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PAGING MR. HILL!

The estimable Russell Times reports that Corp. John Hill, of that town, "dropped in to see us" and to report that he is drilling an "art ward squad made up of many boys from Floyd county."

Do tell! Why single out Floyd county? THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES hereby turns this Opl. Hill's "artward" statement over to Harry T. Hill (no kin), clerk of Floyd county Draft Board No. 44.

NEED A FIRSTBASEMAN? Walter C. Mullins, a newcomer to Prestonsburg, is a left-handed first baseman. He was a regular on the Lebanon, Ky. team and can play any position but the catcher. You will find him at Dick's five-and-ten-cent store.

BEHIND THE TIMES, IS RIGHT? You "kid" us, THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES about being "behind the times," compare us, to our discredit, with daily newspapers. Yeah--you're smart, and the daily newspapers you read are "the last word."

But what do you make of that ultra-deluxe "washing only Merry-Go-Round" releasing this week to its subscriber-publications the following:

"Popular pastimes at Selective Service is swapping stories about draftees. Here is the latest making the rounds: "A prospective draftee was taking his physical examination and the doctor directed him to 'look at the chart on the wall and tell me what numbers you see.' " "What wall" asked the draftee blankly.

"After looking him over a few minutes the doctor told the registrant the army couldn't use him. He put on his clothes and departed. But on his way home he stopped to see a movie. When the lights went on at intermission, he was startled to find the examining physician seated beside him.

"But the draftee was equal to the occasion. Nudging the doctor he asked innocently, 'Can you tell me what numbers you see?'"

Copyrighted column, without fear of infringement, simply because, simply little old FLOYD COUNTY TIMES printed the same anecdote in its edition March 13--more than two months ago--and in the "Third Street Exchange" way back then!

4 ACCUSED IN THEFT

Merchants Allege Former Floyd Men Involved in Case

Found in possession of 123 suits of clothing which allegedly had been stolen from Carrollton and Somerset merchants, James W. "Doc" Mason, former proprietor of the Top Hat night club at East Point, Winfred Walters, former Prestonsburg resident, Roy Wheeler, 42, Paintsville hotel manager, and Shine May, 28, also of Paintsville, were arrested in an early morning raid last Thursday in the Wheeler hotel, Paintsville, by Sgt. Felt Russell, of the state highway patrol, and Carrollton police.

The officers reported that they found a large portion of the 422 suits missing at the hotel in Paintsville, where some of the missing garments had been boldly displayed for sale.

Patrolman Melvin E. Huff said James W. Mason, 28, and Shine May, both of Paintsville, were released on bond. Still in custody, he said, are Roy Wheeler, 42, manager of the hotel, and Shine Walters, 28, Paintsville.

At Somerset, prior to the police announcement that the men were in custody, the Pulaski county grand jury returned four indictments against the clothing thief there. The indictments named Wheeler, Mason, May and Walters.

The officers were accompanied by the proprietors of the Carrollton and Somerset stores, from which the clothing was stolen. The proprietors were I. E. Jasper, Carrollton, and M. L. Govers, Somerset. Burglaries were committed at Jasper's store the night of May 4, and at Govers' store May 7.

Patrolman Huff said clothing stolen from Jasper was on display in a window at the hotel. Clothing

PRICE CEILING PLANS TOLD AT MEETING

Floyd Merchants Busy Engaged In Compliance

Approximately 150 Eastern Kentucky merchants Friday evening heard W. S. Grant, of the Cleveland, O., branch of the Office of Price Administration, explain here the price ceiling plan devised by the federal government to curb inflation.

He told how the government had tried "price fixing," next it had tried restrictions on industry and when neither of the two plans worked, the government had the solution to halt inflation and its subsequent ravages--that of a "price ceiling."

He declared that this plan would affect the industry and commerce at all levels--the manufacturer, the jobber and wholesaler, as well as the retailer. "We of the Office of Price Administration regard the retail merchant as the linchpin," he said, "to the smooth functioning and effective application of Price Control."

Citing a need for a curb on inflation, he pointed out that "since the outbreak of war in September, 1939, the commodity prices had advanced 66 per cent, wholesale prices were up 31 per cent; retail prices had spiraled skyward 25 per cent, and the cost of living had risen 15 per cent. You know that this alarming trend had occurred at a constantly accelerating speed, that during the last 12 months, one half of the basic commodity price advance, two-thirds of the wholesale price increase, and three-quarters of the retail price rise had occurred."

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Registrants were greeted at the bus station by a large early-morning crowd. Joe P. Tackett, World War I veteran, delivered an address to the numbers, were rendered by the Floyd county school band led by Jesse Elliott. The selectees were given baskets of sandwiches, cigarettes, etc.

Harry T. Hill, clerk of Draft Board 44, said this week that, after they had failed to appear here Tuesday for examination, the following registrars were mailed "suspected delinquency" notices:

Forster Mitchell, Beaver; Carrow, Robb and William Jesse Sheppard, all of Goodletts; Edna Crutcher, Raymond Packett, Myrtle; Woodrow Owsley, of Dock and Marshall, Mich.; Joel Hinton, of Allen and Los Angeles, California.

Proclamation

Whereas, in the year 1775 on the 28th day of May the first religious service was held in Kentucky at Booneborough by the Reverend John Lyle under a great elm; and Whereas, this is Kentucky's Sesquicentennial year and the people of this vicinity have enjoyed the blessing of religious and of religious freedom, state and nation have survived the vicissitudes and crises of a century and a half within the boundary of Kentucky and of religious freedom set forth in the first constitution and all subsequent constitutions and the Bill of Rights of Kentucky; and Whereas, the Kentucky Bicentennial Commission has suggested that all churches in the state participate in a day of meditation May 24, in commemoration of that eventful day of May 28, 1775.

Now, therefore, I, E. P. Arnold, Mayor of Prestonsburg, in the name and by the authority of the good people of said city, and in virtue of my office as chief executive, I do hereby declare and proclaim that Sunday, May 24, 1942 shall be the day for all citizens of this vicinity to observe as Kentucky Meditation Day.

Done at the city hall and given under my hand as Mayor, with the seal of the city attached hereto affixed this 19th day of May, 1942. E. P. ARNOLD, Mayor of Prestonsburg.

Deserter-Prisoners To Be Jailed Here Only on Warrant

Jailer Guy Horn this week announced that he will in the future refuse to accept for imprisonment any prisoners charged with army desertion unless the arresting officer produces a federal warrant.

Explaining his position, he said that federal authorities had refused to accept collect messages informing the location of the arrest of alleged deserters and that there apparently was a lack of interest in the apprehension of such fugitives.

After federal authorities had failed to take action two alleged deserters, George Tucker, of Ligon, and Verli Prater, Bull Creek, were released from jail here recently.

W. WRIGHT LEADS LEAGUE

Wayland, P'burg Teams, Second In Standings

Wheelwright had undoubted possession of the lead in the Big Sandy Baseball League pennant chase this week after defeating Wayne Sunday, 4-1, for its third win in a row. Prestonsburg and Wayland, with two wins out of three games each, were tied for second place. Drift and Thekla were tied for third position and the hapless Van Lear Bank Bats were in the cellar without a victory.

Prestonsburg dealt Van Lear its third defeat in a row Sunday, 5 to 3, but Thekla sprang the major upset of the yet-young season by slightly edging Drift, 10 to 4.

DRAFT TEMPO HEIGHTENS

View Held Locally As Another Call Is Announced

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Maryland Osborne Succumbs Friday To Tuberculosis

Maryland (Crow) Osborne, 37 years old, died Friday night at his home at Hill, a victim of tuberculosis from which he had suffered for some time.

A son of the late Buck and Mrs. Julia E. Martha Osborne, he was well-known in the Beaver Creek section of the county where he had many relatives. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Allie Taylor Osborne, three daughters and four sons: Winifred, Jennie, Dolores, Donald, Ralph, Frank and Maryland, Jr. He also leaves two brothers, Perry Osborne, Martha; Lee Osborne, Alphonette, and Bee Osborne, of Hill.

POW IS ELECTED U. OF CINCINNATI CLASS PREXY

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PASSION PLAY PORTRAYAL SPONSORED BY KIWANIS

The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club has arranged to show in the grade school auditorium here one of the most unusual talking motion picture ever made. The title of the picture is "GOLGOTHA," and it is the first and only talking motion picture ever made of the famous Passion Play.

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HAZARD FEARS TROUBLE AFTER RAPE SLAYING

Deputy Sheriff Roy Baker said Sheego's condition was not serious. The deputy added that one bullet struck Sheego's artificial leg, knocking the man down, and a second bullet grazed his shoulder.

Sheego's assailant, identified by State Patrolman Luther Risner as Bill Combs, negro, 33, was arrested early today on the outskirts of Hazard after having fled in a hall of bullets last night. Combs was taken to Lexington.

Robertson, earlier removed to Lexington, admitted the assault on the slaying in a signed statement yesterday. Fayette county Jailer Ernest Thompson said.

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3 FROM FLOYD ARE MISSING

Navy Department' Casualty Roll Lists Two

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Relatives were visiting the family and had been showering attention upon the boy who remarked to his father, "I'm going to mother," who was in another room at the time.

Both parents missed the child and search was instituted. A few minutes later they discovered the body of the babe in a corner of the brooder house. Reports are reaching here indicating that a socket was "shorted" and the child had touched it.

The victim, an only child of the young couple, is survived by his parents, his grandparents, John D. and Molly Music, and a large number of relatives.

Funeral services were held today (Thursday), at 2 p. m., by the Rev. J. M. P. of the United Baptist Church, at the Music home and burial was made in the nearby family cemetery.

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QUERIES SENT FARMERS

WPA Tracks To Visit Individual Farms, Gathering Scrap

Floyd county farmers this week were receiving letters from the War Production Board citing the urgent need for "scrap" that is lying about every farmyard and acquainting the farmers with arrangements made concerning the Works Progress Administration for collection of such materials.

So "hungry" for metals--iron and aluminum, copper and brass and steel--the nation's war production plants, the letter pointed out, WPA trucks will call at each farm to transport the scrap to points where it will do "the most good."

Farmers, the letter stated, may either donate or sell scrap materials. Accompanying each letter was a postage-paid card which the farmer is to use in supplying information concerning his individual scrap heap.

If he plans to donate it to the war effort or to sell it, whether donated or sold, it was pointed out, the material is insured.

After returning the card to the War Production Board, Frankfort, Ky., indicating the amount of scrap available, the farmer will soon receive notice from the federal government stating the date when a truck will be at his farm to call for these materials.

Prices offered by the federal government is 35c per 100 pounds for scrap rubber, one-half cent per pound for tin.

Whether the farmer or any other owner of needed materials disposes of his scrap through the federal government or to a dealer, or to any individual or agency--the important thing to do, it is emphasized, is to get the scrap moving now.

Floyd Mental Cases For 1942, Three Total Last Year

With 12 persons committed as insane to the Eastern State hospital, Lexington, in the first five months of this year, the number of county-wide mental cases from Floyd county in 1942 is above that of all of last year--and the end is not yet in sight.

Only four persons were committed from this county to the same institution last year.

A local physician who had participated in a majority of lunacy hearings for those thus committed declined to ascribe the increase in mental cases to war worry or mental disturbances connected with the strain and excitement of the times.

In 1940, seven persons from Floyd county were hospitalized as mental cases, while in all of 1939 only eight persons were mental patients.

MR. LEMASTER, HERE O. T. Lemaster, of Webster Springs, Va., was a business visitor here this week. Mr. Lemaster, who formerly was connected with the Ryan Funeral Home at Martinsburg in charge of the Dodd & Hurt Funeral Home at Webster Springs, Virginia.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Kit Bender vs. Luther Collinsworth, etc. (Jury fees). Hatcher Allen, etc. vs. Darvess Allen, etc. Clarke & Francis, attys. O. H. Gall, Receiver vs. Claude Hill; Clarke & Francis, attys. Lura Stafford Moore vs. W. W. Moore; W. S. Harbison, atty. Hershel Graham vs. Gus Meade (appeal).

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Will Rowe, 46, and Flossie Mullet, 20, both of Myrtle; marriage solemnized by the Rev. B. D. Dowell, of the United Baptist Church, Ralph Daniels and Ruth Bryant, Oliver Harrington, 21, McDowell and Fred W. Walters, Hamlet; married May 18, Elder E. H. Hall officiating.

GUARDIAN BONDS

W. R. Wayne, bond, Jackie Branson.

News From Floyd Communities

Sportmen at David, Hosts to Fish Fry Friday Evening

David, Ky., May 18 (Sp.)—Members of the Fish and Game Club here were hosts to a fish fry given at the David schoolhouse Friday evening. About 70 attended.

J. B. Clarke opened the program with a talk. E. R. Burke, district conservation officer and V. A. Hayes gave interesting reports on the state fish and game convention held at Frankfort. Then a movie film of Pearl Harbor, etc., was exhibited.

Out-of-town guests were: Arnold Cassidy, Langley, president of the Floyd Fish & Game Club; County Judge E. P. Hill, County Attorney W. W. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Mrs. John G. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mrs. Fred Dickerson, Mrs. Dick Davis, the Hill and others, of Prestonsburg.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bradley, of Fleming, Ky., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bussey, of Wayland, were guests of their children here Sunday.

The David Community Church is sending eight boys and girls as delegates to the Young People's Conference at Stuart-Robinson School, Blackey, Ky., the first week in June.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the church met last Tuesday night.

David Francis spent the week-end in Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cecil had as their guests Sunday last, father and mother and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harris, of Van Lear.

Chas. Hooper spent the week-end at Seco, Ky.

Miss Frances Coffman returned from the hospital Wednesday.

Some of the folks who shopped in Prestonsburg Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Plummer, Herbert Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Ad Whitaker, Miss Ora Howard, Mrs. Margaret Cooper, Mrs. Van Childer, Joe Beasinger, Mr. and Mrs. ...

The camp is looking more attractive each week, with the homes prepared, the lawns green, and new roofing on the houses. The highway into camp is also under construction.

Fifty women attended a homemakers' club rug judging contest in Mason county, where routed, crocheted and braided rugs were judged.

BETSY LAYNE

BY JAMES BLEVINS

The Betsy Layne high school graduating class of '42 presented its baccalaureate program Sunday, May 17, at the high school gymnasium before a large audience of parents and friends of the class. The program consisted:

Processional by the high school band; Invocation, by Jesse Elliott; "Holy, Holy, Holy," by boys and girls glee club; Jackie Maynard, pianist; scripture reading by the Rev. Campbell Jeffries; "The Prayer Perfect," girls glee club; sermon by the Rev. Campbell Jeffries; "Largo," by the boys' and girls' glee clubs; Jackie Maynard, soloist, and Glenn Layne, pianist; "Recessionary" by the band, directed by Mr. Elliott.

Achievement night for the seniors was Wednesday night, when the following program was presented:

"Processional" band; special music, by male quartet; address, Rev. J. Howard Baxter; vocal solo, Glenn Layne; presentation of awards, D. W. Howard, principal; special music, by mixed chorus; "Recessionary," band.

The following 56 students will receive diplomas Friday night at the county-wide graduation at Erastown, Ky.:

Ervin Akers, Glynn James, Helene Martin, Rosemary Malone, Watt Keathley, Ellis Hall, Ralph Akers, Juanita Stafford, Gladys Burchett, Pauline Collins, Elvies Dameron, Verdie Frazer, Toppie Hamilton, Ruth Lewis, Thelma Hinton, Virginia Johnson, Kanova Keathley, Lamona Reed, Willie Roberts, Billa Starks, Belle Stumpfl, Buford Bartley, Oscar Fred Bush, Edford Clarke, John Elliott, L. N. Hall, Jr., Oscar Martin, W. L. Martin, Cecil Martin, Roger D. Siegel, Russell Stratton and Grant Wedington, Jr.

Class officers for the year were: Ralph Akers, president; Buford Bartley, vice-president; Juanita Stafford, secretary; and Belle Stumpfl, treasurer. The class sponsor is Mrs. Mary A. Ford.

The Betsy Layne Furniture Company, owned by E. W. Hall, opened for business on May 8. The company is located above the residence of Ransom Blevins here. The store is a branch of the Harrod Furniture Company, operated by Mr. Hale, Glasgow, Ky.

Harrison Elliott returned home for a week-end visit with his family.

Gallatin county will have no fair this year but the fair board will invest \$200 in war bonds.

Ninety-one acres of tomatoes are being grown in Shilohway community in Grayson county.

BY DEFENSE BONDS!

BONANZA

A large crowd attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray and daughter and Johnnie Wall, of Washington, D. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Hackworth are the parents of an 81-pound son.

Misses Anna, Soeane and Roxie Bays were visiting Mrs. Mart Elliott over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Greer are visiting his parents at OHM.

Charlie Akers left for the army last week.

William Patton, from North Carolina, is visiting his parents.

Lowell Otis Short is improving since he returned home from the Ashland hospital.

Miss Garrett Represents Club at Convention

David, Ky., May 18—The David Women's Club sent Miss Mabelle Garrett as a delegate to the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs annual convention held at Lexington, Ky., May 15-16.

Gov. Keen Johnson spoke at the opening session to 250 delegates and urged that civilians make the participation of the men in service by performing "those seemingly trifle tasks which are all-important to victory—collecting of scrap metal and rubber, buying war bonds and all the things our leader asks."

Other speakers heard were Dr. H. L. Denovan, president of the University of Kentucky; Major T. N. Hawley, Lexington; Mrs. Nancy Ripley Armstrong, Houston, Texas; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Red Oak, Iowa, Chairman of Education General Federation Woman's Clubs; Mrs. H. G. Reynolds.

MAYTOWN

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ivan Reed and daughter Patricia, of Drift, were visiting Mrs. Mark Reed, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. W. A. Stewart returned home Sunday from the Marting hospital, Fronton, O. where she had spent the previous week.

Mrs. C. L. Allen and daughter Teddie and Miss Harriett Allen moved to Hinton, W. Va. for the week end with Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McKinney. They were accompanied home by Mrs. McKinney who will spend several days with her daughter.

Mrs. Ales Franklin and children, of Hueyville, are now residing here, occupying the Alex Turner home on Turkey Creek.

COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

The patriotic play presented by the grade school Friday evening was one of the best programs ever given here. More than a hundred children in full costume and regalia appeared before the Friday evening.

The band, under the direction of Mr. Elliott, was a fine contribution to the program.

Socials class night will be held in the auditorium Wednesday evening, with Miss Dorothy Staley as valedictorian and Miss Moselesie Ferrell, Saltastown, V. O. Turner, school principal, announcer.

The graduating exercises for the eighth grade are scheduled for Thursday evening, Mrs. W. W. Cooley, eighth grade instructor, in charge. Miss Lois Conley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cooley, is class valedictorian, and Miss Bert Stewart is salutatorian.

EIGHTH GRADE HONOR GRADY

The following five pupils of the eighth grade made the highest scores of the Maytown class, when the eighth grade recently held its annual county-wide examination. They are listed in the order of their ranking: Bert Stewart, Lowell Ferrell, Lucile Cooley, Dorothy Maynard and Thomas Salisbury. Miss Stewart, whose average of 77 was the highest made locally, is the daughter of Mr. W. A. Stewart, and in addition to leading her class in this test, had stood first in it for the other seven years she has been in school. She is one of the best speakers among the younger pupils of this vicinity.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM

The annual Children's Day program to be held in the Methodist Church will be given by the Sunday School on the first Sunday in June, the girls of the church in charge of the entire service. They met recently and elected Miss Marjorie Ferguson as chairman for this program. Miss Ferguson, highly gifted and only daughter of a big audience, Carl Ferguson, has no peer among the juniors as a leader, and a very excellent program may be expected on this occasion. Various committees will be announced later. This will be the first time the young folks have ever presented a program "on their own."

CALLING MAYTOWNITES

Former Maytown residents are reminded that July 12th is Homecoming Day in the Methodist Church. A large crowd is expected, and all day services are being planned.

PREACHES BACCALAUREATES

Rev. J. B. Hahn preached the baccalaureate sermon for the Maytown class Sunday morning in the Maytown Methodist Church, using as his subject "Vision." Sunday evening, he preached for the Martin graduating class in the high school auditorium there, his topic being, "The Call of Youth."

Harkins To Graduate From Centre College

Danville, Ky., May 15 (Sp.)—Monte Scott Harkins, son of Mrs. W. S. Harkins, Jr., of Danville and Prestonsburg, is a candidate for the A.B. degree at the 119th commencement of Centre College which will be held here Monday, May 25.

Harkins has majored in English, literature and economics. He has been prominent in many other student activities, including the Phi Kappa Club, the Student Council, the Players Club, and the English and Spanish Clubs.

Dr. Benjamin J. Bush, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Detroit, will deliver the Commencement address to a graduating class of 45 students. One degree will be awarded in absentia because of the war. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached May 24 by Dr. Robert L. McLeod, Jr., president of Centre.

Due to a surplus of whole milk, farm families in Graves county are making more butter and cheese.

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SHIKE'S POKES

(The views expressed herein are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

A lot of "our boys" in the service must have read THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES. I've received some news from them from camps all over the U.S. and some (censored) from allied countries. More power to you, fellows! And they say that THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES is equal to several dozen letters.

One of the fellows wanted to know what we were makin' liquor out of with a sugar shortage. He sez they must use tar down in "the Tar Heel State." I knew that, if anybody knew it, it be Chas. Jones.

Staff Sgt. Fred J. Adams, Jr. of McDowell and a former Turner-Elkhorn miner, and Pfc. James Crisp from Martin certainly wear their uniforms well. Boys like that certainly will "tip a few" that.

Chas. Jones in North Carolina, Chas. Justice in Alabama, Bernard Hall and Barney Osborne in Norfolk, Va., Sam Everole and Gopher Sexton in Indiana, Woodrow Hays in Illinois, Bernard Howell in Tennessee, Oral Gibson and Ray Prater in Florida, Frank Allen and Sully Martin in Ft. Knox—these are just a few I've heard from. It sure bodes ill for the Axis.

Something I didn't know before is who were the first gamblers. Why, Adam and Eve—didn't they shake a pair—dice?

Cork screws have drowned more men than cork life preservers have saved.

Some one asked Fred Thickett how fast he drove—and he sez he can make 17 touchdowns in one night.

Saw a fellow the other day from Drift who said that when he plays poker he always wins and when he plays the horses he always loses. I don't doubt that—he couldn't stumpe and delude as he appeared.

The following was observed in one of our daily papers last week: "LOST—a gold watch by young lady with Elgin movements." Whatta gal!

Ole Hitler sez that the United States is doing a lot of blowing. Well, just wait till we get over there and he'll darn sure feel some draft.

They tell me that Hitler changes admitted to the hospital May 16 for his sox every day. He must smell de-feet!

The way the ladies dress nowadays helps to keep our minds off the war.

A man was talking to Krel about drinking. He said that whiskey had killed more men than bullets. So Krel sez: "It might be so, but I'd rather be full of whiskey than bullets."

MARTIN GENERAL HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Ed Gearheart, of Hueyville, was admitted to the hospital on May 15 for medical treatment and is convalescing nicely.

Miss Edith Hayes, of Langley, was admitted to the hospital on May 15 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

William Bayes, of Harold, was admitted to the hospital May 12 for medical treatment and is in good condition.

Mrs. Charles Stuphill, of Garrett, was admitted to the hospital May 16 for medical treatment. She is convalescing.

Mrs. Verna Griffin of Martin sustained a broken leg, after having accidentally been knocked down in front of the Pure Oil Service Station. She was brought to the hospital on May 16 and is recovering.

Mrs. J. P. Price, of Martin, was

Harry Daniels, of Boldman, was admitted to the hospital May 17 for medical treatment and is improving nicely.

Mrs. Raymond Outley, of West Prestonsburg, was admitted to the hospital May 17 for medical treatment and is doing nicely.

A seed bulb and shrub exchange was a feature of the home beautification work of homemakers' clubs in Kenton county last month.

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The New Government

CREDIT RESTRICTIONS

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YOU CAN STILL BUY ON CREDIT

AND YOU CAN STILL BORROW MONEY!

The new regulations placed in effect at midnight Tuesday, May 5, by the United States Government on charge accounts, installment accounts and cash loans DO NOT put a stop to the use of these popular services. These regulations are designed to assist our total war effort, by restricting our use of credit temporarily. Read the following regulations carefully and continue to BUY WHAT YOU NEED in full co-operation with the spirit and the letter of these government orders.

The Complete U. S. Government List of Articles to Which the new Credit Rules Apply Follows--Read It Carefully!

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| Air conditioners (room unit) | Motion picture cameras, projectors, and lenses (designed for film gauges less than 35 millimeters) |
| Air conditioning systems (home) | Motorcycles |
| Airplanes | Musical instruments |
| Automobile batteries and accessories | Photographs and combinations |
| Automobile tires and tubes (passenger) | Pianos |
| Automobiles | Plumbing and sanitary fixtures (household) |
| Bedding | Radios receiving sets |
| Bicycles | Repair or improvement materials and services for non-commercial real estate |
| Binoculars, field glasses, opera glasses | Sewing machines (household) |
| Blankets | Silverware (including flatware and holloware, whether solid or plated) |
| Boats and boat motors (pleasure) | Sports, athletic, outing, and games equipment |
| Cooking stoves and ranges (household) | Still cameras, projectors, lenses, shutters and enlargers |
| Curtains and draperies | Suction cleaners and mechanical carpet sweepers (household) |
| Electric appliances (household or personal) | Tableware and kitchenware |
| Electric clocks (household) | Telescopes (hand) |
| Electric dishwashers (household) | Umbrellas |
| Electric Organs (household) | Utensils (including pottery, porcelain, china, glassware, cutlery) |
| Electric Dishwashers (household) | Ventilating fans (attic) |
| Floodlighting equipment (portable or stationary) | Washing machines (household) |
| Floor coverings (rugs, carpets, linoleum) | Watches |
| Furnaces and heating units (oil, gas conversion burners and stokers) | Water heaters (household) |
| Furniture (including ice refrigerators, bed springs and mattresses) | Water pumps (household) |
| Ironers (household) | Wearing apparel and furs (non-military, including footwear, headwear, and haberdashery) |
| Jewelry (precious stones and costume jewelry) | Yard goods (designed for making of garments or household articles) |
| Lamps (designed for household use) | |
| Lawn mowers, edgers, and trimmers (whether or not power-driven) | |
| Lighting fixtures (household) | |
| Linens and towels (household) | |
| Luggage, purses, handbags, and toilet cases | |
| Mechanical refrigerators (less than 12 cubic feet capacity) | |

The United States Government New Regulations Covering Charge Accounts and Installment Buying Include the Following Types of Purchases and Are NOW In Effect

CASH PURCHASES: There are NO restrictions on listed items. Buy what you need, and pay cash.

CHARGE ACCOUNTS: Merchandise formerly purchased on a 30-day charge account was payable by the 10th of the following month, and there was no regulation which required that it be paid then (other than good credit standing.) NOW, all charge accounts MUST be paid on or before the 10th of the second month following the purchase date. For example, a listed article bought any day up to the end of the month must be paid for by July 10. That date is also the deadline for articles on the Government list which were purchased before May 6th.

INSTALLMENT ACCOUNTS: Any person buying an item listed by the Government MUST pay one-third down and the balance in twelve months (except that automobiles may be

bought for one-third down and fifteen months to pay . . . and furniture and pianos, one-fifth down and twelve months to pay). Regardless of the total price of the listed item or items you buy, your monthly payment MUST be at least \$5.00 a month. For example, if you buy a \$30 listed item you must pay \$10 down and the balance must be paid at the rate of \$5 a month, regardless of the fact that such an account would pay out in four months instead of twelve. The exception to this regulation is the purchase of furniture and pianos.

CASH LOANS: You can still borrow money on an installment loan. Such installment loans must be repaid in 12 months. Single payment loans of \$1,500 or less are limited to a maturity of 90 days, and where such a loan is to purchase a listed article costing \$15.00 or more, a down payment is also required. If not paid in 90 days, the loan must be placed on an installment basis. This does not apply to loans prior to May 6.

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U.S. WAR BONDS

Courtesy Detroit Free Press

Washington Merry-Go-Round
STANDARD OIL LOBBY
 Lobbying will always be practiced in Washington. Recently, however, it has reached new heights. In the pre-New Deal days, lobbyists lobbied to get land grants, lumber concessions, and Teapot Dome oil leases. Under the New Deal they lobbied for Public Works contracts, WPA grants, and steamship routes.

Today they lobby for war contracts. But perhaps the most rapacious and lustful lobbying is for priorities on the purchase of materials.

In this connection, Standard Oil has just managed to get a remarkable priority rating for the shipment of \$14,500,000 worth of steel to Venezuela. The story illustrates how a job can be done if you have the lobbyist to do it.

In this case Standard Oil is ably represented by Washington attorney John N. Bohannon, who knows his way around, even to the White House.

What Standard wanted was steel for its oil wells in Venezuela, and in this the plausible argument that it must keep up Venezuelan oil production for the American and British navies. However, other American oil companies also wanted steel for wells in Texas, Louisiana and California. Also they had the advantage of a long and hazardous tanker haul. However, they did not have the advantage of an A-1 lobbyist.

For Mr. Bohannon went to Admiral Stark, then chief of naval operations, and practically scared him to death about the danger of losing Venezuelan oil. Stark called Donald Nelson, then Production, and put the pressure on him. Meanwhile Bohannon and friends persuaded the state department, lend-lease administration, and the economic warfare and finally the White House.

If there was anyone Standard Oil forgot to high-pressure they were sick in bed. So Standard Oil got what it wanted, a priority rating of A-1, higher than that of domestic oil companies, and the materials have now been shipped.

THE HOME FRONT
HERE IS A RESUME OF IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS
 ODT issues transportation set-up.
 A superceded fair trade law. Chocolate manufacturers restricted.
 Colored bed sheets out-WPB orders.
 Clothes hangers granted wire boards.
 Plan 10-000-mile recap.
 Cook stoves, heaters, drastically restricted.
 Cotton fabric mills convert.
 Anti-freeze supply to be cut.
 Shirt tails disclosed.
 Courts, WPB hit violators.
 OPA to ration bikes.
 Anti-freeze supply to be cut.
 Emphasis this week is upon solution of the transportation problems and essential war workers traveling and how to make existing transportation facilities, public and private, last as long as possible.

From one point of view, the fact that the nation is having transportation trouble is good news, because it means that production has progressed to a point of accomplishment where it is taxing our rails, our streets and our highways. It is a cause for rejoicing in the Eastern states, and the rationing to come in Washington and Oregon, not by oil shortage, but by transportation crowding.

Office of Defense Transportation, which has this problem in its lap, is moving on all fronts to create transportation systems for essential uses, just as we are saving materials and manpower. We may yet have to ration main arteries, but we will hold civilian travel to a minimum.

Procedure for setting up and operating the national emergency transportation program is now defined by ODT. Mayors will appoint local transportation administrators to select and govern, under state administrators. Purpose of the program is to prolong the life of all transportation facilities.

Attention, retailers! General maximum price regulation effective last Monday for retail, will supercede state fair trade laws and fair trade agreements; if there is conflict, this is the Price Administrator Leon Henderson's ruling. If a retailer violated a fair trade agreement in March and sold low, he'll be frozen there, even if the price is below the ceiling.

Less chocolate is going to be available for the American sweet tooth. Because the country has less than a year's normal supply of cocoa beans on hand April 1, WPB has restricted the amount which may be ground or pressed into chocolate to make the amount available to last 16 months.

Civilian supplies of dyes will last longer as a result of action of the WPB Bureau of Industrial Conservation which has asked that no more colored bed sheets and colored edges be manufactured after July 1.

The death sentence on clothes hangers has been lifted by WPB. A new regulation has excluded from the list of restricted household articles coat hangers made of wood or paper-board if they only use of scarce material is for a steel wire hook.

Drastic restriction of manufacture of cook stoves and ranges of all kinds is ordered by the War Production Board effective July 31. Grease and 30,000 tons of iron and steel for. Only smaller firms may continue making cooking appliances. The same order designates, in these areas no stoves can be made after July 31. Order covers both cooking and heating stoves, except electric. Nation now has 1,200,000 non-electric new stoves, and 800,000 will be made between now and July 31. Making of repair and replacement parts is not restricted. Stocks on hand should last a year.

Under the stove order, Akron, Cleveland and Massillon are designated labor shortage districts, and stove making will cease in these cities.

Large part of the cotton textile industry is being converted to war work. Half the mill capacity of war production is now turning out sand-bag fabric, camouflage cloth, food bag weaves and other war necessities. In general, mills kept on civilian production will make the simpler, cheaper, more serviceable cloths, with emphasis on utility for war work. Non-essential cloth is being curtailed. There'll be plenty of denim, seersuckers and unbleached cottons.

Women and children will find soon that their nightgowns, slips, petticoats and pajamas will contain fewer ruffles, pleating, lacing and bows that are not as full. The sweep and length of the garments also will be limited, and a new "War Laundry" Order intended to save about 15 per cent of the yardage used by lingerie manufacturers.

THE GARDEN
 By JOHN S. GARDNER
 Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics
CORN AND BEANS

Despite the pest plantings of these two running behind schedule because of the spotty season, the "system" of making plantings by weekly to make the table supply continuous, will mean a disappointing harvest each two weeks 10 feet of beans per household member should continue to be planted, and from 40 to 50 stalks of corn in hills or rows. If any plantings "overlap" as they may, the surplus may be canned. If specific surplus crops are planned, June 1 and make a disappointing yield. Of the white hybrids, Iowa appears the best. Because it shares with all the hybrids resistance to drought and worm infestation, it is particularly suited to June and July planting. Of the older sorts, Stowell's Evergreen is still good, but not so good as a disappointing yield of shocks so short that the corn ear-worm finds easy entrance, to "mess up" things.

Of the yellow sorts, Golden Cross Best and its cross, but Marcross is close second. Hummer, a relatively new "yellow," is the quickest variety, but because the ears are small, under even favorable conditions, it is not suited for main season planting.

BEANS: The usual variety for main season use is still stringless Greenpod, albeit its flavor is on the neutral side. Gardeners who wish more "character" of flavor should try the relatively stringless Plantiful which shares with Bountiful Bush, when it came, the excellent quality and the high yield that made it a favorite years ago. Another newcomer is Stringless Refugee, improvement over its parent Refugee, whose other name, "1090" is indicated its special value as a canner.

RECEIVES MEDICAL DISCHARGE
 Alphoneta, Ky. May 19 (Sp.)—Sam P. Dings, of this place, who enlisted in the 1st guard of the Marine Corps Reserve, was discharged on a medical discharge May 5, and is now at home. He was stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas, at the time of his discharge. Mr. Dings stopped over on route home, in Dallas, Texas, to spend a few days with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Dings.

Ways of making more men's shirts with less cloth are under discussion in Washington. Changes discussed are: eliminating French cuffs, yokes, and fancy backs on sports shirts, restricting length of collar points, taking pockets out of dress shirts and leaving but one pocket on the sport shirt. Yes, and shirt-tails will probably be shorter.

Three the dealers in Houston, Tex., are under indictment for violation of the price regulation on critical materials in federal court. They are also charged with conspiracy to evade rationing and price regulations.

Two companies in Chicago and one in Indianapolis have been caught by the War Production Board for dealing in critical materials. WPB is punishing these companies by forbidding them materials for from two to three months.

OPA is now delegated the WPB's rationing control over sale, transfer or other disposition of adult bicycles, sale of which was frozen April 2. WPB still controls production.

Production of anti-freeze for automobiles will be placed on a quota basis this fall. The quota is expected to be about 50 per cent of the amount sold by each producer in 1941.

OPA's Consumer Division is aiming at a recaptured tire that will save 10,000 miles and give two years of limited service.

Consumer's Division of OPA offers women a three-part guide to buying wartime clothes: "Buy practical outfits, mix them up and make them last."

Have you put in your coil spring for next winter? Donald M. Nelson, War Production Board chairman, urges that all consumers lay in their stockpile to the limit of capacity now to avoid a transportation pinch next fall.

Suggestion by J. J. James, a New Orleans tailor, decided the WPB to urge all tailoring establishments to turn over all consumer clips and old samples to the Red Cross. Cloth thus salvaged will be reprocessed.

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Every one of the 40,000,000 employed persons in America could easily buy one of these rifles for the army. Not that we need that many, but the reserve could go into shells and other much needed supplies. Buy more and more War Bonds and top the quota in your county by investing at least ten percent of your income every pay day.

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April Unemployment Benefits for Floyd Men Total \$4,055

Unemployment compensation payments to insured workers under the Kentucky Unemployment Compensation law amounted to \$24,210 for the month of April, it was revealed this week in a report released by Executive Director V. E. Compensation Commission.

In Floyd county, April benefit payments amounted to \$4,055 while 153 new claims were filed, the report declared.

Although April payments were considerably under the March total of \$31,085, new claims filed during April to the fact that a new qualifying period went into effect on April 1 which enabled many workers to file claim benefits who were not eligible until that date.

Caster beans and hemp are new crops in Whitley county. Production of sorghum cane is being stepped up.

LEWIS PAYROLL
 The Washington Merry-Go-Round wishes to correct an earlier statement that John L. Lewis had three relatives on union payrolls whose salaries, plus his own, gave the family an annual "take" of \$48,500 from the collection of union dues.

We regret to say that our further investigation we find we erred grossly. We apologize to Mr. Lewis for underestimating his capacities and print below the full Lewis family payroll showing that the miser's car has not three but nine relatives in costly jobs and that the family "take" is not \$48,500, but \$70,500:

John L. Lewis, president, United Mine Workers	\$25,000.00
Kathryn Lewis, daughter, secretary, District 50, U.M.W.	7,500.00
Denny Lewis, brother, head of United Construction Workers organizing committee	10,000.00
J. B. Bell, brother-in-law, his controller	6,000.00
Orin Miller, superintendent, his superintendent of the U.M.W. office building in Indianapolis	5,000.00
Dick Collins, brother-in-law, his C.I.O. organizer	3,000.00
William Thomas, cousin, superintendent U.M.W. building in Washington	3,000.00
Margaret Leticia, sister-in-law of Denny, U.M.W. stewardess	2,500.00
Ann Miller, daughter of Denny, U.M.W. stewardess	2,400.00
Sam-in-law of Floyd Bell, another Lewis brother-in-law, District 50 organizer	3,500.00

Total Lewis family payroll, \$70,500.

(*In addition to their big salaries, Lewis, his daughter and brother also have his expense accounts. What they spend is their secret. No figures have ever been revealed, even to union members.)

And Still More.
 Implying as is this payroll list, it still does not tell the whole story. There is one Lewis relative who is not on a union payroll but who garners a high-bracket income from unions controlled by John L. He is brother-in-law Floyd Bell, an insurance agent. Representative of a surety company, Bell has what amounts to a monopoly on the business of bonding all national, district and local U.M.W. officers and all C.I.O. officials.

His commissions are estimated at \$40,000 a year.

This sum, plus the payroll listed above, would bring the total "take" of the Lewis family up to \$110,500 a year.

MERRY-GO-ROUND
 Wayne Cox, brainy young White House assistant, is slated for a promotion. The old-time newspaper man will be made assistant budget director. Cox will also continue as head of the Office of Emergency Management.

Good news for the cotton grower. Under war stimulation, cotton consumption now is around 1,000,000 bales a month, is expected to reach an estimated total of 13,500,000 bales for the year. This is nearly 5,000,000 bales more than last year.

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Maryland Osborne

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The funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon...

Visits to Mother

Miss Myrtle Branham, who is employed at Wright airfield near Dayton, O. was here for a week-end visit with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Branham...

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was electing six of nine candidates for the student Council.

But such popularity must be deserved. The Floyd county has, by virtue of a brilliant scholastic record at U.C. and extra-curricular activities, become recognized as a leader on the Cincinnati campus. He started off with an unusually high scholastic record in his first year in the U.C. College of Engineering.

Since that time his activities have according to the "political" advertisement published in The Cincinnati News Record, university publications included the presidency of Tau Beta Pi and U.C. Chapter, American Institute of Chemical Engineers; the vice-presidency of Alpha Chi Sigma (professional chemical organization), and membership in Omicron Delta Kappa, the Executive Council of the Men's Senate, Phi Eta Sigma, Phi Lambda Upsilon (honorary chemical organization). He is also Chemical Engineering chairman, assistant editor of Co-Op Engineer and junior adviser.

4 Accused in Theft

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Stolen from Gover was in a separate part of the hotel, according to the officer. He added that two suits were found in Wheeler's living quarters at the hotel. The officer said a deposit had been paid on them by prospective customers.

Patrolman Huff said the store proprietors identified the clothing through price tags on the garments. County Attorney Hardin said the markers were the "original tags."

Patrolman Huff reported he paid \$9 a suit after rejecting the seller's \$14 asking price. The patrolman said Wheeler declined to state the total purchasing price.

Wheeler and "Shine" Walters, who had roomed at the hotel, according to the patrolman, were arrested here after the other two men were picked up later.

Patrolman Huff said "Shine" Walters was identified by Jasper as a person who came to his store the day before the burglary and bought a 5-cent handkerchief. Jasper said another man accompanied Walters according to the officer.

The patrolman added Walters claimed he had never been in Carrollton.

The officers had gone to Paintsville after Jasper had received an anonymous long distance phone call. He added that Gover was at Paintsville when the officers arrived. The patrolman said Gover also had received an anonymous phone call.

Gover's key to the hotel totaled 123. Patrolman Huff stated. He added Jasper claimed 73 of them, and Gover claimed 50. The officers said suits were missing and Gover reported he was still short 172. All suits found at the hotel were placed in the custody of the Paintsville city judge, who had issued the search warrant necessary for the raid, Patrolman Huff stated.

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Coming SUNDAY, MAY 31—"To Be or Not To Be" Carol Lombard, Jack Benny

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26 To Graduate From Morehead; 2 From Floyd

Morehead State Teachers' College will confer degrees on 26 graduates from Floyd county, at the commencement exercises June 2, in the college auditorium.

Candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Arts in Education are: Mary McClung Adkins, Morehead; Daisy Whitman Arnett, Leeco; Fred Penton Centers, Mt. Sterling; John Wm. Dumford, Bellevue; Edmond George Ferrell, Louisville; Mae S. Francis, Martin; Gladys Mary Gearheart, Morehead; Lewis Opal Huff, Olive Hill; J. G. Anil Jones, Asteland; Nina Betty Kirk, Paintsville; Ruth Williams Lester, Blounts; Maurice McClure, Rooney; Wm. Harry Nelson, Ashland; Helen Lullita Pigman, Hindman; Glona Alice Porter, Morehead; Mary Turley Rawlings, Mt. Sterling; Arville Short, Meally; Stephen Suggs, Gary, W. Va.; Mabel Tackett, Weathersburg; Aileen Erel Walker, Grayson; Theresa Ann Wheeler, Bossard; Mary Olive Boggess, of Morehead, will receive a degree in Bachelor of Science in Home Economics. James Gilbert Elk, Cincinnati, O.; Margery Lynd, Russell, and Joseph Paul Ruchinkas, New Britain, Conn., will receive degrees in Bachelor of Science in Education.

Carroll D. Alcott, WLWH newscaster and Far-East authority will deliver the commencement address. Mr. Alcott will speak on the subject, "The American Teacher's Place in the World of the Future."

FISH AND GAME NEWS

By E. R. BURKE District Conservation Officer

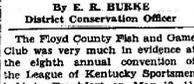
The Floyd County Fish and Game Club was very much in evidence at the eighth annual convention of the League of Kentucky Sportsmen held in Frankfort on May 10, 11, 12, four representatives of the club—V. A. Hayes, delegate, Richmond Adams, delegate, E. R. Burke, member and "Shine" Burke, member, attended. In the best-attended tournament Richmond Adams won first prize of \$10 in war stamps, and "Winkle" Burke won second prize, one point behind Adams, of \$5 in stamps. E. R. Burke was a speaker on the program, representing the wardens of the state. He told of the progress that had been made in Floyd county in recent years in education brought about by the Floyd County Fish and Game Club. The license sales have been boosted, he pointed out, over 100 per cent since 1937 from \$26 to \$4,650.00 in 1941; and 88 per cent over 1940, from \$2,483 to \$4,650.00.

DIRECTORS MEETING

Directors of the Floyd County Fish and Game Club are holding a meeting at the home of E. R. Burke in Prestonsburg on Thursday evening at eight o'clock. Among some of the things to be brought up at this meeting is the program for the annual fish fry to be held in Floyd county on Sunday, Aug. 2. Again this year, Mr. and Mrs. "Ad" Topper, representing the Winchester Repeating Arms Company will be the feature attraction on the program. The building of a fish dam in one of Floyd county's streams, and the construction of a fish rearing pond in Floyd county are also being discussed.

An effort is being made to enroll 1,500 Pike county farm families in the "make the farm feed the family" program.

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Rites for Soldier Conducted Friday

Funeral rites for Sgt. Hubert Ewing Bevin, 22 years old, who was recently killed in an Okla. auto wreck, were conducted Friday at Mosby Bottom, Pike county, from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ballitt, the Rev. Isaac Stratton officiating.

The victim was a graduate of Besay Layne high school. He enlisted at Fort Thomas, Ky., Oct. 4, 1939, and at the time of his death was a master sergeant at the army air base, Patterson Field, Ohio.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orver C. Bevin, he is survived by the widow, Mrs. Violet Wagner Bevin, three brothers and two sisters. Burial was made in the family cemetery on Cooper's Creek, under direction of the Call Funeral Home.

'Old Folks at Home' At Service Sunday

The old folks were at home Sunday at the Prewell Baptist Church at a special service honoring the aged of this and neighboring communities.

Specially honored were four men, oldest in the congregation—the Rev. John Elliott, Conley, 85; the Rev. Wm. Dugas and J. D. Belcher, each aged 84, and the Rev. Daniel Hughes, 70.

The Reverends Comley and Hughes, senior members of the Prewell Baptist Conference, delivered sermons. The service was opened by the Rev. Howard Church, one of the Conference's youngest ministers.

"What Think Ye of Christ?" was the sermon topic. Upon conclusion of the service ice cream and cake were served for all present.

The largest potato acreage in the history of Lee county was planted this spring.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., MAY 21-22—"Playmates" Kay Kyser, John Barrymore, Lupe Veler, News, Draft Horse, Quick Returns.

SATURDAY—TICKETS 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., 6:30 P.M. to 8:30 p.m.

"Sunset on the Desert" Serial—"SIX SALASHES" Comedy—"TEN PIN PARADE"

SATURDAY—3 p.m. and 10 p.m.—"The Shepherd of the Ozarks" Weaver Brothers and Ewry. Comedy—"LEOPY SEROL in HOME-WORK" Information Please. Rocky Mountain Game.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—"To the Shores of Tripoli" John Payne, Maureen O'Hara, Randolph Scott (in technicolor) News.

WHAT ABOUT DADDY?—Comedy. TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—"Kid Glove Killer" Marsha Hunt, Van Kefauin. News. Secret of the Flood. MARCH OF TIGER—Our America at War.

272 Seniors

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come of graduates and visitors, Mayor E. P. Arnold, of Prestonsburg; vocal numbers, Floyd County Glee Club, Miss Carlos Maria Allen, and Mr. Allen's grandmother, Mrs. Jada Allen, of Hueyville.

Warren county 4-B club girls are being organized to help in the canning programs in their homes.

The Livingston County Cooperative Soil Improvement Association is encouraging the use of better seeds.

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