of coal miners employed in the state has reached the lowest point in 15 years, exclusive of strike years.

The downward trend in coal-mining jobs started in earnest a year ago in March of 1952. At that time there were 30,000 working in Kentucky mines. A year later, at the end of last February, only 42,700 miners were still on the job. The Division of Unemployment Insurance reported a total of \$1,300,000 in jobless benefits was paid out in February. This is 5 per cent higher than January payments and 25 per cent greater than the amount paid out in February a year ago. January payments to former employees of the construction industry amounted to about a third of the total. Unemployed miners collected 18 per cent.

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**John Bevis, 40, Endicott, Victim of Tuberculosis; Rites Held April 13th**

John Bevis, 40, of Endicott, died last Friday, April 10, at his home on Buffalo Creek. Tuberculosis was said to have been the cause of his death. He had been ill for several years.

He was the son of H. and Rosa P. Bevis of Pike county and was the husband of Mrs. Mary Thompson Bevis, who survives. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Rosa Hughes of Detroit, and the following children: Dr. Perry Bevis, John, Jr., Cary, Kenneth and Shirley Temple, all at home. Also surviving are two brothers and four sisters, all residents of Detroit, except Mrs. Fannie Bevis of Endicott.

Funeral rites were conducted at the home on Buffalo Creek, Monday, April 13, at 10 a.m. Burial followed in the Oak Cemetery under direction of the Baker Funeral Home.

**DRIFT**

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Silvers and sons were Pontiac visitors over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin were fishing at Cherokee Lake, the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Lemaster and children were Prestonsburg visitors, Saturday.

T. J. Bingham, Richard Schlick and Harold Cunniff were drift visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewitt and daughter, Pat, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jones, Sunday.

Bert McKinnis, of Paintsville, has transferred to the Drift compressor station. He will move his family here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore and baby daughter, of Columbus, Ohio, are here attending school at Kentucky Military Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Arrowood, Ernest Turner and Mrs. Roy Denny have returned from a visit to Venice, Fla. They were accompanied home by Larry Arrowood and Jimmie Reed, who have been attending school at Kentucky Military Institute.

Doug Hays has been spending a fortnight here with his father, Troy Hays. Doug is in the navy and will sail for England soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pante and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gearhart of Price, Sunday.

**PLAIN SONG CHANTERS INVITED TO FESTIVAL**

The Plain Song Chanters, a folk song group led by Mrs. Edith P. Jones has been invited to the 19th National Folk Festival to be held at St. Louis April 8-11. It was stated this week the festival is sponsored this year by the St. Louis, Chicago-Democrat.

Gertrude Knott, director of the festival, recorded that the National Folk Festival will be held in conjunction with the 50th anniversary celebration of the purchase of the Louisiana Territory in 1803.

**GARRETT**

The Lucky-Garrett Women's Club entertained with a tea Saturday afternoon at the Methodist recreation hall here in honor of its "daughter" club, Betsy Layne Infirmary, Wright, Allen-Martin and Wayland Juniors.

Mrs. Fred Fraley played a number of piano selections and assisted Mrs. Noah Howard in a musical program. Other games were played and prizes awarded.

Mrs. Claude Prady, of the Hindman Woman's Club, presented the Lucky-Garrett club with a copy of "Knifolds," a book of poems written by Miss Anne Cobb, who for many years has been connected with the Hindman Settlement School.

Refreshments for the occasion, were Mrs. Thomas Hatcher, Mrs. N. D. Howard and M. R. F. Vinson, with Mrs. R. H. Mosser in charge of the floral decorations.

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**Barkley Sturgill, P.burg, Passes Bar Examination**

Among the 31 successful candidates at the recent bar examination held at Prestonsburg was Barkley Sturgill, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Sturgill, the Court of Appeals was advised Monday.

The Board of Bar Examiners also revealed that 16 applicants had failed to pass the tests. Others among the successful candidates from this area were Donald H. Waller, Jr., Louisa, and Julian Reid Gaudard, West Liberty.

**CONTRACTS AWARDED**

Franklin, Ky. The State Department of Highways awarded contracts for improvement of 41 miles of road-to-out an estimated \$100,000—in Todd, Russell, Anderson, Madison, Menifee, Mercer and Campbell counties.

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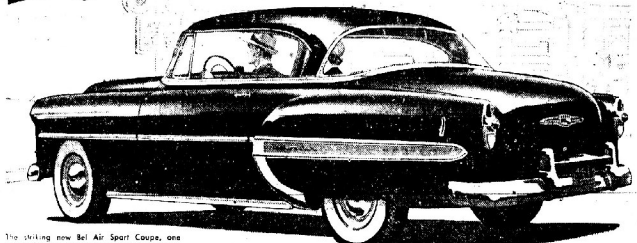


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