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ENEMY ALIENS IN KENTUCKY MUST REGISTER NEXT MONTH

Attorney General Biddle today announced new regulations affecting the conduct of German, Italian and Japanese nationals throughout continental United States.
The new regulations, issued under authority of the Presidential proclamation of Jan. 14, 1942, relating to alien enemies, require all German, Italian and Japanese aliens to apply at the nearest first or second class, or county seat, postoffice for a Certificate of Identification.
The requirement applies to all enemy nationals 14 years of age or over who have not yet taken the oath of allegiance before a federal judge, the final step in acquiring American citizenship.
The identification program, which will affect approximately 1,100,000 German, Italian and Japanese non-citizens, will be directed by Earl G. Harrison, former Director of Alien Registration, and now a special assistant to the Attorney General advising on alien problems.
The regulations provide two separate periods for the submitting of applications for identity certificates, as follows:
1. All German, Italian and Japanese nationals residing in the states of California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Arizona, Montana, Utah and Idaho are required to file applications at the nearest first or second class, or county seat, postoffice between Feb. 2 and Feb. 7, 1942, inclusive.
2. All German, Italian and Japanese nationals residing elsewhere in continental United States are required to file applications at the nearest first or second class, or county seat, postoffice between Feb. 9 and Feb. 23, 1942, inclusive.
Failure to comply with the new regulations may be punished by severe penalties, including possible internment of the enemy alien for the duration of the war.
The regulations require enemy aliens, in applying for identification certificates, to provide a photograph of themselves (to be attached to the identity card) and to answer a number of questions concerning their current activities. Printed directions for the filing of applications will shortly be available at postoffices.
The regulations provide that after a careful check has been made of each application, the applicant will be provided with a Certificate of Identification bearing his photograph, index fingerprint and signature. He will thereafter be required to carry the certificate with him at all times.
In announcing the new regulations, the Attorney General said:
"The objective of the Department of Justice in issuing identification certificates to aliens of enemy nationalities is the dual one of strengthening our internal safety and protecting the loyal alien, even if he has become technically an alien enemy. The plan for issuing these certificates was worked out after consultation with Lieutenant General J. L. DeWitt, commander of the Ninth Area Corps.
"I want to make it clear that in no sense will our issuance of identification certificates be a re-registration of a portion of the alien population. We are entirely satisfied with the results of the 1940 national registration of aliens, and this new procedure will not duplicate it. We deem it essential, however, for the protection of loyal alien enemies as well as for our own national safety, to obtain supplementary information of all German, Italian and Japanese non-citizens and provide them with identification certificates bearing their photographs."

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Mary Patrick Plaintiff
Vs:—NOTICE OF SALE
A. J. (Jack) Patrick Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the January term, 1942, in the above-styled 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 the 2nd day of February, 1942, at one o'clock, p.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, upon a credit of six and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

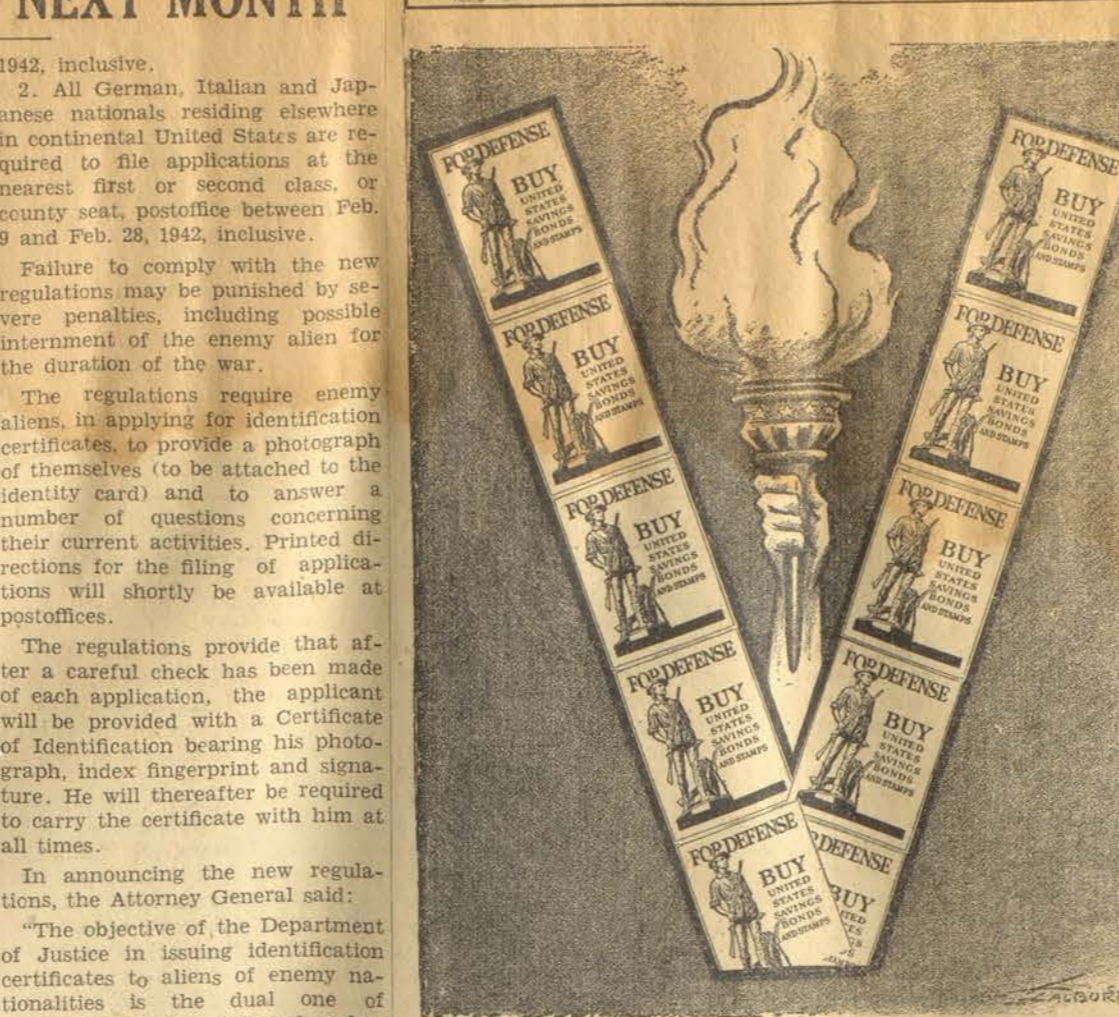
A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Floyd county, Ky., on Raccoon Creek, of Salt Lick Creek, a tributary of Right Beaver Creek, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake at the main forks of Raccoon Creek and a corner to C. D. Patrick and Lots Nos. 3 and 2, then running up the left fork with the line of Lot No. 2, S 77 30 W 84; to a stake, N 80 20 W 63, to a stake at the edge of the creek; thence leaving the creek and running across the bottom N 46 W 330 to a small pawpaw tree at the foot of the hill; then running around the foot of the hill S 51 W 67 to a stake in a ravine; then running up the ravine N 38 20 W 535 to a black oak tree on the point and the corner of the land of Cleveland Stephens; thence running with his line and the fence down the point, N 89 39 E 65 to a stake, S 60 E 201 to a white oak tree, S 52 40 E 157 to a stake in the right fork of Raccoon Creek and a corner to the land of C. D. Patrick; thence running with his line down the creek, S 30 E 152, to a stake, S 95 W 147 to a willow tree in front of the house, S 19 E 167 to the beginning, 4.30 acres.

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

Comparisons of budgeted state appropriations in the first year of the bi-ennium 1942-44, with corresponding year bi-ennium of 1940-42, showing where increases or decreases have been made, follow:

Table with 4 columns: State Agency or Purpose, First Year of Bi-ennium 1940-42, First Year of Bi-ennium 1942-44, Increase. Rows include Legislative Council, Court of Appeals and Clerk, Criminal Prosecutions, etc.

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Betsy Layne Defeats Wheelwright, 36-22

Betsy Layne, Ky., Jan. 17 (Sp.)—Tonight the Betsy Layne Bob Cats defeated Wheelwright here by a score of 36-22. Wheelwright's B-team defeated Betsy Layne B-team, 15 to 10.
Gearheart led the Betsy Layne attack with 14 points. Wheelwright was well in the lead at the end of the first quarter.

MARTIN

The many friends of Mrs. Ida Parker, who has been seriously ill, will be glad to learn that her condition is improving.
J. Warren Preston, who attends the NYA school at Vine Grove, Ky., spent a few days with his parents last week.

This week (Tuesday) Mrs. John Henry Osborne, Mrs. L. B. Kiser, Mrs. B. Branham, Misses Louise Frazier and Ruth Crisp were hostesses to a delightful stork shower in honor of Mrs. Flora Collins Harrison, at the home of Mrs. Joe Crisp. Mrs. Harrison received many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Hardwick have sold their home in Martin to Clayborne Bailey and have moved to their new home at Betsy Layne.

SMITH-HUNTER

Miss Jewel Smith and Mr. Ernest Hunter were married Dec. 30, in Pikeville. Mrs. Hunter is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Smith. She is a senior in Martin high school. Mr. Hunter is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunter. He is employed in Baltimore, Md. She expects to join him at the end of the school year.

Miss Bernice Fletcher, of Pikeville, spent Saturday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chester Hawpe.

Miss Naomi Crum visited her parents in McVeigh over the week-end.

Mrs. Chester Hawpe visited her mother, Mrs. Jack Fletcher, in Pikeville Sunday.

The United States Department of Agriculture, in a bulletin on shoe sizing and fitting, says "arch disorders, from which many people suffer, are not caused nor cured by shoes." Sufferers "require highly competent individual diagnosis by thoroughly trained medical men who are seriously interested in foot disabilities."

Training Institute At Berea Slated, Feb. 25-27

Announcement is made by Miss Wilhelmina Stooker, director, that a training institute for leaders of the mountain area in Sunday, Wednesday, and Daily Vacation Church Schools, will be held Feb. 25, 26, and 27, in Union Church, on Berea College campus, Berea, Ky.
Laboratory teaching and conferences for teachers of children; experiences in handwork and recreation, exhibits, dramatics, lectures, also conferences for ministers and Sunday School superintendents are a part of the program.
The faculty will be composed of state and national leaders from various denominations.
There is no registration fee. Delegates may be entertained in Berea homes as guests if room reservations are made in advance. Otherwise arrangements may be made at Boone Tavern. Meals will be served at the church for a nominal fee.
The institute is interdenominational and presents an opportunity for excellent training. Leaders from all denominations within the area are urged to attend. Further information may be secured from Miss Wilhelmina Stooker, Union Church, Berea, Ky.

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WILLKIE AND F.D.R.

Seldom in political history has a President of the United States received such wholesome support on major foreign policy from a defeated candidate as Franklin Roosevelt has received from Wendell Willkie. Few people know how active Willkie has been behind the scenes. For instance, Willkie has even done some missionary work on Joe Martin, chairman of the Republican National committee and opposition leader of the house. Willkie remains on very friendly terms with his old campaign manager, even though they differed on foreign policy. Shortly after the congressional vote to repeal the Neutrality act, in which the Republicans nearly defeated Roosevelt, Willkie phoned Joe Martin. "Joe," he said, "those Republicans who voted against repeal of neutrality are going to have a tough time being re-elected. They're going to find the country is behind Roosevelt on this."

The Republican national chairman replied that he would not only re-elect all the Republicans who voted against Roosevelt, but he would also elect a lot of new Republicans to fill the seats of the Democrats who had voted with Roosevelt. "Listen," said Willkie, "if you re-elect 80 per cent of those who voted against the President you'll be the greatest political genius of all time."

"And," said Willkie, in telling the story to a friend afterward, "a few days later there was Joe himself voting with Roosevelt for a declaration of war."

—Buy Defense Bonds—

SHIP-BUILDING PROGRAM

The action of the house naval affairs committee in slashing the proposed expansion of our two-ocean navy was due chiefly to shortages of materials and construction equipment.

However, Rear Admiral Samuel Robinson, chief of the bureau of ships, ran into a blunt barrage of questions about the worth of the battleship under modern combat conditions. Committee members sharply suggested that in view of the battleship's record in this war, the navy might be wise to build no more.

Robinson contended that this would be impractical, since the United States needed battleships "if our enemies continue to use them for combat purposes."

"What is your honest private opinion of the battleship?" he was asked. "Do you think this type of ship is worth all the money it costs and the time and labor required to build them?"

"I'm sorry, gentlemen, but it's not my function to answer that question," sidestepped Robinson with a smile. "I'm not a policy man. My job is to build ships after it is decided they are needed. However, I have my own ideas about the battleship."

This drew laughter, and the admiral was pressed no further. Robinson also was quizzed closely about the high cost of certain vessels which the navy proposed in the expansion program, chiefly an aircraft carrier at an estimated \$85,000,000.

"Higher labor and material costs are the biggest factors," Robinson explained. "For instance, we have a new type of armor plate for our ships which is far stronger than that used by any other nation. It costs \$60 a ton, three times as much as the armor plate we formerly used."

"How about the labor supply?" "We have plenty of labor to carry out our shipbuilding program," Robinson said. "Also plenty of facilities. Getting materials and machine tools is our big problem right now. However, the shortage doesn't amount to a bottleneck. In fact, production is running a little ahead of schedule and will be greatly expedited by next spring."

—Buy Defense Bonds—

CAPITAL CHAFF

The outbreak of the war obscured the incident, but the house ate crow in a big way on its action last summer barring David Lasser, former head of the Workers Alliance, from government employment. After a careful investigation, the appropriations committee completely exonerated Lasser of any Communist affiliations. Representatives John Taber, N. Y., J. W. Ditter, Pa., and Everett Dirksen, Ill., who made the original accusation ducked the committee session when Lasser was cleared.

Puerto Ricans wryly recall that U. S. navy's radio towers at Cayey, 25 miles from San Juan, were dismantled three years ago and sold as scrap iron to the Japanese. Office of Civilian Defense is preparing a handbook on "What You Can Do For Civilian Defense." Author of the handbook is Eleanor Pierson, wife of Export-Import Bank President Warren Lee Pierson. Australia's able Minister Richard G. Casey drives about Washington in a British car with a transparent top and right-hand drive. Apparently not having enough to do with the war, representatives of the Pure Food and Drug administration now ask drug firms the question: "How much business did you do last year?"

TRAVEL BULLETIN

TODAY'S ROADS

Prepared By
Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

YOUR CAR AND NATIONAL DEFENSE

If there was ever a time when every motorist should take care of his car, and be careful—THIS IS THE TIME. Your country needs metal and rubber for war purposes. That means that automobiles and tires are going to be even more difficult to obtain. Take extra care of the automobile you are now driving. Slower and more careful driving will conserve your tires, and make your car last longer. Remember—if you wreck your car you may not get another. SAFETY SAVES YOUR CAR!

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TODAY'S ROADS—KENTUCKY

US. 23—Louisville-Pointsville road—closed to through traffic.
KY. 15—Closed between Winchester and Clay City. Detour via KY. 11 and US. 60. All paved except for 10 miles gravel.
KY. 22—Under construction between Williamstown and Falmouth. Use detour.
US. 27—Construction between Falmouth and Cynthiana.
US. 41-E—Construction from Hopkinsville southeast to Pembroke road. Through traffic, detour over US. 41-W from Hopkinsville to Nashville.
US. 62—Beaver Dam-Caneyville—construction. Detour provided.

Merchant Accused of Usury Practice in Cashing Checks

Mayfield, Ky., Jan. 16—J. L. Shatz, merchant, was charged today in a warrant by the Graves quarterly court with obtaining an unlawful interest rate from state highway employees here for cashing their checks ahead of time.

County Attorney Farland Robbins said Shatz charged state employees \$2 every week for cashing their bi-monthly \$52.50 payroll slips. Robbins said interest at this rate over a yearly period would amount to 70 per cent.

Time-sheets for employees are sent to Frankfort for payment and Shatz, Robbins said, had been advancing the men cash before the checks came back.

(J. Howard Henderson, editorial columnist for The Courier-Journal, reproduced in his column on the Op. Ed. Page on Dec. 31 a letter from Shatz to State Highway Commissioner J. Lyter Donaldson, in which Shatz told Donaldson he had been "cashing the time of the employees on the highway at 3 per cent.")

"For the past few months," the letter went on, "I have increased the rate to 4 per cent and expect to hold to this rate, but I desire that you know just what I am doing and would appreciate hearing from you if it will still be satisfactory."

"Sometimes matters come up and I need some co-operation from the commissioner of department and so far anything that is fair and just I have been able to get and I feel like I can depend upon the same co-operation from you and your organization."

(Mr. Donaldson replied that he could not sanction such transactions, Henderson said in his column. Henderson identified Shatz as "one of the Shatzes who own Shatz Brothers in Union City, Tenn. The firm has sold the Johnson administration many thousands of dollars of shoes and clothing at retail prices.")

(Mr. Donaldson was in Washington and unavailable for comment on the issuance of a warrant against Shatz. Gov. Keen Johnson declined to discuss the case.)

U.-K. Professor Named State Press Officer

Victor R. Portmann, assistant professor of journalism at the University of Kentucky, has been named secretary of the Kentucky Press Association to succeed J. Curtis Alcock, editor of the Danville Advocate-Messenger, who retired because of ill health after serving as K.P.A. secretary for 30 years.

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MAYTOWN PERSONALS

Ogden Stewart leaves this week to join the naval air forces. Mr. Stewart, son of Mrs. W. A. Stewart, and one of Maytown's most promising young men, has been instructor in the department of agriculture here and in the Martin school since July 1.

Oliver Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ratliff, is now in training at Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., with the army air corps, having volunteered during the holidays. For several years Mr. Ratliff, one of Maytown's finest younger citizens, has been a member of the Maytown high school faculty.

The best wishes of their many friends accompany these boys and others from this vicinity who are answering the call of their country with their all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sutton have just learned that their son, Lieut. W. E. Sutton, Jr., who has been on duty somewhere on the west coast patrolling the Pacific, is now stationed at the army aviation training school in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

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Gearheart Trapper Is Awarded Prize

Dennis Morgan, of Gearheart, this county, is winner of a daily award for correct pelt preparation in the 13th National Fur Show conducted by the Raw Fur Marketing Service of Sears, Roebuck and Company.

Morgan's carefully handled muskrat pelt brought him one of the \$5 daily awards, as a result of its being judged the best-handled skin among all pelts received at Sears Raw Fur Receiving Station in Memphis, Monday, Dec. 12—and, in addition, entitles Morgan to consideration for one of the major awards, including \$1,000 first award, accorded in the final judging to be held in April.

This season's 13th National Show provides for \$4,590 in cash awards, offering besides the 318 daily \$5 awards, ten major awards amounting to \$1,950—topped by an eagerly sought-after \$1,000 First Award—plus 12 sectional awards for complete shipments, aggregating \$800. All awards are for handling pelt only, not kind or value of skin.

Appellate Court Affirms Moore's Two-Year Term

A two-year sentence given Farris Moore in the Knott circuit court for shooting with intent to kill was upheld last week by the Court of Appeals which observed in its opinion:

"The entire episode appears to have been but another of the innumerable shooting scrapes resulting from trivial or fancied wrongs, idleness and liquor which have disgraced so many of our communities."

Convicted of wounding Colonel Bolen, Moore claimed the evidence at his trial did not justify the verdict.

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SPECIAL U. OF K. COURSE IN DEFENSE BEGINS JAN. 26

Eight new engineering, science, management defense training courses, in the fields of mathematics, cost accounting, office management, industrial management, metallurgy, safety engineering and radio, will be offered as special evening courses in defense by the University of Kentucky College of Engineering, beginning Jan. 26.

Each of these courses has been limited to a maximum enrollment of 20 students as approved by the United States Office of Education, under which agency the University engineering defense training courses are offered. Applicants interested in enrolling in any of these subjects should file their applications immediately with Prof. D. V. Terrell, co-ordinator of the University's engineering defense training courses. Each class will be closed as soon as the maximum enrollment of 20 has been reached.

All of the courses will meet for 12 weeks, most of them for two hour periods twice weekly, and all of them have high school graduation included in the list of prerequisites. The courses in industrial safety engineering and fundamentals of radio will meet from 7 to 10 p.m., the first one each Tuesday and Thursday night, and the radio course each Monday, Wednesday and Friday night, beginning Jan. 26.

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An all-star men's team selected from Floyd and Pike counties will be out to prove masculine superiority on the basketball floor when they meet the All-American Red Heads, world's champion girls' team, at Martin Sunday afternoon, Jan. 25.

The Big Sandians selected to oppose the Red Heads, an aggregation of Amazons averaging six feet in height, are:

Palmer Crum, Betsy Layne; John Pratt, Maytown; Wade Hall, Prestonsburg; Clive Akers, McDowell; Brooke, of Wayland; Raymond Crum, Elkhorn City; Oliver Elam, Martin; Paul Butcher, Prestonsburg, and Otto Frazier, Martin.

The Red Heads, subjects of LIFE and PIC magazine features, include in their line-up six-foot, four-inch Gene Love. They play, men's rules, ask no quarter, give none—and may the Lord protect the men-folks!

The game starts at 2:30 p.m.



CAPITOL COMMENTS

By David M. Porter

The legislative swing is on and laws are in the making, some wartime measures, but all affecting the lives and habits of the people of Kentucky.

1. The war brought about legislation for the Civilian Defense Council.
2. Has given the Governor a defense emergency fund.
3. Permitted increased load limits for trucks (defense hauling).
4. Permits defense plants to put on special police, guarding against sabotage.
5. Increased the highway patrol appropriation.
6. Has decreased revenue from sale of new cars, from gasoline tax, from whisky production tax.
7. Has increased the price of food, clothing, and supplies of our state institutions.

The state may have a new liquor control bill as a revenue measure. That bill would give the state control and operation of state liquor stores and the profits thereof.

A bill introduced by Senator Lee Gibson, of Daviess county, would limit to 1 per cent per month the interest charged by finance companies. Senator Gibson claims that they now charge 24 per cent a year, and that the people who borrow from them are the ones who can least afford it.

A bill is soon to be introduced that will permit a state-operated lottery on the Kentucky Derby, the proceeds of which will be used to pay Old-Age assistance.

The farmers of Kentucky were granted a 25,000-acre increase in

their burley allotment last week, and then it was withdrawn.

The bright belt increased a 10 per cent increase for 1942, and more than 60 per cent of this crop is exported. It seems that Kentucky farmers are getting a tough break

RANDOM SHOTS

The House and Senate are both fortunate in their presiding officers. Rodes Myers is an authority on parliamentary law, and runs the Senate with a smoothness that is efficient and effective.

Stanley Dickinson is to be commended on the way he presides over the House. Although not a lawyer, he has learned quickly and is doing a swell job.

A WOMAN'S WORD

By BETTY MYERS

We women have the finest chance we have had for many a day to help put vice and gambling on the OUTS in this county.

Mrs. Annie Stumbo, having been appointed to the office of Sheriff, is not burdened down with campaign promises, which so often tie an officer's hands. Also, she will probably not be running for the office later; therefore, being the fine woman that she is, she will be very determined to clear the county of vice and gambling in our public places of entertainment, and anywhere else that it exists. Let us get behind her and help.

There are some twenty thousand women in Floyd county. Think of it—twenty thousand of us! And every one wishing she could do something to blast these low influences from our midst. NOW IS OUR TIME.

Things to do: first, stir up public opinion for action, talk law enforcement; encourage our Sheriff, her deputies, our County Judge, and any law-enforcement officers, when they DO enforce the laws; secondly, make a great squawk when the laws are being flagrantly violated. Keep up with specific cases and situations after they have been passed. Our officers are only human beings trying to do their duty, but they need a bit of human kindness and encouragement as well as the rest of us.

America is fighting for "Our way of life." Vice and gambling are not included in "Our way of life." Our duty is clear. Our county must be made fit for wholesome boys and girls to enjoy life—"Our way of life."

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<p>ONE LOT MEN'S SACK COATS 95¢</p> <hr/> <p>MEN'S SERGE COATS \$2.95</p> <hr/> <p>MEN'S O. D. PANTS 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>MEN'S ARMY WOOL SHIRTS 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT MEN'S SUITS \$6.95</p> <hr/> <p>BOY'S SUITS \$4.95</p> <hr/> <p>BOY'S SUITS \$3.48</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF MEN'S SUITS \$5.95</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT MEN'S HATS 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF BOY'S PANTS 39¢ pr.</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT BOY'S SLIPPERS ALL SIZES 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT MEN'S SLIPPERS \$1.75</p>	<p>ONE LOT MEN'S SLIPPERS \$1.48</p> <hr/> <p>ARMY SHOES ONE LOT \$1.75</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT HIGH-TOP SHOES \$3.95</p> <hr/> <p>MEN'S SWEATERS 79¢</p> <hr/> <p>LADIES' PANTIES ONE LOT 15¢</p> <hr/> <p>LADIES' PANTIES ONE LOT 19¢</p> <hr/> <p>LADIES' SLIPS ONE LOT 79¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS, 10¢</p> <hr/> <p>GIRLS' OXFORDS ONE LOT 48¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SLIPPERS 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>GIRLS' COATS ONE LOT 3 to 6 \$2.95</p> <hr/> <p>GIRLS' COATS ONE LOT 7 to 12 \$3.48</p> <hr/> <p>CHILDREN'S OXFORDS ONE LOT 98¢</p>	<p>LADIES' SILK HOSE 48¢</p> <hr/> <p>LADIES' SILK HOSE 29¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' BLOUSES 48¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SPRING COATS \$2.48 to \$5.98</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' BATH ROBES 48¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF BLOUSES, 79¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SWEATERS, 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>LADIES' SKIRTS ONE LOT 50¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' DRESSES 48¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' DRESSES 98¢</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SPRING DRESSES \$1.48</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SPRING DRESSES \$1.98</p>
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MANY OTHER BARGAINS TO CHOOSE FROM.

Final Survey Approved

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"As stated in his report, it is obvious that, even accepting the commercial figures of the District Engineer, no final determination can be made of this question without a complete engineering survey. The time required to make this survey should be considerable, and would postpone the commencement of construction for a long time. The survey would require the services of exactly those technicians now most needed in the prosecution of the war. Hence, in the interests of national defense, a survey at present should be delayed unless there are very cogent reasons to the contrary.

"It is doubtful whether a balance of costs against benefits could be made now, which would have any validity after the war. The question at issue is really whether savings on coal shipped by water would justify certain costs of construction. Investigations in this office indicate that the failure to utilize, to a much larger extent, the Kanawha and Ohio rivers is due, in considerable part, to the present legislative policy on fixing minimum prices of coal.

What will become of the present legislative policy after the war depends on events not now foreseeable. In the variable economy of a huge national war effort any economic forecast of conditions after the war, which is what this survey would in part be, has too high a factor of uncertainty to be reliable.

"While concurring in the District Engineer's opinion made prior to Dec. 7, that a survey of the Big Sandy river and Tug and Levisa Forks was then justified, the Division Engineer believes that the existing situation requires that a decision, for or against a survey, ought to be postponed until after the war."

Get 1 One Year Each

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grand larceny and possessing stolen property; Melvin Osborne and Tom Taylor, grand larceny; Shirley Ousley, operating a motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor; Fayette Hopkins, interfering with election officer; Fayette Hopkins, Luther Johnson and Barksdale Cook, electioneering in a polling place; Luther Johnson and

Fayette Hopkins, unlawfully having official ballot in possession; Oliver Hall and Ralph Hall (separate cases), carnally knowing a female under the age of 17; Calvin Shepherd and Hubert McKenzie, permitting a roadhouse to remain open after closing hours.

Cases against Tuley Salisbury and that charging him and Oliver Allen with robbery were set for Saturday, this week; Alonzo Frazier, Henry Boto and Archie Goble, charged with storehousebreaking was docketed for the same day.

Orville Mitchell, convicted of carrying a concealed deadly weapon, was fined \$50 and given a 10-day jail sentence. The jury failed to agree in the trial of Payne Lemaster on a child desertion charge.

The grand jury will return Monday for the last three days of a nine-day session.

CARD OF THANKS

We are deeply grateful to all those who extended to us, upon the death of our beloved husband and father, Sylvan Reitz, the kind words and deeds that from good friends make such burdens easier to bear.

MRS. SYLVAN REITZ AND FAMILY

Defense—What Now?

Detailed Examination To Be Made, Feb. 5

The question, "What Can I Do for Defense?" will be answered at a rally to be held at the grade school auditorium here Thursday, Feb. 5, it was announced this week by Mrs. Stanley Combs, chairman of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club's American Citizenship department.

All clubs, lodges, businesses and other groups participating in the National Defense program will be asked to state their present activities and future plans at the meeting.

Program of the forthcoming meeting, which is designed to show how every individual, young or old, may direct his or her energies toward a concerted action in defense work, will be published in THE TIMES next week.

MRS. GOBLE RESIGNS

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Goble this week tendered her resignation as assistant county referral agent.

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New Seam, Truck Mine Openings Made in Floyd

Hueysville, Ky., Jan. 20 (Spl.)—With work under way at its West Garrett mine on the opening of a second seam of coal to be run over its tippie now in operation there, the Central Elkhorn Coal Company is preparing to begin the operation of several truck mines on Salt Lick Creek, near here.

Four openings already have either been made or located, and bridging the creek at the Mrs. Polly Allen farm is sought. Assistance of the county in this latter undertaking was asked this week.

Boards Here Prepare

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Rough and Tough: Mrs. Elsie Prater, Simon Allen, Tom Prater. Head of Middle Creek, at Pitts Fork schoolhouse: Eva Allen, Grayden Howard. Mouth of Lick Fork: Wayne Johnson, Goldia Stephens, Herbert Prater. Spurlock, at the schoolhouse at mouth of Conley: Wm. Haywood, R. L. Pitts.

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