

Another week gone by since we got this sheet out. Another week nearer victory!

### DUMMIES

Dummy guns and dummy gunners atop the halls of Congress! But no more protection is needed. For Nazi and Jap bombers know that four or five of their best friends are below.

### "A LITTLE LEARNING"

Now that we have point rationing, to "know your onions" is not enough. You'll have to know your corn and beans and so on, too.

### DEMOCRACY AT WORK

Rationing. I may go short on something. But I'm glad we have it. It is democracy really at work. Rich and poor, black and white, Gentile and Jew—each alike is entitled to his 48 points over a given period. Otherwise, some of the "big boys" might have feasted while the "little uns" starved.

### "TAINT FAIR!"

But that eight points per can charged to the hoarder is not a penalty. It's a premium, and nothing else can be made of it.

### PROTECT THE TREES

In Summerville, S. C., all trees are subject to police regulations and no tree is ever cut in the town unless it is necessary for the preservation of other trees or because of a dangerous condition in the tree. The town has an ordinance which declares that it shall be unlawful to injure or destroy any living tree or sapling within its corporate limits except through permission of the Town Council.

Prestonsburg, which has always been distinguished by its trees, needs some similar ordinance. "Spare that tree" should not be a mere poetic plea; it should be a command that must be obeyed.

### DEAL AROUND ME

Among the unimportant items of the week is that which tells of the Cincinnati man who played "Russian poker" till he died. He had entertained his friends, twice earlier, by winning at the "game." You lose in this game only once. You take a revolver, insert one cartridge in the cylinder, give the cylinder a spin. Then, betting your life that the cylinder didn't stop on the cartridge, you put the muzzle of the gun to your temple and pull the trigger.

### WHEREIN WE SERVE

At least one daily newspaper we read found an advertiser who paid for the space required for publication of the Consumer's Declaration form for Point Rationing that THE TIMES published free last week. That's what makes the difference between a paying business and just a place of business. And that's not all THE TIMES did—we printed, without charge, 4,000 copies of the Declaration Form when the Ration Board here found that the Government Printing Office or somebody hadn't supplied Floyd county with its full quota.

### NEWS

Speaking of newspapers, business, etc., The Courier-Journal recently stated in black-face type on Page 1 something that is as much news to us as if it had said a man had bitten a dog. That item was to the effect that the C.-J. was, because of curtailment of paper, obliged to omit from its columns 23—twenty-three—columns of advertising. Looks like the boys in the major leagues would farm some of their material out.

### FISH HAD GOOD TASTE

L. J. Gerlach, of Allen, Floyd county's conservation officer, last year caught at least one fish, every month in the year—fishing below the locks or out of Kentucky during May. This year, so far, he has done the same thing. And last Sunday...

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### Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Revenue

#### TO ALL PERSONS HAVING AN INTEREST IN UNREDEEMED LAND:

Notice is hereby given this 17th day of Feb., 1943, of the intention to file suits for the enforcement of the lien on any unredeemed real property located in Floyd county that was purchased by the state and held by a sheriff's sale for taxes, for any year or years from 1933 to 1937 inclusive. Any person having an interest in such property is requested to pay the necessary redemption costs to the county court clerk within the next twenty-four days so as to avoid litigation and the imposition of an additional 15 per cent penalty as provided in section 134.540 Kentucky Revised Statutes.

WARD J. OATES,  
Commissioner of Revenue

Posted by:  
W. W. BURCHETT  
County Attorney

## 107 TO LEAVE HERE MARCH 5 FOR INDUCTION

### 22 Are Volunteers; Registrant-Writers Asked for Numbers

One hundred and seven selectees—105 from Draft Board 44 and two transferred here from other boards—will leave here Friday morning, March 5, for possible induction in the armed forces at Huntington, W. Va.

Among them are 22 volunteers, and a number of young men of the 18-19-year age group.

H. T. Hill, clerk of Draft Board 44, this week asked THE TIMES to emphasize to all draft registrants the importance of stating their order numbers when writing the Board; or, if they cannot supply this order number, to state the date of their birth. Necessity for such information arises from the fact that three or four registrants may have the same name and address, and unless the writer's order number or birth date is given the draft board has no means of knowing which one of the three or four is the correspondent.

Information to high school students subject to selective service was also repeated—to the effect that if the student has not attained his 20th birthday he can gain a postponement of induction by filing application for postponement after, not before, he is notified for induction. Names and addresses of the 107 slated to leave March 5 follow (V following a name indicates that the selectee is a volunteer):

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## CROP TO NET \$587, REPORT

### Only 8 Hemp Crops In County Escape Floods of 1942

Eight Floyd county farmers whose crops of hemp were not destroyed by flood last year will receive \$587.32 for their production from between four and five acres, the Floyd Agricultural Conservation Program committee was notified a few days ago. Crops of the other 18 farmers participating in 1942 in the hemp program were lost to flooded streams. Floyd county's quota of hemp this year is 400 acres, and farm representatives have been working for some time toward that goal. The crop has been described as probably the best source of farm cash income in this section with a price of \$10 a pound guaranteed this year on seed. Approximately 3 1/2 pounds of seed are required to sow an acre of land to hemp, and the average yield is from 20 to 30 bushels per acre, it was said.

Dick Burchett, of Ivel, sold last year's crop of approximately three-fourths of an acre for \$120.

With 450 tons of phosphate already delivered to Floyd farmers, the ACP committee here said this week that an additional 400 tons have been ordered. Eighteen hundred applications for phosphate have been filed, it was said. The phosphate is delivered from Prestonsburg to farms over the county at a charge of 15 cents per bag.

## HODGE-PODGE OF EVIDENCE

### Given at Hearing In Craft Slaying Here Last Week

A hodge-podge of evidence heard at the examining trial here last Thursday of Dewey Bentley, Martin trainman, in the slaying at Martin Feb. 13 of John Craft, former policeman there, left County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., convinced of one thing—that the physical facts and the evidence are at variance.

He set Bentley's bond at \$5,000. Chief of Police Tavis Flanery told of examining Craft's weapon, a few minutes after the shooting, and finding it fully loaded. Both Mr. and Mrs. Keen Goodman testified that Craft fired two shots at Bentley before the latter fired a single shot.

Testimony also claimed that the

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## Bible Auditorium Revival To Open Sunday Night, Announcement Says

Evangelist L. A. Watson will begin a series of meetings at the Bible Auditorium on Third avenue, across from Nunner's store, Sunday, Feb. 28, at 8 p.m. Opening topic for Sunday night will deal with present world conditions and will answer the question, "Who will win the battle for world supremacy?"

The speaker announces that he will follow the method of opening the Bible and giving God's answer to every question, emphasizing the importance of studying the prophecies of the Bible at this time of uncertainty.

The Bible Auditorium welcomes all, both young and old, to take part in this revival. The building is well lighted, heated and has comfortable chairs.

Singing Evangelist J. S. Jameson will direct the old-fashioned song service. He invites all to be present promptly at 7:30 p.m. Special music will be provided.

Special prayer will be offered Sunday night for your son or loved ones in service. Mothers, fathers, wives, and sweethearts will certainly be present for this service.

Additional announcement appears on page two of this issue of THE TIMES. Watch this newspaper weekly for further announcements.

## DRIVE PLANS ANNOUNCED

### Community Workers Named To Seek \$13,500 Fund

Plans for launching on March 1 of the War Fund drive of \$13,500 of Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, were almost complete this week with the naming of leaders to conduct the drive in the various communities of the county.

With committees in a few communities yet to be named, Walter Scott Harkins, Prestonsburg, chairman of the drive, announced the following community leaders as already selected:

Wheelwright, E. R. Price; Weeks-bury, E. M. Stephens; Drift, B. F. Reed, E. A. Faulkner; Fed, George P. Smith; Ligon, Mr. Sexton; Wayland, R. A. Suppes; Estill, George Evans; Martin, James Green, Mrs. Ben Norris; Garrett, Ted Stapleton, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill; Harold, Dick Mandt; Auxier, Mr. Whitten; Manton, Byron Brashear; Betsy Layne, Mrs. Kathryn Blackburn; Maytown, Miss Harriet Allen; Lackey, Mrs. W. T. Hatcher; David, Mrs. W. E. Hess; Allen, George W. Snodgrass; Banner, Rev. Isaac Stratton; Emma, Mrs. L. C. Leslie; Bonanza, Mrs. Josephine Stanley; McDowell, Geo. L. Moore.

## 2 EMMA MEN DIE THIS WEEK

### Deaths of Neighbors, Result of Paralysis, Come Within 2 Days

Two well-known Emma citizens died this week within a two-day period, both of paralysis.

#### The victims:

John Branham, 83; William A. Goble, 76.

Mr. Branham had been ill for some time and paralysis was the direct cause of his death Monday. Mr. Goble died Sunday, five days after having been stricken.

Mr. Branham was a son of William and Levisa Hunt Branham and was born at Banner, March 1860. He was married to Miss Cill Goble, 32 years ago. To this union were born 11 children. Surviving are his widow and the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Maude McGuire, Jachin, W. Va.; Mrs. Ruby Branham, Prestonsburg; Madeline Branham, Prestonsburg; Henry Branham, Emma; Lewis Branham, Water Gap. He also leaves 43 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren and two brothers: Charles Branham, Emma, and Burns Branham, Albany, O.

He was one of Floyd county's best citizens and had been a member of the Baptist Church for 25 years.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church, Emma, by the Rev. Isaac Stratton. Burial was made in the Sherman cemetery at Emma.

Mr. Goble, a son of Charlie and

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## HELP FOR FLOYD FARMERS RANGES FROM SHOPS TO HENHOUSES

National defense courses and services designed to boost farm production and ranging all the way from rolling blacksmith shops to egg production have been initiated in Floyd county, Superintendent of Schools Town Hall said this week.

All such services are free to the farmer, the Floyd County Board of Education paying salaries of instructors and repairmen and later being re-imposed by the federal government. Between 20 and 30 courses are now being offered, Mr. Hall said.

Repair, operation and construction of farm machinery is demonstrated and put into actual practice on Left Beaver Creek by J. C. Moore; on Right Beaver, by Paul Jarrell and W. H. Reffitt. All courses are under the supervision of Roy Denny, Drift, R. L. Shepherd, Prestonsburg, and

## EWEN, VICTIM OF STROKE

### Floyd Mine Operator Succumbs at Martin Following Stroke

Stricken suddenly by cerebral hemorrhage while visiting at the home of E. A. Faulkner, Martin, Sunday, Asa Brooks Ewen, Floyd county coal operator, died Monday morning at the Martin General hospital. He was 58 years old.

A resident of Charleston, W. Va., Mr. Ewen operated a canal coal mine on Abbott Creek, near here, and another mine at West Liberty, Ky. He was a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic order. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Blanche Ewen, four sons and two daughters: William J. Ewen, Cincinnati, O.; Kelly, Rex and Edward Ewen, all of Charleston.

The body was prepared for burial by J. W. Call & Son and taken to Slade, Ky., for interment Wednesday.

## Tire Plant Announces Equipment Purchase Increasing Output

The Sandy Valley Tire Service this week announced purchase of a Vitacop multiple mold which will increase its output of re-capped tires to 1,200 a month, thus making the plant one of the largest in the state.

Completion of an addition to the plant's building on the Mayo Trail has been made to house new equipment, it was also announced.

The new mold, Franklin W. Moore, plant manager said, will accommodate any size tire and will finish from two to three tires at a time. It is expected to be installed and in operation not later than March 1.

## Food Distributing Administration Plans End of Schoolboy Pail

The day when a Kentucky school child tucks his lunch under his arm and trudges off to the classroom may soon be a thing of the past, it was indicated by plans announced last week for a program of school lunches of the Food Distributing Administration.

Devised to offset problems now faced by local communities such as shortages of manpower, warehouse facilities and difficulties of transporting foods, the F.D.A. project will furnish finances for community school lunch programs, it was pointed out.

This is the plan. Community sponsors of lunch programs for youngsters in schools and welfare centers will purchase foods themselves from local farmers and merchants. The F.D.A. regional office then will reimburse them for the amount spent within a stipulated limit.

This method of getting the food will enable those counties in the state that do not now have warehouse facilities to inaugurate an adequate school lunch program, Daniel K. Young, F.D.A. acting state supervisor, said.

Under the present school lunch program, which has been in operation for several years, the F.D.A. buys food stocks to support farm prices on more abundant crops and

Eugene Stanley, Betsy Layne, vocational agriculture teachers. Courses and projects how under way and instructors or workers in charge follow:

"Beef Cattle Production," Paris Conley, Bonanza. "Hemp Production for Seed," V. A. Hayes, Langley; "Producing Poultry for Meat," Robert Barnett, Martin, Otis Conley, Bonanza, Wes Campbell, Little Paint, Maude S. Hall, Printer, R. L. Pitts, Dock, George W. Spradlin, Needmore school district, Graydon Howard, Pyramid, Jim Elliott, Beaver; "Commercial Vegetable Production," Oma P. Elkins, Lambert, Willie Salisbury, Hunter; "Egg Production," A. L. Meade, Printer, Mrs. Artie S. Moore, Orkney; "Production of Foods for Farm Families," Mrs. Fanny Jarrell, Prestonsburg; "Pork Production," Jim Reynolds, Frasure's Creek school.

## HOWES RITES HELD FRIDAY

### Betsy Layne Man Instantly Killed At Gas Station

Funeral rites for James Berry Howes, 49, who was instantly killed, Wednesday afternoon, last week, at the Atlantic Coast Corporation's gas compressor station at Boldman, were conducted Friday from the gymnasium of Betsy Layne high school.

Mr. Howes, a resident of Betsy Layne for the last 20 years, sustained a crushed skull when struck by a heavy piece of metal used as a counter-balance on a coal hoist. Throwing out a water pipe under the coal hoist, he was working alone while George Post, a fellow-worker, went into a nearby building. When he returned he found Howes dead.

The victim was an electrical repairman at the station. He was a native of Johnson county and was a son of W. C. Howes. Besides his father, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Myrtle Woods Howes, a daughter, Janet, and one sister, Mrs. Oneida Williams, Betsy Layne.

## Little Paint Woman Seriously Burned

Mrs. A. J. Baldrige, 75 years old, was seriously burned Feb. 14 at her home on Little Paint and is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Her condition is considered as "only fair." Her nightgown became ignited from an open grate, and other members of the family suffered minor burns in extinguishing the flames.

### VISIT IN SALYERSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. May and Judge A. T. Patrick spent the past week-end in Salyersville, visiting friends and relatives.

## Hunter Man, Victim; Funeral Conducted Sunday Afternoon

William Lewis Sammons, 63 years old, died at his home at Hunter Friday.

A native of Boons Camp, Johnson county, Mr. Sammons had resided in this county for several years and had many friends throughout this section. He is survived by eight sons and daughters: Mrs. All Mollette, Dayton, O.; Jim Sammons, Hunter; Mrs. Frank Pultz, Drift; John P. Sammons, Martin; Richard Sammons, of the U. S. navy; Ruby Sammons, Hunter, and Archie Sammons, Dayton, O. He also leaves one brother and one sister: Jim Sammons, Williamsport, Ky., and Mrs. Mary Ward.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at Hunter, the Rev. G. R. Fannin officiating, and burial was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

## R.A.'s Re-Organize; In Meeting Tuesday

The Royal Ambassadors, boys' church group, have re-organized and for the second time have named Mayor E. P. Arnold their godfather. Mayor Arnold addressed the group at the home of Bob Francis Tuesday evening.

## BUS SYSTEM RE-ORGANIZED

### School Heads Told By ODT Economies Must Be Made

Complete reorganization of the school bus transportation system of Floyd county as ordered by the Office of Defense Transportation, is under way this week.

Two of the buses, one operating from Prestonsburg high school and the other running between Martin and Maytown were taken out of service, County Superintendent Town Hall announced. Students accommodated by these two vehicles will be served by the extended runs of the remaining buses in operation.

A representative of the Lexington ODT office who appeared before a conference of county school superintendents from all of Eastern Kentucky in Ashland last Thursday "laid down the law," Superintendent Hall stated, in outlining a 12-point set of rules to govern school bus operation. Among these regulations

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## FLOYD NATIVE DIES AT 83

### Mrs. Frasure Succumbs At Daughter's Home At Flemingsburg

Mrs. Sallie J. Hall Frasure, 83 years old, native of this county, died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Hall, Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Frasure was the daughter of John and Nancy Hall and was the widow of E. S. Frasure, who for many years was merchant and postmaster at McDowell, this county.

She was a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist Church for more than 50 years.

Surviving her are six sons and five daughters: A. L. (Lee) Frasure, McDowell; R. S. Frasure, Louisa; W. E. Frasure, Wilmington, O.; W. R. Frasure, Dayton, O.; W. S. Frasure, Waynesville, O.; Dr. T. C. Frasure, Ripley, O.; Mrs. L. P. Damron, Olive Hill; Mrs. Hat Kinney, Wolf, Ky.; Mrs. E. V. Hall and Mrs. J. F. Hall, of Flemingsburg, and Mrs. Ben Scott, Covington, Ky.

She also leaves four brothers and two sisters: William Hall, Myrtle Creek, Oregon; W. B. Hall and Elisha Hall, McDowell; Day Hall, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Floyd Hall and Mrs. Willie Hall, of Greenup county.

Funeral was under direction of Rankin & Wright, Flemingsburg, Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. Wm. Caudill and the Rev. A. F. Kiser officiating. Burial was at Elizaville, Ky.

### HOME FROM MT. STERLING

Mrs. N. M. White returned last week from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, at Mt. Sterling. Mr. and Mrs. Pieratt left Monday for Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

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## POINT SYSTEM REGISTRATION UNDER WAY

### 48 Points Allowed Each Consumer, OPA Tabulation Shows

How much processed food the new ration books will buy concerned Floyd county and the nation this week.

The 48 ration points allotted to each man, woman and child for March will command two cans of sliced pineapple, or three cans of peas, or 48 cans of baby food.

The 48 points may be spent, of course, on a variety of different foods. Here is what some of them will "cost," in the most popular can sizes:

Peas 16 points, corn 14, tomatoes 16, green beans 14, pears 21, peaches 21, grapefruit juice 23, tomato juice 32, soup 10, baby food 1. Prunes and raisins "cost" 20 points a pound; frozen foods mostly 13 points a pound.

Registration of consumers began here Monday; elsewhere in the county today (Thursday), at schools. A copy of War Book No. 2 was issued at Prestonsburg high school Wednesday every 20 seconds, it was said.

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## AMBUSH TRIAL TO BE HELD

### Here Before Harris To Be Given Hearing In Federal Court

Federal authorities will relinquish custody of Estill Harris, now held as a draft dodger, to the Floyd circuit court for trial as the ambush-slayer of Noah Johnson at Halo in September, 1941.

Word to this effect reached County Attorney W. W. Burchett this week in a letter from U. S. District Attorney John T. Metcalf, Lexington.

Mr. Metcalf wrote that authority has been obtained from the Attorney General for the release of Harris to Floyd authorities for prosecution, on the condition that if he is acquitted or released he is to be returned by state authorities to federal officials.

Harris has been removed from jail at Pikeville, where he was lodged after having been arrested at his father's farm in Knott county. He will be taken to Frankfort for arraignment in federal court March 8. Mr. Metcalf indicated he will ask the court to suspend imposition of sentence on the federal charge until he is given trial here.

His father faces a federal charge as having harbored a draft evader, but is now at liberty under \$2,500 bond.

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Jane Harris vs. Penn Fitzpatrick, etc.; J. B. Clarke, atty. Andy Wright vs. Emma Dutton Wright; Joe P. Tackett, atty. W. W. Cooley vs. Curtis Hicks, et al; Edw. P. Hill, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

John Smith and Mae Morgan, Jessie Davis and Gladys Bryant, Winford Stone, 21, Goodloe, and Annie Mae Webb, 18, Blue River; married at Prestonsburg Feb. 20 by the Rev. Alex Stephens, of the United Baptist Church.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S BONDS

Aleen Gilliam, admx., estate of Wm. Goble. Myrtle Howes, admx., estate of James B. Howes. Jerry Richardson and Amanda Richardson, joint administrators, estate of Steve Richardson.

### GUARDIAN BONDS

Myrtle Howes, gdn. of Janet Howes. Dave Prater, gdn. of Willie Harris, 12.



NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Prestonsburg Oil & Gas Corporation is closing up its business as a corporation and is being dissolved as of January 30, 1943, and that George W. Snodgrass and Joe Hobson have been appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation as its representatives to close out the affairs of said corporation, and notice is further given that from and after said date, the business formerly conducted by the corporation will be conducted and managed by the said Joe Hobson and George W. Snodgrass as trustees for the former shareholders of said corporation.

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WALTER WINCHELL is on a tour of duty outside Continental U. S. During his absence, contributors will substitute.

Some Items Which  
WE SHOULD KNOW  
ABOUT THE JAPS

By James R. Young  
Who Was 13 Years in Tokyo for INS.

**MAYLING SOONG FOUNDATION**, honoring the First Lady of China, established by her many friends in this country, has been given further impetus by Wellesley College alumnae on her arrival here 25 years after her graduation.

**TWO JAPS**, former students in the United States, are reported handling the 12,000 man Jap invasion army units in Northern Japan. These men would specialize in a follow up, after combat troops, in commandeering radio stations, telephone switchboards, gasoline stations, highways, railways, bus lines and power houses. One is Lieut. Henry Shimomouchi, a former San Francisco resident, and as of Dec. 7, 1941, in charge of Japan's so-called cultural society of Rockefeller Center. The other, Capt. Frank Matsumoto, was athletic director of Waseda University in Tokyo who entertained visiting American college and professional athletic teams.

**A BICYCLE**, the chief means of transportation in Shanghai, now costs \$10,000 in Chinese currency. The Japs, pre-Pearl Harbor, were the world's largest bike manufacturers, making them from processed American scrap at \$3 apiece and selling them on a one year installment plan to the natives of Indo-China, Siam and Malaya. In the drive on Singapore, Bangkok and Rangoon, the Japs seized the bicycles and literally peddled their way through the peninsula. Tokyo has an estimated 2,200,000 bicycles. Few have coaster brakes, which are the costliest part. The ingenious Jap manufacturers decided to leave off the expensive part—if you want to stop, fall off.

**THIS WINTER** Shanghai will witness hundreds of deaths from freezing and insufficient food. The European refugee colony, numbering several thousands, will suffer, too. The Japs, last Winter, seized all wheat and rice, and sealed Red Cross supplies—not one ounce or a single bottle of medicine was permitted in use. The Japs prefer to have thousands die in Shanghai's below zero weather than survive and require to be fed.

**CHILEANS** are being told by the Jap ambassador down there that if their country breaks with the Axis, Japan will bomb the long shore line. Japan for years was one of Chile's great nitrate buyers. In return the Chileans obtained Jap cotton piece goods, pottery, rayon, uniforms and military equipment. Boatloads of Chilean nitrate, sold by a British controlled company, went to Japan in return for munitions and agriculture. Now we must use nitrate on the Japs in the Pacific. Just as our oil and gasoline have taken the Japs to the Solomons and the Aleutians. Or, as Dr. Lin Yutang explains the paradox, we sold the Japs the Ninth Avenue Elevated so they could make bullets. Now we have torn down the Second Avenue Elevated to make bullets to fire back at the Ninth Avenue train.

**HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS** committee should include besides Clare Boothe Luce, a famous medical missionary from China, Dr. Walter H. Judd, elected from Minneapolis. He was one of many warning us years ahead of Japan's method of attacks. Possibly the Luce-Judd combination might shake down some of the mentally stagnated members of the State Department. And here's a tip: These Chinese are indignant that we have not cleaned house in the Far Eastern division of Mr. Hull's department, a year after war started. We'd better clean those career barnacles from the ship of state, if we expect future cooperation from the Chinese.

**RAY KINNEY**, the coast to coast Hawaiian bandman who recently played to a \$22,000 house in Chicago, knows Hawaiian legislative work. He worked as a page boy in the Territorial halls. His brother is an outstanding authority on Japs in Hawaii and published a book 20 years ago which was suppressed because it revealed Jap plots and intrigue in illegal immigration work.

**SIR GEORGE SANSOM**, one of the few British officials really familiar with Japan, has been appointed economic expert on Far Eastern affairs to the British Embassy in Washington. His counterpart in the American Embassy in Tokyo was Frank Starr Williams. Both Sir George and Frank Williams were outstanding authorities on Japan's plans for war—but few wanted to listen to them, especially the cotton people who were selling the Japs on credit and wanted Williams to help collect their bills!



Washington, D. C.

REVISE WARSHIP PLANS

Due in part to the fact that the U. S. navy had not had opportunity to profit from the experience of engaging in any major naval battles between 1812 and 1942, some of our biggest and fastest ships now under construction are being revised.

The main factor being changed in the blueprints is extra precaution against fire.

This is the lesson learned from the aircraft carriers Wasp and Lexington, and the cruiser Boise, all swept by fire after the direct damage of battle.

Since then the bureau of ships has made a study of fire hazards, finding that even an all-steel vessel can be swept by fire when tremendous heat is engendered, as from exploding shells and burning oil and gasoline.

New plans call for elimination of linoleum flooring, substitution of spun glass for cork in insulation, decrease in paint, and elimination of interior woodwork. Also, there will be larger fire hose and better fire fighting equipment generally.

Navy hopes to put an end to the grief of losing ships by fire after they have survived the battle.

Note: In the War of 1812, fire was a real hazard to wooden ships. But in the Civil war the only real engagement was between the Monitor and Merrimac which were not much bigger than modern escort vessels. In the Spanish-American war, there were no real naval battles and only one life was lost at Santiago, when an American sailor fell down a hatch on the Texas. In the World war, the U. S. navy got in too late to participate in any naval activities other than convoy work.

FDE'S SURPRISE

One thing that didn't get out about the "surprise" party at the White House for Speaker Sam Rayburn, on Sam's 61st birthday, was a little frill added by the President.

Rayburn was called to the White House with other congressional leaders ostensibly to discuss the legislative program for the new session. But when the group arrived, all but Rayburn were ushered into the private office of Economic Stabilizer Jimmy Byrnes.

The speaker was told that the President wished to see him alone for a few minutes.

The two men discussed legislative problems for a few minutes. Meantime, the President was keeping a sharp eye on the clock. Suddenly he broke out:

"Sam, the reason I asked you to come in here alone was to discuss a personal matter that has been worrying me."

Rayburn eyed him curiously, said nothing.

"It's about you, Sam," continued the President without batting an eyelash. "We're old friends and I feel I can talk to you frankly. I've got reports from Capitol Hill that the Democrats are dissatisfied with your leadership. They think you're getting too old to be speaker."

At that precise moment, Democratic Congressman Cliff Woodrum of Virginia, Bob Ramspeck of Georgia, Republican Leader Joe Martin of Massachusetts, Rep. Jim Wadsworth of New York and other house members burst into the President's office, led by Jimmy Byrnes.

Together they began singing "Happy Birthday to You" at the top of their voices.

"That was perfect timing, fellows," beamed the President. He had planned it all very carefully himself.

JOE MARTIN VS. SAM RAYBURN

Privately Republican Leader Joe Martin never had any intention of letting the Republicans organize congress and elect him as speaker. Until 1944, this responsibility is the last thing he wants.

However, the canny Republican leader took keen delight in keeping the opposition guessing and carried on his little joke until the very last.

When he marched into Speaker Rayburn's office with the committee that was to escort Rayburn to the floor, following his re-election, Martin was grinning from ear to ear.

"Sam," he said, "I've got some bad news for you. I hope you can hold up under the shock. You've been re-elected speaker."

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Jeeps which have been delivered to Mexico from the United States have earned the nickname "las cucarachas" (the cockroaches).

Undersecretary of War Patterson is so busy he has to send a messenger out to buy his shoe laces.

Under current military rule in Hawaii, the army takes about \$1,500 monthly from the civilian government's budget and uses it for propaganda and publicity to keep itself in power.

Soldiers and marines on Guadalcanal may not be aware of it, but one thing they are fighting for is rubber. As soon as our position in the Solomons is stabilized it will be possible to start gathering wild rubber. The amounts will be small, but a symbol of what we can get when we begin the reconquest of the great network of Pacific islands.

MAY BACKS  
MARSHALL

In Army Manpower  
Demands; Senator  
Adds His Support

Washington, Feb. 10—Chairman May (D., Ky.) of the House Military Affairs Committee declared today that Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff, in a discussion with legislators "unquestionably" had justified the army's need for increased manpower.

In a private meeting with about 50 members of the House and Senate, Marshall was reported to have outlined the progress of American military campaigns and to have explained the need for further increases in the personnel which some legislators said would boost the army's total to 8,200,000 men by the end of the year.

Several Senators and House members said they were impressed by the clear way in which Marshall outlined the military necessities. Senator Chandler (D., Ky.) commented:

"It would be a tragic mistake not to give Marshall all of the men he needs to do the job."

On the other hand, Senator Nye (R., N.D.), who has urged that military personnel not be increased too speedily lest it disrupt the home front war effort, told reporters he thought he read into Marshall's remarks the possibility of some reduction in manpower demands under the goal which would place more than 11,000,000 persons in the armed forces by the year's close. Some legislators have been pressing for a reduction in the military manpower goals in order to assure additional workers on the farms.

One of these, Senator Downey (D., Calif.), who attended the conference, said he had not changed his opinion that the military forces could not exceed 9,000,000 men without curtailing production of foodstuffs and war materials at home.

Quail for Liberation  
Must Be Ordered  
By March 1st

Game and Fish Clubs and individual sportsmen over the state have been told by S. A. Wakefield, director of the Division of Game and Fish, to send in their orders for additional quail for liberation to the Division offices in Frankfort not later than March 1.

Wakefield stated that the total number of quail for liberation this spring would be somewhat smaller than that of last year and that individual birds this spring would cost \$1.25 each.

The game and fish clubs were urged to appoint their quail liberation committees immediately and send names of the chairmen of the committees to the Division offices as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made to contact these men when the birds are ready for distribution.

Attention was called to the advisability of collecting old shoe boxes and other paper containers for the distribution of Bob White quail which will take place around April 1.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Highland Gas Company is closing up its business as a corporation and is being dissolved as of January 30, 1943, and that George W. Snodgrass and Joe Hobson have been appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation as its representatives to close out the affairs of said corporation, and notice is further given that from and after said date, the business formerly conducted by the corporation will be conducted and managed by the said Joe Hobson and George W. Snodgrass as trustees for the former shareholders of said corporation.

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ENROLL TODAY



# War Stamp Sales Over Half Billion Dollars, Album Drive Opens



Appealing Margaret C. Russell of the War Savings Staff tucks up this new Treasury poster which will be seen from coast to coast. It pictures retailers' slogan, "SAY YES." A drive is underway for Americans to buy additional War Stamps to fill albums and convert them into War Bonds.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's retailers from the tiniest hamlets to the mighty cities are acting as a spearhead in a great Treasury Department campaign to sell the additional War Savings Stamps needed to fill more than 100,000,000 albums now in the hands of the American people.

According to a report released by the Treasury Department today, sales of War Savings Stamps totaled \$559,777,000 for the period from May 1, 1941, through November, 1942.

Stamp sales have risen from less than three million dollars per month when they were first introduced to the public to an average of more than fifty million dollars per month at the present time.

The Treasury's slogan, "A half-filled album is like a half-equipped soldier," has been adopted officially by retailers for the campaign.

The importance of the drive is seen in the fact that a War Bond potential of nearly two billion dollars hangs in the balance.

Every War Stamp album, converted into a People's Bond, for which the purchaser pays \$18.75 and which matures to \$25.00 value when held for 10 years, adds its force to the war effort.

The Treasury Department is counting upon the country's school children to play a powerful role in the success of the SAY YES drive. The volume of stamp and bond sales is at the rate of \$200,000,000 for the current school year.

U. S. Treasury Department  
**Neill, General Manager Of Ky.-Va. Stages**

Gilbert Neill has recently been elected vice-president and general manager of Kentucky - Virginia Stages and as such will be the chief operating executive of that company with headquarters in Pikeville. Mr. Neill is 33 years old and has been in the bus business during his entire business career with Southeastern Greyhound Lines and has for the past several years been employed as regional manager of the Lexington region.

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## SHIKE'S POKES

(The views expressed herein are those of the writer and not necessarily those of this newspaper.—Editor.)

Well, I'm just wondering if it was a coincidence that we had to start signing up for Ration Book 2 on Feb. 22. That is the birthday of George Washington — who never told a lie. He couldn't tell a lie — and we can, but shouldn't.

I see where the new "Victory Sausage" will contain soy beans, wheat, corn and other sundry substances besides meat. It might be named Victory Sausage, but I say it's just hash in tights.

I'm getting d— tired of listening to these chronic grumblers, the perpetual fault-finder, the cynic, the pessimist, just the old bellyachers who are indifferent to what is going on. They censure others but do nothing themselves. They want the privileges and liberties of democracy but will contribute nothing toward safeguarding it. They are just helping Hitler. They hear about shortages of certain things and they buy and buy and over-buy. No wonder scarcities occur. No wonder Hitler chuckles. Coming right home to us, "our government," the greatest on earth, asked all of us miners to work six days. The U. M. W. of A., the "Strongest Union in America," and the Southern operators signed an agreement to work six days — with no penalty attached — just your patriotic duty. Well, how many laid off one or two days last week without reporting any reason, but just helping Hitler? This is my scrap, yours, everybody's. Let's not let one part down for want of a little sacrifice.

We just heard one on Dan Combs who is now in Uncle Sam's army. The sergeant told Dan that if he could only shoot as well as he could eat he'd be o. k. Dan replied that he'd been practising eating for almost 20 years, but that he'd only had his gun two weeks.

Harve McKinney has an airplane dog. Every plane that goes over, Harve's dog chases it as long as it is in sight. We'll have to use him for an airplane spotter.

One miner up here was off from work for an unusual cause—too tickled to work. He ate a big "bait" of fresh hog's ears and forgot to hair them. He's been too tickled to work ever since.

John Horn had an awful bad week. He couldn't find a thing to "harp on Roosevelt" about.

Boy, that bunch of dumb Congressmen who wanted Winchell off the air—well, they should be investigated. Winchell is just as great a patriot as Paul Revere. Didn't he warn us of our peril for four years and that same bunch of Congressmen called him a warmonger? But Winchell was right and those Congressmen were wrong. So why in the h— don't they shut up? Those Congressmen had reasons for hobnobbin' with indicted, undesirable aliens and I believe their reasons were not the best for America. I'm of the opinion that Hoffman's name should be included in that list—people we could do without.

I'm just wondering why they are calling Clell the "Butcher Boy."

## U. K. Enrollment Drop Partly Due To War, Industrial Demands

Enrollment for the winter quarter of the 1942-43 school year at the University of Kentucky dropped approximately 415, in comparison to figures for the same term last year, according to a compilation from the office of the registrar. The loss is partly due to enlistments in the armed forces, selective service, and the demands of industry.

In spite of the decreased enrollment, 26 Kentucky counties showed an increase in enrollment, as did nine states. Only seven Kentucky counties of the 120 in the state, were not represented, while students registered from 37 of the 48 states and from six foreign countries. The total registration was 2,480.

Among those registered from Floyd county are: Eloise Williams, Betty Jean May, Billie V. Moore, Dean K. Combs, Paul C. Combs, Patricia Elizabeth Rimmer, all of Prestonsburg; Virginia Ward, Marie Little, G. Mae Bailey, Irene Bridgeman, all of Wheelwright; F. Fern Roberts, Osborn; Richard Leslie Turner, Martin; Walter Clay Gunnell, Emma; Dorothy Turner Martin, Drift; Harriet Elizabeth Messer, Garrett; Norine Cann, Fed; Helen Marie Co. burn, Garrett; James Herbert Stewart, Ligon.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### WOMEN IN WAR AND WAR WORK

Editor, The Times:

Who said this was a man's war? We women are making the men take back all they ever said about the fair, feminine sex. The old saying, "A woman's place is in the home," no longer holds good. The women are in there pitching and doing their bit in winning this great war. Take the women in Floyd county, for instance. We have women in the WAACS, women in the WAVES, women in all kinds of war industries doing the work of men; we have women in most all the offices of the U. S. Yes, women are doing more and more each day to help win this war! Besides the women in war work, we must not forget the ever-faithful housewife. All in all, she does as much or more than any in saving for the soldiers, sailors and marines who must, above all, be cared for first with the best of everything.

I have heard so many people talking about their sacrifices and how they don't see how they are going to get along without this and that luxury. I believe if they would stop and think about what their boys and our boys are going through they would certainly change their minds about their luxuries. We have boys in all parts of the world today fighting for our rights and the coming generation's rights to life and the pursuit of happiness. Now I ask you good people of Floyd county, shouldn't we wake up to the fact that we are not sacrificing anything compared to what our boys "Over There" are sacrificing so that we may live in happiness and peace in the coming years?

JANICE TERRY, Wayland, Ky.

**SERIOUSLY SPEAKING**  
Not all is bad in a nation, or in a town or community. When you get ready to leave you even think of, in a kind way, those who probably wish you speed in getting off.  
Prestonsburg is a pretty good town—cheap, of course, compared to many in the matter of high cost of living. But we're not favored by any industry except mining.  
Floyd and Pike are pretty near and dear, especially since so many choice citizens are on the many battle fronts.  
Some people holler that you're not a friend of labor if you're opposed to strikes. Quite the contrary. A friend of labor and country knows Americans cannot strike without befriending the Axis.  
Miners deserve good pay, and they're getting it. They go into a dangerous place, a hard and dirty place. And we feel that a part of the honor deserving outside of the armed forces is deserved by them. They also owe a great debt to their defenders overseas.  
The next several months will surely determine the final outcome of this awful war. Those now in the front lines—oh! if we could only get a glimpse of it... We would quit harping about shortages, about more wages. I believe you and I would both hang our heads in shame. The man out there fighting your battle and mine—he is human as well as we, and if we can't help instead of hindering, we're poor specimens of American citizens.  
Grover Blanton, Harlan county, grazed 20 head of cattle and horses on eight acres of kudzu most of the fall.



Grantland Rice

DISCUSSIONS lately have been flowing with the length and turbulence of Midwestern rivers concerning the names of all-around stars.

In these arguments, many of them started in army camps, we have had such names as Jim Thorpe, Bronko Nagurski, Sammy Baugh and many others.

As a composite star, we have just heard from an old friend we'd like to enter in this competition. In any mass formation of prominent celebrities his name might be swept aside.

Here are his qualifications — a 168-pound plunger, hard-hitting full-back at Vanderbilt around 1908—high-class college boxer — professor of English at Amherst — author of five volumes of extremely high-class verse, largely sonnets—now, in addition to his English teaching, in charge of boxing at Amherst along the lines of war training.

His name is David Morton, one of Dan McGugin's favorite football players and one of Amherst's best-liked professors.

Dave Morton couldn't hit the line with Thorpe or Nagurski, or pass like Baugh. But he was still 168 pounds of crash and smash.

But neither of these men could box with him—and neither could write his sonnets from "Harvest," "Ships in Harbour" and other published works.

And I have an idea none of these could teach English at Amherst with quite the same effectiveness.

### Strong for Boxing

Here is a letter from Dave Morton that explains itself—

"I welcomed your emphasis on boxing for soldier training in a recent column. (I'm running the boxing at Amherst.) All you say about parry and thrust and feint is true. Plus two other things. Keeping on balance—set for offense or defense—every second under all conditions.

"Discovery (for beginners) of the surprising margin of endurance and vigorous action after being hurt. The uninitiated don't know they have it. They learn this on boxing.

"These two things go into the list of wartime dividends from boxing experience.

"At Amherst boxing is compulsory now for every student. I have 150 a week, taking instruction and mauling one another around. They like it, for the most part, and all of them want what it gives—conditioning, co-ordination, skill in offense and defense, capacity for absorbing punishment.

"Don't let anyone tell you the college student is soft. I take eight or ten hours a week (and other things around the jaw and body) learning that that is an exploded myth. He's willing—and he's determined to learn how to give and take, and to be skillful as well."

### Boxing's Worth

When over 60-year-old Tony Bidle is willing to meet a bayonet fighter with bare hands—when Tommy Loughran takes the bayoneteers on with boxing gloves, you get the main idea.

There is still another idea that can be added to this list, brought out by another old friend known as Jack Dempsey.

Lieutenant Dempsey could never hit a line, throw a pass or even take time to read a sonnet, much less compose one.

But the Old Manassa Mauler had another good reason for boxing's worth.

"The big help," Jack says, "is the confidence it brings to these fellows. They seem to think they are dubs at the start. And most of them are—don't know a right hand from a left hand. But after two weeks, when they find they can take a punch and can throw a few, they are different guys. They look you in the eye in a different way. I've seen some of these boys hurt from a punch, and I made them stop for a rest. They don't like to be stopped. They want to prove they can get hurt and still keep swinging. And I'm now talking about clumsy-looking starters who couldn't even chin themselves twice when they came to camp."

### Untapped Mines

This country is full of possible stars and potential athletes who have never had a chance to prove their place in the shining sun of competition.

There has been entirely too much concentration on the few who, as football players, fighters or baseball players, could attract crowds at the gate.

Some stars had more color than others—although they may not have been better athletes. The build-up always has been important.

## Kentucky Farmers Face Biggest Job

"Farming in 1943, the biggest job Kentucky farmers ever faced," is the name of a leaflet published by the Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

"More farm products than ever before, is the goal for 1943—and this in the face of shortages of labor, machinery, fertilizers and other supplies, and transportation. Farmers will need all their ability and determination, but the goal can be met! As a rule, the thing for each farmer to do is to produce more of the things he is best prepared to produce, rather than to take on too many projects.

"Good, average-quality products and high yields are the order for 1943. There will probably be little price minimum for fancy quality, and the effort had better be used for greater output. Home production of as much as possible of feed for livestock and food for family will be an important help in meeting the national goals. It will assure the family the needed supplies, do away with much needless hauling, and release food for other uses.

"Careful planning of marketing and greater co-operation among neighbors and commercial truckers will be necessary if farm products are to move into marketing channels without severe loss."

The leaflet gives practical information on soil productivity, crop varieties, use of machinery, work-stock and labor, and the raising of cattle, hogs, dairy cows, sheep and poultry.

Hog cholera outbreaks in Monroe county were blamed on trucks and stockyards.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Uncle Sam's lighter 37-millimeter anti-tank guns are dubbed "tank killers." They are attached to the infantry, not the field artillery, and cost approximately \$6,500 each. They have proved particularly effective in anti-tank warfare.



They are mobile, mounted on automobile tires and can be rapidly whisked from place to place. Your purchase of War Bonds will help pay the cost of these field pieces so necessary for our Army in this War. Join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory and let's "Top that ten percent" by investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

## WAYLAND HOT SHOTS

By R. H.

At first when the war started, it seemed to be Hitler's and Tojo's war. They had the gangster's advantage of surprise. They had the Stukas and the Jungle Gorillas ready for action. They had the jump on us by wanting war. It became our war when we saw what they were after. Hitler began pushing workers around in 1933, the year when America first passed a law protecting labor's right to organize. Japan cracked its last trade union in 1938 when workers under Fascism were losing the last of their liberty; America was adopting collective bargaining. That the two can't live in the same world became apparent when U-boats began jogging the American continent on one elbow and Jap bombers on the other. It's your war now. Your government has to over-all manage the fight.

To win our way through to a sane, friendly world we must practice national thrift, so that, today, we can have reasonably priced bombs to blast Berlin and tomorrow reasonably priced wheat to feed ourselves and to strengthen the weakened bodies of the world's maltreated peoples. After the war, whether at home or in that outraged Europe, where Herman Goering is starving workers to feed his pigs, we Americans are going to have a job to do. The world we want is one in which the Norwegian sailor can drop and see his sister in Brooklyn; the Minnesota farmer can sell his crop use either in Connecticut flapjacks or in bread to feed a French kid where Lidice, Illinois can drink its cousin milk out of a Czech tumbler.

"Strong is the strength of Lord. We who fight in the people's cause will never stop until that cause is won."

I think that there's one thing ye old Hot-Shots has overlooked in reporting the news in Wayland. That is the two Hall families, with all their sons in the armed forces. Lorenzo Dow, better known as L. D., or Squire Skimp, has a family of three boys in the service. They are: Augustus (navy), Owen (army), and Oliver (marines). His brother, Little Bill, has two sons in the service. They are: Estill (army), and Vernon (air corps). The sons of L. D. were all volunteers. One of Bill's boys was inducted. So I take off my hat to the boys and also to their parents and hoping that they may return home safely, and to all other boys in the services. With due respect to all families and parents of Floyd county who may have boys in the services of their country, I am also hoping them a safe return home.

Men are dying for the Four Freedoms. The least we can do here at home is to buy War Bonds—10% for War Bonds, every pay day.

DR. J. A. BROWNE OPTOMETRIST OPTICIAN Will be in Prestonsburg on WEDNESDAY OF EACH WEEK Office Hours: 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. at Dr. John G. Archer's office, examining eyes.

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## MONUMENTAL HEAP IS GONE

THE mountainous scrap pile that flanked the City Hall here for months was cleared away this week, sent on its way at last to where it will do the most good—in the vitals of Japan and Germany.

While it was here, that scrap stood as a monument to the industry and patriotism of Floyd county school children. It stood for sweat and dirt and aching arms and legs and tired feet.

Coincidentally, Monday, when the last of the scrap heap was cleared away, these same school children were out gathering clothing for our allies, the heroic Russians.

This column has hitherto voiced its appreciation of the work the boys and girls of our schools have done to build and maintain a Home Front worthy of the name in Floyd county; but when the mouthings of grumblers rumble loudest, then this appreciation is greatest, and we cannot resist the temptation to give voice to it once again in the hope that some bellyaching adult will be put to shame and at least temporarily silenced.

## FALLACY OF A THEORY

THE theory that Floyd county may as well sponsor distribution of surplus foodstuffs, even to the undeserving, since some other county will get these commodities if we don't, and that they, in any event, will be strewn as largess—this is utterly ridiculous.

We are not justified in being a party to the wasting of foodstuffs when working folks are rationed, when our men in the armed forces need food and while millions are starving in friendly lands. We are no more justified in being a party to that sort of crime than an ordinary citizen would be justified in going out and helping to murder a man, simply because the man was to be murdered, whether he helped or not.

## GEARHEART

T. L. Morgan has sold his store and property to his brother-in-law, Jerry F. Howell, Representative from this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Adams have been down in the state for a few days. They may buy a home in that section.

Ralph Caudill, son of Johnnie Caudill, has completed a mechanical course at the NYA training school at Prestonsburg and expects to be called to a job soon.

Shirley Osborne, who has been working near Columbus, O., is back home.

## School Boys Arrested In Signal Theft

Arrested by Special C. & O. Agent G. L. Gray, of Allen, on a charge of removing flagging equipment from passenger train No. 39 three weeks ago, two 15-year-old schoolboys, Johnny Meeks and Earl Adkins, were given trial in juvenile court Monday. The two were accused of "hopping" the train at Ivel and taking equipment from the rear of the train. County Judge Hill withheld sentence, pending investigation of the boys' school records.

## Recapping Certificate No Longer Necessary

A rationing certificate no longer is required to have passenger car and light truck tires re-capped with re-claimed rubber. The action, approved by Rubber Director William M. Jeffers, is designed to reduce the demand for replacement tires. Re-capping requires about half as much re-claimed rubber as a new "war tire." Re-capping of large commercial vehicle tires still is governed by rationing restrictions. OPA's order makes no change in the rationing of replacement tires, including used and re-capped casings.

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tioning starts March 1. Sales of these items is frozen until then.

The values announced are expected to remain in effect throughout March, although they could be raised or lowered at any time. At the end of the month the CPA will announce the values for April, which may be the same or different.

The first 48 points provided by the new ration book are designed to cover purchases for the entire month of March. During the last week of March, however, some of the April coupons may be used if necessary.

It had been announced previously that the individual allotment for March would be 48 points but the value of these points was a closely kept secret and the announcement constituted a severe blow to householders who have been relying mostly on canned goods for their tables.

"This means we will be eating less than half as much canned and processed foods as we ate the previous year," commented Prentiss Brown, OPA administrator. "We'll do on this scant ration so that our fighting forces and the fighting forces of our Allies may have the food they need to carry on."

Many farmers in Russell county are winter-feeding clover hay and pasture to good grade beef cattle and find grain concentrates unnecessary.

In Fulton county, 138 4-H club girls made a total of 414 garments.

## 3-Game Win Streak Enjoyed by Cats In Last Week

The Prestonsburg Black Cats will go through their final pre-tournament tune-up at McDowell tonight (Thursday) after setting up a three-game winning streak over Oil Springs, Martin and Pikeville since last Thursday.

Last Thursday night's engagement with Oil Springs here was a close call for the Cats, the game ending 46-all, and Prestonsburg winning out in the overtime. The win here Saturday night over Martin avenged an earlier defeat at the hands of the Purple Flash. Tuesday night, with Pikeville leading, 16 to 8, at the end of the first quarter, the Cats went on a scoring spree to lead through closing periods of the game.

The scores:  
P'BURG (51) Pos. O. SPGS. (47)  
Heinze (12) ... F. ... Crace (17)  
Blackburn (7) ... F. ... Bolin (6)  
Capelli (17) ... C. ... Bays (8)  
Miller (2) ... G. ... Allen (7)  
Spurlock (4) ... G. ... Lemaster (7)  
Substitutions: P'burg—Tackett, Craft (4), Combs (5); Oil Springs—Kimbleton (2).

P'BURG (39) Pos. MARTIN (27)  
Heinze (5) ... F. ... Crum (8)  
Craft (1) ... F. ... Johns (8)  
Capelli (18) ... C. ... Ryan (5)  
Miller (5) ... G. ... Hutchinson Combs (10) ... G. ... McGlothen (6)  
Substitutions: P'burg—Spurlock, Martin—Ratiff, Elliott, Maddox.

P'BURG (45) Pos. P'VILLE (37)  
Heinze (17) ... F. ... Newsome (5)  
Tackett ... F. ... Johnson (9)  
Capelli (19) ... C. ... Roberts (10)  
Miller (3) ... G. ... Shaw (3)  
Combs (6) ... G. ... Sullivan (7)  
Substitutions: P'burg—Spurlock, Craft; Pikeville—Vales (1), Petry (2), Keathley.

## Trainees Leave Shop For War Production

Trainees at the NYA-vocational school shop here who left for Dayton Feb. 16 follow: Clendon Brown, Fed; Billie Hobbs, Millard; Cora E. Colley, Martin; Laverne Damron, Beauty; Marion L. Neeley, Gunlock; Bernice J. New, Ernestine Sluss, Beauty; Emmagean Taylor, Wayland; Lona Johnson, Pikeville; Curtis Stephens, Auxier; Rhoda Wallen, West Prestonsburg; Nella Mae Damron, Yeager; Ben Curtis Sturgill, Auxier; Corbett Taylor, Lackey; Arizona Darby, Dema; June Brown, Adaline Brown, Joannah Damron, Hazel Mitchell, Otis Miller, Yeager; Thomas Castle, Prestonsburg; Joe G. Crager, Gunlock; Erman Waddle, Cliff; William V. Jarrell, Woods. Sent to Mansfield, O., on Feb. 16 were Georgia Huff, Alene Bentley, Wayland; Alma Hall, Honaker; Charles E. Daniels, Drift.

Feb. 9, the following were sent to Dayton: Nora F. Haywood, Martin; Louella Baldrige, Lavona Baldrige, Tomahawk; Alex Damron, Jr., Broadbottom; Ruth E. Damron, Yeager; Clara Belle Delong, Davisport; Alka M. Hager, Weeksburg; Madeline E. Phillips, Fishtrap; Walter Stapleton, Paintsville. Sent to Mansfield on the same day were: Helen M. Stacy, Driffin; Roberta Hall, Tomahawk; Pearlina Stafford, Hellier.

The McArthur Resident Center, Vine Grove, near Louisville, received a contingent of the local trainees Feb. 3. They were: Nola Hall, Halo; John A. Campbell, Prestonsburg; Selwyn Damron, Beauty; June Howell, McDowell; Hancer D. Lafferty, Hippo; Harold Moore, Betsy Layne; Freda H. Ratiff, Wheelwright; Daisy L. and Dorothy Sizemore, McDowell. Teaching the same destination Feb. 12 were Raymond Goble, Prystonsburg, and Dorothy Lewis, Betsy Layne.

## DON'T YIELD, MY SON

Don't yield, my son, to temptation. For temptation is only a snare; It beckons with glittering fingers— It has no worry or care. It points to the dance halls and beer joints, It tells all inside all is gay— And the signs so often will tell you Inside there is pleasure away. But listen, my son, to this warning— If you drink of the liquor cup, It will grasp you and hold you forever. It will never give you up.

You will never again look on women As something so sweet and pure, But your mind will seek only evil, With the siren and all her allure. I know you are nearing twenty And you've always been good and fine.

You've kept a pure, clean body, You've kept a pure, clean mind; And being your mother, my son, I understand and sympathize. But I've only lived years longer, I'm neither real smart nor wise, But, son, I know all about you And I know your heart is pure gold. Always keep that heart, son, darling, Don't let it get tarnished and cold. Oh, yes, dear, some fellows may tease you And jeer as you pass them by, But pay not the least attention— On the path straight ahead keep your eye.

Today I'm the proudest mother you could ever find in this land; I'm always willing to aid you and lend you a helping hand. But some day I'll be old, son, darling, My life's sun will sometime go down. But I'll close my eyes in peace, dear, And want not a jewel or crown. If only you can whisper softly as by my dying bedside you kneel: "Oh! Mother, I've heeded your warning To temptation I did not yield." (Dedicated to the boys in service.)

## Recruiter for Waacs To Be Here Feb. 27

The opening of two new Women's Army Auxiliary Corps training centers, and the demand for additional categories of trained WAACs to take posts with the army, have accelerated the enrollment plan for the corps in Floyd county, Sgt. Reagan, post-office building, who handles local applications for the WAAC, said this week.

Officers of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps will visit Prestonsburg Feb. 27 for the purpose of interviewing women between the ages of 21 and 44 for enrollment in the WAACs. Women who are interested can be interviewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m., and 12 noon in the postoffice building.

The two new camps, extending the training facilities formerly confined to Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, are located at Daytona Beach, Florida, and at Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia. With the opening of its new camps, the Corps hopes soon to reach its authorized strength of 150,000 women trained for duty with the army.

An intensive campaign to obtain enrollments for the Corps is now in full swing. Women of Floyd county are urged to "bring their skills and knowledge to the WAAC," Sgt. Reagan said.

The many new kinds of work for which the WAACs are now being trained will release more and more fighting men for army duty in combat jobs, Sgt. Reagan added. The Army Air Force, for instance, have asked Ovea Culp Hobby, of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, that it be supplied with WAACs trained in a number of specialties, including aircraft electricians, instrument specialists, mechanics, propeller specialists, metal workers, parachute riggers, radio mechanics and operators, weather observers, armorers, bombsight repairmen, gun-sight mechanics, photographers, glider instructors, and many others. Sgt. Reagan asked that "Women interested in this opportunity to do the most for victory" call at the local recruiting office for full details.

## Seventh, Eighth Grade Honor Roll Announced

The following Prestonsburg seventh and eighth grade pupils made an average of "B" or better for the last six weeks period:

Seventh grade (Anna Martin, teacher)—Woodford Howard, Colleen Elkins, Doris Ann Clark, Dorothy Hughes, Anna Jean Sturgill, Juanita Stone, Martha Baldrige, Caroline Hill, Charles Bradley, Barry Lockwood, Bill Goble, Jr.

Eighth grade (Eihel Powers, teacher)—Betty Jo Elkins, Freda Hall, Marcena Rowe, Dorothy Fay Sizemore; Paul Lemaster, Johnny Vaughan.

Eighth grade (Irene P. Stephens, teacher)—Polly Allen, Adrian N. Collins, Betty Davis, Jane Davis, Harris S. Howard, Robert Lewis Patton, Barbara Jean Spradlin, Margaret Douglas Spurlock, Charles Tackett.

Eighth grade (Victoria Spradlin, teacher)—Margaret Campbell, Billie Harris.

Poultry producers in Logan county who combine good management and equipment are receiving good returns.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I, by order of the Board of Trustees of the town of Allen, Floyd county, Kentucky, will at the door of the town hall of Allen, Floyd county, Kentucky, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 8th day of March, 1943, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder and receive bids for the right, privilege, franchise and authority to acquire, maintain, construct and operate in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places (as the same now exist or may hereafter be laid out) of the town of Allen, Floyd county, Kentucky, lines, poles and equipment for the distribution of electric energy, either by means of overhead or underground conductors, with all the necessary or desirable appurtenances for the purpose of supplying electric energy to said town and the inhabitants thereof and persons or corporations beyond the limits thereof, for light, heat, power and any other purpose or purposes for which electric energy is now or may hereafter be used, and for the transmission of the same within, through or across said town, subject to the following conditions, viz:

(a) Said lines and appurtenances shall be constructed so as to interfere as little as possible with the proper use of the streets, alleys and public places. The location of all poles or conduits shall be made under the supervision of the proper board or committee of the town government.

(b) The right, privilege and franchise shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years from the date of the ordinance granting such franchise.

(c) The grantee of such franchise shall save the town harmless from any and all liability arising in any way from negligence in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances.

(d) Whenever the grantee of said franchise shall begin the erection of any lines or other equipment, it shall promptly and diligently prosecute the work to completion and leave the streets, alleys and public places where such work is being done in as good condition of repair as before such work was commenced.

(e) Wherever in such franchise, either the town of Allen or the grantee of such franchise is referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors, or assigns, of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations contained in such franchise shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of said town, or said grantee, whether so expressed or not.

(f) The grantee of such franchise may make such rules and regulations covering the furnishing of said electric energy as may be fair and reasonable and consistent with the standard practice of the grantee. Said grantee may charge such rates for electric service as shall be fair and reasonable. The said grantee shall render service under said franchise of like quality, that is, adequate, efficient and reasonable, to that now being rendered to said town.

Every person or corporation, other than the present holder of the existing electric franchise in the town of Allen, that is to say, Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company, Incorporated, shall first deposit with the treasurer of the town of Allen cash or a certified check drawn on a bank of this Commonwealth or on a national bank in the amount of Nine Hundred Twenty (\$920.00) Dollars which check or cash in the sum of Nine Hundred Twenty (\$920.00) Dollars shall be forfeited to the town of Allen in case the bid should be accepted and such bidder making such deposit should fail for thirty (30) days after the confirmation of the sale to pay the price bid, and to give a good and sufficient bond in a sum equal to one-fourth of the fair estimated cost of the plant to be erected as aforesaid, and said bond shall be conditioned that it shall be enforceable in case the party giving it shall fail within a reasonable time to establish a suitable plant for rendering the service and to begin rendering the service in the manner set forth, according to the terms and conditions thereof. This provision shall not apply to any person or corporation already owning in said municipality a plant and equipment sufficient to render the service required under the terms and provisions hereof.

The town reserves the right to reject, any and all bids.

This February 1st, 1943.  
GEO. W. SNODGRASS,  
Clerk, Town of Allen, Ky.

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Ten farmers in Grayson county are selling graded eggs, receiving two cents above local prices, with the eggs picked up at the farm.

School lunches are now being served in every school in Carroll county through the aid of a county nutrition committee.

In Wolfe county, it is estimated that egg production is 100 per cent greater now than at this time last year.

## Dock Farmer Succumbs Wednesday at 68

Phares Bradley, 68 years old, died Wednesday at his home at Dock after an illness of several days.

A son of Jake and Barbara Bradley, natives of Breathitt county, he was a well-known Floyd county farmer. Surviving in addition to his widow, Mrs. Polly Bradley, are 12 sons and daughters: Miss Ellen Bradley, Charleston, W. Va.; Mrs. Cassie Adkins, Dock; James E. Bradley, of the U. S. navy; Jake and Raymond Bradley, of Dock; Herbert, of Risner, Charles, of Lackey; Ashland, of Hueysville; Mrs. Creed Flanery, Miss Margaret Bradley, Mrs. Aggie Johnson and Alex Bradley, all of Dock. A brother, Pearl Bradley, of Martin, and one sister, Mrs. Cynthia Justice, of Dock, also survive.

Funeral rites were conducted from the residence today (Thursday), the Rev. Layne Compton officiating. Burial in the family cemetery at Dock was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

## Veteran Baptist Minister Is Heart Attack Victim At Gearheart Home

Elder Linzie Moore, veteran minister of the Regular Baptist Church, died Friday at his home at Gearheart, victim of a heart attack. He was about 55 years old.

He was well-known in this county, particularly in the Left Beaver section of which he was a native and where he had preached for years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Susie Moore, and seven children: Aaron Moore, of Indiana, June, Pebble, Goldie, Matthew, Jack and Simon Moore, all of Gearheart. Funeral rites were conducted Saturday afternoon by ministers of the Regular Baptist Church and burial was made in the family cemetery.

## Active Militia Officers Train Legion Members To Drill Students

To refresh the memories of some of the boys of '18 who have become a bit "rusty" in military matters, but who are now undertaking the training of the Victory Corps in Prestonsburg high school, Capt. R. J. Bruner and Sgt. K. L. House, of the active Kentucky militia, spent three days here this week.

During the three days members of Floyd Post, American Legion, who will drill youths here, will undergo training themselves. Marvin Marshall, who was a captain in World War I, already has the Victory Corps training well under way, but others named to assist him have been prevented by illness from active participation in the program.

Between 150 and 200 students here are enrolled for the training. Other schools of the county have the same work under way.

## B-C Book Owners Urged To File Applications At Once for Gas

Floyd county motorists who hold "B" and "C" mileage rations which will expire in the next few weeks were urged this week by Jno. D. Thomas, public relations officer of War Price and Rationing Board No. 36, to make application at once for renewal of their rations.

Application forms may be obtained at the local board offices and also at other distribution centers. If the occupational status of the applicant has not changed the applicant should immediately fill out his application and mail it to the board.

The board is now empowered for the first time to mail the new book back to the applicant, thus eliminating the necessity for a trip to the board except to obtain the application blank. Mr. Thomas pointed out this also eliminated waiting and standing in line provided motorists begin making application at once.

This warning applies only to those holders of supplementary mileage rations whose books expire on March 1 or shortly thereafter. These will be the "B" and "C" bookholders whose occupations require a large amount of driving. Holders of "B" books which do not expire until later should make application for renewal any time within 30 days before the expiration date as noted on the face of the book. Keep the date of expiration in mind and apply within the 30 days prior thereto, and be sure to have your tire inspection made before that time, Mr. Thomas advised.

## Body of Mrs. Mosely Returned from Indiana

Body of Mrs. Launa Mosely, 41 years old, who died at Knox, Ind., Feb. 18 of erysipelas, was returned this week by the Arnold Funeral Home to the home of her foster-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hicks, of Garrett. Funeral rites were conducted there Tuesday and burial was made on Stone Coal. Mrs. Mosely is survived by a daughter, Joyce, 4.

## FARM LOANS ARE OFFERED

### Help Is Extended 'Little' Farmers, Announcement

The Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Section, Farm Credit Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture is now receiving applications for loans to farmers who operate on a small basis and do not have ample resources to enable them to obtain credit elsewhere on a reasonable basis.

Loans are made for meeting the expense of preparing land, seeding, cultivating, harvesting and to cover any incidental expenses. Loans are also made for producing feed for livestock and poultry, or for the purpose of feed for livestock and poultry.

Applicants for loans are encouraged to purchase seed, use such fertilizers and carry out recommendations as may be prescribed by County Agents or farm advisers. Special considerations will be given to farmers whose crop programs include food and fibers essential to war needs as designated by the County War Board.

All loans will bear 4 per cent per annum and are to be repaid from the sale of crops produced, or from the sale of livestock and poultry to be fed, or the products or increases. Any farmer who is in need of this type of credit may discuss his requirements or file his application with County Agent S. L. Isbell, postoffice building, Prestonsburg, or take the matter up with S. Q. McCraw, field supervisor, whose headquarters address is Postoffice Box 666, Paintsville.

## Mrs. Kane Succumbs At Martin of Hurt Suffered at Allen

Josephine Nancy Kane, 84 years old, widow of W. T. Kane, Fallsburg, Lawrence county, died Friday afternoon in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, of hip injuries sustained two weeks ago when she fell at the home of her son, John Kane, of Allen.

Brief funeral rites were conducted Saturday evening at Allen and the body was taken to Louisa where funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon. Burial was made in the Kane cemetery near Fallsburg.

Mrs. Kane was born in Ohio, a daughter of Eli and Elizabeth Ackley Stone, but had lived on a farm near Fallsburg practically all her life. Her husband died 27 years ago. She had resided with her son at Allen for the last seven months.

She is survived by her son at Allen, and three brothers, E. C. Stone, Albion, Iowa; Charles E. Stone, Vancouver, British Columbia, and Milton C. Stone, Galena, Ohio.

## BUY WAR BONDS!

## Floyd Dressing Quota By Mid-March Fixed At Over 100,000

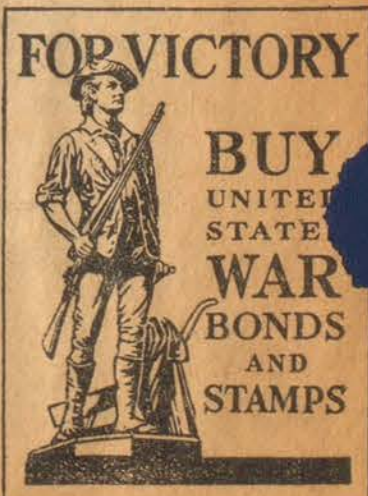
With increased activities along all the battle fronts expected with the coming of spring, 185,000,000 surgical dressings for army hospitals must be made in this country, and Floyd county must produce 109,000 of them by mid-March, Red Cross headquarters here have been notified.

Mrs. Lillian Keenon, head of the work of making surgical dressings, said this week more women must begin work now, if the county is to do its part and meet this huge quota.

She expressed keen disappointment as a daily average of only seven women worked last week. "Our boys have been called to fight, and they have answered the call," she commented. "Our women have been called to work and help these boys. The great majority of them have given no answer whatever."

Mrs. Keenon estimated that an average of 50 women could work every day here in the making of surgical dressings without any woman working more than one day a week.

Ninety pairs of silk hose were salvaged at a 4-H club meeting in Harlan county when members responded to roll call with the number of hose brought.



**FOR VICTORY**  
**BUY**  
**UNITED STATES**  
**WAR BONDS AND STAMPS**

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It is stipulated that no trip be made remaining within two miles of the school, but if the bus is traveling and this limit the driver may load and unload passengers. No loading or unloading can be made within one-eighth mile of another stop, and the drivers are instructed to make their stops as near to one-fourth of a mile apart as possible. This is one of ODT's strict orders.

All drivers must furnish in detail a monthly report of students handled. A map must be furnished to the ODT office depicting the routes and all stops on each route.

The ODT speaker bluntly told the school officials that the public "is now getting much better transportation than can be expected in the future." Continuing he warned, "No replacements of buses or parts for buses may be expected, beginning next year." Elimination of many bus stops has already been effected, Mr. Hall remarked. "These changes may cause a lot of inconvenience, but orders are orders and we must comply. Our boys on the battle-fronts are suffering privations much greater than mere inconveniences," he added. This ODT mandate affects not only Floyd county, Superintendent Hill said, but also, the school bus systems throughout the nation.

Ten buses are now in operation with three held in reserve for emergencies and alternate duty. These will handle, throughout each school year, several thousand students in Floyd county.

ODT Director Joseph B. Eastman issued a statement assuring transportation for the 4,000,000 American boys and girls who must ride school buses to and from school this winter, but added that such transportation in the future depends upon strict compliance with policies outlined by the ODT. "Revised schedules," he said, "should be predicated on the assumption that the physically able child can walk two miles to and from school, where weather conditions permit, as in many instances his father and grandfather did before him."

## Mayo Is Employed As Fire Guard; School Organized

E. H. Price, district forest warden, announced last week the appointment of H. L. Mayo, Prestonsburg, as forest guard on the east side of the Big Sandy river in Floyd county. Mr. Mayo will be employed, full-time, during the forest fire season, Mr. Price said.

His duties will be to trace down all indications of fires, to lead fire-fighting and to conduct an educational program with farmers of his section.

Organization of student-firefighters in the high school here under the civilian defense program was effected Friday by Mr. Price. Five hours' instruction will be given students 16 years of age or older. This group and two volunteer fire wardens on Johns Creek, one on Cow Creek and one at the mouth of Daniels Creek complete the protection set-up for the area on the east side of the Big Sandy where farmers have signed up for protection against forest fire at an annual cost of 1c per acre.



**MAKE EVERY**  
**PAY DAY**  
**WAR**  
**BOND DAY**  
**STOP SPENDING—SAVE DOLLARS**



# Society

Notes

## Mrs. Culbertson, Hostess To Wesleyan Guild

Mrs. G. A. Culbertson was hostess Tuesday night to the Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church. At the conclusion of the program a salad course was served to the following:

Mesdames Marguerite Jones, Vivian Hale, Mary Lou Layne, Emma Alice May, Stella Spurlock, Oval Hall, Minnie Grace Sutherland, Edna Carroll Greenwade, Muriel Kelly, Virginia Shivel, Ruth Worland, Phyllis Ranier, Dacia Woods, Hope Spradlin, Eleanor Horn, May K. Roberts, Dorothy L. Rankin, J. W. McIntosh, Mrs. Chumley, Misses Frances Jones, Margaret E. May, Pauline Hereford, Josephine Davidson.

## HERE FROM WAYLAND

Mrs. Frank Cooley, of Wayland, and son, Cpl. Dave Cooley, of the Airborne Command, Ft. Bragg, N. C., were visitors here Tuesday. Cpl. Cooley left Wednesday to return to Ft. Bragg after visiting his parents at Wayland.

## VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Osborne, Sr., of Martin, were business visitors here Tuesday.

## ENTERTAINS TO DINNER

Mrs. Josie D. Harkins entertained to dinner at her home on Second avenue Sunday, having as her guests Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and the following members of her family: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott Harkins and children.

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FOR ALL OCCASIONS

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JEWELRY AND FLOWER SHOP  
PRESTONSBURG, KY.

## CLUB TO MEET MARCH 4 AT STEPHENS HOME

The Prestonsburg Woman's Club will meet Thursday evening, March 4, at the home of Mrs. Henry Stephens, Jr., on the Mayo Trail, with Mrs. G. A. Culbertson, Mrs. Fanny Runnels and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, co-hostesses. Miss Carlos Hale, chairman of the program, will have for her topic, "Music of Our Allies."

## JUNIOR WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The Junior Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Dorothy Hughes, Feb. 22. Business was discussed, after which the program committee took charge. Delicious refreshments were served to Pauline Hereford, director, Dorothy Hughes, Mary Hill, Polly Allen, Ruth Lucille Mayo, Jane Davis, Doris Ann Clark, Betty Davis, Anna J. Sturgill, Juanita Stone, Margaret D. Spurlock, Doris Hall, Barbara Spradlin.

## VISITOR HERE

Ralph Dingus was a visitor here last week. He has been spending a few days with his family at Martin. A former employe of THE TIMES, he is now employed in a defense plant at Akron, O.

## SUB CREWMAN, HERE

Jimmy Flanery, of Martin, who was recently given a medical discharge after serving during early months of the war on a submarine, was a visitor here last week. At Manila when the Jap attack was made on Pearl Harbor, young Flanery and his crew saw action over a wide area of the Pacific.

## RETURNS TO DAYTON

Miss Eula Oppenheimer has returned to Dayton, O., after spending the last three days of the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Oppenheimer. She was accompanied by Miss Anna Henry, also of Dayton.

## RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS

Mrs. O. T. Stephens, attendance officer for Prestonsburg schools, has sufficiently recovered from a recent illness to be out again and at work.

## RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. John G. Archer, who has been in St. Joseph's Infirmary at Louisville, has recovered sufficiently to return home. She submitted to a major operation a few weeks ago and has shown remarkable improvement. Her many friends will be glad to see her home again.

## AUDITOR FOR REA HERE

F. E. Dobbins, auditor for REA, is here for a few days. Mrs. Dobbins accompanied him here. They have been here many times and have many friends who are glad to see them again.

## RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Mrs. H. C. Francis has returned home from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, where she submitted to an operation. She is greatly improved and hopes to be out soon.

## SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Findlayson, of Lexington, were here the latter part of the week, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Spradlin, and Mr. Spradlin. They returned home Monday.

## MR. BRANHAM SUCCUMBS AT EMMA

John Branham passed away this week at his home at Emma after a long illness. His daughter Madeline, who lives at the home of Dr. Davidson, has returned home to be with her family for a few days.

## ENTERTAIN TO DINNER

Mrs. Tot Mann and son, Floyd Arnold Mann, were dinner and overnight guests of Mrs. Ambrose Mandt Monday.

## VISITS IN LOUISIA

Mrs. J. M. Weddington was the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Hager in Louisa last week. Rev. Hager is pastor of the Baptist Church there and his family were former residents of Prestonsburg. Mrs. Hager is the former Miss Edna Sizemore. Her mother, Mrs. Flora Sizemore, who has been visiting them for some time, returned home this week.

## RETURN TO BALTIMORE

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb and baby have returned to Baltimore, where Mr. Webb is a foreman in the Glenn L. Martin plant.

## CONFINED BY ILLNESS

Mrs. Lon S. Moles has been ill at her home for several days. She is reported as improved.

## HOME FROM WASHINGTON

Misses Ruby and Goldia Burke are visiting their mother on Bonanza road. They are employed in government offices in Washington, D. C.

## SUFFERING FROM PNEUMONIA

Wilson Clark is confined to his home on Friend street with pneumonia. His condition has been quite serious.

## HAS MUMPS

Bobby Huff is a victim of mumps this week and not able to attend his classes at school.

## MRS. CADDEN, HERE

Mrs. E. R. Cadden, of Martin, was here Wednesday, guest of Mrs. Ambrose Mandt.

## EN ROUTE TO VISIT MOTHER

Raymond Turner, of Ashland, was here Friday en route to Northern to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Cooley Turner, who is very ill. Her many relatives here are anxious about her recovery.

## FROM ASHLAND

Harry Hatcher, of Ashland, was transacting business here last week. He expects to enter defense work soon.

## Weekly Torment



To judge by the devilish glint in the eye of Baby Snooks, Daddy's smile of contentment isn't going to last very long. Daddy, played by Hanley Stafford, as heard in his weekly torment every Thursday at 8:00 p. m., EWT, over WLW-NBC.

## State DAR Conference Program Announced

State conference of the Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution will meet in Lexington, March 8, 9, 10 and 11, at the Lafayette hotel, with Mrs. George Bright Howes, state regent, presiding. The program for the conference is stated as follows:

March 8, 2:30 p. m.—State Board meeting, Lafayette hotel Red Room; March 9—conference opens at 9 o'clock at Lafayette hotel; March 9—chaplains' luncheon 12 o'clock at Lafayette hotel (open to all); March 9—evening regents' banquet at Lafayette hotel (open to all); March 10—regular session (open to all); March 10—memorial service, Red Room of Lafayette Hotel; March 10—conference banquet 7 p. m., at Lafayette hotel (open to all); March 10—pages' ball following banquet; March 11—conference closes with State Board meeting.

Members from John Graham chapter who expect to attend the conference are Mesdames C. P. Stephens, Sam L. Spradlin, Gwynn Ford, E. P. Arnold, Jo M. Davidson, O. T. Stephens, Herbert Salisbury, L. S. Moles, Harry Sandige, Everett H. Sowards, Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Osa F. Ligon, Winnie F. Johns, Joe Hobson, Lida Cottrell.

## MR. FRAZIER VERY ILL

Melvin Frazier, father of Chalmer and Sherrill Frazier, is very ill at his home at Cracker. Pvt. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, who are stationed at Boca Raton, Florida, and Pvt. Sherrill Frazier and Mrs. Frazier, who are located at Camp Davis, N. C., are on their way home to be with their father.

## ENTERTAIN ALLENS

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., entertained Pvt. R. R. Allen and Mrs. Allen to dinner on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard had the Allens to dinner on Tuesday. Pvt. Allen has recovered from a recent operation at the army hospital, Aberdeen, Md., and left Wednesday for Ft. Benjamin Harrison.

## VISITING SISTER

Mrs. Amanda Young, of Hindman, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Francis, Sunday.

## RETURNS FROM LEXINGTON

Mrs. Jack D. Salisbury has returned from Lexington where she spent a few weeks visiting Mr. Salisbury who is stationed at the signal corps depot. She is back at the Smart Appearance Beauty Shop.

## HERE FROM GARRETT

Mrs. W. H. Fields, of Garrett, was here Monday.

## ATTEND GRADUATION EXERCISES

Mrs. Dick Davis and Mrs. Burl Spurlock returned last week from Quantico, Va., where they attended the graduation from the officer candidate class of Lieut. Joe Taylor Hyden. He was promoted Feb. 10 to the rank of Second Lieutenant. Lieut. Hyden is a brother of Mrs. Davis and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyden. Before enlisting in the Marine Corps he was coach of Prestonsburg high school athletics.

Your best investment — United States War Bonds and Stamps!

## ACT FAST WHEN A COLD THREATENS

At the very first sniffle, sneeze, or any sign of a cold just try a few drops of Vicks Vapo-nol up each nostril. If used in time, Vapo-nol's quick action helps prevent many colds from developing. . . . And remember this, when a head cold makes you miserable, or transient congestion "fills up" nose and spoils sleep—3-purpose Vapo-nol does three important things. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) relieves irritation, (3) helps clear clogged nasal passages. Enjoy the relief it brings. Follow directions in folder.



## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the birth on Monday, Feb. 22, at the Paintsville hospital of an eight-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Carter, of Prestonsburg. The newcomer has been named James Joseph, Jr. Mrs. Carter is the former Miss Geneva Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Irwin, of Paintsville.

## RETURNS FROM OHIO

Frank Stamper returned Thursday from Friendship, O., where he has been visiting his son, Harry Stamper.

## HOUSEGUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo had as their houseguests here Pvt. and Mrs. R. R. Allen.

## IN PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis were in Pikeville Tuesday on business.

## HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Martin J. Leete, Jr., was the week-end guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete. He is stationed at Ft. Knox.

## BUYS FARM IN BLUE GRASS

R. G. Francis returned last week from Mt. Sterling, where he purchased a 156-acre farm about two miles from the city limits. Mr. Francis does not expect to live on the farm.

## CONSULTING SPECIALIST

J. W. Howard was in Lexington last week consulting a specialist. He is suffering from a kidney ailment which kept him in Lexington several weeks last fall taking treatments. Mrs. Howard accompanied him to Lexington.

## HOME AFTER SIX YEARS

Elliott Allen arrived this week from California for a visit with his father, R. T. Allen. He has been in California for the last six years.

## BACK AT WORK

Martin—Dr. G. C. Collins has re-opened his office, after a brief illness.

## Jobs To Be Offered By Civil Service Man

Bryant G. Davis, Civil Service representative, will be at the courthouse here Tuesday, March 2, to hire laborers, truckdrivers, clerks, storekeepers, mechanics, typists and stenographers for war work at Dayton, O., it was announced this week by the U. S. Employment office at Paintsville.

Salaries range from \$1,260 to \$1,800 a year, plus overtime. Women are being urged in particular to apply for these jobs, and men in IA selective service classification will be accepted for many positions.

At the same time the Employment Service announced that a representative of the Pennsylvania railroad will be at the U. S. Employment office in Paintsville March 4 to hire railroad trackmen to work in Ohio. Transportation is furnished, and the pay is at the rate of 55 cents per hour, plus overtime above 40 hours a week. Living quarters will be furnished, it was said. Men from 17 to 55 are acceptable for this work.

## BUY WAR BONDS!

## Miss Patrick, First Woman From Floyd To Enter Marine Reserves

Cleveland, O., Feb. 19 (Spl.)—Miss Cassie Patrick, West Prestonsburg, Ky., enlisted in the United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve here today and became Floyd county's youngest woman in service and its first lady marine. She recently passed her twentieth birthday.

After being sworn in at the office of Naval and Marine Corps Officer Procurement here Miss Patrick went to Akron, O., to await orders to report to a training school.

The first class of this newest branch of the service from Northern Ohio will leave for Hunter College, New York City, March 6. It is probable that Miss Patrick will be among the group.

When she has completed six weeks of intensified training she will either be assigned to active duty or given further training in one of the big marine or naval training stations where men receive the same special training.

All members of the Women's Reserve enlist as privates, receiving the same privileges and allowances as men. A college degree is not necessary to become an officer candidate. There will be promotions from the ranks, depending entirely on individual ability and leadership.

## SPENDS FURLOUGH HERE

Pfc. Joe P. Tackett, Jr., of the Medical Corps, Camp Pendleton, Va., recently spent a furlough with his parents, Atty. and Mrs. J. P. Tackett, here.

To avoid missing an issue of THE TIMES renew your subscription now

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FOR STATE SENATOR**  
We are authorized to announce DOUGLAS HAYS of McDowell, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from the 13th Senatorial district (Floyd, Knott and Martin counties).

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**  
I am a candidate for re-election as Representative from the 97th Legislative district.  
JERRY PONCE HOWELL, McDowell, Ky.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**  
We are authorized to announce R. T. ALLEN of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Representative from the Legislative District composed of Floyd county Magisterial Districts 1 and 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

**FOR SHERIFF**  
We are authorized to announce WILLARD MAY of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1943 primary. Your support will be appreciated.

**NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS:**  
When requesting a change of address, be sure to give both old and new addresses. Subscription price is now \$2 per year.

# GET RE-CAPS

## No Certificate Necessary

A rationing certificate no longer is required to have passenger car and light truck tires re-capped with re-claimed rubber.

The action, approved by Rubber Director William M. Jeffers, is designed to reduce the demand for replacement tires. Re-capping requires about half as much re-claimed rubber as a new "war tire."

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U.S. WAR BONDS

# ANNOUNCING NEW STORE HOURS

## Beginning Monday, March 1, and Continuing Until Further Notice

**WEEK DAYS:**  
Open at 9 a.m. (closed for lunch, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.) close at 6 p.m.

**SATURDAYS:**  
Open all day from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Rather than attempt to operate with inexperienced personnel, we are shortening store hours and closing an hour for lunch. In this manner we can render our customers more efficient service than would be possible otherwise. YOUR CO-OPERATION WILL BE APPRECIATED.

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THESE THINGS AFFECTED YOUR HOUSEHOLD

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Rationment Prices.
Shop Early.
Potato Prices.
Renew Rations.
Add the Points.
War Prisoners.
Africa Movies.
Coffee Ages.
War Cost.
Onion Sets.
Farm Equipment.

By the time you read this, you probably will have your precious copies of War Ration Book 2 and be eagerly awaiting the start of point rationing on March 1.

The date marks a new step in American co-operation through the extension of the rationing system. Rationing is the fair way, the American way.

The fortunate part of it is that there is plenty to be rationed. Wholesale grocers were advised to unstintingly fill orders from retail stores for processed foods during the retail stock-up period from

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a little yourselves by cheerful patience with increasing curtailment of those extra services that we were glad to render in peace times... and in this way release our reduced manpower for more essential work...

Kentucky and West Virginia
POWER COMPANY

Feb. 21-28. Ample stocks should be on hand March 1.

Consumers will continue to find women's and children's garments, such as dresses, coats, skirts and blouses, for sale at approximately the same price levels that prevailed during the last spring and summer seasons for substantially the same quality of apparel.

After point rationing begins on March 1, plan to do your shopping before the week-end rush so that the complication of working with ration stamps will not cause undue delay.

Maximum prices for the 1943 citrus, potato and onion crops generally will not be increased, with the exception of normal seasonal changes, the OPA says.

Motorists who hold supplementary mileage rations which will expire before March 1 or shortly thereafter are warned to make application at once for renewal of their rations. Applications may be obtained at local War Price and Ration Board offices and at many gasoline stations.

Housewives can save more of their own time and a lot of work for their grocers if they will figure out the point values of processed foods on their shopping lists before going to the store when point rationing goes into effect.

Lists of articles and commodities which may be sent to members of the allied armed forces who are prisoners of war and to interned United Nations' civilians held by the

Axis powers are available at all post-offices. A recent change in export regulations increases the list of foods which may be shipped.

A 41-minute technicolor motion picture called "At the Front," a combat report of American action in northern Africa filmed by cameramen of the U. S. armed service, will be released for public showing March 25. No scenes were staged, rehearsed or dramatized.

Because a new age group has developed since War Ration Book 1 was issued last May, the OPA has changed from 15 years to 14 years the age restriction on the use of Book 1 for the purchase of coffee under rationing.

Any person who did not register for War Ration Book 1 before Jan. 15 may obtain this book from his local War Price and Ration Board now, provided he has filed the necessary application forms and had these approved. Book 1 was issued for buying sugar, coffee and shoes and will be required this week in order to obtain War Ration Book 2.

The average daily rate of the war expenditures by the U. S. government in January was \$240,500,000. It's expensive, but far cheaper and more pleasant than paying taxes to Hitler.

In its first action on seeds and bulbs for planting, previously exempt from all price control, the OPA has set temporary 60-day ceilings on the 1942 crop of onion sets at the highest levels at which each individual grower or merchandiser made sales between Feb. 10 and 14 of this year.

Acting to remove a serious threat to continuance of the essential supply of farm equipment and automotive repair services, the OPA has authorized upward adjustments of maximum charges which may be made for these services by small operators.

Macaroni and noodle products and salted, dried and otherwise processed fish (except smoked fish and uncaned seafood) have been placed under the fixed margin food regulation for wholesalers and retailers.

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Because of conflicting stories on the operation of the Willow Run bomber factory, reporting the output all the way from ridiculously small to fantastically large numbers, the OWI has announced that production of the great government-owned, Ford-operated factory is running at only a small fraction of its ultimate production.

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A GOOD WORD - IN BAD COMPANY -

By the REV. W. B. GARRIOTT, Pastor, Prestonsburg Methodist Church

Let us remember that the word passion means—love on fire.

We are anxious to relate the meaning of this word to ourselves rather than to Christ. It is impossible for us to be the heralds of Christ's passion unless we are willing to enter into the fellowship of his suffering.

We do not fail to see the principle at work in the natural world. If we go to the store and want a suit or a dress, we must be willing to put down the price before we can take the goods home with us.

One lady once said to another, "I would give the world if I enjoyed my religion as well as you do yours." The other lady replied, "The world is what it cost me and if you are willing to pay the price, God is not partial."

Give up the world. Something to give up—deny yourself—you do the denying. Something to do—take your cross—you take up your cross. Had you ever thought that there was no other way to follow him? Do I hear some one saying, "I do follow him, but I know nothing about that taking up a cross or denying myself."

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Yet mispronounce your name.
—MERRILL CHILCOTE.

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THE WILL OF HUMPHREY Z. CLEEK

I, Humphrey Z. Cleek, being of sound mind, do make this my last will and testament. I hereby give and bequeath:

To my wife, Zenobia Cleek, my old five-passenger coupe in the hope she may get tires for it after the war; the two gallons of gasoline left in the tank at the time it was put up, and the road maps which I wish her to keep if only in memory of the happy days when they meant anything. I also give to her the car battery in the sincere hope it is not too far gone to be charged up, the six (6) cans of assorted soups which will be found in my strongbox at the Mercantile Trust company, the can of hash which is in my safe and the three (3) tins of sardines which she will find behind the clock in the kitchen. Also all can openers in my possession.

To my daughter, Allagala, the four (4) cans of peaches, the two (2) cans of sauerkraut and the small can of tongue which was left me by my late Uncle Frisby, and the pre-war jar of pitted cherries which I won as first prize in the 1942 Toopsey Heights Golf Club Fall Tournament.

To my older son, Buckingham, my original Hochstoff oil painting "Gentleman Eating" and my Gabby still-life "Tenderloin Steak," the mere inspection of which has meant so much to me in the last few months.

To my younger son, Chidsey, my watch, the old family carving knife so reminiscent of better days, and my collection of American restaurant menus, with the request that he treasure especially the ones showing dollar table d'hote meals and 40-cent luncheon specials with meatballs.

To my sister, Phronisia Dibbels, the Cleek family coffee pot, which will be of much value as an antique, in testifying to the life of a bygone America.

To my cousin, Zeke Fetherstone, the old tire which now hangs in the garage and which can be retreaded in more opulent times.

To my aunt, Ella Belle Burpey, the second-string percolator, not because of any possible utility, but for whatever sentimental value it may possess for her.

To my nephew, Gideon Bloodworm, my oil ration card. It is never any good to me, but he is a man of energy and determination and may be able to do something with it.

To Samantha McCarthy Persky Schmalz, maid in the Cleek household for the unusual period of almost seven successive weeks (unless she shall have carried out in the meantime her threats to go to work in the powder mill), any lamb chops that may be in the icebox and a half-pound of butter in appreciation of incredibly long service in my household.

Signed, HUMPHREY Z. CLEEK, Codicil.

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Motorists are going to be rolling their own if the gas shortage continues much longer.—Joe Nolan.

"Winter may be difficult."—Herr Hitler.

The understatement of the month.

"We have not done the slightest thing to France, England or even to America."—Adolf Hitler.

Now, come Adolf, don't you remember that time you dropped ashes on the parlor rug?

Henderson came in like a lamb but he is going out like a Leon.

"It's hard to think of the fuel oil mess today and realize that this administration was once accused of 'turning on the heat.'"—Sam Elmer Twitchell.

FORWARD LOOKERS
A wise old droop
Was Chester Lowe:
He sold his car
Two years ago!

If you're out in an auto today the burden of proof that you should not have your gas card revoked is on you, should a policeman hold you up. Elmer Twitchell was stopped this morning and his alibi was that he was driving down to the ration board to see about coupons for getting a horse.

SAFER METHODS SUGGESTED FOR 3 MINES IN THIS FIELD

Federal coal mine inspectors have outlined recommendations for improved ventilation, safer blasting, and better control of coal dust in four Eastern Kentucky mines, according to three separate inspection reports made public last week by Dr. R. R. Sayers, director of the Bureau of Mines.

The mines, which have a daily production of about 1,395 tons of coal, are the Marlowe Nos. 1 and 4 of the Elkhorn and Jellico Coal Company at Whitesburg, Letcher county; the Dameron mine of the Betsy Layne Coal Corporation at Betsy Layne, and the Levisa mine of the Levisa River Coal Company at Fed's Creek, Pike county.

While citing a number of commendable features in the four mines, the federal reports emphasized the importance of eliminating hazards to increase the degree of safety and help prevent accidents. Several improvements have been instituted since the inspections, the Bureau has been informed.

All four mines were rated non-gassy by the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals. Air analyses showed that some methane, an explosive gas, was being liberated in the Marlowe and Levisa mines. Since several disastrous explosions have occurred in coal mines where little or no methane was reported prior to the explosions, additional safeguards against a possible gas-ignition were proposed for these four mines.

The inspectors recommended that smoking underground be prohibited, that permissible explosives be used exclusively for blasting, and that the mines be examined for methane at least once a month. Smoking was permitted, and black powder, ignited with squibs or fuses, was used for blasting in all four mines at the time of the inspection. Some permissible explosives were used in the Marlowe mines.

The use of open-flame cap lamps constituted another inspection hazard in these mines, although most

of the Marlowe employees wore permissible electric cap lamps, the inspectors said. Permissible electric cap lamps should be used by all employees, they advised.

Because the coal dust from these mines is capable of entering into and propagating an explosion, the mines should be rock-dusted thoroughly to lower the combustible content of the dust, and water or a wetting solution should be used to allay the dust at points of formation, the reports recommended.

Employing 44 men, the Dameron mine produces about 175 tons of coal daily. The mine had two disabling injuries during the production of 4,242 tons of coal in 1941 and the output was 11,098 tons for the first seven months of 1942, a federal inspector was informed during his routine visit on September 10-11, 1942.

The management advised the Bureau representative of plans to move the ventilating fan to a better location and for other changes designed to improve the ventilating system, the report said. The inspector suggested that the fan be operated continuously instead of being stopped when men are not in the mine.

Among praiseworthy features of this mine, the report cited the wearing of snug-fitting clothes by the mule drivers and the machinemen, the use of the vibration method of roof-testing, and the "cooperative spirit" between the employees and officials.

Recommendations included the wearing of protective hats and safety shoes by all employees, closer timbering and use of safety posts in working places, limiting the distance between crosscuts to 80 feet, and maintaining adequate clearances along roadways.

The management made arrangements during the inspection for better installation of power transmission lines, the report said. The report was made by A. V. Faull.

MARTIN GENERAL HOSPITAL NOTES

Johnnie Martin, of Minnie, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 21 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Randal Dials, of Martin, underwent an appendectomy at the hospital Feb. 11 and is convalescing.

Della Allen, of Honaker, underwent a minor operation Feb. 13 with good results.

Mrs. Claude Hagans, of Langley, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 19 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Robert Howell, of Dony, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 16 with injuries sustained while working in the mine of the Hi-Hat Elkhorn Mining Company. He is in good condition at present.

Mrs. Leck Gibson, of Mousie, has been a medical patient at the hospital since Feb. 19 and is doing nicely.

Baby Anna Hood, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hood, of Wayland, was admitted Feb. 18 for medical treatment and dismissed Feb. 21 in good condition.

Mrs. Oma Hall, of McDowell, was admitted to the hospital on Feb. 18 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Miss Martha Robinson, of Allen, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 20 for medical treatment and dismissed on Feb. 21 in good condition.

Master Roy Bowens, Jr., son of Roy Bowens, of Jump, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 20 for medical treatment. He is improving nicely.

Lewis Martin, of Drift, was admitted Feb. 20 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

A. B. Ewens, of Charleston, W. Va., who was brought into the hospital on Feb. 21, suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage, died early Monday morning. Mr. Ewens was visiting E. A. Faulkner, of Martin, when he suddenly became unconscious.

H. M. Justice, of Fed, was admitted Feb. 20 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Richard Akers, of Dana, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 19, suffering from a gunshot wound in the right arm which was accidentally inflicted. He is in good condition at present.

Mrs. John Fraley, of Wayland, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 19 for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keathley, of Harold, are the parents of a son, born Feb. 21. Both mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Wilma Caudill, of Bevins-

IVEL—"OIL CITY"

Pvt. Bernard Burton is visiting his wife and son here. He is stationed in New Jersey.

Mrs. Burns May and daughter Kathryn have been ill with tonsillitis.

THE LATEST: Name of "Oil City" will probably be changed to "Salt Lake City," because most of our oil wells are now producing salt water.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dameron were visiting relatives at Dvale Sunday.

Mrs. Halleck Hamilton was shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel Stilton was having dental work done in Pikeville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ensminger, of Prestonsburg, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burns May Sunday.

Jeffrey Dameron spent the week-end in Prestonsburg.

ville, was admitted Feb. 6 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

Mrs. F. T. Jones, of Drift has been a medical patient at the hospital since Feb. 19 and is improving nicely.

Mrs. Adam Patton, of Lackey, has been undergoing medical treatment at the hospital since Feb. 19, with good results.

Henry Shepherd, of Weeksbury, was admitted to the hospital Feb. 19 for medical treatment and is improving.

Riorita Jones, small adopted daughter of James Hargraves, of Weeksbury, is undergoing medical treatment at the hospital. She was admitted Feb. 18.

William Ray, of Biscuit, was admitted Feb. 21 and is in good condition.

Mrs. Carl Elkins, of Harold, was admitted to the hospital on Feb. 21 as a medical patient.

Mrs. Charlie Hall, of Fed, was admitted on Feb. 21 for medical treatment and is in good condition.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Must Help or It Will Cost You Nothing. Over two million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers, Acid to Excess Acid—Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc., due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial. Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free—at H. E. HUGHES & CO., Inc. Prestonsburg, Ky. GARRETT DRUG CO. Garrett, Ky. MAHOOD'S DRUG STORE Martin, Ky.



# FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

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

Aviation Cadet Albert B. Brooke, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Brooke, Sr., Charlotte, N. C., formerly of Wayland, has entered the Army Air Forces Technical School at Yale University where he will undergo intensive training pointed toward his becoming a technical officer in communications with the rank of second lieutenant.

Courses he will take will include the principles of very high frequencies, direct and alternating current, transmitters, receivers, the radio compass, radio equipment, wire equipment, portable ground stations and the principles of field operations.

After being commissioned, Aviation Cadet Brooke will have command of a crew of enlisted men who have been trained at other Army Air Forces Technical Training Command schools as specialists in radio communications. He recently graduated from the Bombing and Gunnery school at Wendover, Utah.

While visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spurlock, Prestonsburg, Pfc. Homer Spurlock, Jr., was notified by his commanding officer at a New Mexico air base that he had been promoted to the rating of corporal. Mrs. Spurlock, the former Miss Eulah Crisp, of Allen, accompanied him here.

Donald Music, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Music, of Auxier, volunteered for air corps service last August and was called for active duty Feb. 1. He is in training at Nashville, Tenn.

Orville Scutchfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Scutchfield, having completed training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is now aboard ship and is somewhere on the Atlantic. Ernel Scutchfield, another son, is employed at the Glenn L. Martin plant, near Baltimore, Md.

Sgt. John W. Pratt, of the army air forces gider school, Dalhart, Texas, received his diploma from the post technical school Jan. 30. The diploma entitles Sgt. Pratt to hold the position of airplane crew chief. He is a son of Ella Pratt Crisp, Cracker.

Oklahoma Branham, of Langley, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the Army Air Corps, headquarters of the Antilles Air Task Force at San Juan, Porto Rico, announced last week. Sergeant Branham entered the army Jan. 3, 1941, at Ft. Thomas, and now is stationed at an air base in the Caribbean area. Before entering the army, Sergeant Branham attended high school at Maytown.

Ray Craft, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Craft, Prestonsburg, who is stationed at Ft. Jackson, S. C., was recently promoted to the rating of corporal.

The following newly inducted personnel of the United States army have been sent forward from the reception center at Ft. Thomas, to the stations and addresses indicated:

To 615th Quartermaster Bakery Battalion, Vancouver Bks., Wash.—Hubert Akers, Lackey; Arthur Collins, Melvin; Dan Combs, Drift; Hubert D. Hicks, Garrett; Roy Hicks, Langley; Virgil Johnson, Weeksburg; Bronco Jacobs, Wheelwright; Clarence Moore, Garrett; Herbert Ousley, Alphoretta; Frank Vanderpool, Hueysville.

To 87th Infantry Division, Camp McCain, Miss.—Edwin V. Stewart, Langley.

To Quartermaster RTC., Camp Lee, Va.—Wallace Estep, Jr., Allen.

To 911th Ordnance HM Company OUTC, Atlanta Ordnance Base, Atlanta, Ga.—Beach Gillum, Prestonsburg.

To Medical RTC, Camp Grant, Ill.—James C. Boggs, Drift.

To Army Air Forces, RTC., St. Petersburg, Fla.—John P. Meade, Printer.

To Air Force Command, Keesler Field, Miss.—Garland N. Wilkinson, Wheelwright.

To Army Air Forces RTC., St. Petersburg, Fla.—Asbury B. Patrick, Hueysville.

To 147th Engineer Combat Regiment, Camp Swift, Texas—Warren E. Koontz, McDowell.

To 128th Ordnance Maintenance Company, Camp McCoy, Wis.—Charles E. Adkins, Wayland. To 492nd Port Battalion, Camp Hatheway, Vancouver, Wash.—Read Howell, McDowell.

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SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—  
"Seven Days Leave"  
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TUESDAY—  
"The Gorilla Man"  
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day at Ivel he reeled in a 16-inch catfish. This week he was wearing a ring that he found in the fish's stomach. And, judging by appearance of the ring, the fish had pretty good taste, at that.

**THE BOTTLE FRONT**  
"Spirits" are whisking through courthouse doors too much to suit Jailer Guy Horn. One day last week he had a tinkling cargo of bottles carted out of the men's toilet. That was at 9 a. m., and when he got through the place was clean. A few hours later, he went on another inspection tour. And, lo! in the same toilet there reposed in every conceivable position except tilted to somebody's mouth "dead soldiers" to the actual count of 19. Jailer Horn is threatening to have a deputy sheriff stand guard at this "out-post" and jail all who drink therein.

**NEW CLASSIFICATION**  
Charles Spradlin quotes a gentleman of the colored persuasion as declaring, while looking over the draft classification lists at the courthouse this week, that "I is a G-man in G class" and not interested "pussional" in his name on the bulletin board, just looking for names of others.

"What you mean—G-man in G class?" a friend asked.  
"Dat mean," replied the other, "git goin'—I done got my call!"

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Ishmael Greer, Bonanza; Payne Lemaster, Winder, Ga.; Warren Steele, Omar, W. Va.; James Marcus George, Prestonsburg; Bill Spriggs, Stone; Willard Boyd (V), Betsy Layne; Vinson Shepherd, West Prestonsburg; Graham Calhoun, Water Gap; Austin Wright (V), Bonanza; Edwin Carl Walters (V), Betsy Layne, Columbus Stone, Blue River; Robert Newsome, Beaver; Woodrow Bays, West Prestonsburg; Ernie Risner (V), Woods; Okie Spradlin, Bonanza; James Joseph Carter, Prestonsburg; Warren Arson Lewis, Betsy Layne; Ellisworth H. Stumbo (V), Harold; Robert Leslie Rannels, West Prestonsburg; Obie Crisp, Allen; Christopher C. Mitchell, Teaberry.

Dock Henderson Griffith, Lancer; Earl Hackworth, Bonanza; Ernest Hackworth, Bonanza; Junior Wilson Hensley, Harold; Darwin Woodrow Music, German; Herbert Hackworth, Bonanza; Wm. Brown Dameron, Prestonsburg; Alex Bradley (V), Dock; Denvil Leake (V), East Point; Hobart Lee Edwards, Water Gap; Edford Leon Clark, Harold; George Moles, Jr., Betsy Layne; Paul Vincel Pritch, David; Corbett James Howell, Osborne; Oia Hamilton, Teaberry; Darwin Lee Snipes, Bonanza; Greenbury Spears, Osborn; John D. Boyd, Dana.

Grant Newsome, Beaver; Thomas Tackett, Jr., Beaver; Robert Lee Adkins, Betsy Layne; Clyde Patrick Harmon, Bonanza; Aaron Shepherd, Goodloe; Sam Lewis, Betsy Layne; Levi Ousley, Dock; Frank Williams, Myrtle; Avery Newsome, Grethel; Lewis D. Dotson, Bonanza; Melvin Wells, Jr., Prestonsburg; Herbert Preston, West Prestonsburg; Clarence Tackett, Craynor; John C. Blackburn, Betsy Layne; Walter Jarvis, Endicott; Orville Brine Ousley, Dock; Warrnie Howard (V), Brainard; John C. Johnson, Dock; Willie King, Harold; Broadus David Spears, Betsy Layne.

William Johnson, Beaver; Thomas Spears, Banner; John J. Thompson, Melvin; Cambridge Blanton, Harold; James Earl Stewart, Betsy Layne; Chester Hunter, Jr., McDowell; Lone Junior Spears, Osborne; Edward Lee Cartmell, Emma; Jeff Nelson, Jr., Prestonsburg; Nola Boyd, Dana; Roland Cottrell Blair, Tram; Arnold Hicks, Pyramid; Amos Vaughan, Dwale; George W. Hall, Dwale; Clinton Landy Blankenship, Weeksburg; David George Butler, Ashland, formerly of Prestonsburg; Curtis Rogers, Osborne; Henry Hamilton, Teaberry; Israel Shepherd, Goodloe; Reuben Rose, West Prestonsburg; Clyde Senters, Ivel.

Winfred Meade, Cliff; Roger Darwin Steele (V), German; Frank Caudill (V), Prestonsburg; Frank Crum (V), Banner; Radford Arnold Hall (V), Prestonsburg; Shade Pitts (V), Risner; Albert Hansford May (V), Prestonsburg; Russell Isaac Thompson (V), West Prestonsburg and Melvin; Ballard Cecil (V), Harold; Teddie Perry (V), Prestonsburg; Jay Hall (V), Teaberry; Boy Lothar (V), East Point; Leo McGuire (V), Allen; Robert Leslie Carver (V), David; George Ernest Burchett (V), Banner; James Cecil Mellon and Victor Gordon Moore, both of Prestonsburg.

Ulysses Grant Lewis, Ivel. Ed Layne, Harold; Amos Blackburn, Wonder; Claude Delmas Leslie, Emma; Alex Hall, Jr., Prestonsburg; Leslie Burchett Patton, Emma; Wade Oliver Burchett, Prestonsburg; Russell Raymond Coburn, Cliff (transferred from Charleston, W. Va.); Kenes Hall, Banner (transferred from Detroit, Mich.).

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Milton Batsel, of Muhlenberg county, received \$1,064 for 2,268 pounds of tobacco raised on one and two-tenths acres.

**NOTICE**

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they must continue to contribute the same amount toward maintaining it."

Any public, parochial or private school or child welfare center operating on a non-profit basis and not now being served with commodities through warehousing channels by the commodity distribution division of the State Department of Public Welfare is now eligible for this new program, the supervisor stated.

"Each youngster will receive his meal whether he is able to pay the cost or not," he added. "Sponsors preferably will be county school boards, or other educational systems, welfare centers or service organizations, with community and civic clubs as co-sponsors if desired."

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Susie Clay Goble, was born near Prestonsburg Oct. 7, 1886. He was married to Miss Connie Clark, of Wonder, Ky., Aug. 12, 1900. To this union were born four children, three of whom survive: Mrs. Jennie Spears, McCombs, Ky.; Ernest Goble, Big Shoal, Ky.; Mrs. Eileen Gilliam, of Emma. He also leaves three grandchildren and one great-grandchild. His wife preceded him in death Jan. 7, 1941.

Mr. Goble was an outstanding citizen and had many friends. He was in the Fourth Kentucky Volunteers in the Spanish-American War. Funeral was conducted Tuesday at 10 a. m., from the Methodist Church by the Rev. Isaac Stratton and the Rev. John Laferty. Burial was made in the Sherman cemetery. The Arnold Funeral Home directed both funerals.

**Mail Box Installation, Numbering of Houses To Be Required Here**

Postal inspectors are expected to make a tour of Prestonsburg soon to ascertain if the postal regulations requiring houses to be numbered and receptacles installed at homes where free mail delivery service is given are being complied with by citizens of the town, THE TIMES was told this week.

Policy of authorities here relative to enforcement of this regulation has hitherto been lenient, but it was said strict compliance will be required hereafter.

Although door slot for mail is the preferred type of receptacle, no specified type is required. House numbers may be determined by consulting the new city map and a desirable type of number is on display at the Morell Supply Company.

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slayer's revolver had three empty shells in it and another cartridge had been snapped on but had failed to fire. This was in contradiction of other testimony to the effect that Bentley fired only one shot.

Mrs. Goodman testified that the two men stood approximately three feet apart in the rear of Z. C. Dingus' store when the shooting took place. Examination of the victim failed to reveal powder burns. Authorities claim powder burns are possible at a distance of six feet.

Mrs. Goodman testified she could see in the small room where the two men were and saw Craft's movements as he fired twice. Mrs. B. F. Collins, claiming she stood near Mrs. Goodman, stated she could "possibly see the bulk of somebody" but could not recognize anybody in the room.

The hearing consumed greater part of the afternoon. Bentley himself did not testify. His son, Lloyd (Buddy) Bentley, corroborated Keen Goodman's version of the shooting. The slayer was quoted by Chief of Police Flanery as saying he "had it to do" and that the shooting was "over politics."

Bentley executed bond on the following day, with E. P. Grigsby, J. M. Bentley and W. S. Johns, sureties.

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**ABIGAIL THEATER**

THURS.-FRI., Feb. 25-26—  
"Gay Sisters"  
Barbara Stanwyck, Geo. E. Stone, News.

SATURDAY—  
11:02 a. m., to 1:12 p. m.  
6:30 p. m., to 8:12 p. m.  
"Lost Canyon"  
Wm. Boyd, Lola Layne, Serial—  
"G-MEN VS. BLACK DRAGON"

SATURDAY—3:01 and 10:01 p. m.—  
"The General Died at Dawn"  
Gary Cooper, Akim Tamiroff.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
"The Keeper of the Flame"  
Spencer Tracy, Katherine Hepburn, Hep Cat.

TUES.-WED., TWO PICTURES—  
"Youth on Parade"  
John Hubbard, Ruth Terry.  
—and—  
"McGuerrin from Brooklyn"  
Arline Judge, Wm. Bendix, News.

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