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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

NUMBER 1

MAY 4, 1944

This Town-- That World

DOG TO THE RESCUE That Democratic Headquarters sign no longer adorns a certain Court street building; Senator Coxe says got wind (oops) of those commodes and protected the party honor.

NO DENYING IT The most hardened agnostic must admit that pre-vention prayers will help. He couldn't deny that praying would help. He couldn't deny that praying would help.

YOU WORRI! By astounded reading of The Reader's Digest I have learned that the animal most helpful to man is the earthworm. And that earthworm in doubtless from equally astounded reading of Jiggs, I had thought the only time a worm attained the animal kingdom was when he had disappeared Migggle.

ALMOST PERSUADED I almost broke over this week. Almost printed a poem. Would have if I could have procured the signatures of several thousands of would-be poets whose work I have not published, agreeing they would not be offended and would not show me under next week.

IN THE MAIL When I opened a letter from Walter Price, of Wheelwright, this morning and \$25 in cash popped into my view, I thought surely there must be a mistake somewhere; we hadn't been backing our divergent opinions with cold cash, not recently anyway. Besides, the money was not often that good. But this note explained it all.

"When our school closed my Junior class had on hand the amount of \$35. That, ordinarily, would be carried over to the school treasury for next year, but after a short discussion the students decided to contribute to the Red Cross. This brings our class donations to the Red Cross to more than \$100. Will you please see that it gets to the proper authority?"

HAPPY MISAPPS One of the weekly tasks for the occupant of this desk is to call the funeral homes to inquire about deaths and accidents. This week when Jack Ryan, at Martin was suddenly stricken with a fatal ailment. "Only accident I know of are those fish I caught last week."

CLEAN-UP-HOW The Prestonsburg citizen who wants to clean up his property and yet abide by the law is in a fix—a fit stream pollution is a federal offense and dumping on the river

WILLIS NAMES 2 ATTORNEYS

Ferguson and Smith Chosen for Positions Succeeding Democrats

S. C. Ferguson, Prestonsburg attorney, and Hillard R. Smith, Hindman attorney and banker, were recently appointed to state posts by Governor S. S. Willis.

Mr. Smith was named state banking director. Mr. Ferguson was one of four new Workmen's Compensation Board referees appointed. All five appointees are Republicans.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Linda Louise Stapleton vs. G. H. Zimmerman, etc.; Edward W. Mosley vs. Willie Mosley vs. Naomi Mosley; B. M. James, atty. Mollie Gutter Allen vs. Clyde Allen; J. P. Tackett, atty. Woodrow A. Gresham vs. Annise Tackett; Hild; J. B. Clarke, atty. Hager Mann vs. Claudia Mann; B. M. James, atty. Dorothy Woodrow and Susan Woodrow vs. Charles Becher, etc. (separate suits); Joe Hobson, atty. W. S. Martin vs. Weaver Cook & Mining Co.; Joe Hobson, atty. Groves Watson vs. Avie Watson; Edward L. Allen, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Clint Collins and Ruth Ernestine Hopkins. Elmer Hall and Treva Ratliff.

JURY ACQUITS RICE IN DEATH OF DR. MARTIN

Three Witnesses Face Possible Grand Jury Action, Officials Say

A jury of the Floyd circuit court Saturday acquitted Levy Rice of the murder charge filed against him in the death of Al. Ernest B. Martin, well-known physician.

\$40,000 TRADE IS COMPLETED

Floyd, Pike and Knott Gas Properties Sold By Prestonsburg Man

A \$40,000 deal involving transfer of gas properties in Floyd, Pike and Knott counties was completed here Friday.

Martin Woman Dies Thuesday of Diabetes

Mrs. Shirley Spears, 28 years old, wife of Walker Spears, of Martin, died Thuesday of diabetes in the hospital, victim of a two-year illness of diabetes.

FBI Conference Slated May 10; W. W. Burchett To Address Meeting

M. W. McParlin, special agent-in-charge, Louisville field division, Federal Bureau of Investigation, this week announced that arrangements have been made to hold an FBI conference at Prestonsburg at Pikeville the afternoon of May 10.

DAR Awards Made To Local Students

At the Class Day exercises last Tuesday evening at the grade school, the DAR presented awards to students in the following categories: standing in Citizenship, and American History for the past year in high school.

DIXIE STUDIO OPENS IN DINGUS BLDG.

The Dixie Studio was opened last week in the Dingus bldg., near the Auxier hotel, Pike avenue, last week. The studio is operated by Homer Owens, who organizes studios at Pikeville and Jenkins.

Wilburn Elliott, 77, Victim of Diabetes At Floyd Hospital

Wilburn Elliott, 77, died Tuesday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, victim of diabetes.

The body was taken to Beaver where funeral rites were conducted this (Thursday) morning at 11 o'clock. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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The properties, owned by Jack Spurlin, were purchased by Commonwealth's Attorney John Allen, J. Hatcher, of Prestonsburg; Lawrence Keathley, of Martin; Ray Schwybold, Albert Keenig and Elmer H. Collinsworth, of Prestonsburg.

FLOYD SOLDIER IS WAR VICTIM

One Missing, 3 Wounded, Reports Received Here; Say; Moore Is Prisoner

Richmond Bradford, of Blue River, is reported as having been killed in an undated theater of war, and Sgt. Edsel R. Barker, of Lacey, was shot in a Flying Fortress operating from Italy, is reported as missing.

Child Eats Plant, Dies Monday of Poisoning

After having eaten a poisonous plant which she is believed to have mistaken for sheep sorrel, Lois Jean, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nelson, died at the Nelson home at Blue River Monday before medical aid could reach her.

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Williams Paints Realistic Picture For Grads; Scholarships Awarded

A realistic word-picture of the problem facing high school graduates of today was painted by State Superintendent John Fred Williams in his Commencement address last night at a graduation of the county's nine high schools.

Preparation for the future, hard work and the ability to meet disappointments—these are necessary to success, he told the capped-and-ribboned youngsters and a gathering of their relatives and friends which packed the high school gymnasium.

All the color of the past seven countywide Commencement exercises pervaded Friday night's scene, but much of the galeity of other years was missing from this year's time graduation. It was a sober, thoughtful crowd that saw the war-reduced ranks of the seniors receive their diplomas.

Williams' allusion to the war was accompanied by a proud appraisal of the contribution of the nation's schools and young people to victory. He urged as many of the graduates as can go on to school in preparation for the great post-war task.

One educational institution and two flood county mining firms at the graduation exercises offered material aid to this end. The Pikeville College two-year scholarship was awarded to Miss Cecelia Harmon, of Auxier high school. Scholarships worth \$300 each were awarded by the Princess Elnorhorn Coal Company, Davis and Fred Thomas Rogers and Robert Crain, high school seniors whose fathers reside at Davis and are employees of the company. Scholarships worth \$10 each were awarded by the same company to Miss Burt Whit, Lancer, and Miss Volie Alinger, Lancer seniors at Pikeville and Maytown, respectively, who have more distant relatives employed at Davis.

Two high school students of six counties in the county Superintendents of Floyd, Knott and Pike counties will be selected for the Inland Steel Company's two \$400-a-year scholarships on the basis of a competitive test to be given by a special scholarship committee in Lexington. County Superintendents John H. Turner, of Maytown, and Miss Jean Turner, of McDowell, as Floyd county's nominees for the scholarships. Unable to decide between the leading seniors of the nine high schools in the county, Mr. Hall said "use the hat"—placed the names of meritorious students from all the high schools in the county in the hat, then drew two.

Two scholarships will be awarded each year so that after the third year there will be eight scholarships in effect. This, however, may be modified or altered by the company.

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Kiwans To Ballot On Meeting Place

The Kiwanis Club here will resort to the secret ballot at its meeting tonight (Thursday) to determine where its future meetings will be held. It was decided at last Thursday's meeting.

The Valley Inn and the Auxier hotel are the "candidates." A surprise of last Thursday's meeting was the presence of F. W. Claude Caudill, who was home on furlough from Camp Chaffee, Arkansas. Pfc. Caudill favored the club with a discussion of his army experiences. N. M. White, Jr. was in charge of the program.

Firm Here Establishes Routes in 3 Counties

George D. Brown, of the Sandy Valley Produce Company, said this week that his firm has established delivery routes in Pike, Letcher and Knott counties and that Prestonsburg soon will be the principal shipping point for poultry and eggs consumed in the Big Sandy valley and in a part of the Kentucky river section.

58 CALLED TO COLORS

By Draft Board 44; 33 to Navy and 25 To Army This Week

Local Board No. 44 this month will call 58 boys who already have passed their pre-induction tests to service in the armed forces. The 50th call of the board for men will be on May 12, the 51st on May 19. The next call will be on May 16 and will supply the army with 28 men.

Gets Honorable Mention In Magazine Contest

Miss Barbara Jean Spradlin, Prestonsburg high school freshman, recently received honorable mention for her essay, "The Future of the World," in the "Current Science" magazine contest. Her contribution is the first in several years from the school here to receive an honor.

Girl Scout Meetings Scheduled Friday

Girl Scout organization will be effected here Friday afternoon, immediately after school, in three separate meetings, sponsors of the movement announced Tuesday.

Most Meats Are Ration-Free But OPA Halves Red Points

All meat except steaks and roast of beef became ration free at mid-night Wednesday, but that doesn't mean all the points for the formerly used hamburger and pork and lamb can be diverted to bigger and juicier steaks.

BOARD HIRES 375 TEACHERS FOR 1944-45

A full staff of approximately 375 teachers for the 1944-45 school year was employed Tuesday by the Floyd County Board of Education.

Rural schools will begin their terms July 17; high schools, on August 23. Several teachers who will be inducted for service in the armed forces were named in leading positions: Superintendent, Town Hall; principal, Town Hall; standard certificate applies for the position.

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Herald, Mrs. H. H. Hale and Mrs. Frances Boling attended the graduation exercises of Miss Jean Carroll Hale from Panel Bible School, Stanton, Ky., April 27-28. They were accompanied home Saturday by Miss Hale.

Status of Teachers Who are Inducted Being Protected

Mr. Hall said that although a number of the teachers named are emergency teachers, he is convinced they will do a good job of teaching and that the education of the children will not suffer as a result of the wartime teacher shortage.

Those employed:

Alexier—James Salisbury, principal; Carl Woods, coach; Hettie Triplett, Mary E. Wells, Virginia Moore, Jewel Gibson, Olin Hamilton, Alben Mack, Christine Moran, Laila W. Allen, Miss Joseph Burchett.

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NOTICE TO DELINQUENT 1943 TAXPAYERS

The following 1943 tax bills upon which there is real estate, will be offered for sale at the court-house door in Prestonsburg, Ky., 10 a. m. May 22, 1944:

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ALLEN (Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jarrell spent the weekend with friends in Ashland. Mrs. Clarence Stivers is slightly improved from a severe illness.

DR. J. A. BROWNE OPTOMETRIST OPTICIAN Will be in Prestonsburg on First and Third Wednesdays of Each Month. Office Hours: 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. at Dr. John G. Archer's office, examining eyes.

ELMER W. RICE & SONS PLUMBING AND ELECTRIC SHOP Expert service on all types of plumbing and wiring. Court Street Phone 6231 PRESTONSBURG, KY.

CRACKER They Live - If You Remember Few things are more precious than the memory of loved ones who have gone. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Summers and sons of Arkansas. Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Galloway. Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy, were in Louisville Thursday.

McDOWELL CALL E. P. ARNOLD Phone 431 and 3841 PRESTONSBURG, KY. FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS PIKEVILLE FLORAL CO. PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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Greer, Hassie Little.
 Palmer-Dunbar—Wm. T. Gilbert.
 Principal: Sarah McQueen. Hazel Jones, Maymie Gilbert, Gladys Edwards.
 Weekday—Lewis Campbell, principal; Ola M. Damon, Avnele Johnson, Cynthia Pitcock, Mae M. Johnson, Dixie Tackett, Martha Leslie, Ida M. Martin, Bess Damon, Genevieve McClure (colored).
 Special Teachers—Golda P. Short, teaching teacher; Frankie S. Red, helping teacher; W. D. Steele, assistant attendance officer; Paris Conley, assistant attendance officer; Otis J. Conley, Trades and Industries; Martin and Maytown; Katherine Francis, Commerce; Martin and Maytown; Margaret May, Music; McDowell and Wheelwright; Audrey Collins, Industrial Arts; McDowell and Wheelwright; Evgyle S. Martin, Commerce; McDowell and Wheelwright; Audreth Conley, Commerce; Wayland and Garrett.
 1A—Edythe Habern; 2—Golda Burchett (E); 3—Orella Burchett; 4A—Edna B. Smith; 5—Johnnie Miller; 6—Pauline Hereford; 5—May Cooley (E); 5A—Larcus Mule; 6—Lonna Calhoun (E); 7 (Coop)—Maagie M. Collins; 8—Johnnie Miller; 9—Emly Beley; 9—Edna M. Raliff (E); 10—Mildred Howard; 10A—Etha Campbell (E); 11—Anna M. Scutched; 11—Johnnie Miller; Winifred L. Blackburn; 13—Nolene McGuire (E); 14—Valva Allen (E); 15—Golda Stephens and Gladys Howard; 16—Sister Mary; 17—Josephine Richardson (E); 17A—Miner; 18—Holbrook; 18—Elsie Prater; 19—Josephine Stanley; 20—Tommie Hall; 21—Pats Conley; Grace Conley, Josephine Spradlin; 24—Dixie Neely; 25—Pearl Lofert; 27—Verne Shively (E); 28—Joe S. Dings; 29—Sarah M. Greer; 30—Johnnie Burchett (E); 31—L. F. Goble (E); 32—Bayard Wells (E); 33—Jean McGuire (E); 34—Virginia Spradlin; 35—Norma Strupp; 36—Johnnie Miller (E); 37—Elizabeth Burchett; 38—Anna Lou Patton (E); 38A—Mabel Blackburn; 39—John Henry Jones (E); 40—Edith Burchett; 41—Imogene Caldwell (E); 42—Alva Allen (E); 43—Dark Hollow; 44—Gwendolyn Laver; 44A—Aloha Straton; 44—Mae Greer; 45—Pauline Adams, Verlie Bush; 47—(Brandy Keg)—Lena Hunt (E); 48—Roberta Wells; 48—Jose Harris; 49—L. O. Little, Allen; 49—N. Cooley, principal; Opal S. May, Vandetta Rose, Millie Prater, Lucy Burchett, Winifred Sturgill, Mae E. Green, Ada M. Osborne; 52—Margie Conpton (E); 53—Billie M. Wilson (E); 55—Mouth of Prater; 56—Ruth Hewitt, Mildred Short; 57—Hazel Hamilton; 58—C. Stephens (E); 59—Glady Conner, Nannie Jones; 59—Lena S. Hill (E); 60—Nell Hamilton (E); 61—Carle A. Crum; 62—(Head of Little Mary); 63—Lena S. Hill; 64—Topsis Hamilton (E); 65—Rushie Prater, Verdie Prater (E); 66—Hazel Hamilton; 67—Delphia Hall; 68—Vertha Miller; 69—41—Glady Jones, Maggie Triplett (E); 65—(Tinker Fork)—Marie Tackett (E); 66—Myra E. England; 66—Thurman Newman; 67—Gaining Newman; 67A—Mary Alley; 68—Janna Keathley (E); 68—Cora Perry; 69—Mervyn Hamilton (E); 70—Blanche Scott; 70—(Tet); 71—Marilyn Marie; 71—(Head of Toler)—Katherine Scott; 72—Florence May (E); Jeanette Crisp (E); 77—(Spurlock)—Edna Combs; 78—W. M. Bales (E); 79—(E); 80—Pay Patton Pratt (E); 84—Ermal Hall (E); 85—Mary T. Newman (E); 86—Velma Reynolds (E); 87—Dorothy Hamilton (E); 87—(Spesing Camp)—Rubb Hall; 87A—Gertrude Compton (E); 88—Rose Anderson (E); 88—Wade Stone, Flora I. Moore, Treva Caudill, Thelma Hicks, Leon—Ruth Howell (E); 89—Arlita Matshall, Dorothy Music, Marie H. Eswick; 89A—Oma P. Elkins, Neasa Gann (E); 90—W. M. Bales (E); 90A—Eva Jones; 92—Hazel Neace (E); 93—Dow Childers; 92A—Virgil Triplett (E); 93—Ollie Meade (E); 93—(Barton)—Dollie Jones; 94—Melvin; 95—Mella M. Hall, Joyce Shone, Virginia Bridgeman; 95—(Stephens Branch)—Beatrice S. Combs, Earleen Metz, Marjorie Miller; 96—Evelyn Hitchcock; 101—Billie M. Allen (E); 102—Ila Prater (E); 103—Ethel Pitts (E); 104—Loa P. Onsey; 105—Gertrude Galloway (E); 105—Loretta Sprinkle, Matilda Martin (E); 106—Bessie M. Conley; 108—Stone Con; 109—Myra M. Pratt, Mauda Meade (E); 110—Calle H. Hicks; 111—J. A. Leferty, Anna Garrett; 112—Evelyn Searchfield; 113—Juanita Hatfield (E); 114—Floyd Loferty; 115—Laura Searchfield; 116—Hazel Stephens (E); 118—Leona Elliott; 119—Sugar Loaf—Alma Collins; 120a—Raymond Coover, Calla Dittman; 120b—Eva Allen, Anne Harris, Billie V. Moore.
 Substitute Emergency Teachers—Eva S. Hayes, Joyce Allen, Marjorie Osborne, Elvora Conley, Audrey M. Skeens, Nellie Reed, Per Salisbury, Pauline Collins, Ruth Stumbo, Ada Allen, Margaret Goodman, Bartlett Gauthier, Grete, Audrey Berta S. Smith, Marie Jones, Opal McGuire, Elizabeth Farnery, Noleka Jones, Bessie Terry, Edith Price, Marie Castle, Thelma Hicks, Mrs. Rannet Roberts, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Beth Stumbo, Mrs. Mary Hill, Mabel Conley, Martin, May B. France, Beulah Hopkins, Virginia Turner, Corlida May Cox, Mary E. France, Rebecca Arnet, Nora Stumbo, Charles A. Hall.

GARRETT

Sgt. Marion Hankins, of Tazewell, Va., spent his holidays here with his wife, Mrs. Imogene Hankins.
 Pic, Baker Five-days, of Ft. Jackson, S. C., spent his five-day furlough here last week.
 Cpl. Odell Collins sent home a German rifle from Italy. He has been awarded two stars.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray, of David, spent the week-end here visiting with Mrs. May Stone and Nora Hughes.
 Mrs. O'Dell Collins was in Garrett Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Hill Stone, and Mrs. Clarence Hughes.
 Mrs. C. B. Eson and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer entertained with a surprise birthday party Saturday evening, honoring Mrs. R. H. Messer, Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. C. Beverly, Mrs. Bill Petry and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hornsby.
 Mrs. Shelby Draughn and daughter, Pamela Sue, and H. H. Hornsby returned Saturday after spending a week in Tennessee visiting Mrs. Hornsby's mother, who is seriously ill.
 (Last week's correspondence)
 Mr. and Mrs. W. Moore entertained to dinner Wednesday honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, Mrs. K. C. Beverly, Mrs. C. B. Eson, Mrs. Frank Ransick, Mrs. Bill Petry, John Rasmick, Gladys Wright, Tommy Johnson.
 Soldiers and sailors in town visiting relatives and friends are Charles "Creasy" Hughes, Donald Park, Wesley Pritchard, Estill Caudill, Arnold Prater, Ray V. Lawson, Ernie Scott, George Hoover, Robert Hitchcock, Ed Walker and Volney Allen.
 A large crowd attended the Junior-Senior banquet Saturday night. Because of the absence of a home ec. teacher, the banquet was prepared and served by Mrs. T. A. Roache, Mrs. George Palm, Mrs. W. H. Childers, Mrs. Eda Petry, Mrs. Paul Roache and several of the students.
 Mrs. Stanley Bamer entertained on Saturday evening with a birthday dinner honoring her brother, Charles Hughes. Guests were Sue Hornsby, Gladys Murray, George Murray, Louise Sellers, Gladys Hughes, LaFaye Bamer, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bamer.
 Mrs. Ruth and Edna Martin left Sunday to enter Marchand State Teachers' College.
 Pvt. and Mrs. Edward Wallen announce the arrival of a daughter, born at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lacey. The babe has named Maria Elaine.
 H. H. Hornsby and daughter, Mrs. Shelby Draughn, and granddaughter, Pamela Sue, left Sunday for Tennessee to visit his mother who is seriously ill.
 Frankie C. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hughes, had his tonsils removed at the Martin General hospital Tuesday.
 A farewell party was given Sunday in honor of Miss "Tootsie" Goodman, who will leave for Baltimore as soon as school is finished. Several of her friends were present.
 The baccalaureate service for the Garrett high school seniors was held Sunday night at the high school auditorium. Rev. Bell, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiated, delivered the sermon.
 Wednesday evening, Mrs. Frank Borerak and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer entertained with a stock show honoring Mrs. J. W. Foster (nee Jackie Moore), of Alexandria, Va. The show was decorated with stock and a pink-and-blue umbrella surrounded by packages containing lovely gifts. The entertainment was in charge of Mrs. R. H. Messer and Mrs. B. Eson. Joe Ransick and several of the quizes, contests, and "black magic." Prizes were given to Mrs. C. D. Francis, Mrs. Shelby Draughn, Mrs. W. H. Childers, and Mrs. J. O. Webb. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. O. Webb, Mrs. B. H. Messer, Mrs. K. C. Beverly, Mrs. C. B. Eson, Mrs. Frank Ransick, Mrs. Bill Petry, John Rasmick, Gladys Wright, Tommy Johnson.
 Friends of Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, of Prestonsburg, will be glad to know that she has improved enough to be moved to her home.
 Mrs. Arthur Stone, of Pippaspass, will soon be going home after undergoing a serious operation.
 (Last week's correspondence)
 Miss Doty Dimpie Burchett was visiting on Cow Creek the week-end.
 Johnnie Lafayette, Jr. and daughter, B. Eson, Mrs. Edna Childer and Doty Mildred Tackett attended church at Dix Creek Sunday.
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 Mrs. Edna Childer and Doty Mildred Tackett attended church at the schoolhouse Saturday night.

MAYTOWN

Misses Peggy Jo Allen, Elizabeth Boulton, Elizabeth and Christine Hahn, Messrs. Raymond J. Hahn and Donald May went on a picnic on the river Saturday.
 Mrs. Wilma Casady left Sunday for Detroit to visit relatives.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Baker left this week for Gulpport, Miss., to visit her son, Ben W. Baker, an instructor in the naval school there.
 Mrs. Thomas Patrick and daughters, Elizabeth and Sandra Sue, are visiting relatives in Atlanta and Ft. Valley, Georgia.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart were visiting Mr. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Viola Stewart, Friday.
 Mrs. Jones Ballant and Misses Joyce and Beryl Stewart were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.
 J. S. Clink was in Prestonsburg Monday and Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cassidy were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.
 Miss Moselette Perrell and her son, Joe Taylor, Beryl and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Syd Begley recently.
 Mrs. Henry May and daughters, Edna and Betty, are visiting her parents in Ashland for several days. Ned May, who has been here on furlough, has returned to Camp Chase, Ark. May accompanied him as far as Ashland.
 Buddy Ratliff and Billy Stith, of Martin, were visiting in Maytown Wednesday.
 Dr. J. H. Allen and brothers, S. C. and C. E. Allen, were fishing at Norris Dam last week.
 A large crowd attended the graduation exercises held in the high school auditorium last Wednesday night.
 The Freshman class went on a picnic Friday. They were accompanied by their sponsor, Miss Peggy Jo Allen.
 Mesdames Elizabeth Baker, J. H. Allen and C. L. Allen and daughter, Teddy, were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hagans and family spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb.
 Mrs. Syd Begley and Mrs. Herschell Begley were on business in Pikeville Friday.
 Mrs. Thura Ramey was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.
 Elwood Rose, Jr. is home on furlough.
 Miss Anna Tackett left for her home in Ohio after the Commencement exercises.
 FISH FRY
 Dr. J. H. Allen entertained the following to a fish fry in his home Saturday night: County Superintendent Town Hall, Dr. Wesley Osborne, Newberry Newsome, Wesley Campbell, Leonard Martin, V. C. Turner, Boone Hall, Curtis Owens, Monroe Wicker, George Moore, Wayne Ratliff, James Salisbury and Delmon Howard.
 (Last week's correspondence)
 Cpl. Francis Rose, who is stationed in Tampa, Fla., spent a 21-day furlough recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Decker here.
 Mrs. Verlin Decker has received word that her son, Pvt. Herschel C. Rose, has arrived safely in India.
 Rev. W. M. Whitaker, Mrs. Verlin Decker and Cpl. Francis A. Rose were in Prestonsburg on business a few days ago.
 Mart Crabtree has bought a cow, had to lay off from work to milk her.
 Gertrude Rose, of Estill, and Juanita Sanders, of Pikeville, accompanied Cpl. Francis A. Rose to Ashland on his return to camp. Cpl. and Miss Rose were Miss Sanders' weekend guests.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Meddings have purchased a home on Beaver Creek.
 Pvt. Danick Jackson spent a three-day pass with his wife.
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WANT-ADS

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 LOST—Kerosene ration stamps, issued to Steve Hamilton, Sr. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Taberry, Ky. STEVE HAMILTON, SR.
 LOST—Ration Books No. 3 and 4, issued to Clarence England. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at McDowell, Ky. CLARENCE ENGLAND.
 LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Ethel Moseley. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Wayland, Ky. JAMES OTTO MOSELEY.
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ESTILL

(Last week's correspondence)
 Cpl. Francis Rose, who is stationed in Tampa, Fla., spent a 21-day furlough recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Decker here.
 Mrs. Verlin Decker has received word that her son, Pvt. Herschel C. Rose, has arrived safely in India.
 Rev. W. M. Whitaker, Mrs. Verlin Decker and Cpl. Francis A. Rose were in Prestonsburg on business a few days ago.
 Mart Crabtree has bought a cow, had to lay off from work to milk her.
 Gertrude Rose, of Estill, and Juanita Sanders, of Pikeville, accompanied Cpl. Francis A. Rose to Ashland on his return to camp. Cpl. and Miss Rose were Miss Sanders' weekend guests.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Meddings have purchased a home on Beaver Creek.
 Pvt. Danick Jackson spent a three-day pass with his wife.
 BUY WAR BONDS!

EDGAR

(Last week's correspondence)
 Miss Doty Dimpie Burchett was visiting on Cow Creek the week-end.
 Johnnie Lafayette, Jr. and daughter, B. Eson, Mrs. Edna Childer and Doty Mildred Tackett attended church at Dix Creek Sunday.
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 Mrs. Edna Childer and Doty Mildred Tackett attended church at the schoolhouse Saturday night.

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Society Notes

SHOWER HONORS MRS. RYAN

Mrs. Hershel Tackett and Miss Rose Ellen Hager were co-hostesses Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Maggie Butler, honoring Mrs. Milton Ryan (nee, Miss Mildred Tackett). Throughout the house beautiful urns of spring flowers were placed. Friends who could not attend sent lovely gifts in addition to gifts received from those present. Mrs. Ryan was presented a huge basket of personal gifts which she graciously acknowledged. Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. Milton Ryan, Mrs. Maggie Butler, Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, Mrs. Winifred Blackburn, Misses Mary Irene James, Freda Bunting, Avis Vinson, Lorraine Smith, Peachie Howard, Vivian Caudill.

BRANQUET HONORS STATE OFFICERS

A banquet honoring state officers of the Order of Eastern Star was given Tuesday evening at the Auditorium hotel. Mayor E. P. Arnold presided as toastmaster. Tables were attractive with low bowls of spring flowers intermingled with candles of various colors emblazoning the five points of the Star. They place cards bearing the Eastern Star emblem were placed on the plates of the following guests and members: Mrs. Lattie R. Dunkle, grand worthy matron of Kentucky; Miles K. Thacker, grand worthy patron; Ella Mount, secretary; Irene Thacker, grand marshal; Virginia D. Arnold, grand representative of North Carolina; Clara Conley, grand representative of Maine; Ivin Arwood, deputy grand patron; Mrs. Dora Dotson, deputy grand matron; Mrs. Ivin Arwood, Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Mrs. Harry Hazelrigg, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Freda Bunting, Mrs. W. W. Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. W. Burchett, Miss Josephine Davidson, Mrs. Marvin Alley, Mrs. Wm. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leele, Mrs. Lida Cottrell, Mrs. Lida Spradlin, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mayor E. P. Arnold. Following the banquet an official inspection of the Wayland chapter, O.E.S., and Adah chapter No. 24 was made by the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Dunkle, and her official cabinet members.

GOES TO LEXINGTON

M. J. Leele, Jr., left Wednesday for Lexington where he will visit his uncle, Claude P. Stephens.

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ATTEND SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Among those from the Eastern Star chapter here who attended the School of Instruction and banquet at Paintsville Monday were Mrs. Marvin Alley, Mrs. Ethel Powers, Mrs. Henry Stephens, Jr., Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. Meade, Mrs. Lida Spradlin, Mrs. M. J. Leele, Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. George Roberts, Miss Josephine Davidson, Miss Freda Bunting.

HAS BEEN ILL

Mrs. Emma Curries, who has been ill for a few days, has recovered sufficiently to re-open her tea-room.

IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. W. B. Garrett spent the day in Huntington Tuesday on business.

HERE FROM DWALE

Mrs. John Laven, of Dwale, was here Wednesday shopping.

ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Ethel Cross has accepted a position with the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright and is now working there.

GETS MEDICAL DISCHARGE

Cpt. Billy Burchett has received his army air forces medical discharge and is now at home with his mother, Mrs. Nora C. Burchett, after months of service in the Southwest Pacific as an aerial gunner.

RETURNS TO BRITISH WEST INDIES

Cpl. Wallace Hall, who has been spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall, has returned to the British West Indies where he is stationed.

RETURNS TO CAMP PICKETT

Butler, who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Butler, on Graham street, he returned to Camp Pickett, Va., Monday.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock and son, Earl Wells, returned the first of the week from a short visit with Mrs. R. V. May at Palm Beach, Florida. Their little daughter, Belle, remained for an extended visit and will return to Kentucky with Mrs. May.

HERE FOR FURLOUGH

Cpl. Johnnie Cole arrived Wednesday for a furlough with friends here. He is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Burchett, in Lexington.

HERE FROM WAYLAND

Among Wayland visitors here Thursday attending the Order Eastern Star meeting were Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stratton, Mrs. Mullins and Mrs. Kaseg.

TO ATTEND DERBY

Among those from Prestonsburg who will attend the Derby in Louisville are Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spurlin, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Spradlin, County Clerk A. B. Motz and Representative W. G. Biggers.

RETURN FROM WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones have returned from Washington, D. C., and other points where they attended to business.

BUSINESS VISITORS HERE

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins, of Lackey, were here Monday transacting business. They also were in Paintsville.

GUEST OF MOTHER

Mrs. G. D. Stumbo, of Mianne was visiting her mother, Mrs. Fanny Collins, on Third street Tuesday.

RETURN FROM CINCINNATI

Mrs. B. F. Combs and Mrs. Lida Cottrell returned the latter part of last week, from Cincinnati.

IN HUNTINGTON

Mrs. R. G. Francis left Tuesday for Huntington where she is taking special medical treatment.

HERE ON BUSINESS

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moles, of Auxier, were here Tuesday, visiting friends and transacting business.

HOUSEGUEST OF MRS. FRANCIS

The Rev. Fred Barlow, who will be guest-speaker at the Baptist Church Sunday, will be the houseguest of Mrs. H. C. Francis.

BITTEN BY GROUNDHOG

While in her garden last week Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick was severely bitten by a pet groundhog owned by a neighbor. A physician was summoned and anti-tetanus serum administered. She is confined to her bed.

D.A.R. CHAPTER TO MEET

Postponement of the regular meeting of John Graham Chapter from May 8 to May 18 has been announced by the regent. The meeting will be at the home of the Regent, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS VISITORS

Mrs. L. L. Lynch and Mrs. Arnold were here from Martin Monday transacting business.

VISITOR FROM LOUISIA

Rev. C. L. Nef, of Louisiana, was here the first of the week transacting business.

VISITING RELATIVES

Mrs. Ora Lee Sellers and son arrived Monday from Huntington for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dingus, of Little Paint Creek. While here she spent one night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus.

VISITORS HERE

Mrs. Wm. Newman and son, Billy, Jr., of Pikeville, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingus, on First avenue.

GUEST OF FRIENDS

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Powers was overnight guest of Paintsville friends Friday.

DISTRICT U.D.C. TO MEET

The district meeting of United Daughters of the Confederacy will be extended at Castletown, May 12 by the John Milton Elliott chapter. All members are urged to attend from the Greenville Davidson chapter.

CALLERS IN PAINTSVILLE

Mrs. Joe A. Stevens and daughter, Lydia Margaret, were callers in Paintsville Sunday. They were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Shafford and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orion Wheeler.

IN GEORGIA

Edmond Triplett, superintendent of the Prestonsburg schools, is in Georgia this week inspecting schools.

BABY ILL OF PNEUMONIA

Claybourne Stephens, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Claybourne Stephens, is ill this week with pneumonia.

RETURNS TO ARMY POST

Lieut. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., left Wednesday morning for his army post in North Carolina after a two-week furlough with his parents here. He was accompanied by Mrs. Fitzpatrick.

IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin left Wednesday for a two-weeks shopping tour of New York markets. She will buy merchandise for the Margaret-Gann Shop.

GUEST OF GRANDPARENTS

Little Lydia Margaret Spradlin left Tuesday for an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Findlayson, in Lexington.

FISHING AT NORRIS DAM

Herbald Graham and Ike Smith are vacationing at Norris Dam, Tenn., this week, fishing.

CONCLUDES FULROUGH

Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas Graham Dingus left this week for his army post at Ft. Jackson, S. C., after spending several days here with their parents, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus and Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill.

SHOPPERS HERE

Mrs. Luther Allen and Miss Patty Lou Allen, of Garrett, were here Wednesday shopping.

GUESTS OF MRS. JARRELL

Mrs. Mary D. Allen and Mrs. J. M. Wellington spent the day with Mrs. Fanny Jarrell and family Sunday.

OVERNIGHT GUESTS

Mrs. Willie Shepherd, of Maytown, and Miss Rose Ann Shepherd, of David, were overnight guests of Mrs. Freda Bunting Tuesday. They attended the meeting of Miriam Rebekah lodge in the evening.

MRS. FERGUSON ILL

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson is ill at her home on First avenue. She was a patient at Prestonsburg General hospital the first of the week.

RETURNS FROM BUYING TRIP

Dr. B. Ball has returned from Cincinnati, where he spent several days buying merchandise for his store.

HOSPITAL TO SPEAK HERE

Walter J. Hoshal, superintendent of the Kentucky Anti-Saloon League, will speak at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning. It is announced.

VISITS PARENTS

Miss Betty Allen spent last weekend at Garrett, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Allen.

MOVES TO WEST PRESTONSBURG

Mrs. Herbert Preston has moved from the Harlow apartments here to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Baldrige, West Prestonsburg.

HOME ON LEAVE

Seaman 2/c Daniel L. Spookie Goble arrived home on leave Friday after having completed his "boot" training at the Great Lakes naval training center. He was joined here by his sister, Miss Louise Goble, Baltimore, Md., during his visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goble. Both will leave Sunday.

ARRIVES SATURDAY

Pfc. James E. Alley, of the marine corps, arrived Saturday to spend his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alley, Jr., Water Gap, and his sister, Mrs. Ray Woods, Prestonsburg. He recently was graduated as aviation machinist's mate from the naval technical training center, Memphis, Tenn., and has been transferred to Cherry Point, N.C., for metalmith instruction.

SPENDS FULROUGH IN COUNTY

Pvt. and Mrs. Joe Cooley, of Atlanta, Ga., are spending his furlough with relatives here and on Beaver Creek. He is in the army ordnance department.

ENTERTAINS BAND-GLEE CLUBS

Following the county chorus and band practice preparatory to Friday night concert program, the Glee Clubs here, Miss Carlos M. Hale held open house at her home in West Prestonsburg Friday afternoon for members of the County Glee Band and Glee clubs of which she is director. Guests included Geneva Lewis, Sylvia Risner, Barbara Bush, Gwendolyn Tackett, Lois Rosey, Walden Cunn, Rubestine Clark, Jewel Sellers, Betty Lou Hall, Lorraine Miller, Billy Jean Blackburn, Kathryn Coleman, Lillian Steele, Ray Calvin, Kathryn May, Emilee Rose, Wanda Lou Ensminger, Line Cunn, Alberta Caldwell, Billy Sargent, Gene Roberts, Charles Walters, Wendell Stratton, Ruth Layne, Betty Hill, Billy Joe Miller, Doris Gilman, Peggy Bush, Norma Crum, Martha Coleman, Lillian Steele, Ray Calvin, Davis, Rose Fannin, Buddy Akers, D. W. Howard.

HERE ON FULROUGH

Pfc. Ray Craft, of Fort Jackson, S. C., spent two days of his furlough here last week, visiting relatives and friends.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS

The men's Bible class of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the basement of the church. There were 25 present. Those attending were Rev. W. B. Garritt, Rev. James G. C. Francis, E. P. Hill, J. J. Hatcher, Miss Anna Martin and the G. A. girls.

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

Mrs. Nancy Caudill entertained the Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church Tuesday evening. In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. R. Hart, vice-president, presided at the business meeting.

Miss Anna Martin read the scripture and presented members of the Girls' Auxiliary who had the program on "Cuba." The following girls participated: Doris Ann Clark, Mary Martha Williams, Virginia Rogers, Clara O'Leary, Anna Jones, Mrs. George H. Layne, Mrs. H. B. Farris, Ruth Layne Mayo and Myrtle Grace Hatcher. Miss Vivian Caudill favored the Society with a vocal solo "Break Thou the Bread of Life." She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Maryn Bunting, Mrs. R. W. Smith and Mrs. Caudill.

Mrs. Caudill was assisted by her daughter Vivian in serving an interesting course of the following members: Madames Grace D. Ford, Maude Nummer, O. G. Pennington, R. W. Sml h, Marvin Rensell, J. R. Hurl, George Cohen, J. B. Clarke, Johnny Wells, R. C. Francis, E. P. Hill, Jr., J. J. Hatcher, Miss Anna Martin and the G. A. girls.

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RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, In His infinite wisdom, our heavenly Father, on April 5, 1944, has called from among us our faithful brother and worthy pastor, Martin D. Francis, DE THE BISHOPS, THAT in his 60th year, Adah Chapter has lost a dependable and beloved member, but a professor who was always ready to clutch the way for the Chapter he loved and served so faithfully as well as patch for so many years. Although he died so young, as in the mortal body meet with us around this altar yet who shall say his spirit will not come to this spot that he has so dear?

They may leave us, these friends who have passed, through the shadows of death to the sunlight above. A thousand memories holding them fast. To the place they blessed with their presence and love."

RESOLVED: That we extend to his family and loved ones our sincere sympathy in their loss and commend them to their sorrow. "Him who dieth all things wait."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this chapter, a copy be sent to the beloved family and one to The Floyd County Times and one to the Matson Home Journal for publication.

JULIA B. STEPHENS
E. P. ARNOLD
Committee
Adah Chapter, Order Eastern Star

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News From Floyd Communities

RISNER

Pfc. Clarence Adkins is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adkins, Pfc. Adkins is stationed at Camp Phillips, Kansas.

Pvt. Manis Risner is spending a furlough with his sister, Mrs. Cephus Ousley. Pvt. Risner has been stationed in the Panama Canal Zone.

Mrs. Cec Wright received a letter from her son, Cpl. Willie Wright, stating that he is coming back to the States from Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thornsbury, of Middle Creek, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adkins Sunday.

REED BRANCH

Church was held here Sunday at the home of J. M. Whitaker for his wife, Mrs. Florence Sloan Whitaker. Mrs. Whitaker has been ill for nearly a year and has been in a serious condition for the last three weeks. A large crowd attended from here and neighboring communities and also from Knott county. Mrs. Whitaker was converted and hopes to be able to be baptized soon.

Pfc. Douglas Prater and wife and baby daughter were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Prater, Jr., of Dundas, Ohio, spent the week-end here with friends and relatives. They attended the graduation exercises at Prestonsburg Friday night.

Their son, Joe Ed, was a graduate of Garrett high school. He returned home to Ohio with his parents' Saturday.

Allie Jones, of the army, who is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky., spent a three-day pass with his parents here last week.

Pfc. Douglas Prater and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Prater were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Prater Sunday.

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WARCO

Mr. and Mrs. Reb McCoy, of Boldman, visited friends here this week.

Little Miss Ollie Katherine Jarrell was the overnight guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Manda Turner, at Northern Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. June Ward have returned from their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Baldridge and son Bobby spent the week-end with relatives in Prestonsburg.

Messiasie Charlie Hensley and Paul Jarrell were in Martin on business Monday last week.

Mrs. Ernie Ratliff, of Wilson Creek, is making her home in Warco for a while. Her husband, Pvt. Ratliff, is now stationed in Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Charles Hensley brought home two fine bass Tuesday with the help of his small son, French Vernon, who is likewise an enthusiastic angler.

Mrs. Lon Rowland, Misses Billie Arrowood and Lucie Stapleton, of Maytown, visited friends in Warco Sunday last week.

Miss Ella Praton and Mrs. Sue Ward were in Maytown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May and daughter, Linda June, of Water Gap, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. May's sister, Mrs. Paul Jarrell, and Mr. Jarrell.

WHEELWRIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Layne and daughter went to Huntington, W. Va., to visit for one week with his mother.

Pvt. Abe Coates, of Camp Croft, S. C., is home on leave visiting his wife, the former Miss Hazel Dawhara, here, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coates, of Williamson, W. Va.

Service men home recently were S. Sgt. Raymond See, Camp Shelb, Miss.; 2nd Lt. Donald Hugh, who is stationed in North Carolina, and Pvt. Edward Dawhara, of Louisiana.

Mrs. Bill Ross was dinner guest of Mrs. Tate Hartsock Sunday.

Frederick Hunter, of the mail-time service, who has been in England, will soon visit his aunt, Mrs. Tate Hartsock.

J. T. Ferber, Bill Rose, Kenneth Deal and Harry Zimmerman left the first of the week to attend a coal show in Cincinnati.

Miss Ruth Ann Criles, Bill and George Pain, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goble attended the square dance at the country club in Paintsville Saturday night.

Bill See, of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Virginia Vance went to Pikeville this week on business.

George Billups spent the week-end here visiting with his wife and children.

Mrs. M. H. Wilkinson, Mrs. C. R. Tankersley, Mrs. Bob Miller and Mrs. Val Rodgers were hostesses to a bridge party in the community hall Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McCoy and children spent the week-end at Big Stone Gap, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Wilkinson gave a birthday dinner in honor of their son, "Bank." Those who were invited were Miss Rosalie Hopkins, Miss Virginia Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilkinson and son, Pvt. G. W. Wilkinson.

Jimmy Hughes will leave soon for Detroit to join his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price left for Florida to spend three weeks.

Mrs. Virginia Stancil will leave soon to join her husband, Pfc. Harris Stancil, who is stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss.

Mrs. Jimmy Morrison spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adkins, at Nelse, Ky.

Pfc. Mike M. Gatzik left recently to return to Camp Butler, North Carolina. Pfc. Gatzik has a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gatzik.

DWALE

John Laven was in Prestonsburg Saturday on business.

Miss Maggie Jarrell was visiting Mrs. Joe Jarrell, of Prestonsburg, Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Comstock and Mrs. Rener May, of Emma, were visiting Mrs. J. P. Laven Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Humble visited her son, Ike Humble, of Printer, last week.

Miss Lady Mae Laven accompanied her brother, Pvt. Latrell Laven, as far as Ashland last week as he was returning to his army post.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Elkins received word that their son, Pvt. Ralph Elkins, has arrived in England.

Sam Nelson, of the navy, enjoyed a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Highland Nelson, here last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gory Porter last week. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Matthew Keens and little son Jimmie Douglas last week-end were visiting Mr. Keens, who is employed by Clayton & Lambert at Ashland.

Mrs. O. E. Carey was in Ashland shopping last week.

Miss Virginia Rae Lemaster, Lady Mac Laven and Betty Jo Elkins attended the movies at Prestonsburg Sunday.

Hugh Swerd is now employed by Arco at Ashland.

Mrs. Bob Elliot and family, of Water Gap, spent last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Green Calhoun, and Mrs. G. W. Hall.

Miss Betty Jo Elkins had her tonsils removed last week at the Paintsville hospital, and is doing fine.

NOTICE

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

4-20-31 ETHEL POWERS

THE FLOYD COUNTY SPORTSMAN

By E. B. BURKE
District Conservation Officer

SPORTSMEN'S CONVENTION

The League of Kentucky Sportsmen will meet in a one-day convention May 22, in the Lafayette hotel, Lexington. There was no convention in 1943 and the sportsmen feel that one is needed, since the new civil service law for the Division of Game and Fish was passed.

The new law provides that Governor Willis appoint a nine-man game and fish commission from nominations made by the sportsmen in each congressional district. The sportsmen are to select five persons in each district at meetings which John M. Perkins, director of the Division of Game and Fish, is to call within 30 days after the law becomes effective June 13. Each club is to send two delegates who are to act in a business capacity. Each club should have two delegates present and a good delegation of club members and officers.

Following is a program of the meeting: 10 a. m.—registration of delegates; 10:30 a. m.—report of the secretary and treasurer, Dahlia Gooch; 10:45 a. m.—words from the president, Dennis Gooch; 11 a. m.—round-table discussion; 12 noon—committee announced; 12:30—lunch; 1:30 p. m.—election of officers.

George E. Allen, Dr. Claude Allen, Henry May and Romeyn Dyer report a catch of 44 fish weighing 94 pounds Saturday and Sunday at Norris Lake. Largest haul was a 5 1/2-pound bass landed by George E. Allen.

Incidentally, there is no closed season for fish in Tennessee this year.

The club has a letter from a fur farm in Minnesota stating that good northwestern type red fox pups will be available for May shipment. The club has bought these red foxes before and hunters have reported them excellent runners, equally as good as our native red foxes. Orders must be in at once. Any one interested, get in touch with any of the officers of the club, or with your conservation officer, for a plan whereby these pups can be purchased.

Several parties spent part of last week at Norris Lake fishing. J. H. Allen, S. C. Allen and G. E. Allen spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Shanghai and reported a 132-pound catch of bass. Jack Ryan and Roger Stewart spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Shanghai and caught 15 bass that weighed 30 pounds. Russell Hagewood, Jessie Brown Hagewood, E. P. Hill, Marshal Graham and C. H. Smith spent Saturday and Sunday at Cedar Creek and reported luck "not so good." L. J. Orlich, Wilson Stepp, Seward Harris and Ed Burke spent at Cedar Grove on Saturday and Sunday and caught 60 bass and 12 pike and jack salmon that weighed 150 pounds.

Warren county farmers expect to produce more pounds of lamb this year than in 1943, with interest in phosphatic increasing.

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MARTIN

Mrs. John Greer, of Virgie, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mark Swick, this week.

Sgt. Bill Norris is spending a furlough here with his father, Ben Norris. Sgt. Norris is stationed in Reno, Nevada.

See Spears, of Banner, recently visited his brothers, Walk Spears, of Martin, and Kennis Spears, of Tramm.

Mrs. John Blitzer and Mrs. Edd Clark were business visitors in Ashland this week.

Mrs. Lily Osborne, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives in Martin. She was the dinner guest Saturday of Mrs. Golda Osborne, of Eastern.

Ben Meade, of Jackson, Mich., was in Martin Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Crisp and Perry Osborne have been in to Cleveland, O. They spent several days there.

AFTER MEALS TAKE DIA-BISMA

HUTSPILLER DRUG PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Sgt. Nelson Barnett is enjoying a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnett, of Buck's Branch. Business visitors in Prestonsburg this week were: Mrs. Guy Taylor, Mrs. Clyde Allen, in Allen; Mrs. Clifford Hales.

Pfc. John Coleman, Jr., returned to camp this week. He is stationed at Camp Monmouth, N. J.

Pvt. Kermit Clark is spending a short furlough with his wife and relatives. He has been stationed in Camp Walters, Texas, but upon his return will report to Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

Mrs. Martha Feager, of Louisville, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan have been in Huntington, W. Va., this week on business.

Willie Conley has returned home after several months working in Hanford, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dings are moving to Martin. Mr. Dings was formerly of Shelby, Ky. He is located agent here in the absence of his brother, Wayne Dings.

Pvt. Freddie Stumbo has returned to camp after enjoying a furlough at home. He is stationed at Fresno, Calif., with the Fourth air force.

Cpl. Frances B. Hill has returned to March Field, Calif. He is an air- Wacs with the 4th air force. Her husband, Kin Hill, returned to Detroit, Mich., at the same time.

Others in Prestonsburg on business were Pvt. Billy Smith, Mrs. Florence Crisp, Steve Dermont, H. H. Vincent, Mrs. Dewey Bentley.

C. O. Johnson has undergone an operation in the O. O. hospital.

Huntington, W. Va. His wife, Mrs. Mary Vanhorn, of Sandusky, O., is with him. He is gradually improving.

T/Sgt. Jesse Elliott was visiting the school this week. Sgt. Elliott was band leader for the school prior to entering the army.

Mrs. Ruth Fox is now in Dearborn, Mich. She is the former Miss Ruth Patrick.

Mrs. Satch Roberts, of Printer, is visiting Mrs. S. J. Roberts. They attended church services and Sunday School at the Holiness Church Saturday.

Miss Mae Skeans, formerly of Martin, now of Cleveland, O., is improving slowly after an operation. She will come home as soon as she is able to travel.

Others seen around town this week: Ned May, M. H. Westfall, Samuel Osborne.

The girls' glee club from Martin high school sang at a program in Pikeville College Saturday. They were conducted by Mrs. Oral B. Hall, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Patty Hutton, who is employed in Ashland, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Val Hutton.

Pfc. John Coleman, Jr., was guest Sunday of Miss Magdaene Branham, who was home from Pikeville College.

Mr. and Mrs. Bas Conley have five sons and a son-in-law in the armed forces. Two are in the navy, four in the army—Packer Conley, S. U. Great Lakes, Ill.; Ben Conley, co-swain, care fleet postmaster, New York City; Cpl. Cecil Conley, Miami, Fla.; Pfc. Herman Conley, Camp Dickert, Va.; Pvt. Woodrow Conley, Camp Hood, Texas; Pvt. Joe E. Daniels, care postmaster, New York City.

David Martin, Sr., and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. David Marr, Jr., and granddaughter, Sandra, spent the past week in Lexington, visiting and shopping.

O. D. Smith and son, Pvt. Billy Smith, spent the week-end in Kenova, W. Va., with relatives.

Marriage of Miss Diane Pack, of Martin, and Mr. Orbie Frazier is announced. The wedding was solemnized April 30 at Gate City, Va., by the Rev. Charles J. Hawkins officiating. The bride wore a real blue tulle gown, with brown and white accessories and a corsage of iris. Mr. and Mrs. Frazier plan to reside here. The groom is big game clerk in the C. & O. depot here.

Bill McKinney, U.S.N.R., is home on leave. He has been in the Pacific area for several months, was in the Midway battle and is anxious to get back into things after his rest.

Mrs. James Crisp, Sr., and son Jackie spent Sunday visiting friends on Cow Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Klier entertained a dinner Sunday afternoon from Pike county. Among them were Mr. Klier's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Dameron.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen received a delegation from their son, Pfc. Thomas E. Allen, somewhere in England. Pfc. Allen is with the field artillery as an aerial observer.

Jackie Crisp will begin work Monday at D. C. Stephens dental laboratory in Prestonsburg.

Phil and Terry Wicker, small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wicker, have been ill.

Mrs. W. E. Perry was visiting in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

E. J. Allen spent Thursday evening with Mrs. N. S. Akers, of Warco.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen were visiting friends in Paintsville Sunday afternoon.

Joe Kish, a daughter, Pfc. Kish, of the U.S. Army, is stationed at Camp N.C. He was here for the birth of the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont have had as their guests Mrs. Gaea Kish, of Beckley, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boder, St. Paul, Va., Mary Lou Kish and Jean Turner of Ashland.

Mrs. Clyde Allen and daughter Rosemary returned recently from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Conner, Martinsburg, Va.

Mrs. Ernest Bradley, of Eastern, was in Martin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shingleton and son Clyde Lewis were in Prestonsburg Friday.

The Elliott Bible class met April 28 at the Ladies' Aid department. Mrs. Mary Francis led the devotional exercises. Mrs. Dortha B. Allen was reading. Joint-hostesses were Virginia Keathley and Miss Blanche Keathley. Games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Mildred Deskins, Mrs. Winnie Dings, Mrs. Tina Allen, Mrs. Orla Stapleton, Mrs. Goldie Wicker, Mrs. Dortha W. Allen, Mrs. Daisy Perry, Mrs. Mary Francis, Terry Wicker and Wallace Phelps. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Dortha W. Allen, Mrs. Goldie Wicker, Mrs. Virginia Keathley, Mrs. Anne Stumbo, Mrs. Lydia Hall, Mrs. Orla Stapleton, Mrs. Daisy Perry, Mrs. Mary Francis, Florence Marshall, Mrs. Eva Allen, Mrs. Hulda Wilson, Mrs. Tina Allen, Mrs. Winnie Dings, Mrs. Mildred Deskins, Terry Wicker, Jimmie Keathley and Wallace Phelps.

WEST GARRETT Mrs. Elmo Campbell is visiting her parents at Jenkins this week.

Bert Craft is renovating his home. Reuben Laferty has moved into the new home he bought recently.

A farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Laferty Saturday night in honor of Mr. Laferty's son, Donald, who returned to the navy training center at Great Lakes, Ill., Sunday.

Ed Pety is preparing to go into the chicken business.

Mrs. James Rice left Monday for a hospital in West Virginia. Mrs. Rice has been in ill health for two or three months.

School closed out at Garrett Monday. The principal, Mr. Owens, and a number of students will be called into service soon.

War Bonds may soon be placed on a "Buy 'em now!"

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ALLEN Mrs. Tina Goble had as dinner guests Sunday the Rev. J. B. Hahn of Maytown, Seymour Mayo, of Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flanery, George Woods, Bobby Lee Woods, Chester and Oley Woods, Mrs. Lexie Allen and Bill Ratliff, of Allen.

Li. Wyatt Martin, of Camp White, Oposite is spending a furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Julia Osborne, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Floyd and children, of Grayson, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Laferty. On Sunday they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Hall, of Banner.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Laferty, Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delano Gray were Sunday afternoon guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Laferty and Mr. and Mrs. Medley Garrett, of Dwaile.

Harrison Frazier has returned from a business trip to Columbus, O.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Irving George at their home here a son, Samuel Lawrence George.

Mrs. Perry Parks and daughters of Louisville, were visiting relatives here last week.

Mrs. Lucy Rice and children, Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Webb, and Harold and grandson, Johnny Lynn, were the Sunday dinner guests of Miss Rebecca Ellis, of Pikeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Westfall were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene Allen were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Miss Helen Austin left Sunday for Vpsilanti, Mich., after an extended visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Austin.

M. L. Marcum, C. & O. special agent of Louisa, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray Wednesday Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burke and Sophronia Crisp were in Prestonsburg Saturday afternoon.

Miss Bessie Mary Malone, of Marshall College, Huntington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Malone.

Mrs. Curtis Fitzpatrick and children, of Knox, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Ike Slater.

Mrs. Otis Archer, of Prestonsburg, was in the hospital a son, Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Derossent.

Amanda Meade, who is attending

BONANZA Arminius Short and son, who have been employed in Lima, O., are visiting Mrs. Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harmon are the parents of an eight-pound son—Gary Lyon.

J. A. Minix, of Bonanza, is in the Prestonsburg General hospital suffering from a broken hip.

Forrest Ansel Short was a Thursday night guest of Clyde Harmon, near here.

Mrs. Harmon gave a free trucking service for the Commencement exercises Friday night at Prestonsburg for all who wanted to go.

Those who visited J. A. Minix in the Prestonsburg General hospital were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Minix and family, of Southland, Ind., Willie Minix and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Banks, Harry, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dealy, of Portsmouth, Va., Mrs. Ed Daugherty, of Dayton, O., Mrs. H. L. Brewster, of Stockdale, Ohio, Grant Minix and son, of Hayward, W. Va.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Conley are visiting their daughter in Detroit, Michigan, recently.

Mrs. James Short, of Prestonsburg, is visiting Mrs. H. E. Burke and Mrs. Arminius Short here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley and sons attended the Junior-Senior banquet at Martin.

IVEL Mrs. W. C. Johnson and son were the Sunday night guests of Mrs. Burns May.

Mrs. Halleck Hamilton was shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Clayton Allen Layne expects to attend Pikeville College for the summer term.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Layne were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adams.

Mrs. Burns May and Mrs. A. D. Carpenter were shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Services were held here at the Precivil Baptist Church Sunday, with baptismal services following.

Candidates for baptism were Mrs. Everett Adams, Mrs. John L. Layne, Katherine and Mary Lou Layne.

Master Paul Douglas Johnstone, of Betsey Layne, was the playmate of Jimmy Douglas George here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burkhardt visited friends at Cow Creek Sunday.

Lillie Mae Layne has returned to New York where she is employed in a dressmaking business.

Richard Conley and Otis Conley, of Abbott Creek, were the Saturday night guests of John Dameron.

Blazel D. George is in Wayne, Mich., employed in war work.

Tonny Mae Layne was a business clerk at Prestonsburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dameron were Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Edith Conley, of Tramm.

Mother to Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Jr., at the Pikeville hospital, a son, Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Thompson and children were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cecil.

STONE COAL Mr. and Mrs. Basil Conum have returned from Vpsilanti, Mich.

Pvt. Arnold Prasure has returned to camp after spending 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendie Prasure.

"Patty" Colburn is ill with measles.

Mrs. Carl Wise and Milton Trusty, Jr. left Thursday for Portsmouth, Virginia.

Mrs. Robert Payne and son Bobby, of Tennessee, are visiting relatives on Stone Coal.

Mrs. Curtis Fitzpatrick and children, of Knox, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Ike Slater.

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Pikeville College, spent last week-end with her parents.

Magistrate and Mrs. John A. Hicks and Olga Trusty spent Friday at Allen.

Mrs. Audrey Outley is home after spending a month with her sister at Whitesburg.

Virginia Mae Mullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Mullins, celebrated her 11th birthday anniversary April 26.

Refreshments were served to the following: Alene Johnson, Katherine Allen, Eula Ann Fitzpatrick, Dorothy Whit, Barbara Reed, Gene Bentley, Dellah Triplett, Grayson Johnson, Jesse Patrick, Jack Howard, Robert Fitzpatrick, James and Rita Jo Mullins.

Billy Earle, of Dayton, O., visited his grandparents, Magistrate and Mrs. J. A. Hicks.

Pvt. Ernie Scott is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Ratliff are visiting Mr. Ratliff's son, Rudy, Jr., of the navy. They will also visit other relatives while on their vacation.

Mrs. Charlie Flanery, of Garrett, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Zettie Lewis, Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Baldrice, of Ashland, was visiting her father, J. M. Whitaker, and Mrs. Whitaker last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall, formerly of Martin and Reed Branch, now of Wayland, are preparing to move to Lexington. Their son, Revis Hall, is now at home on furlough after six weeks of "boot" training at the Great Lakes, Ill., Naval Training Station.

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Floyd County Goes To War



OUSLEY ADKINS
Pfc. Clarence Adkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adkins, of Hiner, Ark., was transferred to Louisiana. He is now stationed in Kansas with the infantry. He has been in the army 14 months. Pvt. Adam Ousley, husband of Mrs. Virginia Ousley and brother-in-law of Pfc. Adkins, is now with the infantry somewhere in England. He has been in the service 18 months. Pvt. Ousley and Pfc. Adkins before entering the service were employed by the Stephens Ekstrom Fuel Corporation of Mantion.

Pfc. Claude Stephens, son of Bob Stephens, and who made his home with the Rev. and Mrs. Alex Stephens, is now with a machine gun anti-aircraft battery in India. The sons of their own in the armed forces—Pfc. Charles William Stephens, with the marines in the southwest Pacific, and Joe Stephens, who is now chief of a bomber squadron and now stationed at Charlotte, N.C.

Cpl. Estill Branham, of Camp Clinton, Miss., writes that he has received a letter from his brother, Frank, saying he had arrived in England with an infantry unit. Frank added that the English people seem very glad to have the American soldiers with them.

Ermel Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Thompson, Water Gap, has recently been promoted to private first class. Thompson was inducted into service Feb. 27, 1942, and was immediately sent to an army air force basic training center at St. Petersburg, Fla., and was subsequently stationed at Gowan Field, Idaho. He has been on active duty in the Mediterranean theater of operations for several months and is authorized to wear the European-African-Middle East campaign ribbon with one battle-participation star. Pfc. Thompson was employed as a miner by the Sandy Valley Coal Company at Water Gap prior to induction. He now serves as first cook in a 15th A.A.P. flier unit.

The boys who do the ground and maintenance work on those big bombers which carry welcome messages to the enemy are among the "forgotten men" of the war and deserve plenty of credit. The man who flies the planes tell us, S/Sgt. Haywood B. Steele, now at Atlantic City, N.J., after flying on 50 bombing missions as a ball-turret gunner, writes to give credit to a Prestonsburg boy. His letter follows, in part:

"I am writing you in behalf of Sgt. Bill Tom who was one of your local boys. He was one of the finest men who served the plane which I flew the majority of my 50 missions as ball-turret gunner. Our pilot received the D. F. C., and there were also four 'Purple Hearts' awarded to members of our crew. I did not receive a scratch, but a large piece of flak missed me by inches. My local paper gave me quite a write-up and now I wish to express my gratitude for the splendid work of the ground crew that certainly helped make it possible. These men worked under the most difficult conditions and with the true American spirit. The plane which is here, is called the famous 'Yankee Doodle' and already has received publicity and certainly deserves as much if not more than the famous 'Yankee Doodle Danny,' as it is still flying with over a hundred missions to its credit and having had numerous repairs made as well as surviving a crash landing which our crew was in and now having weathered some very difficult flying conditions as well as much flak and enemy fighters with no losses.

This splendid record is partly due to the co-operation of the best ground crew in our outfit. I am quite sure that Sgt. Archer's parents, relatives and friends will be pleased to read about him in your paper."

Seaman 2nd Class Shirley M. Salsbury, 21, daughter of Ex-Sheriff and Mrs. D. Salsbury, Lexington, and former teacher at Maytown, has completed her basic WAVE training at the Naval Training School, The Bronx, New York, and has received orders to report at Millington, Ga., for instruction in the sorkerep's school. She is a graduate of Maytown high school and attended Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, and Berea College. Her brother, Harold L., is a seaman 2d at the naval training school, Memphis, Tennessee.

The following newly inducted personnel of the army have been sent to Ft. Thomas, Ky., to the stations and addresses indicated:

To Anti-Aircraft, RTO, Camp Stuart, Ga.—Dillie Gibson, Emma.

To Medical, RTO, Camp Barkley, Texas—Hobart L. Edwards, Water Gap, Edward W. Ackerman, Wayne.

To Army Air Forces, Sheppard Field, Texas—Cecil B. Clark, Betty Leavelle, Archie A. Zerkow, Wayland.

To Armored, RTO, Fort Knox—Wayne C. Lemaster, Brainard.

To 184th S. C., Camp Albany, Ind.—Virgil Patton, Albionetta.

A woman aged 45 is an invalid, a patient in a hospital and has no relatives. The Floyd fiscal court is attempting to find her a home where she will be cared for, and will pay \$40 a month for this service.

E. P. HILL, Judge
Floyd county, Ky.

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Commanding Officer Leads Floyd Soldier

The personal interest officers of U. S. fighting forces take in the men in their command is strikingly shown in a letter from Col. Robert H. Brown at headquarters of a Chinese-American tank group to Mrs. Susie Osborne, Hite. The letter, telling Mrs. Osborne of her son, Norman, who was wounded in the Philippines, says that she should not be discouraged by the fact that he is coming along just fine, and we are all looking forward to having him join us once again.

"I know that you will have been proud of Norman the night that he was wounded. Although we were entirely surrounded by Japs, and receiving heavy fire from all sides, Norman proceeded about his duties calmly and untroubled by the dangers around us. When he was wounded he was taken to the first aid treatment and then waited bravely until the time when we could evacuate him to the rear.

"Norman had been with me for many months and I had come to depend greatly upon his skill and ability. During the months that Norman worked with this organization he helped forge and train a unit that has since paid back for the wound he received many times over. I cannot tell you how many Japs we have killed or wounded, but for each of our men hurt the Japs have been hurt fifty-fold.

"There is no little that we can say to the mothers and fathers of our soldiers, to help ease the grief and worry that they bear in silence in their hearts. I hope that knowing that Norman is all right, and that he has borne himself bravely and proudly as a real man and soldier will help in some small way to ease your worries. Some day, when this is all over, Norman will come home to you a fine, brave young man to take his place in the world which he is fighting to defend."

TO THE PUBLIC:

Because of the growing number of names of service men to be added to the Floyd County Honor Roll, additional funds to pay for this work are needed. The people have been very generous, and we do not wish to impose upon their generosity, but more names are to be added to the roll. We would like to have the names of new service men and the names of volunteers as they are reported to be added to the Honor Roll.

Send what you can spare to P. C. Hall, finance officer of Floyd Post, American Legion, Prestonsburg, Ky. Return of service men who volunteered and whose names have not been furnished us for the Honor Roll are urged to send in these names also to Mr. Hall so that the Floyd county boy will be "dignified." It is our aim to do honor to them all and we ask your co-operation.

FLOYD POST 1229 AMERICAN LEGION

A total of 7118 hot lunches were served in the county schools of Simpson county the past year.

ABIGAIL THEATER

THURS.-FRI., MAY 4-5—**"Purple Heart"**
Dana Andrews, Richard Conte.
News.
March of Time—**"THE IRISH QUESTION"**
Comedy—**"THE HENPECKED ROOSTER"** (in technicolor)
SATURDAY—**"The Old Barn Dance"**
Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette. Serial: **"TIGER WOMAN."**
SATURDAY—**"Escape to Danger"**
3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—E. Portman, Ann Dvorak. Our Frontier in Italy. Mountain Anglers.
SUNDAY-MONDAY—**"Broadway Rhythm"** (in technicolor)
George Murphy, Ginny Simms. Comedy.
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—**"Up in Mabel's Room"**
Mische Auer, Charlotte Greenwood. News.
"Window Cleaners"—Walt Disney cleans in technicolor.

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bank at Bald Alley or along the river is forbidden. Property-owners at either end of town forbid dumping on their land. The hill is at the back of town, the river in front.

"What to do from this time forward, you should flatten out those cans for tin salvage. As for the rest, if you are a stickler about the law, you'll have to sweep it under the rug."

This town needs an incinerator. Also an official city dump. It's a rather discouraging business to clean up your property one evening, then next day see a neighbor piling cans and other refuse right back, or only a few feet away on an adjacent lot.

In the event that the City Council has run out of knotty problems, it might study this one a while, at least till the supply of aspirin runs out. If something isn't done, the cost of clothes pins will skyrocket around here when hot weather comes.

OBSTRUCTIONIST?
County Attorney Woodrow Burckett was hit hot under the collar anyhow on a recent Thursday evening when his car stalled in the middle of the street, and the high way patrolman didn't help to lower his temperature any. While Woodrow was grinding away at the starter, the patrolman in a car behind sang out, "What d'ye think this is—your birthday?" To which the C.A. replied, "Keep your trousers on," or words to that effect. And just to assert his rights, took his time about taking off, even if the blankety-blank engine would have started.

It was hours later when County Attorney Burckett learned that the state highway cop was trying to clear the way for Governor Simeon S. Willis.

ROBINSON-SPRADLIN

Miss Joyce Robinson, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Robinson, and Lee Spradlin, 31, son of William Spradlin, were married here Tuesday, the Rev. I. A. Smiley officiating. Both are residents of Prestonsburg.

Approximately 1900 pounds of waste fat were turned in for salvage by homemakers in Mercer county.

MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"
FRIDAY—**"Adventures of a Rookie"**
SATURDAY-DOUBLE BILL—**"In Old Oklahoma"**
"Silver City Raiders"
SUNDAY-MONDAY—**"Standing Room Only"**
Paulette Goddard, Fred McMuray.
TUESDAY—**"Madame Curie"**
Walter Pidgeon, Greer Garson.
WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—**"The Uninvited"**
One of the most thrilling pictures of the year.
FRIDAY—**"The Unknown Guest"**

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for the kindnesses shown us upon the death of our beloved husband and father, Tom McCown; to Tom Mosely, Malo Wright, Troy Nickles and Aaron Pack for their comforting words. Also to our friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

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