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THURSDAY

This Town— That World

WEATHER REPORT: The lightning did not strike, the mass of hot air moved on west and there was a noticeable cooling-off in Kentucky.

PARTNERS IN CRIME

Last Sunday's newspapers published the list of Kentucky gamblers who had procured federal stamps and who thus by paying off the government were counted as far as United States officers and courts go. The same thing is done by bootleggers, the same immunity is assured by Uncle Sam. It all adds up to a ridiculous situation when the highest law of the land accepts pay from persons who are breaking the laws of individual states or counties.

But what we started out to ask was—Wonder why the federal authorities do not release for publication the names of all liquor dealers in dry territory who have bought federal stamps and so have only local officers and courts to fear?

No moonshiner or bootlegger is ever prosecuted and the federal government because he makes or sells stuff that makes potentially good money and which makes our vaunted law and order a joke, but because he has not paid the government by having himself an immunity stamp.

IN RE CATS AND OTHERS

The man claimed he was feeding eight or ten cats, including those of his neighbors, and that he felt good in doing so because

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MASTER PLAN ON PARK JOB

**Is Received During Week
By Breaks Group; Early
Work Bids To Be Asked**

The Breaks Interstate Park Commission received Monday the final master plan for work along the Kentucky-Virginia border from a firm of Lexington land surveying architects.

Commission Chairman K. J. Day, Pikeville, said the firm Striggs & Hammond, is also under contract to draw up blueprints for some of the construction projects. He expects the prints in several weeks, and will call another commission meeting after receiving them.

The master plan located positions for a caretaker's home, concession stands, water tank, water lines, and picnic shelters. Day said the commission would advise for both sides of the border the drawings for these projects.

Marvin Kreiser, secretary of the Johnson City, Tenn. Chamber of Commerce, said that last week for the position of part superintendent at a job the commission had not decided definitely to establish.

Kreiser's appointment was impressive. Day said, "Working experience in auditing work was president of the Southwest Valley Association a three-state development program in the Park area, River Valley.

Breaks Park consists of some 1,200 acres, part of them on each side of the state line near Pikeville.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Anna S. Bramham, et al. vs. Tom Daniels, et al. J. D. Clark, atty. Lowell Howard vs. Ernest Prater, W. B. Burchett, atty. I. J. Hall, W. B. Burchett, atty. J. H. Burchett, atty. Dorothy Burke, atty. vs. Department of Highway, et al. W. B. Burchett, atty. Madeline Joyce Allen vs. Kenneth Allen T. L. Hibbits, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Otha Campbell, 31, of Boone Station, Md., and Delores Hoover, 21, of Craynor, married at Friday Aug. 15 by Elder E. W. Hamilton, pastor, 22, of Boone Station, Md., and Alice Garrett James W. McKinney, 21, of Princeton, and Jeanne Gibson, 16, of West Downs, both of Boone Station, Md., were married at Martin Aug. 16 by the Rev. Robert L. Martin, pastor, 27, of Boone Station, Md., and Adriaana Francis,

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Shortage of Teachers Seen For School Opening Monday

FOUR LARGER SCHOOLS SHY OF TEACHERS

**Qualifications Demand,
Pay Create Shortages
Of East Ky. Teachers**

As the county's 10 largest schools prepared this week for next Monday's opening of their high school and grade departments a definite shortage of teachers is being reported by principals at these schools and the office of the county superintendent of schools.

"We're worried," Superintendent Virgil O. Turner admitted, "but," he added, "we still aren't as hard hit as some other counties in this section."

The trouble is centered mostly in the high schools, and it has developed from more than one cause, notably two:

1. The demand by the State Department of Education for fully licensed teachers in all schools in compliance with ideals of the Minimum Foundation Program.

2. Competition from other states where teacher salary increases have been greater than in Kentucky and where teaching standards have been lowered rather than raised.

This State Department's rule was relaxed last week. "But it came too late," Mr. Turner said. "We had our teachers on their masters' degree, but Frankford said, 'No,'" commented D. W. Howard, principal of one of the three schools hardest hit.

FLOYD TOWN ENTERS TEST

**Martin in Competition
With Other Area Towns
In Civic Improvements**

Martin has entered into competition with other towns representing a development of the distinction of being the most civic-minded community. Denzil Halbert, Martin mayor, said last week.

A. H. Jopp, of the Kentucky Power Company, Pikeville, made the point that the town of Martin citizens it was said that the power company is interested in the development of Eastern Kentucky and that competition between towns to make civic improvements offers the right type of stimulus for creating improvements.

Kentucky Power Company is offering a contest offered to the general Eastern Kentucky area, the Virginia line.

Results of the first meeting found three projects which were tentatively planned: (1) Building of sidewalks throughout town; (2) the resurfacing of broken streets; (3) replacing the walkways on the Town Bridge; and (4) erecting a new Post Office building.

The Martin mayor said that beside the home of being the most progressive town in Eastern Kentucky, cash awards will be given to the town that has the most money in the \$150, second prize, \$100, and third, \$50.

The addition of two buildings, nearly completed in helping the outward expansion of Martin, Halbert said. E. C. Slade has proposed for his Cotton Radio and opposite the Hall Brothers Funeral Home, and Hargis Colton, building adjacent to the Slade structure, is finishing a \$15,000 building. According to Colton, the two-story brick building will be completed in helping the TV Repair on the bottom floor, with apartments on the upper level.

Halbert pointed out that several homes are being built around Martin. One home, already completed, was built by Tom Hampton, and three other homes, of similar construction, are being completed. These homes, Halbert concluded, are making Martin a more attractive community.

COUNCIL FAILS TO VOTE ACT

**Ban on Shorts-Wearing
Does Not Reach a Vote;
Council Commends Group**

A long City Council session of about two hours Monday evening failed to produce the requested ordinance forbidding the wearing of shorts by women and by girls 10 years of age or over on the streets and in public places of Prestonburg.

Instead, the Council authorized a resolution, signed by Mayor Harry Sandipe, pointing out that the shorts-wearing ordinance of the City Council cannot enforce such an ordinance in this regard, and... it is strictly a problem of the parents, primarily, and the churches, who we believe should take a part in this matter.

The legal reasons referred to, it was later explained, are those which require juvenile court action in the prosecution of minors, which would remove authority from police court to a court presided over by the county judge.

The meeting was attended by a sizeable delegation, all or practically all of whom are members of local churches but who did not appear as official church representatives.

The Council went on record in its resolution "in commending the work of these representatives of the churches of our city" and the citizens interested in the work, and suggested that the parents be encouraged to meet their obligation to their children, their church and their community to the end that teen-age girls and women, or other visitors or boarders, not appear on the streets or in business places in this city attired in shorts."

STADIUM HERE HELD DISTANT

**Other Needs Too Urgent
To Permit Improvement;
Team To Use Old Field**

Prestonburg high school's Black Cats will continue to use the "playground" at the grade school as a football field at least through the season now almost ready to begin.

This was announced Tuesday following discussion of the new field program here between the Prestonburg Athletic Association and the County Board of Education.

A concrete stadium for the field adjacent to the new high school and the big athletic gymnasium building has been the Athletic Association's dream, but other needs are greater. The Board has pointed out.

An executive committee composed of the principal of the high school and two or three members of the Athletic Association will be named to determine the need for purchases of the athletic supplies and to avoid excess buying. Funds derived from school athletics will be handled through the Board, it was decided.

Only if a surplus is built up in the school's athletic fund can funds accruing from athletics be spent on improving the new field, Hubbard Francis, Jr., president of the Athletic Association, said. "The school's athletic fund membership drives stays, however, with the Association and may be spent as it desires."

Red Weaver Resigns As Reservoir Manager Effective September 1

J. R. (Red) Weaver, manager of Dewey Reservoir, announced this week that he has resigned his post at Dewey Lake to re-enter the construction phase of operations of the U. S. Corps of Engineers. Mr. Weaver and family expect to leave Sept. 1 at Green up where construction is being carried on by the Corps of Engineers.

Weaver of Covington, football player, became Dewey Reservoir manager in 1953, following the resignation of W. H. Wright. Now Ewald H. Sussinger has not been named.

Wells To Supervise State Probation Work In Ten Judicial Dist.

Appointment of James Milford (Tooley) Wells of Prestonburg and Morehead as supervisor of probation in 10 Eastern Kentucky judicial districts was announced this week in Frankfort.

Mr. Wells' work with the Probation Department will include supervision of the 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd and 43rd judicial districts. Rowan county is included in his area, and since he has built a home there Mr. Wells is expected to make Morehead his headquarters. He is a son of Commodore and Mrs. Sam Wells of Prestonburg, and is widely known in this section, particularly in the field of athletics.

URGENT COOPER FOR 2nd SPOT

**County GOP Chairman,
Evans Say Kentuckian
Should Get Nixon Post**

Although the Kentucky delegation to the Republican national convention is in San Francisco, committed to the nomination of Dwight D. Eisenhower, two Floyd County GOP leaders vociferously urged the nomination of the state delegation Monday.

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Churches Are Granted Exhibits Space at Fair

Space for devotional and exhibits by churches at the Pigeon County Fair, scheduled for Sept. 19-22, was voted by the Fair board last week.

The board also voted to provide that they must furnish the construction phase of operations of the U. S. Corps of Engineers. Mr. Weaver and family expect to leave Sept. 1 at Green up where construction is being carried on by the Corps of Engineers.

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STONE TRAPS FATHER, SON

**Younger Man Is Killed
By Rock From Mine Roof;
Father's Leg Is Broken**

While he and his father sat at a picnic table in a truck mine on Big Branch of Little Mud after the end of their day's work last Wednesday, 26-year-old Ed Craynor, Jr., of Craynor, was fatally crushed by a stone which fell from the mine roof onto the father and son.

The younger man died within five minutes of a crushed head and chest. His father, a man in his fifties, sustained a broken leg but is now convalescing at his home. Surviving the victim, besides his parents, Eric and Ellen Frazer, are his widow, Mrs. Ruth Hamilton Frazer, and one son, Stanley, Jr., of Craynor, four brothers, Paul, Delmar, Palmer and Charles Frazer, all of Grethel, and one sister, Mrs. Mearl Tackett, of Craynor.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday at the Roberts cemetery, near the Revs. E. W. Hamilton, and Sherman Crum officiating. Burial will be at the Roberts cemetery. The funeral was directed by the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

Funeral rites were held Monday afternoon from the auditorium of Martin high school for two Floyd County men who committed suicide within a few hours of each other last week.

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SAFETY DAY SET AUG. 25

**Inland Steel Announces
Its Third Annual Event
In Safety and First Aid**

The third annual Safety Day and First Aid contest between teams of industrial and coal mining operations will be held at the Wheelwright athletic field, Saturday, August 26, at 1:30 p.m.

The Miller family left Martin in 1950, moving to St. Mary's where the brothers were employed by Stokley's cannery. Besides their mother, one brother, Grover Miller, survives.

Historic Big Sandy Flowed On Higher Level, Geologists Say

Four years ago a group of men began to measure the exposed rock formations beside the road along the Big Sandy river at Cliff Day after day the group crept with their geological notes and note books toward the summit of the hill.

The construction of the winding U. S. 23 at Abbott mountain had exposed the rocks of the Breathitt formation and here it was possible to ground water resources of the area.

These men were representatives of the United States Geological Survey, in cooperation with the Kentucky Department of Industrial Development Board, were studying the geology and ground water resources of the Prestonburg Quadrangle. They began their work in August, 1950, and the average use was 56 million gallons per day per person.

The sediments hardened some time after their deposition. The 3 million gallons were pumped for industrial and com-

P'burg Council Asks Water System Bids

**BIDS ON NEW
PLANT, MAINS
SET, SEPT. 6th**

The City of Prestonburg will open contractor bids Sept. 6 on its proposed new water treatment plant, new reservoir and approximately 14,000 feet of water mains, plus smaller connection piping and fittings.

The decision to advertise for bids was reached at a recent meeting of the City Council. The low bid received, if acceptable, will determine the amount of the bond issue to be offered for sale by the Council.

Three contracts are offered for the first call for furnishing and installing of a steel reservoir of 400,000-gallon capacity, 40 feet in diameter and 42 feet high. The main contract calls for furnishing and installing water mains with fittings and accessories. The main runs from 14 inches to 6 inches, with 5,832 feet of 12-inch line and 2,280 feet of 8-inch line comprising the greater part of this phase of the work.

The third contract provides for the construction of a million-gallon per day water treatment plant with raw water intake and excavation and construction of the foundation, the reservoir and other miscellaneous items.

The reservoir and water treatment plant, both to supplement existing installations which engineers have declared inadequate to meet the present and future needs, will be located on city-owned property on the Mayo farm, about two miles east of Prestonburg. The main contract will be between that site and the main plant at Prestonburg, and the limits of the town.

Specifications and plans for the proposed improvements are available at the city office.

Two Agencies Default Kentucky Claims, Forcing Losses on Local Agencies

Local insurance agencies were beginning to reveal this week losses when two insurance companies, operating business in Kentucky since 1910, defaulted last year. The two companies defaulting on Kentucky claims were the Louisville Fire and Marine Insurance Company, which was taken over by the Inland Empire Insurance Company, and the General American Casualty Company of San Antonio, Texas.

It looks to me like somebody was asleep in the Insurance Department at Frankfort," Hall said. "I don't know if it was the former Insurance Commissioner or not but somebody was. Cad Thurman, the new commissioner, is a former insurance man and is seeking to have only agencies licensed who are well qualified. It was Thurman who started the investigation that showed up the bankrupt companies. It was Thurman in this section considerable sums."

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PERSONALS

Clark-Burchett Vows Are Said In Church Wedding, August 12th

Miss Mabel Wright, of Pikeville, visited her sister Mrs. William J. Diggs, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo and children, of Lexington, visited relatives here and elsewhere in the county last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick returned to Pikeville Monday after spending the week-end here.

Mrs. Fred Francis and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hopkins, at Carlisle.

Marshall Davidson went to Louisville the first of the week to accompany Mrs. Davidson and daughter Deborah Louise. Home Deborah is doing nicely after a recent car operation.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson were in Lexington Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Burl Harris returned home Saturday from Georgia, where he visited Mrs. Virgil Blackburn and family.

Mrs. Richard Webb and children returned to their home in Lexington, Friday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Runner, Mrs. Runner and Miss Ella Noel White accompanied them home for a week-end visit.

Mrs. Everett Hurt, of Guilmer, is here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee May and other relatives.

Luther Shivel is home this week from the Ashland where he is employed by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co.

Bill Jones III returned to his home in Louisville this week after a vacation spent here with his grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Jones.

Mrs. Minerva H. Spradlin is improving nicely from a recent operation at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington.

Mrs. Claybourne Stephens and daughter, Linda Sue, spent Wednesday in Huntington, shopping.

Miss Laura Virginia Roberts is in Lexington this week visiting her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel and daughter, Mary Jo, spent Wednesday in Huntington.

Mrs. Shivel had a post-operative complication, she is improving nicely.

Misses Eliza Corral, Mary Lynn Dunstons, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunstons, of Lexington, are visiting Miss Sharon Allen here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde B. Burchett returned Tuesday evening from attending the "Fidelity Jewelry Fair and Gift Show". They there viewed many exhibits showing the latest in fall and Christmas merchandise.



The single-ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Harold Dorsey, of the Methodist church at 2 p. m. on Sunday, August 12, at the Methodist church here united in marriage Miss Barbara Ann Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Clark, and Mr. Joe Arthur Burchett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Burchett.

Mrs. Harold Dorsey presented nuptial mace before and during the ceremony. The couple exchanged vows before an array of greenery and white gladioli, flanked by cathedral candles in altar candleholders.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a pink eyelid or candy dress, with fitted bodice and very full short skirt, with many lace ruffles from waist to ankle hemline. Her Juliet cap of pink velvet had a short veil attached.

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Miss Sally Hill, age 20, only attendant wore a pink blue-arrange dress, with full skirt, blue hat and shoes. Her nosegay was blue asteri with silver ribbons. Mr. Albert Archer Burchett served his brother as best man.

Mrs. Clark mother of the bride wore a pink silk cotton dress, with small hat and a shoulder corsage of white geraniums. Mrs. Burchett mother of the groom wore a blue and white dress, with many accessories and a corsage.

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School Opening Plans Outlined by Principal; Mathematics Work Hit

Although sophomore mathematics classes at Prestonsburg high school will be limited this year because of a teacher shortage, second-year algebra and geometry will be taught, Otto D. Spurluck, principal of the school, said Tuesday.

"We will be unable to teach physics as planned however," he said.

First day of the school term, Monday, will see the registration here of juniors and seniors till noon. The faculty will attend a teachers' meeting at Martin that afternoon. Freshmen will register on Tuesday. Mr. Spurluck expects a freshman class of 230 or more.

High school and grade school teachers here, as elsewhere throughout the county, will spend Wednesday visiting hours of pupils. A complete school census will be made by the teachers during the day. Parents will be asked what they expect of their school and how they can cooperate to help the school.

The final registration work will be completed Thursday with the registering of sophomores.

Prof. Woods Quits Post At University of S. C To Teach at Morehead

Prof. Carl N. Woods has resigned as post on the faculty of the University of South Carolina to accept the chair in history at Morehead State College. It was learned here this week. Mr. Woods taught in the University of South Carolina two years ago. He and Mrs. Woods and children have spent the summer at Nashville, Tenn., where he did work toward his doctorate and Mrs. Woods received her master's degree. They were accompanied from Nashville to Morehead this week by Mrs. Woods' sister, Mrs. Ray Stephens, and Mr. Stephens.

Farm and Home Notes

Chickens raised on Kentucky farms in 1956 are estimated at 10,097,000—4 percent below the number last year.

Vacuum-top, sealed, glass jars should be tested by lifting the filled jar by the lid. If the seal is good, the lid cannot be removed in this way.

Cool showers in hot weather help growing hogs gain weight. Five hundred hogs averaged two pounds daily gain when given access to cooling showers.

It would cost about 60 cents to buy separately the quality and quantity of nutritional elements found in milk, say nutritionists.

The cran rats destroy annually would make 12 billion loaves of bread—317 loaves for each household in the United States.

Subscribes for THE TIMES

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

THE COAL ENGINE

Last week I shed a few very ancient tears for the steamboat and its musical whistle, passing institutions that I cannot help lamenting today I "feel moved," as a Quaker might say, to speak of another passing institution, the coal-purging engine on our railroad. A few days ago I read that there were only two coal engines still in use in the L&N system and that they were to be replaced soon; they may be gone before this article appears. If they are gone then this must be an epitaph in their memory. Peace to their ashes I should say. CINDERELLA.

I am well aware that the modern diesel is much more effective and much cleaner, too, than the old engine. I am also informed that cinders do not trouble the passengers as they used to. But what can take the romantic train once occupied by the long train that came puffing down the track, trailing clouds of steam and smoke and cinders? And if the weather was blizzards with winter and snow was everywhere, what more obvious illustration of man's conquering of nature was there than this same puffing, scurrying monster that came through, showing that a little matter of snow and storm could not daunt man and his invention? And you may talk there to be scarce into the horses as we drive to town to lay in a supply of things that were not kept in stock at Fidelity stores. Excuse me, I sometimes forget that the horse disappeared long before the Diesel came into use.

When I went away from Fidelity to go to school, or returned for a brief visit with my folks, it was a scurrying, puffing, coal-burning engine that pulled the train I rode. Real fancy trains never got on our one railroad some ten miles from Fidelity; they knew only cinders through the open windows. But the very smell of the coal smoke and the cooking sensation we felt from breathing too much of it meant travel; travel to places miles away, farther than a horse and buggy could have taken us in days and days. Why? I could leave Fidelity around noon, take a late afternoon train, and be in Lexington, Va., by 8 P. M. and be in Bowling Green, Ky., by 10 P. M. The hour that had been used so much that nobody except railroad people knew the number of the train, but everybody knew the train itself. Chaucer's Canterbury pilgrims would have spent more than a week making that journey. And I wish that someone, a sort of modern Chaucer, could have felt the poetry of the old-fashioned dirty train trip and interpreted it for humanity before all memory of it is lost to history and romance. A few days ago I met a young woman

MAKE PASTURE PLANS NOW CERTAINLY!

Farmers should plan this month. The spending program of the year for pasture work for the coming nation may give the best. President Eisenhower says it is. There, thousands of millions of taxpayers will turn. Agricultural Extension be fellow sufferers. — Charlotte Service pasture specialist.

Jack rabbits live in sun-baked fields. They don't like the sun. With few states excepted, a lithium course is needed to shoot non-game rabbits. — Sports Field.

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BIBLE QUIZ

By A. F. BARBER (508 Euclid Ave., Bristol, Va.)

THE WORLD'S GREATEST TEACHER

Q. Who was the world's greatest teacher?

A. Jesus Christ, whose methods and principles of conveying thought to his disciples as yesterday and as modern as tomorrow.

Q. What was expected of Jesus as a teacher before he came?

A. When the Messiah cometh he will tell us all things. (John 6:25)

Q. What was said of Jesus after he came?

A. "Never a man spake like this man" (John 7:46)

Q. At what early age was Jesus recognized as having unusual ability?

A. At the age of 12 years, when he was "found in the temple sitting in the midst of the doctors both hearing them say and asking them questions. And all that heard him were astonished at his understanding and answers."

Q. When did we see the first sign of Jesus and when did he begin his public ministry?

A. Came across the plains of the Jordan to be baptized of John. His ministry as recorded began when he was about thirty years of age.

Q. What powerful and effective method of speech was prophesied that Jesus would use in his teaching ministry?

A. The use of parables. I will open my mouth in a parable. I will utter dark sayings of old. (Psalm 78:2)

Q. What is a parable?

A. A common experience in the form of a short story in which a comparison is made with something to be learned. A parable containing the kernel of truth. The shell is the story. The kernel is that which comes out of the story.

FLOYD COUNTY RESIDENTS INSURED FOR \$38 MILLION

NEW YORK, Aug. 21 — How well are residents of Floyd county protected by life insurance? To what extent are they covered? What form of insurance do most of them hold?

As of the beginning of this year, Floyd county had a total of \$38,400,000, according to a breakdown made of a survey conducted by the University of Michigan's Survey Research Center.

The local volume has kept pace with a rise in ownership noted for all sections of the country. Nationally, it amounted to 11.6 percent since 1954. The range was from 12 percent to 12.6.

Just how large a life and protection program the American people have built up over the years is reflected from the fact that they now have over \$73 billion, valued away in life insurance. Nearly 115,000,000 in the nation are covered by some type of life insurance.

Floyd county residents have their full quota of it. Their \$38,900,000 represents an average of \$15,000 per family.

The survey, the first detailed nationwide study ever made in the industry, discloses that 90 per cent of men and 70 per cent of women in the urban population have life insurance.

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Luckey, manager of Paints, 1914, Aug. 19, the Rev. William P. Dotts officiating. Everett Arnold Vanderpool, 18, Garrett and Christine Hughes, 16, Hursey, 15, married at Eastern Aug. 19 by the Rev. M. C. Wright. Harry Parke, Jr., 21, and Barbara Kaye, 19, both of Prestonsburg, marriage solemnized here Aug. 19 by the Rev. Harold W. Dorsey. Tom Hayes, 21, and Patty Ann Cook, 16, both of Emma, Woodrow Cole, 20, Martin, and Phyllis Ann Parsons, 16, Allen, LeRoy C. Fisher, 20, and Anna Lee Weisker, 18, both of Wheelwright.

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ASHLAND VISITORS
Mrs. E. M. Poins and children, Betty Rose and Bobby, of Ashland, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen, on Arnold Avenue.

MOVE FAMILY HERE
L. M. Hatcher, manager of the Kroger store, has moved his family from Cabin Creek, Va., to their home here purchased from Dan Goble on Carter avenue.

VISIT IN OHIO
L. M. Hatcher, manager of Kroger and children returned home Saturday from Millard City and Meacham, Ohio, where they visited relatives.

WEEK-END GUESTS
Mrs. C. H. Hale of West Prestonsburg, had as her week-end guests her sister, Mrs. Lucy Plybon, Proctorville, Ohio, and Phillip Plybon, Chesapeake, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Oppenheimer, Dayton, Ohio, recently visited Mrs. Hale.

HERE FROM LEXINGTON
Mrs. Fletcher Combs and son, Byron French, returned from Lexington, spent a day here last week with Mrs. French Combs. Byron French remained here for a week's visit.

ATTEND TEACHERS CONFERENCE
Miss Hazel Hill, home economist at Prestonsburg high school, spent last week at Hardinsburg at a teachers' state-wide conference. Other teachers from this area who attended are Mrs. Nancy Brown, Jenkins, and Mrs. Madge Mullins, Elkton City, Miss Donnale Stratton, Meta Portsmouth, Ohio.

GUESTS HERE LAST WEEK
Mrs. Lucy R. Stephens had as her guests last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kase, Pala Beach, Fla. Kenyon Rorer and Walter Rorer, Coeburn, W. Va., Mrs. Audrey Linkous, Portsmouth, Ohio.

MUSIC CLASS TO BEGIN
The Edna James Music Studio will begin enrollment for the fall term of 15 weeks Monday, August 27. Phone 2209.

HOME FOR WEEK-END
Miss Dorothy Herald, student nurse at Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buckner Herald.

VISITED AT HAROLD
Mrs. Sam Hatcher and son Sammie D. spent last week at Harold visiting Mrs. C. L. Pritchard and other relatives.

ARRIVE FROM KANSAS
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and sons arrived last Friday from their home in Mission, Kansas, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hill, on the Abbott Road and her mother, Mrs. Edward L. Allen.

SPEND DAY HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Layne and grandson, of Portsmouth, Ohio, spent Saturday here visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson. Mrs. Davidson is doing nicely after a fall she received July 17 at her home, breaking her shoulder.

FIRST SON IS BORN
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fox Homes, of Louisville, are announcing the birth of their first son on August 17 in a Louisville hospital. He has been named Gordon Fox Homes, III.

LEAVES HOSPITAL
Mrs. Russell Peiffer, who underwent major surgery at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, recently is convalescing at the home of her niece, Mrs. John Marcan, in Lexington. Her many friends here will welcome her return home in the near future.

VISITORS FROM PINEVILLE
Mrs. William O. Allen and daughter, of Pineville, were guests here last week of her mother, Mrs. T. J. May.

VACATIONING IN FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr. and children are spending their vacation in Florida.

FAVORITE CONVEYANCE
This year many a rabob would give up his chauffeur and limousine for a front seat on the handwagon—Minneapolis Star.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Harold W. Dorsey, Pastor
Prestonsburg, Ky.
Sunday, August 26—
9:45 a.m. Church School. Classes for all ages.
10:55 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.
5:55 p.m. Senior M. Y. F. meets.
6:15 p.m. Intermediate M. Y. F. meets.
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor.
Monday, 7:30 p.m. Commission on Education meets.
Tuesday, 6:15 p.m. Young Adults monthly supper.
6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service. Child meets.
Wednesday, 7:45 a.m. Morning Devotions over WPTM.
7:30 p.m. Weekly Prayer Meeting.
8:15 p.m. Senior Choir Practice.

Society

Notes

RETURN FROM VACATION
Rev. Ira McMillen and family have returned home from a week's vacation spent in Central Kentucky.

ATTENDING METHODIST CONFERENCE
Rev. Harold Dorsey is attending the annual conference of the Methodist church at Wilmore this week. Other representatives from the church are Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Melton, Claybourne Stephens.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. John R. Clark is at her home in Williams, W. Va., from a Charleston hospital where the underwent surgery last week. Her many relatives and friends here are glad to know she is doing nicely.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED
Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Poins, of 2422 Jennings Avenue, Ashland, Ky., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Irene, to Mr. William Hoyatt Warman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Edward Warman, of Stearns, Ky. The wedding will take place September 11.

WILL RETURN HOME
Mrs. Gene Haney and children, Karen and David, who have been staying with her parents in Princeton, W. Va., while Mr. Haney is taking two-weeks' reserve training at Camp Breckinridge, Ky., will return Sunday to their home on Highland avenue.

VACATIONING IN TENNESSEE
Mr. and Mrs. Coble Puckett, daughter, Joyce Ann, and grandson, Gary Hubert, vacationed last week in Tennessee. They also spent the week-end with their son, Pvt. Donald A. Puckett, who is with the 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

AT INSURANCE SCHOOL
William Hunter, local life underwriter for the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, is attending a job fundamentals school at the Company's Home Office in Louisville in the absence of Rev. Ira McMillen who was on vacation with his family.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH
Mr. and Mrs. Adrian N. Collins announce the birth at Central Baptist hospital, Lexington, on Wednesday, Aug. 15, of their second child, first son—James Adrian.

HONORS HOUSEGUEST
Miss Jacqueline Hensley honored her houseguests, Mrs. Pat Crawford, of Grayson, with a breakfast Wednesday, August 15. Guests were seated at small tables decorated with summer flowers. Those present were Rebecca O'Neil, Sallie Hill, Libby Burchett, Joyce Burchett, Ruth Ann Rowe, Sam Stephens, Lida Margaret Spradlin, Mary Jo Shivel, Martha White, and Dorothy Herald, all of Prestonsburg; Marie Somerville and Patsy Clark, of Pikeville.

HERE FROM MIDDLESBORO
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hopson and children were here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hopson, and other relatives.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Gale Thompson and their first daughter, Catherine, have returned from a two-week vacation in Florida.

GOIN' CROW HUNTIN'
When hunting crows, always consider them smarter than you are, with far better eyesight and substantially better hearing. Only then, reports the August issue of SPORT APFIELD magazine, will you begin to outwit them.

Observes 93rd Birthday



Mrs. Francis Bolling and Mrs. Jane Harris, of West Prestonsburg, were hostesses to a surprise birthday dinner last Sunday at the Bolling and Goble farm on Middle Creek, honoring their neighbor, Mrs. Mildred O'Dell, on her 93rd birthday. Those present were Mrs. Mildred O'Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Bolling and daughter Billie Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Manis E. Gray and daughter Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Savory and sons, Henry and Frank, Mrs. Jane Harris, Ann Harris, Mrs. Francis Bolling, Stella Bolling, Bill Bolling, Ella McGuire, Jean Gable, John Garrett, Sharon Byrd, and Ann Garrett.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, various citizens and representatives of the Churches of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, have requested the City Council of Prestonsburg to take action to prohibit the wearing of shoes on the streets and in business places in Prestonsburg;

WHEREAS, it appears that because of certain legal reasons the City Council cannot enforce an ordinance in this regard, and that it is strictly a problem of the parents, primarily, and the churches, who we believe should take part in this crusade.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Council go on record as commending the work of these representatives of the Churches of our City, and citizens, and
2. That the parents and citizens be encouraged to meet their obligation to their children, their Church, and their community to the end that teenage girls and women—other than visitors or tourists—will not appear in the streets or in business places in this City attired in shorts.
3. That a copy of this resolution be published in The Floyd County Times.

Harry Sandage, Mayor

IRENE COLE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Ira McMillen, Jr., Pastor
9:45 a.m., Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Worship (Broadcast over WPTM).
Sermon: "Religion and Immunity."
8:30 p.m. Baptist Training Union.
7:30 p.m., Worship.
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Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Weekly Prayer Meeting.
8:00 p.m., Choir practice.

Church Announces Kindergarten Term

The First Methodist Church here this week announced a week-day kindergarten term to begin at 9:30 a.m., next Monday, with a meeting of interested persons scheduled for Friday at 7:30 p.m. Further information may be procured from Mrs. Wall Hamilton, teacher, or from the church.

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MUSIC STORE - Conn band instruments, string instruments, Dr. Dreman piano, rentals, eye payment plan. Radio and record players. Join the Columbia Record Club. SCOTT'S MUSIC STORE, Depot Road, Route 46, Paintsville, Ky. 1-15-56.

FOR RENT - Apartment 4 rooms, bath, 2 large closets, venetian blinds, air conditioned, sink, floor and wall cabinets, sanded and varnished floor. See Mr. K. J. BOWEN, Phone 2657 or 2477. 5-24-56.

FOR SALE - Complete Dry Cleaning Plant. Excellent condition. Low price. Call 2570, Prestonsburg. 6-7-56.

FOR SALE - Two nice homes, good equipment. One store building and garage. Good location, good water, gas and electricity. See Mrs. E. B. OSBORN, See Ernest Turner, Drift. 7-12-56.

FOR RENT - Sleeping room. Kitchen privileges. Mrs. H. L. GOBLE, Graham St., Phone 2378 or J. B. GOBLE, 216, Prestonsburg. 8-2-56.

FOR SALE - One two story seven room, frame house. Two porches. Good well, electricity, 15 acres and high branch of Arkansas Creek 1/2 mile from Highway. Reasonable. See Mrs. Minnie Adkins on premises. 8-2-56.

FOR RENT - 4 room apartment. All utilities. Nice floor. At Turner building at Drift. W. J. TURNER, Phone 3220, Martin. 8-2-56.

FOR SALE - 300 acres virgin timber on Mare Creek, near Betsy Layne. Priced to sell. Call for Layne, Ivel, Ky., or phone Laymanville 288. 8-2-56.

FOR RENT - In Martin, 5-room apartment. A. R. CASSIDY, Phone 2243, Langley, Ky. 8-9-56.

MONUMENTS - Contact Mrs. Gerald Leslie Agent, Southern Stone and Marble Co. Phone 2309. 7-12-56.

FARMS FOR SALE - 1. 180 acres 3/4 mile from Mt. Sterling, Ky. fine bluegrass land & a tobacco acre well watered. Excellent 9-room residence. bath, new oil furnace, all conveniences. 2. 125 a., 3 1/2 miles from Mt. Sterling on Spouton Pike. New 3-room house, dairy barn and seven bent tobacco barn, all in bluegrass. 3. 23 a. fine tobacco land. 7 miles from Mt. Sterling on Harwood Mill Pike. 5-room house, 3 barns, extra well watered. Very productive. Stanley R. Thomas, Owner. Mt. Sterling, Ky. R. 2. Phone 3623. 8-19-56.

FOR SALE - Good location. Four room house with 2-acre garage. 2 chicken houses, drilled and good road school bus. See Cmas W. Salisbury, Ashby, Ky. 8-15-56.

Baby Farm Sale - 3-room house & acre land and good garage. New washhouse. Nice concrete walks. Good road on Cow Creek. Priced reasonable. Call Plein Barzant, Wood, Ky. 8-13-56.

FOR SALE - One 3-room house and lot. 30 x 100 property of Dr. R. W. Sisson. See Mr. PETER CASTLE, Ashby, Ky. 8-13-56.

FOR RENT - One 3-room unfurnished apartment and one 3-room unfurnished apartment. Mrs. J. H. MURPHY, Phone 4601, Prestonsburg. 8-16-56.

FOR SALE - 12 case air-cooled Coca-Cola soft drink cooler. Used only three months. A bargain. Call G. B. Hall, Byrnes, Ky. Phone 2570, Wheelwright. 8-15-56.

EXCEPTIONAL BUY - Complete Addressograph - great as new. With an abundance of plates, supplies, etc. at a saving of \$500.00 to \$700.00. Also new Old Town Duplicator at slightly more than cost. MAYO TRAIL OFFICE SUPPLY, Town Center Building, Telephone 2292. 8-13-56.

FOR SALE or RENT 6 room house 4 acres land. All outbuildings. Store building. 4 miles of West Prestonsburg. Back up road. Abbott Road. See Bill Hale at home. 8-22-56 pd.

FOR SALE - Property of L. F. Davis in the new addition of Martin Ky. 10-room house and 14 lots. If interested, contact LEONARD OSBORNE, Martin or contact J. D. DAVIS, Russell, Ky. phone 572. 8-22-56 pd.

FOR SALE - Registered Boxer Pups, five weeks old. Millard Hughes, Jr., Prestonsburg, Phone 2015. 8-2-56.

FOR SALE - Five room house. Bath, two sun porches and garage. Located on Second street near new high school, No. 304 N. Second St., Prestonsburg. 8-2-56.

POSITION WANTED - Former superintendent of maintenance for one of the nation's leading concerns, now relocating in this area. desires position. Resumes and references furnished on request. Write Box 442, or contact J. D. DAVIS, Russell, Ky. 8-13-56.

THE PUBLIC is notified not to buy anything on the Otis and Jimmie Swims property unless both owners are present at time of sale. Jimmie Swims 8-23-56.

SIX BEAUTIFUL BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE - John Allen subdivided four miles south of Prestonsburg, Call Marvin Crizer, Phone 2810, Ashby. 8-8-56.

FOR SALE - The former Ballard Carter residence on Second street. Mrs. Ethel Powers, Phone 5311, Prestonsburg. 8-8-56.

FOR RENT - Furnished and unfurnished apartments. T. E. Newby, Phone 2057, Prestonsburg. 8-28-56.

FOR HERALD DISPATCH home delivery call Lou Hill, Phone 7811, Prestonsburg. 8-9-56.

Expansion Will Add 25 Subjects To Schedule At Pikeville College

Special To The Times - Pikeville, Ky., Aug. 23 - Two years of expansion in several fields will add some 25 subjects to the schedule of courses at Pikeville College this fall.

Most of the classes added since Pikeville left junior-college ranks a year ago will be in education and in the college's four major fields of study.

Dr. A. A. Page, college president, said today four new English courses, four in history and two in mathematics will be given in the four-year school.

Educational and psychology courses new to the senior college will be child growth and development, para 1 and 2, foundations of special education, foundations of secondary education and teaching science in the elementary school.

English courses added will be world literature, romantic poetry, development of English usage and the works of Emerson, Thoreau, and Whitman.

World history since 1900, American diplomacy, comparative government and comparative sociology are the new social studies to be offered at Pikeville this fall. Courses in the theory of equations and in the slide rule will be added to the mathematics even when Pikeville was a junior college.

New music courses, including toward the music major announced this year, will be the basic theory of music, harmony and counterpoint and literature. Others added for those taking a minor in physical education are scientific principles of coaching, physical materials and nutrition from studies for both men and women.

Human anatomy and physiology are offered for physical-education majors and those taking the course in laboratory studies. Quantitative chemical analysis is the only other science added to the former junior-college offerings.

Sports - A fold magazine for August says that the inexperienced football player who thought only of getting yards at a loss, in the end should find out with the waves, and to his man again.

If you're having fun, the best time for calling them is at night. It's the issue of August 1956. It is there that they are widest and will bring right in.

Under Minimum Foundation plans a teacher could not go out of the room for an instant. This has hampered schools in the shifting of teachers to those points where the greatest shortage exists. They are most needed. A teacher who fully qualify up to Minimum Foundation standards must have had a certain amount of work in teaching practices, so many hours in education.

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The relaxation of rules effected by the state order and the Department of Education permits teachers who have a college degree and an elementary certificate to teach in the high schools on an emergency basis without being out to the salary level of an experienced teacher. Prior to that time of order, such teachers were scheduled to be paid on the basis of an emergency teacher, and this caused teachers to look elsewhere for employment—either in other states or to private industry.

Floyd schools are going begging for instructors in mathematics, science, economics, science and music. They are hit from another angle under the Minimum Foundation program, a teacher whose major, for instance, is in the field of English but who is qualified to teach mathematics cannot be shifted to the latter course in the event there is another teacher at hand qualified for the teaching of English.

The full story of the county's plight will not be known until these latter schools open their doors next Monday. If any of those who have been employed and who signed contracts make last-minute shifts to schools of other states or to other fields of work, things could be much worse than they now appear to be.

with his full faculty from last year, with no problems.

Despite the fact that the Minimum Foundation Program has caused teacher shortages by the high standards its administrators have set, school people here feel that its long-range effect will improve the quality of teachers and afford better education to more children than ever before. In fact, they are most needed. A teacher who fully qualify up to Minimum Foundation standards must have had a certain amount of work in teaching practices, so many hours in education.

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This is the situation in the 10 school districts of Floyd County. All the teachers who have qualified and have signed contracts show up for classroom work next Monday. "We also need a science teacher, and the fact that one teacher cannot teach two sections of math, as last year, could mean that several of our sophomores can't take math this year," Otis D. Spurlock, principal said.

Wayland, Condition described as "pretty good" by Principal L. P. Price. But to vocational training.

Auxiliary: "Good shape, no general complaints," said Principal J. C. Wells.

Garrett: "Five of our 10 high school teachers are emergency," said Charles Clark, principal. "But we'll start next Monday."

Martin: "No more, just a summer," predicted James Spurr, school principal. As of the end of the school year, he is an English teacher.

Betsy Layne: Lacking teacher in science, Jean Robinson, math teacher and David McDowell.

McDowell: "One emergency in high school, two in the grades, but we'll be kept," said George L. Moore said.

Wheelwright: "I was emergency in the grades, two in the high school, and were short on eighth grade teacher and need a math teacher," said Moore. "I'm a teacher in the high school and Boone Hill principal."

Information: A set load is now one-third made up.

Before saving ewe lambs from locks now in the county, sheep men should discuss it with one of the Extension agents.

BREEDING THE FLOCK - Experienced shepherds have learned that ewe lambs make more money. They will "top out" when prices are high and before the weather gets in the way. Breeding the ewes early. The recommended dates for burning ram's testis are August 1-15. If you have not started in yet, you should do so immediately.

Here is a few pointers that will help the shepherd with his breeding program this fall. Turn ram in as soon as possible. Show ram before turning in with ewes. Ewes should be dressed, tagged and fed twice before breeding, using a good marking system so you will know when to expect lambs in the spring.

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Garrett Man Succumbs At McDowell Hospital, Heart Disease Victim

R. M. (Ike) Slater, 68 years old, well-known Garrett business man and coal operator, died of heart disease at 1:30 p.m. last Wednesday at the McDowell Memorial hospital. He entered the hospital a week earlier following a heart seizure.

A native of Winston-Salem, N. C., Mr. Slater had resided in this county about 25 years. He was a son of the late Lewis and Virginia Harper Slater, and was a member of the Masonic order and of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Verdie Mullins Slater, of Garrett, two daughters, Mrs. Ned Wright, Dunham, Ky., and Mrs. Tessie Campbell, of Garrett, one brother, John Slater, Winston-Salem, N. C., and two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Beamer and Mrs. Ada Grubbs, both of Winston-Salem.

The body was taken to Caney Ridge, Va., where funeral services were held Saturday from Lexington. Church and burial was made in the Mullins cemetery under the direction of the Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

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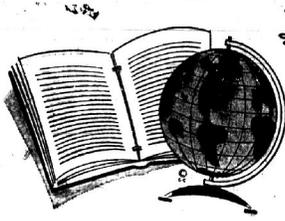
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A Visitor Speaks

The visitor who, from Louisville and Nashville, is almost the proper word to describe his reaction to the mountain scenery in Floyd county and along the Big Sandy river.

"You have everything right here, if you people will only repair the damage man has done," he said. He put words together well, spoke with sincerity and the business he is in assures us he is no simple, nature-loving visionary.

"Let the man write this editorial," "You folks are naturally interested in your coal business, and that brings on the subject of river canalization. I'm with you about the coal business; you need it, the whole state needs it. But it isn't a dying business—I never did think it was on the way out, even in its darkest days—and this beautiful river and country of yours might be made valuable in another way than as an artery of commerce.

"If your towns will go after federal aid to meet your river pollution problem, install sewage disposal plants, clean up the river and get back to the idea of stopping the water where the rain falls by reforestation and small dams rather than damming up the river itself, you will have the most beautiful part of a state that folks say is among the most beautiful of them all. Then, if you will keep your streams clean and stock them with fish and get together as folks in North Carolina have got together to attract tourists from inside and outside Kentucky—you will have something that will bring in a steady flow of dollars, and you also will have a country where it will be a joy and a privilege to live.

"I tell you, I'm crazy about your mountain country, and I hope to live long enough to see something like this done. Tell you what—I think enough of this idea that I wish I were a rich man, so that I could quit work and just see what I could do for this section about the lines I'm talking about, with the help of you people who are already here and want to see it take its rightful place. That place is for these hills and mountain streams to be seen by many thousands of people every year—by people who will find them more interesting than they will want to stop and stare a while and spend their money here."

Why Was U. S. 23 Omitted From Inter-State Plans?

Although work now ready to be started, or already under way, will greatly improve U. S. 23 along the Big Sandy, The Times is deeply disappointed with the decision of those engineers, highway planners, road depart-

ments and federal highway officials who omitted this route from the list of interstate highways to benefit as such from funds marked for spending in the huge highway-building program that lies ahead.

One of the interstate roads approved for these funds links Cincinnati, Lexington and Knoxville, Tennessee. A second north-south route connects Indianapolis, Louisville and Nashville, among other cities. The third, an east-west highway, goes via Louisville and Lexington to enter Missouri on the west and West Virginia on the east.

But Eastern Kentucky—what does it get? The usual nothing.

Nothing, despite the fact that this same U. S. 23 which passes through the Big Sandy valley is a direct north-south route from Detroit, Michigan to Miami, Florida.

U. S. 23 on paper is that. In the books of tourists, automobile associations and tourist guides it is blacklisted, a route to be shunned. And therein lies one of the scene area's handicaps in the road or tourist business. A road, like a chain, is only as strong as its weakest link, and U. S. 23 has more than one weak link, as all who travel or who are connected with the road-building or road-planning business have for many years known.

We shall, unless convinced by cold facts, not our thinking is erroneous, support the bold idea by means of which Kentucky will participate in a comprehensive road-building program. We propose this, so, because we are convinced as of this date that, without such funds, Kentucky has not and will not have the money in this generation to reach sections with roads where they are needed. We think—regardless of the injustices of this inter-state attempt at planning—that secondary roads will benefit from such a program to the extent that Kentucky has been handicapped by lack of good roads cannot afford, even from the most selfish point of view, to refuse to vote the bond issue.

Yet we are not satisfied with the planning, even at this early stage.

Stumbos, Who Closed Oregon Highway, Said To Be Related To Floyd Family

The four Stumbo brothers who own a strip of the Pacific Highway near Grant, Pa., Ore., and barricaded it with logs, Aug. 12, are relatives of the same name, sources say. The ancestor of the four brothers left here about 30 years ago, possibly from the Mt. Creek section, and came to the Northwest.

Claiming that they owned a strip of the highway, Robert Stumbo, a logger, and his three brothers, Harry, Clair and John, who live in the area, about 30 miles north of Grant, Pa., on the Pacific Highway, had made a deal with the state to build a toll road franchise. The attorney said it was possible the brothers would attempt to sue the state in an attempt to clarify the situation.

"Here Walks the Great Physician Who Made Afflicted Bodies Whole"

By the Rev. Frederick Bevon Harris, Chaplain of the U. S. Senate

(The following invocation was offered at the dedication exercises of the United Mine Workers' Memorial hospitals held at Beckley, W. Va., June 2.)

Let us lift our hearts in prayer. God of our fathers, Thou hast made and preserved us a nation; our fathers trusted in Thee and were not confounded. In Thee we trust, Thou hast taught us to love truth and beauty and goodness. May Thy truth make us free, free from pride and prejudice and from all the ugly sins of disposition, so we may best use us. We thank Thee today for the growing determination in terms of the welfare of all, that private greed must give way to social gains. We are grateful for those in our generation who like Thy prophets of old have looked with withering scorn upon those who would hold the lives of men more cheap than merchandise—who have wrung gold from human pain—prophets who have cried out with holy passion in Thy name, "let my people go." We thank Thee for patriots who dream of an America, which in social betterment shall go and build Thy glory, not the dream of our discontent riveting each daybreak to the past. We rejoice in the prophet souls, who knowing that human dignity is grounded in the Divine Sovereignty, greatly dared as they answer the

LaViers Becomes Second In Area Coal Business Named To U. S. Chamber

A second man prominent in Eastern Kentucky coal development has been selected to take part in affairs of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

Harry LaViers, President of the South-East Coal Co., Paintsville, has been named as a member of the Natural Resources Committee, Chamber of Commerce of the United States, for the year 1956-57. It has been announced by U. S. Chamber President John S. Coleman, Washington, D. C.

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Can Tomatoes in a Hurry
 A method of canning tomatoes that preserves more vitamin C than any other is recommended by Mrs. Pearl Haak, Extension specialist in foods at the University of Kentucky. The secret lies in getting the tomatoes into the jar quickly, once they are cut.

SPRAYS CUT LOSSES
 Certain "stop-drop" sprays will hold fast immature fruits to trees, particularly apples, during usual wind action, says W. W. Magill, Kentucky Extension Service fruit specialist. Many apple varieties begin to drop from one to four weeks before harvest.

Cadet Darwin D. Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Boyd of Emma, awaits the signal to move forward during a seven-week summer field training exercise at Camp Buckner, W. V. Boyd, a third classman (sophomore) at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, is currently receiving practical individual training with emphasis on weapons firing and small unit tactics. He was formerly employed by the Columbia Fuel Company, of Pikeville, and attended Morehead State College.

UK Honor Roll List Released

A total of 89 University of Kentucky students achieved perfect all-around standings during the school's summer semester, deans of the various colleges announced.

The College of Education placed the most students on the honor roll with 33. The other colleges represented: Agriculture, 21; Arts and Sciences, 21; Agriculture and Home Economics, 8; Commerce, 4. The College of Law failed to place any on the honor roll and the College of Pharmacy does not have a summer term.

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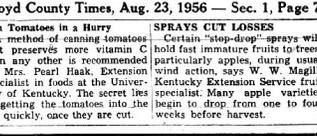
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Newspapers Lead In The Advertising Field

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THE FRIEND FAMILY

A letter from C. W. Friend, 2318 Cameron Mills Road, Alexandria, Va., queries about the Friend family.

In tracing the branches of the Friend family, local insurance man says that John Friend was born April 4, 1791, died Oct. 6, 1876. His wife, Rachel Brown Friend, was born Oct. 3, 1800, died Aug. 20, 1887. His grandfather, Belvidere Friend, and now living in Paris, Ky., was born July 17, 1868. His wife, Julia D. Friend, was born June 5, 1871, died November, 1953. Belvidere Friend, II, his son, was born Nov. 12, 1887, married, Julia Collins, and died Nov. 20, 1928.

There is an interesting story about the Friend family and on early Prestonsburg. The suit was over an execution held by Harris against Friend who owned the lot near Prestonsburg. The lot had a hatter's shop on it.

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Rita Johnson, Preston Foster

"Hilda Crane"

(CinemaScope-Color) Jean Simmons, Guy Madison

"Abbott & Costello Meet Keystone Kops"

Bud Abbott-Lou Costello

SUN.-MON.—"The Proud Ones"

(CinemaScope-Color) Robert Ryan, Virginia Mayo

TUESDAY—"Distant Drums"

Gary Cooper, Mari Aldon

"Boys' Prison"

William Bendix, Hoagy Carmichael

WED.-THURS.—"Miracle in the Rain"

Jane Wyman, Van Johnson

Matthews Makes Survey of Wills

A study of Kentucky law governing construction of wills—written by Prof. W. L. Matthews Jr. of the University of Kentucky College of Law—is featured in the summer issue of the Kentucky Law Journal, the quarterly legal publication at UK.

The purpose of the study was to collect the latest court decisions involving the interpretation of wills, to trace the historical development of legal principles used in the interpretation and to discover a better way for giving full legal effect to the testator's intent for disposition of the property.

Kentucky farmers are eligible for \$4,800,000 under the set-back program.

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Margaret O'Brien, Charlotte Greenwood

SATURDAY—"Doctor in the House"

Dirk Bogarde

"Rose of Cimarron"

Jack Beutel, Mala Powers

SUNDAY—"Gentlemen Marry Brunettes"

Jane Russell, Alan Young

VA Property Residents May Lose Voting Rights At Fort Thomas Hospital

Frankfort, Ky. (AP)—Kentucky's attorney general today said that VA property residents might lose their right to vote if they are not registered in the state before Sept. 1.

The Rev. Dr. B. W. Davis, Veterans Administration Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, said that VA property residents on lands under complete jurisdiction of the United States Government.

He wrote that several federal employees residing in the V. A. Hospital grounds are former legal residents and registered voters in Kentucky "excepted" counties.

But he added, the County Court Clerk has informed them that by moving on hospital grounds "we lost our right to vote in any election."

They can vote on an absentee basis, either because they are in the military service in the city, county, and state, Werts said.

In an opinion today, First Assistant Attorney General Walter Herdman wrote that Kentucky has granted by law specific authority to the Federal Government to buy land in the state for useful purposes. The State may retain "certain rights," he said.

This state has, under law, Herdman added, retained for residents of the acquired federal land the right to vote in all county elections, as was done by residents in territory comprising Mammoth Cave National Park.

Herdman said there have been instances in which federal residents were unable to vote because the State had failed to retain that right before selling the land.

Herdman told Werts that if Kentucky sold the hospital grounds to the Federal Government without reservation, "it is doubtful that you could be classified as a legal resident" and therefore, have right to vote.

"It might be well" for the question to be presented to a court for final determination, Herdman wrote.

Utilities Use Much Coal

During the 18 months between October, 1954, and March, 1956 electric utility companies burned more than 218 million tons of coal for power, a tonnage equal to nearly half of 1955 total bituminous production of 470 million tons.

"We've always wondered how a scientist can take a look at a fossil, then strike the proper pose and say, 'Twenty million years old, if a day.' We're glad to see those boys caught off their feet by a few thousand years, once in a while."

A PASSING ACQUAINTANCE

Three little girls playing here last week suddenly began tossing a snake—a real, live snake—around as if it were a basketball. Perhaps we should say, as if it were a hot potato. The snake, one of those green, garden variety jobs, dropped out of a tree onto the arm of Peggy Jo Lewis, 10, and she promptly flung it off.

The snake landed on the leg of her sister, Carol Jean, 9, who thereupon shook a leg, gave a swift kick and sent the horrid thing hurtling onto Linda Sue Patton's foot. Our informant does not say exactly what Linda did. We surmise she simply jumped clear of all entangling alliances and joined the other girls in cracking the welkin with their screams.

The snake beat a hasty retreat, too, and escaped into some weeds. Which should have been the end of this story, but it isn't. Next morning, the same snake sleepily crawled out of a flower pot on the porch of the Lewis home.

"How do they know it was the same snake? Well, there were the three girls who had what you might call a passing acquaintance with it.

Kit Carson, famous scout and Indian fighter, was born in Madison county in 1809.

A total of 58 steps, one for each year of his life, lead to the Abraham Lincoln National Park Memorial, near Paducah.

THURS., AUG. 23—"The Seven Year Itch"

Marilyn Monroe, Tom Ewell

"Carmen Jones"

(CinemaScope) Harry Belafonte, Dorothy Dandridge

FRIDAY—"Lucky License and Lucky Ticket Night"

"The King's Thief"

(CinemaScope) Ann Blyth, Edmund Purdom, George Sanders

SATURDAY—"Three Big Shows"

"Last Command"

(CinemaScope) Sterling Hayden, Anna Maria Alberg, and—

"Tarzan Escapes"

(CinemaScope) Johnny Weissmuller, Maureen O'Sullivan

LATE SHOW—"The Green Buddha"

Wayne Morris, Mary Germain

SUN.-MON.—"Shadow of Fear"

Mona Freeman, Maxwell Reed

"Tarantula"

(CinemaScope) John Agar, Mary Corday, Lew G. Carroll

11 FRIDAY, AUG. 23—"Lucky License and Lucky Ticket Night"

"Queen Bee"

(CinemaScope) Barry Sullivan, Betsy Palmer, John Ireland

WED.-THURS.—"The Tall Men"

(CinemaScope) Clay Gable, Robert Ryan

"Women's World"

(CinemaScope) Clifton Webb, Carol Wilde, June Allyson

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it is the humanitarian thing to do. His listeners raised skeptical eyebrows, and one wondered if it would be maintained.

If you consider the humans who might be persecuted by the cats. But he maintained his position, and went on with a dissertation about cats and humans that silenced the audience.

"Yes, I feed the cats, mine and my neighbors," he said. "I feed some of my rich neighbors' cats, and then they try to run over me with their limousines. You ought to see me hop hedges sometimes. I feel the boss' cat right after. Don't look a bit like him, though. He's a pretty nice gentleman, that cat. They quarrel sometimes and disturb me and the neighbors, but the neighbors quarrel, too, and that doesn't add to the peace and quiet of the neighborhood, you know."

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became sandstones, the clays and silts became siltstones and claystones and the thick acid accumulations of organic matter became coal beds. The marine limestones and mud formed limestone and shales.

At the close of the Pennsylvania period the area was uplifted, and erosion reduced it to a gentle rolling plain not far above sea level. Remained uplift raised the plain to a height well above sea level. Erosion lowered the plain to the attitude of the present hills and cut the present valleys. Then in the Ice Age the Levisa Park flowed along on bedrock at a lower elevation than now. Slowly the glacial ice crept southward, then in a few thousand years receded. The Ohio River tributaries, like the Big Sandy, filled their valleys with typically fine grained sediments from their drainage areas. After this stabilization the streams beds were higher. Thus the present low water level in the Big Sandy, particularly in the Prestonsburg quadrangle, is 40 to 45 feet below the top of the valley fill. So the survey report describes the changes of time.

The paper notes the disposition of the Big Sandy, particularly in the near Prestonsburg. Between 1934 and 1951 there was an average of 44.4 inches. About one-third, or 15.3 inches, discharged by streams, and 29.3 inches is discharged by evaporation and transpiration.

Chief source of underground fresh water in the Prestonsburg quadrangle is in the Breathitt formation of the Pennsylvanian system. These rocks are typically exposed along the highway, near the town of Allen. The formation was named by the geologist, C. D. Walcott, in 1892. The rocks were present in Breathitt county, Kentucky, "in great force." It has a minimum thickness near Merte of 250 feet but increases to 1,000 feet near Prestonsburg. Water in the formation occurs both in the joints and in the intergranular pore spaces.

Chemical constituents of the water in the quadrangle are primarily sodium chloride waters from the Breathitt formation in the Prestonsburg quadrangle are suitable for domestic use, although they differ much in chemical character. Iron and chloride are the most undesirable constituents; waters range from soft to very hard. Most of the waters can be used as calcium magnesium bicarbonate waters, sulfate waters, and chloride waters.

Thirty samples were tested from the Prestonsburg area for chloride and the chemical was found in all of them. Chloride content was found to be high in the Auxier section. There was found in the nearness of gas wells. A well-owner at Bonanza was found who used both water and gas from the same well.

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their own tents. It was stipulated that space must be provided for any religious group making application.

One of the exhibit rules was changed at the meeting, according to Jesse Elliott, Fair board chairman. All exhibits must remain till between 8 and 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, or the exhibitor will forfeit any prize awarded. This does not apply to livestock which may be taken away any time after 4 p.m. It was pointed out that this was done in order to keep exhibits at the fair for Saturday night visitors.

A sheep-shearing contest will be held at the fair, the board decided, and the stage drama, heretofore held on Court street, will be on the Kroyer parking lot. The three-night square dancing program will be under the direction of Charles Barker, of Paintsville.

The Fair board also set aside \$200 for expenses of the county school bands to appear one day.

President Signs Bill

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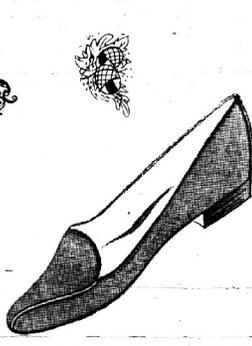
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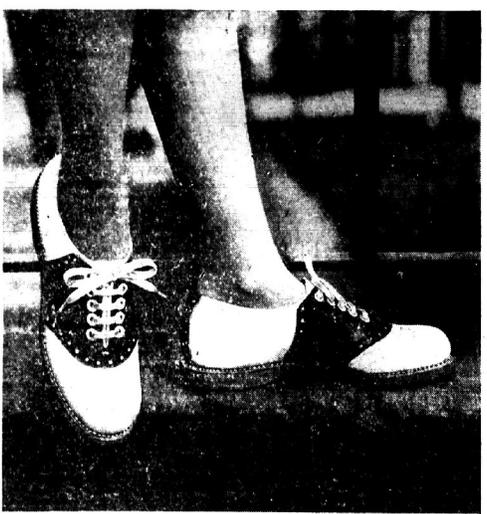


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EVERYTHING
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Floyd Represented By Mrs. V. O. Turner In 'Kentucky Writing'

Morehead, Ky., Aug. 21 (Sp.) — The second issue of Kentucky Writing, only periodic anthology of new regional writing in America, will be published September 3 by Morehead State College.

Kentucky Writing, a soft-cover collection of new stories and poems by authors from Kentucky and nearby areas, will be distributed in book stores throughout the state as well as in selected outlets elsewhere in the nation.

The anthology is edited by Dr. James H. McCorker, former member of the Morehead State College English department who will join the Cornell University faculty this fall. McCorker has served as director of Morehead's annual summer Writers' Workshop since its founding in 1952.

Kentucky Writing is designed primarily to introduce the area's most promising new writers to the general reading public, said McCorker. Established writers, including Hollis Summers and James Still, are also among the contributors.

Of the 24 authors included in the forthcoming issue, ten have attended the Morehead Writers' Workshop as students and two have served as staff members.

Represented in the volume are Virgie Bernhardt, Cincinnati; Wendell Berry, New Castle; Edwin Carter, Richmond; Henry Chambers, Louisville; Billy C. Clark, Catlettsburg; Estelle Durrett, Louisville; Helen Brink Glover, Louisville; Clara Goodman, Paris; Mildred Ranne, Louisville; Geneva Hargis Emly, Donelson, Tenn.; Dorothy Murray, Virginia; Kendrick Hardinburg, Georgia; Hughes Lexington, Edward Knickel, Columbia, S. C.; formerly of the Department of English, Murray State College; Wendell Maynard, Clifford; Emma Voohees Meyers, Georgetown; John Napier, Oak Ridge, Tennessee; former Perry county teacher, Woodridge Spears, Georgetown; Albert Stewart, Vest, James Still, Bath; Hollis Summers, Lexington; Frances Towne, Kinrossport, Tenn.; Virginia Casey Turner, Prestonsburg; May C. Van Duzen, Louisville; James P. Williams, Louisville.

NOTICE

Reth Ratliff has filed application with the Floyd County Court for roadside license in the operation at Beasy Laine, Ky., of the Fountain.

DuRan Moore, Clerk
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4 APPOINTED AT PIKEVILLE

Now 4-Year Institution, Pikeville College Adds New Faculty Members

Pikeville, Ky., Aug. 16 (Sp.) — Four appointments to the faculty of Pikeville College effective September 1, were announced today by Dr. A. A. Page, college president.

Dr. Charles M. Knapp, Kent, O., professor of American history at the University of Kentucky from 1927 to 1936, will join Pikeville's history department as the school opens for the first time as a senior college. Dr. Knapp's A. B., A. M. and Ph. D. degrees all were earned at Columbia College, New York City.

Author of "A History of Christ Church, Lexington, Kentucky," and "New Jersey Pastors during Civil War and Reconstruction," he helped to organize and was first secretary-treasurer of the Southern Historical Association. He has been registrar and historiographer of the Episcopal Diocese of Lexington, and is a trustee of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn.

Samuel M. Dean, for 39 years a teacher of engineering and an engineer in mission schools in China, will teach mathematics and engineering drawing at Pikeville. In addition to his B. S. degrees in both architectural and mechanical engineering, he holds "professional" degrees of A. E. and M. E. in the same fields. All are from Pennsylvania State College, now Pennsylvania State University.

Departed from Communist China as an "undesirable subversive" in 1953, Dean had previously been interned for four years during World War II in a prison camp near Shanghai. He is taught engineering in the National Normal University, the North China Institute of Engineering, and Yenching University, and designed and oversaw the construction of some 75 buildings. Included were hospitals, churches, and school and college buildings, most for various missions.

John A. Cheek, Danville, Ky., is to be a biology teacher at Pikeville. Son of the late Professor Francis P. Cheek, of Centre College, he holds the M. S. degree in zoology from the University of Kentucky as well as his B. A. degree from Centre in biology and chemistry.

Before his two years on the faculty of Buckhorn high school, Buckhorn, Ky., Cheek taught in Cornishville, Paint Lick, Richmond, and Hustonville high schools and Kentucky Military Institute.

Miss Louise Davis, East Hampton, N. Y., will teach piano. Besides studying at the University of New Hampshire, Miss Davis earned her B. M. degree in piano and piano teaching from the Boston Conservatory of Music.

Pikeville, on a two-year school a little more than a year ago, will offer a full four-year course for the first time this fall, Dr. Page said. Two degrees are to be given by the school — bachelors of science in a nation, which will carry eligibility for either the provisional elementary or high-school certificate, and bachelors of arts. Fields open for major study are English, history, mathematics, music and social studies.

NOTICE

From this date (Aug. 22) forward, I will not pay any debts made by anyone but myself.
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Albert Winkler, the last surviving member of the Union Army in the Civil War, died at Duluth, Minn., at the age of 99.



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Pfc. Vanidan Ferrell Saves Korean Boy From Yellow Sea; Is Cited for Medal

Miss Shifko, Dr. Kosales, Hospital Staff Members, Are Wed on August 10th

Marrriage of Miss Caroline Shifko, R. N., and Dr. Clarence J. Kosales, both of the McDowell Memorial hospital, McDowell, Ky., was solemnized by a nuptial mass said Friday, August 10, by the Rev. George W. Nelbone at St. Juliana Church, Martin, Ky.

The bride was attired in a tall, old-fashioned traveling suit, complemented by a corsage of orchids. The attendants were Miss Lenora Frank, of Kansas and McDowell, and Mr. George Evans of Martin, Ky.

Mrs. Kosales is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Shifko, of Pineville, Pa. Following her graduation from Monongahela high school, she was graduated from the Cannonsburg General Hospital School of Nursing, Cannonsburg, Pa. Dr. Kosales is a native of Tamaqua, Pa. Graduating from the Temple School of Medicine, Philadelphia, he became flight surgeon in the U. S. Navy during World War II. He later did post-graduate work in pediatrics at Harvard University, upon completion of which he was admitted to the American Board of Pediatricians. He came to McDowell following a residency in pediatrics at Abington General hospital, Abington, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Kosales have returned from their honeymoon spent at Gatinsburg, Tenn., and in the Great Smoky region to resume their assignments at the McDowell hospital.

HOPEFUL HOMO SAPIENS

The human being is an incurable optimist. He believes that he has a pretty good chance to win a lottery prize but that there is scarcely the slightest chance of his getting killed in a traffic accident. The Jackson (Miss.) State Times.

Employment rises 100,000 in July for a record

Army Pfc. Vanidan Ferrell last week plucked into the Yellow Sea from a young boy from drowning. Ferrell had been fishing with two friends when he heard the Korean cry for help.

A member of A Battery, 50th Aviation, Ferrell has been recommended for the Soldier Medal by his commanding officer, Capt. Edward W. Jones. The Soldier Medal is the highest to be received in peacetime service.

Pfc. Ferrell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vanidan Ferrell of Harsho, residing at Big Rock, Va. He is a graduate of Betsy Lane high school and after enlisting in the Army Feb. 15, 1955, he took his basic training in Ft. Jackson, South Carolina and Ft. Knox, Ky., where he specialized in mechanics.

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By virtue of a judgment and decree of one of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the Court term, 1956, in the above entitled case, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the highest and best bidder, to the highest and best bidder, at the regular term of the 23rd day of September, 1956, at 10 o'clock A. M. the following described property:

TRACT NO ONE. Beginning on a stake on the west side of Beaver Creek just opposite the lower end of B. H. Johnson's home, thence to a small spurwood in the low end of hollow; thence S 75° E 1/4 mile to the top of the point to W. Jones line, thence remaining with said line to the top of the hill to Matthew Tackley's line; thence down the point to Dewey Lattie's line; thence with low downy Lattie's line down to the point to center of Beaver Creek; thence down the creek with center of same to opposite the beginning, thence to the bearing corner.

TRACT NO TWO. Beginning on a stake 50 feet from center of railroad right-of-way at Devoe Chaffins line, thence down with said right of way 75 feet to a stake at Roanoy Johnson's line, a corner stake, thence a straight line with the said Roanoy Johnson's line to center of Beaver Creek; thence with the center of Beaver Creek 25 feet to Dave Chaffins line, a corner stake of said Dave Chaffins line, thence with Dave Chaffins line to the bearing corner stake, containing one half acre more or less, being the same property conveyed to B. H. Johnson and Minnie H. Johnson by deed dated April 29, 1954, recorded in Deed Book 100 page 94, Floyd Circuit Court Clerk's Office.

TRACT NO THREE. Beginning on a planted stone at the intersection of the right-of-way of the State Highway with the property line of the same, thence up the right-of-way to the top of the hill to the corner stake of the same, thence with the right-of-way line of the State Highway to the corner stake of the same, thence with the right-of-way line of the State Highway to the property line of Miss Mitchell, thence down the hill in a north-south direction with the property line of Miss Mitchell to a planted stone on the property line of the State Highway, thence down the State Highway to the bearing corner, being the same property conveyed to B. H. Johnson and Minnie H. Johnson, decedent, by deed of conveyance dated Sept. 18, 1946, recorded in Deed Book 132, page 184, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Bidders will be prepared to complete promptly with the terms.
Given under my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1956.
J. H. CLARKE,
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
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THEATRE TAX CUT BY LAW

Admissions under 90c Relieved of Taxation, Effective September 1

Public Law relating to the tax on admissions was approved by the President on August 6. This law, effective September 1, provides for an exemption from the federal admissions tax of the amount paid for admission is 90 cents or less. Admission payments in excess of 90 cents remain subject to tax on the total admission payment. The exemption also applies to a season ticket or subscription if the amount which would be charged for a single admission is 90 cents or less.

The exemption does not apply to admissions to horse or dog races at a race track to the permanent use or lease of boxes or seats, to sales business at the office in excess of the established price, to sales to the proprietor in excess of the regular price, or to the tax on admissions to a cabaret or night club.

The provisions of the new law are applicable only with respect to amounts paid on and after September 1, 1956 for admissions on and after such date.

Present stocks of serially numbered admission tickets showing a tax to be due which, after the effective date of the new law, will be subject to the tax by reason of the increased exemption, may be used for a reasonable period of time on and after September 1, until properly printed tickets can be obtained or tickets on hand overprinted or overprinted to reflect the exemption provided by such law. This procedure may be followed provided serials are posted conspicuously at the entrance and at each box office of the establishment showing the admission price, the tax, if any, and the total, and provided also that accurate and complete accounting is made by inventories of tickets, daily records of sales, etc., that will establish correct tax liability.

Present stocks of tickets not serially numbered may be used for a reasonable period of time on and after September 1, 1956, until they are overprinted or overprinted.

Will am Waddle Dies August 15 at Eastern Funeral Held, Friday

William Waddle, 83 of Eastern, died at 2:30 a.m. Wednesday of last week at home. His wife, Rosa Waddle, preceded him in death some time ago.

Mr. Waddle, a son of Thomas and Mary Waddle, survived by the following sons and daughters: Don Waddle, of Mt. Sterling; James Waddle, Middletown, O.; Robert Waddle, of Eastern; Mrs. M. H. Conley, of Lasky; Mrs. Russell Hall, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Drville Cox, Toledo, O.; Mrs. Edna Bentley, Phoenix, Ariz.; and Mrs. H. J. Merritt, Newport News, Va. His three sons surviving are Sheridan Waddle, of Prestonsburg; Ed Waddle, of Tompkins; Grady Waddle, of Cleveland; and Harlan Waddle, all of Hindman.

Bruce Waddle, address unavailable; Douglas Waddle, in Michigan; and a sister, name unavailable.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday of last week, at the graveside in the Greenbark cemetery at Madison. The Rev. Paul Howard, Sherman Stone and M. C. Wright officiating. Burial was made under the direction of Hall Bros. Funeral Home.

Reports of farm 20-4; rice 1; per cents in year.

Three from W'Wright In Air Force Trainings

Gordon W. Branham, Jr., 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon W. Branham, Gordon B. Mosley, 15, son of Clyde Mosley, and Dennis Thornberry, 17, son of Landell and Loua Thornberry, all of Wheelwright, are completing their Air Force basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

HEALTH NOTES

Parakeets are among the most popular household pets in the country, but M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department, warns that parakeets, parrots, and psittacines may transmit germs to man.

Kentucky has had only three cases of human psittacosis reported this year, according to Ronald H. Vetterli, D.V.M., Director, Division of Veterinary Public Health of the Kentucky State Department of Health. However, Dr. Heston states that the removal of restrictions on interstate shipment of parakeets has caused an increase throughout the nation in the number of cases from less than 500 in 1950 to 500 in 1954.

Pittacosis, sometimes called "parrot fever," is caused by a virus and may be transmitted to humans by eating dust which is contaminated with infectious particles from the birds' dried fecal droppings, urine, and nasal discharge. The incubation period is from seven to 15 days. The symptoms of psittacosis are similar to influenza with a high fever, and anyone who suspects that he has the disease should immediately see his family physician.

Apparently healthy birds have been known to carry the disease and spread the virus to humans. If your parakeet dies, and you would like to know the cause of death, contact the County Health Department. They will be happy to tell you how and where to send your bird's body for a laboratory analysis.

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Use of Coal To Produce Electric Power Up 20%

Special to The Times
Washington, Aug. 18 — Consumption of coal for fuel in the production of electric power in 1955 rose nearly 20 per cent, while the cost to the consumer was declining almost 4 percent, a study of the National Coal Association showed today.

The present trend in utility fuel consumption demonstrates the desirability of coal as a fuel, its economy, and the realization that coal reserves in the United States are more than adequate to meet all present and future demands," Tom Packett, executive vice president of NCA, said in releasing results of the study.

Reserves of bituminous coal in the United States are presently estimated at 1,500 billion tons. At today's level of mining costs and annual rate of production, the nation has sufficient coal to meet any and all demands for energy for many centuries.

Constantly expanding demand for electricity, raised coal consumption by the electric utilities in 1955 by 19.9 per cent to 136.6 million tons, from 113.9 million in 1954, according to reports of 76 steam electric plants in 43 states and the District of Columbia. The reports were filed with the Federal Power Commission and accounted for 95 per cent of the total domestic steam electric plant coal consumption. The remainder of other plants were not available for a variety of reasons.

The cost of coal to electric utilities down 3.8 per cent in 1955 on an "as consumed" basis, fuel oil and natural gas both registered gains in price, the former by 1.2 per cent and the latter by 4 per cent.

The NCA study found that in coal-consuming areas such as New England, the North Central states and Middle Atlantic regions, coal in 1955 held 85 per cent of the total steam-electric utility fuel market, a rise of almost 5 per cent from the 1954 level. Since

Time to Sow Cover Crops, Agriculture Official Says

It is time to sow cover crops, according to Elder Goble, office manager of the local Agricultural Stabilization Committee office.

"The cover crop seeds and fertilizer for which you filed applications," Goble wrote Floyd county farmers, "is now ready. Please come to the ASC office for a purchase order for this material."

"The final date for seeding crimson clover is Sept. 15. The final date for seeding hairy vetch is Oct. 1," Goble told the farmers.

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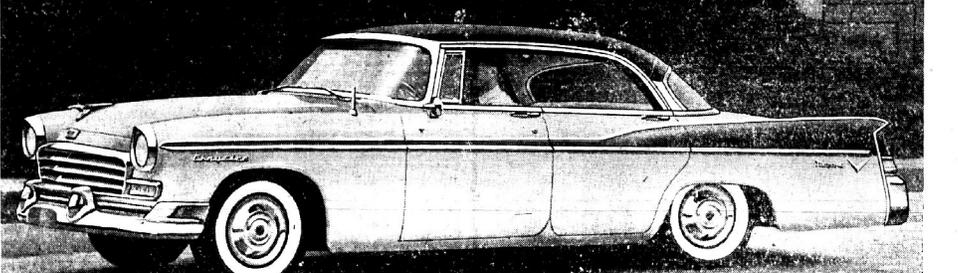
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GARRETT

On Friday evening, Aug. 17, Mrs. Rudolph Spuever entertained members of the intermediate class of the Garrett Baptist Sunday School with a supper and a program. Those present were Mrs. Mildred Martin, Lawrence Bridgford, Lowell Martin, Jackie Lovey, Calvin Martin, Hamlet Lovey, Mike Stone, Bennie Bentley, Joe Hayes, Phyllis Noble, Lottie Pratt, LaFaye Weaver, Wilda Watts, Rilla Pave Bentley, James Prater, Connie Adkins, Diane Prater, Gretta Holbrook, Donna Lou Beatty, Joyce Leferty, Brenda Wallace, Shirley Newcome, Lloyd Moore.

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

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

"LIFE BEGINS AT FORTY"

One of the passing institutions that I have not yet chronicled is the idea that becoming a mother and passing one's fortieth birthday end a woman's usefulness and her career. People used to become resigned to old womanhood by the time the oldest children were old enough to be establishing homes of their own. To have suggested that life is merely beginning all over again for many of our women would have been thunders against mad folly and elsewhere. Some of the ones who used to hold this opinion should have lived to a ripe old century of age, and they would have had to change their minds.

Nothing is more obvious to me as a schoolteacher than that hosts of our finest women are finding themselves beginning a new career after all their children, even as through college to have made homes of their own. Right as I am writing this, I have in my classes thirty or more mature women who are as active of mind as they were in their teens or twenties, just as eager to learn new things, just as flexible in mind. All of them are doing senior or graduate work, work that is often as difficult and as new as was their first lesson in a foreign language. But it is a joy to teach them, along with younger boys and girls. Many of the women have taken out ten to twenty-five years to rear a family or at least to get the children so they are not under foot. This new career woman has given much spice to being a teacher, for classes made up largely of such people are always interesting, always scintillating. Mature women who want to go back to college or to

graduate school are not likely to be very set in their ways; they are by that very act, youthful and eager for knowledge. And these new interests conduce to youthfulness of ways and attitudes. One of the most successful teachers my college has turned out took her A. B. at 58, her A. M. a year later. With no previous teaching experience, she walked into a schoolroom like one of the many born in my earlier days she would have already resigned herself to sitting in a corner of the classroom crocheting and talking about the degeneracy of the youthful generation around her. She would probably have lost most of her teeth, too, and afforded the manner of an old, toothless crone. But now she has received a transfusion of new blood and is not too eager to cross old before it is time to go old.

Of course, I see most of the women who have turned to the schoolroom as a second career after their families are grown. But there are many others. Ranging all the way from a good healthy hobby to an actual profession. Too much cannot be said for the hobbies that women, and some men, indulge in. In my capacity of speaking about folklore or ornithology I often visit such hobby clubs and am amazed at the intellectual level of the members. Some have been members of a profession all their lives, most have been housewives, but they come together in a common interest and add interest and beauty to life. Flower, social work, gardens, antique, civic activity of all kinds—just what are not women doing now to show that they are very much alive and a vital part of the community? Some people often ask what happens there are that shorter hours of work and the innumerable labor-saving gadgets of our modern life have done us good. Well, here is evidence that is convincing. Housewives are not ground down as they used to be. Push-button students do some of the soul-killing labor that used to age women before their time. And even the ones who still do a great deal of backbreaking scrubbing and cleaning somehow find time to be a vigorous part of our modern social and intellectual life. We men, as always, learn a lot from our women folk.

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Swine Growers' Council Organized in Kentucky

The Kentucky Swine Growers' Council has been organized in the state, with John C. Peterson, Loretto, Ky., as president. Object of the council, which is affiliated with the National Swine Growers' Council, is to assist in improving marketing methods, brucellosis and cholera control, more efficient feeding methods, promotion of pork products, and establishments of market hog shows over the state. Development of the meat-type hog also is a prime objective.

Grady Sellards, Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service specialist, Lexington, is secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us upon the passing of our father and husband, Willie Howard and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially, we are thankful to the ministers for their comforting words and the Hall Bros. Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.
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Credit-Buying Survey Slated During Month, Says Census Office

Information on the use of consumer credit, particularly for the purchase of automobiles and houses, will be collected in Floyd County in the August Current Population Survey, according to Supervisor Robert A. Verleyer of the Census Bureau's district office at Cincinnati, Ohio which will participate in the survey. The consumer credit information is being collected for the first time in the survey. Questions relating to the purchase of automobiles will cover the year 1954 through the first half of 1956, whether the car was new or used and how the purchase was financed. Information on home buying will include the year purchased, whether the house was new at the time of buying and whether there is a mortgage. Other questions to be asked in the August Current Population Survey will provide information on installment purchases of household equipment, annual income and television set ownership. These questions will be in addition to the regular monthly inquiries on employment and unemployment. Current Population Survey information will be collected locally during the week of August 20 by Mrs. Mary Mitchell, of Allen.

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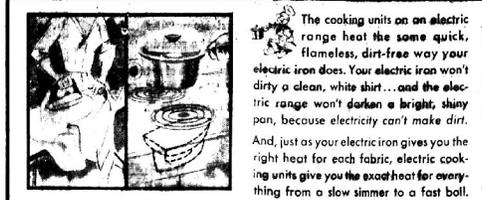
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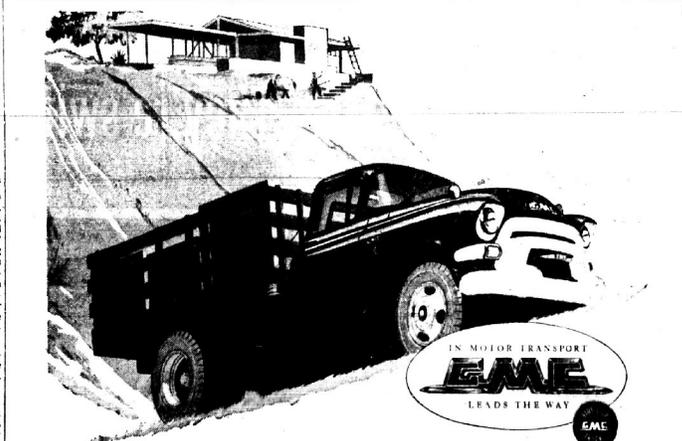
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Ivan Childers, Jr., of Hindman, a junior in civil engineering, and Paul W. Honeycutt, of Litter, engineering freshman, each received from the Knott Coal Co. scholarships valued at \$400. The Consolidation Coal Company scholarships went to David Pearson, Covington, freshman in electrical engineering, \$200; Robert W. Davis, of Hartford, engineering freshman, \$200; Robert A. Elam, Barbourville, mining engineer freshman, \$200.

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SPORTS AFIELD
By TED KESTING

Your vacation falls in August and you want to fish, despite the fact that this is one of the poorest months for fresh water fishing. Well, here's where JASON LARCA, managing editor of Sports AfIELD magazine will officially open next week with two games set for Friday, August 31. All of the high school football teams in Eastern Kentucky, except newscorers Wheelwright, are members of the 10-team Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference. M. C. Napier, high school, Perry county, was admitted as the 10th member last season and will play a full schedule in the loop for the first time this season.

After checking all of the camps of the various schools for the past two weeks, this is the way we anticipate the finish at the close of the current season!

1. Fleming
2. Hazard
3. Whitesburg
4. Whitesburg
5. Prestonsburg
6. Paintsville
7. Belfry
8. Elkhorn City
9. Jenkins
10. M. C. Napier

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CLUB FINALES
The Paintsville Country Club will hold its annual club tournament August 30 and 31. Septien members of the club will participate. Qualifying rounds for the Beaver Valley Country Club play-offs are now in progress.

COMING HIGH SCHOOL GAMES
August 31
Fleming at Belfry
M. C. Napier at Whitesburg
September 3
Elkhorn City at Pikeville
September 4
McKell at Paintsville

MATTOWN
Seventeen members of the Maytown chapter of Future Farmers of America attended the Kentucky Leadership Training Center at Hazard, Ky., Aug. 10-11.

The program provided training in leadership to chapter officers and other members. Boys participated in a panel discussion and led group discussions. Four-day program discussed these topics on democratic leadership:

1. Effective democratic leadership
2. Qualities of leadership
3. Goals for developing leadership
4. Opportunities for developing leadership at home

Special classes were held for each officer and committee chairman to teach them their duties and responsibilities.

Special interest classes were offered in driver safety, FF A work conservation, beginner swimming, casting, photography, first aid and water safety, rope work and electricity.

The following members attended the Center:

President Dan Rowland, Vice-president Rinaldo Houser, secretary Romie Hays, treasurer Emil Retlett, reporter Earl Webb, sentinel Ray Antine, advisor Roy R. Deane, Palmer Leav.

Emil Retlett was one of eight boys to receive the leadership award.

Roy R. Deane was a member of the camp Council for the week. Each of the boys was on one or more of the panel discussions.

MAY RECEIVE NEW NAME
Edwardsville and Kitterova may be consolidated under the new name Barkley, honoring the Commonwealth's former vice-president, the late Alice Barkley.

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7. Belfry
8. Elkhorn City
9. Jenkins
10. M. C. Napier

FREE SCHEDULES
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CLUB FINALES
The Paintsville Country Club will hold its annual club tournament August 30 and 31. Septien members of the club will participate. Qualifying rounds for the Beaver Valley Country Club play-offs are now in progress.

COMING HIGH SCHOOL GAMES
August 31
Fleming at Belfry
M. C. Napier at Whitesburg
September 3
Elkhorn City at Pikeville
September 4
McKell at Paintsville

MATTOWN
Seventeen members of the Maytown chapter of Future Farmers of America attended the Kentucky Leadership Training Center at Hazard, Ky., Aug. 10-11.

The program provided training in leadership to chapter officers and other members. Boys participated in a panel discussion and led group discussions. Four-day program discussed these topics on democratic leadership:

1. Effective democratic leadership
2. Qualities of leadership
3. Goals for developing leadership
4. Opportunities for developing leadership at home

Special classes were held for each officer and committee chairman to teach them their duties and responsibilities.

Special interest classes were offered in driver safety, FF A work conservation, beginner swimming, casting, photography, first aid and water safety, rope work and electricity.

The following members attended the Center:

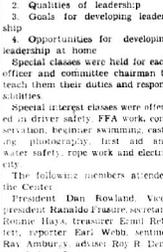
President Dan Rowland, Vice-president Rinaldo Houser, secretary Romie Hays, treasurer Emil Retlett, reporter Earl Webb, sentinel Ray Antine, advisor Roy R. Deane, Palmer Leav.

Emil Retlett was one of eight boys to receive the leadership award.

Roy R. Deane was a member of the camp Council for the week. Each of the boys was on one or more of the panel discussions.

MAY RECEIVE NEW NAME
Edwardsville and Kitterova may be consolidated under the new name Barkley, honoring the Commonwealth's former vice-president, the late Alice Barkley.

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Good Squirrel Season, Prediction of Wallace

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 13—What promises to be one of Kentucky's best squirrel seasons opened Aug. 13. Earl Wallace, Commissioner of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, reported. The first phase of the split season will continue through October 15 with a bag limit of six and a possession limit of 12 after two or more days of hunting.

Preliminary reports from Conservation Officers throughout the state indicate that the population of squirrels this year is perhaps greater than in any recent year. A statewide hunting license is required of the hunter.

Sgt Nick Kidd Arrives At Camp Drake, Japan

CAMP DRAKE, JAPAN—Sergeant First Class Nick Kidd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd, of Printer, Ky., recently arrived in Japan and is now a member of the 1st Cavalry Division.

Sergeant Kidd, a mess steward in Battery C of the division's 29th Artillery Battalion, entered the Army in 1948. He completed basic training at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Professional Group Plans Ladies Night

The Big Sandy Chapter of the Kentucky Society of Professional Engineers and the Eastern Kentucky Electrical and Mechanical Institute will hold their Ladies Night at the Green Meadows Country Club, near Pikeville, August 24.

Circuit Judge Jean Ausler, of Pike county, will be the principal speaker.

Casting and Coon Drag To Be Sportsman's Day Features at State Fair

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 12—A Sportsman's Day, highlighted by the state championship junior casting tournament and a state title coon drag will be held at the State Fair on Saturday, September 15.

The coon drag, which will decide the champion line and tree dog in Kentucky, will be started at 10:30 (slow time) in front of the Fair Ground amphitheatre and will continue for two hours until the champion dogs are decided. To the winners will go trophies emblematic of the state championship.

Entries in these races must be made one hour prior to the first race and should be made with Kenneth Glass, Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, Frankfort, who will be in charge of the drag. Entry fees will be \$5 per dog and this money will be divided equally and will be given to the owner of the winning dog in the finals of the tree and tie divisions. Unless a dog is entered one hour before the first race, he will be ineligible.

Persons wishing to enter dogs should contact Mr. Glass. Only Kentucky-owned dogs are eligible.

Champion Junior Club casters from the nine Kentucky districts will compete in the casting event which will be staged in front of the amphitheatre at 11:30 o'clock (slow time).

In addition to the Sportsman's Day the Department will have an exhibit of animals and birds in its booth behind the amphitheatre and will also have a booth in the exposition building at which literature and information will be distributed.

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Bluegill Application Deadline Is Sept. 10

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 13—Applications for stocking of bluegill in new or renovated farm ponds must be submitted to the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources on or before Sept. 10. Minor Clark, assistant commissioner of the Department, announced today.

Farmers who wish an initial stocking of their ponds must contact their Conservation Officer right away so that he can inspect the pond and turn in the application and data on the ponds before the deadline. The ponds will be stocked with adult bluegill this fall and the bass quota will be added next spring, Clark said.

AT KY. STATE FAIR

An exhibit of old-type machinery, dating back to the early 1800's, will hold the attention of hundreds of farm and townspeople alike when they attend the 53rd annual exhibition of the Kentucky State Fair at Louisville, Sept. 7 to 15.

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SPORTS AFIELD magazine for August says that to catch monster bass, go to the St. Johns River in Florida. This is perhaps the only piece of where-to-go fishing advice that can be given so definitely with no reservations.

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WHAT'S THE HURRY?

History repeats itself, as every body knows. But what some people are wondering is why it has to repeat itself so fast.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

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Jayces Here Hosts To Pikeville Chamber

The Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce will host to the Pikeville Jaycees at a picnic at Dewey Lake State Park Sunday evening. Members and guests of the Prestonsburg group were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell May, Mr. and Mrs. John Heinz, Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Bob James, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cavender, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Don Sullivan, Marguerite Sharp, William James May, Frank Heinz, David Hereford, Baskley Sturgis, Duffan Moore. Fifty persons were present.

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Burnis Martin Sues Again

To All Floyd Counties

I notice in last week's Floyd County Times that our Commonwealth's Attorney Burnis Martin has filed lawsuits against Constable Johnnie Caudill and Astor Meade.

As I am one of the principal characters in the events leading up to these suits, I feel that the public should be informed of the facts insofar as they concern me.

Most of you have heard that shortly after the primary election in August of 1955, Mr. Martin struck me in the face on the porch of the Courthouse in Prestonsburg. Mr. Martin's actions were so uncalculated, that had I not been 79 years of age and in poor health I would have tried to defend myself.

Instead I controlled my temper and took the only course available to a law-abiding citizen, I wrote out a peace warrant for Mr. Martin. Like all peace warrants no bond was allowed.

When news of Mr. Martin's attack on me became known, I was amazed at the anger and concern of friends and acquaintances. I was told again and again by younger men that if they had been present at the time Mr. Martin struck me, that he would have received payment in kind.

I learned soon afterwards that Burnis and Astor Meade had been in a fight and that Mr. Martin's attack on me was partially the cause.

To get back to the peace warrant, I tried to get various peace officers to serve the warrant upon Mr. Martin, but they told me that they were afraid to serve such a warrant on the Commonwealth's Attorney because he would be liable to use the power of his office to seek revenge.

It was only after other efforts failed, that I requested Constable Johnnie Caudill to serve the warrant. Constable Caudill did not shift his sworn duty but took the warrant and served it by arresting Mr. Martin and placing him in jail exactly as the warrant without bond directed him to do.

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Then I was approached by Mr. Claude P. Stephens, the very man who had filed the suits for Mr. Martin against Astor Meade and Constable Caudill. Mr. Stephens told me that if I would drop the charges against Mr. Martin, that Mr. Martin would not take any action whatsoever against Astor Meade. Against my better judgment but because of Mr. Stephens' earnest persuasion I had the peace warrant dismissed.

However, Mr. Martin's desire for vengeance was great. On the last day of the April Grand Jury Mr. Martin indicted Astor Meade. Martin passed up the September, 1955, and January, 1956, grand juries to take action because, believe, he wanted the right to express on my case against him. Burnis struck me in August, 1955. The April 1956 grand jury was the last grand jury which met before my year to indict was up. The grand jury meeting next month will be more than a year after he struck me.

In addition he waited to file a civil suit against Meade and Caudill, so late that my time to file a suit against him would expire.

This is typical of Mr. Martin's conduct since he has been in Floyd county and since he has been Commonwealth's Attorney. No one has created more turmoil than Mr. Martin since he has been in Floyd county.

Since he has been in Floyd County Mr. Martin has been involved in fist fights with private citizens and public officials. He has frequently attacked our public officials in the newspapers and in lawsuits.

Can Burnis Martin be right and everybody else in Floyd county be wrong?

Your Friend,
DOUG HAYS
(Advertisement)

700 to Attend Education Meet Slated Aug. 27th

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 16—A conference to launch the "Advancing Education in Kentucky Program" will be held August 27 at the Sheraton-Seebach hotel in Louisville.

About 700 local administrators, supervisors, teachers, and laymen have been invited.

The conference was prompted by the \$4,250,000 appropriation for 1956-57 to finance the foundation program for education in Kentucky.

Purpose of the three-day meeting is to launch a study to show taxpayers what returns they will get from the foundation program, explained Dr. Robert R. Martin, superintendent of Public Instruction.

To be discussed is a method of naming local and state study committees to advance education in Kentucky, Dr. Martin added. He will be the principal speaker at the opening sessions.

A symposium on advancing education in Kentucky will be conducted by Dr. Frank G. Dickey, president-elect of the University of Kentucky; Dr. W. F. O'Donnell, president of Eastern Kentucky State College; and Dr. John Adam, President of Morehead State College.

Also leading the symposium will be Miss Louise Combs, director of teacher education; Don C. Wade, director of instructional services; Dr. Ellis Hartford, head of the Bureau of Instruction; James L. Patton, head of the Bureau of Vocational Education; Ted C. Gilbert, head of the Bureau of Administration, and Francis, and Dr. C. C. Phipps, head of guidance services in the Department of Education.

A panel discussion, "How to Tell The Advancing Education Story" will be moderated by J. Martin Dodson, executive secretary of the Kentucky Education Association.

There will be discussions of steps, procedures to the improvement of instruction, and evaluation and interpreting the school program by the staff of the Education Department.

The conference is sponsored by the Department of Education in cooperation with K. E. A., the University of Kentucky and the State colleges, the Kentucky Council on Parents and Teachers, and the Kentucky School Boards Association.

Register now to vote in November. It is YOUR vote that counts.

NOTICE

Vote's Registration Book is now open and will remain open through September 2, 1956. If you are 18 years of age or older, you are to be before November 6, 1956, you may now register in advance in the coming November General Election.

If you have moved, changed your name, or wish to so, come to the Clerk's office and let us help you with your registration before September 9, 1956. Anytime that we may be of service to you, we shall be happy to do so.

Duffan Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court

Postal Official Argues Higher Postage Rates

Frankfort, Aug. 22 (Sp.) — Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield addressed an assembly of more than 2,000 rural letter carriers at a banquet during the National Convention of Rural Mail Carriers in Louisville.

Summerfield told the group that an unimproved postal system is a freedom of communication that can and will destroy detainers.

He urged passage of legislation to assure fair postal rates, saying it is not right to allow huge postal deficits to burden the already overburdened shoulders of the taxpayer.

To give some idea of the size of the Post Office Department, Summerfield said it has more than 30,000 post offices serving every part of the land and expenses of about three billion dollars a year. Cash transactions of the department amount to more than twenty-three billion dollars each year, and \$2,000,000 rural carriers travel more than one and half million miles a day, he said.

He also told the 32nd National convention that the Post Office Department is handling more than 56 billion pieces of mail annually and about one billion pieces of parcel post.

This is more mail than all rest of the world combined and this volume is increasing year by year, he said.

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FEED ROSES NOW

Roses that are not being fed each month, should be fed now, later than the last of August, says N. R. Elliott, Extension horticulturist at the University of Kentucky. This will encourage beautiful late-fall bloom.

Receives Advanced Degree

Miss Margaret Gulley has resumed her duties as 4-H club field agent at the University of Kentucky after a year of study at the University of Wisconsin where she received a master's science degree.

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Advertisement for Bids

Water Works Improvements

City of Prestonsburg, Ky. Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Prestonsburg, City Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Attention: Mr. H. K. Bland, Engineer, Mayor, until 2:30 p.m., E.S.T., Thursday, September 6, 1956, for furnishing labor and materials and performing all work as set forth in this Advertisement, General Conditions, Specifications and or Drawings prepared by Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, immediately following the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids, all proposals which have been submitted in accordance with the above conditions will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be bid upon is described as follows:
CONTRACT I: Furnishing and installing a steel reservoir, 400,000 gallons capacity, 40' diameter x 42' high.

CONTRACT II: Furnishing and installing a steel reservoir, 400,000 gallons capacity, 40' diameter x 42' high.

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DIVISION "C"
A one M.G.D. Water Treatment Plant with Raw Water Intake located on Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River.

DIVISION "D"
Excavation and construction of a reinforced concrete foundation for the 40' diameter steel tank and other miscellaneous items.

The steel reservoir and water treatment plant are to be located about two miles east of downtown Prestonsburg adjacent to U.S. Highway No. 25. The main connection is between the plant and main part of the City and at other points in the corporate area.

Specifications, Plans and Contract Documents may be examined at the following places:
1. City Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky
2. Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, 553 South Limestone Street, Lexington, Kentucky
3. F. W. Dodge Corporation, 400 Barrett Avenue, Louisville 4, Kentucky
4. F. W. Dodge Corporation, 1523 Demonbreun Street, Nashville, Tennessee
5. F. W. Dodge Corporation, 705 American Building, Cincinnati, Ohio
6. Builders Exchange, 832 North Central Street, P. O. Box 226, Knoxville, Tennessee
7. Builders Exchange, 120 S. Broadway Street, Knoxville, Tennessee

or may be obtained from Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, 553 South Limestone Street, Lexington, Kentucky, upon receipt of deposit as follows:

Contract No. Deposit
I \$15.00
II \$20.00
III \$45.00

The deposits of Contractors making legal bids will be returned upon receipt of Plans and Contract Documents in good condition within two (2) weeks after bids are opened. Deposits of parties not making legal bids will be returned less a reproduction and handling charge (shown on open receipt of Plans and Contract Documents in good condition within two (2) weeks after bids are opened.

Contract and Handling Charge
No. 1 \$ 7.00
II \$10.00
III \$20.00

Deposits or portions thereof will not be refunded under any other conditions.

Sealed proposals shall be marked clearly on the outside of the envelope "Sealed Proposal for Water Works Improvements, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Contract No. _____" and to be opened until 2:30 P.M. E.S.T., Thursday, September 6, 1956.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of forty-five (45) days after the date set for the opening of bids.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in an amount of Twenty-five (25) per cent of the bid. (But not less than \$5,000.)

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidder.

The City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

Bids will be accepted subject to the ability of the City to sell sufficient bonds to finance the project.

CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
By HARRY SANDERSON, Mayor

Howard K. Bell, Consulting Engineers, 553 South Limestone Street, Lexington, Kentucky 8-23-31

Master Commissioner's Sale FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Bank Josephine Plaintiff
Vs. NOTICE OF SALE
Hager Manns Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the term thereof in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 3rd day of September 1956, at 10 o'clock, P.M., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on the waters of Left Branch Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky:

FIRST TRACT—Beginning at a chestnut oak on the Elkhorn Oak Corporation line; thence with the Elkhorn line to Carter and Spencer Martins lines; thence down the ridge to the top of point with Martin Collins line to the branch; thence up the branch to marked rock E. S. Martin's line; and up a drain with E. S. Martin's line to a marked rock; thence a straight line up the hill with S. S. Martin's line to the chestnut oak at the beginning.

SECOND TRACT—Beginning at the branch at the mouth of a drain on the left side of branch; thence running up the hill with M. C. Clough line to a beech marked; thence running up the hill with the point to the top of the hill to the point; thence the hill running a northwest course about 100 yards with the conditional line of E. Moore and John Collins partnership line; thence a straight line down the hill with same conditional line to a stake 100 feet from the branch; thence around the bank a distance of 155 feet to a marked stake; thence down the hill 75 feet to center of branch; thence up the branch to the beginning, and being the same land conveyed to first parties (defendants) in this action by Green Manns, Sonora Manns, his wife, by deed dated the 29th day of December, 1953, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 135, page 587, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, containing 70 acres, more or less.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment rendered against the defendants in favor of plaintiff for the sum of \$500.00 with interest from 1-1-53 to 9-1-56.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, being the legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained against the property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. Given under my hand, this 8th day of August, 1956.

J. B. CLARKE
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
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8-15-56

AUXILIER ROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Crager purchased their son, A. B. Bobby M. Crager, on his late birthday with a winner road at Devoe Lake. He has concluded a 30-day tour through the state and has returned to Brooklyn New York for assignment to Libya, Africa. As he David Saxon, of Hawaii, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Crager, each of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bingham and Mrs. J. C. Clark, of the Lufbery reunion here on Bank Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henry Meek have purchased the property of Clay Spaidin. We welcome them to our community.

Mrs. Madam Wright and children of Cincinnati, Ohio, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Eda Conette.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Crager had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crager, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Davis, Mrs. Rose and Bayes Bingham and Miss Grace Vanzant.

Mrs. Sall Howell and Mrs. Woodrow Crager attended the piano recital in which their daughters, Carol and Judy Howell and Brenda J. Crager appeared.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank each and every one in the community of Team and elsewhere with the deepest appreciation for the many services contributed upon the occasion of the death of our beloved father. We are especially thankful to those who brought flowers and the minister, Rev. Carl Payne, and for the fine and efficient service of Carter & Callahan Funeral Home.

The Wright and Blevins Family

NOTICE

Merrile Conley has filed application with the Floyd Circuit Court for a license to sell in the operation of a Martin, Ky. 99 Conley's Cafe.

Dillon Moore, Clerk
Floyd County Court

ALLEN

W. A. Malone and son, Billy, Harry Snodgrass and son, Bonnie, and Johnny Snodgrass attended the baseball game in Cincinnati over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Pennington and son, Larry and Terry, of Albana, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell over the week-end.

The annual LaFerty reunion was held Sunday at the LaFerty Chapel Methodist church at Simon, with all-day preaching services and a basket dinner. A large crowd attended. Those attending from Allen were Mrs. Lizzie Woods, Donna Spriggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. LaFerty, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and son, Jimmy Delano, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gordon Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Bonnie LaFerty, Misses Kloria, Rita and Josie LaFerty.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert - Children had as guests over the week-end relatives from Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, of Cincinnati, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Mitchell last week.

Mrs. David Louder visited Mr. Louder and other relatives in Columbus, Ohio last week.

Joe LaFerty of Cincinnati, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. LaFerty and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter here last week. He was called here by the illness of his father, Fisher LaFerty, of Dowle.

Harvey Gene Maynard, of Camp Gordon, Ga., is spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett LeMaster, Mrs. Virginia Lushbaugh and daughter Susan, of Dowle, were visiting Mrs. Lushbaugh's husband, Charles, in a Beckley, W. Va. hospital last week. He is suffering a broken leg when he stepped off a camp car. He is employed by the C. & O. Railway Co.

Mrs. Mary Catherine Mitchell has returned from Cincinnati with a new Bureau of Census Training session.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Silvers, of Deal, have returned from a vacation spent with relatives in Maryland.

Mrs. Everett Lushbaugh and granddaughter, Susan Lushbaugh, were visiting relatives in North Carolina and Tennessee recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. LaFerty and Mrs. G. L. Gray were business visitors in Prestonsburg, Friday.

Mrs. Neima Wain and son, of Martinsburg, visited her mother, Mrs. John Henry Carr, and Mr. Carr last week.

Burt Allen and grandson, Jackie Tackett, were business visitors in Martinsburg Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Nancy Louder and Mrs. Flora Gray were at Harbortown, Ky. last Saturday to accompany the following youths home from the Methodist Youth Assembly: Miss Minnie Sue Martin and Donald Ray Sault, of the Allen Church and Miss Harriet and Bob Griffith, of the Martin Church.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept bids on September 4, 1956, at 1 p.m. for the purchase of the Spelling Camp school building which has been abandoned for school purposes. The successful bidder must remove the building within thirty (30) days. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Methodist Conference

Convenes at Wilmore; Stephens in Delegate

Clayborne Stephens is the delegate from the Prestonsburg Methodist Church to the Kentucky annual conference of the Methodist Church August 21-24 at Asbury College, Wilmore.

The conference convened at 2 p.m. Tuesday, and will close at noon Friday, when Bishop William T. Watkins, Louisville, will announce the ministerial appointments for the new conference year. Bishop Watkins will be the presiding officer for the meeting.

About 500 ministers and laymen are official delegates to the conference, and many of the sessions are being attended by more than 1,000 persons.

The Rev. Dr. Leonard H. Cochran, pastor of Mulberry Street Methodist Church, Macon, Ga., will be the inspirational speaker for the conference. His first message was scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, the opening night.

State Paid by TVA For Use of Property

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 21 (Sp.)—Kentucky received nearly \$4 million dollars for the fiscal year 1955-56, from the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Revenue Commissioner J. E. Lockett said recently the Commonwealth received \$400,454.61 under the payment plan authorized by Congress to offset TVA's tax exemption status.

Of the amount, 30 percent is earmarked for the State's general fund. The remaining 70 percent is allocated to local governments, the Commissioner said.

TVA property located in each county district multiplied by the amount of local government's tax rate.

Director of the division of design, Frankfort, from 1952-56, Johnson resigned from this office and went to Hawaii with a construction firm. He also served as director of the division of maintenance from 1948-52 in the Highway Department.

He is married to the former Miss Nordie Wicker, of Knott county. They have two sons who are attending Georgetown College.

Ship insurance dates back 700 years.

INTEGRATION BEGINS

A total of about 300 Negro children will be integrated in formerly all-white schools in the South with the start of the school year next month.

Johnson, Pike Native Named District Engineer Of Highway Department

M. P. Johnson, a native of Pike county who has recently returned from Hawaii, has been named district engineer of the Pikeville office, Kentucky Highway Department, it was announced recently.

Johnson succeeds J. P. Noonan who has been transferred to the Frankfort office in the right-of-way section of the division of design.

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PVT. MEADOWS GRADUATED
Pvt. Kelly Meadows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted E. Meadows, of Mantion, Ky., recently was graduated from the Military Police Training Center at Fort Gordon, Ga. Meadows entered the army last March. He is a 1952 graduate of Martin high school.

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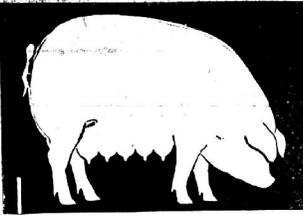
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Chevrolet Agency Here Wins May-June Contest; Two Get Savings Bonds

The Valley Motor Car Company, Chevrolet dealer, emerged as one of the top winners in the annual May-June Company contest, it was said by E. J. Williams, company president. "We sold more cars in these two months than at any other corresponding period in our history," he added. Winners in the local firm were Neelson Hadrige, salesman, who received a \$200 Savings Bond, and Mr. Williams who was given a \$50 bond. Two banquets honoring the dealers will be held in August. The dealers' banquet, held at the Netherland-Plaza, Cincinnati, will be held Aug. 22. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will attend. The banquet honoring the television artists will serve as master of ceremonies at both banquets.

Course in Psychology Offered in September

The University of Kentucky will offer a course in psychology, "The Principles of Learning," Sept. 7 from 8 to 9 p. m. at the Prestonsburg high school, according to the County Superintendent's office. Teachers having 54 hours or more will be permitted to take the course and the credit may be counted as "those taking the course will be expected to spend two Saturday sessions in laboratory work in Lexington. It was said.

Public Utilities Using Coal
Public utilities which are using more than 10 million tons of coal a month to generate power, produced only slightly more than 11 million tons for their own use from their own mines in 1955, when total utility use of coal for the year was in excess of 140 million tons.

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BREATHITT-CO. SPENDING HIT

State Sets Precedent On Breathitt Budget; County Shy of Funds

Jackson, Ky., Aug. 19 — In a precedent-setting move, the State Revenue Department today handed Breathitt county fiscal court an approved but revised budget and then acted to compel the court to stay within its spending ability.

The department's first legal step came yesterday. It filed a complaint in Franklin circuit court that charged the Breathitt court with mischarging the county's money and incurring debt of \$447,477 over a two-year period.

Judge William B. Arbery granted the department a temporary order to restrain the fiscal court members from further violating state budget laws.

It was that order two Revenue Department agents turned over today to the office of Sheriff Carl Bach after presenting the 1956-57 revised budget to acting County Judge Benton Howard. Since June 24 Howard has been acting in the place of County Judge William Turner, Jr. who suffered a heart attack.

Dave Magill, local state finance officer for the county, and Edward M. Mays, legal counsel, said the revised budget was worked out Tuesday with the County Budget Commission and totals \$83,165. A \$1,028 deficit had to be balanced, Magill said.

The budget must now be approved by the fiscal court which did not show up today to confer with Magill and Mays.

Members of the County Budget Commission are Judge Turner, County Attorney Allie Watkins, and Ben C. Sewell, appointed for the 1956-57 year.

Judge Turner and Watkins were unavailable for comment. Sewell would say only that he had nothing to do with past budgets.

The Revenue Department suit named Turner and Magistrates Mort J. Terry, Woodrow W. Moore, Willie Houshelt, and Sam Miller, all of whom comprise the Fiscal Court.

In Frankfort, the Revenue Department said it plans to do nothing about the irregularities, saying it only wanted court action to stop them.

This is the first time in department history, Magill said, that such a move has been instituted against a Kentucky county and gone into the courts.

Public disclosure of the maneuver, however significant, caused little—if any—excitement in this mountain town, whose 2,220 residents depend principally on the coal-mining industry.

Only a few persons were at the courthouse while about two score milled outside to acquire food products under the surplus commodity program for needy families.

"One resident said, 'Everybody knew what was going on, but just didn't ask questions.'"

Magill said the Revenue Department was interested only in upholding the state law providing for that body to supervise counties' budgets. They must stay within their budgeted funds, he said.

Breathitt county, Magill added, just doesn't have enough money to operate on.

"We had a time stretching" the approved budget, he said.

To correct any false impressions, Magill said the county still could borrow up to 75 per cent of its total revenue to meet obligations this fiscal year. But the money must be paid back during the year, he added.

The new budget provides for the county to liquidate its floating debt.

Magill said the county lost more than a million dollars in real-estate-tax assessments this year.

A check with Tax Commissioner Allison White backed this up. White said the losses resulted from various court actions and the moving of coal and other industries out of the county.

Listed among the law violators charged in the state's suit was one that the court suspended in excess of 75 per cent of unrealized and unencumbered revenues for the current fiscal year.

A report from State Auditor Mary Louise Fout, filed with the complainant, listed these other charges:

Magistrates were paid \$3,250 each in 1954 to finance certain road work in their district, and the magistrates have not been called upon to make an accounting for expenditures of the non-

Rails Planning Increase In Rates; Eastern Lines In Meeting This Week

Newspaper and other reports are to the effect that the railroads are actively processing an order petition for increased freight rates. Eastern roads met Tuesday to further consider the matter. It is reported that the Western railroads are not in agreement as to whether such petition should be filed now or should be held up until an accurate appraisal can be made of the effect of recent wage increases on operating costs. It is likewise reported that the Southern railroads are not in favor of seeking further increases and are particularly opposed to action for any further increases on coal.

A group of eight Eastern railroads asked the ICC for permission to raise passenger fares to meet operating losses. Six of the roads asked for a 5% boost in coach fares and a 4% increase in first-class passenger fares. Railroads asking only for the coach increase were the Lehigh Valley and the Reading railroads. The nation's railroads estimate the net \$460 million last year on passenger service.

Pvt. Wallen Completes Army Teletype Course

Fort Gordon, Ga. — Pvt. Robert D. Wallen, son of Scott Wallen of Lancaster, Ky., recently completed the teletype operator course at the Army's Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

The eight-week course trained Wallen in the use of the military keyboard, teletype and tape operation and communications center procedure.

Wallen entered the Army last January and completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. He is a 1955 graduate of Prestonsburg (Ky.) high school.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to those who did so much for us during the illness and upon the passing of our daughter, Willa Mae Lattie, and for every courtesy extended to us through flowers and personal services. Especially we are thankful to the minister, the Rev. Jim Duff, for his consoling words, and Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

Mr and Mrs. Northern Little and Children

Roy Cain's Itinerary This Week Outlined

Roy M. Cain, contact representative of the Kentucky Disabled Veterans' Men's board, will be in Floyd county for the purpose of aiding and assisting veterans and their dependents in filing and prosecuting claims for benefits, which they may be entitled to from the Veterans Administration, on the following dates and places:

Thursday, August 23 in the post office building, Walsland from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Friday, August 25, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Board of Hardware at Martin. Friday, August 26, he will be in Tackett and Tackett's office, Prestonburg.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to all our relatives and friends who were so kind and helpful during the illness and upon the death of our beloved baby, George Gregory Vail. We wish to thank those who sent floral offerings and the managers, Rev. Woodrow Brannan and Moses Kitchen, for their consoling words, and especially the Carter & Gillham Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.

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