

FLOYD LEGION POSTS NAME OFFICIALS

District Convention To Be Held Sunday At Wheelwright

Floyd county's three American Legion Posts this week announced their new officers, their annual elections of officers having been held in anticipation of the Tenth district convention which will be held at Wheelwright Sunday, June 20.

Until notified Wednesday by THE TIMES, Wheelwright Post officials were unaware of convention plans. A former officer of the Post had accepted in behalf of the Post the convention for this year, and apparently had failed to notify his successor or any other Post officer of the fact when he moved to another town.

"We are deeply distressed because of our inability to entertain our visitors as we should like to," said Leland Becker, commander of Wheelwright Post, "but the lack of notice and rationing of foodstuffs makes it impossible for us to be the sort of host we sincerely want to be."

District Commander Albert K. Moore, Salyersville, announced that, because of the misunderstanding, only the business session will be held, beginning at 1:30 p.m., Sunday.

Floyd Post No. 129, Prestonsburg, Saturday night elected George T. Roberts, Prestonsburg, to succeed W. G. Africa as Commander.

Other Floyd Post officials named are:

Joe Meadows, Martin J. Leete, Jr., and Joe Hobson, vice-commanders; W. G. Africa, adjutant; F. C. Hall, finance officer; J. B. Clarke, chaplain; L. S. Moles, historian; Marvin Marshall, sergeant-at-arms; Joe P. Tackett, service officer; Marvin Marshall, child welfare officer; W. C. Rimmer, publicity. The executive committee is composed of Joe Hobson, R. G. Francis, F. C. Hall, Marvin Marshall, J. R. Hurt, Arnold Cassidy. All new officers of the Post are from Prestonsburg, except Mr. Meadows, of Sloan, and Mr. Cassidy, of Langley.

Wheelwright Post No. 223 re-elected Leland Becker commander and also named him service officer for the year. Other officials of the Post are: C. Robert Miller, finance officer; Jeff Gibson, adjutant; J. C. Osborne, first vice-commander; H.

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2 WOUNDED IN COUNTY

Weeksbury Gunplay Is First in Months For Left Beaver

Left Beaver's first gunplay in months resulted Tuesday night in the wounding of two men at Weeksbury.

Jim Edd Raines, owner of the restaurant in which the shooting took place, is in the Martin General hospital with a revolver bullet wound in his abdomen. His condition was said Thursday to be satisfactory. The bullet entered his abdomen, emerging from his side and nicked his liver, it was said at the hospital.

Johnny Skiles, a bystander, was shot in the leg. He had not been hospitalized Thursday.

Police Chief Harve Childers, of Weeksbury, told authorities here he "understood" that Mrs. Raines shot the men during a flurry of general shooting in and about the restaurant. Mrs. Raines had not been arrested at noon Thursday.

MAY DECLINES TO COMMENT ON CALL FOR RESIGNATION

Congressman A. J. May, home from Washington on a brief vacation, declined this week to comment on United Mine Worker resolutions calling for his resignation because of his support of anti-strike legislation.

Mr. May, instead, issued the following statement:

"I have always supported Labor in its just demands, and will continue to do so in the future. The question of wages of the miners was not in any sense involved in the consideration of the legislation commonly referred to as 'Anti-Strike

Long Way from Home, Prestonsburg Girls In Service Meet

Special to The Times

Los Angeles, Calif., June 8—Although they are a long way from home, two young women from Prestonsburg, Ky., one a member of the Women's Reserve of the United States Marine Corps and the other a WAVE, met recently in this city.

The women are Sgt. Cassie Jean Patrick, 20, daughter of Mrs. John Edward Frazier, of West Prestonsburg, and Yeoman 3c Emma Alice Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Collins, Prestonsburg.

When Yeoman Collins walked into the Marine Officer Procurement Office here to visit Sgt. Patrick she said that she read in THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES about the latter's assignment to duty at this station while she was en route to San Diego, Calif., near here, to take up her new post with the WAVES.

The two were acquainted in Prestonsburg, attended the same schools and both boast of being the first women from Floyd county to enlist in their respective branches of the armed forces.

Sergeant Patrick, United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve, will be a guest along with seven other women Marines, on the Ginny Simms program Tuesday night, June 22. She is on detached duty at the office of Marine Corps Officer Procurement in Los Angeles.

MINERS WORK FULL WEEK

Uneasy Truce Prevails Over U.S. Coal Fields; Dispute Unsettled

Floyd county's miners are observing a full six-day work week as an uneasy truce prevails over the nation's coal fields.

Threatening the continuance of coal production were:

1. The still disputed portal-to-portal issue.
2. Secretary Ickes' imposition of a \$1-a-day fine on workers for each day they were idle.

Mr. Ickes later modified the fine order by permitting operators to refund the miners amounts of their fines.

Meanwhile, on President Roosevelt's desk was the anti-strike bill which was given final approval by the Senate Saturday night. If he signs it immediately, further work stoppages would be outlawed. If he permits it to become law without his signature at the end of 10 days, work could be stopped without violation of the law, since the new act would not become effective till after June 20 has passed.

The measure would forbid strikes and seek to curb walkouts in private in government-operated industries plants or mines.

It provides fines and prison terms for any person convicted of instigating or encouraging a strike in a government-operated mine or plant, and legislators said during debate that it frankly was aimed at Lewis, whose United Mine Workers' latest truce in their fight for higher wages is due to expire next Saturday midnight.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, appealed directly to the President to veto the measure.

Lewis himself, who was roundly assailed in Congress for permitting work stoppages in the mines, had no comment on the measure.

The War Labor Board, which would be given new powers—including that of subpoena—if the bill becomes law, meanwhile renewed its consideration of the portal-to-portal (underground travel time) pay issue.

Indications pointed to a decision this week.

Floyd Countian Who Was Bombardier On Famed "Shanghai Lil," Is Major At Age of 24, Veteran of 38 Raids

"Our bomber was Shanghai Lil, and what a gal was she!"

Major W. E. Sutton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton, of Langley, did a bit of reminiscing here this week about the stout Liberator bomber that carried him and his crew on 37 or 38 separate bombing missions—"I'm not certain which figure is correct"—during 300 desperate combat hours over North Africa, the Mediterranean and Italy.

Shanghai Lil had the picture of a naked woman on her side but there was nothing naughty about her, declares Major Sutton. She behaved. You could go out in this bomber, famous for her aerial exploits and made more famous to the folks back home by Life and other magazines, and "feel at home," under your own roof, so to speak. She would come back looking like a sieve where Axis cannon and machine gun fire had blasted her—but she always came back.

But this is not the story of a bomber named Shanghai Lil. It's the story of a Floyd county boy who rode the plane as its bombardier from the time Montgomery started the offensive at El Alamein that saved the Suez Canal, and possibly the whole Middle East to the United Nations till the day last February when he and others of his crew were forced down near Smyrna, Turkey and interned.

Forced down in a bomber—but not in Shanghai Lil. The old girl simply wouldn't let a guy down, that way.

This is the story of 24-year-old Ed Sutton, Jr., from Langley (May-



MAJOR SUTTON

town), a small town boy who made some big towns in Africa and in Italy tremble "neath the impact of good American-built, American-dropped bombs.

It's the story of a youngster whose nerves are so steady, who will talk in such matter-of-fact tones of "flak" and Messerschmitts and bomb runs that you'd think, if you hadn't read in your easy chair about such parlor matters, it was all safe and easy. Some of the boys did crack up, nerves shattered, and they were not to blame, they were no less brave—but not young Sutton.

"When I went across, I had no

idea but that I'd come back," he said. "The only time I ever changed my mind about returning home safely was over Bengasi. Our tail turret was out, one gun in the top turret was out. Our gunner up there, all he could do was swing the gun about. Couldn't fire it—and the Messerschmitts were peppering us. Besides that, we were in our bombing run and we had to keep on it. Really, it was the only time that I thought we couldn't get back." Major Sutton said.

But his narrowest squeeze of all was over an Allied airfield in the western desert. "We were down, only 100 feet from the field, one night, when everything happened," he explained. "We at first thought the British were shooting at us. 'hinking we were the enemy. A hail of shrapnel and machine gun bullets swept our plane. Four of us were wounded. I was hit in the arm. We finally learned that a Junkers had blasted us from behind with cannon, passed us, then turned its machine guns loose. Yeah—he got away—as far as I learned."

Sutton said his group went out, unescorted, and had little trouble from fighter plane attack. He ascribed this to the fact that the Liberators had the enemy outgunned. "The Messerschmitt was the best enemy plane I saw in action, and it's plenty good. We didn't see much of the Focke-Wolf."

Major Sutton went into the army as an aviation cadet, August 5, 1940; went to Africa in July, last year.

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HALL, VICTIM OF PARALYSIS

Baptist Pulpit Veteran, 70, Succumbs Tuesday At Melvin Residence

Elder Hiram Hall, 70 years old, a minister of the Regular Baptist Church for 48 years, succumbed Tuesday afternoon at his home at Melvin to paralysis. His death followed a long period of ill health, his first stroke having been suffered three years ago while attending church.

Born August 5, 1872, the Reverend Hall was a son of the late William and Ritter Bolen Hall, who came to this county from Knott county. He spent practically his entire life at Melvin where he worked, week-days, as a farmer, turning his week-ends to ministerial labors.

His wife, Mrs. Martha Hall, died 23 years ago. Surviving are four sons and two daughters: Robert Bruce, C. W., Harold and Lawrence Hall, Mrs. Pearl Johnson and Mrs. Della Chandler, all of Melvin. He also leaves three brothers and two sisters: M. T. Hall, Hall, Ky.; Albert Hall, Melvin; T. J. Hall, Teaberry; Mrs. Emma Anderson, Wheelwright, and Mrs. Diana Riddle, of the West Virginia.

The funeral will be conducted from the residence Friday morning at 10 o'clock, the Rev. F. A. Hopkins officiating. Burial will be made in the Tackett cemetery at Melvin under direction of the Call Funeral Home.

Some Floyd Countians Beat Gun on Season, Some Face Hearing

The frog season in Kentucky did not open till Tuesday, this week, but some Floyd countians "jumped the gun."

Of these who thus violated the law, one Right Beaver Creek man was fined \$15 and costs this week by County Judge E. P. Hill and others are to face trial, L. J. Gerlach, Allen, Floyd county conservation officer, said this week.

"The fact that the frog season is now in does not permit everybody to hunt frogs," Mr. Gerlach emphasized. "You must have a hunting license; else, you will still be in violation of the law and subject to the penalty."

Some reported cases of fish dynamiting are being investigated by Mr. Gerlach and arrests are expected to be made soon.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Martin D. Powers is at home now, convalescing from a recent operation at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. She is doing nicely.

Three Floyd Soldiers Reported Wounded In North Africa

Within the week since publication of THE TIMES, three Floyd county soldiers have been reported by the War Department as having been wounded in the Tunisian fighting.

Extent of their wounds and all other details were lacking. Their names and addresses of nearest relatives follow:

Pvt. James B. Daniels, son of Mrs. Effie Daniels, Garrett; Cpl. Claude P. Frady, Jr., son of Mrs. Fannie Frady, Wayland; Pfc. Hershel Hamilton, son of Mrs. Celia Hamilton, Ivel.

TAKE PRUSSKY BACK TO NAVY

Deserter in Jail Here 3 Months After Taking 'Bridle, Horse Attached'

Joe Anthony Prusky, the navy deserter who was held in jail here for three months after "taking a bridle while it was attached to a horse," was taken this week to the Louisville navy recruiting station after spending three months in jail here.

He and two army deserters, Oakie Fields, of Bull Creek, and Carmel Kidd, of the Mud Creek section, were taken to Louisville by Deputy Sheriff A. C. Carter and R. T. Allen. Fields and Kidd were taken to Ft. Knox.

Jailer Guy Horn said much of Prusky's last week in jail here was spent in attempting to fashion a key and thus effect an escape. He was placed in solitary confinement for his pains.

Prusky, whose home address was given as Chicago, stole a horse owned by Hl Conn, of Dana, and was arrested in Knott county.

Revival To Begin At Holiness Church

A revival will begin at the Pilgrim Holiness Church here June 27, continuing till July 11, the pastor, the Rev. Robert Weedman, announced this week.

The Rev. G. J. Tackett, evangelist, will conduct the services each evening at 8, with Mrs. Leonard Fleming, special singer.

GARRIOTT ATTENDING PASTOR'S SCHOOL

The Rev. W. B. Garrlott left Monday for Winchester, where he is attending the pastor's school which is held annually at Wesleyan College. He will return Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Garrlott.

ASKS SHERIFF TO KEEP EYE ON CARNIVALS

Allen States Duty Of Officers; Says Gaming Practised

Floyd county Sheriff Annie Stumbo was called upon this week by Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen to investigate any gambling activities in connection with whatever carnivals may come into Floyd town, to make arrests promptly and thus make such gambling device operators answerable to local courts before they leave for undisclosed destinations and cannot be called to appear at future court sessions.

Mr. Allen said he felt that Mrs. Stumbo will want to enforce the laws. "I am asking the local paper," he wrote, "to publish this, to put every carnival on notice that gambling will not be permitted in this county."

The Commonwealth's Attorney wrote, in part:

"In the past at this time of the year we have carnivals coming into various towns of the county, sometimes for a week, some only for a few days. It seems that without exception all operate gaming devices. These devices are usually operated in innocent guise, yet are easily detected on observation.

"I am requesting you to visit each of these carnivals that locate within Floyd county and carefully investigate any device calculated to be used for the purpose of gaming, as well as to enforce all other laws of the state. It is your duty as Sheriff as well as that of any other peace officer of this county to promptly take into your possession any machine or device used where money or other thing of value is won or lost and to forthwith arrest the person or persons operating same.

"This request is made in this in-

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TRAINING SHOP DOOM HINTED

Appropriations Group Leaders Fight To Kill NYA; Senate To Act

With the national House of Representatives appropriations committee carrying to the floor of the House its fight to kill off the National Youth Administration, the end of the NYA-vocational school training shop here was considered a possibility.

It was held probable in some quarters, however, that the shop would continue to operate under other control.

Instead of granting the \$40,000,000 asked for the continuance of NYA work during the fiscal year beginning July 1, the appropriations committee ordered the NYA liquidated by January 1 and gave it only \$3,000,000 with which to wind up its affairs.

Entered in the records of the committee's hearings were statements of Fred A. Martin, of Garrett, Mayo Vocational School representative here, and V. O. Turner, Maytown high school principal, as well as those of educators from other parts of the country, contending that NYA's attempt to train youths conflicted with the public school program, that vocational training could be more effectively conducted by the public schools while giving youth its regular textbook instruction.

A stiff fight on the question in the Senate is foreseen, but a decision will be reached by June 30.

WIFE, SONS OF GARRETT MAN WITNESSES OF HIS DROWNING

While his two young sons sought to rescue him and his wife looked on, powerless to save his life, Ed Woody, 50, Garrett truckdriver, drowned Monday afternoon in the Big Sandy river, near Dwale.

Hauling sand as an employe of Ike Slater, of Garrett, Mr. Woody sought relief from the late afternoon heat by wading in the river, though unable to swim. He walked unawares into water beyond his depth while Mrs. Woody and two sons watched from the opposite bank of the stream. The two boys, Jack, 13, and Ed, Jr., 9, succeeded in removing their father from the river but he was dead upon arrival of a physician.

A native of Hawk, N.C., he had resided in this county for the last eight years and was well-known in Garrett and vicinity. His body was prepared for burial at the Ryan Funeral Home and taken Tuesday to his North Carolina birthplace for interment.

Besides his widow, Mr. Woody is survived by three sons and one daughter: Joe, Marcella, Jack and Ed, Jr.

VOICE OF EXPERIENCE

After considerable mental weight-lifting, Sam Isbell this week came up with an explanation of why Poor Pa takes Junior to the wood shed. That's so his rear will be protected from Junior's mother while papa does his duty.

A CAT'S TALE

This being the month of June, the month of the great god Hymen and all that, I had an idea, the other evening, it would make a nice story to catch a tom-cat carrying a love offering to his lady-love, and so I watched our gentleman cat do his stuff. What excited my curiosity was his behavior after catching a mouse. Instead of playing with his catch he immediately left the room, mouse in his mouth, stalked proudly across the yard, leaped onto the upper railing of the fence and started walking. Suspecting the critter's plans for the evening, I kept watch. Now wouldn't it be something to catch him carrying a mouse to his girl friend? And when he left the fence and started across a neighboring garden it occurred to me that the girl friend had kittens and he was taking home the bacon as papas sometimes will, if they don't stop too long in the liquor store.

But what that cat was thinking of doing remains a mystery. After disappearing from sight a minute or so, he re-appeared, mouse still between his teeth, upped himself back onto the fence, descended and walked back across the yard and onto the porch.

And, whatever noble intentions he might have had, whatever vague instincts inspired by the season that may have moved him to behave so strangely, Tom's baser instincts got the better of him, once back on the porch. There he plopped himself down and with disgusting greed ate the little mouse all up.

GASTRIC AND RATION ROUBLE

The guy who drank a pint of whisky, then ate a T-bone steak for supper had a nightmare that night. He was being chased from pint to point.

ADVERTISING

Somebody at the courthouse has installed a new bulletin board there which the boys are using for advertising things they have to sell. E. B. Brown, Elson Kendrick, Judge Hill and others had "taken space" on it Wednesday when somebody took remainder of the board with this reminder, "Advertise in the FLOYD COUNTY TIMES."

NO, NO!

I have been asked to write something about Frank Layne and the adhesive tape he used while gardening, about Carl Brown and how he tried to coast from the top of Bent Mountain to Williamson in order to save gas, about Russell Hagewood bringing a fish in, barehanded, after breaking his fly-rod. But I won't—so there!

SPEND DAY IN LEXINGTON

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Ruth Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Garland Rice, of Paintsville, to Lexington Monday for the day on business.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Calvin Shepherd vs. Geneva Shepherd; B. M. James, atty. Lizzie Porter Mullins vs. Trimble Mullins; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Juanita Roark vs. Fess Roark; J. B. Clarke, atty. Laura Goble, gdn., etc. vs. Dimple Herald, etc.; W. W. Burchett, atty. First National Bank vs. W. W. Lindsay, et al.; Combs & Combs, attys. Lonnie Hopkins vs. Minnie Hopkins; J. B. Clarke, atty. Bertha Harrington vs. Frank Harrington; J. B. Clarke, atty. Ballard Clarke vs. Earet Castle, etc.; J. B. Clarke, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jesse Hall and Pina Mae Little, James H. Frasure, 25, Langley, and Thelma Adkins, 19, Hippo; married here June 11 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Carmel Osborne and Gilva Newsome, Floyd Allen, 19, Warsaw, and, and Ercel Moore, 18, Willard, O.; marriage solemnized June 12 by County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr. Jim Coch and Dorothy Mae Layne, Less Wallen and Virginia Miller. Maryland Craft, 24, and Brookie Thornsbury, 23, both of Raven; married here June 12 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley.

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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 Sen-
atorial district (Floyd, Knott and
Martin counties).

FOR STATE SENATOR
We are authorized to announce
DR. EARL T. ARNETT

of Wheelwright, Ky., as a candidate
for

STATE SENATOR
from Floyd, Knott and Martin
counties, subject to the action of the
Democratic primary.

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 can-
didate 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 pri-
mary.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
We are authorized to announce
BILL BIGGERS

of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate
for the Democratic nomination for
REPRESENTATIVE
in the Legislative district composed
of Magisterial districts 1 and 2,
Floyd county.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
We are authorized to announce
DAVID B. LESLIE, JR.,

of Emma, Ky., as a candidate for
the Democratic nomination for
REPRESENTATIVE
of the Legislative district composed
of Magisterial Districts 1 and 2,
Floyd county.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
We are authorized to announce
COLUMBUS COMPTON

of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for
the Democratic nomination for
REPRESENTATIVE
of the Legislative district composed
of Magisterial districts 3 and 4,
Floyd county.

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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 Demo-
cratic party at the August, 1943
primary. Your support will be ap-
preciated.

FOR SHERIFF
We are authorized to announce
BILL HALL

of Ligon, Ky., as a candidate for
the Democratic nomination for
SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY
at the primary election August 7,
1943.

FOR SHERIFF
We are authorized to announce
ADAM HAYS

of Glo (former Constable in Mag-
isterial District No. 2) as a can-
didate for Sheriff of Floyd county,
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party at the August primary.
I ask the support of the voters on
my record as an officer, and promise
the same service in the future.
Your help and influence will be
deeply appreciated.

FOR SHERIFF
I have decided to make the race
for the Democratic nomination for
Sheriff of Floyd county at the pri-
mary, Aug. 7, and ask my friends
to join in making my nomination
and election sure. My only promise
is that I will be the Sheriff and
conduct a clean administration.

Your friend,
OTTO FANNIN

FOR CONSTABLE
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TOMMY COLE

of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate
for the Democratic nomination for
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in Magisterial District No. 2, at the
August, 1943 primary.

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FOR CONSTABLE
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Jan. 12, a daughter; Chester Fitch,
Garrett, Jan. 13, a son; Harry Lee
Turpin, Lackey, Jan. 9, a son; Har-
lan Howard, Wayland, Feb. 25, a
son; Ollie Ousley, Glo, Jan. 28, a
son; Miles May, Alphoretta, Jan.
29, a son; Theodore Music, Auxier,
Jan. 22, a daughter; James H. Mc-
Kenzie, Auxier, Jan. 16, a daugh-
ter; Sylvester Younce, Boldman,
Jan. 8, a son; James H. Sturgill,
Auxier, Jan. 30, a daughter; Theo-
dore R. Porter, Auxier, Jan. 26, a
daughter; Adrian D. Ward, Auxier,
Jan. 23, a daughter; Wm. Elza
Wells, Auxier, Jan. 25, a daughter;
Wayne Deskins, Glo, Feb. 25, a son;
James O. Sturgill, Auxier, Feb. 4,
a son; Otto Hyden, Auxier, Feb. 2,
a daughter; James E. Clark, Aux-
ier, Feb. 17, a son; James Bartley,
Garrett, Feb. 16, a daughter; Wor-
den Collins, Wayland, Feb. 9, a
daughter; Burnis Mullins, Martin,
Feb. 15, a daughter; Ezra Laferty,
Garrett, Feb. 15, a daughter; Jasper
Blankenship, Teaberry, March 23,
a daughter; Delmer Bartley, Bea-
ver, March 17, a daughter; Willie
Bentley, Beaver, March 23, a son;
Ezra Robinson, Auxier, March 15, a
daughter; Gooden Clark, Auxier,
March 4, a daughter.

Foley North, Auxier, March 1, a
daughter; Arthur Slone, Teaberry,
March 26, a son; Herbert Akers, Os-
born, March 25, a daughter; Ellis
Keathley, Galveston, March 20, a
son; Fairbanks Mullins, Weeksbury,
March 4, a son; Fonzo Justice, Dock,
March 4, a son; Wm. Kendrick, Glo,
March 27, a son; Dennis Penning-
ton, Glo, March 18, a son; Raymond
Bolen, Garrett, March 28, a son;
Morton Beckelheimer, Lackey, March
29, a daughter; Elmon L. Harris,
Glo, March 22, a son; Joe Miller,
Garrett, March 14, a daughter; Vir-
gil Rice, Wayland, March 21, a
son; Fred Dye, Garrett, March 9, a
daughter; Guy Greer, Prestonsburg,
March 30, a son; George Walker
Hall, Water Gap, April 11, a daugh-
ter; Jim Honaker, Honaker, April
23, a daughter; Cephus Noble, Way-
land, April 30, a son; Jim Wright,
West Prestonsburg, April 12, a
daughter; Robert Hall, Teaberry,
April 10, a son; Archie Hall, Bea-
ver, April 3, a son; Ervin Bentley,
Dwale, April 8, a daughter; Ed
Wells, Auxier, April 22, a son; James
E. Ward, Alphoretta, April 22, a
son; Joe Samons, Cliff, April 6, a
son; Bill Harvey, Honaker, April 30,
a daughter; Bill Mitchell, Craynor,
April 24, a son; Jack Justice, Sr.,
Weeksbury, April 23, a son; Patton
Mullins, Weeksbury, April 23, a
daughter.

Fred Austin Harris, Weeksbury,
April 25, a daughter; Tom Keath-
ley, Osborn, April 11, a son; Edw.
Hall, Galveston, April 16, a son;
Delmar Keathley, Galveston, Apr-
il 15, a daughter; Ernest Gobie,
Weeksbury, April 5, a son; Howard
Hamby, Weeksbury, April 18, a son;
Robert R. Hicks, Weeksbury, April
21, a son; Kelly Ward, Woods, April
19, a son; Charley Jones, Hueysville,
April 17, a daughter; Charlie John-
son, Hueysville, April 17, a daugh-
ter; Herbert Slone, Estill, April 6, a
daughter; Ernest Archer Webb,
Wayland, April 25, a daughter; Wil-
lie Jones, Wayland, April 25, a
son; Roy R. Blankenship, Way-
land, April 14, a son; Frank
Turpin, Lackey, April 9, a daughter;
Warren Craft, Garrett, April 7, a
son; John L. Smith, Betsy Layne,
April 28, a daughter; Richard Sam-
ons, Martin, April 29, a daughter;
John S. Williams, Jr., Dana, April
27, a son; Ambros Carr, Hite, April
24, a daughter; Darwin Webb,
Dwale, April 21, a son; Crit Edw.
Shepherd, Dwale, April 15, a daugh-
ter; Sherman Prater, Bonanza, April
26, a son; Delmer Hunter, Manton
(at Martin General hospital), April
30, a daughter; Leonard Leo Os-
borne, Martin, April 14, a son;
Raymond Bradley, Martin, April 10,
a son; Joseph Wicker, Garrett, April
20, a son.

Reps Hubert, Printer, April 11, a
daughter; Isaac Spears, Jr., Halo,
April 3, a daughter; Paul T.
Dotson, West Prestonsburg, April 4,
a son; Bill Dotson, West Prestons-
burg, April 23, a son; Frank Smith,
Brainard, April 16, a daughter; How-
ard H. Hyden, West Prestonsburg,
April 20, a son; Woodrow Patrick,
Lackey, April 10, a daughter; Bill
Trimble, Harold, April 6, a daughter;
Ramon Carroll, Honaker, April 21, a
daughter; Harlie Conn, Printer, May
2, a son; Alfred Tackett, Hunter,
May 7, a daughter; Paul G. Hamil-
ton, Teaberry, May 2, a son; Dewey
Hall, Beaver, May 3, a son; Albert
Prater, Bonanza, May 24, a son; Ar-
thur L. Baldrige, Auxier, May 6, a
daughter; Nevard Wells, Auxier,
May 6, a son; Arnold Vance, Ligon
(at Martin General hospital), May
10, a daughter; Russell Powers,
Estill, May 26, a son; Arnold
Hunter, Honaker, May 17, a son; Al-
vis Johnson, Amba, May 17, a daugh-
ter; George Hamilton, Grethel,
May 17, a daughter; Talmage Pat-
ton, Langley, May 3, a son; Fred
Hall, Galveston, May 7, a son; Orvin
Breeding, Halo, May 1, a son; James
A. Stanley, Lackey, May 1, a son;
Vernon C. Ruffin, Wayland, May
6, a son; Lawrence Keathley, Mar-
tin, May 7, a son; Hershell Lee
Pennington, Ligon, May 19, a son;
Irvin Allen, Minnie, May 25, a
daughter; Joe Bradley, Langley,
May 31, a son.

Sam Hughes, Martin (at Beaver
Valley hospital) May 4, a daughter;
Beckham Clark, Lancer, May 10, a
son; Woodrow Sherman, Thomas,
May 27, a son; J. B. Owney, Lack-
ey, May 12, a son; Carl Huff, Lack-
ey, May 18, a son; Kendall Craft,
Wayland, May 30, a daughter; Ar-
nold J. Brown, Fed, May 26, a son;
Harlin Slone, Justell, May 13, a
daughter; Ballard Thompson, Man-
ton, May 28, a son.

DEATHS—
Mary Cole, 67, Melvin, May 22;
Thomas L. Perry, 60, Boldman,
April 2; Ronald Hamby, infant,
Weeksbury, April 18; Truby Mullins,
infant, Weeksbury, April 13; Aman-
da Akers, 62, Ligon, April 25; Susan
Anna Crider, 60, Endicott, May 20;
Martha Bidd Webb, 88, Martin, May
2; Robert B. Howell, 47, Betsy
Layne, April 30; Andy Virgil Carrol,
34, Grethel, May 8; Wm. Albert
Burke, 83, Auxier, May 21; Marietta
Stephens, infant, Garrett, April 22;
William Newsome, 81, Teaberry,
May 5; Lucy Frazier, 66, Martin,
April 5; Annalee Branham, 54,
Weeksbury, May 4; Bessie Meadows,
26, West Prestonsburg, April 17;
Harold Dean Coleman, infant, Mar-
tin, April 16; Jarve Meade, 55, Cliff,
May 2; Phyllis Joe Barnett, infant,
Martin, April 5; Marion Holbrook,
62, Halo, May 5; Lois Dings, 8,
Martin, May 8; Venice Gibson, 21,
Melvin, May 11; Sarah Johnson,
56, Lambert, April 28; Fay Ken-
drick, infant, Glo, May 31; Alta
Sword, 29, Fed, May 14.

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JACK KEARNS, who drew in many
millions in trade with Jack
Dempsey, was explaining how tough
it is to rate and rank fighters.

Kearns and Dempsey made the
greatest combination in ring history.
It was a combina-
tion of a smart,
shrewd manager,
the major master of
ballyhoo, and a
slashing puncher
with an iron chin.

"It all gets down
to the matter of
styles," Kearns
said. "For example,
A can lick B, B can
trim C and C can
murder A. I don't
believe Dempsey
could have beaten Harry Greb, when
both were at their best, for Greb
had too much speed and was even
rougher than Dempsey was. Yet
Greb had trouble with such smaller
fellows as Tiger Flowers and sev-
eral others, who also had speed.

"Against that, I'd say that Demp-
sey would have had an even chance
with Joe Louis for this one reason
—he could take a punch around the
head better. I'm talking of the
Dempsey of Toledo, 24 years old, 185
pounds of punching dynamite, who
was also fast.

"There isn't any matter of game-
ness or heart mixed up in this. When
it comes to taking a hard punch you
either can or you can't. Some of
the gamest fighters I ever knew
couldn't take a punch.

Tough Ranking
"I'll tell you how tough it is to
rank fighters," the always genial
Doc continued.

"I couldn't name you a greater
fighter than Jack Johnson.

"But Johnson had trouble with
Sam Langford, and after their first
meeting let Langford alone. On the
other hand, Langford, another great
fighter, met 139-pound Jack Black-
burn seven times without any great
success. Sam will even show you
some teeth Blackburn knocked out.

"You see where that leads us—
from Johnson, weighing 210 pounds,
to Blackburn, weighing 139 pounds,
and who looked that weight when
facing Langford at 170 pounds. John-
son, and I say again that he was
one of the greatest I ever saw, out-
weighed Blackburn by some 80
pounds, and yet, was no better
against Langford than the far lighter
and smaller man."

Pound for Pound
"What about Harry Greb, at his
best, and Stanley Ketchel?" I asked
Kearns. "Pound for pound, were
there any two greater?"

"Both were great," Kearns said.
"But here again you have two dif-
ferent styles. The Greb that almost
assassinated Gene Tunney and Tom
Gibbons, before his eyes went bad,
was a whirlwind. I'm not sure
Ketchel, as good as he was not, could
have ever nailed him.

"But if you are talking about
pound-for-pound stars, I'll slip you
a pair—Bob Fitzsimmons and
Mickey Walker. Don't forget that
Fitz weighed in around 158 pounds
for Corbett. And he was world's
heavyweight champion after that
scrap. Mickey Walker was not even
a middleweight. But I know of more
than one world's heavyweight cham-
pion he could have beaten.

"For another example, I don't be-
lieve Joe Louis would have given
Dempsey any more trouble than
Mickey Walker would have given
Jack. Crazy? All right. But we
come again to a matter of styles.
Mickey Walker would have given
Dempsey all the trouble in sight.

The Peacemaker
"Here's a funny story," Kearns
said, "that few know. By getting
me out of a fight for nothing, I got
Dempsey into fights worth millions.

"I was having an argument in a
San Francisco barroom with a big
Swede named Hansen. An ex-hobo,
who had lost most of his fights, was
sitting in the corner, all alone. His
name was Dempsey. I finally
slugged the Swede, and the Swede
slugged me back. About that time
this kid Dempsey got up, took me by
the arm and led me out. The Swede
had 80 pounds on me, so I wasn't
sore. It was that night we decided
to work together, although my pals
told me I was cuckoo. I think the
first move I made took us both to
the top. Dempsey had been right-
hand crazy. I turned him into a
left-hand hooker by tying his right
hand to his side and using only his
left. It was Dempsey's left that led
on to some \$10,000,000 in gate re-
ceipts."

Great Lightweights
There has been a rather weird
scramble lately involving mixed
weights.

By this we mean the top drawing
cards of the day—Willie Pep, a
featherweight, around 128 pounds—
Johnny Greco, a lightweight, with a
displacement of 131 pounds—Beau
Jack, another lightweight who can
make 135 pounds—Fritzie Zivic, a
welterweight at 147 pounds.

"I don't care what they weigh, as
long as the crowd wants to see 'em
fight." That's Mike Jacobs' rebuttal.

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OPA Officials List Questions Folks Most Frequently Ask

Louisville, Ky., June 11—These questions represent those most frequently asked of District OPA officials in the last few days. They are probably applicable to the problems of readers and should be of value to them:

Q. I have a summer home, where we have been accustomed to living every summer for a period of about three months. To drive from that summer home to my place of employment will require approximately 1,100 miles per month and at present from my regular place of residence I need only 700 miles per month. To which board should I apply for my mileage requirements, the one having jurisdiction over my regular place of residence or my summer home? Can an additional mileage be granted? A. You would be under the jurisdiction of the board where you are now living, unless you actually moved to your summer home. Your board in no case can grant any more mileage than you are getting at present, namely, 700 per month.

Q. Is there a ceiling price on photography service? A. Yes, practically all types of skilled photography service are covered under Maximum Price Regulations and the supplier must not charge more than his March, 1942, maximum price as determined under this regulation.

Q. After using Stamps No. 15 and 16 for five pounds each, how much additional sugar can I obtain? A. If need is shown, you can obtain up to 15 pounds additional sugar for each member of the family, on the basis of one pound of sugar for each four quarts of fruit you can.

Q. Can I exchange tires from the car I now have if I buy another car with worse tires? A. With permission from your local rationing board you may shift your tires but proper tire inspection records must be set up for future inspections.

Q. How can boarders living with families to whom they are not related apply for War Ration Book III? A. They should make out separate applications. If the mailman hasn't delivered sufficient applications they may obtain others from the general delivery window at the postoffice.

Q. I have two sons in the armed forces. How can I buy enough rationed food for them when they are home on furlough? A. A member of the armed forces on leave for 72 hours or longer should obtain a ration certificate before leaving camp. This certificate should be turned over to the person named as the provider of his meals who will have 15 days to turn it in to the board for food certificates covering sugar,

coffee, processed foods meats-fats.

Q. We are going to have a wedding. Can we arrange with our baker to bake us a cake with our own sugar? A. OPA recently ruled that bakers must not use customers' sugar in making cakes.

Q. What are community-wide ceiling prices? A. These are dollars-and-cents prices issued by OPA district Offices for a particular community or shopping area. The ceilings are the highest legal prices which a store may charge. Housewives may obtain copies of these top legal prices by clipping them from the newspapers. So far community prices have been established only in Louisville and Lexington, but they will ultimately be extended to cover every retail store in Kentucky.

Q. Are community prices and specific dollars-and-cents ceilings the same in all food stores? A. No. Some stores will have lower ceilings, reflecting somewhat lower operating costs and the lack of credit and delivery services. In establishing ceilings, OPA divides stores into four classes according to their annual dollar volume. Stores are required to post a sign indicating in which class they belong.

Q. My fuel oil storage tank is buried in the yard of my residence, and unless it has a sufficient quantity of oil in it during the spring season, it will float. Can I obtain a ration for ballast for the tank? A. Yes, the fuel oil rationing regulations provide that an applicant may apply to his local rationing board for a ration for that purpose.

Q. I have been informed that I may get a special stamp for work shoes. Is that true? A. Only if the work shoe required is a type that cannot be worn for street or general wear and, except for safety shoes. First, however, all stamps that can be used in the family must have been used.

Q. I have a "B" book issued to me for driving to and from work. If I occasionally ride on the street car or bus to work instead of driving may I use the amount saved for pleasure driving or for vacation purposes?

A. This would constitute a violation of the regulations, because the "B" book is given to you for an occupational purpose on the assumption that alternate means of transportation are not adequate.

Q. My grocer has asked me for my red and blue stamps that I did not use during their valid period. Should I give them to him? A. No! If for any reason you did not use the stamps, destroy them yourself and prevent the spread of black market operations.

Q. For several years I have been troubled with hay fever and my doctor advised me that it would be best for me to go to a climate where I will not be afflicted with this condition. May I obtain a special ration to drive to that location? A. No. Local boards cannot grant special rations for a person to drive to a more favorable climate, even though a doctor's statement may accompany the application.

Q. My summer home, where I need fuel oil for cooking and heating hot water, is located 75 miles from the city in which I live. Where do I apply for a ration? A. Your local ration board in the city in which you live has the right, where it finds it is an undue hardship for a person to obtain a ration at the board which has jurisdiction over the community where your summer residence is located, to issue a ration.



THE BLUEPRINT FUTURE
No more worries, no more care. No more future need to fret; Everybody'll get his share From his country. Wanna bet?

No more forging to the front— It was something of a crime— Dead the "rags to riches" stunt; Laws will do it all in time!

Gone the old trail-blazing way Of the fit and tough and free, Government will see that they Find trails opened by decree.

No more "shack to palace" stuff— Out with "May the best man win!" Smooth'd will be all journeys rough— Congress will protect YOUR chin!

No more strong types pressing on— No more extra-feathered nests... Bid the pushing type begone! Bar the whiskers from all chests!

No more Algiers—not a one! No more bootblacks making good; Legislation will, my son, See to that, it's understood.

No more hare-and-tortoise game— (Hares will be controlled, and how!)— Tortoises will get the same Breaks that hares are getting now.

No more "Upward, onward!" cries No more praise for ambitious; Everybody lives and dies On the lower mezzanine.

No more bothering to plan, No more "upward to the sky"; Welcome to the standard man, Each one like the other guy!

No more "hitch your wagon to Some far star that brightly gleams"; Hitch it to the planners who Also standardize your dreams.

DELAYED
Where is the spring that should be here? Where are the songbirds, gently humming? Gone are the snows of yesteryear— But more keeps coming. —Ethel Collins.

A half dozen men convicted of black market meat operations have been given jail sentences in New York. We understand they are already figuring out ways to "cut" the terms, evade the sentences and get around the whole matter.

If the black marketeers go to the hoosegow we trust the food will be of a quantity and quality to give them plenty of cause for complaint.

The height of irony would be one of these meat racketeers behind the bars lamenting, "The place ain't so bad, but the food is awful."

The trouble with many people is that when they speak of getting down to bedrock they think more about the bed than the rock.

It may be true, but it seems highly improbable that a man turned on his radio recently and did NOT get a war commentator.

Elmer Twitchell thinks there should be some sort of a flag or insignia to paste in the windows of the homes of husbands whose womenfolk have gone to war.

He suggests a design, the background of which shows a sink full of dishes. In the foreground would be unwashed plates, denoting:
1 plate—Wife in uniform.
2 plates—Wife and daughter in uniform.
3 plates—Wife and two daughters in uniform.
4 or more plates—Every female relative in uniform. Come in and help dry the platters.

Ima Dodo can't get the withholding tax idea straight. She thinks it means congress is going to put a point valuation on money and withhold everything from salaries over eight ounces.

There will be a 5 to 10 per cent rise in liquor prices soon. This is fair warning just in case your present bank won't accommodate you with a big enough loan for another bottle.

Elmer Twitchell can't wait for shellfishes to be rationed so he can annoy the waiter by asking how many blue points he will have to give up to get a half dozen blue-points.

The National Resources Planning board's 40,000-word plan for taking care of everybody from the cradle to the grave eliminates all troubles and responsibilities. Except those that will arise if its methods of eliminating them are ever tried.

BLACK MARKET OPERATOR
His grasping hands and itching palms Grab all that they can snatch. He sports a scheming mind as black As coal—with heart to match.

Importance of Salvaging Tin Cans Stressed

Tin is a precious metal in our country today. With about 99 per cent of our former source of supply cut off by war in the Pacific, it has become necessary to salvage tin coating from tin cans used in every home in the country.

Before the war, Americans used about 17,000,000,000 tin containers every year. Most of these were a nuisance and found their way into the rubbish heap. Now that tin cans are going to war it opens one more avenue for women to do their part in keeping our armed forces supplied with food and medicines, not to mention gas masks and vital parts for ships, planes and tanks.

The way to start tin cans on their way to war is to rinse them carefully remove or fold in tops and bottoms, take off paper labels, and step on the cans firmly.

The prepared tin cans you turn into the war effort are shipped to big detinning plants where 10 tons of them at one time go into the solution which removes the tin. The tin can is in reality a steel cylinder coated with a thin layer of tin—about 1 per cent tin by weight and 99 per cent steel. Tin on the average tin can is about the thickness of one-third of a human hair, but has so much resistance to acid and corrosion that the thin layer seals the food away from the steel and prevents rust, ptomaine poisoning, or contamination.

The importance of collecting all the tin cans might be further impressed upon you if we stop to realize that every ton of tin cans produces only about 20 pounds of pure tin, as against 1,990 pounds of steel scrap.

The real value of tin is in the fact that there is no satisfactory substitute for tin in its many war uses. Tin is used in the production of airplane motors, guns, hand grenades, torpedoes, in warships and submarines; tin ingots go to companies producing cans and containers for food, both for your own use and for the troops abroad, and the men at sea, still other ingots go to the technical laboratories and special factories producing supplies for the army and navy medical corps, and for emergency supplies used by the soldier himself in the field, when wounded and waiting assistance.

No more spectacular proof of the essential service of tin in this war has appeared than the "syrette." This is the term applied by the Army and Navy Medical Corps to little individual morphine hypodermic syringes. Every army and navy medical corps officer and doctor carries a supply with him. Every army and navy nurse uses them. Every medical parachutist, every flight surgeon, carries an extra supply. Every long range bomber is equipped with these little tin hypodermics. So, too, is every field and naval hospital. Syrettes are standard equipment in arctic kits, jungle kits, aeronautic kits—used by soldiers, sailors, marines, coast guardsmen who must fight alone.

Your tin cans contribute to the making of these little angels of mercy that will help to save the lives of thousands of our fighting men. It is possible that the tin cans you save will eventually find their steel in a cannon sending shells toward the enemy on the European front, while their tin, 15,000 miles away, covers the little syrette which gives a wounded American soldier the relief necessary to preserve his life until aid reaches him.

It is necessary for every woman to save the tin cans used in her home. Remember the procedure for preparing — rinse thoroughly, remove or fold in tops, take off paper labels, step on firmly, and place in a basket or box for collection.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

Pikeville Division

IN BANKRUPTCY NO. 102

In the matter of ANDREW JACKSON ALLEN, Garret, Ky., Bankrupt

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the above styled bankrupt that on the 8th day of May, 1943, the said bankrupt was duly adjudicated such in the above styled court; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of J. B. Clarke, Prestonsburg, Ky., on the 8th day of June, 1943 at 10 o'clock A. M., Eastern War Time, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

This June 8th, 1943. GROVER C. WILSON, Referee in Bankruptcy, Hazard, Ky.

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THE GARDEN

By JOHN S. GARDNER
Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics

BORDEAUX MIXTURE

Rainy days, with hot and sultry ones between, make an ideal "blight season."

Blight is the leafspot disease that knocks off the leaves of tomatoes and those of potatoes. Sometimes, even beans are affected, and eggplants, always. It is quite understandable that plants that have lost even part of their leaves cannot bear satisfactory crops.

The control is to "copper-plate" the leaves, so the germs of blight cannot get foothold. The best known copper spray is Bordeaux mixture, but there is another, copper oxide, Cuproicide Yellow. Unfortunately, however, it is not so universally obtainable as the copper ingredient of the Bordeaux, copper sulfate, blue vitriol.

On the Cuproicide package, directions are given for its use, but here follows the formula by which Bordeaux is made:

In 5 quarts of water, in a stone crock, or a wooden pail, dissolve a pound of blue vitriol, hanging it in a cloth sack so that its lower tip is immersed in the water. Thus arranged, the crystal form of vitriol will dissolve in an hour with no attention, but the powdered form can be dissolved by stirring, to be ready for instant use.

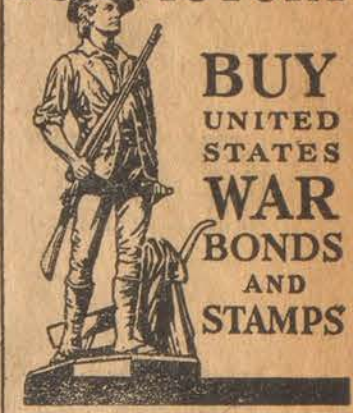
In the tank of a knapsack sprayer, put 9 quarts of water and a handful (4 ounces) of hydrated lime, and stir. Then pour in a quart of dissolved vitriol, place the cover and shake the tank end-wise, 10 times, to make 2½ gallons of 4-4-50 Bordeaux. It should be used immediately, and the tank should be washed out thoroughly with no delay, to keep the metal tank from being eaten. The vitriol water should be put into a stone or glass jug, ready to use when the next sprayful of Bordeaux is to be made.

If leaf-eating insects are present, too, arsenate of lead or calcium should be added, a rounded tablespoon to the gallon of Bordeaux. If this spray is to be used on beans (as for the Mexican beetle), magnesium arsenate should replace the other two just named, as they sometimes burn tender foliage.

Balbo rye surpassed other small grains in growth in Allen county this spring, providing necessary feed for livestock.

Flower, seed and bulb exchanges were held in all homemakers' clubs in Garrard county this spring.

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To all persons having Occupational Licenses consisting of soft drinks, beer, ice cream and tobacco licenses: Your 1942 license will expire on June 30, 1943. In order to avoid the 20 per cent penalty under the law, you must renew your license on or before said date.

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Points By Other Editors

IF THE GOVERNOR WANTS A FAIR PRIMARY

THE heart of the situation exposed by the federal indictments for election fraud in Harlan county is this: The same county election commission that served in the provenly fraudulent local option election of March, 1942, and in the utterly fantastic Senatorial and Congressional election of last November, which is the basis of the present indictments, will serve again in the August primary, unless something is done. The three commissioners are themselves among those under indictment.

One of them, the Sheriff, who serves ex officio, has said he will not step aside. But surely a way can be found to blast the other two, appointees of the State Board of Election Commissioners, out of the way. The law disqualifies anyone as a precinct election officer who is under indictment charging criminal offense, which will eliminate 86 precinct officers from the primary, for the federal grand jury bagged that number. But, curiously, the law does not thus automatically eliminate the higher-ups.

So, if Governor Johnson and his candidate Lyter Donaldson, want a fair primary, the first thing for them to do is to find a way of getting rid of those two election commissioners and putting in their places men entitled to public confidence inside and outside Harlan county. And if they don't want to go through the primary with the burden of the Harlan county bi-partisan political octopus on their backs, the next thing for them to do is to sever the tentacles which, as the federal indictments show, so clearly reach out for nourishment to the Johnson-Donaldson organization at Frankfort.

Herbert C. Smith is the boss of the Democratic wing of the Harlan County Camorra. He is not under indictment, but the shenanigan obviously went on under his eyes. He is an advisory highway commissioner. He should be invited to resign. The seven state highway employes who are under indictment and the welfare department employe who is the Democratic election commissioner and in the same boat should be suspended from the payroll until their trials are over and, of course, fired if found guilty.

The extension of assorted favors to the octopus in the form of liquor licenses and the like should be halted forthwith. Especially, that anomalous "courtesy card," granting the powers of highway patrolmen to one of the indicted men, should be revoked along with any others like it which may be outstanding in Harlan county or elsewhere. Such a card has no use except as a weapon of officiousness and intimidation.

Finally, Mr. Donaldson—and the other candidates, too—should make a thorough study of the election laws. Obviously, something is wrong with laws under which the returns from Harlan county are usually, at very best, a matter of cynical amusement to the whole state. Perhaps the present laws rely too much on the assumption that politicians of opposing parties can be depended upon to watch each other. This assumption has clearly promoted the bi-partisan alliance in Harlan county. In any case, the laws need study and the people need constructive suggestions on the subject from the present candidates.

Honaker Man, Buddies Down Messerschmitt At Tunisian Field

Pvt. Fred Clark, of Honaker, this county, stopped wondering, the other morning, when he and his buddies would ever get to put into practise what they had learned in training as anti-aircraft gunners. They had trained in this country, in Texas, then they went to North Africa and trained some more. Other "ack-ack" crews talked about actual combat. Pvt. Clark and his buddies could only stand by and wonder when they would be "broken in." Meanwhile they maintained discreet silence.

German planes came and went during the Tunisian campaign. Came close—but not close enough. Then, the other morning, the boys stopped wondering when they'd get a pop at the enemy. For, just at dawn, seven Messerschmitts flew over, intent on raiding the Tunisian airfield where Clark and his buddies were stationed. The gunners hopped from their cots and sprinted bare-footed across a stubble field toward their gun. German machine bullets cut up the ground about them but

they were unscathed. They got their gun into action. A moment later, they saw pieces of cowering splinter from one of the raiders. The other six German planes fled. The stricken plane crashed three miles away.

The other two members of Clark's gun crew are Sgt. Harold F. Ward, Minneapolis, Minn., and Pvt. John Hayden, South Shore, Ky. Pvt. Clark is a son of Robert Clark, Honaker, and a nephew of Willie Clark, Prestonsburg.

After they had got that coveted notch on their gun, the three declared they felt a lot better about the whole thing.

AMBA TOT DIES

Rosalee, 18-months-old daughter of Estill and Laura Salisbury, of Amba, died Monday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. Burial was made Wednesday in the family cemetery on Toler's Creek under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home. Besides the bereaved parents, two brothers and a sister survive: George Franklin, Betty Lou and James Donald.

In Christian county, 653 negro boys and girls are enrolled in 4-H clubs.

Maybe it will be said that these are counsels of perfection. Maybe old Senator Ingalls of Kansas will be quoted: "Purity in politics is an iridescent dream." Maybe we will be reminded that such are the occasionally sordid realities of effective political organization, as seen by the organizers, that President Roosevelt himself will traffic with a Hague of Jersey City or a Kelly of Chicago. Maybe we will be asked, what good will be served by simply handing over the Harlan county machine, which appears indestructible and which is after all a powerful vote-getter, or rather a vote-counter, to some opponent who won't be finicky about accepting it and whose interest in government is considerably more selfish than Governor Johnson's or Mr. Donaldson's?

The answers are simple and practical. Whatever can be done at Frankfort to insure an honest primary in Harlan county will weaken the machine and, by that much, give voice to the good people of the county. Good people about there, people who resent election thievery as bitterly as anyone could. Their misfortune is that the one force which could most effectively challenge the long political domination of the coal operators is in the operators' camp. The leaders of the miners' union string along with the operators in these matters. The combination of union and operator bosses is a hard thing to beat. Nevertheless, it can be beaten, and the people of the county who want their votes fairly counted will beat it if given half a chance.

There is this further consideration: The Harlan machine is, as we have already said, essentially bi-partisan. It was as tender to Representative Robison last fall as it was to Senator Chandler. Fundamentally, of course, it is anti-New Deal. The operators despise Mr. Roosevelt, but no less so than the national leader of the miners, John L. Lewis. What the Harlan machine, if it is left undisturbed, if it continues to be nourished from Frankfort, will do to the Democratic party in 1944 is something that will make the machine's past performances in elections seem angelic and serene. —The Courier-Journal.

FEDERAL SCHOOL AID MOVES UP A STEP

THE federal school aid appropriation bill, at least, has budged from its hitherto dormant position. A subcommittee approves it for favorable consideration by the Senate Labor Committee, which is the initial move toward reporting the bill and bringing it up for passage.

The appropriation provides an annual emergency fund of \$200,000,000 during the war to be apportioned among the states on a school attendance basis, and another \$100,000,000 annually to equalize educational opportunity, distributed on a basis of school-age population and wealth. Kentucky would receive about \$9,000,000 from both funds and \$4,700,000 annually after the war.

The sole condition is that each state shall maintain its own provisions at the level of the last school year, and the only objection offered is that repeated a few days ago by The Lexington Leader. "Federal regulation," The Leader professes to fear, "would be extended over the schools" to "determine standards, select books, prescribe courses of study, exercise control over types of buildings and equipment, fix salaries and determine qualifications. . . . This has been the history of all federal aid projects."

The Leader astonishes us. Is this what has taken place at the University of Kentucky during these many years it has been receiving quite a bit of federal money right in the city where The Leader is published? Is that where The Leader studied "the history of federal aid," but didn't warn us? Does the state health department take dictation from Washington to The Leader's knowledge? The seven commonwealths in the T.V.A. area can inform The Leader that, if "the states are losing their rights," it is not through federal provisions in general welfare.

We have 96 Senators in Washington, all representing states, two from Kentucky, and 435 Congressmen representing districts within states, nine from Kentucky. Many of the states will receive little or nothing from the annual appropriation, and all contain hundreds of local school districts, jealous of any control. They raise \$16,000,000 themselves in Kentucky and the state puts up nearly \$10,000,000 to the proposed \$4,700,000 federal grant. If a conceivable motive existed for members of Congress to invest a federal agency with authority over the school systems of 48 states, they wouldn't dare attempt it.

The idea is a fantastic absurdity, but the school crisis in Kentucky is stark reality which should engage the active, earnest efforts of our Senators to promote the early passage of this bill.—The Courier-Journal.

Floyd Farm Committee To Meet Here Friday; To Aid Labor Search

Floyd county's Farm Labor Advisory Committee will meet at the courthouse here Friday afternoon to plan the recruiting and placing of farm labor from this county. County Agent S. L. Isbell announced Tuesday.

R. H. Lickert, district farm labor supervisor, and Lawrence Bradford, both of Lexington, will meet with the county committee. Members of the committee, which is composed of farmers from all parts of the county, will be asked to assist in finding farm labor needed in other sections of the state or nation and to help place such labor.

Floyd farm labor resources, not now definitely known, are expected to be ascertained soon through work of the committee.

Breckinridge, Menfee, Trimble and Washington counties report large increases in the planting of hybrid corn this year.

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Leonora

Leonora straightened the objects on her desk with great care. She had put her desk at the end of her room facing the door so that when her mother came in she would have to cross the whole room under Leonora's stern executive eye to get to her. From movies and pictures in the newspapers Leonora had gotten a good idea of how the desk of a busy woman of affairs should look.

With an important scowl, Leonora picked up a sheet of paper. Now she was two people—herself, the busy woman, and her own stenographer. "Miss Simpkins, take a letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, will you?" she murmured under her breath. "Yes, immediately," she murmured back at herself.



over the sheet of paper hanging on the words about to fall.

"Dear Mr. Morgenthau,"—"Got that?"—"Yes, madam."

"I am—ahem—thirteen years old and anxious to be of all possible service to the country at this time, ahem!"

"I earn a weekly income of from \$1.37 to \$2.12 by helping with the housework and by shovelling snow. I am at present in possession of one War Savings Bond and am buying stamps weekly. I want to become a member of the 10 percent Club. I feel it to be—ahem—not only my duty, but my privilege!" ("How do you spell privilege?" asked Miss Simpkins. "Don't bother me with these details," said Leonora)—my privilege as an American to invest at least ten percent of my income in War Bonds.

Yours truly,"

"Get that off at once, Miss Simpkins," said Leonora. "Yes, Ma'am! You certainly are an important woman, ma'am," said Miss Simpkins.

(Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.) U. S. Treasury Department

Willard H. Clatworthy Commissioned Ensign

Willard H. Clatworthy, son of Mrs. and Mrs. John Charles Clatworthy, of Lackey, last week became an ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve and will report June 28 for temporary active duty at Fort Schuyler, New York City.

His training course will include periods of instruction at Princeton University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Ensign Clatworthy will study Radar, the radio detection device credited with saving Britain during the German aerial offensive. A graduate of Berea College and the University of Kentucky, he was employed as a draftsman by the Bell Aircraft Corporation, at Canton, Ga., when commissioned.

Heavy Crop Damage Caused in County By Recent Rains

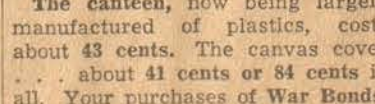
Heavy crop damage resulted over widely scattered sections of the county last week when small streams were sent rampaging by downpours.

Wayland and vicinity particularly suffered from a flash flood. Steels and Mill Creeks were heaviest hit. The farm of Walter Martin on Mill Creek suffered severe damage when driftwood lodged against a bridge above his property, damming the water several feet and then releasing it in a flood.

Hemp and corn crops in low-lying creek bottoms suffered most. Rock Fork, Bull Creek and Spurlock were among the sections hard hit. Farmers this week were replanting where necessary in late crops.

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WANTED—nurses at Prestonsburg General hospital. 5-27-tf.

FOR RENT — 4-room apartment, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 3471, W. A. ROSE, Prestonsburg. 5-27-tf.

GOOD LAND FOR SALE at Martin, Ky. See DR. J. C. PRESTON, of Pikeville, Ky, at Martin General hospital on Tuesdays and Fridays. 6-3-4t-pd.

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FOR SALE—10-tube Philco radio, \$75. See RAY HOWARD, Prestonsburg. 5-7-tf

FOR RENT — sleeping room, with connecting bath. Mrs. EVERETT SOWARDS, Phone 6461, City. 5-20-tf.

Fralely Found Dead In Wayland Mine, Heart Victim

Found dead Monday night inside the Wayland mine of the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, of which he was "top" inspector, Eaph Fralely, 55 years old, was declared by a coroner's jury to have died of a heart attack.

He was last seen sitting near a telephone station in the mine and was found, about two hours later, by workmen. It was said he had suffered from high blood pressure for some time.

Mr. Fralely was a native of Charley, Lawrence county, and had been employed at Wayland since 1930. His wife died four years ago and he had no children.

The body was taken to Paintsville and from there to Lawrence county for burial.

William Lee Miller Succumbs Saturday At Allen, Aged 76

Stricken Saturday night by a heart attack at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. J. Bentley, of Allen, William Lee Miller, 76 years old, died the following day.

He was a son of the late Abe and Mrs. Katherine Hale Miller and was a native of this county. For 29 years a member of the Freewill Baptist Church, he was a highly respected citizen of the Allen community where he had resided for years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Margaret Sartin Miller, three sons and four daughters: William Miller, Switzer, W. Va.; Mrs. T. J. Bentley, Allen; Jack Miller, Cliff; James Miller, Dorothy, W. Va.; Mrs. Green Osborne, Martin; Mrs. Paul Sanders, Martin; Mrs. Marshall Sheets, Gallipolis, O. He also leaves 45 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday from the Bentley home at Allen, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and A. L. Allen officiating. Burial, under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home, was made in the Bingham cemetery on the Auxier road.

Graves county war crops include soybeans, 2,957 acres; Hemp, 993; sweet potatoes, 1,599; Irish potatoes, 25; tomatoes, 39, and beans, 30 acres.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

REPLIES TO "HOT SHOTS"

Editor, The Times

What about Wayland Hot-Shots by R.H. in the issue of June 10, 1943?

We take it for granted that a person knows whereof he speaks when he writes an article to the paper.

If this writer is stating a fact in his article when he says that "mining is the only industry in Floyd county," then we wonder what about the 4,000 farmers, the gas and oil business and the other people who think they are in industry.

Again, if he has purchased more bonds than the richest man in this county, then he makes a revelation that the miners have plenty of money and that does not harmonize with the recent statement of John L. Lewis, that the miners are poorly paid and poorly fed.

The representatives of Lewis said last week of Mr. May, "You have shown you are the modern Judas of all time." The people are wondering about this accusation and who they think he is Judas to—Lewis or his country.

Mr. R. H. admits that he is getting \$6.75 per day and that is not pauper pay. If the miners are buying more bonds than any one else—what about the report that as much as 60 per cent of these bonds are being cashed almost as soon as time will permit?

There are plenty of men in Floyd county who are not making more than two or three dollars per day and they are having to pay the same price of 12c a pound for potatoes and 14c for cabbage.

There are many people who are not receiving more than \$6.75 per day who are paying twenty and twenty-five dollars per month for a house instead of \$14 as you suggested, and are paying the same price for food that others pay.

What about the wife and family of the soldier who is in the service who is receiving \$50 per month and who is fighting for the protection of R.H. and his family while he is receiving \$200 per month? How would you like to exchange places with the man at the front?

This is no time to be stirring up confusion among people or letting the Nation down, for we have a war to win or lose. If we lose, Mr. R.H. will not be receiving \$6.75 per day and especially so if Hitler gets in charge.

AN AMERICAN CITIZEN

TOM RANEY WANTS MAY'S RESIGNATION

Tom Raney, of Pikeville, as all of you voters remember, was very strongly opposing May in the election that gave him the right to represent the people in Washington. Mr. Raney fought to the last, trying to have May defeated. New men in Washington is a step to

help Japan win this war, or does he realize that?

I quote Mr. Raney: "We call upon you . . . to resign your position and give the people of your district an opportunity to have decent representation." "We," he said. We want nothing of the kind. He speaks for himself when he says "we." Or does he exaggerate? "Decent representation," he calls it. If it wasn't for Mr. May, Mr. Roosevelt, and other representatives of the government, trying to keep a better and cleaner America, what would our boys have to come home to? Or would they be coming home?

I have heard of some foolish publicity stunts, but Mr. Raney's has them all beat. Looks like he could let the people speak what they like, not what he thinks, as though his personal opinion matters.

Why can't Lewis let the miners be? Things were lots better when they received a dollar a day. I haven't seen a miner yet that is starving. Even so, while the miners work they should not work for John Lewis but for our boys who are fighting "Hell in High Water."

Why do you strike? This is a question of appeal, higher wages would only vanish and you would not see for what they were going, so why not be content?

The other day, a mother who lives close to me received a letter from her son across the water. In this letter he asked about the coal strike. He said that there wasn't a boy there but what did not call John L. Lewis the lowest names that could be thought of.

My cause has always been, "Hail the Call of Freedom," but now it is "To Hell with John L." B.C.

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Notes

Miss Martin, Ensign Conley Wed Here, May 26

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Minnie Martin, of Eastern, to Ensign Hollie Conley, of Garrett. The ceremony was performed on May 26 at the Methodist Church in Prestonsburg, the pastor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, officiating. Misses Virginia Osborne and Lula Martin were the only attendants.

The bride, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Martin, Eastern, is a graduate of Berea College and for the past year has been Home Economics teacher at McDowell. Ensign Conley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Conley, Garrett. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and is now in the navy, stationed at Jacksonville, Fla. where he and his bride are residing.

Clay-Stafford Nuptials Announced This Week

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Miss Thelma Virginia Clay, formerly of West Prestonsburg, to Staff Sgt. Darryl J. Stafford, of Ft. Riley, Kansas. The ceremony was performed June 2, by the Rev. Drury H. Fisher, of the Presbyterian Church at Manhattan, Kansas. The young couple is residing in Manhattan, Kansas, until Sgt. Stafford is transferred.

GUEST OF MRS. HOPKINS

Mrs. Minerva H. Spradlin spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Valentine Hopkins at Colonial Inn, Mt. Sterling, prior to consulting a specialist in Lexington where she is receiving orthopedic treatment.



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Miss Stephens To Enter WAAC After Graduation



MISS STEPHENS

Already sworn in as a member of the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corps, Miss Dora May Stephens, daughter of Dr. Charles Stephens, Georgetown, Ky., will enter active service immediately after her graduation in August from Georgetown College. She is the granddaughter of J. P. May, Prestonsburg, and H. C. Stephens, Sr., of Dock. At Georgetown she is a member of Sigma Kappa sorority and is quite popular on the campus.

RETURNS FROM CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen returned Friday from Chicago where they purchased merchandise for The Leader store. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Saks and Miss Dorothy Glick, of Indianapolis, Ind., nieces of Mr. Cohen.

HONORS MESDAMES COMBS

Mrs. M. J. Leete was hostess to a luncheon given Tuesday, last week, at Emma's Tea Room, honoring Mrs. B. F. Combs, Jr., Lexington, and Mrs. Leroy Combs, Prestonsburg. Guests were Mesdames B. F. Combs, Sr., T. B. Surgill, O. T. Stephens, Tom Graham Dingus, C. W. May, H. G. Salisbury, C. P. Stephens, Maggie Leete.

AT NORRIS DAM

County Superintendent and Mrs. Town Hall, Ishmael Triplett, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, Mrs. Triplett and daughter, Miss Helen, Miss Ruth Stephens and County Attendance Officer Leonard Martin spent last week vacationing at Norris Dam.

LEAVE WEDNESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Strahan left Wednesday to spend two weeks on business in Louisville. They will return here on or about July 1.

VETERAN, HOME ON LEAVE

Arch G. Harmon, member of the special military police at Newport News, Va., is home on 30 days' leave. Mr. Harmon, a veteran of World War I, has four other members of his family in the services: Sgt. Woodrow Harmon, who enlisted three years ago and now stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.; Archie, Jr., who recently passed the army air corps examination; Miss Willie Mae Harmon, in the WAAC at Fort Devens, Mass., and his son-in-law, Wm. Ward, who is with American forces in India.

GOES TO TEXAS

Miss Agatha Oppenheimer left Sunday morning for Dayton, Ohio, to join Miss Eula Oppenheimer and Miss Amma Henry for a trip to Texas. She returned last Wednesday from a 10-day visit with friends and relatives at Olive Hill, Morehead and Sandy Hook.

TO VISIT BROTHER

Clifford B. Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall, left Tuesday morning for West Palm Beach, Fla., to visit his brother, Cpl. Berlyn L. Marshall.

VISIT IN OHIO

Mrs. C. H. Hale, Mrs. Harry Ranier and son, Harry Hale Ranier, and Miss Carlos Hale were in Chesapeake, Ohio, last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Plybon, whose son, Robert Oppenheimer Plybon, was home on leave from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Seaman Plybon is expected to go on active sea duty on his return.

TO HAVE MUSIC PROGRAM

The Wesleyan Service Guild will be in charge of the music at the Sunday evening services of the Methodist Church.

LEAVE FOR CAMP PICKETT

Lt. and Mrs. Dick M. Allen left Monday for Camp Pickett, Va., upon conclusion of Lt. Allen's furlough spent here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen.

VISITORS HERE

Mrs. Cora Gearheart and Mrs. James Allen, of Hueysville, were visitors here this week.

JOINS HUSBAND IN TEXAS

Mrs. Leroy Combs and Billy Sturgill left Wednesday by motor for Austin, Texas, where Mrs. Combs will join her husband, Sgt. Leroy Combs, who is stationed there in the army.

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GUESTS OF MISS MAY

Cadet Dick Fecchia, of Boston, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bascardia, Hartford, Conn., were guests of Miss Betty Jean May last week-end.

VISIT IN PAINTSVILLE

Miss Betty Jean May, Cadet Dick Fecchia, Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. T. J. May spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Minix at Paintsville.

LUNCHEON-BRIDGE

Miss Sarah Clay Stephens entertained to a luncheon-bridge Friday Misses Betty Jean May, Patricia Rimmer and Eloise Williams.

WEEK-END GUEST

Miss Irene Gilbert was the week-end guest of Miss Jean Herald, West Prestonsburg.

RETURN FROM FISHING TRIP

Carl Horn and Russell Hagewood and their families spent last week at Pandora Camp on Harrington Lake, fishing. Their catch of both striped and black bass was heavy.

HERE FROM HUNTINGTON

Mrs. Anna Spurlock and grandson, Ronnie Kirley, of Huntington, W. Va., were guests here recently of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Horn.

PICNIC SUPPER

Sunday evening, an enjoyable picnic supper was enjoyed on the lawn of Judge and Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., at their farm on the Abbott road. Guests enjoying their hospitality were Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell and guest, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, Mrs. Saks, Miss Glick, Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hurt, Misses Virgie McCombs, Anna Martin and Claire Cohen.

GUESTS OF MRS. CAUDILL

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caudill were guests of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Caudill, Saturday evening.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Tech Sgt. Colonel May arrived Friday for a ten-day furlough with relatives. He is now located at Romulus, N.Y.

ENTER UNIVERSITY

Misses Linda Stephens, Freda Bunting, Ann White, Patty Rimmer, Eloise Williams and Jane Hamilton Clarke left Sunday for Lexington where they will continue their studies for the summer session. They had a ten-day vacation before returning to Lexington.

VISITING MOTHER

Mrs. Cora McHone and Mrs. Blaine Smith, of Wheelwright, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens, on Broadway.

CONGRESSMAN MAY, HERE

Congressman A. J. May and daughter, Mrs. Olga Latta, and her son, Clifford, Jr., arrived Sunday from Washington, D.C., for a vacation of several days.

SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Malcolm Harris, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks suffering with neuritis, is showing improvement. He has been able to sit on the porch at his home.

IN NEW YORK

Thomas Hereford, Jr., left Sunday for New York City where he will purchase merchandise for the I. Richmond Co.

VISITING IN WINCHESTER

Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., and sons, Joe Davidson and William Holliday, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Holliday, at Winchester.

CAUDILLS GO TO WILLOW RUN

Atty. and Mrs. W. Claude Caudill left Wednesday for the Willow Run bomber plant, Ypsilanti, Mich., where they will be in defense work. Last week they sold practically all of their household goods, everything being for sale. Mr. Caudill has been actively engaged in law practice here for the past few years. They have many friends who will regret to have them move from here.

HONOR CAUDILLS

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. Claude Caudill, who left Wednesday for Willow Run, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Mandt entertained Saturday evening to a buffet supper the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiller, Mrs. Cora McHone, Miss Ella Noel White, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caudill, Walter S. Harkins. The guests presented Mrs. Caudill with a lovely going-away gift.

TEACHING FIRST AID

Jack Keenon is teaching first aid in connection with safety instruction each night for six weeks at Wheelwright. Those who entered the classes from here are Hubbard Francis, Jr., George Keenon, Harris Stephens Howard, Ben Ferguson, Jr., Gomer Stiles and Hobert Caudill.

FORMER PASTOR AND WIFE, HERE

The Rev. Campbell Jeffries with Mrs. Jeffries and baby daughter, Virginia Merrill, were here the latter part of the week visiting Mrs. Jeffries' sister, Mrs. Alex H. Spradlin, and Mr. Spradlin and Mrs. Agnes Spradlin. Rev. Jeffries was a former pastor of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church here. He has resigned his pastorate at Martinsville, Va., and is moving to Louisville where they will reside until he finishes his doctor's degree there in the Baptist Theological Seminary. He expects to return to Martinsville. Their numerous friends were glad to see them here again.

ENTERTAIN TO BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen entertained to bridge Tuesday evening honoring their houseguests, Mrs. Saks and Miss Dorothy Glick, of Indianapolis. Guests enjoying their hospitality were Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Feiler, Judge and Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., Misses Anna Martin, Virgie McCombs, Mrs. Saks and Miss Glick. Guests of honor were recipients of lovely guest prizes while first prizes awarded to other guests were to Mrs. E. P. Hill and Dr. Marvin Ransdell. Delicious refreshments were enjoyed at the conclusion of the games.

RECEIVES INJURIES IN FALL

Mrs. Lyda Cattrill fell on the pavement near the Bank Josephine last week, receiving a bad leg injury which necessitated several stitches. She also received bruises which put her to bed for a week. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

ATTEND COAL MEETING

J. R. Hurt and Ambrose Mandt are in Washington, D. C., attending a coal conference.

VISITING AT GATE CITY

Mrs. J. R. Hurt left Tuesday for Gate City, Va., for a visit with her sisters there.

ENTERTAINS FOR HOUSEGUESTS

Mrs. George Cohen delightfully entertained to a luncheon-bridge at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, honoring Mr. Cohen's nieces, Mrs. Saks and Miss Dorothy Glick, of Indianapolis, Ind. Two tables were in play. Following the conclusion of games, a delicious luncheon was enjoyed by the guests at the Auxler hotel. Mrs. Merle Wilson reached top score, receiving a lovely prize. Mrs. W. C. Rimmer was awarded second trophy. Mrs. Saks and Miss Glick were presented guest prizes. Mrs. Cohen's guests were Mrs. Saks, Miss Glick, Mesdames E. P. Hill, Jr., W. C. Rimmer, E. P. Arnold, A. B. Combs, A. H. Mandt, Merle Wilson, J. W. Howard.

RETURNS FROM DANVILLE

Teeny Tackett has returned from a visit with Billy Harkins at Danville.

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NEWS FROM FLOYD COMMUNITIES

DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. William Ward were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday afternoon.

Miss Goldia Hurd was visiting Mrs. Clinton Gregory and Mrs. Bill Ward Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardez Dingus and daughters, Peggy Jo and Mary Belle, of Martin, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen.

Mrs. Willie Crisp has been very ill but is some better now.

Louise Click, of Manton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd here Sunday.

Violet Little left Sunday to spend her summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. Hilbert Tackett, of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff, of Wheelwright, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp.

Mrs. Charlie Shepherd and Mrs. Johnnie Prater were in Prestonsburg on business Saturday.

Mrs. Riley Shepherd, Mrs. Virgil Isaac and Mrs. Kelly Dingus were in Bosco on business Saturday.

Mrs. M. D. Isaac and Mrs. Virgil Isaac were in Prestonsburg on business Friday.

Mrs. Joe Lafferty and Mrs. Earl Lafferty, of Cracker, visited relatives in Dinwood Sunday.

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. C. P. Moore went to Ashland Sunday to meet her son, Kavanaugh, of the U.S. navy, who has been stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac and son Virnes were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp, of Bosco.

Archie Goble, of the army, is home on a 25-day furlough.

Mrs. Willie Crisp is very ill this week.

Mrs. Johnnie Prater was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole and family, of Cracker, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shepherd.

Columbus and Virgil Crisp and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crisp, of Hite, Sunday.

IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. James Damron were visiting relatives in Dwale Sunday.

Mrs. K. J. Stratton was shopping in Ashland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Barnett were visiting relatives Wednesday in Paintsville.

Hazel D. George left Tuesday to attend the summer term at Morehead State Teachers' College.

Mrs. Virgil Goff and children have moved to Ashland to join her husband who has recently been transferred by the C. & O. Railway Company from Martin. They are greatly missed in this vicinity.

WEEKSBURY

Pvt. Haskell Hall, Camp Breckinridge, Ky., recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hall, here. He was honored with a dinner Sunday, June 6, at his home.

Daniel Breeding, of the U. S. ROTC, visited Haskell Hall while on leave from the University of Virginia.

Nelson Holt, of the U.S. navy, recently visited his mother at this place.

Kue Perkey, of the army, has returned from the southwest Pacific. He now is visiting relatives here.

Pfc. William J. Hensley, of the army, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bentley, of Melvin. He is stationed in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hall are visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Hall, of Spades, Ind., this week.

Pvt. Denzil Vanover, Fort Sill, Okla., is visiting relatives at Melvin this week.

Pvt. Leonard Stricklin, who has been home on furlough.

Jimmie Foster, of the army, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Campbell, of Weeksbury, June 13.

Buster Wallen, of the navy, has been home on leave. He has been in the battle area of the southwest Pacific, and has spent most of his time in the Panama Canal area.

Sol Tackett has returned to Columbus, O., where he has been employed in a war factory. His son accompanied him to Columbus.

W. PRESTONSBURG

Mrs. C. B. Martin and small son, of Lima, O., are here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris.

John Edd Shepherd will arrive home Monday for a nine-day leave after completing training at Great Lakes, Ill.

Mrs. C. B. Martin, of Lima, O., and Mrs. John Edd Shepherd were shopping in Paintsville Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Jane Harris, of West Prestonsburg, was the weekend guest of Miss Mary Haywood, of Ivel.

Jackie, infant son of Mrs. Frank Harris, has been very ill, but is improving nicely.

Mrs. Lee Fitzpatrick is leaving Friday for defense work in Michigan.

Vinson Shepherd, Jr., was the honoree at a farewell party Saturday night. Mr. Shepherd returned to his work in Newport News, Va., Sunday.

DAVID

Mrs. Forester Anderson gave a stork shower in honor of Mrs. Tandy Bartley last Tuesday. Games were enjoyed during the evening. Those winning prizes were Mrs. Russell Harmon, Mrs. Tandy Bartley and Mrs. Ballard Plummer. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Petz Capell, Mrs. Stanley Crain, Mrs. Bob Walker, Mrs. Ballard Plummer, Mrs. Russell Harmon, Mrs. Oakey Mullins, Mrs. Paris Bartley, Mrs. Dan Preston, Mrs. Tandy Bartley and Miss Blanche Garrett.

Mrs. Bob Walker has as her guests her sister, Mrs. Hall and little son, of Logan, W. Va.

Otis Bussey underwent an appendic operation at the Paintsville hospital Saturday morning.

Mrs. Lon Hill and baby son returned Sunday from the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Mrs. Enno Van Gelder has as her guest her sister, Mrs. T. H. Chambers, and children, of Holden, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fitch and daughter Maude spent the week-end in Paintsville.

Supt. Deane Zornes moved his family to David last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elson Kendrick and daughters, Alphoretta and Peggie, were visiting out of town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston and children spent the week-end with relatives.

HUEYSVILLE

The mines again are running full-time here, and a good business is also being done on Salt Lick in mine props and lumber.

Baird, son of Postmaster and Mrs. Troy Conley, who has been stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark., was recently promoted to the rating of corporal with the medical corps. After nine weeks' training, he was reported on the move again. Parents from this community of boys in the service are asked to write P.O. Box 104, Hueysville, stating names of the boys, their camp, rank, etc., so that this news may be published.

Kelly Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gold Reed, who have four sons in the armed forces, is home on furlough after overseas service following which he became ill. His brother, Norman, was reported lost in action in the Pacific.

Cpl. Joe Gearheart is home from a camp in Georgia, spending his furlough with his father, Green Gearheart, Jr., and other relatives and friends. His sisters, Rhea and Norma, are at home during his furlough from defense work in Ohio.

The Rev. Blevins preaches at the Christian Church here each Sunday night at 8:30.

"Aunt" Susan Patton and "Aunt" Polly Allen have both been confined to bed for the last few days. Their illnesses appear to be rheumatism.

Buck Patrick and family visited Alvin Patrick on Salt Lick Sunday.

Misses Rhea and Norma Gearheart visited relatives on Salt Lick Sunday.

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MAYTOWN

PERSONALS Several of the boys in service are here this week and Maytown extends to them a hearty welcome back. Major Ed Sutton, Jr., arrived unexpectedly Friday from North Africa. Some of the other boys have to salute this young man, whose exploits have thrilled homefolks for the past months, but to all of us he will always be just "Junior," and everybody rejoices in his safe return from the danger zone.

Sgt. Savage Cooley, of Del Rio, Texas, is here for a furlough with relatives and friends and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooley, of Northern.

Pvt. Thomas Clarke May arrived Saturday unexpectedly from a Missouri camp to spend a few hours with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill May.

The War Department notified Mrs. Lucille Layne last week that her son, Malcolm, whose death in North Africa had been announced, met death as a result of drowning. Further particulars are not yet known to the family.

Miss Gradyce Flanery, of Dinwood and Martin, whom Maytown nevertheless still claims because she was a member of the class of '23, and now in the WAVES at Daytona Beach, Fla., spent several days here last week with her friend, Miss Harriet Allen.

Albert Marshall, of the armed forces, whose presence at the bedside of his father, Bob Marshall, in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, was sought last week, is en route across Washington notified Mrs. Marshall. Mr. Marshall, whose condition has been very critical, is slightly improved this week.

Masters Raleigh Arrowood and Melvin Janow spent part of the week in Paintsville with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylor Pack.

Mrs. James Allen left Monday of last week for the Willow Run plant in Michigan, where she will be employed.

Misses Shirley Salisbury, Pauline May and Thelma Cassidy entrained Friday for the Willow Run bomber plant, Detroit, to work.

Miss Ruby Elizabeth Sutton, of Cincinnati, arrived Friday with her brother, Major W. E. Sutton, Jr., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton.

Miss Thelma Snoddy, of Ashland, was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. G. A. May, Jr., and Mr. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Roser Stewart motored to Norris Dam last week-end for a brief stay.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Allen, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen, returned Sunday from Norris Dam after spending a week's vacation there.

Mrs. Willard Stapleton, who has been a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, for the past two weeks, is slowly improving. Her daughters, Mesdames Jim Click, Fred Kelly and Miss Naomi Allen, are in frequent attendance at her bedside.

Miss Mollie Stone left Friday for Dayton to visit her brother, Clarence Stone, before he leaves for overseas.

Mrs. Mabrey Hayes is visiting this week in Louisville with Miss Audrey May Hayes. Mr. Hayes leaves soon for a vacation at Norris Dam with other friends.

Claiborne Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Hayes, is much improved after having been in a critical condition following an emergency operation last week in the Martin General hospital.

Frankie Picklesimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Picklesimer, former Maytown residents, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Roy Turner, of Kingsport, Tenn., is spending a week or so with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Nig" Turner.

Mrs. Mary Wilbanks and little granddaughter, Mary Evelyn Annette, of Pensacola, Fla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. May.

Miss Thelma Branham, of Louisa, was the recent houseguest of Mrs. W. A. Stewart.

Calloway county homemakers have salvaged between 1,800 and 2,000 pounds of fat monthly since January, the April collection being 1,907 pounds.

ALLEN

Miss Helen Austin has returned to Bristol, Va., after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Allen have returned to their home in West Virginia after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Allen.

Miss Ruby Hayes, of Whitesburg, was visiting friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Maggard, of Frankfort, are visiting Mrs. Maggard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stephens, here.

Mrs. John Ratliff, of West Virginia, has returned to her home after a two-weeks visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Ratliff.

Miss Betty Sue Webb is spending a two-weeks vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Hamilton, in Lexington.

Everett Tackett was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. June Westfall, of Wayne, Mich., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall here.

Gus Carlos was a business visitor in Ashland last week.

Mrs. Alma Doris Phipps has returned to her home at Stacy Fork, Ky., after a visit here with relatives.

Miss Grace Hughes, of Martin, was the Tuesday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty.

Mrs. Audrey Young and daughter, Jo Ann, were visiting in Pikeville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stambaugh, of Huntington, W. Va., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier here last week.

Sergeant Willie Martin, who is stationed at Camp Berkeley, Texas, and whose home address is Langley, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty while home on furlough.

V. W. Midkiff, of Louisa, was visiting here last week.

The Rev. John Rose, pastor of the Regular Baptist Church here, baptised five in the Big Sandy river Sunday. Those baptised were Kathryn Grace Porter, Mildred Rose Short, Viola Baldrige, Pauline Crisp and June Westfall.

The Allen Woman's Missionary Union had its monthly meeting at Mrs. J. B. Clay's home Friday night. The topic for discussion was "The Youth of Today." Those taking part on the program were Alta Branham, Pauline Caudill, Mary Westfall, Mildred Short, Kathryn Grace Porter and the leader, Mrs. Goldia Short.

Members of the Intermediate Sunday School class of the Allen Baptist Church plan to have their Tuesday night supper together at the home of Mildred Short. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. John Rose has returned from a visit with her mother, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Forrest Short has returned to work after a two-weeks' vacation. She and her son, Larry Douglas, spent several days visiting in Carlisle, Ky.

MARTIN

Miss Grady G. Flanery, of the WAVES, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wes Flanery, of Montezuma, Ind., visited Mrs. Fannie K. Flanery and daughter, Blanche, Tuesday of last week.

On Saturday evening Miss Johnnie E. Stephens and Miss Blanche Keathley gave a party in honor of Miss Dora May Stephens, daughter of Dr. Charles Stephens, of Georgetown, who volunteered for the WAAC's and is awaiting her call for service. Out-of-town guests attending were Misses Marie Akers, Rose D. Robinette, and Lois Anderson, of Pikeville. The honoree is a niece of Hiram and John C. Stephens and while here visited relatives and friends.

DONY

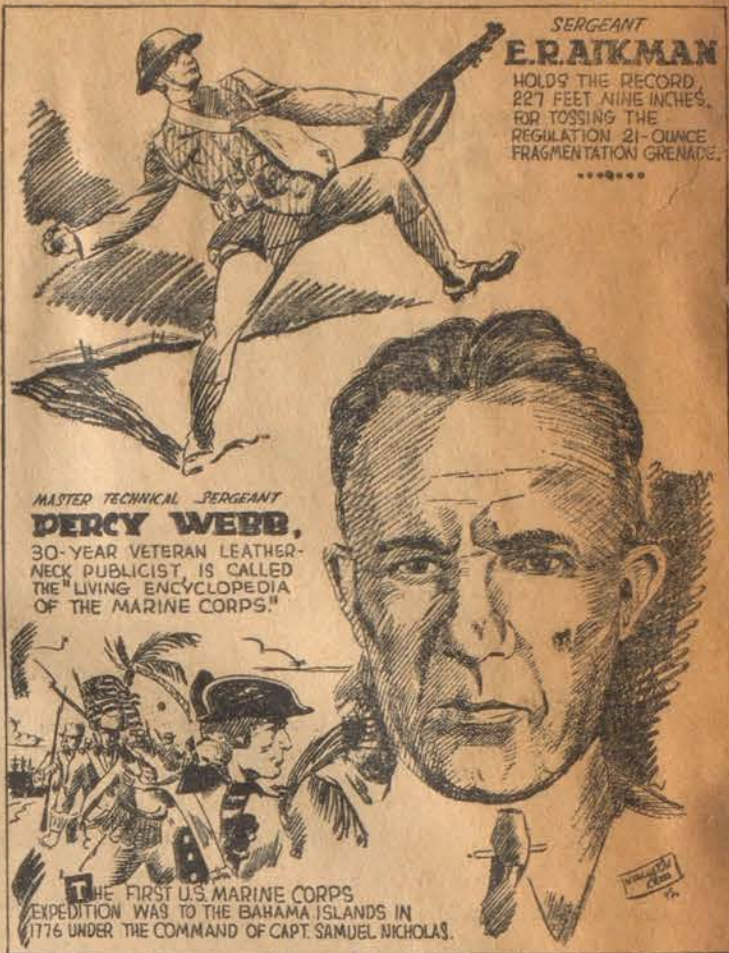
The Rev. Dick Moore was a visitor at the Regular Baptist Church here Sunday.

Pvt. Leroy Moore is home on furlough.

Mrs. Lee Moore is quite ill.

Tandy Gearheart has been quite ill for a few days.

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BONANZA

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A delightful dinner was served and after dinner pictures were taken of the guests and homefolks. Pictures were also taken of the livestock on the farm to be sent to the twin sons now located in Little Rock, Ark.

TRAM

The Tram junior baseball team has won eight consecutive games. The regular line-up follows: C. Hinchman, ss.; R. Moles, 2b.; O. Patrick, rf.; B. Adkins, lb.; H. Damron, 3b.; L. Colegrove, lf.; L. Hinchman, cf.; H. Cann, p.

EMMA

S. D. Brewer, of the navy, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Brewer, here.

Misses Dorothy Wallen, Joy Price and Ada Marie Dillon attended the show at Prestonsburg Sunday.

Eddie Worland and daughter, of Prestonsburg, were visiting at the home of Mrs. James R. Worland Sunday.

Miss Opal Jean Branham spent the week-end with her uncle, Lee Dillon, and Mrs. Dillon.

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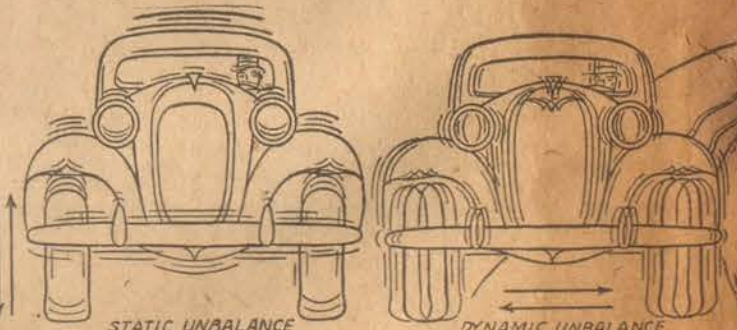
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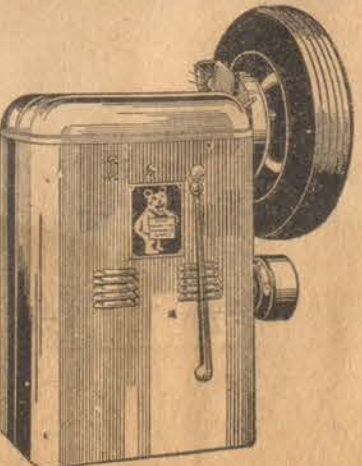
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The Midnight Express

Walt Disney's "Victory Through Airpower" film, taken from Severky's book, is being blocked by brass hats in Washington. Because it reveals what everyone can savvy at a glance—that planes are the best weapons today. . . . Bill Stout, who designed the first Ford planes, is working on what they hope will be the flivver of the air after the war. A tiny hundred h.p. job as simple to manipulate as the Model T. . . . Mr. Whiskers just collared a woman agent here whose operations were right out of a spy film. Posed as a Navy nurse with all the proper apparel, etc. Worked the midtown bars, talking to servicemen, and had even married three of them.

Bob Burns, the ex-farmer, has done a series of recordings for the Dept. of Agriculture, to encourage the growing of peanuts. They are christened: "Nuts to you, Adolf!" . . . The cigar rationing for troops at Guadalcanal: Two cigars weekly. In Africa they get four. . . . Although he's been in the Army a year, Carol Bruce sends her manager 15 per cent of her wages.

The sets for the film, "Attack by Night," will be replicas of actual Norwegian towns—with OWI supervision. . . . Hollywood's veteran cameramen, now in the Army Signal Corps, are taking six-week refresher courses. They must "learn" how to hold a camera "correctly." And to develop negatives! . . . Mary Pickford will adopt children, according to coast buzz. . . . The Mills Brothers start a trek back to the Big Time with a choice spot in "Reveille with Beverly!" . . . Geo. Lowther, who does the "Superman" program, was the first page boy hired by NBC.

The Navy reminds girls that a WAVE or SPAR may request other assignments besides paper or desk work. The duties are varied. Aerographer, for instance, or radio communications, storekeeper, parachute rigger, and so on. . . . Elton Britt, a singing cowboy, recorded "There's a Star-Spangled Banner Waving Somewhere." Made him a high bracket man. To date: 900,000 records.

The Wireless: R. Harkness, the Washington reporter for WEA, was puzzled by the to-doodle about Russia not advertising the aid from her allies. Harkness revealed that Pravda, the Soviet newspaper, published a full report only recently. . . . The Hays office ruled that Fascists in films shouldn't have American accents. He should listen to the Quisling shortwavers, whose accents are as American as hot-dogs. . . . You'll twirl your dials a long time before you catch anything more Hip-Hip-Hurray than Paul Robeson putting the big baritone to "Ballad for Americans." . . . The crossfire act banged over by Crosby and Hope would have been good for a dozen straight weeks at the Palace on Broadway.

The Magazines: The war has landed right in Vogue's lap. That mag tells its flabbergasted readers, mostly ex-motorists, one of the grimmest truths—that it's hard to read on a bus. Gad, sirs, is this America? . . . New Republic's Manny Farber tags Saroyan's flicker, "The Human Comedy," a chocolate soda made out of words. . . . Newsweek scrubs away all the Congressional hullabaloo about bureaucracy and states it is all a build-up for the '44 elections. . . . The startling rise of juvenile delinquency is the problem threshed out by Ella Winter in the current Collier's. The antidote for the wave of knee-pants criminals, the author reports, is more playgrounds, dancing activities and other healthy forms of relaxation to keep them occupied. Remember Mrs. Roosevelt wanted to do that, and was howled down by some "enraged" Congressmen?

It happened in front of the New York Sun where some Newspaper Guild pickets were parading and distributing leaflets. A police car drove up, and a tough-looking Sarge got out. . . . The pickets expected him to break up the line and seize the leaflets, as had happened so many times before. But he merely brushed by and went into the Sun offices. . . . When he came out puzzled pickets asked: "Aren't you gonna do anything?" . . . "No," he said. "They said you were blocking the sidewalk. I told them I managed to get into the building. They wanted to know about the leaflets, and I reminded them about the Freedom of the Press."

Jimmy Cagney, according to a letter he wrote to the Norwegian Embassy, revealed that he is part Norwegian. It will be published in a book by one of the Norwegian diplomats. . . . Ever since Cagney married, he has given his wife something green for St. Patrick's Day. This year the gift, as green as was a stack of gov't war bonds. . . . Newspapers, which have debunked wild rumors of clothing rationing, haven't been read apparently. Stores complain of "clothing runs" every weekend.



SOPHOMORE CONGRESSMEN

The President's heralded meeting with congressional freshmen had an unheralded sequel on Capitol Hill. Day after the White House party, 19 second-term house Democrats held a luncheon in Speaker Sam Rayburn's private dining room, at which there was considerable good-natured, and some not so good-natured, grousing about the President's relations with congress.

Object of the luncheon, arranged by Rep. Oren Harris of Arkansas, was to enable the second-termers to "console" each other for not being invited to the White House for a party when they were freshmen.

Among others, Rep. Sam Russell and Eugene Worley of Texas took great delight in joshing Rayburn: "Sam, why can't you get us an invitation to the White House?"

However, the luncheon took a serious turn when scrappy Rep. Edward Hebert of Louisiana lambasted the White House for not consulting with congress on new legislation, and criticized his colleagues for submitting to White House "dictates." Observing that only 26 of the 45 Democratic freshmen of the last session survived the November elections, the Louisiana declared:

"If a lot of us had paid more attention to our constituents instead of to White House advisers, there wouldn't be so few of us here today. In the last year of Huey Long's tenure, he controlled both houses of the Louisiana legislature completely except for one man. But Huey didn't try to ram through any bills without letting each man know what was going on and making him feel like he had a stake in the program. We in congress haven't been treated like that."

Hebert said he held no enmity against the House leadership, adding to Rayburn: "I've always been very fond of you, but I've never been able to vote for you on a national ticket. I hope I will be able to cast my ballot for you next year, either as top man or running mate on the Democratic ticket."

This brought loud cheers from the luncheoners and blushes from Rayburn, who responded with a fatherly lecture urging those present not to let personal animosities influence their actions in congress.

AMERICAN BOMBERS Despite the criticism you may hear of American planes, U. S. airmen who have studied the current bombings of Europe say privately that one American bomber is worth five of the British.

American planes are heavily armed and heavily armored. Able to protect themselves, they operate in the daylight, with precision bombing, whereas the British planes, flying at night, must lay down a pattern of bombs over a whole area, hoping that the principal target will be hit.

British planes can carry a heavier load of bombs, but the fewer bombs carried by the American planes are more effective because they go straight to the target.

Further, American planes have suffered fewer losses proportionately than the British, both operationally and combat losses.

In fact the American contribution is so important that the all-out bombing of Germany must await the availability of more U. S. planes.

Most people think there is a heavy concentration of American planes in England now, and that the current round-the-clock bombings are the result. Neither is correct.

There was a concentration of U. S. planes in England last summer and fall, made with intended publicity. This had the effect of sending the Nazis scurrying all over western Europe to mend their defenses. They U. S. air strength was pulled out of England for the mission it had been intended for—the invasion of North Africa.

U. S. air strength in England is now being built up again, and when the time comes, the two air forces combined will stage the show intended to knock Germany out of the war.

SHIKE'S POKES

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

We've got some sabotage going on right here in our county—yes, the Japanese beetles are sure "workin'." I'm in favor of retiring General Chandler as Senator, so he can go to the front. Then let's elect Walkin' Munn Wilson in his place.

We're always hearing about these Left Beaver traders—and I believe Arnold H. gets some kind of a prize. He swapped his mule for 50 bushels of corn—and the corn is not even planted. He'd better hope for a good season.

A smart man never plants a large Victory garden than his wife can tend. I'm not smart.

It seems to me that every time the OPA sets a price on anything they raise the price on us consumers about 15 per cent. We were buying bacon at 40c a pound and they set the price and it jumped to 47c. Now, even if they roll it back 10 per cent, we'll still be paying more than we were. I'd have to call anyone a liar that says the cost of living hasn't advanced more than 40 per cent in this section since 1941. We bought cabbage for 4c and potatoes for 3 1/2c in the latter part of '41; now, they're 16c and 8c.

A letter is at hand from Captain Stan Hays, son of Doug, somewhere overseas, saying he's O.K., and his morale is high but that his outfit is worried about the home front. He says we should retire those 2x4 Senators who think they're generals. He says the army's fighting is planned, way ahead, and they know what they're doing. Nice work, Stan. We'll lighten up a little on this end.

We've found out why "Trap" Hale hasn't got any potato bugs. He just set his nameplate up in the patch—"Carmillus Hale."

If that Rationing Board doesn't allow "Chub" some tires pretty quick, he's going to wear out his rims.

The fish are plenty safe if no one catches no more than Bob, Mack and I. We had the proverbial fisherman's luck.

Vincent Shepherd says that John Horn is a bad polk warden. He sez that John hung his badges on all the polk fit to eat during the shut-down. We'll have to investigate John. Mack sez they're going to ration it anyway, so we'll put John on the Polk Rationing board along with

WAR'S GRIP ON HOUSEHOLD GOODS TO BE TIGHTENED

Washington, June 13 — War's strong grip on the American household will tighten even more, the Office of War Information disclosed tonight in announcing hundreds of more items used in homes will be "simplified" in 1943 by elimination of frills and style variation.

The agency said that about 500 of the 1,000 items picked as candidates for possible simplification this year—compared with 200 in 1942—reach directly into the home and include:

Auto jacks, automotive repair tools, household brushes, children's sportswear and rayon dresses, nails and screws, stationary facial tissue, wrapping paper, paper napkins and towels, photographic equipment, pie plates, decorative pottery, radio replacement parts, safety shoes, screens, scissors, silver-plated flatwear, towels and wheelbarrows.

The OWI, explaining the purpose of simplification is to conserve war-essential materials, manpower and machines, said:

"While it appears that the civilian will continue to have his basic needs fulfilled there will be increased limitations on variety if not on quantity."

War Production Board officials, according to the OWI, have estimated that 1943 simplifications will save thousands of carloads of transportation space, millions of square feet of factory warehouse space, will add to the country's stockpile of raw materials by reducing inventory requirements 25 per cent, and will increase the total productive capacity of the nation's machines by 10 to 20 per cent.

Simplifications already carried out in this war, the OWI said, reach from "the cradle to the grave."

"The new-born babe now rides in a carriage in which the iron and steel is limited to nine pounds, while his great-grandfather is transported to the grave in a casket limited in length to 75 inches, in width 22 inches, and in depth to 20 inches."

The agency listed the following savings in critical materials by simplification and curtailment orders on consumer and industrial items: Steel—600,000 tons; copper—17,000 tons; solder—35,000 pounds; cloth—180,000,000 yards; pulp—227,000 tons; lumber—450,000,000 board feet; tungsten—8,000 pounds.

FINDS BALBO RYE O.K.

Ben Craft of Letcher county grazed three calves all winter on four and a half acres of Balbo rye, crimson clover and vetch. In February he turned three milk cows, a horse and 150 chickens in the pasture. Two months later he plowed under a fine crop for soil, according to Farm Agent Hugh Hurst. Mr. Craft says his egg production was increased 50 per cent due to the green feed. He is saving an acre of Balbo rye seed, and this fall plans to sow 12 acres to rye and vetch.

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Advertisement for RYAN FUNERAL HOME. It includes the address 'MARTIN, KY.' and services 'Day and Night Ambulance Service'.

Advertisement for furniture and home goods. It lists: 'NEW AND USED FURNITURE, POSTER BED ROOM SUITES, PANEL BED ROOM SUITES, FELT AND COTTON MATTRESSES, 99-COIL BED SPRINGS, GAS AND COAL COOK STOVES, ODD DRESSERS, FULL LINE RUGS, FULL LINE OF FEEDS'.

Advertisement for Cow Creek Gen. Store. It includes the address 'ONE-FOURTH MILE FROM MOUTH OF COW CREEK, ON GOOD ROAD.' and the name 'RAY HOWARD, Owner'.

Advertisement for 'OVER THE TOP FOR VICTORY' featuring 'UNITED STATES WAR BONDS-STAMPS'.

Arnett in Address Stresses Hospital For Tuberculars

Dr. Earl T. Arnett, Democratic candidate for State Senator, addressed a large crowd Saturday at Weeksville, stressing his plans for a tuberculosis hospital for this section, his interest in good roads and the assistance of the aged.

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9 patterns 9x12 Our Pride Rugs—\$3.95
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...second vice-commander; Fred Roddy, sergeant-at-arms; Sam Moore, chaplain.
Names of Wayland Post officials were not available.
Attending the election of officers here were Albert K. Moore, Salyersville, district commander; Cecil Lovely and Ray Cain, commander and adjutant, respectively, of Salyersville Post. Mr. Moore installed new officers of the Post here at Saturday night's meeting.

All Legion Posts of the district are being urged by the district commander to send large delegations to the Wheelwright convention.
Wayland, Prestonsburg and Inez are the only three of the 13 Posts in the district to reach their membership quotas for the year, it was said here. The Tenth district, Commander Moore said recently, has dropped from last year's first position in membership in Kentucky to 11th place this year.

Eligibility to Legion membership of any member of the armed forces in the present war possessing an honorable discharge is expected to restore the ranks depleted by removal of veterans to war plants outside the district. Martin J. Leece, Jr., Prestonsburg, became the first veteran of World War II to become a member of Floyd Post, and Saturday night was elected a vice-commander.

IN PAINTSVILLE

Misses Margaret Patton and Sallie Bingham visited friends in Paintsville Sunday.

FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

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



Pfc. S. W. ALLEN
Pfc. Savage W. Allen, son of R. T. Allen, Prestonsburg, is now in the air training battalion at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Married after entering the army, his wife, the former Miss Georgia Adkins, resides at Covington, Ky.

Now ready for assignment to active duty at sea or at a shore station, Harold Barnes Osborne, 20, son of Mrs. S. P. Osborne, of Hite, was graduated from the Service School for carpenter's mates at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., Monday. One of a group of 578 Bluejackets who completed 16-week courses in various navy trades, he will be eligible for promotion to a petty officer rating upon obtaining further experience on active duty. Osborne was one of a small number from his recruit training company selected to attend the school through a series of aptitude tests given each man during "boot camp."

Three Floyd county men, recently inducted into the U. S. Navy, have been assigned to the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., where they are now undergoing a period of recruit training. They will be given eight weeks of instruction stressing physical conditioning, the fundamentals of seamanship, and an indoctrination into naval customs and procedure.

Upon completing recruit training each man will be granted a nine-day leave, after which he will be assigned to a navy service school for specialized training, or be sent directly to active duty at sea or at a shore station.

The Floyd recruits are: Glenn L. Hicks, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Hicks, Goodloe; Hansel Robinson, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson, Wayland, and Virgil Flannery, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Flannery, Martin.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Melvina Triplett, eight daughters and one son; Mrs. Millard Allen and Mrs. P. L. Hughes, both of Mackey; Mrs. J. E. Campbell, Garrett; Mrs. Martin Fleming, Oak Hill, W. Va.; Mrs. Austin Rector, Richmond, Ky.; Mrs. J. H. Brown, Georgetown, and a member of the 42-43 Prestonsburg high school faculty; Shelby Triplett, Gio; Mrs. Branham, Ironton, O., and Mrs. Curtis Owens, Garrett. Two brothers, Mrs. John Howard, Omar, Va., and Mrs. John Sturgill, Mackey, and several half-brothers and half-sisters also survive.

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somewhere in North Africa. Their other soldier-son, Sgt. Ernest Hunt, recently returned to his camp at Helena, Washington.

The following soldiers of the United States army have been assigned and sent forward from the reception center, Ft. Thomas, Ky., to the stations indicated below:

- To 821st Field Artillery Battalion, Camp Cooke, Calif.—James Haddix, Drift; Zeb Ousley, Blue River; Crawford Thornsby, Kite; Virgil E. Triplett, Bevinsville; Denzil Whit, Garrett.
To 62nd Engineer Battalion, (Q.M.) Camp Edwards, Mass.—Johnnie Osborne, Drift.
To Medical RTC, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.—Richard Goble, Floyd county.
To 796th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Bn., Camp Stewart, Ga.—James P. Morgan, Prestonsburg; Arnold Mullins, Melvin; Hawley Stephens, Langley.
To Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Walters, Texas—James C. Stephens, Auxier.

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stance not only from the standpoint of law enforcement, but by reason of the fact that a number of cases come before the grand jury each term of circuit court wherein our own local county people are indicted for gaming and operating gaming devices, therefore operators of these carnivals in the event they violate the same laws should not be protected for a week or a few days, neither should enforcement be overlooked because of local sponsorship in various towns.

"The time to act is while the carnival is within the county as the ownership changes often and the operators are usually not known by name, so for this reason it would be impossible for the grand jury to investigate, unless you perform your duty as requested."

William Triplett, 74, Well-Known Knott Man, Asthma, Heart Victim

William Triplett, well-known Knott countian, succumbed Tuesday at his home on Triplett Branch of Jones Fork, after an illness of several years of asthma and heart disease. He was 74 years old.

A son of the late Lee and Rhoda Triplett, he was born and reared in the community where he died. He was widely related in both Knott and Floyd counties and was a highly esteemed citizen.

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with the first American bomber group. Before that, he was a bombing instructor.

"But," said he, "I was nervous as hell on my first bombing mission when I had to put into practice all I'd learned and tried to teach others. I felt like I was all thumbs. I worried mostly about the bombing run on which I was in complete charge of the plane. That first run was made just at dusk, and the ack-ack, in every rainbow color, was the prettiest stuff I'd ever seen."

That first bombing mission now seems long ago to the 24-year-old veteran. Since then he flew eight times on the famed "milk route" over Bengasi, dropped bombs on Tobruk, Tripoli, Tunis, Bizerte, Gabes, Sousse, Afa, Suda Bay, Naples, Palermo, Messina, Brindisi, Tarranto, Catania, Naverino Bay, Maleme, Corinth Canal—and Athens.

The Athens bombing was not actually on the city itself, Major Sutton explained, but on Pireaus harbor which is the port of Athens. Since that first bombing run he made, Sutton has become one of the only two bombardiers in the U. S. army air force to attain the rank of major. He was the only bombardier with a captaincy when he went overseas. Today Major Sutton wears the following service distinctions: the Silver Star, the Purple Heart, the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal. His group has also been twice cited by British Air Marshal Tedder—"and," commented Major Sutton, "when you get cited by the British you're doing pretty damned good!"

Since the day when he "felt all thumbs" Major Sutton has been officially credited with destroying six enemy ships, including a cruiser and a destroyer. Henry Gorrell, well-known war correspondent, rode Shanghai Lil on the raid over Naples and told through American newspapers the story of Major Sutton sinking the cruiser in Naples harbor. "Nice guy, Gorrell," said Sutton. "He later was cited for giving first-aid to wounded members of a bomber crew he had accompanied on a mission."

Asked about airman's superstitions, Major Sutton said they had one but it was more of the real thing than mere superstition. "That is, never take a ground officer with you. The one ship of our squadron that was shot down had an intelligence officer aboard."

How does Floyd county look after all this? Major Sutton gives one the impression he wouldn't trade one voting precinct here for the whole of North Africa. Filth and disease and cheating. "Why, I could have bought a star sapphire for \$25 but we'd been taken so much by those Arabs I was afraid to take a chance on it," he said.

Sure, the halo of antiquity shrouds the land; the mystery of the desert cloaks it; there is an impenetrable something about it all. Use all the time-worn adjectives you want about Africa, says Sutton, but give him the U. S. A.

In fact, the only place in Africa that stacks up alongside this country is South Africa, Johannesburg and some of those South African towns are fine. But Cairo—it's a cesspool, he declares. Nauseating filth, beggars on every hand.

Major Sutton firmly believes he and his crew would never have been forced down in Turkey, had they been zooming along in Shanghai Lil. But while he and his mates were on Christmas leave a new man took Old Reliable out over the desert and cracked up. "That new bomber we got was nothing but trouble." With one engine out and in the middle of bad weather, they were forced down near Smyrna, later taken to Ankara where they remained until recently when both United Nations and Axis internees were released under mutual international agreement.

Major Sutton recalls a bit of by-play on the fateful night of his last bombing mission. "The boys all shook hands with us, told us how nice it had been knowing us, just kidding. And then while a captain and I were fuelling the plane he filled his cigarette lighter with gasoline. 'Now,' said he, 'if we run out of gas, you can blame it on me.'"

Major Sutton leaves Sunday and will probably remain in this country as an instructor. They don't use majors as bombardiers, as a usual thing, you know.

KNOTT WOMAN SUCCUMBS AT FLOYD-CO. HOSPITAL

Funeral rites for Mrs. Edith Smith, 42 years old, wife of Silas Smith, of Elm Rock, Knott county, who died Monday of heart disease at the Martin General hospital, were conducted today (Thursday). A native of Breathitt county, Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Newton and Dorothy Wireman. Burial at Elm Rock was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

Government Asks Floyd Egg Increase

Floyd county poultrymen have been asked by the government to produce approximately 1,033,000 dozen eggs this year, 6.7 per cent more than in 1942, as their share in the Food for Victory program, the National Poultry Defense Committee estimated this week.

This county goal, which is based on the percentage increase suggested for Kentucky by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, can be reached if adequate supplies of labor and feed are available, declared Committee Chairman Hobart Creighton.

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The Democratic nominee for Governor will be selected by the voters of the Commonwealth on August seventh. Each of the candidates has presented to the voters a detailed platform and on Primary Day a choice must be made between these platforms.

I hereby pledge myself to support to the fullest extent the platform of the Governor chosen by the people. As I see it, no other platform is necessary or desirable on the part of a candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

William H. May