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6TH WAR LOAN DRIVE BEGINS NOVEMBER 20

County Quota, Set At \$715,510, Shy Of 5th Bond Drive

Floyd county's quota in the Sixth War Loan drive, which begins Monday and continues till Dec. 16, is \$715,510, a total lacking \$154,490 of reaching the Fifth War Loan quota for the county.

Although a chairman for the drive had not been definitely named, organization work was expected to be well under way by start of the drive. As in previous drives, cooperation of the schools was expected to play a prominent part in putting the county "over the top."

The state's quota is \$104,000,000, the nation's \$14,000,000,000. Of the Floyd county quota, \$298,440 is to be bought in Series E bonds by individuals; \$46,070 of other type bonds by individuals, and \$371,000 by corporations.

County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., who led the county's Fifth War Loan drive, said Glenn C. Spradlin had been nominated for the work during the present drive.

THREE DEAD, 3 WOUNDED

On Battlefronts, Floyd Relatives Told During Week

Three Floyd county soldiers are dead and three others have been wounded in action, reports received during the week say.

The dead: Pfc. Eugene Oppenheimer, 22, son of Mrs. Lizzie Woods, of Allen; wounded in Italy Sept. 14, died Oct. 5.

T/5 Jess W. Vaughan, son of Buran Vaughan, of Bays Branch, near here; in France, Oct. 28 as result of vehicle accident.

James W. Hurd, of Emma, husband of Virginia Wright Hurd, of Allen; on Leyte Oct. 21 as result of injuries received in action.

The wounded: Albert Paterno, son of the late Dan Paterno, Prestonsburg, and husband of Mrs. Mary Paterno; slightly, in Italy, Oct. 27.

Clennon Brown, son of Mrs. Lucy Brown, of Hi-Hat; slightly, in France, Oct. 25.

Pvt. Leo Porter, of Allen, slightly, Oct. 22, for the second time in France.

Vaughan, a veteran of the North African, Sicilian and Italian campaigns, is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters: Sam and Wade Vaughan, of Auxier; Mrs. Edgar R. Miller, Bays Branch, and Mrs. Arch Harmon, Lanier. He had been an army cook since 1942.

Besides his mother, Pfc. Oppenheimer is survived by the following half-brothers and half-sisters: Pvt. Joe Add Turner, in France; Trent Woods, in the state of Washington; Bill and Trent Woods, of Allen; Mrs. Goldie Pinkington, Ironton, O.; Mrs. Susan Pierce, Argillite, Ky.; Mrs. Mollie Porter, Dwaile; Miss Fay Woods, Allen.

Ex-Magistrate's Wife Succumbs at Amba

Mrs. Eunice Walters Meade, 79 years old, widow of Ex-Magistrate George W. Meade, of Amba, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Salisbury, of Amba, of an illness attendant upon advanced age.

Mrs. Meade's husband succumbed to a heart attack, a few months ago. She was a native of Martin county but had resided in Floyd for many years. Funeral rites were conducted Monday and burial in the family cemetery was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Garrett Man Dies At Lackey Hospital

John W. Hudson, 68 years old, well-known Garrett man, died Tuesday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, a victim of heart disease from which he had suffered for the last two months.

A native of West Virginia, Mr. Hudson had resided at Garrett for the last 16 years, last being employed by Mosey Johnson, merchant there. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hattie Hudson; one son, John, with the army in the Philippines, and one daughter, Vivian, with the WAVE. He also leaves one brother and three sisters.

Funeral rites will be held Friday from the Methodist Church at Garrett, the Rev. Green Allen officiating, and burial will be made in the Martin cemetery there under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

BUY WAR BONDS AND BEAT THE BUMS

Mrs. Rosie G. Woods Paralysis Victim; Burial at Emma

Mrs. Rosie Goble Woods, 35 years old, wife of Henry Woods, of Wheelwright, died Monday at the Martin General hospital of paralysis following a brief illness.

A daughter of Anee Goble and the late Nettie Kendrick Goble, she was born and reared in the vicinity of Emma where she had many friends and relatives. She had for the last 12 years been a member of the United Baptist Church. Surviving, besides her husband, are two children, Wyman and Patsy Sue, of Wheelwright; also three brothers and two sisters: Bill Goble, of Emma; Randall Goble, Wheelwright; Amos Goble in navy service at sea, Mrs. Rebecca Montgomery, West Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Beatrice Cox, Beckley, W. Va.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon, the Revs. Roy Blevins, Isaac Stratton and Gilbert Adams officiating. Burial was made in the Kendrick cemetery at Emma under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Homemakers Finish Three-Month Course

Concluding the Homemakers' study of home furnishings, the third monthly training school meeting held in the office here Wednesday of County Agent S. L. Isbell had for its topic, "Refinishing Floor Coverings" and included the painting of linoleums and the cleaning of wool rugs. The study was conducted by Miss Frances Amburgy, county home demonstration agent, in the absence of Miss Florine Hurt, specialist from the Extension Department.

The next three monthly lessons will be in the study of foods. Attending Wednesday's meeting were Mrs. Norma Thomas and Mrs. R. E. Williamson, Betsy Layne; Mrs. S. L. Isbell, Prestonsburg; Mrs. H. T. Deskins and Mrs. C. R. Marshall, Martin.

Scouts Here Plan Paper Salvage Drive

Prestonsburg Boy Scouts plan a paper salvage drive to be launched here soon, it was announced this week by James Donahoe, Scoutmaster.

The paper storage problem, it was said, has been solved, since there will be no storage necessary; paper will be collected and delivered the same day.

Assistant Scoutmaster R. D. Francis conducted last week's Scout program which included knot-tying games and boxing.

To Seek Employees Here Friday, Saturday

Oscar E. Bacon, Civil Service representative, will be at the U. S. Employment Service office here Friday and Saturday, Nov. 17 and 18, to interview and appoint applicants to vital war jobs in Dayton, O., and Erie Proving Ground, LaCerne, O.

The need for skilled and unskilled workers, stenographers, clerks and typists is very urgent. Transportation will be paid to Dayton, O., and the Erie Proving Ground for workers in certain critical positions. All appointments must comply with WMC regulations, with the exception of World War II veterans, who are not required to comply.

Body of Mrs. Hurd Returned to County

Body of Mrs. Edgar Hurd, formerly of this county, who died at Warsaw, Ind., Nov. 2, was returned to Middle Creek for burial. Funeral rites were conducted by the Rev. C. F. Conn and interment was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hurd's death followed a long illness of high blood pressure. She is survived by 13 children: Sgt. Bennie Hurd, of the army, stationed in India; Vernon, Marie, Belvia, Johnny, Earnel, Glenn, Albert, Charles, Russell, Bonny Jean, Edna and Marsieve, all of Warsaw, Indiana.

Navy Rank of Mayo, Lt.-Commander

Lewis Harkey Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Prestonsburg, has been promoted from the rank of navy lieutenant to that of lieutenant commander, it was learned here this week.

Lt. Commander Mayo at 26 is a veteran of sea action in both the Atlantic and Pacific and he is at present with the Pacific fleet. A graduate of Prestonsburg high school where he was a star athlete, he was graduated from the Naval Academy in June, 1940.

Parade, Torchlght Procession Honor Congressman May

Floyd county neighbors and friends, both Democrats and Republicans, joined Saturday night in honoring Congressman A. J. May, tribute such as few public men of this section have received while yet living.

The occasion, planned by Mayor E. P. Arnold, of Prestonsburg, was non-political and was announced as a simple tribute to an honored friend and neighbor.

A parade formed at the courthouse early in the evening, passed through the town, the municipal firetruck and Mayor Arnold followed

TELEPHONE SERVICE VETERAN IS HONORED



Honored by the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company at a recent dinner at the Herald hotel, Paintsville, after 25 years in the service of the company was Mrs. Minnie Hale, wife of Sam Hale, Prestonsburg.

A 25-year service pin was presented Mrs. Hale by J. M. Sanders, Winchester, district manager of the company, who with J. M. McAllister, Louisville, Kentucky manager, delivered brief addresses saluting the honoree.

Mrs. Hale entered the telephone company's service August 1, 1917 and became chief operator here July 1, 1920. She became contract agent March 9, 1930, and on Jan. 1, 1941 became a member of the Pioneers of America, exclusive company organization, and was transferred in October, 1941 to the commercial department, a position which she now holds. She became eligible for the 25-year pin on September 11.

Besides Mrs. Hale, Mr. Sanders and Mr. McAllister, those attending the dinner in her honor were A. H. Hudgins, Winchester, district traffic manager; H. L. McCrary, Pikeville, group manager; H. H. Murray, Louisville, Kentucky traffic manager, and Mrs. Nancy Spencer, chief operator, Paintsville.

Rites for Mrs. Slone Held at Bonanza

Funeral rites for Mrs. Margaret Slone, 76 years old, widow of John M. Slone, who died of dropsy Wednesday, last week, at the home of her son, Naaman Slone, of Bonanza, were conducted Thursday, the Revs. John D. Music and Jim Yates, of the Baptist Church, officiating. Burial under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home was made at Bonanza.

She had been an invalid nine years and for the last seven weeks had been critically ill. Surviving, besides her son, are one sister and three brothers, Mrs. Mindie Kilgore, Gapville, Ky.; Lee Yates, Bonanza; Will Yates, Hillsboro, Ky., and Clinton Yates, Warsaw, Indiana.

Rev. Regan To Deliver Thanksgiving Sermon

Union Thanksgiving services this year will be held at the Methodist Church, the pastor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, announced this week.

The service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 23, and the sermon will be delivered by the Rev. M. Robert Regan, of the Baptist Church. All churches of the community have been invited to take part.

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FLOYD GROUP OFFERS BLOOD

46 Floyd Blood Donors At Ashland Saturday But Eleven Rejected

Of 46 blood donor volunteers who went to Ashland Saturday to offer blood to the Red Cross blood bank, 11 were rejected because of colds and above-normal temperatures.

The group included: Prestonsburg — Mrs. Anna Hale, Miss Linda Stephens, Mrs. Hettie Triplett, Mrs. Mary Alice Hale, Richard Spurlock, Mrs. Edith r. James, Mrs. Martha Prater, Mrs. Alice Ball, Miss Freda Bunting, Mrs. Ethel Heinze, Norman Allen, Mrs. Fanny Runnels, Mrs. Mary Alice Herald, Miss Lorraine Smith, Mrs. Kitty Sandige, Mrs. Dianna Mandt, Harry T. Hill, Eddie Worland, Miss Ella Noel White, Mrs. Evelyn J. Salisbury, Mrs. Edna Carol Greenwade.

Martin — Mrs. Winifred Norris, Mrs. David Marrs, Jr., Miss Rosemary Stewart.

Cliff — Lola Stumbo, Mrs. Tom Hill.

Auxier — Troy McKenzie, Mrs. E. Hyden, Edgar R. Miller, Willard McKenzie, Mrs. Paul C. Hager, Mrs. Anna Belle Horn.

Hueysville — Lucretia Rice, Mrs. R. M. Bailey, Mrs. Martha Prater. Banner — Lennie Akers.

Dwaile — Lucy Robinson, Everett Lemaster, Mrs. Everett Lemaster.

Honaker — Mrs. Martha Hall, Dana — Myrtle Akers, David — Hazel Adams, Hippo — Myrtle Lou Stone, Drift — Mrs. Lola Jennings, Garrett — E. S. Pratt, Mrs. Mary Pratt.

The trip to Ashland and return was made in the autos of Mrs. Lida Cottrell, Richard Spurlock, J. J. Hatcher, J. D. Harkins, Jr., M. F. Hughes, Lenna Spradlin, Jack Spurlin, Norman Allen and Paris Conley.

Prestonsburg Licks Hindman, Van Lear

After coming from behind in the closing minutes of play here Saturday night to edge out a strong Hindman team, 28 to 26, Prestonsburg high school's Black Cats found the Van Lear game at Van Lear Tuesday night a skylark, winning by a 41 to 23 score.

In the Saturday night nip-and-tuck affair with the Knott district champions Prestonsburg trailed at the half, 15 to 11, but steadily crept up to snatch the lead as the game neared its end. Both teams scored eight field goals. Prestonsburg got 27 four tosses and scored on 12 of them while Hindman scored 10 points on 21 free shots. The Prestonsburg scoring was divided among all five starters, with Sturgill, Tackett and Blackburn hitting most often, while only three of the visitors were able to connect. Maggard's 11 points for Hindman led both teams in scoring.

At Van Lear Sturgill and Blackburn burn between them scored enough points—29 to win, Saturday night, Coach Clive Akers' old team, McDowell, comes here for a return engagement. The line-ups:

Pburg (28)	Pos. Hindman (26)
Tackett (7)	..... Risner
Blackburn (6)	..... Terry (7)
Sturgill (10)	..... L. Risner (8)
Vaughan (3)	..... Sturgill
Bunting (2)	..... Maggard (11)

Substitutions: Pburg — Branham, Hall, Moore, Hyden; Hindman — Everidge, Referee — Looney.

Pburg (41)	Pos. Van Lear (23)
Sturgill (15)	..... Conley (2)
Tackett (6)	..... Ward (5)
Blackburn (14)	..... J. Preston (4)
Vaughan (1)	..... G. Williams (10)
Hyden (1)	..... G. Collins (2)

Substitutions: Pburg — Moore, Hall, Sammons, Bunting, Branham (4); Van Lear — Rice, Jim Preston, Phelps.

TO D. A. R. MEMBERS:

Any gifts to be sent to Glenn Eden School for its Christmas store will be accepted and collected by Mrs. Everett H. Sowards if D.A.R. members will notify her before Dec. 1.

Former Floyd Official Receives Commission As 2nd Lieutenant

Ann Arbor, Mich., No. 10 (Spl.)—William Claude Caudill, formerly of Prestonsburg, was one of 73 officer candidates, members of the 8th Officer Candidate class, to receive a commission as second lieutenant in the Judge Advocate General's Department here today. Lt. Caudill heard Brig. Gen. Thomas H. Green, deputy judge advocate general, and Col. Edward H. Young, school commandant, make the principal addresses. Officer candidates for the Judge Advocate General's school are selected from the ranks of enlisted men upon the basis of outstanding ability and experience and military leadership.

Lt. Caudill, a son of the late John W. Caudill, and Mrs. Caudill, of Prestonsburg, served as County Attorney of Floyd county from July, 1941, to January, 1942.

CLIFF MAN MINE VICTIM

Henry Ratliff Crushed Fatally Tuesday Night As Mine Cars Wreck

Henry Ratliff, 48 years old, of Cliff, employee of the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company, was fatally crushed Tuesday night in the company's mine on Buck's Branch, near Martin, when a car left the track, pinning him against the "rib" of the mine. Internal injuries resulted in his death, it was said at the Arnold Funeral Home where the body was taken.

A son of the late Tom Ratliff, the victim was a native of the Spurlock section of Middle Creek where he had many relatives and friends. He had been employed by the coal company as supply man.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Pearlie Walen Ratliff, three daughters and two sons: Mrs. Clyde Hale, Blue River; Mrs. Alonzo Justice, Cliff; Willard and Millard Ratliff, with the army overseas, and Jet Ratliff, of Martin. One brother, Beverly, of Manton, also survives. Funeral arrangements had not been completed Wednesday afternoon.

39 NOTIFIED FOR EXAMS

Thirty-three of the 39 selectees Draft Board 44 here will send to Huntington Nov. 24 for pre-induction examination are volunteers. Harry T. Hill, clerk of the board, said this week.

Next induction call of the board will be for Dec. 11 when 19 selectees will enter the armed forces. Agnes M. Wallace, clerk of Board 45 at Martin, said 28 white selectees and one colored will be sent to Huntington for induction Dec. 4 by that board.

The Board 44 list for pre-induction follows (V indicates volunteer): Emmitt Gibson (V), Harold; Clyde Clark, Prestonsburg (now of Norfolk, Va.); Charles Leffie Harmon, Auxier (now of Atlanta, Ga.); Carlos Hamilton, Teaberry; Oscar Reynolds, Water Gap; Charlie Rogers (V), Osborn (now of Ypsilanti, Mich.); Burnis Akers, Ivel (now of Betsy Layne); Willie Baldrige, Blue River; Jeff Nelson, Jr. (V), Prestonsburg (now of Warsaw, Ind.); Frank Caudill (V), Prestonsburg; Jarvey Hall (V), Dwaile (now of Cincinnati, O.); Phillip Carr (V), Allen; Clayton Smith (V), Betsy Layne (now of Martin); Toddie Perry (V), Prestonsburg; Thomas Clay (V), Dwaile (now of Abdon, Mich.); Harry Bentley (V), Allen (now of Massillon, O.); Harry Brown (V), of Allen; Tom Horn (V), Allen (now of Prestonsburg); Virgil Thacker (V), Ivel; Leo McGuire (V), Allen; Joseph Greene (V), West Prestonsburg; Oscar Roy Johnson (V), Dock (now of Washburn, Ind.); Add McKinney (V), Amba (now of Wyandotte, Mich.); Earl Tackett (V), Beaver; Calvin Hayward (V), Dock; James Robert Rose (V), West Prestonsburg; Clarence McKinney (V), Dock; Leo Crisp (V), Water Gap; Louis Palmer Laferty (V), Dwaile; Will Nelson (V), Prestonsburg; John Frederick Burke (V), West Prestonsburg; Joe Ross Keathley (V), Amba; Lawrence Keathley (V), Amba; Vinson Shepherd, Jr. (V), West Prestonsburg; Aaron Wright (V), Bonanza (now of McGuffey, O.); Herbert Gibson (V), Goodloe; Virgil Lafferty (V), Sloan; James Preston Allen (V), Harold; Richard Ousley (V), Risner.

Train Severs Arm Of Father of 10

Lonnie Warrens, 45-year-old miner and father of 10, is in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, after his right arm was severed at the elbow Saturday when struck by a train near his home at Hunter.

Also suffering from brain concussion, Warrens was believed recovering this week.

Burke Re-Appointment To Conservation Post Announced by Wallace

Appointment of 30 conservation officers has been announced by Earl Wallace, director of the Division of Game and Fish. The 20 appointments, with 16 others made October 31, completed the commission's warden personnel except for the Sixth Congressional district and a few more to be named in other districts after further examinations have been held.

Conservation officer appointments announced by Wallace for the Seventh district follow:

Edmund R. Burke, Prestonsburg—Floyd and Knott (re-appointment); Dock Branham, Big Branch—Pike (re-appointment); Colson C. Duff, Hazard—Perry, Letcher and Leslie (re-appointment); Raymond Copley, Warfield—Johnson, Magoffin and Martin.

Rites for Mrs. Fraley Conducted November 7

Funeral rites for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Fraley, widow of T. J. Fraley and grandmother of Mrs. J. H. Nunner, Prestonsburg, who died Nov. 5 at her home on Johns Creek, were conducted Nov. 7, the Revs. Johnnie Nichols, W. J. Setser and Grover Fannin officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

Mrs. Fraley was 83 years old and she succumbed to an illness of two weeks. Pneumonia was given as the direct cause of death.

A member of the Baptist Church for almost 50 years, she was widely known for her hospitality and was one of the section's best women. She is survived by four daughters: Mrs. Maude Foley, of Thomas; Mrs. Lucy Cline, Cadletsburg; Mrs. Grady Bevins, of McCombs, and Mrs. Mary Delong, Akron, O.

Mr. and Mrs. William Compton and daughter, Jerry, and son, Tommy, moved last week to Ohio, where they will reside.

REA POWER FOR EVERY HOME, PLAN

Three-Year Program After War Studied At Louisville Meet

Returning here from Louisville where they attended a conference of Rural Electrification Administration leaders, County Attorney W. W. Burchett and Floyd Harris, manager of the Big Sandy REA office, said plans announced at the meeting envisioned a three-year post-war program which will provide electric power for every Kentucky home desiring such service.

These plans, as affecting this section, Mr. Burchett said, include a survey of the eight counties of this area to determine exactly what is needed when materials are available and work can be started. The expansion program would add 1,500 miles of line to the 246 already built in Floyd, Knott, Pike, Johnson and Martin counties and a portion of Lawrence and would afford electric service to an additional 4,500 homes, it is estimated.

The Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation with offices here now has approximately 1,000 customers in these counties. This "saturation" electric service is now planned for only Kentucky and Alabama, which have been selected as rural electrification "proving grounds."

All But 6 of Group, Volunteers; Next Month Quota 48,

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Elk Horn Official's Mother Dies at 74, Brain Tumor Victim

Mrs. Mary Alexander Parker, 74 years old, widow of L. C. Parker, died Sunday at the home in Wayland of her son, W. E. Parker, assistant purchasing agent for the Elk Horn Coal Corporation. She had been ill for the past few months of a brain tumor.

Mrs. Parker was a native of Dawson Springs, Ky., and had resided with her son since she became ill. She was a devout member of the Church of Christ. Surviving are three sons and one daughter: Mr. Parker at Wayland, Ross and Claude L. Parker, and Mrs. N. A. Pleasant. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Monroe Majors.

The body was prepared for burial by the Ryan Funeral Home and returned to Dawson Springs where funeral rites are being held today (Thursday).

Thursday morning, Nov. 16, Press day. Nine o'clock. This column not begun, even. And not an idea in the old numpskull. Oh, well!

HOPING FOR THE WORST

Most of the world is hoping that whatever ails Herr Hitler is nothing trivial. All sorts of rumors are floating about—that he's dead or a prisoner or mad, perhaps only critically ill. The latest is that he is suffering from cerebral thrombosis—a blood clot on the brain. Let's hope, instead, that his malady is that incurable suffering that comes from blood on the hands.

HOUR OF INDECISION

A Martin woman apparently couldn't reach a decision. So she simply wrote across the top of her ballot (as noted by tabulators here): "God bless America! May the best man win!"

"SECRET" BALLOT

Which reminds me that, legal voter though I am, I was not offered a ballot in the city school board election here. It doesn't matter a great deal—certainly I would not have caused the two candidates elected any trouble—but it doesn't seem the democratic thing to do to see ballots only to a "chosen few."

FAULT

THE TIMES failed its readers here, failing to check the candidate after it did not learn and tell the name of the county and city school races. Next time, we shall check and double check.

GALLOP, THIS

Gallup may be able to explain the barely missed the national popular vote for FDR and why, but he'll never convince those who laid their money on the one on Michigan and other states, for example, that he knew what he was talking about. 'Twould seem the race was faster than a Gallup.

ONE ARNETT IS WHAT YOU MIGHT

As a fair-minded Democrat. Said he while rolling one of his own (special model): Well, they called that Golden in we used, back in the Depression. Hoover Dust. So I guess this one I'm usin' ought to be called "Sevel Special."

ST FOR THE RECORD AND TO SATISFY

My hapless individual: Today, I received my draft registration—from 4H to 4A, what that means. Next day, at Ashland, I was classified 4F at the blood (not too old, just too run—honk!—from a cold).

While I'm discussing my broken-down self, I might as well advertise for a portable turntable while this trick in the neck" lasts.

AGED WOMAN STABBED

Brothers-in-Law Figure in Fights, One Cut, 1 Shot

The stabbing of a 70-year-old woman in the back and the wounding of two men by their brothers-in-law featured the county's crime and-up-of the week.

The victims: Mrs. Mary Tackett, wife of Green Tackett, well-known Teaberry man; stabbed by her neighbor, Mrs. Soldie Jones, 30.

Lester Parrigan, 36, Lackey; stabbed three times by his brother-in-law, Ellis Conley, at the Parrigan home, condition serious.

Charles Bates, nephew of Congressman Joe B. Bates, of Greenup; wounded by shotgun charge allegedly fired by his brother-in-law, Les Hall, at Bevinville, recovered.

An argument at the Tackett yard Monday afternoon over neighborhood gossip about Mrs. Jones carrying a 100-pound sack of feed said to have resulted in the elderly woman's stabbing. Mr. Tackett and authorities here Mrs. Jones accused his wife of derisively saying "her husband had a heavy load," that Mrs. Tackett denied the charge and was stabbed in the ensuing argument.

The knife penetrated to Mrs. Tackett's shoulder blade and she is expected to recover, barring complications. It was said Wednesday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

Mrs. Jones is in jail here with her seven-months-old baby, and because of the infant County Judge E. P. Hill.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Nancy Boyd Jarrell vs. Willie Jarrell; J. B. Clarke, atty. Dixie Ann Burke vs. F. M. Burke; J. P. Tackett, atty. Silas Combs vs. Mary Combs; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Melinda Hall Friedel vs. Herbert Friedel; Edw. P. Hill, att

LACKEY

Misses Ruth and Naomi Allen, who are teaching at Wheelwright, were visiting at home over the week-end.

EMMA

Ramona Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Leslie, celebrated her ninth birthday Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents.

AUXIER

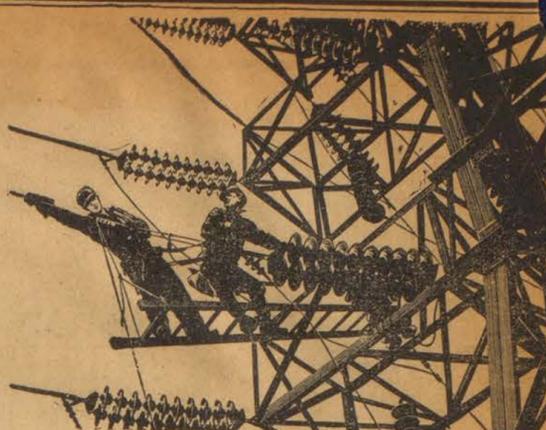
Many from here attended the basketball game at Wayland, Saturday night. The Auxier team was defeated, 40-31.

MARTIN

Mrs. Letty Childers and daughter, Letty Jo, of Detroit, are visiting friends in Martin.

DWALE

Bernice Clifton, Ray Clifton and Mrs. Maxie Porter were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.



IT'S NO CIRCUS!

They may look like daring young men on the flying trapeze. But they're electric linemen, fifty feet in the air, with no net underneath.

It's tough enough up there on a hot summer day. It's worse on a wet black night - or when everything's slippery with sleet.

Fortunately, there are men who have the courage and skill to do it. Just as there are other men who control complicated switchboards in lightning storms, or crawl in hot boilers to make repairs.

These folks know what to do because they've been doing it a long time. Men and women grow up in the electric light and power business.

The value of this practical experience - and of sound business management - has been dramatically proved by war. In spite of shortages of many essentials, there is no shortage of electricity - and it is still sold at low pre-war prices!

Hear Nelson Eddy every Wednesday evening in the brilliant new musical show - "The Electric Hour" - with Robert Armstrong's Orchestra, 10:30 PM, EWT, CBS Network.

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STRAIGHT TALK

ABOUT THE

SIXTH WAR LOAN DRIVE

AS WE MOVE closer to victory, it wouldn't be surprising if you were saying to yourself — "What's the big idea of asking for all this additional money now? Isn't the war almost over?"

No sir, it is not! Not by a long shot. Of course, for many months now you've heard mostly about the war with Germany, where our greatest effort is concentrated. That's why many people have the idea that the war's practically over.

But make no mistake about it—nothing could be farther from the truth! The Japanese war is a tremendous undertaking, and victory will come high. We'll have to fight every inch of the way.

Everything Costs More—in the Pacific War

The European war is expensive, but almost everything in the Pacific war will cost more. Take transport costs, for instance: Because of the longer distances, the same amount of freight costs 25 per cent more when shipped to the South Pacific than to Europe. And it takes twice as many cargo ships in the Pacific to support a task force of a given size because turn-around time is twice as great!

More Planes . . . Tanks . . . Ships . . . Oil

In addition, we shall need more of everything. More B-29 Superfortresses that cost \$600,000 each. More P-47 Thunderbolts that cost \$50,000 each. More M-4 Tanks, with bulldozer blades, that cost \$67,417 each. More amphibious tanks—more aircraft carriers—more supply ships—more gasoline and oil than it took for the invasion of Europe!

Care for the Sick and Wounded

And lest anyone forget, we shall need more battalion aid stations—more clearing stations—more evacuation hospitals—more convalescent hospitals—more hospital ships.

For many, many years the sick, wounded, and otherwise disabled veterans will require medical attention and care. That's the least Uncle Sam can do in appreciation of what they've done for us.

Maintenance for Millions

Did you ever stop to think how much money it costs to maintain

the 11 to 12 million men and women in our army and navy? Whether the men are actually fighting or not, they must be fed, housed, transported from one training center or battle area to another, cared for in a hundred and one different ways. That all costs money and will continue until the last man demobilized is back in civilian clothes.

In addition, millions of dollars will be required for mustering out pay, for various benefits and services voted by Congress to help the boys get started in civilian life.

These are reasons enough why patriotic Americans will want to buy heavily during the Sixth War Loan. But here are still more—

Winning the Peace—for Your Country

If we're to win the peace as well as the war, the cost of living must be kept down and the purchasing power of money preserved. A reckless inflation that would necessarily be followed by the catastrophe of deflation—with its unemployment, bankruptcies, misery and heartache—must be prevented at all cost.

Let's make no mistake—a dangerous period lies ahead. The American people have nothing to fear, however, if they show in the future the same common sense they have shown in the past, and continue to put every penny over rock-bottom expenses into the purchase of more and more War Bonds.

Winning the Peace—for Yourself

Want another important reason? Yourself! There isn't a better or safer investment in the world today than War Bonds. In helping your country, you are also helping yourself! Never in our entire history has it been so necessary to save as right now. We'll need money, individually, for education, repairs, replacements, retirement—and we'll need a lot of it.

As you can see there are many reasons, important reasons, why our Government must have the financial support of everyone, and have it for many months to come.

Let all Americans do their part—for their own sake, for their country's.



MAYTOWN

Mrs. Julia Stone and daughter, Ruby, were shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Several Maytown people attended the Maytown-Betsy Layne basketball game Wednesday afternoon.

Paris Conley, assistant Floyd county attendance officer, was a visitor here last week.

Miss Jolene Horner, of Ohio, formerly of this place, is spending several months with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Spencer.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn took their little son, Ronnie, to a hospital in Huntington last Wednesday. Mrs. Hahn and Ronnie remained until Saturday when they returned home.

Misses Lexie Allen and Bertha Ratliff attended E.K.E.A. in Ashland last week.

Mrs. Ermost Hayes spent a week in Detroit visiting her husband who is employed in war work there.

Miss Lois Cooley, of Wayland, was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb, last week.

Miss Marjorie Webb spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Carmie Fraley, of Wayland.

Miss Alice Jean May, a freshman in Morehead State Teachers College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard May.

Mrs. Viola Stewart spent several days in the Marting hospital, Ironton, Ohio, last week.

Miss Nora Hayes was shopping in Martin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stapleton spent the week-end on their farm in Pike county.

Mrs. George Edward Allen and children, Peggy Sue and Stephen, left Saturday to attend a re-union at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harvey Biel, of Erlanger, Ky.

Miss Jean Sturgill and Mrs. John Stewart, of Wayland, were Monday night guests of Miss Lexie Allen.

The Moron Club was entertained by Miss Peggy Jo Allen Saturday night.

Mrs. Mollie Stone Webb, of Louisville, has returned after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Julia Stone, and family.

Mrs. J. H. Allen, Miss Peggy Jo Allen, Mrs. C. L. Allen and daughter, Teddy, visited Miss Harriet Allen in Hindman Thursday.

Mrs. Henry L. Martin spent several days last week in Ashland, visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Allen, C. L. Allen, Elizabeth Baker and Miss Peggy Jo Allen were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Jones Tallent, Misses Joyce and Beryl Stewart spent Saturday in Prestonsburg.

IVEL

Miss Virginia Carpenter, who has been doing war work in Ypsilanti, Michigan, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carpenter.

Mrs. Chester Tackett gave a stork shower honoring her sister, Mrs. Everett Adkins. Several ladies of the community attended. Those from Betsy Layne were Mrs. Beckham Caldwell and Mrs. Laura Fraley.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bolin, of Lebanon, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Damron.

Burns May has been very ill, but apparently is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Damron have moved into their home at Betsy Layne which they recently purchased from Ed Wright, of Prestonsburg.

Sunday School here is progressing very nicely under the supervision of Miss Kathryn May.

Miss Margaret Dillon, of Lebanon, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dillon.

Charles Carpenter is employed in war work at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Miss Kathryn May was among those of the Betsy Layne glee club who sang at the E.K.E.A. meeting in Ashland Friday morning.

Miss Patsy Lee Burchett enjoyed her 13th birthday party given at her home Sunday, Nov. 12. Guests were Jackie Crisp, of Martin, Mrs. Emogene Caldwell and daughter, of Prestonsburg, Joan Johns, Betty Jean Layne Gene Howard, Frankie Crum, Dollie Mae Layne, Helen and Emogene Stephens, Jean Caldwell, Nancy Cay, Jenny Caldwell, Millie Stratton, Peggy Rice, Margaret Meade. She received many gifts from her friends.

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Pfc. Bill Francis, Jr., has returned from six months' overseas service in the European theater of operations. He was returned to the States on the hospital ship Chateau-Thierry and is temporarily being treated at Stark General Hospital, Charleston, S. C., prior to being transferred to another army hospital for definitive treatment. A son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Francis, of Garrett, he possesses the Good Conduct medal and the Purple Heart.

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Complete, with Neutral-Color Earphone and Cord. Model A-2-A. Accepted by American Medical Association Council on Physical Medicine. It's only a year old this month—and already has become the nation's most popular hearing aid! Thousands are now enjoying "Radionic Hearing" through it. Come in for your free demonstration during this special Anniversary Month. No obligation! Just Received—The New ZENITH Bone Conduction Hearing Aid at Additional Cost of \$10.

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indicated she would be permitted to execute bond pending outcome of her victim's condition. She did not comment on the stabbing when brought before Judge Hill Monday.

Stabbing of Parrigan, authorities were told Tuesday, followed an election argument which developed into a drunken brawl. "He is lucky to be alive," Dr. Arthur Stumbo, who treated him at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, said Wednesday. Conley's knife point grazed his head and punctured his lung. He was cut one time in his chest and twice in his back.

Squire Stone, father-in-law of the two men, indicated no action against Conley was planned if Parrigan recovers. No warrant had been asked for Conley's arrest up till Wednesday afternoon.

Shooting of Bates took place during a family row, Deputy Sheriff Roy Cook, who arrested Hall, said Wednesday. The shooting took place at the Bevinville home of Lee Hall, father of James and father-in-law of Bates, and the Halls claimed Bates was attempting to come into the house. A shotgun charge fired through a window at a distance of only a few feet struck Bates below the hip, inflicting a severe but not dangerous wound. The wounded man is a son of Jay Bates, Floyd county teacher.

Hall was released under \$2,500 bond by County Judge E. P. Hill, and he and his brother, Willie Hall, also executed bond after having been arrested on charges of banding. Clyde Bates, brother of Charles, was in jail here Wednesday after the Halls had sworn out a peace warrant for his arrest.

Homemakers in Boyd county sent homemade fruit cakes sealed in tin cans to their boys overseas.

Floyd County Goes To War

Saw 23 Months' Foreign Service



BALLARD C. HERALD, JR.

Ballard C. Herald, Jr., Pharmacist's Mate, 2/c son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard C. Herald, West Prestonsburg, was graduated from Prestonsburg high school and was part owner of an electric service shop when he joined the navy in February, 1942. He returned to the States in August after having been stationed for 23 months in Scotland where he had charge of the x-ray department of a base hospital. He is now at National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

Pvt. Rice, Paratrooper, Is German Prisoner



Pvt. Willie Rice

Pvt. Willie B. Rice, 22-year-old son of Elder and Mrs. S. G. Rice, of Banner, was in the first swarm of paratroopers to drop from the skies onto French soil in the invasion of France, and he is now known to be a prisoner of the German army. His brother, Sgt. Shirley B. Rice, 25, is in France with a maintenance unit. The two met in New York as they were on their way to Europe after a year in the army. Sgt. Rice's wife, the former Miss Elizabeth Bartley, resides in this county.

Pvt. Floyd C. Handshoe, grandson of Mrs. Susie Watkins, of Garrett, has won the right to wear "Wings and Boots" of the United States Army paratroopers. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

AN AIR TRANSPORT BASE, England—For demonstrating "exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity" in performance of duty. Cpl. Roy Tackett, son of Mrs. Margaret Tackett, of Dony, Ky., was recently awarded the Good Conduct medal.

A former miner, Cpl. Tackett entered the service July 11, 1942 and received his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, later training at Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., and Bolling Field, Washington, D. C., prior to being sent overseas. He has served in the British Isles with the European division of the USAAF air transport command for the last 15 months and at present is a member of the military police corps at this base. This organization is the trans-Atlantic aerial supply line between the United States and Europe which operates hundreds of cargo and passenger planes monthly, carrying important passengers, vital war cargo, the all-important soldiers' mail and returning wounded American soldiers to the United States.

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY—
"Sing, Neighbor, Sing"
Lulubelle and Scotty, Roy Acuff and His Smoky Mountain Boys.

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—
"Yellow Rose of Texas"
Roy Rogers.

"Once Upon a Time"
Gary Grant, Janet Blair.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"See Here, Private Hargrove"
Robert Walker, Donna Reed.

TUESDAY—
"Storm Over Lisbon"
Vera Hurba Ralston, Richard Arlen.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"The Big Noise"
Laurel and Hardy.
"EAGLE Vs. THE DRAGON."
Attend our Saturday shows

Prestonsburg Soldier, Wounded in France, Tells of Barrage

A U.S. ARMY HOSPITAL STATION, England—The story of a fierce German mortar barrage on American troops moving forward outside of Carentan, France, was told by Pvt. O. C. Hunt, Prestonsburg, Ky., who is convalescing in a United States army station hospital in England.

"We were advancing when the Germans started putting down a strong mortar barrage right on top of us," he said "Suddenly a shell burst near me and I was hit. First aid medics got to me right away and carried me back to the dressing station."

Pvt. Hunt, who was awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action, "is recovering satisfactorily," according to his ward surgeon, Capt. James D. Biles, of Memphis, Tennessee.

Pvt. Hunt formerly worked on a farm outside Prestonsburg and lived with his mother, Mrs. Rosie Hunt.

Lawson in Group Turning Nazi Gun To Help Our Side

SIXTH ARMY GROUP, France—German railroad gunners, who abandoned their massive gun and carriage before the Seventh Army punch in eastern France, don't know it, but their weapon is indirectly responsible for the hundreds of tons of Allied artillery ammunition that is making life miserable for fellow-Germans who have their backs against the German border.

The gun has not fired one round of ammunition, but the gun's strong, steel carriage forms a bridge over a demolished railroad span. Long supply trains carrying ammunition, rations and gasoline to combat units use the bridge daily in a link from the port of Marseilles to the north.

Men who recruited the gun carriage to the Allied cause are members of Company F, 343rd Engineer Regiment. "When we first surveyed the damaged bridge we saw it as a job that normally would take three weeks," explained Capt. Thomas P. Griffith, of Silver Springs, Md, company commander. "The long, multiple stone bridge stood 76 feet above the water. Two arches had been knocked out by the Germans. We didn't have sufficient supplies on hand. Luckily we located the gun carriage and converted it into a bridge structure. The job took but four and a half days."

One of the American soldiers who did this work is Pvt. Willie Lawson, of Betsy Layne.

Landing on D-Day in Southern France, the "Bridge Builders" went ahead of the infantry on a bridge reconnaissance at one place and ran upon 30 German soldiers whom they promptly overpowered and captured. On another occasion they stopped at a hotel for a meal. The French chef told them the dinner they were about to be served had been first ordered by Germans who had just vacated the hotel.

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND STATION, England—Pvt. Columbus Johnson, 23, of Risner, Ky., is now stationed at this strategic air depot, and is assigned to duties in the consolidated mess hall. Pvt. Johnson aids in the preparation of meals for the ground personnel who repair and re-condition flak-riddled Lightnings, Mustangs and Thunderbolts for further operational missions over the invaded continent.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Pvt. Johnson entered the armed forces in May, 1942, and received his basic training at Greensboro, North Carolina. Before entering the service he was employed as a coal miner by the Utilities Elk-horn Coal Company, Martin, Ky. His wife, the former Miss Pearl Rowe, resides at Risner.

The unit to which Sgt. William T. Archer, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Archer, Prestonsburg, belongs has recently received a Unit Citation given by the President of the United States "for outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict with the enemy." The citation reads in part: "By the courage, heroism and determination of the air crews, together with the professional skill and devotion to duty of the ground personnel, the officers and men of this unit have reflected great credit upon themselves and the armed forces of the United States of America."

Each member of the organization is now entitled to the blue ribbon which denotes a unit which has received such a citation. Sgt. Archer is with the 15th AAF in Italy, has for the last 18 months been overseas.

CAMP WOLTERS, TEXAS—Pvt. Joseph W. Stegall 18, son of Johnnie Stegall, of Hi-Hat, Ky., has arrived at this infantry replacement training center to begin his basic training as an infantryman

P-T Gunner's Mate In South Pacific



RAWLINGS

Gunner's mate on a P-T boat, one of the small, speedy craft which has made life miserable or impossible for many the heavier Jap vessel, James F. Rawlings, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Rawlings, of Estill, was last reported stationed in New Guinea. He has been in the navy 10 months.



STEPHENS

Seaman 1/c Eugene Stephens, former Betsy Layne high school student, and his half-brother, Pvt. Willard Boyd, 34, both volunteers, are in foreign service. Seaman Stephens is in the southwest Pacific after two years' service, while his wife is residing at Seattle, Wash., until his return home. Pvt. Boyd, who entered the army last March, arrived in England in October and recently wrote his mother, Mrs. Bud Stephens, Betsy Layne, that it was "good to see land again."

Tough Fight Predicted By Conley, En Route To the Philippines

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC — "I've got a hunch that this show'll make the rest of our combat seem like training maneuvers," said Sgt. Orvel Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Melvin Conley, of Garrett, Ky., as he sat aboard an LCM in a convoy headed for the Philippines.

Sgt. Conley, who has been the coxswain aboard his LCM since the Admiralty Islands campaign, said, "What's going to be tough on us in this campaign is a new wrinkle we're expecting from the Japs. We've been told that they have specially trained units which wait until the landings have been made, and then follow in on their own amphibious craft to hit our troops from behind. That means that it'll be up to this amphibious company to take care of the beach defenses after the cavalry has gone in. That means we take on any and everything that comes in from the seaward side."

Sgt. Conley is hoping to see his brother, Pvt. Bert Conley, who is in an engineer battalion in New Guinea. A third brother, Pfc. O. K. Conley, is an infantryman stationed in Tennessee.

Sgt. Conley entered the army at Camp Robinson, Arkansas, and took his basic training there in 1942. He was then trained as an auto mechanic in Bloomington, Illinois.

"Somehow or other that seemed to make me a good amphibious man, so I joined this company and came overseas in 1943," Conley explained. He has already been in action at Lae and Finchhafen.

More than 300 packets of seed mixture for fall greens were planted by 4-H club members and others in Perry county.

HI-HAT THEATRE

HI-HAT, KY.

(FORMERLY CLEAR CREEK)

SATURDAY, NOV. 18—
LUM 'N' ABNER
—in—
"So This Is Washington"
Also Cartoon Comedy.

SUNDAY-MONDAY, NOV. 19-20—
IRVING BERLIN'S
"This Is the Army"
Army All-Star cast—also newsreel.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22—
DON "RED" BARRY
—in—
"California Joe"
Serial: "MYSTERY RIVER BOAT."

FRIDAY, NOV. 24—
JEAN PARKER, PETER COOKSON
—in—
"Detective Kitty O'Day"
Also Serial: "TIGER WOMAN."

Four Ray Brothers And Brother-in-Law In Armed Services



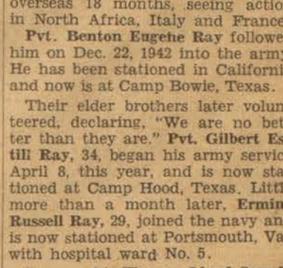
ERMINE RAY



BENTON RAY



GILBERT RAY



BEEKLE RAY

Four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Ray, of Abbot Creek, are in the armed forces and the family is also represented in this war by a son-in-law.

First of the family to leave was Beekle Reece Ray, now 24 years old, who entered the army Jan. 11, 1941, and who now has been overseas 18 months, seeing action in North Africa, Italy and France.

Pvt. Benton Eugene Ray followed him on Dec. 22, 1942 into the army. He has been stationed in California and now is at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Their elder brothers later volunteered, declaring, "We are no better than they are." Pvt. Gilbert Estill Ray, 34, began his army service April 8, this year, and is now stationed at Camp Hood, Texas. Little more than a month later, Ermine Russell Ray, 29, joined the navy and is now stationed at Portsmouth, Va., with hospital ward No. 5.

Seaman 1/c Thomas Lloyd Spradlin, brother-in-law of these four, began his navy service in October, 1943, is now somewhere in the south Pacific. He has been awarded a petty officer's certificate.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ALY—Pvt. James O. Cavins, wife, Mary, lives at Garrett, has been promoted to corporal. is a radio operator with the Fifth Armored division of Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth army in Italy.

Pvt. Clarence D. Ford, infantryman, formerly of Wayland, has returned from eight months' service in the European theatre of operations. His return to this county was on the hospital ship St. Mihiel, and he temporarily being treated at Stark General hospital, Charleston, S. C. prior to being transferred to another army hospital for definitive treatment. His wife, Mrs. Rita Ford, resides at Wayland. Pvt. Ford has received the ETO ribbon with one battle stripe and the Purple Heart.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., NOV. 16-17—
"Barbary Coast Gent"
Wallace Beery, Binnie Barnes, News.
Lucky Cowboy (in technicolor)

SATURDAY—
11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m.,
6:27 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.—
"Call of the Rockies"
Smiley (Frog) Burnette, "Sun" Carson.
Serial: "ZORRO'S BLACK WHITE"

SATURDAY—
3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—
"Tiger Fangs"
Frank Buck, June Duprez, Duncan Renaldo.
"Lost and Founding."
Rudy Vallee and his band.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Casanova Brown"
Gary Cooper, Teresa Wright.
News.
Listen to Bands.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"Double Indemnity"
Fred MacMurray, Barbara Stanwyck, Edward G. Robinson.
News.
"First Aiders"—Walt Disney Comedy.

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WHITAKER

Harold Lloyd Salyers, of Fort Bliss, Texas, has been spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Salyers, on Middle Creek.

G. C. Whitaker and Clara Whitaker recently visited their brother, Tan Whitaker, who is a patient at the Paintsville hospital.

Mrs. Garfield Music has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Cynthia Howard, of Garrett.

Mrs. Ernie Robinson and children have gone to Pontiac, Mich., where her husband is employed. They expect to spend the winter there.

WEST PRESTONSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sizemore entertained the Sunday School class at their home Friday evening. Games and contests furnished the entertainment of the evening at the conclusion of which Mrs. Sizemore was assisted by Mrs. Henry Holbrook and Mrs. Ben Parker in serving refreshments to the following guests:

Nora Jane Parker, Mary Lou Parker, Katherine Parker, Altie Mae Burke, Astor Burke, Mabel Holbrook, Susie Helton, Thelma Helton, Elsie Helton, Reble Hackworth, John Burke, Pvt. Douglas Burke, Joe Wheeler Slone, Roble Hackworth, Carl Helton, B. Spradlin, Edmund A. Holbrook, Degarmo Derossett, of Emma, David Erwin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. David Erwin and daughter, Betty.

"Uncle" Banks Wallen shows some improvement from several months' illness which has confined him to his bed at his home.

Mrs. Price Huff is able to be out after being confined to her home with flu the past week.

Miss Mary Grace Arnett, who is employed at Murphy's 5 and 10c store, Ashland, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Arnett.

Miss Anna Mae Harris and Miss Eva Allen attended the E.K.E.A. Thursday at Ashland.

Pfc. Ernie Clifton, wife and daughter returned here to spend Pfc. Clifton's furlough. Mrs. Clifton joined her husband at Maxwell Field, Georgia, several weeks ago.

Seaman 1/c John Edward Shepherd is spending a 10-day leave with his wife, Mrs. Georgia Shepherd, and son, also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Shepherd, on the Middle Creek road.

Mrs. John Frasure was in Huntington Friday shopping and visiting her daughter, Mrs. Abe Smith.

Mrs. Homer L. Merritt was called to Georges Creek Thursday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Forrest Childers, who formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dotson motored to Lexington Sunday to bring their small son, Junior, home from a hospital where he underwent an operation several weeks ago.

Shirley and Bub Herald have returned to their home at McCutcheonville, O., after a visit with their mother, Mrs. Vivian Smith Herald, who suffered a heart attack.

Miss Emma Jean Herald has returned home after a three weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baldrige, Jr., Columbus, O., and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Puckett, Carey, O. Miss Betty Baldrige returned with her.

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HUEYSVILLE

Rosie Crisp and Tennie Gayheart attended church on Brush Creek Sunday.

Henry Ousley and family, of Ohio, have moved to Brush Creek.

Johnnie Ousley and Dellmer Allen, of Ohio, were visiting friends here last week.

Ed Holbrook is moving back to Garrett this week.

Mrs. C. D. Patrick, who has been visiting her daughter at Dayton, O., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Conley, Violet Mullins and son, W. D., visited their father, A. J. Coburn, over the week-end, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson at Wheelwright.

Tobie Castle has come home on a visit from Lima, O., where he has been at work in defense work.

DAVID

Mrs. George Burke and infant daughter, Linda Lou, have come home from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Mrs. Benny Everman, of Charleston, W. Va., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Burke.

Miss Pauline Bocook was shopping in Ashland recently.

Miss Christine Dawson was a recent guest of her aunt in Paintsville.

Oak Mullins, Mrs. M. E. Thompson and Mrs. Otis Bussey and Wonnell were in Huntington several days ago.

Mrs. Dave Bickford was guest in Prestonburg recently of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins.

Naomi Bussey, of Lackey, has been visiting Wonnell Bussey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Layne, of Wayland, visited their daughter, Mrs. Allen Whitaker, a few days ago.

Miss Thelma Rogers and Robert Crain, of Pikeville College, visited their parents here over the week-end.

Mrs. Tony Whitaker, of Hemphill, Ky., has been guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver.

Pvt. Ford Carver, of the Marines, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver.

Rev. J. E. Dunham and Rev. Arnold Hughes held a successful service of services recently at the Community Church. The following from the Auxier choir sang at one of the services: Mrs. Lulu Lily, Mrs. Opal McKinzie, Margaret Glenn McKenzie and Glenn Ora Wells, Sam George and Gene Wells, Paris Goble.

WHEELWRIGHT

Miss Catherine Pandzic, who is in nurse training at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., was home during the week-end due to the illness of her father, Ivan Pandzic, who is recuperating at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, from an appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ledford and sons have returned to their home in Detroit after a week's visit with Mrs. Ledford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Osborne.

Charles E. Wilson, S 1/c, has returned to his ship after a brief visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson. Charles has just returned from a trip to Russia and Scotland.

Clifford Hall, S 1/c, is home on a 30-day leave. He was in France on D-Day and was wounded. He was awarded the Purple Heart.

Hubert Sullivan, Petty Officer 2/c, who has been in the Pacific for 20 months, is home on 30-day leave.

Joe Wheeler Sizemore, of the Marines, is home. Joe was wounded on the Marshall Islands and has been in a hospital in California.

Mrs. Butler Tussey, of Pikeville, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Wooten recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Booker Wright, of Praise, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Vicars, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Webb and son spent the past week-end at Whitesburg visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ann Hall has been reported very ill in Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, but is some better.

Paul Daniels has returned to his job in Philadelphia after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Burke here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson entertained to dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Charles, who was home from the navy. The following were guests: A. J. Coburn, Hueysville, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Conley, Mrs. Violet Mullins and son, of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. J. C. Baars, Indian Creek, Bill Falme, Jimmie Hall, Frank Dawhare, Jr., Sonny Wallen, Charles, Rex and Jackie Wilson and Mrs. Lee Wallen.

Lee Wallen, Scott Wallen, Junior Thompson, Ernest Preston and Paul Moscrip were hunting near Mt. Sterling last week. They killed 80 rabbits.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall, assisted by Mrs. Rose Tackett, gave a party Saturday night in honor of their son, Clifford, who is home from the navy. A large crowd attended.

Miss Garnett Rainey, who has been working in Detroit, is home. She will not return to Detroit, as her mother is very ill.

Cpl. Oliver Allen, of the Marines, is home after 14 months in the Pacific. Cpl. Allen was a teacher in the Melvin school prior to joining the Marines. He was visiting Miss Garnett Rainey during the week-end.

TEABERRY

Mrs. George Tackett has been very ill at her home for the past week.

Miss Arizona Frazier, of Craynor, spent the past week-end with Bernice Hamilton.

Misses Marie Tackett and Mabeth Keathley were business visitors in Wheelwright recently.

Miss Verbal Hamilton and Mrs. Butler Hamilton, of McDowell, were business visitors in Prestonburg, the past week-end.

The Baptist Church had a meeting at the churchhouse Sunday with John B. Hamilton, Bill Martin, Noah Kiser, Milford Adams and Butler Howell the ministers.

Marie, Bernice, John L. Hamilton and Madgl Mitchell were home for the week-end. They attend Betsy Layne high school.

The Teaberry grade school, with Miss Verbal Hamilton, sponsor, is planting locust trees around the grounds and the schoolhouse is being painted.

Omer Matthews and Taulbee Hamilton, of Beaver, are home from the army. This is the first time they have been home in almost two years. Taulbee has been wounded but has recovered. They are sons of George Matthews and Keen Hamilton.

Charlie Reynolds has a sawmill here and has several men employed. Mr. and Mrs. Milford Reynolds are moving to Ligon.

ALLEN

Mrs. Maurice Mitchell and children are visiting relatives at Weston, W. Va.

Miss Rose Mary Malone, of Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Malone.

Mrs. Melvin Laferty has been removed from the Martin General hospital to the home of Miss Malinda Laferty here. Mr. and Mrs. Laferty and daughter Marie will make their home with Miss Laferty this winter.

Mrs. Opal Edwards and daughter, Lola Lee, spent the week-end with friends in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Crisp and children, of Richmond, spent Saturday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Sol Crisp.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shepherd at their home here Sunday a son. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Snodgrass were visiting in Ashland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Laferty were visiting relatives here Tuesday.

Mrs. G. L. Gray and sons, Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delano, and Mrs. Palmer Crisp were shopping in Martin Thursday.

M. L. Marcum and Pat Brown, of Louisa, were business visitors here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Laferty, of Hi-Hat, visited relatives here last Thursday.

Mrs. Ashland Derossett, of Sloan, visited her mother, Mrs. Melvin Laferty, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Rose and daughter, Clara Lillian, were shopping in Prestonburg Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Nancy Scaff was in Prestonburg Sunday afternoon.

Bennie Laferty was a business visitor in Pikeville Tuesday.

Mrs. Ethel Ratliff is now employed at Cox's store at Prestonburg.

Mrs. Theop Salmons is ill, but is said to be improving.

Melvin Laferty is working as freight clerk here in the absence of R. A. Burke.

Miss Mary Westfall was shopping in Prestonburg Saturday afternoon.

Every one is invited to hear the discussion of the Book of Revelation, by the Rev. J. B. Hahn at prayer service each Tuesday night at the Methodist Church.

CLIFF

Mr. and Mrs. Willie R. Spradlin entertained to dinner Sunday Mrs. Avenelle Fairchild, of Allen, Mrs. Tom Henry Music and daughter, Anne Jo, of East Point, Mrs. T. J. Music and son, Charles, of Cliff.

Miss Betty Baldrige, who is employed at Fairfield, O., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins.

Mrs. Carl Bingham and little daughter, Joyce Carol, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Albert Collins.

Pvt. William R. Spradlin, who has been stationed at Amarillo army air field, Amarillo, Texas, is spending a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie R. Spradlin. Pvt. Spradlin on his return will be stationed at Nermal Field, San Antonio, Texas.

WAYLAND

A party was given Saturday, Oct. 29, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Copley in honor of DeCoursey, private first class, on leave from the Pacific and honoring Mr. Copley on his day. Those present were: Mrs. Mabry Martin, Mr. Wilford Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. John Evans, Mr. Turner, Miss Ruth Ratliff, Grace DeCoursey, Mrs. Scruggs, Miss Thelma Danl and Mrs. Rich Hicks, Miss Robinson, Martin Bates, Jr. and Mrs. Roy Soulerette.

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for a few days this week. He returned Saturday to Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Rhoda Napier spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Fanny Davis, at Handshoe.

Harvie Campbell, Ezra and Donald Laferty were hunting this week-end.

Arnold Coburn was visiting his sister, Mrs. Dillard Kilgore, here Sunday.

Robert Hitchcock is home from the army with a medical discharge after having sustained a fractured skull.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chaffins sold their home here to Velt Foster. They are moving to Ohio to a farm. Mitchell Layne left Nov. 8 for the army.

Mrs. Elmo Campbell and children are spending a few days at Wheelwright with relatives.

Mrs. Doug Patton, Mrs. Sam Fry and Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart were business visitors in Wayland Wednesday.

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Cpl. Russell L. Ousley son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ousley, has arrived home after four and one-half years in service during which he spent 34 months overseas. He is to report back in seven days to a base hospital at Nashville, Tenn. They have two other sons serving in England. A dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Ousley for their son Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pennington and son Melvin, of Logan, W. Va., Tobie Ousley, J. B. Ousley, of Yolyn, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Eph Edwards and children, of Estill, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Ousley, of Estill, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nance and children, of Glo, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ousley and daughter, of Glo, Josephine Stone, Opal Meddings and Gertrude Rose, of Estill, and his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Music, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, his grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Ousley, of Estill, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ousley, of Estill, Mrs. Blanche Townsend and children, of Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Daisy Nance, of Estill, Kennel Frasure, of Stone Coal, Earl Ousley, of Yolyn, W. Va.

Mrs. Shelby Draughn entertained with a party Thursday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Pamela Sue, on her first birth anniversary. Guests were Tommy Johnson, Sammy Childers, Sonya Sweet, Sheriann Sellers, Gladys Murray, Gladys Wright, Mrs. Edd Vanderpool, Mrs. Leon Blackburn, Sue Hornsby, Mrs. H. H. Hornsby.

Soldiers in town over the week-end were S/Sgt. Shelby Draughn, Delbert Stone, Donald Pack, Russell Ousley.

Garrett's basketball team won two games last week, defeating Auxier Friday night and Betsy Layne Saturday night.

Jimmy Messer, student at Pikeville, spent the week-end here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer.

Farris Johnson, of Morehead Teachers College, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mosey Johnson.

The Salvisa club furnished four of the five county champions at the annual 4-H club rally in Mercer county.

BETSY LAYNE

Thirty members of the Betsy Layne high school glee club, under the direction of Miss Carlos Hale, together with a similar number of the Martin high school glee club under direction of Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, presented a music program at the Eastern Kentucky Education Association meeting at Ashland Friday morning, Nov. 10. The program on American Music included the following numbers: "Salutation; Choral Prologue"—Gaines; "America, My Own"—Gain; "Joshua Fit de Battle of Jericho—spiritual; "National Hymn"—Warren; (trumpets: Ray C. Davis, Peggy Bush, Barbara Bush, of Betsy Layne); "Lord, I Want To Be a Christian"—spiritual (soloists: Jewel Sellards, Betsy Layne, Esther Halbert, Martin); "The Rosary"—Nevin; "Beautiful Dreamer"—Foster; "National Melody"—Nero. The following were Betsy Layne's representatives on the program: Jewel Sellards, Peggy Stumbo, Betsy Jo Layne, Lois Stephens, Alberta Caldwell, Doris Hill, Lois Foley, Faye Dingus, Lillian Steele, Barbara Bush, Jacqueline Akers, Helen Brown, Kathryn May, Vernice Jones, Doris Gilliam, Betty Lou Hall, Kathryn Combs, Emilee Roop, Peggy Bush, Peggy Crum, Lon Edward Roberts, Ray Calvin Davis, Edward Moore, Jr., Claude Daniels, Charles Walters, Rowe Fannin, Robert Lawson, Billy Joe Miller, Joe Hinchman, Douglas Austin, Gwendolyn Tackett, accompanist, and Miss Hale, director. Prior to the program at Ashland, each glee club visited the other and presented the same program for high school chapel.

Mrs. W. W. Roberts and daughter spent last week-end visiting Mrs. Roberts' mother, Mrs. May Stanley.

Mrs. Eliza Blackburn and daughter and Mrs. G. H. Blackburn and daughters visited relatives in Catlettsburg, the past week-end.

Miss Emogene Ratliff, of Pikeville, was the Saturday guest of Mrs. James George.

James George, Ray Calvin Davis and Rowe Fannin, Jr., drove with others to Chesapeake, O., Sunday for flying instructions as members of the Civilian Air Corps.

Teachers who attended E.K.E.A. at Ashland last week-end included Principal D. W. Howard, Mrs. John Coleman, and Misses Elaine Roberts, Kelsa Gearheart, Carlos Hale and Lola Burke.

The Bobcats lost overwhelmingly to Garrett Saturday night, much to our disappointment.

Cpl. Hershell Stratton, who is stationed at Camp Croft, S. C., is spending a furlough with his family.

Dr. J. E. Martin was taken to a Huntington hospital Sunday for treatment.

Miss Ruth Harmon, Girl Scout executive of the Sandy Valley Association, met with the local leaders Monday and gave some special training in handcraft for the Scouts.

Cpl. Joe E. Clark was the guest of Miss Betty Rose Johns Saturday afternoon. He is at present stationed at Asheville, N. C., but will soon report again for regular duty.

Miss Joanne Johns visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Pickle, Jr., at Hi-Hat Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Johns and daughter were shopping in Ashland Sunday.

The Young People's choir will be re-organized at the Methodist Church Friday, Nov. 17, at 6:30 p.m. Young people from all churches are invited to take part. The choir will be sponsored by Miss Elaine Roberts and Mrs. Angelyn George.

A two weeks' revival service began at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday evening.

The "Youth for Christ Rally" will be held in the school auditorium Saturday evening. Young and old are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Parsons are the parents of a daughter born Nov. 1 at the Methodist hospital. It has been named Charell Gilley.

Mesdames R. E. Williamson and Alex Davis attended a zone meeting of Methodist churches at Paintsville Sunday.

BRAINARD

Pvt. Astor Byington Crider, of Ft. Bliss, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Crider, of German, has been spending a 12-day furlough with his parents and relatives. He has been in the army 16 months. Pvt. Crider also visited Miss Isie Prater here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobie Puckett and daughter, Virginia Lee, of David, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prater and daughter.

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BRUSH CREEK

Sgt. Raymond Conley, of Orlando, Florida, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. John Prater. He has returned to duty at Augusta, Georgia.

Mrs. Elmer Hicks and children spent several days at Grundy, Va., visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pratt, Mrs. Julia Hicks Bailey, Mrs. Martha Prater and Mrs. Myrtle Stone went to Ashland Saturday as blood donors.

Floyd Allen, of Ashland, was visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Juda Allen, over the week-end.

Ex-Magistrate Dan Prater, of this place, and Cynthia Stephens Hatfield, of Water Gap, were married Saturday, November 4.

Orpha Mae Conley, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Prater are back from Cleveland, O., where Mr. Prater has been working for some time. Mrs. Prater's father, Dillard Bailey, is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Osborne and son, and Viola and Garrett Keith Hicks spent Sunday afternoon at Hillsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prater and Mr. and Mrs. James Prater and son, James Ishmael, attended church at Stone Coal Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hicks have moved to Hillsdale where Mr. Hicks will begin working for the Inland Gas Company.

Earl Edward and Kitty Ruth Stone were week-end guests of their aunt, Mrs. Oscar Hicks.

Mrs. R. M. Bailey and daughter, Mrs. James Prater, and James Ishmael Prater spent several days recently in Memphis, Tennessee, with Lt. James Hicks, who is a patient at Kennedy General hospital. He was wounded July 13 in France and was in a hospital in England for three months.

Mrs. Mintie Miller was shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Prater and Mrs. Haskell Bailey were visiting Dillard Bailey Wednesday afternoon at the Stumbo Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Monroe Hicks and son, Cledis, were at Stone Coal church Sunday.

Joseph Hicks was a visitor at Reed Branch Sunday.

Dallas Allen, of Henry's Branch, was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Bailey.

Mrs. Myrtle Stone spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Salvers, of Hippo.

Mrs. Julia Bailey has recently heard from her youngest son, Preston D. Hicks, of the navy—the first news in several weeks.

Henry Ousley and family have moved back to Brush Creek from Ohio.

John Staley attended the livestock market at Allen Friday afternoon.

Temp Prater is now working at Midas compressor station, for Inland

Gas Company.
Green Bailey has returned home from Stumbo Memorial hospital, much improved.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey were visitors at Allen Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Sunbo Hall will move to Martin Monday.
Boyd Shepherd, who has been ill for several days, is much better.

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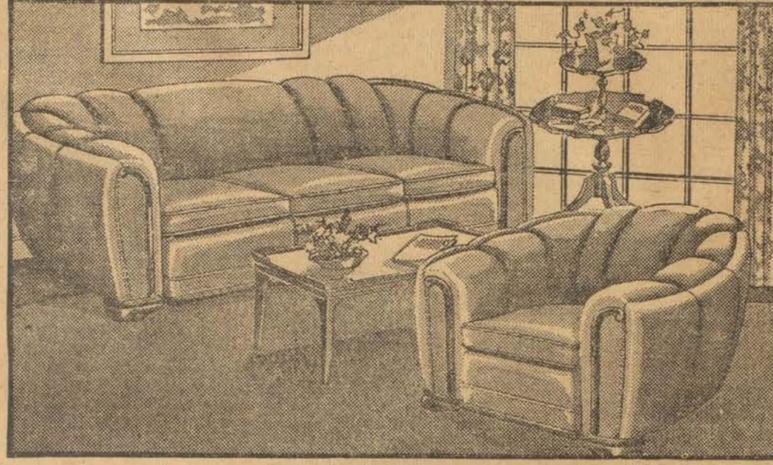


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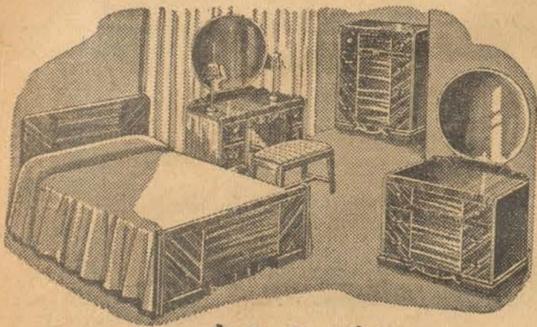
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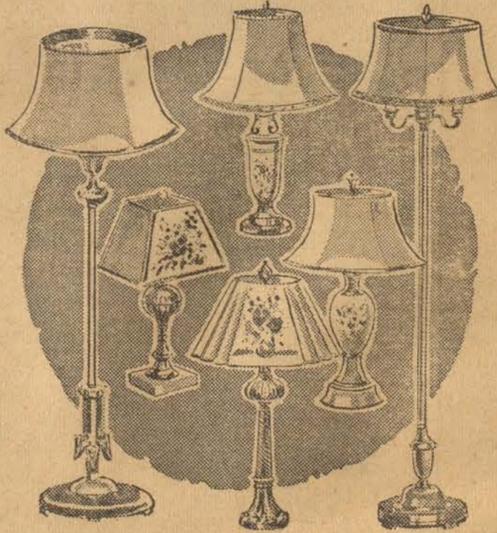
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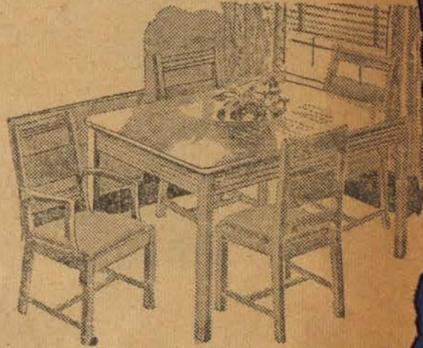
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