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This 'n' That

By Noble Hobbs

All reports from the old home town indicate that the "hot times" we used to predict when the boys were marching home have not materialized. In fact, it seems they have come home with a desire for quiet that we hope will continue to last.

A quiet philosopher is A. G. (Medical) DeCoursey who, as he puts it, chased that Raptured Duck (one of the boys call it a Thunder Bird) for seven long years in the Pacific before he caught it to pin on his shirt and became a Pfc. and the C now stands for Civilian.

Joe Hicks and Joe Hobbs have teamed up to hand out advice to the newly married or married couples around town and, to prove their point, they quote from the famous Shakespeare to Clarence Darrow. Roll on, boys—roll on.

A report comes from down Martin way about the Old Bird that used to make a lot of noise about nothing (meaning Ye Old Shikie). He was caught hunting in the very unpolite manner—that is, he had caught a rabbit and tied it up and was throwing rocks at it, inasmuch as he had decided he couldn't hit it with a gun.

DR. BLACKERBY PAINTS DARK PICTURE OF HEALTH CONDITIONS FOR NEWSMEN

Editors and publishers of Kentucky newspapers observed a half-day conference at the Henry Clay hotel, Louisville, recently, by hearing State Health Commissioner Phillip E. Blackerby present an almost unbelievably black picture of health conditions in Kentucky. Dr. Blackerby presented an almost unbelievable picture of health conditions for Kentucky, a non-profit, fact-finding group which has Kentucky's welfare as its sole object.

Highlights of the facts reported are:

- Kentucky has but 800 beds for 14,000 tubercular cases, 5,000 of whom are unaware of it and are unwittingly exposing their families and friends to the disease.
- Outside of Jefferson and Fayette counties, there are only 200 sanatorium beds for nearly 2,000,000 Kentuckians.
- Two-thirds of the schools in Kentucky don't have safe drinking water. Nearly one-fifth of Kentucky mothers don't have a doctor at child birth.
- The average sanitation grade of Kentucky's eating and drinking establishments is 40 per cent.
- Our death rate from diphtheria is twice the rate for the nation as a whole.
- Three hundred and thirty-three establishments in 30 counties from 200 to 3,000 have no public water supplies.
- One-half of the state's population is served by open privies. These attract flies which pollute food and milk.
- Two-thirds of the total milk consumed in Kentucky homes is not pasteurized, and 48 counties have no pasteurized milk available.
- One out of every 300 Kentuckians has cancer, and some 4,500 die each year from this disease.
- About 30 per cent of all men rejected for military service in World War II were rejected because of mental ill health or mental deficiency.
- Mental illness is officially a crime in Kentucky.
- The law allows \$1 per day for food for each inmate of a county jail, but only 57 cents per patient is available at our largest mental hospital for food, laundry, medical care and other services.
- Kentucky has but one dentist for every 4,000 persons.
- Adequate medical care is not available to all Kentuckians. One rural county has but two doctors for 23,000 persons.
- These and numerous similar health facts were presented at the public meeting which included representatives of 48 statewide organizations, with a membership of 350,000 Kentuckians. A program of action aimed at remedying shortcomings uncovered by Blackerby's report was presented by Dr. Oscar O. Miller, past president of the Kentucky Medical Association.

Branhm-Meade Vows Said at Georgetown, Ky.

Miss Mae Branhm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Branhm, of Georgetown, Ky., became the bride of Pvt. Billy D. Meade, Denver, Colorado, son of Mr. A. S. Meade, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Edna Meade, of Georgetown, on Monday, Dec. 24, at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. A. E. Gibson, of Georgetown.

The bride is a graduate of Gertrude high school. Pvt. Meade will report to Montgomery, Alabama, for further army service. Mrs. Meade will make her home in Georgetown with Mrs. Edna Meade, who is now employed at Frankfort.

Agricultural Scholarship offered
The Mason County Farm Bureau has set up an annual agricultural scholarship at the Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

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Let's take a look around the country at the strike picture. There is hardly a miner in Floyd county who has not been told at one time or another that he was on illegal strike and to go back to work. This is generally done despite the fact that there is a lot of griping that goes with the return to work.

However, the one thing the public and the members of the Fourth State never seem to understand is that machine-made grievances are allowed to pile up and go unsettled, regardless of how justifiable they are, they generally bring on big trouble and of course we are always told that it is a wildcat strike.

Maybe they are, but if the employers would quit wildcatting the arbitration machinery in the various contracts and go ahead and settle the grievances as they arise around the plants, we would have less and less labor trouble to contend with.

At present there are several strikes on in the major industries of the coal fields. It is a good time now to point out that next April there will be a new contract negotiated in the coal fields. It seems to me that, as we usually see, that we are very very bad people and that if we get half of what we ask for it will bankrupt the industry and slow the progress of the country. A lot of our old-timers still remember the year 1899, the year of the first eight-hour contract. We were told then by a very prominent president of the United States Steel Corporation that the eight-hour day would ruin the country.

And now watch this prediction: I predict that not a single solitary contract with any major industry such as General Motors or the steel industry will be negotiated until after the United Mine Workers make their contract next April. Wanna bet?

MINERS EARN \$2,895

Washington, Nov. 25—Coal miners in the Appalachian area earned an average of \$2,895.63 during 1944, the Bituminous Coal Institute said, a survey showed today. The study was conducted on the earnings and expenses of more than 250,000 miners in the area which includes all of West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia and parts of Kentucky and Tennessee, and produces more than 70 per cent of the nation's coal.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends, relatives and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the loss of our beloved husband and father, Henry C. Combs. We are especially grateful to the Rev. W. E. Garriott for his words of consolation, to all the donors of cars and the beautiful floral offerings; also to the Arnold Funeral Home for its courteous service, and all those who assisted in any way—Mrs. R. C. Combs, Mrs. F. L. Crofts.

DAVIE

(who says he knows all about pruning trees because he likes prunes) appears to be about to collect on his accident insurance policy.

Poor Davie! But he's lucky at that. Some people are still without the protection of accident and health insurance and would be totally out of luck in Davie's place.

Talk with us today about accident and health insurance.

JACK C. SPURLIN
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PRESTONSBURG, KY.

Mine Local Helps Orphans at Christmas

McDowell, Ky., Dec. 31 (Sp.)—"There is really a Santa Claus" in this town, the members of the Orphan Home here are unanimous in saying.

McKinley Turner, president of UMW-CIO Local Union No. 681, is in co-operation with his father, the citizens of Martin and some of the citizens of McDowell, to make the Christmas season a happy one for the children in the form of a check for \$125, a donation from the miners of Utilities Employees Local Union No. 681, and the citizens of McDowell. Some of the citizens of Martin also made very generous cash and gifts to the children.

Donald Brewer, a member of the Pikeville Academy 4-H club, told Farm Agent Glenn D. McDowell that he, in co-operation with his father, started keeping poultry records a year ago with a flock of 50 White Leghorns and Minorcas. For the 12 months his hens showed a profit of \$1,200, and he culled 188 hens during the year.

Canada Meade of Johns Creek, Ore. reported a good profit. Over a period of 11 months, his poultry record sheet shows he made a profit of \$68.35 on 75 White Leghorns.

HONOR SON WITH PARTY

Memper, Ky., Dec. 28 (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lester, of Kimpert, formerly of Prestonsburg, entertained with an all-night Christmas party for their son, Pvt. Donald Lee, who is stationed at Camp Lee, Va. Rock and various games were enjoyed and later a refreshment course was served to the following: Junius Dunbar, Helen Jean Dotson, Justine Deakin, Dorothea and Eleanor Fletcher, Irene Deakin, Baby and Jean Gannon, Bernard Fletcher, Phillip Boelke, Bob Justice, Harold and Herman Hunt, Paul Eugene, Bill, Garrett, Jr. and Linton Deakin, Earl Gannon, Thomas Johnson, Goody and Ben Deakin, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lester.

The Founder's New Year's Resolution for 1946

I hereby resolve:

- To Preserve our Constitution and Bill of Rights.
- To Promote peace by being prepared to defend it.
- To Perpetuate the safeguards of our liberty—free speech and a free press.
- To Protect the rights of all people to worship God in their own way.
- To Provide a more equitable enjoyment of life's benefits for all our people.

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Over 2,000,000 new trucks needed! Building them will build jobs!

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Few of our basic industries contain as many postwar opportunities as the business of making and selling automobiles.

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Building these cars and trucks will mean jobs—in mines, mills, and factories. Jobs on farms. Jobs in machine shops. More jobs on the railroads that haul raw materials and parts for making automobiles—as well as the finished product.

In addition, the manufacture of tires and parts, and the selling and servicing of automotive equipment, can mean the employment of hosts of other workers. It can mean additional jobs in the country's 250,000 gasoline stations, 85,000 independent service shops, 35,000 car agencies! It can mean jobs in banks and in offices, in the service trades and in the professions!

Here's one of the greatest opportunities for mass employment, mass buying power, mass prosperity, that any nation has ever had! And the automobile industry is just one of many great enterprises along the Chesapeake and Ohio, the Nickel Plate, and the Pere Marquette, that are preparing for greater production than ever before—to satisfy the demands of all of us—and by so doing to multiply jobs and opportunities in this country!

A Report on the Prospects for Postwar Employment in the Industries Served by

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News From Floyd Communities

All-American Red Heads To Play at Wayland, Jan. 8

LAYNESVILLE

The Laynesville Women's Society of Christian Service held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. Hattie Webb...

ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore and daughter, of Ashland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston...

GARRETT

Dr. R. H. Messer, Capt. K. C. Beverly and Mrs. Bill Pezzy were guests of honor Friday evening at a covered dish dinner...

BETSY LAYNE

The Betsy Layne high school girls are the only traveling girls basketball team ever to be featured in both the All-American Red Heads and the All-American Blue Heads...

COLD WAVE PRICES SLASHED... HUGHES DRUG STORE, Prestonsburg, Ky.

College students who spent the holidays here were Mrs. H. H. Messer, Capt. K. C. Beverly, Mrs. Frank Richmond, and Mrs. K. O. Beverly...

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bailey and sons, of Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Butler Betch of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the holidays here with Capt. and Mrs. K. C. Beverly...

Mr. and Mrs. E. Williamson is greatly improved after a severe attack of influenza and diphtheria. Mrs. J. B. Howes and daughter, Mrs. Howes' mother, Mrs. Minnie Woods...



MAYTOWN

Edward Allen has arrived home with an honorable discharge from the army. Herschel Begley spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Begley...

WAYLAND

Wayland Star Chapter No. 434, O.E.S., held its Christmas party December 17 in the Masonic hall here. A turkey dinner was served to 30 members and guests...

HUEYSVILLE

Ollie Joseph and family have been ill of flu. Harold Bridgeway and Rufus Prater left Sunday for Indiana to seek employment...

They Live—If You Remember... E. H. Arnold, FUNDRAISER, PRESTONSBURG, KY.

PYRAMID

Tommy J. Ratliff, petty officer, second class, U.S. navy, formerly of Friends and Relatives, returned here this week-end after being discharged to duty...

DR. J. A. BROWNE

DR. J. A. BROWNE, OPTOMETRIST OPTICIAN, EYES EXAMINED 1st and 3rd WEDNESDAYS OF EACH MONTH. Located Second Floor over Hutsinger Drug Store.

THE WAY THEY LOOK to the automobilist to the tax collector. Paid \$5,297,921 in property taxes.

Kentucky's Highways Were Not Built for Heavy Trucks. It is reported that the commercial trucking interests will seek to have the legislature permanently authorize the operation of trucks with a gross weight of more than 40,000 pounds.

No Benefit to the Public. Only the operators of the superize trucks would be benefited by the proposed law. The 20-ton trucks were permitted here during the war but they did not reduce their charges to the public.

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Tobacco—Something To Be Grown

THE LICKING VALLEY COURIER (West Liberty, Ky.) recently told a story which many Floyd county farmers might read with profit. Briefly, the news-story told of a Morgan county tobacco crop this year that is worth an estimated \$1,667,250 of a crop that will average between 1,350 and 1-

400 pounds to the acre—and a return of around \$650 in cash to the acre of land in cultivation.

That—from Morgan county, a section of the state not famed for the fertility of its soil, but where farming has become a business rather than an avocation. Which causes one to wonder what Floyd might produce; were its farmers determined to show a profit from their soil rather than a mere livelihood.

Tobacco is edging into this county but is a long way from gaining a beach-head because of the tobacco allotment system, now in effect. At least one farmer this year grew tobacco, knowing he would be required to pay a penalty because he had not been allotted a tobacco base. Next year, however, he will be entitled to a base and thus will be in the business, on equal footing with growers of other sections.

Morgan county farmers in the 1939-40 season drew checks totaling \$219,000 and each year thereafter the number and value of tobacco checks have grown and in 1943-44 they hit the million-dollar mark, then last year passing on over to \$1,380,000. And now this year's fine record for a mountain county where coal and oil and gas deposits are not such that agriculture is forgotten as an industry.

These figures do not definitely prove anything to Floyd county where tobacco comes rolled or in the plug or twist; yet they give us something to think about. Something that is not a mere pipe dream.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to express our gratitude to our friends and relatives for their kind services, the words of comfort, and the beautiful floral offerings following the death of our beloved husband and father, Edward Bone, Sr. Especially do we thank the Arnold Funeral Home for its services and the Revs. Willard Akers and Alex. Coburn for their comforting words.—Mrs. Edward Bone and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Osborne.

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Flu Complications Claim John Justice

Pneumonia complications following an attack of influenza resulted in the death last Thursday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, of John Justice, 49 years old, of Woodlee. A son of the late Marion and Liza Justice, Justice, he was a native of this county where he had many relatives and friends. He was a devout member of the Free Will Baptist Church. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Justice, two sons and one daughter: Charlie Justice, Betsy Layne, Noah Justice, Compton, W. E., and Mrs. Victoria Blackburn, of Woods; three brothers and one sister: Jerry Justice, Osborne, Gilbert Justice, McCombs, and Mrs. Fairinda Spears, also of McCombs.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Free Will Baptist Church at Betsy Layne, the Rev. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne officiating. Burial in the Ferguson cemetery at Laysville was directed by the Call Funeral Home.

Dr. and Mrs. William F. Clarke spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke. They reside at Wheeling, W. Va.

Heart Seizure, Fall Fatal to Banner Man At Daughter's Home

Stricken by a heart attack at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bessie Akers, of Banner, Alex Kidd, 70 years old, died a few minutes after falling down a stairway of the Akers home Friday.

Kidd, a member of the Baptist Church for the last 30 years, was a native of this county. His son, Edward Kidd, and his daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Kidd and Mrs. Clifford Akers, were his four daughters. He is survived by Mrs. Victoria Blackburn, West Prestonsburg, and Miss Rose Kidd, Cleveland, Ohio. One sister, Mrs. Mary Gillespie, of Honaker, and a half-brother, George Akers, of Russell, also survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Akers home at Banner, the Rev. Isaac Stratton and Bert Conn officiating. Burial in the Hall cemetery on Preter Church was directed by the Arnold Funeral Home.

Paralysis Fatal To Drift Resident

An old injury from which paralysis developed was believed to have caused the death Dec. 22 of Talmadge Jones, 78 years old, of Woodlee, the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Almada Jones, Sr., of Erie.

Surviving, besides his parents, are two sisters, Thelma and Betty Fay, both of Drift. Funeral rites were conducted on Christmas day from the Free Will Baptist Church and burial in Ingleswood cemetery there was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to the many friends for their kindness during the illness and upon the death of our son and brother. Especially do we thank the Ryan Funeral Home at Martin, the Rev. Badgett, of the First Baptist Church, Hazard, and the many who contributed the beautiful floral offerings.—The P. T. Jones Family.

WITH AIR FORCES IN TEXAS

Harlingen Army Air Field, Texas—Pvt. Billy G. Sargent, of Betsy Layne, Ky., began his nine-week basic training program here today. This course consists of instruction in first aid, map and photo reading, close-order drill, military discipline and camouflage. Instructions in the use of the carbine and other small arms will be given. Forty hours of physical training and four-day bivouac are included in the program.

\$200 REWARD

The undersigned will pay a reward of \$200 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who late Monday night, Dec. 17, or early Tuesday morning, Dec. 18, entered the Wheelwright consolidated school and stole therefrom a safe containing cash and other valuables.

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Craynor Woman, 33, Victim of Diabetis

Mrs. Nannie Puckett, 33 years old, wife of D. C. Puckett, died Sunday, Dec. 19 at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, a victim of diabetes.

Mrs. Puckett, a native of Wise county, Va., was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, two children, Clayton and Elizabeth, four brothers and five sisters. The body was taken to Kingsport, Tenn., where funeral and burial were made Sunday, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

NOTICE

A. M. Howell is filing application for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package. His building is on Route 122, 1 1/2 miles north of HI Hat, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 1-2-42-pd.

Booker Jones, Victim At Tram Residence

Booker Jones, 80-year-old negro, died Tuesday at his home at Preter, a victim of infirmities of age. He is survived by his widow, Jane, and two daughters, Mrs. John Hayburn and Miss Hester Jones, both of Preter. Burial was made at Tram Funeral Home.

PITTS BROTHERS HONORED

Cpl. Curtis Pitts, who has spent more than three years in military service, and Pvt. Adis Pitts, who has been in the army since July 26, last year, both sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pitts, West Prestonsburg, have spent two respective furloughs together and returned to their respective camps—Adis probably for overseas assignment at once, and Curtis for an operation on a wrist injured during overseas duty. A party was given in honor of the two brothers, which was attended by many of their relatives and friends, night before their departure.

ATVINGO NEW SCHOOL

ATVINGO, FRANCE—Classes at the Military Police School in Romilly, 60 miles south of Reims, have a liberal sprinkling of Kentuckians. Capt. Bagdad, Clay Guerrant, Laurel Creek, Lexington, Paducah, South Shore, Uniontown, Valley Station, Waverly, Wartland, The Alphaeta, and the Alphaeta, are among the students attending the school is Pvt. Raymond B. Goble, husband of Mrs. Violet Goble. He participated in the defense of Great Britain, the Ardennes and Rhineland campaigns as a member of the 129th anti-aircraft battalion.

WEEK-END GUEST HERE

Gibby Ann Daniel, of Auxler, was the week-end guest of Lorraine Hall on Maple avenue.

NOTICE

The Board of Trustees, town of Martin, Ky. will on and after this date meet at 10 a.m., on the first Monday of each month in the office adjoining the home of Mrs. Myrtle H. Dillig, Town Clerk, on Main Street, Martin, Ky.

LAWRENCE KEATHLEY, Chairman of Board 1-3-42

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Dana Farmer Dies Tuesday Morning

Albert Spears, 51-year-old Dana farmer, died at his home Tuesday morning after an extended illness. Funeral arrangements were not complete when the Arnold Funeral Home reported the death.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Cora Spears, and 10 sons and daughters: Mrs. Isaac Minkler, Italy, Mexico, Eric, Oscar, Kentis, Della, Mella, Erma and Alene Spears, all of Dana.

Mrs. Woodrow Smith left Tuesday for her home in New York City after spending the holidays with his mother and sister, Mrs. T. W. Smith and Miss Lorraine Smith. Her husband, Chief Electrician W. W. Smith, is on Pacific duty.

SPEND CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS WITH MR. AND MRS. BINGHAM
Those spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Blugham here were Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Pendleton, Joe E. Pendleton and Margaret Wright, all of Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blugham and children, of Prestonsburg; and Mrs. Sallie Gayheart, of Hindman.

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THANKS!

With the beginning of the New Year we wish to thank the people of Prestonsburg and Floyd county for the patronage of our Garage, Accessory and Tire business during 1945. As a matter of fact, our business, this past year, has exceeded our highest expectations. We should thank you folks—and we do.

This time, a year hence, we hope to be in our new building. We will, however, continue to occupy our present quarters on the Mayo Trail at the upper limits of Prestonsburg as well.

To you all we promise our fullest efforts to render the best possible service and at the same time we would express our sincere wishes for a prosperous New Year for each of you.

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Please your family with the things you bake

Here's a flour worthy of your baking skill... A quality product to help you please your family with the biscuits and pastries you make with it. You'll like to work with SNOW GOOSE. Try a sack next time you need flour.

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RITES FOR CHILD HELD AT HI HAT

Bonita Jean, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hayes, of Hi Hat, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Friday following a kidney operation. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Church of God at Hi Hat and burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

90-YEAR-OLD WOMAN VICTIM AT GERMAN

Funeral rites for Mrs. Minnie Phinon, 90-year-old Johns Creek woman, who died Dec. 22 at the home of her son, Hester Phinon, of German, were conducted Dec. 23, the Rev. Henry Dyer officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

DR. O. G. PENNINGTON DENTIST Wright Bldg., Court St. PRESTONSBURG, KY. In former location of Dr. J. S. KELLY

Harris-Collins Vows Said in Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Harris, of the marriage of his sister, Miss Gwen Lee, to Mr. Blaine Collins, of Shelton, Washington, on Dec. 14. The vows were said at 1628 Market street, Chevalier, Washington, the Rev. Oswald L. Anthony officiating in the presence of George and Leona Miller.

Miss Harris' wedding suit was soldier blue with brown accessories. Following a wedding supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, the bride and groom left for a honeymoon in Mexico. They will reside at Shelton, Washington. The bride is the daughter of the late Leo P. Harris and Mrs. Josie Banks Harris and completed high school at Prestonsburg. Mr. Collins is a Kentonham by birth but has resided in Washington for a few years. Their friends here extend best wishes for their happiness.

LEG BROKEN IN WRECK Homer Allen, son of R. T. Allen, is in the Prestonsburg General hospital, his leg broken above the knee as a result of an auto wreck on Abbot's mountain, the night of Dec. 23. Seven others in the auto escaped with minor injuries and only one other, John Milton Caull, was hospitalized.

Society Notes

IN FLORIDA Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Patton left this week by motor for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter. Their many friends hope the sunshine will help them both after many months of illness.

GETS 30-DAY LEAVE S. I. Oliver Webb, Jr., is enjoying a 30-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Salyers, at the home of Mrs. O. Webb. He has been stationed on Oahu and elsewhere in the Pacific for more than a year.

MRS. HARKINS CRITICALLY ILL Mrs. Josie D. Harkins is critically ill at Miami, Florida, where she had gone to spend the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Walter P. Lee, in Larchmont, N. Y. Her daughter, Joseph D. Harkins and Mrs. Roy B. Browning, of Ashland, left last week to be at her bedside. Her many friends are hoping for her speedy recovery.

MAYOR ARNOLD, ILL. Mayor E. P. Arnold is confined to his bed with a severe cold and influenza this week.

REPRESENTATIVE MAY CONSTITUTIONAL IN MIAMI Congressman A. A. May spent the holidays at his home in Miami, Fla., where he will spend a week or more before returning to Washington, D. C.

ARRIVES FROM OVERSEAS Tom Graham Dings, who served in the armed forces in the European theater and was discharged from the army and is at his home here in the Ransdell apartment.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY The New Year was observed Tuesday evening by a group of 50 or more young friends of Miss Laura Virginia Roberts at her home on Beech avenue. Music and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour when refreshments were served.

WATCH PARTY Last of the old year and entrance of the new was observed Monday evening when a number of friends at her home on Graham street, names and dancing were enjoyed until midnight when refreshments were served.

TO ATTEND NEPTULAS Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, Miss Alice Gray Burke and Mrs. Frank H. Layton left Wednesday for Kenosha, Wisconsin, to attend the marriage of Miss and Mrs. Burke's daughter, Winston Layne Burke, to Miss Jayne Mary Probst on Saturday, January 5, at St. George's church.

OPEN HOUSE, CHRISTMAS Miss Emma Louise Patrick was hostess to friends on Christmas when she held open house. Bridge and dancing were enjoyed by her guests who also enjoyed refreshments before they departed.

MISS RIMMER ENTERTAINS Open house was enjoyed New Year's day by friends of Miss Patty Rimmer who received them from 8 p.m. until 11. Games and other entertainment were enjoyed by the group. At 11 o'clock a refreshment course was served by the hostess.

ENTERTAIN RELATIVES Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson entertained relatives to dinner Sunday, Dec. 23, at their home on Highland avenue. At the table were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, of Grundy, Va.; Mrs. Virgie Vickers and Mrs. Sallie Vickers, of Pikeville.

HOME FROM EUROPE Det. Harold Holcomb, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holcomb, Huntington, W. Va., formerly of Prestonsburg, arrived home for Christmas and will be discharged from Ft. Meade, Md., after four and a half years of army service, 20 months spent in the European theater. He was recently discharged from a hospital in England after being a patient for three months.

PLEDGE SERVICE The Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Society Guild of the Methodist Church will hold a joint pledge service Jan. 14 at the church at 7:30 p.m.

MR. MARTIN Sgt. Earle Martin has received his army discharge after four years of service. Mr. Martin and wife were visitors here this week. He at The Floyd County Times office where he formerly was associate editor.

MR. AND MRS. HOWARD VISIT IN HUNTINGTON Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Howard are spending a few days this week in Huntington, W. Va., guests of their daughter, Mrs. Norman Dial, and Mr. Dial.

M. T. DOTSON, M. D. Office: Opposite Courthouse PHONE 6341

ZEBULON LODGE No. 271 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: W. A. and F. O. Degrees, first Saturday, M. M. Degree third Saturdays. G. H. DINGUS, W. M. D. E. CHAPIN, Secretary

Prestonsburg Chapter No. 182 ROYAL ARCH MASONS Meets on 4th Saturday, each month, at 7:30 p.m. Visiting companions are always welcome. EUGENE ALLEN, H. P. Z. S. DICKERSON, Secy.

Miss Sturgill, Mr. Skaggs Wed Here December 22 In Ceremony at Church

The Prestonsburg Methodist Church was the scene on Saturday, Dec. 22, of the marriage of Miss Winifred Mason Sturgill, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Forest May Skaggs, son of Mrs. E. P. Sturgill, of Pikeville. The pastor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, was the officiating minister in marriage by her father, were a gown of white Duchess satin, fashioned with a yoke of marquisette outlined in draped satin folds, long fitted sleeves which ended in points over the hands, a basque bodice below which skirt ended in a long train. Her veil of imported illusion fell from a heart shaped tunic of aged pearls. She carried a bouquet of white orchids.

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BONANZA

Mr. and Mrs. Naaman Stone returned home Tuesday from Ada, Okla., where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Music, who was taken to Memorial hospital at Lima, O.

David Howell has returned home from overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harmon and little son, Gary Lynn, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon and Mrs. Lewis Dotson.

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Gas Workers Union Re-Elects Howard

Members of Prestonsburg Local 510, CIO, re-elected L. B. Howard president of the local at their annual election of officers Dec. 23 at Alma. Also re-elected were R. L. Pitts, secretary-treasurer; and Thomas Patrick, recording secretary.

Major changes in the organization saw the naming of Marvin Marshall as committee man for the station department and chairman of the workmen's committee; Jack Ratliff, committee man for the field department; and Warner Willis for the drillers and tooldressers department.

Lemon Juice Recipe Cures Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple, inexpensive home recipe that dissolves away the cause of your pain. Get a package of Bufferin, 4 weeks supply, add 1/2 cup of lemon juice to a quart of water, add 1/2 cup of sugar, 1/2 cup of salt, 1/2 cup of vinegar and 1/2 cup of oil. Shake well and drink 3 or 4 glasses a day. It will clear up your system in 48 hours. If the pain does not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Bufferin will cost you nothing to try as it is free by your doctor. Bufferin is the money-back guarantee. Bufferin is available for sale and recommended by Hughes Drug Store.

To My Customers and Friends Of the Last Fifteen Years:

On Dec. 6, 1945, I resigned my position as distributor for the Gulf Refining Company—a place in the business life of the community and county that I have held and enjoyed for the last 15 years. As a matter of fact, I have for so long been associated with the Gulf Refining Company that I have acquired the name, "Gulf Smith."

During this time I have served hundreds of dealers and customers with Gulf gasoline and motor oil. All these I am proud to number among my closest friends. Although I am no longer in the wholesale gasoline and oil business, I wish you always to remember me as your friend. This, I assure you, is a sentiment I hold for all who by their patronage have contributed to the success of my business.

I will never forget such good friends.

C. H. Smith

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Plays the Lead

Boy Realizes \$900 from Two Acres of Garden

More than \$900 worth of vegetables grown on less than two acres is the record of Keith Chestnut, 4-H member in Laurel county...

By June 15, there were green beans for the family table, tomatoes by June 25 and roasting ears by June 28...

Young Chestnut started his garden in the fall of 1944 when he planted cover crops...

DOROTHY LAMOUR, star of Paramount's "A Medal for Benny" says, "Royal Crown Cola plays the lead with me - it won my taste-test!"

ROYAL CROWN BOTTLING CO. Patonsville, Ky.

Business and Financial Outlook for 1946

By ROGER W. BABSON

1946 IN A NUTSHELL

Table with 2 columns: Category (Bonds, Inflation, etc.) and Outlook (Steady, Increased, etc.)

1. The great event of 1945 was the ending of World War II. A great event of 1946 will be the start of harvesting economic energy to bring about a new industrial era.

2. A year ago the United States Babson Index of the Physical Volume of Business finally registered 100 a year ago, today it is estimated at 100, 1946 will show a further advance...

3. The re-conversion of industry from war to peace business will increase during 1946. Both raw material prices and manufactured goods will be larger.

4. Inventories, quoted both at their price values and their quantities, will increase during 1946. Both raw material piles and manufactured goods will be larger.

5. Some rationing may continue through most of 1946, but it will gradually be lessened.

6. Retail prices of most manufactured products will be higher during 1946 than at present. Prices of some commodities will be lower.

7. The unit sales of some department stores will begin to decline during 1946, but unit sales of the food and variety chains may increase during 1946.

8. The great question mark of 1946 will be the price of wheat and other farm products. The government will dispose of billions of dollars worth of unneeded farm products.

9. Pending a weather upset, more bushels of corn and wheat and more bales of cotton will be raised in 1946 than ever before in our history.

10. Although some prices may slide off some other prices will rise. 1946 should hold up fairly well.

11. The price of eggs will increase in certain fruits, fish products and vegetables with a decline in prices of some other commodities.

12. The per capita consumption of meat will be higher in 1946 than in 1945. The per capita consumption of eggs will be higher above the pre-war level of 1933-1939.

13. Lumber and poultry products will continue to increase in price, but sugar and some canned goods will continue to decline.

14. Farmers will start in 1946 to work to extend legislation on their part program due to fear of a post-war collapse in farm prices.

15. Taxes will not be increased in 1946. The federal deficit will continue to increase during 1946, but I expect it will be smaller than in 1945.

16. Whatever is done about taxes, the cost of living will continue to rise during 1946 due largely to increased wages.

17. Providing jobs for returning soldiers at satisfactory wages will be one of the major tasks of 1946. There will be jobs for all, but not at the wages desired.

18. The volume of retail sales will be about the same as in 1945. Sales of ladies apparel and general luxuries will be higher than in 1945. The total dollar retail sales should exceed 1945 with an increased demand for woolen and cotton textiles.

19. There will be a great demand for men's clothing and especially for suits with home standard length "tails."

20. Wise shoppers will buy only what they need and not grab to stock up unnecessarily.

21. The United States will own over 50 per cent of the world's shipping in 1946.

22. We will make England and some other countries loans provided they will agree to open up a larger portion of the money in the United States.

23. Both the British Empire and Russia will keeply compete for foreign trade during 1946; but cartels and government monopolies will be frowned upon.

24. Russia, Germany and England may try to "gang up" against the United States but we will fearlessly oppose such actions if they occur.

25. The Little Steel Formula will be forgotten during 1946. The year will be noted for strikes and labor troubles.

26. Industrial employment during 1946 will be off both in hours and in payrolls. Labor leaders' efforts notwithstanding.

27. Many industries, now operating on a 48-hour week, will return to a 40 or 45-hour week during 1946.

It is estimated that the Thorne wheat acreage in Simpson county is 30 times that of a year ago.

Utilities Elkhorn Safety Record, Good

A good safety record as well as a number of between-inspection improvements were commended by a federal coal mine inspector...

During the first six months of 1945, the output for each disabling injury rose to 38,081 tons—nearly three times as much as the average bituminous mine...

Both wage and price controls will gradually be removed during 1946 until the government throws up its hands and lets nature take its course.

Some time after 1946, production will catch up with consumption. People will have spent their money and then there will be a surplus of goods.

Health continues good. He will be the world's most important factor in determining world prices as well as production.

The railroads will decline some time during 1946. Certain airplane manufacturing, shipbuilding and other steel stocks will be higher.

The safest stocks to buy—consolidated value, income and growth will continue to be the merchandise stocks, especially chain store stocks.

1946 may see a large increase in the demand for infant stocks with a lesser demand for non-inflation stocks.

Stock markets will continue to fluctuate during 1946. Certain airplane manufacturing, shipbuilding and other steel stocks will be higher.

Although bank loaning rates should have an upward tendency, interest rates in general will remain low through 1946.

Government financing demands continued low rates.

Anticipating the expected decline in federal taxes, 1946 should see a falling off in the number of municipal and probably other tax-exempt bonds.

The high-grade corporation bonds may hold steady but sooner or later the market will be flooded with lower grade issues.

City real estate should hold its own, except in the former congested residential areas where declines may set in.

Small productive farms will continue to increase in price, but large commercial farms will sell for less in 1946 than in 1945.

Building will show a considerable increase. Contracts will be up with advanced prices due to scarcity of lumber, cement, bricks and labor.

Office and residential rents during 1946 may be expected to increase.

1946 may see the beginning of a real building boom. The pessimists will make little money in 1946.

Politics and Post-War Peace. We may expect less control of Congress, but he will try to take a middle-of-the-road position.

Our foreign headlines will be more war and more frequent during 1946. What we are going through to reorganize Germany will be repeated in other countries.

The Latin-American honeymoon has passed its peak. The attitude of Argentina will increase during 1946.

1946 will see more religious interest, including more church-going, than did 1945. People gradually are realizing that without a spiritual awakening no peace or other plans will be much good.

Nations cannot be depended upon to operate and stick to their agreements unless they recognize God as the final Ruler and Guide.

Thirty-six 4-H clubs in Casey county have an enrollment of 823 members.

BETSY LAYNE

(Continued from Page 3) Clyde W. Blackburn left Tuesday for Lexington where he will become a student at the University.

Sgt. J. D. Stinner arrived recently to spend a furlough with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Strain, Capt. Henry Stratton arrived last week after having spent more than a year in the Pacific area.

Claude May is applying for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package in the Houser Stewart building on Route 80, near the Houser Stewart store, Landey, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law.



Henry Stephens, Jr. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Prestonsburg, Ky. Practicing in all Kentucky courts.

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OUT-OF-DATE LAW IS A THREAT TO YOUR INCOME! HERE'S WHY! All communities in Kentucky are dependent on trucking...

THE PRESENT LAW Kentucky's permanent law limits the gross weight of trucks, but as to only 18,000 and length truck-trailer to only 30 feet. Kentucky's new law is higher for business and farmers, too.

THE PROPOSED LAW Every state bordering Kentucky has identified limits for trucks. Kentucky's proposed law should be about 70% of all states.

KENTUCKY MOTOR TRANSPORT ASSN. INCORPORATED Republic Building... Louisville 2, Kentucky

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Three Jailed in Theft Of Taxicab Here Jewell Minix, Steve Smith and Marion Hatfield were returned to jail here Dec. 29 after having been arrested in Ohio on an auto theft charge. They are accused of stealing the taxicab of Charlie Letery. The three were returned here by state highway police.

ROYAL Theatre PAINTSVILLE, KY.

Thurs.-Fri. January 3-4 "OBJECTIVE, BURMA" with Errol Flynn, William Prince, George Tobias, Bill Hull, Warner Anderson, John Alvin and Stephen Richards. Also RKO Radio News.

Saturday, January 5 "BORDER BADMEN" with Buster Crabbe and Al (Fuzzy) St. John.

Second Feature—"GIRL OF THE LIMBERLOST" (first run), with Ruth Nelson, Loren Tiodah, Dorinda Clifton, Gloria Holden and Ernest Cossart. Also "Snowland Sentinels" and Chapter 4, "The Adventures of the Flying Cadets," with Johnny Downs and Robert Armstrong.

Sun.-Mon. January 6-7 "SWING FEVER" with Kay Kyser and his orchestra, Marilyn Maxwell, William Carson, Nat Pendleton, Lena Horne, Harry Habbitt, Sully Mason, Jan Klabikoff, Julie Conway and Trudy Irwin.

Second Feature—"PRISON SHIP" (first run), with Nina Foch, Robert Lowery, Richard Lee, Erik Rolf, Ludwig Donath, Robert Scott and Barry Bernard. Also "Half-Way to Heaven," with Betty Rhodes and Johnny Johnston.

Tuesday, Jan. 3—One Day Only—"LIFE WITH BLONDIE" (first run), with Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake, Larry Simms, Marjorie Kent, Jonathan Hale, Ernest Truex and Daley. Also Fox Movietone News.

Wednesday, January 3 "BLAZING THE WESTERN TRAIL" (first run), with Charles Starrett, Fox Harding and Jimmy Wakely and his Saddle Pals.

Second Feature—"BABES ON SWING STREET" with Ann Byrnes, Peggy Ryan, Leon Errol, Alma Kruger, Andy Devine, Anne Crayne, Kirby Grant and Freddie Slack and his band. Also "Sagehen's Birthday" a cartoon, and Chapter 14, "Jungle Raiders," with Kane Richmond and Veda Ann Borg.

Thurs.-Fri. January 10-11 "GOD IS MY CO-PILOT" with Dennis Morgan, Raymond Massey, Dane Clark, Alan Hale, Andrew King, Stanley Ridges, Craig Stevens, Warren Douglas and Minor Watson. Also, RKO Radio News.

1 (Continued from Page One) solemnized here Dec. 22 by the Rev. L. A. Smiley. Torry May Stokes, Jr. and Winifred Mason Sturgill, John and Thelma Hall, 13, both of Wheelwright; married Dec. 24 at Wheelwright by the Rev. Duell C. Ferguson. Ed Laffer, 29, dentist, and Gladys Wicker, 28, farmer's wife, were united in matrimony Dec. 22 by the Rev. James W. Roark. Homer O. Salver, 28, Wayland, and Opal L. Shepherd, 20, Pikeville; marriage solemnized Dec. 24 at Maytown by the Rev. L. E. Wells. Hillard Roy Yates, 17, and Bureta Tackett, 17, both of Logan; marriage solemnized Dec. 24 by the Rev. J. M. Hall. Clifford Brannham, 18, and Bobbie Deloris Weaver, 17, both of Allen; married Dec. 24 by the Rev. W. E. Warrick. Foster Johnson, 26, Melvin, and Ellen Leach-Burcheit, 21, Auxier; married at Melvin Dec. 24 by Elder Bud Johnson. John W. Belcher, 34, Halo, and Ollie Emmert Dec. 24 here by the Rev. A. Smiley. Glenn M. Ratcliff and Maxine Spurson, Curtis Hunt and Callie Hunt, Earl Walters, 18, Emma, and Edwin Colman Johnson, 21, Prestonsburg; married here Dec. 26 by the Rev. A. Smiley. Merrill Kester, 35, and Virginia Chapman, 33, both of Huntington, W. Va.; married at Deale Dec. 26 by the Rev. Arthur Caudill. Jarvey Vance, 67, and Mary Ann Pugh, 22, both of Beaver; married at McDowell Dec. 26 by the Rev. Sherman Crum. Gold Howard, 18, and Ole Cox, 18, both of Garrettsville; married here Dec. 24 by County Judge E. P. Hill. John Barnes, 21, Ivel, and Bessie Irene Lafferty, 22, Prestonsburg; married here Dec. 27 by the Rev. James W. Roark. Arnold Eugene Tackett, 21, and Alma Mae Ann Pugh, 21, both of Logan; solemnized Dec. 28 by Elder Bud Johnson. Dallas Cook, 28, and Victoria Evans, 21, both of Garrettsville; married Dec. 28 by the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating. Steve Weaver, 27, and Mabel Bryan, 24, both of Melvin; married at West Prestonsburg Dec. 31 by the Rev. G. B. Fannin. Miles Slope and Marie Slope. Joe Edward Patton and Ernestine Elise Gill Barnett and Bertha Baugh Dooz, 18, Hunter; married here Jan. 2 by County Judge E. P. Hill. Shirley Howell and Mary L. Moore.

2 (Continued from Page One) WHAT'S IN A NAME? A recent discussion of the various ways of spelling proper names recalls this one—May—yep, spelled just like the merry mon. Then on a geographical evolution the name "pool gal" "xy" was changed to "e" and it was spelled "May" on the way back and "e" was added for good measure. "May" is the name of a girl which contrived to face without too much marring. Then came the last stroke—the change of "i" to "al." The gal got married and now I wonder her name has been shortened just to plain "Ma!"

Wayland Woman, 57, Paralysis Victim Mrs. Ora Hicks, 57 years old, wife of Ballard Hicks, died last Thursday at her home in Wayland, a victim of paralysis following an illness of three years.

A daughter of the late Daniel and Sarah Hicks, she was a native of this county where she had many relatives and friends. Besides her husband, she is survived by the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Cliff Moore, all of Mousie; Mrs. Bert Nichols, Wayland; Mrs. John Wicker, of Mousie; Curd of the army; Ballard Hicks, Jr., Wayland. She also leaves three brothers, Albert Wicker, Mrs. Calliey Chaffins, Mrs. Virgie Wicker, all of Mousie; Mrs. Code Parsons, Whitesburg, and Mrs. Ethel Triplett, Mousie. Funeral rites were conducted Dec. 28 from the Mousie school, the Rev. Alex Coburn, Hawk Mousie, and M. M. Chastain officiating. Burial was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

Mrs. Della Jones, 66, Dies of Heart Disease Mrs. Belle Jones, 66 years old, wife of Vester Jones, died Sunday at her home at Logon after a six-month illness of heart disease.

A daughter of the late James and Frances Reynolds, she was a native of this county where she had many friends and relatives. Surviving, besides her husband, are two sons and daughters: Robert, Silas, Henry and Clara Jones; Mrs. Kenzie Tackett; and Miss Lizzie Jones, all of Logon; Mrs. Joseph Osborne and Mrs. Arnold Tackett, both of Logon; Mrs. Thurman Hutchinson, Louisa, and Mrs. Frank Vaughan, Crossonsburg. She also leaves one brother and one sister, Thustus Reynolds and Mrs. Melvin Jones of Logon.

Old Injuries Held Humble Death Cause Death of Ike Humble, 29 years old, well-known resident of Dwayne, on Dec. 19 was attributed to injuries suffered four years ago as a result of an accident at the Beaver Coal & Mining Company, Drift.

Mr. Humble was married to Miss Ollie Meade May 18, 1935 and to this union were born three sons and one daughter, Donald and Leonard, the latter preceding him in death. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Laura Humble, of Dwayne, one brother, Earl Humble, of Dwayne, and one sister, Mrs. Carson Tipton, Wheelwright; Mrs. Clarence Thomas, Betty Layne, Mrs. J. T. Ball, Allen; Mrs. Lawrence Thomas, Betty Layne; Mrs. James Spaulding, Betty Layne; Mrs. Perry Meade, Printer; Peggy Jo and Valda Humble, of Dwayne. Funeral services were conducted by the Revs. Henry Purson and T. M. Meade and burial was at the Spurlink Port of Left Beaver under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

GARRETT MINER DIES AT MARTIN HOSPITAL Joe Hink, Garrett miner of foreign extraction, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Dec. 21, a victim of cancer. He had no known relatives. Burial at Garrettsville was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S NEWS

By CLAUDE S. SPROWLES Executive Secretary Disabled Service Men's Board Lexington 9, Ky.

RE-INSTATEMENT OF Lapsed Insurance A recent Service Life Insurance which has lapsed because of failure to pay premiums within the grace period of 31 days from the date may be re-instated at any time, upon written application, signed by the applicant. The veteran must make payment of all monthly premiums in arrears with interest from their severance due dates at the rate of 5 percent per year, compounded annually, and upon submission of evidence of insurability satisfactory to the Administrator of Veterans Affairs. Until six months after the end of World War II, National Service Life Insurance on the eight-year level premium schedule plan may be reinstated prior to the expiration of the eight-year term period, upon written application signed by the veteran. Accompanying the application must be evidence of the veteran's insurability premiums. The veteran administrator of Veterans Affairs, and the payment of two monthly premium amounts of the amount to be reinstated.

WAIVER OF PAYMENT OF PREMIUMS Veterans who are totally disabled may make application for a waiver of insurance premiums to the veteran. Must have been or will be totally disabled for a period of six consecutive months. The face amount of the policy will not be decreased by reason of any premiums having been waived nor will such premiums be deducted in any settlement of the policy.

INFORMATION Information relative to all veterans' affairs is obtainable, without charge, through the office of the Executive Director, Service Men's Board, American Legion Post, Service Officers will always be pleased to assist in any problems which may arise.

Re-Enlists in Army, To Stay in Europe REIMS, France (Delayed)—Most long-point soldiers who re-enlist in the army in Europe hope for an early furlough home, but not so with Pfc. Robert L. Edwards, of Prestonsburg, Ky. He just wants to go to Germany.

Pfc. Edwards, a 37-point veteran of two European campaigns, has declined a 90-day furlough offered by the army recruiting service before he enlists for an additional one-year hitch and has asked instead that he be sent to Germany for occupational duty. "When I go home, I want to stay there," remarked the 26-year-old soldier after being re-inducted at Camp Pittsburgh, in the One Intermediate Section Assembly Area. "If I took a furlough now, I would be in the army a month longer in the end. I'd rather have a solid year and go it over with." He further explained that he might be shipped to the Pacific to have a furlough in the United States, and he prefers Europe. "Actually, I'm not losing anything," he continued, "and as I see it, I stand to gain all around. I'd be in the army at least a year, anyway." Pfc. Edwards, who was originally inducted into the army in April, 1943, and has been overseas for eight months, saw combat as a medical aid man with a company of the 90th Infantry Regiment, 7th Division, through the battles of the Ardennes and Central Europe. He has the Central Medical Badge. Prior to joining the army, Pfc. Edwards was a coal miner with the Lecky Collieries Company, Anick, Ky. He lived with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Mornor Lafayette, Prestonsburg. An uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Edwards, reside in West Prestonsburg.

McDowell Racks Up Three Wins To Run Season String to 17-2

McDowell, Ky., Dec. 24 (Sp.)—McDowell completed its unblemished basketball schedule with three victories in three nights. Dec. 20, McDowell got revenge for an early season loss by defeating Virgie at Virgie, 44-23. Friday night, McDowell played at Van Lear where they defeated the Bank Mills 75-24. Saturday night, McDowell defeated the strong Prestonsburg five in the McDowell gym, 40-38. McDowell's next game is with first creek at Blue Diamond, Jan. 5. These three wins left McDowell with a 17-2 record.

Line-up: McDowell (44) Post, Virgie (32) Halbert (14) ... F. ... Castle (2) B. Hall (12) ... F. ... Mullin (12) Turner (12) ... C. ... Tackett (2) W. Hall (3) ... G. ... Newsome (6) Haylett (3) ... G. ... Smith (5) Substitutions: McDowell—Hewlett; Virgie—Johnson, Referee—Looney.

McDowell (78) Post, Van Lear (54) Halbert (19) ... F. ... Jennings (3) B. Hall (12) ... F. ... Rice (2) Turner (8) ... C. ... Spout (2) W. Hall (15) ... G. ... Horn Hewlett (4) ... G. ... C. ... Substitutions: McDowell—Pruess (2), Ward (6), Stamba (4), Stanton, Van Lear—Phillips, Preston (2), Bell, Hunker.

Mrs. Ellen Harris Dies at Bevinville

Mrs. Ellen Harris, 33 years old, wife of Bill Harris, died Dec. 24 at her home at Bevinville. Funeral was held at Bevinville last Thursday, with burial in the Buckhannon cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home. Surviving, besides her husband, are one brother and one sister, Dave Cook, of Bevinville, and Mrs. Willie Meade, Memphis, Ky. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cook, preceded her in death.

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ABIGAIL THEATRE THURS.-FRI. JAN. 2-4—"Man Alibi" Pat O'Brien, Adolphe Menjou, Rudy Vallee. "My Mad Genius" (comedy, in technicolor). Miracle Makers. Matinee—1:30. Nights—7:01 and 8:36. SATURDAY—Tickets any time between 11:00 and 1:14 p.m., 6:37 p.m. and 8:12 p.m.—Social—"PIANOTOM RIDER." SATURDAY—3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—"The Daltons Ride Again" Alan Curtis, Martha O'Driscoll. Airlines to Everywhere. Shorts. SUNDAY—MONDAY—"State Fair" (in technicolor) Dana Andrews, Jeanne Crain, Dick Haymes. Sunday matinee—1:01 and 2:47. Monday matinee—1:30. Nights—7:01 and 8:45. TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY—"It All Came True" Humphrey Bogart, Ann Sheridan. News. "Mighty Mouse and the Silver Streak" (comedy in technicolor). Matinee: 1:30. Nights—7:01 and 8:45.

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