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COUNTY TOTAL IN WAR FUND DRIVE, \$11,000

Mining Communities Contribute Heavily; Canvass Under Way

Although mining communities have already contributed more than \$11,000 of the county's \$14,500 War Fund quota...

Twelve mining operations had reported results of their individual drives.

Mr. White said it is hoped that every individual in the county will be contacted during the War Fund canvass...

Reports from mining communities:

Inland Steel Company, Wheelwright—company, \$1,500; local union members, \$4,447; company officials, non-contract workers and other residents of community, \$691; E. R. Price, \$50; John T. Parker, \$15; Robert Miller, \$25 (total \$6,728).

Princess Elkhorn operation, David—company, \$500; local union mem-

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7 CASUALTIES ARE REPORTED

Caudill Missing, 3 Listed As Wounded Seriously in Action

Seven casualties among Floyd countians fighting overseas were reported this week to the folks back home...

Reported as missing Sept. 25 in France is Pvt. James W. (Dee) Caudill, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Caudill, of Auxier...

Except for Pvt. Thurman Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clark, of the Auxier road near here, reported seriously wounded on Palau in the southwest Pacific...

Others wounded: Second Lt. Ralph Morton, Jr., husband of Mrs. Goldie Morton, Garrett; seriously, in Germany, Sept. 14.

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FLOYD G.I. VOTES---IN GERMANY!



(International News Photo)

First photograph to come out of Germany showing an American soldier voting in the Presidential election is that of 1st Sgt. Denver Calhoun, of Prestonsburg, slotting his ballot. Lt. Alfred M. Saunders, Mt. Vernon, O., officiates at the ballot box.

The photo has attracted nation-wide attention and is of particular news value as the camera records the act of a free American citizen voting without duress in a land where dictatorship has robbed the people of the free exercise of the ballot.

To Mrs. Calhoun, the former Miss Susan Blackburn, daughter of Fire Chief Arthur Blackburn, of Prestonsburg, have come within the last week clippings of the photograph from daily newspapers in all parts of the nation. Sgt. Calhoun, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Calhoun, of Water Gap, last month entered upon his fifth year of army service. He is now with an armored division somewhere inside the Siegfried line.

BOARD NOTIFIES 7 FOR PRE-INDUCTION

Limited Service Class Eliminated by Order; Group Leaves Oct. 23

Draft Board 44 this week released names of seven of its registrants who have been notified to go to Louisville Oct. 23 for pre-induction examination. One of the group, Charles F. Robinson, formerly of Prestonsburg, a volunteer, has been transferred, however, to an Indianapolis, Ind., board. Names of other selectees follow:

Charles Hillard Haywood (V), Ivel; Mortie Shepherd (V), Goodloe; Edgar Adams, Justell; Arvid Lynch, Betsy Layne; Estill Neeley (V), Prestonsburg, now of Newport News, Va.; L. J. Jarvis (V), Endicott.

New draft regulations eliminate the 1-AL limited service classification, resulting in selectees hitherto classified thus being placed in 4-F or other class. Regulations also provide that a service man honorably discharged remains in Class 1-C, the same class he was in while in service, and thus removes him from possible future calls.

CASH OFFERED FOR ESSAYS

Kiwanis Club Here Announces Contest On "Black Market"

The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club announced, following its meeting Thursday evening, last week, a \$45 essay contest open to all Floyd county high school students.

Essays eligible for competition must be between 900 and 1100 words in length and the title, indicative of the subject matter desired, is "The Black Market."

First prize is \$25; second, \$15, and third, \$5. Winning essays will be published in THE TIMES.

Costest rules provide that all essays must be in the hands of the Kiwanis essay committee by Jan. 1, 1945. Subject matter counts 75 per cent, correctness of English 15 per cent and neatness 10 per cent.

Each school will be asked to conduct individual school contests and the best essay from each of the four high school grades in each school forwarded to the Kiwanis Club Essay Committee here for final judging.

The contest is being sponsored by the club as a contribution toward combatting the "black market."

BUY WAR BONDS

In Thicket of Formosa Battle

Name of Lt. (j.g.) Luther D. Prater was prominent in the news this week and in the discussions by radio commentators of the gigantic American air attack on Formosa.

The former Floyd countian, a native of Myrtle, was quoted in Lowell Thomas' Tuesday evening broadcast describing the assault by carrier-based planes on the Jap stronghold.

Lt. Prater, who shot down three Jap planes, said:

"I never dreamed of such confusion. There were Zeros all around us, flying in twos, threes and sixes. I would see a couple of Zekes on somebody's tail and try to shoot one down. Then three or four would get on me."

"Jap ground batteries opened up with phosphorus shells, sending white tentacles sprawling through the sky. Everything happened in a split second."

The former Myrtle resident, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Prater, of Alger, Ohio, flew from a carrier of Vice-Admiral Marc A. Mitscher's seagoing airforce. He was awarded the Air Medal, some time ago, after shooting down the first Jap to be downed by his air squadron.

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6TH WAR LOAN GOAL STATED

Drive for 14 Billions To Start Nov. 20th, Treasury Says

The Sixth War Loan drive will be launched Nov. 20 and extend thru Dec. 16, the Treasury Department has announced. Fourteen billion dollars in the total quota, with \$5,000,000,000 to be raised from individuals.

"With the accumulated successes of our military operations, the people seem to have become more complacent, feeling that a relaxation of our financing efforts will not prove harmful," a Treasury official said. "This is a most dangerous attitude as the sale of War Bonds is more important now than ever before."

"The nation needs your help more in the coming Sixth Drive than ever before. Next to our military operations the War Bond program is the most vital part of our war effort. It is our number one obligation here at home."

To Form Study Center At High School Here

Dr. E. L. Shannon, of Morehead State Teachers College, announced this week that he will organize a new study center at the high school here Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Courses offered will probably be English and Botany. The two courses will each earn residence credits of four quarter-hours. Upon organization classes will be held each Saturday.

A study center at Martin high school was begun by Morehead faculty members a few weeks ago.

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TWELVE ENTER EXAM HERE FOR GAME POST

1,400 Bass Released In 5 Floyd Streams By Burke This Week

Twelve men entered the competitive examination for district game wardens conducted at the courthouse here Tuesday by Dr. O. W. Thompson, Division of Fish & Game commissioner, Frank Phipps, superintendent of wardens, and Earl Wallace, director of the Division of Fish and Game.

Results of the examination are not expected to be announced till next month.

An event of interest to Floyd sportsmen was the liberation Wednesday by E. R. Burke, Floyd-Pike conservation officer, of 1,450 bass in the Big Sandy river, Middle Creek, Johns Creek and Right and Left Beaver Creeks.

6TH WAR LOAN GOAL STATED

MRS. FERGUSON VICTIM AT 68

Mrs. Ella Clark Ferguson, 68 years old, wife of S. Colfax Ferguson, well-known Prestonsburg attorney, died at her home here at 8:45 p.m., Thursday, last week, victim of a paralytic stroke which she suffered October 3.

Mrs. Ferguson had been in ill health since she was stricken with a severe illness on Christmas Day, 1942. Her death had been expected for days and at the bedside when the end came were her husband, her daughter, relatives and friends.

A daughter of the late Reuben and Helene DeRossette Clark, she was born Feb. 17, 1876. Educated in the local schools, she taught a country school on Bull Creek at the age of 16. Early in life Mrs. Ferguson became a member of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church in which she was active as a Sunday School teacher, a leader in young people's groups and in the Woman's Missionary Society. She was married Oct. 21, 1896, her husband and one daughter, Mrs. John D. Martin, Roanoke, Va., surviving. One son, Benjamin Dorsey Ferguson, preceded her in death.

A devout Christian, devoted to her family, Mrs. Ferguson held the deep regard of a host of relatives and friends.

Besides her husband and daughter, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Martin Anderson, Palm Springs, Calif., and two brothers, James Clark, Palm Springs, Calif., and Seitz Clark, San Bernardino, California.

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SANITORIUM COMMISSION HERE TONIGHT

To Visit Floyd Sites Tomorrow; Banquet Marks Visit Here

The Kentucky Sanatoria Commission, in this county to view proposed sites for the tuberculosis sanatorium to be established in this district, will be guests of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club at a banquet here tonight.

Friday morning, the commission, which includes Representative W. G. Biggers, co-author of the tuberculosis sanatoria program legislation, will visit one or more sites selected in advance by Floyd county officials and citizens as most suitable for a hospital location.

Several potential sites have been studied, but a location on the Miles Gibson farm at Langley was considered most suitable after a group last Friday visited four farms. Mr. Gibson has offered five acres of his land, gratis, and purchase by the county of additional acreage may be made at what is considered "a very reasonable price."

Gas, electricity and water are easily available to this location, it was pointed out, and these are requisites to a hospital location, the sanatoria commission has emphasized.

Two other tracts have been offered free—one by Bob Kramer at Hippo, another by Bee Daniels on Abbott mountain, near here.

Viewing the possible sites last Friday were Representative Biggers, County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., County Attorney W. W. Burchett, County Agent S. L. Isbell, A. V. Paul, Richard Spurlock, Norman Allen, W. A. Rose, Bob Francis, James Donohue.

Floyd county medical and professional men and other interested citizens have been asked to attend tonight's banquet at which the county's central location in the district will be one of the points urged upon the commission in making a location for the sanatorium.

GIVE PROMISE OF ROAD WORK

Left Beaver Surfacing Listed as Project For Next Year

Surfacing of the Left Beaver highway from Gearheart to Weeksburg, though not a probability this year, will be undertaken early in 1945 if war restrictions are lifted or if the War Production Board will grant approval for the work, J. S. Watkins, Commissioner of Kentucky highways, stated in a memorandum prepared Sept. 29 following an interview at Frankfort with E. R. Price, superintendent, and H. O. Zimmerman, engineer, of the Inland Steel Company, Wheelwright.

This information was conveyed last week by Mr. Price to County Attorney W. W. Burchett who recently submitted to Mr. Watkins statements of coal mine operators along the route showing the need for completion of the road as an aid to the war effort.

If the war restrictions are not lifted so the work can be begun early next year, the memorandum set out, War Production Board approval will be sought by the highway commission.

Mr. Price told Watkins 500 men drive over this road daily to work, and a traffic count made by the highway department confirmed his statement.

Yankee Humor, Secret Weapon On Our Side, Says Lockwood

The secret weapon of the American forces in battle? Plain, unadulterated Yankee humor.

Take the word of Lt. Quentin Lockwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lockwood, of Prestonsburg, for that. Recently returned to this country after sustaining a broken leg in the crash of his Liberator bomber into the Adriatic sea off the coast of Italy, Lt. Lockwood supported this theory with the story of the American pilot of a Lockheed fighter. The Lockheed advertising slogan, incidentally, is "Lockheed Leads the Way!"

Lt. Lockwood's plane had been out on a bombing mission and while everything was quiet the crew was listening in on the radio chatter

from other bombers and their fighter plane support. Suddenly, in a screaming dive, a Lockheed fighter shot across the bomber crew's line of vision. Two ME-109's were hot on his tail. The youngster in that plane was in a tight spot. While Lockwood and others of his crew breathlessly watched, their radio spoke. The tension broke. It was the fighter pilot proudly announcing as he fled his pursuers: "Lockheed leads the way!"

The Prestonsburg flier, an aerial navigator, is a veteran of 40 bombing missions which took him to Belgrade, Budapest, the Ploesti oil fields, across the Alps to France and Germany. During all these flights

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Among the things we'll miss for the next few months is the watermelon smell of new-mown lawns. For that matter, we'll miss the smell of watermelons.

But then there's the seed catalogues for us fireside farmers.

WARM HEARTS KEEP OTHERS WARM

Believe it or not, a newspaper gets a kick out of doing something it at least thinks is worthwhile.

Recently, this column printed an appeal from Mike Psaros, Prestonsburg Greek-American restaurant-owner, for old wearing apparel of all kinds to be sent to his starving, almost naked countrymen suffering German tyranny.

This week, we learned that Floyd county's response to this call for help for the helpless has been, as always, noble. Mike has almost a load of things for his heroic people to wear—things sent in from all over the county, from Right Beaver at another, from Prestonsburg and points between.

He has written an uncle, Peter Psaros, at Astoria, Long Island, of Floyd county's goodness and Peter's response is eloquent and sincere. He wrote, in part: "... anything you send to us be sure that we will do the best and all this work is wonderful... be sure that everybody in the old country will have to say something good for you."

If you have anything you have discarded after you or other members of your family have worn it, send it to Mr. Psaros here. Greek children and old folks have little to wear this winter, and, starved by the Nazis, they are unable to stand the cold. Warm hearts will keep some of them warm.

REPRIMAND FROM A FIGHTING MAN

Cpl. Thomas Burga, Jr., writes from "somewhere in Germany" in dead earnest about a matter some folks may have not considered very seriously. He has been reading THE TIMES and thus learned that Floyd county failed, last time, to meet its quota of blood donors. He tells what he thinks about the whole matter, and perhaps what every other boy in the fighting fronts thinks—but what he writes:

"Dear Citizens of Floyd county: So the war is over in Floyd county! The reason I say this is because the county blood plasma quota wasn't filled, the last time.

"Just remember this, the boys are fighting on all fronts and some are being killed and wounded every day. Blood saves wounded men's lives. So why should you shirk your duty when you could be helping to save lives and get us out of this God forsaken hole sooner?"

"If anyone sees any reason why this cause shouldn't be filled, just let your name and reason in The Floyd County Times, so the boys can find it. I am sure we would like to know who could find any reason you shouldn't do your part."

Next month, Floyd county again be expected to send blood donors to Ashland. Will the boys then be met—or shall again

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Court House Happenings

FILED: Rebecca Jane Norman vs. John Norman; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Louisville; Martin vs. James Martin; L. ...

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ray Workman, 21, and Ethel ... Oct. 18, both of Hite; married Oct. 16 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Sanders, 20, and Catherine ... Oct. 18, both of Betsy Layne; marriage solemnized Oct. 16 here by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Henry ... and Ruthena Gayheart.

Floyd Marine Walks Thru Jap Lines Unscathed on Tinian

By SGT. DAN LEVIN, Marine Corps Correspondent

ANYWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC (Delayed)—A navy medic corpsman walked through 100 yards of Jap lines and lived to tell the tale.

The pharmacist's Mate Third Harold E. Shufflebarger, of ... one of the corpsmen assigned to a Marine unit which was to beach on Tinian in the ...

... to which Ph./M. ... assigned made ... the beach ... the craft ... however, ... several

... hundred yards west of the originally designated spot. The corpsman immediately set out to find his unit.

He was surprised to find no marines nearby as he moved through sand, coral and, finally, a wooded area. Ahead and behind him rifles, machine guns and mortars were firing. Suddenly he saw field guns ahead, but he was in a hurry and kept on going. Finally he was challenged.

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## Floyd County—the Logical Site

FLOYD, the central county in the district to be served by one of the new sanatoria to be established by the state for the treatment of tuberculosis, is the logical location for the district hospital.

There are many beautiful sites for such a hospital in practically every county in the district. But none but Floyd has these:

It is the center of the district, equidistant from the nethermost fringes of the section the hospital is to serve.

It is the home of Representative Biggers, co-author of the legislation which made possible Kentucky's tuberculosis program, a humane work none can but praise.

THE TIMES points out these matters by way of hospitably joining other citizens of the county in petitioning the commission to select Floyd as the location of a hospital which should by future generations be hailed as a monumental work for the saving of human life and the alleviating of human suffering.

There is no fight between the various counties in this matter. All are agreed that the most important thing is to have

such a hospital established, somewhere. But we would point out that it also is important that, with the idea of serving all, such an institution should be located where it will serve best.

## We Walk in Fading Beauty

A FEW DAYS AGO, a Floyd countian, visiting in Lexington, was asked if the hills of this county aren't beautiful in their autumnal colors this year. Proudly the visitor to the Bluegrass told the questioner that the hillsides are indeed very beautiful. But he did not elaborate. Had he been a good salesman, he might have waxed poetic, told of the flame of the maple, the russet of the oak, with the green of pine and cedar and all the colors between making the mountainside a veritable mosaic created by God's own hand.

He might have gone into some of that but the thought arose—"But the hills this year are not as pretty as last, not so beautiful by far as they were years ago. The woodsman's unsparing axe in spring-time over the years has been robbing the hills of their seasonal colors, of much of the picturesqueness that is one of the section's greatest assets."

Yes, the story of Floyd county's hills, indeed of most of Kentucky's hills, is a sombre thing, more of tragedy than romance. Ruthless destruction of our forests has removed much of the section's beauty and robbed it of a material as well as a scenic asset. Land cleared for crops, forests burned over by the thoughtless and the careless—these leave the hills exposed to relentless scarring by an angry Nature.

Yet the hills are very, very beautiful in their Joseph's coat of foliage this fall. One finds consolation in the thought that we need never see them less beautiful if we want them so.

## Pvt. Leslie Describes Country Along Seine



CLAUDE LESLIE

Pvt. Claude Leslie, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Leslie, who never received a furlough home after entering the army March 12, 1943, is now in France with the army engineers. He recently wrote his mother at Emma of the beauties of the country along the Seine, of what he saw in Paris and of a visit to an American cemetery located on a World War I battlefield.

His brother, Boatswain's Mate Frank Leslie, is a navy veteran and has seen much action in the Pacific.

Chanute Field, Ill.—Pvt. Jack Rollins, son of Buford Rollins, Wayland, Ky., has completed training and has graduated from the Army Air Forces Training Command. While attending training command school he received instruction in the electronics course, and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of the country's fighting planes.

Chief Warrant Officer W. J. Merritt, a navy veteran of 26 years, has concluded a 15-day leave spent at Emma with his brothers, E. P. and Homer Merritt. During the present war he has made 11 trans-ocean voyages and took part in the invasion of France. He is now stationed at Norfolk, Virginia.

Gulfport Army Air Field, Gulfport, Miss.—Pfc. Royce Wheeler Mayo, son of F. M. Mayo, West Prestonsburg, Ky., has reported at this Third Air Force bomber base for an intensive training course as a lower ball gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress.

Selected for this important assignment after stringent examinations, Pfc. Mayo will be a member of a 10-man crew who will live and work together under simulated battle conditions. Upon completion of training, the crew will be ready for duty on the fighting fronts.

Ottis D. Spurlock, former Floyd teacher, now in France, was recently promoted from the grade of private to private first class. A clerk in the Civil Affairs section, he is a son of R. D. Spurlock, of Printer. His wife, Mrs. Loucetta Spurlock, resides at Hueysville.

A NINTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND UNIT, FRANCE—Pvt. Hint Newman, Jr., was among members of the headquarters of an advanced air depot area who recently shared in a special commendation from Brigadier General Myron C. Wood, commanding general of the Ninth air force service command. Pvt. Newman, son of Mrs. Betty Newman, of Hi-Hat, Ky., and his squadron buddies were cited in the general's commendation for their exceptionally high esprit de corps, military discipline and efficiency.

Fort Benning, Ga., Oct. 7—Pvt. C. C. Payne, son of Mrs. Lillian M. Payne, of Garrett, Ky., upon completion of three weeks of intensive training has graduated from demolition school. This course is one of the five specialist school courses offered to the parachutist at Fort Benning. They include demolition, camouflage, communication, riggers and machine maintenance. Only qualified jumpers may apply and only the better men from each qualifying class will receive this instruction.

The work of the demolitionist is of prime importance in the modern warfare which is waged by the hard-hitting paratrooper. The study and practice of demolition methods of setting and disarming booby traps, destroying bridges, dams, and all means of communications. In addition they practice with the flame thrower and the army's famed "bazooka." In combat a fully equipped demolitionist jumps with well over 100 pounds of equipment and is literally a one-man combat team.

First Lt. Ernest Kish, fighter pilot and a brother of Mrs. S. D. Dermont, of Martin, has been awarded an Oak Leaf cluster to the Air Medal for exceptionally meritorious service in aerial flight over enemy-occupied continental Europe. A member of the highest scoring P-47 Thunderbolt group in Europe, commanded by Lieut. Col. David C. Schilling, of Traverse City, Mich., Lt. Kish was recently promoted to first lieutenant. He has shared in the destruction of many enemy locomotives, freight cars, supply trucks, oil tanks and ground installations while participating in strafing missions against Hitler's vaunted "Festung Europe." Prior to enlisting in the air corps, he attended Beckley College, Beckley, W. Va., and was employed by the West Virginia state finance department as a supervisor of time data reports. His wife, Mrs. Teresa Alette Kish, is a WAVE. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gazel Kish, Sr., reside in Glen Morgan, W. Va.

NEW HEBRIDES, SOUTH PACIFIC—On duty at this island base with the army service forces is Pfc. John P. Clifton, a driver at the station hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Clifton, Dwale, Ky. His wife is the former Juanita Herald. Prior to entering the army he was complaint adjuster for the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company at Dwale. Pfc. Clifton entered the army in May, 1942, and received basic training in the MRTC at Camp Grant, Ill. He joined his present unit at Camp Gruber, Okla., and came overseas in May, 1943. Pfc. Clifton has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal for exemplary behavior, efficiency, and fidelity while serving the hospital.

# Floyd County Goes To War

## Betsy Layne Soldier Planned Barbecue, Too, But Moved Too Soon

By SGT. A. D. HAWKINS  
Carmine Corps Combat Correspondent

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC (Delayed)—Marine Pfc. Jennings Justice, 29, Betsy Layne, Ky., ate a chicken dinner on the front lines of Saipan.

With 10 of his buddies, Justice found an abandoned Japanese chicken coop "containing 12 fat ones," which provided extra bill-of-fare for 35 men.

"We also picked up a small pig which we intended to have barbecued, but that pig got a lucky break," Justice said. "We moved forward next day and had to set him free."

Justice was wounded in the leg by a Japanese sniper on July 2 when the Marines seized Garapan.

He is now convalescing in a naval hospital where he has been awarded the Purple Heart. He is also a veteran of Tarawa.

Before enlisting in the Marine Corps September 21, 1942 Justice was a coal miner with the Eastern Coal Company, McVeigh, Ky.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Justice, Lick Creek, Ky. The address of his wife, Mrs. Mildred Justice, is General Delivery, Lemon Grove, San Diego, California.

Lt. Ogden A. Stewart, of Langley, has been assigned to the First Troop Carrier Command after receiving his wings in the Army Air Forces and is now learning to fly the big C-47 transport planes at Bergstrom Field, Austin, Texas, according to announcement by Colonel Samuel J. Davis, base commanding officer.

Lt. Stewart will also learn to tow the large troop carrier gliders, at the same time learning the technique of parachute dropping.

Pvt. Carl H. Rowen, formerly of Prestonsburg, is spending a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rowen, at Lima, O.

## Estill Man Qualifies As Air Gunnery Tutor

S/Sgt. John M. Stewart, son of Frank Stewart, of Estill, was graduated recently from the Army Air Forces General Instruction School at Laredo Army Air Field, Laredo, Texas, a member of the AAF Training Command. He is now fully qualified to become an instructor at one of the nation's seven aerial gunnery schools. He was prepared for his instructing duties by completing a comprehensive six weeks course in the most modern methods of instruction on aerial gunnery.

Mrs. Avanelle Fairchild has received word from her brother, Pvt. Oscar L. Francis, telling of his safe arrival in India. Pvt. Francis has a brother, Pvt. Dennis E. Francis, with the army in France, and a sister, Lt. Mary E. Francis, with the army nurse corps in Italy.

William Lee Slone, S 1/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Esquire Slone, of Estill, has been overseas five months. He is stationed somewhere in France.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pvt. Eugene Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, of Wayland, Ky., has been cited by his regiment of the 34th "Red Bull" Division and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat with the enemy on the Fifth Army front in Italy.

Pvt. Jack Gibson, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson, of Drift, has been transferred from Camp Atterbury, Ind., to Inf. RTC, Camp Blanding, Georgia, for basic training.

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Can't get Indiana off his mind... and Indianans take pride in his lucid reporting of sycamore roots events

A. Brown Ransdell our Hoosier-happy Chief of the Indiana Bureau of The Courier-Journal, gets over to Louisville occasionally to report in person to his newspaper office... The Courier-Journal Notice to Subscribers: The home delivery rate on the daily and Sunday Courier-Journal is 25 cents a week wherever carrier service is maintained...

# News From Floyd Communities

## BANNER

Eugene Hall has opened a store here.

Cpl. Billy Cecil, son of Tandy and Rosa Cecil, of Banner, has completed a 21-day furlough with his parents, relatives and friends and has returned to Drew Field, Fla., where he will remain until the first of the year. Cpl. Cecil returned 28 days ago from the southwest Pacific where he has been for the last 22 months. He is attached to the air signal corps.

Tandy Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Owens spent Sunday with Mr. Cecil's brother, Estill Cecil, of Harold, who has returned home on furlough from England where he has been 23 months. He will return to Miami, Florida, soon.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Alonzo Rice are pleased to learn she is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Carr have received a letter from their son, Cpl. Winston Carr, stating he has been transferred back to Italy from England. Cpl. Carr has been overseas 28 months with the army engineers.

## EDGAR

J. L. Laferty, Sr., and J. L., Jr., and daughter, Roberta, were in Prestonsburg Thursday.

J. L. Laferty and daughters, Roberta and Pauline, and grandson, Delmar Gene Roop, attended church at Copperas Creek Sunday.

Misses Roberta and Pauline Laferty and Delmer Gene Roop were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Crider Sunday. They also visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Shirley Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roop have returned to Detroit, Mich., where they are employed.

Mrs. Alex Delong has been taken back to the hospital. She is slowly recovering.

## REWARD

Reward of \$5 will be paid for information leading to the recovery of 21-jewel Elgin watch with double row of figures on dial, lost Sept. 30 at Martin.

W. H. CONLEY  
Martin, Ky.  
10-12-2t-pd.

## WHITAKER

Mrs. Mary Hannah and sons, Robert and Willkie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Conley Sunday.

Miss Lema Mae Dotson was shopping in Paintsville Saturday.

Misses Georgia Conley, Allene and Carma Lee Hannah attended church at Middle Fork Sunday night.

Pvt. and Mrs. Archie Snipes announce the arrival of their third son. The babe has been named Paul Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Robinson were Wednesday night guests of Mr. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Robinson.

Pvt. Archie E. Snipes returned to his post Sunday after spending a furlough with his wife and children. Miss Aileen Hannah spent last week with her cousin, Miss Georgia Conley.

## HUEYSVILLE

A birthday party was given at the home of Mrs. Pollie Allen recently honoring her on her 84th birthday anniversary. Prayer and singing were enjoyed throughout the evening.

Mrs. Allen was the recipient of many gifts. Many friends and relatives were present. Dinner was served to Representative W. G. Biggers, Atty. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen, all of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Willie Castle, Raymond Castle, of Pikeville, Rev. A. L. Allen, of Allen, Miss Joyce Horn, Willard O., Harry Cooley, Mrs. A. L. Spencer, Mrs. Mary Turner, of Northern, Mrs. A. L. Prater, Mrs. Ike Slater, Mrs. Billie Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Conley, of Lackey, Mrs. J. M. Turner, Wayland, Mrs. John A. Hicks, Mrs. Martha Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Martin, Mrs. Bee Hall, Mrs. J. W. Patrick, Mrs. James Vanderpool, of Garrett, Prock Hays and grandson, of Langley, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Osborne and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and family, Mrs. Monroe Patton, Mrs. Susan Patton, Mrs. Commodore Craft, Alga Hicks, Minnie Hoover, Mavis Crager, Roy Allen, Mrs. Chester Allen and daughter, Eloise, and Miss Sadie Allen, Hueysville.

## BONANZA

Mr. and Mrs. Hager May and children were in Prestonsburg Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frasure, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman May, of Lancer, Mrs. James R. Kennedy and daughter, Judith, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hager May.

Mr. and Mrs. Huey Spradlin and son and Miss Janice Hackworth attended the theater at Prestonsburg Sunday.

Johnnie Frasure attended church at Myrtle Sunday.

"Aunt" Margaret Sloan is very ill at her home here.

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## LANCER

Memorial services were held at the Charley Harris and Baker cemeteries Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Conn attended the funeral of a soldier at Pikeville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman May were visiting on Abbott Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Roope, of Emma, attended church on Brandy Keg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Goble and Judith Ann attended the theater at Prestonsburg Sunday.

Pearl Napier, of Myrtle, spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. E. K. Goble.

Mr. and Mrs. Greeley Stephens visited their daughter, Mrs. Frank Crum, Sunday.

Misses Alva and Nell Ruth Goble visited Mrs. Clinton Herald, of West Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Mrs. Wade Blackburn was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Herbert Crisp was in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mace will move to their new home in Prestonsburg soon.

Mrs. Laura Roop and daughter, Ruby, attended the theater at Prestonsburg Sunday.

## DAVID

The P.-T.A. met Thursday evening at the school. The meeting was opened with a business session. Many things were accomplished, among them, paying for a Warm Morning heater purchased last month, another being furnished by the company. Members will co-operate with other organizations in sponsoring a free health show Nov. 1 at the church. All members voted to put the meeting date on birth-dated calendar and plans were made for a Halloween carnival Friday night, Nov. 27. Booths will be penny pictures, horse races, bingo, food, candy and popcorn. At the close of the carnival there will be the coronation of the King and Queen, followed by a Prince and Princess. The program was opened by a devotional by Mrs. Frank Wolfe. Mrs. Russell Harman read an article on "How the Wounded are Brought Back from Normandy." Origin of the P.-T.A. was given by Mrs. Oakley Mullins.

Miss Christine Dawson and Mrs. Joe Davis spent last Wednesday night with their aunt, Mrs. Roy Simpson, of Paintsville.

Mrs. Woodrow Webb and son and Miss Zella Thompson, of Prestonsburg, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson.

Mrs. Ora Howard returned Monday after a week's visit in Louisville and Ashland.

Miss Blanche Garrett attended the auxiliary synodical meeting Oct. 18-19 at Harrodsburg, Ky.

Mrs. David Bickford, of the office, is spending this week with home-folks and friends in Wayland.

The primary Sunday School class enjoyed a party at the church last Thursday afternoon. Twenty-five were present.

## EASTERN

Mrs. Goldia Osborne has returned home from the Martin General hospital after a four weeks' illness. She is slowly improving.

Mrs. Virginia Martin and husband, of South Carolina, spent the last two weeks visiting homefolks at Eastern and Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gearheart and daughter accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gearheart and son, Gary Ray, who were en route to Providence, R. I., as far as Ashland.

Misses Bebe and Peggy Hayes spent the week-end at Prestonsburg with Miss Waynoka Dyer.

T/Sgt. Teddy Gearheart is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crit Gearheart, of Northern, and friends at Eastern.

Lois, Victor and Bob Hall, Lafon and Barbara Acree attended a birthday party Saturday night in honor of Stella Mae Warrens, of Northern.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Martin and children, of Goose Creek, have moved to their home recently built at Eastern.

Mrs. Mary C. Johns spent Saturday night with Mrs. Roy Martin and family, of Wilson Creek.

Mrs. J. A. Gearheart and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fletcher Gearheart, were shopping in Prestonsburg last week.

Mary C. Johns, Mrs. R. V. Hall and son, Victor, were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Bob and Victor Hall and Lafon Acree attended the show at Martin Sunday.

Rex Osborne and Dale Gearheart left last week for the army.

Fifty-nine women in Fleming county are members of the Woman's Land Army, many of them doing farm work all season.

Members of homemakers clubs in Boone county made 24 afghans for the Red Cross. Each required about 70 hours of work.

## IVEL

County Attorney Woodrow Burchett and family were the Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett made a trip to Logan, W. Va., visiting relatives over the week-end.

Isom Hurd attended church at Coal Run Sunday.

Leo Hall, of Banner, was the Saturday night guest of his aunt, Mrs. Georgia Damron.

Wanda Lee Tipton, of Wheelwright, was the overnight guest of Hazel D. George last week. Miss Tipton has been engaged in defense work in Michigan for several months and has come home to enter school.

Pfc. Hubert Layne has returned to Geneva, Neb., after spending several days with his mother and friends here.

Patsy Lee Burchett was visiting in Prestonsburg Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Code Ramey, of Pikeville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Damron Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Goble and daughter, Nancy, Mrs. Halleck Hamilton and daughter, Lucille, and Miss Dollie May Layne were afternoon guests of Mrs. Hazel D. George Sunday.

Mrs. Burns May was shopping in Prestonsburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Damron and little Jimmie D. George visited relatives at Banner Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Burton and Mrs. Tracy Burchett were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Kathryn and Mary Lou May visited in Tram Saturday afternoon.

## CLIFF

Mrs. Jeff Vaughan and daughter, Mary Nell, spent the week-end at Helliell visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Childers.

Miss Ruth Carter, of Johns Creek, spent the week-end here recently, guest of Mrs. Tom Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens attended the theater in Prestonsburg Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Best and Mrs. Tom Stephens were business visitors in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Will Stephens is quite ill of lumbago.

Sweet potato digging is "the order of the day" in this vicinity. Most farmers report a fine crop. John Stephens takes the prize, however, with one which weighed nearly six pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughan visited relatives at Bays Branch recently.

Mrs. Lindsay May spent the week-end with her father, Adam Harmon, on Johns Creek.

Corbin Joseph and family, who recently moved to Prestonsburg, have moved back to their farm here.

Mrs. Allen Combs visited relatives at Stone Coal last week-end.

Misses Nina Fae and Abdella George, Loretta and Phyllis Burchett, of Bays Branch, and little Phyllis Marie Stephens, of Clix, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens.

Miss Cynthia George, of Bays Branch, spent Sunday here with her grandmother, Mrs. Cynthia Stephens.

Mrs. Ethel Lilly was shopping in Prestonsburg last Tuesday.

Twenty-four bushels of beans and two bushels of peas were dehydrated by Anderson county homemakers before the drouth became severe.

(More correspondence on Pages 6 and 7)

## BYPRO

Pvt. James Little is spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Shep Little.

A stork shower was given Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Bennie Johnson by Mrs. H. H. Butcher and Mrs. Julius Miller at the home of Mrs. Butcher. Guests were Mrs. Seaton Crisp, Mrs. Alton Sword, Mrs. Sam Fraley, Mrs. Sewell Smith, Mrs. Bessie Ratliff. Many gifts were received.

Mrs. Laura Fayne and son, Bobby, of Weeksbury, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williams Sunday.

The 4-H club council of Leslie county supplied mustard, kale and turnip seed for 600 gardens.

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## From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### About a Kentucky Mother And Her Soldier-Son

The trees were radiant with red and gold and the afternoon sun was Indian-Summer warm. Young Dan O'Neill, home on furlough, was stretched full length in the front lawn hammock. His Mother sat close by, content in the company of her only son.

"This," Dan said, "is what I call peace."

His Mother stroked his strong, bronzed hand. "Yes, Danny, it is!"

"And when I get back overseas," Dan continued, "I'm going to fight all the harder to prevent any future threats to American peace and freedom!"

I saw his Mother wipe her eyes—and swallow hard. She didn't try to speak... just then...

Well, from where I sit, that story of Mother and son further emphasizes the reason why we comfortable folks at home must not try to deprive our country of a single one of its rights and liberties... until the men who are fighting for them have their say in the matter, too!

Joe Marsh

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# FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

## Where Floyd Countians in Armed Forces Are, What They're Doing

Seaman 1/c Landon Charles, of Lancer, is now serving on one of the newest and finest warships in the navy. Charles has seen service in the American theater and in the Asiatic Pacific. His previous duty was aboard the USS Prometheus.

Walter Davidson Howard, pilot with the air transport command in India, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant, his mother, Mrs. Walter F. Van Landingham, Miami, Fla., formerly of Prestonsburg, learned recently.

WITH THE TENTH ARMY, ITALY—Pfc. Arnold Hall, of Honaker, Ky., has been cited by his regiment of the 88th Infantry Division and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat with the Fifth Army front in Italy.

Roscoe C. Hayes, Jr., of the army air forces, and former Maytown high school student, now stationed in England, has been promoted from the rating of corporal to sergeant. He has flown 11 missions over Germany.

Pfc. Ferdie C. Johns, who was wounded in the Normandy battle July 1, has reached the Staten Island hospital in New York. His condition was said to be satisfactory. The wound was in his left foot. Pfc. Johns has been awarded the Purple Heart. This award was received by his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Johns, of Northern. His brother, Pfc. Ross E. Johns, of the Marines, is fighting somewhere in the Pacific.

Home at Langley for the first time since enlisting in the army four years ago, Pfc. James Russell Hays, 30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford B. Hays, has seen a major portion of the action with the land forces in the Pacific since Dec. 7, 1941. He was stationed at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, at the time of the Pearl Harbor attack, since then has been in the fighting in New Guinea and other Jap-held islands. A fever victim, he was sent back to this country and after 20 days' furlough will go to Miami Beach, Florida.

A delay in transit of engravings makes it necessary for pictures of several soldiers to be omitted from this page this week. These pictures, however, will appear in next week's edition.

### RECEIVES JAP WAR BOND

A Yank in the Pacific took a Japanese war bond from a dead Jap so that he could have a souvenir to send to his girl—and then borrowed the Jap's fountain pen to write a letter to her.

The girl, Miss Margaret Adkins, 112 East Fifth Street, Covington, formerly of Prestonsburg, received the letter and the bond recently from Cpl. Eskel Nix, who is stationed on Guam with the Marine Corps.

The war bond, valued at \$15 in American money, is printed on paper about two-thirds the size of a United States War Bond.

"I wanted the fellow's saber, too," Nix wrote, "but our commanding officer said that all sabers are being sent to China for use there."

Pfc. Bill Hale, formerly of West Prestonsburg, is a member of the 34th "Red Bull" division in Italy where he landed last April to take part in the series of battles up the "Boot." His wife and son, Billy, reside at New Boston, O. He has two brothers in the armed forces—Lieut. H. E. Hale, overseas, and Sgt. Arthur S. Hale, stationed at Orlando, Florida. They are sons of Mrs. Daisy Hale Howard, West Prestonsburg.

### Veteran of Aleutians Training Paratroopers



After 32 months' service in the Aleutians, including the Jap attack on Dutch Harbor and the American conquest of Attu and Kiska, Sgt. J. D. Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conley, Prestonsburg, is now training paratroopers at Columbus, Georgia. During his 10-day furlough home last March after his Alaskan service he was married here to Miss Lillian Griffith, and his bride is with him at his army post. Sgt. Conley volunteered for service in 1939 and while stationed at Cheyenne, Wyoming, in 1940 won the boxing championship of the First Infantry and has a record of having never lost a bout.

### Wheelwright Woman Is Heart Victim

Mrs. Mildred Little, 27 years old, wife of Walter Little, died Thursday morning, last week, at her home in Wheelwright, victim of a heart attack after an illness of two days.

A daughter of the late U. S. Kiser and of Mrs. Rosie Smith Kiser, Mrs. Little was a native of Virginia but had resided at Wheelwright for the last nine years. Besides her husband and mother, she leaves one son, Johnnie W. Little, and a daughter, Glenda Joyce Little, both at home.

Also surviving are five brothers and four sisters.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the residence and burial was made at Melvin under direction of the Call Funeral Home.

Miss Jo Pigman has returned to Hollywood, Calif., after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conway Pigman, of Prestonsburg.

Lt. Herbert Russell Scalf, of Camp Crowder, Mo., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Scalf, here. Lt. Scalf expects to leave the States within a few days for overseas duty.

C. S. Hornsby, Garrett druggist, was a visitor here Tuesday. He recently returned from Philadelphia where he received special throat treatment at Temple University hospital.

Announcement is made of the birth Tuesday, Oct. 17, at their home here of an 8½-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mann. The babe has been named Walter Lance.

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## Cottrell and Cox With Famed Infantry Unit in Italy

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Cpl. Fred Cottrell, son of Mrs. Joe Hobson, Prestonsburg, and Pfc. Willie Cox, son of Mrs. Margaret Gibson, of Garrett, have been fighting with the 168th Infantry regiment, veterans of more than 300 days of combat, in its attempt to breach the Gothic Line in Italy.

Part of Lieutenant General Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army and a unit of the 34th "Red Bull" division, the 168th arrived in the British Isles in February and April of 1942. In its two and a half years overseas it has fought through 88 days of combat in the Tunisian campaign and has been on the line in Italy almost constantly since landing at Paestum September 21, 1943, 12 days after Continental Europe was invaded for the first time.

Known as the "Rainbow" regiment, the 168th was part of the 42nd "Rainbow" Division in World War I. Colonel Henry C. Hine, Jr., of Livingston, N.J., is commander of the 168th Regiment.

A count taken in early September, 1944, showed men of the 168th had received eight Distinguished Service Crosses, 147 Silver Stars, 109 Bronze Stars and four Soldier's Medals and had, in the Italian campaign alone, received 3,024 Purple Hearts and Clusters.

The 168th landed at Algiers, Northern Algeria on African D-Day. Its 2nd Battalion led the attack up the slopes of Hill 609 and is officially credited with its capture. The regiment also fought for Sened, Pondouk, Mateur, Eddlekhil and Bizerte.

Its first great battle in this campaign began Oct. 13, 1943, when its men crossed the Voltorno and took Calazo and two other towns. In-

ally, the 168th suffered exactly 168 casualties in the second crossing of the Voltorno.

Often meeting foes of the past, including the Herman Goering Division and SS troops, the 168th fought through the mountains, gaining ground north of San Angelo and San Vittore. They lost 400 men and inflicted 1,200 enemy casualties in wresting Mount Pantana, before Cassino, from the enemy in a seven-day battle. It was the first regiment to hold a bridgehead on the north bank of the Rapido river, captured Cairo, Mount Trochio and Cervano in a surprise maneuver and, taking Hills 56 and 213, became one of the first Fifth Army units to penetrate the Gustav line.

The regiment debarked on the beachhead around Anzio March 19, and its commander, Colonel Hine, won the Silver Star for gallantry in action for having personally led the bitter hand-to-hand fight in which the 168th took Lenuvio to remove one of the last major obstacles before Rome.

Colonel Hine, in a jeep, was the first American in Civitavecchia, where his regiment captured two big "Anzio Express" railway guns that had so often made their stay on the Anzio beachhead an unpleasant one.

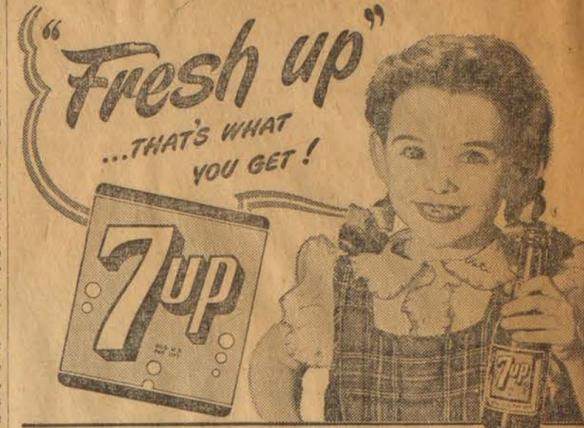
When relieved July 28 for a brief rest, a few days after reaching the Arno river, the 168th had been in combat 291 days.

Cpl. Cottrell, holder of the Silver Star, added a cluster to his Purple Heart Sept. 25 when slightly wounded in Italy. He was first wounded Oct. 13, 1943 in the crossing of the Voltorno river.

Pfc. Cox has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Aviation Cadet Richard D. Ball, Jr., who has been transferred from Kingman, Arizona, to Big Springs, Texas, spent the week-end there with his wife and his parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ball. He was accompanied to Big Springs by Mrs. Ball.

Mrs. Henry Crum, of Banner, a daughter, Mrs. V. R. Millman, of Detroit, Mich., were business visitors here Saturday. Mrs. Millman was accompanied to Banner for a visit with her parents by her husband and her brother, Ronald Crum.



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**BIRTH ANNOUNCED**  
Born to Sgt. and Mrs. W. E. Fredenburg, of Mesa, Arizona, and Norwalk, Calif., a son, William Dennis, on Sept. 30. Mrs. Fredenburg is the former Miss Thelma Crisp, daughter of Joe Crisp, of Martin. Sgt. Fredenburg is in England.

Mrs. M. J. Leete and son, Martin, Jr., spent the week-end with his daughter, Judith Carol Leete, in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Clark and children were here Monday, en route home from Louisville where they visited relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ball are spending the week in Cincinnati buying merchandise for their store here.

Goble Stephens and sons, Lindbergh and Curtis, of Ada, O., were visitors here Wednesday. They have been visiting his farm in Magoffin county.

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**MRS. LIGON IS HOSTESS**  
Mrs. Osa F. Ligon entertained to luncheon at Emma's Tea Room Friday, complimenting her daughter, Mrs. John R. Clarke, of St. Albans, W. Va. Place cards bore the names of Mesdames Clarke, Walter Van Landingham, J. F. Ribble, E. P. Arnold, C. L. Hutsinpiller, J. W. Howard, E. R. Burke, Angeline Layne Archer, Tot Allen Mann, J. D. Harkins, Jr., Olga May Latta, A. J. May, Jr., Misses Josephine Davidson and Frances Jones.

**INITIATION AND COVERED DISH SUPPER**  
Members of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 enjoyed a covered dish dinner Tuesday evening following the regular session of the lodge. Two new members were initiated—Miss Billie Moore and Mrs. George D. Brown.

**LUNCHEON HOSTESS**  
Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiller was hostess Friday to luncheon at her home on Graham street. Guests were Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, of Miami, Fla., Mrs. J. F. Ribble, Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Blaine Smith, Wheelwright, and Mrs. J. W. Howard.

**ENTERTAIN TO BRIDGE**  
Concluding a series of bridge parties, Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., and Mrs. O. G. Pennington entertained to bridge Monday evening. Preceding the games, a dessert was served to Mesdames J. F. Ribble, of Atlanta, Ga., Blaine Smith, of Wheelwright, C. H. Smith, M. J. Leete, J. D. Harkins, Jr., Harry Sandige, W. C. Rimmer, O. T. Stephens, Lida D. Spradlin, Curtis Clark, J. W. Howard, Misses Frances Jones, Mary E. Powers and Ella Noel White. Top scores were reached by Miss Powers and Mrs. Howard. Guest prizes were presented to Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Ribble. Traveling prize was won by Mrs. J. W. Howard.

**Miss Music, Mr. Vaughan Wed Here October 9th**  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Music announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Opal, to Mr. John C. Vaughan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughan, Jr., of Prestonsburg.

The wedding took place Monday, Oct. 9, at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Mont Gibson, the Rev. Edgar Miller officiating.

The bride was dressed in baby blue with black accessories and wore a corsage of red rosebuds.

Those attending were Miss Jean Reed, of Huntington, W. Va., Gladys Vaughan, Sarah M. Blackburn, Myrtle G. Smith, Irene Poe, Mrs. Mont Gibson, Mrs. Fannie Vaughan, Mrs. Frankie Goble, Mrs. Vattie Collins, Ella Blackburn, Hazel Music, mother of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green, of Huntington.

The bride and groom will reside in Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, of Miami, Fla., has concluded her visit with her mother, Mrs. Josie D. Harkins, here. She and Mrs. Harkins are guests of Mrs. Iley B. Browning in Ashland for a few days before going to Lexington to the grand chapter, Order Eastern Star, which convenes there Oct. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Auxier, who are residing at Fairfield, O., for the duration, are here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garnett have returned to their home in Hazard after a few days' visit with Mrs. Laura Davidson and family.

Mrs. Claude P. Stephens joined Mr. Stephens in Lexington Sunday and will spend the week in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ley and D. Beecher, of Ashland, were business visitors here Monday.

**CO-HOSTESSES TO BRIDGE PARTY**  
Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiller and Mrs. Tot Allen Mann were co-hostesses Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Arnold when Mrs. J. F. Ribble, of Atlanta, Ga., was complimented with a bridge party. The house was artistically arranged with fall flowers. Following the games, a salad course was served to the following guests: Mrs. Ribble, Mesdames Blaine Smith, Wheelwright, J. W. Howard, Alex L. Davidson, A. H. Mandt, J. R. Hurt, E. P. Hill, Jr., N. M. White, Jr., O. G. Pennington, W. H. Jones, Jr., Ethel S. Cross, Joe A. Spradlin, Jack Salisbury, George Cohen, A. J. Davidson, Olga M. Latta, R. V. May, Lida Spradlin, Curtis Clark, E. R. Burke, O. T. Stephens, Angeline Layne Archer, Frank H. Layne, M. J. Leete, J. D. Harkins, Jr., Osa F. Ligon, Misses Frances Jones and Mary E. Powers. Mrs. Ribble was presented a guest prize. Mrs. Olga M. Latta and Mrs. Blaine Smith were recipients of guest prizes. Top score prize was won by Mrs. J. W. Howard; second, by Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer.

**LUNCHEON HOSTESS**  
Mrs. E. P. Arnold entertained Sunday at Emma's Tea Room, having as her guests Mesdames Walter Van Landingham, J. F. Ribble, John R. Clarke, Osa F. Ligon, Josie D. Harkins, Blaine Smith. Each guest was presented a memento of the occasion.

**CELEBRATES BIRTH ANNIVERSARY**  
Mrs. Martha Vaughan was guest of honor Saturday evening when a birthday party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vaughan. Music rendered by Andrew Crum, Woodrow Salyers, Frank Vaughan and Andrew Goble was the main entertainment of the evening, followed by games. A birthday cake was presented Mrs. Vaughan and was cut after she had opened the many gifts brought her by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Murphy, of Ligon, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Goble, C. C. Goble, Mrs. Grace Neeley, Ella Martha Crum, Sol Perry, Ted Perry, Opal Vaughan, John C. Vaughan, Lillie May Chaffins, Barbara Lee Neeley, Oscar Wallen, Gladys Vaughan, Loretta Neeley, Fanny Vaughan, Tennessee Kendrick, Bert Vaughan, Orpha Vaughan, Pete Chaffins, Bonnie Chaffins.

**ENTERTAIN TO DINNER**  
Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. James Garnett, of Hazard, and Mrs. Laura Davidson.

**RETURNS FROM ENGLAND**  
S 1/c Richard Layne Dings arrived from England Saturday to receive special training. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dings, on Little Paint Creek.

Among the members of Miriam Chapter, Order of Rebekahs, who attended the district meeting at Pikeville last week were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Mrs. J. J. Hatcher, Mrs. Manis Conley, Mrs. Brady Shepherd, Mrs. John W. Caudill, Mrs. Frankie Goble, Mrs. F. C. Hall, Mrs. Mont Gibson.

Mrs. John W. Hensley has been confined to her home several days with influenza.

Jo M. Davidson remains ill at his home on Court street.

Tom Ellis is able to be out after several days' illness.

John L. Pitts, of West Prestonsburg, is very ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. John R. Clarke, of St. Albans, W. Va., visited her mother, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, over the weekend.

Mrs. Gertrude Callihan Cooley and son Billie, of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Frank Cooley, of Wayland, were here Saturday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Grace Moore Burchett, who formerly resided here, arrived last week from her home in California. She is the houseguest of Mrs. Lou Burchett on Maple avenue.

Mrs. H. L. Ley and Mrs. E. E. Clark were breakfast guests of Mrs. E. H. Sowards Tuesday.

**D. A. R. Chapter Here Votes Aid to U.S.O.**  
October meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. B. Combs on Maple avenue, the regent, Mrs. Lida Spradlin, presiding. The ritualistic service was conducted by the regent and chaplain, Mrs. C. P. Stephens. The Flag chairman, Miss Frances Jones, led the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed. At the business session a gift of \$10 was made to the U.S.O. drive and a committee of the following members appointed to assist in the U.S.O. campaign: Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. L. S. Moles, Mrs. R. G. Francis, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe. A contribution of \$10 was made to fill three "Buddy Bags" and three "goodie boxes" to the three LCI boys allotted to Kentucky's ship, Mrs. Everett Sowards was appointed chairman. One dollar was given to the American Indian education fund and \$5 donation to the Methodist Church here. Plans were made to have publicity relative to Mrs. Winnie F. Johns as Blood Plasma chairman published in the National D.A.R. magazine, since Kentucky was third in the nation in raising plasma funds last year. An interesting program on "Our National Museum" was given by Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Museum chairman, assisted by members giving interesting talks on articles in the Museum. Those taking part in the program were: Mrs. M. J. Leete, "Museum"; Mrs. Grace D. Ford, "Andrew Jackson Painting"; Mrs. R. G. Francis, "Silver Pitchers and Wallpaper"; Mrs. L. S. Moles, "Audubon Prints"; Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, "Screens"; Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer, "Cupboards"; Mrs. C. P. Stephens, "Portraits of Thomas McKean, the signer"; Mrs. E. H. Sowards, "Dolls".

At the conclusion of the program a salad course was served. Mrs. Combs was assisted by Mrs. Maude S. Nunnery, Misses Betty Archer and Vivian Combs. Members present were Mesdames Lida Spradlin, M. J. Leete, A. C. Harlowe, C. P. Stephens, Winnie F. Johns, E. H. Sowards, L. S. Moles, Angeline Layne Archer, Miss Frances Jones, Mrs. R. G. Francis, Mrs. Josie D. Harkins, Grace D. Ford, J. O. Webb, Tom James and Mrs. Walter F. Van Landingham, regent, Everglades Chapter, Miami, Fla.

**District Clubwomen To Meet Here Oct. 28**  
District meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs will be held here Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Methodist Church. Registration will begin at 9 o'clock and a luncheon will be served by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the church at 1 p. m.

**Former South American Resident Tells Club Of Country's Women**  
The Prestonsburg Woman's Club held its second meeting of the year Thursday evening, last week, at the home of Mrs. A. B. Combs, with Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Mrs. W. P. Mayo and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer acting as co-hostesses. Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, club president, presided. Topic for the evening was, "South American Women." Miss Carlos M. Hale was leader of the program. Miss Hale presented Mrs. Pendry, of Estill, who came here from Central America 2 1/2 months ago after having married an Estill man. She gave a highly interesting discussion as she made a contrast between American and South American women. Miss Ruth Harmon, who has spent several years as a missionary in Persia, gave a vivid description of Persian women. Miss Margaret May played "Manhattan Serenade." Besides Mrs. Pendry and Miss Harmon other guests were Mrs. Frank Auxier, district governor, Pikeville, Mrs. Katherine Langley, president of Pikeville Woman's Club, Mrs. Record, of Pikeville, Mrs. Russell Harman, president of David Woman's Club, Mrs. Pendry, Sr., of Estill, Mrs. Joe Hill, Mt. Sterling, Mrs. Malta Fultz and Mrs. Shaw, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. John Archer and Miss Margaret May were accepted as new members.

Mrs. Frank Auxier, district governor, discussed the Woman's Club convention which is to be held here October 28.

Others attending the meeting were: Jane Wallace, Oval Hall, Miss Carlos Hale, Mrs. Winston Ford, Mrs. Ruth Patrick, Mrs. O. G. Pennington, Mrs. Fanny Rannels, Mrs. Carl Woods, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Clabe Bingham, Dorothy Rankin, Mrs. A. V. Faull, Mrs. A. C. Harlowe, Vera Ford, Mrs. A. B. Combs, Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Lucille Davis, Mrs. George Cohen, Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. Ruth Martin, Mrs. Edith Kendrick, Mrs. E. W. Meade, Anna Branham, Mrs. John Hale, Mrs. Josie Harkins, Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. Hollie B. Hall, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. John Archer.

Patricia Sue, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Goble, is convalescing at the Paintsville hospital from an appendectomy to which she submitted Sunday.

**DESSERT-BRIDGE**  
Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., and Mrs. O. G. Pennington were co-hostesses Monday afternoon when they entertained with a dessert-bridge at the home of Mrs. White on Maple avenue, complimenting Mrs. Walter Van Landingham, of Miami, Fla. Tallies used as place cards were received at the door and guests found their respective places at tiny tables. The following guests were seated: Mrs. Van Landingham, Mesdames J. R. Hurt, E. P. Hill, Jr., A. J. Davidson, Alex L. Davidson, Angeline Layne Archer, Frank H. Layne, Everett H. Sowards, Olga May Latta, George H. Cohen, W. H. Jones, A. H. Mandt. Top scores were reached by Mrs. Van Landingham, Mrs. Sowards and Mrs. Latta. A traveling prize was presented Mrs. Van Landingham. Tea guests were Mesdames Josie D. Harkins, H. D. Fitzpatrick, W. W. Burchett, Milton Cyrus, John Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mellon are moving this week to Russell where he is employed.

Mrs. Tot Allen Mann and Mrs. Jack Salisbury left Wednesday for New York where Mrs. Mann will buy for the Margaret-Mann Shop.

Mrs. Clara Woodard, the former Miss Clara Netherly, of Louisville, returned home this week after having been the houseguest here of Miss Evelyn Moore.

Mrs. Joe Hill, of Mt. Sterling, spent several days here last week visiting friends and relatives. She was houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis.

Mrs. Palmer L. Hall left for Camp Gruber, Okla., Tuesday morning for a visit with her husband, Pfc. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holcomb, of Pikeville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hale here Sunday.

Curtis W. May has returned to his job as manager of Kroger's store here after spending his vacation with relatives in Ypsilanti, Mich.

Mrs. Jack Salisbury was the guest Sunday of her mother at Betsy Layne.

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KLEENEX		2 for 19c
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TOMATOES	No. 2 Can	12c
ROOF COATING		5 Gal. \$2.75
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FRANK H. LAYNE, Admr., Estate of Will H. Layne, deceased.

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Every one is welcome to join with us in these prayers. If you can't be present, let your prayer be. Mothers and fathers of our country, a dark, blank, heavy cloud is hanging over our heads. That boy of yours—he is giving his life for our country. Let's go to God in earnest prayer. He will hear us out of heaven and bring peace on earth again.

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WHEELWRIGHT

Mrs. Mike O'Leary, who has been very ill, is some better.

Mrs. Jim Reed is spending a few days with Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Howell at Versailles, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark left Monday for Louisville to spend a few days.

Miss Anna Blair spent the week-end with Mrs. Edna Huff and daughter, of Prestonsburg.

Lavon Spence and Gerry Fain were guests of Belle Collier at Neon last week-end.

Mrs. William A. Bailey is leaving for California, where she will spend a few months with her husband.

Thelma Hall was in Prestonsburg on business Friday.

Mrs. T. E. Sullivan and daughter "Frosty" went to Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. Yale Rogers entertained to bridge Thursday night. Guests were Mrs. Hobert Smith, Mrs. "Chick" Conley, Mrs. Limon Jones, Mrs. Earl Blackburn, Mrs. Tate Hartscock, Mrs. C. R. Tankersley, Mrs. A. Laughlin, Mrs. Bob Miller, Mrs. Estell Goble, Mrs. H. M. Wilkerson, Mrs. Marshall Mahan and Mrs. Hunter Thomas. Guest prizes were presented to Mrs. "Chick" Conley, top score, and Mrs. Limon Jones, second.

"Chick" Conley and Sonny Wilkerson left, a few days ago, for Morgantown, W. Va., on business.

Mrs. Jim Morrison is spending a week with her parents and daughter at Nelse.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose have returned from a week's vacation.

Dr. Yale Rogers is spending a few days at Norris Lake.

A stork shower for Mrs. Audrey Bailey Bates was given by her sister, Mrs. Bill Hall, last week in Community Hall.

Mrs. Elmer Nemet has gone to join her husband, Pvt. Nemet.

Miss Pauline Mondy has returned to Dawson, O., after spending a few days here. She was called home on account of her mother being ill.

Alton Ray and son Richard are spending a few days in Louisville this week.

The P-T.A. is giving a Halloween carnival Oct. 28.

Mrs. Sissie Hall, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out.

Mrs. Tom Stumbo is back home from Detroit. Mrs. Stumbo was called there by the illness of her sister.

Mrs. Buster Reynolds has arrived here from Detroit to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Rainey.

Mrs. Robert Airle, who spent six weeks with relatives in Pennsylvania, has returned home.

Mrs. John Muir and son Bobby, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Airle and Robert Muir, have returned to their home in Pennsylvania.

Bob Miller has been ill, but is able to be out.

Mrs. Anna B. Snathers is spending a few days in Lexington.

Mrs. Sally Steele, Mrs. Daisy Hatfield and niece, Mrs. Bill Lyons, of Columbus, O., were visiting their mother, Mrs. Ira Sizemore, of Wheelwright Junction, last week. Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Hatfield and Mrs. Lyons are employees of the TVA Division, Curtiss Wright defense plant, Columbus, Ohio. They were here to help celebrate their mother's 64th birth anniversary.

MAYTOWN

Mrs. Arnold Cassidy, Miss Thelma Cassidy and Mrs. Roger Stewart were shopping in Prestonsburg Thursday.

Miss Lexie Allen spent Friday night visiting friends in Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, who have been away from Maytown for several months, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. John May recently.

Jack Hitchcock, of Hindman, entertained the school in Chapel Friday with a musicale. He was accompanied to Maytown by Miss Harriet Allen.

Mrs. R. L. McKinney, of Hinton, W. Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Allen, and Dr. Allen.

Bobby May, of LaCarne, O., spent a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. May, Sr., and other relatives.

Miss Audrey Mae Hayes, formerly of Louisville, spent a few days here with her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hayes, and her brother, Russell, who has been in the South Pacific for the last four years. He is here on a short furlough. Miss Hayes goes from here to Washington, where she will be a welder in a war plant.

Mrs. George May, Sr., entertained Bobby May and Russell Hayes to dinner Friday evening.

Mrs. Viola Stewart was a business visitor in Pikeville Friday.

Mrs. T. R. Stapleton spent the week-end in Pike county, visiting her parents.

Mrs. V. O. Turner is spending several weeks in Lancaster, visiting her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kincaid have received word that their son, Lester, has been slightly wounded in France, receiving the Purple Heart.

Roy Turner, who is working in Detroit, Mich., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Polly Turner.

Cpl. Paul Arrowood, who has been stationed in New Jersey, is spending a few days with his father, Lon Arrowood, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Pack and daughter, of Paintsville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Pack's father, Lon Arrowood, and family.

Miss Joyce Stewart spent Saturday night with Miss Imogene Allen, of Northern.

The Judson Hayes family is moving into the V. A. Hayes property.

Ishmael Patton is recuperating from an operation undergone at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, last Thursday.

The church school of the Methodist Church enjoyed a party Friday afternoon in the church. Sandwiches, cakes and punch were served.

Seniors of the Maytown school enjoyed a "skip day" last Thursday by taking a trip to the "Breaks." There is a very small class of only nine seniors this year, but they and their two chaperones, Misses Peggy Jo Allen and Catherine Francis, reported a good time on the outing.

Seniors who went were Elizabeth Boughton, Beryl Stewart, Catherine Stapleton, Maggie Hicks, Joyce Stewart, Marie Hayes, Bob Allen and Ray Prater. Miss Imogene Allen, the other member of the class, did not go.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Floyd County Fiscal Court at the Court House, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, until 2:00 P. M. Eastern Standard War Time, November 9, 1944, for the construction of the Garrett Bridge at which time and place they will be opened and read.

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Seaman Raymond Spears, who has spent 18 months in service in the Pacific, is spending a 21-day leave with his wife and parents. His brother, Broadus, who had recently returned from overseas duty, was allowed a few hours' relief from camp to be with Raymond.

Pvts. Orbie and Clifford Boyd recently spent a few days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Boyd.

Mrs. Broadus Spears and Miss Anna Ruth Layne, of Akron, Ohio, spent the last few days visiting relatives here.

A buffet dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blackburn Friday evening honoring the visit of Ensign and Mrs. Woodrow Friend, Mrs. Friend, formerly Mary Ruth House, was Home Ec teacher here last year. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Compton, Mr. and Mrs. James George, Mrs. Eliza Blackburn and daughter, Mrs. John Coleman, Mrs. Dorothy Coy, Miss Kathryn Chandler, Kelsa Gearheart, Eulevne Boyd, Elaine Roberts and the honorees, Ensign and Mrs. Friend.

Pvt. Hubert C. Layne, of Geneva, Neb., visited friends in school here Friday.

Miss Emma Lou Taylor, of Prestonsburg, spent Sunday, the guest of Edna Akers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boyd, of Flemingsburg, Ky., visited Mrs. Miranda Gearheart Sunday.

The school's class basketball tournament began Wednesday of this week. Prizes will be awarded to the winning teams and the class having the best cheer-leading section.

The War Fund drive began with much enthusiasm Monday of this week.

Friends are glad to know that Ted Akers is improving after suffering a fractured skull.

The Junior class is sponsoring a pie social in the gymnasium Friday night, the proceeds of which will be used for the Junior-Senior banquet.

The Junior class recently sponsored a Magazine Salesmanship contest, which was won by the team with Faye Dingus as captain. The winning team was treated to ice cream by W. D. Steele, class sponsor, Lon Edward Roberts was the leading individual salesman with Ray Calvin Davis, second high.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lee George and daughter, of Holden, W. Va., spent the last week-end with relatives here.

The Girl Scout troop and leaders enjoyed a campfire supper Monday evening.

Mrs. Rowe Fannin honored her husband's birthday last Tuesday with a dinner with the following as guests: Mrs. Patience Fannin, Myrtle Howes and daughter, Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Layne and Betty Jean, and Ray Calvin Davis.

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club met with Mrs. Lon Roberts Oct. 12. After the business meeting, a program on "Post-War Planning" was led by Mrs. A. K. Robinette. Topics for reading and discussion included: "What the Practical Men See Ahead," "Remember Us," "Women at the Peace Conference" and "How To Treat the Returned Wounded Soldiers."

Refreshments were served to Mrs. James George, Mrs. D. W. Howard, Mrs. Glenn Blackburn, Mrs. Alex Davis, Mrs. Lon Roberts, Mrs. A. K. Robinette, Misses Elaine Roberts, Kelsa Gearheart.

GARRETT

Mrs. H. H. Hornsby and Miss Sue Hornsby entertained Tuesday evening, Oct. 10 in honor of H. H. Hornsby's birth anniversary. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasnick, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Messer, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Ison, Mrs. Bill Pettrey, Mrs. M. M. Collins, and Mrs. Mike Staley. The evening was spent playing bridge, ladies' high score and traveling prize going to Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, men's high score to Dr. C. B. Ison.

Mrs. Edgill Davis and children spent the week-end in Williamson with Mr. Davis.

Faris Johnson, student at Morehead State Teachers' College, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mrs. Harrison Elliott and daughters, of Betsy Layne, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Barbara Pack.

Mrs. Alvin Meade is visiting her husband, S/Sgt. Meade, in Louisiana.

Escorn Murray was guest of honor at a birthday dinner given Sunday

by Mrs. Murray. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen and children, Ray and Loucretia, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sellars and daughter, Sheriann, Mrs. Laura Murray, Gladys Murray, Vivian Billiter, Marcella Stone, George Murray and George Ousley.

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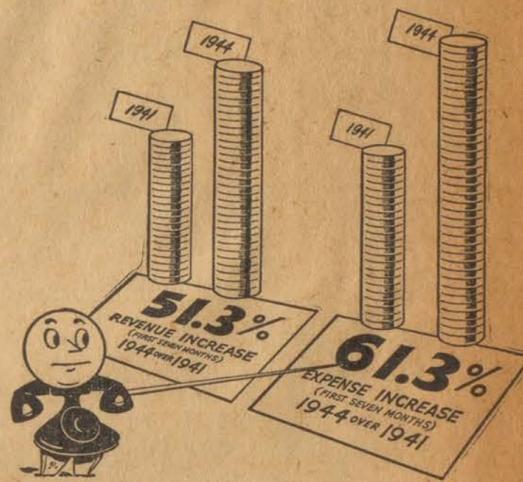
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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Kentucky Wholesale Company Plaintiff Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE W. E. Meade, Etc. Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the February term, 1944, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23 day of October, 1944, at 1 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:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Mud Creek near Amba postoffice, known as the W. E. Meade tract purchased from him by R. M. Nelson, bounded on the north by the lands of Frank Keathley; on the east by lands of Frank Keathley; on the south by the public highway; and on the west by the lands of Ernest Akers.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. Given under my hand, this the 4th day of October, 1944.

J. B. CLARKE, Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court Cost of advertising, \$10.50.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Quite a stack of newspapers I left you yesterday, Judge. Aren't you in the newspaper business, are you?"

"No, I just enjoy reading different papers so my nephew George sends them to me whenever he takes a business trip. I got a big kick out of some he sent me from several counties where they still have prohibition. Particularly from some headlines that read 'Drunk Driving Arrests Rise'.

"Bootleggers must post Ceiling Prices," "Federal Agents seize 'Trick' Liquor Truck." Doesn't that go to prove, Joe, that prohibition does not prohibit?"

"I watched conditions pretty carefully during our 13 years of prohibition in this country. The only thing I could see we got out of it was bootleg liquor instead of legal liquor... plus the worst crime and corruption this country has ever known."

MARTIN

John Hayes Turney recently enlisted in the navy. His mother, Mrs. Narcissus Turnley, received a card from him saying he is staying in Louisville a few days prior to reporting for "Boot" training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Johnny Osborne, M.P., visiting his aunt, Mrs. Sallie Osborne, this week. He has been overseas for several months and was here with some prisoners.

Mrs. Babb has returned here after visiting her husband, Sgt. Walter Babb, who accompanied her home. He expects to spend several days with her and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Babb.

Russell Hayes, of the army, was in Martin this week. He was at Pearl Harbor and has been overseas about four years. He gets 21 days' rest before reporting for duty.

Bill Flannery, of Buck's Branch, and Mrs. Dinah Stone, of Knott county, were married recently. A shower was given for them at the Mormon Church here.

Perry Osborne sold his restaurant last week to Mrs. Duran Hall, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Skaggs bought the property they have lived in for several years from Jake Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sweet were business visitors in Ashland this week.

Pvt. Manuel Ferguson returned to camp Sunday. His wife, Mrs. Alma Ferguson, accompanied him to Huntington, W. Va.

Hanson Vincent underwent a tonsillectomy Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, his grandparents, and Mrs. H. H. Vincent, his mother, accompanied him to the Paintsville hospital for the operation. He is at home and doing nicely.

Linville Higgins, of Marion, O., is visiting friends and relatives in Martin and vicinity. He is spending some time with his brother, Hi Higgins, of Drift. His wife, Mrs. Maude Higgins, plans to remain here.

Mrs. Maggie Lee Cassidy and baby, of Louisville, are the houseguests of her mother, Mrs. Edna Key. She will be remembered as Miss Maggie Lee Key.

A. B. Osborne, Jr., of the army, is spending a furlough at home. He is stationed at Aberdeen, Md.

Blanche Dingus, of the WAC, is spending a furlough at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dingus, of Hite. She is spending some time with her brother and sister-in-

law, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Dingus, of Martin.

Johnny Patton and Charles Osborne, both with military police units, were visiting in Martin this week. They recently returned from Italy, and will report for duty at Ft. Custer, Mich.

John Blitter spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. A. Blitter, of Pikeville.

Business visitors to Prestonsburg this week were Mrs. Martha West, Mrs. Kruger Martin, Mrs. Pat McGeeary, Mrs. W. S. Branham, Mrs. Jim Skeans.

Dan Hutchinson has reported for duty in the navy. He will receive his "Boot" training at Great Lakes, Ill.

The high school band gave a party for him and presented him with an identification bracelet as a farewell present.

Mrs. J. T. Allen has probably mailed more Christmas packages to boys in the armed services than any person in this section. The packages were made up of homemade candies, fruitcake, assorted cookies, razor blades, toilet articles, cigarettes and cigarette cases, stationery and air-mail stamps, salted nuts, chewing gum, scarfs, etc. The following boys will receive the packages: Joe Cox, Alex V. Allen, Burman D. Martin, Pak Nai Tang, Leon Hayes, Sandy Martin, Elmer F. Childers, John Coleman, Jr., Clarence Crisp, James Crisp, Jr., Charles B. Justice, Kenneth Carr, Daniel Manns, Joe Bailey, Vernon Allen and Mrs. Allen's own son, Thomas E. Allen.

Coxswain Charles Taylor left Tuesday of this week for New York, where he is stationed, after spending a few days' leave with his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Taylor.

Bill Price and Giles Kiser are spending several days in Virginia attending church.

Miss Madgalene Roberts, of Paintsville, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Roberts.

Miss Goldia Skeans spent Saturday night with her cousin, Rosemary Blitter.

Nadine Moore, of Willow Run, Mich., is spending a short vacation with her mother, Mrs. Melvin Moore, and other relatives and friends here.

Business visitors to Martin this week: Mrs. Morton McGlothen, of Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cahill, of Drift, Mrs. Cora Fannin, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Skaggs have returned from Detroit, Mich., where they have been visiting for several days.

Mrs. Clyde Davis and children, of Russell, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Mayo, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dingus motored to Middle Creek Sunday to see his niece, Mrs. Winfred Sloan, and her triplets, all girls—Shiridene, Alline, Jewelene.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Tackett have a new son, born Thursday of last week. The babe has been named Tommy Wade.

W. S. Branham and Lewis Dingus left Sunday for Cincinnati, Ohio, where they expect to spend several days.

Leonard Park, of Garrett, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Park, Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Preston, Mrs. W. S. Branham and daughter, Magdalene, prepared a birthday dinner for C. A. Preston and W. S. Branham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen spent Friday night and Saturday in Huntington, W. Va., on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Norris moved to their new home in Ashland, Monday of this week.

Mrs. Fanny Branham and daughter, Magdalene, spent Sunday night with Mrs. Jim Skeans.

James Crisp, Sr., and T. J. Allen spent Sunday in Grundy, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke and Mrs. J. B. Smith, of Hindman, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brodie Duke Sunday.

Mrs. Smith has received word that her son, Pvt. William C. Smith, has been awarded the Purple Heart after having been wounded while in France. He was with an infantry unit when wounded.

Dorothy Mae Crisp was visiting Lillian Hall, Beaver Valley hospital nurse, Thursday.

Gordon Carroll, of Martin, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Seaton Crisp Monday.

The Martin Homemakers Club will meet in the Ladies' Aid workroom Saturday, Oct. 21, at 2 p. m. Every member is urged to attend.

Mrs. Al Wilhelm and daughter, Florence Tell, returned to their home in Detroit, Mich., after visiting Mrs. Wilhelm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Deskins.

Mrs. Mary Louise Glogowski and daughter, Paula Jean, returned to Martin last week after spending several weeks, guests of relatives and friends in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Deskins and granddaughter, Paula Jean Glogowski, spent the week-end in Huntington shopping and visiting Mrs. Deskins' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Barrows.

W. H. Jefferson, M.D. Office hours—day and night. Drift, Ky.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Processed Foods Blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through R5 in War Ration Book Four now good for 10 points each. Blue ration tokens are no longer valid.

Meats and Fats Red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through K5 in Book Four good for 10 points each indefinitely.

Sugar Stamps 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Book Four now good for 5 pounds each indefinitely. Stamp 40 in Book Four good for 5 pounds of canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945. Also application may be made to local board for additional allotment upon presentation of spare stamp 37.

Shoes Airplane stamps 1 and 2 in Ration Book Three each good indefinitely for one pair of shoes.

Gasoline Stamp A-13 now good for 4 gallons through Dec. 21. Stamps B-4, B-5, C-4 and C-5 good for 5 gallons indefinitely. State and license number must be written on the face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

THANKS FROM THE YANKS Letters of thanks from boys overseas come in weekly to donors of "Buddy Bags," and this week an appreciative letter came to Miss Frances Jones' pupils in the grade school here thanking them for the many useful articles sent more than a year ago. There were articles that could not be found "over there" and there was joy over the finding. The chairman wishes that the Red Cross could send individual Buddy Bags to a soldier or sailor, but those must come from his or her family or friends individually. There would be such a demand for personal bags that the army and navy as a whole would suffer the loss of gifts. Keep the donations coming in—\$2.50 completes a bag. Thanks for the many envelopes this week containing one and two-dollars as well as checks. This is just the beginning.—Ruth D. Sowards, Chairman, Buddy Bags.

The Simpson county wheat crop was one of the best on record, yields averaging 20 bushels, with a total production of 600,000 bushels.

WAYLAND

First meeting of the Wayland P.-T.A. was held here Thursday evening, October 12. Officers for the coming year were elected.

Wayland was well represented at Charleston, W. Va., recently. Two big events took place there—the Virginia-West Virginia football game and a speech by a certain Mr. Dewey. Those attending both events were George Pow, Ervin Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Crit Wells and Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller announce the arrival of a daughter, Sherry Lou, born Oct. 2 at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mrs. Boone Hall, Mrs. Quentin Terry, Mrs. Harold Wakeland and Miss Marjorie Harman were shopping in Prestonsburg recently.

Mrs. R. P. Crumpler has been confined to her bed for several days. Friends are looking forward to her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Archie Akers, of Chicago, Ill., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson, and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harman were business visitors in Prestonsburg last week.

Mrs. Harold Branham has returned home from a visit with her husband, who is convalescing at the Veterans' hospital, Outwood, Ky.

Mrs. Lois Hobbs Gault has been visiting relatives at Stone.

Merle and Bobby Doyle Hicks were recent visitors here.

Armidia DeCoursey, of the navy, is spending a 34-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeCoursey, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terry, Sr., have received word from their son, Pfc. Joe Terry, Jr., who is fighting in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Price have had as their guest Mr. Price's mother, Mrs. Frank Worell, of Cynthia.

Miss Lucille Crumpler was recovered from a recent tonsillectomy.

Mrs. Frank Harman, Mrs. Willard Castle, Mrs. Johnny Wallace and Mrs. Mabry Martin attended the showing of "Song of Bernadette" at Paintsville recently.

Children of the Wayland consolidated school have been gathering milkweed pods for the last few weeks.

Wayland will open its basketball season Friday, Oct. 27. The McDowell "Daredevils" will be the team's first opponents.

TO CORRESPONDENTS: We wish it were possible to use news-letters reaching us later, but it is impossible to publish the correspondence arriving at this office after Tuesday morning. Because of space limitations we cannot use this news in the following week's paper, and for this reason it is to the advantage of all concerned for your letters to reach us Monday night if possible, never later than Tuesday morning.

Walter Bridges and H. B. Prewitt, of Montgomery county, harvested over four tons of red clover hay to the acre.

AFTER MEALS TAKE DIA-BISMA An antacid powder and antacid agent. Take it after meals or whenever an abnormal amount of acidity in the stomach brings an uncomfortable feeling. HUTSINPILLER DRUG PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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Scraps, nails and string... paper, fats and fuel... anything and everything that could serve another time or another purpose was saved by our ancestors as a matter of dire necessity. The frugality of America's rugged pioneers helped to win battle after battle in our nation's history.

Today, our country asks us to practice that same frugality to help win the war, to save our way of life and to protect

our freedom of opportunity for every American family.

Peace and the change-over from war-stimulated activity will pose many problems to challenge the ingenuity of every one of us. Fortune will favor the family that has learned to save and has bolstered its future by the purchase of War Bonds. It's so much sounder to save than to wait to be saved.



REMEMBER FOR THRIFTY HOUSEWIVES:

There's nourishment in simple, wartime meals, but to make them taste better—simply serve the world's most popular beer—cold, bubbling Budweiser.

Anheuser-Busch produces materials which go into the manufacture of: Rubber • Aluminum • Medicines • B Complex Vitamins • Hospital Diets • Baby Foods • Bread and other Bakery products • Vitamin-fortified cattle feeds • Batteries • Paper • Soap and Textiles—to name a few.

Budweiser

REA Earmarks \$678,926 For Kentucky Co-Ops

The Rural Electrification Administration last week announced the earmarking of \$678,926 for loans during the current fiscal year to Kentucky R.E.A. co-operatives for construction of new power lines.

The allotment was included in the \$6,000,000, half of the funds avail-

HIPPO MINER, SLATE VICTIM

Father of Seven Instantly Killed Tuesday Evening

His neck broken and chest crushed by a slatefall in the Diamond Elkhorn Coal Company mine at Hueysville, Floyd Shepherd, 33-year-old miner, of Hippo, was instantly killed at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday night.

The victim was a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Shepherd, of Hippo, and had many friends and relatives in the Right Beaver section. Besides his parents, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sallie Shepherd, and seven children; Madeline, James Curtis, Irene, Eugene, Juanita, Martha Jane and Roger, all at home. He also leaves two brothers and four sisters; Boyd Shepherd, Pyramid; Joe Shepherd, Hippo; Mrs. W. P. Stephens, Garrett; Mrs. Sam Reed, of Ohio; Mrs. Archer Shepherd, Gunlock; Mrs. Milton Davis, Hippo.

Funeral rites will be conducted Friday afternoon at the Hicks cemetery, Hippo, where burial will be under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home. Officiating ministers will be the Revs. M. C. Wright, Banner Manns and A. J. Moore.

able for the year, set aside by R.E.A. for loans on the basis of unelectrified farms as of July 1. The remaining funds, under the law, may be used wherever R.E.A. deems it most needed.

Kentucky's allotment was made on the basis of the 191,394 farms in the state that do not have electricity.

The announcement cautioned that the R.E.A. will make available no funds from those allotments on applications which do not fully comply with War Production Board regulations.

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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

ROBERT HICKS SAYS:



When G.I. Joes begin coming home from the foreign soil where they have been in combat service for the past 3 1/2 years, let's think right and vote right. Let them come back to the country where there is freedom of speech and the right of the people to elect the men of their own choosing. If you believe in turning the Government back to the people—

VOTE THE REPUBLICAN TICKET ON NOV. 7!

(Pol. Adv.)

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Funeral rites were conducted from the residence on First avenue Sunday afternoon, the Revs. A. C. Harlowe and W. B. Garriott officiating. Burial was made in the family lot of the Bascom May cemetery here under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home

Active pallbearers were Curtis Clark, Newton May, Rexford Clark, Frank Friend, Joe A. Spradlin, William Arnold Spradlin, C. W. May, Franklin Moore, Bill Ross, Joe Hobson, J. B. Clarke, Dick Spurlock, Frank H. Layne, Martin Lee May, W. W. Cooley.

Honorary pallbearers: T. H. Dingus, W. B. Boyd, Dr. G. D. Callihan, Dr. Elmer E. Gabbard, B. F. Combs, A. B. Combs, Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., Judge Henry Stephens, Jr., O. P. Powers, J. M. Weddington, Jo M. Davidson, J. D. Harkins, G. P. Archer, Roy Perry, George Roberts, Alex L. Davidson, J. O. Webb, Edward L. Allen, Malcolm Harris, Tom Ellis, Jim Clark, Joe Stanley, Dr. M. J. Leete, Mayor E. P. Arnold, J. C. Spurlin, J. H. Nunery, E. E. Clark, Reuben Taylor, H. D. Fitzpatrick, O. H. Stumbo, Congressman A. J. May, Dr. G. A. Culbertson, Dr. C. L. Hutspiller.

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bers, No. 1 mine, \$127; local union members, No. 2 mine, \$191; non-union employees, \$67 (total, \$885).

Glogora—company, \$50; local union employees, \$431; non-union employees, \$105 (total \$586).

Weeksbury—Koppers Coal Co., \$200; local union, \$312.50 (total, \$512.50).

North-East Coal Co., Auxier—Local union, \$309.

Sandy Valley Coal Co., Water Gap, \$5 contribution for each man, contract and non-contract employees, totaling \$465.

Clear Branch Mining Company employees, \$809.

Local union, Edgemont Fuel Co., \$200.

Local union, Sampson Elkhorn Coal Co., \$152.

Local union, Liberty Elkhorn Coal Co., \$339.

Turner-Elkhorn Mining Company contribution, \$750.

Harold Fuel Corporation employees, \$84.

Other contributions include the Columbian Fuel Corporation, \$25, and Barnett Furniture Company, Lackey, \$10.

Floyd county's contribution helps to provide essential wartime services to the armed forces, merchant marine and prisoners of war and to supply relief to our allies and to refugees from occupied countries. Every town and township in the nation is included in this organization which is considered one of the most important functioning in wartime America.

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The Times transmit to Cpl. Burga and hundreds of other Floyd countians overseas another story to arouse their righteous wrath?

"WITCH BALL" If it had been 50 years ago, or if it were shown in some other place even at this time, it would have immediately been identified as a "witch ball," this black, hard, walnut-shaped thing County Agent Isbell brought to this office this week. But the fact of the matter is, the object was nothing but a hair ball from the stomach of a cow.

Now, this column does not presume to expound on such matters, but we are told, and think some of you farmers might benefit from the information, that these one-time "witch balls" are caused by cattle licking themselves because of lack of salt or because salt has been placed on their backs. The hair accumulates in the stomach, is rolled by peristaltic action, hardens, and finally becomes of such size as to choke the animal and cause bloating. In the case of the cow from which this particular "witch ball" came, it was removed via an incision into the gullet.

Keep plenty salt before your cattle, not on their backs, and they won't be bothered with such ailments, the county agent advises. And, he adds, the idea that salt placed on their backs and the resultant licking keeps "wools" away is definitely all wet.

An advertisement in this week's edition informs the public that bullet-proof inner tubes are on sale here. There was a time when such an ad would have caused a rush all along the Floyd county "front."

NEWSPAPER WEEK (DELAYED)

Among the several hundred items we have missed during the year was the recent opportunity to remind our readers that the week of Oct. 1-8 was Newspaper Week. That's when the newspapers take occasion to let down their hair (disfigure-of-speech-like) and tell the world what they have been doing for their communities, the space they contribute to this cause and that, etcetera; the time when they almost invite pats on the back.

At this late date we'll settle for the opportunity to tell you that nobody visited us with a hoss- whip that week. And you are hereby reminded that, as of that week, THE TIMES' circulation reached 4,775—the largest in the Big Sandy valley, one of the largest of any weekly newspaper in Kentucky.

THE \$64 QUESTION

What is it that is dead before it is killed? See end of this column (no peeking in advance).

WE'RE NOT KICKING

This football season, with a war going on, sees a dearth of what is known to the trade as educated toes. It is little consolation to know that there are always plenty of educated heels.

Just for the record, it may be said that some folks waxed exceeding wroth upon learning that the ban on juke box repairs had been lifted.

ANSWER

A newspaper advertisement or item that has run its course. It is then declared "dead" and is "killed" by the type being put to other use.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., OCTOBER 19-20— "Eve of St. Mark"

Anne Baxter, Wm. Eythe, News, Europe's Crossroads, Furlough Fishing, Matinee: 1:30 p.m. Night: 7:01 p.m., and 8:45 p.m.

SATURDAY— 11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m., 6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m.— "Sheriff of Sundown"

Allan Lane, Peggy Stewart. Serial— "ZORRO'S BLACK WHIP," begins.

SATURDAY— 3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.— "The Last Ride"

Richard Travis, Chas. Long, Shorts: "From Hand to Mouse," "Cattleman's Days," "Battle Stations."

SUNDAY-MONDAY— "Step Lively"

Frank Sinatra, George Murphy. News. Comedy: "The Cross-Eyed Bull."

TUESDAY— "The Uninvited"

Ray Milland, Ruth Hussey. News. "Der Feuhrer's Face," "The Frog and the Princess," Football Thrills.

WEDNESDAY— "Oklahoma Kid"

James Cagney. News. Shorts.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—Good 7-room house, 3 acres garden, good orchard, two good wells, good outbuildings, one-half mile from town. See or write MRS. MAUDE SPURLOCK, West Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-19-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—about 100-acre farm. Rich new land, good house, good outbuildings, big coal seam near house. Plenty fruit, good water. Plenty timber, 4 miles below Prestonsburg, on Auxier road. See WILEY WARRIX. 10-19-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Eighty-eight acres surface land, Long Branch of Left Hand Fork Bull Creek, adjoining and above Frank Derossett farm. For price write MRS. JOSEPHINE D. DIMICK, P.O. Box 452, Huntington, W. Va. 10-19-3t.

FOR SALE—7-room house with three acres surrounding land overlooking city of Prestonsburg. See MYRA E. HILL, Prestonsburg. 10-19-1f.

FOR SALE—new and used phonograph records at reduced prices. Wide selection of hillbilly and popular tunes. Call PAULINE'S BEAUTY SHOP, Garrett, Ky., or phone 5, Wayland. 9-21-1f.

FOR SALE—75 acres timber, one-half mile from good WPA road. See MRS. CARA H. HALL, Hueysville, Ky. 6-8-1f.

FOR SALE—1941 model Chevrolet pick-up truck. See or write DOW COOK, Adams, Ky. 10-12-2t pd

FOR SALE—If you wish to buy a good, productive farm, come to Hillsboro, O., and see F. G. LYLE and ASA E. MCCOY Real Estate Agency. Here are some of the many farms which we have for sale: 180 acres, mostly level to slightly rolling, with a good 6-room house, cellar, electric, telephone line in front of door, spring water, good barn and smaller barn, corn crib, garage, chicken house, smokehouse, brooder house. This farm will grow corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley, alfalfa, clover, timothy, tobacco, in fact anything you wish to raise. Can be bought at present for \$8,000. Also about 100 acres, good buildings, one mile to village, on good road, good land, plenty of water, priced \$4,200. 70 acres for \$3,755, 160 acres for \$6,500, 146 acres for \$2,100, 250 acres for \$15,000, 200 acres for \$8,000, in fact any size or price that would interest you. 10-19-3t-pd.

FIVE-POUND JAR comb or strained pure honey, \$1.35. PAUL FRANCHIS, Prestonsburg, Ky. 9-28-4t

REFRIGERATION FOR SALE—new dry-storage beverage cooler. W. L. RICE, Allen, Ky., Phone 2581. Service day or Night. 10-19-2t

ESTABLISHED ROUTE AVAILABLE—We want a man or woman capable of taking over established food and medicine route in Prestonsburg. Has been paying up to \$50 per week; possibilities unlimited. Write the J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, 72-80 W. Iowa Street, Memphis (2) Tenn. 10-14-4t

FOR RENT—storebuilding, within quarter mile of Black Diamond Coal Company, on Route 80, at Bosco, Ky. See or write MRS. CARA H. HALL, Hueysville, Ky. 9-28-8t.

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IF YOU want to get married, write BOX 358, Juliaetta, Idaho. Send stamp. 10-19-1f.

WANTED—semi-experienced plumber six days per week. Must be sober, trustworthy. Phone 6231, or see ELMER W. RICE, Rice's Plumbing & Electric Shop, Prestonsburg, Ky. 9-21-1f.

WANTED—boy and girl for dental laboratory work. DAVE STEPHENS, Prestonsburg, Ky. 1t

WANTED TO RENT—modern 6 or 7-room house in Prestonsburg. Phone 3351, Prestonsburg. 8-17-1f.

WILL BUY or trade for your old sewing machine. Singers preferred. M.D. HUBBARD, Box 203, Paintsville, Ky. 10-1-3t-pd.

WANTED TO BUY—small electric fan. DAVE STEPHENS, phone 3251, Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-19-3

TO CORRESPONDENTS: We wish it were possible to use news-letters reaching us later, but it is impossible to publish the correspondence arriving at this office after Tuesday morning. Because of space limitations we cannot use this news in the following week's paper and for this reason it is to the advantage of all concerned for your letters to reach us Monday night if possible, never later than Tuesday morning.

Drift Babe Succumbs In Office of Doctor

Larry, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Fraley, of Drift, died Saturday afternoon in the office of Dr. W. D. Osborne, Bypro, whither the child had been taken for treatment following a diphtheria attack. The little victim was the Fraleys' only child.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday at Drift and burial there was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

MARTIN THEATRE "WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY— "Nabonga" (Gorilla) Barton MacLane, Fifi D'Orsey.

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL— "Three Little Sisters" Mary Lee, Ruth Terry, Cheryl Walker.

"Arizona Whirlwind" Hoot Gibson, Ken Maynard.

SUNDAY-MONDAY— "Hail the Conquering Hero" Eddie Bracken, Ella Rains.

TUESDAY— "Days of Glory" Tamara Toumanova, Gregory Peck.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY— "I Love a Soldier" Paulette Goddard, Sonny Tufts.

Attend our matinees.

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only one of the original crew which left the States with Lockwood was killed.

His and his crew's missions over enemy territory were ended, at least temporarily, June 13 when one engine was shot out and the gasoline supply failed before the Liberator could limp back to base. Only Lockwood and one other were hurt. Soon after they arrived in Italy, their original plane was shot down by seven direct flak hits and machine gun fire with the loss of one man.

Lt. and Mrs. Lockwood and their six-weeks-old son, Quentin, Jr., whom the flier had not seen till a few days ago, spent a few days last week with his parents before he returned to Thayer hospital, Nashville, Tenn., for further treatment of his leg which is rapidly mending.

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