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hit of the dance FOR ALL CHILDREN 6 MONTHS TO 4 YEARS Happy feet are dancing feet...

MR. CLARKE HONOURED BY SURPRISE PARTY

The Fidelity Class of the Baptist Church surprised their teacher, J. Bascom Clarke, Tuesday evening at his home on his birthday.

REV. BLACK IN FLORIDA Rev. Harold Black left last week for a stay in Florida where he hopes to get relief from an acute attack of laryngitis.

ATTEND FUNERAL HERE Relatives from out-of-town attending the funeral here Monday of Mrs. Wilson Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens, of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Smith, Mrs. Cora McHenry, Wheelwright, Mrs. Rebecca Crisp, Allen.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY Members of the family of Mrs. Herschell Graham is able to be at her place of business, the Artists Shop, after several days' illness at her home in West Prestonsburg.

STEWPHENS, GUEST SPEAKER AT D.A.R. MEETING John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was entertained Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, at the home of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

SCARCITIES: In view of various limitations and demands of the government for military requirements, many mills are already actually curtailing production in restricted quantities.

Society Notes

Mr. Ridda Findlayson, of Paintsville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, here Sunday.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL Mrs. Henry D. Fitzgerald returned home Sunday evening from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, where she received medical treatment for a heart condition.

HOME FROM FLORIDA Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose returned this week from a two-week vacation spent in Florida. They were now at home on Broadway. Jerry was born Feb. 8 at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

INJURED BY FALL Mrs. Ella Hunley sustained a broken leg Tuesday when she fell at the home of her son, Russell Hunley. Mrs. Hunley is convalescing from an operation to which she submitted some months ago at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

SIXTY-FIRST WEDDING ANNIVERSARY Friends and relatives called on Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Friend Monday, congratulating them on their sixty-first wedding anniversary.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN FOR MR. SHEPHERD The Prestonsburg Chapter, Future Homemakers of America and Future Farmers of America gave a farewell party, Jan. 24, honoring the P.F.A. advisor, Bob Shepherd.

SUBMITTS TO SURGERY Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick is convalescing at the home of her sister in Lexington after minor surgery at St. Joseph's hospital in Lexington, last week.

FORMER RESIDENT VISITING HERE Mrs. Modena Hodges, Okolona, Miss., who formerly resided here, arrived this week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Manica, and family on Second avenue.

MOVED HERE FROM ASHLAND Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Lee moved last week from Ashland to the new residence of Dr. Herbert G. Salisbury on Central avenue. Mr. Lee is general superintendent of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company in Eastern Kentucky.

REV. HAGGARD SPEAKS AT BOYSCOUTS CLUB Rev. Gerstle M. Haggard, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, was guest speaker Monday at the Paintsville Boys' Club.

IN AIR FORCE IN TEXAS Capt. E. E. Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conley, Prestonsburg, is taking his basic training at Lackland air force base, San Antonio, Texas. He left to enter the air force January 11th.

P-E-O ENTERTAINED Chapter G. P-E-O was entertained Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Wm. Callahan. Following a musical program, a refreshment course was served to the following members: Mesdames Chalmers Frazier, Robert P. Archer, Fred O. Francis, Robert Hughes, Woodrow Greenwald, Winston Ford, Marian Wilson, Marvin Music, W. A. Rose, Miss Marguerite Elizabeth May.

METHODIST CHURCH Gerstle M. Haggard, Pastor Sunday: 9:45 a.m.—Church at study. 10:30 a.m.—Church at worship. Sermon topic: "Believers."

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March 25-April 8, 1951

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KATIE GREENWADE BILL RAY COLLINS

The Junior Class of Prestonsburg high school will present a comedy in three acts, entitled, "The Darling Brats," at the grade school auditorium Feb. 22, at 8:00 p.m.

Miss Jordan Is Fiancee Of Wheelwright Man

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Jordan, Glumont, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Jo to Mr. Thomas Vance McClure of Wheelwright, Kentucky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vance McClure, of Greenville.

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 11 Sunday—9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. 6:30 p.m.—Pr-H. Westminster Fellowship. 7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.

Choose Your Diamond with Confidence at KEATHLEY'S JEWELRY MARTIN, KY.

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FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished apartments, one 6-room house, T. E. NEEDLEY, Phone 3031, Cliff, Ky. 7-15-51

WANT TO RENT AN APARTMENT OR HOUSE?—See HANSFORTH MAY, Realtor, phones 6411 and 7361, Prestonsburg, 6-8-51

FOR RENT OR SALE—New 7-room house in Mayo Addition, See NORMA STIPP, at rear of Lee Roberts' store, Prestonsburg, Ky. 6-15-51

BALDWIN PIANOS—Spirited. Grand now available. Authorized factory dealer for Big Sandy territory. Good used rebuilt pianos. ZWICKS, Ashland, Ky. 2-25-51

4-HOUR SERVICE PETTIWAY'S SERVICE STATION, Phone 6941, Prestonsburg, 9-25-51

FOR SALE—113-acre farm on Branch Creek, near new state Northern-David road, timber, 75 fruit trees. CORA H. HALL, Harpville, Ky. 2-25-51

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment in apartment business building, FRANK H. LAYNE, Phones 6561 and 5501, Prestonsburg, 10-12-51

Do you have old kitchen cabinets, dining-room suites, and coal cook stoves, etc.? Trade for New furniture, or will buy CASH. Phone 2131, CASH FURNITURE STORE, 10-12-51

FOR SALE—New Gunderman and Cable Spinnet Pianos. Immediate delivery. BROWN'S F.I.A. CO. STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky. E. B. BROWN, Phone 2148, 2-18-51

DO YOU HAVE REAL ESTATE TO SELL?—See HANSFORTH MAY, licensed realtor. He can sell for you. Offices over Kroger's store, Prestonsburg, Phones 7361 and 6411, 11-2-51

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—in law office in Prestonsburg. Phone BOX 470 or call 3131, given qualifications. 12-14-51

WANTED—Man or woman with car to call on 2500 established customers in local territory. New plan guaranteed. No profits over 75% weekly. Write FULLER, BRUSH CO., 422 President Bank Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, for name interview. 1-4-51

FOR SALE—2 lots, each 2 1/2 x 120 feet on trail, upper limits of Prestonsburg. See either M. E. HALL, Berner, Phone Allen 2533; R. L. PITTS, Prestonsburg, Phone 6713 or 7141; or LAWRENCE KEITNER-HAGEN, Prestonsburg, 12-14-51

FOR SALE—45 acres of land, 25 acres of road, 800 bushels of wheat, other outbuildings, Good well water, on good hard road. Price \$3,000. G. L. LINDAMOOD, 2-8-51, Martin, Ohio, Route 2

REUPHOLSTER in U.S. Neunahyeh plastic. Customized to suit new furniture, car and truck spring rebuilding and tire. No cushion too hard to rebuild. Call PATTON 123, HOLSTERING, Phone 2176, West Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-8-51

SINGER Sewing Machines and all other makes repaired. We install electric motors on any make treadle machine. A. J. CARR, Axiom Hotel, Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-8-51

LOST—Lady's Bulova wrist watch, Saturday night, Feb. 3, on Court street between Highland avenue and Abigail Theater. Finder return to The Floyd County Times and receive liberal reward. 2-8-51

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. MRS. HARVEY MAY, NARD, Phone 2341, Allen, 11-10-51

ATTENTION LADIES—Over 20,000 women are now selling the famous Daggett & Remond line of cosmetics in their own community. Work full or part time. No investment. Write R. C. PAYNE, 428 President Bank Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio for details. 1-4-51

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EXPERT SEWING MACHINE Repairing. I have or hand or can get parts for most all makes. M. D. HUBBARD, Box 238, Paintsville, Ky. 1-14-51

FOR SALE—12-acre farm, 4-room house with metal roof, new barn all land fenced, Gas and electricity, 3 1/2 miles up Middle Creek. Will accept terms. HANSFORTH MAY, Realtor, phones 6411 or 7361, Prestonsburg.

FOR SALE—33 h.p. Evinrude outboard motor. Like new. JOHNNY BURKE, Mountain Corner, Prestonsburg.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house at mouth of Cwling Creek. Has oil heater installed. Call Allen 4576 or see BERT N. PORTER, Emma, Ky. 12-14-51

FOR RENT—One room 12 1/2 fellows building. See EDWARD MAY or J. M. PARSLEY, Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-1-51

Kiwans To Sponsor Radio Dramatization, Fighting Communism

Radio dramatizations of the lives of 14 outstanding American leaders began today (Thursday) on WSPB, Paintsville and will continue each Thursday from 12:45 to 1 p. m., for 14 weeks.

The series is being sponsored locally by the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club to emphasize the opportunities open to Americans under a democratic system of free enterprise.

Each program will feature well-known actors and actresses of screen and radio who will portray the lives of each of these business and professional executives. The first of the weekly series will start the life of Brig Gen. David Sarnoff, an immigrant who began as an office boy and progressed to chairman of the board of Radio Corporation of America.

Kiwanis International has undertaken this "The Fun To Live In America" series to create a greater appreciation of the advantages of the American system over totalitarian regimes.

Amphibian tanks, then known as "alligator tanks," were used by U.S. Marines back in 1924.

Mrs. Prater, Believed Oldest Floyd Woman, Victim at Age of 98

A woman believed to have been Floyd county's oldest person died near here Sunday.

The victim was 98-year-old Mary Margaret Prater, widow of Solomon Prater, who died after an illness of two weeks at the home on Middle Creek, near West Prestonsburg, of her daughter, Jane Webb.

Mrs. Prater was a daughter of Billy and Jane Webb and was a native of what is now Allen. Her husband died in 1936. Surviving her are two sons, Dale Webb and H. Prater, both of Blue River, three daughters, Mrs. Anna Brown and Mrs. Cade Brown, both of Carey, O., and Jane Webb, West Prestonsburg, and two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, of Martins and Mrs. Matilda Angeline Brannan, of Sloan.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the Buckley school, the Rev. G. P. Pannin and Mrs. C. W. Johnson officiating. Burial was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Funeral rites for Frank Harris, 49 years old, who died Feb. 6 at Warsaw, Ind., were conducted Friday from the Assembly of God Church, West Prestonsburg, the Rev. J. H. Bannister officiating.

Mr. Harris died of an embolism following a lung abscess. His body was buried here last Thursday from Warsaw.

He was well-known here, having spent most of his life in Prestonsburg and vicinity and had many relatives and friends in the county. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Susie Williams Harris, six children, Mrs. Josephine Martin, Mrs. June Helfrich, Fred, Paul Frank and Jack Harris all of Warsaw and Mrs. George Shepherd, of West Prestonsburg.

Burial was made in the Fitzpatrick cemetery on the Middle Creek road, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

Retired Miner Victim At Weeksville, Feb. 3

Funeral rites for Tony Jackson, 68 years old, retired miner, were conducted last week from the home of Millard Craynor, Weeksville, where he died, Feb. 3.

Mr. Jackson, a native of Serikoka, Poland, succumbed to a two-week illness of heart disease. He had no known relatives in this country. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. George W. Verbone, and burial was made in Weeksville cemetery under direction of the Greene Funeral Home.

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Notice

At its regular meeting, March 8, 1951, the Floyd County Board of Education will receive bids on the purchase of high school diplomas for the 1951 graduates.

Notice

All persons who have bills or claims to be paid by the Floyd County Board of Education will please take note that, pursuant to a recently enacted order of the Board, it will be necessary that bills and claims be in the Superintendent's office at least ten days prior to the date of the Board meeting if it is to be ordered paid at that meeting.

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MARTIN WATER WORKS

OPERATING STATEMENT

General Fund	Construction Fund	Bond Int. & Ref'd Fund	TOTAL
Oct. 1, 1949 to Oct. 31, 1950	Oct. 1, 1949 to Oct. 31, 1950	Oct. 1, 1949 to Oct. 31, 1950	1949-50
INCOME			
Water Sales	\$ 13,627.00	\$ 13,627.00	
Taxes	386.38		
Penalty	419.01		
Hydrants	1,350.00		
Interest on Bonds		187.67	
Meter Refunds—Power	7.06	7.06	
Trans'l from Gen'l Fund		9,439.89	9,439.89
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 15,789.43	\$ 187.67	\$ 9,439.89
DEDUCT—Operating Expenses			
Salary—Supt.	2,205.50		2,205.50
—Clerical	315.00		315.00
Par-Diem—Commissioners	105.00		105.00
Maintenance—Labor	1,109.78		1,109.78
—Supplies	687.24		687.24
Interest—FPC Bonds	397.75	97.79	495.54
Attorney Fee—(McCarthy Case)	200.00		200.00
Freight & Dragee	4.25		4.25
Service Charge	40.66	33.59	74.25
Rent	29.00		29.00
State Utility Tax	428.08		428.08
Utilities—Gas, Power	789.82		789.82
for Plans	159.40		159.40
Purification Supplies	105.00		105.00
Electricity	24,842		24,842
Com's & Supt.	70.00		70.00
Interest—		1,840.00	1,840.00
Bonds Outstanding			
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 6,746.51	\$ 131.38	\$ 1,840.00
NET INCOME	\$ 9,042.92	\$ 56.29	\$ 7,599.89
ADD—Non-Operating Receipts			
Loan—City of Martin	390.00		390.00
Old Balance			261.97
Martin W. Works	201.97		56,001.00
TOTAL OF INCOME	\$ 9,634.89	\$ 99,072.29	\$ 7,599.89
DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME			
Repayment of—			
Loan—City	\$ 390.00	\$ 390.00	
Bond, Int. & Ref'd Fund	4,400.00	5,639.89	9,439.89
Land	990.00	2,850.00	2,850.00
New Plant—			
(Bal. \$1,214.88)	48,941.12		48,941.12
Additions & Extensions	544.54	1,511.57	5,686.11
Old Plant (FPC Bonds)	0	19,500.00	19,500.00
Investment—(Martin)			
Works Bonds	0	8,160.00	8,160.00
Noe. 33 to 40	1,340.16	8,274.71	7,599.89
Cash in Bank	2,405.74	0	2,405.74
Customers	44.45	0	44.45
Meters			
TOTAL	\$ 9,634.89	\$ 99,072.29	\$ 7,599.89

BALANCE SHEET—September 30, 1950

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cash—General Fund	\$ 1,240.16
—Bond Interest & Ref. Fund	7,599.89
—Construction Fund	5,234.71
Accounts Receivable—Customers	2,405.74
—Meters	44.45
Bond Disc. & Expense	2,850.00
Water—Plant, Transmission Lines & Meters	75,450.14
Prepaid Interest (Coupons due Apr. 1)	1,840.00
	\$ 102,614.09
LIABILITIES	
Accts. Payable—May-Bull Co., Inc.	1,514.88
Bonds—4 pct. Water Revenue Bonds	\$ 100,000.00
—Less Treasury Bonds	9,000.00
CURRENT EARNINGS	9,099.21
	\$ 102,614.09

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E. H. (TED) STUMBO
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REPRESENTATIVE
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Atton M. Smith Files For State's Attorney
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8.—Atton M. Smith, Hindman, filed today as candidate for the Democratic nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney in the 36th Judicial District, Boone and Magoffin counties.

Cats' Losing Streak Ends As They Defeat McDowell, 49 to 47
"Wh-Wah" Caudill was a coach-killer Tuesday night.

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HE WOULD HAVE WORKED
Ol Joe keeps his sense of humor and can't resist the temptation to give somebody the old razz-dazz.

IN THE MAIL
Speaking of the mail going through—as it sometimes does, these days—there's that postal card I received this week from Bud

DRIFT THEATRE
FIREPROOF AND AIR CONDITIONED
FRI, FEB. 16, 7:30 p.m.—
"Three Secrets"

"Father Makes Good"
Raymond Walburn, Walter Catlett.

"Powder River Rustlers"
Allen Rocky Lane, E. Waller.
SAT, 10:30—Late Show—
"To Please a Lady"

"San Quentin"
"Glass Menagerie"
Jane Wyman, Kirk Douglas.

"Joe Palooka in the Square Circle"
Joe Kirkwood, James Glason.
"Short Grass"
Rod Cameron, Cathy Downs.

WCS CIRCLE MEETS
February meeting of Circle 1 of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Bill Fanning.

WHILE HENRY P. SCALF is a native of Mare Creek, he was born in 1902 near the present site of The Bested.

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WILLIAM BOYD
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All accessories.
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Floyd County Soldier To Wed New York Girl

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (Sp.)—The marriage of Miss Irma Klein, 19, of 192-34 105th Avenue, Hollis, N. Y., to Russell Thornbury, 22, a soldier, of Emma, will take place shortly.

The bride-elect, a native of New York, is the daughter of David and Ida Rabinowitz Klein. Mr. Thornbury, son of Morris and Mary Gray Thornbury, was born in Detroit.

The couple obtained their license to wed at the Municipal Building here today.

Lt. Conn at Lackland In Human Resources Center

Air Force 2nd Lieut. James E. Conn, formerly of Martin, and a December graduate of the Officer Candidate School at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, has been assigned to the Human Resources Research Center at that base. He will serve as a junior administrative officer in the testing and processing section.

Lt. Conn entered the Air Force in 1943, and served in England and worked at the HRRC until he was called to OCS last June. A graduate of Martin high school, he attended Georgetown College and Morehead State College. He is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

The primary purpose of the Human Resources Research Center is to scientifically test and evaluate each man and woman entering the Air Force, in order that each may be assigned to the position for which his skills and talents qualify them.

ORDINANCE

Accepting Certain Territory Herebefore Annexed to the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY:

THAT, WHEREAS, an Ordinance was adopted by the City Council at a former meeting annexing certain territory to the city, both at the southern city limits and at the northern city limits of Prestonsburg, Kentucky;

AND WHEREAS, suits were filed against said City Council and the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in the Floyd Circuit Court, seeking to set aside said Ordinance;

AND WHEREAS, the Judge of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered judgment sustaining the action of the City Council in said annexing of the territory, and entered judgment on May 13, 1950, annexing the territory at the southern limits of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, which judgment is recorded in Order Book 49, Page 197, Floyd Circuit Court Clerk's Office; and also entered judgment, annulling the action of the City Council in the action annexing the territory at the northern end of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, on June 7, 1950, which judgment is recorded in Order Book No. 47, page 248, Floyd Circuit Court Clerk's Office;

THESE TWO JUDGMENTS, REFERRED TO ABOVE, are hereby referred to for further description of said territory; said judgments have not been appealed from.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, that the following described boundaries of land, referred to above, be and the same are hereby accepted into the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky:

GARRETT

On Wednesday Mrs. Ellsworth Coburn and Mrs. R. H. Messer entertained the birth anniversaries of their husbands at the home of Mrs. Messer. The tables and birthday cakes were decorated in keeping with the Valentine season. Both received several nice gifts. Those present or sending gifts were: Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bostap, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Webb, Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Turner, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blanton, Dr. C. B. Ison, Dr. Sweeney, Marie Coburn, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Coburn, Mrs. Chas. Horsley, Mrs. Grover Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rasmick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Petrey, Chas. Felix Coburn.

Janet Webb, student nurse at Lexington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy J. Webb.

Bath, Edna, and Clein Marvin visited Mike Staley who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ball went here last week from Wayland.

Mrs. Bill Francis and Truly Francis visited Mrs. Francis' daughter, Philomena, at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington last week. The many friends of Philomena are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

Stanley Baunier is a patient at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington with an injured eye. Mrs. Banner visited him last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rasmick, Jr., of Regina, and children spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasmick.

The sympathy of the town is extended to the Richard Bentley family in the tragic death of their daughter, Willis Dean, by asphyxiation at the Nolan home in Prestonsburg.

MARTIN WOMAN'S CLUB

The Allen-Martin Woman's Club met with Mrs. Earl Martin Monday, Feb. 5.

Mrs. Mack Elliott turned in \$75.02 which she had collected at the Mark and Wayland Theatres for the March of Dimes.

It was decided for the club to collect all the Bibles the members cared to send to Japan.

A program committee was formed to plan entertainment for the next meeting. After the business meeting, the hostesses entertained the members with Valentine games. Prizes were won by Mrs. T. J. Allen, Mrs. Belford Reitz, Mrs. John W. Hall and Mrs. William Lyons. Refreshments in the Valentine motif were served to the following:

Mrs. Madames Lewis Warren, J. W. Hall, Owen Babb, T. J. Allen, W. O. Huddleston, Bill Martin, Maurice Mitchell, Walker Procter, Ed Coleman, Mark Reed, Belford Reitz, Germain Vance, Clarence Akers, Mack Elliott, William Lyons, Lawrence Scott, Guy Taylor, William Stinnette.

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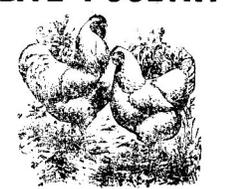
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If you are married and have an income of \$2,000 you are required to file a return. If you are single you must file if your income exceeds \$1,000.

Under the new law the tax credit for heads of families and married persons has been reduced to 40%. The tax credit for single persons remains at 50%, with \$10 credit for each dependent. The tax rate on the net income above \$8,000 is now 6 per cent.

Any Floyd county taxpayer may get Kentucky income tax blanks at the County Clerk office in Prestonsburg.

NOTICE TO FLOYD COUNTY TAXPAYERS

It shall be the duty of all persons owning or having interest in any property taxable in this state to list or have listed with the Tax Commissioner of the county in which the property is located between January 1st, and March 1st, 1951.

KRS 132-230:

Any property which has not been listed for taxation for any year in which it is taxable, by the time the board of supervisors completes its work for that year shall be deemed omitted property.

(2) Omitted property consisting of money in hand, notes, bonds, shares of stock, accounts or other credits, secured or unsecured may be assessed retro-actively, either voluntarily or by action, at any time within ten years from the date when it became omitted. All other omitted property may be assessed retro-actively in the manner provided by law at any time within five years from the date when it became omitted, but the lien thereon accruing on any such property except real property shall not prejudice the rights of bona fide purchasers acquired in the meantime.

(3) All omitted property that should have been assessed prior to July 1, 1949, shall be subject to the same penalties and rate of interest as provided by law for the years when the property was not assessed. All omitted property that should have been assessed as of or subsequent to July 1, 1949, shall be subject to a penalty of ten percent of the amount of the taxes, and interest at 10 per cent per month from the date when the taxes would have become delinquent had the property been listed as required by law, until the date the tax bill is prepared in accordance with KRS 132-230.

When the property is assessed retro-actively by action prosecuted in the manner provided by KRS 132-230 and 132-240, an additional penalty of twenty percent of the amount of the original tax, interest and penalty shall be collected for the purpose provided in KRS 132-406 and paid into the State Treasury. All other penalties and interest shall be distributed in the same manner as the tax, (1949, ex. s., c. 1, effective July 26, 1949), KRS 132-570 (409A-1); 4051; 4061; 4062).

ATTEMPTS TO EVADE TAXATION; PENALTY.

(1) A person shall willfully make a false statement, or, to avoid taxation, make a temporary investment in securities exempt from taxation, or convert any taxable property into nontaxable property outside of his state, or resort to any device to evade taxation. Any person doing so shall be subject to three times the amount of tax upon his property, to be recovered by the Sheriff by action in the name of the Commonwealth in the county in which the property is liable for taxation, or by the Department of Revenue, when the taxes are payable to it, in the Franklin circuit or quarterly court.

(2) A person shall transfer the assign of record any mortgage note, bond or other evidence of indebtedness, secured by any recorded instrument, for the sole purpose of evading the taxes thereon.

1-25-49

DESCRIPTION OF RECENTLY ANNEXED TERRITORY ON THE NORTHERN CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY.

BEGINNING at the intersection of the present city limits with the line of W. S. Harkins estate near city water supply reservoir; then running up ridge between Trimble Branch and Yellow Town to a high point on ridge between Trimble Branch and Big Sandy river; thence S 45 E down side of hill to Ball Alley Rock; thence down Levisa Fork of Sandy river with meanders of same to present corporation or city limits; thence with said present city limits to the beginning.

DESCRIPTION OF RECENTLY ANNEXED TERRITORY ON THE NORTHERN CITY LIMITS OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY.

BEGINNING at the east entrance of U.S. Highway No. 21 bridge at the intersection of Highway No. 23 right-of-way in a southerly course to the line leading to the Porter Cemetery; thence running with the north side of said line to the corner of the old County Road to the path leading up May Branch; thence with said path leading up May Branch to the foot of the hill; thence leaving May Branch and running up the point to the ridge between May Branch and lower limits of the City of Prestonsburg; thence running with the top of the ridge in a southerly course to high knob above the cemetery on the ridge dividing said May Branch and Triamble Branch; thence down the hill toward Trimble Branch to the big monument in the Davison Cemetery; thence a straight line running below the old Fitzpatrick residence; across Trimble Branch to a point on the ridge above the city water tank; thence with said city corporation line to the Big Sandy river; thence down said Sandy river to the point of beginning.

METHODIST CHURCH

In spite of floods and icy roads our club still met with Mrs. J. M. Preston as scheduled. A good deal of work was accomplished, but with several absent, the regular business meeting was omitted. Dinner was served by the hostesses.

The club meets with Mrs. Roach Saturday, Feb. 16, at 1:00 p.m. Every member is urged to attend.

We are having excellent services at our church each Friday evening at 7:30, first and third Sunday mornings, second and fourth Sunday evenings. Everyone should remember these dates.

IS JUNIOR AT BREA

Berea, Ky., Feb. 10 (Sp.)—Lois Stephens, daughter of Mrs. Beverly Stephens, Betty Layne, Ky., is enrolled as a junior in Berea College for the second semester which began on Feb. 2. Miss Stephens was a member of the 1948 graduating class of Betty Layne high school.

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MIDAS

Mrs. Virginia Allen and daughter, Leslie, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Greenville Trimble in Paintsville over the week-end.

Mr. Mollie Allen honored her daughter, Anna Lena, on her birth anniversary, Feb. 12, with a dinner. Those in attendance were Judy and Greendwyn Gibson, Peggy Sue Allen, Ann Stewart, Glens Eames, Mrs. Raymond Hopson, and Jimmie and Edmond Mr. and Mrs. Daylight Beffert, Frank and Ernie, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boners and sons, Henry and Frank, Mrs. Frank Boners, Nancy Lou Hughes, Ellis P. Paulkner and Sandra Sue Patrick. Many useful gifts were graciously acknowledged by Anna Lena.

Nedora Allen and Floyd Allen were home from their respective colleges over the week-end.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes was a business visitor in Prestonsburg and Paintsville Saturday.

Mrs. Clay Barnett, formerly of Midas, will undergo a major operation in the King's Daughters' Hospital, Ashland, Feb. 14. Her family is at her bedside. All her friends hope for a speedy recovery.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Harry Lee Moore in the Tom Turner cemetery where he had chosen the spot a few years in advance of his death.

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CHARLESTON — The State Motor Vehicles Department and 335 operators' licenses were revoked or suspended last month.

Notice to Bidders:

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THE GARDEN

A GARDEN IS A MUST

By John S. Gardner, Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics

Gardening for 1951 is about to start, and 54 1/2 years of all years, the garden must be good. Over six months on all soils will respect 10 just about everything that Kentuckians hold dear, save with home gardens. For them, as in countless years past, the sun will shine and the kindly rains will fall as in normal times.

This is not a prophecy, but the insect situation may be a bit over the top of this winter's crop. All the same garden remains, and on the basis of "store-bought" vegetable prices, he will extra himself wages quite as handsome as those that war plant workers get.

If more reasons were needed for having a garden, the old-fashioned ones could be set out and dusted off the satisfaction that comes of watching things grow, of killing insects wholesale, of eradicating diseases, notably tomato blight, and finally, the satisfaction that comes of feeling in partnership with the Almighty as these things are being accomplished. There must be good gardens.

Waiting for the last billiard to be passed, much can be done. The seed catalogs are coming in every mail; the seed boxes have been opened and the gaits of bulk seed have made their appearance. Seed should be bought, but not until a plan has been made, geared to the family's needs. Husband-and-wife gardeners waste seed, money and labor. In the planning, sure surpluses must be provided for to fill every jar or tub; handy bits of machinery, the "green" sprayers and dusters should be overhauled, or new ones bought.

There is little virtue in doing half-jobs with inferior equipment. Merchants should be told about the copper and rotenone that will be needed when the season gets under way. Now's the time for doing the things that will assure good gardens this year.

CHARLESTON — Lawrence Pepper, 66, city parking meter inspector and widely-known here as a prize "fight" jockey, died after lengthy illness. Pepper came to this county from England.

MAYTOWN

Mrs. Tom James, well-known musician, brought a splendid message, packed with inspiration and information to the Maytown P.T.A. at the February meeting when she spoke on Mountain Balladeer and Folk Songs. Mrs. James is a recognized authority in her field, having spent the past several years as Kentucky state chairman of the National Music Clubs of America. She gave the history of mountain music, explained the difference between the various tunes and ones introduced in the jazz era, and urged the preservation of the pure ones best heard in this section. Her talk was interspersed with bits of songs and ditties, which fascinated her audience. Those present felt that some concrete more should be taken by educational authorities to see that these old songs and tunes, so representative of our section, should not be lost to posterity.

Cs. George Baldrige is in the C. & O. hospital. Huntington.

Jones Talent and Roger Stewart attended the Kentucky and Georgia Tech basketball game at Lexington Saturday night.

Mrs. and Mrs. Luther Harmon were here. Mrs. Amy Begley were shopping Hazard Saturday.

Harry Lee Moore passed away Friday morning. He is the third to die in this community recently. Funeral services were held at the Wilson Creek Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. Shirley Stewart resigned as one of the second grade teachers at the school here. Mrs. Ann Crum, of Manion, has taken her place.

Mrs. Olive Tinsue has been confined to her home by tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Stone, of Wayland, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill and daughter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Baisden Osborne.

Mr. Eli Stephens is seriously ill at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Delmer Iron and his mother have moved to Kinross, Tenn., where he has established his place.

Mrs. J. D. Mayo, of Prestonsburg, who heads the tuberculosis work for the Floyd County Health Department, is scheduled to be the March speaker for the Maytown P.T.A. on the first Tuesday. Her subject will be "T. B. Public Health Enemy No. One." Her lecture will include an educational movie on the disease, which takes such heavy toll that every parent and adult needs to know how to prevent and, if possible, how to cure it.

Contributions to Donald G. May who made top score in his community at a recent given at Fort Knox, Ky. When Donald finishes his basic training at Fort Knox, he goes to Fort Myers, Virginia, for officer's training.

The Christian Board of Education met at the home of Mrs. Howard Ramey Wednesday evening. Devotional was given by Rev. Kenny and the usual business meeting was held. Singing was a special feature of this meeting, and was enjoyed by all. This month's meeting was held at the Ramey's in honor of their 10th wedding anniversary. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Thurnal Clark, Rev. and Mrs. Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy, Mesdames Henry May, Amy Begley, Frank May, Charles Patton, Rebecca Harmon, Rebecca Hayes and Wiley Jones.

Those from Maytown attending the birthday party of Anna Lena Allen, of Midway, last week were Sandra Sue Patrick, Peggy Sue Allen, Ann Stewart and Glennis Ramey.

WAYLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin announced the marriage of their son, Jenkins Martin, to Miss Frances Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., on Dec. 15. Mrs. Martin is a stenographer in Niagara Falls Jewelry Shop. Mr. Martin is a graduate of Wayland's basketball team. He had two years' college at Winchester, Ky., and is now working at a war job at Niagara Falls.

Winifred Morris was called home Saturday upon the death of his maternal grandfather, Harry Lee Moore.

We are all proud to see Archie Beverly able to be out once more. Mr. Beverly has been very ill.

Mrs. Anna Williams was in Prestonsburg Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Delmer Allen and son, Chas., of Right, Florida, are residing with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Ruth Allen. Mr. Allen is staff sergeant in the army. He is now in California, expecting to go to Korea. Mrs. Allen is the former Miss Melba G. Haywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hensel, Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Morris attended the funeral of Harry Lee Moore at Wilson Creek Sunday.

Rev. John Ferguson and Russell McCown, of Paintsville, attended Shop Fork church, Saturday night. Rev. Ferguson is superintendent of the church. He delivered a wonderful sermon.

We are glad to know that Dave Brady is able to be out. He had a heart attack several weeks ago.

Mrs. Charlie Huff has been very sick for the past week.

Derp Davis son of Rev. Norman Davis, ex-pastor of Shop Fork church, has been very sick with leukemia for the past six months.

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Kiwanians Hold Meet At Methodist Church

The Kiwanians held their regular luncheon meeting at the Prestonsburg Methodist Church on Friday, Feb. 9. The hostesses were Mrs. Curtis Clark, Mrs. J. Y. Gable, Mrs. Max Burns, Mrs. William Crawford and Mrs. William O. Giesel.

The tables were arranged with Valentine decorations and lunch was served to the following members in addition to the hostesses: Mesdames Marshall Mahan, Woodrow Greenwald, Irvin Spote, Marvin Music, Paul Combs, John Stratton, Harry Pfeider, Glenn Anderson, Fred Francis, Clark Todd and J. B. Clarke. These meetings are held on the second and fourth Fridays of each month and all members are urged to attend regularly.

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SIR FRANCIS JOSEPH DIES — Miss STOKES, England — St. Francis Hospital, Paintsville, Md., announced the death of Sir Francis Joseph, 80, British subject, 1000 E. 10th St., on Feb. 14. He was former president of the P. O. Club and pioneer in physical education of British born men.

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2. If You've Got the Money, I've Got the Time
3. There's Been a Change In Me
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9. I Love You a Thousand Ways
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BECKLEY — Raleigh county's first polo case of 1951 was on the health officials said Sandra Martin Allen, nine-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Allen of Glen White, had been taken to Morris Memorial Hospital at Milton for treatment.

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Eastern Gas To Reward Foremen for Knowledge Of Mine Safety Work

Mr. Hope, W. Va., Feb. 1 (Sp.)—Knowledge of mine safety will pay off with a three-day, all-expense vacation trip to Lexington, Ky., next June when Eastern Gas and Fuel Associates mine supervisors will be guests of their employer, according to Joshua Smith, director of safety for the organization.

Those to make the trip will be selected on the basis of their standing in a written safety examination to be published in seven sections in the Safety News Letter of the EGFPA Accident Prevention Department.

One supervisor from each of five groups of EGFPA mines, who make the highest grade in the examination, will make the trip which will include attendance at the annual convention of the Mine Inspectors' Institute of America, June 4 to 6. The five groups of mines include those in Raleigh county, in Fayette county, in McDowell county, in Boone and Wyoming counties, W. Va., and Westmoreland, Ky., and the Pennsylvania mines.

Division To Distribute 350,000 Bluegill for Ponds

Approximately 350,000 bluegill fingerlings will be distributed to Kentucky pond owners this spring, the Division of Game and Fish has announced. First distributions will be made during the week of March 19 and other deliveries will follow in other sections in succeeding weeks.

The bluegill distribution is the first step in farm pond stocking. Following the planting of bluegill, bass will be added to the ponds in May. Deadline for applications for stock fish is March 1. Applications received by that time will be filled, while those arriving later cannot be filled until next spring. Owners having ponds they wish stocked should contact their conservation officer immediately who will file the applications with the main office at Frankfort.

It is pointed out that those ponds that received bluegill last fall will not receive additional fish of this species this spring, but will receive their bass during the regular bass delivery in May.

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MARTIN

Mrs. May Skeans and Mrs. Florence Crisp were business visitors in Prestonsburg this week.

Mrs. T. J. Allen and Mrs. Thomas E. Allen were visiting in Pikeville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters and Mrs. Kenneth, have moved back to Martin after living in Paintsville several months.

Mrs. Leslie McCoy, of Pikeville, and Betty Pritchett of Martin, were the Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Hall, of Bevinville.

Mrs. T. J. Allen spent two days in Hindman, due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. S. D. Megaward. Mrs. Megaward is now being treated in a hospital in Lexington.

Brode Duke is working out of Shelby this week.

A large crowd gathered for the bridal shower given recently by Mrs. Charles Pinson. It was given by Mrs. Jack Ryan, Mrs. C. C. Hunter, Mrs. W. E. Gibson, Mrs. S. W. Bernhart, Mrs. E. P. Grigsby, Mrs. John Madcox, Mrs. Robert Dermont, and Mrs. S. H. Hunter. Mrs. Pinson is the former Miss Doris Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, Sr. Mr. Pinson is from Harrison, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wicker and children, of Morehead, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen here and other relatives.

Bill Skeans is now employed by the Hudson Motor Car Company in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Allen were movie-goers to Pikeville, Sunday. Cpl. James Kassell writes home that he is leaving for active overseas duty. Cassell has spent the past two years in the Pacific.

Dorothy Roberts, of Paintsville, was visiting her niece in Our Lady of the Holy Hospital, Tuesday, when she had her tonsils removed.

Peter Capelli, Jr., of David, has been admitted to Our Lady of the Holy Hospital here for several days. Mr. Capelli has been suffering from pneumonia.

J. E. Carr has come home from Berea, where he was in school. He is awaiting his call to service.

Mrs. Lizzie Hill was called to Middle Creek, Sunday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Tom Prater. Mrs. Prater was near 100 years of age and has been in poor health for some time. She has one other sister, Mrs. Dutch Branham, of Bull Creek, Tom Fitzpatrick, Henry Prater and Harold Fitzpatrick, of Middle Creek, motored here for Mrs. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Brode Duke are planning to move to Ashland soon. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pinson are moving in the house now occupied by the Dukes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Letterty, newly-weds, have moved into the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Billier, who have moved to Drift. Mrs. Letterty is the former Miss Rita Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Porter.

Mrs. Nora Crum and Mrs. Haas Sloan were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall and children of Neen, have been the guests here this week of her mother, Mrs. Mary Skeans.

Pete Osborne, son of Mrs. Perry Osborne, and Don Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adams, have received their call to the army.

Mrs. Bess Eam, who has been seriously ill in a Paintsville hospital, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Cora Woods, of Emma. Mrs. Eam is getting better.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Reynolds, who have been living on Left Beaver, have moved back to Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Salisbury and baby son, Lawrence, of Columbus, Ohio, have been visiting friends and relatives here recently.

Mrs. Oscar Crum has been receiving treatment in Our Lady of the Holy Hospital here. Mrs. Crum is improving nicely.

Policeman Hershel Lester and family have moved from Buck's Branch to an apartment here in town.

arm here when he fell on the key ground near his home.

Mrs. S. J. Roberts was the Sunday night guest of Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Recent visitors in Martin—Rev. Joseph Williams, of Paintsville, Cecil Broughton, of Ashland, Grant D. Owings, of Nashville, Tenn., were visiting Harry Gene Pritchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dudley were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Skeans.

Jack Mandt, University of Kentucky student, spent a week home between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Crum were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynch.

Emma Methodist Wins Two of 3 Daring Week; Record Now 10 to 3

The Emma Methodist basketball team won two games and lost one over the last week to run its season's record to 10 to 3.

Feb. 6, Emma defeated Bull Creek at Prestonsburg, 61 to 38, with Chas. Burchett netting 28 points. The following night Allen defeated Emma, 40 to 48, for their second straight win over the Hitchhikers. Curt Burchett led both teams with 22 points.

Feb. 8, Emma traveled to Wayland to defeat the Wildcats, 35 to 22. The scoring was headed by Chas. Burchett with 29 points, with 10 holders and nine free shots. Mullins headed Wayland's attack with 11 points.

Hitchhikers (61) Bull Creek (38)
Burchett (28) Craft (15)
Goble (3) Newsome (5)
Woods (7) Perry (7)
M. Childers (8) Caldwell (8)
C. Burchett (2) Dewless (2)
L. Childers (4) Campbell (3)

Hitchhikers (48) Allen (58)
Burchett (16) Westfall (16)
C. Burchett (10) Campbell (10)
Woods (10) Westfall (16)
Childers (3) Wicker (6)
E. Burchett (4) Gray (18)
E. Burchett (3) Rydner (3)

Hitchhikers (55) Wayland (32)
Burchett (28) Polly (6)
Goble (3) Mullins (1)
Woods (10) Wallace (4)
C. Burchett (10) Grayhouse (4)
E. Burchett (3) Hahn (1)
E. Burchett (3) Rydner (3)

ASSIGNED TO AIR POLICE

WESTOVER AFB — Private Robert V. Amburgey, 17, formerly of Prestonsburg, was assigned last week to the 109th Air Police Squadron, at Westover Air Force Base, Mass.

Private Amburgey enlisted in the Air Force, Dec. last, and, upon completion of his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, in Texas, was assigned to the Security Section of the Air Police.

His father, Robert Amburgey, lives at Lancer, Ky.

DELTA SIGMA PHI INITIATE.—Ray Calvin Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Davis, Justell, was recently initiated into Beta Mu chapter of Delta Sigma Phi, one of the four national fraternities on the campus of Transylvania College, Lexington.

A graduate of Betsy Larne high school, Mr. Davis is a sophomore at Transylvania's Cappella choir.

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Frankfort, Ky.—A person who has purchased a county fishing or hunting license may not "trade-in" such licenses before they expire on state-wide hunting or fishing licenses. Assistant Attorney General Walter C. Herdman has ruled. The opinion was given by General Herdman at the request of the Division of Game and Fish when it was found that some County Clerks in Kentucky counties have allowed such trade-ins during the past year.

It is pointed out by the Division that clerks will be held accountable for any such "trade-ins" they allow since such practice will not be recognized by the Division.

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All who have read "INSIDE THE U.S.A." by John Gun Sauer, especially his comments about us, are now people on page 84, now with interest the accompanying map of his trips. It discloses the fact that Louisville was his one stop in this state. Perhaps on his next journey, if he will come to the hills and see for himself, he may find at least a few good points to report about us. We ourselves would be the last to deny that undesirable conditions exist. As a matter of fact, we surpass us when it comes to exposing some of the deplorable ones. But it is a bit difficult to criticize of an eminent writer who screeches only the very blackest side and evidently bases his opinion on hearsay.

Some of us in the Lexington remember the time when six Slavonian citizens, who had been at the Lexington in the 1920s, had been expelled a student of Slavonian University who at that time was the principal of Maywood high school, and for almost a quarter of a century now has been an instructor in one of the leading colleges of America. The incident was an odd-time spectacle.

We can also recall when a brilliant "farmer" asked members of the Women's Club what they could do to get rid of sea-horses. A man never saw one ashamed to admit it did not — recommended sodium borate. The Executive of the club, a whole string of degrees, have remarked that undoubtedly the woman had meant sodium chloride. For she went to the drug store and asked for sodium chloride to kill sea-horses. "The drugist" explained that sea-horse had no relation to the word and possibly sea-horse of sodium borate, since sodium chloride was just plain old table salt. The air is such a word in the dictionary takes the joke on herself.

Mr. Lewis said a number of unsolved problems of the same kind some of us feel slightly amused at the persistent efforts of Virginia to solve in emotional affairs so easily today.

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Farm NEWS and VIEWS

By HAROLD B. RICE, Floyd County Agent

PRUNING THE HEDGE

Early freezing weather in many instances severely damaged hedge plants. In fact, many hedge rows that were good looking last fall will look bad this spring because some plants were killed to within 12 or 15 inches of the ground.

There are also instances where a hedge has been growing for years and has become so large that it is almost impossible to shear it. This hedge needs to be rejuvenated.

Late February or early March is the best time to cut back plants that were injured by freezing or those that have become overgrown. For best results, cut the hedge about six inches off the ground, removing all of the top and branches to that level. If this is done, the plants will put out new growth and by mid-summer the hedge will be 18 to 24 inches high, and then may be sheared to any desired form. New top produced by this treatment makes the hedge better looking, and it will usually have branches to the ground something that is desirable in a good-looking hedge.

As soon as it is possible to work the soil, the hedge plant should be cultivated at least 12 inches out on both sides of the row, the soil loosened to a depth of 3 or 4 inches, depending on the roots encountered. If there appears to be a lot of roots, do not cultivate so deep; 2 or 3 inches will be sufficient. Work the soil until it is in good condition.

Hedge plants should be fed with high-grade fertilizer on both sides of the row as soon as the ground is worked. One pound to each side of five feet of row will be sufficient. Wash the fertilizer into the ground by watering.

BUY FERTILIZER EARLY

The Agricultural Experiment Station at Lexington is again urging farmers to get their fertilizer as soon as possible. Says a statement by Prof. P. E. Karraker: "Because of military preparedness programs, material reduction in fertilizer supplies may take place. Some reduction in fertilizer manufacture of superphosphate, due to shortage of acid, has already occurred. The amount of ammonium nitrate and of straight potash fertilizers on the market probably will be less than expected. Some ammonium sulfate may be available in 1951 at about the same price for nitrogen as in ammonium nitrate. Depleted supplies of fertilizer materials usually show up more on the market in ton-

nage of straight fertilizers than in mixed fertilizers.

"Early purchasers not only will be more likely to get the particular kinds of fertilizers wanted, but may find prices of some fertilizers lower than later on.

"Early sale and delivery by fertilizer companies, also, make possible an increased total production, because storage facilities at most fertilizer plants are limited.

"Fertilizer purchased early should be stored in a dry place the bag piled no higher than 6 or 7 rows and, in the case of concrete floor, the bottom row placed on boards built up a few inches above the floor."

Whitaker Mans Mortar On Korean Battlefront

Cpl. Mickey Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Whitaker, of Prestonsburg, is now serving as a flame mortar gunner with the famous "Cacti" 35th Infantry regiment, of the 25th Infantry Division in Korea.

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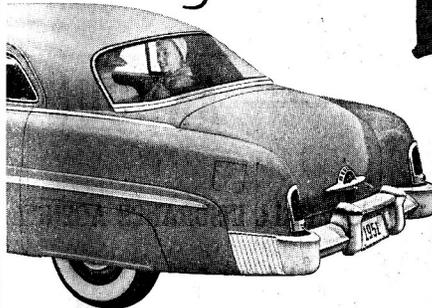
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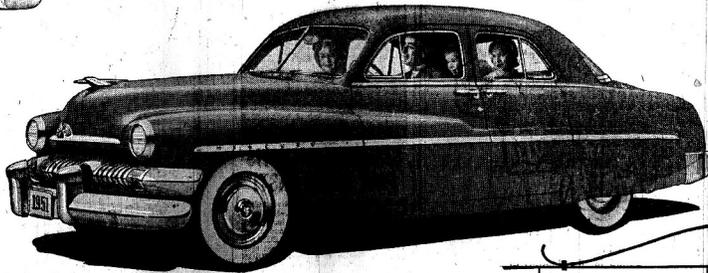
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Floyd Singing Master 'Burned' 'Bad John' in Unwilling Trade

Last summer during the Floyd County Sesquicentennial celebration there appeared on the streets of Prestonsburg a figure whose dress, appearance and manner marked him as one stepped directly out of a page from colonial history.

This was "Rob" Vest, a Floyd county native about whom Gerald Griffin, Courier-Journal staff writer, recently wrote the feature story which follows.—Editor.

Prestonsburg, Ky., Feb. 3—Legendary "Bad John" Wright, immortalized in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," almost scared him to death one time when he was a boy, but Robert Lee Vest lived to become almost a legend himself.

The difference between the two is that while Bad John was acquiring his reputation as a killer—most of his killing was done legally as a law-enforcement officer—Vest was riding muleback from settlement to settlement teaching mountain people how to sing.

Bad John was the "Devil Jigger" Talliver in John Fox Jr.'s celebrated story of this area.

Vest remembers the mountain terror quite well because they once swapped horses. "It was entirely without my consent," Vest recalls.

That happened at the turn of the century when Vest, then a boy, was riding an old, worn-out horse with the "thumps." His just happened to meet Bad John on a mountain trail when Wright's fine mount was covered with foamy sweat.

It wasn't often that Wright ran away from trouble but, on that occasion, Vest declared, officers were after the old man and he had to have a fresh horse, thumps, or no thumps.

Bad John stopped him on the trail, Vest recalls, and offered to swap horses. But the boy was riding his father's horse and didn't want to trade. All of which meant nothing to Wright, who dismounted, lifted the boy off his horse, changed saddles, and galloped away.

"That horse he left for me was worth a dozen like the one he took," Vest is known throughout this section of Kentucky, as well as the border counties of Virginia and West Virginia, as an old-time singing teacher, although he has just gone into retirement as a vocalist instructor.

When he first started teaching singing, Vest did it by ear, but took the trouble to learn the "shaped" notes, which was an easier system than the "round" notes of today.

A pupil didn't need to know how to read music to learn to sing by the old method, he said, for each of the notes had a different shape and it was easy to recognize the do-re-mi-la-to-la-ti-do by the picture.

There never would have been any Hatfield-McCoy feud, he said if those sharpshooting people who inhabited this region had learned how to enjoy singing before they started shooting at each other.

They finally started singing, Vest declared, and he had a hand in teaching them, but that was after a lot of the feudists had been killed off.

Born on Cow Creek, Floyd county, Vest started his singing-teaching career in 1900 when he was 14 years old. His first singing school was at Harold, between Prestonsburg and Pikeville. Then he learned how to play the organ, banjo, and guitar, all by ear.

He always enjoyed singing and teaching people how to sing. And it was nothing for him to ride a horse 40 miles just to lead a singing bee.

This singing business came in



Robert Lee Vest, singing teacher, is shown in a portrait.

mightily handy in the old days, he said, especially when a fight broke out during a church meeting. "I just got them to start singing," he recalled, "and they soon forgot all about fighting."

Vest did a lot of other things besides teaching singing lessons. He studied law "by mail" and practiced in Eastern Kentucky courts but wasn't particularly impressed with that profession. He had rather sing, especially hymns.

Because his father was a school-teacher, Vest's first ambition was to follow in the old man's footsteps.

He completed grammar school, took an examination, and found himself with a teacher's certificate. He taught school for 28 years.

In the old days, he said, school-teaching was a hazardous profession but he was willing to risk it for the big money involved. His first teaching job paid him \$25.25 a month.

He taught in a one-room school for 16 years and then came his big opportunity. He was offered a principalship.

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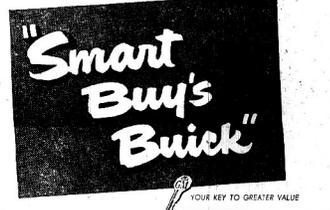
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