

# Floyd County Times

SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

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his Town...  
That World

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**W. WOT?**  
Watt Hale says his fellow-townsmen, Wilce Crum, of West Prestonsburg, conspired with him against the Prowler (haven't heard of the guy lately, have you?). Drawled Watt: "The witch cure was used. Wilce got some 5-cent pieces and melted 'em down to a silver bullet. That's what they used to shoot witches with, you know. And he made this bullet plumb pizen. Wilce and I; he soaked it in sweet milk overnight."

**WHISTLE WHILE HE WORKS**  
Jenny Wren and her hubby, Tommy, have gone to housekeeping, for the time being, at least in a clothespin bag on our back porch. And there have been a couple of blessed events in the family, as far as I can see down into the nest, I'm a naturalist but I do get a kick out of watching Jimmy help Jenny with the young'uns—which is more than any no-count Floyd county men. And the way that father bird whistles while he works—that's more than any of us cheerful humans can do these hot days.

**ROYAL**  
When B. F. Reed, of the new Middle Creek mining operation, recently commented on the name of his company, "The Floyd-Elkhorn," he spoke what we folks in this section would call a parable. Said he: "I consider that a good name—a great county and a good coal combined. If I didn't think so, I should get out of the business and leave the county."

**GLAD HANDS—EMPTY OF JOBS**  
An ex-serviceman with a splendid record overseas makes a bitter indictment against Prestonsburg business firms and their tragic failure to provide honest employment for men like him. His statement, which follows, poses a big problem to us of the so-called Home Front.

"I want the people to know how much I appreciate their loyalty to a soldier after he has returned home from active service against the enemy.  
"After long months as an aerial gunner against the Japs, during which time I was wounded, I was given a medical discharge. Naturally, I wanted to get home—that is, to a job of every service man.  
I got home. The folks here were glad hand. I appreciate their friendliness.

"But when it comes to a job—there's a difference. What a difference! I have applied for jobs with several gas companies and practically every firm in Prestonsburg. No job.

"The boys already employed have the jobs filled—had the jobs filled while I was doing a nastier job overseas.

"I don't want to knock any man out of work to make room for me, but I cannot but wonder what's to be done with the millions of others who will be home, some day. Shall they be glad-handed and starved to death?  
"I am now going out of town, looking for work. Maybe I'll find it there.

"RANDOLPH BURCHETT"

**THOSE "GRIEVE-US" ERRORS**

Rare is the editor who has not, at some time, "broke out in a cold sweat" upon having his attention called to some particularly atrocious and embarrassing typographical error.

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## Court House Happenings

**SUITS FILED**

Mary E. Hall Ginter vs. Curry C. Ginter; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Frank Patrick vs. Bertha Patrick; B. M. James, atty. H. H. Vincent vs. John Allen, et al.; Joe Hobson, atty. W. W. Cooley vs. Lawrence Keathley; Joe Hobson, atty.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

O. James Belcher, 32, Pikeville, and Elsie B. Mullins, 32, Pikeville; ceremony performed by the Rev. W. B. Garriott, of the Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, July 7. Malcolm Hall and Lula McDaniel.

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## FLOYD TOPS BOND GOAL, \$95,885.25

**Believed Shy of Quota, Total Figures Show Almost Million**

Topping its quota of \$870,000 in the Fifth War Loan drive, Floyd bond sales through July 11 reached to almost a million dollars. Last minute figures, released today by County Judge Edw. P. Hill, Jr., county chairman of the drive, showed that, four days previous to the termination of the campaign, total sales had reached \$95,885.25, a margin of \$95,885.25 over its set mark.

Floyd county is believed to have reached its \$870,000 quota in the Fifth War Loan drive which ended Saturday, but its actual standing will not be known for several days yet when the Federal Reserve Bank, Cleveland, O., compiles final sales returns.

The Reserve Bank at Cleveland reported Saturday, last day of the drive, that it had credited the county with Bond purchases totaling \$547,315.25. Although this figure is better than \$300,000 shy of the quota, \$250,000 in purchases are known not to have reached the bank in time for that report and numerous other small purchases are expected to be reported, County Judge E. P. Hill, drive chairman, said. In addition to this \$250,000, \$20,000 worth of Bonds purchased by Burl Spurlock, West Prestonsburg merchant, had not been credited to Floyd county.

## \$139 PER MAN

Probably the heaviest group purchases, per man, of Bonds during the drive were made by the 24 employees of the Sizemore Mining Company at McDowell. They bought \$3,337.50 worth of Bonds for an average of \$139 per employe, and to this the company added \$5,000 worth.

Reports of sales by committees were not available this week, it was said. Although the county is expected to fall short in the matter of "E" series Bond sales, larger buyers will bring the total to or above the quota, it is believed.

## TEACHER PAY HERE, CERTAIN

**Though Some Counties May Delay Payment Under New Budget**

Floyd county teacher salaries will not be delayed by the new budget provisions, it was said at the office of County Superintendent Town Hall Wednesday. If necessary, teacher funds will be financed through local banks, it was said.

Frankfort, Ky., July 11—Despite passage of the recent special session of the Legislature of the largest school appropriation in Kentucky's history, Finance Commissioner Clarence Miller said today it appeared that payment of teacher salaries probably would have to be deferred in many counties during the first or second quarter of the fiscal year.

Miller said certain provisions of the new budget act containing the school appropriations require pay-as-you-go spending, but earmarked most of the treasury surplus for purposes other than schools.

About 85 per cent of the school per capita fund, used to pay teachers, becomes due during the first six months of the fiscal year, but heaviest flow of tax revenue to the fund comes during the second half of the fiscal year.

"In the past we have been able to borrow from the surplus to make school payments the first six months, repaying it during the second six months," he said. "This year we don't have much surplus."

The Budget Act passed by the special session required that \$5,300,000 of the surplus be invested in War Bonds to save for institutional improvements and created a general emergency fund of \$3,319,000.

Warren M. VanHoose, acting budget director, released figures today showing that an unencumbered balance of \$1,624,710 remained in the treasury after purchase of the War Bonds and allotment of the emergency fund. That balance, along with a portion of the emergency

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## Watkins' Widow Names Relatives of Slayer In Robbery Warrant

Mrs. Nellie Watkins, of Brainard, widow of Walter Watkins, who was killed a few years ago in an altercation with members of the Barnett family, swore out warrants, a few days ago, charging twin brothers, Boyd and Walter Barnett, relatives of her husband's slayer, with robbery.

They, she alleged, took \$90 from her home. Another warrant charged them with a breach of the peace after her house had been "rocked." Boyd Barnett, authorities here learned after they had been unable to find him, is being held in Huntington, W. Va., on a vagrancy charge. His brother is in jail here. The defendants are juveniles.

## DRAFT BOARD NOTIFIES 39

**For Pre-Induction Tests At Huntington, W. Va.; New Quota Is Given**

Its July induction quota of four men filled Tuesday with the departure of three selectees and with one of the quartet already in service after having waived the post-examination waiting period, Draft Board 44 here this week released Call No. 52-A for 39 selectees to take pre-induction examination at Huntington, W. Va., July 17.

Huntington also has been designated an induction station since the elimination of Fort Thomas as a reception center. Selective Service had previously named Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., as the induction center for this area, but this order has been cancelled.

Leaving for induction Tuesday were: Charles Henry Spradlin (V), Prestonsburg; Darwin Spradlin, Prestonsburg, transferred from Macon, Ga.; Bennie Marshall, Honaker, transferred from Howell, Michigan; Burbage King, of Osborn, fourth man in the group, volunteered for navy service and is already in uniform.

The county's induction quota for August calls for 60 selectees—42 from Board 44, 27 from Board 45 at Martin. Board 44 will send 29 for pre-induction examination during the month, and Board 45 will send 43.

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## More Than 200 Attend Workshop 'Open House' Here Last Thursday

More than 200 visitors attended the teachers' workshop "open house" given Thursday afternoon at the grade school building.

Superintendent Town Hall introduced Congressman A. J. May who addressed the group. The master of ceremonies for the afternoon's entertainment and displays was Dr. J. D. Falls, of Morehead State Teachers College, who has just finished a five weeks' term of special teacher training here, assisted by Miss Patty Richmond and Miss Geneva Williams. The music program consisted of vocal duets by Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James and Mrs. C. P. Stephens—"Barcarolle" and "The Old Refrain"—and a solo, "Ma' Linda Lou," by Mrs. James.

After the conclusion of the interesting program, the group visited the display rooms where the students had arranged their handwork of the period of instruction. Attending the workshop open house were five Floyd school principals, V. O. Turner, Monroe Wicker, D. W. Howard, James Salisbury and Wayne Ratliff.

## Prestonsburg Boy Scouts Return From Camp Arrowhead

The Boy Scout Troop No. 20, of Prestonsburg, spent last week at Camp Arrowhead, returning Saturday. The troop was taken to camp by Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Strahan, Dr. O. G. Pennington and Carl Riffe.

Scouts enjoying the week's outing were Donald Stratton, Ben Ferguson, Jr., Charles Ferguson, Paul Lemaster, Jesse Hagedwood, Gene Boyd, Eddie Hill, Jr., Val Strahan, Jr., Quentin Allen, Johnny Vaughan, Sidney Ball, Bill Goble, Jr., J. Woodford Howard, Robert Jones, Paul Harmon.

## 1 Dead, 6 Wounded, 4 Missing, 2 Prisoners, List Reveals



WHITAKER

Orville Scutchfield, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Scutchfield, Bull Creek, and husband of Mrs. Roberta Louise Ferguson Scutchfield, Wheelwright, has been killed in action in the French invasion, relatives were notified Sunday. His wife last heard from him on July 4 in two letters dated June 21 and June 23. He had seen action in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres of war.

Scutchfield volunteered for service Oct. 13, 1942 and his ship was sunk one year later on Oct. 13, 1943. While home on his survivor's leave he and Miss Ferguson were married on December 7, two years from the date of the Pearl Harbor attack.

He was a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and later attended Caney Creek Junior College. Prior to entering the service he was employed as a motorman at Wheelwright.

A brother, Ermal, 19, is also in the navy somewhere in the South Pa-

## JERRY HAGER IS VICTIM

**Veteran Mining Man, Long Ill, Succumbs In His 65th Year**

Jerry W. Hager, of Abbott Creek, a veteran of the mining industry in this section, died Sunday morning in the Paintsville hospital following an illness of several months. He was 64 years old.

Mr. Hager formerly was mine superintendent of the Consolidation Coal Company at Van Lear, the Elkhorn Piney Mining Company at Weeksburg and later served in the same capacity at Estill. His last activity prior to his illness was in connection with the operation of the Purity Cannel Coal Company on Abbott Creek, in which his son, J. A. Hager, Prestonsburg, is a partner.

He had been a member of the Freewill Baptist Church for several years. Mr. Hager was born and reared in Johnson county, a son of the late James M. Hager.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Marcella Tygart Hager, his mother, Mrs. Arminta Hager, who resided with him, and four sons: J. A. and Eugene Hager, Prestonsburg; Oscar Hager, El Paso, Texas, and Jack Hager, Neosho, Missouri. Four brothers and three sisters also survive: Morgan Hager, South Point, O.; John Hager, Kenova, W. Va.; Bill Hager, Weeksburg; Bobby Hager, of the state of Washington; Mrs. All Sparks, Kenova, W. Va.; Mrs. Maggie Sammons, Greasy Creek, Johnson county; Mrs. Sarah Meade, Chestnut, Ky.

From his home on Abbott the body of Mr. Hager was taken Wednesday to Friendship Freewill Baptist Church, Johnson county, where rites were conducted by the Revs. Cully Sparks and Winford Meeks. Burial was made in the family lot at Paintsville, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

## 41 Volunteer as Blood Donors--But at Least 50 Needed

Floyd countians who have volunteered to go to Ashland next Thursday, July 20, as blood donor to the Red Cross "blood bank" sending plasma overseas to wounded fighting men at noon Wednesday was still nine shy of the minimum of 50 volunteers called, Mrs. Winnie E. Johns, chairman of the movement,

"At least 50 blood donors are needed," Mrs. Johns said. "Only 41 have volunteered. There is no pain, no expense connected with this—no



CHILDERS

He is also survived by two other brothers, Ershel and Alton Wendell Scutchfield, at home.

Reported as missing in action were: Pfc. Clevis Whitaker, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Whitaker, West Prestonsburg. He was with the medical corps in the French invasion and was reported missing in the action of June 7 in Normandy. Whitaker had been in the army for two years and was overseas in England for several months. One brother, Edgel, is with the army in Italy and another brother, Raymond, is serving with the navy.

Louis W. Childers, WT 3/c, U.S.N.R., 27-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Childers, and husband of Mrs. Mary Childers, Wayland, has been missing in the line of duty since May 31, 1944. Childers entered the navy April 14, 1942 and

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## Mrs. Wyatt Is Victim Of Tuberculosis

Mrs. Emma Jean Wyatt, 25 years old, of Manton, died Friday, a victim of tuberculosis.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perkins, of Manton, and the following brothers and sisters: Palmer and Ralph, of the army; Mrs. J. H. Barnett, of Tennessee; Leon Perkins, Mrs. Earl Layne, Birdis, Roy, Etta, Joe, Phyllis and Jack Perkins, all of Manton.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday, the Rev. Ed Sloe officiating, and burial was made at Manton under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

## Huntington Prisoner Believed To Be Man Recently Held Here

Authorities here expressed the belief that the Brice Allen being held in Huntington, W. Va., on a charge of buying and selling stolen property is the same man released from jail here a few days ago under \$100 cash bond after having been arrested in West Prestonsburg and charged with selling untaxed cigarettes and beer.

Residence of the West Virginia prisoner was given as Huntington. He is accused of having bought cigarettes stolen from two Huntington firms for 75 cents a carton. Half of the 75 stolen cigarette cartons were recovered, Huntington police said.

Allen, a native of the Middle Creek section of this county, was arrested here by state highway patrolmen. He claimed he was moving his stock of cigarettes and beer to Prestonsburg or vicinity where he had sought to rent a building. Robert Simpson, arrested with him, executed \$500 bond.

## HERE FROM COVINGTON

Miss Geraldine Patton, of Covington, is here, guest of Miss Gwen Lee Harris.

## Brothers, Service Evaders, Surrendered Thursday To Army, Navy Custody

Raymond Waddles, who, with his brother Erman, was arrested June 23 on Abbott Creek, near here, by state highway patrolmen after months of successful evasion from service in the armed forces, was taken Thursday, last week, to Ft. Knox where he was placed in the custody of military authorities.

Erman, who did a few months of navy service but failed to return from a Christmas leave last year, was taken to Huntington, W. Va., two weeks earlier, and placed under naval authority.

Raymond Waddles was accepted for army service at the Huntington, W. Va., pre-induction station but failed to answer for induction following the prescribed furlough period.

## OHIOAN JAILED IN CAR THEFT

**Arrested at Drift, Addis May Face Federal Charge**

Booked at the county jail on a charge of automobile theft following his arrest Saturday at Drift by Deputy Sheriff Bas Fraley, Glenn Hayden Addis, 33, Columbus, Ohio, faces a possible federal prosecution for transportation of a stolen auto across state lines, it was said here Monday.

Addis' arrest followed his attempt to sell a Plymouth coach to Warnie Sammons, of Drift, whose suspicions were confirmed by a check with Lawrence county, Ky., authorities. The Lawrence county license tag on the car had been stolen, Sammons was told, from Woodrow Childers. Columbus police said the car also had been stolen.

Addis told Deputy Jailer Carl Horn, who fingerprinted him, that he received a five-year term in the Ohio state reformatory in 1940 for auto theft and that he was released in October, last year.

## NAME WILSON AS NOMINEE

**To Fish-Game Group; District Sportsmen Meet Here Friday**

In 15 minutes here Friday afternoon sportsmen of the Seventh Congressional district heard three talks and selected five men from whom a member of the new state Fish and Game Commission will be named.

Names of the five men submitted to Governor Willis as a result of the meeting are: Merle Wilson, Prestonsburg, Floyd county's nominee; Douglas Turner, Paintsville, Johnson county; Dr. O. W. Thompson, Pikeville, Pike county; D. W. Little, Whitesburg, Letcher county; Roscoe Davis, Hazard, Perry county.

All five men are Republicans. The five counties from which nominees to the Commission were named were represented at the meeting, which was held at the courthouse. Selection of the group of five followed county meetings of sportsmen in preparation for the district meet here. The Floyd county Fish & Game Club made its selection of Mr. Wilson at a meeting here last Thursday evening.

Governor Willis is to name nine Commissioners—one from each Congressional district and from names submitted at district meetings over the state such as that held here Friday. These Commissioners in turn will select the director of the Division of Game and Fish.

Roscoe Davis, Hazard, vice-president of the League of Kentucky Sportsmen, presided at the district meeting. John M. Perkins, director of the Division of Game and Fish, made a short talk, as did Frank Phipps, superintendent of wardens, and Ken Taylor, The Courier-Journal Sportsman. Fifty-two sportsmen eligible to vote in the election of Commission nominees attended the meeting.

Mr. Davis urged the sportsmen attending to read "Poverty or Conservation, Your National Problem," by Jay N. "Ding" Darling. A copy may be had by writing to the National Wildlife Federation, 1212 Sixteenth Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

**Support the Invasion!**

## 3 DIE FRIDAY IN SLATEFALL NEAR LACKEY

**Three Others Escape Central Elkhorn Mine Disaster; Gibson Hurt**

Three men are dead and a fourth is injured in one of the most tragic weeks of the county's coal mining industry.

Three were killed Friday night in one giant slatefall in the mine of the Central Elkhorn Coal Company in Knott county, near Lackey. The dead are:

Taylor Derossett, 29, machine helper, of Sloan, near here.

Willie Inman, 33, Garrett, mine foreman.

Farris Chaffins, 33, Jones Fork, machine operator.

Injured Monday morning by a slatefall in the Elkhorn Coal Corporation's mine at Wayland was Joseph Gibson 50, Wayland. X-ray examination disclosed a kidney injury.

All three victims of the Central Elkhorn tragedy met instant death. Three fellow-workers barely escaped the same fate, leaping to safety as the slab of slate, said to have been 30 feet long by 20 feet wide was seen to move. The bodies were removed from the mine an hour after the fall.

Derossett was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Derossett, of Sloan. Besides his parents, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dixie Laferty Derossett, three children, Loraine, 10, Jerry, 5, and Dolores, aged 14 months. He also leaves eight brothers and sisters: Mrs. Jerry Laferty and Mrs. Bill Laferty, Afex, Ky.; Mrs. Ollie Laferty, Sloan; Mrs. Sam Skeans, Martin; Oscar Derossett, Afex, Ky.; Robert and Calvin Derossett, Ypsilanti, Mich., and Sgt. Frank Derossett, with the army in France.

Mr. Derossett had a host of friends here and in the vicinity of his employment. His funeral was conducted Monday by the Revs. Isaac Stratton, B. W. Craft and A. L. Allen, with burial being made in the family cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Inman, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Inman, of Rock Fork Creek, near Garrett, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lily Hicks Inman, and four children, Rosie, Clevis, Emma Jean and Betty Sue; three brothers Cap, Andrew and Pete Inman, all of Garrett, and six sisters: Mrs. Dave Chaffins, Mrs. Artie Conley, Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. Victoria Inman, all of Garrett, Mrs. James Smith, Lima, O., and Mrs. Clevis Hall, Wayland.

Funeral rites were conducted by the Revs. A. L. Coburn, M. O. Wright and Marion Chaffins. Burial was made in the Conley-Williams

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## SLONE DRAWS 3-YEAR TERM

**Huff Trial in Slaying Of Estill Merchant Scheduled Today**

First conviction handed down by a jury of the Knott circuit court, which convened Monday, was a three-year term for Dolliver Slone, formerly of this county, for bigamy. Slone, a former resident of Drift, was given a 10-year pen term by a Floyd circuit court jury, for the killing at Drift of Levi Taylor but was paroled within six months, Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen said. His indictment on the bigamy count followed.

(A peculiarity of the law applying to the offense of bigamy, Circuit Judge Stephens commented this week, is that the only penalty is a pen term ranging from three to nine years.)

Trial of Lawrence Huff, charged with murder in the slaying this year in Knott county of I. B. Caudill, well-known Estill merchant, is slated to begin today (Thursday). Another murder defendant to be given trial is Jim Clemmons.

In another trial at Hindman this week Roy Triplett was fined \$50 for shooting and wounding George Gib-



**SOUTHERN BELL**

*Has Not Profited*

**BY THE WAR**

Financially the telephone company has not profited by the war. The rate of return on the amount of money invested in telephone plant in Kentucky is, with the exception of one year, the lowest in the past seventeen years, and is still declining.

While the prices of practically everything, including the costs of furnishing telephone service, have gone up, telephone rates have not increased—on the contrary long distance telephone rates have been reduced, resulting in large savings to telephone users in Kentucky during the past three years.

The schedule of pay of telephone workers is the highest it has ever been. At the same time taxes have increased tremendously. Since our entry into the war in December, 1941, the telephone company has paid out more than \$4,500,000 for federal, state, county and municipal taxes in Kentucky.

Though the telephone company is doing the largest volume of business in its history it is making less than 3½% on its investment in Kentucky.

J. M. McALISTER, Kentucky Manager

**SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY**  
INCORPORATED

**CORRECTION**

Editor, The Times: I want to correct the item I read in THE TIMES some time ago concerning a soldier in Italy—Cpl. Paul Russell Turner. His name is not Paul Russell, and he is not the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Turner, as stated. He is the son of Mrs. Cassie Turner, of Garrett, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warrens, of Northern. His father, Milford Russell, is dead.

**READER**

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

At Pikeville  
In the matter of  
**NORMAN B. MARTIN**  
Bankrupt

**NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS**

To the creditors of Norman B. Martin, of Prestonsburg, in the county of Floyd, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that the said Norman B. Martin has been duly adjudged a bankrupt on a petition filed by him on the 13th day of June, 1944, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in said district, on the 20th day of July, 1944 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which place and time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Prestonsburg, Kentucky, this 5th day of July, 1944.

**JOE HOBSON,**  
Referee in Bankruptcy  
All claims must be supported by affidavit and is the official form required by the Bankruptcy Act.

**THE WEEK IN OPA**

**Tubes and Tires**

All new tubes—automobile, truck, tractor and implement—are now removed from rationing. Present inventories and production are adequate to meet the demand which has been about a million and a half per month for the last two months, OPA announces.

It is no longer necessary to apply at the local War Price and Rationing Board when a new tube is needed. A good tube properly inflated prolongs the life of a tire and indications are that tires will continue to be rationed for several months.

High-grade re-capping material is now available and motorists can get good service from their present tires if re-capped in time. The July quota of tires is 450,000 higher than June, but there is no hope of removing tires from rationing before early in 1945, according to OPA.

**Used Car Prices**

Used car ceiling prices went into effect July 10. Before a car is bought or sold, the ceiling price should be determined by going to the local rationing board.

A transfer certificate must be executed by both buyer and seller and the certificate must be filed with the local board when application for gasoline is made.

**Alfalfa Hay**

Maximum prices on alfalfa hay, effective July 3 through Oct. 31, have been announced by the OPA.

Producers may receive \$22 a ton for upgraded alfalfa hay, according to the new regulation. An additional \$5 a ton may be added to the price if the hay is baled by the single-compress method.

When sales are made through a dealer, \$6 a ton may be added to the original price.

Certain premiums may be added to the price if each lot of hay is accompanied by an official grading certificate.

Ceiling prices on alfalfa hay were fixed to curb rising prices and to prevent resultant price rises of livestock, OPA said.

**Cost of Rationing and Price Control**

Congress has voted to extend the Price Control Act another year. Here are some interesting figures on the cost of OPA during the last fiscal year. Rationing, price control and rent cost the American people an average of \$1.33 each. Rationing cost 41 cents per person, and price control, 28c. Rent control cost 28c per tenant, or 11c per person. The cost of keeping the public informed on all price, rationing and rent regulations was 2 cents per capita. Local War Price and Rationing Boards were allotted the remaining 51c per person. If sugar had advanced 2c per pound in the past year, it would have cost the American people more money than it cost to administer the entire rationing and price control program.

**RATIONING AT A GLANCE**

**Processed Foods**

Red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 in War Ration Book Four now good for 10 points each indefinitely.

**Meats and Fats**

Red Stamps A8 through Z8 in Book Four good for 10 points each indefinitely.

**Sugar**

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

**Gasoline**

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

**Tires**

Stamp A-12 good for 3 gallons through Sept. 21. B-3, C-3, B-4 and C-4 stamps good for 5 gallons until used. "T" coupons 532-D expired June 30. Replaced by coupons 532-E good until Sept. 30. State and license number must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

**Inspections**

Inspections are not compulsory unless applying for new tires. Motorists must keep old inspection record. Commercial vehicle inspections due every six months or 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

**All new tubes**

— passenger car, truck, tractor, implement—are now removed from rationing. Persons needing new tubes need not make application at the local rationing board.

**Fuel Oil**

Coupons for period 5 and 5 for the 1943-44 series good now and through Sept. 30, 1944, when the heating year will end. Unit value, 10 gallons. Change-making and reserve coupons good through heating year. Coupons for period 1 of the 1944-45 series became valid June 1, 1944.

**Price Information**

Information concerning ceiling prices may be obtained from the price clerk of your local War Price and Rationing Board.

**A GOOD WORD**

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

It may be that you are a father, that you sent your wife to the very door of death in travail for your children, and now that they are here, you have been letting them live in the home without a word or an influence from you to help them to God or to a better life.

In one of our larger cities there lived a man who had an only son and he was the pride of his father's heart. He was a good father, so to speak, and kind to his family, but indifferent to God. One day his wife said to him, "Ralph, I very much fear that Junior is going wrong and every time I speak to him about Christ or the church, he points to you. I wish so much that he might have your influence to help him in this matter."

"Oh," said the father, "he will come out all right; if he becomes no worse than myself you need not become concerned. I have not needed the church to make me what I am."

This is one place so many fathers make their mistake; for they seem to think because they have not gone astray and have been without the church the child will do the same. This young man followed his father's example in some respects and in others he did not. He was just as indifferent to the church and to Christ as his father was, but he was not as careful about his living.

One day he was brought home from an accident and the father knew that he must die and with his heart breaking with sorrow he said, "My son, is there anything I can do for you? Make any request and your father will do it if he can."

Looking up into his father's stricken youth said, "Father, I am not a Christian and I am dying. Won't you pray for me?"

Turning away from the bedside, he walked to the window, bit his trembling lips till the blood came. A few days later when he came back from the cemetery he said, "Oh, I would give anything in all this world if I only had my boy back again and could offer the prayer he asked in his behalf."

Listen—you have been a stumbling block in the way of your children. You never told them to debase themselves, did you? Oh, no, you never told them to go wrong, did you? Oh, no. But that is not enough, if your example and your influence has not helped them into touch with Christ and the God they need. You have been robbing them as well as God of the thing that you owe to them and owe to God above everything else, and, though it may sound harsh, God knows that it is true and you know it. It may sound hard but if you have determined not to yield yourself to Christ, it might have been better for your children, so far as the life to come is concerned, if you had been taken away from them before they came to know the meaning of your life and the disposition of your heart.

I feel sorry for the boy who has a godless mother, for he can never know the blessing and strength that he can feel in the support of a praying mother. Let me plead with you if you have a good Christian mother: How much longer must mother wear herself out in agony, praying for you? Some years ago in the southland the father came home one day and found his wife in bed, ill because of the debauched condition of his two sons. The father came into the house, went into another room and came out with a high-powered rifle and handed it to one of the sons and said: "Here, take this in there and shoot your mother."

The young man looked up in astonishment and surprise and said, "Father, what do you mean? Are you a fool to think I would take the life of my mother?"

The father replied, "You had just as well do that and get her out of her suffering, for you are killing her by the kind of life you are living, and it is by degrees."

Have you no regard for your mother who brought you into this world and who has worked and suffered and continues to worry and suffer about you? Death would have been much easier and such a relief, but she is living to die a thousand deaths because of your waywardness. Is there anything any one can do to call you to a halt? The person who walks over the body of a good mother and continually breaks her heart until you can almost hear the blood drip as his heel grinds her heart—I wonder if there is any hope!

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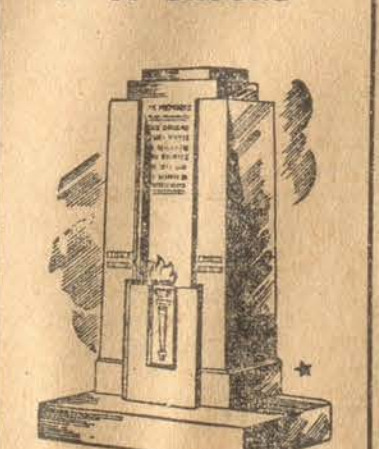
After gaining a tie with the national checker champion, Millard Hopper, of Brooklyn, N. Y., Pvt. David B. Leslie, of Emma, former Floyd county teacher and athlete, remains undefeated at checkers at Brooke General hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The Brooke Bluebonnet Broadcast in its June 21 edition told of Pvt. Leslie taking on all comers, playing as many contestants simultaneously as there were boards available. On one occasion he played 25 games at one time, winning them all.

A teacher of materia medica, nursing, mathematics and physiology at the hospital, Pvt. Leslie may be given a furlough for the national checker tournament.

Although the acknowledged champion of his army post, he was not always so successful at checkers when his brother, Gerald Leslie, Prestonsburg high school mathematics teacher, was his opponent.

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# News From Floyd Communities

## ABBOTT ROAD

## BONANZA

## DWALE

## TRAM

Mrs. John A. Calder has returned after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Aaron J. Akers, of Louisville. Mrs. Calder will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Conley, for the duration as her husband, S/Sgt. Calder, is serving with the armed forces overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Conley and Miss Estelle Conley were in Elkhorn on business Monday.

L. A. Conley has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Osborne, of Wheelwright.

All his friends and relatives were glad to hear of the death of Jerry on July 9.

Mrs. Bill Short was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Miss Geraldine Short has returned on a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Ossia Caldwell, of Lexington.

Mrs. Paris Conley and Miss Estelle Conley were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Helen and Josephine Powers were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

## TRAM

James R. Blevins recently arrived here with his bride, the former Miss Laura Burchett, of Gulgare. A party was given in their honor at the home of Mrs. Alvin Wright.

Mrs. Minnesota Blevins has been visiting her husband and relatives at Weeksbury.

Mrs. Bertha Collins and children are visiting her mother and father at Red Jacket, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Grannis J. Blair and children have been visiting his uncle, Jack Riddle, of Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Puckett, of Praise, recently visited his mother here.

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Mrs. Earl Hackworth, of Ohio, was visiting Mrs. Greeley Hackworth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Frazier and sons motored to Virginia Sunday.

Harry Manuel and daughters, Pheba and Gladys, have gone to Ohio where they will seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Music and son, of Ada, O., are visiting Mrs. Kate Harmon and Mrs. O. G. Conley for a few days.

A large crowd attended the foot-washing at Myrtle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Music and daughters, Sarah and Nelle, of Ada, Ohio, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Frasure and daughter, Marion Lois, of Bonnie Blue, Va., have been visiting Mrs. Tommy Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Music for the last few days.

Miss Betty Jo Hall has returned home after a visit with her uncle, Woodrow Frasure, at Bonnie Blue, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Music and sons, of Prestonsburg, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Stanley were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frasure at Myrtle Sunday.

## EDGAR

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Roop have returned to defense work in Detroit after spending a week's vacation with relatives here.

J. L. Laferty and Mr. and Mrs. James Setser attended church at Copperas Creek Sunday.

Jim Morrison was baptized at Copperas Creek Sunday by the Rev. Leon Burchett, pastor, and the Rev. Kelly Kendrick.

Arnold Crider was visiting on Dix Creek Sunday.

Home of J. L. Laferty, Jr., burned July 4 at 3 p.m., on Dix Creek. Almost all his furniture burned. The estimated damage was \$1,000. He plans re-building on the same site soon.

Buy War Bonds!

Mrs. Green Calhoun and little daughter, Iris Jean, have returned home after spending about two months with their husband and father, Pvt. Calhoun, in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Baron Couch, of Ypsilanti, Mich., enjoyed a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Keen are now in Ashland where Mr. Keen is employed by Clayton & Lambert.

Mrs. Ballard Hunter and little sons, Jimmie and Danny Pat, have returned to their home in Detroit, Mich., after a two weeks' visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Laven.

Rev. Edgar Miller, of Auxier, conducted services Sunday at the Methodist Church, Rev. Henry Parsons, Sunday night at the Church of Christ, and Rev. Carl Layne at the Free Will Baptist Church, Friday night.

Canton Laferty, who has been a patient at the C. & O. hospital, Huntington, has returned home.

Mary Lou May and Birdie Crum, of Ivel, were visiting Nell Hall last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Vaughan have been notified that their son, Pvt. Jake Vaughan, has undergone a major operation, but is now improving.

Mrs. Henry Combs is now in West Virginia with her husband, who is employed there.

Mrs. Carson Tipton and children were visiting her mother, Mrs. Laura Humble, over the week-end.

Among those who were business visitors in Ashland last week were O. E. Carey, Mrs. Marcia Stephens, Mrs. Rebecca Porter and Evelyn Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lusk and daughter, Wilma Ruth, of Shelby, were dinner guests of Mrs. Lusk's sister, Mrs. Abe Hall, here Sunday.

Ulis Elkins and daughter, Betty Jo, visited relatives at Shelby Sunday.

Miss Virginia Wright, who has been taking cadet nurse training at Memorial hospital, Huntington, was visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Simmons, here over the week-end.

Miss Lady Mae Laven is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Adkins.

In recent examinations at Toledo, Ohio, two Floyd county men were promoted from locomotive firemen to locomotive engineers. They are Elbert Conley, of Bonanza, of the Huntington division, and O. E. Carey, Dwale, of the Big Sandy division.

## WARCO

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark and children, of Wheelwright, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. El Hagans, Tuesday.

Miss Rosie Smith is spending a while with her sister, Mary Jo, and her brother, Tommie Smith.

Miss Betty Allison May, of Maytown, was the houseguest of Miss Libby Ree May this week.

Boyd Jarrell, of Kenova, W. Va., spent a while this week with his wife, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jarrell.

Buster and Miss Jean Turner, of Northern, visited relatives and friends here Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Hensley spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Manda Cooley, at Northern. She was accompanied home by her son, French Vernon, who has been the guest of his grandmother for several days.

Mrs. Paul Jarrell is a patient in the Martin General hospital, Martin, suffering from a carbuncle.

Mesdames Boyd Jarrell, E. R. May and Miss Billa Jarrell visited Mrs. Paul Jarrell and Mrs. Claude Allen in the Martin General hospital Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Baldrige and son Bobbie and Sgt. Bernard Baldrige were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Baldrige and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goble in Prestonsburg over the week-end.

Mrs. Mollie Porter and daughter, Miss Opal Porter, of Russell, were visiting Mrs. Porter's niece, Mrs. James Hyden and family here this week.

Miss Wanoka Hagans has been ill recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hagans.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May, of Water Gap, were in Warco Sunday.

## TOPMOST

Mrs. Minta Wray and Kenneth Hall visited her husband in Bell county over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Isaac and Hershel Combs attended the show at the Wayland theater Saturday night.

Marie Osborne, of Bevinville, was the Thursday night guest of Miona Hall.

Arnold Combs was in Garrett on business Saturday.

Hershel Combs was in Hazard on business Friday.

Pvt. Sidney Hudson, of Camp Gordon, Georgia, is spending a 15-day furlough with his wife and daughter, Mrs. Shirley Hudson, and Janice Lee.

Miss Roberta Debord and Miss Dorothy Bays were shopping in Pikeville Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ollie Caldwell and daughters, Jerry and Jean, and Frances Sue Layne attended Sunday School at Betsy Layne Sunday.

Mrs. George Conn, of Ivel, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Layne Saturday.

Pvt. Sidney Hudson, wife and daughter are visiting relatives at Virgie this week.

Miss Loretta Wright, of Ashland, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Cinda B. Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wheeler and children, of Pikeville, were visiting W. M. Caldwell Tuesday.

Elliott Hicks, of Tram, and H. L. Bonar, of Emma, were business visitors in Huntington, W. Va., and Ashland Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Gibson and son Carl left for Michigan Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Damron.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Layne are expecting their son, Pvt. Glenn S. Layne, of Columbus, O., home on leave July 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Caldwell and daughters, Jerry and Jean, attended the show at Pikeville Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Damron and grandson, Jimmie Douglas, of Ivel, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Layne and family Friday evening.

Miss Frances Sue Layne has recently returned home from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rasmussen at Pinson Fork.

Revs. Carl Senters and J. K. Stratton held their regular meeting here Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Ervin Patrick is now the pastor here at the Pilgrim Holiness Church instead of the Rev. Edgar Hewlett, of Van Lear.

Miss Dorothy Bays recently received a letter saying that Noah Jacobs had been wounded in France.

Johnny Meeks, Jr., recently left for Wabash, Indiana, where he is employed in war work.

Earl Adkins has returned to Alliance, Ohio, after spending 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Hicks visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bonar and family Sunday afternoon at Emma.

## AUXIER

Ora Lee Whitaker has returned home from Patterson Field, Ohio, where he has been employed.

Miss Arlita Ward, of Offutt, was visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perry, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Preston, of Thealka, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson Monday evening.

Mrs. Obe Hager and daughter Emma, Billy J. Wells and Christine Moran were visiting in Paintsville Sunday.

Raymond Baldrige and Junior Waugh were visiting in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Music was in Prestonsburg on business Monday.

Miss Doris Connors was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mabel Branham, and family at Prestonsburg over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Whatt Freeman have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Link Watson here.

Miss Mildred Robinson, of Newport News, Va., has been visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry have returned home from Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Welcomed back from Baltimore after two years' employment are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Perry, and children.

Miss Georgia Wells, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, here.

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## SALISBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hall and small sons, Clarence and Leonard, of Blue Moon, have gone to Ohio to buy a farm. They also will visit Mrs. Hall's sister-in-law, Mrs. Brig Roberts, of Route Two, Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Roberts, of Greenup.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Halbert have moved to their new home here.

Mrs. Bee Halbert and sister, Miss Ida Roberts, were in Prestonsburg recently.

Marion Roberts, of Printer, visited Mrs. Ticker Roberts at Martin recently.

A letter from Pvt. Herbert Gene Salisbury stated he was o.k., somewhere in England.

Miss Clara Ulmer returned last week from Pennsylvania where she has been visiting her parents and friends.

Mrs. Talmadge Robinson and daughter Dixie were visiting Mrs. Claude Robinson, of Hunter, Sunday.

## HUEYSVILLE

Mrs. O. K. Adams was visiting Mrs. Frank Clark, of Charleston, last week.

Pvt. Chester Neeley is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Florida, and is expected to go overseas soon.

Sgt. Bartee Allen was home last week on furlough for seven days.

Misses Wilma and Erma Gearheart returned to school at Hindman last week.

Miss Vivian Marie Adams was visiting Miss Jo Davis, of Wheelwright, the past week.

Pvt. Herman Allen is now stationed in San Antonio, Texas. His wife resides with her father on Salt Lick.

Alfonzo Patton and Arthur Hicks left Friday for Sandusky, Ohio.

Pfc. Frank Patrick, son of C. D. Patrick, has just arrived home from England.

Hazel Jones is home on a visit from Dayton, O., where she has been in defense work.

T. B. Sutton and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Zach Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Combs and others from Vest passed through here Sunday en route to church on Quicksand and to the baptizing of Wilce Handshoe and others.

Seaman T. J. Gearheart arrived home Sunday from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, where he has completed his "boot" training.

Miss Emmalina Davis and sister, of Wheelwright, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Adams Saturday and Sunday.

Will Gearheart and Roscoe Noble motored to Prestonsburg Sunday.

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On and after this date, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by any person other than myself.  
JAMES D. BRUNK  
7-6-31-pd. Wayland, Ky.

## EMMA

Mrs. Lee Leslie is very ill. Rev. John Laferty has been ill, but is recovering.

The little grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodman, who underwent an operation some time ago at the Beaver Valley hospital, is very ill.

Pvt. John Leslie is home, spending a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Larcy Goble, who has been in the hospital for a few days, has returned home.

Pvt. Arthur Goble is here on a furlough with his wife and other relatives.

Sgt. James O. Gunnell, who has been awarded the Presidential Citation medal, the European theatre medal and the Good Conduct ribbon, is yet somewhere in England. He also has two brothers in the service—Cpl. Walter C. Gunnell, at Kingman, Arizona, in the air corps as a gunner, and his younger brother, Ghlen Gunnell, with the Seabees at Camp Peary, Va., where he has been stationed since August 20, 1943.

Mrs. Charley Branham, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors who visited our father during his illness and offered aid and consolation upon his death. We also thank the Rev. R. P. Crumpler for his consoling words.

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These poultry figures may surprise you as they did us. Electricity made a substantial contribution to this achievement by lengthening the hens' egg production "day" with electric lights in the hen houses, by electric incubator and brooder reduction in chick mortality and production of healthier chicks and by the other electric aids to the modern poultryman. It's a real contribution in these days of help shortage and the need for food conservation.

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### THIS 'N' THAT

By NOBLE HOBBS

As I sit down today, the Fourth of July, to scribble a few thoughts, I do so with mixed emotions, due to the fact that I have been seeing so many of my old friends back from the service.

First to be mentioned is my own brother, Joe Hobbs, who served 14 months with the Tenth Air Force in India, and many were the hours we talked about the strange customs of the people of India as well as other nations he had passed through while traveling across the world. When the full story of this war is told, the people will be forever grateful to the boys who served in the Asiatic theater during the early period of this war.

We had as our guests on one occasion the army in the persons of Tommy (Big Tommy) Dixon and Sgt. Elmer Bowe, and the navy was represented by Ensign Seymour Crumpler. It was very little they talked of the army or the navy. Instead, they utilized their time in happy reminiscences of the days spent in and around Wayland and more especially their school days. All of them wanted to see Boone Hall and see how he was doing in the navy. We think that Boone has a lot to be proud of in the fact that he has trained so many fine young men to go out and face the world and a lot of them are doing all right, too.

Next is George Noe back from the Anzio beachhead whom we talked to very briefly, due to the fact that he was hurrying to see his father who has been very ill. Also William Christopher Crabtree, better known as Bill to his pals, who is on duty with the navy in the Atlantic.

All these boys have grown up and become quite different. It is hard to put down the difference on paper, but it is not hard to see that they are not the same bunch of carefree boys who left us smiling, just a short time ago.

Too, it is pretty hard for me as a civilian to understand the reticence of these boys who, it seems to me, have every right to throw out their chests and do a little bragging. But they never do. We were at the Soda Fountain one day when one of the schoolmates of my brother Joe came up and was admiring the bar that showed he had been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. "Joe," he says, "I know you didn't get that for playing marbles. Just what did they give you that for?" And Joe's answer was, "For staying alive, my boy." Which seems to be a pretty hard job for those boys who actually go to the front.

### HERE FOR WEEK-END

Mrs. J. W. Akers, of Richardson, spent Sunday here, guest of her daughter, Mrs. George D. Brown, and Mr. Brown, of Third avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Brown also had as their guests during the week-end Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Price, of Richardson, Miss Sallie Akers, of Cincinnati, also Dolores Janey Akers, of Cincinnati, a niece of Mrs. Brown.

### IN PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Strahan spent Friday in Pikeville on business.

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U. S. Treasury Department

### Edgar Man Succumbs At Hospital Here

John W. Amburga, of Edgar, died at the Prestonsburg General hospital Thursday, last week, at the age of 74.

A son of the late Thomas and Nancy Wheatley Amburga, he was born on Cow Creek, near here, and had lived at Edgar for 69 years. When a young man he was crippled while working in a timber job and for 40 years had been blind. He had been a member of the Methodist Church for 40 years. He was never married and became ill at the home of Malcolm Ward, of Edgar.

Surviving are one brother and one sister, Thomas M. Amburga, of Edgar, and Mrs. Martha Harold, Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday from the graveside in the Clark cemetery, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Jack Setser officiating, burial being made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

### Magoffin Woman Dies, Heart Disease Victim

Mrs. Alma Crager, 27 years old, wife of Joe Crager, died Friday at her home at Gunlock, Magoffin county. She was a daughter of Kenis Warrick, of the Salt Lick section of Knott county. Surviving are her husband, her father, five children, several brothers and sisters.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the residence, the Rev. A. J. Moore officiating, and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

### IN HINDMAN

B. F. Combs was a business visitor in Hindman Monday.

### WANT-ADS

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**FOR SALE**—6 dining room chairs, good as new. **MRS. N. M. WHITE**, Jr., Phone 6263, City.

### Pianos

Tuned and repaired. **OSCAR R. SEILER**, now at the Auxier hotel. Please phone or leave orders.

**FOR SALE**—1940 deluxe Plymouth coupe. Perfect condition. Radio, etc. **DR. MARVIN RANSDALL**. 1t-pd.

**FOR SALE**—8-room house and lot on Mayo Trail, near Sandy Valley Tire Shop. Gas, water and lights. See **DOKE GRIFFITH** at his jewelry shop in building, or at Lancer, Ky. 7-13-tf.

**RAWLEIGH ROUTE** now open in North Floyd county where products sold 25 years to 3,000 families. Real opportunity for permanent, profitable work. Start promptly. Write **Rawleigh's**, Dept. KYG-213-KA, Freeport, Ill., or see Orlando Brooks, Gen. Del., Paintsville, Ky. 7-13-3t-pd.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### Good News for the Livestock Farmer!

I reckon you've heard how Kentucky brewers are cooperating with the Government in relieving the shortage of high-protein livestock feeds.

From what I hear they plan an annual output of half a million pounds of brewers' dried yeast and 30,000 tons of brewers' dried grains—both highly effective and economical protein supplements.

Brewers' dried yeast, I'm told, contains over 40% protein and is very rich in the vitamin B complex—this latter being especially good for poultry. The dried

### WAC Recruiting Office At Pikeville Closed

The U. S. Army Recruiting Service announced this week that the Pikeville office was closed last week, and the counties of Floyd, Pike, Letcher, Knott, Magoffin, Johnson, Martin, Lawrence and Elliott will be added to the territory of the recruiting office at Ashland. Women desiring to enlist in the Woman's Army Corps will call on Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, Court street, Prestonsburg, for information. This service is sponsored by John Graham chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Two WAC enlistments have been announced for the past week from Floyd county. Miss Barbara Conn, daughter of Harrison Conn, of Osborn, has qualified as an Air WAC and will soon leave for basic training, preparatory to an assignment with the army air forces. Her brother, Opl. Carl W. Conn, is serving with the army overseas. Pvt. Mary L. Wells, a former member of the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corps and a resident of Auxier, has enlisted in the Woman's Army Corps and will leave soon for active duty. Her fiancé is in service overseas.

In Laurel county, the American Legion Auxiliary has set aside a fund to aid in 4-H club work.

Henry Johnson, of Harlan county, picked 40 gallons of strawberries from a tenth of an acre.

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Ronald David Music. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at East Point, Ky. **EUNICE MUSIC**.

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Ferrell Williamson. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Betsy Layne, Ky. **FERRELL WILLIAMSON**.

**LOST**—"E" gasoline stamps, issued to Beecher Moore. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned. **BEECHER MOORE**.

**LOST**—Sugar stamps, issued to Luther Yates. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Blue Moon, Ky. **LAURA YATES**.

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 4, issued to T. N. Brown. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Wayland, Ky. **T. N. BROWN**.

**LOST**—Stove purchase certificate, issued to Mrs. Clarence Wright. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Harold, Ky. **MRS. CLARENCE WRIGHT**.

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Rati Stumbo. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at McDowell, Ky. **RATI STUMBO**.

**LOST**—Guernsey cow, white spots, no horns. Last seen in Mrs. Ticker Roberts' pasture, Martin. \$10 reward. **MRS. J. C. BILLITER**, Martin, Ky. 7-13-4t

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Andrew Crum. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Auxier, Ky. **ANDREW CRUM**.

**LOST**—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Jackie Scott. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Minnie, Ky. **VERNA TUTTLE**.

**LOST**—"T" gasoline coupons Nos. 8269765 to 8269784, issued to Bennie Meadows. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at West Prestonsburg, Ky. **BENNIE MEADOWS**.

**Buy 'em and Keep 'em WAR BONDS**

## Floyd County Goes To War

**AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND STATION** (Somewhere in England)—Sgt. Charles Robert Marshall, husband of Dixie Marshall, of Martin, is now overseas and has participated in a course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and soldiering in an active theater of war. At one of the air service command stations Sgt. Marshall was carefully processed by classification experts who make certain that he was well fitted for the job assigned to him.

**Phm. 3/c Eugene H. Baldrige**, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, of Cliff, recently graduated from the training command field medical school for hospital corpsmen, where he received thorough training in medical field tactics, field sanitation, military first aid, field medical equipment, chemical warfare, military topography and combat concealment. He will be assigned to a marine corps combat unit going into the field. Pharmacist Mate 3/c Baldrige is a graduate of Pikeville Academy and attended Pikeville College for two years where he was a member of the basketball team. Prior to his entering the naval service he was employed by the Cheney Engineering Company.

**Eugene Crisp**, S 2/c, whose father, Seaton Crisp, resides at Wheelwright, is preparing for duty with the amphibious forces aboard an LST—Landing Ship, Tank—one of the biggest ships in the navy's invasion fleet.

**Camp Bradford, Va.**, where he is stationed, is one of a group of bases operated by the Amphibious Training Command of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet along the Eastern seaboard.

Among those graduating from an intensive course of gunner's mate training at recent service school exercises at Great Lakes, Ill., was **Wallace R. Frazier**, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Frazier, of Gearheart. This Bluejacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores.

**Pvt. Estill Stanley**, son of Wm. Stanley, of Naples, Greenup county, but formerly of Floyd county, has been transferred from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to Inf. RTC, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

### Former Floyd Teachers Together in England With 8th Air Force



Sgt. Hall, Sgt. Singleton

**A FIGHTER BASE, 8TH AIR FORCE, SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND**—Sgt. Blaine R. Hall and Sgt. Joe Singleton, former teachers of Floyd and Knott counties, and friends before entering the army, have been in the same squadron over a year and have served in England 12 months. They are crew members of the same squadron, Sgt. Hall being the radio mechanic and Sgt. Singleton the assistant plane mechanic. Both agree—"Our main ambition is to do all we can to get the war over as quickly as possible and get back to the mountains of Kentucky to our wives and babies."

Sgt. Hall's wife is the former Ruth Compton, of Hindman; Sgt. Singleton's, the former Ester Cox, of Lackey.

**Pvt. Charles E. Flanery**, of Martin, is now stationed at the Kearns, Utah, overseas replacement depot. The son of William Isaac Flanery, he has been in the army air forces since Sept. 15, 1942, previously stationed at Craig Field, Selma, Ala.

**Estill Parsons**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Parsons, of Blue Moon, was recently promoted from private to private first class at the Marine Barracks, Charleston Navy Yard, according to Col. Paul A. Capron, commanding officer. Before joining the marines last December, Pfc. Parsons was a gas company employe.

**HEADQUARTERS, PANAMA CANAL DEPARTMENT**, July 1—How to take a Jap village that never saw a Jap, in a jungle which hasn't seen a battle in years will be faced soon by Pvt. Claude Steele, of Floyd county. Complete with booby traps, "enemy soldiers" that jump in and out of most any place, and a defense system like those found in combat areas, the village is built in the murky jungle slush to give the Panama Mobile Force soldier the experience of normal combat conditions in a similar area. Panama mobile force engineers built the village and its siege is one phase of Expert Infantryman badge qualification which Pvt. Steele and other jungle troops run through soon. Steele, son of Mrs. Rebecca Steele, arrived in this area for foreign service in Dec. 1941. He entered the army in March 1941.

**Chester Coburn**, of Lackey, was recently sent from Ft. Thomas to Infantry RTC, Camp Fanning, Texas.

Recent graduation ceremonies at the Naval Training School (aviation) at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill., saw Bluejacket Clyde W. Keathley, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keathley, formerly of this county, now of Wellington, O., receive recognition as eligible to qualify for the petty officer rate of aviation machinist's mate, third class. The graduate was sent to the specialty school on the basis of his recruit training test scores which indicated aeronautical ability.

### ACA Orders 2 Carloads Of Wheat for Feed

The Floyd County ACA announced this week that it has ordered two 1500-bushel cars of feed wheat contracted by Floyd county farmers. More will be ordered as contracted, it was said.

One of the cars is consigned to Prestonsburg for farmer buyers in this section of the county; the other, to Martin.

These shipments were made at a cost to the farmers of \$1.33 per bushel.

In Warren county, 3,200 pounds of bluestone were used in the prevention of wildfire and angular leaf-spot on tobacco.

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# Society Notes

## Leslie-Lee Marriage On June 30 Announced

Mrs. David Banner Leslie, of Emma, announces the marriage of her daughter, Loula Josephine, to Mr. F. Robert Lee, on Friday, June 30, at Trenton, New Jersey. The bride, a former Floyd county teacher, has been with the U. S. Tariff Commission for the last few years. She was graduated from Paintsville high school and Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will reside in Trenton.

## Former Floyd Couple Wed at Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stewart, of Ligon, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Earlene, to S/Sgt. George L. Evans, son of Mrs. Alma Evans, Seoba, Miss., which took place June 23 in the First Baptist Church, Boston, Massachusetts. The bride is a graduate of Wheelwright high school and attended Morehead State Teachers College. Before her marriage she was employed in the office of the Huntington Precision plant. The groom is a graduate of Bowling Green School of Commerce. He was assistant superintendent of mines for the Clear Branch Mining Company, Ligon, prior to his induction into service. They are now stationed and living at Presque Isle, Maine, where S/Sgt. Evans is in the ordnance department of aviation.

## RETURNS HOME

Miss Betty Jean May has returned home from Ashland, where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Patrick for the past week.

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## BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

Mrs. Richard Feiler was hostess to members of the Baptist Missionary Society Tuesday evening at her home on Riverside avenue. The president, Mrs. Woodrow Burchett, presided. Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. E. P. Hill. At the business session plans were made for the annual picnic which will be held at the home of Mrs. E. P. Hill. Announcement of date will be made later. The program leader was Mrs. J. R. Hurt who presented the topic, "Work in Islands of the Pacific." Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. A. D. Corbett, Miss Anna Martin, Mrs. Olga M. Latta, Mesdames W. W. Burchett, E. P. Hill, J. R. Hurt, A. J. Davidson, Marvin Ransdell, John Hale, Grover Lowe, John W. Caudill, Richard Feiler.

## ENTERTAIN DINNER GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor entertained to dinner Saturday evening, having as their guests Mrs. B. P. Friend, Mrs. J. M. Weddington and Miss Minerva Friend.

## GUEST FROM ASHLAND

Mrs. George Hereford, of Ashland, was the dinner guest Thursday, last week, of Mrs. B. P. Friend and daughter, Miss Minerva.

## GUESTS OF MRS. FRIEND

Sunday guests of Mrs. B. P. Friend here were Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Rex Gearheart and daughter, Judith Alice, of West Prestonsburg, Miss Jean Orndoff and Dewey Allen, Richmond, W. Va.

## HERE FROM LOUISA

Diana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rankin, Louisa, is the guest here this week of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Rankin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lockwood.

## GUEST OF MOTHER

Mrs. Agnes H Bowers, of Baltimore, Md., was here last week, the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. C. Harris.

## MISS STEPHENS ENTERTAINS

Miss Sarah Clay Stephens entertained her bridge club last Thursday evening. Prizes were awarded Miss Betty Jean May, high score, and Eloise Williams, second. Refreshments were served to Misses Patty Rimmer, Betty Jean May, Winifred Sturgill, Alice Gray Burke, Eloise Williams, Vivian Caudill, Dorothy Sue Allen and Jane Hamilton Clarke.

## HOMEMAKERS' CLUBS MEET

Representatives from the David, Betsy Layne and Martin Homemakers' Clubs met July 11 with Miss Florence Hurt, home furnishings specialist, University of Kentucky, and Miss Frances Amburgy Floyd Home Demonstration Agent, for a planning meeting. They spent the day planning work to be done during September, October and November in the Homemakers' Clubs of Floyd county on phases of home furnishings. Those present were Mrs. Otis Bussey, David; Mrs. Clyde Stapleton, Martin; Mrs. C. R. Marshall, Martin; and Mrs. Delmon Howard, Betsy Layne.

## GOES TO DETROIT

Henry Howard left Sunday, returning to Detroit after spending the last few weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Howard.

## HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pfc. Henry C. Green, of Myrtle Beach, S.C., is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Green, of West Prestonsburg.

## VACATIONING IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Clarence Crisp and Miss Martella Benley are spending their vacations at Radford, Va., and other points of interest.

## HERE SATURDAY

Joe Dingus, of East Point, was here Saturday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus.

## VISIT RELATIVES

Mrs. Lyda R. Cottrell and Mrs. Joe Hobson visited relatives at Inez last week.

## RETURNS FROM CHICAGO

Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Jr., has returned from Chicago where she visited her husband, who is stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

### RUTH HUNT CANDY PICTURES JEWELRY FLOWERS

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## Miss Branham, Mr. Breehne Wed at Madisonville, O.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Madisonville, O., was the scene at 2:30 p.m., July 1, of the wedding of Miss Southa K. Branham, daughter of Mrs. Mabel Branham, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Albert A. Breehne, of Cincinnati, O. The Rev. Lipton, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony. The bride wore a navy blue two-piece crepe street dress, trimmed with light blue frill, a half hat of light blue straw and white accessories. Her corsage was of yellow roses. Miss Shirlene Branham, maid of honor, wore a dress of pink butcher linen trimmed with white embroidered pique, and a small hat of crocheted straw. Her corsage was of white gardenias. Carl Hildebrand, of Covington, Ky., was best man. A reception followed at the bride and groom's home in Fairfax, O. After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Breehne will make their home at Fairfax.

## HONORS MISS GRUESER

Miss Leathia Grueser, of Parkersburg, W. Va., was honored at a Shanghai rummy party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Osborne. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Osborne and Miss Anna Martin. Top scores were reached by Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, while Mrs. Marvin Ransdell and Dr. A. J. Davidson held second high scores. Miss Grueser was presented a guest prize. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Spradlin, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Judge and Mrs. E. P. Hill, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hurt, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mrs. Olga M. Latta, Miss Vivian Hatcher, Mrs. Robert Francis, Mrs. Ethel Heinze, Mrs. Lyda Preston, Mrs. Mae Kendrick, Mrs. Ben Stansifer, Mrs. J. S. Kelly, Mrs. J. G. Porter, Dr. W. J. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Feiler.

## CELEBRATES BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

Charles Wiechers, Jr., entertained a number of his friends at his home on Richmond street recently, the occasion being his fifth birth anniversary. Games were enjoyed thru the evening, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Linda Sue Stephens, Angelina Redford, Dorothy and Beth Bowling, Alice Joyce Akin, Paintsville, Martha Katherine Greenwade, Gary Pennington, Gary Dale and Johnnie Hale Thompson, Jimmie E. Harris, John Ellis Branham, William Gerwin Spradlin, Donald and Bill Jim Compton, Johnnie and Donald Redford, Ronald Gene Goble, Billie and Buddie Akin, of Paintsville, Jeep and Buddie Alexander, Fred Harris Francis.

## HERE FROM AUXIER

Miss Doris Connors, of Auxier, was the week-end guest of Miss Sarah Fay Branham.

## HOME FROM BEREA

Miss Margerilla Branham returned home from Berea College last week. Before returning home she visited her sisters in Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio.

## HERE ON BUSINESS

Walter Martin, of Wayland, was here on business Friday.

## HERE FROM INDIANA

Oran Allen, of Warsaw, Ind., was a visitor here Friday. He has been spending his vacation with relatives in the county.

## HERE FROM SILOAM, KY.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Newberry, of Siloam, Ky., were guests here last week of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Taylor.

## CONTRIBUTIONS COMING IN

Contributions towards filling "Buddy Bags" for soldiers overseas and injured soldiers returning from the battlefields started coming in this week. Can you overlook the injuries of boys who have bled and suffered for you? Any amount is acceptable. If you prefer to buy your own merchandise, the cost will be about \$2.50 to fill one bag. The committee wants to ship 50 next week. Contact Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards, at Prestonsburg.

## HOME ON FURLOUGH

Sgt. J. L. Dotson, of the army air forces, Kelly Field, Texas, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dotson, West Prestonsburg.

## CONCLUDES VISIT

Miss Letha Grueser, who has been the houseguest of her uncle, Richard Feiler, and Mrs. Feiler, has returned to her home in Parkersburg, W. Va. She was entertained extensively while here.

## RETURNS TO POST

Pvt Karl Oppenheimer left this week, returning to Camp Cook, Calif., after spending his furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Oppenheimer.

## RANSDELLS ENTERTAIN

Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell entertained to dinner Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Richard Feiler and guest, Miss Leathia Grueser, and Miss Anna Martin.

## GUEST OF DAVIDSONS

Garland Rice, of Paintsville, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson Sunday. Mrs. Rice will return to her home in Paintsville next week from an extended visit with her father, E. E. Auxier, in Dawson, Nebraska.

## WEEK-END VISITORS

Mrs. Paul C. Combs and mother, Mrs. Nell Turpin, of Irvine, Ky., and brother, Sgt. Charles Turpin, Pensacola, Florida, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs. Mrs. Turpin and Sgt. Turpin left Monday. Mrs. Combs remained for an extended visit.

## Floyd County Girl Weds At Seattle, Washington

Mrs. R. J. Roberts, of Osborn, announces the marriage of her daughter, Faustina Fern, to Mr. Mark Cecil Paints, of Logan, Utah, and Seattle, Washington. The wedding took place June 10 in Seattle. Mrs. Paints attended the Berea College Academy and was graduated from the University of Kentucky. Mr. Paints, a graduate of Utah State College, is an engineer at the Boeing Aircraft Company, Seattle. After spending their honeymoon in Victoria, British Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Paints returned to Seattle where they will reside.

## VISITING SON

Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick left last week for Columbia, S.C., where she will visit her son, Lt. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Jr., is recovering from a recent illness.

## SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Claude P. Stephens was here from Lexington the latter part of the week, attending to business and visiting his family.

## HERE LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Van Petten were here last week, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Archer.

## JOINS HUSBAND

Mrs. Ralph Archer and daughters, who were here last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Archer, have gone to Amarillo, Texas, where they will join Pvt. Archer.

## ATTEND BIRTHDAY DINNER

Among the relatives from Prestonsburg who attended the birthday dinner of Mrs. Minerva Holbrook Sunday evening at her home on Middle Creek were Mrs. Judith Friend, Miss Minerva Friend, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mrs. Sallie Clarke, Sallie Gatewood Clarke, Mrs. Sam L. Spradlin, William Arnold Spradlin, Mrs. Madge Hensley, Mrs. E. P. Arnold.

## VISITING SISTERS

Mrs. Elizabeth Goble left Monday for a visit with her two sisters in Russell. The elder sister, who reached her 89th birthday Tuesday will celebrate her birthday with her two sisters whose ages are 84 and 80.

## ENTERTAIN TO DINNER-BRIDGE

Mesdames Tom James, Claude P. Stephens and M. J. Leete were hostesses Friday evening to a dinner-bridge at the Auxier hotel. The guest list included Mesdames E. P. Arnold, Olga M. Latta, Leroy Combs, J. D. Harkins, Jr., W. S. Harkins, Jr., Joseph D. Harkins, E. R. Burke, E. H. Sowards, Lon S. Moles, W. C. Rimmer, C. L. Hutsinpiller, J. R. Hurt, Herbert Salisbury, Winnie F. Johns, N. M. White, Jr., J. W. Howard, W. H. Jones, C. W. May, B. F. Combs, A. B. Combs, B. P. Friend, Ethel G. Heinze, Newton L. May, Misses Mary Elizabeth Powers, Minerva Friend, Ella Noel White. Bridge trophies were awarded to Mrs. Ethel G. Heinze and Miss Mary Elizabeth Powers.

## ATTENDING SUMMER CONFERENCE

Misses Ethel Clark, Sylvia Helen Davis, Betty Davis and Jane Davis are attending the Presbyterian summer conference at Pikeville College. Active members of the Presbyterian Sunday School here, they are receiving special instruction for Junior work.

## IN LEXINGTON

Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin and daughter, Lyda Margaret, were called to Lexington Thursday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Ridda Findlayson, who suffered a heart attack Wednesday. Her condition is little changed this week.

## HERE FROM WILLIAMSON

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dingus and daughter, Mary Jo, of Williamson, W. Va., were here, Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus.

## GUESTS OF PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. William Patton and little daughter arrived last week from Logan, W. Va., for a visit with their parents, Jailer and Mrs. Guy Horn and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patton.

## RETURN FROM CALIFORNIA

Fire Chief Arthur Blackburn and Johnny Ellis returned last week from San Francisco, Calif., where they visited Mr. Blackburn's son, Adrian Blackburn, who had just arrived in port from sea duty.

## IN FRANKFORT

Prof. Ishmael Triplett, superintendent of city schools, is in Frankfort in the interest of textbooks for the local schools.

## RETURN FROM CINCINNATI

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May and William James have returned from a short vacation in Cincinnati.

## ACCEPTS PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE POSITION

Miss Elizabeth Harris, registered nurse, has accepted a position with the Floyd County Health Department.

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#### SHOPPERS FROM NORTHERN

Mrs. Harry Cooley and daughter, Miss Blanche Cooley, were here Monday from Northern, shopping.

#### KANSAS IS VISITOR

Mrs. Linda Osborne Graham, of Topeka, Kansas, is here visiting Mrs. J. M. Weddington and relatives near here.

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**GEARHEART**

A large crowd attended church at the Pilgrim Rest church Sunday. Mrs. Rhoda Osborne was visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.  
Church services were conducted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Little Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gayheart and baby daughter are visiting his mother and sister here this week. He has been in the army seven years.  
Mr. and Mrs. Curt McCown are visiting his sister, Mrs. Willie Spears, and Mr. Spears.

**MARTIN**

Little Phyllis Ann Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright, of Betsy Layne, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Martin General hospital Friday.  
Miss Stella Mae Miller, of Drift, is the houseguest of Miss Charlene Wilson this week.  
Mrs. Edna Key and Mrs. Narcissus Turnley are visiting relatives in Louisville and vicinity this week.  
Mrs. Pate West, the former Miss Martha Roberts, arrived home Wednesday from El Paso, Texas, for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Roberts. Her husband, Lieut. West, is stationed in Ft. Benning, Georgia.  
Sumpter Tackett, Jr., of the merchant marine, is enjoying a leave with his father here. He spent five days in Baltimore, Md., en route home. He was in Italy prior to his leave.  
Mrs. Della Owens of Hindman, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Edna Key and Mrs. Narcissus Turnley, here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Estill Smith and children have returned to Detroit, Mich., after spending a week's vacation in Martin and Hindman. Miss Elizabeth Spurlock accompanied them home to be their guest for several days.  
Misses Betty Lou Keathley and Johnnie B. Stephens spent part of the Fourth of July in Allen.  
Seaman Rudolph Dingus, grandson of Mrs. Sydney Dingus, has completed special training in Toledo, Ohio, and has been transferred to Jacksonville, Fla., for further duty.  
Mrs. Martha West left for Detroit, Mich., Saturday afternoon to spend a week with her sisters, Mary, Lucille and Rebecca Roberts, and brothers, John and Bill Roberts. She was accompanied by her small niece, Phyllis Roberts, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Roberts, for a few weeks.  
The following girls have spent a week's outing at a girl's camp in Pike county: Willistine Halstead, Georgiann Adams, Phyllis Hinkle, Kathleen Qualls.  
Kin Hill returned to Detroit Saturday after spending a week's vacation with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill.  
W. D. Dingus is spending a week at home with his family. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dingus, his wife and son, Wayne Damron, met him in Morehead on his way home from Louisville.  
Bill Price is a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital here.

**CLIFF**

Miss Goldia Skeans has spent a week with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, near Prestonsburg.  
Mrs. Della Jackson has returned to her home in Medaryville, Indiana, after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill. She was accompanied by her step-daughter, Mrs. Lillian Ward, of Paintsville.  
Mrs. Dock Pack has spent a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pack, of Garrett.  
Mrs. S. S. Sweet and Miss Rosemary Billter were shopping in Ashland this week.  
Little Harry Gene Preflatish and Jack Ward are the C. & O.'s youngest employees. For several days they have been assisting W. E. Dingus, ticket agent, in his work. They aren't on the payroll yet, but have hopes.  
Seaman Roy Denny, of McDowell, was visiting Mrs. Lizzie Hill and Mrs. Florence Crisp while home on leave.  
Mrs. Gladys Deaton and son, of Jackson, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Tackett, this week. Mrs. Deaton's husband is in the armed forces.  
Mrs. Brodie Duke is spending a week with her parents and other relatives in Hindman.  
Mrs. Lawrence Maggard and children, Mrs. Theo Frazier and children passed through Martin Friday en route from Detroit to their home in Wheelwright. They have been visiting in Detroit for a week.  
Jo Ann Spencer and sister, Jean, of Martin, and Miss Rosemary Crisp, of Kenova, W. Va., were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Florence Crisp, this week.  
Mrs. Mary Johns, of Eastern, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sydney Dingus.  
Mrs. Hillard Smith, of Hindman, and Mrs. Rebecca Cornett, of Stanford, Ky., were visiting their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis, Saturday.  
G. B. Dingus left Saturday for Clifton Forge, Va., for a minor operation in the C. & O. hospital.  
Rev. Joseph Wimmers, of Paintsville, was the overnight guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Faulkner. Sunday morning he conducted mass, later going to Wayland for the same purpose.  
Pvt. and Mrs. Bill Allen's baby son has been taking treatment in St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington. He was able to be brought home and is improved.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Billter assumed charge of the Adams restaurant this week.  
"Uncle" Henry Maggard is now residing with his daughter, Mrs. Laura Frazier, of Cracker.  
Paul Billter and James Whatley, of Pikeville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Billter recently.  
Mrs. E. P. Grigsby is visiting her husband, Seaman Grigsby, in Norfolk, Virginia, this week.  
Mrs. Ralph Curnutte and little granddaughter, Peggy Jean Reynolds, were visiting relatives in Garrett Sunday.  
Treva Williams, of near Pikeville, is the houseguest of Mrs. Haskell Frye, Jr., this week.  
Ray Flanery, who was discharged from the army recently, has gone to Michigan to work with his brother, Burr, who has been there for several months.  
Sgt. John Paul Johns was visiting friends in Martin during his recent furlough home. His home is at Betsy Layne.  
Mrs. W. D. Crisp spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Osborne, of Hite.  
It has been discussed in the Bible class why we are not making bandages in Martin. We don't have the material but we do have the women who will work. We need a place to organize and to do our part in the war effort. Several places have been offered for the ladies to work in, and they are very anxious to begin when they can obtain the material.  
Miss Oneida Stumbo, of McDowell, was the overnight guest of Miss Magdalene Branham Tuesday night.  
Miss Violet Turner was the overnight guest of Miss Joy Francis Tuesday night.  
David Marrs attended a Masonic lodge meeting at Pikeville this week.  
Jay Warren Preston, of the submarine division, is home to spend his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Preston.  
The Martin Homemakers met in the Ladies' Aid workroom July 5. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. T. J. Allen. Roll call was answered by Mrs. Tina Allen, Mrs. T. J. Allen, Mrs. Ben Norris, Mrs. C. F. Stapleton, Mrs. Walter Perry, Mrs. Charlie Marshall, Mrs. Owen Babb, Mrs. J. A. Arrington, Mrs. Mary Francis, Mrs. June Setser, Mrs. Chris Straub. A lesson on Landscape Study was given by Mrs. Chris Straub. Mrs. Norris and Mrs. Stapleton made interesting reports on the Whitesburg meeting. A visitor was Miss Meredith, Pike county Home Demonstration agent. Miss Amburgy demonstrated canning tomatoes by hot water bath and carrots and beans by the pressure cooker method. One or two representatives from the club were asked to attend the meeting at Prestonsburg July 11, to help plan what to do in the study in home-furnishing. The next meeting will be held August 2.

**WHEELWRIGHT**

Mrs. Dan Autore and Miss Elva Jones accompanied their mother, Mrs. Roxie Jones, to California to see her son who is stationed there with the marines.  
Geraldine Faine and Billie Collier spent the week-end in Fleming.  
Ruth Ann Crites and Anna Lee Blair spent the week-end at Mayking.  
Mrs. J. W. Ratliff has returned to her home at Lancer after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tate Hartsook.  
Miss Hazel Hughes visited Mrs. Sola Blackburn at Prestonsburg last week.  
Service men seen around town on furloughs: Jimmie Hughes, Charles Baker and Frank Branham.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose spent the week-end in Prestonsburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tate Hartsook have returned home after spending a week in Newport News, Virginia.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob O'Leary were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike O'Leary, here. Mr. O'Leary is stationed with the army in Georgia.  
We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Roberta Ferguson Scutchfield in the loss of her husband, Orville Scutchfield, who was killed in action in the invasion of France.  
Miss Rosalee Hopkins and Mrs. Christine Holmes visited their sister, Wanda, who is seriously ill in the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.  
Estill Goble spent last week in Madison, Indiana, on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parsons have returned home after spending a week in Tennessee.  
A birthday party was given at the Community Hall June 29 in honor of Miss Patsy June Morrison. Games music and dancing were enjoyed. Among those attending were Mary Sue Campbell, Kathleen Doll, Margie Jones, Bruce Daniels, Bobby Johnson, Jimmie Smith, Billie Imajean Harmon, Mrs. Warn Stanley, all of Weeksbury; Edd Allen, of Pikeville; Betty Jean Moscrip, Fayette and Mary King, Clarabelle Blackburn, Betty Jane Griffith, Helen Conley, Marlene and Mary Lee Dill, Corinne Osborne, Vinis and Holline Hall, Nellie Johnson, Peggy and Joan Lemaster, Eddie and Elmo Johnson, Verla Waddles, Carlon and Jim McKinney, Anna Lou Rorer, Wanetta Stumbo, Donald and Billie Holmes, Jimmie Sexton, Bobby Wilson, Dawson Curry, Orrodel and Ramon Ray, Betty Joe Chandler, Roberta Hall, Oscar Bradford, Glenda Jean Hicks, Joyce Jones, Palma Ella Vickers, Ruth and Audra Pack, Hubert Vickers, Russell Osborne, all of Wheelwright. Sponsors of the party were Mrs. Dewey McKnight, Mrs. Eugene Harmon, Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Ellis Morrison.

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**MAYTOWN**

Mrs. Max Smith, of Harlan, and Mrs. Carlos Reed, of Salyersville, are spending several days with their brother, Thomas Patrick, and family here.  
Mrs. Jones Tallent and son Billie have arrived to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Viola Stewart.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jones and sons, Wendell and Tommy, spent several days last week in Cincinnati.  
Miss Peggy Jo Allen arrived home Thursday after spending two weeks in Ashland, the guest of friends.  
S/Sgt. Allen Patton, Jr., has arrived home on furlough from Bergstrom Field, Austin, Texas, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patton.  
Miss Marjle Patton, Mrs. Eva Newland, Mrs. Jimmie Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope, of Zionsville, Indiana, were called home by the illness of their father, Allen Patton. Mr. Patton's condition has improved.  
Mrs. Elva Ratliff and daughter, Frankie, of Zionsville, Indiana, are visiting Mrs. Ratliff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. May, and family.  
Mrs. Jones Tallent and Miss Joyce Stewart Tuesday accompanied Miss Beryl Stewart to Pikeville where she is attending summer school.  
Miss Joyce Stewart was shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.  
Mrs. John May has returned from the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., where she received treatment.  
Rev. H. L. Clay, district superintendent of the Ashland district, Methodist Church, held the quarterly meeting here Sunday. He was entertained by the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn.  
Ben Webb, S. S. Mayo and Jim Flanery, of Allen, were here Sunday to attend the Methodist quarterly meeting.  
Mrs. J. H. Allen, Miss Peggy Jo Allen, Mrs. B. W. Baker and Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Allen and family were visiting Miss Harriet Allen in Hindman Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton left Monday for Buchanan, where they will visit Mr. Sutton's father and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Laferty, of Ashland, spent Thursday night, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Hayes, on Turkey Creek.  
Mrs. Viola Stewart was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Friday.  
Several from Maytown visited the teachers' workshop at Prestonsburg last Thursday.

**HAROLD**

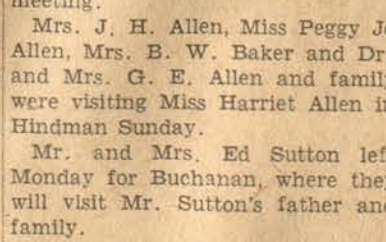
Pvt. Wall Hamilton is home visiting his wife, the former Olna Sturgill.  
Sgts. Woodrow and Rufus Hamilton are home visiting their brother, Mervyn, who is very ill. The latter left the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Sunday.  
Ralph Hamilton, of North Carolina, is here visiting friends and relatives before entering the armed forces.  
Buster Moore, Pete Younce and Don Wright went on a camping trip last week.  
Miss Emma Jean Hartley has returned home from Louisa and Fallsburg.  
Mrs. T. T. Webb has returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Spradlin, Prestonsburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Webb and children, of Kamlong, W. Va., are visiting his mother, Mrs. T. T. Webb.

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ALLEN

John Harry left Tuesday for home in Philadelphia after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Osborne. She was accompan-

ed by her niece, Miss Jo Ann Young, who will be her guest for the next two months.

Pvt. Ray Crisp, of Camp Shelby, Miss., spent Friday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp. He was met in Louisville by Mr. and Mrs. Crisp and his niece, Miss Betty Lou Crisp.

Pvt. Virgil Porter arrived here Thursday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Raymond Call, of Pikeville, was visiting here Saturday afternoon.

Cpl. Earl P. Crisp left Friday for Camp Beale, Calif., after several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Crisp.

Mrs. Everett Tackett and baby daughter, Judith Carol, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Robinette, of Pikeville, were visiting here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty entertained with an ice cream supper at their home Tuesday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Laferty and daughter Klora, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and sons, Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delano, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty and son, Bennie Lynwood, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Crisp, Misses Malinda and Josie Laferty, Cpl. Earl P. Laferty and Master Raymond Kinzer.

Mrs. Nancy Scalf and son, Donald Ray, were visitors in Ashland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gerlach have as their houseguests Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Girard and daughters, Joyce and Wanda Lee, of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Maxine Martin was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Homer Baldrige and Denny Baldrige left last week for Russell,

where they will be employed by the C. & O. Railway Company.

Mrs. Sallie Bentley, of Johns Creek, spent last week here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb, Mrs. Olive Martin and children were in Circleville, O., last week.

The Baptist girls' camp of Enterprise Association was held near Elkhorn City July 3-7 and was a wonderful week, so declared the 47 girls in attendance, their group counsellor and all the faculty. Those in attendance from Floyd county were: from Allen—Miss Annie Allen, group counsellor, Kathryn Grace Porter, Mary Westfall, Rose Marie Martin, Viola Baldrige, Claire Lillian Rose; from Prestonsburg—Patricia Sue Goble, Martha Greenwade; from Martin—Kathleen Qualls, Georgianne Adams, Williston Halstead, Phyllis Jean Hinkle, Garrett—Kathleen Fields; Lackey—Peggy Joyce Roark, Colleen Moore; Banner—Phyllis Ann Moore. One of the features of the camp was the presence of Miss Flora Dodson, who with 3,000 others suffered internment in a Japanese concentration camp for nine months. Her daily message at morning watch and again at mission hour were inspiring. Another special feature enjoyed by the girls was the winning of points daily, as follows: personal record, games, races, swimming races, sword drills (with Bible), an essay on "The Kind of a Christian I Want to Be," 25 scriptures on sin, 25 on the Holy Spirit. Those from Floyd county who received awards for some of these points were Kathleen Grace Porter (who was also high point winner for the whole camp as well as receiving an award for the best essay), Mary Westfall, Viola Baldrige, Rose Marie Martin, Phyllis Hinkle, Phyllis Ann Moore, Patricia Sue Goble, Georgianne Adams. On Wednesday the girls were taken by truck to a point near the Tower, about 12 miles from camp where they were served breakfast.

The Baptist boys' camp for Enterprise Association began near Elkhorn City July 10, to continue till noon July 14. Nearly 50 boys, perhaps more, are now registered.

Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. S. Rose, Henry Porter and Clarence Salyers, of Allen Baptist Church, drove to Flat Gap, Johnson county, to take part in the ordination of the Rev. Pack.

Mrs. George Auxier has been quite ill the past week but she is now much better and was able to attend church Sunday.

NOTICE

Heretofore I have been able to send drivers' license blanks to various communities for the convenience of motorists. Now, however, I am instructed that all licenses must be issued in order of their consecutive numbers, and this will prevent me from sending blanks out of the office. You may, however, save time and the trouble of making a trip to Prestonsburg to renew your driver's license by mailing me your old license, the fee of \$1 and a stamped envelope; then I will get your new license back to you at once.

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James W. Hammond, Paintsville, former state reformatory warden, has resigned as state director of corrections to go into private business effective July 15. Hammond, a Democrat appointed warden by former Governor A. B. Chandler and stepped up June 1 by Wel are Commissioner Simeon Willis' Republican administration, will join the Garver Drilling Company, of Lexington, and make his headquarters in Ashland. The company with which he will be connected has been active in Floyd and other counties of this section for years.

Both the commissioner and Hammond declared criticism by many Republicans of Hammond's recent promotion had nothing to do with his leaving his new post.

"I'm going of my own accord," Hammond declared, "back to a field where I had 15 years' experience—oil and gas well drilling. I worked in that and oil and gas supplies for years, and I have a fine opportunity there."

Commissioner Everett said Hammond has programs at the state correctional institutions so well started that he would not fill the vacancy created by his resignation.

LACKEY

Mrs. Sam Terry and Miss Nora Terry are visiting Mrs. Terry's daughter, Mrs. W. M. Cook, of Marytown, W. Va.

Miss Beatrice Terry and Mr. Bradley Boyd, of Lackey, were married in Paintsville Saturday, July 1, by the Rev. Alonzo Reed, of Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Boyd were hosts to a wedding dinner last Sunday for their son, Bradley Boyd, and his bride, the former Miss Beatrice Terry.

Pfc. Joey Terry is somewhere overseas.

Grandfather Receives Purple Heart Awarded Vaughan Posthumously

W. J. Vaughan, Prestonsburg, has received the Purple Heart awarded posthumously to his grandson, Pfc. Douglas Vaughan, who was lost in the sinking of an American ship in the Mediterranean Nov. 26, last.

A letter from Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson to Mr. Vaughan reads, in part:

BETSY LAYNE

Ladies who participated in sewing for the Red Cross last week were Mesdames Erie Hall, A. M. Boyd, Eliza Blackburn, John Coleman, Dockie and Angelyn George, Anna Williamson and Miss Eulevne Boyd. Pvt. John Paul Johns is spending his furlough with his parents. He is stationed in Alexandria, Louisiana.

Pvt. Willard Boyd, of Camp Pickett, Va., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. T. J. Chandler was a caller here last Wednesday.

The Girl Scout troop hiked to Boldman Thursday afternoon and wrapped surgical dressings, afterwards enjoying a picnic supper and swimming.

Mrs. Minnie Woods, of Pikeville, spent the week-end visiting her daughter.

Friends of Pvt. Hershell Harrison are sorry to learn that he has been seriously wounded in battle in India.

Mrs. William Parsley was called away Saturday to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Friends are glad that "Aunt" Hatlie Jones is improving after suffering from a carbuncle for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Howard entertained with a lawn supper Thursday honoring their son Gene on his 14th birthday. Guests enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Farley and daughters, Russell Howard and Lon Edward Roberts.

Principal D. W. Howard and W. D. Steele have begun their duties in supervision of rural schools.

Mrs. Frank Caldwell and daughter visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Stanley, last week-end.

The Girl Scouts are having a "pot luck" supper at the school building this week.

Mrs. Lon Roberts shopped in Pikeville Sunday.

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cemetery at Bosco under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Funeral of Chaffins was conducted in Knott county and burial was made in the family cemetery at Mousie, the Ryan Funeral Home directing. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calloway Chaffins, of Mousie, three children, James E., Ruth and Jack, and three brothers, Vallis Chaffins, Garrett, John of Mousie and Coretis, of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

GUEST OF HARLOWES

Mrs. Florence Hill arrived last week from Clarksburg, W. Va., for a visit with Rev. and Ms. A. C. Harlowe.

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WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY-

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To leave July 17 for pre-induction examinations are:

George Robinson, David; James Russell Rice, East Point; Cecil Hurley Watson, Betsy Layne; George Prater, Prestonsburg, now of Eorse, Mich.; Oscar King, Osborn, now of Towson, Md.; Ernest Hatfield, Lanacet; Lee Willen Lother, East Point; Richard Bowling, Auxier; James Dillion, Ivel; Billie Christopher Goble, Endicott, now of Prestonsburg; Donald Hicks, Goodloe; Mathew Samuel Baldrige, Amba, now of Braeholm, W.Va.; Albert Blevins, Auxier; Herman Laster Crisp, Allen; Clifford Faxon Baldrige, East Point; Charles Walker Clifton, Dwale; Dee Branham, Sloan; Don Edward Wright, Harold; Fredrick Alfred Munson, Lancer; James Edward Delong, Edgar.

Omar Hall, Galveston; John B. Clark, Harold; James Ray Hall, Auxier; Sanford Stone, Goodloe; Jeffery James Damron, Prestonsburg, now of Russell; Allen De-ward Moore, Harold; Billy Gordon Sargent, Betsy Layne, now of Freeburn; Howard Edward Clay, Allen; William Lloyd Clark, Auxier; George Freeman, Auxier; Mennis Hamilton, Teaberry, now of Lafayette, O.; Randall F. Dials, Lancer; Melvin Adams, Teaberry; Burnis Bradford, Myrtle; William Shepherd, Pyramid; Ben Curtis Sturgill, Cliff; Delmer Jones, Grethel, transferred from Pocatello, Idaho; Albert Collins, Regina, Ky., transferred from Martin; John R. Hyden, Prestonsburg, transferred from Newport News, Va.

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during his 27 months in service he spent 25 months in the Pacific.

Mrs. Hazel Amburgey received a notice from the War Department that her son, Pfc. Conley Kidd, who was with the Fifth Army in Italy, is missing in action. Before entering the service, Kidd was employed at Flat Rock, Michigan.

S/Sgt. William H. Hopper, 25, son of Jess Hopper, Topmost, formerly of Estill, has been missing in action in Italy since June 4. He has been overseas with an armored division since September, 1942, and has participated in three major battles. He received the Silver Star for gallantry in action in Italy. Sgt. Hopper entered the army in December, 1941.

Floyd county boys held by Germany as prisoners of war whose names were recently announced are S/Sgt. Bill Conn, son of Melvin Conn, Printer, and Pvt. Hilbert Mullins, son of Mrs. Mamie Mullins, Bevinville.

Six Floyd youths have been reported wounded in action.

Pfc. Everett Tackett, 21, in a letter to his wife, Mrs. Emogene Tackett, Allen, written aboard a hospital ship and dated June 26, told of receiving a back wound from shrapnel in the Marshall Islands, presumably on Saipan with the Marines. He said he was wounded at 5:30 p.m., June 18. A son of Sumpter Tackett, C. & O. brakeman, Martin, and Mrs. Fannie Smallwood, Bypro, he graduated from Martin high school and prior to entering the service Oct. 20, 1942, he was employed at a filling station in Martin. He has a brother, Sumpter Tackett, Jr., in the merchant marine service.

T. Noble Frady, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Frady, Wayland, has been wounded in Italy, according to information received by his parents. He received the Purple Heart, and is back in this country after 23 months in Africa and Italy with the first tank destroyer battalion to enter North Africa.

Riding in a half-track, Corporal Frady was among the first in his organization to hit the beach at Oran and among the first American soldiers to capture an airfield near the town. He narrowly escaped death one night when he was sleeping in a foxhole and a jeep rolled into the hole and stopped with one of its wheels on his neck. He also was wounded when enemy planes

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What a misplaced letter will, or won't, do!

Phil Glanzer, in Graphic Arts, recently listed a few of these editorial nightmares. They follow:

When on the death of President McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt succeeded to the high office, a New York editor desired to contrast the event with a recent event in Europe. But the compositor, coming to the word "oath" in the manuscript, struck a wrong key and the sentence appeared: "For sheer democratic dignity, nothing could exceed the moment when, surrounded by the Cabinet, Mr. Roosevelt took his simple bath as President of the United States."

Typesetters also omit letters. A Des Moines newspaper once reported of Mr. Witter Bynner, the poet, that he had been "the pot of the evening." Mr. Bynner took it graciously, remarking: "They probably thought it was a recital of chamber music."

Then there is the almost classical story about Bret Harte when he was a very young editor. He wrote the obituary notice of a most respectable lady, closing with: "above all ladies of this town, she was distinguished for her charity."

This came back from the press-room: "distinguished for her chastity." Instead of making the correction, he merely put a mark of query on the margin of the proof, with this result: "Mrs. McGilligan, above all ladies of this town, was distinguished for her chastity (?)".

Certain words are a standing peril to typesetters. A collision between a train and a cow, reported in a newspaper, ended with the remark that the engineer "putting on full steam, dashed up against the cow and literally cut her into calves." An unfortunate impression was given when a newspaper, reporting a wedding with a double quartet of bridesmaids, said: "The bride was accompanied to the altar by tight bridesmaids." The word window has harassed the editors of all English-speaking countries, but it was nevertheless astonishing to find "House & Garden" remarking casually: "Nothing gives a greater variety to the appearance of a house than a few undraped widows."

MORE OF SAME Mr. Glanzer apparently charitably chose to forget the headline one of the big Washington dailies startled the capital with not long

bombed and strafed his organization near Tunisia.

Pvt. Alex Bradley, of Dock, son of Mrs. Polly Bradley and the late Fairish Bradley, is in a hospital in England as the result of a bullet wound received in the D-Day invasion of France. He writes that he is looking forward to returning to action soon.

Also back in England recovering from wounds in action for the second time, Pfc. James B. Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Daniels, Lackey, was previously wounded in North Africa. He was awarded the Purple Heart for the first wound. While attending Garrett high school, he was on the basketball team in 1940. He entered the army Nov. 10, 1942, and is with the infantry. His brother, Everett, is in the navy and has three trips overseas to his credit.

Although he will not reach the draft age of 18 until September, Pvt. John Keel Buckley, son of Mrs. Irene Anderson, Dock, who already has seen 11 months service with the army infantry, was slightly wounded in action somewhere in Italy, June 4. His mother received the notice from the War Department on July 4.

Pvt. Hershell Harrison, according to "eleventh-hour" information reaching here a few minutes before press time, has been seriously wounded in India. He volunteered for the armed services some time ago. Through no fault of ours information is lacking.

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money, will be available for budget payments, but will be far from sufficient to supplement revenue to meet the increased school appropriations, VanHoose said.

Miller said that deferred payments probably could be made up in one or two months, or soon after beginning of the third quarter.

"Some counties—but they are few—may be able to meet payments as they become due out of local funds," Miller said. "Others might be able to finance payments through banks without interest. But it looks like payments will be delayed in most instances."

PERSONALS

ARRIVE FOR VISIT Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holliday, of Winchester, arrived Sunday to be guests here for a week of their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., and Mr. Harkins.

IN HUNTINGTON Mrs. B. F. Combs and Mrs. Leroy Combs were in Huntington Thursday and Friday of last week.

VISITS FRIENDS Mrs. Mary D. Allen visited friends at Martin Sunday, attending the birthday dinner of Mrs. Amanda Dingus at noon.

VISIT IN WINCHESTER Mr. and Mrs. James Donohue and children visited relatives in Winchester during the Fourth.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED Announcement is made of the birth of a daughter, Mary Lynn, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dingus, of Lexington. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dingus are formerly from this county.

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ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., JULY 13-14 "Destination Tokyo" Cary Grant, John Garfield. News.

SATURDAY 11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m., 6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m. "West of Texas" Dave O'Brien, Jim Newill. Serial—"HAUNTED HARBOR."

SATURDAY 3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m. "Salute for Three" Betty Rhodes, MacDonald Carey. Basket Wizards Comedies.

SUNDAY-MONDAY "And the Angels Sing" Fred MacMurray, Dorothy Lamour, Betty Hutton, Mimi Chandler. News. Million Dollar Cat.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY "Candlelight in Algeria" James Mason, Carla Lehmann. News. "Commando Duck" (in technicolor) Roaming through Arizona.

TOWN OF WEEKSBURY KENTUCKY

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements, Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1944

Table with columns for Receipts and Disbursements. Receipts include Tax Collections (\$2,513.64), Licenses and Fees (247.00), Fines and Misc. (Net) (495.71), Total Receipts (3,256.35). Disbursements include Truck and car Maintenance (395.97), Salary of Town Board and Officer (2,760.00), Road Repair and Garbage Collection (155.00), Misc. including Printing, Prisoner Transportation, etc. (13.43), Total Disbursements (3,324.45). Balance Cash on hand July 1, 1943 (\$3,363.57). Balance Cash on Hand June 30, 1944 (\$3,295.47).

C. M. STEVENS, Treasurer Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of July, 1944. R. M. CHAFIN, Postmaster, Weeksbury, Kentucky

paper and we love you as God loves us to love all our brothers."

We appreciate the interest of reader. We'll do our best, we promise. We'll take special plans to that no such thing happens again the minister's column—and, in meantime, will probably let something else happen that will bring the "sweats" back on us again.

HERE FROM LEXINGTON

Mrs. Elizabeth Rumphrey and little granddaughter, Patricia Ann Rule, of Lexington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Brown here this week.

Attention! All Home Canners!

Before you begin your 1944 canning, Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you: use the boiling-water bath method for tomatoes and fruits only. Can all vegetables except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulinus germs. In the last few years, cases of botulinus food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, borrow, share a pressure cooker—but don't can low-acid vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 959 8th Avenue, New York 18, N. Y.

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