

FOURTH WAR LOAN QUOTA FOR FLOYD IS \$725,000

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THURSDAY

HALL HEADS BOND DRIVE IN COUNTY

Full Co-Operation Of All Necessary To Attain Quota

Floyd county's Fourth War Loan drive, which began Tuesday as the same patriotic work started in every community throughout the nation...

Organization of community committees was being effected this week for a full-scale attack on the \$725,000 quota.

Accepting the chairmanship of the drive, Mr. Hall said:

"I am delighted to serve as chairman of the Fourth War Loan drive for Floyd county. Our fighting men need our help on the home front...

"As chairman of this Bond drive I am now appointing co-chairmen and affixing quotas. I trust that all co-chairmen will serve, and I hope that all Floyd countians will cooperate with us in this matter...

Former Pastor Here Dies at Age of 74 In Plainview, Tex.

Dr. E. E. Robinson, 74 years old, a former pastor of the Prestonsburg Methodist Church, died recently in Plainview, Texas, after an extended period of ill health.

A native of Owensboro, Ky., Dr. Robinson came to this section as a minister after joining the West Virginia conference in 1893.

Dr. Robinson was married Aug. 28, 1895 to Miss Elizabeth Johns, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John G. Johns of Prestonsburg.

The minister received his D.D. degree from Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, Ky., and his Ph.D. from Chicago University.

Former Floyd Woman Victim in Georgia

Mrs. Lulu Kilburn, 65 years old, former Floyd county woman, was found dead in bed recently in Savannah, Ga., by her husband, Arthur Kilburn, a war production worker there.

Mr. Kilburn reported the death of his wife to Savannah police, stating she was found dead in bed. He said she had been in ill health for the past two weeks.

She is survived by her husband, a son, Hoffman R. Kilburn, of the army at Fort Bragg, N.C., and a daughter, Mrs. R. H. Day, McAllister, Oklahoma.

'Missing' Member of Fortress Crew Is Safe at Home in Floyd County

Technical Sergeant Jarvis Allen, 29, aerial engineer of a Flying Fortress which was shot down over German territory, August 17, last, is at his home at Pyramid, on Middle Creek, near here, after one of the most thrilling experiences of the war, the story of which cannot now be told.

Slightly wounded when his plane was blasted from the skies in the great August 17 raid into Germany when 59 Fortresses were lost while themselves shooting down 307 German planes, Allen soon found friends among the French Underground and made his way back to England.

His mother, Mrs. Ella J. Allen, widow of Guyless Allen, knew a month ago that her son was safe but had been asked by the War Department to give this fact no publicity until later.



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Prestonsburg Brothers Have Re-Union in Italy

Prestonsburg soldier-brothers met in Italy recently, their mother, Mrs. Maggie D. Hatcher, learned Tuesday, after a separation of many months and after both had been on the same war front for the last 10 months.

Pfc. Sam K. Hatcher, who has been with the engineer corps since July, 1941, entered Africa with the first invasion forces in November, 1942. Pfc. James H. Hatcher, who has been with the medical corps since July, 1942, followed his brother to North Africa by five months.

"I want to see these boys of mine," Mrs. Hatcher commented this week, "but I am better satisfied for them to see each other than for them to see me."

MANTON MAN IS SUICIDE

Elijah Dyson, Victim Friday Morning; Body Taken to Charleston

Death of Elijah Dyson, 79 years old, former employe of the Stephens Elkhorn Coal Corporation, at his Manton home Friday morning was held by a jury empaneled by County Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., to have been the result of a bullet wound, self-inflicted.

Mr. Dyson had been in ill health for the last five years and despondency is believed to have led to the act. His wife preceded him in death.

A native of Gore, O., and for years engaged in the coal business, Mr. Dyson was a good citizen. He had resided at Manton 10 years, during which time he had acquired the friendship of all with whom he came in contact.

Last Murder Case On January Docket Continued Till April

Last of the murder cases on the January Floyd circuit court docket was disposed of Monday with the continuance till April 17 of the trial of Wesley N. Martin, charged with the slaying of Billie Martin, Jr.

All other murder cases slated for hearing during the term were continued.

Trial of Ellis Younce, charged with voluntary manslaughter, was postponed till April 8. The grand larceny indictment against Mrs. Paul Akers was quashed for re-submission to the next grand jury.

John Branham, Auxler road farmer, was fined \$10 and costs for the part he played in the altercation last year in which he was cut by Willey Warrick.

One-year pen terms recently given Azzie Brown and Jay Hall in the theft of a taxicab here from Denzil Whitten were probated.

DRAFT BOARDS TOIL OVERTIME

To Meet Requirements As 'Screening' Tests Out; Carter Resigns

Floyd county's two draft boards this month had overtime work piled up for them what with their regular January calls to be met and with new draft regulations requiring them to notify future quotas to go to Huntington, W. Va., for pre-induction examination.

The new regulation eliminates local "screening" by physicians, instead sends the selectee directly to the Huntington center for examination. If accepted there for service, the selectee returns home as a civilian and may not be called into service earlier than 21 days after the date of examination.

Draft Board 44 will send to Huntington next Wednesday 112 selectees for examination and possible acceptance under the old draft set-up.

At the same time this board is sending 65 for pre-induction tests for future call.

Forty-eight selectees from Board 45 left this morning (Thursday) for pre-induction examination. Arthur C. Carter, former Prestonsburg mayor, announced this week that he had resigned as a member of Draft Board 44.

His resignation became effective Jan. 12. A successor had not been named.

Of the 112 notified by Draft Board 44 to report next Wednesday for possible induction at Huntington, 78 are fathers.

Names and addresses of those included in this group follow (V indicates volunteer): William Allen, Allen; Winifred J. Spears, German; Bill May Derossett, Emma; Luther Elliott Walters, Harold (now of Catlettsburg); Gomer C. Sturgill, Prestonsburg (now of Oak Ridge, Tenn.); John Hall.

4-H Club Specialist Meets Women Here

Miss Ruth Latimer, state 4-H club specialist, University of Kentucky, was here Saturday for a meeting with leaders of clothing projects, called by Miss Frances Amburgy, home demonstration agent. Due to the ice and snow, the attendance was small, but many good ideas were presented.

Mrs. Kelsa Gearheart, Betsy Layne, and Mrs. Albert Speith, of McDowell, were present. The articles made by 4-H club clothing members were examined and discussed.

Seams, neck finishes, patches, darts and dress ornaments were made at the meeting and patterns for the ornaments were given to the ladies present. Miss Latimer suggested that each leader make the articles for illustrative material so she would know exactly how to instruct the girls.

Miss Amburgy plans to take these new ideas to each of the 4-H clubs in the county.

Alleged Deserters Held in County Jail

Two men arrested by Floyd county officers were in jail here this week, held as alleged deserters.

James Price was arrested Jan. 12 by Constable Rich Hall, of Garrett, as an army deserter and Everett Colegrove was jailed two days earlier by Deputy Sheriff Roy Cook, of Drift, as a navy deserter.

Junior Wireman, of the Right Beaver section, was jailed Jan. 11 by Constable Hall on a breaking and entering charge. Also booked for breaking and entering was Ottis Marshall.

I. B. CAUDILL GUN VICTIM

Estill Man Killed In Knott by Huff Who Is Wounded

The slaying of Clay Huff near Hollybush, Knott county, last year by I. B. Caudill, 49, well-known merchant of Estill, this county, as the result of a line fence dispute reached tragic aftermath Thursday morning, last week, in the same community when Caudill himself was shot and killed by Lawrence, teen-age son of Clay Huff.

This time, the dispute directly leading to gunplay was said to have been over the merchant's questioning of the youth about his gate being left open and hogs being in his field.

The Huff youth was wounded in the left side of his chest and in his hand, but was said at a Hazard hospital not to be seriously shot.

Caudill fell with four rifle balls in his left shoulder and side and died almost instantly. The Ryan Funeral Home said one of the missiles was examined after it had fallen from the merchant's clothing and it is believed a shotgun shell loaded with the bullets was fired from Huff's gun.

In the first affray with the elder Huff Caudill was seriously shot.

The victim was well-known throughout this section and had been in the mercantile business at Estill for a number of years. He was a native of Knott county.

Surviving are his father, Hardin Caudill, of Lackey, four sons and one daughter: Carson, of the navy, Robert, Clifford, Carl and Miss Nonnie Caudill, all at home. He also leaves three brothers and three sisters: B. J. Caudill, Lackey; G. H. Caudill, Estill; Floyd Caudill, Mrs. Della Richardson, Mrs. Arthur Slone and Mrs. Marl Huff, all of Hollybush.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday at Hollybush and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

3 FLOYD MEN CUT PULPWOOD

Interest Is Growing In Wartime Project, County Agent Says

At least three Floyd county farmers this week were cutting, or beginning to cut, pulpwood, County Agent S. L. Isbell said Tuesday.

Interest in pulpwood production among farmers throughout the county is increasing, Mr. Isbell added. This contribution of farmers to the war effort is one of urgent necessity, it is pointed out, since the pulpwood goes into the manufacture of boxes for the shipping of supplies to the armed forces overseas and also for

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Small School Leads in Aid To Blood Fund; Meet Slated

CLEAR CREEK SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION TOTAL TO FUND IS \$339.17

The four-teacher Clear Creek school is not, by any means, the largest in the county, but its contribution of \$339.17 is by far the largest yet made by any Floyd school to the blood plasma fund being raised under the sponsorship of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

School contributions reported Monday of this week brought the county's plasma fund to above \$1,500.

Clear Creek's outstanding contribution resulted from a box supper sponsored by the school's teachers, Wade Sloane, Zetta Snyder, Treva Caudill and Flora I. Moore, which netted approximately \$280. Remainder was subscribed by students.

Other school contributions: Melvin school, hitherto reported as \$1.05, but actually \$11.05; Virginia Spears school, \$15; Daniels Creek (Alva Allen, teacher), \$5.35; Lee Alley school (Mary Alley, teacher), \$2.28; Beaver (Gladys M. Jones), \$5.98; Stephens Branch school (Amanda Meade, Bertha Ratliff, Marguerite Manuel, teachers) \$50.40; head of Cow school (Mary Leslie, teacher), \$4; Bonanza (Paris Conley and Josephine Spradlin, teachers), \$11.20; Banner (Harrison Elliott and Ruth Hewitt, teachers), \$2.57; Mouth of Branham's Creek (Topsy Hamilton, teacher), \$5; Big Branch school (Rebecca Arnett, teacher), \$2.

RANEY ASKS MINERS TO ATTEND MEETING HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Tom Raney, Pikeville, International Board Member, United Mine Workers of America, has written every Floyd county local mine union notifying workers of the meeting to be held here Sunday afternoon at the courthouse to organize financial assistance to the Blood Plasma fund being raised by John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

For the same meeting, coal operators, other business men and citizens have been asked by the DAR to be present.

To Floyd local mine unions Mr. Raney wrote in part: "All over America patriotic citizens are donating blood to this great cause. However, Eastern Kentucky is too far removed from the blood banks, known as units, for the preserving of blood; therefore, Eastern Kentucky citizens who, if they had a chance, would give of their blood cannot make this sacrifice, but there are possibly some of us who would and could give of our funds, which if all would contribute would be a very small share to each citizen. However, there will be some who will not give, as is always the case, which makes the share a little more burdensome upon those who are patriotic enough to make a contribution."

"Coal miners of Floyd county

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FLOYD SCHOOL BLAZE TOTALS \$50,000 LOSS

Weeksbury's 14-Room School Is Destroyed By Fire; 2 Injured

Fire which destroyed the 14-room Weeksbury consolidated school building and all its equipment last Thursday afternoon caused estimated damage of \$50,000 and slight injuries to two girls-students.

Estimate of the damage was made by County Superintendent Town Hall who said that the frame structure when built in 1937 cost an original outlay of \$38,000. The flames claimed, in addition to the building itself, a furnace, steam-heating equipment, seats and other school fixtures.

Mr. Hall said the building was insured for \$40,000. Defective wiring is believed to have caused the blaze.

While classes were in session some-time around 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, a boy, en route to the basement of the building, saw that the structure was in flames around the roof. The fire had spread before its discovery to the extent that fire extinguishers within the building could not be used with any effect.

Although the approximately 400 students of the school were evacuated from the building in orderly fashion, two small girls became panic-stricken and leaped from first-story windows. The small daughter of Lawrence Hall, of Melvin, thus sustained a sprained or broken foot and is a patient at the Martin General hospital. Another small girl suffered a minor back injury. Lewis Campbell, principal of the school, was singing while searching the rooms for any students who might have been left behind. Some of the last to leave the school suffered from smoke but without ill effects. The school had regularly conducted fire drills, school authorities said.

Superintendent Hall went to Weeksbury Monday to arrange for temporary school quarters for the remainder of the term of approximately three months.

Superintendent Hall this week wrote the War Production Board, seeking materials for construction of a 10-room brick building to replace the burned structure. "Temporary rooms which will be used for school purposes," he wrote "are wholly inadequate, unsanitary and detrimental to the education of some 400 children. We realize the urgency of war needs, but at the same time the education of the Weeksbury children must not be neglected."

Dinwood Woman Dies Suddenly While Milking

Mrs. Sarah Bradley, 62 years old, dropped dead while milking a cow at Dinwood Monday, victim of a heart attack. Mrs. Bradley was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Fitzpatrick, and had many relatives and friends in this section.

Surviving are one son, James Ousley, Dinwood, and five daughters: Mrs. Roy Gearheart, Ashland; Hattie Ousley, Lizzie Webb, Julia B. and Ida Webb, all of Dinwood. She also leaves two brothers and six sisters: W. B. Fitzpatrick, Garrett; James B. Fitzpatrick, Hunter; James Watkins, Logan, W. Va.; Mrs. W. J. Messer, Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. George Messer, Lackey; Mrs. Dora Wagner, Waterford, Mich.; Mrs. Tobe Shepherd, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. G. B. Hall, Columbus, O.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the home, the Rev. M. C. Wright officiating. Burial in the Dinwood cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Floyd 4-H Council Elects Its Officers At Second Meet

The second monthly meeting of the County 4-H Club Council was held here Tuesday evening, last week. Miss Frances Amburgy, home demonstration agent, explained the purpose of the Council and gave a brief summary of the first meeting.

Officers were elected, with County Agent S. L. Isbell acting as chairman. Officers are: Mrs. J. D. Thomas, president; N. M. White, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Ralph Taylor, secretary-treasurer.

Others present were Ishmael Triplett, Judge E. P. Hill, Jr., and County Attorney Woodrow Burchett.

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BETTER LUCK, SIR!

Among other items this newspaper has missed from time to time is the one about Governor Willis appointing A. O. Neiser, of Ashland, highway engineer for this district, which is now the Sixth. The highway engineer takes the place of the old advisory commissioner. To show Mr. Neiser that we bear him no ill-will, we express the hope that he never gets the cussings Zach Justice got while he was in office.

THE BOYS ARE WATCHING AS WELL AS MARCHING

Publicity given by THE TIMES to the drive for the building of an Honor Roll here has gone a "fur piece" — to Africa, India, New Guinea, Australia, Italy, all over. Proof that the boys are keeping check on us folks at home is received at this office weekly in letters from the boys on these fighting fronts.

Last week came a letter from Australia with a money order for \$10 from Flight Officer Stacey Salisbury, son of Millard Salisbury, instructing that after \$2 was taken out of the ten for THE TIMES the remaining \$8 be given to the American Legion here for use in having stars placed opposite names of boys on the Honor Roll who had died in the service of their country.

Incidentally all this reminds us—what we do here at home during this Fourth War Loan drive will be told in THE TIMES and the boys who're doing the fighting for us will watch for that very bit of news.

Why shouldn't they keep an eye on us who are in the comfort of our homes, the safety of our usual occupations? You guys who go out and do a day's work away from home—don't you expect the family at home to try to help you along? You'd feel mighty bad if they didn't, wouldn't you?

All right—the men who are in the armed forces are engaged in the toughest of all jobs. And they, more than any others, are entitled to learn and to remember what we did on the Home Front.

Our tip is—lay your cash on the line to support the battle line that is supporting our American way of life. In other words—buy Bonds!

FOUND—A HOME FOR A BOY

THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES had not been on the streets here long last week when Wiley Warrick, well-known Auxler road farmer, answered the plea published in this column for a home for 13-year-old Gene Mills. Both Gene and Mr. Warrick were pleased with the arrangement, and Carl and Russell Horn and Bob Francis made the boy all the happier with liberal gifts of wearing apparel.

THE TIMES, as well as Judge J. H. Horn and all others who have an interest in the boy, are going to be disappointed if he doesn't justify their faith in him.

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Child Fatally Burned As Gasoline-Soaked Clothing Is Ignited

Lewis, one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, was fatally burned at the King residence, Bevinville, Tuesday afternoon when gasoline spilled onto him from a bucket. The tot is said to have run to a nearby gas refrigerator, with the result that his clothing ignited. Burned at 4 p.m., the child died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, six hours later. The body was returned to Bevinville and funeral and burial there were conducted under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Buy Bonds—the Bulwark of our Battling Boys.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

A. C. Carter, etc. vs. Sallie Branham, etc.; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Manuel H. Westfall vs. June Ellis Westfall; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Gertrude Tackett vs. Garrett Tackett; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Denver G. Wells vs. Harry R. Burke; Joe Hobson, atty. Edward P. Arnold vs. Maryland Sammons, etc.; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur Boyd, 21, and Deovie Samons, 21, both of Dana; married here Jan. 13 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Delbert Hackworth and Mary Goldia Prater. James Harold Brewer and Mae Boyd. Eugene Hamilton and Judy Thressie Howell. Bee Johnson and Margaret Ward, Bill Smith, Prestonsburg, and Josephine Banner; marriage solemnized Jan. 15 by the Rev. Brooks Goble and

That Little Matter That Comes Up March 15--Here Is Dope On It

S. R. Glenn, collector of Internal Revenue, announced last week that he has begun to mail copies of the 1943 individual income and victory tax return to the estimated 500,000 federal income taxpayers in the Kentucky district.

Collector Glenn said, "Although these returns are not required by law to be filed until March 15, I cannot urge too strongly that everyone prepare and file his return as early as possible."

"There are," he said, "two major points that are vital for everyone to understand. First, many persons will owe a substantial tax and should start immediately to find out how much they will owe and to make plans for meeting the obligation. I must emphasize this as a simple matter of fairness to those taxpayers who may have overlooked this phase of the change-over to the pay-as-you-go system."

"Second, although many taxpayers will find that they are substantially paid up on their 1943 taxes--some of them, in fact, being entitled to refunds--it is still necessary for them to file a return."

Collector Glenn explained that under the pay-as-you-go system, all current tax payments through withholding from wages or by means of payments on "declarations of estimated tax" are only approximate. Therefore, it is necessary to file a return at the close of the year to determine the exact amount of each person's tax liability and to determine whether he underpaid or overpaid his taxes. In instances where the current payments were less

than the tax payable March 15, remittance of the difference will be necessary at the time of filing the return. This amount cannot be paid in installments. In instances where the current payments were less than the tax payable March 15, remittance of the difference will be necessary at the time of filing the return. This amount cannot be paid in installments.

In instances where the current payments were larger than the final tax, the taxpayer will be enabled to secure a refund merely by filing his return.

Early preparation of returns will be advisable, Collector Glenn said, to serve as a guide to the thousands of taxpayers who will have substantial payments to make and need to know how much the taxes will be so that they can make advance preparations to pay their taxes.

Substantial payments will be necessary in certain instances, because (a) most individuals who had a 1942 tax must pay at least one-half of the forgiven portion of that tax in addition to their 1943 tax, and (b) during the first six months of 1943 only the victory tax, but not the income tax, was withheld from wages.

Particularly, persons who took jobs for the first time in 1943 and those whose wages increased sharply from 1942 to 1943 may have substantial payments to make. Collector Glenn said. As an illustration, he pointed out that a single person who earned \$2,000 wages in 1943 but had no 1942 tax, will owe nearly \$130 on March 15, or nearly three and one-half weeks' wages. Since this payment must be made in one sum at the time the 1943 return is filed, the Collector pointed out the advantages of determining the liability and saving for it in advance.

In the past, many taxpayers have postponed filing returns until the last minute in order to delay the payments which had to be made with the returns. However, this year a great many taxpayers will find that, under the pay-as-you-go system, they are already substantially current in their tax payments. These taxpayers, especially, ought to find it convenient to file as early as possible.

In any case, early filing will help the taxpayer know where he stands, how much he owes, or how much refund he should expect; it will assure him of any assistance he may need without standing in long lines; it will help the government and the war effort.

Who Must File
A return must be made by every individual who during the taxable year 1943 was single and had \$500 or more income; was married and, together with wife or husband, had \$1,200 or more income.

In addition, a return must be filed by everyone who paid or owed a tax on 1942 income.

A return should be filed likewise by anyone claiming a refund of taxes withheld from wages.

The requirements for filing 1943 returns on or before March 15, apply to civilians and personnel of the armed forces alike, except that post-ponements or extensions are allowed those who are on sea duty or outside of the continental United States. If a member of the armed

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Processed Foods
Green stamps D, E and F in Book 4 good through Jan. 20; G, H and J valid through Feb. 20.

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats, Canned Fish, Canned Milk
Brown stamps R, S and T good now; U, Jan. 16; all expire Jan. 29.

V good Jan. 23 through Feb. 26. "Spare" stamp No. 2 in Book 4 valid for 5 points on purchase of fresh pork and all sausage (except canned and bottled) through Jan. 15.

Sugar
Stamp 29 in Book 4 expired Jan. 15. Stamp 30 in Book 4 good for 5 pounds Jan. 16 through March 31.

Shoes
Stamp 18 in Book 1 and No. 1 Airplane stamp in Book 3 good for 1 pair until further notice.

Gasoline
Stamp A-9 good for 3 gallons thru Jan. 21. B, C, B-1 and C-1 stamps good for 2 gallons until further notice. B-2 and C-2 stamps good for 5 gallons until used. State and license number must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

Tires
Next inspections due: A book vehicles by March 31; B's by Feb. 29; C's by Feb. 28; commercial vehicles every 6 months or every 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

Fuel Oil
Period 2 coupons good through Feb. 7; period 3 coupons good thru March 13. Unit value, 10 gallons each. Change-making and reserve coupons good throughout heating year. Consumption in Louisville area as of Jan. 10 should not have exceeded 45 per cent of season's ration.

forces is on sea duty or outside of the continental United States, his wife may also postpone her return if her own income is less than \$1,200. There are several other special provisions applying to members of the armed forces, and the Collector invited any service personnel needing tax advice to contact his office.

Forms to Use
As in past years, there are two income tax forms. Form 1040, commonly called the "long form," may be used by any individual. Form 1040A, commonly called the "short form," may be used by individuals

who (a) are citizens or residents of the United States, (b) had in 1943 \$3,000 or less income, and (c) received all of their income from salaries, wages, bonuses, commissions, or other forms of personal compensation, or from dividends, interest and annuities. In the case of husbands and wives filing separate returns, each must use the same form. The short form may be used as a joint return for a husband and wife, if, in addition to the other conditions for using that form, they were living together on July 1, 1943, and their combined income for the year did not exceed \$3,000.

On or before January 1, 1944, every employer is required to give to each employe a receipt on Form W-2, showing how much wages were paid the employe during 1943, and how much tax was withheld. These receipts supply two important figures needed for making the annual return and the best time to prepare and file the return is as soon as the employe gets his receipt.

Collector Glenn also stated that notices have been mailed or will be mailed in the near future to all taxpayers who filed returns in this district for 1942 showing the amount of each individual's 1942 tax and the amount paid on that tax. These are two additional figures which income taxpayers will need in the preparation of their returns for 1943. The notices should be sent back to the Collector along with the return.

THE WEEK IN OPA

Bring Them Out of Hiding
Are the ceiling price lists in your grocery store "in hiding?" In some stores the Community Price Lists are posted where they are easily readable. In others, reports indicate, they are not. This month has been designated for bringing the price lists out of hiding in stores where this may be necessary. Consumers can assure the success of this by asking that the lists be posted where they can be read.

Retailers Must Have Tokens To Make Change
Reports come to the District Office that some retailers have not yet filed estimates of their token needs with their ration banks. Retailers are cautioned that they must have tokens in order to make change when the token plan begins and that the bank must know well in advance how many tokens will be needed. Forms for filing can be obtained from wholesalers and trade associations.

Country Shippers' Prices
Country shippers' maximum prices in Kentucky for the following commodities: No. 1 potatoes, \$2.70 per cwt.; dry onions (yellow), \$1.80 per 50-lb. bag.

Live Cattle Prices
Following are maximum and minimum prices for live cattle purchased by slaughterers at any point in Kentucky if slaughterer is to retain right to subsidy payment:

Choice (maximum), \$16.15; (minimum), \$15.15; good (maximum), \$15.40; (minimum), \$14.40; commercial (maximum), \$13.10; (minimum), \$11.85; utility (maximum), \$11.10; (minimum), \$9.85; canners and cutters (maximum), \$8.35; (minimum), \$7.10; bologna bulls (maximum), \$9.60; (minimum), \$8.35.

Above prices include expenditures for freight, feeding and bedding, but exclude any payments or allowances for brokerage, commissions or yardage.

Subsidy payments are handled by the Defense Supply Corporation. Slaughterers should write J. Fort Abell, agent for the Defense Supply Corporation, 421 West Market St., Louisville, Ky. (2), for details on the program.

1943 Cost-of-Living Report
Year-end estimates of the Bureau of Labor Statistics show that the cost of living was held to a 3 1/2 per cent increase in 1943 as compared with 9 per cent in 1942, 10 per cent in 1941. Present prices are at the same levels as in April of 1943, eight months ago. Prices can be said to be stabilized for the first time. Present price line can be held in 1944 if: (1) the present price control system is maintained; (2) OPA gets full co-operation of business, labor, housewives, farmers.

Gas Enforcement Tightens
Two new provisions in gas regulations are designed to make it tough for black market dealers and drivers:

1. It will be illegal for dealers to remove coupons from a gummed sheet, attach to another sheet, or alter the coupons in any way. This is aimed at black market dealers who purchase stolen coupons to replenish stocks.

2. When drivers are convicted of gasoline violations, local boards or hearing commissioners can now prohibit the use of gasoline already in the violator's tank, as well as the use of further gas coupons. Why? Too many violators with suspended ratings get caught driving months later, claim they had a full tank when convicted. OPA suspects that some may have been driving on black market coupons. The new ruling should help to stop this practice.

A GOOD WORD

By the REV. W. B. GARRIOTT, Pastor, Prestonsburg Methodist Church

Last week I was discussing with you the Four Square Man. God made man and started him out well with good surroundings but he did not always continue right. It is not an uncommon thing to see a human being and be forced to feel about him a good deal like Portia did about the French lord. You know, she said, "God made him; therefore let him pass for a man." A good many have been passing for men and haven't been men at all; they have only been a hundred pounds or so of living flesh going around in a suit of clothes. A man said one day when he saw one of this type pass, "There goes a young fellow with a high collar and a cane; and he has been thinking that he is a man and that the most correct way to let the public know it is to smoke a cigarette, punch a pool ball and drink a little. And he has been thinking that he is a man! Well, that is not a man; he is just a cipher with the rim left off. He ought to swallow his cane and get a temporary backbone, just for a change; that's what he needs."

There is another kind of fellow who thinks he is a man who is too good to associate with the ordinary fellow. Spasmodically, he is very religious and seems to think that the landlady or the merchant ought to accept his faultless, Christian example in lieu of payment for his board bill or his groceries. He has been calling himself a man, but he is not. I would rather hate to tell you what he is.

There is another fellow who is always boasting about his physical strength and development of his muscles; but all beasts have the same and if all his time is used in feeding and sleeping for such development, what better is he than any other animal? If physical power and good physique are all you have to boast about or glory in, you are not a man; you may be the missing link, but not a man.

Here is another man who is always studying and thinking, trying to make himself a walking encyclopedia, and does not have anything to glory in but knowledge. But he is not a man, he is a mental machine.

The question has come to your mind already, What is a man? Many answers may be given to this question and have been given, but about the best one I have ever heard is this: "A man is that individual who recognizes that he is the handiwork of God and tries to honor his Maker in every department of his being." It is not my purpose to deprecate physical or intellectual excellence. I am thankful for what the human family has achieved and only wish we had achieved much more. A man is highly favored who is endowed with physical strength and good health, whose pulse beats with unalloyed vitality and every nerve with life, for it is not every man who can say as much. What I am saying is that we must not make the mistake of thinking that a well-developed body constitutes a man. Decent people do not have any time for a skilled brute who has neither sense nor conscience, and to train the body for its own mere sake is not even to approximate the first principle of thorough manhood. Muscle does not make a man.

The same thing is true of mental development. It has always been true that knowledge is power, and there never has been a day when success waited more upon brains than it does today, both in the humblest craft and the highest profession. There are problems to be solved, loads to be lifted, battles to be fought and won, and knowledge has its place. But it does not make a man. To seek it for its own sake is as immoral as seeking money for mere love of gain, and to seek either for the mere sake of personal gratification is to be as far removed from manhood as hell is from heaven. Mere intellect never made a man out of anybody. I would rather have my boy, if alive in the church of God or if dead in heaven, knowing nothing but his ABC's, than to have him, if alive, slinging highballs over a bar or bucking a jackpot over a saloon, or shooting craps in some of your parlors; or if dead, in hell with Greek or Latin enough to have been able to have produced a lexicon.

Manhood does not depend on mental brilliance. Aaron Burr was brilliant, but he was debased. It was said of Byron that his mind emitted thought like sparks of fire, but he wallowed in uncleanness. It might be possible to be just as intellectual as the devil and to be just as mean.

(To be continued)

Contribute to the Kentucky War Fund—help the boys.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Macolatte Tassone, Plaintiff Vs. NOTICE OF SALE Rubin Stephens, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the June term, 1941, 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 17th day of February, 1944, at 1 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 lying in Floyd county, Ky., on Right Beaver Creek at Garrett, beginning at a point on a rock ledge on the line between Nathaniel Estep and the Elkhorn Fuel Company; thence with their line 520' 25" E 72.6 feet to a stake in the center of Estep or Leon Martin branch; thence with the Estep or Leon Martin branch N 66' 25" E 103.4 feet to a stake in the center of said branch; thence up the hill N 21' 25" West 58.7 feet to the said rock ledge; thence with the said rock ledge to the beginning, being the same land sold by Nathaniel Estep, etc., of date Aug. 27, 1914, recorded in Deed Book No. 41, page 565, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

Nathaniel Estep and Mary Estep reserve the right-of-way or the right to use the coal chute on this land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the said rock ledge on a rock; thence with the said line 521' E 72.6 feet to a stake in the center of Estep or Martin Branch; thence N 66' 25" E 5 feet to a stake in a branch; thence N 21' 25" W 72.6 feet to the said rock ledge; thence with said rock ledge to the beginning.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment for \$750.00 with interest from Oct. 21, 1930, until paid, and the costs of this action.

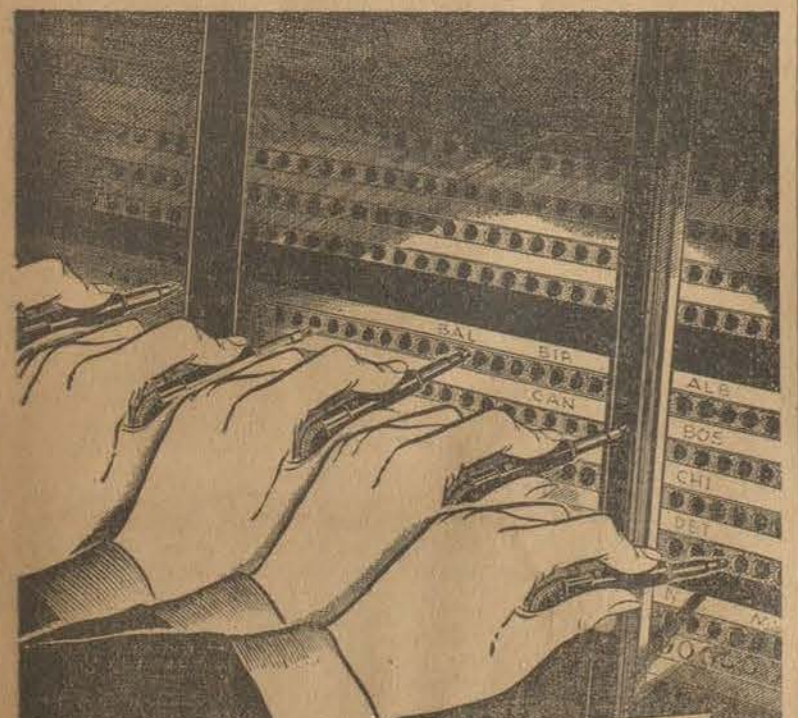
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NEWS FROM FLOYD COMMUNITIES

ESTILL

S/Sgt. James D. Howard is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howard, of Estill. He is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas.

S/Sgt. Kermit Allen has returned to Camp Polk, La. He spent a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Allen.

Miss Imogene Howard is home from Ypsilanti, Mich., visiting her parents.

Ivora Caudill is now stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Miss Imogene Howard and Mrs. James Allen were visiting Mrs. Mae Meade, of Garrett, Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Caudill is now employed by Mosey Johnson at Garrett.

Pvt. Don Woody is home on furlough.

Mrs. Raymond Howard and children were visiting Miss Lillie Mae Gibson, of Dema, recently.

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BETSY LAYNE

The Bob Cats added another victory to the school's credit by defeating McDowell, 46 to 35.

Seaman Eugene Hinton was home for two days the past week, visiting friends and relatives.

Rev. Allen, pastor of the Methodist Church, decided to postpone revival services until the first Monday in February, due to illness and other services previously scheduled in the community.

Beckham Caldwell has recently recovered from influenza.

Miss Nona Lowe, who recently underwent a major operation at the Pikeville hospital, has returned to the home of her mother, Mrs. Hiram Smith.

Mrs. Virginia McDonald, a nurse at the Pikeville hospital, visited her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Risner, last week.

W. C. Howes continues quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jack Williams.

James George has returned to his home after spending a week in the Pikeville hospital suffering from influenza.

D. W. Howard, principal of Betsy Layne schools, attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Ella Stratton, on Johns Creek Jan. 12.

Pvt. Oscar Fred Bush visited the school recently while home on furlough.

The eighth grade class is sponsoring Blood Plasma donations in the community, receipts of which will be turned in to the Daughters of the American Revolution at Prestonsburg for proper distribution.

Sophia Mae Risner spent last week-end the guest of Mrs. Virginia McDonald at Pikeville.

Mrs. Woodrow Friend recently returned to her teaching duties after an illness of several days.

Mrs. Nerva Blanton, of Xenia, O., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Gibson.

Victor Clark and family have recently returned from Columbus, O., where they have been doing war work.

Rev. Dewey Fraley, of Detroit, Mich., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Layne.

Willie Clark and family have moved to Pikeville to be nearer Mr. Clark's employment.

Pvt. and Mrs. Clifford Boyd were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Boyd.

Services for the week are being conducted at the Calvary Baptist Church. The speaker is the Rev. Hockins, a missionary from Brazil.

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ALLEN

Mrs. Tincy Laferty Crisp leaves this week to join her husband, Cpl. Palmer Crisp, who is with the army in Medford, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Green were in Huntington Tuesday.

Mrs. Anise Jarrell was returned to her home here last week from the Martin General hospital where she has been a patient for some time.

Mrs. Audrey Young was shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Miss Edith Jarrell, of Allen, and Jesse Ford, of California, were united in marriage Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Medley Garrett, of Dwale, with the Rev. J. C. Laferty officiating. Miss Jarrell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jarrell. They will leave soon for California, where Mr. Ford is employed.

The Rev. Frank V. Allen was in charge of the prayer services in the Methodist Church here Tuesday night in the absence of the Rev. J. B. Hahn. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laferty on the same night.

Bob Burke, C. & O. clerk here, whose home is in Prestonsburg, is ill. He is being relieved by Melvin Laferty, of Sloan.

Pvt. Vernon Porter has returned to his post after spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter, Jr. He is stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss.

The many friends of the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn, of Maytown, are sorry to hear of the illness of their baby son who is suffering from pneumonia.

Miss Mary Porter and Mrs. Thurmon Ratliff have returned from a visit in Detroit.

There were several cases of flu here last week. Among those ill were Harry Baldrige, W. K. Allen, Masters Bennie Lynwood Laferty and Frank Gordon Gray, Mrs. Ellen Cheek, Miss Annie Allen, Mrs. Julia Osborne. Others on sick list are Mrs. James Flanery and Miss Elizabeth Miller, who is a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital, and Mrs. George Woods, who remains in a critical condition at her home here.

W. T. Austin has resumed his duties here as C. & O. operator, after having been off for several months due to illness.

HAROLD

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club met in the home of Miss Kelsa Gearheart Thursday night. The program, led by Mrs. James George, was built around the Fourth War Bond drive now in progress. Several interesting topics were read and two songs, "Any Bonds Today?" and "Everybody Every Payday," were sung by Miss Billie Jean Blackburn. A timely article on blood plasma entitled "New Life," was read by Mrs. James George. Frankie Crum gave a poem on flag etiquette. This was followed by the Flag Salute led by club members.

New club officers for the next year were elected as follows: Mrs. D. W. Howard, president; Mrs. Glenn Blackburn, vice-president; Mrs. A. K. Robinette, secretary and treasurer. Refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

GARRETT

Mrs. Jesse C. Hall led the Garrett grade teachers Jan. 11 in the first of a series of discussions dealing with the general topic, "Improvement of Reading." Mrs. Hall dealt with the specific problem of "Mind-set," or "Motivation."

Other topics to be considered in the future are: "Development of Speed in Reading," Geraldine Allen and Garnet Cox; "Poetry Appreciation," Ruth Martin; "Proper Grouping of Children," Edna Martin; "Objectives in Oral and Silent Reading," Leona Fouts and Callia Hicks; "Stimulation of the Desire to Read," Billie Bercher.

Attendance is voluntary. Some of the teachers could not be present due to illness, but the following were able to come to the first discussion: Geraldine Allen, Billie Bercher, Leona Fouts, Callia Hae, Ollie Mae Johnson, Rhoda Martin, Ruth Martin, Curtis Owens.

(Last week's correspondence) George and Gladys Murray and Lou Cressy Allen have returned home from Ypsilanti, Mich., where they have been employed for some time. Billy Murray also is home from Washington, where he is employed.

Misses Naomi and Doris Jean Oakley and Rose Lee Turner spent the week-end here, guests of Edith and Betty Ann Martin.

A surprise birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin honoring their daughter, Betty Ann, on her 13th birthday. Games were played and refreshments were served by Doris Oakley, Wanda Faye Ward, Rose Lee Turner, Edith and Betty Ann Martin to the following: Misses Dorothy Higgins, Thelma Hoover, Wanda Faye Ward, Mattie Ruth McCombe, Jackie Pack, Tootsie Goodman, Phyllis and Elizabeth Childers, Naomi and Doris Oakley, Faye Evelyn Peiry, Betty Lou Roache, Mary Lou and Sally Mae Scott, Avonelle Fugate, Joyce Rasmick, Alleen Johnson, Rilla Mae Francis, Ruth, Edith and Betty Ann Martin, Messrs. Eugene Mullins, Vernon Frasure, Fairce Woods, Edd and Earl Bolen, Leonard Roberts, Chas. Hornsby, Keith Scott, James Stephens, Farris Johnson, Reginald Gene Rice, Edd Caudill, Freddie Scott, Tubby Patton, Winchester Francis, Frenchie and Junior Campbell, Carlos Higgins, Robert Conley, Billy Murray, Jack Childers, Ray and Rudolph Howell.

LACKEY

Tech. Cpl. Freddie Terry, of Daniel Field, Ga., recently spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Terry, here.

A New Year's eve "watch party" was given by Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins. Those enjoying bridge and other games were: Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Staley, of Lackey; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hornsby, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasmick, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Ison, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Hornsby, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill, Mrs. Everett Blanton and Mrs. Kermit Beverly, of Garrett. High score in bridge was won by Fred Martin and Mrs. Charles Hornsby. Mrs. Everett Blanton won consolation prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Combs and family, of Hindman, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hatcher and family, of Estill, were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hatcher, of this place.

The two-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chaffins died several days ago.

Dr. M. V. Wicker, who has been confined to his home with flu, is able to resume his work.

Scott Collins, of Berea, spent the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Collins.

DWALE

Abe Hall and Kermit Howard were home over the last week-end. They are employed by Clayton & Lambert at Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Carey were in Toledo, O., on business last week.

Mrs. Bill Ackerman and children, of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons, here.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Branham recently moved to Raceland.

Mrs. Ada Burchett has been confined to her home the past week by flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Nelson and family are now living in the Jonah Laferty property.

Miss Ethel Simmons has returned home. She has been visiting her sister in Huntington.

Walter Keens, of Virginia, is visiting his son, Matthew Keens, here.

Mrs. Kit Smith, of Ivel, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Laura Humble, here Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Martin and daughters, of Allen, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cooley.

Mrs. John Ratliff, of Cuyahoga Falls, O., was visiting friends here last Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Humble is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve McKinney, on Spurlock.

Walker Porter moved to the property of Tom Compton last week.

IVEL

John Damron, who has been very ill, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Mary E. Kelly, of Betsy Layne, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Burns May.

Little Jimmie Douglas George has been ill with measles, but is recovering.

Mrs. Burns May is confined to her bed with flu.

Hager Hamilton and family, of Morgan county, are visiting relatives here.

Darwin Layne, of Pikeville, visited his mother, Mrs. May Layne, here Sunday.

Jack Damron and Jack Hall made a business trip to Oak Hill, O., last week.

Mr. Carpenter is moving into the property of Robert Damron.

Morgan Layne, who has been receiving treatment at Paintsville, is much better.

Jim Damron was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Monday.

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A mill representative here this week quoted the following prices: \$9.50 per cord of 160 cubic feet for unpeeled timber; \$13.50 per cord of the same size for peeled timber. The mills pay the freight.

Any wood except black walnut and hemlock is acceptable, he said. The wood must be cut into five-foot lengths and be not smaller than four inches at the tip.

A. E. Vaughan, Bonanza, Bill Woods, Little Paint, and Henry Meadows, of Dock, are the farmers already producing pulpwood or ready to begin.

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Society Notes

HOSTS TO CHURCH GROUP
Mr. and Mrs. Alex H. Davidson entertained the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church for the Christmas party. The home was gaily decorated for the occasion with Christmas holly and lighted candles. A small Christmas tree in the living room was the center of attraction with the large basket which held the gifts which were drawn by the members at the close of the party.

Christmas carols were sung and games directed by Mrs. A. V. Faull and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick were enjoyed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. G. R. Allen and Mrs. T. J. May. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Garriott, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Faull, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Roberts, Capt. David D. May, Mrs. G. R. Allen, Mrs. Byrd C. May, Mrs. Okey Dorton, Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Emma Carter, Mrs. Mabel Branham, Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Mrs. G. R. Francis, Misses Anna Woods, Myrtle Pugsley and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson.

ARRIVES ON FURLOUGH
Pfc. Donald E. Ball arrived Sunday from Camp Hale, Colo., where he is with the mountain troops as a field artilleryman, to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ball.

ARE CONVALESCING
Mr. and Mrs. James Tufts are convalescing from influenza.

MR. JARRELL IMPROVING
Joe Jarrell, who has been ill for the past two years, is slowly improving.

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IS CONVALESCING
Val F. (Sonny) Strahan, Jr., who has been critically ill with pneumonia, is slowly improving at his home on First avenue.

NEW ARRIVAL
Mr. and Mrs. Byron M. Thompson announce the arrival of their son, Clyde Gilbert, born at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md., Thursday, Jan. 13. Mrs. Thompson is the former Miss Janavean Chaffins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chaffins, of Garrett.

HAS BEEN ILL HERE
Mrs. Clabe Stephens, who has been ill for several weeks with influenza, is able to be up again. Mrs. Stephens is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Jarrell, of Second avenue.

DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick and daughter, Emma Louise, were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hurt.

SGT. NUNNERY, HOME
Sgt. Byron Nunnery is here from Camp Forrest, Tenn., for a visit with his sisters, Mrs. Lydia N. Preston, and Mrs. Adrian Collins.

HAS BEEN ILL
Dr. J. S. Kelly has been ill at his home on Maple avenue for several days.

ENDS FURLOUGH
Lieut. Raymond Stephens left Sunday for an air base in Kansas where he will train as a bomber pilot. He recently received his "wings" as a fighter pilot and has been spending a furlough here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Stephens.

SUSTAINS WRIST FRACTURE
Mrs. Green Allen sustained a fractured wrist when she fell on the sidewalk Saturday morning.

REDDINGS HERE
The Rev. and Mrs. George W. Redding and daughter, Lucy Pat, of Georgetown, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Feller. Rev. Redding is professor of Bible at Georgetown College.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK JOSEPHINE

State No. 293

At Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business on December 31, 1943.

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts (including \$287.19 overdrafts)	\$ 301,285.79
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,359,000.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	87,675.47
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	23,900.00
5. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	775,180.27
6. Bank premises owned \$12,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,000.00	13,000.00
7. Other assets	2,405.36
12. TOTAL ASSETS	2,562,446.89
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,501,566.42
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	601,867.97
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	61,840.40
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	243,213.87
17. Deposits of banks	4,839.27
18. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	3,720.64
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,417,048.57
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	2,417,048.57
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital	50,000.00
26. Surplus	50,000.00
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	45,398.32
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	145,398.32
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2,562,446.89
* This bank's capital consists of 500 shares common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.	
MEMORANDA	
31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	421,600.00
(e) TOTAL	421,600.00
32. Secured and preferred liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	250,137.42
(e) TOTAL	250,137.42
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	169,193.40
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	775,180.27

I, Geo. P. Archer, President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. P. ARCHER, President and Cashier
Correct—Attest:
H. B. PATRICK
JO M. DAVIDSON
H. D. FITZPATRICK
Directors

State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1944, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
A. L. DAVIDSON, Notary Public.
(SEAL) My commission expires January 4, 1946.

UNDERGOES OPERATION
Mrs. Mitchell Preston, of Pikeville, who underwent a major operation at the Prestonsburg General Hospital, is improving nicely.

IS CONVALESCING
J. C. Kendrick is recovering from a severe attack of influenza at his room at the Valley Inn.

IS VISITOR HERE
Miss Myrtle Franklin, teacher in the Wheelwright school, spent Saturday here.

IN HUNTINGTON
Mrs. A. H. Mandt was a visitor in Huntington Saturday.

RETURN TO LOUISIA
Mrs. Astor Meade and daughter, Betty Hager, returned Monday to their home in Louisiana after a two-weeks visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Flora Sizemore.

GUESTS OF WHITES
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade, of Lexington, were week-end guests of Mrs. Meade's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr.

ILL AT HOME HERE
The Rev. A. C. Harlowe is ill at his home on First avenue, threatened with pneumonia complications from an influenza attack.

GUEST IN ASHLAND
Mrs. R. G. Francis was the overnight guest Monday of Mrs. L. L. Zimmerman in Ashland.

ABLE TO BE OUT
Mrs. R. W. Feller is able to be out after several days' illness.

HOSPITAL PATIENT
Mrs. H. F. Patton is receiving medical treatment at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

HERE FROM CAMP CAMPBELL
Sgt. Tom Graham Dings and Mrs. Dings arrived Friday from Camp Campbell, Ky., where they have been for several months. Sgt. Dings left Sunday to join his unit on maneuvers in Tennessee. Mrs. Dings will remain here for a longer visit.

Martin Paratrooper In Markham Valley Invasion by Yanks



FRAZIER

One of the paratroopers in the Markham Valley raid in the southwest Pacific which was a prelude to the Lae battle, 20 miles to the east, was James B. Frazier, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Frazier, of Martin. The parachute invasion of the valley was one of the most spectacular feats of the Pacific war.

In the army since July 19, 1940, starting out as a machine gunner, Frazier was in one of the first paratroop outfits to go overseas. He was one of the group who parachuted at Ft. Bragg, N. C. for Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain.

Wounded last February, however, his days as a paratrooper are believed to be over. A newspaper photo from Australia shows Frazier after the Markham Valley invasion. The newspaper describes the picture: "Dirty and unshaven after helping to take the Nadgat air strip, 20 miles west of Lae, in the Markham Valley, an American paratrooper grins at a U. S. A. Signal Corps cameraman while an inquisitive native stares in awe."

His brother, Paul, 17, is now in "boot" training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

IN FLORIDA
County Clerk A. B. Meade is spending a short vacation in Florida.

VISITOR FROM PIKEVILLE
Mitchell Preston, of Pikeville, was a visitor in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA
Cpl. Roland L. Burchett is home from California to spend a 15-day furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Lou Burchett.

IN FLORIDA
R. V. May is spending several days in Miami, Fla., with Mrs. May and children.

IS CAPTAIN WITH CLARKE
James W. Wine, formerly of Prestonsburg, is now a captain in the forces of General Clarke in Italy, friends and relatives here have learned.

DR. BOND CONVALESCING
Dr. Chas. F. Bond is convalescing at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, after having been seriously ill of flu.

Even Break for Week Gained by Black Cats

The Prestonsburg Black Cats had for this week an even break on the basketball front—a loss to Wayland last week, 44-29, a victory over Van Lear here Wednesday afternoon, 25 to 20.

Although Van Lear's heavy scorer, DeCoursey, was held to nine points, five below his season average, Wayland's guards, Tufts and Frazer, got loose for 21 points between them on the Wayland floor. Sturgill and Craft, with 11 and 7 points, respectively, upheld the Prestonsburg attack.

Here Wednesday, Craft scored 14 points against Van Lear while Sturgill was out of the line-up because of illness. Hall was the visitors' leading scorer.

The line-ups:
Wayland (44) Pos. P'burg (29)
Stanford (4)...F... Craft (7)
Boyd (8)...F... Sturgill (11)
DeCoursey (9)...C... Sammons (3)
Tufts (11)...G... Blackburn (2)
Fraley (10)...G... Crain (6)
Substitutions: Wayland—Castle (2), Oney; Prestonsburg—James.

P'burg (25) Pos. Van Lear (20)
Blackburn...F... Music (2)
Craft (14)...F... Hall (6)
Sammons (4)...C... Retzer (1)
Crain (2)...G... Clifton (6)
James (2)...G... Conley (3)
Substitutions: Prestonsburg—Hall, Vaughan, Hyden (3) Bunting; Van Lear—Collins (2).

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have been outstanding in patriotism in contributions to just causes to a speedy end of the war. Therefore, I personally recommend to each local unit within Floyd county that you keep that good record intact and send a delegation to attend a meeting called by the Daughters of the American Revolution to the Prestonsburg courthouse January 23, at 2:30 p. m.

FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

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

Sgt. R. T. (Buster) Herald writes from New Guinea:

"I get THE TIMES every now and then, but when I get it I read every word in it maybe two or three times. I sure wish I could see the old burg again soon. We are having it pretty nice over here now, but it was hell for a while. I sure wish that everybody was back at home, but it will be a long time before that will happen.

"I guess the draft board has got everybody from the looks of the paper and the only ones left are too old or too young. We have showers and a nice place. The tents are all floored and screened and it is nice here, but it is hot as hell and dusty as it can be. I guess this is all I can tell you for tonight, only I hope Doug Hays and Troy Sturgill win. Give them my best wishes."

Sgt. Charles E. Holbrook, 23, son of Kelsey Holbrook, West Prestonsburg, has arrived at Texas A. & M. College for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the air forces. During this period he will take numerous academic courses, as well as elementary flying training. Upon completion of the course, he will be classified as a pilot, navigator or bombardier and go on to schools of the flying training command for training in these specialties.

Quentin Lockwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lockwood, Prestonsburg, is now overseas seeing service as navigator on a bomber.

Aviation Student Hugh C. Sloane, 21, son of Mrs. Bess Sloane, of Prestonsburg, is now attending 310th College Training Detachment (aircrew), Michigan State College, for a course of army air force instruction.

tion lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces. During this period he will take numerous academic courses, as well as elementary flying training. Upon completion of the course he will be classified as a pilot, navigator or bombardier and go on to schools of the Central Flying Training Command for training in these specialties.

Arthur Banks, son of Mrs. Georgia Frazier, of Prestonsburg, has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic in the Army Air Forces Technical Training School at Amarillo, Texas.

His graduation from this technical school now fits him for airplane maintenance and he will be sent to some air base where he will assist in keeping America's Flying Fortresses in the air for Allied victory.

Perry Leon Shuford, 31, of Wayland, has been graduated honor man of his recruit training company at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., and is now on "boot" leave.

Elected a candidate by fellow negro bluejackets, Shuford was selected honor man by his company commander on the basis of military aptitude and progress. He has also been recommended to attend a navy school for further specialized training as a coxswain. Before joining the navy, he worked as sign painter and miner for the Elk Horn Coal Corporation at Wayland.

The following newly inducted personnel of the army have been sent forward from the reception center at Ft. Thomas, Ky., to the stations and addresses indicated:
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When (and if) Hitler Gets The Noose, He'll Be the First Conqueror Ever Executed

By HOWARD L. DUTKIN
From The Washington Post

Should Adolf Hitler one day totter out to face the avenging guns of an Allied firing squad, he will become unique among the would-be world conquerors.

Of other history-making men of the sword—Alexander, Julius Caesar, Attila, Ghengis Kahn, Napoleon—only one perished by the sword—Caesar. And he was slain by political foes, many of whom had been his supporters.

Alexander the Great, at the age of 39, had won virtually all of the then-known world.

His glittering armies had marched from Macedonia through all southwest Asia Minor, Syria, Egypt, Persia, Mesopotamia, Babylon and India.

Nothing—no one—could long oppose him. The huge armies of the great Persian monarch Darius were dispelled like mist before the brilliant sun that was Alexander. His power over millions was absolute.

So great was the homage paid him that Alexander began to imagine himself something more than mortal man. He was a god, he said, the son not of King Phillip of Macedonia, husband of his mother, but of the great god Zeus himself. The legend spread. Most of his followers believed it implicitly.

They Worshipped Him
Temples were built in his honor and worship of the God-Emperor became a religion.

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In the year 323 B.C., Alexander had completed plans for a great expedition around the boundaries of the world as it existed in the imagination of scientists of that time. He was to sail from Babylon around Africa and back through the Straits of Gibraltar.

On June 1, as part of general farewell festivities, Alexander gave a banquet for his leading officers. The wild revelry was replete with wine, women and song.

Shortly before dawn, the Emperor made a move to leave, but a companion, Medios, persuaded him to go on another party at the latter's home.

Alexander consented and threw himself into another drinking bout that lasted well after sun-up. He returned to his abode, slept the remainder of the day and despite a mounting fever returned to Medios' that evening where the party was resumed. It is related that here he toasted twenty guests, drinking a large goblet of wine to each of them.

Too Drunk to Sail
At dawn the revel broke up and Alexander, drunk and feverish, was carried to morning devotions.

Sailing of the fleet, scheduled for June 8, was postponed as the conqueror's condition grew worse.

Finally, on the twelfth, rumors spread among the soldiery that the great man was dead. Despite all denials, the story was on the lips of all. To quiet the growing apprehension of the army, his officers were allowed to file past their king as he lay on a couch fighting for life. By main effort of will Alexander greeted them warmly as the lengthy procession streamed past.

The following day, his physician having given up hope, the Emperor was asked to whom he wished to leave the throne.

In keeping with the warrior's creed, Alexander, his facial muscles twitching with exertion, gasped, "To the strongest."

Then he lay still. The conqueror had met his master. Attila, the Demon's Son.
Another who sought to dominate mankind appeared out of the plains and plateaus of Central Asia in the Fifth Century A.D.

He was Attila, the Hun, known as "The Scourge of God," for the cruelties and mass slaughter inflicted by him and his wild nomadic tribesmen in those whom they conquered.

Legend says that Attila was the offspring of an evil magician and the demon himself and history shows that he made every effort to live up to the apocryphal story.

Repulsed in efforts to conquer China, the Huns were turned westward. They crossed the Volga in Russia, drove past the Dniester and arrived at the banks of the Danube.

For years the savage Hunnish tribesmen fought among themselves. It became the aim of Attila to unite his people, to assimilate all tribes between the Volga and the Danube. Next he planned to get control of the Slavic and German peoples, to conquer all Europe and then hurl himself on Asia, crushing India, China, Persia and then Africa—the world as known then.

Army Numbered 700,000
In the proud capital of Rome, the threat of Attila was dismissed with a sneer. What had rich, powerful Rome with her gleaming legions to fear from that undersized, ludicrous barbarian with his braggadocio and bombastic speeches?

A master orator, Attila made Salvo and German allies. He played at friendship with China to avoid war on two fronts.

In January, 451, the hordes of Attila, 700,000 strong, suddenly appeared on the banks of the Rhine. Attila seemed unstoppable. He pillaged Rheims, Basle, Strasbourg. Terrified refugees poured into Paris. As the Huns were nearing the gates of Paris they heard reports that the Romans, joined by the Visigoths, were proceeding to attack them.

After a series of maneuvers, the two armies met in a great battle at Chalons and after 300,000 men were slain on both sides the Huns fled and returned to the Danube area to regroup.

But the Huns could not regain their former strength. After a desultory attempt against Italy met with some success, they again were forced to withdraw.

Growing older and wearying of the wars, Attila took a new wife. That night a wild banquet was held. The couple retired to the nuptial chamber and the next morning the mighty Attila was found dead in bed.

It was said that blood was dripping from his mouth but history records no charge being brought against the wife and apparently death was attributed to natural causes.

Genghis Khan Tried It
Another dominant figure to sweep out of the East was Genghis Khan (the name Genghis meaning great warrior.) His Mongolian armies swept all opposition before them, driving victoriously from the China Sea to the banks of the Dnieper.

In 1227 A.D., while campaigning in western China, the Khan noticed an ill-omen in that five planets appeared in a certain constellation.

Disconcerted, Genghis broke off the offensive and turned homeward. On the return journey the great chieftain was stricken with a strange fever and died within a day.

As is usually the case when a dictator dies, efforts were made to keep it a secret as long as possible lest the skein of government unravel.

Thus as the funeral procession moved northward toward Mongolia, the Khan's troops killed all who by chance saw the cortege.

The body was placed in a solid silver casket and buried at Eishinhuro, Mongolia.

So long-lived was the power of Genghis that seven centuries later—in 1939—the Chinese government of Chiang Kai-Shek, fearful that the Japs might lay hands on the coffin and use it as a rallying-point for a Jap-sponsored Mongolian Nationalist movement, transferred the casket to a secret burial place in westernmost China.

Napoleon Had to Quit
Napoleon Bonaparte was yet another who found how filled with pitfalls the path of glory may be.
Decisively beaten by the British Duke of Wellington at Waterloo, Napoleon fled back to Paris where a hostile Chamber of Deputies debated the advisability of demanding his abdication as emperor.
Napoleon's brother Lucien urged him to cut the Gordian knot and dissolve the Chamber by a coup d'etat, but Napoleon, already weakened by the ravages of the stomach cancer that was to kill him, remained indecisive.
At one point supporters of the great general seemed to be gaining ground in parliamentary debate. At this point the aging Marquis de Lafayette leaped to the rostrum.
"Have you forgotten where the bones of our sons and fathers whit-

en?" he roared. "In Africa, on the banks of the Vistula, amid the snows of Russia. Two millions have been the victims of this one man who wanted to fight all Europe. Enough!"

Napoleon Acquiesced
The speech carried the day. Napoleon's abdication was demanded and he acquiesced.
After entertaining some wild notions of escaping the British naval blockade and fleeing to America, Napoleon gave himself up to the British, who banished him to the rocky and miasmic island of St. Helena off the coast of Africa.

Here the fallen giant spent his last days in a ramshackle dwelling, writing his memoirs and dreaming of the past.
On May 4, 1821 after several days of delirium, the end approached. Suddenly breaking from semi-coma, Napoleon half-rose from bed—his lips moved—"France," he whispered weakly—"Army—head of the army—Josephine!"

He rolled from his bed—grappled momentarily with an attendant then lay still. The next day Napoleon was dead.

Martin Purple Flash To Play Wayland 5
Martin, Ky., Jan. 17 (Spl.)—The Martin Purple Flash came out of the game last week with the powerful Elkhorn City team in good condition but on the short end of the score, 33-41. Wilson, taking part in his first game of the year for Martin, did some nice rebound work.

Thursday night this week, in the local gymnasium, the Purple Flash will meet another strong foe in Wayland which has not lost a game to any team in Floyd county. They were district champions and regional runners-up last year and have two stars from that strong aggregation on this year's team—DeCoursey, the star pivot man of the Big Sandy, and Boyd, the goal-shooting artist and floor man. Both A and B teams will play.

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WAYLAND HOT SHOTS

By R. H.

Christmas came to Beaver Creek three weeks late. We've been dreaming of a white Christmas since the 15th of December but it was late getting around. Maybe the war or Roosevelt was the cause of it.

I was talking to a friend of mine who is working in Newport News, Va., the past week, and asked him how everything was out there. And he said, "Ah, hell, brother, nothing but a bunch of draft dodgers, two men doing the work and five standing around watching; things like that are pretty disgusting to a man who wants to work and maintain the supplies that our nation needs during the war." Which reminds me of my ship that I built last summer. I'm wondering if they've got the keel laid yet.

George Tufts and his family were visiting Wayland last week. They just had to have a drink of our Wayland water.

Perry Shuford, one of our colored boys from Wayland, came home last week from Great Lakes III, where he has been taking training in the navy. You know, Perry is a great guy. Everyone who knows him likes him.

Mr. Farley said, referring to last week's column, that he did not want any customers at his country store, but he sure wanted some nail kegs for the real old-timers to sit on and tell their big hunting tales, also a checker board. His fever is still high for that truck mine.

Pearlie Copley Aibles has been visiting her father here. Virginia Copley Harman has also been visiting from Portsmouth.

Norman, I don't know what to

From where I sit ...

by Joe Marsh

I set the alarm ahead the other morning to hear a so-called temperance broadcast. Bein' a temperance man myself I was in hopes of hearing a good talk. Temperance and moderation are the same thing, my dictionary says. But this speaker didn't discuss temperance, at all.

It was a hysterical, rable-rousing hodge-podge advocatin' an impractical prohibition.

He told of anonymous people who'd come to horrible fates. He drew liberally on things that happened 2000 years ago. But he couldn't get around the fact that, no matter how

folks have changed in 20 centuries, they still like moderate sociability with their fellow-man.

From where I sit, that's where beer comes in. Those who like it, set a heap o' store on a moderate glass with friends.

The occasional immoderate drinker is far outnumbered by those who die each year of gluttony and over-eating! He is no more approved by moderate folks than by "temperance" speakers.

Joe Marsh

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Western Auto Store PRESTONSBURG, KY.

MARTIN

The Martin Homemakers Club met at the Ladies' Aid workroom Jan. 12, at 10 a.m. Miss Frances Amburgy was present and demonstrated the making of dress forms.

The following ladies were present: Mrs. T. J. Allen, Miss Frances Amburgy, Mrs. P. M. Williams, Mrs. Ben Norris, Mrs. C. L. Stapleton, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. Walter Perry, Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mrs. Owen Bobb, Mrs. H. O. Wilson, Mrs. Chas. Straub, Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mrs. James Crisp, Sr., Mrs. J. O. Arrington, Mrs. Clarence King, Mrs. W. L. Hunt, Mrs. Floyd Skaggs and Mrs. Willard Akers, a visitor.

Two dress forms were made and a covered dish dinner was served at the noon hour. The next meeting will be held in the Ladies' Aid workroom on Feb. 2, at 2 p.m.

Master Larry Edward Greer Jr., little son of Pvt. and Mrs. Eddie Greer, had his first birthday cake Sunday. He was very fond of the decorations which he pulled from the cake and rushed to his mouth.

Kelly Osborne, who is employed at Fairfield, O., spent last week with his wife and family. Mr. Osborne was called home to take his physical examination for the army, but has returned to his work.

The Glee Club girls of Martin high school presented a program at the Missionary Baptist Church last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kiser have returned from a trip to Cincinnati where they bought stock for their store.

Mrs. Lillie Osborne and daughter are home from Detroit, Mich.

Little Miss Sylvia Hamilton is very ill with pneumonia. Sylvia is in first grade at school and her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Everett Stumbo is visiting her mother near Prestonsburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hunter and Mrs. Jewel Hunter were business visitors in Paintsville last week.

Mrs. A. B. Osborne is very ill of flu.

A stork shower was given for Mrs. Ruth Stith Saturday afternoon. Many nice gifts were received and jainty refreshments served to the guests.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Grigsby at the Martin General hospital a daughter—Marina Ann. This, the seventh child in the family, is their first daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of Morehead, have been visiting Mrs. Hayes' mother Mrs. Lizzie Hill. While here Mrs. Hayes spent one day with "Uncle" Henry Maggard, of Cracker.

Seen around Martin on furloughs and leaves—Seaman Garland Gibson, Sherrill Frazier, Charles Justice.

In honor of her brother, Capt. Walter Preston, Mrs. Guy Taylor entertained to dinner Wednesday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Preston, Mrs. Artie Martin, of Garrett, Mrs. Mary Vance, of Martin, and the honor guest, Capt. Preston left Thursday morning for South Carolina where he is stationed.

Miss Keen on Honor Roll At Kentucky Wesleyan

Miss Virginia Keen, daughter of Mrs. Daisy Allen, West Prestonsburg, a sophomore at Kentucky Wesleyan, Winchester, was among those whose names appeared on the honor roll for the fall quarter 1943-44. Miss Keen received a scholastic standing of between 2,000 and 2,499 out of a possible 3,000.

MAYTOWN

Mrs. John A. Crow, of Ludlow, Ky., and young son Joe, are visiting Mrs. Crow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton.

Mrs. Mosaleete Ferrell, of Gio, spent the week-end with Miss Catherine Stapleton.

Bobby May left Tuesday for Toledo, O., where he will be employed in war work.

Friends and co-workers of J. M. Feltner, 4-H club leader of the state, regret to learn of his death. The 4-H club of Maytown in appreciation of his outstanding work sent a floral offering.

Mrs. Mac May and children left Wednesday to join Mr. May in Ashland. They will make their home there.

C. D. Patrick, of Magoffin county, spent Tuesday night here with his brother, Thomas Patrick.

Eugene Webb left Friday for Norfolk, Va., after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Webb.

Miss Mamie Snoddy, of Ashland, accompanied Mrs. Theodore Snoddy home. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. May, Jr.

Little Ronnie Hahn, one of the twins of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn, is in the Martin General hospital, suffering from bronchial pneumonia.

Mrs. Ed Sutton was a business visitor in Martin Saturday.

Miss Frances Amburgy, county demonstration agent, held a 4-H club meeting in the school auditorium Friday afternoon. She was assisted by Mrs. Amy Begley, local 4-H club leader.

Cpl. Theodore Snoddy, Jr., who is now stationed at Richmond, Va., arrived Saturday to spend his furlough with his wife and baby, and his sister, Mrs. G. A. May, Jr.

Mrs. Jones Tallent and Misses Joyce and Beryl Stewart were business visitors in Paintsville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen were in Huntington Tuesday on business.

Chief Radioman and Mrs. Ben Baker arrived Saturday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker. Mr. Baker enlisted in the navy in 1942, and this is his first visit home since then. He graduated with high honors from primary radio school, College Station, Texas, in May 1943. He and Mrs. Baker have been in San Francisco, Calif., for the past eight months where he completed training as a chief radioman. After a six-weeks' course in an instructor school in Chicago, he will be assigned a teaching position in a naval training school.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen entertained their family group to dinner Saturday evening, having as guests also Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baker and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker.

The drive for blood plasma is now on in Maytown. Up until now we have raised about \$75.

Miss Peggy Sue Allen entertained a number of her young friends at a party in honor of her sixth birthday at the home of her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen. After the little hostess had opened her gifts and courteously thanked the givers, all were conducted to the basement to enjoy games and refreshments. Those who enjoyed Peggy Sue's hospitality were Skipper Hayes, Barbara Kay Reed, Winifred Sue Cooley, Justin Turner, Mary Alice Hicks, Nickie Turner, Anne Stewart, Wendell and Tommy Jones, Silas Ray Hallbert, Sandra Sue Patrick, Jean Shepherd, Stephen Allen, Teddy Allen, Miss Peggy Jo Allen, Miss Vivian Patton, Mesdames Bill Cooley, Mark Reed, Thomas Patrick, V. O. Turner, Wiley Jones, George E. Allen, Elizabeth Baker and Claude L. Allen.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT Nancy Jane Hicks, Administratrix Plaintiff Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE Emeline H. Chaffins, Etc., Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered and entered at the January term, 1944, 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 7th day of February, 1944 at 1 o'clock, p.m., same being the first day of the Floyd Circuit Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

TRACT NO. 1

Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on the Left Fork of Middle Creek, beginning at the branch at the mouth of a drain; thence with drain a south course to head of drain; thence from the head of said drain varying to right to marked rock on the top of point; thence with the center of the point to top of ridge to Lizzie Hicks' line and to a marked rock; thence an east course with the line of Lizzie Hicks to I. Richmond line; thence with said line to Newton Hicks' line; thence with same line to two marked beeches; thence a west course running by marked mulberry and maple to a marked rock on center of point; thence with center of first point to a marked chestnut; thence a straight line to a marked rock on opposite side of creek; thence with the creek to the beginning. This being the same land conveyed to Newton Smith by Smith Hicks, etc., by deed bearing date Dec. 28, 1918, recorded in Deed Book No. 54, page 74, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

TRACT NO. 2

Lying and being in Floyd county, Ky., on Left Beaver Creek, being lot No. 4, bounded as follows: Beginning on an apple tree on right side of a branch on lot No. 3; thence across the branch with lot No. 3 a west course to a cucumber on the bench; thence up the hill with lot No. 3 to a twin chestnut oak; thence up the point with lot No. 3 to a basket oak on top at James Hale line; thence down the point with James Hale's line to a marked dogwood; thence an east course down the hill to a hickory; thence same course to a broken top walnut; thence to a marked stone in the bottom 20 feet below the big scyamore; thence across the branch an east course to a hornbeam marked; thence up the hill to a marked rock on center of point; thence up the point to Troy Hicks' line to a marked hickory at lot No. 3; thence a straight line with lot No. 3 down the hill to two elms on left side of drain; thence to the apple tree, the beginning, being the same land conveyed to Newton Hicks by Emaline Chaffins, etc., by deed bearing date Jan. 27, 1942, recorded in Deed Book No. 54, page 74, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

TRACT NO. 3

An undivided one-half interest in the following tract of land, lying on the Left Branch of Middle Creek, Floyd county, Ky., beginning at the branch near the mouth of a small drain; thence a north course up the hill with Bill Hicks' line to the top of the hill to Elbert Castle's line; thence a west course with Elbert Castle's line and center of ridge to Betty Layne's line; thence down the hill a south course with Betty Layne's line to the branch; thence the same line and same course to top of hill to Jasper Hicks' line; thence an east course with center of ridge and Jasper Hicks' line to Bill Hicks' line; thence down the hill a north course with Bill Hicks' line to the mouth of drain, the beginning, containing 40 acres more or less, being the same land conveyed to Newton Hicks by Smith Hicks by deed dated June 8, 1921, recorded in Deed Book 59, page 271, Floyd County Court Clerk's office.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. Given under my hand, this 17th day of January, 1944.

J. B. CLARKE, Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court. Cost of advertising \$28.50.

Don't wait until your name is removed from our mailing list—renew.

Resolutions in Memory Of M. C. Anderson

Once again death has summoned a brother Odd Fellow, and the golden gateway to the Eternal City has opened to welcome him to his home. He has completed his work in the ministering to the wants of the afflicted, in shedding light into darkened souls, and in bringing joy into the places of misery, and as his reward has received the plaudit "well done" from the Supreme Master.

And whereas, the all wise and merciful Master of the universe has called our beloved and respected brother home, and he having been a true and faithful member of our beloved order, therefore be it

Resolved, That the charter of Prestonsburg lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., of Prestonsburg, Ky., in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days and that we tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

WM. DINGUS, S. A. GOEBEL, EDWARD MAY, Committee

treasurer, Oliver Allen, reporter, Ernest Dingus. Seventeen boys are enrolled.



The regular meeting of the Betsy Layne Chapter, Future Farmers of America, was held in the chapter room Thursday, Jan. 8. The leadership committee presented the following program.

Group—F.F.A. songs; poem, "Don't Quit"—Waldean Conn; "Characteristics of an Ideal Leader"—Lon Edward Roberts; "What Leadership Is"—Mr. Stanley.

A Junior F.F.A. Chapter has been organized. Membership is composed of junior high school boys who are planning to enroll in Vocational Agriculture when they enter high school. The boys meet each week and discuss problems of agricultural work. Jack Layne, member of the local chapter, is serving as their adviser. Officers of the newly-organized chapter are: President, R. B. Lawson; vice-president, James Murphy; secretary Donald Roop;

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Grethel; Ireland Adkins, Amba; Fred Ousley, Risner; Thomas Stanley Hatcher, Osborn (now of Amba); Edd Deskins, Emma; Tommy Hall, Bonanza; Albert Stephens, Banner (now of Martin); Orman Boyd, Harold; James Howard Richardson, Emma (now of Kodak, Ky.); Clyde Eugene Music, East Point; Dave

KENTUCKY THEATER

SATURDAY, JAN. 22—
From 12 noon to 7 p.m.
"Outlaws of Pine Ridge"
Don (Red) Barry
"THE PHANTOM" No. 4
and Comedy.

SAT. FROM 7 p.m., continues to midnight—
"Isle of Missing Men"
John Howard, Helen Gilbert.
Also selected Shorts.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Mr. Lucky"
Comedy and Paramount News.

TUESDAY— He TO ALL—
"Appointment in Berlin"
Also "Masked Marvel" chapter 1.

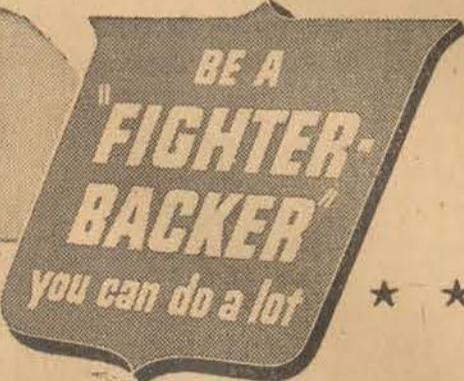
WED.-THURS.-FRIDAY—
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Bing Crosby, Bob Hope, Fred Mc-Murray, Dorothy Lamour.
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Clayton Trimble Stratton, Ivel; Lewis Henry Conley, Prestonsburg (now of Charleston, W.Va.); Thomas May Hereford, Prestonsburg; Walker Endicott, Endicott; John Lee Leedy, Grethel (now of Ecorse, Mich.); Emore Hubbard, Water Gap (now of Aftex, Ky.); Cassie Hackworth Brainard (now of Detroit, Mich.); Virgil Porter, Allen (now of Newark, O.); Walter Scott Harkins, III, Prestonsburg; Milford Adams, Teaberry; Frank Stephens, Risner; Albert Paterno, Prestonsburg (now of Camas, Wash.); Byron Stonewall Cline, German; James H. Sturgill, Auxier; Ira Harless, Edgar; Cecil Helton, West Prestonsburg (now of Rensselaer, Ind.); G. C. Stanley (V), Prestonsburg; Levi Keathley, Harold (now of Allen); Thomas Estill Hunt, Woods (now of Highland Park, Mich.); Edward Alley, Grethel (now of San Diego, Calif.); Herbert Hancock (V), Emma; Howard Estell Burchett (V), Prestonsburg (now of St. Albans, W. Va.); Elliott Miller, West Prestonsburg (now of Norfolk, Va.); Samuel Buchanan, Allen (now of Pikeville); Robert Lee Burza, Edgar (now of Pasco, Wash.); Ben Saunders, Prestonsburg (now of Newport News, Va.); Oscar Eugene Stanley, Tram (now of Betsy Layne); Joe Houston, Harold (now of Ashland); Harry Noble Willis Prestonsburg; Homer Cecil Powell, Tram (now of Portland, Ore.).

James Edward Carey, Dwale; Edd Scutchfield, Prestonsburg; Reddie Watson, Ivel; Richard Bowling, Auxier; James Dillon, Ivel; Oakie Booth, Auxier; Albert Blevins, Auxier; Frank Parsons, Harold (now of Clayton, Mich.); Joe David Weddington, Emma; Ed Parsons, Allen; Frank Virgil Tussey Dock (now of Portsmouth, Va.); Buster Thompson, Edgar; Thomas Jefferson Kendrick, Lancer; Otis Sanders, Betsy Layne; Melvin Rodney Stephens, Allen; Adrian Goble, Ivel; Don Herald Weddington, Emma; William Edward Clifton, (V), Dwale; Theodore Roosevelt Skeans (V), Dock; George Stidham, Lancer (transferred from local Board No. 1, Grundy, Va.).

Those of Draft Board 45 who left this morning for pre-induction examination were:

Arthur Moore, McDowell; Everett L. Akers, Martin; Taylor Reffett, Northern (now of MacArthur, O.); George Rudolph Patrick, Garrett (now of Dayton, O.); George Thomas Harris, Jr., Meally; Hollie Hall, Printer; Elmer Damron, Weeksbury (now of Detroit, Mich.); Sam Jones, Hueysville (now of Raceland); Raymond Griffith, Martin (now of Detroit, Mich.); Woots Shepherd, Hite; Edgil Daniels, Drift; Elbersom Ebb Bentley, Langley; Green Gayheart, Dony; Raymond Mathew Langley, Hi-Hat; Ruben Laferty, Garrett; George Floyd Hancock, Garrett (now of Dayton, O.); Milford G. Anderson, Orkney; Sterling Johnson, Bypro; Wilson Frazier, Alphoretta; Orville Hall, Garrett (now of Roth, Va.); Elmo Campbell, Garrett; Richard Lee Diamond, Bypro; Talmadge Allen, Hueysville; Robert Merchant Blevins, Weeksbury (now of Kopperston, W.Va.); George Fleming, Martin (now of Marshall, Mich.); Melvin Triplett, Lackey (now of Chillicothe, O.); Arthur Collins Smith, Martin.

Earl Palmer Crisp, Martin (now of Kenton, O.); Nick Everidge, Martin; Wallace Thomas Smith, Drift (now of Ironton, O.); Johnie Jones, Dony (now of Ashtabula, O.); Curtis Ted Martin, Garrett; Oliver Hampton Crum, Martin Malcolm Vanderpool, Hueysville; Willie Ray Edens, Martin; Virgil Newsom, Bypro (now of Detroit, Mich.); Clyde Lee Lester, Martin; Pascal Foley, Weeksbury (now of Baltimore, Md.); Dallas Caudill, Garrett (now of Lander, Ky.); Garland Sherrill Martin, Northern; William Ira Baker, Garrett (now of Bishop, Va.); Sam Shepherd, Hueysville (now of Plymouth, O.); Lacy Bailey, Hippo (now of Ada, O.); Norman Hayes, Lackey; Kelly Dye, Orkney; Charles Everett Martin, Eastern (now of Middle River, Md.); James Elmer King, Hi-Hat; Charles William Tyler, Weeksbury; Frank Winfree, Jr., Wheelwright (now of Chicago, Ill.).

MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY, JAN. 21—
"Footlight Glamour"
Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake.
(Blondie and Dagwood)

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—
"Heading for God's Country"
William Ludigen, Virginia Dale.

"Girl from Monterey"
Armida, Edgar Kennedy.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Northern Pursuit"
Errol Flynn, Julie Bishop.
(No advance in prices)

TUESDAY—
"Find the Blackmailer"
Fay Emerson, Jerome Cowan.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"The Man from Down Under"
Charles Laughton, Binnie Barnes.
Attend our Saturday shows.

On the same date Board 45 sent three colored selectees to Huntington for possible induction:

Robert Johnson, Wheelwright (now of Dayton, O.); Isaac Henry Holston, Jr., Wheelwright; Charles Richard Hayes, Wheelwright.

Notified by Board 44 for pre-induction physical examination Jan. 23 at Huntington:

Newton Perry Wallen, Water Gap; Jesse Cross, Teaberry; Rutherford James, Endicott; Trevert Crider, Betsy Layne (now of Oak Hill, O.); Waverly King, Osborn; Arbie Crider, German; Robert B. Allen, West Prestonsburg (now of Vallejo, Cal.); Bill Goble, Endicott; Condon Vay McCoy, Thomas; Curt Collins, Honaker; Woodrow Salyers, Prestonsburg; Johnie Collins, Harold; Jim Hunt, Banner; Albert Dillon, Ivel (now of Richmond, Va.); Edgar Kazee, Water Gap (now of Falls Church, Va.); Thomas Alex Patton, Auxier; Samuel Joseph Clark, Lancer (now of Clifty); Beecher Cole, Brainard; Ellis Hackworth, Bonanza; Fred Woods, Emma; Ernest Howard Hager, East Point; Willard Dillon, Ivel; James Marion Yates, Honaker (now of Blue Moon); Willie Shepherd, West Prestonsburg (now of Marshall, Mich.); Woodrow Wilson Stephens, Cliff; William Mitchell, Craynor; John Warrick, Allen (now of St. Louis, Mo.); John Blair, Prestonsburg; Clifford Faxon Baldrige, East Point.

Bill Evans, Grethel; Charles Walker Clifton, Dwale; Morris Pinyew Newsom, Grethel; Ambers Roop, Jr., Betsy Layne; James Robert Kendrick, Lanter; Dea Brannham, Sloan; Bill Henry Hall, Goodloe; Orbie Boyd (V), Betsy Layne; Grover Cleveland Hale, Pyramid; Victor Osborne, Beaver; Carlisle Collins, Tram; Amos Carroll, Grethel; Claude Edward Clark, Honaker; Cecil Curtis Adkins, Harold; Donald Douglas Wilcox, East Point; Walter Wathon Escep, Allen; Paul Brutus Francis, Prestonsburg; Howard Woodrow Buchanan, Prestonsburg (now of Hilton Village, Va.); Elder Lewis, Woods (now of Banner); Elmer Longabaugh, Prestonsburg (now of Ft. Mitchell, Ky.); Jasper Blankenship, Teaberry; Lummie Marvin Cllick, Banner; Sidney Reed, Endicott; Tom Henry Music, East Point; George Tivis Goble, Woods; John Meadows, West Prestonsburg; Emmitt Hamilton, Teaberry; Gale Music, Bonanza; Willie Hale, Risner; Dump Miller, Dock; Frell Tackett, Harold (now of Drift); Maryland Hall, Galveston; Claude Burns Fields, Allen; Johnny Neesley, Myrtle; Elmer Robinson, West Prestonsburg; Curtis Roope, Prestonsburg (now of Albion, Mich.).

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Purpose of the council is to sponsor 4-H clubs of the county and encourage the boys and girls to do good work. Each member of the Council is planning to sponsor one club and help in the problems arising there, sponsor the display window for the club in the fall, and to help select one member as outstanding for district and state meetings. The next meeting is to be a potluck supper, Feb. 8, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Thomas.

TO ALL TAXPAYERS

The Tax Commissioner's office will be open daily between now and the first of February for any taxpayer who desires to inspect his assessment for 1943-1944. If after the inspection you are not satisfied, you may appeal through the County Court Clerk, to the board of supervisors which meets for 15 days beginning Feb. 7.

OLIVE AKERS,
Tax Commissioner

ABIGAIL THEATER

THURS.-FRI., JAN. 20-21—

"Dancing Masters"
Laurel and Hardy

"Victory Through Air Power"
Walt Disney.
News.

SATURDAY—
11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m.,
6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m.—
"Canyon City"
Don "Red" Barry.
Serial: "CAPTAIN AMERICA"

SATURDAY—
3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—
"Falcon in Danger"
Tom Conway, Jean Brooks.
Comedies.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Northern Pursuit"
Errol Flynn.
News.
Comedy: "AN ITCH IN TIME"

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"Here Comes Elmer"
Al Pearce, F. Albertson.
News.
"Mermaids on Parade."
"Coast of Strategy."

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TRUSTS DEMOCRATIC EARS

Senator Doug Hays is a bit on the hard-of-hearing side and when the time came for him to cast his first vote in the Kentucky Senate at the current session, he hadn't got all the particulars in the matter. "I knew Senator Bagby have always considered him a man of experience and honest; so I voted as he did," Doug explained. To which somebody, doubtless a member of the Opposition, remarked, "Yeah, Bagby's a Democrat. It's still damned hard for you to hear a Republican, isn't it, Doug?"

HEARD HIM THE FIRST TIME

Which reminds us of the late O. C. Hall whose hearing was defective. Once, when a chronic "sponger" asked him for a dime as Mr. Hall was hurrying into the courthouse here, he kept on going. Thinking his "tough" hadn't heard him, the hanger-on yelled, "Gimme a QUARTER, O. C.!" To which the ready-witted O. C. rejoined, "I heard you the first time!"

JUST A MISCUE

Postoffice authorities lifted their eyebrows last week when a letter from Prestonsburg to a Mud Creek postoffice was marked "By Airmail." It was only Harry Hill, clerk of Draft Board 44, hitting an envelope with the wrong stamp.

Kiwanis Club Leader Names Committees

With an 85 per cent attendance at last Thursday's meeting of the Kiwanis Club, the first he had presided over as president since the election of 1944 officers, Town Hall named club committee chairmen. At the same meeting Carl Riffe and W. H. Coffman were elected assistants to Scoutmaster Jack Keenon. Committees named follow: Underprivileged Child—Dr. Marvin Ransdell, Vocational Guidance—I. H. Triplett; Boys and Girls Work—Woodrow Burchett; Members-at-Large—Dr. O. G. Pennington, Carl Riffe, A. V. Faull; Agriculture—S. L. Isbell; Public Affairs—Chas. Chumley; Business Standards—Richard Spurlock; Support of Churches—J. B. Clarke; Kiwanis Education—I. H. Triplett; Achievement Report—W. A. Rose; Finance—Joseph G. Berry, Jr.; Law and Regulations—J. B. Clarke; Classification—Geo. W. Hereford; Membership—C. H. Smith; Public Rela-

tions—Carl Corbin; Attendance—C. L. Hutsiniller; House—W. H. Coffman; Reception—E. P. Arnold; Program—Robert D. Francis; Music—W. B. Garriott; Inter-Club Relations—N. M. White, Jr.

NOTICE

A meeting of Oil Workers International Union, C.I.O., will be held Sunday, Jan. 23, at the school building, Allen, Ky. All members please be present. Bring one of your fellow-workers with you.

BOYD SMITHERS,
Representative

To Interview Workers For Erie Proving Grounds

B. G. Davis, Civil Service representative, will interview and hire workers for the Erie Proving Ground, LaCrosse, O., also mechanics, mechanic helpers, and senior laborers for Patterson Field, at the United States Employment Service office, Paintsville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 26, 27 and 28. Men and women between the ages of 17 and 55 may apply for these jobs. Transportation will be furnished for persons hired for Patterson Field.

NOTICE OF SALE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

The undersigned collector of taxes, Allen, Ky., City Corporation, will on Monday, Feb. 7, 1944, offer the property of the following for sale to satisfy tax bills and costs due for the years stated:

Name	Description	1939	1940	1941	1942
Tom Branham, house and lot		\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00
J. W. Laferty, house and lot		2.30	2.30	2.25	2.25
Salisbury Heirs, lot		2.27			
Lloyd Caudill, house and lot		1.65	1.65	2.25	2.25
D. D. Fairchild, garage and lot		6.45	6.45	6.25	6.25
Jesse Laferty, house and lot		2.95	2.95	2.50	2.50
J. B. Laferty, house and lot		3.20	3.20	1.95	2.45
B. S. Westfall, house and lot				3.25	2.25
Henry Porter, Jr., house and lot		1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65
John Hall, business bldg. and lot		5.00	5.00		
Dick Davis, 2 houses and lots		3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
T. J. Bentley, house and lot			2.27	3.50	
B. R. Cooksey, house and lot					1.95

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Tax Collector, City of Allen, Ky.

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COATS and DRESSES

COATS

WE HAVE ONLY 20 LADIES' WINTER COATS LEFT—THESE FEW REMAINING GARMENTS ARE

Greatly Reduced

DRESSES

EVERY FALL and WINTER DRESS MARKED DOWN

\$12.95 Dresses reduced to	\$9.95
10.95 Dresses reduced to	\$7.95
8.95 Dresses reduced to	6.95
7.95 Dresses reduced to	5.95
6.50 Dresses reduced to	4.95
4.95 Dresses reduced to	3.95
3.95 Dresses reduced to	2.95

HATS

VALUES TO \$1.45
88c
VALUES FROM \$1.98 and \$3.95
\$1.88

CHILDREN'S COATS
12 remaining Coats are marked down for
QUICK CLEARANCE

THE LEADER

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

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