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# Miss Akers, Mr. Moore To Wed December 21

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for the USPHS. Dr. Pentie Rooko, head of the Division of Communicable Diseases, State Department of Health, and Dr. A. J. Shipley, of the Welfare division, United Mine Workers of America.

The area to be covered by the clinic, if the center is located here, would include Floyd, Pike, Perry and Leslie counties.

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# Society Notes

Mr. Margaret Rose Salbers, of Paintsville, was here Tuesday, visiting relatives and shopping.

Mason Miller, of Huntington, Glenn Weyant, Ashland, McKourke Florence, Cincinnati, and Howard Miller, Bristol, Tenn., were here this week calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brownham, of Paintsville, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Prater.

Mr. Arthur Blackburn, of Louisville, is here today for an evening with Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Blackburn.

Mrs. Verdon Collinsworth, of Inez, and Mrs. Russell Kirk, of Paintsville, were here Sunday calling on Mrs. Lida R. Cottrell.

Mrs. N. D. Howard and Mrs. S. C. Berkley, of Wayland, were here Monday, shopping, and calling on friends.

Mrs. C. D. Reed, of Drift, and Mrs. Belford Reitz, of Martin, were here Tuesday shopping.

W. T. Archer is able to return to his job with the A.M.R. Fruit Co., Paintsville, after a week's illness.

Mrs. Kiv. of the Baby Corner Fruit Co. returned here Tuesday from Louisville where she visited her family. Mr. and Mrs. Kay moved here a few weeks ago from Louisville and opened the market at the former location of Lawrence Scott.

Mrs. Lydia P. Cottrell returned here Tuesday after a week's absence, where she received a medical check-up. Her condition is improving. She was accompanied by Mr. Joe Hobson. Fred Cottrell met them in Calhoun at the home of Mrs. Margaret Cottrell and brought them home.

John W. Ross and J. L. Oppenheimer were here Wednesday on business Monday.

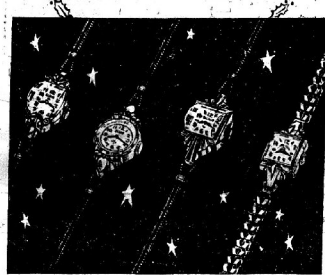
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Joy have returned from Montgomery City, Pa., where his sister, Mrs. John L. Lou-dette is critically ill.

Bruce Bowling, former Prestonsburg man, who recently underwent an operation, has been returned to his home at R.2, Oceola, Ind. He will be confined to his home for about three weeks.

Mrs. Alice Ball has returned from Detroit where she spent two weeks recently with her sons, Richard and Linton Ball, and families.

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CONDITION UNIMPROVED  
The condition of A. B. Combs, who is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital in Lexington, is unchanged this week. He was taken here last week.

SUBMIT TO SURGERY  
Mrs. Bryan Miller, of Riverside Drive, is a patient at Prestonsburg General Hospital convalescing from major surgery performed Monday.

KMI STUDENT HOME  
Fred Harris Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Francis, Jean Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neely students at Kentucky Military Institute, London, Ky., arrived home Monday to spend the holidays with their parents here.

MRS. STURCHILL IMPROVED  
Friends of Mrs. Troy B. Sturchill will be glad to learn that she is sitting up now at her home at Cliff after a very serious illness.

Mrs. Tor Allen, Cope and Mrs. J. W. Howard went to Lexington, Tuesday to visit their sons, Floyd Arnold Mann and Harris S. Howard and Mrs. Howard.

KIWANISSES HAVE PARTY  
The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club enjoyed their annual Christmas party last Friday. With a luncheon meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George R. Archer. The house was arranged with holiday decorations, and special decorations of brilliant arrangements was participated in by all members and guests.

New officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Mildred Combs, first vice-president, Edna Clark Greenwald, second vice-president, Nancy Camilla; corresponding secretary, Vester Clark; recording secretary, Kelly Sandig; treasurer, Ruth Moore.

Guests present were Mr. W. S. Harkins; Mrs. Harold Dorsey; Mrs. B. B. Mrs. Earl Spivey; Misses present were Margaret Archer, Norlie Burdett, Nancy Camilla, Judy Clark, Vester Clark, Mildred Combs, Pat Crawford, Jean Francis, Marjorie Francis, Sally Goolie, Edna Clark Greenwald, Ruth Moore, Florence Music, Francis Rose, Flora Scottie, Carmen Stirling, Kitty Sandig, Laura Lay, Nell Reed, Marie Archer, Betty Wehman, Dorothy Sue Friend, Alta Leslie, Lillian Rimmer, Shuna May, Betty Francis, Nancy Salisbury.

The committee led by Mrs. Ensign prepared and served the luncheon.

PARTY FOR CHOIR  
Mrs. Arthur Sturchill, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sturchill, of Prestonsburg, will arrive in Seattle, Wash., Sunday after having spent 11 months in Korea.

FAMILIES MOVE  
L. R. Johnson, Floyd county soil conservator, and his family moved last week from Friend Street to the O. H. Sumbo residence on Second. Dewey Conley and family moved into the home they vacated.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS  
Mr. Arthur Sturchill, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sturchill, of Prestonsburg, will arrive in Seattle, Wash., Sunday after having spent 11 months in Korea.

RHOODES CANDIDATES ARE CHOSEN AT UK  
Floyd M. Cannack of Lexington, son of the University of Kentucky, and Robert J. Morris of Louisville, fourth-year man at the U. S. Military Academy, are Kentucky's candidates for 1964 Rhodes Scholarships. These two were selected to represent Kentucky in national competition at a Kentucky Rhodes Scholarship Selection Committee meeting held this week at the University of Kentucky. Dr. S. I. Kammerer, of the University of Louisville, is chairman of the committee. Other candidates considered for the scholarship to Oxford College, England, were William W. Douglas of Middlesboro and Edward R. Kearns of Lexington, both of the University of Kentucky; Edwin H. Walker of Shepherdsville; George S. Wilson III of Owensboro; Washington and Lee; Robert L. Rife of Midway; Transylvania College; and Roger M. Stevenson of Buffalo, N. Western Kentucky State College.

MET SON IN BENTONING  
Mr. and Mrs. George P. Archer went to Huntington, Wednesday to meet their son, Raleigh Archer, who is attending the Hill School at Pottsville, Penn. Raleigh will spend the holidays here with his parents.

IS HOSPITAL SUPERVISOR  
Mrs. Jane Walker, R.N., has assumed the duties of supervisor of the Bristol Valley hospital at Martin. Mrs. Walker was associated with the Prestonsburg General hospital at West Prestonsburg for several years.

SUPPER GUESTS  
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Rice, of Paintsville, were supper guests of Mrs. J. M. Davidson, Tuesday evening.

ENTERTAIN TO DINNER  
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Clark were hosts to dinner last Sunday at their home on the A. C. road. Guests were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith, Mrs. Alice and daughter, Diana Reids, Jim Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL  
Miss Gerald West returned home on Sunday from Huntington where she has been receiving medical treatment. She is feeling fine.

ENTERS STATE JOURNEY  
David B. Leslie returned this week from Glasgow, Ky., where he participated in the cable checker tournament and where he has received during a match.

LAST OF SEASON'S IN BLUE  
Miss Phyllis Wilson, of Paintsville, returned here Sunday.

# Woman's Club Holds Annual Christmas Party

Mrs. Edward Leslie was hostess to the Prestonsburg Woman's Club annual Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 3.

Mrs. P. S. Collins, vice-president, presided over a short business session. She led the club in the salute to the flag. Mrs. George Ford then read the club collection. Mrs. Zella Archer, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read. Each member presented toward a fund to purchase cigarettes to be sent to service men in hospitals. It was decided that the club would have a shower for the Save the Children Federation at the January meeting.

Following the business portion of the meeting, Mrs. H. L. Lay, program chairman, presented Mrs. Cora Cook, who gave a very impressive reading, "The Black Madonna."

Mrs. Keith Barts led the club in a series of Christmas games with prizes going to Mrs. Cora Cook and Mrs. Val Strahan.

The club enjoyed a carol service by the Prestonsburg high school band, led by Mr. Keith Barts. The band gave a selection of Christmas carols from the lawn of the Leslie home.

After the exchange of gifts, Mrs. Leslie, assisted by Mrs. H. O. Salisbury, Jr., Mrs. Tom Jones, Mrs. C. P. Stephens, and Mrs. Mark Reed, served refreshments to Mesdames: Cora Cook, Keith Barts, Val Strahan, Winnie Jones, Edward May, Gwynn Ford, Lida Spradlin, Nest May, Wall Hamilton, Byron Nunneley, John Allen, E. R. Bueck, Zella Archer, H. L. Lay, James Donohoe, Grover Lowe, Raymond Strake, Robert Sisk, Wm. Pettrey, A. C. Hart, J. D. Mayo, Thomas Thompson, R. D. Francis, J. E. Korman, Wm. Bunting, Marian Wilson, French Combs, and Miss Alice Harris.

LOST—Male Boxer Dog—in vicinity of Prestonsburg, 13 months old. Answer to name Bongo. Contact Dr. Simpson, Phone 301 or 302, 12-17-54.

# Junior Woman's Club To Fill Christmas Baskets

Mrs. John G. Heintz was hostess to the Junior Woman's Club Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen, of Friend Street.

Mrs. Heintz, president of the club, presided at the business session. The club will fill baskets for the needy at Christmas, and gave \$5.00 to the Floyd County Tuberculosis Relief campaign.

Holiday decorations were used throughout the room. Mrs. Chalmers H. Prater and her David Tacklers provided the music program. Members present were Mesdames: Adrian Blackburn, H. C. Francis, J. C. Willis Sparks, John Harris, Roberta Hubbard, Misses Burdett Gearheart, Barbara Jean May, Marion Salisbury, Charlotte Salisbury, and Mary Catherine Hunsinger.

Mrs. Herbert L. Lay, sponsor for senior Women's Club, was present.

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## 100 BUSINESS FIRMS LISTED

**As Operating in Floyd, 1931; Those Employed Total of 2,400 Workers.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Figures now being released by two federal agencies, based on employment 122 reports, show a total of 408 commercial enterprises, 90 per cent of them "small businesses," to be operating in Floyd county.

Of this number, 201 have three employees or less. Those establishments with four to seven workers each number 51 and those with from eight to 19 employ add up to 76. The remainder are larger companies—oil and gas firms.

The 408 companies with more than 20 workers each give the county a total percentage of "big business" more than is general in the United States as a whole, which is 9 per cent.

The tabulations, by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare and by the Department of Commerce, are from the "Report made for the first quarter of 1931" under the Old Age and Survivors Insurance program.

The survey shows the typical American urge of people to strike out to be their own bosses, some to pioneer with a new idea, some to build on established firms in a conventional field and others to build them up. Only about a fourth of them last more than five years.

Many of the others will try again. Floyd county has only the benefits of this healthy desire on the part of its own people and has provided ample opportunity for local development. Its 408 firms are engaged in eight businesses for every 1,000 residents. Not included are one-man establishments.

The local firms covered by the survey provide at the time under study employment for 7,461 people. Those on public payrolls and other workers not within the scope of the social security program at the time are excluded.

"This employment figure, reflecting the 1931 situation, was discovered within the last two years."

## 'Dare' Shooting of Girl Ruled Murder at Louisa; Coroner Issues Warrant

LOUISA, Ky. — A coroner's jury after hearing three versions of the killing of Susie Mae Edwards, ruled today that she had been murdered.

Cotner L. Boyon Young immediately issued a juvenile warrant for the 14-year-old girl's nephew, Walter Lowe, also 14. He was held in County Jail without bond.

Acting Edwards, Lowe's grandfather and Susie Mae's father, L. B. Charles, 18, her father, and young Lowe were witnesses.

Susie Mae's head was almost blown away by a shotgun blast yesterday in the front yard of her home at nearby Upton, Ky.

Young Lowe, a parolee from the Ohio Boys Industrial School, went to the home of Richard Solgers on Thomas Creek 12 miles south in Johnson County, where he was arrested several hours later.

Jelous, said Edwards was the motive for the slaying. He said young Charles "had been" courting Susie Mae and Walter was jealous.

Susie Mae had told her mother that Walter had been trying to "beat the other boys' line," Edwards said.

He said the two boys had wrestled yesterday and Susie Mae told Walter that George, her older brother, would get him. The shooting followed, said Upton.

A dare, Charles said, caused the shooting.

"Susie Mae didn't want Walter and me to go hunting," he said, "and we argued she turned to Walter and said, 'I dare you to shoot me.' He did."

"Walter grabbed his stomach and said he didn't know the gun was loaded."

Young Lowe, said it was all an accident.

He said he was going hunting and put the shotgun over his shoulder. It went off, he said, after killed Susie Mae.

## Paintville Whips Black Cats, 68-47

Paintville's Charley Hall tipped in 17 points as Paintville trounced Paintsburg at Paintville Tuesday night.

Paintville jumped off to a 10-11 first quarter lead and held it throughout. The Tigers were never pressed except for a 17 point outburst by the Cats in the final stanza.

Following Hall for the "Winners" was Ben J. Spradlin with 13 for the losers.

Freebourns — Pee, Paintville Caldwell (13) P Ratliff (8) Osley (6) P Spradlin (14) Woods (11) C Pruitt (10) Hughes (10) G Hall (17) Lafferty (3) G Williams (3) Suba—Paintville—Houston 2, Hall 2, Willis 5, Kennard 2.

Freebourns — Burchett 4, R. Coble 2, C. Goble 4.

Paintville — 19 13 15 56 Paintsburg — 11 9 10 37

WALLPAPER ISSUE ONE FOR THE BOOK

"Paintville" who figure they have newspaper votes ought to take a look at a copy of the Vicksburg (Miss.) Daily Citizen. It's printed on the back of wallpaper.

On display at the offices of the Hillboro Area here, the paper takes the story. The banner of the Union, State of Vicksburg, Gen. Grant has caught the rabbit. He has dined in Vicksburg and he did bring his dinner with him. The citizens lives to see it. For the last time it appears on wallpaper.

The issue is dated July 2, 1863.

Floyd county's soil conservation program is rapidly advancing.

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## Associations Dating from Baseball Days Being Basis Combs, Chandler, Local Man Together in Insurance Field Combination

Associations formed when they were connected with baseball have carried on into business for three generations in a marked sort of way.

Now out of baseball, the three—Rube Combs, New York Yankee all-time great, Ben Chandler, 23, Newport, was guest-speaker at the Kiwanis Club meeting, Thursday night.

He told of his mountain origins—he is a native of Oswego county—and of his pleasure in returning to this section.

Retiring last spring as third base coach for the Boston Red Sox, Combs this year was out of baseball for the first time in 22 years. He played in 11 World Series with the Yankees, has a lifetime batting average of .298—he never batted below .300 in any season—and is now under consideration for a niche in the Cooperstown, N. Y. Hall of Fame.

Mr. Chandler is vice-president of the Coastal States Life Insurance Company, Combs & Co. with Shirley Ferguson, Lexington, co-manager of the company and Wedington is a company representative.

ENTERTAINS MARTIN WMS

Mrs. Don Prater entertained the W.M.S. ladies at her home in Martinsburg December 8.

Mrs. Mearl Wadley, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist Church at Martin, opened the meeting with prayer.

The program was under the direction of Mrs. Vernon Ratliff, the principal theme of the program being "A Spiritual World, A Sufficient Savior." The program also stressed "The Gift of God's Love." Scripture readings were given by Barbara Ratliff, Beatrice Webb, Mrs. Don Prater and Mrs. Clarence W. King.

After the meeting closed, refreshments were enjoyed by Mrs. Mearl Wadley, Mrs. J. R. Beldridge, Mrs. Sam E. King, Mrs. Clarence W. King, Mrs. James Worley, Mrs. John W. Hall, Miss Geraldine Allen, Miss Barbara Ratliff, Miss Beatrice Webb and Miss Audelle Hall.

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## Butcher Gets 35, Pikeville Wins

John Lee Butcher hit for 35 points in Pikeville's 47-35 rout of Wheelwright Tuesday night at Pikeville.

Wheelwright held a first period one point edge but Butcher got hot and pulled the Pikeville quintet ahead to stay. Four Pikeville men hit for double figures, all over ten.

Butcher got 22 of his 35 points in the second half. Homer Osborne was the lower's only threat as he got 20 points.

Pikeville — For Wheelwright Butcher (35) P. Curry (4) Olliam (19) P. Thomas (6) Ellis (12) C. O. Goble (5) G. Jung (3) G. Osborne (20) Justice (2)

Suba—Pikeville—Grote 3, Deskins 3, Wheelwright—C Hall 3, Newsome 8, Newsome 2, J. Hall 3.

Pikeville — 22 11 22 35-47 Wheelwright — 10 18 18 36-42

FIVE HALL IN KOREA

20 LAY KOREA — Pvt. Roy Hall, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, Gretna, Ky., recently arrived in Korea for duty with the 2d Infantry Division.

The "Indianhead" division, which captured Heartbreak Ridge and Old Baldy, is now undergoing intensive post-train training.

Private Hall, whose wife, Delores, lives in Ligon, entered the Army last June and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

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## Gift of Concomobile Planned By Auxiliary

A new station wagon is the Christmas present of the Woman's Auxiliary, Kentucky State Medical Association, to the Kentucky Chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Keys to the vehicle were given by Mrs. Clyde C. Sparks, Ashland, Auxiliary president, to J. F. Farnham, M.D., Lexington, president of the Kentucky Cancer Society, December 17, in a special ceremony in front of the state headquarters office in Louisville. J. Duffy was chairman of the fund raising committee.

Money for the new station wagon was contributed by the 24 local auxiliary groups throughout the state. Mrs. Malcolm Barnes, Louisville, was chairman of the fund raising committee.

This is the second station wagon the Kentucky physicians wives have given to the cancer group. The vehicle is used to transport attaches of the concomobile that operates over the state.

Decorated with typical Yuletide trimmings, the station wagon was delivered to the cancer group in the presence of officials representing the auxiliary, the Kentucky State Medical Association and the Kentucky Cancer Society.

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DEMOCRATIC CLUB MEETS  
"The Boys' County" Democratic Club met Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Hayes. Purpose of the meeting was to prepare for a membership drive. Dr. R. A. Moore, president of the club, said.

UNION NATIONALS, N. Y.—A UN staff streamlining scheme abolishing the offices of state assistant secretary, assistant and night about one million dollars in the past year was proposed in the General Assembly by Secretary Dag Hammarskjöld.

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## CHRISTMAS DANCE AT MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL GYM FRIDAY, DEC. 25

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- Blackall Jewelry
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- Allegator Belts
- Becky Bibles
- Arrow Underwear
- Stylin-Mia Robes
- Purling Nylon Suspenders
- Crown Jackets
- Becky Hats
- Stylin-Mia
- Sport Shirts
- Wilson Bros. Ties
- Colgate, Hygiene, Razors
- Stylin-Mia Cuffs
- Bolton Pajamas

### WOMEN

- Arwyn Feltown Robes
- Tamara pajamas
- K & E Dresses
- Bradley Sweaters
- Fantle Nylon gowns and slippers
- Deputy Perkins Corsets
- Cone Jewelry
- Glenzie Neckties
- Ship 'n' Shore Blouses
- Robe and Pajama Sets
- Mary Gray Blouses
- Throthy Korky Blouses
- Lamie, Jr. Coats
- Suede Jackets
- Leather Jackets
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### Bookmobiles May Start With 25 Units July 1; Delivery May Be Slow

The new Kentucky Bookmobiles may go on the road 25 at a time beginning July 1, rather than all 100 at once, according to a discussion of the project this week in Louisville.

Mrs. Mila Hughes, secretary and director of the North Carolina Library Commission, said that it takes time to outfit the vehicles as bookmobiles. This delivery of the finished trucks may be slow, she warned, and perhaps all 100 would not be ready at once.

Paul Hughes, member of the Kentucky Bookmobile Project's executive committee, said it might be an advantage to begin operations with only 25 of the trucks.

The trials and errors encountered by that group would show how to better use the other 75 Bookmobiles, he reasoned.

Mrs. Hughes commented that the Kentucky project consists of three-quarter-ton trucks, rather than smaller ones. She said they are superior to the panel trucks sometimes used.

Miss Janice S. Kee, executive secretary of the public-library division, American Library Association, Chicago, said she considered the Kentucky project an outstanding achievement. She said the tremendous obstacle of transportation has already been partially solved.

Hughes said \$400,000 should be sought from the Kentucky Legislature for the purchase of books, the supplementing of local operating funds, and administrative costs.

Miss Kee said that when she worked with similar projects in Missouri, legislators welcomed bookmobiles in their home counties, as did the citizens.

The problem of how to serve a county that is financially poor and sparsely settled was also discussed. "In many states the problem is solved by having regional bookmobiles, which serve several of the low-population counties."

The chairman also agreed that the bookmobiles should serve white and Negro readers on an equal basis.

### State's Finances Get Serious Consideration As New Budget Studied

FRANKFORT, Ky.,—Some 1954-1955 State-budget problems were discussed by Governor Wetherby and his top fiscal advisers today.

He met with Finance Commissioner Clifford R. Barnes and Budget Director L. Felix Joyner during the morning.

Barnes described the session as another of a series of meetings preliminary to drafting a budget to be presented to the Legislature for consideration. The Assembly will convene January 5.

Barnes and the Governor's office said similar meetings would be going on right up until shortly before the session.

The State Property and Buildings Commission met this afternoon in the Governor's office. Barnes and Revenue Commissioner Robert H. Alpin, among the commission members, stayed on afterward to confer with Wetherby.

Officials have said the general operating fund budget would need \$10,000,000 next fiscal year to carry on services and programs in effect.

This total and various items making it up are being reviewed by Wetherby, Barnes, Joyner and others. An estimate on anticipated revenue for the next two fiscal years is expected soon from the Revenue Department.

The department gave a tentative estimate last month the income would be \$72,000,000 to \$74,000,000 for the year starting next July 1.

The Governor has declined to discuss any possible tax increases or other items of expense except \$1,000,000 more allowed by the court in effecting a settlement with him on the claim by the court that the official owes the county for excess fees collected. It was directed that the matter be closed upon payment of this amount, but the court order did not disclose if the settlement had been accepted by Mr. Moore.

The order directing a suit to be filed against ex-Clerk Jarvis Allen asked that \$7,625.04 be recovered from him. It reaffirmed a previous order. Monday's action, as recorded, stated Allen was informed of the action to be taken and that he refused he was busy and could not attend the meeting.

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**AT BANK JOSEPHINE FORMAL OPENING**, during which the public inspected results of \$100,000 modernization work, are here shown (left right) foreground Joseph D. Harkins, Sr., chairman of the bank's board of directors, and A. G. Stone, Charleston, W. Va., attorney. Others in the photo, from left, are Walter S. Harkins, Jr., Prestonsburg; J. E. McDavid, president, National Bank of Commerce, Charleston, W. Va.; George Broghamer, assistant vice-president, First National Bank, Cincinnati, O.; Dr. George P. Archer, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Hey B. Browning, Ashland; Mrs. John R. Clarke, St. Albans, W. Va., in background, center, are H. B. Patrick, Prestonsburg, and W. O. Chatterton, special assistant U. S. district attorney.

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had most of their permanent teeth. This is encouraging news," said Dr. Owens, because, "we originally thought that fluoridated water would not decrease decay in youngsters who had already formed permanent teeth."

Reports are confirming that benefits received in childhood from fluoridated water throughout life. Dr. Owens added. The price of two fillings will pay for a person's lifetime share of fluoridation, or costs no more than two candy bars per person per year.

Plans and approval of community fluoridation may be obtained from the Division of Dental Health and Public Health Engineering, Kentucky State Department of Health.

**Harvey M. Shannon, 79, Succumbs at Drift Home; Was Lawrence-Co. Native**

Harvey Moore Shannon, 79, died at the home last Monday at 11 p. m. Cancer was given as the cause of death. He was a retired miner. He was a son of the late Harry and Eliza Ballard Shannon, natives of Lawrence county, and was married to Molly Carmichael in 1897. She preceded him in death in 1953.

Surviving sons and daughters are Denver Shannon, Martin, Lee, Ted and Jeff Shannon, Drift; Bill Shannon, Hampton, Va.; Mrs. Irene Cox, Georges Creek; Mrs. Sime Tracy, Drift; Mrs. Myrtle Lou Bellamy, Weathersburg; Mrs. Sallie Hall, Detroit, Mich.; and Mrs. Emma, Pacific, Mo. Burial followed in the Drift cemetery under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

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### Melvin Compton, Lancer, Dies in Pburg Hospital; Was Native of Pike Co.

Melvin Compton, 72, Lancer, died Monday in the Prestonsburg General hospital of a heart ailment. He was a son of John and Phoebe Griffith Compton, natives of Pike County. His wife preceded him in death sometime ago.

One son, Dewey Compton, Pikeville, survives as do two daughters, Mrs. Nellie Justice, and Mrs. Louise Brewer, Pikeville. Brothers and sisters surviving are B. M. Compton, Lancer; Charles James, Joseph, Bill and Kearney Compton, Pikeville; Mrs. Rose Diamond, Columbus, Ohio; and Mrs. Martin Dye, Pikeville.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the home of B. M. Compton, and burial was under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS**

Your 1953 Prestonsburg grade school taxes are now due. On unpaid taxes, 2% penalty will be added Jan. 1, and on and after Feb. 1, 5% penalty will be added.

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**TOGETO** — American Boy Scout H. Dean expressed confidence that South Korea will not take independent action to unite the country by the end of January as threatened by Foreign Minister Pyun Yung Tai.

### STRAND THEATRE

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**THURS-FRI—**  
"Man from Powder River,"  
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**SATURDAY—**  
3 PICTURES FOR THE  
PRICE OF 1—  
"Under Nevada Skies,"  
Roy Rogers and Trigger

"Midnight Melody"  
William Marshall, Helen Walker

"Calling Dr. Death,"  
Log Chaney

**SUN-MON—**  
"The Charge at White  
Feather"  
(Big Super-Western)  
Guy Madison, Frank Lovejoy,  
Helen Westcott  
In Warner Bros. Color

**TUES-WED—**  
"So This Is Love,"  
Kathryn Grayson  
(In Color)

**THURS-FRI, DEC. 23-25—**  
Warner Bros. Musical  
in Technicolor  
"Band Wagon,"  
with Fred Astaire, Cyd Charisse,  
Oscar Levinsky and Natalie

### Mrs. Thora B. Stratton Dies in Martin Hospital; Funeral Rites Await Son

Death of Mrs. Thora B. Stratton, 46, Mare Creek, called two sons from foreign service, with the U. S. Army this week. Quaker, Stratton, arrived from Germany Tuesday morning. Arthur D. is expected today. Thursday from England. Both flew the Atlantic in an army plane.

Mrs. Stratton, who succumbed to complications following surgery, died at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, at 12:30 a. m. last Friday. She was a daughter of Dick and Leona Brewer of Broad Bottom, Pike county, and was married to Derrell Stratton who survives. Her mother preceded her in death sometime ago.

Surviving besides her father and the sons in service are the following sons and daughters: Jimmy, home; Mrs. Billy Thompson, Detroit; Polly and Bonnie Mae, at home. Surviving brothers and sisters are Mrs. Mary McKinney, Anna, Mrs. Marie Ham, Chicago; Mrs. Paul Robinson, Broad Bottom; Mrs. Hartley King, Detroit; Forest Brewer, Wayland; and James Brewer, Denver, Ky.

Funeral rites were tentatively scheduled to be held today, 2 p. m., at the Freewill Baptist church at Layton, Rev. Carl Layne and Carl Senter officiating. Burial will follow in the R. P. Stratton cemetery at Mare Creek under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

W. J. May, Treasurer, Floyd County, Ky.

NOTICE TO WARRANTHOLDERS

Floyd Fiscal Court warrants No. 25880 to 25882 hereby called for payment; interest on same ceased Dec. 21, 1953.

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### Lowman Plans To Seek Study of Tax Problems

ASHLAND, Ky. — State Representative Harry King Lowman, Ashland, said last night he plans to introduce a resolution at the next General Assembly for a nonpartisan commission to study the State's tax problems.

The commission would report its recommendations to the 1958 Assembly, he added. Lowman appeared at a forum at Ashland, High School, to discuss proposed legislation for education in Kentucky. The forum was sponsored by the Ashland League of Women Voters.

Asked about a possible State sales tax, Lowman said he was committed against enactment of the during the coming session. He added that the "only way" the State could raise sales tax as acceptable would be in conjunction with an income tax in a modified form.

Others in the panel were Roy Smith, Ashland school superintendent, and Floyd Hall, Boyd County school superintendent. They told of the pressing needs of the schools and called for enactment of legislation to finance the proposed minimum-fundation program.

Smith said that for this program to be effective the school fund must have an additional \$12,000,000.

### STATE FIRE SCHOOL

Plans for the 1954 Kentucky Fire School were announced this week at the University of Kentucky following a meeting of the Planning Committee for the coming event. Dates for the 1954 training affair, sponsored each year by the University through the Department of Extension, will be June 8 and 9 and 10. Co-operating with the University in its staging will be the state fire marshal, Kentucky Firemen's Association, Kentucky Municipal League, Lexington Fire Department, Division of Vocational Education, Kentucky Industrial Fire Protection Council, and the Kentucky Inspection Bureau.

Russell Francis, fire chief of Glasgow and president of the Kentucky Firemen's Association, was selected as chairman of the 1954 school.

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**FRIDAY, 7 p.m.—**  
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**SATURDAY, 7 p.m.—**  
"The Moonlighter,"  
Barbara Stanwyck,  
Fred MacMurray

**"Stage to Tucson,"**  
Rudolph Valentino, Wayne Morris

**SUNDAY 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.—**  
"The Charge at Feather River,"  
Guy Madison, Frank Lovejoy

**TUESDAY—**  
"FAMILY NIGHT, 8:00"  
"Two-Fisted Sheriff,"  
Chris Sharrett

**"Donovan's Brain,"**  
John Archer, Hillary Brooke

**WEDNESDAY—**  
All Starts 8:00—  
"Man From The Alamo,"  
(Over Fred John Adams)

**FRIDAY, DEC. 25—**  
"A Lion Is In The Streets,"  
James Cagney, Barbara Hale

### AEC STUDIES PLANT SITE

Assurances Are Given  
That Kentucky Sites  
Are Being Considered

Atomic Energy Commission officials said last week that they are giving full consideration to Kentucky sites for a proposed industrial nuclear power plant to be constructed by the Commission.

Assurances that Kentucky sites are under study was given by Walter J. Williams, acting general manager of the Atomic Energy Commission, at a meeting held in Washington Friday with representatives of the Agricultural and Industrial Development board of Kentucky. The meeting with Commission officials was arranged by Senator Clements.

Those in attendance were Harry LaViera, Louisville, AID board member, Joseph Taylor, Frankfort, executive director of the Board, and Phil Miller, Eminence, chief of the Maps and Minerals Division, AID Board, representing Governor Lawrence Weathers, and Frank Evenden, representing Senator Clements. Other Commission officials present were Chas. E. B. Rugh, U.S. deputy to Admiral Rickover, who will direct the construction of the plant, and Lawrence H. Hafstad, director of the Reactor Development Division, AEC.

In discussing the interest of the AID Board in the location of the plant, Mr. LaViera pointed out to AEC officials that the Governor did not request the meeting for the purpose of recommending any particular site in Kentucky but rather to emphasize the many advantages to the AEC if the plant is located in Kentucky to offer the full cooperation of the State and its departments in the AEC.

In reply Mr. Williams briefly discussed the criteria that must be considered by AEC in coming to its decision, stating that there are many special factors which apply to the problem of locating a project of the type suggested. Namely, by Mr. Williams were the question of disposal of intermittent power in large amounts, the proximity to supporting technical facilities, the policy of purchase of additional government land and the general questions of water supply, transportation and other factors affecting costs.

In commenting following the meeting, Mr. Taylor said that he felt they could take back an encouraging report to Governor Weathers, that although the AEC has apparently made no decision as to date, he felt the possibility of Kentucky is still very much in the running as a choice for the site location. He also said that Williams advised that the Commission has invited interested industrial and utility groups to participate in the project, remarking that the extent and nature of this participation will obviously be a factor in selecting a location. Taylor also said that Williams indicated it would be several months before any final decision would be announced by AEC.

The Agricultural and Industrial Development Board is an official agency of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, composed of nine leaders of business, labor, agriculture and education, appointed by the Governor and serving without compensation. The board is charged with the responsibility of developing agriculture and industry in the entire state.

### STATE RECIPROCAL LAW Under Fire by Railways

FRANKFORT, Ky. — Motor Transportation Commissioner John M. Kinnard offered to advise the 1954 Legislature of his experience in administering Kentucky's Motor Vehicle Reciprocity Law and its effect of reciprocity in Kentucky.

Under the law, Kentucky has agreements with 34 states that eliminate multiple licensing of trucks and other interstate vehicles. An attack on the law by the Kentucky Railroad Association has been sent in book form to members of the General Assembly, which will convene here January 5. The railroad call for repeal of the law.

It is not yet possible at this juncture to either retain or repeal the provisions of the law dealing with, trucks, reciprocity since this matter primarily addresses itself to the question of the General Assembly's "Kinnard" said.

"It might be well to observe that the statutes of Kentucky dealing with motor-vehicle reciprocity include passenger automobiles as well as trucks," he added.

Kinnard was asked to comment on the railroad association's attack on the law.

### CIRCULATION INCREASES FOR TWO STATE PAPERS

Combined circulation of the Evansville Herald and the Breckinridge News has passed the 3,000 mark, Publisher George M. Wilson announced this week. Advertisers for both papers now have "complete coverage" of the county, says a page-one story, since it is estimated each paper has an average of five readers and the population of the county is about 15,000.

### MARTIN THEATRE

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**"Royal African Rifles"**  
Lola Layton, Virginia Horne

**SATURDAY—**  
"Paris Model,"  
Marjorie Maxwell,  
Pauline Goddard,  
Robert Hutton

**"The Actress"**  
Spencer Tracy, Teresa Wright

**LATE SHOW—**  
"Paris Model,"  
Marjorie Maxwell, Robert Hutton

**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"I, The Jury" (3D)  
4-4thman  
Wild Bill Elliott, Preston Postley,  
Peggy Castle,  
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**TUESDAY—**  
"Prisoners of the Casbah,"  
In Technicolor  
Gloria Grahame, Cesar Romero,  
Turan Bey

**"A Blueprint for Murder,"**  
Joseph Cotton, Jean Peters,  
Gary Merrill

**WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—**  
"Stag 17,"  
William Holden, Doree Taylor,  
Otis Prentiss

**DEC. 25th—**  
"The Caddy,"  
Dean Jagger, Jerry Lewis  
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### Montgomery TV PERMIT IS ASKED

WASHINGTON—West Virginia Television Corp. today applied to the Communications Commission for a Channel 2 television station at Montgomery, W. Va.

It also joined in previous applications asking that channel 2 be assigned to Montgomery, now without a TV channel allocation.

The original petitions were filed by Fayette Associates, radio station WJLT, Montgomery, and Cincinnati City Broadcasting Co., WMPY Charleston, which jointly owned West Virginia Television Corp.

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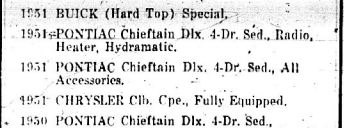
### Pike Man Sentenced For Murder of Woman

PIKEVILLE, Ky. — Shirley Davis, 40, of Buddy, was sentenced to life in prison last week after conviction of the wilful murder of Anne Mae Johnson, 40, August 14. The woman was identified as the "lost" or "daddy" common-law wife. She was stabbed with a pocket knife during an argument while the two were drinking at their home in Buddy.

The woman was examined by Dr. W. J. Smith, Belfry, after the stabbing. Dr. Smith testified the wound appeared to be superficial and he treated and released her. She died shortly thereafter.

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## LOCAL OPTION REPEAL, AIM

**Of Temperance League;  
Legislation to be Sought  
On Billboard Advertising**

Repeal of Kentucky's 1948 local-option amendment will be a major aim of dry forces at the 1954 General Assembly.

Representatives of the Temperance League of Kentucky planned an onslaught on the act at a meeting in Frankfort, Tuesday. Present law permits cities of the first four classes to vote separately from their counties on local option.

Before the 1948 act, if a county were legally dry, a liquor election could be called on a county-wide basis. If a county were wet, any district or precinct in it could call for a separate election and vote that area dry.

The 1948 General Assembly changed the historic local-option law after a hot legislative fight.

The Rev. Walter C. House, Louisville, executive director of the league who presided, said the organization was having a bill drawn up to change the 1948 amendment. He said this bill and others would be ready when the Assembly convenes January 5.

The league agreed to support legislation reauthorized by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission to provide for rehabilitation of alcoholics. However, Mr. House said, the league favors legislation to prevent alcoholism more than a bill to remedy it, but doesn't now plan separate legislation on it.

Other bills to be sponsored by the league would:

Prohibit billboard advertising of alcoholic beverages in dry territories.

Classify as contraband all gambling equipment, such as slot machines, with possession of the devices considered evidence of their use in gambling. The league believes this would abate long coasting gambling over possession of such machines seized by law officers.

Make drunkometer tests for drivers facing traffic charges mandatory and provide for stricter penalties on drinking, or drunken drivers.

**Former Floyd-Co. Teacher  
Dies in Martin Hospital;  
Burial in Hall Cemetery**

Joe Grant Hall, 60, former Floyd teacher and well-known McDowell resident, died late last Wednesday at Our Lady of the Way hospital, Martin, a victim of heart disease. Mr. Hall, who had been in failing health for the last three years, had entered the hospital a week before his death.

He was a son of the late John Ant and Artie Sizemore Hall, and was widely related in the Left Beaver Creek section. Surviving him are four brothers and four sisters, Willie and Langley Hall and Mrs. Virgie Hopkins, all of McDowell; Mrs. Maggie Hopkins and George Hall, both of Minnie, Mrs. Fannie Collins, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Rose Turner, Ellettsville, Blaine and Ed Hall, both of Portsmouth, O.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at 10 a. m. from the auditorium of McDowell high school by the Rev. Luther Conn, Mitchell Chaffins, Troy Nickles and McKinley Moore. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

PITTSBURGH — Judge Henry Ellensbom ordered the Pittsburgh Jewish Cultural Center to show cause why its charter should not be revoked on charges it is Communist. The petition charged that the center had "been used as rendezvous and meeting place for Communist functionaries and for the conduct of Communist events."

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## PASSENGER TRAIN HELD UP

TAMPA, Fla. — A passenger train was held up 30 minutes while crews removed a pony wedged in a trestle across the Hillsborough River.

Four boys had stolen the pony. They tried to ride the pony across the trestle but the animal got its hooves wedged between cross ties. Frightened, the boys left the animal stalled at a house nearby and asked that the sheriff's office be called. The sheriff's office notified the Seaboard Air Lines just in time to stop the Silver Meteor.

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## NUDIST CAMP

FAVETTEVILLE, Ark. — An unemployed Fort Smith auto mechanic said he is the leader of a northwest Arkansas nudist group, and that he sees nothing wrong with the method of pursuing better health. Both Preston A. Dunn, who said he owns the land on which the nudist colony is situated, and Dr. Emory Sawyer, Fort Smith radio preacher who wants the camp closed, testified at a three-hour hearing.

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## BARE DIES

Bredie Lenn Pannin, five months old son of Bert and Lena Ose Pannin of Honaker, died Thursday last week at the Beaver Valley hospital. He is survived by his mother and four brothers at home. Funeral rites were conducted at the home, Rev. Olie Sammons officiating. Burial followed in Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

A total of 28 million pounds of popcorn was sold at Murray for an average of \$3.25 a hundred pounds.

NEW YORK — Philanthropist Edward J. Noble, chairman of the finance committee of the American Broadcasting — Paramount Theaters, Inc., announced that he has given an additional \$2,000,000 to a fund set up for the support of education, charities, hospitals and the needy. The new gift augments the already large endowment of the Edward John Noble foundation.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 15 — Julius LaRue, the singer fired by Arthur Godfrey, is suing to get a movie tryout.

NEW YORK — Former British Prime Minister Attlee said that if Communism had been availed in the UN "the Korean war might never have been started." The Labor party leader blamed U. S. opposition to the Peiping government's admission to the UN for rallying the Nationalist sentiment of the Chinese people around their Communist leaders.

PLASTIC AMMUNITION TESTED  
OSLO — The Norwegian Army is testing something new — plastic dummy ammunition.

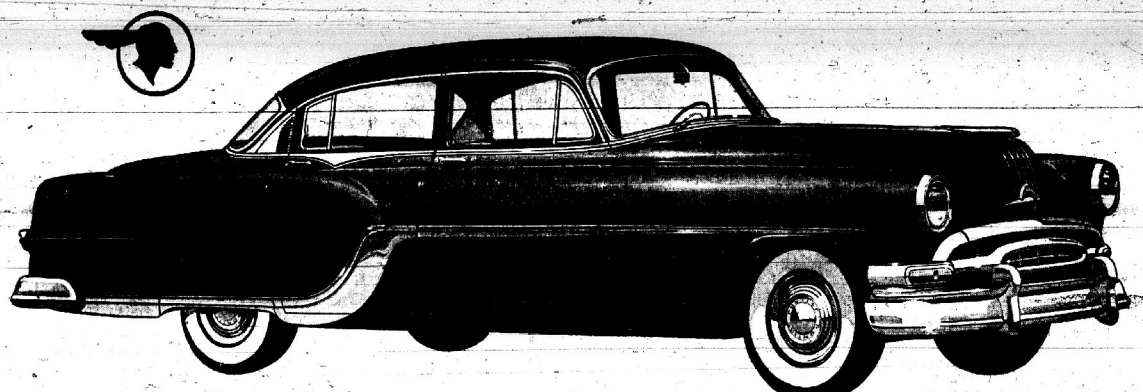
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The most prolific writer of best-sellers in modern times was credited to be Edgar Wallace, who died in 1932. Milk production in Galatin county has been only a little more than half as much as was produced last year.

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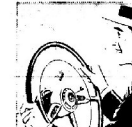
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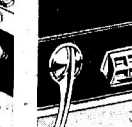
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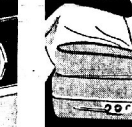
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**Boyd Poe, 68, Succumbs  
To Heart Attack Sunday;  
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Boyd Poe, 68, a native of Abbott-Cr., died Sunday at the time of his death. He had resided in Abbott-Cr. for the last three years. He was a son of Henry Poe, deceased. His wife, Lou Williams Poe, of Portsmouth, Ohio, survives.

Surviving sons and daughters are Columbus and Henry Poe, Abbott-Cr.; and George Poe, Springfield, Mo.; Mrs. Bruce Adams, Springfield, Mo.; and Mrs. Mary Rose, McGuffey, Ohio.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday at the Everett Baptist church at Bonanza with burial following in the Frazier cemetery at Mottle under the direction of Arnold Powers, Home.

**PRESTONSBURG METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, Pastor

Sunday, December 28

9:45 a. m. Church School.

10:45 a. m. Morning worship.

special music, sermon topic—"What Christmas Means to Me."

6:15 p. m. M. Y. F.

7:30 p. m. The Choir will present a Christmas Cantata under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Haywood.

Mrs. Chalmers Prentiss is the accompanist. The public is cordially invited.

Monday, 7:00 p. m. The Floyd County sub-district of the M. Y. F. will meet in the Prestonburg Methodist church.

The high school glee club will present a program of Christmas music.

Tuesday, 7:00 p. m., the Children's Division of the Church School will present their Christmas Program in the sanctuary.

The Christmas Tree with Santa Claus present will be in the basement immediately after the program.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. The M. Y. F. will have a panel discussion on "What Christmas Means to Young People." The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Hopkins County 4-H Association will have at least one director to help with club work in each of the 22 neighborhoods in the county.

**RAY R. ALLEN**

Public Accountant

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**And Now the Kentucky...**

Now it's the Kentucky River valley that is asking for navigation facilities through water impoundment.

Hard hit there, as in the Big Sandy, business men, including coal interests, are working toward a hearing in Congress on the feasibility of such improvements.

And who will be the marplot there? Will the L. & N. Railway be to the Kentucky what the G. & O. has been to the Big Sandy? Can the railway companies continue to convince, in one way or another, the U. S. Corps of Engineers and the Congress that water power and water navigation are not needed in these sections of the United States where life probably the nation's greatest and most secure production potential?

Some of the Kentucky's rocks and dams are still in operation, and these provide navigation — except in time of drought such as was experienced during the past summer and fall — as far upstream as Beattyville. The river thus is in use, is actually being used for the shipment of coal. This undertaking, incidentally, is being carried on mainly by a former Floyd county coal operator who saw the work of public-spirited citizens toward cancellation of the Big Sandy dam project as inimical to the future of the valley.

Elsewhere, wherever river navigation has been made possible, water traffic has mounted in volume till even the sternest foes cannot deny its worth. Whenever inland America is mentioned for industrial development, one requirement invariably is this, that the area under consideration have adequate waterpower.

The Big Sandy region, as well as the Kentucky, is an area as inaccessible to enemy attack as any on the American mainland. Its coal, gas and timber and its native brand of loyalty are of first importance in national emergency such as we shall — God forbid! — some day face. But to those who would hold in thrall their potentialities and in economic bondage their people these are sections to be denied their place in the sun within the lifetime of living Eastern Kentuckians and to be held in reserve till their resources are more sorely needed or till their development will satisfy the whims of strangers to these hills and the needs of the people.

We wish the Kentucky well. But we are not among those who are predicting an early victory over there.

**A Withholding Tax Is Not the Answer**

This plan of the Wetherby administration to have the General Assembly enact a state withholding tax law lacks appeal to us.

It appears to be an adroit bit of temporizing, of hedging in the face of a big issue and resorting to weak expediency.

In the first place, to call on the employers of the state to withhold for the Revenue Department the taxes workers owe, or will owe, is to admit the Department is not doing a good job now of collecting income taxes.

It has the personnel to do a good job. Moreover, the state has available at all times the record of federal income taxes paid by Kentuckians as an aid to its own collection job. If the state did not have these, a withholding law might be justified.

It is true, withholding next year, for instance, plus collections on 1958 incomes, would enrich the state treasury in 1954 with income tax collections for two years. But this would afford only a mere stopgap to declining revenues. The next year, the situation would revert to that of past years, except that some citizens who have not paid taxes through the Revenue Department's laxity might be located.

The Times feels certain that any new taxpayers found through withholding would not afford the revenues the state needs if it is to do the job it is expected — we should say, commanded — to do. Revenues are declining all along the way, and the income taxes picked up under this system would in all probability no more than compensate for losses otherwise suffered.

The people of Kentucky by an overwhelming vote for amendment of Section 186 of the state constitution in 1932, gave the Governor the power to call a minimum education program. That program, it must be remembered, in calling for a minimum — not a maximum — asks for a lot of things we do not now have and which will cost a lot of money.

Withholding by employers of state income taxes will not make money available for that herculean task, plus the work of carrying on all the other functions of government. The extra funds needed must be raised, if the voice of the people is to be heard and given satisfactory answer.

So why temporize, why stall the game out till the next term takes the field? Why not face the problem and meet it with an effective tax program?

A sales tax is the answer — if the administration is courageous enough to give answer.

WASHINGTON — Sen. McCarthy said he thinks President Eisenhower's proposal for a global pool of materials is an "excellent suggestion — provided it's coupled with international inspection."

LOSTON — Police said two Navy snipers of John D. Effner, 22, alleged convicted slayer of John P. Beard, 26, in his room in Boston a block away, will be held as material witnesses.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Mayor Clark uttered a strong statement when he said bootlegging had to cease. He might as well have decreed that the earth stop rotating.

Ever since the dawn of recorded history mankind has drunk alcoholic beverages in one form or another. When one is denied the privilege of buying it legally he will resort to anything. Bay rum, lilac, sage, vanilla, lemon and vanilla extract, rubbing alcohol, even kerosene, cannot beat — anything that bears a label of alcohol percentage.

Suppose local bootleggers are eliminated. This would, save out-of-town dealers the green light, and sellers would be numerous between here and Allen Roadhouses. Accidents would ensue. We would only be substituting the devil for the witch.

The most enlightened and intelligent way to do away with bootleggers is to eliminate the cause for drinking. This cannot be done by a G. O. P. police force, the clergy, or what have you.

Nations more far-seeing than ours realize that drinking is a disease and are doing something about it. We excel in the atom-thermoscientific field, but sadly we lag behind the socio-economic sciences.

Nine-tenths of excessive drinking is caused by mal-adjustment of the nervous system and emotionalism brought about by fears and uncertainties of the future. Like Sweden, we can do away with bootleggers by eliminating the causes in us — like Sweden — bend our energies to advance socially and economically relative to human progress and welfare.

Let's hope that some day all our people will be happy that in their journey from the cradle to the grave they will have no trouble getting down in the Denon Alcohol!

Glenn M. Clarke,  
24 N. Lake Drive.

**SAVE ENFORCEMENT IS SOLUTION**

The City Council and the Mayor are trying to restrict the parking of taxis in Prestonburg as a preventive against the illegal sale of whiskey.

As a citizen and taxpayer, I would like to make a few suggestions regarding this matter. In the first place, what difference does it make what street that taxis are parked as far as bootlegging is concerned?

If the City Council and Mayor desire to stop bootlegging, it is my opinion a solution to the problem is to enforce the law!

Henry A. Howard

**BRUSSELS — Belgian Foreign Minister Van Zeeland said his government "wholeheartedly supports" Eisenhower's atomic pool plan.**

**EDWARD B. LESLIE**

**DENTIST**

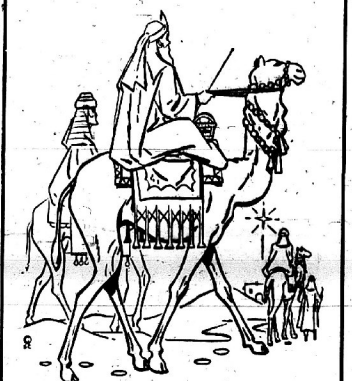
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The simple words with which St. Luke and St. Matthew tell of the first Christmas, appropriately provide the theme of this Christmas Coloring Contest. These Christmas Panels—with their reverent, inspiring scenes, reflect the true spiritual meaning of the Christmas season.



"When they heard the king, they departed; and so, the star which they saw in the east, went before them," according to St. Matthew.

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HERE ARE THE CONTEST RULES

- 1—This contest is open to all boys and girls 11 years of age or younger, except children of employees of this newspaper.
- 2—Color as many pictures as you wish, but only one prize will be given to each winner.
- 3—Print your name and address clearly in space provided and take as much your colored pictures to Hall Bros. Funeral Home. All entries must be submitted weekly.
- 4—Decision of judges is final. Finished pictures become the property of the sponsor, who reserves the right to publish the winning names.

**\$5.00 PRIZE EACH WEEK UNTIL CHRISTMAS**

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Judges: Floyd County Times Staff

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## WAYLAND

Mrs. L. B. Price's committee sponsored a luncheon at the Lackey-Carey's. Women's clubhouse in Wayland, Dec. 4. Twenty of the guests attended, making the project a financially successful affair.

A silver tea was given by the committee headed by Mrs. Price, December 12, at the clubhouse. The club members were decorated in the traditional Christmas spirit. The centerpiece for the serving table consisted of holly and poinsettia.

Mrs. S. M. Martin and Miss Thelma Daniels presided at the tea and coffee urn. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Jack Merrill of Huntington, W. Va., and the two hosts of Mrs. N. D. Howard.

Other guests were Mrs. Delbert Webb, Misses Joyce and Marianne Martin, Miss Mary Ellen Hatcher, Miss Joyce Terry and several club members.

Misses Marianne and Joyce Martin entertained with music appropriate to the Christmas season. Proceeds from these activities go to the building fund.

The following members comprise Mrs. Price's committee: Melvina Z. T. Spillman, Jo Webb Martin, R. P. Vinson, S. M. Martin, Otto Martin, Floyd Cooper, Irvin Mullins, Thomas Hatcher and Miss Thelma Daniels.

Considerable savings of Bellows were secured in Bullitt county for early spring pasture.

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## MARTIN

By BETTY FRYE

Mrs. Rose Lynch spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. George Lawrence, and niece, Barbara Lawrence, in Clayton, W. Va. Jimmy Skeans will enjoy his leave from duty with the Merchant Marines until March. He and his mother, Mrs. Mary Skeans, plan a vacation trip to Virginia to visit his father—Mrs. J. D. Hall.

Cpl. Harry Dean Justice is spending a 15-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Justice. Cpl. Justice is stationed in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. L. M. Hayes has returned to her home in New Castle, Ind., after spending two weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill, and family.

Mrs. Ann Hunter has returned to her home near Jackson, Ky., after spending several weeks here with Mrs. Mary Skowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt Walk of Dayton, Ohio, were the Tuesday night guests of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch.

Mrs. Nancy Roton and son, Edmund Barnett, Jimmy Skeans and Florence Crisp were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens of Bull Creek, where in Prestonsburg, Tuesday.

Rev. George W. Nebovine was a business visitor in Cincinnati, and Northern Kentucky, last week.

Rev. J. D. Payne has just returned from a few weeks' visit with his family in Wisconsin.

Mrs. P. C. Muriel Salter is spending part of his leave, here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus. P. C. Salter is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Ducky Beverly was the Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skeans. Mrs. Randall Smith will leave for Dayton, Ohio, this week to join her husband who has been employed there for some time.

Mrs. Set. Bill Taylor is spending a leave home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor. He has just returned from doing several months' duty in Korea.

Pauline Workman and Rose Lynch were business visitors in Huntington, this week. Miss Workman visited her brother at St. Mary hospital, who had been injured in a car wreck. Mrs. Lynch visited her father, George Lawrence, who was undergoing treatment in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham will leave this week for Gainesville, Ga., to get his sons, Bill and Dick, for Christmas vacation. They are students at a Military School there.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Conley were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble Taylor announce the birth of a daughter, PERCY ANN, born at Our Lady of the Way hospital. This is the young couple's second child, both girls.

Mrs. Bill Conley, who underwent an operation in Our Lady of the Way hospital recently, is recovering nicely.

Aaron Justice and W. S. Brantman were business visitors in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peters were shopping in Prestonsburg, Tuesday. Mrs. E. Rone is visiting friends at Saturday.

Miss Doris Ray Turner, of Pikeville College, visited her sister, Mrs. Thelma Likens, over the week-end. Mrs. W. S. Brantman spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. Marion Hale, of Betsy Layne.

Mrs. Joe Shively of East Point, visited her daughter, Mrs. James Crisp, during the past week.

Billy Hale, of Betsy Layne, and Madeline Prye visited Magdalene Brantman, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oiva Dingus entertained Bill Hale in their home on Saturday afternoon.

Bob May, of the Merchant Marine, visited friends in Martin, Thursday.

**STASSEN LEAVES**  
WASHINGTON — Foreign Operations Director Harold E. Stassen left Washington to attend international conferences in Turkey and France.

## Martin Masonic Group Holds Last Meet of '53; New Officers Installed

The Eastern Kentucky Scottish Rite club held its last meeting of the year Dec. 10 at Sea Cafe, Martin, Turkey with all the trimmings was on the menu and election of officers for next year was on the agenda. Elected were Jesse H. Sanders, president; Bill Petry, vice-president; Jay E. Bailing, 2nd vice-president and V. A. Hayes, secretary and treasurer.

The elected officers were installed by Past Grand Master, Dr. R. M. Sisk. Talks were made by Dr. Sisk, Rudolph Spencer, J. W. Hall, Rev. Ralph Hines and C. R. Marshall. Announcements were made of the Cold Sand ceremonial at Ashland, March 22, and of the Hot Sand ceremonial at Pikeville, May 15. The new president appointed committees on membership, sickness, publicity, program and arrangements.

The Sea Cafe was voted as the next meeting place of the club and April 15, was the date named.

Mr. Hayes, secretary, in reviewing the progress of the club stated that 11 new members, making a total of 107 in membership, were received this year. They are John Moore, Edward Music, Noble Hubbs, Richard Hall, J. W. Hall, Earl Martin, William Martin, Sr., Bert Porter, C. M. Bowers, O. C. Hayes and Rev. Ralph Hines.

Two members of the club have been recommended for the decoration of the Commander Court of Honor. They are Dr. Sisk and Rudolph Spencer. Another member of the Martin Masonic club is Past Grand Master John W. Hall who has been elected and installed as Grand Junior Warden in October of this year.

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## CELEBRATES 90th BIRTHDAY

MANHARTSET, N. Y. — Dr. John Wainwright, who began his teaching career 16 years ago and only retired completely last summer, celebrated his 90th birthday. The occasion was marked by a quiet family dinner at the home of his son, Frank, and by congratulatory letters and telegrams from all over the country.

## SANTA COMES

LEXINGTON, Ky. — Santa Claus came to Lexington for a festive opening of the Yuletide holidays. Santa flew in from the North Pole to find about 1,000 admirers, young and old alike, to greet him at Blue Grass Field. At Memorial Coliseum a throng of 7,000 cheered his appearance.

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## ARNOLD AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School—10:00 a. m.  
Tom Fields, superintendent.  
Morning worship—10:00 a. m.  
Lodges supper—Weekly.

Morning session, December 30—  
"When I think of Christmas."  
Evening session—7:00 p. m.—  
"Appointments with Jesus."

Prayer meeting—Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.  
December 23 — Pageant, "The Christmas Spirit" and recitations, poems and songs.

Morning Devotions — Saturday, Dec. 19—9:15 a. m.  
A friendly church in a friendly community cordially invites you to attend all services.

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## LEAVE FOR PARIS

WASHINGTON — The State Department said Secretary Dulles will leave today for Paris to attend the annual meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

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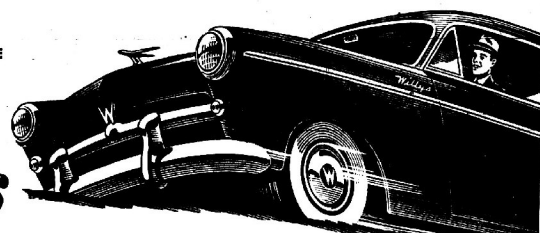
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**OBSCENE MATERIAL**  
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Wayne Ratliff, Principal  
Wheelwright Consolidated School  
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# Petrillo Asks Ike For Music Subsidy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 — James C. Petrillo called at the White House today to urge another lover of good music to come to the aid of little symphony orchestras.  
The head of the American Federation of Musicians appealed to President Eisenhower for federal subsidies to save serious music in the smaller cities. Petrillo told the President that otherwise they face extinction.  
Petrillo commented after his 15-minute visit: "It's an awfully nice man. He certainly listens."  
He also urged upon the President repeal of the 20 per cent federal amusement tax on hotel and night club entertainment.

# ALLEN

Tommy Charles Leven has been confined by illness to her home here the past two weeks. She returned to school this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sexton had as week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. William New and daughter, Brenda, of Louisville.  
Mrs. George Goodgrass spent the week-end with relatives in Ashland.  
W. A. Malone left Monday for Louisville to accompany his son, Billy, home from Kentucky Military Institute at Lexington. Billy will spend the holidays here.  
Mrs. Mollie Ison and son, Steve, of Mansfield, Ohio, are here for the Christmas holidays, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen.  
Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crisp and Mrs. G. L. Gray were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caudill, of Russell, spent the week-end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Caudill.  
Mrs. Julia Porter remains in serious condition at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hale.  
Miss Florence May left Sunday for Lexington. She has received medical treatment there recently and has returned for a check. She will spend the holidays there with friends.  
Paul Donald Baldrige, of Michigan, arrived here Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Baldrige.  
Henderson Osborne is ill at his home here.  
S. M. Tackett has resumed his duties as club clerk after a week's vacation.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp were business visitors in Pikeville last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodgrass and children, Charlotte and Ronnie, attended the basketball game of the Prestonsburg Black Cats and Pikeville in Pikeville, Tuesday night.  
Mrs. Milt Martin was in Prestonsburg Saturday night.  
G. L. Gray was a business visitor in Faintville, Friday afternoon.  
Terry Kinzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinzer, has been confined to his home several days with influenza.  
A film of the Christmas story will be shown in the Methodist Church, Sunday morning at the Sunday school hour. The W.S.C.S. will present a program Sunday night at 7 o'clock and the film will be shown then. There will be an exchange of gifts, and treats, Sunday morning. All are invited to attend.

NEW YORK — A special program in 1954 to reawaken interest in Bible reading and to supply who want them will be launched by 24 national Bible societies throughout the world.

# DRIFT

The youth members club met at the Turner-Eikhorn office building, Dec. 7, with Mrs. Claude Martin as hostess. Miss Catherine Reed announced that the club now has leaders for four Girl Scout troops: two at McDowell and two at Drift. The club voted to pay for guide books and record books for these troops. It was also announced that the Bible study class, which is sponsored by the Fine Arts Department, has been changed from Thursday to the second and fourth Wednesdays at 8 p.m. in the Turner-Eikhorn office building. Everybody is welcome. The president announced the Bloodmobile will be at Martin, Dec. 16, and members were asked to help secure donors. The Public Welfare committee reported the desire to help a family in desperate need, and Mrs. H. D. Hewitt, chairman, said she would visit club members' homes and pick up anything they had to donate. This will be the Christmas project for the club.  
The club voted to help Turner-Eikhorn Mining Co. fill Christmas baskets, as was done last year. All members who can should come to the Turner-Eikhorn office building, December 18, to help fill the baskets.  
It was voted to change Men's Night from Dec. 26 to Jan. 9. Miss Betty Turner and Paul Reed and Madames Dick Showers and Rex Ankrum will be in charge of the program.  
Mrs. Ward Reed was asked to look into the possibilities of getting a live Christmas tree planted in the ball park. The Spiritual Values Department has the program for the next meeting. It will be a Christmas tableau, featuring the children of members. There will also be a gift exchange among Secret Pals and guests. Secret Pals will be revealed and new ones drawn.  
Refreshments were served by Madames Dick Showers, Lloyd Shumbo, Ray Turner, Glen Ward, Reva Hobbs, and Miss Ruby Akers, Catherine Reed, Betty Turner, and Paul Reed.

HOFFMAN, Ill., Dec. 14 — A lone bandit held up the Farmers State Bank at Hoffman, Ill., shortly after it opened today and made off with an estimated \$14,000.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
James L. Miller, pastor  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
9:00 p.m. — Radio broadcast over WPKT  
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic Service  
Prayer Service — Tues. 7:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice — Fri. 7:00 p.m.  
Church has runs for Sunday services. Everyone welcome.

# Hunt Wins Dismissal From Larceny Charge

CANTONMENT, Ky., Dec. 13 — Albert Franklin Sumard, 26-year-old, W. Va., was given one-year prison sentence on each of two charges of storehouse breaking in Boyd circuit court today.  
Sumard entered guilty pleas to charges of breaking into Hunt's market and the Stag Bar in Catlettsburg.  
Other case dispositions were: Earl Griffith, Ashland, storehouse breaking, one year; Guy Pells, Ashland, assault and battery, acquitted by jury; and Bill Hunt, Prestonsburg, grand larceny, dismissed.  
Griffith pleaded guilty to the storehouse breaking for which he was indicted along with two other youths, Ronald Everman and Jim Roy. Their cases were continued. The robbery was at Barbour & Barbour's Market, Ashland.

BANGOR, Dec. 13 — Burma troops killed 15 Communist rebels near here after chasing them into the jungle.

**OLD LAW**  
England at one time enforced a law forbidding automobiles to speed more than four miles an hour and requiring that a man precede every power-driven vehicle waving a red flag.

**MASS.** — General Electric announced the resignation of three more Lynn Plant employees who invoked the Fifth Amendment in refusing to answer questions before a Congressional investigating committee in Boston.

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**Pioneer, O Pioneer!**  
By HUGH COLLETT  
Editor of Kentucky Businessman  
The following article which appeared in Kentucky Businessman is reprinted here, not as an expression of this newspaper's opinion, but as the perspective of a writer who views the Eastern Kentucky situation from a distance—Editor.

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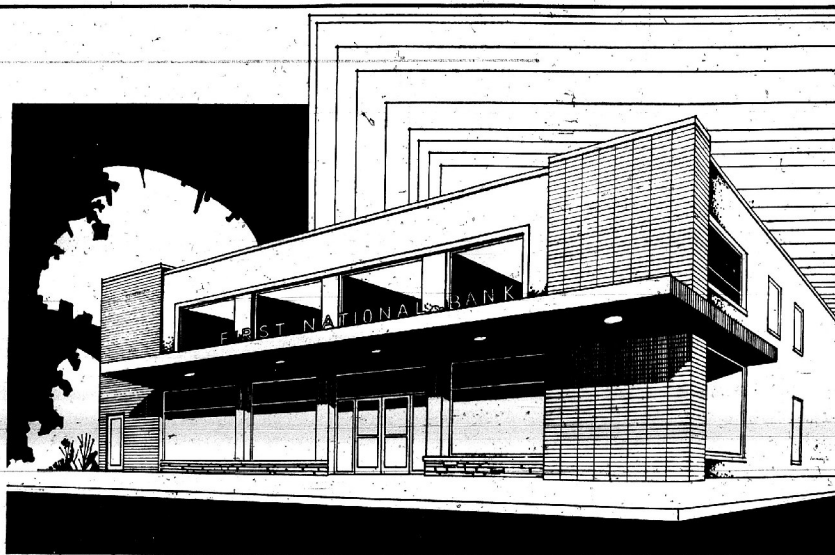
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## Floyd County Historical Notes

By HENRY P. SCALF

John Pierce Duval of Mason county, Kentucky, was one of the great landowners in Eastern Kentucky. He died, either in late December, 1892, or early January, 1893. His will, recorded in Mason county, is of interest to the historians as it shows land here. It is of general historical interest because it showed the vast landed baron the old pioneer had acquired. The original specimen is returned. It follows:

... the 8th day of January, 1893, I, John Pierce Duval, of Mason county and State of Kentucky, do hereby give and bequeath to my former wife the one third part of my estate as the law directs.

Second my just debts shall be paid and thirdly my will and desire is that my son Lewis shall have fourteen hundred acres of land in Harrison county and State of Virginia, a settlement known by the name of the Indian House on the west fork of the Monongalia, also a lot from Herkesh Davidson to Israel Brown for three hundred pounds to be paid in land, also I give and bequeath to John Sprigg four hundred acres of land, namely the land willed to Lewis Duval on the west fork of Monongalia, also I give and bequeath to my son also Lewis Duval three thousand seven hundred acres of land in Kenawha county and State of Virginia, and on Mud River part of four thousand two hundred and twenty acres also I give and bequeath to my grandson John Duval, son of Moley one negro boy by name of Simon, also I give and bequeath to my son Samuel Duval two thousand acres in Breckinridge County and State of Kentucky, one thousand acres of which is on Jewell Run and the other on Clover Lick Creek to include Basher Mill Seal, also five hundred acres of land in Jefferson county and State of Kentucky, two miles north of Manick part of the same tract, to my daughter Elmer (either twenty suitings also I give and bequeath to my daughter Betty Whiteaker, five hundred acres of land in Breckinridge county and State of Kentucky, part of one thousand acres known by the name of Deep Spring Tract, also one thousand acres including the upper fifth of Twelve Pole River in Kenawha County and State of Virginia. Also one thousand acres on Great Sandy River, also two miles below the Deep Spring Tract, also I give and bequeath to my daughter Betty, five hundred acres of land in Breckinridge County and State of Kentucky, part of one thousand acres known by the name of the Deep Spring Tract, also one thousand seven hundred eighty and three fourths acres on Mud River in Kenawha County and State of Virginia above joining the four thousand part which is willed to Moley Duval also five hundred acres near the forks of Great Sandy on Little Mill Creek.

Also I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy the Island Mudding, also one thousand acres of land in Kenawha County and State of Virginia, in Torres Valley where Charles Alberson now lives, also two thousand acres on Twelve Pole River adjoining and below the one thousand acres willed to my daughter Betty, the residue of my estate on Twelve Pole River containing about six thousand seven hundred acres. I give and bequeath to John Allen, William Allen and Percy Allison sons and daughters of Patrick Allison of Fleming county, Kentucky, one thousand acres of land in Breckinridge County and State of Kentucky, part of one thousand acres known by the name of the Deep Spring Tract, also one thousand seven hundred eighty and three fourths acres on Mud River in Kenawha County and State of Virginia above joining the four thousand part which is willed to Moley Duval also five hundred acres near the forks of Great Sandy on Little Mill Creek.

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## NOTICE OF SALE

The Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids from prospective purchasers until its meeting on Jan. 5, 1954 on rear mechanical parts of K-5 International bus (or truck). Items hereby offered for sale may be seen by contacting Forrest Johnson, County Board of Education mechanic, at Allen Ky.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Virgil O. Turner, Supt.  
Floyd County Schools.

## Administrator's Notice

Administration has been granted on the following estates and persons having claims against said estates are notified to the same, verified according to law, on or before March 10, 1954, with the administrators whose names and addresses follow:

Omer Paul Greene, Byrd, adm., estate of Will Colbert; Tillie Wallen, David Ky, adm., estate of Charles W. McClure; Wes Campbell, Prestonsburg, adm., estate of John L. Piller; Mary Meade, Printer, adm., estate of Mary Meade; Arley Combs, Garrett, adm., estate of Vernon Combs.

Ben Moore, Clerk  
Floyd County Court

## ALPHORETTA

Mrs. N. O. Allen has been seriously ill at the Beaver Valley Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cripp and S. M. Ousley attended church and baptismal services at Salisbury Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Meadows and children spent Sunday here with Mrs. Meadows' father.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Adams and daughter, Georgia Ann and the small son of George Symon, of Louisville, spent the week-end at Whitesburg.

Mrs. Herbert Shepherd is home now after being seriously ill at Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sturgill, of Wilson Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lumpkins, of Big Rock, Va., stopped here en route to Pikeville to shop, Saturday.

Charley Compton was visiting his sister, Mrs. Maryland Isaac, here Sunday.

## BETTER THAN TWO FRONT TEETH

PATTERSON, N. J. — Mrs. Violet King says that when she asked her husband Frank what he wanted for Christmas he answered, "a piece of paper saying I am divorced." That's what Mrs. King said in a divorce suit he filed here.

## VICE-PRESIDENT NIXON DRAWS APPLAUSE

TEHRAN — Vice-President and Mrs. Nixon drew scattered applause from crowds lining the streets as they, when their heavily-guarded motorcade rolled through the city for wreath-laying ceremonies at the tomb of the late Shah Reza of Iran.

# Remember

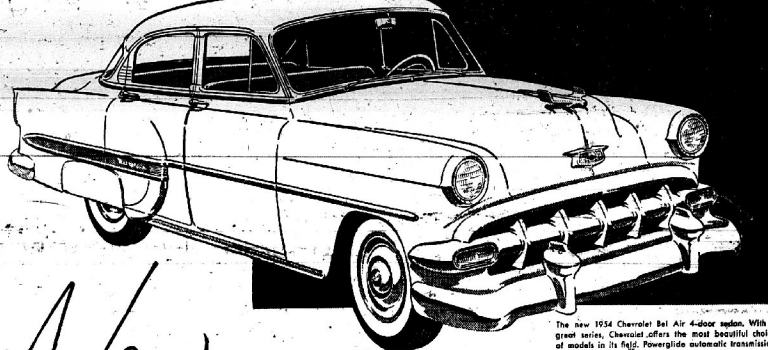
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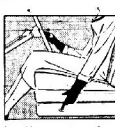
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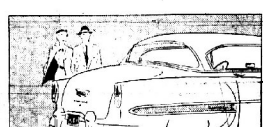
Power brakes for easier stops

Now Chevrolet brings you Power Brakes to make stopping wonderfully easy and convenient. Optional on Powerglide models at extra cost.



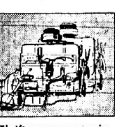
New, automatic window and seat controls

The touch of a button adjusts front seat and windows. Optional on Bel Air and "Two-Ten" models at extra cost.



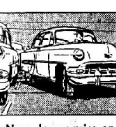
New styling that will stay new

There's a new, lower, smarter look about this new Chevrolet. All around the car, you'll see new styling that brings you Fisher Body at its beautiful best.



New interior richness

There's new upholstery fabrics with a more liberal use of beautiful, durable new color treatments in harmony with the brilliant new exterior colors.



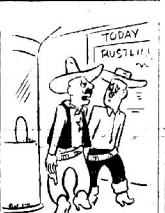
New, lower price on power steering

Now, in Powerglide models, is the more powerful "Blue-Flame 135" engine. Gearshift models offer the more powerful "Blue-Flame 115".

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Despite drought, a large number of tobacco plant beds in Boyle county were prepared this fall by burning, steaming or use of gas.  
Pleasant Woods of Dryhill is the only Leslie county farmer to complete the corn dent, with an acre yielding 94 bushels.  
Soybeans drilled in rows with corn have been furnishing an unusual amount of cattle feed in Monroe county.

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**MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

**FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT**  
1953  
The Bank of Louisville Plaintiff  
Vs. NOTICE OF SALE  
T. A. Bates, etc. Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the September term, 1953, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, public auction, on the 26th day of December 1953, at 10 o'clock, a. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property, to-wit:

Tract No. 1—That certain property conveyed by C. L. Little then a widower to Lear Bates by deed of conveyance bearing date Oct. 11, 1939, recorded in Deed Book No. 113, page 262, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Tract No. 2—That certain tract of land by Dorothy Fields et al to L. A. Bates by deed of conveyance bearing date Feb. 21, 1940, recorded in Deed Book No. 113, page 130, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Tract No. 3—That certain property conveyed by C. L. Little, widow to L. A. Bates by deed of conveyance dated April 1, 1940, recorded in Deed Book No. 113, page 269, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Tract No. 4—That certain parcel of land conveyed by J. M. Sowder and wife to L. A. Bates by deed of conveyance bearing date Sept. 12, 1944, recorded in Deed Book No. 124, page 119, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Also all right, title and interest of T. A. Bates and L. A. Bates in and to a certain agreement between Bruce Martin and wife of Hall, Knott County, Kentucky, and Mrs. L. A. Bates, dated March 8, 1946, pertaining to a gas well set on right Beaver Creek in Knott County, Kentucky, which lease is recorded in Deed Book 66, Page 52, Knott County Court Clerk's Office.  
For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or a surety, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.  
Given under my hand, this 7th day of December, 1953.  
J. B. Clark,  
Master Commissioner—  
Floyd Circuit Court.  
Cost of Advertising \$21.95  
12-10-53.

Harold Jeffries of Metcalf county primed 963 sticks of tobacco from 27 acres and has now primed 238 sticks off a half-acre and then cut 526 sticks.

**IT'S A GOOD WORLD**

BY WILMA

The views expressed herein do not necessarily reflect the views of The Times.

Do not miss taking the children to see the decorations atop the Martin school buildings. Call attention to the kenas painted on the windows. While you are at it, take the youngsters and some old folks and drive on to Prestonsburg, after dark, and show them the works over town. Many never see either of these beauty spots during the holidays.

Praise the editor for begging last week that we leave Christ in Christmas, both in spelling and in reality. A young teacher who is working hard to help underprivileged youngsters at Yuletide, remarked that so many have forgotten the true significance of the holidays. Many never give him a thought. Instead if exchanging gifts in every organization, it is time we adults pile our packages, high and take them to those who truly need them. "OTHERS" was the one word that best expressed the life of Christ.

Morgans jokingly told the Martin street and school lights suddenly went out when word got there Friday night that Maytown had defeated the Purple Pleth. Another laughing matter that McQuinn hung a wreath of roses on the Martin gym door that night, and his kids are all good sports, and the county has a grand group of coaches now.

For the youngest looking man of his years in the county we nominate Dr. M. Shad of Mahood Drug Store, in Martin. He is eighty-three but would pass for fifty. He says God has been good to him, always. All who know the doctor agree that he has been good to God, too, putting him first in his life.  
"Wasn't the peaches fruit cake sound super? Perhaps even a greenhorn cannot fall with that one. Someone asks how to whiten Christmas greens. Wet with water and dip in flour or beat tears soap flakes in warm water and pile where desired. If bestial stuff, it holds the shape years. Run a smear of glue on jelly leaves and sprinkle with silver dust.

Wayland school youngsters enjoy making pom-poms by painting the top leaves of rhododendron sprays red, with centers yellow. These are most realistic. Mr. Price and Mr. Spencer have completed painting the lunch room, in two shades of green. Its Yuletide decorations look so new some of the women say they want to hold their annual party there. That's community spirit for you, all facilities available to all groups. Most of the teachers enjoyed a lovely luncheon, along with others, in the club-house Friday, when Mrs. L. B. Price and her committee from the Woman's Club were hostesses. It will be amazing how soon those clubwomen will finish paying for their new home.

For months now we have been a TV widow. This boss used to laugh at folks who could not leave TV, and talk about women forgetting to fix lunch for the youngsters, "cause they were glued to TV. Now he has TV'd himself. Call him to dinner, and he sez, "Just lemme see this program, darling."  
The soup 's cold and the salad wilted but the claims now to love you that way. The old lady tells him it is a good thing he stuck the TV in the sun parlor and not in the kitchen, where she puts on a program all by herself in the form of a monologue, at such times when the dinner is spelt? Not much the talking to yourself, is there?

Misses, Luby, For and Moffat, will be hard up this Christmas as we were last year. You know how I like to tie up presents.  
Last June she never got around to fixing up the car we had bought the previous June, and gave each other all over again in December. "Hurry, hurry," mother replies. "You can spruce up the refrigerator daddy bought me last year, with a tin from him to yours truly. And you can make the TV I gave him for his birthday in the summer, as fancy as you like, provided you put it to Daddy from Mother. I'll reimburse you."

It was not surprising as far as late things are concerned. Of course L. B. will get Mom some "chickadees," cause he likes 'em, so will himself. And the perculator, buried out cause it won't work right without water in it, so we had to give him other a new one. She can tad that two ways. The newest gift we ever got from anybody cost a whole dinnr about fifteen years ago. The sweet thing is that Christmas does not consist of gifts alone. As some writer said, "Not what we get but what we give and the success of the life we live."

**CANDIDUS CALLED**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—Democratic State Chairman Robert Humphreys called caucus of Democratic Senators and Representatives to be held Monday night, Jan. 6—the evening before the formal convening of the General Assembly—to select officials and employees of the Assembly. Democratic caucus choices are tantamount to election, since that party will have 26 of the 34 Senate seats and 79 of the 100 House seats.

State law provides that new plates may not be displayed on vehicles before Dec. 30. Passengers, motorcycle, commercial and farm truck licenses expire Dec. 31, but may be used until midnight March 1954.

Dealer tags expire Dec. 31 and new tags must be displayed Jan. 1.

**County Clerks**

**Have New Tags**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—Kentucky automobile license tags for 1954 have been shipped to county court clerks and will soon be on sale in all counties. The plates are white with blue numerals and retain the slogan "Tour Kentucky" from previous tags.

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**AUTO QUIZ** for new car buyers

**Q** What new automobile covered 90,000 miles with a gas mileage like this?

**A** **AERO WILLIYS**, of course!

**BETTER THAN 30 MILES A GALLON!**

**Samsonite**  
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And Samsonite's better-than-leather finish wipes clean with a damp cloth.

In rugged masculine finishes for men... in glamorous costume colors for women... you'll always find a wide selection.

**SISTER will feel like a cover girl with this stunning Samsonite!**  
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Vanity O'Nite, \$17.50  
Toiletry Case, \$17.50

**MOTHER will love her Samsonite's woman-planned interior! Luxury linings, dividers and pockets galore.**  
Hand Wardrobe, \$35.00  
O'Nite (Regular), \$19.50  
Ladies' Wardrobe, \$25.00

**DAD will travel like a Diplomat, thanks to Samsonite... and you'll love "shirt" gabardine linings, dividers for wrinkle-proof packing.**  
Pullman Case, \$27.50  
Quick-Tripper, \$19.50  
Two-Suiter, \$23.00

**You'll give BROTHER a million-dollar feeling with this Samsonite matched set.**  
Hand Wardrobe, \$35.00  
Journeyer, \$27.50  
V.I.P. Case, \$19.50

**Gift-Wrapped**  
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everything comes out sparkling clean

An electric clothes dryer saves time, too! You can dry clothes when it's most convenient for you... day or night, rain or shine. It's the greatest work-saver ever invented for women. See a demonstration at your dealer's. You've got to see it to believe it.

**Here's the easy electric way to dry clothes**

- 1 toss clothes in
- 2 set the dial
- 3 take out dry clothes

**Kentucky and West Virginia POWER COMPANY**

**INCREASE ALLOWED.**  
FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—The Kentucky Court of Appeals disposed of a four-year old wage order of the Department of Industrial Relations by allowing a 50 per cent increase in minimum wages for non-service and service employees in hotels and restaurants. It modified a Franklin circuit court order which upheld larger increases.

The Department of Industrial Relations recommended raising of the minimum wage figure from 30 to 50 cents an hour for non-service employees, in the larger centers. The Appellate Court held the evidence did not justify annulling the wage floor, but permitted it to stand at the midway mark. The higher figure applied to the first zone, including larger population centers, but fixed slightly lower figures for the second and third zones.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

George Fraley ..... Plaintiff  
VS // SHERIFF'S SALE  
Ed Hicks and Willard Hicks ..... Defendants

By virtue of an execution No. 12802 which was issued from the Clerk's office of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of George Fraley vs Ed Hicks and Willard Hicks on the 9th day of November, 1950 in the amount of \$2465.00 with interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the 20th day of October, 1952, 1 or one of my deputies will on Monday, December 28, 1953 at the hour of 1:30 o'clock P. M., at the Court House door, in the City of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and cost, the following described property, to-wit:

One tract of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky on Right Beaver Creek at Maytown, Ky. 1 lot 35 feet facing the Highway and extending back 100 feet. This being portions of Lots 21, 22, 23 and 24. Conveyed to Willard Hicks by Roger Stewart and George Begley recorded in Deed Book No. 126, Page 454 Floyd County Clerk's Office.

LEVIED upon as the property of Ed Hicks and Willard Hicks.

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
On a credit of six and twelve months with bond approved by security and having the force and effect of a reprieve bond, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum. Witness my hand this 17th day of Nov. 1953.

A. B. MERRITT  
Sheriff, Floyd County, Kentucky  
Cost of advertising ..... \$10.00  
12-2-53.

## AUTO QUIZ

For New Car Buyers

**Q** In what new car can you take turns without that uncomfortable feeling of roll and sway?



**A** AERO WILLIS of course!

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## TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.  
Western Kentucky University College  
Bowling Green, Ky.

### "AMEN"

So many things that I used to know are passing that I often think that I should be introduced to some of the groups to whom I am to speak. I am introduced, of course, in a set sort of way, with plenty of complimentary things said that I would have a hard time living up to. What I mean is that I should be told how far along in the course of evolution my audience has arrived, how sophisticated it is, how far removed from the sort of crowd I used to know at Fidelity or Podunk or even larger places. Not many years ago I was making a commencement address at a good-sized and highly cultured county-seat town. In my usual animated way I said something pretty strongly. An elderly retired preacher said, "Amen," quite as strongly as I had made my point. The graduating class, sitting behind me, got tickled at the old gentleman's antiquated manner and I was considerably young-er. Not to have spoken up in such a way would have left the poor preacher feeling that he had not said anything appealing or spiritual. Once I knew a preacher who had preached for an hour or so with no audience response other than stolid sitting and gazing at the preacher. He said something that seemed to him worthy of being recognized; not a sound was heard. "Why doesn't somebody say 'Amen' to that?" he asked almost plaintively. An elderly retired minister said, very deliberately: "Well, I will say 'Amen' to that, my brother." Even at Sulphur Springs there were some people, including me, who almost broke into a laugh. And I still feel sorry for the poor preacher, who had labored so hard for a feeling that he was getting his doctrine across and had felt so old because nobody had said "Amen."

Many of you who read this article can recall when it was not at all uncommon for such responses from the audience to ring out, though we while people did not make as complete a show of it as our colored friends, whose responses are almost as much a part of worship as prayer or song or reading the Scripture or preaching. One Negro preacher that I have heard of used to say to his congregation: "You'll have to help me, my brothers and sisters, or I cannot preach this sermon." That help meant, as every one knew, the appropriate responses to show that all were in "God's good mood" and that I like this audience participation. We public speakers often say our pieces and go away wondering whether we ever got across what we were trying to explain; we feel as we teachers often do when we grade an examination paper and wonder where the students were the day that we made so plain some worthy fact or doctrine or rule. Of course, I do not know what form I would prescribe for the response from the audience. Some highly cultured audiences would probably be offended when some untrained old brother "joined in while I was speaking; others might laugh so much at him that they would fail to get what I was trying to say; still others would wonder what the speaker would think of at the neighborhood if such an antiquated thing developed. Not long ago I talked to one of the most learned groups in the state of Kentucky. Several times in my hour-

ing talk I had occasion to speak directly to some member of the audience; he and I might carry on a brief conversation while I was getting myself lined up for the next round of talk. I hope the audience did not mind; I know the elderly scholar and I were having the times of our lives, being just as unrestrained as we would have been at a dinner table. It is that intimacy in the old-fashioned "Amen" that makes me recall it with joy. I hope that this sacred old word will not utterly lose its significance and its appropriateness for many a decade yet. And I hope some old-timer will say, "Let me say 'Amen' to that."

### STATE INTERVENING

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—State intervention was approved by Attorney General J. D. Buckman, Jr., in the case of some 1,500 slot machines seized by Federal authorities in Kenton and Campbell counties nearly two years ago.

The machines later were ordered returned to the places from where they were seized, but local police then placed a watch over them and instituted suits seeking their destruction. Attorney General J. D. Buckman this week ordered State intervention in the action, seeking the same end. Owners of the machines are resisting the efforts.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Your 1953 Prestonsburg grade school taxes are now due. On unpaid taxes, 2% penalty will be added Jan. 1, and on and after Feb. 1 6% penalty will be added.

Adrian Collins, Collector.

## New Middlesboro Paper To Serve Tri-State Area

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—The Secretary of State's office approved a charter for a new Republican newspaper in Southeastern Kentucky—the Tri-State Morning Herald, Middlesboro, with a capitalization of \$100,000. The paper would serve Bell, Knox, Harlan, Whitley and Leslie counties in Kentucky; Claiborne and Hancock counties, Tenn. and Lee and Wise counties, Va. Incorporators included a number of present and former public officials including former Gov. Flem D. Sampson, Barbourville; Whitley County Judge Plessa Jones, and State Senator A. E. Cornett, Hyden.

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## UNION ACT UPHELD

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14.—The 1952 legislative act requiring operating Kentucky labor unions to take out local charters was upheld by the Court of Appeals which declared that the act permits, rather than impedes, an exercise of basic rights belonging to all workers.

To set aside a previous ruling of the Jefferson circuit court which held the act not applicable to an International Union of Operating Engineers with headquarters in Evansville. The Appellate Court held that the act merely permits workers to choose whether he prefers a Kentucky-operated local or an outside one as a bargaining agent in labor matters.

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To Be Given Away Christmas Eve, 4:00 P. M., One Girls Bike and One Boys Bike. You do not have to make a purchase to be eligible to win one of these beautiful bikes—Just Bring Your Children in and Let Them Register. No Strings Attached—It's All FREE. The Only Requirement, You Cannot Be Over 16 Years of Age.

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**WE'LL BE LOOKING FOR YOU.**



## U. S. Workers Turn Janitors—For Economy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Some while - collar federal workers are cleaning up their own offices as a result of the Government's economy drive.

Fifty of them dropped their desks chairs for 30 minutes today at Bolling Air Force Base and cleaned windows, dusted blinds, and swept floors.

They had a memo from their boss suggesting the office ought to be kept clean, even though there wasn't money to hire enough janitors.

## USE POWER SPARINGLY

WASHINGTON — Attorney General Brownell said his power to exclude aliens from the U. S. without a hearing should be used "sparingly" although it was recently upheld by the Supreme Court. Brownell stated the policy in ordering a hearing for Ignatz Mezel 37-year-old native of Hungary who had been described as a man doomed to life imprisonment on Ellis Island.

## FYI: DAVINS AT FA-BAG-AD

PORT BRAGG, North Carolina, Pvt. James H. Davins, of David, Ky., is a member of the 6th Signal Battalion.

Pvt. Davins is now participating in an advanced individual training course being conducted by the 6th Signal Battalion Camp at Port Bragg.

The Battalion was organized in June, 1963 at Port Bragg and has been engaged in training for its mission since that date. The primary mission of the 6th Signal Battalion is to provide adequate communication to units operating under the XVIII Airborne Corps headquarters.

## FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

West Prestonsburg, Ky.

Sunday—

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Thursday—

7:30 p.m.—Weekly prayer meeting.

7:30 p.m.—Young Peoples service.

## Tax Conference Set For Louisville

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 16.—Discussion of financial needs and valuations of government units, including cities, counties, school districts and the state will feature the annual Kentucky Tax Commissioners Conference in Louisville, Dec. 17 and 18.

The conference is to be attended by state revenue representatives and the 120 county tax commissioners and is sponsored by the State Department of Revenue.

Maurice P. Carpenter, valuation director for the department, William G. Hermal, the department's research and Commissioner of Revenue Robert H. Alphin will be among state officials on the program. Secretary of State Charles K. O'Connell will be principal speaker at a banquet.

George M. Mitchell, vice-president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, will address the conference on valuation trends.

The champion 4-H calf of Rowan county, owned by Jeannette Caudill, sold for \$302.

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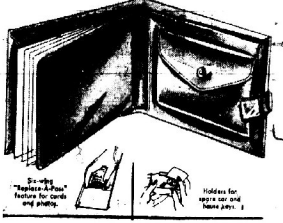


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 "NITA"—Black calf. Sizes 5 to 10, AAA to D widths.  
 "CELESTIAL"—Cherry Red calf. Black calf.  
 "SCOTO"—Sand suede, Black suede.  
 "ELLINGTON"—Black suede, kid, and calf trim. Sizes 4 to 10.  
 "SMITTY"—Black calf. A, B, C widths.  
 "BALLAD"—Brown and Black calf. Brown, Black and Navy suede or kid.  
 "JANIS"—Black and Brown suede or kid; Navy calf.

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# We have the loveliest GIFTS in town!

## A Message from Bill Cury to the Wise Christmas Shopper:

# Cury's Department Store

of Prestonsburg welcomes you to their large department store where you can buy the finest and most practical gifts in the land.

You can buy a gift for Dad, Mom, Son, Daughters and your loved ones. The selections are large and we are prepared to show you through our store and with our capable sales staff to help you in your selections.

All gifts will be gift wrapped free of charge with our newly designed paper and ribbons, especially picked for this holiday.

Why not come in early and pick your Christmas gifts early and a small deposit will hold them until Christmas Eve. Don't wait until the last day, come early and get in on the cream of the crop. It will help you in the long run and you won't disappoint your loved ones.

Come and see Cury's largest gift selections where all your friends go. So hurry to Cury's Department Store where quality prevails as Christmas only comes once a year.

### SOME OF THE 1000 GIFTS THAT CURY'S DEPT. STORE CARRIES NOW IN STOCK

LADIES	MEN	GIRLS	BOYS
Coats and suits by Princesse and Lady Scott.	"Botany" 500 brand suits, coats and pants.	Velvet and Holiday dresses.	Orion sweaters.
Doris Dodson, Joan Miller and Lenora dresses.	Sincerity Clothes.	Quilted robes in nylon fabrics.	Big Top sport and dress shirts in broadcloth, gabardine, corduroy, knit and other.
Skirts by Joan Miller, Donovan of Texas, Doris Dodson and Pett.	Clipper Craft Suits.	Knit pajamas by Munsingwear.	For Smart shoes and house shoes.
Wool, nylon and orlon sweaters by Serbin.	London Town Coats and top-coats.	Nylon panties, slips and gowns by Luxite.	Sport coats in wool and suede.
Nylon Tunic by Holeproof.	Men's Freeman, Bostonian and American Gentlemen Shoes.	Bilkien and Vitality shoes.	Gabardine flight jackets.
Munsingwear, Luxite and Lady Burkleigh. Such as gowns, nightgowns, negligee, ensemble sets, bed jackets, quilted robes, panties and bed jackets.	Daniel Green House Shoes for Men.	Coat Craft Coats and suits.	Bulany Coats and suits.
Daniel Green house shoes.	Men's Manhattan shirts, sport shirts, pajamas, shorts and undershirts.	Petti Skirts in woolen, rayons, and orlon.	Mickey Mouse Watches.
Vitality, Johansen, California Cobblers, Jacqueline and Connie Shoes.	Standard nylon and Terry cloth robes.	Beautiful watches by Elgin, Cinderella, Snow-white and Queen Anne.	Cowboy suits in sets or separate, such as hats, gun and holsters, pants and shirts to match.
Elgin watches and costume jewelry.	Holeproof nylon pajamas.	Suits by Judy Kent.	Pioneer Belts.
Wallace and Rogers Silverware.	Men's suds socks.	Suits by Judy Kent.	Dress French cuffs shirts with cuff links and ties to match.
George Washington bedspreads and towel sets.	Sunbeam Shavers.	House shoes by Slipper Craft.	Corduroy, flannel and gabardine pants by David Copperfield.
Gloves by Darnel and Stetson.	Men's Elgin Wrist Watches.	Many other too numerous to mention so come to our store and see many gifts to choose from.	Pajamas by Big Top.
Brassieres by Nestle Form and Perma Lift.	Parker 51 Fountain Pens.		Cowboy Boots.
Nylon Stockings by Holeproof.	Men's Rolf Wallis.		Regular Slip-on Boots.
Munsingwear and Luxite.	Men's Superba, Manhattan and Cutter Gravat ties.		House shoes by Slipper Craft.
Anklets by Trimfoot.	Men's suede jackets by Irving Foster.		Knit pajamas by Munsingwear.
	Men's jewelry by Pioneer and Swank.		Trimfoot ties.
	Men's sport coats by McGregor.		Princeton shoes.
	Men's orlon and dacron sweaters by McGregor.		
			Many, Many other gifts that we can not mention due to lack of space.

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### Bridges, River Travel Feature 'In Kentucky'

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 14 — Pictures of Kentucky's 15 bridges across the Ohio River will be a main feature of the Winter issue of IN KENTUCKY, the Commonwealth's official magazine, which will be out this week. One of the spots, George Roger Clark Memorial Bridge, Louisville, is on the front cover.

Also featured will be a story on river transportation in Kentucky which includes a description of port facilities. Each of the state's main streams is treated in this report of present traffic and the outlook for the future.

Other articles include a story on Cumberland Gap's famous big gun, "Long Tom," by Dr. Robert L. Kincaid, president of Lincoln Memorial University; an account of a twentieth-century Daniel Boone's tour of Kentucky's new developments in the state's oil fields; announcement of completion of the land use map prepared by the State Agricultural and Industrial Development Board; and the story of the T.B.-fighting Kentucky Mountain Club of Lexington.

### 161 Prestonsburg Pupils Listed on Honor Roll

One hundred sixty-one Prestonsburg high school pupils—55 seniors, 49 juniors, 23 sophomores and 46 freshmen—are on the school's honor roll for the second six-week period. It was announced this week by Gerald G. Leslie, They are:

SENIORS—Paul Allen, Violeta Allen, James Budgett, Doris Boyd, Allen Brannan, Bill Burt, Ward Church, Phyllis Cline, George Ford, Phyllis Huger, William Hall, Jackie Henry, Pauline Hicks, Clyde Johnson, Gracie Justice, James Lafferty, Wanda Lee Leake, Fred May, Wilma May, Anna McComas, Helen McKenzie, Laura Mott, Lois Owsley, Effie Prater, Harry Prater, Raymond Radcliff, Ruth Ann Rowe, James R. Shepherd, Dorothy Sumner, Josephine Stone, Joyce Varnes, Gabriel Wallace, Charles Warren.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

W. W. Cooley, as executor of the estate of E. P. Arnold, deceased and Dick Burdett, Plaintiffs VS. JUDGMENT AND ORDER OF SALE Mar Spradlin, Defendant

Pursuant to judgment and order of sale rendered by the Judge of the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action ordering and directing me at Sheriff's Office, County, Kentucky to advertise and sell the property levied upon under attachment from said court of which said judgment amounts to \$202.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per annum from March 12, 1952 until paid and court cost, I or one of my deputies, will on Monday, December 28, 1953 between the hour of 10:00 A. M. and 1:00 o'clock P. M. at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Prestonsburg, Ky., offer at public outcry to the highest and best bidder the following described property, to-wit:

All the right, title and interest of Mar Spradlin in and to that certain tract or parcel of land situated on Tom Creek, Floyd County, Ky., bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an X on a rock in the branch, a corner of Lots Nos. 2 and 3; thence down the branch S 70° 20' W 183 feet to a stake witnessed by a beech bearing S 59° W 25 feet, 570 W 200 feet to a beech; thence crossing the creek and up the drain with the line of Morgan Layne N 42° E 514 feet to a stake in a drain, N 2° E 142 feet to a stake, N 4° 30' W 122 feet to a chestnut on the point; thence up the point N 70° 45' E 13 feet to a black oak, N 47° E 200 feet, N 36° 45' E 500 feet to a chestnut oak on a ridge, S 60° E 128 feet, S 73° E 377 feet to a stake in Mud Lick Gap, S 34° W 475 feet, S 42° W 200 feet, S 31° W 506 feet to a beech, S 56° W 105 feet, S 18° W 187 feet to a hickory on a point, S 29° 30' W 147 feet to a beech on a point, S 56° 30' W 187 feet to the beginning.

For further reference being the same property conveyed to the defendant, Mar Spradlin, by Robert Damron and Lavada Damron, his wife by deed dated August 30, 1943, which is duly recorded in Deed Book No. 121, Page 187, Floyd County Court, Clerk's Office.

LEVIED UPON as the property of Mar Spradlin.

TERMS OF SALE: Said property will be sold on a credit of six and twelve months with bond approved by sufficient surety having the force and effect of a revolving bond and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per annum from date of sale until paid.

Witness my hand this 5th day of December, 1953.

A. B. MEADE, Sheriff, Floyd County, Ky.

Adv. Cost \$25.32 12-10-53.

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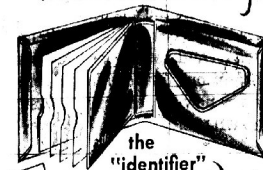
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## 7 Kentucky Miners

Killed In November

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 11—Seven persons were killed in mine accidents in November in being the total casualties this year to 37, the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals said today.

Fatal accidents were in Perry, Hopkins, Union, Floyd, Leslie, Muhlenberg, and Harlan counties.

Six miners were killed in November last year. The 11th-month toll a year ago was 46.

## Bill To Be Drafted To Withhold Taxes

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 11—The Department of Revenue is drafting a bill to establish a "tax-withholding" provision in Kentucky's individual income-tax law, Commissioner Robert H. Alphin said today.

It will be introduced at the 1954 Legislature, Alphin said.

Twenty-six 4-H clubs in the county have a membership of 910 boys and girls.

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# For Sale

One 1 1/2-ton Dodge truck, 2-speed axle, flat bed. Runs well, good tires. At junk price.

One all-steel bed for 1 1/2-ton truck. Ideal for plumber, lineman or similar work. Cost new \$1,250. For sale cheap.

One 14-foot wood flat bed. A-1 condition.

One 10 h.p. singlephase, 60-cycle electric motor, with or without starter and spare parts.

One 400-gallon galvanized storage tank.

One 800-gallon-per-hour Fairbanks-Morse pump.

One mortar mixer, new condition.

Above items are declared surplus and are offered for sale below market prices.

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## Kiwanis History/Ideals Told At Anniversary Time

By J. B. CLARKE  
On December 8, 1923, the Kiwanis Club of Prestonsburg was chartered, and the 30 charter members undertook to learn and put into practice the motto of Kiwanis, "We Build". The name, "Kiwanis," is a combination of two Indian words meaning "We Build".

The Kiwanis idea was formulated and put into practice by some business men in Detroit, Michigan, in 1914, and the idea is appealed to men that in the 30 years since its organization it has spread to over 200,000 members in over 1,400 clubs scattered over the United States and Canada, Alaska and Hawaii.

Kiwanis recognizes that the spiritual forces latent in all of us, when properly developed, are a power for good. Therefore, the first objective of Kiwanis is now, and has always been, to give primacy to the human and spiritual values of life rather than the material. May I give to you the fundamental objectives of Kiwanis?

To give primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than to the material values of life.

To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.

To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business and professional standards.

To develop by precept and example a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.

To provide through Kiwanis, a practical means to attain enduring friendship to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.

To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.

Our local club has had its ups and downs, first in the valley and then on the mountain top, but in the main it has always had a life of service to the community and good fellowship. It has entered into every movement for the good of the community—good roads, civic improvement, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, underprivileged children. All have felt the uplifting hand of men of good will, dedicated to building a consciousness of the daily living of the Golden Rule. Long may it live.

Carrier Bakers Capacity Huge  
NORFOLK, Va.—The newest type of United States aircraft carrier can take enough bread every day to supply a small city.

## MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT  
1954  
W. W. Cocker, Esq.,  
Plaintiff  
vs. NOTICE OF SALE  
City Electric Co.,  
Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the October term, 1953, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 26th day of December, 1953, at 10 o'clock A. M., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

A parcel of land located on the waters of Big Sandy River, within the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, and being lot No. 63 in the Arnold and Spradlin Addition to Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Also another parcel of land in said Arnold and Spradlin Addition fronting 18 feet on Highland Avenue and running back a distance of 100 feet to an alley.

One Chevrolet Pickup truck license No. T-40639, 1952.

One Willys 1949 pickup, license No. T-40644, 1952.

One two Ton Ford truck, license T-40645.

One mine trolley and mining equipment located on the waters of Abbot Creek near Roman, Ky. One coal ramp and scales and railroad track in West Prestonsburg, Ky.

All of the right, title and interest of W. J. Pispalich in and to a tract of land located on the waters of Mare Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky, bounded on the North by the lands of M. S. Layne herein.

Milk production in Oskalee county has been only a little more than half as much as was produced last year.

Thirty-four members of the Logan-Simpson Negro Homemakers club have had lap tables made.

## Drought Group Asks U. S. To Aid 13 More Counties

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 11—The State Drought Committee recommended to the United States Department of Agriculture today that 13 more counties be named drought-disaster areas.

The committee named Bath, Boone, Boyd, Bullitt, Clay, Cumberland, Harlan, Jackson, Lincoln, Menifee, Monroe, Rowan, and Whitely counties. It also asked that Knox County be reconsidered.

Seventy-seven Kentucky counties are in the disaster area that enables eligible farmers to buy feed at reduced prices.

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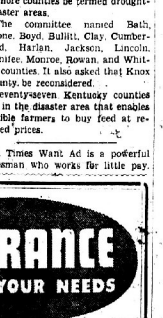


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## Kentucky Bottleneck ... AN EMBARRASSING PICTURE

ILLINOIS 72,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
INDIANA 72,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
OHIO 78,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
PENN. 67,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
W. VIRGINIA 73,280 lbs. gross wt. limit  
VIRGINIA 50,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
N. CAROLINA 54,000 lbs. gross wt. limit  
S. CAROLINA 48,350 lbs. gross wt. limit  
MISSISSIPPI 52,650 lbs. gross wt. limit  
ALABAMA 55,300 lbs. gross wt. limit  
GEORGIA 55,300 lbs. gross wt. limit



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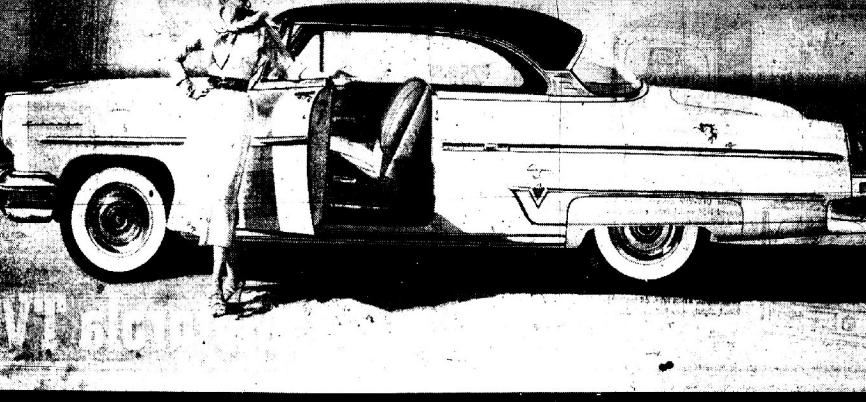
nylons, gabardines, whipcords, broadcloths, and leathers.

Frankly, you will not see bulging lines and glitter for glitter's sake. Lincoln has the pure beauty of functional design found wherever the living is modern.

Finally, we invite you to drive the new Lincoln. Only on the road—in traffic, on the highway or back road—can you feel the incredible combination of smoothness

and surge. You'll command Lincoln's 1954 high-compression V-8 engine—one of the world's most efficient power plants—its winning performance still further improved with a vacuum-controlled 4-barrel carburetor and full-vacuum spark control. Add to all this Lincoln's optional power steering, power brakes, the 4-way power seat and you'll discover—the ultimate in modern driving.

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