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Wherein Flood Control Dams Fail

TOM WALLACE, Kentucky's editorial crusader for conservation, lends to this newspaper's recent editorial urging reforestation in Floyd county the dignity of re-publication in his newspaper, THE LOUISVILLE TIMES, and the following editorial comment of his own:

SANDY VALLEY VOICE RAISED

When such editorials as that of the Floyd County Times, reprinted in this page, become prevalent in local newspapers in Kentucky the great problem of right land use in this state will be well on its way to solution.

Big Sandy valley in its primeval state was a scene of rare beauty and of rich natural resources which might have been perpetuated. The Floyd County Times does not exaggerate the ruin that has been wrought or the importance of restoring the hillsides that are "chutes down which every rain sends the remaining topsoil."

The area is not beyond restoration, but continued neglect would make it finally like the scenes in Palestine where, widely, there is no longer soil which rains can send down hill; where the hills are bare stone.

THE TIMES is grateful for the Louisville newspaper's support. We need it. It is needed in the immediate support of Congressmen May and others of the Kentucky delegation to the national Congress as plans are being laid for post-war public improvements.

It occurs to this newspaper that the need for deepening feeder streams and reforestation of their surrounding hillsides is a deeper, truer, more important objective than that of building flood control dams.

A dam built, say, twenty-five miles from the source of a stream provides protection against flood only for that portion of the valley below it; meanwhile, it causes the inundation of hundreds of acres of level land above—floods the only profitable hillside land above the barrier. At the same time, unless a reforestation project accompanies the building of the dam, the cause of floods remains.

There is a man-made contrivance to protect localities farther downstream, with no co-operation given nature, is the perfect example of locking the door after the hoss is stolen.

This is no argument against the construction of flood control dams. They have a definite purpose, even if their benefits to some are gained at the cost of huge expanses of good land which their dammed-up waters inundate. This is, rather, to point out that any effective plan for permanent flood protection for this section, or any other similar area, must embrace reforestation and a cessation of our generations-old warfare with nature itself.

The trees and grass must be restored to our hillsides to prevent those disastrous "flash" floods and to control erosion if any flood control plan is to become effective.

FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

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

Subject of Conversation: Cadet Layne Completes Primary Training

The Old Kentucky Home

NAPLES—Put two Kentuckians together and they'll attract at least one more. So say T. S. Russell, Sanford, Paducah, Ky., and E. V. Layne Scott, Garrett, Ky., who dropped into the American Red Cross Continental Club in Naples the other day. Before 10 minutes had passed, they struck up an acquaintance with Sgt. Andrew W. Hornum, Shively, Ky., and the three remembered memories of home over coffee and cigarettes. Stanford is a nephew of Miss Willie Hill, Paintsville, and has been over in England with a general hospital. Scott, a member of the same general hospital, is a son of Mrs. Mary Scott Garrett. His brother, Pvt. Oth Scott, is also stationed in this vicinity, but was not present at the club.

Cadet Layne Completes Primary Training

Aviation Cadet Otilis Layne, of Harold, was recently graduated after completing the course in primary training, 2540th AAP Base Unit, Curtis Field, Brady, Texas, and has been sent to Waco AA Field, Waco, Texas, for basic training.

Recently transferred from Camp Aterbury, Ind., to Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., for infantry basic training: Pvt. John F. Burke, son of Mrs. Carrie Burke, West Prestonsburg, and Pvt. James P. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, of Harold. Transferred to Camp Aterbury for basic training are Pvt. Virgil Thacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thacker, of Ivel; Pvt. Richard C. Carter, son of Mr. E. C. Carter, of Lanters; Pvt. John D. Farnin, husband of Mrs. Josephine Farnin, of Lanters.

Pvt. Samuel E. Leake, a member of an army infantry division, wrote his parents under date of Oct. 11 advising that he is okay. He said the weather in Germany right now is quite rainy. He and 29 other soldiers share a German pillbox for a barracks and he describes it as having "the comforts of home." Pvt. Leake is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leake of Route 4, Warsaw, Ind., formerly of East Point. He is a nephew of Miss Katherine Leake, Prestonsburg.

Pfc. Elwood Bone, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Bone, of Langley, which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pvt. Earl T. Wiley, of Oley, Ky., is holding in Italy with the 31st Infantry Regiment, which spearheaded the advance of Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army from Velletri to the Arno river without having one given ground. The 31st is part of the 1st Infantry Division, currently in the Florence-Bologna drive.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pfc. Russell Casaday, son of Mrs. Della Casaday, who lives in Inez, Ky., has been promoted to sergeant. He is a squad leader with the 1st Cavalry Division, in Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army in Italy.

Curious to determine how few parts are needed to make a radio transmitter work, Cecil Kimbleton, brother of Mrs. Enoch Bolen, Garrett, and son of Mr. James Kimbleton, of Harold, Ky., a few months ago built a transmitter which not only worked but which did as well as an conventional kit used by the army. The set he built with a minimum of parts is limited to one frequency and uses no tuning condensers. Set Kimbleton enlisted in the army in 1941, for a time was clerk for the chief of staff of the Third Army.

DAVID
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hill spent the week-end with relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Oakley Mullins, of Garrett, spent the week-end here with his family. Mrs. Ora Howard spent Sunday with her father at Bloomington, Ky.

Dean Zornes, Allen Whitaker and Frank Wolfe took the Shrine degree in Masonry Friday night in Ashland.

Mrs. Allen Whitaker was shopping in Ashland Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. R. S. Walker spent the week-end with her husband. She returned Sunday to Man. W. Va.

Howard Hamilton, 22, was married Friday in Paintsville to Miss Della Shepherd. The groom is spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton.

The David Auxiliary served a chicken dinner in the dining room of the church last Thursday. Members of the Kiwanis Club of Prestonsburg attended.

Dec 17 at 7:45 the Sunday School will give a Christmas program. All invited.

QUIT GUARD JOB
Lee L. Hall, of Douy, was a visitor here last week. He recently resigned as guard at the state reformatory, LaGrange, to accept employment with the L. & N. Railway Company. Mr. Hall's resignation became effective December 8.

Hitch-Hiking Soldiers 'Flag' Deputy Sheriff

After going the neighborhood in giving two hitch-hiking soldiers a ride near here Wednesday evening, Deputy Sheriff Harold Conn decided to check their furlough permits. Result: the two, Pvt. Royston Wiggins, Ft. Knox, Ky., and T-3 Ernest C. Rowe, Camp Brookirkridge, Ky., were returned to the county jail here. Both said they were en route to North Carolina. Later, Wiggins admitted his pass was a forgery and he told Deputy Sheriff Conn Thursday that Rowe had told him his pass also was spurious.

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Mrs. E. F. Presley Dies Suddenly
Mrs. Edwin Friend Presley, former Big Sandy woman, died suddenly at her home in Hollywood, Calif., December 7.

MAYTOWN
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Mrs. W. W. Cooley and children and Mrs. Ethel Cooley were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Snooks and Miss Marie Halbert, of Oklahoma, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holbert. They came to see their brother, Martin Halbert, who has been serving overseas in the army for the last five years and came here from New Guinea.

Waldo Vines, of the army, was visiting in Maytown last week.

Mrs. George Riepe and Mrs. Claude Layne went to Prestonsburg to meet their sister-in-law, Mrs. Ollie James Stephens, of Mississippi. This is the first time Mrs. Stephens has visited in Maytown. She will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stephens, of Clear Creek. Her husband is in the army.

Mrs. J. H. Allen and Peggy Jo, Mrs. O. L. Allen and Totie, Mrs. G. A. Allen and Steve and Peggy Sue, and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker were shopping at the Allen-Sin Drug Store in Hindman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick and daughters were shopping in Paintsville Saturday.

Sam May and Harry May have been seriously ill.

Miss Mollie Stone is in the Marine General Hospital recovering from auto wreck injuries.

Garrett Defeats W'wright And Viper over Week-End
The Garrett Black Devils defeated Wheelwright Friday night by a margin of 24 points, then on the following night outscored Viper 40 to 31. The Devils were off to a good start against Wheelwright, never once being overtaken. Woods was high point man with 12. Junior Campbell scored 11 points. Higgins 10 and F. Campbell 9.

The Viper team led Garrett at the half, was overtaken in the first few minutes of the third quarter and never regained the lead. Woods again was high scorer with 14 points, and Junior Campbell added 12 points to his season's total.

Line-ups:
Garrett (47) Pos. W'wright (23) Campbell (11), F... Sturgill (4) Woods (12), F... Pandian (1) Higgins (10), C... Daniel (10) Caudill (5), F... Branham (4) Campbell (9), G... Terry (2) Substitutions: W'wright - Myers (2); Garrett - Martin, Bolen.

Garrett (40) Pos. Viper (31) Campbell (12), F... D. Bush (6) Woods (14), F... Bush (6) Higgins (6), C... Davis (6) Caudill (5), F... Bush (5) Campbell (9), G... Whitaker (2) Substitutions: Viper - Trent, Francis, McDaniel.

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And here are 6 more reasons for buying at least an extra \$100 WAR BOND in the 6th!

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2. War Bonds return you \$4 for every \$3 at maturity.
3. War Bonds are as convenient as cash—and increase in value to boot!
4. War Bonds mean education for your children, security for you.
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Moran's carefully handled muskrat net brought him one of the \$3 daily awards as a result of its being judged one of the three best handled skins among all lots received at Sears' Raw Fur Marketing Station in Memphis on Friday, Dec. 11, and in addition, entries Moran is considered for one of the major awards, including \$1,000 first award, to be selected at the final judging which will be held in April.

BETSY LAYNE

The Homemakers Club held its annual Christmas party in the Home Economics rooms of the school building Friday evening. The rooms were festively decorated with pine boughs, candles, and backboard Christmas scenes. Members and guests were presented with appropriate pine and berry crosses. The group sang Christmas carols, after which everyone participated in interesting games, sponsored for the occasion. After being entertained, members and guests were served refreshments. Gifts brought by members were divided and persons were delegated to send them to different orphanages.

The Bobcats added another victory to their string by defeating Auster last Friday night on the home floor.

Principal D. W. Howard and Coach Columbus Compton attended the Big Sandy Athletic Conference meeting in Pikeville Saturday afternoon.

Miss Faye Diquis and Mrs. Willard Ratliff were business visitors in Prestonsburg Sunday.

The Young People's Union of Calvary Baptist Church held services at the Pikeville jail Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Johns and daughters, Betty and Joan, were Christmas shoppers in Ashland last week-end. Seaman Ellwood Hall called on friends here Saturday. Seaman Hall is a former resident of Betsy Layne.

L. Harry Layne visited Earl Wiley the past week-end.

Bill Hamilton, who was ill last week, is improving. Seaman Bert Allen, a graduate of Betsy Layne, has been visiting in the community for the last several days. Seaman Allen recently returned to the States after being on sea duty.

Rev. W. B. Garrist conducted the bi-monthly service at the Methodist Church Sunday, bringing with him Rev. Pymon, district superintendent, who delivered the sermon. The choir performed for services for the first time, singing "Tarry Palaces" with Elaine and Lon Edward Roberts singing a duet and Billie Jean Blackburn singing a Christmas lullaby.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Williamson. The program, "Sharing" was led by Mrs. Elizabeth Blackburn. Officers for 1945 were elected Mrs. Alex Davis, president, Mrs. Elizabeth Blackburn, vice-president.

SHERIFF'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
Mike Baich . . . Plaintiff
vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
Lillie Hicks Baich . . . Defendant

By virtue of Execution No. 9356 the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the October term, 1944, in the above-styled case, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 15th day of January, 1945, at 1 o'clock p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, upon a credit of 12 and six months, the following described property, to-wit:

In the case of Mike Baich vs. Lillie Hicks Baich being Equity case No. 10578, now pending in the Floyd Circuit Court, on the Equity Docket thereof, that Execution No. 9356 has been issued on this date by the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of the defendant, Lillie Hicks Baich, for the sum of \$200.00 and \$127.53 costs incurred in said action, said execution being returned against Mike Baich and delivered to the Sheriff of Floyd County, Ky., for execution thereon.

The property hereinbefore mentioned is located on the waters of Rich, Beaver Creek, Floyd County, Ky., and consists of a piece of land 53 feet by 200 feet, 53 feet facing the creek and then 200 feet back and is located immediately 25 yards from the present home of Earl Martin, or the home of Earl Martin at the time of the execution of the deed by him to Mike Baich. Being the same property conveyed to Mike Baich by Earl Martin and wife of date the 17th day of September, 1937 and recorded in Book 188 pages 46 and 47, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien claimed upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 27th day of November, 1944.
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Allalfa, Bluegrass Mixture Profitable

From 12 acres seeded to allalfa and bluegrass three years ago, Milton Brown, of the No Creek section of Ohio county, has realized a gross income of \$1,800. In 1941, Mr. Brown spent \$28.50 an acre for lime, phosphate and seed. To date he has sold \$95.50 worth of hay an acre and has an excellent stand of bluegrass which he is pasturing. He believes that it will remain productive for years. Farm Agent Raymond D. Hilday notes that many farmers in Ohio county are finding this method of obtaining pasture the most efficient and least expensive when figured on a yearly basis.

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WAYLAND HOT SHOTS

The backwood columnists of The Times seem to be laying down on the job—all except that old bird, and I don't believe he is so backward as the rest of us. He ought to be in Congress with the other Congressmen. None of them seems to satisfy him, regardless of what they do. It's no wonder that his nose turns up so much, just keep it out of other people's business and it will start growing. Or maybe it's that beard that is holding it back.

I came in from work Friday evening and no Floyd County Times and I could not speak a good word to any of the family for two or three hours. Better luck next week, Editor.

Arthur Haywood reminds me of a big, overgrown boy who has been put away from the table for using profane language.

I don't know whether we have improved the police force or not, but, anyway, Oakley Mullins has gone on the job since Ben Layton. They are doing fine so far and here is hoping them the best of luck through the Christmas holidays.

George Castle has been discharged from the navy, also Oval Howard has been discharged from the army, because of physical conditions. We welcome them back home.

Harry Craft, son of H. H. Craft, our right-hand scrip writer, is home. This week from the navy, Ferrell Prizby is home on leave after spending four weeks in the service. Also, J. M. Turner, son of former policeman Bill Turner, is home on leave from Alaska and France with four years' overseas; C. T. Lynch's son is home from foreign service. I notice by his uniform that he has been in battle. Also Arthur Dixon, son of Oren and Bertha Dixon, is home on furlough from the South Pacific where he was awarded some medals for heroism in fighting the Japs.

Went down to Squire John A. Hilder's over the week-end and his grandson, Ray John Earle, has come home on leave after helping bust up the Japanese fleet at Leyte in the south Pacific. He has been in two big naval battles.

Paul Greenfield, a 4-H club "Toad" for hay pasture, received \$427 for whole milk sold from three cows during the year.

Farmers in Bath county are showing interest in saving young hogs and mules for replacement, several farmers buying weanlings in place of culls.

Shelly Brothers, of Whitley county, report the use of Williams cane almost doubled production, and made a sweeter sorghum molasses than any other varieties.

Fic. Lucien Lafayette, of Darnell hospital, Danville, Ky., is spending a furlough here, guest of his father, Chief of Police Epp Lafayette.

What would you lose?
There are five things that have made this farm program a success—good management, lime, cattle, hogs and tobacco, with good management a part of all of them. A combination that fits well with farming in this territory, and above all else is the problem of having the land in good shape to produce lime and rotation of crops has not only been paid off in the last eight years but it is actually much better land today than it was then. Thanks to a sound program and the ideas of a man who did not know when to quit, and thanks, too, to a man who was sold wholeheartedly to the use of lime on the farm. To improve the land at the same time. Mr. Boyd could have sold the farm this year for \$15,000, and was advised by some of his friends to sell and move to town. But why should he move? He has everything he would have in town—lights, water, telephone, and a car to go to and a half miles to town when necessary. He can sit on his back porch and see the whole farm, and when he looks out he can see something which he can take pride in and realize that here is a job well done.

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Life Begins at 64 For This Farmer

By S. C. ROHANAN
Belknap County Agent

Life does not always begin at 40. It began anew at 64 for E. C. Boyd, of near Barlow, who at 73 owns one of the best 120-acre farms in Belknap county. Eight years ago he owned the farm, or at least the deed was in his name, but he had sold the property for \$100,000. Then he was over 80,000 and wouldn't have been surprised any time to have a letter tell him he was dead. Now he doesn't owe anybody and has made a lot of permanent improvements on the farm, too.

The story of Boyd's success is more than usual. It is amazing what you know that he himself is unable to work much and must depend on a wife and hired help. The comeback was made, too, at a time of life when most men are thinking about retiring rather than beginning anew to pay off their debts and improve their farms.

In 1926 Mr. Boyd owed over \$5,000 on his farm and nearly \$3,000 in personal debts. He had no cash and was in debt to the hilt. He rode a horse or went in a wagon. He had bought his farm some years earlier at a rather high figure and was a victim of depression. One year he had to borrow money to buy a cow. In the intervening eight years he made his last payment on the farm and in the intervening eight years he paid personal debts, bought a new car, installed electricity, bought an electric refrigerator, installed an electric water system with bathroom, put in a telephone and remodeled his tenant house. The other job he has to do next spring is to re-roof and paint his dwelling and everything will be in good shape.

Since 1936 the entire farm has had at least two tons of lime per acre—this year paid over \$1,000. Phosphate has been used on a part but not all of the farm this season. Boyd is very interested in using lime first and with his type of land it has apparently been more profitable than phosphate. Since the farm is well lined now he will begin using phosphate in the intervening eight years. The farm normally grows about 20 acres of corn all of which is seeded to clover and alfalfa. The farm is planted with the burley tobacco allotment which this year was 54 acres, is all the land cultivated. The farm is in pasture and hay crops, principally red clover, redtop and lespedeza. There are 20-25 acres of lespedeza farm seeded to redtop and lespedeza in 1943 and is still being used for hay pasture and stock. Mr. Boyd believes that this field has been worth more in these crops than any other field on the farm. This land without any erosion and in better condition than any other in the county. It yields about 100 pounds of redtop per acre, and a half ton of hay, planted occasionally in fall and spring, occasionally a crop of lespedeza seed.

Mr. Boyd keeps from 12 to 15 grade and registered cows and usually four brood sows. He is reducing his hogs now since the price is low. He has only eight acres of corn next year, and will devote more of the farm to hay and pasture. He will probably buy a few calves to supplement those which he is now raising on the farm.

There are five things that have made this farm program a success—good management, lime, cattle, hogs and tobacco, with good management a part of all of them. A combination that fits well with farming in this territory, and above all else is the problem of having the land in good shape to produce lime and rotation of crops has not only been paid off in the last eight years but it is actually much better land today than it was then. Thanks to a sound program and the ideas of a man who did not know when to quit, and thanks, too, to a man who was sold wholeheartedly to the use of lime on the farm. To improve the land at the same time. Mr. Boyd could have sold the farm this year for \$15,000, and was advised by some of his friends to sell and move to town. But why should he move? He has everything he would have in town—lights, water, telephone, and a car to go to and a half miles to town when necessary. He can sit on his back porch and see the whole farm, and when he looks out he can see something which he can take pride in and realize that here is a job well done.

Central Elkhorn Mine One of Two Inspected

Additional safeguards should be adopted in two coal mines in Floyd and Boone counties, an inspection report by federal coal mine inspectors has reported following their re-examination of the properties during the past few weeks, the Bureau of Mines announces.

A summary of the government's inspection report on the Floyd mine follows: No. 3 mine, Central Elkhorn Coal Company, near Lackey; 106 employees; average daily production, 30 tons. Re-examined by Federal Inspector Clarence W. Arnold, who commended the mine for recent improvements but urged adoption of a thorough safety program to help curb lost-time injuries. The accident frequency rate jumped from 15.85 in 1943 to 50.05 in the first nine months of this year. During the same period, the mine had 10 fatalities in 1944.

Improvements: Fire-resistant oil house constructed; roof supports, handrails, new magazines for blasting caps. Inspecting parties found that main stoppings now being constructed of incombustible materials, some electrical safeguards lessened, and additional safeguards provided in the repair shop. Recommendations: Control the coal-dust hazard in the underground by the surface plant, set sufficient safety posts in all work-places and adopt and enforce a systematic timbering method, adopt more precautionary measures in operations involving explosives, use better methods of roof cutting and use of water or wetting solutions to allay the coal dust at points of formation. Eliminate the main haulage and electrical dangers, maintain adequate underground fire protection, and- out, ban underground smoking. Further, ban employees, employ a safety engineer, and arrange joint safety meetings for workers and officials.

OPA Asks Maximum Cleaners' Prices

Dry cleaning and pressing establishments will be required to post their maximum prices for 12 main services on or before Jan. 16, 1945, on special posters the OPA announced this week. The action, similar to that already in effect for restaurants, is designed to enable customers to identify the establishments for the most maximum prices for the more important dry cleaning and pressing services.

Each establishment will be required to take as its ceiling prices the prices it charged in March, 1942. Posters, which can be obtained from local War Price and Rationing Boards, call for four ceilings on each of the 12 listed services. They are "cash and carry," "call for and deliver" ceiling for cleaning and pressing and for pressing only. For men's wear there are four items: Suits, two or three-piece; trousers, heavyweight overcoats, and lightweight raincoats. For women's wear there are eight items: Suits, two-piece; plain blouses; jackets; plain skirts; sweaters; heavyweight coats; lightweight coats.

Kentucky Girls Win Top Vegetable Awards

Mildred Ward and Florence Casady, of Tazewell, topped other Kentucky entries in the 1944 National Junior Vegetable Growers' Association production-marketing contest, Prof. Grant B. Snyder, of Massachusetts State College, advisory chairman for the group, announced at the association's tenth annual convention in Rochester, N. Y. The two girls received a \$25 War Bond each in the national contest through scholarship funds provided by the association by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company. The contest includes a study of efficient production and marketing methods and a report on the extracurricular vegetable project. Youths in 44 states competed for the awards.

Navy Must Have Men For Radar at Once

Racing against time, the United States Navy has issued a call for men qualified to study Radar, the war's most secret weapon.

From Lt. F. A. Hardy, officer in charge of the navy recruiting and induction for Kentucky, comes the emphatic statement that "we must have men for Radar and we must have them at once!" So urgent is the need that men slated for induction and placement with the armed forces can be guaranteed acceptance by the navy in the event they pass the Eddy Aptitude Test with which applicants are screened.

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Men between 17 and 50, with a working knowledge of high school physics and mathematics are urged to apply for the Eddy Aptitude Test at once. Text books, suitable for refresher review, will be lent to those wishing to brush up before taking the test. The recruiters at the nearest navy recruiting station can supply complete information.

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Society Notes

Announce Marriage Of Daughter Nov. 22

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Prater, of Lackey, announce the marriage of their daughter, Killa Rebecca, to Captain Jon O. Sundstrom, son of Mrs. Ingrid Sundstrom, of Newberry, Michigan.

The wedding, which took place Nov. 22, at Drew Field Chapel No. 4, Tampa, Florida, was solemnized by Chaplain Oscar Link.

Mrs. Sundstrom was given in marriage by her brother, Maj. Burnice Prater, who is stationed in Orlando, Florida. Attendees were Lt. Lt. William F. Burke, Jr., of Drew Field, and Billie Carr, WAC, of Hq. Third Air Force, Ushers were Captains John Heckert, William Heckert, and Harry Goldsmith.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Officers' Club, after which Capt. and Mrs. Sundstrom left for a brief honeymoon through southern Florida.

Mrs. Sundstrom attended high school in Kentucky and colleges in Maryland, Kentucky and Washington, D. C. Before joining the WAC in June, 1943 she was employed by the War Department in Washington, D. C., and is now stationed at Headquarters Third Air Force, Tampa, Florida.

Captain Sundstrom attended college at Ferris Institute in Michigan before enlisting in the army in November, 1941. Commissioned as an officer in June, 1942, Capt. Sundstrom was stationed at Hq. Army Air Forces, Washington, D. C., for his first year, and later was transferred to Drew Field, Florida.

O.E.S. INITIATION

Despite inclement weather, Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of Eastern Star, held its regular meeting Monday evening. Two candidates, Miss Winifred Sturgill and Mrs. Gertrude Shepherd, received degrees. Refreshments were served by the officers.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church held its annual Christmas party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs on second avenue. A program of music, games and contests was enjoyed under the leadership of Mrs. E. H. Hart. Mrs. Cecil Kendrick and Mrs. Lillian Keenan. There was an exchange of gifts with the guests. Those present were Mrs. and Mrs. Combs, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lockwood, Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Mrs. Anna Carter, Mrs. Byrd C. May, Mrs. Alex Spradlin, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. Lon S. Motes, Mrs. J. Hobson, Mrs. Lydia Cottrell, Mrs. John Auxler, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. G. E. Allen, Mrs. Osa P. Ligon, Mrs. Lillian Keenan, Mrs. Mabel Branham, Mrs. M. J. Leece, and Miss Anna Woolf.

DINNER-BRIDGE

Miss Ernestine Brown was hostess to a dinner-bridge at her home, the Valley Inn, on Thursday evening. The dining table was attractive with appointments of holiday decorations of candles and tinsel. Following the dinner, bridge was played and were enjoyed by the following guests: Madamess O. T. Stephens, M. J. Leece, W. H. Jones, Jr., A. J. Spradlin, Eddie Worland, Fanny Jarrell, Madona Hodges, Maess Reck Kizer, Mrs. Hatching, Mrs. Anna Laura May, Margaret Elizabeth May, Frances Jones, Myra Hill. Prizes were won by Mrs. M. J. Leece, bingo; Miss Anna Martin, rick; Miss Anna Laura May, bridge.

ENTERTAINS SMALL GROUP

Mrs. Frank H. Layne entertained to bridge Tuesday evening at her home on Second avenue. High score was won by Miss Prava Jones. Other guests were Mrs. J. F. Ribble and Mrs. Jack Salisbury. At conclusion of play a salad course was served.

NAVY VETERAN, HOME

QM 1/c Claude Martin, a veteran of the Pacific fighting since outbreak of the war, arrived Monday to spend a 30-day leave with his family. Mr. Martin is the County Superintendent's office here, and with his father, J. D. Martin, and other family members at Minnie, his sister, Lt. Bonnie H. Martin, of the Brooklyn navy hospital staff, arrived to spend a few days during his visit home. His latest action was in the naval battle following the invasion of Leyte.

CRITICALLY ILL

John Benjes is suffering from a kidney infection at St. Mary's hospital, Huntington. Mrs. Benjes left Tuesday to be at the bedside of her son. Beverly Hollifield accompanied her there. She will give a blood transfusion to Mr. Benjes.

HONORS MRS. COLLINS

Mrs. Johnny Hale was hostess Tuesday evening to a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Fred Collins and her family. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins and son, Roger, Messis Lillian and Roberta Wolf, Mildred Wolf, Sgt. Claude Hale, Pfc. Lucien Lafayette and Sgt. Tom Marshall.

Christmas Program Heard at DAR Meet

Mrs. H. B. Patrick was hostess to members of John Graham Chapter, daughters of the American Revolution, at her home on Graham street Tuesday evening. Mrs. Lydia D. Spradlin, regent, presiding. Devotional services were conducted by the chaplain. Mrs. C. P. Stephens, the flag chairman, Mrs. Frances Jones, leading the patriotic services. Mrs. Ruth Sowards reported that "Buddy Bags" and special boxes had been sent to the three LCI boys allotted this chapter by the state chairman. A box was ready to be shipped to Glen Eden School's Christmas store. Mrs. Edith P. James presented her pupils in group singing of carols and made an interesting talk on the first carols sung here by her musical pupils in 1915. Mrs. Palmer L. Hall sang "Jesus Bambino," the group singing "Silent Night." "I Saw Three Ships," "God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen," "Adeste Fideles," "Deck the Halls" and "Jingle Bells." The chapter was invited by Mrs. O. T. Stephens to be her guests at the January meeting at her home on Garland avenue. Guests were Mrs. Palmer L. Hall, Misses Ethel Clarke, Mary Davidson, Mrs. Mary Frances Hutschli, Dorothy Hughes, Laura Virginia Roberts, Emma Lou Patrick, Margaret Burchett, Mrs. Lydia Spradlin, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. E. H. Sowards, Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, Mrs. O. T. Stephens, Mrs. Osa P. Ligon, Mrs. J. O. Webb, Mrs. Lon S. Motes, Mrs. Frances Jones, Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. H. B. Patrick. Following silent prayer for the armed forces, led by Mrs. C. P. Stephens, Mrs. Patrick served a dessert course.

MUSIC RECITAL

Mrs. Edith F. James will begin a series of recitals Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Auditor Hotel, presenting members of her piano and voice classes. During the next few weeks she will present other members of her classes in recital.

Where she will meet her son, Floyd Arnold Martin, who is returning here for the holidays from the Hill School for Boys at Pottstown, Pa.

Pvt. Hershell Tackett, who has been a patient at the Darnell hospital, Danville, for some time after suffering an attack of undulant fever while in a New Jersey army post, is at the home here of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett, for 30 days. He was accompanied home by his wife and his brother, T/O Joe P. Tackett, Jr., who is home for 10 days from Ft. Jackson, South Carolina.

Pacific War Veteran Weds Wayland Girl

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. DeCoursey, of Wayland, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Grace, to Capt. Arthur Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Dixon, West Van Lear. The wedding took place November 12, at the home of the Rev. Irvin Rice in Paintsville, Rev. Rice officiating. Attendees were Mrs. Margaret Rose Salyers and little son, of Paintsville, were Saturday evening visiting Mrs. Belle C. Gardner who remains quite ill at her home on Graham street.

SUBMITS TO OPERATION

Mrs. John W. Caudill is in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, where she submitted to a major operation. She is doing nicely. Her many friends will be glad to learn.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Mary Belle Layne, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Layne, left Tuesday for Huntington where she will submit to an operation on her foot.

HAS EYE OPERATION

Malcolm Harris is confined to his bed at his home on Second avenue convalescing from a recent operation on his eye. He is being cared for by his wife, Mrs. Harris, who has been an invalid for over a year, is showing no improvement.

HONOR PVT. AND MRS. ARCHER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Burchett and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Burchett complimented Pvt. and Mrs. Ralph B. Archer last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler Burchett. The house, decorated with holly and cedar, afforded a Yuletide atmosphere. Guests enjoying the supper and Shaughal rummy play were Mrs. E. H. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Archer, Mrs. Claybourne Stephens. Prizes were awarded to the high scores. Mrs. Ray Collins and Adrian Collins; second prizes to Mrs. O. G. Pennington and Joe Berry. Mrs. Collins received the traveling prize. The honorees were recipients of guest prizes.

ENTERTAINS AT BOOK PARTY

Mrs. Joe W. Burchett entertained Saturday evening at her home on several games of rick. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Bradie Goble and Magistrate Glenn Burchett. Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill received traveling prize. A delicious salad course was served to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Bradie Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Burchett, Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill.

Mrs. Lydia N. Preston is guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Mason, at Paintsville this week. Mr. B. W. May arrived Wednesday from Boston, Mass., where he is in navy training. He was joined at Huntington, W. Va., by Mrs. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hale and Mrs. John D. Collins spent Monday in Huntington, W. Va., on business. Mrs. Margaret Rose Salyers and little son, of Paintsville, were here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Coburn, of Third avenue, and Mrs. G. E. Goble were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coburn, of Third avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. M. Davidson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stumbo and Mrs. Elizabeth Stumbo of Minnie, were here Thursday, shopping and visiting at friends and relatives.

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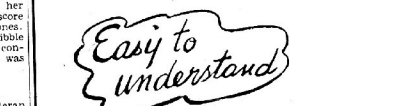
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Mrs. Jewel Hunter and Miss Doris Reynolds spent several days in Ashland this week shopping and visiting with friends.

Miss Lucille Roberts, daughter of Mrs. J. J. Roberts, received her A. B. degree at a summer course at Wayne University. She has accepted a position with the Associated Press in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratliff and children, formerly of Martin, are now living in Michigan. He is doing war work near Detroit.

Miss Madeline Brantman was a business visitor in Franklinville this week.

Miss Charlene Wilson has been very ill at her home here. She is much recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haven, of Ashland, are residing in an apartment at Mrs. Florence Crisp's home.

Set. Dick Evans, of the Marines, is enjoying a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Evans, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Prater, of Water Gap, were visiting Mrs. Florence Crisp this week. Mrs. Prater is the former Mrs. Cynthia Hatfield.

Mrs. Porter Layne and daughter, Marie, are visiting in Whitesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Biller Sunday evening.

Mrs. Dewey Bentley was called to Baltimore, Md., this week by the illness of her son.

G. O. Vanhorn has been on a trip to Cincinnati and also visited his mother in Marion, Ohio.

Billy Skeans, of the merchant marine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skeans, has arrived home to spend the holidays. He has been on an army transport in the Pacific since September, 1934. During his service he has made most ports in Australia and New Guinea and has made six trips to the southwest Pacific area. His ship takes troops over and brings wounded troops back. He has made six trips to the southwest Pacific area. After his leave he will report to San Francisco, his home port.

Miss Marietta Layne celebrated her 13th birthday Dec. 2 by giving a party at her home here. Her mother, Mrs. Porter Layne, served homemade cake to several of her school chums. She received many useful and lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Add Tussay, of Spaulding, have moved to Mrs. Florence Crisp's property here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter left Sunday for several days' shopping and visiting in Lexington.

Rev. Joseph Wimmers was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermott Saturday Sunday morning. He celebrated mass at their home in Lexington and returned to his home in Lexington for the same purpose.

Mrs. Leonard Coleman and children, of Jackson, Mich., arrived Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. Jack Bradley, and her sister, Mrs. Alice Eden is now employed in war work in Wyandotte, Mich., where she expects to work this winter.

Henry Flansy, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives and friends in Martin and vicinity.

Mrs. Florence Crisp wishes to thank her friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness during her recent illness—especially the members of the Christian Church for fruit brought her, and Mrs. W. P. Crisp for attending her so faithfully.

Set. Marvin Conley and wife have been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Conley. Set. Conley does convey duty in the Christian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Conley, who has been overseas two and one-half years and who now is in Italy.

Virginia Allen, of the WAC, is spending a furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Allen. She is attached to the air transport command.

Mrs. C. B. Conley and James Conley were in Paintsville shopping this week.

Mrs. Jack Allen, of Harold, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. S. J. Roberts, and children.

S. J. Roberts, of Mrs. W. S. J. Roberts, spent Wednesday night of the week with Mrs. John Allen near Prestonsburg.

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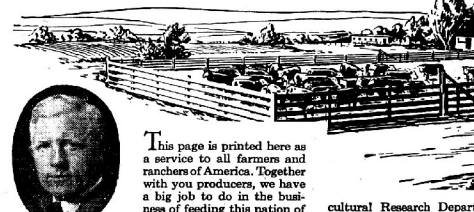
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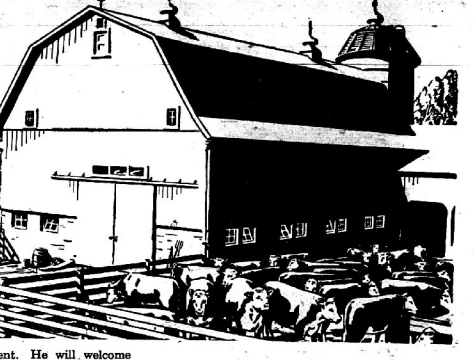
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That is it in a nutshell. What helps agriculture does help all of us—producer, meat packer and processor, retailer and consumer. So the purpose of this page is to tell in a few words and many pictures about all manner of things that do help agriculture. We hope that by searching out news items, telling of new trends, big or little, reviewing findings of agricultural experiment stations, by recounting the experiences of successful individuals, and in many other ways, we can render a worthwhile service to all who produce our nation's food.

The Editor will be F. M. Simpson, who is already well known to many of you as Manager of our Agricultural Research Department. He will welcome your suggestions and original ideas. Mr. Simpson is the Editor—but it is your page. Please help us make it a useful one.

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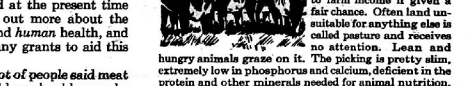


These six Americans are united in the job of seeing that 132,000,000 fellow Americans get on with the right kinds of food to eat. The rancher, farmer, meat packer, retailer, housewife and scientist, each has a part in the preparation and distribution of meats and other foods.

Feeders of livestock know that diet has a lot to do with the health of their animals. It is the same with human beings. There is a great deal of research being conducted at the present time in our universities to find out more about the relationship between diet and human health, and Swift & Company gives many grants to aid this kind of research.

Not so many years ago a lot of people said meat was hard to digest; that children should never be given pork, etc. Nutritionists have proved that pork is one of the most digestible of all meats, rich in Vitamin B. These and many other basic truths about meats and other foods have been established by the work of nutritionists. You can readily see why such discoveries help the sale of meat and of livestock. That is why we say—"Nutrition is our business—and yours."

BETTER PASTURES PAY



The pasture is capable of making a real contribution to farm income if given a fair chance. Often land unsuitable for anything else is called pasture and receives no attention. Lean and hungry animals graze on it. The picking is pretty slim, extremely low in phosphorus and calcium, deficient in the protein and other minerals needed for animal nutrition.

To have profitable pastures, the yield per acre must be greatly increased, the nutrient content improved, the grazing season must start earlier in the spring, last later in the fall. Ryegrass, winter oats and other winter cover crops must be made available for grazing. Better land must be chosen. Frequently, the best agricultural land, as properly managed pasture, will pay as big dividends as any crop.

Farm animals require daily amounts of nutrients in proportion to the animals' weight and productive activity. To meet these requirements, thickly sodded pasture is desirable with a combination of grasses and legumes which produce less fiber and woody material and more protein, minerals and vitamins.

Soils that are too acid need limestone. Ground agricultural limestone generally proves satisfactory. On most soils, superphosphate brings about a marked increase in yield, with more grass and fewer weeds. The nutrient content of grasses and legumes such as white clover or hop clover is greatly increased. Nitrogen, in conjunction with superphosphate, usually gives prompt increase in yield and in many cases, the addition of potash is profitable. Ground agricultural limestone and a complete fertilizer has often been very profitable.

For a moderate outlay on pasture improvement, the lime-superphosphate treatment should show up very profitably. Better stands of grass and a marked increase in clover will be noticeable. Consult your county agent about the amount of lime and fertilizer to use per acre.

Martha Logan's BEEF POT ROAST

A beef chuck, 4 or 5 pounds, round, propped, with a few slices of fat, accompanied by browned onions and carrots. Roll the beef well

in flour, then brown in hot fat in a heavy kettle. Add water, cover tightly and cook slowly for two hours, or until tender. Add peeled potatoes, onions and carrots, and cook for one hour.

Does lots of wool on the face and legs of a sheep and a wrinkled skin help to make a more valuable fleece? No, says the U. S. D. A. Sheep with wool over their eyes produce fleeces of lighter weight and less value than open-faced sheep.

Ex-Farm Boy Knocks 'Em Dead



Maybe you've heard the epic story of "Zeke" Givan. "Zeke" was a farm boy from Dearborn County, Indiana—until he enlisted in the Marines. His first big show was at Kwajalein. The Japs started to rush him, and "Zeke" started to shoot. When the shooting stopped, those present were "Zeke," one red-hot Browning Automatic Rifle, and 35 dead Japs. "Zeke" says modestly, "I did nothing except my duty." Later he was wounded at Saipan. We'll say that like many thousands of other farm boys, in and out of the Service, he is doing his duty extra special well.



BYPRO

Mrs. Glenn Edwards' uncle and aunt, of Harbourside, were visiting here this week.

Mr. Russ of Prestonsburg, attended the Free Will Baptist Church here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and son Roger were visiting at Cow Rock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaton, Criss and daughter, Dorothy Mae, were shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mrs. Fay Jackson and sister, Mrs. Ben Woods and son Corbett, were shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mrs. Margaret Sammons of Ashland, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seaton Crisp.

Mrs. Jim Woods and son Corbett, were shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

A pork shower was given at the home of Mrs. Willard Williams honoring Mrs. Margaret Sammons of Ashland. Those who attended were: Mrs. Russell Ward, Mrs. Bill Jarrell, Mrs. Glenn Edwards, Mrs. Jim David, Mrs. Bessie Ratliff, Mrs. Randall Goble, Mrs. Melvin Honeycutt, Mrs. Jim Woods, Mrs. Willie Garrett, Mrs. Everett James, Mrs. Seaton Crisp. Many gifts were received.

WAYLAND

Wayland Eastern Star Chapter No. 494, held its annual Christmas party Thursday evening at 7:30. A buffet supper was served by the refreshment committee to the following members and guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hortsch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hick, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Meeker, Mrs. C. B. Lott, Mrs. M. M. Homers, Mrs. Mike Staley, Mrs. Homer Kaye, Mrs. Richard Vinson, Mrs. Evelyn Scripps and Mrs. Hattie Turner, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stratton, Mrs. Mabry Martin, Mrs. Felix Conroy, Mrs. G. D. Francis, Mrs. Leck Martin, Mrs. DeCoursey, Mrs. Minnie Leslie and Arthur Hayward. After dinner several Christmas carols and exchanging gifts the guests enjoyed bridge and rock. Prizes were awarded Mrs. M. Mabry, Mrs. H. Messer, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, bridge high scores prizes were awarded Mrs. M. Mabry, Mrs. H. Messer, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, traveling prize to Mrs. F. M. Rask.

LACKEY

Mrs. John Hall entertained a group of friends on her 34th birthday anniversary. Those present were the Rev. J. B. Seale, of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Reed, Dora Bays, Cora Crabtree and daughter, Dolores Jean, Adam Patton, Miss Tommie Mae Salyers, Miss Beth Patton, Miss Mabel Allen, Betty Ann Patton, Mrs. A. L. Prater, Mrs. Beulah Ratliff.

Jack Patton, of Louisville, was called home last week-end by the sudden death of his grandfather. He returned to his work Monday.

Miss Peggy Patton and Harold Patton entertained a group of friends on their 12th birthday. Refreshments were served to Don Beckelholmer, John S. Allen, Junior Naper, Clifford Reed, Donald Lee Yates, Gleda Bentley, Virginia Reed, Mrs. J. B. Seale, Frank E. Ryan, Phyllis Bentley, Lucille Watkins, Peggy Joyce and Georgia Roark, Gladys Faye Daniels, Beatrice and John William Hall, Ann Hays, Isaac Watson, Herman Allen, Dolores Taylor, Kate Bentley, Bonnie Beckelholmer, Betty Patton.

EDGAR

Joe David Martin, S. D. son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin, is spending a furlough with his parents here.

Blaine DeLong, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. DeLong, has been discharged from the Marine Corps and is at home with his parents for the first time in 11 years.

Mrs. J. L. Lately, Jr., and two little daughters, Barbara Mae and Ernestine, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lately.

J. L. Lately, Sr., spent Friday night with his son, Henry, and family at Cliff.

Mrs. A. L. Ward and Miss Yelva DeLong were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

J. L. Lately, Sr., was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

E. B. DeLong was in Prestonsburg Saturday on business.

J. L. Lately, Sr., attended church at Coppers Creek Sunday.

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AFTER MEALS TAKE DIA-BISMA

After meals, take a little Dia-Bisma. It's a natural power and stomach-aiding agent. Take it after meals or before bedtime. It's a natural power and stomach-aiding agent. Take it after meals or before bedtime. It's a natural power and stomach-aiding agent. Take it after meals or before bedtime.

MYRTLE

Mrs. Irene Ball has received the Purple Heart won by her husband, Pfc. Glenn Ball, killed in action in France.

Mr. Loro Hall and Miss Rula Bays were married Dec. 4 at Alzer, Ohio. They are now living at Alzer, Ohio.

Mrs. Irene Ball's daughter, Mrs. Hattie Wright is visiting her husband, Pfc. Burns Wright, a patient in a hospital at Cambridge, O.

Mrs. Scott Frasure and son, Myrtle, were returned to Harrod, Ohio, after visiting relatives in this section.

Floyd Native Dies In Ashland Friday

Frank Sherman, 70 years old, native of this county, and a resident of Ashland for the last 32 years, died Friday evening after an illness of seven months.

A son of the late Harvey and Sarah Stephens Sherman, he was born Nov. 14, 1868. A member of the Methodist Church, Mr. Sherman was a highly esteemed citizen.

Surviving are three sons: Ashland shoemaker of Ashland, Frank Sherman, Jr., of Louisville, and Guy Sherman, Baltimore, Md. One brother, William Sherman, of Emma, also survives. Burial was made in Ashland.

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News From Floyd Communities

CELEBRATES 4TH BIRTHDAY

Miss Waneta Beck of Carr Creek, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Akers and Mr. and Mrs. James Candill, the past week.

DWALE

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STONE COAL

A dinner was given Sunday at the home of W. M. Hicks in honor of his son, Elmer Hicks...

BRUSH CREEK

A dinner was given Sunday at the home of W. M. Hicks in honor of his son, Elmer Hicks...



How to stretch a ton of coal!

CONSERVING coal is going to be a "must" for everybody this winter. This isn't because less coal is being mined.

See that your heating system is clean and in good repair. Close off unused bedrooms. Pull your shades and drapes at night.

Save Coal—and Serve America

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LANCER

Mr. T. M. Ratliff is very ill. Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Coan attended church at Pikeville Sunday.

HUEYSVILLE

Pvt. Earl Prater returned to his unit here to see his father, S. M. Prater, who is in a serious condition at his home on Salt Lick.

BUY WAR BONDS!

Advertisement for RYAN FUNERAL HOME, featuring an illustration of a funeral home building and text: 'No Need for Expense—Simplicity Is Honor... RYAN FUNERAL HOME, Phone 2541, MARTIN, KY.'

Advertisement for a man who carries water for a farm, featuring an illustration of a man with a water bucket and text: 'Who said... Merry Christmas... TO THE MAN WHO CARRIES WATER FOR A FARM? MAKE water do the "rinning" for you.'

WHITAKER Cpl. Edgar T. Dotson has been transferred from Guadalcanal to a general hospital in the New Hebrides.

BONANZA Jessie Holland has returned to his work in Ohio after a few days' visit with his family.

Buy War Bonds! 'I LOST 52 Lbs.!' WEAR SIZE 14 AGAIN! You may lose weight and gain it back...

ALLEN Mrs. Ashland Deross and baby Fern, of Sloan, visited her parents...

Large advertisement for FLOUWERS FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON, featuring 'Poinsettas \$1.50 to \$7.50' and 'Pikeville Floral Co. Box 17, PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY Phone 198'.

Advertisement for Kentucky and West Virginia POWER COMPANY, featuring the text 'Certainly! ELECTRICITY IS CHEAP But it must be conserved for War' and an illustration of a man with a sign.

CONCLUDES FURLOUGH
 Pvt. Ralph E. Archer has concluded a 10-day furlough here with his parents, Mr and Mrs. George P. Archer, and returned to his post at Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. Archer and daughters, who were here visiting during his furlough, have returned to Alabama where they are visiting her parents for the duration.

RETURNS TO POST
 Sgt. Tom Marshall left Wednesday to return to his army post after spending a furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Charly Marshall.

Notice to Warrant Holders
 Floyd fiscal court warrants Nos. 17112 to 17180 inclusive, are hereby called for payment. Interest on same ceased Dec. 19, 1944.

W. J. MAY, Treasurer
 Floyd County, Ky.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by any person other than myself.
 G. D. CONN
 Dec. 14, 1944

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—135 acres Ohio river bottom farm on Route 23, three miles below Greensburg, Ky. One modern 7-room house with full basement and hot air furnace, 2 tenant houses. See full particulars write W. O. HERALD, Riggs, Ky. 12-14-21-pd.

ELECTRIC HOT PLATES now at CENTRAL RADIO SERVICE, Prestonsburg.

FOR SALE—frying chickens, MRS. E. E. CLARK, Auxier Road, 12-14-21-pd.

FOR RENT—Garage, 50x110 feet, on Third avenue. Available January 1st. See J. H. RUSSELL, City, 12-14-1f.

WANTED TO BUY—air rifle in good condition. See or write WOODROW BURCHETT, Prestonsburg, Ky. 1f

HARD-TO-GET ITEMS at WESTERN AUTO — fog lights, flash-lights, 6-volt car batteries, locking gas tank caps, 52-piece dinner sets, all-metal auto creepers, all-metal barbeque cans. WESTERN AUTO STORE, Phone 6811, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-14-1f

WANTED TO BUY—a 50 to 100-acre farm with good house, chicken house or other outbuildings with some fruit. If you have a farm like this near Prestonsburg for sale, write RUSSELL WARD, 320 B 27th St., Newport News, Va. 12-14-31-pd.

WANTED TO BUY—good popcorn, any variety, ROBERT HIGGS, Wayland, Ky. 12-14-2f

LOST—pocketbook containing "A" and "B" gasoline stamps, \$2 in cash, draft registration and social security card, hunting license and other valuable papers. Finder return \$5 reward. ZER O'NEILL, Garrett, Ky. 12-14-21-pd.

FOR RENT—small cottage for light housekeeping. Completely furnished. Call 3851 or 5051. MOLLY P. JOHNSON, City. 12-14-1f.

FOR SALE—6-room house, lot 60x120 feet on paved street, Prestonsburg. \$3,000 cash. See MRS. LILY PARKER, County Attorney's office. 11-23-1f

FOR SALE—country home in 4-pound glass jars. Call at my residence, E. B. BROWN, City. 11-30-1f

FOR SALE—3-room house and large lot on highway at Lancer. See MRS. MINERVA PATTERNO, Lancer, Ky. 8-21-pd.

FOR SALE—75 acres timber, one-half mile from good WPA road. Terms. See MRS. CARA H. HALL, Hueysville, Ky. 6-8f.

FOR SALE—1941 Mercury 4-door sedan. White sidewall tires, radio, heater. Write or see FLOTINE HALL, ELAM, McDowell, Ky. 11-30-1f

FOR SALE at once—complete household furnishings including beds, chairs, dressers, tables, pillows, etc. CLARK HOTEL, City.

I WILL BUY or trade for your old machine. Singer preferred. M. D. HUBBARD, Box 203, Paintsville, Ky. 12-14

Give Him BEAU BRUMMELL TIES.



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Wherever smart crowds gather, you'll note a preference for Beau Brummell Ties. They're relaxing... look fresher... and have eye appeal. Lift his spirit every day high — give him several Beau Brummell Ties.

Beau Brummell 4-fold Uniform Tie for the Armed Forces... Black or Official OD Khaki Fabric and Color.

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Francis' Store
 PRESTONSBURG, KY.
 Store open nights till 9 o'clock from Dec. 18 to Dec. 23

Well-Known Woman Is Claimed Monday By Heart Ailment

Mrs. Lula Mayo Fairchild, wife of Don D. Fairchild, Sr., prominent Allen man, died Monday at her home near Allen, a victim of angina pectoris. She was 69 years old.

Mrs. Fairchild had suffered from a heart ailment for the last five years but not until a week before her passing did her condition become critical.

Toungest of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mayo, she was a member of one of the section's oldest and most prominent families. She was born at Allen Feb. 2, 1875 and spent her life in that community. A member of the Methodist Church since the age of 18, Mrs. Fairchild was deeply revered by all who knew her.

She was married to Mr. Fairchild Nov. 25, 1896 and to this union were born six children of whom two sons and two daughters survive: Frank M. Fairchild, evening principal of Central Vocational high school, Cincinnati, O.; Don D. Fairchild, Jr., Miss Allene Fairchild and Mrs. Lillian Burke all of Allen. Besides her husband and children, she also leaves two brothers, Prof. Marlon J. Mayo, St. Louis, Mo., and Seymour S. Mayo, of Allen.

Brief funeral rites were conducted at the Fairchild residence Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Isaac Stratton officiating, and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

BUY WAR BONDS!

MARTIN
 THEATRE
 "WHERE THE COWBOYS GO"

FRIDAY—
 "The Haary Ape"
 William Bendell

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—
 "Secrets of Scotland Yard"
 Sigar Barrier.

"Stagecoach to Monterey"
 Allan Lane.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
 "Kismet"
 Ronald Colman, Marlene Dietrich

TUESDAY—
 "Stagecoach"
 John Wayne, Claire Trevor.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
 "The Master Race"
 Stanley Blyden.

Attend our Saturday shows

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advance consideration for housing requirements.

Mr. Bolton described the freight rate set-up and the advantages of the rail-river combination from the Big Sandy fields to the markets available along the Ohio river. He expressed the opinion that eventually a large percentage of the Phillips Shotton Company's annual production would pass through the Catolettsburg terminal, and added that the terminal service would be available to other coal companies in the Big Sandy area.

Mrs. Robert Runyon left Monday for Pittsburg, Pa., for a few days. She has been here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Paul, during her husband's absence in foreign service.

Mrs. Val Strahan, who has been suffering from a broken hand for the past three weeks, is slowly improving.

Sgt. Claude Hale, who is stationed with the army on Bugt Sound, is spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hale.

Mrs. Ruth Sturgill and Mrs. Fred Martin were here Saturday from Garrett shopping.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank our friends for their kind and considerate sympathy during the illness and upon the death of our beloved mother and wife. We want especially to thank those who sent floral offerings and also to thank the Arnold Funeral Home for its nice conduct of the funeral.

J. W. Patrick and Family

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THE SEASON'S GREETINGS



TO ALL OF YOU -- FROM ALL OF US!

In wishing you a Merry Christmas, we want you to know that we appreciate all that you have done to help us during the momentous year now drawing to a close.

We assure you that we desire to reciprocate, now, and in the future, for your thoughtful cooperation and consideration. We will appreciate an opportunity to serve you.

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Middlings, Dairy Feed, Horse and Mule Feed, Corn, Chop, Egg Mash, Chicken Scratch, Ground Wheat, Hay, White Meal.

Try our **WHITE ROCK FLOUR** for white, fluffy biscuits.

General line of groceries, candy; ring-packed, hand-picked apples.

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There's a merry twinkle to 7-Up that's exactly suited to the season's mood.

Like Cupid and Comet, it dances and sparkles. And the flavor is as fresh as the new-fallen snow.

In millions of homes, a "fresh up" is a holiday tradition. Get your family's supply at the nearest store displaying the 7-Up signs.

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 PIKEVILLE, KY.

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save the lives of perhaps many fine young boys who want to live and return to their families and the land of their childhood. The day after the armistice was signed on Nov. 11, 1918, both sides to the conflict went about burying their dead. Those engaged in that awful task remarked that "All this would not have been necessary" if the war had been won that day before it was.

Do not excuse yourself in the matter of buying War Bonds by thinking that the war is too near concluded to require your help. One B-29 bomber costs \$600,000 and the cost of delivering supplies to the Pacific is 25 per cent more than the cost to Europe.

We plead countians will not let our soldiers, sailors and marines down by sending them news that their "home folks" did not do their part. The sale of E Bonds will continue through December 31. Let me urge you to do your part.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS-FRI, DEC. 14-15—
 "I Love a Soldier"
 Paulette Goddard, Sonny Tufts, News.

SATURDAY—
 11:02 to 1:12 p.m.—
 6:27 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.—
 "Lights of Old Santa Fe"
 Roy Rogers, Dale Evans.
 Serial: "ZORRO'S BLACK WHIP"

SATURDAY—
 3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—
 "Strangers in the Night"
 Wim. Tom. Swann, Grey.
 "Proudly We Serve."
 Shorts.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
 "Marriage Is a Private Affair"
 Lana Turner, John Hodiak, News.

Matinee—Sunday 1:01 p.m. and 3:01 p.m.
Matinee—Monday 1:30 p.m.
Nights: 7:01 p.m. and 9:02 p.m.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
 "The Master Race"
 Carl Bernard, Ona Massen, News.
 "Elsa on the Ice"
Matinee: 1:30 p.m.
Nights: 7:01 p.m. and 8:45 p.m.

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Other guard prospects are Bill Chambers of Huntington, W. Va., a sophomore-transfer from the University of Cincinnati; Dick Berriksen of Lexington; Norman Wiener of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Ed Yatis of Cynthiana, Ky.

Coach Adolph Rupp, the conversationalist from Kansas who divides his time between coaching basketball and running a farm, now is in his 15th year as coach of the famed Kentucky Wildcats.

Rupp, widely recognized as one of the nation's greatest coaches, has developed winning teams consistently since he came to Kentucky in 1930. In 1944 he has elected to basketball's Hall of Fame, being the tenth coach so honored.

In 14 seasons, his fast-breaking, hard-charging and accurate-shooting Kentucky teams have won 223 games while losing 58.

Ligon Woman Found Dead by Brother

Miss Mary Holt, 33 years old, of Ligon, was found dead Saturday at the Ligon home of her brother, Willie Holt. Cause of death was not given.

Mr. Holt had been away from home and on his return found the body of his sister, who had been staying with him since the death of his wife. It was said here by the Arnold Funeral Home, under whose direction burial was made at Ligon Monday.

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 COAT AND LEGGING SETS
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 REAL VALUE
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Ladies' Chenille and Satin Robes
 Small, medium and Large Sizes. All Colors
\$5.95 to \$8.95

COMFORTS COTTON AND FELT LARGE SIZE
\$4.95 to \$5.95

GIRLS' CHENILLE ROBES
 Size 4-14
 Every Girl Would Like to Have One for Xmas
\$3.95 to \$4.95

MEN'S FANCY DRESS SHIRTS
 Size 14-17
\$1.39 to \$1.98

LADIES' SLIPS LACE TRIMMED
\$1.69 to \$2.49

LADIES' HOUSE SLIPPERS ALL COLORS
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CHENILLE BED SPREADS IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT
\$8.95 each

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