

Those who have been protesting the bombing of German cities should go ahead and suggest the thing be fought to a finish with pop guns at 10 paces.

The Germans are now spelling it "culture" instead of the "kultur" of their palmer days. These bombs are destroying German centers of culture, they mean. Of course those little mementoes dropped on London, Rotterdam, Coventry and Warsaw were confetti.

WE'VE BEEN LIEBED!
Allan M. Trout says in his Courier-Journal column that he's indebted to C. H. Combs, of the Hazard Herald, for "data on odd names in the mountains of East Kentucky." We were born and "raised" here and we're indebted to Mr. Combs, too, for he has located in Floyd county some places which, somehow, have escaped us all these years. Will somebody dig around and see if they can unearth the ruins of these places listed by Mr. Combs as being in this county?—Hippopotamus, Skunk Creek, Red Jacket, Possum Trot, Sinking Honey and Worm Hole. Moreover, Mr. Combs (according to Mr. Trout) says Gio and Fed are in Leslie county. Why, MISS-ter Combs!

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FARM TRUCK FIGURES HIGH

ODT Representative Indicates, Warning Track Operators

A representative of the Office of Defense Transportation last week told the Floyd county truck transportation committee that approximately 78 per cent of all pick-up trucks in the county have been licensed as farm trucks and are procuring gasoline ostensibly for farm purposes. "The farming activities of Floyd county do not bear out such figures," he added, with the warning that misuse of trucks labeled as "farm trucks" will cause trouble later for owners. More pooling of rides in this county also is a necessity, the truck transportation committee here said following a conference with the ODT representative. The next three months, with the European invasion by the Allies expected soon, will be a crucial period for motorists and the civilian use of gasoline, it was said.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
Maggie Triplett vs. Emmitt Triplett; B. M. James, atty. Mabel Gibson vs. Everett Gibson; Joe Hobson, atty. Oral C. Salyers vs. Nellie King Salyers; J. B. Clarke, atty. Hamie Warrick vs. Theodore Warrick; Edw. L. Allen, atty. N. F. Belcher vs. Woodrow Weddington; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Gracie Jones vs. Perry Jones; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Audrey Bailey Bates vs. Garrett Bates; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Ruby Music Blanton vs. Hasidor Blanton; Edw. P. Hill, atty. Ruby McIntosh vs. J. W. McIntosh; Joe Hobson, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
H. S. Netherly, 56, Prestonsburg, and Blanche Sparks, 30, Auxier; marriage solemnized here April 20 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Palmer Lillard Moore, 18, and Madeline Henson, 19, both of Ligon; married April 22 at Ligon by the Rev. J. M. Hall. Garner Hall and Hazel Mitchell. Amos Blackburn, 21, Wonder, and Anna Belle Blackburn, 18, Endicott; married here April 25 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Willie Hall and Bertha Lillian Conn. George Nelson and Pearl Mace.

Stambaugh's 205 Pounds and Roads Of This County Were Hard on Horse

Paintsville, Ky., April 20—Barter rather than money on the barrel-hand was the common means of exchange in his field, but there was gold in those rugged Kentucky hills and J. V. Stambaugh tapped pay-dirt. The quietly genial Stambaugh has just completed 25 years as a salesman for a Paintsville grocery firm. In that time, his employer attested, he has compiled a record embracing some astronomical figures. Stambaugh himself admits he's had some experiences, and that he's covered "considerable ground" in the

FLOYD COUNTY PASSES QUOTA FOR WAR FUND

Floyd county definitely has oversubscribed its American Red Cross War Fund quota of \$22,500, Miss Ella Noel White, executive director of Floyd Red Cross chapter, announced this week. With returns from seven mining localities yet to be received at chapter headquarters, \$29,968.68 had been deposited here to the Red Cross War Fund account, and belated returns may bring the total to the neighborhood of \$25,000. Of the total already received, approximately \$900 has been earmarked by contributing coal companies and mine unions for Knott and Pike counties, since a number of their employes reside in those counties. Heaviest single community contributor to the fund is Wheelwright, checks amounting to \$6,590.91 being received from there Saturday by County Attorney W. W. Burchett, chairman of the Red Cross drive.

A complete report of receipts by communities will be published soon, perhaps next week, in THE TIMES. Commenting on the Red Cross drive in this county, Ramone S. Eaton, Alexandria, Va., eastern area manager, wrote County Attorney Burchett: "I welcome this opportunity to congratulate you as War Fund chairman of Floyd County Chapter and those who participated in the successful campaign in your chapter community. "The success achieved by your chapter War Fund organization reflects the result of able leadership, effective planning and confidence of the people in your chapter community in their Red Cross. "We salute you for this record achievement!"

Committees To Meet To Plan Girl Scout Organization Here

The 18 Prestonsburg women who have been named to Girl Scout committees will meet at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the Presbyterian Church to complete plans for organization of Girl Scouts locally. It was said that immediate organization is necessary, since Girl Scouts eligible to attend Camp Arrowhead during the August camping season are required to have attended a certain number of meetings. The committee members are: Mrs. F. L. Heinz, senior Girl Scout leader, Mrs. E. E. Clark, Mrs. Grover Lowe, Mrs. G. A. Culbertson, Mrs. Curtis Clark, Mrs. H. B. Patrick; Mrs. Richard Spurlock, intermediate Girl Scout leader, Mrs. G. C. Spradlin, Mrs. Merle Wilson, Mrs. Victor Hale, Mrs. Carl Horn, Mrs. Graham Porter; Mrs. J. D. Thomas, Brownie Scout leader, Mrs. Woodrow Burchett, Mrs. Dave Stephens, Mrs. Curt Homes, Mrs. A. V. Faulk, Mrs. George Hereford.

Bradley, New Manager Of Cox Store Here

Wayne Bradley, a Cox Department Store veteran of 18 years, has assumed management of the Cox store here. Mr. Bradley comes from Madison, W. Va., and will be joined May 15 by his family. He succeeded W. H. Coffman, who was inducted into the navy several weeks ago.

IS VISITOR HERE

J. D. Tackett, of Newport News, Va., was a visitor here Thursday.

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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

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Salisbury Rites Held On Turkey Creek

Funeral of Sarah Margaret Salisbury, 64 years old, who died April 13, were conducted on Turkey Creek by the Rev. A. L. Allen and burial was made in the Hays cemetery. Paralysis was given as the cause of death. Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Mallica Austin, one brother, W. E. Salisbury, Baltimore, Md., and four sisters: Mary and Pet Salisbury, of Hunter; Rhoda Patton, of Printer, and Mrs. Harry Moore, of Orkney. She also leaves six half-brothers, David, Lackey, George, Walk, Ed and Frank Salisbury, all of Printer.

WILLIS GETS 'TOKEN' VOTE

County, district and state conventions, all held within the last five days, resulted in Kentucky Republicans instructing delegates to the national Republican convention to be held in Chicago to vote for Governor S. S. Willis as a "favorite son" candidate for the Presidential nomination. It was believed that after the first ballot the Kentucky delegation will switch its support to Governor Dewey of New York. Only instructions voted at the Republican mass meeting here Saturday were Willis for President, Earl Cassidy, of Inez, for district chairman, T. H. Dings, Prestonsburg, as a delegate to the national convention, and Governor Willis as permanent state chairman. At the district meeting in Pikeville Monday Dr. M. D. Flanery, Pikeville, and Dewey Daniels, Hazard, were selected as national convention delegates, with T. H. Dings, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Katherine B. Langley, Pikeville, alternates. Steve Combs, Whitesburg, was nominated Republican Presidential elector from this district, Earl Cassidy, Inez, and Mrs. Elizabeth Powell, Paintsville, were named state central committee members from the district. S. C. Ferguson, Prestonsburg, presided at the meeting here Saturday as temporary chairman, with Edward L. Allen, Prestonsburg, secretary. Mr. Ferguson, J. H. Nunery, Floyd county Republican chairman, and W. B. Boyd attended the state convention in Louisville Tuesday.

VETERAN HOSPITALIZED

Jack McGuire, of Water Gap, shell-shocked victim of World War I, was taken Friday to the Veterans' hospital, Lexington, for treatment.

HERE FROM PIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walters, of Pikeville, spent Thursday here with their sister, Mrs. Alice Fitzpatrick Bowers, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Fitzpatrick.

Smallest Class in Years To Graduate Here Friday in Countywide Exercises

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Four Airmen from This County Enact Heroic Combat Roles

As more Floyd countians reach the theatres of war the list of Floyd men decorated for bravery or mentioned as having taken part in thrilling action grows. This week, from various areas of operations against the enemy, come stories of four airmen from this county. These stories follow:

WITH THE 13th AAF. IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC—Tech. Sgt. Eugene Hyden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Estel Hyden, Auxier, Ky., has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an additional Air Medal. He was cited for "meritorious achievement" while participating as an aerial radio operator in a number of combat missions in the South Pacific area. Sgt. Hyden recently was reported missing in action.

AN EIGHTH AAF LIBERATOR STATION, ENGLAND—First Lieut. David Marrs, Jr., pilot of the Liberator bomber "Princess," and a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs, Sr., of Martin, Ky., has received a second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal. It was awarded, the citation explained, "for exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in five separate bomber combat missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by Lieut. Marrs upon these occasions reflects great credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States."

Assigned to a veteran outfit in the European theater of operations, he has participated in missions over Ludwigshafen, Kiel, Bremen, Berlin, and other important industrial targets in Germany and the Nazi-occupied countries. Lieut. Marrs received his wings at Freeman Field, Indiana. Before coming to England, he received his B-24 training at Lowry Field, Colorado. He graduated from Martin high school in 1938 and attended the University of Kentucky at Lexington before entering the army. Lieut. Marrs is believed to be the first Floyd countian to see active service as a bomber pilot. For courage displayed during 50 bombing missions over German-occupied Europe, T/Sgt. W. Lee Roberts, 28, former Floyd countian, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, his brother, Magistrate Dewey Roberts, Harold, said here this week. His 50th bombing trip over Nazi-land was made within six months after he arrived in England. Sgt. Roberts is now eligible to return to the United States where he may see future air service. He is an engineer on a Flying Fortress based in England. His first

FIRE DESTROYS PYRAMID BOY, STATE GRADER

Blazing Tar Causes Damage at Allen Last Thursday

Fire at the state highway garage at Allen Thursday afternoon, last week, destroyed a patrol grader at an estimated loss of \$4,000. The fire started from a tar kettle when water was accidentally poured onto the contents of the kettle, causing them to boil over onto the fire beneath. The Prestonsburg fire department made the run to Allen and extinguished the flames. Tin construction of the garage itself saved it from destruction. The loss was insured, it was said here.

Bud Howard, 16, Dies At Hospital Here, Mishap Result

His arm almost blown away by the charge of a shotgun, 16-year-old Bud Howard, of Pyramid, died Saturday night at the Prestonsburg General hospital, several hours after the wound was suffered. Loss of blood and shock were given as the causes of death which came shortly after he was brought to the hospital. The youth was hunting ground squirrels when the gun was accidentally discharged, it was said here. Young Howard was a son of Mrs. Joe Reffitt, of Pyramid. Besides his mother, he is survived by one sister, Mary Howard, also of Pyramid. The body was prepared for burial by the Arnold Funeral Home and taken to the Reffitt home at Pyramid Sunday. Funeral rites were conducted there Monday and burial was made in the family cemetery.

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Commencement Speaker



Mr. Williams, former Johnson county superintendent, and present Kentucky superintendent of public instruction, will deliver the Commencement address at the countywide high school graduation exercises here Friday evening.

68 NOTIFIED FOR INDUCTION

By Draft Board 45; 25 Others Will Be Called During May

Local Board 45 at Martin this week notified 32 of its registrants who had already passed their pre-induction tests to appear here on the morning of May 8 to leave for army induction, and at the same time notified 36 to leave here on the following day for the navy. Board 44 has been directed to call up for army service 25 of its selectees on May 16, but names of those to be inducted had not been announced this week. Included in the May calls for selectees are two Floyd school principals—Curtis Owens, of Garrett, and Boone Hall, of Wayland. To leave from Board 45 for army service. Lonnie Anderson, Wheelwright; Homer Bailey, Hippo (transferred to Local Board No. 3, Portsmouth, O.); Albert Berry, Martin; Willard Blanton, Martin (transferred to Local Board No. 1, Marion, O.); Frank Branham, Wheelwright; Duke Harrison Burkelow, Wheelwright (now of Lexington, Ky.); Arnold Burkett, Printer; Hiatt Chaffins, Garrett; John Manuel Ferguson, Martin; Roy Gayheart, McDowell; Bob Griffith, Hueysville; Delmer Hall, Ligon (now of Deane, Ky.); Scott Hall, Bevinsville; Edward Hicks, Hueysville; Floyd A. Layne, Langley; Bruce Lyons (V), Estill; Gheard Duell Martin, Northern; William Hite Martin, Garrett; Windell Everett Meade, Ligon (now of Vancouver, (See story No. 6, Page 8)

Kiwanis Committee Asked for Report On Play Center

A committee composed of Dr. C. L. Hutsinpiiler, Prof. Ishmael Triplett and the Rev. W. B. Garriott were instructed by the Kiwanis Club at its meeting Thursday evening, last week, to investigate and act immediately on the recreation center proposed as an undertaking of the club for Prestonsburg children. The club also expects soon to make a definite decision on the possibility of aiding in locating a municipal playground here, it was stated. The music program was featured by piano selections by Miss Ethel Clark. Dr. Hutsinpiiler was in charge of the program for the evening.

'Hometown' Boy Unrecognized Here As Film Fans View Drama of Sea

Movie-goers here last week witnessed a drama of the sea in which a native of Prestonsburg played a heroic role but they were unaware of the "hometown" boy in the picture. The newsreel film showed a ship breaking up on the rocks of the African coast in a storm, the rescue of some of its crew. The rescue work was directed by Lt. (jg.) Monte Scott Harkins, a son of the late W. S. Harkins, Jr., of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Marguerite Harkins, now of Danville, Ky.

MARTIN JURY IN DEADLOCK IS DISMISSED

Deputy Sheriff Cook Wins Acquittal; Cross' Slayer Gets 5 Years

Long drawn-out in the empanelling of a jury and hard-fought through the entire courtroom hearing, the trial of Wesley N. Martin, of Allen, charged with the slaying of Billy Martin, Jr., came to an end late Friday afternoon with startling suddenness. The trial, as once before, ended in the jury being unable to reach a verdict. It was dismissed after deliberating only four hours and after members of the jury had told Special Judge Clyde Miller, Louisa, that there was no possibility of an agreement. Wednesday, while the trial of Deputy Sheriff Ray Cook, charged with the pistol-slaying of Joe Adams at Drift, was under way, a compromise verdict of five years in the penitentiary was reached for Adams Hamilton, charged with the murder on Mud Creek of Aggie Crockett Mack Hamilton, Mud Creek merchant, had been jointly indicted with his son, Alvin, in the killing, but his case was dismissed. The younger Hamilton was recently fined \$100 for shooting and wounding Frank Adams at the time of the Cross slaying. Later Wednesday, the Cook jury acquitted the officer. Trial of Bailey Mosely, charged with murder in the death of his cousin, Frank Howell, was continued till the September term of court. Evidence in the Martin case was much the same as that in two previous trials—the Commonwealth contending that the youth was shot while chasing his dog and offering no offense; defense testimony claiming the youth had threatened Martin and had struck him with a rock, dazing him, shortly before the fatal shot was fired. Deputy Sheriff Cook claimed the shot which killed Hall was accidental, that Hall jerked the muzzle of his revolver, causing him to pull the trigger. Commonwealth testimony contended Cook had beaten Hall, that Hall pleaded to others not "to let him kill me," but it was (See Story No. 5, Page 8)

MAYOR ASKS CO-OPERATION

Of Citizens in Making Clean-Up Week, Drive On Rats Successful

"Every resident of Prestonsburg should take part in the town's Clean-Up Week beginning May 1, and in the interest of the public health, not to mention the appearance of the town, every property-owner will be expected to remove all debris, weeds and other unsightly accumulations from his premises," Mayor E. P. Arnold declared Wednesday. "It is particularly important this year that our citizens do this next week," the Mayor said, "since the following week will be devoted to an attempt to rid the town of rats, and a preliminary clean-up will make this all the more effective." Kiwanis and Woman's Club committees will make a survey of the town, preparatory to the drive on rats, and every housekeeper will be asked to put out poison Monday, May 8. Destruction of property, foodstuffs and feedstuffs here by rats costs several thousand of dollars annually, it is estimated, and the pests present a constant threat to the public health.

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

It is not my purpose in writing these articles to censure any person or persons, for if that were all that we had in mind then God knows that we would all come in for censure somewhere. It is my purpose in calling attention to these incidents to let us see that conduct must have its reward and that reward means destiny.

One of the most effective pieces of strategy the devil has is to get us to think that these things do not apply to us. With a little flattery he tells us that these things did happen to some one else but that we are wiser than they and that we can do what others cannot do and that we can get by with it.

Some years ago, Arthur Smith, a Y.M.C.A. secretary, was stationed at Castle Garden to lend assistance to strange young men who arrived. One day he saw a fine looking young Scotchman. He approached him and asked if he could be of any help to him. The young man replied in the negative. Then Mr. Smith asked him the inevitable question, "Are you a Christian?" The reply was, "No." Mr. Smith asked about his parents, found they were Christians and praying for him. The young man, apparently irritated, turned to leave and as he did so Mr. Smith spoke two passages of Scripture: "He that being often reproved, hardeneth his neck, shall suddenly be destroyed, and that without remedy," and "The wages of sin is death." Some two years later Mr. Smith had gone to a secretaryship in Chicago and one night the telephone rang and he was asked to come to the Cook County hospital to see a young man who was dying. He caught the first car he could and arrived there as soon as he could, which was about 5 o'clock. The warden met him and he told him his errand, but was refused because of the hour, for no visiting was allowed at that hour and, too, he was not a minister. Finally the warden consented after he had heard the story and agreed to go with him, and they went—where do you suppose?—into the "Horror Ward" where the most terrible cases are confined. Mr. Smith did not recognize the man, but the young Scotchman cried out, "My God, Mr. Smith, just look at me! Isn't it awful?" Mr. Smith knelt at his side and tried to pray but before he had finished the man went off into a delirium in which he muttered something about home and mother and died.

What was the matter with that young man? Was he a libertine when he met Mr. Smith at first? No. Was he a physical weakling? Did he have a feeble mind? What was the matter with him? He lacked that quality of soul that comes from knowing God through Jesus Christ that would have made him strong and kept him pure and saved his life and no doubt the lives of others that were blasted and ruined by his own. I imagine I can hear some one saying, for I have heard it so often, "My son or my daughter will never come to a thing like that."

I talked to a father one day about his daughter and he was all but insulting, for he said, "My daughter is not that kind." He is now in his grave, his daughter is in the asylum, a pitiful sight—all for the reason that she thought herself too strong. But she went, I hear some person saying, "I will never come to anything like that." And that is what every lost and ruined man and woman said when they were like you and that is what every lost soul has said.

Suppose we admit that you may never go down, and I trust you never will. But you know that no man or woman is safe outside of the grace of God and you owe it to Him to acknowledge Him. If God made you, gave you life and immortality, and gave His Son to die for you and redeem you from your sins, you ought to be man enough or woman enough to give your life to

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Him. I cannot imagine anything more unspcakably sad than to see a human being created in the image of God giving himself up to that which is vile and unholy, wasting a life in sin and then when the end comes have nothing left for God but the dregs of a wasted life to lay at His feet with a miserable whine for Him to have mercy on you. Do you think you will deserve it then?

Some years ago a man in an adjoining state was seriously ill and the people of the church went to see him and to have prayer for him, for they knew what kind of a life he had lived. When they made known to him what they had come for, he told them they need not come to pray for him, for he knew as well as they what kind of a life he had lived and that he had spurned the offer of grace all of his life and left Jesus Christ out, and that he would not be that big a coward now to ask God to let him in after treating Him that way all his life. He told him that he was going to die and that the doctor said he would die if he did not take a little whiskey. He said, "No, I may have done many other things that I should not have done but one thing I have not done is that I have not used liquor; I may die but I am not going to take that stuff into my system and go into the presence of my Maker with the smell of it on my breath." His wife was a very devout little woman and she insisted that he let the people from the church pray for him. He told them that they could pray for him under one condition and that was that they not pray for him to be saved there in that condition just to escape hell. He did tell them that they could pray for him that he might get well and if the Lord would let him get up again that he would give his life to Him for whatever He might be able to get out of it. He did get well and gave his heart to God and lived a useful life in that community.

Are you made out of that kind of material or are you just going on a church member to drink and die and go into the presence of God with the smell of liquor on your breath, your body soaked in it, to be assured through eternity that you are to be filled with the fruits of your ways? (To be continued)

**In 3 Installments
 Floyd-Co. Soldier
 Tells Experiences**

From the Anzio beachhead, Pfc. Blucher Allen, Jr., former Hueysville youth, on March 27 complied with the request of his sister, Mrs. Earl Hall, Pikeville, for some of his experiences by writing three letters March 27 (limit, three pages to the letter).

His story of German air raids and of "the Anzio express" follows:
 (Installment I)
 Promised you some time ago to write you about some of my experiences. I shall go back to the day we landed on the beach. Having never been under shell fire nor in an air raid, I was wondering just how I would react. Some of my friends and I were sitting on our bunks eating K rations when we got the air-raid alarm. About that same time the guns opened up on a Jerry plane and a sailor came rushing through making an awful fuss telling us to get out of the way and get in our bunks. To the new fellows it was very amusing plus annoying. Later we were to find out why one could make such a row about an A.R.

We landed without any other excitement. Everything was very quiet and peaceful. The place didn't look as if troops of the Jerries or even the Allies had ever been there. The streets of the town were lined with palm trees, stone buildings, rich people's villas, etc. I had expected to find everything in ruins but "we caught the Jerries with their pants down."

We bivouacked in a building. That night was very peaceful but the dawn came with a Jerry air-raid. From then on we had air-raids and shells every day. That afternoon (day after we landed) the Jerries sent over several planes, evidently aimed for the harbor area and I had my first real experience with air raids. We new fellows were more frightened at our own ack-ack than Jerry planes until we got used to it. Boy! did we send up a barrage! I learned my extended order drill well while in the States. When a bomb would drop, even if a long way off, I would hit the dirt without thinking.

(Installment II)
 Here we go again. One night while still in the building some of my buddies and I were sitting around talking when we heard the siren go off. We put the light out and waited a few minutes. Jerry was overhead and our ack-ack was pounding away.

BONDS OVER AMERICA * * *

Near Biloxi, on the Gulf of Mexico, stands the last residence of Jefferson Davis and the house where the Confederate president completed his memoirs. Beauvoir now is a home for Confederate veterans.

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They started dropping flares and then came the bombs. It is very hard to describe the whistle of a bomb as it falls, but it is something you will never forget. When they began to land close we all lay flat on the floor. Finally one landed so close to the building it gave us quite a jolt and the window panes fell out. I knew where a cave was and said, "This is no bona. Let's get our bedrolls and get out of here." They all agreed but my friend Huberland. He said for us to wait awhile. I told him we were going as soon as the flares went out, so the rest of us got ready. We started out and Huberland started, "Allen, Allen! . . . wait for me." I was scared and angry, too. I said, "get that damn bedroll and get out of here." He did, and he never gave me any back talk. We laugh about it now. We found the rest of the company on their way to the caves and tunnels, so we spent the rest of the night there. To some of the older men this was the worst air-raid they had been in. I shall always remember that one raid. I'll admit I was plenty scared at the time, but still laugh about Huberland and me about to fall out because I had to wait on him. One more about an air raid—my team and I were out in a field laying cable when four Jerry planes came out of the sun—the dirty *!x!. They started dropping bombs. Nearer and nearer. One hit near where I was standing and the concussion knocked my helmet off. Some of the fellows ran under a truck, later to find it loaded with ammo! No damage done, just showered with dirt. I have seen the *!x!*! shot out of the sky and like it.

(Installment III)
 In previous issues Hilda married Jim and they are now seeking—what am I doing?—supposed to be telling of my experiences. I shall tell you something about the Anzio express. Better give you the real name—Jerry shells. This incident will let you know what the newspapers mean when they said the Jerries could almost look down our throats. Again we were in a field laying cable. We were running it toward one of the many mountains in Italy. It was a very clear day and we were in plain view from the mountain. Jerry threw over a shell and it landed pretty close—we thought it had just fallen short. We continued to work and Jerry continued to lob 'em in until we finally had to quit and go to the other end of the line and work back.

Although it is more comfortable to sleep in buildings, I see why we sleep in our dugout. It is much safer. You soon get used to the shells and the air raids. Guess the censor is pulling his hair after reading all this.

THE GARDEN
 By JOHN S. GARDNER
 Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics

WHITE POTATOES, III
 Although certified seed potatoes are bred free of running-out diseases, they may carry small percentages of scab and scurf. The former disfigures the tubers and causes waste in their table preparation, and the latter brings early death of the plants, while the potatoes are still small.

As the germs of both troubles are found on the surface of the seed, the control is merely to dip it in a solution of mercury, or corrosive sublimate or any of several patented mercuric compounds, as Semesan Bel, to name one. Directions for using either can be procured from the county agricultural agents, everywhere, or by writing the College of Agriculture at Lexington.

Treating "common" seed, which is often badly infected, has improved yields by as much as 60 per cent. As the maximum cost of treating even now is not more than a dollar an acre, the extra potatoes cost not quite two cents a bushel to produce. When certified seed, carrying just a trace of scurf, is treated, the increase was smaller, but the resulting extra potatoes cost under five cents a bushel.

After treating, the tubers should be cut in pieces (called "sets") thick and blocky, and weighing about one

DAVID
 (Last week's correspondence)

The P.-T.A. met last Thursday and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Otis Bussey, president; Mrs. E. D. Carver, vice-president; Miss Eva Allen, secretary-treasurer.

The Daughters of America lodge met Thursday night.

Mesdames Oakley Mullins and Frank Rogers were co-hostesses to the David Woman's Club Friday night at the home of Mrs. Mullins. After a business session new officers were elected: Mrs. Russell Harmon, president; Mrs. Lon Hill, secretary; Miss Blanche Garrett, treasurer; Mrs. Otis Bussey, parliamentary referee. Mrs. Loren Roberts had charge of the program which was on "Gardening." The hostesses served refreshments to Mesdames Ballard Plummer, Otis Bussey, Loren Roberts, M. E. Thompson, Eno Van Gelder, Russell Harmon, Ora Howard, Pete Capell, Ed Carver, Don Preston and Miss Blanche Garrett. The next meeting will be held at

the clubhouse when the new officers will be installed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson left Saturday morning for Lexington to be with their daughter, Ellen, who underwent an appendectomy Friday night.

Mrs. George Burke and Betty spent last week in Huntington, W. Va., visiting her sisters.

Loren Roberts was in Huntington last week conducting First Aid classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bussey and children spent the week-end in Wayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Clark and family spent the week-end in Garrett.

Mrs. Dawson Bussey and children returned Sunday after being away for two weeks visiting relatives at Garrett.

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News From Floyd Communities

RISNER

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tussey and daughter, Mrs. Sage Frasure, and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adkins Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Ousley, Mrs. Sam Adkins and Miss Eva Ousley were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. Greeley Hicks and Mrs. Julia Hudson were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warnie Miller are the parents of a son, born April 18. Mrs. Miller is the former Miss Zella Ousley.

Sam Adkins visited relatives on Prater Fork of Brush Creek Sunday.

Clyde Allen and sons, of Middle Creek, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Lummie Prater and Mrs. Perry Ousley were shopping in Prestonsburg last week.

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MIDDLE CREEK

Cpl. Woodrow W. Adams is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, of West Prestonsburg. His wife and little daughter, Gloria Jean, are also spending a vacation with his parents. After Cpl. Adams' 10 days are spent he will return to his duties at Camp Atterbury, Ind., and his wife and daughter will go to Hillsboro, Ky., where she is making her home with her father, W. A. Baldrige.

Mrs. Garland W. Adams spent a few days with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neeley, of Pikeville, last week.

Miss Mary Lou Parker is spending a few days' vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hatcher, of Ashland.

Cpl. Garland W. Adams spent a few hours with his sister, Mrs. Robert F. Hawk, of Lima, Ohio, while en route to Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams and Cpl. Woodrow W. Adams with his wife and little daughter recently visited Mrs. Milt Stanley and Mrs. Bill Pruitt, both of Abbott Creek.

WEST GARRETT

Pvt. Robert Hitchcock, paratrooper, of Camp Mackall, N. C., was home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hitchcock and Mrs. Bill F. Saunders, Prestonsburg. Pvt. Hitchcock enlisted Aug. 9, 1940.

Evelyn Hitchcock, who is employed at G. C. Murphy's at Paintsville, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Soldiers seen around on furlough: Charles "Greasy" Hughes, Jay and Chick Childress, Wade Pebley, Robert S. Hitchcock.

Orden Moore and family have returned home from Ypsilanti, Mich., where they have been doing war work.

Approximately \$3,000 worth of War Bonds were sold by the Waterloo 4-H club in Hart county.

BANNER

Mrs. Ocie Cook has received word that her husband, Pvt. Sam Cook, is very ill.

Tella Burchett was visiting her sister-in-law in the Prestonsburg General hospital Saturday evening.

Mrs. Millard Hall and children and Mrs. James Meade and baby were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. John Burchett.

"Aunt" Julia Burchett is seriously ill.

M. R. Meade was visiting his daughter, Mrs. John DeLong, Sunday.

"Aunt" Jane Yates is improving slowly.

Dick Hamilton has rented the Bass Howard farm.

(Last week's correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Burchett and sons spent the week-end with Tine Meade and children.

Mrs. Leo Kelly, of Ypsilanti, Mich., are here visiting relatives.

Cpl. Bill Jones, of California, his wife and small daughter were the Sunday night guests of his sister, Mrs. Stella Burchett, of Betsy Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones have moved to Minong, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Tine Meade and Mrs. Robert Jones were business visitors in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones have heard from their son, Cpl. Robert Jones. He has arrived safely in New Guinea.

Mrs. Ike Click and children spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Click.

Pvt. Junior Spears has returned to his camp in Virginia after spending a 10-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Harris.

Cpl. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Mrs. B. L. Jones were shopping in Pikeville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Damron, of Ivel, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hall Sunday.

Misses Georgia and Ruth Spears were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

LACKEY

The Hindman Woman's Club entertained the Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club to tea in the home of Mrs. Clark Pratt, Hindman club president, Saturday afternoon. An interesting program was presented. Several piano selections were rendered by the little Misses Nancy Combs, Virginia Lee Pratt, Miss Joy Sturgill and Jack Hitchcock.

A book review of "Chicken Every Sunday" was given by Mrs. Pearl Combs. A quiz program was conducted by Miss Sally Betty Smith, in which several members of both clubs participated, the winners being Mesdames J. C. Wells and Thomas Hatcher. Miss Standish, librarian at the Settlement School, gave a detailed report of the summer work camp to be held at Hindman, sponsored by the Woman's Club. The Friends Service Committee will assume charge of the work.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames C. B. Ison, R. H. Messer, H. H. Hornsby and Ruth Sturgill, of Garrett; Mesdames W. T. Hatcher, M. M. Collins, J. T. Spillman and Annie Stumbo, of Lackey; Mesdames J. A. C. Haymond, Roy Souleyrette, J. E. Miller and Richard Vinson, of Wayland; Mesdames J. C. Wells, F. H. Cooley, Thomas Hatcher, and one guest, Mrs. Harry Pendry, of Estill Heights.

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REED BRANCH

Pfc. Douglas Prater is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Prater, here.

Mrs. Henry Woods, of Prestonsburg, was visiting Mrs. Egbert Patton Saturday afternoon.

Emma Kenny, of Midas, was the guest of Inez Prater Saturday night.

Mrs. Grover Prater and children, of Garrett, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Ratliff Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Crisp was visiting friends and relatives at Dinwood Sunday, and she also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Compton, of Hite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price, of Wayland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rondell Hayes.

Foster Hall, of Weeksbury, was visiting Richard Crisp Monday and Tuesday.

Rita Lou Bradley and Ogle Jones spent Friday night on Wilson Creek with Mrs. Edwin Frasure.

EASTERN

Gene Bradley is spending his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gilcock and baby, of Harriman, Tenn., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osborne.

Mrs. Hawley Martin is spending a few weeks with her husband who is stationed in Watterboro, S. C.

Mrs. Anna Whit, of Drift, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Salyers.

Miss Susie Click has been visiting her sister at Brush Creek.

Mrs. W. S. Martin had as Sunday guests Mrs. Cephus Moore, Mrs. Jane Stumbo, Mrs. Milton Stumbo, Mrs. Lloyd Stumbo, of McDowell, Mrs. Sheba Dingo, of Alphoretta, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Conley and family, of Garrett.

Miss Helen Collins was in Martin Saturday evening.

Mrs. Roberta Click had as Saturday night guests the Rev. A. L. Allen, Leo Preston, Tom Ratliff, Mrs. Sam Click and children.

Pvt. Deward Osborne has been home on furlough.

Mrs. Leslie Pelphrey left for Oteen, N. C., Sunday.

Mrs. Gariand Martin spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Mary C. Johns.

Mrs. C. H. Osborne and daughter spent Sunday on Wilson Creek.

LIGON

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. Chas. Stewart and daughter Betty visited her son James in Lexington over the week-end, James is a medical student in New Orleans.

C. B., Ed, William and Edward Stewart, Jr., Ernest Hall and Rudolph Howell spent the week-end in Carter county visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Addis.

Mrs. Bluford Smith spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Smith at Hi-Hat.

Vandal Lee Hall, of Melvin, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall.

Mrs. Daisy Keys and son Clifton, of Denton, were visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Mrs. Hershel Pennington and son, Hershel, Jr., spent Saturday night with homefolks.

GOODLOE

(Last week's correspondence) Pfc. Darwin Johnson has returned to camp at San Diego, Calif., after spending a 15-day furlough with his wife and baby here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen were the Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shepherd, of David.

Mrs. Belle Reed and little granddaughter, Thelma Sue Hicks, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hicks Sunday.

Mrs. Viola Johnson attended the theater at Prestonsburg Sunday.

Miley Prater was in Prestonsburg Friday on business.

Prices offered pickle growers in Butler county are approximately 25 per cent higher than last year.

AUXIER

Miss Jewel Castle spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mazie Castle. Miss Castle is attending college at Pikeville.

Miss Pauline Bocook, who is employed at David, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bocook.

Miss Delight Wells is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Music attended church at Prestonsburg Saturday night.

Misses Rebecca Wireman and Ella Louise Vaughan were visiting Miss Ruby Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Whitaker and family were visiting relatives at Whitehouse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Hyden announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Mr. Willis Sparks. The bride was graduated from Auxier high school, class of '41. She also attended business school at Paintsville. She is employed at the Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville. Mr. Sparks is one of Auxier's finest young men and is employed by the North-East Coal Company.

Mrs. Luther Sturgill is visiting her son, Pvt. Charlie Sturgill, who is stationed at Patterson Field, Fairfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Warnie Caudill was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Hyden visited Mrs. Hyden's mother at Garrett Sunday.

Joan Perry is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perry. Joan is employed in Detroit.

Miss Josephine Burchett, who is attending college at Pikeville, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Connors received a telegram from their son, Chas. Connors, Jr., coxswain, U.S. navy, saying he has arrived at a port in New York. They also received word that their younger son, James Paul Connors, of the navy, is in a hospital somewhere in South America, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jannus Thompson and son, of Detroit, Mich., spent a week with his sister, Mrs. Charles McCoy.

Mrs. L. D. Clark was called to the bedside of her father who is seriously ill in the hospital at Prestonsburg of pneumonia. She was accompanied by Mrs. Earl Littler.

IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. George Akers, of Russell, visited his sister, Mrs. Margaret Katherine Rice, Sunday. Mrs. Rice, who has been a "shut-in" for years, is at the home of her son, A. F. Rice. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Akers, dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Akers, of Dana; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Akers, of Justell; Elias Kidd and Green Kidd, of Dana; Amos Akers and Bill Endicott, of Betsy Layne; W. L. Rice, of Allen; Mrs. Nannie Garrett, of Emma; Mrs. George Honaker and son, of Tram, and Miss Betty Lou Dillon, of Ivel.

Jack Hall has moved to Oak Hill, Ohio, to the farm which he purchased some time ago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Collins, April 23, a son. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Kate Dillon has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. K. F. Bolen, of Lebanon, Ohio. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Laura Endicott, of Broad Bottom.

Everett Layne, of Mare Creek, was the Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns May and daughters attended the baccalaureate sermon at Betsy Layne Sunday.

Chester Allen Layne, J. B. Goble and Darwin Layne made a trip to Oak Hill, O., Sunday.

Jack Damron and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adkins attended the Free-will Baptist Church at Seco Saturday and Sunday.

Anna Cecil was the Sunday night guest of Virginia Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. James Damron were visiting relatives at Broad Bottom Sunday.

Mrs. Tracy Burchett and children were the guests of her mother, Mrs. Dora Cecil, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Damron visited Mrs. Pat Damron and daughter, Hilda Fern, of Bonanza over the week-end.

The need of feed in Harlan county is causing farmers to sow new pastures and re-seed old ones.

BETSY LAYNE

Service men who have recently been visitors here include T/Sgt. Jesse Elliott, Pvt. Amos Christian and Pvt. Gordon Williamson.

Betsy Layne sends greetings to our boys and girls in the service. Let us hear from you.

A band and glee club concert was given in the gymnasium Tuesday night under direction of Miss Carlos Hale. Friends were especially glad to have T/Sgt. Jesse Elliott assist in the band music program.

The Homemakers' Club held its April meeting in the school building April 19. After the business session Miss Amburgy, Home Demonstration agent, gave a lesson on "The Fitting of Dress Patterns." The club members practiced fitting patterns on materials. After the lesson a contest was organized between two groups to obtain new members before the May meeting, which is to be May 18 at 1 p.m.

Mrs. James George, of Portsmouth, O., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles George Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Aders visited here last Friday.

Anna Ruth Layne was the week-end guest of Miss Jill Owens, of Pikeville.

Mr. and Mrs. James George, Jack Layne and Misses Allen Sellars, Rubestine Clark, Kathryn Combs and Betty and Madge Spears enjoyed a fishing trip and campfire supper at Boldman Thursday night.

The baccalaureate service was held in the gymnasium Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The sermon was delivered by Dr. Elmer Gabbard, of Witherspoon College.

Miss Ruth Loar, of Praise, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie George Sunday.

The last session of the Gardening class conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Friend was held Friday evening. After the lesson, refreshments were served by the ladies of the class. Ensign Friend departed Sunday to report for duty at a Florida naval base.

The Girl Scouts met Thursday evening at the school. The troop promises to be a successful one under the direction of Misses Elaine Gearheart, Elaine Roberts and Eulene Boyd.

Ladies attending the Red Cross sewing class last Wednesday included Mesdames Kathryn and Eliza Blackburn, Lily Bandy, Mildred Davis and Dockie and Angelyn George.

The Senior class held its class night exercises Monday night. The valedictorian was Kermit Hall and the salutatorian was Gerald Roberts.

GARRETT

(Last week's correspondence) Mrs. Norman Bentley and Mrs. Mae Boyd Brewer were in Prestonsburg on business last week.

Norman Bentley, of the army at Camp Chaffee, Ark., is no longer a private. He has been promoted to private first class.

Little Sandra Kay Bentley, daughter of Pfc. and Mrs. Norman Bentley, celebrated her first birthday March 28.

Pvt. Ray Van Lawson, of Camp Bowie, Texas, and Cpl. Jeff Scott, of Camp Anita, Calif., have been home on furlough, guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Scott. Cpl. Scott also was the guest of Miss Herma Lawson.

ESTILL

(Last week's correspondence) Iveria Caudill, S 2/c, formerly of Estill, recently spent a three-day leave with his parents at Norfolk, Virginia.

Truly Ann Turner, of Garrett, is now employed at Norfolk, Va.

Bertha Caudill, of Estill, is employed at Big Star Store, Norfolk, Virginia.

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A Veteran Asks for His Old Job

THAT veteran of World War II who is having trouble gaining re-instatement to his old job with the state may, or may not, be of the Floyd county Cook family as The Courier-Journal has reported.

But no matter who he is or whence he hails. He left that job for the service of his country; he left the country's armed forces honorably, through no fault of his own. His old job should have been ready for him.

THE TIMES does not hasten to place

the blame for Cook's unemployment entirely on the state administration. Governor Willis and the head of the highway department have not flatly refused the veteran. Yet they dally; they say they are investigating; they indicate he will get the job back, if it can be arranged.

However conscientious the gentlemen may be in the matter, they expose themselves to criticism. There are those who will rudely wonder "out loud" if this veteran were a Republican of influence or with influential political support, would there have been any delay about his re-employment.

The state administration in this case is not only playing poor politics; it establishes a precedent which, unless outlawed, would leave many veterans poor Enoch Ardens after they return from the armed forces—standing outside, in enforced idleness, looking sadly inside where those who were 4F do the work and draw the pay that once was theirs.

No, the state may not be bound by the federal legislation designed to protect these veterans. Some private individuals and firms may find a loophole later. But their obligation to the veteran remains; their duty is plain.

VET RE-HIRING UP TO RASH

Cook Seeks Old Job With State on Return From Armed Services

Frankfort, Ky., April 25—County Judge Boone Hamilton stated late today that on advice of United States District Attorney Claude P. Stephens he had placed the re-employment claim of ex-soldier R. C. Cook before Colonel Frank D. Rash, of Louisville, state Selective Service head.

Cook, discharged from the army for medical reasons April 16 after serving since last October 4, asked Judge Hamilton, re-employment committee member for the local draft board, to help him get back his job as a window washer at the new state office building here. He said he applied last Friday but could get no definite information.

Judge Hamilton, who had planned to send Cook to Lexington to see the district attorney, said he telephoned Stephens again today and was advised that Colonel Rash should attempt to adjust the case before further steps were taken.

State officials expressed doubt that federal law could require a state to rehire a worker, though both Governor Willis and State Highway Commissioner J. Stephen Watkins said that where possible they would take back into their former jobs men and women discharged from the service and that Cook's case was being investigated.

A Courier-Journal story stated Cook is a resident of Floyd county but efforts of THE TIMES to identify him as a Floyd countian have been unsuccessful.

Places for Registration For Canning Sugar Named By Floyd Rationing Board

With registration here for canning sugar completed, the Floyd War Price and Rationing Board this week announced names of registrars and places where residents of other sections of the county may register.

This is the only registration to be held this year for canning sugar, and it was stressed that closing date for registration is May 31.

John Stephens, of the rationing board, said any member of a family may register for the entire family group but that he or she must present upon registration Ration Book 4 issued to each individual member. He also paid tribute to the men and women who are serving as volunteer registrars.

Registrars and registration places follow:
Hi-Hat Mining Co., Hi-Hat; Sue Ward, Alphoretta; Wash Justices, Tram; Edna Mae Allen, Allen; L. M. Miller, Betsy Layne; Tom H. Endicott, Endicott; J. S. Hampton, Glo; S. C. Bentley, Wayland; Samuel Hale, Blue River; H. H. Hamilton, Grethel; J. S. Reynolds, Beaver; Add Thacker, Bypro; S. D. Dermont, Martin; J. M. Hale, Manton; R. S. Walker, David; Alfred Parsons, Amba; Wm. Haywood, Dock; R. L. Conley, Bonanza; Mrs. Troy Conley, Hueysville; L. C. Leslie, Emma; Frank P. Hall, Weeksbury; Clara Frasure, Myrtle; Mrs. Harry Hager, East Point; J. W. James, German; Earn Salyers, Brainard; Viola Stewart, Langley; Henry Collins, Edgar; Jim Reynolds, Dony; Graydon Howard, Pyramid; Raymond Cooley, Dwale; Alfred Parsons, Amba; Mae Hall, Banner; James Saunders, Grethel, Sam Adkins, Galveston; Inland Steel Co., Wheelwright; Sandy Valley Coal Co., Water Gap; Evan Hamilton, Teaberry; E. W. Hale, Harold; Paris Conley, Cliff; Josephine Conley, Bonanza; Grace Conley, Bonanza; Clyde Laferty, Thomas.

Oscar Hayes, Lackey; Charles Moore, McDowell; H. D. Pendry, Estill; Bertram Porter, Emma; Hazel D. George, Tram; E. C. Moore, Hippo; Dick Burchett, Ivel; Mosey Johnson, Garrett; Mrs. Ralph Ratliff, Melvin; C. F. Reynolds, Ligon; Gladys Conn, Dana; J. K. Stratton, Ivel; R. D. Spurlock, Printer; L. G. Frazier, Gearheart; Glenn Preston, Auxier; Taulbee Johnson, Melvin; Henry Clay, Woods; Grover Martin, Drift; Mrs. M. F. Blanton, Jump; S. T. Meade, McDowell; Alex Meade, Printer; Mary T. Combs, Orkney; Mrs. Fay Hall, Blue Moon.

Spradlin Rites Held Last Week Near Here, Week After His Death

Funeral rites for Jonathan Spradlin, 77 years old, well-known farmer, who died April 13 at his home on Spradlin Branch, near here, were conducted Thursday of last week from the school nearby, the Rev. Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial was made in the May cemetery at Cliff, under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Mr. Spradlin, a son of the late Jonathan and Sarah Vaughan Spradlin, had been in ill health for some time. He was a member of the Methodist Church and was one of

Floyd County Goes To War



FRAZIER RISNER

Pvt. James W. Risner, 21, son of Mrs. Lizzie Stidham, of Lackey, has been overseas 10 months and now is in commando training in England. He has been attached to the air force.

Pvt. E. K. Frazier, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Frazier, Sr., of Martin, is now stationed in Hawaii with an anti-aircraft unit.



KENDRICK

Recently promoted from a private's rating to that of T/5, Claude D. Kendrick, formerly of Lancer, near here, is now stationed at Camp Claiborne, La., with the army engineers. He has been in the army five months. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kendrick, and his wife reside at Lancer.



HALL

Pfc. Rush Hall, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Bevinsville, has been in the army two years and now is stationed at the army air field, Palacios, Tex.

Roark, Member of 'Wing' Cited as Unit by FDR On China-India Front

The India-China Wing of the air transport command, of which Sgt. Jimmy Roark, son of the Rev. and Mrs. James Roark, Prestonsburg, is a member, was recently cited as a unit by President Roosevelt for its accomplishments in the tremendous task of supplying American and Chinese fighting units by air over what has been called the world's most dangerous single air line.

The citation issued at Wing headquarters read, in part: "The honor came in an action unprecedented in the China-Burma-India theatre, and extremely rare in the history of the United States, when the President cited the entire Wing for exceptionally outstanding performance in the fact of almost insurmountable odds in moving vast quantities of vital military supplies by air into China."

The goal has been high, the air route exceedingly dangerous, both as to mountains and enemy action and the weather treacherous. Only very fine teamwork and outstanding devotion to duty by the entire personnel could have made this accomplishment possible . . ."

Samuel P. Spradlin Dies in Martin-Co.

Samuel P. Spradlin, 89 years old, a cousin of Jonathan Spradlin who died near here a few days ago, succumbed April 19 at the home of his son, Francis, of Tomahawk, Martin county.

Mr. Spradlin's wife died five years ago at Tram, this county. He was a son of John and Polly Allen Spradlin. Surviving are eight children: Mrs. Bertha Gillespie, Emmett, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Gillespie and Francis Spradlin, both of Tomahawk; Albert Spradlin, Pineville, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Eblevins of Tram; Mrs. Lizzie Carr, Pineville, W. Va.; Henry Spradlin, Detroit, Mich.; John Spradlin, McGuffey, Ohio. He also leaves one step-daughter, 50 grandchildren, 45 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at the graveside in the family cemetery at Tomahawk by the Rev. Isaac Stratton.

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his community's best men. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Julia Clifton Spradlin, three sons and two daughters: John Spradlin, with the army in Italy; Woodrow Spradlin, in the army stationed in California; Mrs. Maggie Collins, Cliff; Mrs. Bessie Craft and Willie Spradlin, both of Hi-Hat. One brother and one sister also survive: Sam Spradlin, of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Mollie Burgess, of Cliff.

Two Floyd county sailors have returned to their base at New Orleans, La., after months at sea as merchant ship gunners. They are Seaman First Class Robert Louis Wilcox, 20, of East Point, and Arnold E. Daniels, 20, of Garrett. Daniels had been at sea been at sea almost nine months; Wilcox, more than five months.

During his tour of duty, Wilcox visited ports in the South American countries. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilcox, of East Point. Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Daniels, of Garrett, visited ports in Iran, Egypt, Persia and the British Isles.

Wilcox attended Prestonsburg high school. He joined the navy June 15, last.

Seaman Daniels attended Garrett high school and was employed as a miner by the By-Products Coal Co., Lackey, prior to his navy entrance March 24, 1943.

Ralph Wayne Reffett, S 2/c, who completed his "boot" training at Great Lakes, Ill., in February, is now in Service School at Memphis, Tenn., receiving training in radio work on seaplanes. His brother, S/Sgt. Edwin Reffett, of the air corps, who has been overseas since December, 1942, has been recently transferred from Italy to England. He is with a troop transport squadron and has been awarded the Purple Heart, the Soldier's Medal, and the Air Medal. They are sons of W. M. Reffett, formerly of Hueysville, now of McArthur, Ohio.

Three Floyd county men were among those graduated from intensive courses of specialized training at recent Service School ceremonies at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

The men were selected for their specialized training on the basis of their recruit training aptitude test scores. Graduates are advanced in ratings and then sent to sea, or to shore stations, or to advanced navy schools for active duty or further training.

The recent graduates, the schools in which graduated or their rates are: Robert Leand Spradlin, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Spradlin, Auxier, Electrician's Mate School; Wesley Leon Hall, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Martin, Metalsmith School; Clifford Charles Castle, 23, husband of Mrs. Inez Castle, Wayland, Gunner's Mate School.

Two Floyd countians are receiving their initial naval indoctrination at the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill. Their recruit training completed, these men will spend a period of leave at home. They are: James Prater, 27, husband of Mrs. Cirtus Prater, David, and Richard Fletcher Vinson, 36, husband of Mrs. Hazel Miller Vinson, of Wayland.

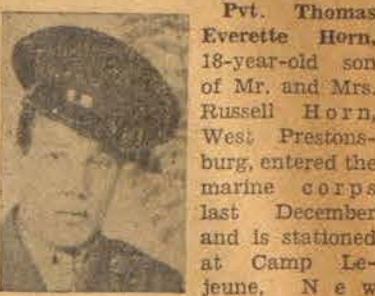
Lieut. Hall Graduates As Flight Officer At Selman Field

Selman Field, Monroe, Ala., April 24 (Spl.)—Residents of 36 states and Canada received their wings and commissions as aerial navigators Saturday when Selman Field, largest navigation training school in the AAF Training Command, sent class 44-6 on its way into combat.

Among the graduates was 2nd Lt. Isaac N. Hall, son of I. N. Hall, of Banner. He is a flight officer.

From here, the graduates went to operational and replacement training units throughout the country, where they will train for combat with their future batlemates. In a few weeks, they will be flying in every theater of the war and over the air supply routes of the world.

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HORN

Pvt. Thomas Everette Horn, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Horn, West Prestonsburg, entered the marine corps last December and is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C. He was a sophomore student in Prestonsburg high school at the time of his enlistment. Pvt. Horn is a member of a machine gun replacement crew.

Joseph E. Dyer, 32, son of Clifford H. Dyer, of Pikeville, has been promoted to the rank of technical sergeant. He is assigned to the 3rd weather squadron, army air forces, and is on duty as a forecaster at the Laughlin Field base weather station, Del Rio, Texas.

Prior to entering the service March 18, 1942, Sgt. Dyer was a high school instructor for the Floyd County Board of Education. He is a graduate of Eastern Kentucky State Teachers' College, Richmond.

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:

To Infantry RTC, South Camp Hood, Texas—Cecil C. Adkins, McDowell; Floyd A. Brunk, Wayland; Ray Campbell, Estill; Elliott Corder, Wayland; John G. Hall, Banner; Junior Martin, Estill; Gliver Moore, Dony; Warren E. Morgan, Wheelwright; Garland Patton, Langley.

To Army Air Forces, Sheppard Hood, Texas—Cecil C. Adkins, McDowell; Ralph T. Archer, Prestonsburg.

To Field Artillery, Fort Sill, Okla.—Wells J. Deakins, Betsy Layne; R. de'ph Lewis, Banner; John L. Music, Prestonsburg.

To Military Police, Fort Custer, Mich.—Jesse E. Bowling, Drift; Milton Nelson, Amba; Martin P. Yates, Hcnaker.

To Medical RTC, Camp Barkeley, Texas—Jobie Cick, Martin.

To 1584th Service Unit, Sta., Atterbury, Ind.—Geneville Calhoun, Dwale; Haulie Castle, Hueysville; Edward Caudill, Wayland; Sam Cook, Banner; Walter H. Crisp, Martin; Carl Elkins, Harold; John W. Hamilton, Amba; Floyd C. Handshoe, Garrett; John B. Jarrell, Dana; Gilbert E. Ray, Cliff; Erman Stumbo, Wayland.

REVIVAL



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Soldier in Australia 'Wires' Birthday Cake To Father at Home

Charles Connors, of Auxier, can assure folks back home the boys, wherever they are, are thinking of them.

Days ahead of his birthday Sunday, a bakery truck arrived at his home with a giant birthday cake.

It had been "wired" to him by his son, Cpl. William Harold Connors, in Australia.

Friends and relatives enjoyed the cake at a birthday dinner given at the Connors home Sunday, and slices of it were sent to many who were unable to come.

Locust seed sowed last June in tobacco beds by Ed Cox, of Taylor county, produced seedlings 18 to 36 inches high for spring planting.

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George Harrison Hall Dies in 67th Year

Following an illness of several weeks, George Harrison Hall, son of Henry Hall and Mary Elizabeth Adkins, died Thursday, last week, at the age of 66.

He is survived by six sons and four daughters: Ernest and George, Jr., of Betsy Layne; Robert, of Catlettsburg; John, of Monclo, W. Va.; Joseph, of the army; Fred, of Detroit; Mrs. John T. Foley, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Russell Huff, Catlettsburg; Mrs. Nathan Murphy, Ashland, and Mrs. Ruth Howell, Detroit, Mich. He is also survived by six brothers and four sisters: Jerry, of Flemingsburg, Ky.; Robert, of Banner; Ruford, of Cincinnati; Willie, Jake and Earl, of Harold; Mrs. Gracie Conn, Harold; Mrs. Laura Hall, Betsy Layne; Mrs. Fairinda Vanderpool, Garrett; and Mrs. C. F. Conn, of Lancer. He also leaves 26 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Prestonsburg Women To Sing at National Festival, May 10-13

Floyd county's Plainsong Chanters will be represented at the National Folk Festival in Philadelphia, May 10-13, by Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, and fireside crafts of this section will be represented in a display exhibited by Mrs. Winnie F. Johns.

The program of ancient hymns retained in this section in their original form, and to be sung by Mrs. James and Mrs. Stephens, will include "O, Brothers, Will You Meet Me?" and "There'll Be No Sorrow There."

These two hymns, and "Beautiful Home" and "When Jesus Christ Was Here Below" also will be the songs which Mrs. James will lead at Wayland May 28 when Local Union 5895, United Mine Workers of America, will pay tribute to its soldier-dead.

The Prestonsburg women go to Philadelphia at their own expense and upon invitation of Miss Gertrude Knott, director of the National Folk Festival, who has been deeply interested in the Gregorian chants and other early music discovered and preserved in this section by Mrs. James. Mrs. Johns has previously exhibited products of her loom and other hand-craft at the Festival and these have attracted wide attention.

Society

Notes

Maytown Hi Graduate, Mr. Caldwell Wed

Hazel Reffitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reffitt, of McArthur, O., was married April 6 to Mr. James C. Caldwell, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell, 131 Electric avenue, Southgate, Ky. The wedding took place in the Immanuel Baptist Church at Covington, Ky.

The bride is a graduate of Maytown high school and is also a graduate nurse of St. Elizabeth hospital, Covington.

The newlyweds will reside at Newport, Ky.

ADDRESSES AUXILIARY

Mrs. Robert W. Smith was guest-speaker Monday night at a meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary, which met at the home of Mrs. John D. Thomas. "Various Religions of the World" was the topic presented by Mrs. Smith. The president, Mrs. Ralph Davis, presided. Mrs. Everett Sowards conducted the devotionals. This being a special meeting called to hear Mrs. Smith before her departure next week for New York, prior to their entrance upon missionary work in Africa, there was no business transacted.

Mrs. Thomas served refreshments.

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Mrs. Sowards, Mrs. Stephens Named Officers By State Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars



MRS. SOWARDS MRS. STEPHENS

The Kentucky Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars, honored two of its members from Prestonsburg—Mrs. Everett H. Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens—at the annual election of officers held March 23 at the Lafayette hotel, Lexington

The following officers were elected to serve for a three-year term: Mrs. Peyton Welch, president; Mrs. Eleanor Clay, vice-president; Mrs. Preston Price, chaplain; Mrs. W. T. Fowler, recording secretary; Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. Clay Shropshire, treasurer; Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, historian; Mrs. Joseph Beard, generalist; Councilors: Mrs. George K. Graves, Lexington; Mrs. John M. Denton, Lexington; Mrs. Irving B. Stafford, Covington; Mrs. Frederick A. Wallis, Paris.

Delegates to the national meeting to be held in New York in April were elected: Mrs. Louise Allen Short, Lexington, delegate; Alternates: Mrs. W. D. Carrihers, Louisville, Mrs. Everett H. Sowards and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens.

In addition to her affiliation with the Daughters of Colonial Wars Mrs. Stephens is a member of the Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, Daughters of Colonial Governors, Descendants of the Mayflower, the National Society of

Spradlin-Griffith Vows Said at Marion, Ind.

Announcement is made that on Saturday, April 8, the First Christian Church at Marion, Ind., was the scene of the wedding of Miss Kathryn Marie Spradlin, daughter of Mrs. Alex Ratliff, Warsaw, Ind., to Mr. Milo W. Griffith, son of Mrs. A. T. Griffith, of Warsaw.

The double-ring ceremony was read by the Rev. D. K. McCall before an altar covered by Easter flowers. Soft organ music provided the musical background. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Canten, of Marion, cousins of the bride. Mrs. Griffith was attired in a three-piece beige suit and wore brown accessories and a bouquet corsage of lilies.

The attractive bride attended Bonanza high school, later was employed here by H. E. Hughes & Company. Mr. Griffith attended Warsaw high school and is connected with a dry cleaning firm there. They will reside in Warsaw, it is announced.

SPENDING FURLOUGH HERE

Cpl. Douglas L. Brown arrived Wednesday from Ft. Bliss, Texas, for a 13-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Brown, on Third avenue. Cpl. Brown has been away from home eight months.

DINNER GUESTS

Sgt. and Mrs. Tom Graham Dingus were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Isbell Monday evening at their home on Westminster street.

RETURNS FROM MT. STERLING

Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., has returned to her home here after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, Mt. Sterling. She also visited her daughter, Mrs. Donald Lee Meade, in Lexington.

PAINTSVILLE CALLERS

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. Everett Sowards were calling on Mrs. May Wheatley Layne at Paintsville Tuesday. Mrs. Layne was called home by the tragic death of her brother, Heber Wheatley, who was drowned two weeks ago while visiting a relative at Whitehouse. A boat from which he was fishing capsized and his body has not been recovered. Mrs. Layne is guest of her mother, Mrs. Miranda Wheatley, at Paintsville.

HERE FROM GARRETT

Tom Martin, of Garrett, was a visitor here last week. He is sending THE TIMES to Lemon Gibson, of a hospital ship complement at Fort Lawton, Washington. Young Gibson prior to his entrance in the armed forces was employed by Mr. Martin.

VISIT SICK RELATIVE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor visited Mrs. Luther Frazier at her home at Cracker Sunday. Mrs. Frazier is suffering from partial paralysis with which she was stricken last Thursday. Her condition is unimproved.

OLD FRIENDS MEET AGAIN

Miss Grace Hatcher Small, teacher at the Hindman Settlement School 24 years ago, passed through here Wednesday, en route to Hindman for a visit with old friends there. While here she visited Mrs. H. C. Francis, who knew her at Hindman. Miss Small now resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

CONDITION IMPROVED

Mrs. Guy Horn is much improved after a critical illness and is now able to be up most of the time.

HERE FROM LOGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patton, of Logan, W. Va., spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Horn and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Patton.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horn returned to their home on the Mayo Trail last week. They have been assisting in care of his mother, Mrs. Guy Horn, during her illness.

GOES TO SUB BASE

Robert Spradlin, of Auxier, stopped over in Prestonsburg to visit relatives as he was being transferred to New London, Conn., for further training, after completing his training as electrician's mate at the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

VISIT AT GARRETT

Miss Betty Ann Allen and Johnny Ellis, of Prestonsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Allen at Garrett Sunday afternoon.

GETS MEDICAL DISCHARGE

Pvt. William Arnold Spradlin arrived Saturday from the government hospital in Oteen, N. C., having received a medical discharge there from the army. He has been in army service two years.

FLIES FROM WASHINGTON

Ralph Davis returned Tuesday from Washington, D. C., having made the return trip home by plane.

FORMER RESIDENTS, HERE

Former Judge Ed Hill and Mrs. Hill, who reside at Mt. Sterling, spent the day here Sunday. When they arrived unexpectedly they found all their children attending church services.

CONCLUDES VISIT

Lieut. (j.g.) Billy Goble, who has enjoyed a 10-day furlough with his family here, returned Monday to his ship anchored in port in California.

ENJOYING FURLOUGH

Lieut. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Mrs. Fitzpatrick are spending his two weeks' furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick.

ARRIVE FROM SOUTH CAROLINA

Sgt. Tom Graham Dingus and Mrs. Dingus arrived Saturday from his camp in South Carolina for a two-weeks furlough with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, and her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill.

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SPEND SUNDAY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Zimmerman, of Ashland, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis, here over the week-end.

HERE FROM KINGSTON

James Sowards, of Kingston, W. Va., was here Friday and Saturday, guest of Mrs. Everett Sowards and Mr. and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

ABLE TO BE OUT

Joe A. Spradlin, who recently suffered an attack of pneumonia, has sufficiently recovered to be at his post as clerk in the postoffice, part time.

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Mrs. H. C. Francis and R. D. Francis were in Hindman Sunday visiting her sister who is ill.

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Palmer Marshall and John Garrett Saturday visited Mrs. Mary Marshall, who submitted to an operation at Memorial hospital, Huntington. Mr. Marshall visited his son Robert who lives there. Mr. Garrett was guest of a relative, Mrs. George Vance.

TO VISIT HUSBAND

Mrs. Inez Hereford, and son Dave will spend the week-end in Chicago, where they will be joined by her husband, Thomas Hereford, who is receiving his training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

RETURN FROM FULLERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Taylor and Emma Lou returned Monday from Fullerton, Ky., where they had spent a few days.

ATTEND RACES

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe attended the races in Louisville last week for several days, returning Saturday.

HERE FROM CAMP CHAFFEE

Pfc. W. Claude Caudill and Mrs. Caudill arrived Monday from Camp Chaffee, Ark., and are spending his furlough here with his mother, Mrs. John W. Caudill. They will leave Friday to visit Mrs. Caudill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Meyer, in Lexington.

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Cpl. Everett E. Osborne returned Monday to Nichols General hospital at Louisville after spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Osborne, at West Prestonsburg.

EN ROUTE TO CLEVELAND
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buck Baldrige and children, including the new twins, were here Saturday, en route from David to Cleveland, O., where they are visiting relatives.

BUYS LANCER PROPERTY
Mr. and Mrs. Tivis Reynolds recently purchased from Mayor E. P. Arnold residential property at Lancer and have moved there from Highland avenue.

GUESTS HERE SUNDAY
Mr. and Mrs. James Turley and Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Turley, of Mt. Sterling, were guests here Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Pennington.

GOES TO NORTH CAROLINA
Sgt. Roe Crabtree left Monday for a camp in North Carolina after spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Crabtree. Prior to his furlough he was stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.

RETURN FROM LOUISVILLE
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Mr. and Mrs. Tivis Reynolds recently purchased from Mayor E. P. Arnold residential property at Lancer and have moved there from Highland avenue.

GUESTS HERE SUNDAY
Mr. and Mrs. James Turley and Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Turley, of Mt. Sterling, were guests here Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Pennington.

GOES TO NORTH CAROLINA
Sgt. Roe Crabtree left Monday for a camp in North Carolina after spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Crabtree. Prior to his furlough he was stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.

RETURN FROM LOUISVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr., arrived home Thursday, last week, from Louisville, where Mrs. Harkins submitted to an operation a few weeks ago. Her condition is much improved and physicians expect her complete recovery.

FORMER RESIDENTS, HERE
Former Judge Ed Hill and Mrs. Hill, who reside at Mt. Sterling, spent the day here Sunday. When they arrived unexpectedly they found all their children attending church services.

CONCLUDES VISIT
Lieut. (j.g.) Billy Goble, who has enjoyed a 10-day furlough with his family here, returned Monday to his ship anchored in port in California.

ENJOYING FURLOUGH
Lieut. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., and Mrs. Fitzpatrick are spending his two weeks' furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick.

ARRIVE FROM SOUTH CAROLINA
Sgt. Tom Graham Dingus and Mrs. Dingus arrived Saturday from his camp in South Carolina for a two-weeks furlough with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Dingus, and her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill.

HERE ON FURLOUGH
Pvt. Otis Spurlock, of Ft. Knox, Ky., was in Prestonsburg last week. He spent his furlough with his wife at Hueysville and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ran Spurlock, of Printer, and left last Thursday for Fort Meade, Md., where he will be stationed.

SPEND SUNDAY HERE
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Zimmerman, of Ashland, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis, here over the week-end.

HERE FROM KINGSTON
James Sowards, of Kingston, W. Va., was here Friday and Saturday, guest of Mrs. Everett Sowards and Mr. and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

ABLE TO BE OUT
Joe A. Spradlin, who recently suffered an attack of pneumonia, has sufficiently recovered to be at his post as clerk in the postoffice, part time.

VISIT IN HINDMAN
Mrs. H. C. Francis and R. D. Francis were in Hindman Sunday visiting her sister who is ill.

ILL IN HUNTINGTON
Palmer Marshall and John Garrett Saturday visited Mrs. Mary Marshall, who submitted to an operation at Memorial hospital, Huntington. Mr. Marshall visited his son Robert who lives there. Mr. Garrett was guest of a relative, Mrs. George Vance.

TO VISIT HUSBAND
Mrs. Inez Hereford, and son Dave will spend the week-end in Chicago, where they will be joined by her husband, Thomas Hereford, who is receiving his training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

RETURN FROM FULLERTON
Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Taylor and Emma Lou returned Monday from Fullerton, Ky., where they had spent a few days.

ATTEND RACES
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe attended the races in Louisville last week for several days, returning Saturday.

HERE FROM CAMP CHAFFEE
Pfc. W. Claude Caudill and Mrs. Caudill arrived Monday from Camp Chaffee, Ark., and are spending his furlough here with his mother, Mrs. John W. Caudill. They will leave Friday to visit Mrs. Caudill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Meyer, in Lexington.

GO TO RICHMOND
Mrs. Goldia Short, rural school supervisor, and Mrs. Frankie S. Best left Tuesday for Richmond where they will attend the supervisors' work shop at Eastern State Teachers College for the next five weeks. Mrs. Best, who has been in New London, Conn., for some time, has been employed by the county board of education as rural school supervisor for next year.

IS VISITOR HERE
Mrs. Rondle Hayes, of Hueysville, was a visitor in Prestonsburg last week.

VISITS DAUGHTER
Mrs. George W. Greer was an overnight guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. A. Culbertson, and Dr. Culbertson, last Thursday, returning Friday to her home in Pikeville.

Thrilling War Story On Air Tonight
Probably the most dramatic and impressive story yet to come out of this war will be heard over station WLW tonight (Thursday), at 10:30 p.m., CWT, when Frank Laskier, British merchant seaman, relates some of his war experiences.

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LEARNING TO PLOW

LAST NIGHT I dreamed with all the vividness of actual sight that I was looking at one of Williams' cartoons on the subject of this article. Williams, you know, is the creator of the popular cartoon, "Our Way." The only thing wrong with the dream-picture was that the boy used a left-handed plow, a kind I had never seen when I did my first plowing.

Though every little farm boy loved to follow his father or the hired hand to the field and hold on to the plow handles as if he were actually doing a man's work, the day he really plowed first was a different thing. Learning to plow, all by one's self, was to be classed with having one's first date or making the first effort to shave with Father's old heavy Wade & Butcher razor. Never after that first experience as a plowman could a boy be called a baby; it just grew him up as if by magic.

Since I was the least boy of the family, it did not become my bounden duty to start plowing before I could walk very well, as many an old-timer pretends about himself. I must have been all of twelve when it all happened. My father, like many another person I knew, mixed his garden and his orchard pretty thoroughly. Consequently we had some of our earliest garden—potatoes, onions, beets, radishes and lettuce—right among the apple trees. Part of this area had not been plowed in years, as if waiting for me. One afternoon I was instructed to hitch the old family nag to a one-horse plow and start plowing the orchard. Father worked at my usual job, cleaning up the heavy weeds, briars, and small bushes. Then the show started. Ten minutes after the curtain rose I would gladly have had Mother come out and call me Sugar-lump or Baby if my pride had not been so arrogant. I struggled with those tufts of goldenrod and briar roots and wanted to say forbidden words to Old Mag, who raced along as if she were supposed to get through ahead of schedule. The plow handles slapped me right and left, the big tufts tangled in my spindly legs and nearly threw me, and the sun "got hung on a limb," as an older poem has it. Father paid no more attention to me than if I had been an old hand. He picked up the trash and burned it with all the ease in the world. That was something, not to be noticed or to be cautioned again and again as to how to plow. By and by the small space was plowed, after a fashion that I would not recommend to any farmer. I then hitched Old Mag to the one-horse harrow and, by contrast, rested after my strenuous plowing. Again I took up the plow to lay off the potato rows, but the soil was already loose now, and no goldenrod or briar roots threw me down. And the sun was still up pretty far when we dropped our last cutting of potatoes and covered it up with the same plow that had already done such good service. When it was all over and I was still able to walk to the barn with the old nag, I could have shouted for joy at being a big boy, no longer a pet or darling or sugar-lump or whatever Mother loved to call me as her baby. I was no longer to be scorned by the bad boys who delighted in martyring little shavers. Old Mag and I had achieved a lasting glory in the orchard potato patch.

LANCER

(Last week's correspondence)

R. F. Crider was in Paintsville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Lacy Delong, of Edgar, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Walker, here recently.

W. B. Walker and children, of Water Gap, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, here a few days ago.

Mrs. Bascom Derossett, of Prestonsburg, visited her sister, Mrs. R. E. Crider, and other relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Mary Olga Walker was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bascom Derossett, at Prestonsburg this week.

Mrs. Ed George, of Little Paint, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ratcliff, here over the week-end.

Miss Cledie Ousley was the Saturday night guest of her cousin, Miss Alta B. Stephens.

LIGON

(Last week's correspondence)

Mrs. A. E. Meade and daughters, Mary Sue and Anna Ruth, have returned home after spending a week with relatives near Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schnelzer and little son, Garry Albert, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Schnelzer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lovall Hayes.

Pvt. Worley Newsome, husband of Mrs. Dolly Reynolds Newsome, is home on furlough.

Kenneth Little has completed a drafting course at Mayo Vocational School, Paintsville, and is now employed at the Willow Run bomber plant, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Taulbee Tackett were at Wheelwright Junction on business Monday.

"Uncle" M. C. Reynolds has been visiting his son, Charlie Reynolds, of Biscuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dillow, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. Dillow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Cole.

Hillard Mitchell, who recently resigned as foreman at Clear Branch Mining Company, and who is now employed by the C. & O. Railway Company, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matthews spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews at Beaver.

Andy Hamilton, of McDowell, was a visitor here Monday.

DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Manuel visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Manuel, of Manton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hayes moved here from Warco last week. They are repairing their home here.

Mrs. Virgil Isaac received news from her husband that he had arrived safely somewhere in England. Pvt. Isaac is in the air force.

Mrs. Caner Crisp, of Bosco, was calling on relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hornsby, of Martin, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore.

Mrs. Charley Garson left Friday to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Patton, in Indiana.

Vernice Isaac was visiting friends at Cracker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardez Dingus and children and Mrs. Bill Smith were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tavis Allen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crisp have been at their farm on Sugar Leaf.

Mrs. Columbus Compton and daughter Jacqueline, of Baltimore, Md., have been visiting relatives in Dinwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster, of Drift, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore.

Monroe Ousley, of Dock, was visiting friends in Dinwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Prazier have been called to Norfolk, Va., on account of the illness of Mrs. Earl Ray.

Frank Curtis is improving and will return to work soon.

Mrs. Charles C. Shepherd is visiting her parents on Mud Creek.

Melvin Carroll is remodeling his residence.

Carlisle county farmers placed orders for 20 tons of ammonium nitrate and 80 tons of mixed fertilizer.

HUEYSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey attended church and visited relatives at Handshoe Saturday and Sunday.

Annie Howard and Maudie Layne were at church at Wilson Creek Sunday.

Abe Shepherd, of Pyramid, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. John Castle and daughter, Laurie Jones, were visiting Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Jones, of Grassy Gap, Magoffin county, Saturday.

Mrs. Violet C. Mullins, daughter of A. J. Coburn, who is in business school at Ashland, visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Wilson, of Wheelwright, Saturday night, returning to Ashland Sunday.

Annie Howard has sold to Ernest Bates part of the lots she owned here.

Work has been resumed at the new mine here after a two-day strike.

The Goose Creek Mining Company is quitting business here. Top too bad to continue operations, is the reason given.

Monroe Patton is again able to visit the postoffice daily. He hasn't missed a day in 15 years except when sick.

Leonard Pack is back home from his new job with the railroad company.

Talmadge Allen and family are preparing to move to Michigan.

School closed here last week with exception of the upper grades, which will continue for another week or two.

Agnes Mullins is visiting home-folks this week.

Troy Conley has just completed the painting of his home.

Troy Reed is painting for Talmadge Allen this week.

Alex Miller has sold his home at Smackey Bottom and moved to Salt Lick.

C. D. Patrick is carrying the mail.

ALLEN

Wednesday evening, last week, after prayer service in the Baptist Church here, two of the members were honored with a double birthday shower. The honorees were Mrs. Golda Short and her niece, Mildred Short. A number of gifts were received by each.

The Vacation Bible school, which for the last 10 days was conducted at the Mosely Service Station by the Rev. J. S. Rose, assisted by Miss Annie Allen, closed Friday afternoon. The revival conducted by Rev. Rose each night at the same place also closed. During the Vacation Bible school the workers had the pleasure of being entertained for the evening meal in the following homes: On Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Burchett, Thursday, home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cartmel and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris.

Rev. J. S. Rose left Saturday morning for Ohio county where for one week he will conduct a stewardship revival of the Baptist churches in that county.

Wednesday evening, April 19, Miss Annie Allen attended a stork shower at Garrett, given in honor of Mrs. Jones W. Foster, of Alexandria, Va., a former member of Garrett Baptist Church. Visiting Garrett with her husband is Mrs. Dollie Petry, also of Alexandria, Va., and a member of the Garrett Baptist Church.

In the absence of the pastor, the Rev. J. S. Rose, the morning service in the Baptist Church was conducted by the Rev. Wm. Barrs, of Pikeville. At this service three members of one family came for church membership and baptism—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Westfall and their eldest son, W. H., who is in army service. The baptismal service is planned for Wednesday night, April 26, after the evening prayer service.

Tuesday, the quarterly W.M.U. meeting of Enterprise Association and also the Pastors' conference were held in Pikeville Baptist Church. Several of the ladies from the Baptist Church here attended.

Mrs. J. S. Rose had as visitors in her home Pic. Arnold Brashear and wife and their two small children. Mr. Brashear is on furlough and they are spending it with her sister, Mrs. Rose.

Mrs. Clarence Salyers has been very ill at her home here. She seems to be slowly improving.

Mrs. R. K. Ogden, of Trimble county, made a profit of \$58 above feed costs in one month on her flock of 172 Barred Rock hens.

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Sugar
Stamps 30 and 31 in Book Four good for 5 pounds each indefinitely. Stamp 40 in Book Four good for 5 pounds of canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945. Also, application may be made to local board for additional allotment upon presentation of spare stamp 37.

Shoes
Stamp 18 in Book One will terminate on April 30. Airplane stamp No. 2 in Book Three will replace it May 1, valid indefinitely. No. 1 Airplane stamp in Book Three will continue to be valid.

Gasoline
Stamp A-11 good for 3 gallons through June 21. B-2, B-3, C-2 and C-3 stamps good for five gallons until used. State and license number must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

Fuel Oil
Coupons 4 and 5 and reserve coupons good throughout heating year to August 31.

BONANZA

E. W. Conley, who is employed on the railroad at Walbridge, O., spent part of last week with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Damron, of Tram, spent the week-end with Mrs. Pat Damron and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Conley.

Alta Mae Hackworth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leake, of East Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Musie had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. E. W. Conley and family.

Misses Mary K. Music and Edith Woods were week-end guests of Mrs. Charlie Bianton, of Leander.

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CRACKER

(Last week's correspondence)
Pvt. Marcy Stephens is spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stephens, and his wife.

Mrs. Jesse Laferty, Mrs. Hurston Mayo and Mrs. Newton Sammons were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. G. W. Peters.

Miss Annilee Francis and Miss Nancy Lee Mayo, of Louisville, were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Webb, of Dwayne, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcy Stephens.

Miss Lily Jarrell spent Saturday night with Miss Wanda Peters.

Mrs. Grover Stephens, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Della Jarrell, has returned to her home in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Darles Mulkey and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephens, of

Allen, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Floyd Stephens.

Mrs. S. S. Mayo was the guest Sunday of Mrs. Luther Frazier, who is reported very ill.

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MARTIN

Joe Crisp and Lawrence Lynch were guests of honor at a double birthday dinner given for them by Mrs. Lynch Sunday.

Pvt. Billy Stith is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stith. Others seen around town on leaves and furloughs; Seaman Robert Dermont, Cpl. Edd Dingus, Pvt. Everett Hunter, Seaman Arthur Smith, Reevis Hall.

Mrs. Florence Crisp and Mrs. S. J. Roberts were the overnight guests of Mrs. A. B. Flanery Saturday.

Mrs. Jacqueline Justice and Mrs. Sam Stamper spent Sunday on Left Beaver.

Mrs. Ralph Curnutte was visiting relatives in Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Biliter and family motored to Pikeville Saturday afternoon and spent the week-end with Mr. Biliter's mother.

Misses Edith Allen, Ruby Akers and Mrs. Flotina Elam, of McDowell, were visiting Mrs. James Skeans recently.

Miss Mae Skeans, of Cleveland, O., formerly of Martin, underwent

a serious operation this week. Her brothers, James, Darl and Sam Skeans, have gone to Cleveland to visit her.

Kin Hill, of Detroit, Mich., and his wife, Cpl. Frances Blackburn Hill, of the AAF, are visiting Mr. Hill's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill. Cpl. Hill is stationed at March Field, California.

Pvt. James McGlothen has arrived home to spend a short furlough with his parents and relatives. Pvt. McGlothen is stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Jesse Branham left Monday for Walbridge, O. He will be employed by the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company there.

John Coleman, Jr., of the marines, arrived home this week on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stapleton and family spent two days this week at Ofutt, Ky., visiting Mr. Stapleton's mother.

Mrs. Val Hatton spent several days this week with relatives in Fort Gay and Huntington, W. Va., and Ashland, Ky.

Miss Polly Barnett is home for a short vacation. She is employed in Louisville.

Mrs. Louise Eckhart, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Frazier.

Miss Phyllis Thompson and brother, Jack, were visiting Mrs. Floyd Skaggs this week. Miss Thompson is employed in war work in Detroit.

Mrs. T. J. Allen spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Maggard, of Hindman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crisp, Sr., went to Grundy, Va., Thursday to

meet their son and daughter-in-law. The son, James, Jr., is stationed at Long Island, N.Y. He and his wife will return there April 26.

Mrs. Winifred Norris spent last week-end in Ashland, a patient of Dr. Williams. Mrs. Norris recently sustained a badly sprained hand.

Harrison Hunter was badly injured in a motor wreck in the mines here. He is being treated at the Beaver Valley hospital and his condition is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wicker were calling on Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill Saturday at Prestonsburg.

W. E. Ferry left Thursday for Hot Springs, Ark., for a two-months vacation.

Mrs. T. J. Allen was a business visitor in Prestonsburg this week.

S. D. Dermont was in Prestonsburg on business this week.

Charles Justice, of the army, spent several days' furlough with his wife, the former Miss Jacqueline Arrington.

Brodie Duke spent the week-end in Hindman with his wife.

Mrs. Kruger Martin was in Prestonsburg this week on business.

Billy Skeans, of the maritime service, sends his mother, Mrs. Jim Skeans, a telegram saying, "Am safe in San Francisco. Undecided about coming home." Sgt. Hillard Hall writes Rebecca Peters: "I like Italy fine, and these funny little people, but I like Kentucky best." T/Sgt. Joe P. Tackett writes Miss Clarinda Begley: "I'm awfully homesick for home and mother." Bennett Mullins: "I'm enjoying fairly good health in spite of the heavy artillery I hear of to my left, and the bombs from above." T/S. Mullins is the husband of the former Miss Juanita Hayes, of Martin, and is stationed in Italy. First Sgt. Sandy Martin, Jr.: "This has been a real field day. Got 12 letters and three Floyd County Times." Capt. Walter Preston, also in England: "I'm living in an Earl's castle and wouldn't even try to count the rooms." Cpl. Calvin Cline, of Louisville, now serving in an armored division in Italy, writes Miss Goidia Skeans: "Very soon now you may look for a caller on a motorcycle." Cpl. Jack Tackett, in New Caledonia: "Found a cute girl friend, a b't dark, no doubt due to the sun." Cpl. R. R. Allen, now in England: "Regardless of the age of a sheep when killed, the menu says, 'roast lamb.' The piece I got was a ram retired from active service because of age." Pfc. Oliver Allen, of the marines: "I've now learned to appreciate beauty and it is wherever you seek it."

MAYTOWN

Miss Juanita May was a visitor in Bosco Saturday afternoon.

Gene Bradley, who is in the navy, is home after finishing his "boot" training. He was stationed in New York. Gene was a member of the Junior class in high school when he enlisted in the navy. His classmates honored him with a party Saturday night at the school building.

Mrs. Virginia Osborne Martin is visiting her husband, Hawley Martin, who is stationed in South Carolina.

Mrs. Jones Talent, Mrs. G. W. Allen and Miss Moseleete Ferrell were in Paintsville Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Goldia Howell, the former Miss Goldia Hayes, has returned here after working some months in Ypsilanti, Mich. She is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hayes.

John C. Hayes and Mrs. Polly Turner were called to Kingsport, Tenn., by the death of their brother-in-law.

Henry May, George Edward Allen and Romeyn Dyer were fishing at Norris Lake over the week-end.

Ned May, who has been stationed in Arkansas since his induction into the armed forces, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. May.

Dr. O. G. Pennington, of Prestonsburg, was here Friday doing dental work.

Mrs. Herschel Begley, of Boston, Mass., arrived Friday to join her husband who is here on a month's furlough. Herschel has been in the Marines and has been in some of the battles in the South Pacific. His many friends welcomed him back again. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Begley.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Allen were shopping in Martin Saturday.

Mrs. George Edward Allen was a business visitor in Allen Saturday.

Mrs. Jones Moore was shopping in Martin Friday.

Miss Ernestine Webb, of Ashland, spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Willard May, of Pikeville, spent Friday here with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. May and family recently moved from here to Pikeville.

Mrs. H. L. May, Mrs. Thomas Patrick, Misses Sandra Sue Patrick and Elizabeth Boughton were shopping in Martin Saturday.

Miss Catherine Francis spent the week-end here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Woodrow Allen.

Sgt. Glenn Hayes has returned to camp in Arkansas after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hayes.

Several of the younger set enjoyed a fried chicken picnic in the hills Sunday afternoon. They were chaperoned by Miss Peggy Jo Allen.

A group of ladies from here visited David Thursday night to help in the initiation of the lodge.

Mrs. Bill May and daughter, Erlene, of Warco, were visiting here Sunday.

Seaman Herschel Vance was visiting Miss Moseleete Ferrell Sunday. He has been in the navy several years, was formerly a resident of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Begley had a family dinner at their home here honoring their son, Marine Herschel Begley, who is here on a month's leave before taking up his duties in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Begley, of Martin, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Cooley was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes attended the baccalaureate sermon Sunday night at Martin.

G. W. Allen was in Prestonsburg last week on business.

NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Ky., will receive sealed tenders from the holders of its outstanding Officer's and General Fund warrants at its meeting on May 15, 1944. Approximately \$5,000 now on hand in the debt service fund will be used for the retirement of the warrants tendered at the lowest price. All tenders must show the date and amount of each warrant and the flat price at which it will be surrendered. The right is reserved to reject any and all tenders. RICHARD SPURLOCK, City Treasurer 4-8-6t

THE WEEK IN OPA

New Vegetables Ceilings Set. The OPA last week established new ceiling prices for snap beans, peas, spinach and carrots by providing for cents-a-pound and cents-a-bunch mark-ups by retailers over wholesale prices.

Three hitherto uncontrolled food items—eggplant, cucumbers (except hot-house cucumbers), and coconuts were brought under price control and provided with the same type of markups.

The regulation also brought sweet potatoes, which had been under a temporary "freeze" regulation, under 40 per cent mark-up at retail.

Community prices in each area will be set by the District OPA Office, for the convenience of consumers, shortly after April 27.

Keep Your Tire Inspection Record. Motorists must keep their tire inspection records even though the requirement for periodic tire inspections was lifted April 20, the OPA has explained.

The tire inspection form, which contains a record of all gasoline rations issued to an automobile as well as a record of tire inspections, must still be presented to the ration board whenever application is made for a gasoline or tire ration. It must be kept with the automobile when it is being operated, and must be transferred with it if it is sold.

Synthetic Tire Ceilings Announced. New ceiling prices for synthetic rubber tires and tubes, effective May 1, 1944, have been announced by OPA.

At the retail level, passenger car synthetic rubber tire ceilings will be approximately 9 per cent above 1941 list prices on natural rubber tires of the same grade sold as original equipment for new cars, commonly known as manufacturers' 100 level brands.

Ceilings for the few natural rubber tires and tubes still being sold are continued by freezing the February 1, 1944, levels.

New tires are sold only when the purchaser obtains a certificate from a rationing board.

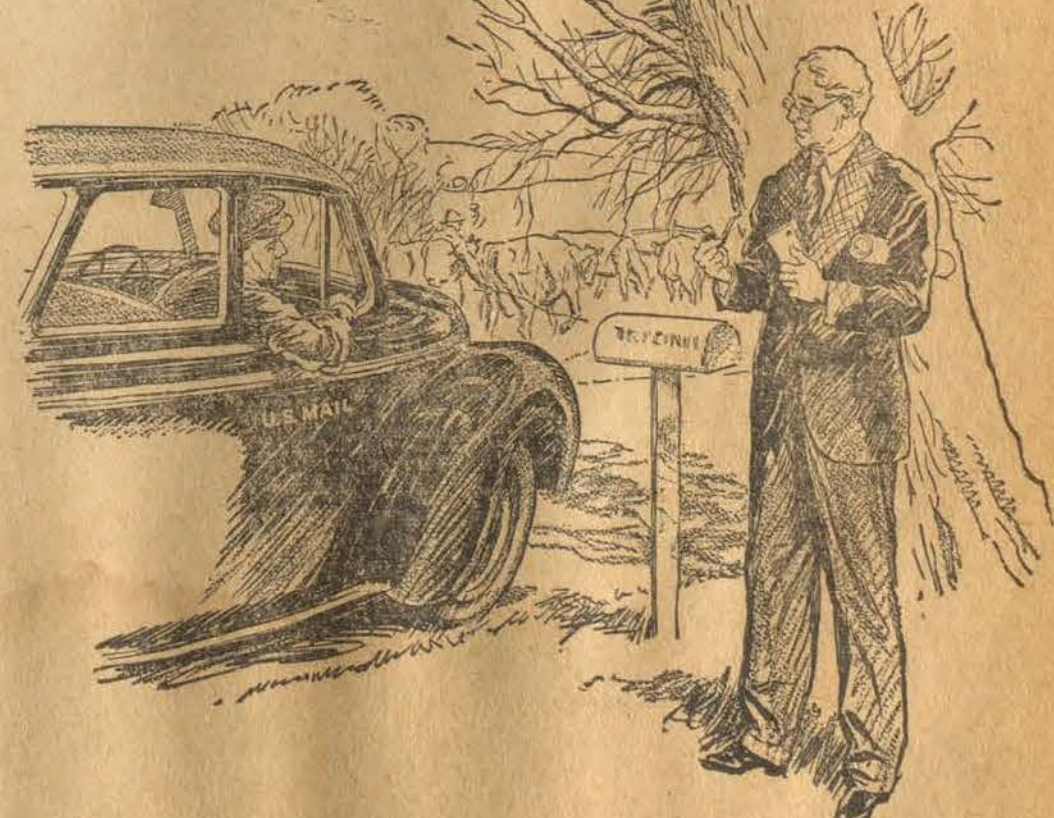
Butter Point Loan Explained. To encourage a better supply of butter during the spring and summer months and as a reserve against possible shortage later on, the OPA has announced that wholesalers having available storage facilities will be loaned points for storage.

A wholesaler who wishes more butter, OPA said, may apply to his local War Price and Rationing Board for a point loan providing he has no excess points and he can obtain adequate storage facilities.

Application for butter point loan will be accepted up to July 10, 1944. Points obtained through loan may be used to acquire butter through July 1, 1944. Points borrowed and not used must be returned to OPA National Office by August 10. All loans must be repaid in full by September 10, 1944.

In re-payment of point loans, the number of points will be determined on the basis of the point value for butter at the time of his withdrawal from storage.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Quite a stack of newspapers I left you yesterday, Judge. Aren't you in the newspaper business, are you?" "No, I just enjoy reading different papers so my nephew George sends them to me whenever he takes a business trip. I got a big kick out of some he sent me from several counties where they still have prohibition. Particularly from some headlines that read 'Drunk Driving Arrests Rise'.

'Bootleggers must post Ceiling Prices', 'Federal Agents seize 'Trick' Liquor Truck'. Doesn't that go to prove, Joe, that prohibition does not prohibit?' "I watched conditions pretty carefully during our 13 years of prohibition in this country. The only thing I could see we got out of it was bootleg liquor instead of legal liquor... plus the worst crime and corruption this country has ever known."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION
Garrett, Ky.,
March 22, 1944
Notice of Dissolution of Jones Gas Company:
Notice is hereby given that Jones Gas Company, incorporated, is closing up its business.
CUSTER JONES, President,
4-27-4t
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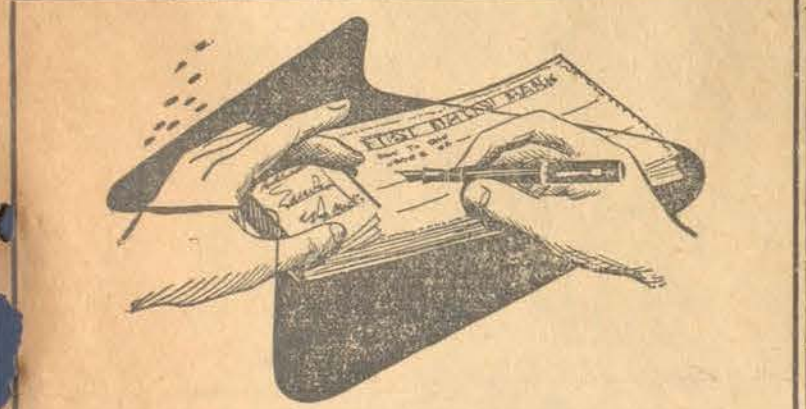
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In Kenton county, 225 4-H club boys and girls are growing gardens.

ABIGAIL THEATER

THURS.-FRI., APRIL 27-28—"Rationing" Wallace Beery, Marjorie Main. (The Laughs are not rationed.) News, Comedy.

SATURDAY—11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m., 6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m.—"Bandit Trail" Tim Holt. Serial: "TIGER WOMAN."

SATURDAY—3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—"Ghost Ship" (horror picture) Richard Dix, Russell Wade. 20-minute miniature Western, in technicolor: "Wells Fargo Days." "Stars and Stripes."

SUNDAY-MONDAY—"Standing Room Only" Fred MacMurray, Paulette Goddard. Comedy: "A Bear's Tale."

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—"Four Jills in a Jeep" Kay Francis, Carole Landis, Martha Raye (Musical). News. "Lend a Paw" (Comedy.)

DEPENDABLE RADIO REPAIR SERVICE ON RADIOS OF ALL KINDS CENTRAL RADIO SERVICE Opposite Abigail Theater PRESTONSBURG, KY.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh Might Have Been Quite A Bad Fire Quite a lot of excitement in town last week. Phibbs' house caught fire. Seemed like everybody turned out to help. But Ed Carey, official "fire chief" was there first and Jeb Crowell next. Ed got his 1892 fire engine pumping like mad, Jeb hauled the hose through the kitchen window and before you could say "Thad Phibbs!", Jeb reappeared grinning from ear to ear. "Fire's out," he said. "The home of the Phibbs' is saved!" "Thanks to you, Jeb," said Ed.

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Wash.; Estill Newsome, Weeksbury; Curtis Owens, Garrett; Andrew Jackson Patton, Hueysville; Harold Ralph Salisbury, Drift; Arthur James Smallwood, Bevinville; Virgil Smith, Wayland; Robert Tivies Snell, Weeksbury (now of Prestonsburg); Arthur Stephens, Hueysville (now of Shiloh, O.); Walter Lincoln Stumbo, McDowell; Delmas Jr. Wells, Wheelwright; William Everette Wright (V), Alphoretta; George B. Wyatt, Garrett (now of Endicott); James Branham, Wheelwright.

The following men have been notified to report for navy induction May 9: James Christopher Ables, Garrett (already volunteered and in service); Earl Jackson Blair (V), Wheelwright; Homer Blankenship, Weeksbury; Billy Blanton, Drift; Thomas Boyd, Glo. William Frederick Brad-dock, Martin; John Ruggero Cassinelli, Garrett; Central Castle, Jump; John Chullun, Wheelwright (now of Baltimore, Md.); George Washington Copley, Jr. (V), Wayland; Edgel Davis, Garrett; Olin Andrew Elliott, Martin; Roy Frost, Weeksbury (now of Harveytown, Ky.); Eihanan Pete Grigsby, Martin; Boone Hall, Wayland; Eli Hall (V), Weeksbury (now of Petersburg, Va.); Hargis Hall, Printer; Francis Earl Harmon, Wayland; Alvin Curtis Holmes, Wheelwright; Raymond Holt (V), Weeksbury (already in service on special call); Claude Howell, Orkney; John Albert Huffman, Garrett; William H. Lambert (V), Martin; Don Martin, Drift; Marvin Park May, Alphoretta; Junior Miller (V), Drift; Orville Shirley Robinette (V), Martin (now of Harold); Floyd Allen Sanders (V), Weeksbury (now of Ashland); El Kana Sexton (V), Hite; Edward Stewart, Jr., Ligon; James S'allard Wallace, Garrett; Mance Weaver, Wayland; Harlan Curtis Wells, Jr., Wheelwright; Oliver Wiley, Glo (now of Betsy Layne); Freddie Turner, Wayland; Haden Hall, Wayland.

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salesman, first for a coal company store and later for a Paintsville clothing firm, started out. Since then the scattered mine settlements and crossroads stores in the district have increased; paved highways have replaced the rough mountain trails, and today the 57-year-old Stambaugh covers his field by automobile.

But in between that first trip and the ones he makes today is a story of a salesman who has worn out seven horses, four hard-leather saddles, three trouser seats and several automobiles.

"I figure I've covered 200,000 miles," he says. Dan Wheeler, vice-president and manager of the firm which employs Stambaugh, says it's impossible to determine the volume of sales he had made, but that it amounted to "several million dollars."

Good roads now make it possible for Stambaugh to visit his customers each week and still leave time for him to spend Saturday afternoon and Sunday with his family in Paintsville.

Before he could use an automobile, however, each trip required two full weeks, riding in all kinds of weather and often late into the night.

"I generally put up with good country folks," he said.

They made him welcome to whatever they had, sometimes for 25 cents or 50 cents, for horse and rider, but just as often as not for nothing at all.

He never expected or received special treatment on these stopovers. He took pot luck, and many are the times he's sat down at the table in a crude mountain cabin to partake of a mess of fat bacon and turnip greens.

Stambaugh says that people haven't changed much. "They still want news and legal advice," even in these days of radio and fast mails.

During his horseback days, thru sleet, snow, rain and swollen streams, there were times, he said, when he felt he was about to lose both his horse and his life.

"But my horse always came through."

It's a good thing, however, that the automobile came into use when it did. By the time he traded in his horse for his first motor car he weighed 205 pounds, and this, he said, was a matter of no little concern to the horse.

Heavy Gas Strike Made on Mud Creek

A gas well drilled in on the Robert Hamilton lease, on Mud Creek, gauged more than a million cubic feet after having been shot in the shale Wednesday afternoon. It was predicted here that the well will settle down to a production of better than half a million feet.

The strike is owned by J. J. Hatcher, John Allen, Lawrence Keathley and others.

MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO" FRIDAY, APRIL 28—"Three Russian Girls" Anna Sten, Kent Smith.

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—"The Iron Major" Pat O'Brien, Ruth Warrick. "False Colors" Hopalong Cassidy.

NEW SERIAL: "THE GREAT ALASKAN MYSTERY"

SUNDAY-MONDAY—"Destination Tokyo" Cary Grant, John Garfield.

TUESDAY—"Timber Queen" Dick Arlen, Mary Beth Hughes.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—"The Fallen Sparrow" Maureen O'Sullivan, John Garfield. Attend our Saturday shows.



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FOR SALE—horse, 6 years old, sound and good worker. See OLIVE AKERS, Drift, Ky. 4-20-2t-pd.

MILLER'S New and Used Clothing and Shoe Store—moved from West Prestonsburg to Third avenue, above courthouse. Just arrived—big supply of new merchandise of all kinds. Also at Garrett, Ky.—just received supply of new goods. See us for bargains. 4-13-3t-pd.

WANTED—22 cal. pistols and revolvers, any make or model. Also larger caliber revolvers. Cash prices. Write SUTHERLAND'S, Box 566, Woodlyn, Pa. 4-6-4t.

WANTED - Boy or draft exempt man for dental laboratory work. See or call DAVE STEPHENS at Big Sandy Dental Laboratory, Prestonsburg, Ky. 3-23-tf.

SAW MILL FOR SALE—Steam saw mill in good condition, well equipped for large job. Also other good steam mills at fair prices, and one steam plug mill at plug price. Also "20" Caterpillar Tractor. Also all kinds of insurance, including Workmen's Compensation. J. E. GARNETT, Hazard, Ky. 1-6-tf.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Hellen J. Mullins. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Prestonsburg, Ky. HELLEN J. MULLINS.

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Steve Sebok. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Weeksbury, Ky. STEVE SEBOK.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Susana Anderson. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Halo, Ky. SUSANA ANDERSON.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Carson Ousley. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at David, Ky. ALVIN OUSLEY.

LOST—T gas ration stamps, issued to Forester Prater. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Brainard, Ky. FORESTER PRATER.

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Jerome Shepherd. Ration Book No. 4, issued to Bessie Mae Shepherd. Ration Book No. 4, issued to Mary Shepherd. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Martin, Ky. MARY SHEPHERD.

LOST—Ration Books No. 4, issued to Robert C. Hall and Reves V. Hall. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Prestonsburg, Ky. REVES V. HALL.

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Sid Marshall. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Manton, Ky. SID MARSHALL.

LOST—T coupon book No. 684004, issued to G. W. Rorrer. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Lancer, Ky. G. W. RORRER.

World War II Veteran To Sell Insurance

W. T. (Bill Tom) Osborne, Prestonsburg, who recently was given a medical discharge from the army

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training was as a pilot, but a physical defect prevented him from completing the pilot's course and he turned his attention to other air duty. Sgt. Roberts is a son of Mrs. Sallie J. Roberts, of Grethel.

HEADQUARTERS, 13TH A.A.F., SOUTH PACIFIC—Flying in a spectacular raid over Truk recently, First Lieut. Hugh F. Scott, of 481 Stadium Drive, Fort Wayne, Ind., and his 13th AAF Liberator crew were in the historic formation first to strike at that rich enemy stronghold in daylight.

Bombardier of Lieut. Scott's Liberator was Lieut. John Homer Goodin, formerly of Mar'in.

The big bomber caught the enemy in complete surprise, destroying 49 planes on the ground and battling for 45 minutes the "first team" of nearly 100 fighters which attacked them as they left the target. When the formation of which Lieut. Scott and his crew were a part finished its work, 31 enemy planes had been shot down and 18 more were scored as "probable."

Staff Sgt. Roscoe Loper, ball turret gunner, and Tech. Sgt. Chester Grabiec, both flying with Lieut. Scott, are credited with one Zero each. Sgt. Loper tracked one "Zeke" coming in high to attack, saw it smoke and dive, nose first, into the Pacific. Sgt. Grabiec sent one "Zeke" down, trying to make a vertical attack, to join "honorable ancestors" in a smoking mass.

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Martin—Claudia Begley, Jeanette Crispe, Jack Frazier, Jack Hale, Charlie Layne, John Maddox, Hil-lard McKinney, Charles McGlothen, Geneva Osborne, Rebecca Peters, Vergil Peters, Katherine Grace Porter, Vio Ratcliffe, Alma Ru'h Salisbury, James Salisbury, Vina Salisbury, Mildred Short, Hansford Stephens, Audra Mae Turner, June Turner.

Garrett—Ada Allen, Naomi Allen, Ruth Allen, Racine Baldrige, Betty Childers, Ouida Conley, Gall Fitzpatrick, Georgia N. Goodman, Allene Hayes, Lelia M. Prater, Robert Bailey, James Paul Conley, John A. Huffman, Paris Johnson, Ralph Johnson, Bill Mullins, Sam Mullins, Carmel Patton, C. E. Petty, Joe Edd Prater, Andy Prater, Jr.

Betsy Layne—Orri's Alley, Florida Boyd, Madalene Case, Harold Conn, Kermit Hall, Mary Hall, Emma Grace Hartley, Clyde Hinchman, Dave Hunter, Jr., Bette Rose Johns, Mabeth Keathley, Anna Ruth Layne, Lucille Layne, Glenn Stanley Layne, Juanita Lewis, Josephine Newsome, Morris Newsome, Gerald Roberts, Jean Roberts, Ambers Roop, Jr., Billy G. Sargent, Aileen Sellards, Robert L. Stevens, Haskel Stratton, Peggy Sue Stratton, Wendell Stratton, John Stumbo, Jr., Maxine Williams.

Maytown—Virginia Lee Allen, Volle Dell Allen, Alice Etta Campbell, Wilma Elizabeth Cassidy, Audrey May Cooley, Garnet Gayheart, Rhodora Garnett Hahn, Raymond J. Hahn, Thelma Hale, Audrey Mae Hicks, Anna Jean Hicks, Arizona Marie Hicks, Clara Howard, June Clemma Howard, Henrietta Moore, Alice Jean May, Rex Osborne, Ruth Edna Owsley, Eva Lee Patton, Lula Ratliff, Jimmie Refitt, Marcella Rowe, Mary Jo Smith, Anna Frances Tackett.

Wheelwright—Forrest Dean Elliott, Myrtle Freeman, Juanita Hib-bitts, Alpha Jean Jones, Josephine Marko, Lucy Martin, Ruth Meade, Vonda Meade, Virginia Louise Mallett, Catherine Pandzic, Olive Justine Potter, Audrey Walker.

McDowell—Myrtle Bentley, Corilda Mae Cox, Draxie Hamilton, Ruby Hall, Lillian Hall, Bert Osborne, Mrs. Roberta Moore, Raymond Meade, Mary Thelma Newman, Mrs. Livatha Newsome, Lola Lea Stewart, Ruby Jeanne Turner.

Wayland—Billie Louise Fraley, Christine Morris, Edith Lester, Violet Sparkman, Pauline Layne, Audrey Joe Gibson, Cauline Buckner, Can Isaacs, Curtis Adkins, William Stanford, Jr., T. W. Dixon, Creed Oney, Jr.

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shown that Hall later snatched the revolver. The defense contended the officer struck Hall only after peaceable attempts to take him into custody while armed with an open knife had failed.

Trial of Levy Rice, charged with murder in the death of Dr. E. E. Martin, of Allen, was slated to begin today (Thursday).

air forces after months of service in the southwest Pacific as radioman on a bomber, will represent the Bankers Life Company in this area, it was announced this week.

Mr. Osborne returned here last week after spending several days in Louisville. He will begin his duties as representative of the insurance company within a few weeks.

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