

THURSDAY

AUGUST 23, 1945

THE VACATION BLUES; OR,
LIFE IN THE CITY AIN'T WHAT
SHE'S CRACKED UP TO BE.

Came V-J Day and I took off on a
V-cation. I was tired; I felt the need
of a change of scenery. I got it.
And now I am back at the grind-
stone and I am so relaxed my fingers
won't stay still on the keyboard
while I try to think of what next
to say.

Try it some time, you Doubting
Thomas; take two boys along with
you. Never mind the mileage you
will just hold a stop-watch on
the first and count the seconds you
take to sit and relax.

But I'm not blaming it all on the
boys. There was the case of a wild
Irishman at the steering wheel of a
taxi which also had me humming.
"Home, Sweet Home." The speed of
the Jehu was limited only by the
curves of the ancient Plymouth.

Some of the ancient Plymouth
committees bound (whether, I care
not, now that I'm safe) by the lim-
itations of low-octane gas and loose
pistons—that was this desperado
who roared out of River Downs, cut-
ting in and out of traffic, darting
like a mad bull.

Other would-be speed kings
were desirous to touch his horn or
his hand. While he swooped
overhead and wish, though I
had long enough to watch a
plane overhead and wish, though I
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plane overhead and wish, though I

to affinity for airplanes, that
were up in the high, blue yonder.
Down past Turkey Run, on through
the jam past Lunken airport and
finally helling it into Cincinnati—
and there darting up a dark alley
and almost taking the hocks off one
of the longest and fastest-stepping
niggers I ever saw.

But he got us where we'd started.
When he finally asked us where we
were going, I contrived to croak the
name of the wrong hotel. Any hotel
was mine, just so it was near where
we were at the moment.

WIDE-AWAKE
Franklin Moore extended himself
this week in telling the people of
this and adjoining counties—and,
through THE FLOYD COUNTY
TIMES, the world as a whole—that
they were invited to be guests of the
Sandy Valley Tire Service opening
last Saturday in new quarters.

The response was gratifying. Folks
faraway places will remember this
as a gracious host. They will
remember others.

It isn't often that this column
discusses local business firms while
they compete with other firms lo-
cally. But we will be disappointed
if any competitor would ginsay
our exercise of the privilege to hail
a wideawake business man whose
imagination extends beyond his own
cash register.

"INDEFINITION"
Hari-kari—a Japanese belly land-
ing resulting from a bad take-off; a
great national pastime and increas-
ingly popular sport these days in
Japan.

TRAIL-BLAZING
We wouldn't recommend the new
road, Prestonsburg to Salyersville,
to the speed demon who thinks he's
picking daisies if he's dallying along
at a rate of less than sixty. But the
motorist who would like to get ac-
quainted with some of the more pic-
turesque spots in Floyd and Ma-
goffin counties and to save some gas-
oline on his or her drive down Blue
Grass way—well, that's my recom-
mended route.

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Court House
Happenings

SUITS FILED
Robert Greene vs. Emily Bentley
Greene; W. S. Wallen, atty. Mildred
Allen Huff vs. Harry W. Huff; Edw.
L. Allen, atty. D. H. (Dave) Hatcher
vs. Woodrow W. Burchett; B. M.
James, atty. Moss Dempsey vs.
Sparks Bros. Bus Co., et al.; Edw.
L. Allen, atty. Henry Stephens, Jr.,
vs. Alex L. Davidson; Joe P. Tackett,
att. Dewey Osborne vs. Bill
Brown, et al.; W. S. Wallen, atty. E.
B. Salsbury vs. Taylor Stumbo,
etc.; W. S. Wallen, atty. Gene Paul
Branham vs. Sparks Bros. Bus Co.,
etc.; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Jake Stan-
ley vs. Ellen Stanley; B. M. James,
att. Lexie Allen vs. Virgil Allen; J.
E. Clarke, atty. Edward Sizemore vs.
Neva Joe Daniels Sizemore; W. S.
Wallen, atty. Lunda Carroll vs. Lula
Mae Carroll; W. S. Wallen, atty.
Leticia Crum Elliott vs. Vernon El-
liott; Tackett and Wallen, attys.
Edna Castle Martin vs. J. E. Mar-
tin; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Hattie Col-
ins, admx., vs. the C. & O. Ry. Co.;
Edw. L. Allen, atty. Pearl Hall vs.
Ernest Hall; Combs & Combs, attys.
M. C. Reynolds vs. Sarah Reynolds;
F. P. Hall, atty. A. J. Crisp vs. Lucy
Crisp; Edw. L. Allen, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Frank Eugene Hubbard and Ro-
berta Wells, Anthony Hall, 36, and
Marie D. Cline, 36, both of Pikeville;
married here Friday by the Rev. I.
A. Smiley Ernest Wallen and Ora
Paterno. Herbert Prater, 23, David,
and Laidie Wadkins, 18, Blue River;
marriage solemnized Saturday by
the Rev. Alex Stephens. Elder Akers,
26, Dana, and Faye Elizabeth Par-
sons, 21, Betsy Layne; married Mon-
day by the Rev. James Roark. Gene
Dye and Lola Dye. John F. O'Quinn
and Betty Smith. Virgil Owens, 18,
West Prestonsburg, and Nora Brad-
ford, 16, Bonanza; ceremony per-
formed Tuesday by the Rev. Alex
Stephens.

15-Day Extension
Given Taxpayers
On Assessments

Additional time of 15 days beyond
the customary deadline of Sept. 1
is being granted to Floyd county
taxpayers to make their proper re-
turns. Tax Commissioner Clive Akers
announced this week, because
the assessment blanks arrived from
Frankfort about a month late. The
delay, he said, according to infor-
mation, was due to a shortage of
labor in Frankfort.

"The Tax Commissioner's office is
making an effort to contact as many
property owners as possible," Mr.
Akers stated, "although under the
present state law we are not re-
quired to do so. This year the job
of assessing is exceedingly difficult
due to the fact that many property
owners have recently moved out of
the state while a number of others
are away at work." Approximately
1500 assessments must be made this
year.

"Cooperation of the taxpayer, in
coming to the office and declaring
his property, according to law," Akers
continued, "will simplify the job,
help to avoid mistakes and aid in
making a satisfactory and proper
assessment."

These returns must be filed with
the Tax Commissioner not later
than September 15.

BABE IS VICTIM
Lula Gay, one-year-old daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newsome, of
Bypro, died Aug. 19 and was buried
in the Painter Harve cemetery on the
following day under direction of the
Ryan Funeral Home. The officiat-
ing minister was the Rev. Jesse
Osborne.

TO TEACH HERE
Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., will
be a member of the Prestonsburg
high school faculty upon opening
of the school here Aug. 27 and will
spend the winter here with her hus-
band's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D.
Fitzpatrick.

LABOR LEADERS TO APPEAR
BEFORE MASS MEETING
AT WAYLAND SEPT. 3

Sam Caddy, president of District
30, and James J. McAndrews, sec-
retary-treasurer of District 30, United
Mine Workers of America, are
slated to address a labor mass meet-
ing in Wayland on Labor Day,
Sept. 3. A committee representing
Wayland Local 5895 announced this
week.

WAR'S END SEES BOOM IN BUILDING

Six Business Houses, Several Residences Are Being Erected

Approximately \$200,000 worth of
building is being carried out in or
near Prestonsburg as post-war con-
struction indicates a boom. Six busi-
ness houses and a number of resi-
dences are in various stages of tak-
ing shape while a number of others
planned are temporarily halted
due to shortage of materials and
labor.

B. H. Cox, automobile dealer, is
constructing a building 180x110-feet
to house his enterprises. It is located
near the southern city limits and is
estimated to cost \$100,000. The founda-
tions are complete and materials
are being hauled to the site to con-
tinue construction.

Grade work and foundations are
finished on the 50x110-foot building
to house the Francis Wholesale
Company facing the Mayo Trail near
the Cox building. Paul Francis, head
of the new concern, predicted com-
pletion within the next two months.
Francis, now in the retail grocery
business, announces that he will quit
the retail store and deal exclusively
wholesale. He has spent 15 years in
the retail grocery business in Paints-
ville and Prestonsburg.

The company will cater to a cash-
and-carry trade and maintain a
\$50,000 stock, Mr. Francis said. He
stated that he owns 50 per cent of
the stock in the new venture while
the remaining shares are owned by
J. Bascom Clarke, R. D. Francis and
R. G. Francis.

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Spradlin, Dingus On New Election Board of County

Alex H. Spradlin, Democrat, and
Tom H. Dingus, Republican, both of
Prestonsburg, were named by the
State Board of Election Commis-
sioners at Frankfort Saturday to
serve with the Sheriff as Floyd
county's three-man board of election
commissioners. Both men are promi-
nently associated with the activities
of their respective parties.

Commissioners for the 120 coun-
ties were picked with the exception
of the Democratic officer in Bell
county where a dispute arose. Fifty-
seven petitioners, naming themselves
as members of the Bell Democratic
executive committee, claimed that
the five persons proposed for the
office were named illegally and that
no meeting had been held to prop-
erly select them. The board passed
the appointment until a later date.

Spradlin succeeds W. J. Reynolds,
Martin, while Dingus is a re-ap-
pointment. The selection of county
commissioners, one from each party
named to serve with each county
sheriff, is made by the state board
at Frankfort each year.

Three Confess Guilt In Burglaries Here, Receive Sentences

Climaxing two weeks of minor
robberies in Prestonsburg and vic-
inity, three delinquents whose ages,
Chief of Police Epp Laferty said,
ranged from 10 to 13 years, con-
fessed their misdeeds to County
Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., Wednesday
morning and were sentenced to the
Greendale house of reform until
they reach 21 years of age.

Deputy Jailer Carl Horn and
Frank Layne removed the boys,
Henry and Pearl Gibson and Luther
Prater, from the county jail Wed-
nesday evening to Greendale. A
seven-year-old member of the group,
three years shy of the state's delin-
quency 10-year limitation, was
admonished and turned over to his
parents.

Apprehension of the trio followed
the robbery here Sunday night of
H. E. Hughes & Company's drug
store. Loot was listed as \$30 in cash,
chewing gum and several billfolds.
Entry was effected through a small
window in the rear of the store.
Most of the money and goods was
recovered.

Laferty said the boys admitted
the illegal entry of the Combs &
Combs law offices where they took
two American Legion rifles, a pistol
and a knife; the Valley Chevrolet
garage to steal a number of master
keys; B. W. Craft's store on Bull
Creek where they helped themselves
to \$25 in cash and items of merchan-
dise; and breaking into the Ben
Franklin 10 cent store here.

ALL-SONG SERVICE

An all-song service featuring three
choirs will be held at the Method-
ist Church Sunday night, the pas-
tor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, an-
nounced Wednesday. His subject for
the Sunday morning sermon will be,
"The Priesthood of Christ."

COMMUNITY NOT OPTIMISTIC ABOUT CHANCES FOR PLANT

"We're not too optimistic but our
hat's still in the ring," a member of
the Big Sandy delegation which ap-
peared in Washington Monday be-
fore the U. S. Bureau of Mines to
urge the location in this section of
the bureau's experimental coal
hydrogenation plant declared on his
return to Prestonsburg.

"The whole matter rests with Sec-
retary of the Interior Ickes," said
N. M. White, Jr., who as a member
of the party going to the capital
represented the Prestonsburg Ki-
wanis Club.

One hundred fifty other sites scat-
tered over the country, including
four in Kentucky, are competing
with the site at Cliff, near here, in-
spected recently by mine bureau re-
presentatives. A decision is expected
to be made within the next month.

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The public in general is urged to
attend and hear what to expect of
"Labor in the Post-War World" as
well as other subjects of vital in-
terest to every working man and
woman in Floyd county, the an-
nouncement states.

The meeting will get under way at
10:30 a.m.

ACCUSE TWO OF SLAYING

Maytown Youths Claim Innocence In Ambury Death

Two Maytown youths were placed
under \$5,000 bond each Tuesday
after waiving to the grand jury
charges of manslaughter in the
death by beating Sunday of Rube
Ambury, 52-year-old Maytown
miner.

The two, Bill Hagans and John
Huff, Jr., offered as an alibi their
claim, supported by testimony of
members of their families, that they
were at home during the evening of
August 9, when Ambury was alleg-
edly attacked. Mrs. Maude Hagans,
mother of one of the defendants,
and "Bogue" Crisp, aged Maytown
man, stated young Hagans was at
home throughout the evening.

Obe Ousley, son-in-law of the vic-
tim, said Ambury, conscious short-
ly before his death, told relatives or
friends that Hagans and Huff at-
tacked him.

The assault took place on Turkey
Creek, near Maytown, and Am-
bury was found at the scene of the
attack on the following morning.
County Attorney W. W. Burchett,
who is assisting relatives in an in-
vestigation of the case, said he was
told by some "witnesses" they re-
cognized voices of those with Am-
bury.

Admitted to the Beaver Valley hos-
pital Aug. 10, Ambury left the hos-
pital and returned Aug. 17, dying
two days later of a skull fracture.

The youths were jailed here Sun-
day by Deputy Constable Curt Ste-
phens.

FUND FOR SGT. HENSEL REACHES \$72 HERE

The fund subscribed by readers of
THE TIMES for the aid of Sgt.
Frederick Hensel stood this week at
\$72.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, West
Prestonsburg, added \$5 to the \$67
reported last week. No contributions
will be accepted by THE TIMES af-
ter Saturday of this week when the
fund subscribed through this news-
paper will be transmitted to the vet-
eran.

JOHNSON UNDER BOND ON ROBBERY CHARGE

Claude Johnson, 24, executed bond
Wednesday totaling \$1,500 on charges
of armed robbery, assault and
battery and carrying a concealed
deadly weapon.

He is accused of attempting the
hold-up of an unidentified man near
Melvin a few days ago.

VISITS IN COUNTY

Miss Betty Jo Horne, of Lexing-
ton, is the guest here of her aunt,
Mrs. Bess Williams, and of other
relatives in the county.

Big Sandy League's Best To Play in All-Star Tilt

Stars are going to shine in broad
daylight!
Weather permitting, with antici-
pated abilities up to par, homers,
"pop frys" and two-baggers are sub-
ject to shower all over Gasco Park
here Sunday as the Big Sandy Base-
ball League's "All-Star Game" gets
under way at 2:30 p.m.

Details of the current baseball
season's highspot game were ironed
out in a called meeting of the team
representatives and league officials
held here Monday night in the office
of W. C. Rimmer, league vice-presi-
dent. Two squads of 19 players each
were nominated and umpires were
named as Rimmer, Prestonsburg,
Robinson, Pikeville, Stumbo, David,
and Corbin, Prestonsburg.

FLOYD CONVICT SOUGHT AS ESCAPED PRISONER BY HIGHWAY PATROL

Clarence Barker, 23, sentenced
from Floyd county and serving a
total of 10 years on four stealing
and housebreaking charges, was
named among the four escaped pris-
oners at Frankfort being sought by
the State Highway Patrol. Barker
and Paul Wilson, 23, serving a life
term on a Harlan county murder
conviction, slipped away Monday
while working as trustees at the new
State Office building.

The other two escapees were
women, listed as Retha Anderson,
21, and Helen Riley, 18, under 21-
year robbery sentences from Breath-
itt county, who crawled over a
fence at the Women's Prison late
Saturday afternoon.

R. R. LICKERT TO SPEAK

At First Public Meet To Be Sponsored Here By Floyd County Club

R. R. Lickert, of the Extension
Department, College of Agriculture,
University of Kentucky, will be the
guest speaker at the first public
meeting to be sponsored by the
newly organized Floyd County Club,
County Agent S. L. Isbell and Home
Demonstration Agent Frances Am-
bury Rose announced this week.

Mr. Lickert will speak on the topic,
"Post-War Agriculture," at the
Valley Inn here Thursday evening,
Aug. 30, at 7 p.m. The two Floyd
county farm and home workers will
later conduct a round-table discus-
sion.

The public is invited to attend the
meeting. All Home Economics and
Agriculture instructors, farm and
home-making leaders, 4-H club
members are particularly invited to
be present and to take part in mak-
ing plans for better homes and
farming methods for Floyd county.

HIGHER COAL OUTPUT SEEN

Mines To Welcome Young Men Home; See 5-Day Week

New highs in coal production are
anticipated by Eastern Kentucky
coal mine officials and union spokes-
men with the end of the war and
the prospect of many former min-
ers returning from the armed ser-
vices or war jobs in other states.
This hope was expressed this week
as Big Sandy miners returned to
work following their victory holiday
celebration and as production prom-
ised to attain its normal pace.

Floyd county miners, along with
other industrial workers, took the
two-day holiday to celebrate the na-
tion's victory over Japan and since
Saturday and Sunday were regular
off-days for a number, the majority
extended their jubilant activities to
include the week-end.

Harry Homan, secretary of the
Big Sandy Operators Association,
expressed inability to determine the
exact cost of the victory celebration
in terms of production man-labor
lost at about 12,000 miners in the
Big Sandy operations and nearly
3,000 truck miners in the district
were idle during the lay-off.

Some coal operators stated that
during the past two months produc-
tion had been at 75 per cent of
normal.

ALLEN WOMAN VICTIM AT MARTIN OF CANCER AFTER 7-YEAR ILLNESS

Miss Elizabeth Miller, 40 years old,
of Allen, died at the Beaver Valley
hospital, Martin, a victim of cancer
following an illness of seven years.

A daughter of the late Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Miller, she was a na-
tive of Robertsdale, Pa., and had re-
sided in this county for a number
of years, for the last several years
with her sister, Mrs. Luther Bald-
ridge, and Mr. Baldridge, at Allen.
She was a devout member of the
Allen Baptist Church and was one
of the community's best women.

Surviving are three sisters; Mrs.
Baldridge and Mrs. Elsie Crisp, both
of Allen, and Mrs. Edna Jackson,
Wheelwright.

Funeral rites were conducted
Tuesday afternoon from the Meth-
odist Church at Allen, the Revs.
Isaac Stratton and Ralph E. Webb
officiating. Burial in the Riley Hall
cemetery near Allen was directed by
the Ryan Funeral Home.

PETITIONS SAY ELECTION WON THRU BRIBERY

Hatcher, Stephens, Tackett, Salsbury Enumerate Offenses

Wholesale bribery, collusion to in-
fluence voters and general violation
of the Corrupt Practices act are
among the allegations of four de-
feated Democratic candidates who
last week filed contest actions
against their victorious opponents.

First contest suit was that filed
last Friday by D. H. (Dave) Hatcher
against Woodrow W. Burchett, in-
cumbent nominee for County At-
torney. One suit, that of Joe P.
Tackett, Prestonsburg, vs. County
Judge John Chris Corbett for the
nomination for Commonwealth's At-
torney, was filed at Hindman.

TRADES SHOP TO RE-OPEN

Classes Begin Sept. 3; Merger of All Courses Announced by Gambill

Combining all previous courses un-
der the heading of a Mining Me-
chanics course chiefly composed of
welding, machine shop practice and
electrical repair, the Mayo State Vi-
ocational School shop here will re-
open for classes Sept. 3, announces
Earl G. Gambill, shop director, who
replaces Nelson Hurst, Berea. Mr.
Gambill has been with the shop for
three years as machinist instructor.

The shop will be operated in con-
nection with the county high schools
and the training is offered to any-
one between the ages of 16 and 45.
A full high school credit will be
awarded to the trainee upon his
completion of the 180-hour course,
regardless of age within the group
limitations, Mr. Gambill stated.

Gambill anticipates an enrollment
of approximately 50 trainees with
three instructors to handle the
classes. As the classes increase more
instructors will be procured if nec-
essary, he said.

"This opportunity is open to all
veterans to prepare themselves for
post-war jobs," he continued, "and
later we plan to start night classes
for the benefit of older persons who
need refresher courses or wish to
take a complete course and are oth-
erwise occupied during the regular
daytime class hours."

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Dr. Arnett Chosen Leader of Group; Aims Are Listed

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700 Handy Deliberator
returning from Washington

In McCreary county, 113 4-H club boys and girls have enrolled in the fall garden project.

The largest hay crop in the history of Spencer county is reported this year.

Five Floyd County Soldiers Receive Bronze Star Medal

For heroism in Italy, France and Germany five Floyd county soldiers have been awarded the Bronze Star, the following army press release states:

WITH THE 71ST DIVISION OF THE THIRD ARMY IN EUROPE—Pfc. Lonzo Howell, 25, of Martin, was recently awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his heroic action against the enemy by Maj. Gen. Willard G. Wyman, commander of the 71st infantry division.

The commendation for Pfc. Howell, son of H. Howell, Martin, said: "For heroic achievement against the enemy in Speyer, Germany, when he was a member of an assault patrol that crossed the Rhine river, engaged the enemy in combat, and successfully completed its mission."

Serving in the army since April, 1943, he came overseas in January of this year, and is currently assigned to Company "B," 271st Engineer Combat Battalion of the 71st infantry division in Europe.

Before entering the army he was employed as a coal miner and attended school at Garrett, Ky.

He has a brother, Clyde Howell, in the service.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pvt. Herbert C. Sizemore, of McDowell, Ky., recently was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action in Italy.

He served with the Fifth army in Company "M," 339th "Polar Bear" Regiment, 85th "Custer" Division.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Sgt. Lawrence Ousley, Huntington, W. Va., recently was awarded the Bronze Star for heroic achievement in action in Italy.

He served on the Fifth army front in the 135th infantry regiment, 34th "Red Bull" Division.

His brother, Herbert Ousley, lives at Beaver, Ky.

For heroic achievement in combat, the Bronze Star Medal has been awarded to Pfc. Scott Spradlin, of Cliff.

The citation reads as follows: "Scott Spradlin, 35775028, Private First Class, Medical Detachment, 141st Infantry Regiment, for heroic achievement in combat on 13 and 14 March, 1945 in France. When elements of the 2d battalion launched

Mrs. Russell Wilson, White Oak Homemakers Club member, reports having taken 2,925 pounds of honey from 31 hives.

J. W. Stark, of Bullitt county, cut 1,600 bales of hay this year from a field which last year produced only 400 bales.

an attack to establish a bridgehead across an important river, Pfc. Spradlin served as a litter bearer during the operation. The extremely dangerous evacuation route ran across a shell area devoid of cover, past a row of houses and across a narrow footbridge which was the target for heavy enemy machine gun, mortar and artillery fire. With utter disregard for his personal safety, he worked for 26 hours without sleep and with only two hours rest, tirelessly evacuating the wounded. Despite the hostile fire and the danger of exploding an enemy mine, Private First Class Spradlin and six companions evacuated 43 casualties during the period and saved the lives of many wounded soldiers by their courageous actions."

WITH THE 71ST DIVISION OF THE 3RD ARMY IN EUROPE—Cpl. Gaza Litafik, Wheelwright, was recently awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his heroic action against the enemy by Major General Willard G. Wyman, commanding general of the 71st Infantry Division.

The commendation for Cpl. Litafik, son of Michael Litafik, Dilliner, Pa., said: "For gallantry in action against the enemy in Wels, Austria. When Cpl. Litafik was a member of a patrol whose mission was to prevent the enemy from destroying valuable equipment at an airfield near the city. As the patrol started across the field two anti-aircraft guns were exploded wounding two of the men. Despite the explosion and ignoring the scattered small arms fire directed at them, the patrol continued their advance to engage an enemy force of about 100 well armed troops. After a fierce fight, lasting about an hour, the entire eastern section of the airfield was secured, preventing further enemy destruction. As a result of their bold and aggressive action against superior numbers the patrol succeeded in routing the enemy, killing 17, and capturing 48 with only two losses to the patrol."

Serving in the army since April, 1942, he came overseas in January of this year, and is currently assigned to Company "I," 66th Infantry Regiment of the 71st Infantry Division in Europe. Before entering the army, Cpl. Litafik was employed by the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright.

HAROLD

A birthday party was given at the home of Mrs. Everett W. Davidson Saturday evening, Aug. 18, in honor of her daughter, Miss Gaynelle Davidson. Many useful gifts were received. Games were played and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Doyle Gilliam, Henrietta and Geneva Lewis, Ruth Meade, Charles Walters, Donald Ray Porter, Walden Conn, Dewey Martin, Walter Fred Gearheart, Jack Compton, Edna and Mary Cecil, Luke Kidd, Bonnie Sue Roberts, Betty Betty Rudisale, of Detroit, Mich., Lucy Blankenship, of Pikeville, Gaynelle Hobson, Mrs. Glenn H. Hall, Gladys Chaffins, Audrey Johnson, Carl Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cecil, of River Rouge, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cecil.

Emmitt Eugene Conn, of the navy, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mallie Conn.

Pvt. Norman H. Conn returned home recently after being discharged from the army.

Among those who attended the pie social and also the dance that was given at the mouth of Toler in honor of Pvt. Jake Hamilton, recently released from a German prison camp, were Willie James Sturgill, of the navy, Emmitt Hunt, Vernon Clark, Lerra Jean Clark, Mavis Martin, Jacqueline Akers, Audrey Johnson, S/Sgt. Earl P. Martin, Carl Roberts, Gladys Chaffins.

Mrs. Everett W. Davidson had as guests over the week-end her nieces, Miss Bev Simpkins and Misses Margaret and Eloise Evans, all of Huntington, W. Va., and Vernon Wright, of Prestonsburg, who was on his way to Chicago via Huntington. Mr. Wright has enlisted in the navy for three years.

Those who attended the picnic at Elkhorn City Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ranel Roberts and children, Sylvia, Georgia and Elizabeth Copley, Gene Sturgill, Betty Rudisale, Mrs. John Ford and daughter, Sally Jeanette, of Elkhorn, Carl Roberts.

Service men seen around town: S/Sgt. Earl P. Martin, Gene Sturgill, Fred Hale, Emmitt Eugene Conn, of the navy; Pvt. Norman H. Conn, S/Sgt. Ted Stumbo, Kermit Martin, of the marines.

Mrs. John Chaffins has been confined to her bed for several days after receiving a severe fall which resulted in injuries to her knee.

S/Sgt. A. L. Hartley, son of E. L. Hartley, enjoyed a 30-day furlough after serving 24 months in England.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hartley spent the week-end at Dunbar, W. Va., visiting Mr. Hartley's parents.

Miss Emma Grace Hartley has returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orville F. Hayes, of Dunbar, W. Va.

Cpl. Fred Hale is home after serving 28 months in England. Cpl. Hale is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hale, of Ashland, formerly of Harold.

A Sunday School picnic was held Friday night on the lawn of Mrs. Laura Layne.

In a drive to start a co-operative tobacco market in Clark county, \$67,800 were pledged.

Fourteen women in Boyd county exhibited 30 rugs at the close of the rug-making project.

W. A. Catron of Clinton county says he made \$25 to \$40 a day priming his tobacco.

ALLEN

Miss Ruby Hayes, of Dayton, O., spent the week-end here with Mrs. Galloway-Laferty.

Lt. Wyatt Martin, Mrs. Audrey Young and Miss Jo Ann Young visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Reynolds in Hindman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty and son, Bennie Linwood, accompanied by Miss Betty Lou Hall, of Banner, visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Floyd in Grayson over the week-end. They shopped in Ashland and Huntington.

Mrs. Ursula Crisp and daughter, Betty, visited relatives in West Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Bells of the Methodist and Baptist Churches were tolled upon announcement of the surrender of Japan Tuesday with services held in each church that night and in the Methodist Church Wednesday night and the Baptist Church Thursday night. Tuesday night's services in the Methodist Church were in charge of James Flanery and Wednesday night were in charge of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Master Edsel Salyer received bruises about his head and face Thursday, being struck by a car while bicycle riding. Young Salyer was thrown clear of the bicycle, which was demolished, landing on the concrete. He was rushed to the Beaver Valley hospital by the driver of the car, where he received treatment and later returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyer, and is doing nicely. The accident was said to have been unavoidable due to brakes of the bicycle slipping.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jarrell were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Ruby Radliff and children, of Hinton, W. Va., are visiting relatives here and at Dwell.

Mrs. Jennie Martin, of Northern, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb and Mr. and Mrs. James Flanery over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Baldrige, who were recently married, have rented rooms from Mrs. Galloway-Laferty and are housekeeping. Mrs. Baldrige is the former Miss Doris Sizemore, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snodgrass and daughter, Judy, of Covington, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George W. Snodgrass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall were in Pikeville Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Marie Akers arrived here Sunday from New Orleans, La., after a two months' visit with her husband, Francis Akers, with the navy.

Mrs. Ann Heyl, of Ashland, was the Saturday night guest of her mother, Mrs. George W. Snodgrass, and Mr. Snodgrass.

A large crowd was in attendance in the Methodist Church Sunday for the inspiring message delivered by the Rev. J. B. Hahn. This was Rev. Hahn's last appointment here before leaving for annual conference which begins Aug. 29. Friends here of Rev. Hahn are hoping for his return.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Comstock entertained with a dinner served on the lawn of their home Sunday honoring their son, Pvt. Bobby M. Comstock, their nephews, Sgt. Charles V. May and Pvt. Luttrell Laven, also Pvt. Russell Laven, all of whom are veterans of overseas service except Luttrell Laven, who is stationed in Washington. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bascom May, Mr. and Mrs. John Laven, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gerlach, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Burdett, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. May, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. May, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Butcher, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harris and Mrs. Opal Edwards, Misses Virginia May, Helen May, Ann Leslie, Tiny Carpenter, Sally, Lola Lee Edwards, Mary Sue Comstock, Florence May and Leslie Fay Comstock, Masters Billy May, Delna May, David May and Gene Comstock.

Misses Malinda and Josie Laferty are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Laferty in Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Berman Martin, of Dyersburg, Tenn., is here for an extended visit with Miss Maxine Martin.

Ben Webb is a patient in Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, suffering from rheumatism.

Miss Maxine Martin honored Mrs. Catherine Rice Salisbury with a miscellaneous shower Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rice, parents of Mrs. Salisbury. Games were played and refreshments were served to a large number of guests. Mrs. Salisbury was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. Sending gifts and attending were Mesdames Olga A. Preston, Thurmon Radliff, George W. Snodgrass, Alta Malone, Emogene Tackett, Eunice Martin, Opal Edwards,

May To Move Plant To Alabama Soon

The W. H. May Company's plan which has been operating on war contracts in Frankfort, Ky., will be moved to Bessemer, Ala., and open there in about six weeks to manufacture metal articles on industrial contracts.

W. D. Spencer, secretary of the company which is headed by Kentucky's former commissioner of agriculture, said threats of court action by neighbors who objected to the plant's noise, was the reason for the change.

The company probably will employ in Bessemer more than 71 persons working in Frankfort.

Mr. May is a native Floyd countian and a nephew of Congressman A. J. May, Prestonsburg.

The Cobb Homemakers Club Caldwell county has made available a picnic ground and recreation area for all residents of the community.

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News From Floyd Communities

Miss Moran Receives Bachelor Degree

Richmond, Ky. — Miss Christine Moran, Auxier, received her bachelor of science degree in the August graduating class of 37 candidates of Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College here Tuesday night.

Commencement exercises were held in the college amphitheatre with Dr. Raymond Walters, president of the University of Cincinnati, delivering the address. Degrees were awarded by President W. F. O'Donnell of Eastern. Prior to the ceremony, a president's luncheon in honor of graduates was held in the Student Union building.

CLIFF

Orion May, BM 1/c, of the navy, is spending a 30-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay May.

Will Stephens, Mrs. Frankie Best and son, Stephen Lee, were business visitors in Paintsville Saturday.

Miss Maggie Lafferty spent the week-end, guest of her sister, Mrs. Willie Carr, of Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Bess Wells, of Auxier, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Cynthia Stephens.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens were Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Ramey, of East Point, and Miss Jean Wilcox, of Bays Branch.

Mrs. Hershell Warrens, of Wayland, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay May.

Mrs. Cynthia Stephens is seriously ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wright and children, of Prestonsburg, were calling on friends here Sunday.

Delbert Short, who is employed at Armco, in Ashland, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short.

Miss Ethel Akers, of Johns Creek, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Moore, here Thursday.

Lewis Robinson attended church on Little Paint Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tob Derossett and Miss Susan Baldrige visited relatives in Johnson county Sunday.

Annalye Green, 4-H club member in Madison county, and county clothing winner last year, picked and sold blackberries for \$25.

GARRETT

Sue Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin, became the bride of Cpl. Oliver W. Burch, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., at 8 p.m., Tuesday, at the Methodist Church. The Rev. Walter Beatty, pastor of the Garrett Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Mrs. Hawley Martin was matron of honor. Pvt. Hawley Martin, brother of the bride, was best man. The bride and matron of honor both wore corsages of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Burch is a graduate of Garrett high school. Cpl. Burch recently returned to this country after spending the past two years in the European theater of war.

Soldiers and sailors who have returned with discharges are Raymond Pennington, Farris Johnson, Edgel Davis, Douglas Fitzpatrick, Sgt. Ellsworth Coburn is also here.

Mrs. J. E. Dampier, of New Hebron, Miss., was guest of honor at a party given by Mrs. Rudolph Spencer Wednesday evening. Two tables of bridge were enjoyed by the guests. High score prize was won by Mrs. J. O. Webb, of Prestonsburg, second high, Mrs. C. B. Ison, and traveling prize, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby, low, Mrs. J. E. Dampier. Mrs. Dampier also received a guest prize. Refreshments were served to Mrs. J. O. Webb, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby, Mrs. Frank Rasnick, Mrs. H. H. Hornsby, Mrs. C. B. Ison, Mrs. R. H. Messer and Mrs. Dampier.

Mrs. Felix Coburn entertained a few friends at her home Friday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stratton and children, of Wayland, who are moving to Hinton, W. Va. The guests enjoyed bridge and rook prizes were won, high score, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill, low, Rudolph Spencer. Mrs. Stratton was presented a lovely guest prize. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stratton, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill, Nadine Martin, Helen Louise Stratton, Billy Stratton, Marie and Marcella Coburn, Sgt. Ellsworth Coburn and Felix Coburn.

SALISBURY

Sgt. Bernard Moore has returned from overseas, having spent 22 months in foreign service.

Mrs. Clyde Crisp was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Those from here who attended the parade in Prestonsburg Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen and children, Mrs. Hollie Hall, Miss Bonnie Allen, Miss Barbara Allen, Mrs. Sandy Martin, Jr., and small son, Donald Ray.

Sunday School attendance Sunday was 66. Hope to have larger attendance next Sunday.

A box supper was given here Friday night at the Spurlock schoolhouse. There was a guess cake, a play, and a pretty girl contest. Chief contestants in this feature were Miss Esta Mae Allen, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Allen, of Hunter, and Miss Barbara Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Allen, of this place. Esta Mae received 1,361 votes and Barbara, 1,765. A cake was presented to the winner. Miss Barbara Allen also won the pretty girl contest here last year.

Mrs. Hatler Spurlock is very ill at her home here.

Mrs. Johnnie Allen was shopping in Martin Saturday.

Young People's meeting was held on Mrs. Edna Mattingly's lawn Sunday evening. Miss Joan Spurlock led the singing and Miss Ruth Ulmer presented the message. Many young people attended.

It has long been the desire of many to see a church building at Salisbury. This desire is soon to become a reality, for lumber is now on the ground and work of erecting the building will soon begin. All services are now held in the schoolhouse.

An outdoor baptismal service was held Sunday afternoon with the Rev. J. B. Hahn, pastor of the Salisbury Methodist Church, officiating. Those baptized were Loretta Conn and Ruby Conn. A large number of people gathered to witness this impressive service.

Mrs. Walk Carver, who has been a patient in the Martin General hospital for a month, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Allen and baby, Bonnie Marie, of Dawson Springs, Ky., are visiting at the home of her husband's father, Sept. Allen. Her husband is in the armed forces and is stationed at Zell-Am-See, Austria.

Luther Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cox, is home on a 30-day furlough from O'Reilly General hospital, Springfield, Mo. While in active service in England, he was in a plane which made a forced landing in Germany. He miraculously escaped with his life from the burning plane and was taken to a hospital in England. He was later removed to the Missouri hospital.

IVEL

Mrs. Ethel Ratliff, of Allen, was visiting Mrs. Hazel George Saturday.

Ison Hurd attended church at Mossy Bottom Sunday.

Kathryn and Mary Lou May were Friday night guests of Faye Dingus, of Betsy Layne.

Mrs. Georgia Dameron visited her brother, Charlie Hall, of Banner, over the week-end.

Our school is progressing nicely with Mrs. Goldia Layne Hall as teacher.

Leonard Layne, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Halleck Hamilton was a business visitor in Paintsville Friday.

Mrs. Darvin Layne is visiting relatives in Detroit, Michigan.

BANNER

Madge Rice, who has been employed at the Martin General hospital, has been ill and confined to her home for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dameron and daughter, Hazel D. George, and grandson, Jimmie, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hall.

Several people from here attended the dance at Prestonsburg Saturday night.

Jay Lee Hall of Pikeville, spent the week-end with Hubert Jones.

Pfc. Randolph Hall, who has been overseas, is enjoying a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hall.

Homer Burchett is confined to his home after suffering a stroke Saturday night.

Mrs. Bill Jones and Mrs. Tine Meade made a trip to Pikeville on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall were surprised Saturday night by a bunch of friends calling on them. Those who called were: Mr. and Mrs. James Goble and children, of Prestonsburg, Luther Compton, of Drift, Mrs. Jennie Click and son, Tilden, Jackie Hall, Mrs. Josephine Smith and Mrs. Lee Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Akers are expected to move back soon. They have been living in Ashland for the last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall had as their guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Russell Frazier and children, of Allen, and Levi Johnson, of Paintsville.

Miss Willadene Hall, Pikeville, and Miss Anna Mae Cordie were the Saturday night guests of Miss Frances Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall, Mrs. Jim Dameron and Mrs. John G. Hall were calling on Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hall Saturday.

MAYTOWN

J. A. Combs, of the Seabees, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Townsel Combs. This is his first furlough to the States in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones spent the week-end in Charleston and Logan, W. Va.

Mesdames Troy Webb and Thomas Patrick and Misses Janet Webb, Elizabeth Boughton and Sandra Sue Patrick were shopping in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Miss Peggy Jo Allen is spending several days in Troy, N. Y., with friends.

Misses Joyce and Beryl Stewart visited Miss Beebe Joy Hayes in Betsy Layne last week.

Mrs. Clyde Patton spent Sunday with Miss Bernice Patton.

Miss Della Stapleton, who is employed at the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Co., of Pikeville, spent last week with her brother, T. R. Stapleton.

Mrs. Allen Patton is visiting her daughters in Zionsville, Ind.

Miss Mary Jean Fosson and brother, Larry, of Ashland, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. L. May, and family.

P. D. Arrowood is visiting relatives in Johnson county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stapleton, Misses Elizabeth Boughton, Juanita May, Janet Webb, Mary Jean Fosson and Messrs Donald May and Bill Stapleton spent Sunday in Pike county.

Miss Juanita May has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in Ashland.

Miss Sheila Ann Stewart celebrated her fifth birthday with a party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Viola Stewart. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from her numerous friends. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, candy and punch were served.

Mrs. Ben Baker and Mrs. J. H. Allen spent Monday in Paintsville visiting friends.

Savage Cooley, of the armed forces, has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen.

Miss Harriet Allen, of Hindman, spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutter and son, of Parkersburg, W. Va., have returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. George Allen, and family.

Mrs. Billie Mayo and daughter, Billie Marie, and Mrs. Lillie Salisbury and Miss Maxine have been visiting relatives here and in Garrett. They have returned to Detroit where they will make their home, having bought property there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baker and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker have returned from a visit to Liberty.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn were business visitors in Bedford, Ky., recently.

The adult Sunday School class held its August meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick.

Mrs. Arnold Cassidy and daughter, Thelma, were shopping in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

HUEYSVILLE

Pvt. Burnice Gayheart is home from England on a 30-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Craft, of Ashland, spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft. Glenn was a German prisoner of war for five months, but looks extremely well.

Miss Agnes Mullins is spending two weeks vacation at home. She is employed in Washington.

Miss Rhoda Craft has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending a week at home.

Miss Clemence Hays is spending her vacation at home.

Norma Gayheart is home from Xenia, Ohio.

BETSY LAYNE

The Woman's Club sponsored an open-air health program and music concert on the school campus last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Marvin Ransdell gave a very enlightening and interesting talk on "Nutrition and Its Importance to Health." The school band, directed by Jesse Elliott, entertained with several musical numbers. After the program, members of the club sold home-made ice cream and cookies to those attending. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

Dr. W. J. Fitzpatrick and granddaughter, of Miami, Fla., were Wednesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blackburn.

A fine daughter was born several days ago to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rice. The little one has been named Linda Carol, and both mother and babe are doing well.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met last Friday afternoon as guests of the Laynesville Society at the home of Mrs. Willie Branham, of Boldman. Mrs. T. B. Ashley, district leader, gave an interesting lesson to the club on "People of the Pacific Islands."

Mrs. J. B. Howes and daughter visited Mrs. Howes' mother in Huntington, W. Va., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shade Hunley and children, of Boston, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hunley.

Seaman Morris Caldwell is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Caldwell. Seaman Caldwell had previously been a patient in a San Francisco naval hospital for many months.

The body of Henry Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Jones, was returned here Monday from Akron, Ohio, where Mr. Jones had been employed for some time. Funeral services were conducted from the home of Mrs. L. M. Miller, a sister, Thursday and the body was laid to rest in the Stanley cemetery at Tram.

Charlie George is a patient at the Pikeville hospital after suffering a severe illness at his home Saturday. His condition is reported as improving.

Mrs. Lon Roberts' mother, Mrs. A. R. Greenwall, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending several days visiting here.

ESTILL

Eight members of the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club who reside on Estill Heights recently complimented the other members and their husbands with a picnic on the croquet court. After being duly "refreshed" with showers, delicious country fried chicken with all the "trimmings" were served to approximately 60 persons. Several enjoyed croquet during the evening. It is hoped that this can be an annual affair.

DRIFT

Miss Sarah Lou Branham, of Boones Camp, Ky., recently visited friends and relatives here.

Junior Walters, of the army, has returned to visit his mother and other relatives here.

Miss Easter Stumbo, of McDowell, was visiting Miss Esta Mae Ward here Sunday.

Miss Dollie Boggs has returned from the Gearheart hospital, Martin, after a week's illness.

Mrs. Andrew Sexton and daughter, Lucille, were visiting Mrs. Sexton's father, Stanley Pack, recently.

Miss Betty Mosely, of Wayland, recently visited her sister-in-law Mrs. Mabel Goines Mosely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clifton, of Van Lear, are visiting Mrs. Clifton's mother, Mrs. Clara Ward.

Randal Adkins, of the army, is home at McDowell on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrison and children have gone to Indiana.

Luther Compton, of Drift, spent Saturday night with his father-in-law, Carl Robinson, of Prater.

Moore Rites Held At Pikeville Sunday

Funeral rites were held Sunday for Jess Moore, 50, who was killed when the automobile in which he was riding left the road and turned over near his home at Shelbiana, eight miles from Pikeville.

Moore, an employe of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co., was a brother of D. C. Moore, Democratic nominee for Sheriff of Pike county.

Wheelwright Man In Pearl Harbor

PEARL HARBOR, T. H.—Assigned to an important war job in the Pearl Harbor Navy Yard is Rush F. Watson, of Wheelwright, Ky., who recently arrived here to help maintain the ships of the Pacific fleet and send them back to rejoin the navy's successful march to Tokyo.

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FOR three consecutive years a staff member of our papers has been awarded the Nieman Fellowship at Harvard University.

The Lucius Nieman Fellowships were established in 1939 by Mrs. Agnes Wahl Nieman in memory of her husband, former publisher of The Milwaukee Journal. The Fellowships are offered working journalists of at least three years' experience.

The whole field of instruction at Harvard is open to Nieman Fellows. They are permitted to take courses in any department or school of the University. No technical courses designated as courses in journalism are offered, nor are special courses of study established for Fellows. The purpose of the Fellowships is not to give technical training in journalism but rather to enable the Fellows to increase their competence in subjects with which they have to deal as writers or editors.

About twelve Fellowships are awarded annually. Competition each year has been of such an order as to insure a representative selection.

In 1943 Paul Hughes, city editor of The Louisville Times, was the first Louisvillian and second Kentuckian to receive this award. Hughes specialized in post-war problems. On assignment as war correspondent in the Pacific, his personalized reports of fighting men from this area will soon appear daily in The Times and Sunday Courier-Journal. He will also record voice interviews for radio station WHAS.

In 1944 Ed Edstrom, assistant Sunday editor of The Courier-Journal, won a Fellowship which he used to study economics and municipal government. Edstrom writes for The Passing Show and The Roto-Magazine. His most recent articles have been on city planning for post-war Louisville.

Cary Robertson, Sunday editor of The Courier-Journal, is one of ten American journalists awarded the Nieman Fellowship this year. Robertson, who edits the Roto-Magazine, The Passing Show and supervises other Sunday sections, said he intended "to study history, economics and public opinion with the idea of working on some of the causes of the rise and fall of newspapers." He will be on a leave of absence from the newspaper from September until June, 1946.

To have had three of our staff men selected for Fellowships out of a total number less than 40 for the three years is an honor which these newspapers appreciate. It is, too, we think, a recognition of the high quality of the work which they and other members of our staffs put into these papers.

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Three Members of 35th, Six Others on Way Home

WITH THE 35TH INFANTRY DIVISION, Assembly Area Command, France—First Lt. Zebrum S. Dickerson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Dickerson, Water Gap; Pfc. L. L. Simpson, son of Mrs. Labe Simpson, Lancer, and Pfc. Floyd C. Handschoe, grandson of Mrs. Susie Watkins, Garrett, are en route home from Europe with the five-star "Santa Fe" Division which in 10 months battled across the Elbe river to within 42 miles of Berlin.

The 35th ended its occupational duties in Germany during the second week of July and moved to Camp Norfolk, one of the Assembly Area Command's 17 re-deployment camps near Reims. Elements of the division served as honor guard for President Truman when he arrived at Antwerp.

Hitting Omaha Beach July 7, 1944, the 35th fought the Germans from St. Lo, broke the counter-offensive at Mortain, swept across France, cracked into Germany's Saar Valley on December 12, and then whipped into Belgium and Luxembourg to wither Von Rundstedt's Ardennes bulge.

Following a shift to the Vosges Mountains, the division dashed 300 miles north through Holland to jump the Roer and Rhine rivers, crush the Siegfried Line defenses, and scoop up more than 30,000 PW's by V-E Day, to mark the end of more than 1600 combat miles in the ETO.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pfc. Sam K. Hatcher, truck driver, son of Mrs. Maggie Hatcher, Prestonsburg, as a member of the retiring 85th "Custer" Division, is slated to sail from Italy to the United States during August and undergo a final screening to determine whether he will return to civilian life. Unless the army classifies him as essential and can find no one to replace him, he will be honorably discharged soon after his arrival in the United States.

He is scheduled for transfer to the personnel center nearest his home within 48 hours of the time of his arrival in the United States. Until

he is transferred, he will be at a port or in a staging area, either of which is closed to the public.

15TH AIR FORCE IN ITALY—Cpl. Tim Slone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Slone, Wheelwright, Ky., is returning to the United States with his organization, the 52nd Fighter Group, a veteran 15th Air Force P-51 Mustang fighter outfit. A carpenter, Cpl. Slone has been overseas with the 4th Fighter Squadron since August, 1944.

Miami, Fla.—A group of Kentuckians, listing four Floyd county soldiers not long ago in places where an advance of a mile, or maybe a few yards, was too often a hellacious, tortuous and long drawn out ordeal, just completed the longest, fastest trip of their lives—7,300 miles from Casablanca, North Africa, to Miami Army Air Field.

In a matter of hours, the Air Transport Command flew them down the coast of the Dark Continent to Dakar, then hopped the Atlantic non-stop as simply as crossing the street, and turned northward again to fly around the Brazilian bulge and up through the Caribbean Islands to ATC's big international airport at Miami.

The Air Transport Command is rapidly nearing its goal of flying 50,000 returnees from overseas each month and clearing them through this ATC Caribbean Division hub for Camp Blanding, Fla., by rail.

From there they will go to reception centers nearer home for release or furlough prior to re-assignment. Among the returnees arriving at intervals during the past few days were: Pvt. Greenville Calhoun, 29, infantry, seven months in the European theater, one battle star, and Pfc. John Goble, 29, anti-aircraft, 19 months in the European theater, Purple Heart, six battle stars, both of Prestonsburg; Pfc. Raymond Conley, 23, served 50 months overseas which terminated in Germany, one battle star, and T/5 Worlie Hale, 26, infantryman, served 36 months in Italy, has Combat Infantry Badge and five battle stars, both of Hueysville.

U. S. Engineers Need Overseas Workers

Overseas job openings for men in Floyd and adjacent counties with the U.S. Corps of Engineers have been announced by the U.S. Civil Service Commission. Trades helpers, sheetmetal workers, asphalt rakers, machinists, engineering aides, and lumber carrier operators are needed for construction work on various islands in the Central Pacific Base Command.

Men from 18 to 55 are eligible to apply, but those under 30 must be in a draft classification not subject to military call. First class transportation from point of hire to overseas station is furnished by the government and return transportation will be paid for those who complete their one year contract. Subsistence and housing in government barracks at reasonable rates are available upon arrival.

James E. Walker, representative of the U. S. Engineers, will be at the U. S. Employment Service office, Prestonsburg, Ky., Aug. 27 to Sept. 1 to interview applicants and make appointments.

Pikeville College Offers Consultation Course

Pikeville, Ky. — Pikeville College now offers a consultation service for those interested in preparing for the post-war world. President A. A. Page announced this week. Special attention will be given to the problems of returning veterans by Lt. Clarence Manor, who will also serve as coach and director of physical education for men.

The fall term of the College and Academy opens Tuesday, Sept. 11, but it is urged that, wherever possible, problems be brought in before that date so that they may receive the most careful consideration.

A fully qualified faculty will offer courses in Teacher Training, General, Scientific, Pre-Dental and Pre-Medical, Home Economics, Business, Secretarial, Pre-Law and Pre-Engineering.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Lexington, Ky.—Because of the announcement of the end of the war certain changes have been made in the rationing calendar. This calendar replaces the one previously issued on August 1.

Processed foods ration free.

Meats and Fats
Red stamps Q-2, R-2, S-2, T-2, U-2 good for 10 points each through August 31.
Red stamps V-2, W-2, X-2, Y-2, Z-2 good for 10 points through September 30.
Red stamps A-2, B-1, C-1, D-1, E-1 good for 10 points through October 31.
Red stamps F-1, G-1, H-1, J-1, K-1 good for 10 points through November 30.
Sugar stamp No. 36 good for five pounds through August 31.
Airplane stamps 1, 2, 3, and 4 in War Ration Book Three each good for one pair of shoes indefinitely.

FIFTH AIR FORCES, PHILIPPINES—Sgt. William E. Miller, of Prestonsburg, is a member of a special AAF liaison group serving with the 201st Mexican Expeditionary Air Force now attached to the Fifth Fighter Command of the Fifth Air Force.

Sgt. Miller, a veteran of 32 months overseas duty in Panama and Costa Rica, had an important part in the activation of the Mexican squadron at Pocatello, Idaho, in August, 1944. He served as an interpreter-instructor of aircraft maintenance during the entire training phase and was selected to accompany the unit into combat when they moved overseas in March of this year.

Flying P-47 Thunderbolts, the 201st, the first expeditionary force in the history of the Mexican republic, is operating from a forward air-strip on Luzon. The squadron participated in the Philippine liberation campaign on low-level bomb attacks, strafing, and ground support missions.

Sgt. Miller is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Miller, of Prestonsburg.

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Collins Brothers' Grocery, to be operated by J. D. Collins and Tilden Collins, will occupy the ground floor of a 32x86-foot building at the corner of Richmond and Davis streets. The cinder block and brick two-story structure is under construction opposite the Collins Service Station. J. D. Collins, who is supervising the building, said the building and stock would represent an outlay of \$10,000. The second floor will be built into living quarters. The concrete floors are finished and the walls will be started this coming week.

Beverly M. Thompson announces the completion of the lower floor of his 36x56-foot brick-and-tile building located in the Porter addition facing U.S. Route 23. The second floor will be finished into three three-room apartments in October. Mr. Thompson expects to operate a general store and a lunch room on the ground level and plans a formal opening for business next week. He estimated the cost of his building at \$15,000.

CONVALESCING
Louisville — Miss Cora Ratliff, daughter of James Ratliff, of Hueysville, is recovering at St. Mary's hospital here from an appendectomy.

SGT. BINGHAM, HERE
Sgt. Bill Bingham arrived Friday from Palm Beach, Fla., to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham, of Water Gap.

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Miss Ethel Cross is spending her vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Cross, on Graham street.

INFORMATION FOR VETERANS

Compiled by L. O. Hinkle, Local Veterans' Employment Representative, U.S. Employment Service, Prestonsburg, Ky.)

If you are unemployed and available for work, it might be to your advantage to register for a job with the United States Employment Service. When registering for employment you should bring with you the following: your discharge, the work record that was given you at the separation center, and your Social Security number.

After you have registered and if you cannot be placed in a suitable job, it is possible that you may be eligible for the Readjustment Allowance under the G.I. Bill of Rights. It is a regulation that you be registered with the U.S. Employment Service before you can apply for this allowance.

A representative of the Kentucky Unemployment Compensation Commission is located in the U.S. Employment office at Prestonsburg, Ky. He is in this office each week-day except Monday. The United States Employment Service office and Unemployment Compensation Commission representative who is located in this office serve the counties of Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin and Morgan. The Employment office is open on week days from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Saturdays when it is closed at 12 o'clock noon.

Mrs. Tot Allen Mann is confined to her bed this week. Her condition has been serious.

NAVAL AIR STATION, HILO, HAWAII—Charles Luxmore, seaman, first class, USNR, of Hite, is serving with the communications department here.

Luxmore's wife, Edith, lives at Hi Hat. He entered the navy in January, 1944, and has been overseas 15 months.

Pfc. Claude W. Meade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Meade, West Prestonsburg, has arrived at Wakeman Convalescent hospital, Camp Atterbury, Ind., where he will take part in the educational and physical reconditioning program.

Pfc. Meade saw service in the European theater of operations and participated in two battles—the battle of Northern France and the battle of Germany, for which he wears two battle stars. He was returned to the United States after being wounded Feb. 26, 1945 and wears the Purple Heart for these wounds which were suffered in action against the enemy in the battle of Germany.

During his stay at Wakeman Convalescent hospital, Pfc. Meade has chosen radio repair for his subject in the educational program and archery and tennis for his recreational activities.

WITH THE 6TH ARMY ON LUZON—Wounded with the 35th regiment of the 25th (Tropic Lightning) Division on Luzon, Pvt. Thurman Akers, husband of Jenetta Akers, Dana, Ky., has been awarded the Purple Heart and is now back with his veteran combat unit.

An infantryman, Pvt. Akers has been in action on Luzon since the Lingayan Gulf landing in January, participating in the battles on the Central Plains and the fighting for Balete Pass and Santa Fe on northern Luzon. Before seeing action, Pvt. Akers was with the "Tropic Lightning" Division on New Caledonia.

A farmer before entering the army in September, 1944, Pvt. Akers took his training in Alabama.

Miss Maxine Henderson, of Owensboro, was guest of her sister, Mrs. Billy Goble, here last week.

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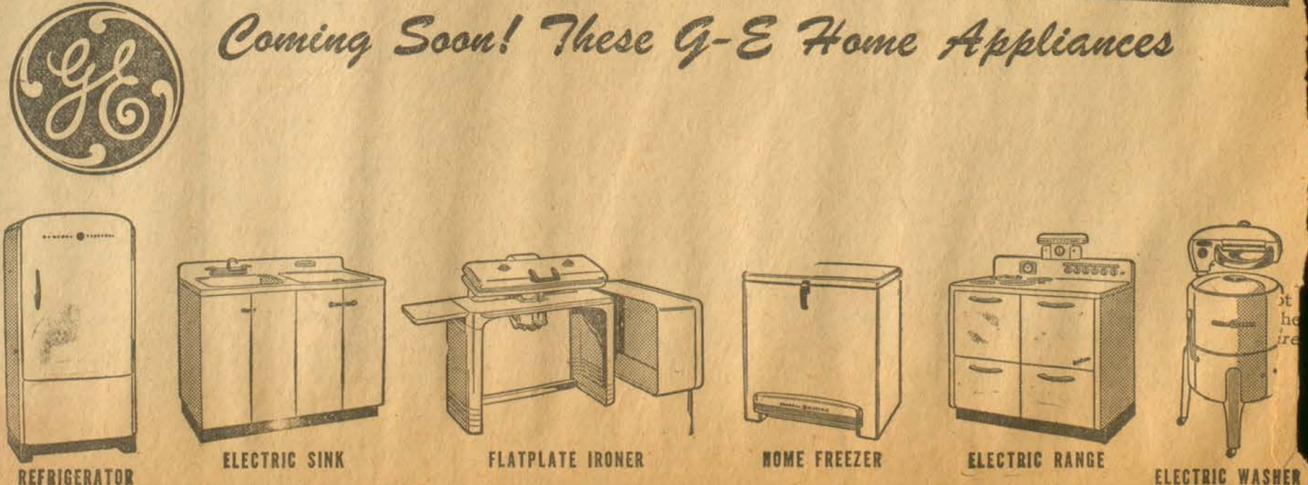
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FAST BRIDGE
Jane Hamilton Clarke was to a breakfast-bridge at her on Second avenue Friday. found place cards bearing names of Misses Sarah Clay Stephens, Dorothy Sue Allen, May Mayo, Judith Morgan Davidson, Ethel Cross, Eloise Williams, Gray Burke, Mesdames Dick Wm. Allen, Paul C. Combs. prizes were awarded to Miss Clay Stephens, high, Miss Cross, second, and Miss Alice Burke, revealing prize.

Everett Hurt, of Guthrie, is this week visiting her father, May, and other relatives. She upper guest Sunday of Mrs. Well and Mrs. Joe Hobson. Ernestine Wellman, of Louisville, spent the week-end with Miss Clay Stephens.

Robert Regan visited her in Magoffin county last while her brother was at home. He had been in the war area for more than

HONORS MRS. STEPHENS
Mrs. J. W. Howard was hostess Tuesday evening at her home on First avenue, complimenting her niece, Mrs. Raymond Stephens, of Gallon, Ohio. Three tables of bridge were in play. Lovely guest prizes were awarded Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Paul C. Combs. First prize was awarded Miss Marian Mayo, Raymond Stephens, Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Mrs. Dick Allen, Mrs. Wm. Allen, Misses Sarah Clay Stephens, Judith Morgan Davidson, Eloise Williams, Dorothy Sue Allen, Patty Rimmer, Ethel Cross, Jane Clarke, Marian Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Layne and daughter, Mary Belle, returned Monday evening from Cincinnati where they transacted business.

S/Sgt. James B. Goble, who has been with the 26th fighter command in Panama, is spending a furlough with relatives at Emma. His sister, Mrs. Rhoda Gray, and son and daughter, of Dayton, O., have been visiting him and other relatives.

Floyd Countian Weds English Girl



Left to right—Fred Bartlett, Mrs. Allen, Cpl. Allen, Daphne Bartlett, Lt. R. C. Allen

Of interest is the announcement now being made of the marriage of Miss Pamela Bartlett, Mill Cottage, Ducklington, N. Witney Oxon, England, to Cpl. Alex V. Allen, son of the Rev. Alex L. Allen, of Allen, Ky. The marriage was solemnized at 2 p.m., Thursday, April 19, in St. Bartholomew's Church, the Rev. Triston officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Fred Bartlett.

Mrs. Allen wore a lovely gown of ecru satin, a fingertip veil of fine net, interwoven with silver and held in place by a headdress of orange blossoms and pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of red carnations, lilies of the valley and fern. Her only jewelry was a small gold cross. Miss Daphne Bartlett, sister of the

bride, was maid of honor. Her dress was a picture gown of stiff mauve net with large splashes of flowers trimmed with mauve velvet. A stiff mauve veil was held in place with mauve, blue and pink flowers. She carried a small Victorian posey of anemones and fern. She also wore mauve elbow length mittens and gold sandals. Lt. R. C. Allen, cousin of the groom, served as best man. The bride's mother wore a leaf green suit with brown accessories.

Organ music was played by Miss Gladys Collis, the special hymn being, "Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us." The bride was presented with a silver horseshoe by a small girl as she was leaving the church.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Bartlett home with a few close friends and relatives attending. The bride and groom left after the reception for a short honeymoon at Minster Lowell, a famous beauty spot.

Cpl. Allen returned to his base in Germany after the honeymoon. Mrs. Allen works in the personnel department of the DeHaviland Aircraft Company, Oxford, England. She plans to come to America soon.

St. Bartholomew's Church is a picturesque structure dating back to the 15th century. Cpl. Alex Allen was the first U.S. bridegroom on the church register, and also the first American to be married by the Rev. Triston.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To all Local Unions of the United Mine Workers of America and other Organized Labor and the General Public:

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Burke-Williams Nuptials Announced This Week

Miss Helen Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Carver, of Wayland, and James A. Williams, S 1/e, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, Printer, were married Aug. 20 at Paintsville.

The Rev. Guy Preston, Paintsville, performed the ceremony at his home. The bride's corsage was pink carnations. Her attendants were Mrs. Roberta Weaver, Mrs. Katherine Morgan and her mother, all of Wayland. The groom will return to New York and the bride will reside with her parents until his return.

Society
• Notes •

Lt. Wm. F. Morell has concluded a 30-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Morell, here. He left Monday for Louisville to visit his father, who is there for medical treatment, and will report to Camp Atterbury, Ind. He was accompanied by his brother, J. M. Morell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ison, of Garrett, visited Mrs. Tot Allen Mann here Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Burke and Miss Alice Gray Burke have returned from Madison, Wis., where they visited Lt. Winston L. Burke for a few days. En route home, they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burke in Covington. Lt. Burke expects to spend a short furlough here soon.

Misses Eloise Williams and Patty Rimmer spent the week-end in Paintsville, guests of Miss Fay Maggard.

Jarvis Allen and Carl Woods spent Wednesday night visiting at Caney Junior College, Pippapass, Ky. Both are former students there. Mr. Allen returned to Caney this week where he will be employed as registrar temporarily.

W. P. Mayo and Homer Salisbury were business visitors in Cleveland, Ohio, last week.

Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill are spending 10 days' vacation at Dillsboro, Indiana.

Mrs. Billie Goble, Robin, Mary Loretta and Mrs. Goble's sister, Mrs. Joe Clark, all of Owensboro, left Monday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hubbard, of Gallia, O., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick.

Della and Helen McCormick, of Van Lear, were guests of Lols and Barbara Wells a few days last week.

Mrs. M. M. McCormick and son, Michael, of Van Lear, visited Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Wells Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Lowe, Mrs. Dora Spradlin and Mrs. Robert Wallace were guests of the Masonic lodge of Wheelwright at a Homecoming banquet Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson McIntosh left Monday for a two weeks' vacation in Winchester, Western Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Dove Vaughan had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. Paul Heddlston and daughter, Pauline, of Portsmouth, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Gude Hubbard.

Mrs. Rex Gearheart, of Georges Creek, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. Eddie Osborne, of Frankfort, is here visiting relatives and will be a teacher in the high school here this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobson and Mrs. Lida Cottrell have returned from Knoxville, Tenn., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cottrell.

Mrs. Raymond Stephens has concluded a visit here with Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Stephens and family and returned to her home in Gallon, O. She was entertained extensively while here.

MISS STEPHENS, HOSTESS

Miss Sarah Clay Stephens entertained to bridge Saturday honoring her houseguests, Mrs. Raymond Stephens, Gallon, O., and Miss Ernestine Wellman, of Louisa. Three tables were in play. Guests were Miss Wellman, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Paul C. Combs, Mrs. Wm. Allen, Mrs. Dick Allen, Misses Ethel Cross, Dorothy Sue Allen, Eloise Williams, Patty Rimmer, Judith Morgan Davidson, Jane Clarke, Marion Mayo. Mrs. Stephens and Miss Wellman were presented lovely guest prizes. High score was reached by Mrs. Wm. Allen and second high by Miss Patty Rimmer.

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INSPECTION AND AUDIT REPORT

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Table with multiple columns listing items, quantities, and costs. Includes entries for 'APRIL 3, 1945' and 'MAY 1, 1945' with various school and utility expenses.

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W. Va. Power Co., service to April 25th, McDowell... 14.00
Warfield Natural Gas Co., service to May 19, McDowell... 17.85
Habert, coal, McDowell school... 25.50
Sue Stumbo, 8th month salary... 101.90
Lava England, 8th month salary... 103.86
Lava Stumbo, 8th month salary... 127.94
Gene Stumbo, 8th month salary... 130.39
T. Hall, 8th month salary... 108.80
Gene Stumbo, 8th month salary... 115.16
E. Tackett, 8th month salary... 111.78
Vanderpool 8th month salary... 107.05
Geline Hamilton, 8th month salary... 105.80
Director of Internal Revenue, withholding tax, McDowell... 18.47
Treasurer of Kentucky, T.R.S., McDowell... 74.30
George Johnson, 8th month salary... 31.95
Inland Steel Co., lights and gas, Wheelwright... 138.20
Ratcliff, 8th month salary... 106.96
S. Mayo, 8th month salary... 127.17
Lava Bates, 8th month salary... 109.33
Lava King, 8th month salary... 129.60
Lava Franklin, 8th month salary... 111.06
Lava Burke, 8th month salary... 103.84
Lava Little, 8th month salary... 112.63
Lava Little, 8th month salary... 112.84
Lava Conley, 8th month salary... 99.17
Lava Conley, 8th month salary... 109.12
Lava Reedy, 8th month salary... 108.92
Lava Greer, 8th month salary... 111.78
Lava Ratliff, 8th month salary... 323.60
Director of Internal Revenue, Wheelwright Withholding Tax... 47.54
Treasurer of Kentucky, TRS, Wheelwright... 136.35
Lava Gilbert, 8th month salary... 144.34
Lava Edwards, 8th month salary... 59.60
Lava Collins, 8th month salary... 75.00
Lava Coal Division, rent... 196.13
Lava Campbell, 8th month salary... 90.70
Lava Johnson, 8th month salary... 108.14
Lava Turner, 8th month salary... 100.60
Lava Johnson, 8th month salary... 135.57
Lava Tackett, 8th month salary... 129.60
Lava M. Martin, 8th month salary... 121.03
Lava Dameron, 8th month salary... 123.24
Lava Naomi Allen, 8th month salary... 97.97
Lava McClure, 8th month salary... 126.48
Collector of Internal Revenue, Weeksby Withholding Tax... 155.00
Treasurer of Kentucky, TRS, Weeksby... 28.19
JUNE 5, 1945
Warfield Natural Gas Co., service at Clear Creek... 5.00
Prestonsburg Gas & Water System, water and gas... 8.07
W. Va. Power Co., service for Hunter school... 3.10
Sandy Rural Electric, Bonanza service... 1.50
W. Va. Power Co., Fed, Melvin and Ligon... 16.80
W. Va. Power Co., service for Prestonsburg H.S... 9.72
Southern Bell Telephone Co., service for garage and office... 15.55
Ma Short, May expenses... 22.00
Edward Martin, May expenses... 4.79
Bess Conley, May expenses... 30.90
Katie B. Hall, May expenses... 10.31
W. D. Steele, May expenses... 25.15
Clinton Johnson, repairing roof, No. 71... 10.00
Isaac Keathley, repairing roof, No. 71... 286.55
Sandy Valley Hdwe., supplies for various schools... 15.00
James Dameron, hauling seats from Betsy Layne to P'burg... 306.50
Mountain Printing Co., supplies for various schools... 6.11
Office Equipment Co., typewriter paper... 200.60
Beckley Cardy Co., blackboards... 19.06
Baker & Taylor Co., books for Prestonsburg library... 5.22
Princess Elkhorn Coal Co., 2 bags of dust down... 36.00
Harcourt & Co., diplomas... 33.70
The MacMillan Co., books for David school... 41.99
Hammond & Stephens Co., class records... 299.50
Jack C. Spurlin, unearned premiums—David loss... 75.00
Koppers Coal Division rent... 98.75
Supreme Paint Co., Supreme... 8.80
Dr. W. D. Osborne, per diem... 6.90
J. H. Allen, per diem... 8.65
Ray Fraley, per diem... 5.90
J. Moles, per diem... 12.00
J. W. Lewis, janitor service, Wheelwright... 30.00
Will Brown, janitor service, Allen... 48.40
Joe Sammons, janitor service, Prestonsburg... 59.60
Evan Holt, janitor service... 314.20
Hollie B. Hall, Superintendent... 149.90
Paris Conley, May salary... 207.00
Leonard Martin, May salary... 151.65
Goidia Short, May salary... 144.40
Hazel Campbell, May salary... 132.60
Alex Stephens, May salary... 220.10
Gordon Salyers, May salary... 165.20
Frank Bailey, May salary... 98.50
Scott Howell, May salary... 98.50
Lee Owens, May salary... 122.80
Denzil Whitten, May salary... 35.00
John Hall, May salary... 71.00
Cecil Hall, May salary... 98.50
Lonnie Herald, May salary... 96.80
Gordon Carroll, May salary... 98.50
Lafayette Gayheart, May salary... 96.80
M. C. Sexton, May salary... 88.50
Herman McCown, May salary... 74.30
James Reynolds, May salary... 43.95
Walter Price, May salary... 49.90
Clark Matthews, May salary... 75.05
Lewis Campbell, May salary... 5.00
C. Hall, 1 day driving... 40.00
Glenn Thompson, driving... 48.15
Master Service Station, 210 gals. gas... 66.37
Martin Standard Service Station, 246 gals. gas... 32.63
Bert Newsom, 145 gals. gas... 65.50
Malone Service Station, 248 gals. gas... 17.90
Stewart Service Station, 90 gals. gas... 26.78
United Motor Co., gas, etc... 3.30
B. Elswick, 15 gals. gas... 14.63
F. Howell, 65 gals. gas... 20.03
Carl Johnson, 80 gals. gas... 46.00
Carl Johnson, 135 gals. gas... 11.50
J. G. Salyers, May expenses... 29.09
Peerless Auto Supply, bus parts... 13.01
Wombwell Automotive Parts Co., bus parts... 158.96
Big Sandy Motor Co., bus parts... 22.10
Western Auto Associate Stores, bus parts... 1.87
McJunkin Supply Co., bus parts... 7.35
Hughes Motor Co., bus parts... 554.67
United Service Co., bus parts... 22.04
Sandy Valley Hdwe., supplies for various schools... 73.05
The Barnett National Bank, ins. premium on small buildings... 7,799.32
J. C. Spurlin, ins. premiums due on 1st year... 226.60
Collector of Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax, general fund... 12.25
Treasurer of Kentucky, TRS... 9.56
Ky. & W. Va. Power Co., service at Allen school... 1.00
Ky. & W. Va. Power Co., service to May 22, Lackey... 200.00
Floyd County Fiscal Court, contribution to Glo bridge... 49.90
Mrs. Cynthia Martin, janitor salary... 49.90
Earl Martin, janitor salary... 49.90

STARS ENTERTAINED
At the close of the regular meeting of the Eastern Star Monday night the worthy matron, Mrs. Anna Lowe, said she had a surprise—then invited all present to a party at her home.
After a most enjoyable evening, Mrs. Lowe served a delicious salad course. Those present were: Fanny Rummels, Dora Spradlin, Lucille Bingham, Nancy Webb, Josephine Davidson, Norris Blackburn, Katherine Leake, Jean Alley, Lack Roberts, Julia Stephens, Thelma Bunting, Ethel Powers, Jenka Lockwood, Eva Hyden, Thelma Meade, Hazel Paull, Marjorie Sammons, Alice Harris, Anna Jean Sturgill, Geneva Wallace, James, Jane Wallace and Robert Wallace.
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For five years the Kentucky brewing industry has conducted Self-Regulation in this state. Day and night watchfulness is continued to see that wholesome conditions are maintained where beer and ale are sold.

In keeping with the program, the Kentucky Committee of the Foundation cooperates with law-enforcement authorities. Retailers are instructed in the laws and regulations governing the sale of malt beverages; frequent inspections of retail outlets are made; infractions are reported to the law-enforcement authorities.

Though the great majority of Kentucky beer retailers are reputable businessmen, the Foundation will not reduce its efforts. As in the past, Self-Regulation will be conducted according to the standards of the industry and the tenets of good society.



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Kiwanis International Announces Nine-Point Post-War Program

Seeking to speed reconversion and aid returning veterans, Kiwanis International this week announced nine far-reaching post-war objectives as the Kiwanis Club of Prestonsburg considered ways and means of rendering greater community service in peacetime.

Hamilton Holt, Macon, Ga., president of Kiwanis International, told President Truman and Prime Minister King, of Canada, in telegrams read to the local club that Kiwanis International would lend its wholehearted co-operation in meeting and solving the problems of post-war reconstruction.

Charles Chumley, president of the Kiwanis Club, of Prestonsburg, said that Kiwanis International's post-war objectives had the unanimous endorsement of Kiwanians here. He revealed that the service organization's theme would be "Build for Peace—Unity—Opportunity."

The nine objectives follow:
1. Develop an understanding of the United Nations Charter in support of world peace.
2. Aid returning veterans.
3. Encourage sound programs of reconversion.
4. Strengthen democracy by personal acceptance of citizenship responsibilities.
5. Expand youth services to build character and citizenship.
6. Mobilize public opinion in support of individual enterprise and opportunity.
7. Conserve natural resources.
8. Further goodwill between Canada and the United States as an outstanding example of international cooperation.
9. Develop national unity through increased emphasis on human and spiritual values.

"Red" Clark Holds "Sweet" Navy Job

ABOARD A CRUISER IN THE PACIFIC—Never let it be said that Willie F. Clark, 22, seaman, first class, USNR, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark, live in Prestonsburg, Ky., can't "dish it out." When this hard-hitting cruiser is engaged in battle, Clark dishes up the shells in a turret of the main battery, but when he is not at his battle station, he dishes out ice cream, sodas, soft drinks and frozen candy here to his shipmates from the ship's soda fountain.

The Prestonsburg sailor, who has one of the "sweetest" jobs in the navy, entered service on March 9, 1943 at Great Lakes and joined the crew of this cruiser July 6, 1943.

Former School Teacher, 76-Year-Old Triplet, Succumbs Monday

Henry Clay Ward, 76 years old, one of triplet brothers, died at his home at Inez Monday of a heart attack.

Ward, a retired Martin county teacher, is survived by four brothers, including the other triplets, Daniel V. Ward, Paintsville, and Peter S. Ward, St. Louis; his widow, a son and a daughter.

DWALE

Many friends and relatives here are glad to learn that little Barbara Jean Jones has returned to her home in Cincinnati, Ohio, and is recovering. She has been a patient at the Cincinnati General hospital for the last two weeks suffering from infantile paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Branham were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Crisp recently.

Mrs. Obie Crisp, of Allen, is spending a few days here, guest of her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Branham, Mrs. Oliver Crisp and Mrs. L. P. Lafayette, Jr.

Gene Paul Branham has returned home after being a patient at the Martin General hospital for the last few days. He is a son of Mrs. Dee Branham.

TO FLOYD COUNTY DEMOCRATS

A Democratic meeting will be held at the courthouse in Prestonsburg Saturday, Aug. 25, at 6 p.m., and every Democrat who was a candidate at the August primary, whether defeated or a winner, as well as every precinct committeeman, is urged to be present.

Our duty to our party does not end with election or defeat. There are many things yet to be done and each of us owes it to the party to attend this meeting.

DOUG HAYS, Chairman
Floyd County
Financial Committee
8-16-2t

T/Sgt. and Mrs. John A. Davidson and son, Johnny Burke, have returned from a two-weeks visit in Gulliver, Mich. Sgt. Davidson is stationed at Municipal Airport, Nashville, Tenn.

NOTICE

All tax returns for 1945 must be filed with the Tax Commissioner before September 15, 1945.

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Thurs. and Friday, Aug. 23 and 24—'THE PHANTOM LADY'

with Franchot Tone, Ella Raines, Alan Curtis, Thomas Gomez, Fay Helm, Aurora Miranda, Andrew Tombes and Regis Toomey.

Saturday, August 25—Double Feature Program 'LONE RIDER, BORDER ROUNDUP'

with George Houston and Al (Fuzzy) St. John

Second Feature 'WEEK-END PASS'

with Martha O'Driscoll, Noah Beery, Jr., George Barbier, Andrew Tombes, Eddie Acuff and The Delta Rhythm Boys.

Sun. and Mon., August 26 and 27—'SALUTE TO THE MARINES'

(in technicolor) with Wallace Beery, Fay Bainter, Ray Collins, Keye Luke, Marilyn Maxwell, Reginald Owen, William Lundigan, Donald Curtis, Noah Beery, Sr., and Russell Gleason.

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Elder Hiram and Lee Hall precincts and the plaintiff asked that results in these two, Prestonsburg No. 1 and the precincts where the chain ballot allegedly were used be disregarded.

Salisbury alleged that for each of his opponents "at least \$8,000" were spent in the primary.

Hatcher's suit against County Attorney Burchett alleges general violation of the Corrupt Practices act.

Tackett's petition alleged wholesale bribery with Cornett's money pooled with a slate composed of other candidates.

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tion in the Big Sandy field has been off 25 per cent because of absenteeism. For the first six months of 1945, the Big Sandy Coal Operators Association reports that its 43 member mines turned out an average tonnage of 1,082,331 tons per month.

Officials of one Floyd mine predicted that they would return to a five-day work basis and use one day to repair machinery and thereby produce as much or more than the present six-day week.

Returning veterans will find jobs waiting for them with open arms, say mine officials, as they represent the best of the younger working men who are preferred to operate the machinery because "they are alert, make better workmen than older heads. They are more easily taught the various operations."

Production figures unavoidably vary due to working conditions, height of coal, experience of and type of labor and workability of machinery. These are some of the factors to consider in anticipating a new all-time high in coal production, several mine officials opined.

Beaver Man Succumbs As Death Overtakes Hospital Ambulance

Somewhere between Melvin and Lackey, George Burchett, 46-year-old miner, died Saturday.

An ambulance raced from Melvin toward the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, bearing Burchett there for treatment for a heart condition. When it stopped and attendants prepared to remove him to a hospital room it was learned that he had expired.

Mr. Burchett was a native of this county, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Burchett. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lettie Burchett, a son, Jerry Randall, both of Melvin, and the following sisters: Mrs. Pearl Clemmons, Melvin; Mrs. Frank Burke, Auxier; Mrs. Henry Eite, Van Lear; Mrs. Hargis Clemmons, Newport News, Va.; Mrs. Fred Wells, Lancer.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the graveside in the Painter Harve cemetery, Melvin, by the Rev. Jesse Osborne, with burial under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

RECEIVES DIPLOMA

Miss Velda Mae Allen, daughter of Mrs. Ella Howard Allen, of Pyramid, received her diploma from Pikeville College at exercises held Aug. 10. She was also a special guest at a dinner honoring the summer graduates given preceding the exercises.

VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. S. B. Webb, of Lackey, Mrs. M. V. Wicker and Mrs. J. T. Spillman and daughters, of Estill, were guests of relatives here Wednesday.

MARTIN THEATRE 'WHERE THE CROWDS GO'

FRIDAY—'The Gay Senorita' Jinx Falkenburg, 8-23-45

SATURDAY—'The Clock' Judy Garland, Robert Walker, 8-23-45

SUNDAY-MONDAY—'Nob Hill' (in color) George Raft, Joan Bennett, Vivian Blaine, Peggy Ryan, 8-23-45

TUESDAY—'Don Juan Quillan' William Bendix, Joan Blondell, 8-23-45

WEDNESDAY—'Cumberland Mountain Folks' ON STAGE IN PERSON 'Hi Beautiful' Martha O'Driscoll, Noah Beery, Jr., 8-23-45

Attend our Saturday and Sunday matinees.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—electric fan, marble top dresser, 3-piece davenport suite, 1 bedroom suite, 1 baby buggy, 1 nursery chair, 1 baby swing, 1 glider. JAMES P. ALLEN, Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg, opposite Greenwades, 8-24-45

FOR SALE—2 piano boxes. \$2 each. E. B. BROWN, City, 8-2-45

FOR SALE—8-room house, priced reasonable. JOHN HUGHES, 69 Highland ave., Prestonsburg, Ky. 8-9-45

FOR SALE—50-acre farm on Sugar Loaf, 2-room house, cellar, crib, good orchard, 8 acres good timber. Reasonable price. See or write JOSEPH BROWN, Lancer, Ky. 8-16-45

FOR SALE—all my property at Bosco, including 16 acres land, store building with stock of merchandise, feed house with stock of feed, flour and meal, 7-room residence (bath, electricity and gas in house), two garages. See or write F. P. HAYES, Hueysville, Ky. 8-16-45

FOR SALE—10-room house, water, electricity, gas, at Estill, Ky. See I. M. STURGILL, Estill 8-16-45

FOR SALE—restaurant and equipment, including new Frigidaire, also booths, tables, counters, stools. Also house for rent. See MAGGIE HOOVER, Garrett, Ky. 8-16-45

FOR SALE—6 business lots in Prestonsburg. See PAUL FRANCIS, Prestonsburg, 8-16-45

FOR SALE—47 fine sites for home near Betsy Layne. Phone 3311 or 4971, Prestonsburg, 8-16-45

LOST—yellow gold identification bracelet with "Martin, Jr." engraved on back, "Ruth" on front. Finder return. Reward. LETTE JEWELRY STORE, Prestonsburg, 8-16-45

COUNTRY HONEY—5-lb. jar, \$1.35. PAUL FRANCIS, City, 8-16-45

STEADY WORK—get established in a business of your own. Earnings start immediately. Well-known company has an opening in Prestonsburg for the right man or woman. Write the J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, 72-80 W. Iowa, Memphis 2, Tenn. 8-5-45

MILLER'S CLOTHING STORE, Prestonsburg and Garrett, have just received a large amount of used merchandise, shoes of all kinds. See these stores for bargains. 8-23-45

FOR SALE—late '39 Ford deluxe coupe. In excellent condition. Good tires. See MRS. WADE HALL, Phone 3032, Prestonsburg.

FOR SALE—two lots 100-foot front near Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg. Will sell either or both. F. P. HOWARD, City, 8-23-45

HORSE FOR SALE—My wife now serves me malty-rich, sweet-as-a-nut Grape-Nuts every morning. With this delicious, energy-packing cereal under my belt, I don't need a horse. I pull the plow myself.

TRADE OR SELL—1940 Hudson 6, 2-door sedan. Radio, heater, clock and good tires, low mileage. Grab this bargain while you can. See JAMES BURKETT, 407 Graham St., Prestonsburg, 8-23-45

FOR SALE—in Prestonsburg, one 7-room house with bath. All modern conveniences. On Third avenue. Very desirable. See R. TAYLOR, City, 8-23-45

FOR SALE—120-acre farm, 7 miles south of Louisa on Louisa-Blaine road near school, church, bus line and store. School bus passes place. 10 acres good creek bottom, 10 acres good truck patches, plenty pasture. Good timber and about 3,000 crossties, some fruit and berries, good barn, three chicken houses and other outbuildings, two good houses, one 7-rooms, one 5-rooms; free gas, electricity available soon. Price \$6,500. Terms can be arranged. See ERNEST NELSON, Louisa, Ky., Route 1. 16-45

LOST—saddle, fenders and iron stirrups, and red felt saddle blanket. Lost some time Saturday evening at Salsbury. Return to VIRGIL ALLEN, Printer, Ky.

NEW DELHI, INDIA—T/S Robert E. Reddie is a member of an army railway outfit in India which is operating an important link in the line of communications to our Chinese allies. Brother of Mrs. W. E. Rose, of Wheelwright, the 27-year-old Kentuckian has been in the army since June, 1943, and has been overseas since December of the same year.

The road was built originally to fulfill the peacetime requirements of the Assam tea planters. Now it is one of the most important supply arteries for American and Allied troops in the Far East.

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Good roads or bad, I'm no speed king. But I made it from Salyersville to Ivyton in 11 minutes this week and from Ivyton on to Prestonsburg in 25 minutes, even if I did plow through some loose gravel for a mile or so and chase a loose hub cap a furlong. All delays added together, I could never have beat the time by driving from Salyersville to Paintsville and on to Prestonsburg. It wouldn't hurt most Floyd countians to give the new route a whirl. They need to see this part of the county and that part of the other county. Personally, I selected a half a dozen "house seats" along the way. I crave quiet and peace, you understand.

But that underpass at Royalton—something must be done about it, if trucks or buses are to use the route. It's a bit ridiculous to have such a road and to have it blocked to the heavier traffic which really appreciates time-and gas-saving. And, too, we should never stop till the Prestonsburg-Salyersville road is "black-topped."

This 'n' That

By NOBLE HOBBS

The old home town celebrated V-J Day in a great way as might be expected of old Wayland. We were awakened by the whistle at the tippie at 2 in the morning and then came a barrage of lead of which the boys in the Pacific would have been proud, had they been near or had it sent over before an all-out attack, and they say there is a shortage of ammunition.

Out to Fountain Square where a bonfire was already burning with the gals and guys taking the town apart in a peaceful way with one sweet young thing parading up and down the street yelling, "Men, men, children, they are coming home, plenty of them!"

The church doors were open with a goodly crowd there and they were singing sweet and low as we passed there. Daylight finally arriving with some of the out-of-town boys coming in to work who had not heard the news and immediately joining the celebration... yes, there was no work!

Tuesday night, Fountain Square was roped off and a square dance, a folk dance of Lithuania put on by Anthony Boloutous and some kind of dance by Mike Balch, as they did it in Yugoslavia 40 years ago, and jitting-bugging or what have you. Everybody on Right Beaver must have been present with his dog.

As for ye scribe, by Tuesday night, he was deep in the wilds of Tennessee listening to the peaceful snores of Dr. J. H. Allen, while George, his son, and I were preparing to launch our motor boat on Norris Lake to a point some distance away to take a squirrel hunt.

All is well that ends well, and all the hunters and fishermen were very happy and so were the squirrels, fishes and chiggers. Not many of the fish and squirrels were hurt while the chiggers had a field day despite all the known precautions—what a wonderful meal the chiggers had and they always bite just where they shouldn't.

And so long till next time.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., AUGUST 23-24—'Salty O'Rourke' Alan Ladd, Gail Russell, 'Popeye a La Mode.' March of Time; Teen-age Girls. Matinees—1:30 p.m. Nights—7:15 p.m. and 8:50 p.m.

SATURDAY—11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m.—6:27 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.—'Cattle Stampede' Serial—'Purple Monster Strikes.'

SATURDAY—3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—'A Sporting Chance' Jane Randolph, John O'Malley. 'It Happened in Springfield.' A Lady Fights Back.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—'Captain Eddie' Fred MacMurray, Lynn Bari. News. Yankee Doodle's Daughters. Sunday matinees—1:30 p.m. and 2:45 p.m. Monday matinee—1:30 p.m. Nights—7:15 p.m. and 8:45 p.m.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—'A Tree Grows in Brooklyn' Joan Blondell, James Dunn, D. McGuire. News. 'Girls Preferred.' Matinees—1:30 p.m. Nights—7:15 p.m. and 9:02 p.m.

Floyd Woman's Husband Is Pilot in Italy

First Lieut. Harold Roberts, husband of Mrs. Inez Roberts, 1407 N. Third street, St. Joseph, Mo., currently flying over the Alps bordering the Italian Riviera as a courier is expected home soon, Mrs. Roberts happily reports this week. Mrs. Roberts is the former Inez Fraley, daughter of Blaine Fraley, of Auxier.

Lt. Roberts, a pilot for the 125th field artillery battalion of the 34th Red Bull division, served as an air observer pilot after joining the Fifth army unit on the Anzio beachhead. Since the victory in Europe he has been stationed with his battalion in San Remo, Italy, a resort city.

SHOWS LITTLE CHANGE

Condition of Jo M. Davidson, who recently returned to his home here from a Louisville hospital, remains little changed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Edith James Music Co. will resume its classes on Monday, Sept. 3. Enrollment for the term must be made during the week of August 27.

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INSPECTION AND AUDIT REPORT OF THE OFFICE OF THE FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AND OF TOWN HALL SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND HOLLIE B. HALL SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND OF WESLEY CAMPBELL TREASURER FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 1944, TO JUNE 30, 1945

RECAPITULATION

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Balance on hand at beginning of year', 'Total received during the year', 'Total disbursed during the year', and 'Actual bank balance (B minus C)'.

ASSETS:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'School Building and Grounds', 'School Furniture and Equipment', 'Office Equipment', 'Cash in Current Fund', 'Cash in Sinking Fund', and 'Total Assets'.

LIABILITIES:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Bonds Outstanding (voted)', 'Outstanding Bonds Outstanding', 'Total Liabilities', and 'Net Worth (A minus B)'.

(Signed) FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION Treasurer WESLEY CAMPBELL

We have examined and audited the account of the treasurer of the Floyd County Board of Education and find the receipts, disbursements and balance as herein stated.

(Signed) J. H. ALLEN Chairman, Floyd County Board of Education (Signed) HOLLIE B. HALL Secretary, Floyd County Board of Education

Date: July 13, 1945.

ORDERS OF TREASURER

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Lists various payments and expenses for the year, including utility bills, salaries, and school supplies.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Continuation of the audit report listing various items and their costs.

AUGUST 1944

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Continuation of the audit report for August 1944, listing various items and their costs.

SEPTEMBER, 1944

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.

A SICK COMPLEX

We used to take for granted that we would have chills and fever every summer and hardly expected to pass any season without our due quota. This was looked upon as a necessary part of our being human beings. In spite of this philosophical attitude, though, we got a sick complex, which asserted itself in many ways. If there is anything that separates the thinking of my boyhood time from that part of my children's lives it is this very acceptance, in a sort of dreary way, of what we now know is preventable. Sickness used to be almost fashionable; now health is contagious, and we want to apologize for being "under the weather."

My Fidelity neighborhood lay at the edge of swampy ground, where malarial mosquitoes lived in abundance. Screens were unknown until I was almost grown; we failed to connect our sudden loss of the annual round of chills and fever with the installing of screens. It is true that some of the swamps were drained, but not all the breeding grounds of the mosquito were obliterated. People had always had ague; it was controllable with quinine, and anybody could take quinine after capsules were invented. Nobody then seemed to suspect that malaria might undermine a fellow's health and get him into the proper condition to take tuberculosis or anything else that was takable. Consumption, as we knew it, was supposed to be wholly hereditary, and it was obvious that certain families, good and bad, rich and poor, white and colored, had more cases than others. In so regarding this disease, we were no more ignorant and no wiser than the rest of the world, beyond our limited vision. Smallpox, however, had practically ceased to be, for all the country doctors practiced vaccination, and there was no left-over, so far as I can recall, of the idea that smallpox was a direct visitation of Providence because of some open or secret sin. Even the children proudly displayed their vaccination scars, as so many badges of forethoughtedness. Just before my time a fearful scourge of smallpox had swept through our area, wiping out whole families or leaving badly-marked people. That caused even the most old-fashioned to consider the common sense of being vaccinated.

I wish that other diseases could have been sensibly viewed. Many a farm had cows with tuberculosis. I know now. Scrofula was rather common, so common that many people felt that it was a sort of blessing, because victims of it in otherwise tubercular families often failed to take consumption of the regular kind. The idea of isolation or quarantine was hooted at except for smallpox. As a result, such diseases as measles often spread like wildfire, maiming people or even killing the very young and the very old. One of my schoolmates, home from a few months of wandering to see the world, went to a party or open house where all the people of a whole community had gathered. He knew when he went that he had fever and that he had recently been exposed to measles, but he wanted to see the neighbors. Three of the ones he saw that night died of measles taken from him, and my father, the country doctor, had great difficulty in saving the lives of several others. Right now, with undulant fever one of the dread diseases that can be prevented by pasteurization of milk, I know of dozens of people of education and people in authority who sneer at the idea of there being danger in milk from a cow that is able to be up on her feet. Some day we will be as careful about milk as we are now about smallpox, I hope.

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Table of financial transactions and receipts, including items like Standard Oil Co., power service, and various school supplies, with associated dollar amounts.

WPB's Detailed Plan For Reconversion

The War Production Board's detailed plan for reconversion of industry to civilian production was made public by Chairman J. A. Krug this week, following President Truman's announcement of Japan's unconditional surrender. In effect, the plan calls for revocation of all possible controls, only those being retained which will be necessary to prevent industrial dislocation and bottle-necks which might prove harmful to re-employment and to assure stabilization. At the same time the Krug report stressed the fact that even the controls which are being retained are only temporary measures and would be revoked as soon as possible. The high points of the plan are as follows: 1. All but a handful of orders will be cancelled within a few weeks. 2. Release of a huge industrial building program through a plan to relax industrial construction controls. This plan, designed to absorb the manpower and materials freed by military cutbacks is already in effect and additional relaxation will be considered within 30 days. 3. Remove ceilings on production of automobiles and other consumer durable goods. These important industries may now move forward with all-out production programs. 4. Orders controlling materials that are still in short supply—tin, crude rubber, textiles, lumber, etc.—will be retained until shortages are over or until there is no longer any danger of a scramble. 5. Inventory controls will be maintained until the danger of hoarding is over, pre-emptive buying and stockpiling by the few at the expense of many are over. 6. Preferential protection of small business (\$50,000 or less per quarter) including the rating system will remain in effect for the time being until the effects of cutbacks can be appraised and it is safe to remove them. 7. WPB will retain its powers for breaking bottlenecks or giving protection where needed to military or highly essential civilian or export needs. These powers will be used only where necessary and business should not rely upon priorities for conducting its normal activities. 8. In line with the President's letter to the WPB chairman, the Board will take vigorous action to expand production of materials which are in short supply to meet civilian demands and will work with OPA, WMC and other agencies whose operations are of equal importance to the rapid expansion of such production. "The WPB control structure was created and developed to provide a framework for the fulfillment of war production needs, to assure the maintenance of a sound war-supporting economy, and to further the combined war effort of the United States," Mr. Krug said. "With the ending of the war, these primary objectives have been accomplished and the occasion for many WPB controls have largely disappeared. "In some cases, orderly relaxation and revocation must be spread over a period of weeks or even a few months, to avoid unnecessary dislocation and to assure stabilization. In some instances, the national interest dictates the exercise of control for a longer period. "Practically all materials and resources needed by American industry will be available in abundance. American business men, managers and workers must meet this challenge and use their initiative and resourcefulness for making the thousands and thousands of decisions necessary to get American production again on a peacetime basis. "The government can help but the initiative must come from the people. Priorities which were designed to allocate short supplies and scarce materials will not solve the problem of making prompt and effective use of the materials that have now become plentiful. The WPB chairman pointed out that in the post V-J Day transition the greatly reduced but still continuing military requirements must still be fully met. "At the same time," he continued, "A smooth transition to peacetime conditions will be impossible unless steps are taken to prevent hoarding of scarce materials, or an inflationary scramble. Essential needs of the basic economy must continue to be met and to this end it may be necessary to break occasional 'bottle-necks' arising during the inevitably difficult period of readjustment."

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Standard Oil Co., 1 barrel floor oil for rural schools... F. S. Vanhose, 3 window sashes for Stephens Branch school... Morell Supply Co., materials for repairing various schools...

Leonard Martin, reimbursement on stoves purchased for board... Mrs. Andrew May, stamps and box office rent for Supt. office... Floyd County Health Dept., Oct., Nov. and Dec. appropriation for dental program...

INFLATION SEEN AS THREAT TO FARMERS

(The following statement on inflation was issued by the Committee on Postwar Agricultural Policy of the Association of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities. C. A. Dykstra, formerly city manager of Cincinnati, now of the University of California at Los Angeles, and Dean Thomas P. Cooper, of the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics, are members of this committee.)

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Table of financial transactions and receipts, including items like 'Allie Bentley, 4th mo. janitor and cleaning school before begin', 'Prestonsburg Pub. Co., 500 letterheads, 500 envelopes, Wayland', and 'Sandy Valley Hdwe. Co., gas heaters, grates, Wayland'.

Table of financial transactions and receipts, including items like 'Elliott Glass & Electric Shop, safety glass for school buses', 'Sandy Valley Hdwe., parts for school buses', and 'Mrs. Andrew May, stamps for Supt. office'.

Table of financial transactions and receipts, including items like 'from Maytown fund', 'Jones Gas Co., meter and gas bill, Bosco', and 'Ky. & W. Va. Power Co., service to Feb. 21, Bosco'.

Shoe Dealers Suspend For Ceiling Violations. Twenty-four Eastern Kentucky shoe dealers were suspended following rationed shoes received following hearings before Fred S. Glover, Jr., hearings commissioner for the Office of Price Administration regional headquarters Cleveland. They were charged with short inventory and with accepting valid and mutilated ration stamp. Suspended were J. I. Terrill, Carlton, 15 days; J. E. Campbell, 49.90; one month; G. T. Jones, do business as The People's Store, 178.87; three months, with 45 days probation; Hays Phillips and wife, Edo, Pike County, three months; Tom Powers, doing business as Powers Cash Store, Brooksville, three months; J. H. Pennington, Richmond, 30 days. R. C. Martin, doing business as Martin's Cash Store, Vico, 30 days; J. O. Arnett, doing business as E. B. Arnett Store, Salversville, one week; J. W. Walton, do business as the Cut Rate Store, Booneville, one week; J. Fraley, Pikeville, one week; J. H. Cohn and wife, Glazer, doing business as store, Prestonsburg, 10 days. J. L. Stamper, doing business as Stamper's General Store, Grass Creek, one week; Nathan Rothchild, doing business as Scott Store, Prestonsburg, one week; A. Oldfield, Mize, 30 days; John Craft, doing business as Craft's Department Store, Neon, one week; Willie Lucas, Thornton, 15 days; W. Slem and R. D. Flanery, do business as Lorraine Sales Co., Thornton, 15 days; Beckham, land General Store, Bimble, one week; C. C. Feltner, Manches, one week; Mrs. J. M. Elam, do business as Mrs. J. M. Elam & Son, Hyden, 10 days; Tommie Jones, Store, Sand Gap, 30 days; Ray Comater, Whitley City, 15 days probation, and Sandy Valley Co. Company, Prestonsburg, 30 days.

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