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THURSDAY

This Town-- That World

REMEMBER? This cool, damp weather recalls such days in May on the farm when, with the corn up, it was referred to as a cut-over weather. I suppose they still operate in the same, old stands but had not thought of the pokey critters in so long. And do you remember that the pollen composed of match-heads mixed with corn which was so carefully prepared as a diet for the equally meticulous ground-squirrel?

QUESTION A few weeks ago, The Times office again was bungled, and we don't know whether we should feel complimented or insulted. The intruder took only 50 copies of the paper. The question is, were the papers so desirable or was that all he found that was worth taking?

EVERY MAN TO HIS TASTE The weather, which hasn't by any means come to our order, did base itself a good turn, anyway. It agreed it from being "hurt" by President Eisenhower's absence from the opening game at Washington where he was badly wanted to throw out the first ball.

Baseball might have had its feelings ruffled, because to the left the pitching duties to that unfriendly relief man, Hank Aaron, who had not just pitched for the rescue and delayed matters till the President got back from Georgia and some golf. But we still say it was right on taking a chance on feelings.

The President of these United States has the worst working phobia. Throwing out the first ball at a baseball opener is one of the more pleasant affairs in his life. He has a phobia, if there's something more pleasant and relaxing for him, let him do it. If some guy or know were in his shoes, he'd probably be a baseball or softball or football, either. It would be fishing, fishing—operating day or not!

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GRAND JURORS TAKE RECESS

To Return for 3 Days April 27; About Fifty Indictments Are Voted

The Floyd circuit court grand jury adjourned Tuesday afternoon at the conclusion of six days' work and after returning approximately 60 indictments. It will reconvene April 27 for an additional three-day session.

One of these was the indictment against three members of the W. M. Cotton Company, accountants. Others follow:

Calhoun Morgan, Robert Newnone, Charles Hobson, Lewis Wright, Edgar Kirk, Austin Prater, Ivel Reynolds, Edna J. Coburn, Charles Handley, Ed Hester, and Hazel Conley, each for child desertion; Carl Newcome and child David, possession of alcoholic beverages; Trumble Tucker, formation of Dixie Robinson, adultery; Oliver Elam, pet larceny and burglary of a safe; Virgil Little and Will Johnson, selling intemperate property.

(See Story No. 2, Page 6)

Court House Happenings

SUTS FILED W. J. Turner vs. Mrs. Irene Osborne; Joe Hobson, atty. Eastern Coal Corp. vs. Sam L. Martin; Hobson & Scott, attys. Havel Armet, vs. Charlie Armet; Combs & Combs, attys. Arnette Blum vs. Jack Blumfeld; Burns Martin, atty. Woodrow Estess vs. M. C. Wright, Petrick, Burns Martin, atty. South C. Beavis vs. Walter Horn, J. H. Clarke, atty. Thider Stumpe vs. Virginia Mullins Stumpe, Paul G. Hayes, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Blaine Stumbo and Anna Lee Lucas, William Collins and Delphia Outley, Elsie Prater and Lois Jean, George Earl Robinson and Bannan Jean Stevens, Rebel Nelson and Medline Hobrock, Bill Ray Collins and Peggy Jean Bussey, Ruben Delmar Prater and Edna Mae Martin, Carl Estess and Ann Outley, Clyde Jones and Janita Brown, Herman Brown and Velea Brackett, Johnnie Parker and Mildred Scott.

CITY TO HIRE FISCAL AGENT AND ENGINEER

To Carry Out Program of Improvements Here; Flood Gate Is Studied

Three outstanding local companies from many cities are being called upon to get the bid for the work of fiscal agent for the city of Prestonsburg in its million-dollar improvement financing program. Mayor Curtis Clark said Tuesday.

Any one of the three firms has a reputation to maintain, and so the city will get the highest type of service, wherever the successful bidder may be headed.

Announcement of follow-up plans for the improvement program was made by Mayor after a meeting Monday night of the Council with the City Water & Gas Commission. Present were: Mayor Tuesday afternoon, W. P. Noonan, district highway commissioner, conferred here with Clark and Prestonsburg. Plans for the improvement program were discussed in detail at the meeting Monday night of the Council with the City Water & Gas Commission.

The Council, it was said this week, has at the request of citizens here, written the Kentucky West Virginia Power Company to request an inspection of power lines and transformers here which are blamed for the power disturbances.

NET AMOUNT DUE, \$6,500

Court's Settlement With Three Officials Allows Auto Expense

Deductions allowed by the Floyd circuit court at the settlement of the three accounts in question were those of former County Judge Alex L. Davidson, Henry Stumbo, the present County Judge, and County Attorney W. W. Burnett.

The tented expense accounts demanded last week by the court of former County Clerk J. A. Allen, County Clerk Dalton Moore and Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley were delayed by Monday's action of the court in asking a representative of the Joseph Cotton Company to be present.

SCHOOL COST CUT STUDIED

Turner, Contractors Talk with Architects; More Cuts Considered

Some progress was made Tuesday of this week to reduce the proposed contract figure for the construction of the county high school building here, it was said Wednesday. Akers & Akers, the successful bidder, met with O. Turner, representing the Floyd County Board of Education, and agreed on certain minor changes which would bring the total figure down to \$440,000.

At last week's court meeting, a number of items of interest were almost wholly disclosed. Between that meeting and this week's however, information was received. It was said showing the center was the right to allow such deductions, and so the figures for the three offices involved was set at a total \$600,000. The Board of Education will meet with the architects and contractors early next week to make and agree on the final changes.

Julia Ann Derosselt, 6, Dies of Accidental Burns Received at Home Feb. 5

Julia Ann Derosselt, 6, died Monday, April 14, at King's Edgewater hospital, Ashland, of burns received in an accident Feb. 5. Her clothing had caught fire at an open fireplace at the home of her parents, Sam and Ann Tussey Derosselt, at Dock.

X-RAY TRAILER HERE, APR. 20

Hidden Dangers of TB Cited by Russell As Unit Itinerary Told

"It is possible to have tuberculosis and not know it," said Dr. J. M. Russell, director of the Floyd County Health Department, as he opened the mobile x-ray trailer clinic under the joint auspices of the Health Department and the Floyd County Tuberculosis Association with the county's women's club sponsoring the clinic in the city here Tuesday.

That's why he is urging every adult x-ray while it's free at the trailer which will be in operation here Tuesday morning and conclude with its Harold visit on May 1.

Two Floyd Men on Honored Net Squad

The Morehead State College basketball squad was feted by the Morehead Kiwanis Club at a recent banquet. Floyd county high school graduates, members of the basketball squad, were honored at the banquet—Jim Duff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Duff of Garrett, and Russell Hanley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hanley of Prestonsburg.

SPAN VICTIM FLOYD NATIVE

Bridge at Paintsville Collapses under Load, Killing Curtis Wicker

The bridge that collapsed at Paintsville Wednesday last week carried to death Curtis Wicker, 30, a local resident of the county. The bridge, on KY. 40, a link in the Paintsville-trail road, fell with Wicker about 6 p.m. while he was pulling a trailer with a tractor. He was an employee of the R. R. Dawson Bridge Company of Bloomington, Ky.

WIND CAUSES DAMAGE HERE

Bridge Wrecked, Wall Of Building Collapses During Thursday Storm

Last Thursday night's windstorm at Prestonsburg and vicinity with four-hundred force, causing damage of several thousand dollars. Heaviest damage was suffered by County School Superintendent V. O. Turner whose bridge spanning the Big Sandy from US 23 to his home here was dashed into the river. The span was constructed last year at a reported cost of \$3,500.

Former Milk Operator At Justell Succumb At Pikeville, Apr. 9

McClintock, 70, of Pikeville, Ky., died at the hospital here Tuesday. He was a former milk operator and farmer. He was a member of the Big Branch Coal Company at Justell, this county.

WOMAN DEATH STILL STUDIED

State Sleuth Quizzes Man at Jail; Woman's Story May Be Heard

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Pedagogical Hi-Jinks Feature Teacher Meet

Teaching veteran Ann Tarkett, at McDowell, left, wore the prize-winning costume at the 20-Year Teachers Club party; right, Mrs. Norma Stapp, in a period gown of exquisite beauty.

2-DAY STAY SET FOR UNIT

Bloodmobile Will Visit David Monday, Next Day To Be at Martin School

The regional Red Cross bloodmobile will come to this county Monday for a two-day stay, during which the community bloodmobile and Martin will attempt to meet the blood needs of the county.

Isham W. Hughes, 59, Victim in California; Formerly Lived Here

Isham Webster Hughes, 59 years old, father of Mrs. N. L. May, of Prestonsburg, and a former resident of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday in Sacramento, Calif., victim of a heart attack.

Members of the 20-Year Teachers Club of Floyd county in their third annual meeting last Friday evening dipped deep into the past to conjure up the characters of American history and literature about whom they had taught young Floyd county over the years.

DR. JACK ALLEN DR. WIRTH WRITE TEXTBOOK

"THIS GOVERNMENT OF OURS"; ALLEN, EDITOR OF NAT'L SOCIAL STUDIES COUNCIL YEARBOOK

The American Book Company will introduce soon to the schools of the country a new textbook, "This Government of Ours," the work of Dr. Jack Allen, of Prestonsburg, and Dr. Fremont P. Wirth, both members of the faculty of the George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee.

Corps of Engineers Plans Stratton Br. Development

Extensive development of the Stratton Branch area for the convenience of campers and picnickers here is planned at Arrowhead, the Huntington district office, U. S. Corps of Engineers, it was said this week.

Martin Tot Is Rescued From Creek; Receives Artificial Respiration

Artificial respiration restored to life Greer Mynier, six-year-old son of Mrs. Fred Mynier, of Prestonsburg, Tuesday, after he had been rescued from a deep hole in Beaver Creek. It was stated that he had been under water for 10 minutes.

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Noah Howard Is Named Elk Horn Gen'l Manager

Noah Howard was named general manager of the Elk Horn Coal Co. at a meeting of the board of directors held at Wayland, effective April 1. It was announced recently that Howard formerly was the company's chief engineer.

The Western Elk Horn mine has been working five days a week since the start of what has been reported here as the first coal output.

Kentucky River 'Adventurer' Ventured First in Floyd-Co.

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

This begins an article by Gerald Griffin in the Courier-Journal.

The "adventurer" is Charles W. Gilley, president of the Kentucky River Coalfield, Inc., with headquarters in Winchester. For several years he has been a Floyd county coal operator.

Gilley was a Pike county coal operator, too, and is the present owner of a refining and processing plant at Tipton, Ky. That refining plant, enjoying a profitable business during the war and immediately after, it burned in 1948, but Gilley rebuilt it. Today it is managed for him by Homer Paxson. It is one of Floyd county's very few manufacturing enterprises.

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

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

Gilley learned a lot about various phases of the coal business during those first years immediately following the World War. For one thing, Parsons' refinery was made for use in the finer home gasolines, but Parsons' refinery was made from salt and other common chemicals. He mixed it with other products and applied it to the Betsy Layne plant. The resulting combination of chemicals was called Coal Add. It was ideal for spraying large trucks, airplanes, cars and airplanes.

Gilley's contracts from coal companies to spray domestic coal covered five Eastern Kentucky counties, and was chiefly under the supervision of Jimmy Clagett. Once Clagett got to experimenting with the spray with the view of testing the usual one gallon of spray to each ton of coal. The result was a complaint from a Cincinnati home made by Jimmie Clagett. He was taken down in the basement of a fine Cincinnati home and shown by Jimmie Clagett that he had been on the walk. He never got such a bawling out in his life. And she had called him all the way to Cincinnati to do it. Parsons' refinery burned down, almost completely, in 1948 and Gilley suffered an \$80,000 loss. To some men this blow would have been deadly but not to him. He began to rebuild and also to engage in truck mining. His Floyd mines were strung along 12 1/2 miles from Beattyville to Clay's Ferry for more than a century and a half. Now Gilley is repeating a process from the same part of the river from Beattyville to Clay's Ferry for more than a century and a half. Now Gilley is repeating a process from the same part of the river from Beattyville to Clay's Ferry for more than a century and a half. Now Gilley is repeating a process from the same part of the river from Beattyville to Clay's Ferry for more than a century and a half.

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Mrs. Dove Prater Hoover Taylor, Lighting Director Succeeds at Carlisle, Ky.; For College Production Rites, Today at Garrett

Mrs. Dove Prater Hoover, 92 died at the home of a son at Carlisle, Ky., at 7:15 p.m. April 14. She was the widow of Anderson Hoover, a former resident of Garrett, and she was the daughter of John and Mary Hoover.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: Elva Hoover, Carlisle, Ky.; Mrs. Rosa Combs, Carlisle, Ky.; Mrs. Helen Hoover, Carlisle, Ky.; Mrs. Clara Combs, Wayne, Mich.; Mrs. Lola Neal, Wayne, Mich.; Mrs. Maggie Hicks, Trenton, N. J. Also surviving are several grand-children and great grandchildren.

Funeral rites were held today (Thursday) at the home of her son, Aquila, at Garrett, at 2 p.m. by Rev. Billy Moore, Abbe of St. Ann's, C. Wright and Mitchell Phillips officiating. Burial followed in the family cemetery on Stone Creek. Burial was in the direction of Turner's Funeral Home.

Reminiscences showed that orchard grass and bluegrass were planted in Ohio and Indiana.

Teacher Enrollments From Floyd Outnumber Other County Groups

Pikeville, Ky., April 15 — Floyd county's enrollment of school teachers from any other county in the group which has been enrolled for the nine-week spring term at Pikeville College from mine to date.

Eleven young Floyd county women and 28 others, from Pike, Johnson, Martin, Lawrence and Letcher counties and West Virginia, have entered special teachers' classes which will run from the middle of the spring semester until commencement at Pikeville all 39 have entered the public schools on "emergency" certificates. Dr. A. C. Page, county president, said today. Board of the group will complete the two-year course before next September 1 and become eligible for the Provisional Elementary Certificate. After that date, requirements for the certificate will be raised to include four years of college study. Page said.

The Floyd county teacher-student group are Bobby Jean Hale, Blue Ridge, Pike; Ruth Schmitt, Magdoff, Pike; Leola Little, Prestonsburg; Ortha B. McCutche, Prestonsburg; Della Mae Mitchell, Pike; Leola Little, Pike; Pearl F. Newman, Orthes; Emma J. Stone, Betsy Layne; Norma Stupp, Lancer; and Mezi Tackett, Crayton.

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PVT. NALLE IN KNOK
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James T. Nalle, 20, son of Jack B. Nalle, of Wayland, Ky., has completed army branch immaterial basic training conducted by the 3rd Armored Division here.

EDMOND HERSHELL TACKETT



Democrat
for
COUNTY ATTORNEY

Wilson H. Halstead, 86, Former Resident Here, Victim at Wales, Ky.

Wilson H. Halstead, 86, died at the home of a son at Wales, Ky., April 11. Death was attributed to the infirmities of old age. Mr. Halstead was born at Abingdon, W. Va., and first engaged in the profession of electrical engineering. He was connected with the mining industry for years. He spent the last 20 years of his retirement in the home of C. R. Halstead, a son, at Prestonsburg, but had been living at Wales with another son since January of this year. He was a member of the Church of Christ for 60 years.

He married Wilhild Chantery of West Virginia who preceded him in death in 1918. Four sons survive: Ernest Halstead, Wales; C. R. Halstead, Prestonsburg; L. C. Halstead, High Coal, W. Va.; Claude Halstead, Sharon, W. Va. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted at the home of Ernest Halstead, Sunday, April 12, the Rev. Sneyd Rife and Henry Passon, officiating. Burial followed in the Ray cemetery on Indian Creek under the direction of Call Funeral Home.

CITIZENS MAY ACT
Any citizen of a county may petition a circuit court to compel a county purveyor to eliminate "deadwood" from voter registration rolls if the board fails to act. It was held by Assistant Attorney General Walter C. Herdman, who pointed out that grand juries also are charged with the duty of investigating whether county boards perform their statutory functions.

TEACHER'S TB STORY POINTS NEED FOR EARLY DIAGNOSIS

Paul Carpenter didn't believe he had tuberculosis. "I didn't believe it because I didn't want to believe it," he says in speaking of the report he received from the Floyd County Health Department. That report was the result of an X-ray examination of his chest by the mobile unit that visited Prestonsburg in November, 1952.

He had availed himself of the opportunity to have the examination made through the school system for teachers. It was a routine biennial check required by the Floyd County Board of Education. That and nothing more. He thought little of it until the report came. Things changed then. He was a little scared.

He had only started on a career, had been graduated from Eastern State Teachers College that very year. Married and the father of two children, he was teaching at Beay Layne high school. He weighed 141 pounds when he received his report. Worried and mental depression brought that weight down fast.

He went first to Paintsville to have other X-ray pictures made. The doctors could see the spot and so informed him, but he wasn't satisfied. He went to Ashland and the process was repeated. Slowly he began to recover from the shock of what the X-ray picture showed. He began to find himself under the guidance of Mrs. Regina B. Mayo, county tuberculosis nurse.

He was a veteran, and so he went to a Huntington hospital to see that spot the X-ray had found. He stayed a month. The doctors were puzzled for there was a little growth on the upper lobe of his lung. The Huntington doctors sent him to Nicholas General hospital at Louisville. They said it was a tuberculosis.

They operated at the Louisville Veterans hospital and removed the upper lobe of his right lung. Examination of the spot showed growth of tissue revealed that it was a tumor and full of tubercle bacilli. He was down to 129 pounds by this time.

PFC MILLER IN FRANCE WITH U. S. FORCES IN FRANCE
—Pfc Joe W. Miller, whose wife, Geneva, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arria Miller, live in West Prestonsburg, Ky., is returning to the U.S. after serving 18 months with the European Communist Communications Zone in France.

The zone is responsible for the transportation of men and supplies from French ports to U. S. Forces in Germany. Its headquarters is in Orleans, France, and it maintains a base section at La Rochelle.

Miller, a firefighter in the 52nd Engineer Firefighting Platoon, entered the army in May 1951 and arrived overseas in October of that year.

He attended Floyd county school.

WASHINGTON — The Coast Guard sent \$34,390,000 from its budget request, but said the revised estimate would eliminate temporarily a specific security program for national defense.

Funds given the American Cancer Society's 1953 crusade will finance more than \$4,800,000 worth of cancer research next year.

Seven from County Enroll at Morehead

A spring term registration of 98 students brought the total enrollment at Morehead State College to 704, according to the figures released by Registrar Lulus A. Fair at the close of registration. The total for the second semester last year was 892.

Pike, Wharton, and Letcher counties led in number of spring term enrollees, with 16, 15, and 14 respectively.

Students from Floyd county registering at mid-semester were Tillie Josephine Akers, Charlotte Emogene Doran, H. H. Hitt, Ruby Jean Gibson, Minnie Virginia Spence Goble, Emma, Anna Mae Harris, West Prestonsburg; Russell Hunley, Jr., Prestonsburg; and Mildred Osborne, Bensenville. This brings the total of Floyd county students registered at Morehead to 41.

Hunley is regarded as fine material for the Morehead Eagle basketball team, and will be eligible during the coming season. He was a regular with the Mississippi five until he quit school, two months ago.

PVT. DINGUS AT FT. LEE
Pvt. Jack G. Dingus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dingus of Martin, will complete basic training at the Quartermaster Replacement Training Center, Ft. Lee, Va., on April 18.

Pvt. Dingus joined the army on Jan. 15. Before entering service, he was graduated from Maytown high school.

Presently, he is being trained in a specific Quartermaster military occupational specialty. Upon the completion of training he will be assigned to a unit in a permanent position for which he was trained.

Cornborer Is Reported In Eight More Counties

The No. 1 enemy of corn production, the European cornborer, has been found in eight more Kentucky counties, according to the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics. They are Ballard, Carlisle, Graves, Harlan, Hickman, Knott, McCracken and Russell.

The borer has now been reported in 23 Kentucky counties, including about all of the big corn counties. The government estimated the loss last year as 988,479 bushels of corn, worth \$1,500,000.

Church Spring Meet Set for April 21-22

The spring meeting of Ebenezer Presbyterian and Presbyterial will be held April 21 and 22 at the Pikeville Presbyterian Church and College. The Presbyterial is one of the courts of the church and is composed of the pastors and elders from each congregation. The Presbyterial is made up of members of the women's Auxiliaries. Following the history includes churches from Harlan to Pikeville and from Lexington to Pikeville. The Rev. Orville Pearson and others from Prestonsburg will attend the two-day meeting.

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Society Notes

Church Women Meet Regular monthly meeting of the Christian Women of the First Baptist Church of Christ met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Breeding...

HONESTY HONORING MOTHER Mrs. Earl T. Arnett was hostess to a birthday party Saturday evening at her home here...

HOME FOR EASTER A're John Stepp was home for Easter visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stepp...

ATTEND MISSION EDUCATION The following members of the Prestonsburg Presbyterian Church attended the dedication of the Presbyterian mission at Paintsville last Sunday afternoon...

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

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall of Glasgow, Ohio, visited friends and relatives last week-end at Willsboro, Ky., Prestonsburg.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Prestonsburg, Ky. Rev. Orville Pearson, Pastor Sunday: 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship, 7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship...

STATE FIGHTS MAY'S PERMIT

To Seek Writ To Bar Floyd Man from Right To Drive Automobile

If Joe I. May, of Belay Levine, is given the right to drive an automobile again soon, authority to do so will be granted in spite of the Kentucky Revenue Department's protest.

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

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

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

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

Miss Louise Goble, of Arlington, Va., is the guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goble, who also were visited last week by Miss Goble's sister, Miss Charlotte Goble, of the Navy, Paintsville, Md., and Robert Radtke, also of the navy at Paintsville, Md.

Mr. W. J. May, cashier of the Bank building, attended the Central baseball game and the buffet luncheon at the National Plaza hotel, Cincinnati, given Monday by the First National Bank of Cincinnati.

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

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

Needy of County Paid \$151,873 During March By Assistance Division

Needy recipients of Floyd county during the first three months of 1953, the Department of Economic Security's Division of Public Assistance reported this week.

The quarterly averages were \$33.11 to old-age assistance recipients, \$34.19 to families of dependent children, and \$37.10 to the needy blind.

Average monthly payments based on March 1952 figures compared with those of each 1952 show \$26.14 for the needy blind in March of this year, an increase of \$5.56 to each of the 55,888 persons on the rolls last month. There were 63,713 on the rolls in March 1952.

Old dependent children went to 20,708 families last month for an average of \$46.25, compared with an average of \$41.10 to 20,396 families a year ago. Needy blind payments showed a similar trend, with average payments of \$37.09 to 2,654 recipients, compared with an average March 1952 of \$31.35 to 2,528 persons.

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

A plan is one of several articles being redefined by members of homemakers clubs in both county.

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JUNIOR CLUBS IN RALLY DAY

Maytown Club Members Win 7 Championships; 10 Clubs Represented

Two hundred 4-H Club members and leaders from 10 clubs filled the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church for the annual 'Floyd County Junior Club Rally Day' held last Thursday.

Betsy Layne had a slight advantage edge over Maytown by having 59 members and 10 clubs represented in attendance, seven championships and a large number of club ribbons.

Two Floyd clubs were singled out for special achievement awards by the Kentucky and West Virginia State Fair.

Represented at the event were the Banner, Bonanza, Betsy Layne (senior), Betsy Layne (junior), Brandy Key, Maytown, Martin, Fox, Middle Creek, Harold and Spruce Pine clubs.

Ribbons awarded contest winners were provided by the Prestonsburg Brown Swiss Association. A total of 13 third places were represented, respectively, by blue, red and white ribbons.

Results of the various contests: Boys' demonstrations — Donald Love, of Maytown, champion; won a blue ribbon and a purple charm.

Dairy cattle judging — Of the boys entering the dairy judging contest, five of the highest scoring individuals were selected to represent Floyd County 4-Hers in the Brown Swiss Association's Canton Show to be held in Paintsville during the week of May 11.

Girls' demonstrations — Brenda Salyers, of Maytown, champion; Claudena Lowe, Diane Fay Martin, both of Maytown, and Leslie Hall, of Betsy Layne, all received blue ribbons.

Clothing judging — Rena Joyce Salyers, of Maytown, selected the best dress and best jacket over 26 other girls competing.

Canning judging — Deloris Castle, Norma Harvey, Bonnie Hopson, Sandra Hicks, Hazel Wilcox, Oprena Martin, Janet Pratt, Brenda Gehring and Christine Hughes, all of Maytown, and Pauline Brown, of Middle Creek, competed to determine who would go to the district rally. Deloris Castle of Maytown was selected champion over the other girls.

Daphne Martin, of Maytown, was selected county champion over 26 other girls competing in the food judging contest.

Brenda Gayhart, of Maytown, won the style review and will represent Floyd county when she models her dress at the state style review at Lexington in June.

Miss Gayhart was selected county style review winner after competing with 94 other contestants.

During the rally Miss Barbara Oliver, field agent in club work for the University of Kentucky, selected nine girls to send their clothing to the State Fair in September.

Those selected were: Janice Gunnell, of Banner, Daphne Martin, Effie Lee Bailey, of Banner, Peart, Claudena Lowe, Sandra Hicks and Brenda Gayhart, all of Maytown, and Joyce Ann Struggles, of Betsy Layne. This clothing will be sent to the State Fair and entered in the 4-H Club clothing department this fall.

Seventeen club members exhibited bouquets and cup cakes during the rally. Girls receiving blue ribbons for their food exhibits were Patty Ellis, of Betsy Layne; Betty Layne, of Betsy Layne; and Betty Layne, of Betsy Layne.

Janice Allen, Focks of Middle Creek, Beulah Akers, Brandy Key, of Betsy Layne, and Maytown, and Joyce Salyers, of Maytown, with her speech, 'The Advantages of Rural Living,' received top honors in the girls' public speaking contest. Miss Salyers, along with other champions selected in the various contests, will represent Floyd County and the other 4-H club members in the district rally to be held in Paintsville, May 28.

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Drift Town Meeting Views Garage Plan; Women Heading Move

A move begun by the Drift Women's Club resulted in a town meeting held Tuesday night, attended by approximately 50 persons, and out of that meeting is expected to evolve a garbage collection and disposal system for the community.

Dr. W. Clark and J. M. Stumbo, military inspectors with the Floyd County Health Department, appeared as speakers at the meeting. Committees were named to procure a site for a garbage dump and to enlist pledges of citizens to support the work.

A second meeting is scheduled next Thursday night, Mrs. Rex Adams said.

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Floyd County Girls In Morehead Show

Two Floyd county high school graduates were featured in the Yearly Show presented to the student body of Morehead State College on Thursday, April 2, in the college auditorium. The Floyd girls' and boys' show were Barbara Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen of Allen, and Virginia Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Mel Wilson of Prestonsburg.

The show was presented at the school convention as a combined effort of residents of Allen, Young Hall, college girls dormitory. It consisted of monologues, songs, dances, piano recitals and a play.

Carole Ellis, nine children from 2 to 13 years of age, than won an other disease, American Cancer Society's signature show.

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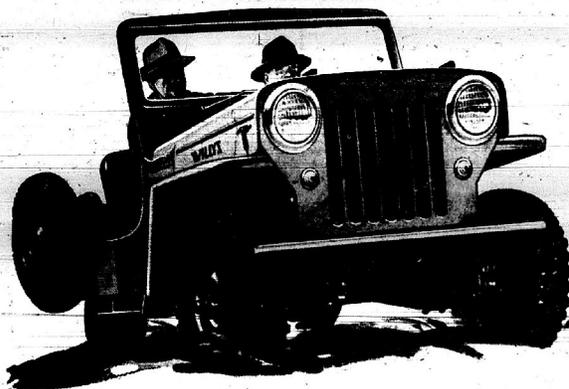
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Scout Troop 20 Here, W. Van Lear Explorers Win Benefit Tournament

One hundred sixty Boy Scouts of the Young Wiley district participated here last week in the basketball tournament staged as a benefit for the P. J. Scout camp on Dewey Lake.

Prestonsburg Troop 21 won the event championship Saturday night, defeating their neighbors, Scout Troop 20 of Festenburg, 31 to 27, and West Van Lear defeated David for the Explorer title in a nip-and-tuck final, 46 to 35.

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

Play began last Wednesday. Starts up to the championship games today.

Wednesday — West Van Lear Scouts 49, Wheelwright 37, West Van Lear Explorers 75, Wheelwright 43.

Thursday — Prestonsburg Scout Troop 21, 29, David 21; David Explorers 30, Prestonsburg Troop 21, 25; Price Scouts 35, Allen 33; Price Explorers defeated Allen score unobtainable.

Friday — West Van Lear Scouts 28, Cliff 23; West Van Lear Explorers 51, Cliff 34; Prestonsburg Scout Troop 20, 29, McDowell 29; Prestonsburg Troop 20 Explorers 31, McDowell 37.

Saturday afternoon — Prestonsburg Troop 20, Scout 47, Price 41; 21st Explorers 52, Price 49; Prestonsburg Scout Troop 20, 34, West Van Lear 19; West Van Lear Explorers 42; Prestonsburg Troop 20, 18.

March Bond Purchases In Floyd, \$30,356.00

During the month of March, the citizens of Floyd county invested \$30,356 in Series E, U. S. Savings Bonds. Cumulative sales of \$4,900 for Floyd county represent 20.7% of the county's annual sales total of \$24,000.

For the entire state of Kentucky, March purchases amounted to \$4,122,586. Cumulative sales of \$14,449,288 represent 24.4% of the \$59.3 million goal.

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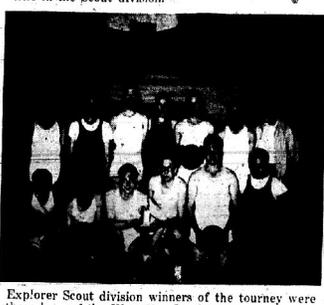
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Prestonsburg Troop No. 21, winners of the basketball title in the Scout division.



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

HIGHWAY DEPT PLANS ACTION

Against Persons Who Dump Roadside Debris; Noonan Issues Orders

J. P. Noonan, Pikeville, Highway Department district engineer, issued instructions last week to enforcement and maintenance superintendents to take such measures as are necessary to enforce the law against dumping trash and all forms of debris on state road rights-of-way.

A dozen or more roadside spots in this county will be cleaned up by highway employes using graders, and some of these later may be planted in trees, it was said here. Any person found dumping trash will be arrested and prosecuted.

Mr. Noonan said the Highway Department has emphasized the importance of this work for any person convicted of throwing trash, debris or litter on rights-of-way. Noonan also called attention to property owners encroaching upon the rights-of-way by piling and planting, a practice which he said would not be tolerated this year.

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

The Kentucky Corn Derby rules and awards for this year have been released by O. E. Boops, county agent. The Derby runs, Mr. Boops said, are to stimulate interest in producing high yields to teach practical methods of production and raise Kentucky's average yield to 70 bushels or more by 1960.

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

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

Any Kentucky farmer, adult or junior, who enrolls in a recognized county corn derby conducted by the county agent, and who complies with the rules prescribed therefor, can enter the Kentucky Corn Derby. A county corn derby must have at least six entrants, of which at least three complete their harvesting records. An entrant is not eligible to compete in both the one-acre and five-acre classes.

Entrants must be enrolled before May 1. Boops said he will report the enrollment to the State Agronomy department by May 15.

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TO ORGANIZE PARK ASS'N

Industrial Foundation Calls Meet April 30th, Asher Informs Leaders

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

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

Such an organization has been suggested by State Conservation Commissioner Henry Ward. The subject of a state park in the reservoir area was discussed at the Town Hall meeting held in Ashland last November.

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

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

Present objectives of the Foundation include assistance in the program of local industrial and assistance in the handling of projects from out-of-state industries that may choose Eastern Kentucky as their site.

The Foundation has requested that each newspaper published in the entire 14-county area carry a weekly column highlighting progressive development and suggesting local industrial potentials from available natural resources.

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IMOGENE MOORE FOR CLERK

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



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

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

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

I am a native Floyd county girl born at Printer, on Left River between McDowell and Harbert. I spent my childhood years before moving to McDowell, Ky.

My father is Walter Stumbo, son of Bill and Artie Selinsky Stumbo of Printer. His brothers are Charles of Lancaster, Perry of Betsy Layne, Henry of Kendall of Printer and Dr. J. A. of Martin. His sisters are Viola S. Allyn, Printer; Ida S. Williams, Printer; Maude S. Hill, McDowell; Ardisa S. Clifton, Allen and Chaddon S. Conn, deceased and Esakona S. Carroll, deceased; Mona S. Munier, and Bertha Stumbo.

Grandmother Stumbo's brothers were Tom and Bitter, deceased and Montan Stumbo of Price Hill. Her sisters were Nancy Martin, Todd Aker, Elizabeth (Laidie) Stumbo, Kitt Saltburn and Mary Patton. My grandmother Stumbo was the sister of Joe Kirby, and Parm Saltburn, Mitt Allen, Mima Hayes, Louise Stumbo and Isabella Stumbo.

My mother is the daughter of Earl and Jennie Harbert Spurluck. Since grandfather Spurluck died, while mother was only a baby,

RECOMMENDATION FOR CLERK

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Floyd County Students On Spiritual Emphasis Program at Morehead

Leo Osborne, of Mt. Hat, Hugh Stumbo, of Prestonsburg, and Jack Elkins, of Harbnd—were on the program for Spiritual Emphasis Week at Morehead State College recently. Morehead's formal observance of Religious Emphasis Week began on Wednesday, March 23, and carried on through the week. It was highlighted by assemblies and informal meetings.

Leo Osborne presided over the assembly on "Courtship, Marriage, and Home" held in the student lounge. Mr. Osborne was graduated from Morehead high school in 1940 and is majoring in business administration at the college. He is senior class representative on the Student Council and a president of the Kappa Mu Club.

Hugh Stumbo presided over an informal meeting also held in the student lounge, on Thursday. Mr. Stumbo is a senior on campus and was graduated from Martin high school in 1934. He is majoring in art, and is a member of Kappa Delta Psi Fraternity, Beta Xi Club and the Campus Club. He is vice-president of the Student Council, and was elected to represent Morehead College in this year's "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Jack Elkins presided over the special convocation meeting held in the student lounge. Mr. Elkins is attending the college on the G. I. Bill and is majoring in commerce. Mr. Osborne and Rex Akers, of Dana, were elected to club offices on the Morehead State College campus in recent days.

Mr. Osborne was re-elected to his office of president of the Kappa Mu Club. The membership in the Kappa Mu Club is sponsored by major and minors in commerce who maintain a scholastic standing of better than "C", with a superior standing in commerce.

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

DRIFT

The Drift Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. H. D. Hewlett, April 6. Presiding by Mr. Lloyd Stumbo of "The Reurrection" was an early part of the program. The president read a letter of thanks from the Red Cross. She also read a letter from Mrs. Regina Mayo, announcing that the T.B. mobile unit will be in Martin on April 23 and 24.

On April 24, the Drift club will supply clerks for the unit. Those who volunteered are Mrs. Alan Reed, Mrs. J. Cahill, Mrs. Alvin Reed, Jackie Hall, Mrs. Ray Turner, Mrs. Rex Ankrom. Transportation will also be supplied by club members. Anyone desiring a ride, please at Turner Elkhorn office. Miss Catherine Reed, Mrs. Dick Showers and Mrs. F. T. Jones will be drivers.

A letter from Mrs. J. C. Spurlin was read on the Heart Drive in Floyd county which went over the top by 200.

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

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

Milton Stumbo, sanitary inspector offered his services, attended the meeting and outlined a plan of action. The Club is anxious to sponsor a real clean-up campaign in Drift before hot weather. It is announcing a town meeting at the Drift school, April 18, at 7 p.m. Any resident of the community who is interested is welcome to attend. There will be speakers.

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

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

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GOVERNOR EXPLAINS REASON FOR REDUCING EXPENDITURES

By GOV. LAWRENCE WETHERBY

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

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

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

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

It became apparent last November that General Fund receipts were lagging behind the amounts which had been anticipated. Loss of revenue from whiskey production and tax cuts in receipts from corporate income taxes below the estimates upset the calculations.

Based on these reports, I asked all state agencies to effect savings curtailments and postpone programs not already under way. Through these means, a reduction of approximately \$2,000,000 in spending was sought about March 1.

Early in March it began to appear that hopes that General Fund receipts would reach \$75,000,000 or \$76,000,000 for the year would not be realized. An analysis of individual income tax returns indicated that the estimate of total revenue from this source would not be reached. Accordingly, I called a meeting of the Governor's Cabinet on March 25 and asked that spending be watched carefully.

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

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

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

ernment will be continued, and the less necessary functions be curtailed. We must approach the problem in the same way we would have had we known in January of 1953 that only \$74,000,000 could be appropriated for this year and \$76,000,000 for next year.

Pike Mine Explosion Probe To Widen Study Of Situation in Valley

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLEN

Mrs. Madeline William Lyon, John Snodgrass, Willie Howard, Bert Ouldwell and Russell Laven, of Allen and Mrs. Earl Brewer, of Corvett, attended the state Woman's Missionary Union meeting in Lexington, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

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

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

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

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

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

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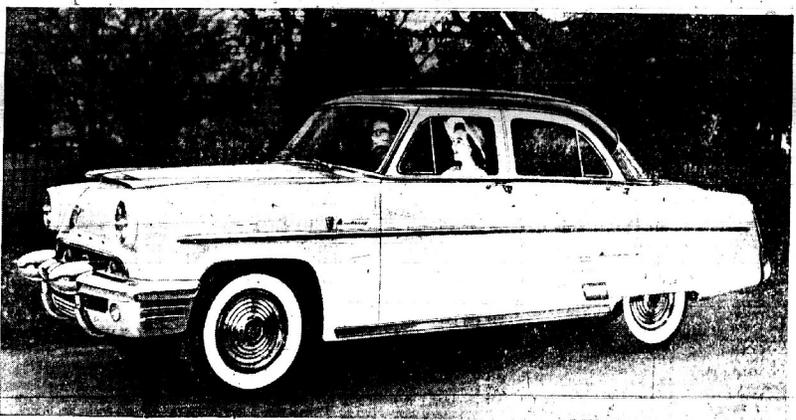
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<p>MEN'S NECKSUCKER SPORT SHIRTS and Fancies in short sleeves. Reg. \$2.58. Sale price \$1.69 ea.</p>	<p>GIRLS' One Strap and Nylon Mesh SHOES Sizes from 5 1/2 to large 3. Values to \$5.95. Sale price \$2.98 pr.</p>	<p>BOYS' CREPE SOLE OXFORDS and others. Sizes from 6 to 2. Reg. price up to \$5.95. Sale price \$2.98 pr.</p>	<p>LADIES' NYLON and CREPE BLOUSES AND SHEERS Values up to \$9.95. Sale price \$1.98 up</p>	<p>LADIES' SATIN SLIPS CREPES, ETC. Reg. \$4.95. Sale price 98c</p>	<p>Another Rack of NYLON, RAYONS, and SHEERS, CREPE DRESSES Sold as high as \$7.98. 10 to 32, 18 1/2 to 24 1/2. Sale price \$2.98 ea.</p>
<p>MEN'S ALL WOOL SPORT COATS CHECKS, SOLIDS and PLAINS. Reg. up to \$29.95. Sale price \$14.95 ea.</p>	<p>LADIES' BLOUSES In prints and solids. Sizes 10 to 20. Sale price 98c ea.</p>	<p>MEN'S NYLON SPORT JACKETS Eisenhower style in checks and cord. Value \$8.95 Sale price \$4.98</p>	<p>BOYS' 8-OUNCE OVERALL PANTS Reg. \$7.98 Size 8 to 16. Sale price \$1.69</p>	<p>GIRLS' GABERDINE and SHARKSKIN SUITS Reg. prices up to \$29.95. 6 to 11. Sale price \$4.98</p>	<p>GIRLS' TOPPERS and COATS Sizes 6 to 11. Values up to \$12.95. Sale price \$5.98 ea.</p>
<p>MEN'S OXFORDS Sizes 6 to 11. Reg. prices up to \$9.95. Sale price \$4.98 pr.</p>	<p>ONE GROUP OF NATIONALLY ADVERTISED MEN'S OXFORDS Reg. \$14.95. Sale price \$6.95 pr.</p>	<p>MEN'S NATIONALLY ADVERTISED SUITS All-wool, imported and all-wool gaberdines. Some with 2 pair pants. Sorry, cannot mention manufacturer's name. Sale price \$39.95</p>	<p>BOYS' LACE-BACK PANTS Sizes 8 to 18. Reg. \$2.98 Sale price \$1.98</p>	<p>BOYS' GABERDINE TOP COATS and hats to match. Reg. price \$10.95. Sale price \$5.98 ea.</p>	<p>LADIES' NYLON PANTIES In all colors and sizes. Triest knit. Value \$1.98. Sale price 69c pr.</p>

Store will close Friday noon for markdown and will open for the sale SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 8:00 a.m.

Due to lack of space, we will not be able to put all the items on this page that are on sale so come and see for yourself the thousands of bargains at Cury's.

Sale starts at Cury's Dept. Store, Prestonsburg, Saturday, April 18, 8 a.m., sharp.

P. S. Don't forget our Printzess, Lou Schneider and other coats and suits and toppers that are not in this circular are greatly reduced. Prices have actually tumbled and crashed.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
We are authorized to announce
E. H. STUMBO
of Harlow, as a candidate for
REPRESENTATIVE
from the 97th legislative district
of Floyd county, subject to the action
of the Democratic party at their
August 1, primary.

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

ULYSES S. COLLINS
of Eastern Ky., for
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
56th Legislative District, including
Magisterial districts Nos. 1 and 2.
Democratic primary, Aug. 1,
3-26-53-nd.

We are authorized to announce
SCOTT WALLLEN
president of Local 888 of U.M.W.A.
of Wheelwright, Ky., as a candidate
for SHERIFF of Floyd county,
subject to the action of the Democratic
primary, August 1, 1953.

MILFORD "Doc" WELLS
of Prestonsburg, Ky., for
REPRESENTATIVE
96th Legislative District, Magisterial
districts 1 and 2.
Democratic primary, Aug. 1,
4-24-53.

We are authorized to announce
7. J. BINGHAM
of Clay, Ky., as a candidate for
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY
Subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1953 pri-
mary election.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
JARVIS ALLEN
Democratic candidate for
COUNTY JUDGE
Primary election, August 1,
1-29-53.

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

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

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

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

We are authorized to announce
I. W. M. TURNER, would like to
announce myself as a candidate for
Jailer of Floyd County on the Demo-
cratic ticket.
I am 70 years old and have lived
on Levi Weaver's of this county most
of my life. This is the first time
I have ever asked for an office in
this county and I would like for the
votes to come forward in this elec-
tion. Your votes will be highly ap-
preciated.
Most sincerely your friend,
W. M. TURNER



The office of County Attorney
Burnie Martin is that man.
FRIENDS OF BURNIE MARTIN

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

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

We are authorized to announce
GROVER C. DESKINS
as a candidate for
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August 1 pri-
mary.
3-24-53

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

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

ANNOUNCING
HAZEL DAMRON GEORGE
(Teacher)
For
COUNTY COURT CLERK
(Democrat)
2-26-53-nd.

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

We are authorized to announce
HENRY C. HALE
of Blue River, Ky., as a candidate
for COUNTY COURT CLERK
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1953
primary.
3-24-53

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

We are authorized to announce
HOMER WICKER
as a candidate for
COUNTY COURT CLERK
of Floyd county, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic party at
their August 1, 1953, primary.

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

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

We are authorized to announce
FERRY COSLEY
a crippled man of Blaine, son of
the late Lam Ouley, for
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY
Democratic primary, August 1,
3-24-53

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

We are authorized to announce
JERRY B. STEPHENS
of Prestonsburg, for
JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY
Democratic primary election, August 1,
3-24-53-nd.

We are authorized to announce
HARRY B. PRATER
CANDIDATE FOR JAILER
To the Voters of Floyd County:
I am a coal miner and I am one
hundred percent union man. I am
a member of Local Union 778 at
Day, Ky., and I am not making
any promises I would like to serve
as your Jailer I want to get ahead
and give the laboring man a
chance and vote for HARRY B.
PRATER.
4-9-53-nd.

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

We are authorized to announce
SAMFORD REPPETT
of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for
SHERIFF
Democratic primary, August 1,
4-2-53-nd.

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AMOS GRAY
of Prestonsburg as a candidate for
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subject to the action of the Demo-
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subject to the action of the Demo-
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FOR TAX COMMISSIONER
We are authorized to announce
MAMIE CONLEY
of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate
for TAX COMMISSIONER
Subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1953
primary election.
3-26-53-nd.

Announcing Bill Hall
For SHERIFF
To the People of Floyd County:
Among the five candidates for
sheriff, four years ago, 2,882 of you
cast your vote for me, Bill Hall.
I am a second time coal miner for
two years, an honor for which I am deeply
grateful to the people of Floyd county.
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two years, an honor for which I am deeply
grateful to the people of Floyd county.
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FOR TAX COMMISSIONER
CLIVE AKERS
of Drift, Ky.
Democratic primary, Aug. 1.

FOR MAGISTRATE
JOHN MAY
of Lanesby, Ky., as a candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 4
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1953
primary election.

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

We are authorized to announce
JESSE WALLLEN
of Water Gap, Ky., as a candidate
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 1,
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1953 pri-
mary.
1-29-53

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

We are authorized to announce
HELS MARTIN
of Bonanza, Ky., as a candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3
Democratic primary, Aug. 1

We are authorized to announce
JOHN N. BURCHETT
of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 7
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August primary
election.

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

M. C. WRIGHT
of Eastern, Democrat candidate
for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 2
Primary election, August 1.
This is my last time; will soon be
20 years old. All those who
believe in fairness and honesty and
peace in our community My record
is open to the public.
2-26-10-nd.

We are authorized to announce
WALTON BERTONOLS
of Towsley, Ky., as a candidate for
MAGISTRATE DIST. NO. 4
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the Aug. 1, 1953 pri-
mary.
4-9-53-nd.

We are authorized to announce
OARL RAY FRAYLEY
son of Ray Frayley, of Wayland, Ky.,
as a candidate for
MAGISTRATE, District 2
subject to the action of the Repub-
lican party at the August primary
election.

We are authorized to announce
W. M. (BILL) SKENTON
of Hueysville, Ky., for
MAGISTRATE, Dist. 2.
Republican primary.
4-9-53-nd.

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

We are authorized to announce
JAMES REYNOLDS
of Constable, Dist. No. 1
Primary election, August 1.
3-28-53-nd.

FOR CONSTABLE
JEWEL D. "STIMMY"
FITZPATRICK
Democrat for
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1
Primary election, August 1.
3-28-53-nd.

We are authorized to announce
CORBIN JOSEPH
of Prestonsburg as a candidate for
CONSTABLE, Dist. No. 1
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the primary election,
August 1.
3-28-53-nd.

RATES FOR CONSTABLE, Dist. 3:
I, Kenneth Bates of Berninville, a
local union member of 5899, wish
to announce myself a candidate on
the Democratic ticket for constable
of District 3, Floyd county, Ken-
tucky. If elected by the people, I
will serve the people. A vote for me
is a vote for a sober and honest
man.
Your support will be appreciated.

WEEKWRIGHT LODGE
No. 889
F. & A. M.
Meets each second and
fourth Wednesday

To the Democratic Voters
Of Magisterial District 3:
I become a candidate for Magis-
trate because I am interested in
the welfare of my community. I am
a member of the U. M. W. of Ameri-
can for 20 years and have been a
miner more than 20 years. Through-
out these long, hard years of work I
have learned to understand and to
appreciate other people and the
better things of life.
This understanding and apprecia-
tion qualifies me to be a good
Magistrate.
The things I am most concerned
about:
1. When our hospital is built at
McDowell all roads in our district
and county should, if possible, be
kept open 12 months a year.
2. My work in the fiscal court
will be honest and above-board at
all times.
3. In holding court at home I
will be honest and impartial to ev-
eryone, with no special privilege to
any one.
If you Democratic Voters of Dis-
trict No. 3 nominate and elect me
Magistrate, I can and will make a
good official.
JOHN C. HUFF
President, Local Union 8915,
Drift, Ky.
4-10-53-nd.

1,035 Kentucky Veterans
Of Korea Draw Benefits,
Vets Administration Says
Veterans Administration reported
the number of post-Korea veterans
and their dependents or beneficia-
ries who are receiving certain fed-
eral benefits under laws enacted by
the Congress.
Nearly 44,000 post-Korea veter-
ans are drawing compensation for dis-
abilities incurred or aggravated by
service since June 27, 1950.
Of this number, 1,035 are Ken-
tucky veterans who are drawing dis-
ability pay, and 833 of these are
being compensated for disabilities
incurred or aggravated since June
27, 1950.
In addition to the 43,833 veterans
on the compensation roll as of
February 28, 1953, VA had award-
ed compensation to 23,210 widows,
children or dependent parents al-
though 17,351 veterans whose
deaths were due to service since
June 27, 1950.
VA is also making 10,592 monthly
payments to beneficiaries of veter-
ans whose death was due to service
since June 27, 1950. These payments
are being made under the Service-
men's Indemnity Act of 1951.
Nearly 5,000 of these indemnity
payments were for less than \$10,000,
because the veterans were partially
covered by either national service
life insurance—United States Con-
sumers Life insurance, or
NSLI or USGLI payments have
been or are being made to 25,219
beneficiaries of servicemen and wom-
en who died in service since June
27, 1950.
Of the nearly 44,000 post-Korea
disabled veterans, with compensable
disabilities, more than 2,000 are re-
ceiving vocational training in
schools and colleges, on-the-job,
and on-the-farm under federal law.
Ray F. Adams, manager of the re-
gional office for Kentucky, an-
nounced that there are 1,035 post-
Korea veterans in Kentucky who
are drawing disability compensa-
tion. Of this total, 838 are receiving
compensation for disabilities
incurred or aggravated by service
since June 27, 1950.

Miss May in Cast
Of Religious Drama
Miss Libby Lee May, of Maytown,
is a member of the cast of "Job,"
the religious drama Georgetown Col-
lege is giving over the state this
year. The cast goes on a 10-day tour
early in June.
Kentucky Baptists will hold their
first religious drama clinic in Geor-
getown, April 28. Similar clinics have
been given annually at Ridgecrest
assemblies for years. The Southern
Baptist Radio Commission, an pre-
paratory regional drama clinic in
stewardship schools this year, and
the Baptist Motion Picture Ministry
is doubling the output of dramatic
films this year.
4-10-53-nd.

TO THE PEOPLE
OF FLOYD COUNTY:
This is to announce my candidacy
on the Democratic ticket for County
Judge of Floyd county.
I have worked hard to do a good
job for the people. None of us suc-
ceed in everything we attempt to
do, there are none who do not make
mistakes along the way. But I sub-
mit in all earnestness that I have
succeeded in doing many needed
things for our county, such as the
improvement of roads, the paying
off of much of the outstanding debt
and reaching out to the ordinary
citizen who needs help; and I also
say that whatever mistakes I may
have made, I have done so in error
of judgment, and not mistakes promp-
ted by any intention at any time to
do wrong.
Later, I will point out in detail
the work I have done and the things
achieved. My record will be open to
you all.
Your support will be deeply ap-
preciated.
(Pol. adv.) HENRY STUMBO

DR. J. F. SIMPSON
OPTOMETRIST
Eyes Examined • Glasses Prescribed
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GIVE TO FIGHT CANCER — President Dwight D. Eisenhower points out one of the ways to control cancer is to give to the American Cancer Society. During April, which the President proclaims as Cancer Control Month, volunteers raise funds for a program to help save 70,000 lives from cancer in 1953.

Mining Employment Skids To New Fifteen Year Low Says Security Department

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

The downward trend in coal-mining jobs started in earnest a year ago in March of 1952. At that time there were 50,000 working in Kentucky's mines. A year later, at the end of last February, only 42,700 miners were still on the job. The Division of Unemployment Insurance reported a total of \$1,306,077 in jobless benefits was paid out in February. This is 5 per cent higher than January payments and 25 per cent greater than the amount paid out in February a year ago. January payments to former employees of the construction industry amounted to about a third of the total. Unemployed miners collected 18 per cent.

Fishing Editors' Tour Set for April 19-26

Frankfort, Ky., April 19.—Some 25 fishing and outdoor writers and editors from throughout the east and midwest will visit some of Kentucky's top fishing places on a tour sponsored by the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce April 19-26.

The visitors, representing some of the nation's largest fishing and sports publications and newspapers, will try their luck in Kentucky waters on the invitation of Kentucky's fisherman-Governor, Lawrence W. Wetherby, who sees the tour as a means of putting Kentucky as a fishing state. The Governor will accompany the writers on most of the tour.

Included in the itinerary for the event are four full days of fishing from several spots on Cumberland and Kentucky Lake, visits to four state parks and inspection of the game farm operated here by the State Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources.

The party will assemble in Louisville Sunday afternoon, April 19, and leave for Frankfort to inspect the game farm and have dinner. They will leave Frankfort the next morning after breakfast at the Governor's mansion and will the Bluegrass section of the state. Cumberland Falls State Park will be the stopping place that night.

Fishing is scheduled April 21 from Camp Wallace on Lake Cumberland and the group will spend the night at the camp. The next day the party will fish from Camp Wallace and Lake Cumberland State Park and will spend the night at the park.

A trip to Kentucky Lake is scheduled for April 25 and fishing in the afternoon will be from Kentucky Lake State Park. Fishing from the park and from Camp Carter will be the next day before the group moves on to Kentucky C. on Valley State Park.

The visitors will fish there April 25 and will leave for Louisville or their departure point next morning.

Barkley Sturgill, P. burg, Passes Bar Examination
Among the 31 successful candidates at the recent bar examination held at Frankfort was Barkley Sturgill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill, the Court of Appeals was advised Monday.

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

CONTRACTS AWARDED
Frankfort, Ky. — The State Department of Highways awarded contracts for improvement of 41 miles of road to east an estimated \$1,000,000— to Todd, Russell, Anderson, Madison, Menzies, Mercer and Simpson counties.

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

John Bevens, 40, of Endicott, died last Friday, April 12, at his home on Buffalo Creek. Tuberculosis was said to have been the cause of death. He had been ill for about two years.

He was the son of H. and Rosa Plunon Bevens of Pike county and the husband of Tennessee Thompson Bevens, who survives.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Rosa Higgins of Detroit, and the following children: Dr. Perry, Mrs. John W. Martin, Mrs. W. H. Deane, John, Jr., Cary, Kenneth and Shirley Temple, all at home. Also surviving are two daughters and four sisters, all residents of Detroit, except Mrs. Fona's daughter of Endicott.

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

GARRETT

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

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

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

Hostesses for the occasion, were Miss Thomas Harlow, Mrs. S. D. Howard and M. S. R. F. Vinson, with Mrs. R. H. Mosser in charge of the floral decorations.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Silvers and sons were Pontiacville visitors over the weekend.

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

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

T. J. Bingham, Richard Spricker and Bernard Chan were Endicott visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hewlett and daughter, Pat, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore and baby daughter, of Columbus Ohio, are in the area. Mrs. Moore is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nellie Moore.

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

Doug Hays has been spending a fun-filled week with his father, Troy Hays, Doug is in the navy and will sail for England soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pante and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hays Sunday.

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

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

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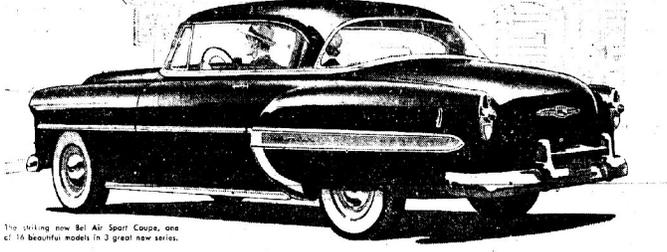


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