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This Town-- That World

HITTING THE WASTEBASKET You know, I have had so much practice tossing unneeded... Hitting into the waste basket that I can ring 'er dead center every time, just like a mountaineer loaded with a cud of tobacco and shooting at a squirrel.

INTERNATIONAL DATE LINES Now the Germans claim that there is no such thing as a Gustav or Hitler line in Italy. They're telling the truth about the Gustav--there isn't any such thing now.

WANNA GET MARRIED? This column has been called many things. You can add "lovelorn" to the list, now for we are determined to help this guy. He is so frank--how could we resist him? It's well that we're not a woman. He writes from Langley.

NOT RESPONSIBLE The editor of Langley reminds me that Kendall Martin, of that place, was in the office a few days ago to announce that, henceforth, he will not be responsible for the actions of his famed hospital, the White Dove. It would appear, however, that Mr. Martin has suffered nothing more than a ground scare.

THE EDITOR--THE DOPE! Gracean M. Peady prints in his Pennyrile Herald's column of The Biddye Foster a thing which one E. G. Best, a North Carolina writer, wrote and which, besides being wrong, darn near tells the truth. Here 'tis:

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED Rosa Lee Hall vs. T. N. Hall; Edw. L. Allen, adm. vs. William H. Edmure vs. Cecil Sizemore, Jr.; J. P. Tackett, atty. John Prater vs. Virginia Prater; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Gheard Martin, etc. vs. G. O. Railway Company; Edw. L. Allen, atty. J. H. Hunter vs. Utilities Elkhorn Coal Co.; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Samuel Lee Crum vs. Edw. L. Allen, atty. Lillie Clark vs. Harlan Clark; Edw. L. Allen, atty.

VOLUME XVII

THURSDAY

COUNCIL ACTS TO REGULATE NEW BUILDING

In Prestonsburg; Permit Required of Builders; Supervisors Named

An ordinance regulating building construction here was enacted by the town council last night. It provides a move designed to prohibit erection of new fire hazards and damage to neighboring property.

W. K. ALLEN DIES AT 69

Long Illness Claims Former Allen Banker; Funeral Held Monday

W. K. Allen, former banker at Allen and one of Eastern Kentucky's best citizens, died Sunday morning at his home here.

SCHOOL HEAD TO REMAIN

Triplet Denies Rumor; Joins State Educators In Study of Cooperative

"I am not leaving Prestonsburg," Prof. Elmah Triplett, superintendent of city schools, declared this week when told of rumors to the effect that he would be leaving for a larger school. "Unless I'm fired," he added.

Well-Known Minister Succumbs at Wayland; Burial Held Today

The Rev. James Evans, a minister of the Christian Church in this county for many years, died at the age of 91 at his Wayland home Monday of senility.

Sells Gas Properties In Gasolin, Pike

Burt Spurlock last week sold his Gasolin and Pike county gas interests to Wino Ford for the reported price of \$7,500. The transaction was handled by J. J. Hatcher, Prestonsburg.

Vacation Bible School To Begin Here Monday

The daily vacation bible school will begin Monday and extend through the week June 19. Study will be conducted at the grade school building and all children in Prestonsburg and vicinity are invited to attend.

Training Shop Here Changes Personnel, Co-Ordinator Says

Two changes in the personnel of the Vocational Training Shop here were announced this week by Nelson S. Hunk, local co-ordinator. Clyde Schumacher, Ashland, has replaced Linnie Gardner as machine shop instructor, and Avery Wild, Letcher, is the new welding instructor, succeeding Carle Kidd, of H. Ford.

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Floyd-Letcher Route To Be Improved; Work On Mantow Road Began

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Special Legislature Session Begins Friday To Aid Schools

Speaking of AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

Kentucky's legislature will meet in special session at 2 p. m. Friday, having been called by Governor Simeon Willis to appropriate money for education purposes. The Governor, in issuing his proclamation, asked that the appropriation be made from current income and from the treasury surplus and in a statement, however, coinciding with his call declared, "I can conceive of no possible contingency calling for resort to the surplus of great importance than the maintenance of the school system."

W. H. MAY, JR. Former State Official Is in Reserve Corps; Discharges Listed

W. H. (Bill) May, of Frankfort and Prestonsburg, former Kentucky Commissioner of Agriculture, who was inducted May 1 at Ft. Thomas, Ky., for army service, has been relieved from active service and transferred to the enlisted reserve corps.

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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 courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., 10 a. m., May 22, 1944:

NON-RESIDENTS

Table listing non-resident taxpayers with columns for No., Name, Description, and Amt. Includes entries like Adams, Bill, 4 lots; Allison, Stella, land; Amburgey, Johnnie, 49 a.

Table listing residents of Floyd County with columns for No., Name, Description, and Amt. Includes entries like Ladd, W. B., land; Leach, J. M. and Coal Co., land; Lewis, John, land.

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CITY OF PRESTONSBURG Name Description Amt. Includes entries like 1297 Goble, William, tract of land; 1298 Goble, William, tract of land; 1299 Goble, William, tract of land.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including names and addresses, possibly from an adjacent page or a separate list.



News From Floyd Communities

RISNER

Mrs. Greeley Hicks has joined her husband, Pvt. Hicks, at Camp Phillips, Kansas. Mrs. Sam Adkins, Mrs. Cole Wright and Mrs. Adam Oskey were shopping in Prestonsburg last week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson have received word that their son, Pvt. Homer Johnson, is ready to leave overseas duty. He has been stationed at Camp Cook, California. Clifford Hayward and Henry Johnson will leave Tuesday for the army. Mrs. Edith Ousley, who has been ill with measles, is improving. J. L. Ousley was visiting on Prater Fork of Brush Creek Sunday.

GEARHEART

A large crowd attended church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Frasier Saturday night. The ministers were Troy Nickles, Bill Moore, Willie Collins and Morgan Stumbo. Joe Little and granddaughter have returned from Baltimore where they have been visiting for a few weeks. Mrs. Hannah Adams and Mrs. Ben Tackett attended church on Big Mud Saturday and Sunday. A birthday supper was given Friday night for Junior Collins, who was 18 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Germain Stumbo are the parents of a 9-pound son born this week.

DANA

A dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie L. Conner for their son, Pvt. Junior Conner, who left for the army May 16. More than 100 persons attended the dinner. A farewell party was given Saturday night for Junior Conner at the home of Homer Conner. Fifty persons were guests. Mary Evelyn Smiley, of Prestonsburg, spent the week with friends at Dana. Mrs. Curtis Laferty spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd.

HIPPO

A large crowd attended the memorial meeting for J. J. Hughes here Sunday. Ministers were Revs. Edward Howard, Charley Rowe and Daniel Hushes. Rev. Edward Howard, Rev. Charley Rowe, Vina Prater, Virginia Stimpson, Miss Miller and Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aka Hicks Sunday. Sgt. Charles E. Houchins, son of Ross Houchins, of Blue Jay, W. Va. returned to his camp in Mississippi last Thursday after spending part of his furlough with Edith M. Pitts here.

DAVID

The David Woman's Club met May 10 at 8 p. m., at the clubhouse. The following new officers were installed: president, Mrs. Russell Harmon; vice-president, Mrs. George Burke; secretary, Mrs. Lon Hill; delegates to the state convention May 18-19 are Mrs. Enno Van Gelder and Miss Blanche Garrett, addressing the state convention. Mrs. Curtis Laferty spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd.

ALLEN

Allen and all the surrounding community were shocked and grieved Sunday morning by the sudden death of W. K. Allen, a beloved citizen and Christian gentleman. Mr. Allen has been ill for many months but had seemed much better. But near 9 p. m. Saturday he grew suddenly worse. He was rushed to the hospital but a few hours later the end came. Kathryn Grace Porter and Larry Short left Friday noon to visit Mrs. Mary Allen, who is recovering from a special course at Eastern State Teachers' College, Richmond. They will spend several days there. Mrs. Clarence Salvers, who has been quite ill, was sufficiently recovered to spend the past week at her home, but has now returned to her mother's home at Hager Hill to take further treatment at the Baltimore hospital.

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DINWOOD Fred Miller and family, of Prestonsburg, visited friends in Dinwood Sunday. Willie and Wilson Crisp visited relatives on Wilson Creek Sunday. Maxvin Compton has been very ill this week. Loretta Manuel, of Manton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Manuel Sunday. Mary Jo Smith, of Warren, visited her sister, Mrs. Virgil Laco, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaney, of Warren, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hayes Sunday. Pvt. Archie Goble, of Camp Davy, N. C., is home on furlough. Earl Compton, of Hill, visited friends in Dinwood Sunday. Alma D. Cault has received word that Carl Law, Jr. had an operation and is seriously ill in the Veterans' hospital, Huntington, W. Va. He was injured on Guadalcanal. Mrs. Cault's son, Henry Layne, and Law fought together in numerous battles before Law's wounds separated them. STRAHAN'S STUDIO 17 First St. PRESTONSBURG, KY. Photographs Portraits, Paintings, Miniatures, Frames Phone 6961 for appointments.

Table with 4 columns: Amt., No., Name, Description. Lists various names and amounts across multiple districts (DISTRICT NO. 3 and DISTRICT NO. 4).

THOMAS B. STUBGILL, SHERIFF, FLOYD COUNTY, KY.



The demand for hybrid corn in Pike county has doubled over a year ago...

FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

Where Floyd Countians in Armed Forces Are, What They're Doing

Pvt. Violet E. Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kelly, Hueysville...

Word has been received from Cpl. Edgar T. Dotson that he has been moved from New Caledonia to another island in the Pacific...

Woodrow W. Chaffin, 25, husband of Mrs. Lillie M. Chaffin, Prestonsburg...

HEADQUARTERS, 13th A A F, SOUTH PACIFIC DISTRICT, has promoted from private first class to corporal at an advanced base...

Pvt. John H. Hatcher, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hatcher, of Prestonsburg...

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Music and Mrs. O. Conley for the last few days...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon were the Sunday dinner guests of James Harmon...

Cpl. Vernon Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blackburn, Prestonsburg...

Pvt. Joe Derossett, in the army since April, is now stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla...

WANT ADS

WE HAVE a full line of bee supplies. PAUL FRANCIS 5-11-31

FOR SALE—baby bed, practically new, with innerspring mattress...

FOR RENT—double garage, will rent with or without auto...

ATTENTION—MEN or WOMEN—Have you three hours spare time daily?

FOR SALE—merchandise stock and fixtures. Store building and living quarters over store for rent...

FREB—If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach, Ulcers, Indigestion, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample, Ugea, at H. E. Hughes & Company...

PERMANENT WAVE, 56c—Do your own permanent with Chem-N-Kurl...

SAW MILL FOR SALE—Steam saw mill in good condition, well equipped for large job...

SWEET POTATO PLANTS—improved Porto Rican and Tennessee strains...

PIANOS—UPRIGHTS A N D GRANDS, COMPLETELY REBUILT FOR YEARS OF SATISFACTORY SERVICE...

FOR SALE—one 5-room house on lot 56(12) H. Located on Howard street...

WANTED TO BUY—electric refrigerator, 6 ft. or larger...

NOTICE—Any one needing water wells drilled or wells reworked...

ASHLAND OIL & REFINING COMPANY, ASHLAND, KENTUCKY—Operating and maintenance positions for qualified persons...

LOST—pocketbook, containing gas ration coupons with Virginia license No. 28-088 registration and classification cards...

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Luther Thornberry...

LOST—Ration Books No. 3, issued to Polly Prater and Bob Prater...

LOST—Ration Books No. 3, issued to Charles Hamilton...

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Edd Allen...

LOST—"B" gasoline coupons, issued to D. W. Blackburn...

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Marion N. Clifton...

LOST—Ration Books 3 and 4, issued to Bill McGuire...

LOST—Ration Books No. 4, issued to Luther Reedy and Hattie Reedy...

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Lora Paterno and Miranda Paterno...

LOST—A & B gas ration coupons, issued to F. C. White...

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Marshall D. Tyson...

FOR SALE—Veva Preston's house and garden...

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS AND RELATIVES: We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for your kindness in our trouble...

KEEP ON Encouraging the Attack WITH WAR BONDS

BABY CHICKS STARTED SACRIFICED PRICES EDWARD P. HILL Prestonsburg, Ky.

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Miss Wall Wed Here Mrs. Miller... GOLD GLASS LUSTRE... JEWELRY... Ne B. F.



Miss Wallen, Pot. Tackett Wed Here on May 12th

Mrs. Millie Wallen, of West Prestonsburg, announces the marriage of her daughter Grace to Pvt. Foster Tackett, at Prestonsburg, on Friday, May 12, the Rev. I. A. Smiley officiating.

Former Aerial Gunner, Miss Stumbo Wed

Marriage of Miss Cleo Stumbo and Mr. Randolph Billy Burchett was solemnized May 11 at Pikeville, the Rev. E. L. Howerton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Pikeville, officiating.

Twice-Wounded Vet Weds Van Lear Girl

Cpl. Claude P. Prady, Jr., of Wayland, a twice-wounded veteran of the Mediterranean campaign, and Miss Eloise Hill, of Van Lear, were married April 27 at Falmouth, Va. It was announced last week.

Cpl. Prady only recently returned from Italy after 23 months' service overseas and service in both the African and Italian war theaters. His bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hall, of Van Lear.

GO TO CALIFORNIA

Atty. and Mrs. W. P. Mayo left Wednesday for California where the army has resumed the search for the bomber crew who were lost Dec. 6, 1943.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Pratt, of Ashland, spent Sunday here, guests of her daughter, Mrs. George Herford, of Maple street, Mr. and Mrs. Herford also had as their guests for the week-end Mrs. E. Hampton Barnette and daughter, Mrs. John B. Dupuy, of Carlisle.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Melvin—Pfc. Joe Johnson arrived last week to spend a 30-day leave with his wife here. He is stationed in Tonopah, Nevada.

ENSIGN CLATWORTHY, HOME

Gio—Ensign Willard H. Clatworthy was home on leave last week, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clatworthy. Ensign Clatworthy is a graduate of Berea College.

PICNIC AND SWIMMING PARTY

West Prestonsburg. Both were educated in the Prestonsburg schools and have many friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Burchett are at home to their friends in the Harlowe apartments on First avenue.

SPENDING FURLOUGH HERE

Pvt. Joe Miller, is spending his furloUGH on the Abbott road with his mother, Mrs. Fanny Sexton. He will return Monday to Ft. Myers.

ENJOYING FURLOUGH

Lt. Fred Francis and Mrs. Francis are enjoying a furloUGH here with his mother, Mrs. H. C. Francis. They will leave Saturday for Colorado Springs, Colo., where Lt. Francis is stationed.

IN CINCINNATI

Lt. and Mrs. R. G. Francis were business visitors in Cincinnati last week. They visited Mrs. Fred Francis at Carlisle Saturday. Lt. and Mrs. Francis accompanied them home.

SPEND SUNDAY HERE

Mrs. Virginia Yarns and Mrs. Sallie Do son and little son, of Pikeville, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson.

TO VACATION IN EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Smith and Mrs. Cora McEneaney are here for a few days visiting their mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens, prior to their vacation trip to Baltimore, Md., where they will visit Cpl. Wm. D. McEneaney and Mrs. Olga M. Latta in Washington, D. C.

LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA

Mrs. W. D. Goble and Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer left Wednesday for San Francisco where they will spend a few months. Mrs. Goble's husband, Lieut. (jg) Goble, expects to join them there during his stay in the States. Mrs. Archer will also visit her cousin, Mrs. Charles Dickenson, in Los Angeles.

LUNCHEON HONORING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs entertained a family group to luncheon last Thursday at the Auditor here on the occasion being the birth anniversary of Mrs. Combs' sister, Mrs. Cora Sturgill, of Hindman, who was her houseguest. The table was attractive with its centerpiece of spring flowers. Place cards bore the names of the following guests: Mrs. Sturgill, Mrs. J. J. Thomas, Owensville, Ky., Sheriff and Mrs. T. W. Sturgill, Miss Winifred Sturgill, Bartley Sturgill, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leese, Martin Leese, Jr., County Attorney and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Mrs. Leroy Combs, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs. Remembrances were presented Mrs. Sturgill who graciously accepted them. Mrs. Thomas was recipient of an attractive gift from the hostess.

RETURN TO HINDMAN

Mrs. Cora Sturgill has concluded a visit here with her sister, Mrs. B. P. Combs, and Mr. Combs, and has returned to her home at Hindman.

HERE FOR VISIT

Mrs. S. S. Dickerson, Jr. arrived here Tuesday from North Carolina where she has been with her husband, Lieut. Dickerson. She will visit Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickerson. Lieut. Dickerson recently landed in England. Mrs. Dickerson will teach in Eastern State Teachers College at Richmond this year.

SPEND MOTHER'S DAY HERE

Cpl. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs arrived from Ft. Benning, Hindman, Indiana, Saturday and spent Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs.

FROM GARRETT

Mrs. Everett Blanton and Mrs. Luther Allen were here from Garrett Tuesday shopping.

CELEBRATES 16TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

Miss Emma Louise Patrick was hostess to a number of her friends at her home on Grand street Friday, the occasion being her 16th birthday anniversary. Games and dancing were enjoyed throughout the day. The guests presented Miss Patrick with many attractive and useful gifts. Those present were: Betty Davis, Margaret Spurling, Polly Allen, Emma Jean Hall, Doris Hah, Helen Triplett, Mattie Hoffield, Grace Ward, Pauline Osborne, Gertrude Burchett, Gloria Meade, Marguerite White, Mary Hill, Betty Graham, Messrs. Freddy James, Barclay Sturgill, Luther Vaughn, Terry Tackett, Charles Tackett, Paul Hall, Charles Crum, James May, Josh Williams, Hubbard Francis, Dallas Salmons, Theodore Fanning, George Keeton, Tommy Blackburn, Tom Bunting, Billy Hill.

ATTEND ALLEN RITES

Among relatives and friends from here who attended the funeral of W. K. Allen at Ash Monday were: Mrs. G. E. Allen, Mrs. Mary D. Allen, Mrs. C. L. Huttsinger, Mrs. Dick Davis, John Allen, W. W. Cooley, Mrs. F. H. Cottrell, Mrs. W. B. Garrigt, Mrs. Everett Sowards, Jo M. Davidson, Mrs. Lynn Spradlin, Mrs. J. W. Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Basson May, Mrs. M. Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. Wm. Greenwood, Mrs. Lennie Spradlin, Mrs. T. M. Herford, Lee P. May.

IN HUNTINGTON

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Mrs. W. D. Goble and Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer left Wednesday for San Francisco where they will spend a few months. Mrs. Goble's husband, Lieut. (jg) Goble, expects to join them there during his stay in the States. Mrs. Archer will also visit her cousin, Mrs. Charles Dickenson, in Los Angeles.

LUNCHEON HONORING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs entertained a family group to luncheon last Thursday at the Auditor here on the occasion being the birth anniversary of Mrs. Combs' sister, Mrs. Cora Sturgill, of Hindman, who was her houseguest. The table was attractive with its centerpiece of spring flowers. Place cards bore the names of the following guests: Mrs. Sturgill, Mrs. J. J. Thomas, Owensville, Ky., Sheriff and Mrs. T. W. Sturgill, Miss Winifred Sturgill, Bartley Sturgill, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leese, Martin Leese, Jr., County Attorney and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Mrs. Leroy Combs, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs. Remembrances were presented Mrs. Sturgill who graciously accepted them. Mrs. Thomas was recipient of an attractive gift from the hostess.

RETURN TO HINDMAN

Mrs. Cora Sturgill has concluded a visit here with her sister, Mrs. B. P. Combs, and Mr. Combs, and has returned to her home at Hindman.

HERE FOR VISIT

Mrs. S. S. Dickerson, Jr. arrived here Tuesday from North Carolina where she has been with her husband, Lieut. Dickerson. She will visit Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickerson. Lieut. Dickerson recently landed in England. Mrs. Dickerson will teach in Eastern State Teachers College at Richmond this year.

SPEND MOTHER'S DAY HERE

Cpl. and Mrs. Paul C. Combs arrived from Ft. Benning, Hindman, Indiana, Saturday and spent Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Combs.

FROM GARRETT

Mrs. Everett Blanton and Mrs. Luther Allen were here from Garrett Tuesday shopping.

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May and children have returned from Miami, Fla., where they spent the winter months.

RETURNS FROM WASHINGTON

Miss Ruby Burke has returned from Washington, D. C., where she spent the winter months.

GO TO CINCINNATI

Mrs. Ed May and daughter, Martha Joyce, Mrs. Wade Hall and son, Neal, joined their husbands, Seaman Ed May and Wade Hall in Cincinnati for the week-end.

GUEST OF PARENTS

Mrs. Wynne Ford and daughter, Mrs. Ed May, Monday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Auxier, at Dayton, Ohio.

SPENDING FURLOUGH HERE

Pvt. Johnnie Heinze arrived Tuesday from Lincoln, Nebraska, where he is stationed in the army. He is spending his furloUGH with his mother, Mrs. Ebel Heinze.

SPEND WEEK-END ON FARM

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard and son, Woodford, spent the week-end which relatives here. Mr. Howard's old home at White Oak, Ky.

CALLED HOME BY ILLNESS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill, who are employed at Cleveland, Ohio, were called home this week by the serious illness of her brother, Dr. Wm. Hill, of Stone, Ky. Dr. Hill has been removed to a hospital in Louisville. He is suffering from diabetes.

VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Chas. Turner and Miss Evelyn Turner were business visitors here from Garrett Tuesday.

IN DANVILLE

Miss Avis Vinson spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. Thomas H. Vinson, at Danville. She returned to her duties at the Western Union office here Monday.

HOME FOR WEEK-END

Cpl. James T. Spurluck spent the week-end with his wife and son and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spurluck. Cpl. Spurluck is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

RETURNS FROM CHICAGO

Mrs. Thomas Herford joined her husband, Seaman Herford, in Chicago for the week-end. She returned home Monday.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. W. C. Rimmer has returned from Louisville where she has been the guest of relatives for two weeks. Her sister, Mrs. J. W. Sams, of Louisville, accompanied her home.

RETURNS TO GARRETT

Miss Inez Doss has returned to her home in Canton, Ga., after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Doss returned extensively while here.

Advertisement for E. P. Arnold, Funeral Director, with text 'They Live - If You Remember' and contact information.

Advertisement for E. P. Arnold Flowers, Pikeville Floral Co., with text 'Our Safe Deposit Boxes Give You Needed Protection'.

Advertisement for Western Auto Associate Store, listing various automotive and household items.

Advertisement for WIZARD BATTERIES and TIRES DAVIS, with product specifications and prices.

Advertisement for GOLD WARE, CAMBRIDGE GLASSWARE, LUSTRE WARE, and LEETE JEWELRY & FLOWER SHOP.

Advertisement for New TIRES JUST RELEASED FOR B and C, BOOK HOLDERS, and Smith's Gulf Service.

Advertisement for Fred M. Hefner, Jeweler, with text 'At Hefner's Jewelry Store in Paintsville you will find a nice stock of Ladies' and Gents' WATCHES'.

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**EDGAR**  
Mr. Mary Rupp, Hazel Hibbens and Pearl Rupp were visiting on Dix Creek Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lafferty and family recently visited Miss Nellie Grace Clune, who is in the Prestonsburg General hospital. She is recovering nicely from an operation.

Mrs. Ellen Clune Rupp was the Sunday night guest of her son and family on Cow Creek.

Lewis Burchett, Henry Crider and other preachers attended church at Copperas Creek Sunday.

Miss Mildred Tackett attended church Sunday. Masee Roberta and Pauline Lafferty attended church at Copperas Creek.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Crider Sunday were Josephine Crider, Irene Nunney, Mildred Tackett, Evelyn Gobie, Priscilla Tackett, Pauline and Roberta Lafferty, Arnold and Perry Crider, Lurline Gobie and others.

Ninety per cent of the 4-H club members in Nicholas county are members of the labor project.

**EASTERN**  
Mrs. Ray Martin and children, of Wilson Creek, were visiting friends in Eastern Sunday.

Misses Junilia Jo May, Vicki Patton and Joyce Stewart, of Maytown, Buddy Raiff, Douglas Tackett, Charles Cruidel and Herman Conley were visiting friends in Eastern Friday evening.

Mrs. Annie Conley and daughter are visiting Mr. Conley's parents at Garrett for a few days.

Mrs. Vada Bradley, of Michigan, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hall here.

Miss Lula Martin, Miss Helen J. Collins, Miss Junilia May and Miss Susie Clark were shopping in Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Osborne attended church at Glo Sunday.

Mrs. Katherine Martin and Miss Betty Martin attended church on Stone Coal Sunday.

Edward Gayheart was visiting his family on Salt Lick Sunday and his brother Conner returned here with him.

Miss Ida Mary Adkins was visiting friends on Wilson Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Crisp have returned home from Michigan where they have been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Spade are leaving for their farm in West Virginia this week.

T. Sgt. Everett Osborne is home on furlough from East Hartford, Connecticut.

Mrs. Bert Hicks has been visiting her family at Lancaster.

Word has been received that Ralph Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey, is somewhere in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb and Nelma Ann Martin, of Allen, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Bradley and son Gary Dean were in Martin Monday.

**SLOAN**  
Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crisp and children, of Hite, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lafferty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baldson, of Williamson, W. Va., Mr. Homer Baldson and son, of Holden, W. Va., Mr. Dalton, of Lenore, W. Va., recently visited W. M. Lafferty, who has been very ill at his home.

Tina Lafferty was in Prestonsburg on business Thursday.

Mrs. and Mrs. S. M. Tackett, of Martin, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Angie Lafferty, Sunday.

G. L. Gray, of Allen, was a visitor at his place Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lafferty and children were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Lafferty.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ousley, of Esch, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sizemore Sunday.

Edna Derossett, who is employed at Dayton, O., is home spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Luandee Derossett.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Derossett, of Alex, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Derossett over the week-end.

## BETSY LAYNE

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stanley have moved to Pikeville. Mr. Stanley is teaching Agriculture in the Virginia high school.

Friends of T. K. Johnstone are pleased to learn that his condition is much improved.

Mr. T. J. Chandler and daughter, Mrs. Kathryn, were visiting friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Lon Roberts was called to Philadelphia, Pa., last week to attend the funeral of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. James Devore spent the past week at their home here. They have been living on Johns Creek for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clark and children visited Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Letha Steele, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Howell are moving to Drift where Mr. Howell is employed.

Mrs. Walter Roberts spent last week in Frankfort; attending classes connected with her work.

We make a special appeal to all the mothers of service men to attend the community Red Cross sewing unit on Wednesday afternoon. It does seem that we might get saddle enough for this. Does any one in service mean that much to you?

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Layne visited in Bluefield, W. Va., last week.

Mr. Willard Ratliff entertained with a party last Saturday afternoon honoring her little daughter, Sue, on her fifth birthday.

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A birthday cake with one candle and other refreshments were served.

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## WARCO

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jarrell entertained to dinner the first Saturday night of Mrs. Jarrell's mother, Mrs. Manda Turner, of Northern, who celebrated her birthday May 5.

The following were guests of Mrs. Jarrell: Mr. and Mrs. Mahood, Mr. and Mrs. Olvo Dugus and son, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Wadkins, Mrs. Mauds Turner, Miss Oma Jean Turner and Buster Turner, of Northern, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May, of Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar May were in Huntington last week.

Mrs. Jim Hyden spent the week-end in Russell visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ben Porter, and Mr. Porter. She was accompanied by her son, Biddle, and her sister, Miss Ivel Click, of Maytown.

Medames H. L. May and G. A. May, Jr., of Maytown, visited friends in Warco Sunday night.

Gordon Click and Buster Allen, of Maytown, were Warco visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Manda Cooley and son, Orville, and little grandson, Charles Salyers, of Northern, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Salyers's daughter, Mrs. Charles Heasley.

Miss Anne Hyden spent Thursday with relatives in Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen were attending the funeral of W. K. Allen. Mr. Allen was born at Warco and leaves many relatives and friends who deeply mourn his passing.

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## IVEL

The revival at the Freewill Baptist Church ended Sunday after a two-weeks meeting. There were several conversions during the meeting.

May Layne was in Allen Monday on business.

Mrs. Dick Ratliff and children and Mrs. Margaret Taylor were the Sunday guests of Mrs. James Trimble.

Mrs. Laura Humble, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Humble and sons and Pvt. Carl Humble, of the army, were visiting Mrs. James Dameron, Thursday of last week.

A Mother's Day service was held at the school at Ivel Sunday night, conducted by the Rev. Isaac Sirat-ton.

County Attorney W. B. Burchett and children were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burchett, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns May and daughters and James S. Layne motored to Elkhorn City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dameron attended a memorial meeting at Banner on the General cemetery Sunday, after which a basket dinner was served on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Layne Sunday.

Laura Endicott, of Broad Bottom, was the guest of her sister, Kate Dillon, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Jr., have moved to the property of May Layne.

Dolly Mae Layne fell and broke a glass jar which she was carrying and cut her arm badly. She was treated at the Pikeville hospital.

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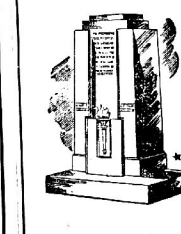
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**2nd Oak Leaf Cluster Added to Air Medal Won by Floyd Flier**

A second oak leaf cluster has been added to the Air Medal awarded Staff Sgt. Donald P. Stumbo; son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Stumbo, of Princeton, after further combat missions on a Liberator bomber over the European continent.

Announcement of the award was made in England recently by Brig. Gen. James P. Hodges, commander of a bomber division. The citation accompanying the award stated the honor was accorded the Floyd countyman "for exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in bomber combat missions over enemy-occupied continental Europe."

Sgt. Stumbo is a ball turret gunner on the "Feather Merchant," a B-24 operating from a base in England. His wife, Mrs. Ethel L. Stumbo, resides at Martin.

**Mrs. Mary Ann Sparks Victim in 86th Year**

Mrs. Mary Ann Bays Sparks, 85 years old, widow of Andrew Sparks, died Friday at the home of her son, Harry Manuel, Bonanza, a victim of senility.

Mrs. Sparks was twice married—first to Brice Manuel, after whose death she was married to Mr. Sparks. She is survived by two sons and two daughters: Harry Manuel, Bonanza; Mander Manuel, Brainard; Mrs. Maggie Shouse, Stockbridge, Mich.; Mrs. Sherman Traier, Bonanza. She also leaves three sisters and one brother: Mrs. Susan Powell, Bonanza; Mrs. Tilda Poe, West Prestonsburg; Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, Portsmouth, O., and J. M. Bays, Silver Lake, Indiana.

She was a devout member of the Free Will Baptist Church for many years. The funeral was conducted Sunday from the home of her son at Bonanza, the Revs. Hargis Conley, Jesse Marshall and J. H. Conley officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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6:27 p. m. to 8:12 p. m.—  
"The Big Show"  
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Serial: "TIGER WOMAN."

**SATURDAY—**  
3:01 p. m. and 10:01 p. m.—  
"Tornado"  
Chester Morris, Nancy Kelly, Flicker Flashbacks.  
War for Men's Minds.

**SUNDAY-MONDAY—**  
"Tender Comrade"  
Ginger Rogers, Robert Ryan.  
News  
Comedy: "BABY PUSS."

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what he knows, but nobody thinks the editor knows anything.

He is regarded as a grouch by the majority of the population, a something to be suppressed by quite a few. Some farmers feel sorry for him and send him early turkeys.

Only a small part of the public deigns to read what he has written. Those who do know very well they could have done better.

He has three children, all of whom try to keep it a secret from their playmates that their father is engaged in such a trade.

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He wears old clothes. He is hit for every drive in the books. He belongs to every committee in the county. He doubles as news reporter. He is nervous and loses lots of friends because of the pressure of his work.

He swears that if he could do things over again, he'd be a farmer or a preacher—never an editor.

Don't you believe it! As everybody will tell you, an editor is a liar and he's at it again.

**MIDDLE CREEK**  
(Last week's correspondence)

Those who attended church at Paintsville Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Irwin and son, Donald, Jr., and baby daughter, Mrs. Anna Woods, Misses Bernice and Nearle Shepherd.

A birthday dinner was given by Nearle, Bernice and Stella Shepherd Sunday in honor of Mrs. Riley Shepherd on her 52nd birth anniversary. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. David Irwin and children, Mrs. Sallie Stephens, Mrs. Minerva Allen and daughter Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Edith Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. Bill E. Shepherd.

**Prestonsburg Singers Aid in Famed Rites At Folk Festival**

After singing the ancient chants and religious songs of the Kentucky mountains at the National Folk Festival in Philadelphia last week, Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, of Prestonsburg, took part in the re-enactment of the Quarryville (Pa.) Slumbering Ground Hog Lodge's famed ritual for the entertainment of the hundreds attending the festival.

The Prestonsburg women sang Kentucky's "Ground Hog Song" as a prelude to the antics of the group of prominent Pennsylvanians whose attendance each Feb. 2, on the ground hog has been worth columns of space in newspapers over the country for years. The Quarryville group started to Philadelphia with their own ground hog, but a blessed en route, featuring Mrs. Ground Hog left her in a lying-in hospital. So Sallie, a seed specimen of the woody tribe, was borrowed from the Philadelphia zoo.

Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Prestonsburg, exhibited her finest crafts and these were displayed in the foyer of the Academy of Music as the only exhibits from the United States. Other exhibits were from Lithuania, Canada and other countries.

Besides their part in the singing of folk music at the festival, Mrs. Stephens presided over various patriotic organizations in Philadelphia, and Mrs. James in a radio broadcast told the story of the beginnings of the Plain-Song Chanters which she organized.

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We gratefully acknowledge our debt to all those who offered assistance and consolation upon the death of our husband and father, W. K. Allen, to those who offered aid during his illness, those who sent the beautiful floral offerings and to the Rev. J. B. Hahn for his comforting words.

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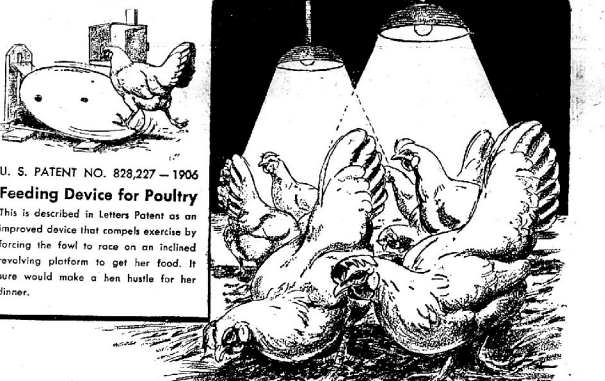
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