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Those who have been protesting the bombing of German cities should go ahead and suggest the thing be fought to a finish with pop guns at 10 paces.

The Germans are now spelling it "culture" instead of the "kultur" of their palmy days. These bombs are destroying German centers of culture, they mean. Of course those little mementoes dropped on London, Rotterdam, Coventry and Warsaw were contemptible.

WE'VE BEEN LUCKY! Allan M. Trout says in his Courier-Journal column "raided" here indebted to C. H. Combs, of the Hazard Herald, for "data on odd names in the mountains of East Kentucky." We were born and raised here and we're indebted to Mr. Combs, too, for he has located in Floyd county some places which, somehow, have escaped in all these years. Will somebody dig around and see if they can unearth the ruins of these places listed by Mr. Combs as being in this county—Haysville, Skunk Creek, Red Jacket, Postum Knob, Stinking Honey and Worm Hole.

Moreover, Mr. Combs (according to Mr. Trout) says Gio and Fed are in Leslie county.

Why, MISS-Ter Combs!

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FARM TRUCK FIGURES HIGH

ODT Representative Indicates, Warning Track Operators

A representative of the Office of Defense Transportation last week told the Floyd county truck transportation committee that approximately 70 per cent of all pickup trucks in the county have been licensed as farm trucks and are producing gasoline ostensibly for farm purposes.

The farming activities of Floyd county do not bear out such figures, he added, with the warning that misuse of farm trucks for "pleasure" will cause trouble later for owners.

More pooling of rides in this county, also is necessary, the truck transportation committee here said following a conference with the ODT representative. The next week, with the Bureau of Aviation by the Allies expected soon, will be a crucial period for motorists and the civilian use of gasoline, it was said.

Court House Happenings

SUEE FILED Maudie Triplett vs. Emmitt Triplett; B. M. Gibson, atty. Mabel Gibson vs. Everett James; Joe Hobson, atty. Oval C. Bowers vs. Max King; Ed. Salpeter; J. B. Clark, atty. Hamie Warrick vs. Theodore Warrick; Edw. L. Allen, atty. N. P. Belcher vs. Woodrow Weddington; Joe F. Tackett, atty. Gracie Jones vs. Perry Jones; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Audrey Bailey Bates vs. Garrett Bates; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Wm. W. H. Hill vs. Haidler Blanton; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Ruby McIntosh vs. J. W. McIntosh; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES H. S. Netherly, 56, Prestonsburg, and Blanche Sparks, 30, Auxier; marriage solemnized here April 20 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Palmer Lillard Moore, 18, and Madeline Henson, 19, both of Ligon; married April 22 at Ligon by the Rev. J. M. Hall. Garner Hall and Hazel Mitchell. Amos Blackburn, 21, Wonder, and Anna Belle Blackburn, 18, Endicot; married here April 25 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Willie Hall and Bertha Lillian Conn. George Nelson and Pearl Mae.

Stambaugh's 205 Pounds and Roads Of This County Were Hard on Horse

Painville, Ky., April 20—Better rather than money on the horse's hand was the common reason of exchange in his field, but there was gold in those rugged Kentucky hills and J. V. Stambaugh tapped paydirt.

The quietly genial Stambaugh had just completed 25 years as a salesman for a Painville grocery firm and will direct his employer's activities, he has compiled a record embracing some astronomical figures.

Stambaugh himself admits he's had some experiences, and that he's covered "considerable ground" in the last quarter-century, but beyond that the best questions are answered by a polite "yes" or "no." His friends fill in the gaps.

FLOYD COUNTY PASSES QUOTA FOR WAR FUND

Red Cross Official Hails Achievement; Wright, Leader

Floyd county definitely has oversubscribed its American Red Cross War Fund quota of \$25,000. Miss Ella Noel White, executive director of Floyd Red Cross chapter, announced this week.

With returns from seven mining localities yet to be received at chapter headquarters, \$20,968.68 had been deposited here to the Red Cross War Fund account, and related returns may bring the total to the neighborhood of \$25,000. Of the total already received, approximately \$900 has been earmarked by contributing clubs and individuals.

Commenting on the Red Cross drive in this county, Ramona S. Blazin, Alexandria, Va., eastern area manager, wrote County Attorney Burchett:

"I welcome this opportunity to congratulate you and your fund officers for the splendid job you have done and those who participated in the successful campaign in your chapter community.

Success achieved by your chapter War Fund organization reflects the result of able leadership, effective planning and the cooperation of the people in your chapter community in their Red Cross.

We salute you for this record achievement!"

Committees To Meet To Plan Girl Scout Organization Here

The 18 Prestonsburg women who have been named to Girl Scout committees will meet at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the Presbyterian Church to complete plans for organization of their Scouts locally.

It was said that immediate organization is necessary, since Girl Scouts eligible to attend Camp Arrowhead during the August camping season are required to have attended a certain number of meetings.

The committee members are: Mrs. F. L. Heinz, senior Girl Scout leader, Mrs. E. Er-Clark, Mrs. Grover Lowme, Mrs. C. A. Culbertson, Mrs. Curtis Clark, Mrs. H. B. Patrick, Mrs. Richard Spurlock, intermediate Girl Scout leader, Mrs. G. C. Spradlin, Mrs. Merle Wilson, Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Carl Horn, Mrs. Graham Porter, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, Brownie Scout leader, Mrs. W. C. Woodruff, Mrs. M. Dave Stephens, Mrs. Curt Homes, Mrs. A. V. Pauli, Mrs. George Herford.

Bradley, New Manager Of Cox Store Here

Wayne Bradley, Cox Department Store veteran of 18 years, has assumed management of the Cox store here. Mr. Bradley comes from Madison, W. Va., and will be joined May 15 by his family. He succeeds W. H. Coffman, who was inducted into the navy several weeks ago.

IS VISITOR HERE

J. D. Tackett, of Newport News, Va., was a visitor here Thursday.

Salisbury Rites Held On Turkey Creek

Funeral of Sarah Margaret Salisbury, 34 years old, who died April 13, were conducted on Turkey Creek by the Rev. A. L. Allen and burial in the Rev. A. L. Allen and burial in the Rev. A. L. Allen cemetery. Paralysis was given as the cause of death.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Malissa Austin, one brother, W. E. Salisbury, Baltimore, Md., and four sisters: Mary and Pet Salisbury, of Hunter; Rhoda Patton, of Printer, and Mrs. Harry Moore, of Oxney. She also leaves six half-brothers, David, Lackey, George, Walk, Ed and Frank Salisbury, all of Printer.

WILLIS GETS 'TOKEN' VOTE

Of State Republicans; Floyd Party Meeting Held Here Saturday

County, district and state conventions, all held within the last five days, resulted in Kentucky Republicans instructing delegates to the national Republican convention to be held in Chicago to vote for Governor S. S. Willis as a "favorite son" candidate for the Presidential nomination.

It was believed that after the first ballot the Kentucky delegation will switch its support to Governor Devey of New York.

Only instructions voted at the Republican mass meeting here Saturday were Willis for President, Earl Cassidy, of Inez, for district chairman, T. H. Dings, Prestonsburg, as a delegate to the national convention, and Governor Willis as permanent state chairman.

At the district meeting in Pikeville Monday Dr. M. Finney, Pikeville, and Dewey Daniels, Hazard, were selected as national convention delegates, with T. H. Dings, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Katherine B. Langley, Pikeville, alternates. Steve Combs, Whitesburg, was nominated Republican Presidential elector from this district. Earl Cassidy, Inez, and Mrs. Elizabeth Powell, Paintsville, were named state committee members.

S. C. Ferguson, Prestonsburg, presided at the meeting here Saturday as temporary chairman, with P. L. Allen, Prestonsburg, secretary. Mr. Ferguson, J. H. Nunery, Floyd county Republican chairman, and W. B. Boyd, attending the state convention in Louisville Tuesday.

VETERAN HOSPITALIZED

Jack McGuire, of Water Gap, shell-shocked victim of World War I, was taken Friday to the Veterans' hospital, Lexington, for treatment.

HERE FROM PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Statters, of Pikeville, spent Thursday here with their sister, Mrs. Alice Fitzpatrick Bowers, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Fitzpatrick.

Smallest Class in Years To Graduate Here Friday in Countywide Exercises

KY. SUPERINTENDENT TO ADDRESS SENIORS; 270 TO GRADUATE

Despite the fact that many who would have been high school seniors this year are with the country's fighting forces, and although the graduating class of 44 is the smallest in 10 years, the countywide high school graduation to be held Friday evening at the Prestonsburg high school gymnasium will be marked with all the color and ceremony ever to attend the eight-year-old annual.

The county's nine high schools altogether this year are graduating only 170 students.

John Fred Williams, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, will deliver the Commencement address.

High schools of the county already have conducted their individual Commencement exercises and the Prestonsburg high school class Friday, these eight having begun their terms two weeks early so that boys and girls of the county could meet with farm work. Prestonsburg high school's term will extend two weeks past the graduation.

As in the other seven exercises here, the gymnasium will be divided into sections for students and parents of the various schools, each section decorated in school colors. A predominant note in the color scheme for this wartime graduation will be the patriotic red, white and blue.

Four Airmen from This County Enact Heroic Combat Roles

As more Floyd countians reach the theatres of war the list of Floyd men decorated for bravery or mentioned as having taken part in thrilling action grows.

This week, from various areas of operations against the enemy, come stories of four airmen from this county. These stories follow:

WITH THE 13th AAF IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC—Tech. Sgt. Eugene Hyden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Estel Hyden, Auxier, Ky., has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an additional Air Medal.

He was cited for "meritorious achievement" while participating as an aerial radio operator in a number of combat missions in the South Pacific area. Sgt. Hyden recently was reported missing in action.

AN EIGHTH AAF LIBERATOR STATION, ENGLAND—First Lieut. David Marrs, Jr., pilot of the Liberator bomber "Princess," and a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs, Sr., of Martin, Ky., has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an additional Air Medal.

It was awarded, the citation explained, "for exceptionally meritorious achievement in the air." He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, his brother, Magistrate Dewey Roberts, Harold, said here this week.

His 50th bombing trip over Nandland was made within six months after he arrived in England, Sgt. Roberts is now eligible to return to the United States where he may see future air service.

He is an engineer on a Flying Fortress based in England. His first assignment was in the European theater of operations, he has participated in missions over Ludwigshafen, Kiel, Bremen, Berlin.

FIRE DESTROYS PYRAMID BOY, STATE GRADER

Blazing Tar Causes Damage at Allen Last Thursday

Fire at the state highway garage at Thursday afternoon, destroyed a patrol grader at an estimated loss of \$4,000.

The fire started from a tar kettle when water was accidentally poured onto the contents of the kettle, causing them to boil over onto the fire beneath. The Prestonsburg fire department made the run to Allen and extinguished the flames. Tin construction of the garage itself saved it from destruction.

The loss was insured, it was said here. The grader was destroyed.

War Takes Its Toll

Since Pearl Harbor the number of high school graduates in the county has steadily declined. From 302 graduates in 1935, the number dropped to 275 by graduation time, 1942. Last year, the countywide senior class had 226 members and this year the drop is even more pronounced with only 170 graduating.

The county's largest graduating class was that of 1940 with 319. At the first graduation, held in 1937 there were 189 members, 175 in 1938 and 252 in 1939.

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The graduates will be welcomed by Mayor E. F. Arnold of Prestonsburg, Prof. Leland Triplett, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, will extend greetings to the graduates, and diplomas will be presented by town hall superintendent of county schools. The senior classes of the several schools will be introduced by school principals. Mrs. Oval B. Hall will read the Presidential address. The Rev. W. B. Garrison, pastor of the Methodist Church here, pronouncing the invocation. Instrumental music will be rendered by the Martin Betsy Layne band, directed by Mrs.

Commencement Speaker

MARTIN JURY IN DEADLOCK IS DISMISSED

Deputy Sheriff Cook Wins Acquittal; Cross' Slayer Gets 5 Years

Long drawn-out in the empanelling of a jury and hard-fought through the entire courtroom hearing, the trial of Wesley N. Martin, of Allen, charged with the slaying of Billie Martin, Jr., came to an end late Friday afternoon with startling suddenness.

The trial, as once before, ended in the jury being unable to reach a verdict. It was dismissed after deliberating only four hours and after members of the jury had told Special Judge Clyde Miller, Louisa, that there was no possibility of an agreement.

Wednesday, while the trial of Deputy Sheriff Ray Cook, charged with the shooting of Joe Hall at Drift, was under way, a compromise verdict of five years in the penitentiary was reached for Alvin Hamilton, charged with the murder on Mud Creek of Aggie Cross, Mack Hamilton, Mud Creek merchant, had been jointly indicted with his son, Alvin, in the killing, but his case was dismissed. The younger Hamilton was recently fined \$100 for shooting and wounding Frank Adams at the time of the Cross slaying.

Later Wednesday, the Cook jury acquitted the officer.

68 NOTIFIED FOR INDUCTION

By Draft Board 45; 25 Others Will Be Called During May

Local Board 45 at Martin this week notified 23 of its registrars who had already passed their pre-induction tests to appear here on the morning of May 16 to leave for army induction, and at the same time notified 36 to leave here on the following day for the navy.

Board 45 has been directed to call up for army service 25 of its selectees on May 16, but names of those to be inducted had not been announced this week.

Included in the May call for selectees are two Floyd school principals—Curtis Owens, of Garrett, and Boone Hall, of Wayland, for army service.

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MAYOR ASKS CO-OPERATION

Of Citizens in Making Clean-Up Week, Drive On Rats Successful

"Every resident of Prestonsburg should take part in the town's Clean-Up Week beginning May 1, and in the interest of the public health, no one should be allowed to neglect the appearance of their property. Every property owner will be expected to remove all debris, weeds and other unsightly accumulations from their premises."

Mayor E. F. Arnold declared Wednesday.

"It is particularly important this year that our citizens do this, next week," the Mayor said, "for the following week will be devoted to an attempt to rid the town of rats, and a preliminary clean-up will make this all the more effective."

Kiwanis and Woman's Club committees will make a survey of the town, preparatory to the drive on rats, and every household will be asked to report poison Monday, May 8. Destruction of property, foodstuffs and feedstuffs here by rats cost several thousand dollars annually, it is estimated, and the pests present a constant threat to the public health.

Kiwanis Committee Asked for Report On Play Center

A committee composed of Dr. C. L. Hutsimpler, Prof. Emmett Triplett and the Rev. W. B. Garrison were instructed by the Kiwanis Club at its meeting Thursday evening, last week, to investigate and act immediately on the proposition ever proposed as an undertaking of the club for Prestonsburg children.

The club also expects soon to make a definite decision on the possibility of acting in locating a municipal playground here, it was stated.

The music program was featured by piano selections by Miss Ethel Clark. Dr. Hutsimpler was in charge of the program for the evening.

'Hometown' Boy Unrecognized Here As Film Fans View Drama of Sea

Movie-goers here last week witnessed a drama of the sea in which a native of Prestonsburg played a heroic role but they were unaware of the "hometown" boy in the picture.

The newreel film showed a ship breaking up on the rocks of the African coast in a storm, the rescue of some of its crew, every property owner will be expected to remove all debris, weeds and other unsightly accumulations from their premises."

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A GOOD WORD

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

It is not my purpose in writing these articles to censure any person or persons, but to tell you what we had in mind when God knows that we would all come in for censure somewhere. It is my purpose in calling attention to the things that we do to let us see that conduct must have its reward and that reward means destiny.

One of the most effective pieces of strategy the devil has is to get us to think that these things do not apply to us. With a little flattery he tells us that these things did happen to some one else but that we are wiser than they and that we can do what others cannot do and that we can get by with it.

Some years ago Art Smith, a Y. M. C. A. secretary, was stationed at Castle Garden to lend assistance to strange young men who arrived. One day he saw a fine looking young man. He approached him and asked if he could be of any help to him. The young man replied in the negative. Then Art Smith asked the inevitable question, "Are you a Christian?" The reply was, "No." Mr. Smith asked about his parents, found they were Christians and praying for him. The young man, apparently irritated, turned to leave and as he did so Mr. Smith spoke two passages of Scripture.

"He that being often reproved, hardeneth his neck, shall suddenly be destroyed, and without remedy." "The way of the just is as a straight line. Some two years later Mr. Smith had gone to a secretarial job in Chicago and one night the telephone rang and he was asked to go to the Cook County hospital to see a young man who was dying. He caught the first car he could and arrived there as soon as he could. The warden met him and told him his errand, but was refused because of the hour, for no visiting was allowed at that hour and, too, he was not a minister. Finally the warden consented after he had heard the story and agreed to go with him, and they went—where do you suppose?—into the "Horror Ward" where the most terrible cases are confined. Mr. Smith did not recognize the man, but the young Scotchman cried out, "My God, Mr. Smith, just look at isn't it awful?" Mr. Smith knelt at his side and tried to pray for him, but he had finished the man went into a delirium in which he muttered something about home and March 27 (him, three pages to the letter).

What was the matter with that young man? Was he a libertine when he met Mr. Smith at first? No. Was he a physical weakling? Did he have a feeble mind? What was the matter with him? He lacked that quality of soul that comes from knowing God through Jesus Christ that would have made him strong and kept him pure and saved his life and no doubt the lives of others that were saved and ruined by his sin. I imagine I can hear some one saying, "I have heard it so often, 'My son or my daughter will never come to a thing like that, they never will. But you know that no man or woman is safe outside of the grace of God and you owe it to Him to acknowledge Him. If God made you, gave you life and immortality, and gave His Son to die for you and redeem you from your sins, you ought to be man enough or woman enough to give your life to Him."

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 at Dr. John G. Archer's office, examining eyes.
 At Inland Steel Company Clubhouse, Wheelwright, first and Third Thursday of Each Month.

Him. I cannot imagine anything more unrespectable and than to see a man being created in the image of God giving himself up to that which is vile and unholly, wasting a life in sin and then when the end comes he has nothing left for God but the dregs of a wasted life to lay at His feet with a miserable whine for Him to have mercy on you. Do you think you will deserve it then?

Some years ago a man in an adjoining state was seriously ill and the people of the church were praying for him and to have prayer for him, for they knew what kind of a life he had lived. When they made known to him what they had come for, he told them they need not come to pray for him, for he knew as well as they what kind of a life he had lived and that he had spurned the offer of grace all of his life and left Jesus Christ out, and that he would not be that big a coward now to ask God to let him in after treating Him that way all his life. They told him that he was going to die and that the doctor said he would die if he did not take a little whisky. He said, "No, I may have done many other things that I should not have done but one thing I have not done I have not used liquor; I may die but I am not going to take that stuff into my system and go into the presence of my Maker with the smell of it on my breath!"

He was a very devout little woman and she insisted that he let the people from the church pray for him. He told them that they could pray for him under one condition and that was that they not pray for him to be saved there in that condition. He told them to escape hell. He did not tell them that they could pray for him that he might get well and if the Lord would let him get up again that he would give his life to Him for who ever He might be able to get out of it. He did get well and gave his heart to God and lived a useful life in that community.

Are you made out of that kind of material or are you just going on a church member to drink and die and go into the presence of God with the smell of liquor on your breath, your body soaked in it, to be assured through eternity that you are to be filled with the fruits of some ways? (To be continued.)

In 3 Installments Floyd-Co. Soldier Tells Experiences

From the Anzio beachhead, Pfc. Blucher Allen, Jr., former Floyd County, Ky., soldier, tells his experiences in writing three letters to his home. The first letter, dated March 27 (him, three pages to the letter).

His story of German air raids and of "The Anzio Express" follows:
 (Installment I)
 Promised you some time ago to write you about some of my experiences. I shall go back to the day we landed on the beach. Having never been under shell fire nor in an air raid, I was wondering just how I would react. Some of my friends and I were sitting on our bunks talking K rations when we got the air-raid alarm. About that same time the guns opened up on a Jerry plane and a sailor came rushing through making an awful fuss telling us to get out of the way and get in our bunks. To the new fellows it was very amusing plus annoying. Later we were to find out why one could make such a row about an A. R.

We landed without any other excitement, everything was very quiet and peaceful. The place didn't look as if troops of the Jerries or even the Allies had ever been there. The streets of the town were lined with palm trees, stone buildings, rich people's villas, etc. I had expected to find everything in ruins but we caught in the Jerries with their pants down.

We bivouacked in a building. That night was very peaceful but the dawn came with a Jerry air-raid. From then on we had air-raids and shells every day. That afternoon (day after we landed) the Jerries sent over several planes, evidently aimed for the harbor area and I had my first real experience with air raids. We new fellows were more frightened at our own air-raid than Jerry planes until we got used to it. Boy! did we send up a barrage! I learned my extended order drill well in the States. When a bomb would drop, even if a long way off, I would hit the dirt without thinking.

BONDS OVER AMERICA



Confederate Home

Near Biloxi, on the Gulf of Mexico, stands the last residence of Jefferson Davis and the house where the confederate president completed his memoirs. Revalor now is a historic Confederate veterans.

Keep On Backing the Attack With War Bonds

Defeated men may live in peace and honor under the Stars and Stripes, but under the crooked cross of Nazism there is only ignominy, persecution, death for those who will not bend the knee.

When the dropping flames and one-fourth ounce of the size of a pullet's egg. Each should have at least one eye; more do not matter, as the strongest eyes only will start. And incidentally, what ever sprouts are made should be left, not thinned, as the potato knows its business best. That is, if the seed is healthy. It's true that a seed piece of a potato, sick with "witches broom" for example, may make as many as 15 sprouts, but thinning cannot cure disease.

One piece, and one piece only, should be dropped at a place. The spacing in the row may run from 13 to 18 inches; 15 inches is a good compromise. One thousand pounds plant an acre, where the rows are 36 inches apart, the usual width when the furrows are done with a plow. The depth of planting should be not less than three inches, but five inches is better. Planted in March, the seed will start. And incidentally, when planting must be delayed until late April, only enough covering is given to shut off the sunlight, and the furrows are filled level when the plant tips extend just above the ground line.

The best way to use fertilizer (previously discussed) is to sow it in the bottom of the furrow, a pound to 20 to 30 feet, mixing it with the soil so none touches the seed. Thus the roots are kept low, to take advantage of the moisture and the coolness of the deeper soil.

The best variety is still Irish Cobbler, although when moisture is plentiful both Warba and Green Mountain may outyield it. Katahdin and Chippewa, two newcomers, sometimes have made heavier hills than the Cobbler, but their stands have been low uncertain.

It is estimated that Onley county farmers will plant twice as much hybrid corn this year as last.

THE GARDEN

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

WHITE POTATOES, III
 Although certified seed potatoes are bred free of running-out diseases, they may carry small percentages of scab and scurf. The former disfigures the tubers and causes waste in their table preparation, and the latter brings early death of the plants. While the potatoes are still small.

As the germs of both troubles are found on the surface of the seed, the control is merely to dip it in a solution of mercury, or corrosive sublimate or any of several patented mercuric compounds, as Gemesan Gel, to name one. Directions for using either can be procured from the county agricultural agents, everywhere, or by writing the College of Agriculture at Lexington.

Treating "common" seed, which is often badly infected, has improved yields by as much as 60 per cent. As the maximum cost of treating even now is not more than a dollar an acre, the extra potatoes cost not quite two cents a bushel to produce. When certified seed, carrying just a trace of scurf, is treated, the increase was smaller, but the resulting extra potatoes cost under five cents a bushel.

After treating, the tubers should be cut in pieces (called "sets") thick and blocky, and weighing about one



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DAVID

(Last week's correspondence)
 The P. T. A. met last Thursday and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Otis Bussey, president; Mrs. E. D. Garver, vice-president; Miss Eva Allen, secretary-treasurer.

The Daughters of America lodge met Thursday night.

Madames Oakley Mullins and Frank Rogers were co-hostesses to the David Woman's Club Friday night at the home of Mrs. Mullins. After a business session new officers were elected: Mrs. Russell Harmon, president; Lucille Roberts, vice-president; Mrs. Lon Hill, secretary; Miss Blanche Garrett, treasurer; Mrs. Otis Bussey, parliamentary referent; Mrs. Loren Roberts had charge of the program which was on "Gardening." The hostesses served refreshments to Madames Ballard Plummer, Otis Bussey, Loren Roberts, M. E. Thompson, Enzo Van Gelder, Russell Harmon, Ora Howard, Pete Capelli, Ed Garver, Don Preston and Miss Blanche Garrett. The next meeting will be held at

the clubhouse when the new officers will be installed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson left Saturday morning for Lexington to be with their daughter, Ellen, who underwent an appendectomy Friday night.

Mrs. George Burke and Betty spent last week in Huntington, Va., visiting her sisters.

Loren Roberts was in Huntington last week conducting First Aid classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bussey and children spent the week-end in Wayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Clark and family spent the week-end in Garrett.

Mrs. Dawson Bussey and children returned Sunday after being away for two weeks visiting relatives at Garrett.

Acres planted to wheat in Trig county has been more than doubled over a year ago.

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News From Floyd Communities

RISNER

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tussey and daughter, Mrs. Sage Frause, and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adkins Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Ousley, Mrs. Sam Adkins and Miss Eva Ousley were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. Greeley Hicks and Mrs. Julia Hudson were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warnie Miller are the parents of a son, born April 18. Mrs. Miller is the former Miss Zella Qualey.

Sam Adkins visited relatives on Prater Fork of Brush Creek Sunday.

Clyde Allen and sons, of Middle Creek, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Lummie Prater and Mrs. Perry Ousley were shopping in Prestonsburg last week.

Buy War Bonds!

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MIDDLE CREEK

Cpl. Woodrow W. Adams is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, of West Prestonsburg. His wife and little daughter, Gloria Jean, are also spending a vacation with his parents. After Cpl. Adams' 10 days are spent he will return to his duties at Camp Atterbury, Ind., and his wife and daughter will go to Hillsboro, Ky., where she is making her home with her father, W. A. Baldridge.

Mrs. Garland W. Adams spent a few days with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nealey, of Pikeville, last week.

Miss Mary Lon Parker is spending a few days vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hatcher, of Ashland.

Cpl. Garland W. Adams spent a few hours with his sister, Mrs. Robert F. Hawk, of Lima, Ohio, while en route to Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams and Cpl. Woodrow W. Adams with his wife and little daughter recently visited the Mill Stanley and Mrs. Bill Pruitt, both of Abbot Creek.

Cpl. Bill Jones, of California, his wife and small daughter were the Sunday night guests of his sister, Mrs. Stella Burchett, of Betsy Layne.

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Mrs. Thea Meade and Mrs. Robert Jones were business visitors in Prestonsburg Friday.

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Mrs. Ike Click and children spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Click.

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Cpl. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Mrs. B. L. Jones were shopping in Pikeville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dameron, of Ivel, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hall Sunday.

Misses Georgia and Ruth Spears were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

BANNER

Mrs. Ocie Cook has received word that her husband, Pvt. Sam Cook, is very ill.

Tella Burchett was visiting her sister-in-law, in the Prestonsburg General hospital Saturday evening.

Mrs. Millard Hall and children and Mrs. James Meade and baby were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. John Burchett.

"Aunt" Julia Burchett is seriously ill.

M. R. Meade was visiting his daughter, Mrs. John DeLong, Sunday.

"Aunt" Jane Yates is improving slowly.

Dick Hamilton has rented the Bass Howard farm.

(Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Burchett and sons spent the week-end with Thea Meade and children.

Mrs. Leo Kelly, of Ypsanti, Mich., are here visiting relatives.

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WEST GARRETT

Pvt. Robert Hitchcock, paratrooper, of Camp Mackall, N. C. and Mrs. Walter Hitchcock and Mrs. Bill F. Saunders, Prestonsburg, Pvt. Hitchcock enlisted Aug. 9, 1940.

Evelyn Hitchcock, who is employed at O. C. Murphy's at Paintsville, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Soldiers seen around on furlough: Charles "Greasy" Hubbs and Chick Children, Wade Pelly, Robert S. Hitchcock.

Oden Moore and family have returned home from Ypsanti, Mich., where they have been doing war work.

Approximately \$3,000 worth of War Bonds were sold by the Waterloo 4-H club in Hart county.

AUXIER

Miss Jewel Castle spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Maize Castle. Miss Castle is attending college at Pikeville.

Miss Pauline Bocoek, who is employed at David, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bocoek.

Miss Delight Weeks is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Musie attended church at Prestonsburg Saturday night.

Misses Rebecca Wireman and Ella Louise Vaughan were visiting Miss Ruby Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Whitaker and family were visiting relatives at Whitehouse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Hyden announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Mr. Willis Sparks. The bride was graduated from Auxier high school, class of '41. She also attended business school at Paintsville. She is employed at the Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville. Mr. Sparks is one of Auxier's finest young men and is employed by the North-East Coal Company.

Mrs. Luther Sturgill is visiting her son Pvt. Charlie Sturgill, who is stationed at Patterson Field, Fairfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Warmie Caudill was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Hyden visited Mrs. Hyden's mother at Garrett Sunday.

Joan Perry is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Perry, Joan is employed in Detroit.

Miss Josephine Burchett, who is attending college at Pikeville, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Connors received a telegram from their son, Chas. Connors, Jr., coxswain, U.S. navy, saying he has arrived at a port in New York. They also received word that their younger son, James Paul Connors, of the navy, is in a hospital somewhere in South America, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Janis Thompson and son, of Detroit, Mich., spent a week-end with his sister, Mrs. Charles McCoy.

Mrs. L. D. Clark was called to the bedside of her father who is seriously ill in the hospital at Prestonsburg of pneumonia. She was accompanied by Mrs. Earl Littler.

REED BRANCH

Pfc. Douglas Prater is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Prater, here.

Mrs. Henry Woods, of Prestonsburg, was visiting Mrs. Egbert Patton Saturday afternoon.

Emma Kenny, of Midas, was the guest of Inez Prater Saturday night.

Mrs. Grover Prater and children, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Ratliff Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Crisp was visiting friends and relatives at Dinwood Sunday, and she also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Compton, of Hite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price, of Wayland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hayes.

Poster Hall of Weeksburg, was visiting Richard Crisp Monday and Tuesday.

Rita Lou Bradley and Ozle Jones spent Friday night on Wilson Creek with Mrs. Edwin Frause.

EASTERN

Gene Bradley is spending his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillock and baby of Harrison, Tenn., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osborne.

Mrs. Hawley Smith is spending a few weeks with her husband who is stationed in Waterboro, S. C.

Mrs. Anna Watts of Drift, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Salyers.

Miss Susie Clark has been visiting her sister at Brush Creek.

Mrs. W. S. Martin had as Sunday guests Mrs. Cyprian Moore, Mrs. Jane Stumbo, Mrs. Milton Stumbo, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, of McDowell, Mrs. Shelia Duggan, of Alpharetta, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Conley and family, of Garrett.

Miss Helen Collins was in Martin Saturday evening.

Mrs. Roberta Click had as Saturday night guests the Rev. A. L. Allen, Leo Preston, Tom Ratliff, Mrs. Sam Click and children.

Pvt. Deward Osborne has been home on furlough.

Mrs. Leslie Polphrey left for Otten, N. C. Sunday.

Mrs. Garland Martin spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Mary C. Johns.

Mrs. C. H. Osborne and daughter spent Sunday on Wilson Creek.

LACKY

The Hindman Woman's Club entertained the Lackey-Garrett Women's Club to tea in the home of Mrs. Clark Pratt, Hindman club president, Saturday afternoon. An interesting program was presented. Several piano selections were rendered by the little Misses Nancy Combs, Virginia Lee Pratt, Miss Joy Sturrell and Jack Hitchcock.

A book review of "Chicken Every Sunday" was given by Mrs. Pearl Combs. A quiz program was conducted by Miss Sally Betty Smith, in which several members of both clubs participated, the winners being Mesdames J. C. Wells and Thomas Hatcher. Miss Standish, librarian at the Settlement School, gave a detailed report of the summer work camp to be held at Hindman, sponsored by the Woman's Club. The Friends Service Committee will assume charge of the work.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames C. B. Ison, R. H. Messer, H. H. Hornsby and Ruth Sturgill, of Garrett; Mesdames W. T. Hatcher, M. M. Collins, J. T. Spillman and Annie Stumbo, of Lackey; Mesdames J. A. C. Haymond, Roy Soukyrette, J. E. Miller and Richards Wason, of Wayland; Mesdames J. C. Wells, F. H. Cooley, Thomas Hatcher, and one guest, Mrs. Harry Pendry, of Estill Heights.

More than 278 farm men and women in Oldham county are helping to encourage more food production within the county.

IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. George Akers, of Russell, visited his sister, Mrs. Margaret Katherine Rice, Sunday. Mrs. Rice, who has been a "babysitter" for years, is at the home of her son, A. F. Rice. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Akers, dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Akers, of Dana; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Akers, of Jucell; Elias Kidd and Green Kidd, of Dana; Amos Akers and Bill Endicott, of Betsy Layne; W. L. Rice, of Allen; Mrs. Nannie Garrett, of Emma; Mrs. George Honaker and son, of Tram; and Miss Betty Lou Dillon, of Ivel.

Jack Hall has moved to Oak Hill, Ohio, to the farm which he purchased some time ago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Collins, April 23, a son. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Kate Dillon has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. K. F. Dolan, of Lebanon, Ohio. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Laura Endicott, of Broad Bottom.

Everett Layne, of Mare Creek, was the Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns May and daughters attended the baccalaureate sermon at Betsy Layne Sunday.

Chester Allen Layne, J. B. Coble and Darwin Layne made a trip to Oak Hill, O., Sunday.

Jack Damon and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adkins attended the Presbytery Baptist Church at Seco Sunday and Sunday.

Anna Cedi was the Sunday night guest of Virginia Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dameron were visiting relatives at Broad Bottom Sunday.

Mrs. Tracy Burchett and children were the guests of her mother, Mrs. Dora Cecil, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dameron visited Mrs. Pal Dameron and daughter, Hulda Fern, of Bonanza over the week-end.

The need of feed in Harlan county is causing farmers to sow new pastures and re-seed old ones.

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March 3, 1879.

A Veteran Asks for His Old Job

THAT veteran of World War I who is having trouble gaining reinstatement to his old job with the state may, or may not, be of the Floyd county Cook family as The Courier-Journal has reported.

No matter who he is or where he hails. He left that job for the service of his country; he left the country's armed forces honorably, through no fault of his own. His old job should have been ready for him.

THE TIMES does not hasten to place

Soldier in Australia 'Wives' Birthday Cake To Father at Home

Charles Connors, of Auxier, can assure folks back home the boys, wherever they are, are thinking of them.

Days ahead of his birthday Sunday, a bakery truck arrived at his home with a giant birthday cake.

the blame for Cook's unemployment entirely on the state administration. The error, Willis said, is that of the highway department have not flatly refused the veteran. Yet they dally; they say they are investigating; they indicate he will get the job back, if it can be arranged.

However conscientious the gentlemen may be in the matter, they expose themselves to criticism. There are those who will rudely wonder "out loud" if this veteran were a Republican in influence or with influential political support, would there have been any delay about his re-employment.

The state administration in this case is not only playing poor politics; it establishes a precedent which, unless outlawed, would leave many veterans poor Enoch Ardens after they return from the armed forces—standing outside, in enforced idleness, looking sadly inside where those who were 48 do the work and draw the pay that once was his.

No, the state may not be bound by the federal legislation designed to protect these veterans. Some private individuals and firms may find a loophole later. But their obligation to the veteran remains; their duty is plain.

It had been "wired" to him by his son, Col. William Harold Connors, in Australia.

Friends and relatives enjoyed the cake at a birthday dinner given at the Connors home Sunday, and slices of it were sent to many who were unable to come.

Locust seed sowed last June in tobacco beds by Ed Cox, of Taylor, in the common home Sunday, and inches high for spring planting.

(Continued from Page 1)

IRATE FOUR-EFFER

Mr. Robert Kinney, erstwhile resident of this county but now an inhabitant of Portsmouth, Va., is a plumb and plumber by trade. He is a draft board, which happens to be located at Martin. So he taken pen in hand and delivers himself of the following message:

"Dear Mr. Draft Board: I am 48 the way you all see it, but I don't agree with you all. I've been on battle wagons, aircraft carriers, destroyers, destroyer escorts, cruisers and even P-Ts. I have heard 16-inch guns to 50 millimeter anti-aircraft guns fire. I have been on test runs with the regular navy. I can't be one. I've got hands to fight with, eyes to see with, ears to hear with. But you say no. Not the last time—do I or do I not fight?"

OMENS?

Some good Democrat oughta tear down that Democratic headquarters sign on that building across from the court house. Why? Inside, plain to be seen through the window, is a shining array of comodes.

George Harrison Hall Dies in 67th Year

Following an illness of several weeks, George Harrison Hall, son of Henry Hall and Mary Elizabeth Adkins, died Thursday, last week, at the age of 66.

He is survived by six sons and four daughters: Ernest and George, of Betsy Layne; Robert, of Catterlburg; John, of Monclo, Va.; Joseph, of the army, Fred, of Detroit; Mrs. John H. Foley, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Russell Huff, Catterlburg; Mrs. Nathan Murphy, Ashland, and Mrs. Ruth Howell, Detroit, Mich. He is also survived by six brothers and four sisters: Jerry, of Flemingsburg, Ky.; Robert, of Banner, Ruford, of Cincinnati; Willie, John and Earl, of Harold; Mrs. Grace Conn, Haroid; Mrs. Laura Hall, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Fadrina Vanderpool, Garrett, and Mrs. C. F. Conn, of Lacey. He also leaves 26 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Prestonsburg Women To Sing at National Festival, May 10-13

Floyd county's Painsong Chanters will be represented at the National Folk Festival in Philadelphia, May 10-13 by Mrs. Edith Filiparski James and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, and fiddle crafts of this section will be represented in a display exhibited by Mrs. Wilma F. Johns.

The program of ancient hymns retained in this section in their original form, and to be sung by Mrs. James and Mrs. Stephens will include "O, Brothers, Will You Meet Me?" and "There'll Be No Sorrow There."

VET RE-HIRING UP TO RASH

Cook Seeks Old Job With State on Return From Armed Services

Frankfort, Ky., April 25—County Judge Boone Hamilton stated today that at advice of United States District Attorney Claude P. Stephens he had granted the re-employment claim of ex-soldier R. C. Cook before Colonel Frank D. Rash, of Louisville, state Selective Service head.

Cook, discharged from the army for medical reasons April 16 after serving since last October 4, asked Judge Hamilton, re-employment committee chairman, to place him on a board, to help him get back his job as a window washer at the new state capitol building here. He said he applied last Friday but could get no definite information.

Judge Hamilton, who had planned to send Cook to Lexington to see the district attorney, called the telephoned Stephens again today and was advised that Colonel Rash should attempt to adjust the case before further steps were taken. State officials expressed doubt that federal law could require a state to rehire a worker, though both Governor and Senate disclaim that. Commissioner J. Stephen Watkins said that where possible they would take back into their former jobs men and women discharged from the service and that Cook's case was being investigated.

A Courier-Journal story stated Cook is a resident of Floyd county but efforts of THE TIMES to identify him as a Floyd countian have been unsuccessful.

Places for Registration For Canning Sugar Named By Floyd Rationing Board

With registration here for canning sugar completed by the War Price and Rationing Board this week announced names of registrars and places where residents of other sections of the county may register.

This is the only registration to be held this year for canning sugar. It was stressed that closing date for registration is May 1. John Stephens, of the rationing board, said any member of a family may register for the entire family group but that he or she must be present at registration. Ration Book 4 issued to each individual member. He also paid tribute to the men and women who are serving as volunteer registrars.

Registrars and registration places follow: Hi-Hat Mining Co., Hi-Hat; Sue Ward, Alpharetta; Wash Justice, Tram; Edna Mae Allen, Allen; L. M. Miller, Betsy Layne; Tom H. Burnett, Edinburg; J. S. Hampton, Glo; S. C. Bentley, Wayland; Samuel Hale, Blue River; H. H. Hamilton, Grethel; J. S. Reynolds, Beaver; Add Hines, Spruce; S. Hampton, Martin; J. M. Hale, Manton; R. S. Walker, David; Alfred Parsons, Ambur; Wm. Haywood, Dock; R. C. Ambler, Bonanza; Mrs. T. W. Huesyville; L. C. Leslie, Emma; Frank P. Hill, Weebauy; Clara Greathouse, Myrtle; Mrs. Harry Hager, East Point; J. W. James, German; Earn Salyers, Brainerd; Viola Stewart, Langley; Henry Collins, Edgar; Mrs. M. D. Dora, Grayson Hill; Ed. Pyramid, Raymond; Cogley Dwalie, Alfred Parsons, Amba; Mae Hall, Banner; James Saunders, Grethel; Mam Adkins, Galesburg; Inland Steel Co., Wheelwright; Sandy Valley Coal Co., Water Gap; Evan Hamilton, Teaberry; E. W. Harris, Haroid; J. W. Jones, Camp; Josephine Conley, Bonanza; Grace Conley, Conley; Clyde Lafferty, Thomas.

Oscar Hayes, Lacey; Charles Moore, McDowell; H. D. Pendry, Edinburg; Bertram Porter, Emma; Hazel D. George, Tram; E. C. Moore, Hippo; Dick Burchett, Tru; Mosey Johnson, Garrett; Mrs. Ralph Balfour, Melvin; C. F. Reynolds, Ligon; Gladys Conn, Dana; J. K. Stratton, Ivel; R. D. Sparlock, Preston; L. C. Frazier, Garretts, Glenn Preston, Auxier; Taulbee Johnson, Melvin; Henry Clay, Woods; Grover Martin, Drift; Mrs. M. P. Jones, Camp; S. T. Meade, McDowell; Alex Meade, Printer; Mary T. Combs, Okra; Mrs. Fay Hall, Blue Moon.

Spradlin Rites Held Last Week Near Here, Week After His Death

Funeral rites for Jonathan Spradlin, 77 years old, well-known farmer, who died April 18 at his home on Spradlin Branch, near here, were conducted Thursday of last week from the school nearby. The Rev. Julius Clifton Spradlin, three sons Isaac Stratton, John Spradlin, with the army in Italy; Woodrow Spradlin, in the army stationed in California; Mrs. Maggie Collins, Cliff, Mrs. Bessie Craft and White Spradlin, both of Hi-Hat. One brother and one sister also survive: Sam Spradlin, of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Mollie Burgess, of Cliff.

Floyd County Goes To War

Two Floyd county sailors have returned to their base at New Orleans, La., after months at sea as merchant ship gunners. They are Seaman First Class Robert Louis Wilcox, 20, of East Point, and Arnold E. Daniels, 20, of Garrett. Daniels had been at sea between at sea almost nine months; Wilcox, more than five months.

During his tour of duty, Wilcox visited ports in the South American countries. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilcox, of East Point. Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eves Daniels, of Garrett, visited ports in Iran, Egypt, Persia and the British Isles.

Wilcox attended Prestonsburg high school. He joined the navy June 15, 1942. Seaman Daniels attended Garrett high school and was employed as a miner by the By-Products Coal Co., Lacey, prior to his navy entrance March 24, 1943.

Ralph Wayne Reffett, S 2/C, who completed his "boot" training at Great Lakes, Ill., in February, is now Service School at Memphis, Tenn., receiving training in radio work on seaplanes. His brother, S 1 Sgt. Edwin Reffett, of the air corps, who has been overseas since December, 1942, has been recently transferred from Italy to England. He is with a troop transport squadron and has been awarded the Purple Heart, the Soldier's Medal, and the Air Medal. They are sons of W. M. Reffett, formerly of Huesyville, now of McClure, Ohio.

Three Floyd county men were among those graduated from intensive special training at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

The men were selected for their specialties during the training on the basis of their recruit training aptitude test scores. Graduates are advanced in ratings and then sent to sea, or to shore stations. They advance navy schools for active duty or further training.

The recent graduates, the schools which graduated on their rates are: Robert Leard Spradlin, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spradlin, Auxier, Electrician's Mate School; Wesley Leon, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Martin, Metalmith School; Clifford Charles Castle, 26, husband of Mrs. Eves Castle, Wayland, Gunner's Mate School.

Two Floyd countians are receiving their initial naval indoctrination at the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill. Their recruit training completed, these men will spend a period of leave at home. They are: James Pater, 27, husband of Mrs. Curtis Pater, David, and Richard Fletcher Vinson, 33, husband of Mrs. Hezel Miller Vinson, of Wayland.

Lieut. Hall Graduates As Flight Officer At Selman Field

Selman Field, Monroe, Ala., April 24 (Sp.)—Residents of 36 states and Canada received their wings and commissions as aerial navigators Saturday when Selman Field, largest navigation training school in the AAF Training Command, sent class 44-6 on its way into combat.

Among the graduates was 2nd Lt. Isaac N. Hall, son of I. N. Hall, of Banner. He is a flight officer. From here, the graduates went to operational and replacement training units throughout the country, where they will train for combat with their future battlefields. In a few weeks, they will be flying in every theater of the war and over the air supply routes of the world.

Samuel P. Spradlin Dies in Martin Co.

Samuel P. Spradlin, 89 years old, a cousin of Jonathan Spradlin who died near here a few days ago, succumbed April 19 at the home of his son, Francis, of Tomahawk, Martin county.

Mr. Spradlin's wife died five years ago at Tram, this county. He was a son of John and Polly Allen Spradlin. Surviving are eight children: Mrs. Bertha Gillespie, Emmett, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Gillespie and Francis Spradlin, both of Tomahawk; Albert Spradlin, Fikeville, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Blevins of Tram; Mrs. Lizzie Carr, Pipey, W. Va.; Henry Spradlin, Detroit, Mich.; John Spradlin, of McCurtrey, Ohio. He also leaves one step-daughter, 50 grandchildren, 45 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at the graveyard in the family cemetery at Tomahawk by the Rev. Isaac Stratton.

In Jackson county, 1,675 families received certificates for producing at least three-fourths of their food last year.

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PHAZIER RISNER

Pvt. James W. Risner, 21, son of Mrs. Lizzie Stidham, of Lacey, has been overseas 10 months and now is in commando training in England. He has been attached to the air force.

Pvt. E. K. Frazier, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Frazier, Sr., of Martin, is now stationed in Hawaii with an anti-aircraft unit.

Recently promoted from a private's rank to that of 7/5, Charles D. Kendrick, formerly of Lacey, now is stationed at Camp Claiborne, La., with the army engineers. He has been in the army 11 1/2 months. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kendrick, and his wife reside at Lacey.

Pfc. Rash Hall, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rash, of Hall, Bevilacqua, has been in the army two years and now is stationed at the army air field, Palaulou, T. H.

Rook, Member of 'Wing' Cited as Unit by FDR On China-India Front

The India-China Wing of the air transport command, of which Sgt. Jimmy Rook, son of the Rev. and Mrs. James Rook, Prestonsburg, is a member, was recently cited as a unit by President Roosevelt for its accomplishments in the tremendous task of supplying American and Chinese fighting units by air over what has been called the world's most dangerous single air line.

The citation issued at Wing headquarters read in part: "The honor came in an action unprecedented in the China-Burma-India theater, and extremely rare in the history of the United States, when the President cited the entire Wing for exceptionally outstanding performance in the face of almost insurmountable odds in moving vast quantities of vital military supplies by air into China.

"The going has been high, the air route exceedingly dangerous, both as to mountains and enemy action and the weather treacherous. Only very fine teamwork and outstanding devotion to duty by the entire personnel could have made this accomplishment possible."

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War

Pvt. Thomas Everett Horn, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Horn, West Prestonsburg, entered the marine corps last December and is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C. He was a sophomore at Prestonsburg high school at the time of his enlistment. He is the son of a machine crew, son of Clifford Horn, has been promoted to sergeant and is a forecaster at the base weather station.

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Society Notes

Maytown Hi Graduate, Mr. Caldwell Wed

Hazel Reffitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reffitt of McArthur, O., was married April 6 to Mr. James C. Caldwell, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell, 181 Electric avenue, Southgate, Ky. The wedding took place in the Immanuel Baptist Church at Covington, Ky.

The bride is a graduate of Maytown high school and is also a graduate nurse of St. Elizabeth hospital, Covington. The newlyweds will reside at Newport, Ky.

Members of the Baptist Missionary Society honored their pastor's wife, Mrs. Robert W. Smith, with a miscellaneous personal show Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. W. Peller on Riverside. Bowls of tulips and valley lilies were placed throughout the living room, while a lace cloth and memorial cards on account of school activities in the dining room. The shower came as a surprise to Mrs. Smith. Her many friends who could not attend on account of school activities sent gifts. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Robert Smith, E. P. Hill, Jr., O. C. Pennington, Marvin Hainsell, Grace D. Ford, O. P. Powers, A. B. Combs, George Cohen, J. R. Hurt, J. B. Clarke, W. W. Burdett, Miss Anna Martin.

Misses Garnett and Christine Spradlin visited Henry Spradlin, Jr., C.M. I.C. and Mrs. Spradlin, of Blackburg, Va., last week. He is home on leave after 14 months overseas duty. Mr. and Mrs. Spradlin, Miss Ruth Spradlin and Thelma Allen, of Middletown, O., Mr. and Mrs. Grady Spradlin, of Lima, O., were at the home of Mrs. Henry Spradlin and family, of Abbott Mountain, during the past weekend.

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Mrs. Sowards, Mrs. Stephens Named Officers By State Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars



MRS. STEPHENS

The Kentucky Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars, honored two of its members from Prestonsburg—Mrs. Everett H. Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens—at the annual election of officers held March 23 at the Lafayette hotel, Lexington.

The following officers were elected to serve for a three-year term: Mrs. Peyton Welch, president; Mrs. Eleanor Clay, vice-president; Mrs. Preston Price, chaplain; Mrs. W. T. Fowler, recording secretary; Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. Clay Shropshire, treasurer; Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, historian; Mrs. Joseph Beard, genealogist; Councilors: Mrs. George K. Graves, Lexington; Mrs. John M. Denton, Lexington; Mrs. Irving B. Stafford, Covington; Mrs. Frederick A. Wallis, Paris.

Delegates to the national meeting to be held in New York in April were elected: Mrs. Louise Allen Short, Lexington; delegate alternate; Mrs. W. D. Carri here, Louisville; Mrs. Everett H. Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Prestonsburg.

In addition to the affiliation with the Daughters of Colonial Wars, Mrs. Stephens is a member of the Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, Daughters of Colonial Governors, Descendants of the Mayflower, the National Society of Sons of the American Revolution.

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CONDITION IMPROVED

Mrs. Guy Horn is much improved after a critical illness and is now able to be up most of the time.

HERE FROM LOGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patton of Logan, Va., spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Horn and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Patton.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horn returned to their home on the Mayo Trail last week. They have been assisting in care of his mother, Mrs. Guy Horn, during her illness.

GOES TO SUB BASE

Robert Spradlin, of Auxier, stepped over in Prestonsburg to visit relatives as he was being transferred to New London, Conn., for further training, after completing his training at the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

VISIT AT GARRETT

Miss Betty Ann Allen and Johnny Ellis, of Prestonsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen at Garrett Sunday afternoon.

GETS MEDICAL DISCHARGE

Pvt. William Wood Spradlin arrived Saturday from the government hospital in Oen, N. C., having received a medical discharge there from the army. He has been in army service two years.

FLIES FROM WASHINGTON

Ralph Davis returned Tuesday from Washington, D. C., having made the return trip home by plane.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE

Former Judge Ed Hill and Mrs. Hill, who reside at Mt. Sterling, spent the day here Sunday. When they arrived unexpectedly they found all their children attending church services.

CONCLUDES VISIT

Lieut. (jg) Billy Goble, who has enjoyed a 10-day furlough with his family here, returned Monday to his ship anchored in port in California.

ENJOYING FURLOUGH

Lieut. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Mrs. Fitzpatrick are spending his two weeks' furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick.

ARRIVE FROM SOUTH CAROLINA

Sgt. Tom Graham Dings and Mrs. Dings arrived Saturday from his camp in South Carolina for a two-weeks furlough with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Dings, and her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Dings.

HERE ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Otis Spradlin, of Ft. Knox, Ky., returned Saturday from his camp in Prestonsburg. He spent his furlough with his wife at Haysville and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spradlin of Princeton, and left last Thursday for Ft. Meade, Md., where he will be stationed.

GO TO RICHMOND

Mrs. Golda Shon, rural school supervisor and Mrs. Frankie S. Best left Tuesday for Richmond where they will attend the supervisors' work shop at Eastern State Teachers College for the week ending Mrs. Best, who has been in New London, Conn. for some time, has been supplied by the county board of education as rural school supervisor for 1943 year.

IN VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Beulah Hays of Haysville, was a visitor in Prestonsburg last week.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mr. George W. Greer was an overnight guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. A. Campbell, and Dr. Culbertson, last Thursday, returning Friday to her home in Pikeville.

Thrilling War Story On Air Tonight

Probably the most dramatic and impressive story yet to come out of this war will be heard over station WLW tonight (Thursday), at 10:30 p. m. CWT when Frank Lasker, fifth mechanic in the 888th Central Postal Directory, released some of his war experiences.

Told quietly and beautifully in words and phrases that ring with sincerity, Mr. Lasker's recital, which was recorded recently in a WLW studio, is declared by station officials to be one of the most thrilling war stories ever carried on the station.

Five counties in Southeastern Kentucky posted their orders for certified Irish potato seed grown in North Dakota.

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TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

By GORDON WILSON, Ph.D.
Western Kentucky Teachers College Bowling Green, Ky.

LEARNING TO PLOW


LAST NIGHT I dreamed with all the vividness of actual sight that I was looking at one of Williams' cartoons on the subject of this article. Williams, you know, is the creator of the popular cartoon, "Out Our Way." The only thing wrong with the dream-picture was that the boy used a left-handed plow, a kind I had never seen when I did my first plowing.

Though every little farm boy loved to follow his father or the hired hand to the field and hold on to the plow handles as if he were actually doing a man's work, the day he really plowed first was a different thing. First date or making the first effort to shove with Father's old heavy Wicks & Butcher reaper. Never after that first experience as a plowman could a boy be called a baby; it just grew him up as if by magic.

Since I was the last boy of the family, it did not become my bounden duty to start plowing before I could walk very well, as many an old-timer pretends about himself. I must have been all of twelve when it all happened. My father, like many another person I knew, mixed his garden and his orchard pretty thoroughly. Consequently we had some of our earliest garden—potatoes, onions, beets, radishes and lettuce—right among the apple trees. Part of this area had been planted in years, as if the old family waiting for me. One afternoon I was instructed to hitch the old family wagon for me. One start I plowed the orchard. Father worked at my usual job, cleaning up the heavy weeds, briars, and small bushes.

Then the show started. Ten minutes after the curtain rose I would gladly have had Mother come out and call me Sugar-lump or Baby if my pride had not been so arrogant. I struggled with those tuffs of goldenrod and had not been so arrogant. I struggled with those tuffs of goldenrod and had not been so arrogant. I struggled with those tuffs of goldenrod and had not been so arrogant.

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LANCER

(Last week's correspondence)
R. F. Crider was in Paintsville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Lacy DeLong, of Edgar, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Walker, here recently.

W. B. Walker and children, of War Gap, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, here a few days ago.

Mrs. Bascom Derossiet, of Prestonsburg, visited her sister, Mrs. R. E. Crider, and other relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Mary Olga Walker was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bascom Derossiet, at Prestonsburg this week.

Mrs. Ed George, of Little Paint, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ratcliff, here over the week-end.

Miss Clede Ousley was the Saturday night guest of her cousin, Miss Alta B. Stephens.

LIGON

(Last week's correspondence)
Mrs. A. E. Meade and daughter, Mary Sue and Anna Ruth, have returned home after spending a week with relatives near Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schneider and little son, Garry Albert, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Schneider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Hayes.

Pvt. Worley Newcome, husband of Mrs. Dolly Reynolds Newcome, is home on furlough.

Kenneth Little has completed a drafting course at Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville, and is now employed at the Willow Run bomber plant, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulbee Tackett spent Sunday at Wheelwright Junction on business Monday.

"Uncle" M. C. Reynolds has been visiting his son, Charlie Reynolds, of Biscuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Billow, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. Billow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Cole.

Hillard Mitchell, who recently resigned as foreman at Clear Branch Mining Company, and who is now employed by the C. & O. Railway Company, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matthews spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews at Beaver.

Andy Hamilton, of McDowell, was a visitor here Monday.

HUEYSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey attended church and visited relatives at Handsoe Saturday and Sunday.

Annie Howard and Maude Layne were at church at Wilson Creek Sunday.

Abc Shepherd, of Pyramid, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. John Castle and daughter, Laurie Jones, were visiting Mrs. Harrison Jones, of Grassy Gap, Macon county, Saturday.

Mrs. Violet C. Mullins, daughter of A. J. Coburn, who is in business school at Ashland, visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Wilson, of Wheelwright, Saturday night, returning to Ashland Sunday.

Annie Howard has sold to Ernest Bates part of the lots she owned here.

Work has been resumed at the new mine here after a two-day strike.

The Goose Creek Mining Company is quitting business here. Top too bad to continue operations, is the reason given.

Monroe Patton is again able to visit the postoffice daily. He hasn't missed a day in 15 years except when sick.

Leonard Pack is back home from his new job with the railroad company.

Talmadge Allen and family are preparing to move to Michigan.

School closed here last week with exception of the upper grades, which will continue for another week or two.

Agnes Mullins is visiting home-folks this week.

Troy Conley has just completed the painting of his home.

Troy Reed is painting for Talmadge Allen this week.

Alex Miller has sold his home at Snackey Bottom and moved to Salt Lick.

C. D. Patrick is carrying the mail.

ALLEN

Wednesday evening, last week, at prayer services at the Baptist Church here, two of the members were honored with a double birthday shower. The honorees were Miss Golda Short and her niece, Mildred Short. A number of gifts were received by each.

The Vacation Bible school, which for the last 10 days was conducted at the Mosely Service Station by the Rev. J. S. Rose, assisted by Miss Annie Allen, closed Friday afternoon. The revival conducted by Rev. Rose each night at the same place also closed. During the Vacation Bible school the workers had the pleasure of being entertained for the evening meal in the following homes: On Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Burchett, Thursday, home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cartmel and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris.

Rev. J. S. Rose left Saturday morning for Ohio county where for one week he will conduct a stewardship revival of the Baptist churches in that county.

Wednesday evening, April 19, Miss Annie Allen attended a slank shower at Garrett, given in honor of Mrs. Jones W. Foster, of Alexandria, Va., a former member of Garrett Baptist Church. Visiting Garrett with her husband is Mrs. Dollie Peters, also of Alexandria, Va., and a member of the Garrett Baptist Church.

In the absence of the pastor, the Rev. J. S. Rose, the morning service in the Baptist Church was conducted by the Rev. Wm. Barrs, of Pikeville. At this service three members of one family came for church membership and baptism—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Westall and their oldest son, W. H., who is in army service. The baptismal service is planned for Wednesday night, April 26, after the evening prayer service.

Tuesday, the quarterly W.M.U. meeting of Enterprise Association and the Pastors' conference were held in Pikeville Baptist Church. Several of the ladies from the Baptist Church here attended.

Mrs. J. S. Rose had as visitors in her home Pte. Arnold Brashear and wife and their two small children. Mr. Brashear is on furlough and they are spending it with her sister, Mrs. Rose.

Mrs. Clarence Salpers has been very ill at her home here. She seems to be slowly improving.

Mrs. R. E. Oeden, of Trimble county, made a profit of \$58 above feed costs in one month on her flock of 172 Barred Rock hens.

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Stamp 18 in Book One will terminate on April 30. Airplane stamp No. 2 in Book Three will replace it. May 1, valid indefinitely. No. 1 Airplane stamp in Book Three will continue to be valid.

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Fuel Oil
Coupons 4 and 5 and reserve coupons good throughout heating year to August 31.

BONANZA

E. W. Conley, who is employed on the railroad at Walbridge, O., spent part of last week with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Damron, of Train, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Conley and Mrs. R. L. Conley.

Alta Mae Hackworth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leake, of East Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Mustie had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. E. W. Conley and family.

Misses Mary E. Music and Edith Woods were week-end guests of Mrs. Charlie Blanton, of Leander.

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CRACKER

(Last week's correspondence)
Pvt. Marcy Stephens is spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stephens, and his wife.

Mrs. Jesse Lacey, Mrs. Hurston Mayo and Mrs. Newton Sammons were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. G. W. Peters.

Miss Annilee Francis and Miss Nancy Lee Lewis, of Louisville, were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Webb, of Dwale, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcy Stephens.

Miss Lily Jarrell spent Saturday night with Miss Wanda Peters.

Mrs. Grover Stephens, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Della Jarrell, has returned to her home in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Darles Mulkey and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephens, of

Allen, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Floyd Stephens.

Mrs. S. S. Mayo was the guest Sunday of Mrs. Luther Frazier, who is reported very ill.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of M. D. Powers, deceased, to settle same at once.

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MARTIN

Joe Crisp and Lawrence Lynch were guests of honor at a double birthday dinner given for them by Mrs. Lynch Sunday.

Pvt. Billy Smith is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith others seen around town on leaves and furloughs: Seaman Robert Dermont, Cpl. Ed Dingus, Pvt. Everett Hunter, Seaman Arthur Smith, Reavis Hall.

Mrs. Florence Crisp and Mrs. E. J. Roberts were the overnight guests of Mrs. A. B. Flanery Saturday.

Mrs. Jacqueline Justice and Mrs. Sam Stamper spent Sunday on Left Beaver.

Mrs. Ralph Curruite was visiting relatives in Grundy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Biller and family motored to Pikeville Saturday afternoon and spent the week-end with Mrs. Biller's mother.

Misses Edith Allen, Ruby Akers and Mrs. Fiotine Elam, of McWhorter, were visiting Mrs. James Skeans recently.

Miss Mae Skeans, of Cleveland, O., formerly of Martin, underwent

a serious operation this week. Her brothers, James, Earl and Sam Skeans, have gone to Cleveland to visit her.

Kin Hill, of Detroit, Mich., and his wife, Cpl. Frances Blackburn Hill, of the AAF, are visiting Mr. Hill's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill. Cpl. Hill is stationed at March Field, California.

Pvt. James McGlothen has arrived home to spend a short furlough with his parents and relatives. Pvt. McGlothen is stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Jesse Branharn left Monday for Walbridge, O. He will be employed by the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company there.

John Coleman, Jr., of the marines, arrived home this week on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stapleton and family spent two days this week at Offutt, Ky., visiting Mr. Stapleton's mother.

Mrs. Val Hanton spent several days this week with relatives in Fort Gay and Huntington, W. Va., and Ashland, Ky.

Miss Polly Barnett is home for a short vacation. She is employed in Louisville.

Mrs. Louise Eckhart, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Frazier.

Miss Phyllis Thompson and brother, Jack, were visiting Mrs. Floyd Skeans this week. Miss Thompson is employed in war work in Detroit.

Mrs. T. J. Allip spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Maggard, of Hindman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crisp, Sr., went to Grundy, Va., Thursday

to meet their son and daughter-in-law, T. J. Crisp, Jr., is stationed at Long Island, N.Y. He and his wife will return there April 26.

Mrs. Winifred Norris spent last week-end in Ashland, a patient of Dr. Williams. Mrs. Norris recently sustained a badly sprained hand.

Harrison Hunter was badly injured in a motor wreck in the mines here. He is being treated at the Beaver Valley hospital and his condition is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wicker were calling on Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill Saturday at Prestonsburg.

W. E. Perry left Thursday for Hot Springs, Ark., for a two-months vacation.

Mrs. T. J. Allen was a business visitor in Prestonsburg this week.

S. D. Dermont was in Prestonsburg on business this week.

Charles Justice, of the army, spent several days furlough with his wife, the former Miss Jacqueline Arrington.

Brodie Duke spent the week-end in Hindman with his wife.

Mrs. Kruger Martin was in Prestonsburg this week on business.

Billy Skeans, of the maritime service, sends his mother, Mrs. Jim Skeans, a telegram saying, "Am safe in San Francisco. Undecided about coming home."

Joe P. Tucker writes Miss Charlotte Begley: "I'm awfully homesick for home and mother." Bennett Mullins: "I'm enjoying fairly good health in spite of the heavy artillery I hear of to my left, and the bombs from above." T/S. Mullins is the husband of the former Miss Juanita Hayes, of Martin, and is stationed in Italy. First Sgt. Sandy Martin, Jr.: "This has been a real field day. Got 12 letters and three Floyd County Times." Capt. Walter Preston, also in England: "I'm living in an Earl's castle and wouldn't even try to count the rooms." Cpl. Calvin Sims, of Louisville, now serving in an armored division in Italy, writes Miss Goldia Skeans: "Very soon now you may look for a call on a motorcycle." Cpl. Jack Tackett, in New Caledonia: "Found a cute girl friend, a bit dark, no doubt due to the sun." Cpl. R. R. Allen, now in England: "Regardless of the age of a sheep when killed, the menu says, 'roast lamb.' The piece I got was a ram retired from active service because of age." Pfc. Oliver Allen, of the marines: "I've now learned to appreciate beauty and it is wherever you seek it."

MAYTOWN

Miss Juanita May was a visitor in Bosco Saturday afternoon.

Gene Bradley, who is in the navy, is home after finishing his "boot" training. He was stationed in England. Gene was a member of the Junior class in high school when he enlisted in the navy. His classmates honored him with a party Saturday night at the school building.

Mrs. Virginia Osborne Martin is visiting her husband, Hawley Martin, who is stationed in South Carolina.

Mrs. Jones Tallent, Mrs. G. W. Allen and Miss Mosaleete Ferrell were in Paintsville Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Goldia Howell, the former Miss Goldia Hayes, has returned here after working some months in Ypsilanti, Mich. She is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hayes.

John C. Hayes and Mrs. Polly Taylor were in Elizabethton, Tenn., by the death of their brother-in-law.

Henry May, George Edward Allen and Romyen Dyer were fishing at Norris Lake over the week-end.

Ned May, who has been stationed in Arkansas since his induction into the armed forces, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. May.

Dr. O. G. Pennington, of Prestonsburg, was here Friday doing dental work.

Mrs. Herschel Begley, of Boston, Mass., arrived Friday to join her husband who is here on a month's furlough. Herschel has been in the Marines and has been in some of the battles in the South Pacific. His many friends welcomed him back again. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Bealey.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Allen were shopping in Martin Saturday.

Mrs. George Edward Allen was a business visitor in Allen Saturday.

Mrs. Jones Moore was shopping in Martin Friday.

Miss Ernestine Webb, of Ashland, spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Willard May, of Pikeville, spent Friday here with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. May and family recently moved from here to Pikeville.

Mrs. H. L. May, Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Misses Sandra Sue Patrick and Elizabeth Boughton were shopping in Martin Saturday.

Miss Catherine Francis spent the week-end here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Woodrow Allen.

Sgt. Glenn Hayes has returned to camp in Arkansas after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hayes.

Several of the younger set enjoyed a fried chicken picnic in the hills Sunday afternoon. They were chaperoned by Miss Peggy Jo Allen.

A group of ladies from here visited David Thursday night to help in the initiation of the lodge.

Mrs. Bill May and daughter, Erlene, of Warco, were visiting here Sunday.

Seaman Herschel Vance was visiting Miss Mosaleete Ferrell Sunday. He has been in the navy several years, was formerly a resident of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Begley had a family dinner at their home here honoring their son, Marine Herschel Begley, who is here on a month's leave before taking up his duties in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Bealey, of Martin, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Cooley was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes attended the baccalaureate sermon Sunday night at Martin.

C. W. Allen was in Prestonsburg last week on business.

NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Ky., will receive sealed tenders from the holders of its outstanding Officers' and General Fund warrants at its meeting on May 15, 1944. Approximately \$5,000 now on hand in the debt service fund will be used for the retirement of the warrants tendered at the lowest price. All tenders must show the date and amount of each warrant and the full price at which it will be surrendered. The right is reserved to reject any and all tenders. RICHARD SPURLOCK, City Treasurer.

THE WEEK IN OPA

New Vegetables Ceiling Set - The OPA last week established new ceiling prices for snap beans, peas, spinach and carrots by providing for cents-a-pound and cents-a-bunch mark-ups by retailers over wholesale prices.

Three hitherto uncontrolled food items—eggplant, cucumbers (except no-house cucumbers), and coconuts were brought under price control and provided with the same type of markups.

The regulation also brought sweet potatoes, which had been under a temporary "freeze" regulation, under 40 per cent mark-up at retail.

Community prices in each area will be set by the District OPA Office, for the convenience of consumers, shortly after April 27.

Keep Your Tire Inspection Record - Motorists must keep their tire inspection records even though the requirement for periodic tire inspections was lifted April 20, the OPA has explained.

The tire inspection form, which contains a record of all gasoline ration issues as well as a record of the inspections, must still be presented to the ration board whenever application is made for a gasoline or tire ration. It must be kept with the automobile when it is being operated and must be transferred with it if it is sold.

Synthetic Tire Ceilings Announced - New ceiling prices for synthetic rubber tires and tubes, effective May 1, 1944, have been announced by OPA.

At the retail level, passenger car synthetic rubber tire ceilings will be approximately 9 per cent above 1941 list prices on natural rubber tires of the same grade sold as original equipment for new cars, commonly known as manufacturers' 100 level brands.

Ceilings for the few natural rubber tires and tubes still being sold are continued by freezing the February 1, 1944, levels.

New tires are sold only when the purchaser obtains a certificate from a rationing board.

Butter Point Loan Explained - To encourage a better supply of butter during the spring and summer months and as a reserve against possible shortage later on, the OPA has announced that wholesalers having available storage facilities will be loaned points for storage.

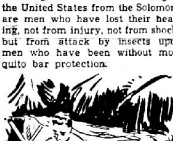
A wholesaler who wishes more butter, OPA said, may apply to his local War Price and Rationing Board for a point loan providing he has no excess points and he can obtain adequate storage facilities.

Application for butter point loan will be accepted up to July 10, 1944. Points obtained through loan may be used to acquire butter through July 1, 1944. Points borrowed and not used must be returned to OPA National Office by August 10. All loans must be repaid in full by September 10, 1944.

In re-payment of point loans, the number of points will be determined on the basis of the point value for butter at the time of his withdrawal from storage.

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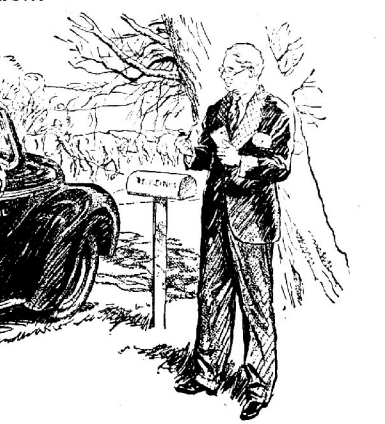
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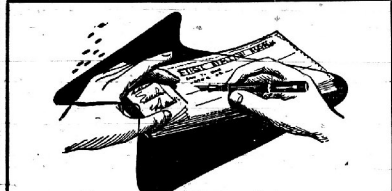
THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Quite a stack of newspapers I left you yesterday, Judge. Aren't you" in the newspaper business, are you?" "No, I just enjoy reading different papers so my nephew George sends them to me whenever he takes a business trip. I got a big kick out of some he sent me from several counties where they still have prohibition. Particularly from some headlines that read "Drunk Driving Arrests Rise", "Bootleggers must post Ceiling Prices", "Federal Agents seize 'Trick' Liquor Truck", "Doesn't that go to prove, Joe, that prohibition does not prohibit?" "I watched conditions pretty carefully during our 13 years of prohibition in this country. The only thing I could see we got out of it was bootleg liquor instead of good liquor...plus the worst crime and corruption this country has ever known."

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THURS.-FRI., APRIL 27-28: "Rationing" Wallace Deery, Marie Main. (The laughs are not rationed.) News. Comedy.

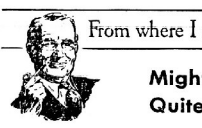
SATURDAY: 11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m., 6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m. "Bandit Trail" Serial: "TIGER WOMAN"

SUNDAY: 3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m. "Ghost Ship" (horror picture) Richard Dix, Russell Wade. 20-minute miniature Western. In technicolor: "Wells Fargo Days" "Stars and Stripes."

SUNDAY-MONDAY: "Standing Room Only" Fred MacMurray, Paulette Goddard. Comedy. "A Bear's Tale." News.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY: "Four Jills in a Jeep" Kay Francis, Carole Landis, Martha Raye (Musical). News. "Lend a Paw" (Comedy)

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Quite a lot of excitement in town last week. Phibbs' house caught fire. Seemed like everybody turned out to help. But Ed Carcy, official fire chief, was there first and Job Crowell next. Ed got his 1892 fire engine pumping like mad, Job hauled the hose through the kitchen window and before you could say "I had Phibbs'!" Job reappeared grinning from ear to ear. "Fire's out," he said. "The home of the Phibbs is saved!" "Thanks to you, Job," said Ed.

"No sirree, Ed—it's thanks to you and that good old stream of H2O!" "Thanks to cooperation!" hollered old man Phibbs—and that settled the argument. Yes, from where I sit, it's those who cooperate that get things done. Like our Kentucky brewers who are so earnestly cooperating to see that beer, a beverage of moderation, is sold only by decent, law-abiding citizens.

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The following men have been notified to report for navy induction May 9:

James Christopher Ables, Garrett; (already volunteered and in service); Earl Jackson Blair (V), Wheelwright; Homer Blankenship, Weeksbury; Billy Blanton, Drift; Thomas Boyd, Glo, William Frederick Brad-dock, Martin; John Ruggero Cassel-bell, Garrett; Central Castle, Jump; John Chudwin, Wheelwright (now of Baltimore, Md.); George Washington Copley, Jr., (V), Wayland; Edgel Davis, Garrett; (V), Andrew Elliott, Mar in, Roy Frost, Weeksbury (now of Hartsville, Ky.); Elhanan Pete Grigsby, Martin; Boone Hall, Wayland; Ed Hall (V), Weeksbury (now of Petersburg, Va.); Hargis Hall, Printer; Francis Earl Harmon, Wayland; Alvin Curtis Holmes, Wheelwright; Raymond Holt (V), Weeksbury (already in service on special call); Claude Howell, Orkney; John Albert Huffman, Garrett; William H. Lambert (V), Martin; Don Martin, Drift; Marvin Park May, Alphoretta; Junior Miller (V), Drift; Orville Shirley Robinson (V), Martin (now of Harold); Floyd Allen Sikes (V), Weeksbury (now of Ashland); El kana Sexton (V), Hill; Edward Stewart, Jr., Ligon; James Stewart Wallace, Garrett; Maxine Weaver, Wayland; Harlan Curtis Wells, Jr., Wheelwright; Oliver Wiley, Glo (now of Betsy Lane); Freddie Turner, Wayland; Eaden Hall, Wayland.

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salesman, first for a coal company store and later for a Paintsville clothing firm, started out.

Since then the scattered mine settlements and crossroads stores in the district have increased; paved highways have replaced the rough mountain trails, and today the 57-year-old Stambaugh covers his field-by-automobile.

But in between that first trip and the ones he makes today is a story of a salesman who has worn out seven horses, four hard-leather saddles, three saddlebags. "Lord knows how many trouser seats" and several automobiles.

"I figure I've covered 200,000 miles," he says.

Dan Wheeler, vice-president and manager of the firm which employs Stambaugh, says it's impossible to determine the volume of sales he has made, but that it amounted to "several million dollars."

Good roads now make it possible for Stambaugh to visit his customers each week and still leave time for him to spend Saturday afternoon and Sunday with his family in Paintsville.

Before he could use an automobile, however, each trip required two full weeks, riding in all kinds of weather and often late into the night.

"I generally put up with good country folks," he said.

"They made him welcome to whatever they had, sometimes for 25 cents or 50 cents, for horse and rider, but just as often as not for nothing at all."

He never expected or received special treatment on these stopovers. He took pack, and many are the times he's sat down at the table in a crude mountain cabin to partake of a mess of fat bacon and turnip greens.

Stambaugh says that people haven't changed much. "They still want news and legal advice," even in these days of radio and fast mails.

During his horseback days, thru sleet, snow, rain and swollen streams, there were times, he said, when he felt he was about to lose both his horse and his life.

"But my horse always came through."

It's a good thing, however, that the automobile came into use when it did. By the time he traded in his horse for his first motor car he weighed 205 pounds, and this, he said, was a matter of no little concern to the horse.

Heavy Gas Strike Made on Mud Creek

A gas well drilled in on the Robert Hamilton lease, on Mud Creek, gauged more than a million cubic feet after having been shut in the shale Wednesday afternoon. It was predicted here that the well will settle down to a production of better than half a million feet.

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training was as a pilot, but a physical defect prevented him from completing the pilot course and he turned his attention to other air duty. Sgt. Roberts is a son of Mrs. Sallie J. Roberts, of Gretnah.

HEADQUARTERS, 13TH A. A. F., SCOTT PACIFIC—Flying in a spectacular raid, Capt. recently, First Lieut. Hugh F. Scott, 401 Stadium Drive, Fort Wayne, Ind., and his 13th AAF formation crew were in the historic formation first to strike at that rich enemy stronghold in daylight.

Bombardier of Lieut. Scott's Liberator was Lieut. John Homer Decker, formerly of Marysville.

The big bomber caught the enemy in complete surprise, destroying 49 planes on the ground and battling for 45 minutes the "first team" of nearly 100 fighters which attacked them as they left the target. When the formation of which Lieut. Scott and his crew were a part finished its work, 31 enemy planes had been shot down and 18 more were scored as "probable."

Staff Sgt. Roscoe Loper, ball turret gunner, and Tech Sgt. Chester Grabcic, both flying with Lieut. Scott, are credited with one Zero each. Sgt. Loper tracked one "Zeke" coming in high to attack, saw it smoke and dive, nose first, into the Pacific. Sgt. Grabcie sent one "Zeke" down, trying to make a vertical attack, to join "honorable ancestors" in a smoking mass.

Garrett—Ada Allen, Naomi Allen, Ruth Allen, Racine Baldrige, Betty Childers, Ouida Conley, Carl Fitzpatrick, Georgia N. Goodman, Allene Hayes, Lella M. Prater, Robert Bailey, James Paul Conley, John A. Huffman, Paul Johnson, Eugene Johnson, Bill Mullins, Sam Mullins, Carmel Patton, C. E. Petry, Joe Edd Prater, Andy Prater, Jr.

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McDowell—Myrtle Bentley, Corlida Mae Cox, Draxie Hamilton, Ruby Hall, Lillian Hall, Bert Osborne, Mrs. Roberts, Moore, Raymond Meade, Mary Thelma Newman, Mrs. Lavatha Newsome, Lola Lea Stewart, Ruby Jean Turner.

Wayland—Billie Louise Fraley, Christine Morris, Edith Leath, Violet Sparkman, Pauline Layne, Audrey Joe Gibson, Gaudine Buckner, Carl Isaac, Curtis Adkins, William Stanford, Jr., T. W. Dixon, Creed Coney, Jr.

Tris of Levy, also charged with murder in the death of Dr. E. E. Martin, of Allen, was slated to begin today (Thursday).

air forces after months of service in the southwest Pacific as radioman on a bomber, will represent the Bankers Life Company in this area. It was announced this week.

Mr. Osborne returned here last week after spending several days in Louisville. He will begin his duties as representative of the insurance company within a few weeks.

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