

Floyd County Times

SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

THURSDAY

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This Town-- That World

VOLUME XV

IN A NUTSHELL I've read the verbiages of the so called military experts...

NEGROES HELD AS WHITE MAN IS GUN VICTIM

Pike Countian Slain By Weeksbury Negro; Woman Is Jailed

Three negroes, two men and a woman, were jailed here this week in connection with the pistol slaying at Weeksbury Saturday afternoon...

Floyd Girls Assigned To Louisville Plant From Carrollton

After two months' training period at the NYA war production and training center in Carrollton...

These girls work on the assembly line, as machinists and finishers. The NYA center is training about 125 young women from all parts of Kentucky...

Legion Starts Drive Here For Old Records

Floyd Post No. 129, American Legion, is making a drive for old phonograph records, the proceeds from the sale of which will be used to purchase new records for the men in the service...

Huge Crowd Expected To See Gun, Rod and Reel Experts Sunday at Allen Fish Fry

Preparing this week for its second annual fish fry at the Beaver Valley Golf Course at Allen, the Floyd County Fish and Game Club expects to entertain Sunday, Aug. 2...

The program will start at 10 a.m. with addresses by County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr.; Steve Wakefield, director of the Division of Game and Fish...

Mrs. Willie Johnson, 62, Of Banner, Succumbs At Allen Friday

Mrs. Anna Martin Johnson, wife of Willie Johnson, well-known Banner farmer, died Friday at the home at Allen of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Flanery...

A daughter of the late Marion and Mrs. Caroline Mayo Martin, she was born April 12, 1880 at what is now Wayland and was a member of one of the county's oldest and best-known families...

WOMEN ASKED TO AID ARMY HOSPITALS

By Making Dressings; Huge Quota Expected By Floyd Red Cross

With a quota of thousands of surgical dressings for use by the country's armed forces to be assigned to Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, preparations were under way here this week to recruit every woman and all girls 16 years of age or older to join in the task of filling this huge order...

TSK! TSK!

A Nashville, Tenn., newspaper, this week printed a letter to the editor in which an ardent prohibitionist called on fellow drys to refuse to ride on tires made of alcoholic rubber...

The nit-wit evidently means well—but, oh, brother, don't you think you'd better warn everybody against using a rope in their work? The foul thing is made, you know, from hemp—and marihuana, a hemp product, is a narcotic that is the curse of mankind...

WE GET RESULTS

Another editorial in this paper against carnivals and we'll be having two a week.

A PLAYBOY

The transposition of parts of words in juxtaposition—ah, there, watch your step!—resulted in a minor tragedy at Hazard recently when an attempt was made to announce that a pianist named Peabody would play.

NO. 3 FROM US TO U. S. A.

THE TIMES this week lost its third man to the army. James E. (Jimmy) Goble left us, a volunteer in the army signal corps. That leaves three of us—Jimmy's dad, H. L., and Charles Goble, and me.

Jimmy, a valuable man in our scheme of things and a fine boy, to boot, is now in training at Louisville. His wife expects to join him there in a few weeks.

DON'T GIVE IT A THOUGHT

Last week's TIMES, according to news reaching this office, created something of a furore. Some of the boys were "up in the air" about assessments. Why bother about assessments, if none are being made?

Floyd Country Home, Sanctuary for Girl, 8, From Bombed Britain

It's quiet down on the Auxler road where Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Combs live.

If you don't think so, ask Sylvia Wilton, their eight-year-old English guest who spent with her parents a good part of her time, several months ago, in London bomb shelters.

Maybe, though, you'd better ask her mother, Mrs. Mabel Wilton. For Sylvia says the German air raids didn't bother her a bit. "I was asleep, every time," she says. Her mother will be a visitor at the Combs home within a few weeks. They will remain in America "for the duration." Meanwhile, Papa Wilton remains in England.

With Sylvia is young Jean Harrison, of Cleveland, O., whose father, a Canadian, is a World War I veteran.

CO. TREASURER STATEMENT

Published, Complying With Law; Deadline Set at August 31

Publication of the 1941-42 statement of W. J. May, Floyd county treasurer, appears in THE TIMES this week.

This statement is published in accordance with an act of the 1942 Legislature requiring all public officials receiving and disbursing public funds to publish a statement in detail and to file with the Auditor of Public Accounts a copy of the publication in which the statement appears on or before August 31 of each year.

Penalty for failure to publish such a statement and to file copy of the newspaper containing it on or before the date stipulated is a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500 upon conviction.

SOFT DRINKS, CANDY 'OUT'

As 4-H Club Campers Save To Buy Stamps; Floyd Girl Named

Members of 4-H clubs attending J. M. Feltnier camp on Paint Creek, Johnson county, last week practiced wartime thrift by denying themselves candy and soft drinks and using their money in buying Defense stamps.

Miss Kathryn Stapleton, of Maytown, was named a star camper, County Agent S. L. Isbell, who accompanied the 14 Floyd county boys and girls to camp, announced.

Attending the annual encampment were 140 club boys and girls and 41 club leaders and county agents. J. M. Feltnier, state 4-H club leader, was camp manager.

Theme of the week's activities was, "4-H Members Meet the Challenge." Developing this theme, the youths practiced economy daily. Better nutrition and health, victory gardens, canning and drying fruits and vegetables and other subjects vital to the war effort were demonstrated.

Club members and leaders from Floyd county attending the camp with representatives from Johnson and Pike counties were: Bob Allen, Bill Tom Cooley, Thomas Salsburg, Wendell Jones, Kathryn Stapleton, Lucille Stapleton, Moseleete Ferrell, Wanda Lee Gibson, all of Maytown; Bernard Clark, and Lincoln Conn, both of Betsy Layne; Velma Delong, Edgar Laferty and Donald Cyphers, of Johns Creek; County Agent Isbell and son, Samuel Maurice.

IS VISITOR

A. J. Gearheart, of Gearheart, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

IN HONOLULU

Major C. P. Hudson, master of Zebulon Masonic lodge here, recently arrived in Honolulu for army duty after several months' service on the West coast, friends here have learned.

DRAFT QUOTA IS HEAVIEST

235 from Floyd Needed For Aug., Says Notice; Delinquents Reported

Floyd county's manpower contribution to the U. S. army next month will be 235. Selective Service Headquarters here have been officially notified.

Draft Board 44 will send 98 men to Huntington for induction on August 18. Draft Board 45 will send 137 to the same induction center August 24.

The August calls to service are the heaviest made on this county during the present conflict.

Robert J. Wallace, clerk of Draft Board 45, announced this week that delinquency notices have been mailed to the following registrants for failure to conform with the board's instructions: Richmond Frazier, Martin; Norman Wright, Martin; Archie Runyon, Langley; Louis Edward Bentley, Garrett. All four men have failed to report for physical examination, Wallace said.

Forty-seven men inducted this month but permitted to return home from Huntington on 14-day furlough returned Tuesday from Board 44 to enter the army at Ft. Thomas. Draft Board 45's 44 men, likewise on furlough, left Saturday. Two of the group from Board 44 who were temporarily listed as delinquent when they failed to report here Tuesday for the trip to Ft. Thomas came here Wednesday and told draft headquarters they were arrested at Martin and held in jail Monday night despite their pleas that they must report here Tuesday morning. The two said they had been drinking but were not drunk. They claimed they were not released until around 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, too late to leave here as scheduled.

Colored selectees who are to go to Huntington August 4 are: From Board 45—James Shaffer, Weeksbury (will be inducted at Logan, W. Va.); Charles Edward Huff, Wheelwright (will be inducted at Etowah, Ala.); Eddie Bradford, Wheelwright; Matthew Glenn, Weeksbury; Willie Smith, Jr., Weeksbury; Arthur Robinson, Wheelwright; Henry Clay Mundy, Wheelwright. From Local Board No. 44—William Elmon Honaker, Tram.

FLOYD MINER ELECTROCUTED LOOP TEAR-UP THREATENED

'Short' in Electric Drill 'Catches' Two Operators In Hunter Coal Mine

"Caught" with his cousin, Arnold Conn, by electricity as a result of a short circuit in an electric drill in a truck mine operated at Hunter by Wayne Stumbo and Johnny Hall, Ira Conn, of Arkansas Creek, was killed Tuesday night.

Both men were operating the drill, preparing a hole to shoot coal when the short resulted, and both were unable to loose the machine. A neighbor of Conn said the two discussed their predicament while "caught" and told another workman to cut off the power. He expressed the belief that Conn's death resulted when he swung his feet against his cousin's body in an effort to break free.

Arnold Conn suffered slight injuries. The victim, a man of about 30 years, was unmarried. He was a son of Press Conn, of Cracker. Besides his father, he is survived by three sisters: Mrs. Ollie Hamilton, of Allen; Mrs. Joe Robinson, Martin, and Mrs. Oliver Crum, of Cracker.

Funeral rites were conducted from the Conn home Thursday afternoon, the Rev. Robert Marshall, of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

RETURN FROM MISSOURI

Martin—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Norris and Mr. Norris' father, S. D. Norris, returned this week from Missouri, where they visited relatives. The trip was a birthday present to the elder Norris, who was 84 this month, and it offered him an opportunity to re-visit scenes of his youth.

Floyd Veteran of Coral Sea Battle Explodes Jap Courage Myth

Take the word of a Floyd countian who is qualified to speak that the Japs are no nerver than any other fighting men.

"I've seen some turn tall and pull for home at the first shot of an anti-aircraft gun; others I've seen bear right on in the face of everything we could throw at 'em. It all depends on the man—whether he's a Jap, an American or any other, that's all."

Thus Seaman First Class Claude Martin, son of J. D. Martin, of Gearheart, and a veteran of the Coral Sea battle and the U. S. attack on the Marshall Islands, explodes the myth of Japanese dard-devility.

"Man for man, give me an American, any time," added the Floyd seaman on a recent visit here.

Martin told briefly of his experiences in the Coral Sea battle, defeat. He asked that the identity of his cruiser not be disclosed.

"I was on the bridge, right near the Old Man (the captain), but we did not see an enemy ship. Our fighting was with anti-aircraft guns trying to shoot down Jap bombers and torpedo planes. I figure we accounted for seven. One bomb hit our ship, killing six. Our captain hit one cool customer, and the conduct of every man aboard upheld the finest traditions of the U. S. navy."

The most memorable of his experiences, Martin said, was the witnessing of the evacuation of the aircraft carrier Lexington. He paid high tribute to the U. S. destroyers for their rescue work as well as for their defense of larger vessels attacked by bombs and torpedoes.

"In the Marshall Island attack we let 'em have both barrels and the result was just like shooting a rabbit 10 feet away with a 12-gauge full choke shotgun," Martin said.

Despite the dangers at sea, Martin asserted that if he had it all to do over again he would take the same branch of service.

His brother, Staff Sgt. Earl Densmore Martin, was one of 10 Kentucky marines among the 489 non-commissioned officers to receive promotions this week to temporary warrant rank. His new rank is that of marine gunner.

Their sister, Miss Bonnie Martin, who was graduated last year from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va., is a navy nurse, stationed at Newport, R. I., and their brother, Billy Burns Martin, expects soon to be inducted into army service.

Weekly Tire, Tube Issues Listed

Tire and tube certificates approved by the Floyd County Rationing Board Monday follow:

Passenger tires and tubes—Dr. G. D. Callihan, 1 tire, 1 tube; Harry Vaughan, 1 tube.

Passenger recaps—Smith Henson, 2 tires; Clarence Carroll, 1 tire; Harry Hyden, 1 tire; Eli Hicks, 1 tire.

New truck tires and tubes—Turner Elkhorn Mining Co., 2 tires, 2 tubes; Mosey Johnson, 2 tires, 2 tubes; K. S. Burchett, 2 tires; Isaac Riley, 2 tires, 2 tubes; John W. Allen, 2 tubes.

Truck recaps—Willard Stephens, 3; Leo Carter, 2; Sparks Brothers Bus Co., 5; D. C. Williams, 2; Arvie Burchett, 3.

JALOPIES JOIN SCRAP DRIVE

Auto Graveyards in Floyd Go To Provide 5,730 Machine Guns

Every useless jalopy sitting around in a backyard or garage of Floyd county represents three 2,000-pound bombs that might be knocking out Axis war factories, according to Edgar Arnstine, district chief of WPB's auto graveyard section for Kentucky, Southern Ohio and Southern West Virginia.

Auto graveyards need every old car that no longer can provide transportation to replenish stocks depleted by a recent 60-day campaign for a 100 per cent turnover of inventories on hand May 1.

WPB now has adopted a policy for requisitioning old cars or trucks which remain in an unusable condition for 60 days, Arnstine said. It is hoped, however, owners of jalopies will sell their wrecks to graveyards voluntarily. WPB does not want cars which still can be used for transportation.

The new policy was outlined this week by Merrill Stubbs, of Washington, chief of the Automobile Salvage Section, who said:

"In a war economy, all autos must be considered in one of two ways—as transportation or as scrap to be sold at scrap prices."

In the 60-day campaign for a 100 per cent turnover of inventories on hand May 1, auto graveyards in Floyd county started with 168 cars on hand and sent 191 junkers to steel mills, providing enough scrap for 573 2,000-pound serial bombs or 5,730 50-calibre machine guns.

"The success of our campaign has reduced the supply of jalopies to keep up a steady flow of scrap," Arnstine said. "An auto graveyard without junkers on hand is out of business so far as being of any use in the war effort."

"If you have a jalopy," he pleaded, "take it to the nearest auto wrecker and sell it. Don't give it away. The auto wrecker will pay you a fair price per hundred pounds, based on what can be realized out of the car for scrap metal."

Supervisor Announces Teacher Meet Series To Be Held in Floyd

Palmer L. Hall, Floyd rural school supervisor, Thursday announced a series of sectional teacher meetings next week, with two critic teachers from Morehead State Teachers College demonstrating teaching methods and conducting open forums at which teaching problems will be discussed.

The professional aid will be given by Miss Edna Neal and Miss Findley.

Five meetings will be held at central points, and all rural teachers have been notified to attend. Dates of meetings and schools at which they will be held follow:

Monday—Spradlin Branch school No. 3A; Tuesday—Dwale; Wednesday—Gearheart; Thursday—Lower Brush Creek No. 101; Friday—Mouth Branham's Creek No. 60.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Sam Horn vs. A. H. Green; J. L. Harrington, atty. Mrs. Georgia S. Davis vs. Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co.; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Jack Burke vs. Georgia Mae Burke; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Hester Prater vs. Ballard Prater; Leroy and Bert T. Combs, attys. A. B. Flanery, et al. vs. Utilities Elkhorn Coal Co.; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Oma Terry vs. Carlett Terry; Bert and Leroy Combs, attys.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Taylor Lafferty and Junie Sturgill. Hershel D. Newsom, 20, and Irene Castle, 15, both of McDowell; marriage solemnized July 25 by the Rev. Shelby Newsom. Noah Newsome and Vernia Hunter. Woodrow Williams, 20, Wayland, and Vaden Miller, 22, Van Lear; married here July 28, the Rev. Campbell Jeffries officiating. James Collins and Dorothy J. Jones.

GUARDIAN BONDS

John D. Martin, gdn., of Billie B. Martin.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Winter flying jackets for both the Army and Navy Air Corps are regular equipment for our aviators.



Purchase of one \$18.75 War Bond, for which you receive \$25 in 10 years, will pay for one of these jackets so necessary for our airmen flying at high altitudes and in northern climes.

FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce



CARL L. SENTERS of Ivel, Floyd county, Ky., for CONGRESS

In the Seventh Congressional District, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary. Your support and influence appreciated.



To the Republicans Of the Seventh Congressional Dist.:

Your support is solicited in the primary election on August 1.

Great and grave issues confront our people today and every citizen should vote prayerfully and thoughtfully.

Faithfully yours,

ELMER E. GABBARD (Pol. adv.)

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Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to help relieve monthly pain with its weak, nervous feelings - due to monthly functional disturbances. It helps build up resistance against such distress of "difficult days." Follow label directions.

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WE HANDLE ONLY GOOD COAL

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Treasurer's Report, Floyd County, From July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

BUDGET FUND

Table showing budget fund receipts and disbursements for 1941-42. Total receipts: \$226,769.55; Total disbursements: \$228,820.88.

Table showing disbursements for 1940-41 Budget Warrants. Total: \$1,066.28.

Table showing 1941-42 Budget: Salaries and other expenses. Total: \$3,000.00.

Table showing Sheriff's Fees. Total: \$1,996.52.

Table showing Coroner Fees. Total: \$348.00.

Table showing Supplies for County Jail. Total: \$1,287.94.

Table showing Fiscal Court expenses. Total: \$3,264.00.

Table showing Constable Fees. Total: \$969.60.

Table showing Court Reporting. Total: \$900.65.

Table showing Grand Jury Reporting. Total: \$180.00.

Table listing Hatcher Insurance Agency and County Health Unit with amounts.

Table listing Hospitalization expenses for various hospitals.

Table listing Burials for various individuals.

Table listing Medical Care expenses for various doctors.

Table listing Blind individuals and their amounts.

Table listing Idiots Care for various individuals.

Table listing General Home Relief for various individuals.

Table listing Vital Statistics and Election Commissioners.

Table listing Election Officers for various positions.

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IT'S A GRAND OLD FLAG



WE have seen the Flag floating in front of our post offices and schools, watched our boys and girls pledge it allegiance. We remember it on many a Fourth of July picnic in the long ago. All our peaceful yesterdays we have taken it for granted. Today it is fiercely and proudly at war.

Now many of us are really seeing it for the first time. We know that we may lose all that it has ever stood for; suddenly it has become the most precious thing in the world. There it goes, fluttering over the khaki lines. A lump gets in our throat and we cannot speak because we love it so much.

Only now are we beginning to know the tremendous task before us. We watch dear friends depart and we know that some of these faces we shall never see

again. We know the price we shall pay in wrecked bodies, in silent grief and in gold stars. It makes no difference. We are ready.

Today we stand united against the common enemy who would destroy us all. We know now what we never knew in the days of our illusion, that this last great test had to come. Now have come the days of grim decision. They are also days of hope. Once more the faith and idealism of our fathers are working in our hearts. Once more we watch our brothers of Bunker Hill and Valley Forge, of Gettysburg and the Argonne.

Not all of us can follow the Flag to battle—but everyone can do his or her part . . . and not let the Flag down. **YOU CAN DO THAT BY BUYING WAR BONDS AND STAMPS!** You can do that TODAY!

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

This Ad is Sponsored by the Following Patriotic Concerns in an Effort to Promote the Sale of War Stamps and Bonds!

SPURLOCK FOOD SERVICE	HUTSINPILLER DRUG	MAYO DAIRY	COLUMBIAN FUEL CORP.
A. W. COX DEPT. STORE	THE LEADER	G. R. FANNIN	BAILEY'S DISPENSARY
WESTERN AUTO STORE	GLAZER'S	JACK SPURLIN	PRESTONSBURG LIQUOR STORE
LEETE'S JEWELRY STORE	BANK JOSEPHINE	BURL SPURLOCK	DOKE GRIFFITH, JEWELER
DICK'S BARGAIN STORE	SCOTT'S	CASH HARDWARE	JACKSON FURNITURE CO.
SUPERIOR DRY CLEANERS	DICK'S CAFE	KOCH RADIO	SMITH'S GULF SERVICE
SANDY VALLEY TIRE SERVICE	THOMPSON'S CAFE	THE VALLEY INN	FIRST NATIONAL BANK
HUGHES DRUG STORE	THE I. RICHMOND CO.	FRANCIS CASH STORE	EAST KY. GASOLINE CO.
MASTER SERVICE STATION	CURT HOMES	NUNNERY'S STORE	WRIGHT'S DISPENSARY
HUGHES MOTOR CO., ALLEN	N. M. WHITE, JR.	BALL'S CASH STORE	SPARKS BROS. BUS CO.

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Who Got What—and Why

There are those who have said, and who may say again, that the law requiring all those who receive and disburse public funds to give a strict accounting of their work by publishing financial statements is a law enacted by and for the newspapers.

It is not. It is a law enacted by legislators elected by the people and it was enacted for the people.

It is designed to let the public know exactly how much was taken in, how much was expended—and why.

Certainly it costs. But the cost is a small item.

If Floyd county and the town of Prestonsburg and many of the other governmental divisions of this state had been making such accountings, years ago, to the people who pay the bills, this county and Prestonsburg and many other counties and towns would not be as deeply in debt as they now are.

THE TIMES does not know a county or municipal governmental agency in Kentucky that has not checked the rising debt after beginning publication of their financial statements showing who got what, when and why.

To argue that the newspapers profit without aiding the body politic is to side with those who cannot bear the light of publicity on their alleged business transactions.

Don't Fail To Vote

It is nobody's business how you vote. But vote!

Saturday, August 1, is primary election day. You're a slacker if you fail to register your vote on that day as your conscience dictates.

The boys in our armed forces are there to uphold the right of a free suffrage, along with the other privileges of free women and men. If these rights are not to be exercised, why have an army and a navy and an air force and all their adjuncts fighting for them?

Don't be afraid your vote will not be counted as cast. You can see to that. Come on in to the county seat and demand your rights as citizens; claim for yourselves fair representation in the "counting room." You will find friends here.

This is a state election and Floyd county must consider itself a part of the Commonwealth. To play an active part in the state's life, Floyd county must do more than pay taxes and wait for state aid. Its citizens must exercise their rights and duties as voters.

The vote must be registered, then recorded as registered.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

NOT A DULL WEEK
Editor, The Times:

Woke up here a few weeks ago; and at present am doing chores for Uncle Long Whiskers, trying to keep the enemy scared away. A lot of wacky incidents take place at points like this, one or two of which happened last week.

A big electrical storm visited us, one bolt of lightning striking the big powerhouse, tearing things to pieces and setting off the air raid siren. I was stationed there when it struck, and found myself on the floor for about a five count. As I arose my captain rushed by, exclaiming, "Guard your post closely—an air raid is on." I remarked, "It may be an air raid on you, but it is a lightning attack on me."

After the wreckage was cleaned up a group of army men visited the plant for inspection. They did not stay long as, I reckon, the air conditioner was not working. The next day, the real McCoy was on. Hundreds of alarms sounded over the bay waters. All being different toned reminded me of Uncle George Ousley's roosters when a big hawk visits them. At that time I was stationed at a railway gate entrance. The Captain rushed by, ordering all gates closed, no one to leave or enter. He must have suspected the enemy was approaching on bicycles.

I closed the big gates, locking same with padlocks for which there were no keys. Well, I had the plant in and I was out. This proved to be a false alarm broadcast by a "spotter" who became confused in signalling.

The only enemy planes my detector could spot was a flock of young turkey buzzards, looking for a breakfast of fish, which are quite plentiful along the shore's edge.

Should the enemy visit here, they

will receive a very warm reception, as we are plentifully supplied with the necessary dispensaries. Incidentally, wish I had about one hundred of those Floyd county turkey shooters here to assist, should the enemy visit us.

UNCLE A. J.,
Baltimore.

READY, WILLING TO FIGHT

Editor, The Times:
I sat down today at noontime and read The Floyd County Times. Boy, there's no better feeling than to read news from your home.

As I read through the pages I noticed that more and more Floyd county youths like myself are joining up with our armed forces to fight for the conservation of the greatest democracy ever established on the face of this earth. Yes, Floyd county has been and always will be behind this great democracy. We of Floyd county don't stop to consider how much we are giving to this great cause; we give our all and no one can ask more.

I don't live in Floyd county at present, but lived there all my life until a year ago. When I left, I left all my friends and relatives to work in a defense industry. Some people might think we boys from "old Floyd" are working to keep out of the army or some other branch of the service, but we aren't. We aren't afraid to fight, we know what war is and we are ready, any time our government sees fit, to fight.

I feel sure every Floyd countian is doing his or her bit. Speaking for myself and every boy from Floyd county here with me, I can say, "We are all out for Uncle Sam, and we'll never shirk our duty." Don't forget yours.

EDGEL ALLEN
Manchester, Conn.

NO REFUSALS TO AGED

Frost Threatens No Help For Needy Blind and Dependent Children

Frankfort, Ky., July 21—The Department of Welfare cannot extend aid to needy blind and dependent children if it is compelled to assist all the needy aged in Kentucky, Commissioner of Welfare W. A. Frost said this afternoon after Attorney General Hubert Meredith warned him he cannot legally refuse to add old people to his rolls, so long as they fall within the class of needy aged.

In an exchange of letters, Meredith wrote Frost, in effect, as follows:

I am informed you have refused to investigate new applications for old age assistance. The law forbids you to discriminate within the class of needy aged entitled to aid. It is your legal duty to pro rate available funds among all, not a portion, of the needy aged.

Frost replied to Meredith, in effect, as follows:

If needy aged, blind and dependent children are to be considered as a broad class entitled to public assistance, what am I to use for money if we extend grants to 85,000 needy aged, 35,000 dependent children and 3,000 needy blind? Under the present appropriation of \$4,250,000 for public assistance, 56,112 needy aged are drawing an average of only \$10 a month.

The Attorney General wrote Frost there is a possibility somebody entitled to old age benefits, but unable to get on the rolls, may mandamus the Department of Welfare to grant him relief.

"If they mandamus us," Frost said, "the programs for needy blind and dependent children will go out the window."

The program for needy blind became effective July 1, and supervisors are now being trained to put it into effect. Aid to dependent children is being held up pending outcome of a test case now before the Court of Appeals.

Today's developments hold the possibility of turning topsy turvy the entire public assistance program in Kentucky. Frost received Meredith's letter in the morning mail. He immediately went into conference with Gov. Keen Johnson, then returned to his office where he and his staff worked for four hours framing a reply.

Frost calculated it would require around \$162,000,000 a year to maintain a \$10 monthly average among all the needy aged, the needy blind, and dependent children in Kentucky. The federal government would put up half, of course, leaving the state's share double the present appropriation of \$4,250,000.

He figured further that if present funds were distributed among the three classes, the monthly average for all would drop to \$5 a month.

SPEAKING OF BONDS



TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE
By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.
Western Kentucky Teachers' College Bowling Green, Ky.

CALVES

LATELY I have been wondering whether the calf means as much today to the boy on the farm as it meant to us of another time. I see so much in the papers about prize beef cattle that I imagine that the growing of an animal that will make good steak is the big idea now. Besides, boys have so many more things for playthings and to engage their idle time that calves do not seem so necessary.

From the time the calf first came into the world until it was grown it was a sport of special care of the farm boy. The boy followed his mother or sister when milking time came and roped off the calf as a matter of course. Later, when the calf was practically independent, the boy rigged up yokes and slides and wagons and saw to it that the calf's growing up was not too easy. Not to have worked a calf or two to a little home-made wagon is to have missed a big thrill in the old-fashioned farm boy's life. Sometimes the wagon was one actually made on the farm, from cuts of wood for the wheels and planks shaped into some form of wagon. Sometimes we used the running gear of a discarded buggy. It was a big day when we could get our calves to go straight and not have to be tied together by the tails. One boy of my acquaintance, now a dignified middle-aged father, tied a whole plowline to the tails of calves that would not go straight; the yoke came off one of the calves; the brush of the tail came off the other calf in about the time it takes to tell it. I have not yet forgotten the wails of the injured calf and of the boy. That calf had no sale value after that accident, but he made good beef right on the farm where he was born.

Calves made good riding animals, too. Of course, I must admit that they are a bit bumpy, but what is that to a boy who must have a steed? They are a bit too fond of running through briars and bushes to brush boys and flies off, but the average boy can take it, even though he may tumble off a few dozen times.

In spite of the close fellowship of the calf and the boy, it often became necessary to break these ties very rudely. Some afternoon in summer father decreed that little Bawly must become beef for the family and the neighborhood. It would have been a bit too girlish to cry, but it was not always pleasant to see our little pal hanging up on a limb minus most of his innards. There was some consolation, though, in being allowed to go with Big Brother to the country store with the green hide to exchange it for a due bill for groceries and other farm necessities. Then, too, it was fun to load into the wagon some of the dressed meat and peddle it out among our friends. Selling something made us feel big, and buying had the same effect on our neighbors' children. That night and the next morning, for without ice the meat would not keep long, we and our neighbors feasted like cave men when a bear had been slain. We had steak and roast beef until it did not taste any too good. If the next day was the Quarterly Meeting or the Fourth of July, we all had roast beef at dinner on the ground. And the tallow was rendered and saved, too, formerly for candles, but saved still by thrifty housewives, for in that time nothing went to waste.

Once when butchering was all over and the meat disposed of, we heard a blood-curdling sound that still makes me cold. Our old cow, the mother of little Bawly, had got into the field where the butchering had been done, had smelled the blood, and was giving the wild-clan call of the herd, probably the wildest sound ever made by a domesticated animal. Naturally we who had loved the little calf, so unpoetically now reduced to beef, thought the mother was grieved for her first-born and wanted to join in the lament. But juicy steaks soon made us forget the cannibalism of it all. Little Bawly had become and remains a juicy memory.

MONEY TALKS
By FREDERICK W. STAMM
Economist and Director of Adult Education
University of Louisville

THIS nation is facing a crisis in the steel industry. Our steel plants need junk and we must supply it in ever increasing amounts, or our production of steel will be choked down to nearly one-half the present tonnage.

All of us have old tools, old stoves, hardware, metal beds, pots and pans, batteries, hangers, old machinery and other articles which are lying around our basements, barn yards or fence corners, rusting away. We need this material for the production of shells, guns, planes, battleships, tanks, armored cars, submarines, and ambulances. Now is the best time to gather junk for the winter snows will cover it up and it will be lost for use until next spring.

Junk material has taken on additional importance in this war. We have just finished a drive for old rubber but our government did not get all it needed. It is not too late to look around our houses to see if we can't spare more of this material. The government needs it for gas masks, barrage balloons, lifeboat rafts, pontoon bridges, tires, etc.

Also, don't forget to save your waste paper and old rags. This material is important as old paper is used for airplane and tank parts, shells and ammunition. Old rags are needed for wiping rags for ships and factories, roofing and flooring for emergency construction.

Junk? There ought to be a new, reverent name for it now—our steel and rubber company executives say. Junk now turned over to the government may save the lives of our soldiers and sailors later on. It is our duty to aid in all these drives for these essential war materials.

THE HOME FRONT

THESE THINGS AFFECTED YOUR HOUSEHOLD

- Consumer Education coming, 44,143 on Casualty List, 750,000 Cars of Scrap, Ask Meat Men's Aid, Slogans by Workers, Concentrating Industry, Order to Laundries, Cows Defy Priority, 20,000 Tons of Stovers, Rubber Curtailed, Boards Reorganized, Shovels Standardized,

Plans to correlate price control economics and wartime consumer education with the courses of study in public schools, colleges and universities of Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia, will be set in motion, probably this week, the Office of Price Administration announces. Work in Indiana and Michigan will begin later.

Two educators have been assigned by the OPA Consumer Division in Washington to carry on the work in this five-state region. They are Dr. J. E. Greene, formerly of the University of Georgia's department of education, and Dr. Ed. McCusiston, formerly of the Arkansas department of education.

"The purpose of this plan to take the OPA into the schools is three-fold," Helen Gregory, regional Consumer Division representative, said. "First, it is intended to step up school interest in the national war economic policy; second, to develop teaching technique in this field by the pooling of information in Washington; and, third, to ascertain needed materials for the schools.

"Price control is governmental policy developed from sound economic principles, which must be popularly understood, if it is to be most effective. At the same time, war scarcities call for education in the arts of substitution, conservation and discriminate buying which are the people's contributions to the success of our over-all war effort. The Consumer Division believes that students in the public schools and universities should be introduced to all the economic implications of total war through a program such as this."

There probably aren't many people in the United States, who still are naive enough to think that this is going to be a war easily won—a war won without great sacrifice at home and on the field of battle.

Last week brought news from the armed forces, from the field of transportation and from the vital fields of materials and supply which serve to underline the grim, hard task before us all.

Total casualties of the armed forces were announced as 44,143 soldiers, sailors, marines, coast guardsmen, and members of the Philippine Scouts killed, wounded or missing—and their sacrifice emphasizes the pettiness of those who complain of restrictions on our normal lives at home.

Here, at home, our one concern must be to see that every bit of material we can spare goes to make weapons for our troops and that there are trains and trucks and ships enough to take these weapons

where they are needed. Some 750,000 freight car loads of scrap are needed to keep the steel furnaces going this year.

The OPA has urged the livestock and meat industry to co-operate in a program designed to supply all parts of the country with meats in their usual proportions of the available supply, rather than favoring cities with high price ceilings. However, a seasonal meat shortage is with us and won't be relieved for another four to six weeks.

Slogans originated by Ohio workers: "Save on scrap and get your Jap." "A plane every eight minutes in 1942."

The WPB has approved the principle of concentration of industry as a means of alleviating the strain placed on the civilian economy by the war effort. It is hoped to keep small plants in civilian production because large plants are better equipped for war work. An attempt will be made to keep civilian production in areas where there is no war labor shortage.

Laundries must continue to offer the same low-priced services they offered in March, the OPA says, warning that to offer only the higher-priced services is to violate the rules.

Any landlord in a defense rental area, where registration has closed, is in violation of the law if he has not registered.

What's an A-9 priority rating to a cow? The Hillwood Manufacturing Co., in Cleveland, O., was unable to deliver tanks for cheese boxes on an A-9 order, and was stamped by the farmer's inquiry: "My cows don't wait! What am I going to do?"

Some 20,000 tons of buried stoves, refrigerators and ice boxes have been dug up at Mansfield, O., to aid the war effort. They had been discarded and their enamel had preserved the metal.

More stringent specifications for the use of rubber in civilian products have been issued. Milking machine equipment is affected. About 400 tons of crude rubber will be saved monthly.

OPA reorganization of the local War Price and Rationing Board machinery in Kentucky has been completed. It is expected they will play a major role in OPA work.

Hand shovels will be simplified and standardized to save metal and labor.

An OPA chart covering 33 months shows that the price increase in 92 metals and metal products was held to 12 per cent. Farm products, 4 per cent of which were controlled, rose 72 per cent.

All used silk hosiery in the hands of dealers, with minor exceptions, is frozen by WFPB order. The silk will be reclaimed and used for war purposes.

The salvage campaign which is being carried on in the kitchens of most communities in Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia, is expected to yield 49,543,549 pounds of fats and greases a year.

With more cheese available than ever before, government food supply experts are advising Americans to eat more cheese. Cheese is a concentration of all the food values that make milk a "must" in any diet.

Only trucks engaged in services essential to the war effort or public health and safety will be entitled to recapped or new tires, new OPA rules state. The effective date was July 28.

The loan fund of \$5,000,000 voted by Congress to help college students speed up their training for technical and professional jobs will be available very soon. Interest rate will be 2 1/2 per cent.

The American housewife has been promised by OPA that the \$500,000,000 she will spend for soap this year will buy at least as much and that quality will not be debased.

Martin Merchant Dies At Age of 75, Victim Of Heart Disease

Funeral rites for W. H. Lynch, 75 years old, well-known Martin merchant, who died at his home on Arkansas Creek, July 22, were conducted Friday afternoon from the auditorium of Martin high school, the R. V. W. B. Garriott, pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, officiating.

Mr. Lynch's death followed several weeks' illness of heart disease.

A native of Patysville, Hancock county, Ky., he was born Feb. 3, 1867, the son of Thomas and Rebecca Lynch. He moved with his family to Allen in 1907 and for some time was engaged in the timber business. He also operated a store at Allen, later engaging in the same business at Martin. Mr. Lynch was one of the county's best citizens and had many friends. He was a member of the Cloverport, Ky., Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Minnie Sammons Lynch, and three sons: Ernest Lynch, Castlewood, Va.; Jack Lynch, Russell, Ky., and L. L. Lynch, of Martin.

Burial was made under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Bingham Enrolls In Army Aviation Technical School

Keesler Field, Miss., July 28 (Spl.)—William Richard Bingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham, Water Gap, Ky., was enrolled as a student this week in the country's greatest army air force technical school at Keesler Field, and has started an intensive 19-week course to qualify as an airplane mechanic.

Private Bingham, who came here from the Ft. Thomas, Ky., reception center, already has completed his basic training which includes marching, target practice, gas mask and bayonet drills, and orientation lectures. At the completion of the air mechanics course here, he will be prepared for assignment to active line duty with some fighting unit of the army air forces.

VISITS FAMILY

Warren Hale, who is employed as a guard at the South Point, Ohio, defense plant, spent the week-end here with his family.

Garrett Youth Picked For Mine Warfare In U. S. Navy

U. S. Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I., July 24 (Spl.)—Scoring high marks in competitive aptitude tests and demonstrating unusual abilities, Edwin Morrow Conley, of Garrett, Ky., was recently selected and has been sent to one of the U. S. Navy's large southern mine warfare schools.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Crit Conley, of Garrett, the bluejacket received his basic course in seamanship at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I., where every incoming recruit is given a series of aptitude tests to determine his qualifications for further training at a service school in the various branches of aviation, mechanics, gunnery, signalling and office work.

At the mine warfare school, Conley will learn to handle mines, to lay mines and to remove enemy mines from the sea lanes, in addition to other duties incident to mine warfare.

Conley is not alone in his family serving in the armed forces, his brother, Bert, being a private first

class in the army air corps. Two first cousins, Burns and Austin Bailey, are also in the army air corps. A brother-in-law, Eugene Brewer, is a third class signalman in the U. S. navy. Conley attended Garrett high school.

UMWA Leaders Pledge Miners Will Exceed Production Asked

Ashland, Ky., July 23—(Special) Officers and members of all local unions of the United Mine Workers of America have received a communication signed by John L. Lewis, president; John O'Leary, vice-president; and Thomas Kennedy, secretary-treasurer, in which the following statement is made:

"We have pledged our government to supply the necessary coal with which to win this war."

This pledge is a follow-up statement to an earlier declaration by the International Policy Committee of U.M.W.A.: "We propose to not only meet this goal of our government (referring to the Nation's need for more than 600,000,000 tons of anthracite, bituminous and lignite coals in 1942), but to surpass it and to produce in addition thereto enough surplus coal to bury the Axis powers."

IS RECOVERING

Charles Spradlin, who has been connected with THE TIMES for the last few months, was taken to the Prestonsburg General Hospital Monday, suffering from an injury sustained in a fall Mr. Spradlin was able to be out Wednesday.

VISITING RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dingus, of Hite, are visiting relatives in Indiana, Ohio and Charleston, W. Va., this week.

CONGRESSMAN MAY, HOME

Congressman and Mrs. A. J. May are home from Washington, D. C., for a brief vacation. Congressman May expects to return to Washington within the next few days.

Corn following vetch is outgrowing corn on other land, in Lawrence county.

Put Farm Fire Loss At Hundred Million

It is estimated that fires on farms in the United States take approximately 3,500 lives each year and destroy about \$100,000,000 worth of property.

Eight principal causes of farm fires are: (1) Defective chimneys and flues, (2) sparks on combustible roofs, (3) lightning, (4) spontaneous combustion, (5) careless use of matches, smoking, (6) careless use of gasoline and kerosene, (7) defective and improperly installed stoves and furnaces, (8) faulty wiring and misuse of electric appliances. These cause 85 per cent of the total losses from farm fires.

A chimney that becomes too hot to hold one's hand against should be carefully inspected and repaired by a reliable mason.

Properly installed and well-maintained lightning rods on farm buildings are practically 100 per cent effective in preventing damage from lightning.

Undrained or damp hay when stored in large piles heats spontaneously. This heating may continue until ignition temperature is reached and the hay bursts into flame. Even though a fire does not occur, heating destroys much of the feeding value. Alfalfa, clover, and soybean hays are most likely to heat severely.

Even though hay has been well cured before storage, it will heat if it is wet by rain coming from a leaky roof or by floodwaters.

Frequent examinations should be made for several weeks after hay has been stored. "Steaming," strong irritating odors, and wet areas are signs of dangerous heating. When hay is heating excessively, the entire lot should be removed from the barn, but first the heating areas should be thoroughly drenched with water. Make provision for fighting a possible fire, as the hay may burst into flames when exposed to the air. Do not walk directly on the hay, especially at the center of the mow, as the interior may have charred and sunk. Transport the hay to an open space; it may ignite later.

Scilor, On Visit Here, In Pearl Harbor Action

Maurice "Buster" Patton, who for several months has seen service in the U. S. merchant marine department of the navy, returned to Prestonsburg this week. Mr. Patton, a brother of Cpl. Estill Patton, who was decorated for bravery as a result of his rescue in the Canal Zone of an army sergeant, was at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese attack was made Dec. 7. He was stationed on a submarine tender and saw much of the Pacific outpost action.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for the sympathy and kindness shown us and for the lovely floral offerings upon the death of our dear husband and father, Alvin Napier. We especially wish to thank the Revs. Edd Howard, Earl Howard and Alex Coburn for their consoling words; also G. D. Ryan and son, Jack, for their kind and personal services.

Mrs. Rhoda Napier and Family

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Riley Reynolds, deceased, to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Beaver, Ky., on or before Aug. 1, 1942, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.

JOSEPH REYNOLDS, Adm., Estate of Riley Reynolds, deceased.

7-16-3t BUY DEFENSE BONDS!

Mrs. Russell Howard Succumbs Sunday At Betsy Layne

An illness of three years of tropy resulted in the death Sunday at her home at Betsy Layne of Mrs. Polly Ann Howard, 63 years old, wife of Russell Howard.

A native of Meta, Pike county, she was a daughter of the late W. R. and Anna Scott Pinson. She had resided at Betsy Layne for the last 18 years, was a member of the Church of Christ and was regarded as one of her community's best women.

Surviving, besides her husband, are four sons and five daughters: Prof. D. W. Howard, principal of the Betsy Layne consolidated school; Victor Howard, Pikeville; Kermit Howard, Dwell, Ky.; Harvey Howard, with U.S. army forces in India; Mrs. Anna Scott, Coal Run; Mrs. Mattie Blankenship, Mossy Bottom; Mrs. Norma Thomas, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Lexie Hobson, Coal Run; Mrs. Laura Farley, Betsy Layne. She also leaves three sisters: Mrs. Luster Pinson, Williamson, W. Va.; Mrs. Allie Stratton, Mayflower, Ky.; Mrs. Stella Howard, Meta, Ky.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Betsy Layne high school gymnasium, and burial was made in the family cemetery at Mayflower, J. W. Call & Son directing.

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Table listing names and amounts for the Treasurer's Report, including Emmett Hamilton (3.00), Noah Martin (3.00), Will Halbert (121.20), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for TABULATORS, including Dial Salisbury (280.00), Oliver Allen, et al. (852.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for PRINTING AND ADVERTISING, including Mountain Printing Company (225.00), Prestonsburg Publishing Company (250.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for OFFICE SUPPLIES, including Prestonsburg Publishing Company (493.15), Mountain Printing Company (337.15), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for UTILITIES, including John Badgett (48.00), Jerry Stephens (207.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for LABOR ON COUNTY ROADS, including John Badgett (48.00), Jerry Stephens (207.00), A. C. Carter (350.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for ROAD CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL, including James Whitaker (750.00), Wm. Refitt (300.02), Johnnie Hall (472.79), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for ROAD CONSTRUCTION OPERATING SUPPLIES, including John Hatton (26.75), East Kentucky Gasoline Company (303.61), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for ROAD AND BRIDGE CONTRACTS, including Elzie Whitaker (35.00), H. L. Mayo (200.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the top section of the Treasurer's Report, including Jimmy Whitaker (155.00), Ezra James (40.00), Sherman Prater (50.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for ROAD MACHINERY REPAIRS, including Thomas J. Allen (392.25), Joe Crum (339.00), Clyde Smith (36.80), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for NEW ROAD MACHINERY, including Valley Chevrolet Sales (2,877.00), Big Sandy Motor Company (608.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for RESERVE FOR EMERGENCIES, including G. L. Gray (100.00), Wayland High School (87.63), Lee Hinkle (2.57), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for RIGHT-OF-WAY, including Mat Hale (438.00), Betsy Hall (50.00), Joe J. Hall, etc. (376.20), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the top section of the Bond Fund, including King Jones, etc. (233.00), John Frazier and Wife (315.00), Doke Griffin (75.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for TRANSPORTING COMMODITIES, including Bill Clark (80.00), Dick Clark (80.00), Willard Hicks and E. P. Hill (119.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for WPA RENTALS, including Lawrence Krathley (525.00), I. O. O. F. Lodge (960.00), Mrs. William Dingus (165.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for REFERRAL AGENT SALARY, including Ruth Roberts, et al. (1,995.00), Ruth S. Roberts (22.90), Elizabeth S. Goble (22.90), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for Bond Fund receipts, including Funding Bonds Prin. and Interest (28,250.00), Floating Debt (500.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for BOND FUND, including Balance July 1, 1941 (95,130.56), RECEIPTS: Sheriff (53,960.73), Delinquent Taxes (996.66), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for SPECIAL LEVY FUND, including Balance July 1, 1941 (5,866.28), RECEIPTS: Sheriff (444.91), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for DISBURSEMENTS, including No. 14796 Beaver Valley Hospital (4,600.00), 14797 Martin General Hospital (1,200.00), etc.

Table listing names and amounts for DISBURSEMENTS, including Price Quire (45.00), McJunkin Supply Company (17.40), Ballard Setser (300.00), etc.

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KY. 22—Under construction between Williamstown and Falmouth. Use marked detour.
US. 27—Newport-Falmouth. Detour due to construction of 6½ miles.
KY. 80—Between Russell Springs and Columbia. Work discontinued. Practically impassable in wet weather. Suggest through use KY. 90.

Penalty for Failure To Buy Usage Stamp Cited by Collector

Although most automobile owners have purchased federal automobile usage tax stamps, there are those who have not and these are subject to a penalty of \$25 fine or 30 days in prison, or both, it was said this week by S. R. Glenn, collector of internal revenue, Louisville.

These stamps may be purchased at Postoffices until August 1, after which date they may be prolated only from internal revenue collectors' offices. For failure to purchase stamps and affix them on their cars several motorists in both the Eastern and Western districts of Kentucky are being prosecuted, Mr. Glenn said.

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TODAY'S ROADS—KENTUCKY
US. 23—Louis-Paintsville road. Surfacing 1½ miles. Closed. Detour in good condition, but very dusty.

NEWS FROM FLOYD COMMUNITIES

BETSY LAYNE

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Lou Bartley Thursday evening. The club completed squares for a quilt to be sold for War Bonds. The club plans to aid in the drive for metal. Those present were Mrs. Laura Chandler, Elizabeth Roberts, Myrtle Howard, Hettie Combs, Kathryn Blackburn and the hostess, Mrs. Bartley.

MRS. ELLIOTT, HOSTESS

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Mary Elliott Tuesday evening. Those present were Mrs. Laura Chandler, Angelyn George, Helen Prater, Eliza Blackburn, Myrtle House, Kathryn Blackburn, Anna Williamson, Mrs. Charlie George, Dorothy Osborne, and the hostess, Mrs. Elliott.

WIN RUBBER GAMES

In the recent contest sponsored by the Woman's Club to aid the rubber drive, the following winners have been announced: First prize, Glenda Lynn Blackburn, 1,047 pounds of rubber; second prize, Junior Fannin, 934 pounds; third prize, Billy White, 140 pounds.

The Ladies' Aid sponsored an open air supper Saturday evening, which turned out to be an indoor supper at the church. In spite of the rain, a large number attended. Delicious plates were served and ice cream was sold.

Mrs. Woodrow Miller visited her mother, Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, over the week-end.

HITE

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Layne and sons, of Stephens Branch, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Layne's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Compton.

Vernon Ratliff, of Hite, who has been in the Martin General hospital after having been injured in the Porter mines, sometime ago, returned to his home Saturday.

Mrs. Silas Scott's sister from Garrett spent several days with her recently.

Ambrose Hall, of Amba, spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. John Compton, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Newsome and Lizzie Hunter were Saturday guests of Miss Rebecca Compton.

Mrs. Eva Crisp has gone to Baltimore, Md., where she has a job.

W. PRESTONSBURG

Sgt. Thomas Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Perry, has returned to Camp Davis, N. C., after spending a week with his parents and other relatives here.

Mrs. Ballard Herald honored her daughter, Miss Emma Jean, with a birthday dinner party at her home here July 24. The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts. Those enjoying the dinner were Miss Hazel Green, Mrs. Christine Preston Goodman, Mrs. Gertrude Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Herald and Miss Emma Jean Herald.

Miss Carlos M. Hale was a visitor in Betsy Layne Friday.

Tom Goodman, who is employed in Pike county, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Goodman and daughter, Rosalie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Crisp and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams, of Garrett, spent the week-end in Renfro Valley.

HITE

(Last week's correspondence) Miss Marie Akers and Filmore Jones, of Pikeville, were visiting Miss Blanche Keathley, of Hite, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Compton and daughter, of Hite, made a business trip to Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Rebecca Compton and son spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Caner Crisp, of Besco.

Mrs. Amanda Dingus and granddaughters were visiting Gypsie Compton, of Martin, Saturday.

Jim Hall, of Mud Creek, spent Saturday night here.

Dan Meade, of Clear Creek, was visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Compton, here Sunday.

Mrs. Basil Hamilton, of Mud Creek, was visiting here Sunday.

DAVID

Mr. and Mrs. Enno Van Gilder spent the week-end in Holden, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammond drove to Nashville, Tenn., over the week-end to get his sister.

Mrs. Gene Hamilton returned from the Paintsville hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hughes have as their guest Mrs. Ousley, of Garrett.

The Rev. Howard Church preached at the David Community Church Sunday morning. The young people met at 7:15 p. m. and had an interesting program on "Heroes of Faith." Miss Frances Coffman led the program, and those taking part were Thelma Rogers, Betty Keesling, Anna Mae Christian, Jewel Carver.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at the church Tuesday night for Bible study and Red Cross sewing.

The health department held a clinic here Monday for pre-school-age children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burke were out of town over the week-end.

Miss Bertha Jane Hess is visiting friends in Wayland.

Miss Tommy Lee Busscy is back in town after a few weeks' visit with her parents in Wayland.

Mrs. W. E. Hess had as her guest Thursday Mrs. John F. Daniels and daughters, Frances and Jane, of Lexington, Ky., and Mrs. E. W. Beers, of Van Lear.

LACKEY

(Last week's correspondence) Russell MacArthur Stidham celebrated his sixth birthday Wednesday afternoon with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Stidham. Those who attended were Zonia Johnson, Glenda Shields, Verdie and Verlie Stone, Wandalee Baker, Josephine Hambrick, Evelyn Risner, Clark and Ralph Stone, and Mrs. Hambrick. The afternoon was spent in the playing of games. Russell received many pretty and useful presents.

McDOWELL

John R. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Robinson, is home on furlough.

Miss Verna Jones was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Sherman Stumbo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall.

Miss Luta England was home from Caney Junior College.

Miss Niza McCown is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Stumbo.

BETSY LAYNE

By JAMES BLEVINS

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright, who moved to Martin several months ago, returned to Betsy Layne Sunday to reside.

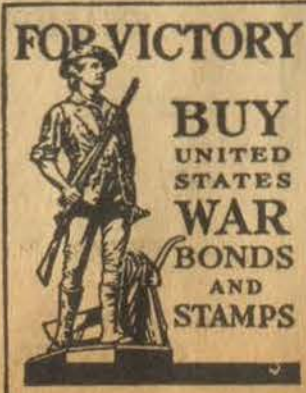
Several of the men who received defense employment at Louisville returned home to spend the week-end with their families.

Residents of Betsy Layne were sorry to hear of the death of one of our finest citizens, Mrs. Russell Howard, who died Sunday evening at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Layne, of Justell, entertained visitors Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Allen here Sunday evening.

Clinton Blankenship returned to Baltimore, Md., Monday. He is employed in defense work.



MAYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Cola Osborne and children, of Montezuma, Ind., are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Osborne has been in attendance at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. John Ratliff, whose condition remains serious.

Mrs. J. H. Allen motored to Lexington Thursday with her son, G. E. Allen, who entered the University, where his sister, Miss Harriett Allen, is also in school.

Mrs. E. W. Baker is now at home after having attended summer school in Berea College.

John Pratt, of the U. S. Army Air Corps in Texas, is the guest of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsel Combs were shopping in Pikeville Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn were in Pikeville on business Tuesday.

Misses Joyce and Beryl Stewart returned Tuesday of this week from a two-weeks vacation in Jacksonville, Fla., where they were guests of their sister, Mrs. S. J. Tallent, and Ensign Tallent.

Mrs. Dean Amburgy and son Samuel left last week for Detroit, to visit several members of the family there. They were accompanied by Mrs. Amburgy's daughter, Mrs. Ed Gazay, and her small son, Louis Dean, of Jeff, Ky.

Little Miss Toby Wells, of Wayland, is the guest of her young cousin, Master Bill Arnold Cooley, this week.

Clovis Ferguson and Austin Cassidy, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cassidy, respectively, are now in Detroit, Mich., where the two are employed by the General Motors Corporation.

Rev. and Mrs. Blevins, formerly of Wheelwright, are now residents of Maytown, occupying the property of S. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Snoddy left Saturday for a week-end visit in Ashland with Mr. Snoddy's family.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. May motored to Wheelwright and Weeksbury Sunday and on to Pikeville to see friends there.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Allen had as their dinner guests Thursday evening, Mrs. G. E. Allen, Dr. J. H. Allen and Mrs. Donovan and young daughter, of Martin.

"Speed" May was initiated into the Mollie Pitcher lodge here last week.

Mrs. E. R. May spent Tuesday afternoon in Pikeville shopping and visiting Mrs. F. A. Vernon.

Mrs. Carl Ferguson was in Paintsville Thursday.

OLD FOLKS SERVICE

A special service for the old folks of the community will be held in the Methodist Church on the second Sunday at 11:30 a. m., the pastor, the Rev. J. B. Hahn, in charge. All persons over 60 are invited to come and sit with the old people, who will be honored on this occasion. Mesdames Em Begley and Tom Allen are the two oldest in Maytown, and it is hoped that they, especially, are privileged to attend.

BOARDS MEET

Both church boards met Wednesday, July 15, in the church. Rev. Hahn presided in the absence of Superintendent Carl Stewart. Mrs. Frank May, treasurer, made her report, which included the report from Mrs. Ed Sutton, general chairman of Homecoming collections and expenditures. Mrs. V. A. Hayes was elected treasurer of the Sunday School, to fill the vacancy created some time ago by resignation.

COMMITTEE MEETS

The committee to choose new teachers and substitutes for the Methodist Sunday School, which installs its new officers the first Sunday in October, met Friday in the church, Rev. Hahn presiding. Only two officers were elected, these to fill vacancies caused by the absence of current officeholders. Rev. Frank Allen was chosen as teacher of the Bible class, while Edgar R. May was

DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. George Symon, Jr., of Louisville, are visiting Mr. Symon's mother, Mrs. Bessie Symon, this week.

Johnnie Haywood, of Stephens Branch, was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd Sunday.

Gracie Robinson returned home Sunday after visiting friends in Virginia.

Kelly Dingus is erecting a building here.

Mrs. Wm. Clark and son Pete visited Mrs. Campbell Clark at Betsy Layne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Layne were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders, of Virginia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ratliff during the week-end.

Mrs. Nick Everage and children were visiting her mother, Mrs. Bum Ratliff, Sunday.

Opal, Ocie and Joanna Isaac left Wednesday for defense training at Carrollton, Ky.

Herbert Shepherd returned home Friday from the Beaver Valley hospital, and is improving nicely.

Brodia Amburgy was injured in the Stephens Branch mines where he has been working for a while.

Mrs. N. O. Allen and Alma D. Caules were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hale, of Stephens Branch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lumpkins, of Martin, were visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Crisp and son, Calva Dean, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac Sunday.

Mrs. Frazier, of Brush Creek, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Bessie Goble, Sunday.

Miss Jeannette Harris returned home Wednesday from visiting relatives at Norfolk, Va.

Wilson Frazier and Wallace Robinson motored to Michigan on a business trip Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbit, of Buck's Branch, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Jobie Prater Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Symon, of Alabama, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Bessie Symon.

DINWOOD

(Last week's correspondence)

Mrs. Roscoe Hayes and children, of Warco, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Compton, of Hite, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Gypsie Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Winnie Dingus, of Martin, was visiting her brother, Hargis Calton, and Mrs. Calton, this week.

Mrs. Gardez Dingus and daughter Peggy Jo, of Martin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen Saturday.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Fugitt was ill Saturday.

Ocie Isaac was very ill Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Isaac were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward.

Avis Osborne will leave Saturday for service in the U. S. army.

Herbert Ousley, Avis Osborne and Bill Symon were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clarke Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda Dingus and grandsons, T. J. and Paul Milford Compton, of Hite, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac Monday evening.

secretary of the Sunday School. Election of other teachers and substitutes, also of a superintendent to succeed Carl Stewart, who may move soon, was postponed till a further date, the committee submitting all recommendations and suggestions for the various posts to Rev. Hahn, who was instructed to see everyone under consideration, and report at a later date, when a vote will be taken.

Maytown stewards for the coming year were announced at the regular quarterly conference on July 12.

HAROLD

By CHARLES RAY ROBINETTE

RETIREES AFTER 30 YEARS
P. S. Clark, 70-year-old postmaster, is retiring after 30 years of service as postmaster at Harold. Edgar Sturgill will begin his duties as postmaster, starting Aug. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ealey, of Paintsville, had as their week-end guests Misses Myrtle Small and Belle Hatcher, both of Harold.

A. K. Hatcher, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Hatcher, of Pikeville, visited his grandparents here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hatcher were recent guests of Mrs. Minnie Hatcher at her home here.

Allen D. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, of Harold, and Carl Phelps, also of Harold, have enlisted in the U. S. Signal Corps and took the examination Wednesday.

A. C. Anderson, of Harold, enlisted in the U. S. Air Corps and is now at home on a 30-day furlough.

Dr. T. J. Chandler, of Harold, is in the Pikeville hospital suffering from an infected finger.

Earl Martin, of Amba, enlisted recently in the Flying Cadets and will take his final examination at Cincinnati.

Mrs. A. K. Robinette and daughter Jean have returned from a visit with her sisters at Beckley and Bluefield, W. Va.

A. K. Robinette attended an assembly and immersion service of Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday at Williamson, W. Va.

MARTIN GENERAL HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Dorcas Tussey, of Dock, was admitted to the hospital July 24 for medical treatment and was dismissed, the following day.

Troy Osborne, of Manton, who sustained an injured knee in a mine accident at the Stephens Ekhorra Coal Corp., was admitted to the hospital July 24 for medical treatment and was dismissed July 26.

Mrs. Lee E. Daniels, of Baltimore, Md., and formerly of Martin, underwent a major operation at the hospital on July 24 and is convalescing nicely.

Mrs. Wm. Jarrell, of Martin, was admitted to the hospital July 25 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Gus Blevins, of Manton, was admitted to the hospital July 25 for medical treatment. She is convalescing.

Mrs. G. C. Ward, of Drift, was admitted to the hospital on July 26 for medical treatment and is improving.

Miss Edith McDowell Brewster, nurse, and Miss Octavia Johns, cook, at the hospital are taking their vacations this week.

We are happy to have Mrs. Mae Dantic, one of our former nurses, back with us.

Notice!

All persons having finished tires that have been in our shop for 30 days are hereby notified that if tires are not taken out within 15 days—they will be sold for charges.

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Mrs. Shirley Burton, 45 years old, widow of McKinley Burton, of Auxier, died Saturday at a Lexington hospital after an illness of several months. The body was returned to Auxier where funeral rites were conducted Tuesday.

News of her passing was received with deep regret by many friends

and relatives. Surviving Mrs. Burton are five children, Miss Onelda Preston and Mrs. Leo Wallen, both of Auxier, children of her first marriage; Miss Edith Burton and Ferrell Burton, of Auxier, and Sgt. Lloyd Burton, with the U. S. army in California.

Funeral rites were conducted from the Auxier church, the Rev. W. H. Horne, the Rev. Dewey Fraley and the Reverend Castle officiating.

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Dr. Gabbard is President of Witherspoon College, located at Buckhorn, Ky., and is a Presbyterian minister. He opposes C. L. Senters of Floyd county in the primary. A. J. May, Prestonsburg, is the present Congressman.

Dr. Gabbard is a native of Eastern Kentucky and was formerly pastor of churches in Hopkinsville, Ky., Knoxville and Chattanooga in Tennessee. In 1935 he returned to Buckhorn to take charge of the school and orphanages and since then has been instrumental in securing more than \$200,000 for their support.

He is a trustee of Berea College and a director of Maryville College and the Louisville Theological Seminary, and long has been active in the economic, educational and spiritual development of the mountain region.

In announcing his candidacy, Dr. Gabbard stated, "The time has come when our best citizens must give attention to our laws and important affairs of government . . . One of our highest duties to God and man is to use our influence to maintain in our nation and among the nations of the earth political freedom and just political institutions."

He states that, if elected, he will devote himself first to the winning of the war and second to the "maintenance in time of war and in time of peace the things that have made our American way of life distinctive."

(Pol. adv.)

**Prestonsburg Coach
And Cousin Enlist
In Marine Corps**

Joe Taylor Hyden, 26, former Prestonsburg high school athletic coach, and William Walter Hyden, Jr., both of Prestonsburg, enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps last week.

The former was graduated from the University of Kentucky and later taught here. William Walter, a miner prior to joining the Marines, has spent several years in Colorado. They left Louisville on the day of their enlistment, for the big Marine training base at Parris Island, S. C. The two are cousins.

While undergoing a six-weeks training course at the base, they will be taught the basic fundamentals of militarism habitually taught to all new Marines.

**Tram Farmer Succumbs
To Heart Ailment
At Age of 62**

Isaac Lee Layne, 62-year-old Tram farmer, died Wednesday morning, last week, at his home following an illness of four months of heart disease.

A son of the late Alwilda Layne, he was a member of one of the section's largest families and was well-known. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lucinda Belle Layne, three sons and six daughters: Bircham W. and Hubert C. Layne, both stationed in Texas with the U. S. army; Herbert W. Layne, now in overseas service; Mrs. Ercel Wright, Ashland; Mrs. Bertha Hall, Tram; Mrs. Florida Smith, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Wilda Farmer, Tram; Misses Lilla Mae and Elsie Irene Layne, both of Tram. He also leaves one half-sister and two half-brothers.

The funeral was conducted Friday at the graveside in the family cemetery at Tram and burial was under the direction of J. W. Call & Son.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the doctors, nurses and those who were so kind and sympathetic during the illness and upon the death of our son and brother, Sid Allen.

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News.

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