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This Town-- That World

SQUAWKING, NOT HONKING
If you were a mule, easy from Prestonsburg and know the breeze a distant squawking—that wasn't wild geese; it was Prestonsburg squawking at consumers' yodeling complaints about last month's bills. Of them all, Penn Fitzpatrick, grocer, was probably most articulate. Spattered rain when he saw his bill for water:

"I knew the flood got in my store but I didn't think it came through the meter!"

AND SAW OUR SHADOW
Ground Hog Day, they say, was last Friday. Changes were made in this office three days later and I emerged from my old den.

DON'T BE TOO SELFISH
Now we have inflation. Many have been wondering what it would be like. If they'll pause to think and look around, they'll find "the vicious spiral" is not pronounced in every phase of living, but here in Prestonsburg inflation, in the article, has real estate in the grasp. Building lots that sold for \$400, now \$1,000 and \$2,000; residences that normally sell for \$5,000 going for \$5,000 and \$6,000. Folks who don't want to sell afraid to name a price.

And rent don't mention you! Now, the business of any property owner is none of our business, but we would remind all and sundry that it's quite possible that this biggest business will, in the long run, hurt you and all of us more than it helps temporarily. Just because a small percentage of the population of the town newcomers—have no places of abode and must have them, is no reason for us who have property to rent to be unreasonable. The stranger who, in our gates is finding little of Kentucky hospitality here, these days. Instead, we are standing with stretched hands; our theme song, like that of the leech doctor's daughters—
"City, City."

Most of these folks are not here of their own choice. They are here on business. Some of them might stay if they are treated right, and most of them might go elsewhere if they're not. Remember that.

THIRD STREET BLUES
Third Street has the "blues" again. It's not to turn an old phrase around so righteously as "very, very, very noisy." City, state, county, somebody, come to our rescue before we have to report somebody to the Missing Persons Bureau.

To Dr. Sherrill E. L. Sturgill much of the credit goes for starting the moving relative in the local corporation to maintain and help build a "road" connecting the Johns Creek dam with Floyd county. The success of this may not be realized unless you are reminded that Pike county already has a good road down Johns Creek to what will be known as creek-water and that Johnson county is planning a road across the hill from Van Lear to the top of the dam. In a word, our neighbors are on their toes and, if we aren't, too, we'll be left on our posterior.

NOT TOO LATE TO GIVE
Prestonsburg folk who haven't contributed to the drive for the fight on infantile paralysis may yet do so by handing or mailing the money they wish to give to Mrs. Dick Davis or Mrs. A. B. ...

Court House Happenings

STAYS FILED
Donald Whitten vs. Clarence Dunigan; Joseph D. Hawkins, Jr., atty. Hadley Osborne vs. Laura Osborne; Joseph D. Hawkins, Jr., atty. Sylvester Blackburn vs. Ethel Blackburn; H. R. Burke, atty. Irene Nunney Martin vs. Rufus Martin; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Elsie Draught Patton vs. Curtis Patton; S. C. Ferguson, atty. Bill Hunt vs. Anna Hunt; W. S. Willey, atty. Oliver Willey vs. Carrie Willey; Joe Hobson vs. Ernest Branham vs. Ernest Branham; B. M. James, atty. Grace Bates, etc. vs. L. H. Layne, atty.; Joe Hobson, atty. Mary Stephens Estep vs. George Estep; B. M. James, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Johnnie Prater, 26, Blue River, and Helen Eleanore Addis, 15, McDaniel, married Jan. 31 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Clifford Mullins, 21, Camanna, Ky., and Albert Littin, 17, Melvin, married solemnized Jan. 31 by the Rev. Wm. Lee Day at Marvin. Burton Jones, 21, and Dora Margen, 16, both of Hi Hat; marriage solemnized Feb. 1 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Grover Sexton, 27, Dritz, and Nollie McKinney, 24, Ambs; married at Harold Hill, 11, Magistrate Dewey Roberts, atty. Dewey Deo Rattiff, 24, and Imogene Oaudill, 21, both of Mossy Bottom; marriage solemnized Feb. 1 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, atty.

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VOLUME XVII

THURSDAY

BIDS SOUGHT ON 2 SCHOOL STRUCTURES

Mrs. Hall Quits, Husband Back As Superintendent; Building Here Planned
Mrs. Hollie B. Hall, wife of Town Hall, Tuesday tendered to the Floyd County Board of Education her resignation as Superintendent of Schools, and will assume the position of terminating any official connection with the school system.

Had she continued in office three weeks longer for her connection with the Board of Education as secretary and later as Superintendent would have extended over exactly 10 years. Mr. Hall was promptly re-elected by the Board as Superintendent.

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Flood Flood Relief Figures for Floyd Cited at Meeting

Final figures on the recent flood disaster were reported by the Floyd County Chapter, American Red Cross, at a meeting held Friday, Feb. 1, at the chapter offices here.

SLIDE KILLS RELL SPEARS

Betsy Layne Man Dies Instantly As Shovel Buried by Landslide
Rell Spears, 58 years old, of Betsy Layne, was instantly killed near Elkton City Monday when a slide of several tons of earth and stone covered the steam shovel he was operating for the Hatter Brothers Construction Company. His skull was crushed.

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ELDERLY MAN WITHOUT BOND

Following Hearing In Alleged Attempt To Rape 6-Year-Old
Held without bond in the county jail here is 65-year-old Sam Hildwood after County Judge Alex L. Davidson Saturday gave him a hearing on a charge of attempting the rape of a six-year-old McDowell child.

Floyd County Native World Court Judge

Green H. Hackworth, State Dept. Adviser, International Figure
Born Hywood Hackworth, who was born on Spruck fork of Middle Creek near what is now Dock Point, Wednesday reached another milestone in his life when he was appointed as one of the 15 judges of the International Court of Justice.

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War Brides Arriving

Melvin, Wheelwright, Estill, Betty Layne Homes Plan Welcome
Four discharged veterans of World War II either were on their way to New York this week to meet their war brides arriving from overseas or were preparing, with the help of homelife, to give them a joyous welcome when they reach their new homes in this county.

War Brides Arriving

The American Red Cross in New York wired Floyd Chapter that three of the war brides will be getting on the Queen Mary and that their transportation to their ultimate destination will be provided by the military unless relatives meet them in New York. In that event, transportation will not be furnished. The four soon to arrive in the county are:

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YOUTH SAID HE SPENT FOUR HOURS IN STORE HE, 2 OTHERS LOOTED

"I spent from 11 o'clock till 4 o'clock in Richmond's" Roland Sizemore, who, Abbe Stone, was returned here Monday from Louisville by Sheriff T. B. Sturgill and was quoted as talking the officers in a discussion of the store looting charge. Mr. Stone and Joe Cooley, all of the Tom Branch section, said:

SCHOOL TERM OF 8 MONTHS

Seen If Budget Bill Proposed by Howell Okeed by Assembly
The 1945-46 term of seven months was drawing to a close this week for most of Floyd county's rural schools. If the budget bill proposed by Representative Jerry F. Howell passes the State Legislature an eight-month term is in prospect for next year as well as for the following year, it was said at the County Superintendent's office Tuesday.

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Witte To Represent Federal Government In Dam Construction
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WAR BRIDES ARRIVING

Even in times of drought a pool of 11,000 acre feet extending 11 miles up Johns Creek from the dam will be maintained for conservation purposes. The dam would extend the pool 30 1/2 miles up Johns Creek over an area of 3,100 acres.

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WAR VETERAN TRAIN VICTIM

Taylor Skeans Dies At Hospital Here Wednesday Night
Taylor Skeans, father of 13, who volunteered for army service in 1942 and was discharged in 1945, died in the Prestonsburg General Hospital at 11 o'clock Wednesday night, two hours after he had been struck by a coal train at the Middle Creek bridge. The veteran was walking along the tracks near the mouth of Caney when the train struck him and it was said at the Arnold Funeral Home that he apparently did not hear the cars when it was hauling a load of coal to what was the main line at West Prestonsburg.

COURT VOTES ROAD TO DAM

To Maintain Road To Auxier and Aid In New Construction
The Floyd fiscal court at its meeting last Thursday took action to a resolution stating the court's willingness to go-operate the bridge over the middle gap of a mile or more road between the Auxier bridge and the site of the dam itself.

SCENE CHANGE FOR ROBINSON

Motor Brakeman Dies Day After Sustaining Injuries In Hi Hat Mine
Tom King, 33 years old, motor brakeman for the Hi Hat Mining Company at the Hi Hat mine, died at the Beaver Valley hospital yesterday of injuries sustained on the preceding day when dragged against a mine trolley by a car onto which a rock had fallen from the mine roof.

TOURNEY CARD DECIDED HERE

Coaches, Principals Meet Here To Prep For Net Tournament
Representatives of the nine Floyd high school basketball teams met at the office of the County Superintendent on Saturday morning to draw for positions in the district tourney to be held at Garrett March 7-8.

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... a State of Lawlessness Exists ...

WHEN Commonwealth's Attorney John Chris Cornett last Thursday morning moved that the Commonwealth be granted a change of venue for the trial of Lonnie Robinson on a charge of murdering two Prestonsburg policemen, much of the import of his words did not "register" with courtroom spectators and with others who later read and heard of his statement.

Quietly, dispassionately, the prosecutor stated the need for a trial outside Floyd county and surrounding counties. There was nothing of the dramatic or sensational about the way he said it—but the words shrieked a challenge to all law-abiding people in this section.

John Chris Cornett said, in part: "Such a state of lawlessness exists in Floyd county and adjacent counties thereto that a fair trial cannot be had in Floyd county."

The man accused of shooting to death two men garbed in the uniform and vested with the duties of law-enforcement officers did not ask for trial elsewhere. It was the Commonwealth that feared justice could not be had. Thus is the challenge to those who respect the law and abhor lawlessness emphasized.

Some men will say Mr. Cornett would better have served the county had he left this unsaid; they will say THE TIMES

would better serve by ignoring it. But we content that the cry of "Fire" is justified when the conflagration is apparent; that refusal of those who see the fire to heed will not put it out.

The Commonwealth's Attorney was qualified to speak and was entitled to speak. Although here only a month, he was in a position to know. Daily he saw intimately the activities about him as the circuit court sought to arrive at the "golden mean" of justice for accused and accuser alike. Police here and officers over the county had first-hand information of conditions; their knowledge was available to him.

This statement of Mr. Cornett's does not mean that men are prowling every town and hamlet and countryside, murderer-bent, guns in hand. It does not mean that the peaceable citizen cannot go and come without danger of death or injury.

It goes deeper than that—to the spirit that prevails the county and neighboring counties. This is the spirit that is as truly lawless as that of the hair-in-eyes bedeviled whose intellect has never risen above his bestial instincts. It is the spirit which possesses some so-called "good people"—that the law is a rule only for others, a scrap of paper to be cast aside if it interferes with one's own desires. It is the spirit which leads men and women to cast their lot with the criminal, rather than with law and order and those who represent such orderliness.

To overcome this state of lawlessness the courts will need to dedicate themselves to the high emprise of demanding plain and simple justice for every individual; officers of the law will need to conduct themselves, personally, and officially, with a deeper consciousness of duty and of their obligation to every citizen. And the schools and churches will perform a very real service by emphasizing education in good citizenship.

The cry of "Fire!" has been sounded. It is no false alarm. It will do no good to ignore it.

DISCHARGED WITHIN PAST FOUR MONTHS

The following list was compiled by L. C. Hinkle, local veterans employment representative, United States Employment Service, Prestonsburg, from notices received from separation centers:

S/Sgt. William J. Reynolds, Jr., Martin; Pfc. Herman Crisp, Martin; Pfc. Junior Hackworth, Bratton; Pfc. Ralph Porter, Allen; Pfc. Wilfred Meade, Cliff; T/4 Orville R. Porter, West Prestonsburg; Pfc. Charley Jesse, Banner; Pfc. Clifford Turner, McDowell; Pfc. Ben Fraley, Jr., Prestonsburg; Pvt. Glenn H. Hall, Wayland; Pfc. Woodrow Smith, Garrett; Cpl. John Hamilton, Pfc. Amos Batley, David; Pvt. Henry Johnson, Risner; Pvt. Freddie Adams, Whitaker; Sgt. Joseph E. Tackett, H. Hat; T/Sgt. Frederick D. Cottrell, Prestonsburg; Sgt. Estill J. Branham, Prestonsburg; Pfc. James J. Vance, Jr., Orlean; Pfc. Robert Williams, Harold; Pfc. William E. Goff, Jr., Martin; Pfc. Albert Wells, West Prestonsburg; Pfc. Jack D. Hest, T/Sgt. T/5 Willie Wicker, Jr., Harold; Pfc. Charlie Johnson, Ambs; Pfc. Dewey Patrick, Harold; Pfc. Otto Ward, Prestonsburg; Pfc. George Moore, McDowell; Pfc. Bennie Hampton, Prestonsburg; Pfc. Arnold Webb, Langley; Pfc. Dan Halbert, Pfc. John Clifton, Jr., Prestonsburg; Pvt. Hazel Prater, Lexington; Pfc. William E. Holcomb, McKays; Pfc. Henry Ford Carver, Dayton; Pfc. Carl Langley Robinson, Harold; Sgt. Kermit Martin, Prestonsburg; Pfc. Herbert Puckett, David; Pvt. Clifford Pittman, Wayland; Pvt. William P. Stone, Langley; Pvt. Dennis Hunter, Garrett; S/Sgt. Carlos Combs, Garrett; Pvt. Glenn I. Hayes, Langley; T/4 T/4 Goble, Auxier; S 1/2 Eberson Ebb Bentley, Langley; S 1/2 Debert Hall, H. Hat; QM 3/c Floyd D. Spartz, Drift; Sgt. Oscar Watkins, Lackey; Tn 1/c Robert Alexander Griffith, Wheelwright; S 1/2 Jack Jefferson

In Hancock county 46 4-1/2 club members carried tobacco projects last year.

Bell county is launching a campaign for farmers to produce 100 bushels or more of corn to the acre.

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Sgt. Kidd Decorated For Battle Gallantry

T/Sgt. Hershel Kidd, of Hunter, who served with Co. B, 26th Infantry, was decorated for gallantry in action May 12, 1944, on Mt. Clennell, Italy.

Just after the attack started on Mt. Clennell, his citation relates, Sgt. Kidd assumed command of the platoon when his platoon leader was killed. The platoon advanced 200 yards ahead of other platoons when it was suddenly met by a murderous hail of machine gun fire from the front and both flanks. Amid the great confusion and disorganization caused by the deadly enemy fire, Sgt. Kidd calmly maneuvered his men into position to meet the enemy attack.

During this action he personally assaulted and silenced two machine gun nests located on his right. Sgt. Kidd re-organized his platoon and set up a defense position. When some of his men attempted to withdraw, he bravely rallied them and kept them in position. By silencing two machine guns and holding the platoon in position, he enabled the remainder of the company, with his platoon as a covering force, to take its objective.

Sgt. Kidd's gallantry, leadership and devotion to duty proved an inspiration to his entire company and reflects great credit on himself and the highest traditions of the armed forces," the citation concludes.

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Blaze Destroys Pikeville Theater

Pikeville, Ky., Feb. 2—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Weddington Theater building in downtown Pikeville today with damage estimated by W. J. Ward, lessee, at \$20,000.

Police Chief J. C. Williamson suspected a springing pipe when he led a fire truck to the scene of the blaze.

Ward, who said the fire apparently started in the front of the building and made considerably headway before it was discovered, and listed several full-length films in the loss.

Firemen from Williamson, W. Va., 30 miles north of here, were called as a precautionary measure, but the blaze was under control before they arrived.

Nearby buildings escaped serious damage.

The 20-year-old theater building was owned by Ballard Weddington, who said it was only partly insured.

Notice to Taxpayers

On and after March 1, penalty of 6 per cent will be added to all tax bills. This notice is given to give taxpayers a chance to save additional costs by paying their taxes by that date.

T. B. STURGILL, Sheriff
2-7-46
Floyd County, Ky.

NOTICE

W. M. and A. F. Ballard have filed application with the Floyd County Court for license to operate a roadhouse at their location, the Club Normandie, at top of Abbott mountain, where either soft drinks or beer, or both, may be sold.

The Winnah!



BING CROSBY, star of "Road to Utopia," a Paramount picture, took the famous cola taste-test, voted Royal Crown Cola "the Winnah!" Try it yourself. See C. C. Goble. That's the quick way to get a frosty bottle of Royal Crown Cola—best by taste-test!

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News From Floyd Communities

BETSY LAYNE

Friends were happy to greet Cpl. Billy Hill upon his recent return after many months overseas. After a brief visit here, Billy went to Kibbuck, Ohio, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill.

Among the service men who have returned recently from overseas to their families are Cpl. Elmer Stone and Seaman Oliver Wiley.

Misses Anna Ruth Layne and Betty Jo Spears were the week-end guests of Miss Violet Sellards of Banner.

The Bobcats won a game from West Liberty on the home floor last Friday night and lost to Martin there Saturday night.

Miss Elaine Roberts is visiting in New York City for several days.

Miss Joan Stephens left last Monday to resume her studies at Beta College after having finished teaching duties for the year at Trum.

Misses Anna Layne, Betty Spears, Allen and Jewel Sellards were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Orris Gearheart, of Martin, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Miranda Gearheart, Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Blackburn visited her husband in Lexington the past weekend.

Among the hometown veterans who are enrolled in Mayo Vocational School are Jack Branham, Jr., Charles Brown, Harvey Howard, Beckham Caldwell, Jr., Otis Layne.

Last Tuesday evening, Mrs. Clyde Blackburn was hostess to the Betsy Layne faculty and a few friends, honoring Mrs. Arthur Haywood and Mrs. Paul Conn, recent brides.

The spacious living room was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A miniature bride and groom surrounded by white chrysanthemums, baby breath and fern, formed a lovely centerpiece for the dining table.

Tall green tapers in silver holders were placed on each end of the table and tiny corsages of chrysanthemums were presented to the brides. Gifts of crystal were presented to the brides, who graciously acknowledged them.

A chicken dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Abel Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranner, Mr. and Mrs. Camden Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis George, Mrs. James George, Misses Elaine Roberts, Kella Gearheart, and Messrs. Jesse Elliott, Charles Spears, Oliver Ratliff, and Mrs. T. J. Chandler.

REWARD

The undersigned will pay a reward of \$300 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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D. E. CHAPIN, Secretary

MARTIN

The Slade twins are leaving this week to enjoy a winter vacation in Florida.

Mrs. W. F. West and Mrs. T. A. Jenkins are shopping in Cincinnati this week. They intend taking over the dress shop here formerly operated by Pat McGeary and Betty Lou Keathley.

Mrs. Nora Burdett, of Prestonsburg, was a business visitor in Martin this week.

German Vance has been appointed postmaster here, succeeding Mrs. H. H. Vincent, who resigned.

Winter vacationing seems to be the vogue. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan are spending theirs in Mexico.

Miss Nola Flannery, of Cleveland, O., who has just been released from the hospital, is the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crisp.

Herman Campbell, of Pikeville, was a business visitor in Martin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunter have moved to Hite.

Mrs. Mack McCallahan, who runs an auto shop here, has been very ill at her home for several days. Dr. H. H. Mayo has been attending her.

1st Lt. Dinmore Martin, of McDowell, was visiting in Martin during a recent furlough home. He has served several years with the Marines.

Harry Gene Prefahlisch and Bob Rickman visited Mr. and Mrs. Abe Parsons Sunday.

James Crisp, Mrs. Jim Skeans, Mr. and Mrs. John Billler and Mrs. W. S. Branham and daughter, Madalene, visited their uncle, Jake Crisp, at his home to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Beecher Scheutfield, of Wheelwright, are spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Seaman Robert Blackburn, who has been home on leave, left Sunday to report for re-assignment.

Pfc. Charles Hall, of McDowell, visited in Martin during a furlough home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo, Jr. of Wheelwright, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Mayo, here Sunday.

Charles C. Gavett, S. I. C. President, visited here to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill York visited recently in Martin. Mr. York, Miss Beatrice Rice, of Louisville, has spent two weeks here visiting her brothers, Burr and Jim Wright, and Norman, who is enjoying a furlough at home.

Ted Conley, who recently entered the army, writes a very cheerful letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Conley. He is taking his basic training at Camp Axtelburg, Ind.

The P.T.A. meeting was held in the school last Monday night. Members discussed ways and means of having the recreation building taken care of. Several good suggestions were offered—among them, a Fall and team basketball game which will be coming up soon.

Among those attending the dance at Wheelwright Saturday night from Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Thase Frasier, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Yeager, Walter Stamper, Jack Tackett.

Out-of-town visitors to the theatre Sunday—Charles McGlothen, Miss Rose Hagans of Maytown, Charles Hall, of McDowell, and P. D. Arroywood, of Maytown.

Mrs. Minnie Tackett has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Denton, who has been ill.

Mrs. Reynolds Dings and Mrs. Furman Dings were business visitors in Paintsville Monday.

HUEYSVILLE

After spending a 30-day furlough at home, Pfc. T. J. Shepherd son of Mr. and Mrs. Fair Shepherd, has returned to camp to await shipment overseas. He spent several months in the South Pacific and has re-enlisted for three more years.

Baird Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Conley, has recently been discharged after serving several months in the South Pacific.

Clinton Craft, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft, wrote his parents that he would sail for the United States Feb. 3 from Honolulu, Hawaii.

Lawrence Bates, son of Ernest Bates, spent the week-end at home. He is attending Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville.

Ed Coburn, son of A. J. Coburn, is visiting his father during the strike that is going on in Ohio.

Pvt. Carl Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hayes, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents. He has enlisted for one more year.

Mrs. C. C. Craft and son, Walker D., spent a few days in Ashland, visiting her and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Craft.

In Johnson county, 40 4-H clubs have an enrollment of 1,969 members.

ESTILL

John William Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John-Hall, celebrated his seventh birthday Jan. 28. Assisting in serving refreshments were Mrs. Nevada Isabell, Mrs. Bonna McCloud, Mrs. Elva Preston and Miss Lucy Barton. Tots who enjoyed the party were Veronica Preston, Loretta, Gay and Clinton Isabell, all of Lackey, Mrs. Elva Preston and Miss Lucy Barton, Tots who enjoyed the party were Veronica Preston, Loretta, Gay and Clinton Isabell, all of Lackey, Mrs. Elva Preston and Miss Lucy Barton, Tots who enjoyed the party were Veronica Preston, Loretta, Gay and Clinton Isabell, all of Lackey, Mrs. Elva Preston and Miss Lucy Barton.

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Floyd Man in Japan Re-Enlists for Service

Pfc. Eugene Mullins, formerly of Lackey, Ky., has re-enlisted with the army for 18 months. This is announced by Major General H. P. Kramer's 97th Infantry Division, first division to be re-deployed from Europe to Japan.

Employed by the Anderson Brothers Construction Works, Pfc. Mullins entered the army in September, 1943. After basic training at Ft. McClellan, Ala., he was shipped to the Pacific where he joined the 3rd Infantry Division.

As an infantryman with that division he earned the Combat Infantryman Badge and two battle stars in the division's campaigns at Altaga, New Guinea, and on Luzon in the Philippines. At the close of the Pacific war he was transferred to the 97th Infantry Division in Japan in September, 1945.

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To carry out this job the farmer must have tools of production. Most of those he owns have taken a terrific beating. They can't be tied together much longer with rusty fence wire.

In the teeth of this situation, the farmer ran into a strike in the steel industry—a strike which hit at the heart of food production.

When the steel plants shut down manufacturers of farm machinery and equipment, farm trucks and tractors cannot get steel for their products.

This year the farmer won't receive as many of the replacements he desperately needs. He'll fight ahead with his old, broken machinery trying to crack another food production record, but the cards are stacked against him.

All this means more headaches for the farmer—loss of vital food production, and a bad dent in his pocketbook.

Facts Too Frequently Omitted

The steel strike was called by the United Steelworkers of America—CIO, which insists on a wage increase totaling \$166,000,000. The U.S. Steel Corpora-

tion has offered a wage rise which if applied throughout the industry would amount to \$135,000,000.

Steel workers are already among the highest paid wage-earners in America. Before the strike their average earnings were approximately \$1.16 an hour, \$9.26 a day and \$46.32 a week—on a forty-hour week. The U.S. Steel offer would have given them about \$1.31 an hour, \$10.46 a day and \$52.32 a week. But they refused it, and accused the steel industry of conspiring to ruin the union with an offered wage increase of \$25 a month, the highest increase in the industry's history.

The strike is a direct violation of contract between the union and the steel companies. The union wanted a long-term contract and got it. The union agreed not to strike during the life of the contract. Yet, the union struck on January 21.

Fighting for a Way of Life

Farmers have a big stake in continuous steel production. They have an opportunity to say what they think about unchecked labor monopolies which bring to a stop the nation's recovery efforts, through excessive wage demands which could only add to inflation and cause soaring prices.

Not until enough of them protest unfair, dictatorial actions and urge proper safeguards against arrogant, heedless union leadership and one-sided labor laws will the country get back to sane, profitable production where everyone works together toward a better standard of living.

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Black Cats Shock
McDowell, 52-22;
Defeat Maytown

McDowell's high-scoring basketball
team caught Prestonsburg on the
rebound from the Big Sandy Con-
ference tournament defeat the Black
Cats sustained and were swamped
here Saturday night, 52-22, in one
of the season's most startling net
upsets.

Only a few nights earlier, the Left
Beaver boys had defeated Wayland,
a five which the Cats had barely
managed to outstay here recently.
But Saturday night they were never
close. The Cats were in high-scoring
form, clicked as a team and their
lowest scorer amassed more points
than the visitors' highest.

Prestonsburg jumped off into a
16-7 lead in the first quarter, ex-
tended it to 29-10 at the half. The
third quarter ended, 44 to 18. Tight
guarding held the visitors fairly well
from the basket and the winners ex-
celled at taking the ball on re-
bounds.

Friday night, Prestonsburg defeated
Maytown, 43 to 25, away from
home.

Line-ups:
Pburg (43) Pos. Maytown (25)
Blackburn (15) F. Salsbury (5)
Moore (3) F. Stapleton (4)
Branham (9) C. Gibson (2)
Martin (7) G. A. Allen (6)
Trickett (4) G. Hicks (6)
Substitutions: Pburg—Crain (2),
Sammons, S. Branham, Hyden (1),
Hall; Maytown—Martin, Click, Hall,
H. Allen (2).

Second team score, Prestonsburg,
20; Maytown, 10.

Fburg (52) Pos. McDowell (22)
Blackburn (13) F. Halbert (6)
Moore (8) F. H. Hall (6)
Branham (10) C. Turner (6)
Martin (12) G. Hewlett (2)
Trickett (7) G. P. Hall (5)
Substitutions: Pburg—Crain (2),
Sammons, S. Branham, Hyden, Hall;
McDowell—Howell, Stumbo, Frazier,
Ward, Meade.

Independent team score: Prestons-
burg, 45; McDowell, 55.

Rites for Allen Man
Conducted Friday

Funeral rites for Willis Carr, 59
years old who died Jan. 30 at his
home near Allen, were conducted
Friday from the home, the Rev. Isaac
Stratton officiating. Burial on the
Carr farm, was directed by the Ar-
nold Funeral Home.

Mr. Carr, a respected citizen, was
son of the late Preston and Mickey
Ann Smith Carr and was a native
of Prater Creek. He was married in
1929 to Miss Annie Leferty and
this union were born seven children.
Besides his widow, he is survived by
six children, Katherine, Elwood,
Willie, Jr., William Delmar, Mickey
Ann and Floyd, all at home. He also
leaves three brothers and one sister:
Mrs. Lavinia Howell, of Justel;
Tommy Carr, Baxter; John Henry
and Frank Carr, of Allen.

Phm. 1/2 Tom Kit Hyden has re-
turned to Toledo, Ohio, where he is
stationed at the separation center.
He enjoyed a 15-day leave here with
his father, Joe Hyden, and family.

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For Release of Calhoun,
Charged with Shooting
Four; 79 Are Indicted

Bonds totaling \$12,000 were asked
last week for the release of Arnold
Calhoun, of the Jack Creek section,
after he had been indicted on four
shootings and wounding counts and
on another for shooting into an auto-
mobile. He remains in jail.

Calhoun, accused of wounding
Wid. Mollie and John Henry Hal-
bert and Emil Osborne with shots
from a shotgun fired into their auto-
mobile, entered a not guilty plea and
his trial was set for April 4.

The grand jury concluded its work
Saturday after two sessions which
totaled nine days. During this time
the jury examined 118 witnesses and
returned 79 indictments.

In his final report, signed by A. J.
Gearhart, foreman, the jury noted
that "there is a crime wave begin-
ning to spread over Floyd county,
and that we recommend that the of-
ficers be more strict in the per-
formance of their duties, and that
jurors . . . in the future resolve to
be more strict in the performance
of their duties, both in the inquiry
into the crime situation and in the
trial of cases."

The jury's final report to Judge E.
P. Hill noted that the jail is well
run and praised the efforts of of-
ficers and court officials to enforce
the law.

For the third time during the term
the grand jury was re-inducted,
and re-sworn Friday as illness forced
the absence of members. When
San Calhoun became ill, the grand
jury was transferred from the pen-
itentiary to the grand jury.

One of the last acts of the term
was that of Judge Hill in granting
the one-year pen term to Tom Mil-
ler, convicted of grand larceny. The
order pointed out that Miller had
never hitherto been convicted and
conditioned his probation on his good
behavior.

Other major indictments returned
during the last three days of the
grand jury session:
Frank Clay, selling mortgaged
property; accused by Arthur Ranney
of selling an auto on which Ranney
held a mortgage; James F. Burkett,
deceiving woman; Joe Smith,
shooting and wounding Deputy Sher-
iff Oak Mullins; Joe Smith, shooting
at "without wounding" Policeman
Roy Means, of Wayland; Marshall
Blair, deserting a pregnant wife;
Perry Newsome, carrying a concealed
leaded weapon; Selve Shapshen
Shepherd (Vincent's son), chicken
stealing; Robert K. Hale, removing
mortgaged property, alleged by Ted
Newman to have taken an auto in
which he had a mortgage out of the
state; Ernest Reynolds and Frances
Owens, housebreaking, accused by
Pauline McGuire of entering his
home and taking household effects;
Creed Baker, striking and wounding
Ella Baker; James P. Burkett, child
desertion; Pike Cross, suffering gam-
ing on premises; Bill Crum, forgery
and obtaining money under false
pretenses, alleged to have signed the
name of Joe Dorsett to an express
bill here and thus obtained a pack-
age of clothing and other items of
value belonging to Dorsett; Charlie
Stapleton, cutting and wounding
Sandy Goodman.

Mrs. Bill Patton and daughter,
Glad Lynn, of Logan, W. Va., are
visiting Mrs. Marie Johnson and
other relatives.

ONE OF TWINS DIES
Alvin, one of the two-months-old
twins of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Cau-
dill, of Caney Creek, Knott county,
died Tuesday at the Beaver Valley
hospital. Martin, his twin sister,
survives. The body was returned to
Knott county by the Ryan Funeral
Home for burial.

Administratrix' Notice

Notice is hereby given to all per-
sons having claims against the es-
tate of John Hale, deceased, to file
same, properly proven, with the un-
der-signed administratrix at Pres-
tonsburg, Ky., on or before March 1,
1946, and all persons indebted to said
estate are notified to settle same at
once.

MAUDE HALE, Adm.,
Estate of John Hale,
deceased
2-7-31-pd.

JOHNSON TOT
DIES IN FIRE

Former Auxier Residents'
Daughter One of 4 Burned
To Death in Pike County

Elsena Ann Johnson, five-year-old
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Johnson, of Elkhorn City, formerly
of Auxier, was one of four children
burned to death in widely separated
sections of Pike county recently.

The child died in a blaze which
destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Johnson. The fire trapped the fam-
ily in the second floor of the resi-
dence and Elsenia Ann broke from
her 14-year-old sister, Peggy Joyce,
when they were driven onto a porch
roof, and ran back inside. The sis-
ter was burned in an attempt to re-
scue her. Later when the family was
forced to jump to the ground, Peggy
Joyce suffered a broken arm and her
father's foot was broken.

Mr. Johnson, who moved to Elk-
horn City from Auxier only a few
years ago, is a garage man there.

The three other children burned
to death were the children of Mr.
and Mrs. Colbert Hensley, of Big
Creek—Vina, 8, Goldie, 6, and Col-
bert, Jr., 5—who died when the Hen-
sley's three-room log cabin ignited
from a heating stove after Mrs.
Hensley and her 10 children had re-
turned for the night. The father, a
miner, was at work at the time of
the tragedy.

Brown Is Partner
In Produce Firm
At Williamson

George D. Brown, owner of the
Sandy Valley Produce Company
here, will open next week in Wil-
liamson, W. Va., the Williamson
Produce Company, with Raymond
Wright, of Wright's Poultry House,
Mt. Sterling, as a partner. The firm
has a capitalization of \$10,000.

A large warehouse and store room
in Williamson has been leased by
the firm for a period of two years
and poultry-dressing equipment and
a cooler system are now being in-
stalled.

Charles Rowe, formerly with the
Sandy Valley Produce Company
here, will be manager of the busi-
ness. As a result of a recent canvass
of the river section, the com-
pany already has sufficient orders
booked to run at capacity for the
next several weeks.

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Wright Wins Two
While Losing One

Wheelwright, Ky., Feb. 4 (Sp.)—
Although a defeat at the hands of
Currett was anticipated "between
the Maroons" victories over Dorton,
44 to 27, at Dorton Jan. 29 and over
Jenkins here Saturday night left
fans little to complain about. The
team was without the services of
Branham, regular forward, in the
Garrett and Jenkins games and at
Garrett the Maroons suffered from
the loss of Micyus, high-scoring
guard, via the foul route early in the
third quarter.

Line-ups:
Wright (44) Pos. Dorton (27)
Branham (5) F. Wright (9)
Paudie (11) F. Elison
Curry (1) C. Beverly (3)
Smith (9) G. Johnson (3)
Micyus (10) G. Sowards (2)
Substitutions: Wright—Roy (2);
Dorton—Belcher (3).

Wright (46) Pos. Jenkins (34)
Roy (8) F. Dingus (13)
Paudie (6) F. Shupert (8)
Curry (4) C. Mullins
Smith (5) G. Haynes (2)
Micyus (21) G. Crum (11)
Substitutions: Wright—Collins
(2).

RETURNS HOME
Miss Mary Elizabeth Powers re-
turned home this week from Pe-
riore, Pa., where she visited Miss
Roberts for a month.

\$50 REWARD

I will pay a reward of \$50 for in-
formation leading to the arrest and
conviction of the person or persons
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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson Dingus were here Sunday visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus. Mr. Dingus has recently received his army discharge after two years' service in the European war area. They visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dingus, on Little Patent before returning to their home in Chicago.

Mrs. Marie P. Johnson, who has been ill at her home here for the past three weeks, is much improved. Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, spent the day here Monday with her cousin, Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, who is ill at her home.

Mrs. Ray Collins, teacher in the grade school here, accompanied her husband last week to the Brooklyn naval hospital upon conclusion of his leave. Mr. Collins has been a patient in the hospital for some time, suffering from a heart ailment.



HOSTESS TO MISSIONARY UNION

Mrs. J. R. Hurt was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church Tuesday evening at her home on Broadway and as president presided at the meeting. The devotionals were conducted by Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr. At the business session a committee was appointed to make plans for a covered dish dinner to be given in February at the home of Mrs. A. J. Davidson, at which time the revealing of "Bluebird Sisters" will be made. Mrs. Hill made an inspirational talk on "Spiritual Revival," after which the hostess served refreshments to Messdames E. P. Hill, Richard Feller, Marvin Ransdell, J. B. Clarke, J. K. Wells, Thurman Hughes, Russell Shaw, Mr. Robert Reppert, W. W. Burchett.

ENTERTAINERS ON SON'S BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting entertained to a turkey dinner Sunday in honor of the return of their son, Robert Bunting, who recently returned from the European war area. The occasion was their son's 21st birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for Robert Bunting, W. T. Ellis, Mrs. Rosa McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gross, Mrs. Mary Ellis Branham, John Ellis Branham, Patay Osborne, Mrs. and Mrs. W. V. Bunting.

TO GIVE SILVER TEA

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will give a Silver Tea Tuesday, Feb. 12, at the home of Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer on Graham street from 4 till 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

DINNER FOR GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Friend entertained Friday evening at their home on Broadway, complimenting their grandson, Belvard Friend, who recently returned home from Okinawa. A turkey dinner was enjoyed by other relatives who have been discharged from overseas army service. Guests were Phil Holbrook, Sam H. Fitzpatrick, Joe W. Holbrook, Bud Hattson, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Holbrook, Miss Jessie Fitzpatrick, Miss Minerva Friend.

TRIO ENTERTAIN TO DINNER

Mrs. Richard Feller, Mrs. R. D. Francis and Miss Anna Martin were hostesses Monday evening at 7 o'clock at Mrs. Feller's home on Riverside avenue. Dinner was served at small tables with tully cards bearing the names of the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burchett, Judge and Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mr. and Mrs. James Camilla, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Hines, Dr. O. G. Pennington, Mrs. F. L. Heinze, Trivis Sioane, Mrs. William Osborne, R. D. Francis and Richard Feller. High scores were won by Mrs. Burchett and Mr. Mandt; second high, Mrs. Ransdell and Mr. Burchett. Mr. Rimmer won traveling prize.

IN CINCINNATI

Mrs. Lida R. Cottrell, who has been quite ill for several weeks, is in Cincinnati this week receiving medical treatment at a hospital. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. To Hobson, and Mrs. John W. Hensley.

Sollie Hopson Dies In Lexington, Victim Of Pneumonia Attack

Pneumonia complications following an illness of three weeks resulted in the death Saturday in a Lexington hospital of Sollie Hopson, 25 years old, a resident of the Porter Addition here.

Mr. Hopson, a native of Yeager, Pickens, was employed as a laborer on his last illness by N. M. White, Jr., here and had many friends in this county. He was a son of the late George and Nancy Coleman Hopson, of Yeager. Married in 1934 to Miss Rebecca Gray, of Sloan, he had resided here for the last eight years.

Surviving, besides his widow, are four brothers and three sisters: Durant Hopson, Pikeville; Albert Hopson, Harlot; John and William Hopson, of Allen; Mrs. Delphia Adkins, Mrs. Ellen Coleman and Mrs. Mary Gibson, all of Yeager.

The body, prepared for burial by the Amold Funeral Home, was taken to the home of John Hopson at Lexington where services were conducted Sunday night by the Rev. Isaac Coleman, of Allen; Mrs. Delphia Adkins, Mrs. Ellen Coleman, L. E. Wells and J. T. Felt. Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the home of his sister, Mrs. Coleman, of Yeager. The Revs. Stratton and Coleman officiating. Burial was made in the Coleman cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, of Pikeville, were here Tuesday, visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. John Hale, who has been a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital, is now at her home on Third avenue.

Paul Gene Williamson, who is engaged in the drug business in Ashland, visited Robert Bunting Sunday, who is formerly related here.

Mrs. Jimmy Greene, of Allen, was here Saturday shopping and calling on friends and relatives.

Carl John D. Bester, son of Mrs. Melbie Belcher, arrived home a few days ago with his army discharge. He has been stationed at Okinawa.

Mrs. V. F. Strahan and son, Val, Jr., are spending the week in Louisville where Val, Jr., is conducting a home specialist. It is hoped he will soon be able to return to school.

Pfc. Jesse Latery, Jr., is here spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Latery, after serving several months in Seoul, Korea. At the conclusion of his leave he will report at Camp Atterbury, Ind., for assignment to duty in Europe.

Mrs. John G. Archer returned Wednesday from Cincinnati where she underwent dental surgery. She was accompanied by her brother, Lt. Paul G. Smith, of the navy.

Mrs. J. W. Wedington and Mrs. Mary D. Allen spent the week-end with Mrs. Ireland Staten at Mossy Bottom.

Darwin Patton is at the bedside of his father, Alex Patton, at his home in Auxler. Pvt. Margaret Patton, of the WAC, Springfield, Mo., is at home also. Mr. Patton's condition is very grave.

Mrs. O. G. Pennington is confined to her bed with a relapse of influenza.

Richard Wilkinson has returned to Columbia, O., after a short visit with Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Arnold and other relatives. He will soon return here.

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In the upper bracket composed of Maytown, Auxler, Wheelwright and Wayland one semi-finalist is expected to be named Friday night in the quarter-finals when Wheelwright and Wayland tangle. Betsy Layne, Garrett, Prestonsburg, McDowell and Martin form the lower bracket, with McDowell and Prestonsburg favored to reach the semi-finals.

The schedule: Maytown vs. Auxler, 2:30 p.m.; Friday; McDowell vs. Martin, 3:30 p.m.; Friday; Wheelwright vs. Wayland, 7:30 Friday; Prestonsburg vs. Garrett-Betsy Layne game winner, 8:30 Friday. The semi-finals will be at 1:30 and 2:30 p.m., Saturday and the finals at 8:30 Saturday night.

There will be no preliminary game at the opening session nor will there be a consolation game on Saturday night.

Dick Looney, of Elk Horn City, was the unanimous choice of coaches for one of the referee spots and Jack Turner, of Langley, was named the second official. No season tickets will be sold at admission when set at \$1; students and children, 40 cents.

Elimination of the time-honored, all-tournament team was considered, but coaches holding that selection of such teams has proved harmful to their teams and hurt their championship contests. It was finally decided, however, to retain the all-star selections which will be made by a committee, members of which will not be known to players and the public.

Coaches and principals attending the meeting: Carl Wolfe, Auxler; Sherrill Frazier, Martin; D. W. Howard and Woodford Spears, Betsy Layne; Joe T. Hyden, Prestonsburg; Wayne Rattiff and Walter Price, Wheelwright; Wiley Jones and V. O. Turner, Maytown; Reb Hall, Garrett; Everett Hall, McDowell.

Marriage Solemnized Feb 2nd Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage here on Friday, Feb. 2, of Miss Alice Faye Hurd, daughter of Mr. Edgar Hurd, Warsaw, Ind., and Mr. Rudolph Hurd, son of the late Mr. E. Hurd, of West Prestonsburg.

The bride is a former Prestonsburg high school student while Mr. Hurd was only recently discharged after three years' army service, a part of which was in overseas duty. Mr. and Mrs. Hurd will leave soon to reside at Warsaw, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard left last week by motor for Venice, Fla., where they will visit their sons, Cadea Woodford and Harris Stephens Howard, who are students at KSMI. They were accompanied by Russell Pelfrey, Mr. Howard and Mr. Pelfrey will return soon. Mrs. Howard will remain a few weeks, visiting at Miami and other points.

Mrs. Mary C. Martin, of Huntington, is here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Belle C. Gardner and Mrs. Anna Carter.

Gardner Combs arrived home Thursday after a voyage of several weeks in the Pacific. He is in the navy and will spend his leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Combs.

Sgt. Terry Injured In Le Shima Typhoon

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Terry, of Luckey, have been notified that their son, T. Sgt. James F. Terry, who was injured during a typhoon on Le Shima, was hospitalized Dec. 18 and now is a patient at Newton D. Baker General hospital. His mother and aunt, Mrs. J. A. Elliott, have been at his bedside for the last two weeks.

Tom Dingus continues very ill at his home on First avenue.

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1940 Chevrolet 1 1/2-ton cab and chassis, long wheelbase, 2-speed rear axle, air brakes.
1941 Mercury 4-door sedan, motor completely overhauled, below OPA ceiling price.

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Homemakers Club In First Meeting

First meeting of the Prestonsburg Homemakers Club was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Rose Jan. 11. The following officers for the club were elected: Mrs. W. A. Rose, president; Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, vice-president; Miss Margaret E. May, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. D. Hawkins, Jr., recreation leader; Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., reading chairman; Mrs. S. L. Isbell, canning-gardening chairman. Those present were Miss Requa J. Kinzer, Home Demonstration agent; Mrs. Raymond Sirle, Mrs. W. R. Callahan, Miss Margaret E. May, Mrs. S. L. Isbell, Mrs. J. B. Clark, Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, Mrs. W. A. Rose. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Clark Feb. 8 at 10 a. m. All women interested in becoming members are invited to attend.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—all my property at Boone, including 16 acres land, store building with stock of merchandise, feed house with stock of feed, four and one-half acre residence (bath, electricity and gas in house), two garages. See or write **F. P. HAYES**, Hueysville, Ky. 1-24-46.

SEE COLLINSWORTH for best prices on new and used furniture. **C. W. COLLINSWORTH FURNITURE STORE**, Mayo Trail, upper limits of Prestonsburg. 1-24-46.

BALDWIN PIANOS, SPINETTES AND GRANDS—Authorized factory dealer for Big Sandy territory. Good used rebuilt pianos now available. **ZWICKS**, Ashland, Ky. 1-29-46.

FOR SALE—Two 4-room houses, each on lot 102x121, at mouth of Cow Creek on highway. Both have gas and electricity. See or call **WM. O. GOBLE**, Phone 6802, Ben Franklin Store, Prestonsburg. 1-24-46.

NOTICE—Margaret's Dress Shop, now open next door to Postoffice, Martin, Ky., will handle Ladies and Children's wear, and we mean to have the very best that money can buy. Come in and see. Mrs. Payne will treat you with courtesy at all times. 1-24-46-2d.

FOR SALE—house and lot near highway, opposite Francis Wholesale Grocery, upper limits Prestonsburg. See **D. K. HARRIS**, City. 1-24-31-4d.

SPECIAL—on Radio Batteries: 1 1/2 x 90-volt A & B pack \$5.49. Western Auto Associate Store, Prestonsburg. 1-24-7t.

SAYMAN LINIMENT—and more than 75 other quality products have been guaranteed more than 60 years. Get the best for less. Write to Sayman Products Co., LINDSEY HAZEL, P.O. Box 123, Garrett, Ky. 1-24-4t-4d.

SOAP POWDER—washes dishes, clothes, pots, pans, floors, quick and clean. Softens hard water. Use by mail brings 8-oz. box of Borax Soap Powder guaranteed to you. Order now from P.O. Box 123, Garrett, Ky. 1-31-3t.

WANTED—ladies to take orders for new Spring line dresses. Good earnings, easy work. For sales samples and Free Dress offer, write **MAISONNETTE FROCKES**, P. O. Box 594, Cincinnati 11, Ohio. 1-31-3t.

FOR SALE—lot, 62 1/2 x 120, on Second avenue. Excellent residential section above high water. **W. W. BURCHETT**, 6181 City. 1-31-4t.

FOR SALE—3-room residence, 3 lots, outbuildings, good chicken, **MELVIN SHEPHERD**, Lander, Ky. 1-31-3t-4d.

FOR SALE—90-a., good home, plenty of buildings, school bus, main route, close to college town. Price \$4,000. We also have a good restaurant in town and two country stores doing a good business. Write for free farm lists. **T. D. HOLMES WOOD AGENCY**, Gallipolis, O. 1-31-3t-4d.

LOCUST POSTS FOR SALE—any size or amount. See or write **ROBERT REED**, Hueysville, Ky. 1-31-3t.

FOR SALE—houses and lots at Betsy Layne, Ky. See **RUSSELL HAGWOOD**, Prestonsburg, or **J. I. MAY**, Betsy Layne. 1-31-4t.

1940 FLYMOOTH Coupe, just overhauled, \$400. See **HICKS GARAGE**, Phone 4932, Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-7-41-4d.

FOR SALE—Two lots, 50x100, fronting on railway, near pumping station. **Dwale**, Ky. \$300. **H. C. KASE**, City, Ky. 2-4-4t-4d.

FOR SALE—Southern Ohio farms. We have a farm to fit your pocketbook. Good roads, good markets, good schools. If in the market for a farm, see us. **CHANDLER & DIXON LAND OFFICE**, Waverly, Ohio. 2-6-4t.

LOST—lady's pocketbook containing bill of sale for 1936 Lincoln Zephyr, receipts, cash, \$10. Finder return to **MARY MANN**, Prestonsburg, Phone 3125 Reward. 2-7-3t-4d.

PRESTONSBURG LODGE I. O. O. F., No. 293
First degree—first Thursday; second degree—third Thursday; initiatory degree—fourth Thursday.

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EDWARD MAY, Treasurer
WM. DINGUS, Chaplain

Garrett Defeats W'right, Losses to Wayland Five

Garrett, Ky., Feb. 4 (Sp.)—The Jarrett Black Devils gained an eight-point victory over the Wheelwrights Maroons Friday night here but lost 56 to 34, to Wayland, one of the strongest teams to appear on the local floor this season. Warfield stormed over Garrett in the last half after trailing, 23-22, at the end of the second quarter.

Line-up:
Garrett (39) Pos. W'wright (31) Wallace F. Roy (5) Bole C. Pandic (4) Hall C. E. Curry (3) Campbell (17) G. Smith (9) Mullins G. Mlyus (10) Substitutions: Garrett—Pritchard (5), Rice (3), Oney (13); Stevens; Wheelwright—Shumbo, Collins.

Garrett (34) Pos. Warfield (50) Pritchard (1) Porter (20) Rice (2) G. Booth (3) Oney (3) C. Moore (14) Campbell (12) G. Mills (8) Stephens (5) G. Williams Substitutions: Garrett—Baker, Hall (2), Mullins (4); Warfield—Hall.

SELLS PIKEVILLE PROPERTY
Malcolm Harris has sold the Pikeville property bequeathed him by his sister, Mrs. Ida Butler, for the reported sum of \$10,200.

JUST ARRIVED—shipment of new low-hat golf shoes, also nice lot of graniteware—coffee pots, teakettles, cookers, etc.—**MILLER'S STORE**, Third Ave., Prestonsburg, Ky. 1-5-3t-4d.

112 BATS KILLED with package of Curd's Fly-Killer. **MEADE HARDWARE CO.**, Prestonsburg. 2-7-12t-4d.

VETERAN and wife driving to San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 10. Rider welcome. References required. Share expenses. Write **OLDFIELD SYLVEO**, McDowell, Ky.

BABY CHICKS—special sale. U. S. Approved-Pullorum Tested, Buff Orpingtons, White Wyandottes, AAAA grade from high record flocks; unsexed, \$9.95 per 100; pullets or cockerels, \$10.95; New Hampshire Reds, unsexed, \$10.95; Large Type English White Leghorns, unsexed, \$9.45; pullets, \$18.55; cockerels, \$3.95; heavy assorted, \$8.95; special assured, no sex or breed guaranteed, \$4.95 per 100. Thousands on hand every day. Also Parcel Post Prepaid Feb. 3, 6, 10, 15, 17, 20 and 24 only. Get your chicks now as they will be much higher after this sale. Starting and finishing batteries; all or electric floor brooders, feeders, fountains, feed, litter. Free parking ring. **ROOSIER**, 716 West Jefferson, Louisville, Ky. 2-7-3t.

FOR SALE—1941 Packard "120" convertible club coupe, radio and heater. Selling price \$1254. Offered for immediate sale for \$1,200. See or call Mrs. C. R. SLONE, Phone 4211, City. 1-31-3t.

FOR SALE—50-acre farm on Middle Creek, near Brainerd, dwellings, barn, storehouse, outbuildings, good well, some fruit. \$1,600. See or write **DUCIE SPRADLIN**, Brainerd, Ky. 1-31-4d.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be accepted by the Floyd fiscal court at its meeting on Feb. 9, 1946 for repairing and rebuilding the foot bridge at Warco. Plans and specifications for rebuilding of same may be procured from Magistrate John May, Langley, Ky. By **W. W. BURCHETT**, County Attorney 1-31-2t.

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Yets Warned to Register War Souvenir Guns

Certain types of firearms sent or brought home by servicemen must be registered by their owners at the office of the Alcohol Tax Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue. Not all firearms must be registered but owners of trophies should consult the unit officials if in doubt, because heavy penalties may be levied for failure to do so if required.

Those firearms requiring registration may be registered with the investigator in charge, Alcoholic Tax Unit, Room 313, Fincaiste Building, Louisville, Ky.

The Alcohol Tax Unit has been designated as the enforcement agency of the National Firearms Act, which defines firearms affected by it as follows:

Shotguns or rifles having barrel less than 18 inches long; any weapon, except pistol or revolver, which can be concealed on the person; any machine gun; any firearm, with muffler or silencer.

The act does not require registration of any .22-caliber rifle unless the barrel is less than 16 inches long.

A penalty of not more than \$2,000 fine and imprisonment for not more than five years, or both, is provided for failure to comply with provisions of the act.

The definition of machine guns include machine pistols and machine rifles that will fire more than one shot with a single pull of the trigger; pistols or revolvers that have stocks that are detachable, and automatic pistols that can be converted to fire automatically by adjustment of the gun which would let the gun fire more than one shot without manual reloading with a single pull of the trigger.

Any one seeking information relative to the registration of trophy guns may inquire at Room 112, Alcohol Tax Unit, Federal Courthouse Bldg., Pikeville, Ky.

WEBB-WEBB—Announcement is made of the marriage here Feb. 2 of Miss Eliza Webb, of Alphonesta, and Mr. Ralph Webb, of West Prestonsburg. County Judge A. J. Davidson solemnized the marriage.

It is estimated that farmers in Taylor county lost \$50,000 by using tobacco seed that was not root resistant. Tables, desks, chairs and other pieces of furniture are being refunded by Henry county homemakers.

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Of course, but—
OF COURSE—that's the answer, Mrs. Smith. You DO have a servant, but you take that servant for granted. You've got a combination laundress, cook, cleaning woman, lamp-lighter, seamstress and entertainer—one who doesn't mind a few odd jobs like heating the bath water, guarding your food, fanning your fevered brow—
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MAYTOWN
 (Continued from Page Three)
 Anna Jean Hicks left this week for Casey Junior College.
 Mrs. Bertha Click and Mattie Collins were business visitors in Garrett last week.
 Mrs. Richard Bentley and daughter, Rilla Faye, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stephens here Monday.
 Miss Marcella Rowe, who has been working in Michigan, is at home now with her parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earle Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan and son, Pat, left last week for a tour of Mexico.
 Clyde Patton has received his discharge from the army and is at home with his wife.
 Delmont, Paul and Wanda Lee Bailey, of West Liberty, were visiting friends here recently. The Baileys formerly lived here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Mac May and family have moved here from Catlettsburg.
 Gerald Piersall and Clinton Wells, who have been attending the Alvin Drew School at Pine Ridge, are now at home and attending high school here.
 Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen have returned from a six-week tour of Mexico and the southwestern states. While away they visited friends and relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. Owens, of Lickburg, Ky., were visiting Mrs. Theodore Snoddy last Saturday. Mrs. Owens is the former Miss Ernestine Bailey, a former Maytown resident. They were accompanied home by Miss Nancy Spencer and Delmont Bailey.
 Mrs. George W. Allen is a patient in the Gearhart hospital at Martin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ratliff, of Casey, have been visiting relatives here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Vaughan spent the week-end in Ashland with relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. George May, Jr., and Theodore Snoddy were visiting in Ashland last week.
 Miss Alice Jean May, a student at Eastern State Teachers College spent a few days between terms with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard May.
 Miss Harriet Allen, of Hindman, spent the week-end here with home-folks.

SHIKE'S POKES
 (Views expressed herein are those of the writer and not necessarily those of this newspaper.—Editor)
 I'm going to nominate Joe Laferty as a detective. He even slept so sound his cook stove disappeared and he didn't know it until the next morning.
 Mrs. Columbus Crisp must own "Aching furniture." The other day she started to polish the furniture and instead of getting the polish, she got a bottle of Blah's Liniment. Kinda tough on the varnish.
 Poor ole Cancer Crisp hasn't got no salty dog now. Nope—a truck killed ole Salty Dog.
 They are calling Alard Dingus "ole Kettle" now. During the recent flood Allard wanted to go to the barn to turn out the mules and he hated to walk 'round the hill, so he just grabbed one of those large iron kettles, set it in the backwater, picked up a board and started paddling across. At the deepest place the kettle capsize, ducking Mr. Dingus in the muddy, ley water.
 I'm in Lexington, sleeping with Noble Hobbs tonight. Not two of a kind or sort—we haven't got around to arguing politics yet.
 Now Bill Smith has gone into the goat-raising business and Kelly D. has bought a goat-hound.
 Walter wanted to know what I would say on the Wolf "Wormy" bit me. Maybe she wouldn't run true to form when biting me!
 Johnny Stewall and "Hobe" Spriggs have just bought the Phoenix hotel. I guess I'll be their manager or maybe the chief guest.
 The above-mentioned fellows are trying to hire Bart, Carson, Ted, Joe, Harry and Noble as bell boys.
 Floyd county's men in the Legislature are really out in front down at Frankfort. They are backing the miners (we feel sure) and that means they'll go places.
 D. M. is a Beaver Creeker again. You can't keep a good man down.
 Most of us miners have agreed that we should live in Lexington. Yeah. People don't get up till 8 a.m., slow time.
 They'll either have to change the law to one inspection of mines a year or indict the Department of Mines for violating the law. Name me one mine that was inspected every three months on Big Sandy and I'll catch you a bird.

Former TIMES Man At Courier Desk, Army Stint Past
 James B. Goble has been discharged from the army and is back on his old job as assistant state editor of the Courier-Journal.
 After voluntarily joining Uncle Sam's forces in November, 1942, James was stationed at Ft. Knox as a public relations man, became war correspondent for YANK Magazine, the army's weekly publication, and later was editor of the Western Pacific edition of YANK. He was with the fleet that struck Tokyo and served in New Caledonia, the Solomons, Samoa, Fiji, Hawaii, Guam, Saipan and Okinawa.
 A graduate of Prestonsburg high school and a son of Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Prestonsburg, he attended Casey Junior College, Pikeville Junior College and the University of Kentucky. Before joining The Courier-Journal staff he was assistant editor of The Floyd County Times.
 His wife is the former Eleanor Desner, of Michigan.

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 Your 1945 graded school taxes are now due. If paid by March 1, you can save penalty on same.
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 2-7-46

Koppers Leases Eccles Coal Property; Fault Reported in Charge
 L. C. Campbell, vice-president, Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates, Koppers Coal Division, announced last week that, effective February 1, Koppers Coal has taken over the operation of the Eccles mining properties, 10 miles west of Beckley in Raleigh county, on lease from the Crab Orchard Impassement Company.
 A. V. Paul, Prestonsburg, former U. S. Bureau of Mines Inspector, will be superintendent at Eccles, it was said here.
 The Eccles property comprises nearly 5,000 acres of coal land from which about 1,000,000 tons of coal a year are now being mined.
 Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates already has begun plans for improvement of the community, the mining operations and the surface facilities, details for which will be announced as soon as plans are completed.
 There are two Eccles mines—No. 5 mine, Beckley seam, and No. 6 mine, Sewell seam. The mines are located on the Virginia and the Chesapeake & Ohio railroads.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCED
 Announcement is made of the birth on Feb. 21 at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Clark, Wheelwright, of an eight-pound daughter, Mrs. Clark, the former Miss Emilion Hagans, is chairman of the Floyd county infantile paralysis fund drive.

Administrator's Notice
 All persons having claims against the estate of Isaac Hunter, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Martin, Ky., on or before February 10, 1946, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.
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Capt. and Mrs. William Garland, of Paintsville, were here Tuesday calling on Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davidson, who are ill at their home on Court street.

Mrs. Merl Wilson is supplying as teacher this week at the grade school in the absence of Mrs. Ray Collins. Joe Wheeler Meadows arrived from Ypsanti, Mich., this week for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Flora Sizemore has returned from Louisa, where she visited the Rev. J. C. Hager and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hatton left this week for Louisville for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hurt spent the week-end in Tazewell, Va., visiting relatives.

Judge Ed Hill of Mt. Sterling, was an overnight guest here of this. Circuit Judge E. P. Hill, Jr.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:

Notice is hereby given that the Floyd County Board of Education calls for competitive bids on construction of a new school building at Betsy Layne and at Weeksburg according to plans and specifications prepared for same, said bids to be filed in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools, Prestonsburg, Ky., up to and including p.m. March 6, 1946.

Plans and specifications and bidders' blanks for same may be procured at the County Superintendent's office.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
2-7-46 By Town Hall, Supt.

CHANGE NAME OF BALL LOOP

Eight Teams Members Of Pike-Floyd League; Malone Named President

The baseball league to offer diamond entertainment to fans of this section next season no longer is the Big Sandy—the name was changed to that of the Pike-Floyd League at the board meeting here Friday night in the office of County Judge Alex J. Davidson.

W. A. Malone, of Allen, was elected league president; W. C. Rimmer, Prestonsburg, vice-president; Fred Dickerson, Prestonsburg, secretary. Directors are J. R. Hurt, Prestonsburg; Ora Currituck, Auxier; Bill Stinson, Pikeville; Russell Harman, David; Ward Reed, Drift, and E. W. Conn, Harold.

Eight teams form the league as it now stands. These are Prestonsburg, Wayland, David, Auxier, Pikeville, Harold, Wheelwright and Drift.

Season play will begin April 14 and end Sept. 2. At end of the season the top-ranking team will play the No. 3 team in the league standings a three game play-off, as will Team No. 2 play the fourth-ranking team. Winners of these play-offs will then meet in a three-game series for the league title.

A special league meeting has been called for 7 p.m. Feb. 11, in the County Judge's office.

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Rev. Alex Stephens, Virgil Kendrick, 24, and Bertha Bryant, 22, both of Hill Hat, married at Logan, Feb. 2, the Rev. Chas. Perry officiating. Emma Patton, 21, McDowell, and Thelma Reynolds, 10, Printer, marriage rites performed here Feb. 2 by County Judge X. L. Davidson. Ralph Webb, 24, West Prestonsburg, and Elizabeth Webb, 25, West Prestonsburg, married here Feb. 2 by County Judge Davidson. Paul Dutton, 20, and Opal Irene Walters, 22, both of Boone Camp, Ky., married here Feb. 2 by County Judge Davidson. Hursel Case, 24, Drift, and Ada Shepherd, 21, Wakeman, O., married Feb. 2, County Judge Davidson officiating. George Campbell and Opal Riley, Bobbie Pennington and Opal Riley, Johnny Peck, 21, Drift, and Bernice Lykins, 21, Hunter, married Feb. 5, County Judge Davidson officiating. Granville Hughes and Helen Hyden, James Miles Gibson, 21, and Mattie Ruth McCarey, married Feb. 5 by County Judge Davidson.

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The school structure and will house classes in vocational agriculture, auto mechanics, music and other work outside the regular high school curriculum.

Mr. Dean left here Tuesday after spending two days in the county conferring with school authorities. From his drawing board also shortly are expected plans for brick gymnasiums at Wheelwright and Martin schools, each to be 90 by 125 feet and affording the most modern facilities.

The Lackey and Melvin schools are being designed. Superintendent Hall said, so that rooms may be added when necessary without destroying their symmetry.

The Clark school, located near the Dewey dam site, has been placed at the disposal of U.S. engineers as temporary headquarters. The engineers assured the Board an office building will be erected in that vicinity before July 1 when the school term begins.

Kermit Howard was appointed trustee of the Dwayne district after Lou Lafayette had found it impossible to serve.

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THURS.-FRI. FEBRUARY 7-8— "CASANOVA BROWN"
with Gary Cooper, Teresa Wright, Frank Morgan, Patricia Collins, Anita Louise, Mary Treen, Emory Parnell and Jill Emond. Also RKO Radio News.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9— "SIX GUN MAN"
with Bob Steele, Syd Saylor, Jimmie Martin and Joan Carlin.

"CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE"
with Lloyd Nolan, Michael O'Shea, Tracy Marshall, Scotty Beckett and Byron Foulger. Also, "Lair Makes the News," and Chapter 9, "The Adventures of the Flying Cadets," with Johnny Downs and Robert Armstrong.

SUN.-MON. FEBRUARY 10-11— "MY PAL WOLF"
with Sharyn Moffett, Grey Shadow (the Dog), Jill Emond, Una O'Connor, Charles Arnt and Bruce Edwards.

"THE LUCKY NIGHT"
with the Andrews Sisters, Martha O'Driscoll, Noah Berry, Jr., George Barber, Eddie Acuff and Grady Sutton. Also, "Stagecoach Cartoon."

Mrs. Sam Terry, 59, Succumbs at Lackey, Heart Disease Victim

Mrs. Ruthie Reynolds Terry, 59 years old, wife of Sam Terry, well-known Lackey man, died at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, Thursday of last week, a victim of heart disease.

Mrs. Terry was a native of Malle, Knott county, and had many relatives and friends in both Floyd and Knott counties. She was a member of the Regular Baptist Church.

Surviving, besides her husband are three sons, Ernest, John J., and Clarence K. Terry, all of Lackey; eight daughters—Mrs. W. M. Cook, Bypro; Mrs. Bob Bentley, Wayland; Mrs. Rich Watkins, Mrs. Arthur Stanley, Mrs. Bradley Boyd, all of Lackey; Mrs. Archie Lafayette, Garrett; Mrs. Leonard Roberts, Estill, and Miss Nora Terry, at home. Two brothers and one sister also survive: Tilden Reynolds, of Malle, Maryland Reynolds, Pippapas; and Mrs. Mary Thomas, address unavailable.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the residence, the Rev. Alex Coburn, E. H. Howard, M. G. Wright and Banner Manns officiating. Burial was made in the Reynolds cemetery at Malle under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Familiar Floyd Figure Victim of Pneumonia

Fred Thacker, for many years a familiar figure in Floyd county, particularly in the Right Beaver Creek section, died Wednesday, last week, at his home at Lackey—Pneumonia was given as the cause of death, although he had been in ill health since he suffered a broken hip several years ago. He was about 80 years old.

Burial was made in the Prater cemetery at Lackey Thursday, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

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ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI. FEBRUARY 7-8— "Vacation from Marriage"
Robert Donat, Deborah Kerr. Short—"House Tricks." Matinees—1:30. Nights—7:01 and 8:45.

SATURDAY— "Detour"
Tom Neal, Anne Savage. Battling Bass. "Duck Pimples," Walt Disney cartoon. What Every Veteran Should Know.

SUNDAY-MONDAY— "They Were Expensible"
Robert Montgomery, John Wayne. Comedy—"Peek Up Your Troubles." News. (In technicolor) Sunday matinees—1:01 and 3:05. Monday matinees—1:30. Nights—7:01 and 9:15.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY— "She Went to the Races"
James Craig, Frances Gifford. News. People Are Funny. Bountiful Alaska. Matinees—1:30. Nights—7:01 and 8:45.



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