





### SHIKE'S POKES

(Views expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

Those Tennessee rooters might not have yelled for B.C., New Year's Day but, boy, they were yelling for B.C. headache medicine the next morning.

The fellows who operate those 5c juke boxes had better pay Tramble Mitchell to stay at home—every time he goes around and starts singing they stop playing the "Jukes"—his singing wows them.

Boy, you can tell this is a primary election year—they have already started handshaking and back-slapping. A fellow advised me that he held out his hand in P'burg for a right turn and nine candidates shook it.

What a new year!—the ticking of the alarm clock the next morning sounded like an air raid siren.

These greedy truckers have hit on a plan to yell "Defense bottleneck," to get the weight of loads raised above the 18,000-pound limit. That is just a plain bunch of bull—the government has a right to our highways at all times, regardless of weight, and everyone knows that our roads won't stand steady pounding of even nine-ton loads. The roads in this section are breaking up with an average of three-ton loads and who in hell would want to try and pass a 20-ton truck on our highways? You have a hard time getting around one of these houses on wheels now within the 18,000-pound limit. There will have to be big improvement in the construction of our highways before they will hold up under 18,000-load limit.

Senators Wheeler, Vandenburg, Clark, Holt, etc., think they are aiding us by their methods—but their way will lead to another Munich and a great majority of the American people will repudiate such leadership. Wheeler is the U.S.A. man with the

umbrella and, after witnessing what happened to the British and French by following a guy with an umbrella, we'll say—"No dice, WHEELER!" And, after all, every one knows that an umbrella won't stop a bomb and I am of the opinion that, any time you can get a fellow to fight for you, furnish him plenty to fight with—Britain is fighting our battles—let's give them everything they want and TAKE IT TO THEM IF NECESSARY!

We all thought that the "Beefhead" was a single man until the army questionnaires began coming out. Then he came in with a "better half" and a child. Better safe than sorry.

Jim McDowell, Drift's headlined rookie pitcher last year, also got his rib back during the holidays. He'll be a veteran next year.

We are short an "extra brakeman" since the Green Hornet went to Middle Creek. It's easy to find jumpers, too.

Johnny says that Red started to "rent" but is now trying to "own."

Mack Hull is back on the job again. He has been sporting influenza but some of the fellows say he has been "hoss-swapping"—trying to trade a nightmare for a "charley horse."

Some one try to figure this one out—Kentucky and Ohio have identical Unemployment Compensation Laws—the high court of Ohio ordered the compensation paid for the shut-down, but the Kentucky high court says no—don't pay it. Seems as though labor has few friends in Frankfort. And just why is it a law is one way in Ohio and different in Kentucky? I just believe we were taken for a ride. The way the Court of Appeals ruled, our law wasn't worth a darn. The Court says in its opinion, the men just wouldn't go to work. Didn't our representatives ask to return to work, pending a settlement not once, but four times? But the offer was refused. This news was carried in every newspaper in the land. Then how does the court get that the miners refused to return to work? A rule that won't work both ways is not worth a darn and the way things have worked out, the law should be repealed or amended. Maybe we will have some labor members of the Legislature in Frankfort, next session.

Just what has happened to the quail in this section? Is the quarry of all bird hunters. Altogether, a "mess" hasn't been killed in this section this fall. Last year, they plentiful and the boys left plenty in each covey for seed, too. Something just happened, last winter and spring.

Dr. Ladd says that his "Ladd's notorious remedy XYZ will alleviate any pain, except in a Republican neck after a fireside chat."

When me, you or anyone else goes to bed early, get a good night's sleep, wakes up the next morning and the world is moving along as usual—WELL, it just goes to show you and me how well the world can get along without us.

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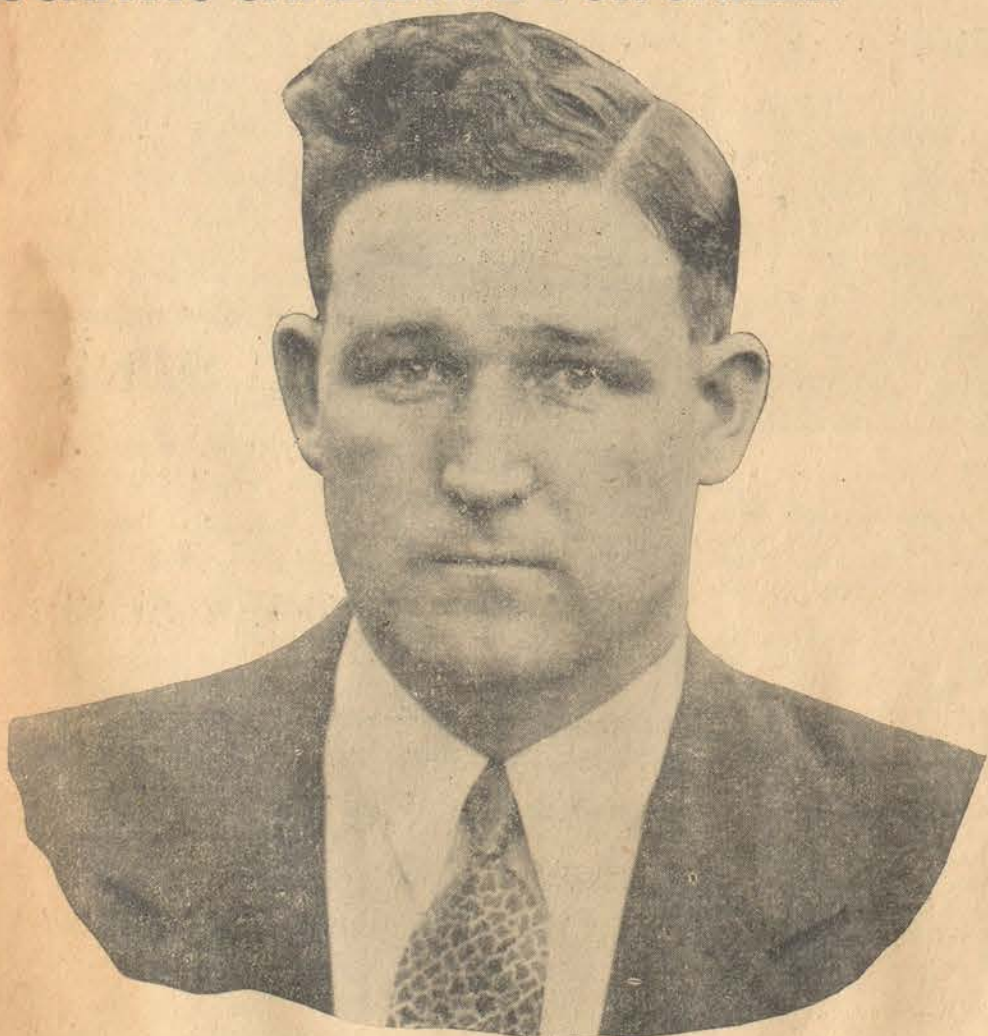
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Your friend,  
**ROE TURNER**  
Minnie, Ky.

Approximately 15,000 pounds of vetch was seeded in Russell county last fall.

**MARTIN**  
Mrs. Florence Crisp, assisted by her granddaughter, Magdalene Branham, served dinner for the Martin Purple Flash basketball team on Thursday evening. Coach Vincent and Principal Wicker were honor guests. Mr. Hays, vocational agriculture teacher of Betsy Layne, was the guest of Miss Branham. The dinner was enjoyed by all the boys. The cheer leaders enjoyed themselves immensely.

Mrs. Florence Crisp, Magdalene Branham and Willard Campbell accompanied Mrs. Crisp's son, James Crisp, as far as Paintsville on his return to school.

Miss Flossie Moore has been the guest of Miss Alpha Morgan for the past week.

Lawton B. Allen has been confined to his home during the holidays with flu.

Mrs. Hazel Kish and daughter, Mary Lou, were visiting Mrs. Guy Taylor during the holidays.

Ed Gillespie has returned home from the Huntington hospital.

Otis Spurlock, of Printer, visited Lawton Allen Friday evening.

Miss Shirley Compton spent Christmas with Miss Ruth Osborne.

James Crisp has returned to his studies at Bowling Green after spending the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. Florence Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoosie Holt are moving back to Martin from Wheelwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunaway are the happy parents of a son.

Misses Ruth Pratt and Mabel Conley have returned to their studies at Berea College after spending the holidays with their parents.

Mrs. L. B. Kiser has sold her restaurant to Mrs. H. L. Robinson.

Miss June Varney of Pikeville, visited Miss Ola Key last week.

Miss Opal Porter, of Betsy Layne,

was the guest of Miss Ellen Davis last Friday.

L. F. (Shorty) Davis has returned from the hospital.

Nearly every family here has had at least one case of flu.

School was closed last Tuesday on

account of the flu epidemic, but opened Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Castle are visiting his mother, Mrs. Lavada Castle.

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### MARTIN THEATER "WHERE THE CROWDS GO" SUNDAY

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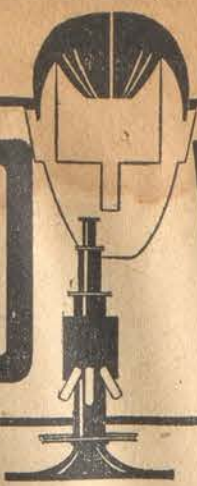
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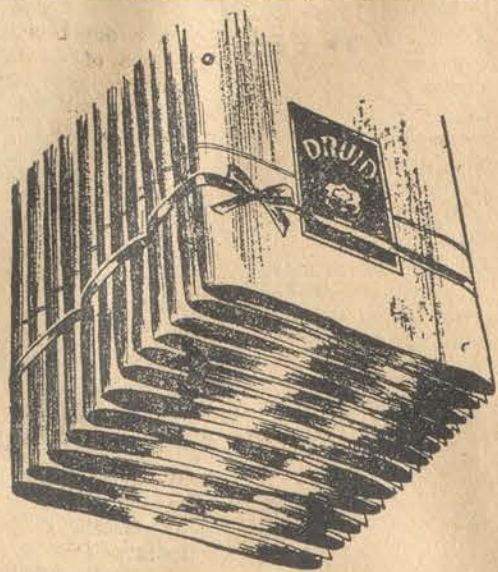


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### COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Ryan Funeral Home Plaintiff,  
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE  
Ezra Stone, Et Al., Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the October term thereof, 1940, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale, at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1941, at 1:00 o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

**TRACT NO. 1:**

A certain tract of land on Branham's Creek on the waters of Big Mud Creek in Floyd county, Ky., and beginning on a beech on the left side of said creek; thence running up the hill to a spotted oak, thence up the point to a post oak at the road; thence down the road with James McKinney line to a hickory; thence down the hill to a lane; thence down the lane to a creek; thence down the creek to a beech to the beginning, containing five acres more or less. This being the same land conveyed to Milton McKinney (deceased) from the Pete McKinney heirs, recorded in

Deed Book No. 14, page 13, Floyd County Court records.

**TRACT NO. 2:**

A certain tract of land lying on Branham's Creek, a tributary of Mud Creek, in Floyd county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning on a white oak tree east side of Branham's Creek; thence a straight line to a branch; thence up the branch to a hickory and beech in the head of the said branch; thence a straight line to a chestnut oak at the head of the road; thence with the road to the top of the mountain to A. J. Sturgill's line; thence down the ridge to Talbert Akers' line; thence down point to Harvey Boyd's line; thence down the point to the white oak the beginning, containing 45 acres, more or less. This being the same land conveyed to the said Milton McKinney (deceased) by S. M. Ferguson, recorded in Deed Book No. 14, page 110.

**TRACT NO. 3:**

A certain tract of land lying and being on Branham's Creek in Floyd county, Ky., and being the same land conveyed to Martha McKinney by the heirs of Milton McKinney, deceased. Beginning on a beech tree at a cliff; thence with Nancy Slone line up the point to the road; thence running the road with James McKinney's line to the bend in the road; thence straight line down with Nancy Slone's line to a beech and hickory; thence

down the branch with Nancy Slone to the creek; thence running with bank to the beginning, being about 20 acres, more or less.

**TRACT NO. 4:**

Beginning at a sycamore at the creek running east 70 yards with Amos Akers and Stella Akers line to a stake; thence running 60 yards, more or less, south to Nancy Slone's line; thence running with Slone's line 70 yards west to the creek; thence running north with creek to a sycamore the beginning point.

**TRACT NO. 5:**

Beginning on top of a point a spotted oak; thence down the hill with drain and Amos Akers' and Stella Akers' line to an elm tree at the branch, running with branch to the creek, running north with creek to Nancy Slone line; thence across the bottom with same to Amos Akers' and Stella Akers' line to a beech; thence up the hill with same to a basket oak, corner tree to Nancy Slone line; thence down the point with Nancy Slone's line to the branch, running with branch west to the creek; thence straight line to a beech on hill, straight line to top of point; thence straight line up point to a spotted oak the beginning point.

**TRACT NO. 6:**

Beginning at the creek running west to spring branch to Elmot drain; thence running southwest up the drain to the top of the point to Lee Alley's line; thence east down the point to an oak tree corner tree; thence running with an old survey and with J. W. Slone's line to a beech and buckeye at the creek; thence with old survey up the creek to mouth of branch; thence up the branch to a white oak; thence up the point with Nancy Slone's line to a white oak corner tree; thence west down the hill with Amos Akers' and Stella Akers' line to an oak and a beech; thence a straight line to the beginning.

**TRACT NO. 7:**

Beginning at a sycamore at the creek running east 70 yards to a stake; thence running 60 yards, more or less to Nancy Slone's line; thence running with Slone's line 70 yards west to the creek; thence running north with creek back to the beginning point, being the same land conveyed by Mary Martin to the grantors herein by deed dated... day of... 19... recorded in Deed Book No. 28, page 50, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made, amounting to \$275.00, with six per cent interest thereon from May 19, 1938, and the further sum of about \$100.00 court cost.

For the purchase price the purchasers must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

B. L. STURGILL,  
Master Commissioner,  
Floyd Circuit Court.

Cost of advertising, \$34.50

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

W. H. Richardson Plaintiff  
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE  
Sallie M. Stephens Allen Defendant

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On Middle Creek, Tract No. 1: BEGINNING at the county road near a rock quarry and thence north to an ash tree and thence to the creek to the line of H. D. Fitzpatrick and others; thence with the creek in an easterly direction to the line of Jack Hughes near a house on the Harris heirs' land and thence west with the same to the beginning so as to include 15 acres more or less, and being the same land inherited by Sallie M. Stephens from Ellen Fitzpatrick her mother.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made, amounting to \$200.00 with 6 per cent interest thereon from August 23, 1930, until paid, and the further sum of \$24.00 with 6 per cent interest thereon from November 6, 1934 until paid, and the further sum of about \$100.00 court cost.

For the purchase price the purchasers must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

B. L. STURGILL,  
Master Commissioner,  
Floyd Circuit Court.

Cost of advertising \$12.00

### NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

By virtue of an order of the Floyd County Fiscal Court entered at its special January term, 1940, I am authorized to ask for bids for the hauling and delivery of Federal Surplus Commodities, which bids must be in writing and sealed and delivered to me on or before Saturday, January 18th 1941.

Prospective bidders may offer a bid for either Magisterial District within Floyd county, Kentucky, or for the county as a whole. Prospective bidders will be further advised that the contracts will be awarded to the lowest and best bidder unless the Fiscal Court rejects all of said bids, which privilege is reserved to them.

If the contract is awarded for the county as a whole, the successful bidder will be required to haul said commodities from the depot to the storage house and thence from said storage house to points of distribution throughout Floyd county.

If contracts are awarded for each of the Magisterial Districts, then each of the successful bidders will be required to assist in delivering commodities from the depot to the storage house in addition to the points of distribution.

For information as to the quantity of commodities to be distributed you are referred to Carl Horn in charge of the Commodity Storehouse.

The contracts will be awarded for month to month delivery and either party may terminate said contract upon giving the adverse party ten days written notice.

Bids will be opened and contract awarded at a meeting of the Fiscal Court on Saturday, January 18, 1941. Given under my hand this January 7, 1941.

FLOYD COUNTY FISCAL COURT,  
By FORREST D. SHORT,  
County Attorney.

### RETURNS HOME

Drift—Mrs. Armima Spencer Hocker has returned to her home at Fort Knox, Ky., after being called here to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Polly Spencer.

### INSTRUCTION—

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## MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

SUNDAY



See the Screen's Newest  
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IN PERSON

### RAY "CRASH" CORRIGAN AND HIS STAGE SHOW

The show of Ray "Crash" Corrigan and his western lads now on tour hits a new high in thrills, action, entertainment. Ray's vivid portrayal of the wild west is tensely vivid and will show his movie-fans just how he stunts for his roles in the "Range Busters," the western pictures loaded with dynamic action, crammed with exciting situations, replete with human interest and side-splitting comedy.

Here's a real western show packed full of action and you will get your money's worth of entertainment. Come early and hear and see the fiery two-gun hero Ray "Crash" Corrigan relates the marvelous hair-raising methods which he portrays in all his western pictures. Ray, together with his western stars, will be seen at the Martin theater, for Sunday only.

This company is only on tour for a limited number of weeks between pictures, and are due back in Hollywood soon for another series of fast-moving action western dramas.

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"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

**SUNDAY**



**RAY "CRASH" CORRIGAN AND HIS SHOW**

An avalanche of western action, the dash and deviltry of mad adventure, horror, tragedy and romance under western skies will be depicted by Ray "Crash" Corrigan and his Western Stars when they appear at the Martin theater Sunday.

Ray "Crash" Corrigan will show his fans what it takes to be a movie hero, how difficult the stunts of catching criminals, roping steers and twirling guns and saving the innocent. He will thrill you with his tales of the west. His songs, stories, and comedy by his boys as well as music will give you an evening's entertainment long to be remembered.

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**OBITUARY**

The foundation of American civilization is the home erected and maintained through blood and tears, commingled with the job and hope of our sturdy God-fearing, independent citizens. This is the ultimate source, and, as long as it remains uncorrupted, it is the indestructible hope of civilization and our free American institutions. Every successful, loyal and faithful home-maker in this broad land of ours is an uncrowned king or queen whose happiness and efficiency should be the chief concern of our government, since it is their contribution to human society that insures her security and perpetuity. Ever since God said, "Let us make man in our image," the home has become a sacred institution fostered by the favor, the beneficence and protection of Almighty God; and despite the sinister forces of evil now rampant throughout certain portions of the world, this nucleus of civilization, while it recognizes and respects its responsibility to the Almighty, will be indestructible and invincible and will ultimately prevail.

Of such was the humble but God-fearing home of Martin V. and Sarah Justice Wheeler, erected and main-

tained amidst the green-walled hills of Johnson county, who produced and reared to manhood and womanhood a family of eleven children—eight boys and three girls, the eldest of whom was the subject of this sketch, the late Honorable Columbus Borders Wheeler, who was born November 2, 1870, and died on December 31, 1940, a few days more than 70 years of age. His father preceded him in death on March 10, 1923, but his mother still survives and will be 95 years of age in May of this year, and is probably the oldest living citizen in Johnson county. His first wife was Elizabeth Walters, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wince Walters, of Johnson county, Ky.; and to this union were born one son, W. H. Wheeler, now of Prestonsburg, Ky., and four daughters (two of whom, Esta and Zella Wheeler, are now dead), Mrs. Harvey Bixler, now residing in Frankfort, Ky., and Mrs. Sterling Berger, of Catlettsburg, Ky. His first wife died at the early age of 27 years. His second wife and surviving widow is Mrs. Grace Evelyn Martin Wheeler (daughter of Joel C. and Minnie Martin, of Floyd county, Ky.), to whom he was married on December 11, 1918.

Judge C. B. Wheeler (as he was familiarly known), was admitted to the bar in Johnson county more than 50 years ago, ever since which time and uninterruptedly until a short time before his death he practiced his profession and engaged in no other profession or business, for a livelihood, during that time. He was elected as a member of the General Assembly of Kentucky, from the legislative district composed of Johnson and Martin counties, in the year 1896 and served for a period of two years. He practiced his profession at the Johnson county bar consistently, energetically and honorably until about 25 years ago when he moved to Floyd county and located at Prestonsburg, Ky., where he practiced his profession with the same fidelity and consistency until a short time before his death, except that during this time he was, by the voters of the 31st Judicial District (composed of Floyd and Knott counties), elected to the position of Circuit Judge of that district, and served as such with signal credit to himself and his country from 1928 to 1934.

The writer's first impression of Judge C. B. Wheeler was at a time when Judge Wheeler had just entered the legal profession at Paintsville, Ky., but at the time well-grounded in and equipped by the fundamental principles of his profession, and the writer was studying to enter that profession and they entered into a mutual understanding and arrangement under which the writer gave Judge Wheeler free lessons in Latin and Judge Wheeler gave the writer free lessons in law. Since that time his ability as a lawyer was never questioned. No member of the legal profession ever regarded his profession more seriously nor had any

higher regard for the ethics of his profession than Judge C. B. Wheeler. He was no quibbler; but what gave him more concern in his profession were the fundamental and essential principles of the law as applied to human conduct. He did not believe in allowing the barren technicalities of the law to interfere with or defeat the fundamental rights of humanity as expressed in and guaranteed by the fundamental and statutory laws of our land.

There is no man who ever engaged in the practice of law, either for him or against him, but will recall that he had a worthy, able and pugnacious opponent, or a loyal, able and consistent co-worker. His professional life was a literal dedication to, and personification of, the great, fundamental, underlying principles of the body of the law safeguarding and protecting the rights of human conduct. In each and all of these he conscientiously and consistently believed, and fought for to the end of his career, and to the honor and perpetuation of his name as a member of the great profession he served for more than one-half of a century.

JUDGE FRED HOWES,  
Member of the Johnson  
County Bar.

**BONANZA**

Mrs. Geraldine Frasure and little daughter, Clara Elizabeth, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Patton, over the week-end.

Schools are closed on Abbott on account of "flu."  
William Ward Patton has returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., after a 30-day furlough with his parents and friends.

He spent Christmas in Carter county with his aunt, Flossie Marshall Akers, also spent last week in Ashland with his uncles, Winfield and Oliver Marshall. He is a military police in the army at Fort Bragg.

Whitley county farmers report the use of 350 tons of commercial phosphate in 1940.

Henry county farmers used 17,000 tons of limestone in 1940 which is 183 percent increase over 1939.

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