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The Houston Plan and WPA

WHETHER Franklin D. Roosevelt or Thomas E. Dewey is elected President at the November election, the people of this country can expect, sooner or later, a huge public works program to take up the post-war employment slack.

Even though Mr. Dewey holds to the theory that private enterprise can be maintained at such a peak that it can meet all employment needs, many cities over the country are now planning post-war improvement programs which will serve two purposes—provide work for their residents and improve their communities.

The newspapers have recently commented at length on the Houston (Texas) plan, a five-year post-war program of improvements in community improvement, control, sewers, airport development, parks and the like—at a total cost of \$81,000,000. Some of these newspapers hall the plan solely because it points a way which may be followed by other municipalities in community improvement.

Others, more realistic, approve it for that reason and for another—because it might be a part of the post-war planning which would keep men at work.

If such plans and measures do maintain the employment level, render unnecessary another WPA, what have we accomplished more than was accomplished in the days of deep depression?

Is not work done at the public expense a part, warp and woof of the same economic principle as WPA?

WPA, with all its faults, was a public works undertaking national in scope, designed to furnish employment for unemployed men and women and at the same time to provide public improvements.

The Houston Plan, or any other plan envisioning the expenditure of public money on improvements, may sound more grandly mellifluous, may not be so loudly condemned by the "Haves" but, after all, it will be a local WPA under another name.

Those who decried the waste of the nation's substance on the construction of up-the-creek roads do not think of the building of a majestic dam, a beautiful park or an eye-swimming public building as anything but a great achievement. We agree. They are great achievements. But we disagree with them, too. The improving of those roads for the Little Man, forgotten out there on his farm, sending his children sloshing through mud to school and his farm products to market by mule team—we contend that work such as that was also noble and monumental.

Sometimes it depends on whose goose is being cooked whether matters are all right or all wrong. THE TIMES trusts, with fingers crossed, that enough private employment can be found after war's end for all the millions of service men and war workers. But it contends that sheer stubbornness or dislike of methods undertaken in the past will in no wise relieve this country of its duty to furnish work, private or public, call it by whatever name you like.

Henderson, On the Job

LAST YEAR and for years before that, THE TIMES received with admiration for his honesty the reports of Howard Henderson on how the state's Democratic administration was conducting itself at Frankfort. That was while Democratic stalwarts were verbally consigning Henderson to the nethermost corner of the deepest pit.

This year, THE TIMES continues to receive, with the satisfactory feeling that Henderson is still on the job doing it well, the administration writer's reports on the Republican administration at Frankfort. These days, the same Republicans who last year hailed his reports with glee are doing the cursing.

High-jinks in high places is Henderson's special target. He may seem scornful at times, but his is the candor of an outraged citizen who has the medium through which he can tell his fellow-citizens about his findings. He often juxtaposes with the windmill but the power of public opinion which sides with him eventually makes his battle no quixotic enterprise.

Both Keen Johnson and Simeon Willis took office with the profound admiration of a majority of Kentucky's citizens. Both, this newspaper believes, are, personally, well-meaning men. But both have made the same mistake—of trying to play the political game instead of sticking to the man-sized job of making a good Governor.

LT. CLARK WINS MEDAL

Veteran of 32 Missions Piloting 'Thunderbolt' Receives Aid Medal

AN 8TH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, ENGLAND—2nd Lt. Layton E. Clark, of Prestonsburg, Ky., a P-47 Thunderbolt fighter pilot, has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement on 10 combat missions to Germany and the occupied countries of Europe.

He was presented the award by his commanding officer, Col. Frederic C. Gray, Abilene, Texas, at a recent ceremony held on their Eighth Fighter Command base.

On combat status with this crack group since early this spring, Lt. Clark early this month has completed 32 combat missions over Europe, flying as escort to Fortress and Liberator bombers and participating in several dive, skip and high-bombing raids on vital Nazi ground targets. His veteran group has now destroyed over 300 German planes in the air and on the ground since beginning combat operations in April, 1943.

His mother, Mrs. Ruth O'Neil, lives in Pikeville, Ky., and his father, William C. Clark, lives in Prestonsburg.

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND DETACHMENT—Cpl. Orville Spears, of Osborn, Ky., now assigned to this giant air service command modification and repair depot, is helping to keep America's fighters and bombers swarming over Western Europe in support of our advancing armies. He is the son of Mrs. Kate Spears, Osborn, and the husband of Mrs. Lena Spears, of Denver, Colorado.

Camp Carson, Colo.—T/Sgt. Delton Sturgill, son of I. M. Sturgill, Exill, Ky., recently returned to Camp Carson after participating in an experiment conducted by the quartermaster corps, medical department and ground force to determine how soldiers could be supplied with emergency rations.

Six companies from the 201st Infantry Regiment, commanded by Col. James H. Orloff, have been in the Pine National forest for eight weeks undergoing the test. One of the companies, a "control unit," lived on a field ration. The others ate exclusive emergency rations for various periods to see how they compared physically with those of the control unit.

The War Department needed some idea of how men would get along on field rations for extended periods in view of conditions arising in this war where men may spend weeks in forward or isolated positions beyond the lines of normal supply.

All the men were in excellent physical condition when they started the experiment and finished the test in even better health.

Sgt. Sturgill is a brother of Pvt. Gomer C. Sturgill in the service at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

Souther Field, Americus, Ga., Sept. 14—Aviation Cadet Winston L. Burke has completed primary flight training here with Class 45-A, and was transferred Sept. 8 to 2125th AAF base unit (Pilot School, Basic Cochran Field, Macon, Ga., for basic training.

Souther Field is one of the ghost army flying fields of World War I that has become active again during the present war. This school is one of the many flying training schools under the supervision of the AAF Eastern Flying Training Command, with headquarters at Maxwell Field, Cadet Burke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Prestonsburg, Ky.

Floyd County Goes To War

Sgt. Tafts Assigned To Famed Bomb Group

FIFTEENTH AAF IN ITALY—Sgt. C. L. Tafts, Prestonsburg, Ky., has been assigned to the oldest heavy bombardment group in the Mediterranean theatre of operations. This group has flown over 900 combat missions, bombing enemy installations in almost every Axis-dominated country in Europe from bases in England, North Africa, Russia and Italy.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tafts, he was a student when he joined the army Jan. 20, 1943. The sergeant attended the radio operators' and mechanics' school at Stour Falls, S. D., and the aerial gunnery school at Yuma, Arizona, where he won his gunner's wings.

Sgt. Tafts is a radio operator-gunner on an AAF Flying Fortress in the 15th Air Force.

Wheelwright Lad Honored by Navy

New Orleans—"For courage, vigilance and exceptional ability," Emanuel Phillip, coxswain, USNR, a Wheelwright, Ky., youth, was cited recently by the Chief of Naval Personnel, in exercises held at the Armed Guard Center, New Orleans. The presentation was made by Capt. J. C. Thom, USN, commandant of the Algiers Naval Station.

Phillips is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Phillips, Wheelwright. His wife, Lorraine, also lives there. Prior to entering naval service in 1942, he was employed by the Inland Steel Company.

As a member of a naval gun crew aboard an American merchantman, Phillips was attacked by two waves of enemy planes off the North African coast. The commendation reads, in part: "The men of the gun crew met both air assaults with such deadly fire that three of the aircraft were destroyed, two others damaged and most of the other bombers diving on the ship were forced to pull away and flee."

"On another occasion, the armed guards' blazing guns directed at the sighted periscope again went into action in prompt, determined defense of their ship."

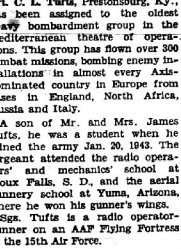
Marine Pvt. Leo Thomas Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ratliff, of Whitaker, has been graduated from the Infantry and Browning automatic rifle section school at the training command, Camp Pendleton, Calif., and will be assigned to an infantry battalion.

Pvt. Ratliff, born Sept. 12, 1922 at Cliff, was graduated in 1942 from Jenny's Creek high school where he played on the basketball team. He was employed by the Jeffersonville Boat & Machine Company, Jeffersonville, Ind., before enlisting in the Marine Corps April 13, 1944 at Louisville.

Miami Beach, Fla., Sept. 12—Pvt. Charles A. Gore, 22, son of Mrs. C. C. Martin, of Wayland, Ky., has returned from service outside the continental United States and is now being processed through the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station in Miami Beach, where his next assignment will be determined. Pvt. Gore served 27 months as a radio operator in the American and European theaters of operations. Before entering the service he was a high school student.

He became a member of the armed forces May 26, 1940.

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Seaman 1/c John E. Allen, 22, (left) son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Allen, West Prestonsburg, has been in the navy 18 months. After serving as shore patrol of the naval training center at Chicago, Ill., he recently transferred to Memphis, Tenn., for training in refrigeration. His brother-in-law, Pfc. Rex Gearheart, 28, formerly of Gearheart's, this county, is with a tank division which played an important part in the invasion of France. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gearheart, and has been in the army two years. His wife, Mrs. Alice A. Gearheart, resides at West Prestonsburg.

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Recently promoted to the rank of sergeant after five years' army service, Robert O. Horn, formerly of Auxier, celebrated his 21st birthday at Camp Walters, Texas, on Sept. 6. After spending 32 months in the Aleutians he spent a furlough with his sister, Mrs. Ella L. Vaughan, and other relatives at Auxier, later was transferred to his present post.

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Mrs. Sarah Jane Ousley was the week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Pitts. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens attended church on Little Paint Sunday.

George Samuel Vaughan celebrated his 51st birthday Saturday. His dinner guests were his grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughan.

Will Stephens celebrated his 71st birthday at his home Sept. 13. Those enjoying with him a birthday supper were his mother, Mrs. Cynthia Stephens, Mrs. John Stephens and little daughter, Phyllis, and Mrs. Will Stephens and their daughter, Mrs. Frankie Best.

Paul Horn, of McDowell, was the Sunday guest of his mother, Mrs. Martha Horn. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ball, of May's Branch, visited relatives and friends here over the week-end.



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Admiral Sprance Lands Floyd County Soldier

A SEVENTH AAF BASE IN THE MARIANAS—Pvt. Earl Hicks, Wayland, Ky., member of a 7th AAF aviation engineer battalion, has been commended, along with others in his outfit, by Admiral Raymond A. Sprance, U.S. Fifth Fleet commander during the Marianas invasion, for an unusual feat of air base building, part of it under enemy fire.

Pvt. Hicks, 21, worked within fire range of the front lines on Salpan while the battle for the island was still in progress. Site of the air base was a cane field infested by Jap snipers and strewn with unexploded shells. Working day and night, the heavily armed engineers completed an earth moving and construction job which would have taken months to finish under peacetime conditions.

The first 7th AAF planes were landing on a smooth coral runway three weeks after the work was started.

Congratulations for "expeditious work" were received from Admiral Sprance in a formal message to the aviation engineer battalion. Other high ranking officials also sent commendations for the accomplishment.

Pvt. Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hicks, was engaged in farming prior to entering the army in February, 1943. He has been overseas nine months.

State College, Pa.—One hundred and thirty-eight students from 20 different states have enrolled at the Pennsylvania State College in army specialized training program. Among these trainees is Arthur Wrightson, of Wayland, Ky.

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MARTIN

Mrs. Ellen Akers has returned home after being in Ironton, O., to consult Dr. Marting. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curmiste are moving to Russell where they expect to reside for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Frye have three sons serving overseas—Haskell, Jr., F. C. and Pvt. Ralph are in the Pacific. Sgt. Charles Frye is in Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Glover Spencer and children and Mrs. Florence Crisp are spending several days visiting Mrs. Spencer's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greer, in Beaver, Ohio. Carl Hutchinson, of the army, is enjoying a furlough at home with his wife, Mrs. Rita Hutchinson, after spending several months in Alaska. Hagar Conley is home for a vacation which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conley.

He has been working in California and Washington. Mrs. Wade Mahood was visiting relatives in Ashland and vicinity recently. Pfc. Ed Collins was guest of Miss Golda Stearns while home on furlough. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Crisp and children have returned home after spending some time working in Stockbridge, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs, Sr., were business visitors in Paintsville this week. Mrs. Sydney Dings was a business visitor in Prestonsburg recently. While there she subscribed for The Times for herself and her daughter, Mrs. Bess Osborne. Mrs. Mark Elswick accompanied her. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Park, of Garrett, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Park, of Martin, recently. Mrs. David Marrs, Jr., formerly of Garrett, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conley.

Telephone company as an operator in Paintsville. Ist. Lt. David Marrs, Jr., has been made an aviation instructor since his return from England. He has been making experimental flights at Eglin Field, Fla. His duties include the training of aviation cadets. Mr. and Mrs. Brodie Duke were visiting in Ashland this week-end. Mrs. Alma Ferguson was visiting friends and relatives on Stephens Branch this week. Dave Chaffins has been co-ordinating. Dobby Allen has returned to his home in Dayton, Ohio, after spending the day with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. W. Mahood, W. M. Smith, Mrs. C. C. Hunter and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Junell Hunter, are spending several days with Mrs. Hunter's son, Ernest, in Ft. George, O. Meade, Md. They will also visit in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Lonnie Rice, of Banner, has been the houseguest of Mrs. Billie Rice for several days this week. Rev. James J. Sullivan, of Richmond, Ky., and Rev. Goeke, of Mt. Sterling, were visiting Mrs. Ernest Faulkner this week. Mrs. Martha West has returned home after spending several weeks in Macon, Ga. Business visitors to Martin this week: Ned Eklins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, Joe Lundy Lockwood, and Jesse Holbrook Jesse Boyd, of Ashland, Mrs. Dan Collins, of McDowell. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Milford, of Charleston, W. Va., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds recently. G. O. Vanhorn left Friday morning for the C. & O. hospital in Huntington, W. Va., to receive medical treatment. Miss Magdalen Roberts, of Paintsville, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Roberts. Mrs. H. C. Shells, of Portsmouth, O., is the houseguest of her sister, Mrs. Wade Mahood, this week. Mrs. Dennis Martin has been shopping in Huntington, W. Va. Mrs. W. G. Jarral and daughter, Mrs. Helen Lynch, were business visitors in Pikeville this week. Mrs. Gene Dunningway has returned to his home in Lexington after spending several weeks with his aunt, Mrs. O. D. Little. Little Patty Sue Allen, granddaughter of Mrs. Wade Mahood, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Martin General hospital last week. Her mother, Mrs. Bob Allen, of Dayton, O., was here at that time. Mrs. A. B. Osborne and Mrs. W. J. Brannan were business visitors in Prestonsburg this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilson are visiting in Ashland this week. Mrs. Florence Crisp and Glover Spencer spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cline in Oak Hill, Ohio. Nybert Coleman, of the Marines, is enjoying a leave home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, Sr. Mrs. Porter Layne and children were visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Allen, at Harold Sunday. Mrs. Celia Patton and baby, of Cannonburg, were visiting Mrs. S. J. Roberts recently. Pvt. Ray Flanery, son of Mrs. Bill Flanery, serving with the 82d Airborne in France, writes home: "I like here fine, much better than England even."

BETSY LAYNE

Those who assisted with Red Cross sewing last week were Mesdames G. H. Blackburn, Charlie Beise, Palmer Boyd, Charlie Conn, Columbus Compton, and Bertha Mullins. The sewing unit has been moved to the Agriculture room in the basement of the school building. All women are urged to attend on Wednesday afternoon. The monthly Youth Rally was held at the Calvary Baptist Church Saturday night, with representatives from several nearby communities attending. The movement, only recently started, is composed of youth of all churches, and promises to be an important organization for the young people of the Big Sandy valley. A farewell party was given at the home of W. K. Allen Saturday evening honoring T. Sgt. Jerry Allen, who will soon report for assignment to duty after having spent two years overseas. The evening was spent in playing games, a ter which refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Virginia Hall, Betty Jo Layne, Betty Spears, Helen Spears, Collette Gibson, Geneva Lewis, Clara Phillips, Ruth and Lenette Layne, Beatrice Hall, Peggy Rice, Betty Lou Hall, Doris Hill, Helen Brown, Vivian Patton, Norma Hill, Sylvia Risher, Polly Smith, Bernice Salisbury, Irene Hill, Joan Eklins, Cora Cecil, Alice Hall and Messrs. Dewey Martin, Buddy Akers, Ernest Jones, Linc Conn, Donald Porter, Chester and Joe Thomas Owens, Edward Rice, Richard Gowan, George Brooks, Plasmouth Moore, Harold Wiley, Roy Layne, Billy Parsons, Eugene Collins, Sonny Miller, Oliver Allen, Rowe Fannin, Ray Davis, Leo Spears, John Goble, Floyd Boyd, E. K. Parsons, Glenn Goble, Tommy Adkins, Wesley Hunt, Claude Hopkins, Robert Meade, Pfc. Ted Hunt, S. I. Kermitt Keathley, Cpl. Joe Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keathley, Mrs. James Caldwell, and the honoree, T. Sgt. Jerry Allen. Several from here attended the Sunday School conference at Prestonsburg Sunday afternoon. They were Mrs. and Mrs. Alex Davis, Miss Kelsa Gearheart, Mrs. Elizabeth Spears, Mrs. John Coleman, Boss Jones and Mrs. James George. Four ladies represented the Betty Layne Homemakers Club at the County Meeting in Prestonsburg last

Wednesday, Mesdames Mildred Davis, Era Hall, Anna Williamson and Norma Thomas. Hefery Elliott has accepted a position as music teacher at the Berry high school in Pike county. Cpl. Joe Archer Clark has been visiting friends here while on furlough. Pvt. Frank Pickle, Jr., with his wife and daughter, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Johns and family. The school started work on the "milk week drive" Monday. It is to be sponsored by Mrs. Curtis George and her fifth grade, with all other youth of all churches, and promises to be an important organization for the young people of the Big Sandy valley. A farewell party was given at the home of W. K. Allen Saturday evening honoring T. Sgt. Jerry Allen, who will soon report for assignment to duty after having spent two years overseas. The evening was spent in playing games, a ter which refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Virginia Hall, Betty Jo Layne, Betty Spears, Helen Spears, Collette Gibson, Geneva Lewis, Clara Phillips, Ruth and Lenette Layne, Beatrice Hall, Peggy Rice, Betty Lou Hall, Doris Hill, Helen Brown, Vivian Patton, Norma Hill, Sylvia Risher, Polly Smith, Bernice Salisbury, Irene Hill, Joan Eklins, Cora Cecil, Alice Hall and Messrs. Dewey Martin, Buddy Akers, Ernest Jones, Linc Conn, Donald Porter, Chester and Joe Thomas Owens, Edward Rice, Richard Gowan, George Brooks, Plasmouth Moore, Harold Wiley, Roy Layne, Billy Parsons, Eugene Collins, Sonny Miller, Oliver Allen, Rowe Fannin, Ray Davis, Leo Spears, John Goble, Floyd Boyd, E. K. Parsons, Glenn Goble, Tommy Adkins, Wesley Hunt, Claude Hopkins, Robert Meade, Pfc. Ted Hunt, S. I. Kermitt Keathley, Cpl. Joe Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keathley, Mrs. James Caldwell, and the honoree, T. Sgt. Jerry Allen. Several from here attended the Sunday School conference at Prestonsburg Sunday afternoon. They were Mrs. and Mrs. Alex Davis, Miss Kelsa Gearheart, Mrs. Elizabeth Spears, Mrs. John Coleman, Boss Jones and Mrs. James George. Four ladies represented the Betty Layne Homemakers Club at the County Meeting in Prestonsburg last

with her sister. Mrs. B. E. Moore and Mrs. Ernest Coleman, of Pikeville, were visiting their sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Rhoda Napier, during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Gibson spent the week-end on Carter Creek. Mrs. Latayette Gayheart of Eastern, visited relatives here this week. Mrs. Deloise Napier has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Napier. Mrs. Napier has been very ill. Mrs. C. H. Conley attended church at the church on Sunday. Mrs. Lawrence Hancock is home on furlough. Mrs. Dale Kilgore has been patient in the Martin General hospital. Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart received news that her husband, S. Sgt. Gayheart will be home this week-end. He is stationed at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, after spending 33 months in Panama. Mrs. James Wallace received news that her husband, S. I. C. Wallace, is in the Pacific. Mrs. Ted McPeck received news that her husband, Pfc. McPeck is with the paratroopers somewhere in England. Mrs. June Napier is now with her sister after spending several months with her husband, Sgt. Sam Napier, of Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. Mrs. Rhoda Napier was a business visitor in Hazard Tuesday. C. H. Conley, O. K. Wallace and Ed Hicks went on a hunting trip this week.

Pvt. Forrest Martin returned to camp this week. Mr. and Mrs. Roachie Terry are spending a store here. Mrs. Susan Patton, Ammie Green and Lizzie Reed were visiting George Patton, who has been very ill. Mrs. Cive Akers, of Drift, was dinner guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chaffin, Sunday.

BIRTH OF DAUGHTER
Announcement is made of the birth at the Prestonsburg General Hospital Friday, Sept. 15 of a five-pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Raymond Hale of West Prestonsburg. The father is with the armed forces in France.

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July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944

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with her sister. Mrs. B. E. Moore and Mrs. Ernest Coleman, of Pikeville, were visiting their sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Rhoda Napier, during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Gibson spent the week-end on Carter Creek. Mrs. Latayette Gayheart of Eastern, visited relatives here this week. Mrs. Deloise Napier has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Napier. Mrs. Napier has been very ill. Mrs. C. H. Conley attended church at the church on Sunday. Mrs. Lawrence Hancock is home on furlough. Mrs. Dale Kilgore has been patient in the Martin General hospital. Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart received news that her husband, S. Sgt. Gayheart will be home this week-end. He is stationed at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, after spending 33 months in Panama. Mrs. James Wallace received news that her husband, S. I. C. Wallace, is in the Pacific. Mrs. Ted McPeck received news that her husband, Pfc. McPeck is with the paratroopers somewhere in England. Mrs. June Napier is now with her sister after spending several months with her husband, Sgt. Sam Napier, of Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. Mrs. Rhoda Napier was a business visitor in Hazard Tuesday. C. H. Conley, O. K. Wallace and Ed Hicks went on a hunting trip this week.

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LAYNE & LAYNE... PHONES 5901-5951... FRSTONSBURG, KY. Insurance advertisement.

DR. T. E. WALDEN... Eyes Examined... Glasses Fitted... Second Street... Phone 622... PIKEVILLE, KY. Advertisement for an eye doctor.

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will move to its new location in the Auxier Hotel building, Prestonsburg, on or about October 1.

SEE NEXT WEEK'S PAPER FOR FURTHER DETAILS!

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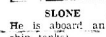
Floyd County Goes To War



Pvt. Edward Wright Killed in Action



Pvt. Billie Merritt



Pvt. Curtis W. Tufts

Only 16 when sworn into navy service March 16, this year, James Artus Slone, 22, is now on sea duty where, his mother, Mrs. Cleo Stone Prause, wife of Millard Prause, Wayland, does not know ship, tactics.

Of Pfc. Billy Dameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dameron, of Russell, formerly of Prestonsburg, who has been in army training at Hattiesburg, Miss. The newspaper there recently wrote: "Red" Dameron was the best player on the field yesterday. He not only handled 13 chances without an error but made spectators applaud wildly. Hattiesburg baseball fans have adopted themselves a shortstop after yesterday's game.

But Pfc. Dameron did not stay at Hattiesburg. He is now at Ft. Benning, Ga. in officer training school. His brother, Jeffrey J. Dameron, entered the army Sept. 11.

Pvt. Elmo Johnson recently completed a 10-day furlough spent with his mother, Mrs. Eda Johnson, and relatives of Liberty, Mo. Pvt. Johnson is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas, taking infantry training. His brother, Cpl. Vermont S. Johnson, has been serving overseas for the past 18 months. Both brothers were employed at the Pure Oil Service Station, Martin, before entering the army.



Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Holbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Holbrook recently received a letter from their son, Cpl. William P. Holbrook, 19, stationed here in the South Pacific. Cpl. Holbrook was awarded the Good Conduct Medal in May 1943 and received his basic training in the Army at Fort Benning, Ga. He is now serving with an amphibious tractor battalion.

Martin Castle, of Martin, has been promoted in Italy, according to information received by his father, Mr. Orlan Castle, of Martin. Castle was promoted to corporal, working as a parts clerk in an ordnance company of the Fifteenth air force command. Cpl. Castle is a real veteran of foreign theatres of war, having served for 25 months in England, Africa, Sicily and Italy and is the holder of two Bronze Campaign stars, one each for the Tunisian and Italian campaigns. Castle has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal and the European-African-Middle East Theatre Ribbon.

Fl. Bennett, Grt. Sept. 14—Pvt. C. C. Payne, son of Mrs. Lillian M. Payne, of Garrett, has won the right to wear Wings and Boots of the United States army paratroopers. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps. The last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Keena, Utah, Sept. 14—Promotion of Kendall C. Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Griffith, Bevinville, Ky., to sergeant at the AAF overseas replacement depot, is announced by Col. Weldon W. Doe, commanding officer. Sgt. Griffith entered the service in June, 1942 and is on duty in the personnel section here.

Morehead extension classes begin at Martin Sept. 30 at 9:30 a.m.

ZEBULON LODGE No. 273 F. & A. M.

Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. Permanent quarters in our new Temple on Court street.

Notice to Candidates: E. A. and P. O. Degrees, first Saturdays, M. O. Degrees, third Saturdays.

FRED DICKERSON, W. M. D. E. CHAPIN, Secretary

"I LOST 52 LBS.!"

WEAR SIZE 14 AGAIN!

Mrs. C. D. "Pat" Pritchard, 74, of 1025 W. Main St., Louisville, Ky., writes: "I have lost 52 lbs. in 18 months. I was 210 lbs. when I started and now I weigh 158 lbs. I feel like a new woman. I am able to do all the things I used to be unable to do. I am happy and healthy. I have never felt better in my life. I am a true believer in the MONEV BACK with the very best."

Who else can you say you lost 52 lbs. in 18 months? It's the MONEV BACK with the very best. It's the only diet that gives you the results you want. It's the only diet that is safe and healthy. It's the only diet that is easy to follow. It's the only diet that is guaranteed to work. It's the only diet that is backed by science. It's the only diet that is backed by millions of satisfied customers. It's the only diet that is backed by the MONEV BACK with the very best.

HUGHES DRUG STORE
Prestonsburg, Ky.

Mrs. Hyden Receives Air Medal, Oak Leaf Cluster Awarded Son



Mrs. Hyden

Col. Robert H. Wheat, commanding officer of the First Troop Cavalry Base at Bowman Field, Ky., has presented an air medal with four oak leaf clusters to Mrs. Edith Hyden, of Auker, on behalf of her son, T. Sgt. Eugene Hyden, for gallant operational missions.

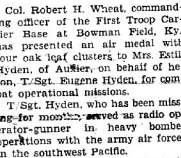
T. Sgt. Hyden, who has been missing for months, served as radio operator-gunner in heavy bomber operations with the army air forces in the southwest Pacific.

The citation said that flights in which T. Sgt. Hyden participated were of a hazardous nature during which enemy opposition was met. Of the air medal the citation said:

"For meritorious achievement while participating as aerial radio operator-gunner, for five heavy bomber strike sorties during the period of 7 June to 26 June, 1943. All of these flights were of a hazardous nature during which there was anti-aircraft fire which was effective and enemy fighter patrols were habitually encountered. Her gallantry and courage were of a high order."

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Blind Since Birth, Minister To Double As Singer-Preacher



Rev. Vernon Reynolds

Blind since birth, the Rev. Vernon Reynolds will assume the double role of evangelist and singer at the revival beginning here Monday evening at the Pigeon Hollow Church.

The Rev. Reynolds, who plays a 12-stringed guitar, has committed to memory more than 500 songs. It is said. Services, which will continue till October 8, will begin each evening at 8 p.m.

For each member of the armed forces who dies in service, the government provides an American flag, which is presented to his family. If the boy dies in this country and the body is returned home for burial, it is presumed that the flag that accompanies the body is retained by the family.

Those boys, however, who die overseas are buried near the place they die; in those cases, a flag is available to the family upon the filing out a brief application and presenting proof of death. The notice from the War Department is ample proof. All those who have lost sons in this war are eligible. The flags are five feet wide and nine feet and six inches long.

The family should secure Form 2008 (Veterans Administration) from the nearest Veterans' Administration office or local postoffice, produce the notice of death, state that they have not received a flag, fill out the form and either take it or mail it to the nearest Veterans' Administration office.

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Ancient Right Arm Of Stumbo Uncols To Strike Out 17

Drift, Ky., Sept. 18 (Sp1)—Ole Man River just keeps rollin' on. Kit Stumbo, veteran Drift right-hander, was in rare form here Sunday when he held Weekbook scoreless and to four hits. He struck out 17 men and brought back memories of other days. He retired the side via strike-outs in the first, third, fifth and eighth innings.

In the sixth inning it was a scoreless pitching duel between Stumbo and Charlie Blevins. In this inning, with one away, "Squire" Stumbo doubled. Newsum struck out. "Cat" Shelton was given an intentional pass to get to Drury who upset the strategy by driving a double to left center and bringing in two runs.

Drift scored three more in the seventh on a single, two doubles and a triple, and the final run in the eighth on two doubles.

The box score:

WEKESBURY	AB	R	H
Drift, 2b	5	2	2
Necessary, lf	4	0	0
Daniels, lb	4	0	0
Castle, cf	2	0	0
Adkins, rf	4	0	0
O. Blevins, ss	4	0	0
Jones, 3b	4	0	2
E. Newsum, c	4	0	0
O. Blevins, p	2	1	2
Hensley, p	1	0	0
Totals	32	0	4

DRIFT

AB	R	H	
Vincent, 2b	4	1	1
R. Moore, ss	4	1	1
H. Moore, cf	4	1	2
Newman, lb	4	0	2
R. Shelton, 3b	3	1	0
McSury, rf	3	1	2
Adkins, lf	4	0	1
K. Stumbo, p	4	0	0
F. Shelton, cf	4	1	2
Totals	34	6	11

Summary: Two-base hits—Jones, O. Blevins, F. Shelton, H. Stumbo, McSury, Vincent, H. Moore. Three-base hits—R. Moore. Struck out—by K. Stumbo, 17; by O. Blevins, 3; by Hensley, 2; base on balls—off K. Stumbo, 3; off O. Blevins, 3.

FINAL NOTICE

All corporations and non-resident taxpayers who have not filed their tax returns to date as of September 1 was the legal deadline and no further delay can be permitted.

CLIVE AKERS, Tax Commissioner, Floyd County, Ky.

Between 20,000 and 30,000 pounds of wheat seed were harvested in Hopkins county this year.

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HOBART HAYS

BETSY LAYNE, KY.

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Visit my store, see the many bargains in new and used furniture and other household items I am offering. Good, substantial merchandise that is often hard to get. These are only a few of the items in stock:

- 5 Bedroom Suites
- 4 Electric Radios
- 5 Dining Room Suites
- 2 nice Pianos
- 3 good coal Stoves
- 3 fine gas Cook Stoves
- New guitars, banjos
- Porch Swings
- Linoleum Rugs
- Springs and Inner-Spring Mattresses
- Several Rocking Chairs, large and small.
- 1 all-metal Filing Cabinet, with rollers.

GRANT WALTERS

Located on the Maro Trail at The Tavern, below my old stand, six miles south of Prestonsburg.

Phone 6141 Prestonsburg, Ky.

8TH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, ENGLAND—Sgt. Blaine R. Hall, of Morehead, is a member of an Eighth Fighter Command P-51 Mustang group which recently passed the 450 mark in victories over Nazi planes, becoming the third American fighter group in the European theatre of operations to make such a record.

Sgt. Hall is a radio mechanic in a Mustang squadron and his work contributed to the group's high record of combat efficiency. As a part of the operation, he has been in the fighter pilots to devote all their time and energy to the pursuit and destruction of the Luftwaffe. He is helping to keep American fighter planes in combat against the enemy every corner of occupied Europe. A former teacher in the Morehead consolidated school, Sgt. Hall was inducted into service in August, 1942.

An Eighth Air Force Service Command Station, England—Cpl. Theop Brantham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brantham, Allen, Ky., is stationed at this strategic air depot bomber repair base where he is an automotive equipment operator and a transport non-commissioned officer. He has recently been awarded the Good Conduct Medal "for exemplary behavior, efficiency, and fidelity." He attended the Allen high schools and prior to his entry into the army April 18, 1942, was a mechanic for the Snodgrass Motor Company. Allen, Cpl. Brantham has been stationed in the European theatre of operations a year.

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need construction workers in the following trades:

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Society Notes

CHILDREN'S GROUP MEETS

The Children's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Nancy and Hene Branham, Sept. 14...

Hyden-Schroder Vows Said on Sept. 15th

Announcement is made this week of the marriage of Miss Anna Belle Hyden to Coxswain Dwight Schroder...

The bride is the daughter of C. L. Hyden, and the late Clara Adams Hyden, of Prestonsburg...

The bride was attended by Mrs. Rhoda Alice Hyden, sister of the bride, and Mr. Phillip Rogovsky...

Mrs. D. C. Stephens was shopping in Huntington last week.

HONORS MRS. PRESTON

Dr. J. W. Whitehead entertained at Emma's Tea Room for honorarium Mrs. Lydia N. Preston on her birth anniversary...

IS HONOR GUEST

Mrs. J. W. Whitehead was honor guest at a small bridge Wednesday when friends surprised her on her birth anniversary...

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Born Sept 12 to Cpl. and Mrs. Irvin Harris at the Prestonsburg General hospital a 7 1/2-pound daughter - Margaret...

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gobbe returned Monday after spending a few days as guests of Mrs. Gobbe's parents...

Mrs. Bert Newton Porter returned Tuesday from Philadelphia after spending a week with her husband...

J. G. Porter is a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md. He has undergone an operation...

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Homes have returned from Georgetown, where they have been on a vacation...

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis returned Friday from a 10-day vacation spent at Dubuque, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis were recent visitors in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ribble and children, John Francis, Jr., and Mary Davidson Ribble, arrived Sunday from Rochester, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cyrus have returned from Cincinnati where they purchased goods for their store...

Mr. and Mrs. Pen Fitzpatrick were dinner guests Tuesday of Mrs. B. P. Friend.

Homer Salsbury, of Cave City, is spending a few days here.

Mrs. Astor Meade and little daughter, Betty Hager, have returned to Louisville after a week's visit with Mrs. Betty Blazmore.

Mrs. Curtis Hopson and sons, of Middleboro, Ky., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Ed Hill is here from Mt. Sterling for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Clark, Judge E. P. Hill and Mrs. Ralph Davis and families.

Mrs. S. R. Auxier, of Fairfield, O., and Mrs. Owen Ford and daughter, Mary Auxier Ford, of Baltimore, spent last week here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick and daughter, Emma Louie, and Mrs. W. E. Carvins returned Saturday from Lexington where they spent several days.

Mrs. R. V. May and children, Julia Mayo and Elizabeth Archer, left Friday for Boston, Mass., to visit Lt. May, who is stationed there.

Mrs. Paul Francis spent Friday night with her mother in Salisbury.

O.E.S. INSTALLATION

Officers will be installed and committee appointed at the meeting of Adah Chapter No. 24, Order Eastern Star, here Monday evening at 8 o'clock...

ENTERTAIN TO DINNER

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Hulet entertained to dinner Sunday at the Auxier hotel their guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ribble and children, Mary Davidson and Mrs. J. E. Gobbe...

MRS. SPRADLIN HOSTESS

Mrs. J. A. Spradlin entertained to dinner Sunday at her home on Broadway. Her guests were Mrs. Rhoda Stapleton, Mrs. Mrs. Ray Safford, of Fairview, Mrs. Homer Salsbury, of Cave City, Ky., and Mrs. G. R. Spradlin.

TO APPEAR ON PROGRAM

Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, who has been appointed state chairman of Homemaking, Baltimore, Md., will appear at the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, held Wednesday for Louisville where she will appear on the program at the state convention...

Morehead extension classes begin at Sept. 21 at 9:30 a.m. at Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Set. Billy Burga, of Camp Tucker, Ala., is spending a 10-day furlough here with his mother, Mrs. C. L. Hyden, and other relatives.

John W. Henley returned Sunday to Ypsilanti, Mich. after a 10-day visit here with Mrs. Henley.

Mrs. Jessie D. Harkins returned Friday from Astoria where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Mrs. Browning accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Rogovsky, Mrs. Spradlin have returned from a week's vacation spent in Louisville and Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sparlock were in Paintsville Friday.

William F. Lafferty Succumbs Suddenly In Mine at Martin

William Fred (Bill) Dink Lafferty, 40 years old, well-known Allen man, died suddenly Saturday morning in the mine of the Utility Etkhorn Coal Company near Martin. A member of his family said cause of his death had not been definitely established, though physicians held he may have been a victim of a heart attack.

He was a mine motor brakeman and when the motor man left him at a switch inside the mines to pick up loaded mine cars he returned within a period of three minutes to find Lafferty dead. It was said here he had apparently been in good health.

A son of the Rev. J. M. Lafferty, a retired Methodist minister, of Emma, the victim formerly was employed by the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company at Allen as freight clerk. Besides his father, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Goldie Beck Lafferty, and eight sons, Felix, Elmer, Charles Russell, Clarence Douglas, Donald Lee, James Edward, Harry Eugene, Freddy Ray and Gary Franklin, all at home. He also leaves four brothers and six sisters: Melvin Lafferty, Sloan; James W. Lafferty, Allen; Jesse Lafferty, Prestonsburg; John B. Lafferty, Hi-Hat; Mrs. Ernest Calhoun, Dwaie; Mrs. Belle Ellis, Prestonsburg; Mrs. Mary Lafferty and Mrs. Alice Lafferty, of Sloan.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday from the Methodist Church in Mine Station officiating. Services at the graveside in the family cemetery on Bull Creek Tuesday were conducted by the Reverend Stratton and the Rev. Joe Lafferty. Burial was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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(Continued from Page 1) air base from which he will go overseas as a tail gunner on a bomber. Jimmy was on a bus passing the mine park here. Prestonsburg and Auxier were in the middle of a terrific squall. "Stop!" he called to the bus driver. "It's a storm. Somebody might be needing help." Out the former Erie (Pa.) catcher infielder pilled from the bus "pieces" he asked the Prestonsburg third base coach. Then into the semi-privacy of a truck to change into a baseball uniform and helmet. Incidentally, Jimmy already has been overseas prior to his coming here. He volunteered for the "tail" summer hot-spot on a bomber and is the type who, looking for action, would even quit a ball game if a bomber were leaving for more interesting "game." He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. German Vance, of Martin.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE - new and used phonograph records at reduced prices. Wide selection of popular and public domain titles. CAR PAULINE'S BEAUTY SHOP, Garrett, Ky., 9-21-44.

BOX CANDY - for boss overseas. PAUL FRANCIS, Prestonsburg, 9-21-44.

FOR SALE - 9-piece dining room set in excellent condition. See Mrs. RALPH TAYLOR, 108 Third avenue, CTS, 9-21-44, pd.

WANTED - semi-skilled plumber. 6 or 8 hrs. per week. Must be honest, trustworthy. Phone 6211. Or see ELMER W. RICE, Rices Plumbing & Electric Shop, Hwy. 9-21-44, Tennessee, Ky.

WANTED - pre-war baby carriage. Phone 5811 before 6 p.m. 9-21-44.

FOR SALE - 5 25-foot lots running to river. 5-room house, electric light and water in house. Outbuildings, fruit, at Lancer. See HENRY HARRIS, Lancer, Ky. 9-21-25, pd.

LOST - pocketbook containing approximately 125 "C" gasoline stamps, \$750 in cash, social security card, the inspection sheet and driver's license. Taken from bathroom at Wayland Saturday night. Finder return, Reward, FISHER BREWER, Lancer, Ky. 11-25, pd.

ESTABLISHED ROUTE AVAILABLE - We want a man or woman capable of taking over established food and medicine route in Prestonsburg. Has been making up to \$50 per week. Possibilities unlimited. Write to R. W. WATKINS, CO. 200 W. Iowa Street, Memphis 2 Tennessee. 9-21-25, pd.

BOB SALE - Coal Master, coal-burning heater, will heat four rooms; 1 overstuffed chair and ottoman; slip covers. Phone 2241 or see N. L. MAY, City.

WILL BUY or trade for your old sewing machine. Singers preferred. M. D. HUBBARD, Box 203, Paintsville, Ky. 9-14-37, pd.

HELP WANTED - shoe repairman. Good wages. Steady employment. SHOE REPAIR SHOP, Phone 2171, Martin, Ky.

FOR SALE - 2 houses and lots on Graham street, 1 house and lot on Riverside Drive. For cash only. See DICK BALL, City.

TO THE PUBLIC: I have moved my jewelry shop from Prestonsburg to Lancer, back of May's store in brick-and-tile building. 8-21-44. DOKE GREENEITH

FOR SALE - country home, in 3 and 4-room glass bwns. Call at my home, E. B. BROWN, City. 8-21-44.

WANTED TO RENT - modern 6 or 7-room house in Prestonsburg. Phone 3351, Prestonsburg. 8-17-44.

FREEL! If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach, Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas, Peppiness, Free sample, Udis, at H. E. HUGHES & Company. 7-13-105, pd.

FOR SALE - \$60 acres mixed timber on Raccoon Fork of Salt Lick, 3 miles from Boco. See or write GREENE'S GEARHEAD, Hugesville, Ky.

FOR SALE - 75 acres timber, one 1/2 mile from road WPA road. See MRS. CARA H. HALL, Hwy. 10, Ky. 9-21-44.

ALLEN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH - J. S. Rose, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11:00-12:00 p.m.; B.T.U., 6:30 p.m.; 8:45-9:15, 7:30 p.m.

Sprulock Community Church - Rev. Robert L. Martin, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11:00 a.m.; prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:00. All are welcome.

SELLS IRONLESS LOT - Dr. J. S. Kelly last week sold his Broadway business lot which was formerly occupied by the Broadway Theater to Mr. Meade. Fantastic hardware dealer, Mr. Meade, it is said, plans the building of a hardware store on the lot. Some materials being stored there.

A 4-H clubroom was established at Chaplain Hall on Sunday, through the cooperation of a local club.

TO CORRESPONDENTS: We wish it were possible to use news letters reaching us later, but it is impossible to publish the correspondence arriving at this office after Tuesday morning. Because of space limitations we cannot use this news in the following week's paper and for this reason it is to the advantage of all concerned for your letters to reach us Monday night if possible, never later than Tuesday morning.

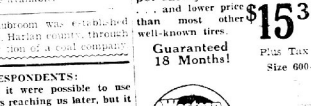
Notice to Taxpayers

Taxpayers for Floyd county have been turned over to me, and the taxpayers are hereby notified that 2 per cent discount will be allowed on taxes paid before Nov. 1, 1944. TROY H. STURGIS, Sheriff

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NOTICE To Members of Prestonsburg Chapter No. 132, R.A.M.: Degrees will be conferred on several candidates at our regular meeting on SATURDAY, SEPT. 23. If you know of any brother who has been elected to receive degrees, bring him with you. Work will be started at 8 p.m., if possible. EUGENE ALLEN, H.P. 2. S. DICKERSON, Acting Sec'y

7 (Continued from Page 1) air base from which he will go overseas as a tail gunner on a bomber. Jimmy was on a bus passing the mine park here. Prestonsburg and Auxier were in the middle of a terrific squall. "Stop!" he called to the bus driver. "It's a storm. Somebody might be needing help." Out the former Erie (Pa.) catcher infielder pilled from the bus "pieces" he asked the Prestonsburg third base coach. Then into the semi-privacy of a truck to change into a baseball uniform and helmet. Incidentally, Jimmy already has been overseas prior to his coming here. He volunteered for the "tail" summer hot-spot on a bomber and is the type who, looking for action, would even quit a ball game if a bomber were leaving for more interesting "game." He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. German Vance, of Martin.

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News From Floyd Communities

HUEYSVILLE

Mrs. Elbert Griffith and Mrs. Lee Crisp were in Garrett Saturday on business. Mrs. Will Goybart was in Martin Saturday. Andy Coburn was in Wheelwright visiting relatives over the week-end. Black Diamond Coal Company here is planning a new coal tippie here soon. Lee Crisp, who has been employed at Drift, is now employed at Black Diamond here. Mrs. Reete Oney was visiting friends in Garrett this week-end.

WHITAKER

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Porter and children, of Auker, and Mrs. Hattie Conley and granddaughter, Georgia, were visiting Mrs. Lena Dotson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb announced the arrival of a son, Charles Edward. Mrs. Webb is the former Miss Oul Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Whitaker returned to work Saturday at Patterson Field, Ohio, after spending a vacation with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Darval May spent the week-end with Mrs. May's brother, Frankie Marshall, and Mrs. Marshall. Lena Mae Dotson attended the theater at Paintsville Saturday. Virginia May was shopping in Paintsville last week. Miss Helen Marie Rice, Mrs. Thomas E. George and babies were visiting relatives and shopping in Ashland over the week-end.

CRACKER

S. T. Holmes Mayo and wife are spending a few days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo. Mrs. Harry Lafferty and Miss Lizzie Lafferty, of Peters, were visiting Mrs. J. W. Peters and family Sunday. J. W. Peters was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Saturday. Mrs. Ellis Bailey and son Donald, of Nashville, Tenn., are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo. A large crowd from here attended church at Allen Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Crow Stephens spent Saturday night at Martin visiting relatives. Mrs. Mary Stephens and son are across her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Webb, of Dyale.

DAVID

The senior Girl Scouts gave a dinner in the dining room of the church on Wednesday night, Sept. 19, and entertained their fathers and mothers and Scout leaders. Active Scout members are Jewel and Geraldine Carver. Mothers are Rogers and Alphoretta Kendrick; leader, Blanche Garrett; assistant leader, Mrs. Len Hill; Mrs. Ora Howard, chairman, nutrition committee. Miss Thelma Rogers, of Pikeville College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crain, of Pikeville College. Robert Crain, of Pikeville College, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Crain, returning Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keesling are spending their vacation in Holden and Huntington, W. Va., and in Tennessee. Mrs. Keesling's mother, Mrs. John V. Van, are keeping her children. Mrs. Dean Zornes' step-father, J. H. Wilk of Madison, W. Va., spent a week here. Mrs. Pate Shepherd is very ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston and children spent Sunday in Van Lear. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muck and children spent the week-end near Van Lear. Pic. R. L. Carver spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver. Mrs. Will Younce spent the week-end with her parents at Harold.

BYRNO

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Butler in honor of their son, Pvt. Herman Butler, Jr., who was home on 15-day leave. Those who attended were Helen Conley, June Chobone, Nola May Wells, Louise Zerello, Dorothy Mae Crisp, Anna Louise Crisp, June Butcher, Mrs. Crisp, Glynis Rathliff, Marcus Williams, George Harris, Clarence Smith, Don Smith, Wymon Woods. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Margaret Sammons and daughters, of Ashland, were visiting last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seaton Crisp. Miss June Butler, who is employed at Baltimore, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Butler. A stark shower was given at the home of Mrs. Willie Garrett honoring her sister, Mrs. Margaret Burga. Those who attended were Mrs. Fralley, Della Woods, Nora Goble, Gertrude Collins, Rosie Woods, Rebecca Jarrell, Mrs. Seaton Crisp. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Burga received many gifts. Mrs. Bessie Ratliff and Mrs. Willard Williams, were visiting at Wheelburg Monday. Mrs. Grant George has moved from here to Paintsville. Miss Lillian Hall, nurse at the Beecher hospital, Martin, spent the week-end with Dorothy and Louise Crisp. Miss Laura Layne, of Weeksbury, was visiting Mrs. Bessie Ratliff Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bill Goble and daughter, Betty, of Woods, visited Mr. and Mrs. Randall Goble over the week-end.

MAYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stapleton and children, Misses Catherine and Lucille, and Bill Stapleton spent the week-end at Harrington Lake. Those who attended were Miss Peggy Jo Allen spent the week-end visiting friends in Caledonia and Ashland. Mrs. Earl Martin has accepted a position at Wayland as mathematics teacher. Mrs. Jones Talbot and Mrs. Earl Martin were shopping in Prestonsburg Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Hayes spent several days last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Combs in New Jersey. On their way they stopped in Charleston, W. Va., on business. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shepherd are at home after two weeks' visit to friends and relatives in Floyd and Magoffin counties. Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd, former residents of Maytown, are working in Michigan. Miss Louise Branham, of Louisa, who is now working in Detroit is visiting Mrs. Viola Stewart and family. Mrs. Viola Stewart has returned home after going to Arizona to attend the graduation of Lieut. Ogden Stewart, who received his "wings" and commission in the army air corps. Lt. Stewart accompanied her home for a few days before going to his new assignment at Austin, Texas. En route home, they stopped in Washington and Baltimore to see Pvt. Ed Stewart and Cpl. Claude (Sped) May. Miss Mosalette Ferrell spent the week-end here with homefolks. Mrs. Bessie Reaule, May and Thelma Cassady have returned home after spending two weeks with relatives in Detroit, Michigan. Cpl. Arnold Gayheart, of the armed forces, is visiting his mother, Mrs. John Huff, and his sister, Miss Laura Gayheart, on Wilson Creek. This is his first visit home in more than four years. He has been in the Aleutian Islands for the last 28 months. Prof. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff and children, of Wheelwright, visited relatives here over the week-end. Congressman A. J. May and daughter, Mrs. Olga M. Latta, of Prestonsburg, were dinner guests of his niece, Mrs. Viola Stewart, Sunday. Mrs. Len Arrowood and Mrs. Rebecca Hayes spent Sunday in Paintsville. Gene Combs has returned to Louisa after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Combs. Carl Stewart, of Malone, Ky., spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Viola Stewart, and family. He was accompanied home by his sisters, Miss Joyce Stewart and Mrs. Jones Talbot and son Billie, who will remain for several days. Ed Sutton was a business visitor in Huntington, W. Va., Monday and Tuesday. Chillie Frasure was visiting his family at Langley over the week-end. He is employed by the Tennessee Gas & Transmission Company, Ashland.

AUXIER

Alris Muske, of the army, has been home on furlough here with his family. A birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Paul Wilson Saturday night. Miss Doris Connors, Martha Alice Peggren, Marjorie Evans and Alleen McKinley were visiting school at Paintsville Friday. Recent arrivals in Auxier are Sandra Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seiser, Charles Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baldrige, Sheridan Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ireland Wells, and a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wells. Many from here attended the ball game at Prestonsburg Sunday to see their team defeat Prestonsburg 9-0. George Music is a patient at a mine injury. Douglas Clark of the army, and his wife have been visiting his mother here who has been seriously ill, but is improving. Withelmy Picke, of the army, has been visiting friends and relatives here. Mrs. Harry D. Sherman was the Sunday dinner guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Goble, of East Point.

NORTHERN

Miss Joyce Allen entertained with a square dance at the home here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Allen, Saturday night, honoring Pvt. Robert Conley, of Lackey, who was home on furlough from the army. Among the more than 50 guests present, were Sgt. Earl Praker, of Hueysville, home after long service in the Burma theatre of war with Merrill's Marauders. Refreshments were served.

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WHEELWRIGHT

A community party was sponsored Saturday night by the Junior class of the Wheelwright high school. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pack and daughter were visiting relatives in Jackson during the week-end. A. J. Coburn, of Hueysville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson here. Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Webb and son visited relatives at Whiteburg this week. Mrs. Ira Osborne was visiting her mother, Mrs. Will Reed, at Auxier recently. Mrs. Garnet Marie Whitten, Miss Wilma Shumate and Raymond Shultz, of Detroit, Mich., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Van Shumate over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vicars and children of Weeksbury, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Vicars. Cecil Wright is in Cleveland, Tenn. this week attending a Church of God conference. Mr. and Mrs. Ashtand Wallen and Mrs. Ruth Wallen were visiting in Paintsville Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Willford Johnson and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nepton Daniels at Martin Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Oscar Smith is in Ashland shopping this week. Scott Wallen was called to Louisville this week by the serious illness of his brother, Willard, who is in Hazelwood Sanatorium there. Mrs. Tena Daniels, a sister, has been there a week. George Thompson, Lee Wallen and Press Singleton are attending the United Mine Workers convention in Cincinnati. Mrs. Lee Wallen and children are visiting relatives at Martin and Prestonsburg Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Burke visited relatives in Prestonsburg Sunday.

EDGAR

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Laferty attended church on Cow Creek Sunday. Cpl. Wilson Morrison is at home on a furlough. He has been overseas for nearly two years. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Branham and sons, Chalmer and Alvin, and Thelma, were visiting on Sowers Creek and Dix Creek Sunday. Henry and Jeannette Laferty and son Leslie were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty, on Dix Creek Sunday. Miss Dolly Dimpel Burckett was in Prestonsburg Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins and grandson, Ellsworth, Jr., were visiting on Dix Creek Friday. Arnold Orier was on Dix Creek Sunday.

Buy War Bonds!

LANCER

Mr. and Mrs. Elder Goble gave a birthday party for their daughter, Judith Ann, recently. Guests were Paul Napier, of Murrice, Mrs. Charles Goble, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Goble, Alva, Josephine and Nell Ruth Goble. Judith received many presents. Alva and Nell Ruth Goble, who have been employed at Fairfield, O., have returned home. Alva has been very ill but is improving. Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Conn have returned from Virginia where they attended an association. E. B. Akers and children were in Allen Sunday. Mrs. John Harris was visiting her daughter-in-law and granddaughter at the Prestonsburg general hospital Sunday. Pvt. Robert Crum spent three days' furlough with his grandmother and mother, Laura Crum. Mrs. Tate Hartscock of Wheelwright, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Ratliff. Mrs. L. V. Goble has been ill but is improving nicely. Rev. Harold Salmons, of Gio, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stephens Sunday. James Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crum attended the theatre at Prestonsburg Friday night. Nell Ruth and Josephine Goble were in Williamson, W. Va., Friday. John Garrett, of Prestonsburg, visited his daughter, Mrs. Turner Branham, here Sunday. "Uncle" Jeff Steans, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

SALISBURY

Miss Myrtle Halbert was visiting Mrs. Fannie Salisbury, of Hunter, recently. Mr. and Mrs. George Conn are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spurlock. Pic. C. E. Halbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Halbert, is stationed somewhere in England. Pvt. John D. Robinson is stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tal Robinson. Miss Dixie Robinson is spending this week with Mrs. Charles Robinson, of Hunter. Mrs. Irvin Halbert was a business visitor in Martin Wednesday. Mrs. Will Brown is visiting her sons, Oak and Bailey Brown. She has been employed at Detroit, Michigan. Miss Ulmer, Miss Norman Fear and Miss Mary Robinson were shopping in Martin Thursday. Taylor county farmers sold 11,332 pounds of wool at their annual wool pool, producers netting 49% cents a pound for clear wool.

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ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF FUNDING BONDS OF THE CITY OF PRESTONS- BURG, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$65,000.00, AND PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF A DIRECT ANNUAL TAX FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS.

Table with columns: Original, Amount Accrued, Total. Rows include People's State Bank, Sept. 18, 1937, Order Book 37 page 335, etc.

AND, WHEREAS, the city is now and has been for the last five years operating within its budget on a cash basis, and it is manifestly to the advantage of the city and its creditors to put into effect a plan under which the city may eventually liquidate said indebtedness by setting aside the sum of approximately \$65,000.00 annually, which is the largest amount which will be available for said purpose, and the city still be in a position to pay its necessary current operating expenses, and

and retire all of the present outstanding indebtedness of the City of Prestonsburg other than current operating expenses of the city of each year, which are within and payable from the current revenue.

Section 1. That for the purpose of paying, discharging and cancelling the bonds maturing and falling due, the indebtedness evidenced by certain judgments, heretofore described, aggregating in amount \$65,000.00, there be issued Funding Bonds of the City of Prestonsburg in the principal amount of \$65,000.00, the denomination of \$1,000 each, numbered from 1 to 65, dated as of October 1, 1944, they shall bear interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent per annum payable April 1 and October 1 in each year as evidenced by proper interest coupons to be attached to said bonds, which shall mature in October 1 of each of the following years in the following amounts:

\$1,000 in each of the years 1945 to 1950 inclusive, \$2,000 in each of the years 1951 to 1954 inclusive, \$3,000 in each of the years 1954 to 1959 inclusive. Provided, however, that part of the bonds maturing on October 1, 1954, and being Nos. 15 to 85, inclusive, shall be callable in the inverse order of their numbers on April 1, 1955, or any later date thereafter, after a par and accrued interest upon publication of notice of such call in a newspaper of general circulation in Floyd County, Kentucky, at least 30 days prior to the date of redemption. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in cash at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at the office of the City Clerk, and the seal of the city shall be affixed to each of said bonds, and said officers are hereby authorized and directed to sign, execute and attest said bonds for and on behalf of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, the interest coupons attached to said bonds shall be signed by the city clerk or bear her facsimile signature which she shall adopt as and for her proper office.

Section 2. That said bonds and interest coupons shall be signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, and the coupons hereto attached to be signed by the city clerk by his official signature, as of the first day of October, 1944.

Section 3. That all ordinances, resolutions, orders or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. That the ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the time provided by law upon its passage.

Nelson Eddy Stars in "The Electric Hour"

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4-H ACHIEVEMENT DAYS IN OCTOBER

J. W. Whitehouse, state 4-H club leader, announces that 12 district achievement programs will be held in Kentucky in October. They will be attended by county champions, from whom district champions will be selected. Then, from the list of district winners, members of the Kentucky Club of Home of Fame will be selected. The state champions will receive trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

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SUNDAY, RALLY DAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Sunday is Rally Day for Sunday Schools and Floyd county ministers have urged their congregations to work for greater attendance...

SURGICAL DRESSINGS STILL BEING MADE

The Red Cross surgical dressing room is still open and work is being done each day and night...

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would not be forthcoming on this road." A few days later, Mr. Burchett said...

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convincing them he had been lost. A message broadcast over radio Tokyo Aug. 27 was intercepted by listeners over a wide section of the nation...

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Only the defendant, Damon and young Pike twenty girl, Jesse Justice, testified as eyewitnesses. Hall's statement showed that the tragedy began with his wife leaving home...

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Mr. Layne was first married to Miss Elizabeth Hopkins, a daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Frank A. Hopkins of Prestonsburg...

Funeral rites were conducted this afternoon (Thursday), the Rev. R. T. Cletts, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, officiating...

This letter, written almost three weeks ago, has not been answered, the County Attorney said. "All I asked the Highway Commission to do was to sign the application form, then let us worry about the rest..."

To Open Kiddies' Shop Here September 30th. Mrs. J. M. Cyrts announced this week that she will open here on September 30 the Joy Shoppe...

"Dearest mother and family: I am well and in the very best of health. Hoping all are the same. Am sending congratulations and love to Bert and Sis. Give my fondest regards to Mr. and Mrs. Walters...

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