

Floyd County Times

SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

AUGUST 2, 1945

THURSDAY

10,000 MAY VOTE AUG. 4 IN PRIMARY

4 Democrats Seeking Office Unopposed In Final Election

District and county election campaigns here reached such a feverish heat this week that even the war news and rationing grumbles were secondary sounds in the general hullabaloo.

A field of 95 Democrats and 32 Republicans were busily engaged in weaving their way through a maze of political intrigue to the hoped-for goal of victory at Saturday's election. Most election news was of the rumor variety and, therefore, unfit for publication.

Although the list of eligible voters is upward of 20,000 in this county, political observers predicted the total vote would not exceed half that figure.

The Democratic ballot has not a vacant spot, as usual, but the Republican ticket has no contender for Circuit Judge, Commonwealth's Attorney, County Attorney or Tax Commissioner nominations. The election law is now such that Democratic nominees for these offices cannot be given opposition in the November election by candidates filing at this late date.

JUDGE LESLIE DIES IN TEXAS

Court Chief Justice Dies Suddenly at 66, Floyd Kin Notified

Judge William Pharmier Leslie, 66 years old, native Floyd countian whose legal career in Texas led him to the chief justiceship of the Court of Civil Appeals, died suddenly at his home in Eastland, Texas Tuesday morning, relatives in the county were notified.

Although details of his death were not learned, relatives here expressed the belief he had been the victim of a heart attack.

A son of the late A. N. and Mrs. Martha Mayo Leslie, Judge Leslie was born in the early colonial home of John Graham, Floyd county pioneer, where the town of Emma now stands. He left this county in 1900 to enter the East Texas Normal School while that institution was under the guidance of its founder, Prof. Bee Mayo, Leslie's uncle and also a native of this county.

After his graduation in 1907 from the University of Texas, he began the practice of law and soon thereafter was elected district attorney for four terms, and during his last term in this office was appointed district judge (an office corresponding to circuit judge in this state). He was twice re-elected, then was appointed associate justice of the Texas Court of Appeals, becoming chief justice in 1935.

Judge Leslie was married to Miss Rosie Lee Allen, a daughter of the late T. G. (Bringe) and Susan Allen, of Northern, this county. Mrs. Leslie and their daughter and two sons, Miss Rosalee William, Jr., and Charles Robert, reside at Eastland. He is also survived by one brother, L. C. Leslie, of Emma, and two sisters, Mrs. R. W. Harris, West Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Victoria A. Burchett, of Woods.

Burial will be made, it was said, on Lone Wolf Creek, near Eastland, Texas.

Mrs. Brit Deskins, 58, Dies at Betsy Layne After Long Illness

Mrs. Angie Cecil Deskins, 58 years old, wife of Brit Deskins, died Friday at her home at Betsy Layne, of tuberculosis.

She was a daughter of W. W. Cecil and Mrs. America Hopkins Cecil and was born at Betsy Layne. One of her community's best women, she was a devout member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, four sons and one daughter; Mrs. Carmel Lena Dale and Grover Deskins, Betsy Layne; Edgar Deskins, of Arizona; Willis Deskins, with the army in England; Henry Deskins, with the army in Germany. She also leaves two brothers and two sisters; Mrs. Mary Gibson, Sandy Hook; Mrs. Byrd Smith, of Justell; Cleve Cecil, of Ivel, and Shuler Cecil, Olive Hill.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the residence, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Walter Collins officiating. Burial in the Ferguson cemetery at Harold was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson and Mrs. E. H. Sowaris are spending the week in Louisville where Mr. Davidson is receiving medical treatment.

Patrolman Salisbury In Capture of Killer

A party of state highway patrolmen led by Capt. Ford Hall, and of which Patrolman T. J. Salisbury, of this county, was a member, joined Leslie and Perry county officers last Thursday afternoon in rounding up within a few hundred yards of his home Varley Howard, 18, Barger, Ky., who was accused of the shotgun slaying of a postmaster near the Leslie-Perry county line on the preceding day.

Motive for the slaying, it was said here, was found in the report that the postmaster had told military police of Howard's whereabouts after he had become a.w.o.l. from Camp Atterbury, Ind., one month after his army induction.

Patrolman Howard said Howard was captured without the firing of a shot.

SCHOOL BID IS ACCEPTED

Shepherd To Build School at David For \$26,004.05

Contract for construction of a four-room frame school building at David, the Princess Elkhorn Coal Company's mining town on Middle Creek, was awarded to B. B. Shepherd, West Prestonsburg, Monday by the Floyd County Board of Education at a special meeting on his low bid of \$26,004.05.

The structure, estimated as a pre-war construction job worth no more than \$10,000, was previously advertised for bids and the only bid offered was for \$31,800.

Highest bid opened Monday was for more than \$27,000. The lowest of approximately \$25,000 was withdrawn before bids became official.

The Princess Elkhorn Coal Company, anxious to replace the school building destroyed there by fire and to relieve the local school system of improvised school quarters, agreed to pay any amount required for the structure in excess of \$20,000.

A full basement, a furnace and all indoor toilet facilities are included in the contractor's bid. Regular meeting of the Board will be held next Tuesday.

Four To Construct Hangar and Teach Flying Near Here

Beginnings of aviation development locally were seen this week as plans were laid for the construction of a hangar and flying field in this vicinity where instruction in flying will be given.

With money already appropriated for the undertaking, a group of four—Okie Runyon, Pikeville, Harold Sammons, John B. Wells and Eckle Meade, of Prestonsburg—leased a part of the John Branham farm on the Auxier road for a field location. A flying club may be formed, it was said.

Mr. Sammons announced that a 65-horsepower Piper Cub plane will be used as a trainer.

No-Transfer Amendment Language for Ballot Written by Dummitt

Attorney General Eldon S. Dummitt this week prepared the wording of the proposed amendment to restrict use of highway funds to highway purposes as it will appear on ballots at the November election.

The amendment reads: "Shall section 230 of the Constitution of Kentucky be amended so that revenue from excise taxes on motor fuels, fees and license on registration, operation and use of vehicles upon public highways be used exclusively for highway purposes, including highway safety, necessary cost of administration, adjustments and statutory refunds?"

He previously had prepared the absentee voting amendment which also is to be voted on.

The amendments were proposed by the 1944 General Assembly.

Miss Patton, Navy Man Wed at Covington, Ky.

Mrs. Sylvia Patton, of 809 Scott street, and Mr. J. W. Patton, of 227 E. 7th street, Covington, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Geraldine, to Elwood Tackett, S. 1/2 c. son of Mr. and Mrs. Abel Tackett, of Mechanicsburg, O., formerly of Langley, Ky.

The ceremony took place July 3 at the home of the Rev. Paul E. Eminger, Covington, Ky. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Lavonne Patton, and Mr. Charles Megerle, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man.

Seaman Tackett returned recently after three years' active duty in the South Pacific. He is now stationed at Mare Island, California. Mrs. Tackett is employed at the Primrose Country Club, Newport.

PRESTONSBURG COUPLE OBSERVES GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Across Third avenue from The Times' office Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Taylor quietly spent their Golden Wedding anniversary.

Chat with friends, the receipt of gifts and the best wishes of friends—and an occasional visit to this office by "Uncle" Reuben—consumed the day, 50 years after they left their family homes in this county as bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, residents of Prestonsburg for a quarter-century, are both members of the Methodist Church. Mr. Taylor formerly was a merchant and even today engages in real estate transactions. He is 78; Mrs. Taylor is 66.

FLOYD HAS 6 STAR CAMPERS

Miss Spurlock Wins Highest Camp Honor, Competing with 225

Of the 21 4-H Club members selected as star campers from the 225 attending the J. M. Feltner district camp in Johnson county last week, six are from Floyd county, County Agent S. L. Isbell reported on his return here Friday.

Two other Floyd county members—Joan Spurlock, of McDowell, and Billy Jean Blackburn, of Betsy Layne—received the higher award of medal camper.

Joan Spurlock received the highest camp honor when she was selected to represent the "Spirit of Clubwork" at the graduation exercises.

Star campers from this county: Joan Spurlock, McDowell club; Billy Jean Blackburn, Patsy Burchett, Betsy Jean Layne, Betsy Layne; Yvonne Bryant, Harold, and Virginia Spurlock, McDowell.

Glenn C. Burchett, Mollie Conn and Mrs. John May assisted County Agent Isbell and Home Demonstration Agent Frances Amburgey Rose in transporting the 36 clubmembers from this county to the camp.

Knott County Woman Heart Disease Victim

Mrs. Nancy Stone, 78 years old, wife of Monroe Stone, died at her home at Dema, Knott county, Sunday after a long illness of heart disease.

Mrs. Stone was a daughter of Miles and Susanna Gibson and was a native of Knott county. Besides her husband, she is survived by the following sons and daughters: Proctor and Claude Stone and Mrs. Miles Jones, all of Dema; Mrs. Willie Warrens, Northern; Mrs. J. D. Gibson and Mrs. Luther Elswick, both of Jackhorn, Ky. One brother and two sisters also survive: Mrs. Bloomie Jacobs, Pippapass; Leonard Gibson and Mrs. Jack Patton, both of Langley.

Funeral rites were conducted from the graveside in the family cemetery at Dema Tuesday, the Revs. Ellis Hopkins, Sherman Stone, Hawley Warrens, Green Bradley and C. C. Mosely officiating. Burial was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

INDIANA MAN SENDS CONTRIBUTION TO AID ARMLESS, LEGLESS VETERAN

Thursday morning—From Henry Hackworth, Silver Lake, Ind., formerly of this county, The Times received today \$5, bringing the total contributed to \$15.

This newspaper's announcement of last week telling of the drive to raise funds to make for an armless and legless war veteran of Kentucky his dream of a farm a reality has, to date, evoked no contributions other than those reported last week.

FINISH 'LINK' GRADE, DRAIN

Surfacing of Trail Scheduled To Start In Next Two Weeks

Grade and drain of the Mayo Trail's "missing link" between Louisa and the Johnson county line was being completed this week, it was said by the State Highway Department.

Upon completion of this project, which has been under contract to Codell Construction Company and the O. V. Arnett Construction Company, high grade blacktop will be applied to the entire 10.9-mile section by the Middle West Roads Company, Noblesville, Ind.

The company is expected to begin work on this final phase of the job within the next two weeks.

The department stated that an attempt would be made to apply a base of surfacing over the entire section before the weather interferes. If this is accomplished, traffic will be accommodated on the road this winter, eliminating need for the detour, though success of this plan depends upon the amount of time remaining before the arrival of winter.

Laven-Thomas Vows Said at Paintsville

Miss Elizabeth May Laven and Sgt. M. F. Thomas were married at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church at Paintsville on July 12. The Rev. James E. Savage solemnized the single ring ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Laven, Sr., of the Mayo Trail, near Allen. She is a graduate of Betsy Layne high school and for seven years was a teacher in the Floyd county schools.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thomas, of Pikeville, Ky. He is a graduate of the Mayo Business School. Sgt. Thomas entered the service in April, 1942, and for the past 15 months has been stationed in England with the air force.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Detroit, Mich., where they plan to stay during his 30-day furlough. He will return to Camp Atterbury, Ind., for re-assignment. Mrs. Thomas will return to the home of her parents.

ANTIDOTE MISSING—BEWARE OF POISON

The wartime shortage of grease renders more dangerous than in other years the feeding of spoiled pickled and canned beans or other canned foods to hogs. County Agent S. L. Isbell commented this week after visiting two communities in which 11 hogs had been sick and three had died of botulism or food poisoning.

Mr. Isbell explained that grease is an antidote to the poison and that the prevailing fats shortage has reduced the fats in canned foods to such an extent that the antidote is almost completely lacking.

"There would be little or no benefit in feeding hogs spoiled food, even if it had no harmful effect," Mr. Isbell said, explaining that such foods have little nutritive value.

DRIFT HANGS ONTO LEAD

By Edging P'burg, 2-1; Harold in 2nd Place In Loop Standings

Prestonsburg's hopes of a first-place tie were dashed Sunday by the league-leading Drift team but only after one of the tightest games of the season, the Left Beaver Creek outfit winning on four hits, 2 to 1.

The only other game played was at Harold, with Harold's up-and-coming team barely nosing out Auxier, 8 to 7. Results of the day dropped Prestonsburg to third place, Harold stepping up to second. Weeksbury forfeited its game to David, 9 to 0, and the Emma-Louisa game was rained out.

Patton pitched superlative ball for Prestonsburg, allowing only four hits, all singles, and issuing but one base on balls and that pass intentional. Two of these hits came in the second inning, however, when the winners scored their only runs. Kit Stumbo was hit by a pitched ball, Blackburn singled and the runners advanced as Shannon was thrown out on a fielder's choice. Daniels followed with a single to left, scoring the runners.

Prestonsburg's one run was scored in the fifth when Chaffins, with one out, singled, advanced on V. Miller's grounder, pitcher to first, and scored on Hall's single through short. Hall stole second and Vance drew a base on balls but Bradley grounded to the pitcher for the third out.

Next Sunday's schedule: Auxier at Emma, Weeksbury at Prestonsburg, Drift at Louisa, Harold at David.

The box score:

DRIFT	A	B	R	H	E
Shelton, 3b.	4	0	1	1	0
Vincent, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0
H. Stumbo, c.	4	0	1	0	0
Newman, lb.	4	0	0	1	0
Akers, lf.	4	0	0	0	0
K. Stumbo, p.	1	1	0	0	0
Blackburn, ss.	3	1	1	1	0
Shannon, cf.	3	0	0	0	0
Daniels, rf.	2	0	1	0	0
B. Stumbo, rf.	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	4	3	0

P'BURG

Chaffin, ss.	A	B	R	H	E
V. Miller, 3b.	4	1	1	0	0
Hall, lb.	5	0	3	0	0
Vance, c.	2	0	0	0	0
Bradley, rf.	4	0	0	0	0
Clifton, lf.	4	0	0	0	0
O. Miller, 2b.	4	0	3	2	0
Blackburn, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
Patton, p.	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	1	8	2	0

Former Times Writer Is Editor of Yank's West Pacific Edition

Cpl. James B. Goble, former assistant editor of The Floyd County Times, and later of the Louisville Courier-Journal news staff, is the new editor of the Pacific edition of "Yank" magazine, famed service publication.

Cpl. Goble's elevation to chief of the magazine's staff in the Pacific followed several months' experience as a "Yank" correspondent with an American task force in the Pacific.

"Jimmy," as he is known to this newspaper's staff, "broke" the famous Floyd county "Child-Bride" story of a few years ago to the daily press while employed by The Times and soon afterward went to The Courier-Journal.

Father of Glo Woman Dies at Age of 75

Chesley Thompson, native citizen of Bell county, and father of Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Glo, died at the age of 75 at Middlesboro, Ky., last week.

Mr. Thompson, miller and farmer, is survived by his widow, also by two sons and seven daughters who taught 60 schools within the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Sierrill Frazier and Lanny, of Martin, were in Prestonsburg Saturday.

EXTRA FOOD FOR MINERS IS PROVIDED

Underground Workers At Strenuous Labor To Be Better Fed

With the program for providing more food rations for workers in the larger mines of this and other Eastern Kentucky counties, district headquarters of the Office of Price Administration, Lexington, this week announced that extra rations will be extended to truck mine workers during next week.

At a meeting in Pikeville recently, arrangements were made for committees composed of representatives of labor and management to list workers eligible for extra food over a 60-day period and for the Floyd mine lists to be submitted to the rationing board here.

Local War Price and Rationing Boards have been advised of the requirements and can advise mine operators or representatives of the miners, according to Thomas G. Mooney, district OPA Rationing Executive in Lexington. Individual miners are not permitted to apply and application can be made for only eligible miners. Members of miners' families will not receive supplemental rations, Mr. Mooney said.

This plan is directed at carrying out the findings of the National Research Council, on behalf of the War Food Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, that the heavy muscular work done by miners calls for an unusually high intake of calories.

Coal and ore miners, to be eligible, must be employed at the site of mining operations, must be engaged in heavy work that requires continuous exertion of muscular strength and must not be served food by in-plant feeding establishments.

In general, all those employees who work underground are eligible for extra rations, except supervisors who do not engage in strenuous labor.

Most employees who work above ground are excluded. Those not eligible include such persons as foremen and superintendents, watchmen and policemen, weighmasters, check weighmen and clerical and other office employees. Surface workers employed at mine sites who are eligible for supplemental rations are blacksmiths, tippie employes, persons engaged in foundry or metal casing operations and those engaged in heavy construction labor.

Miners who qualify for extra rations will be eligible to obtain not more than 17 red points for meat-fats for each day they work, and one pound of sugar per month, in addition to the meat-fats and sugar they can get with the stamps in their War Ration Book Four, Mr. Mooney said. The maximum number of supplemental red points a miner can get in any one month is 50, regardless of the time he works.

Miners who are eligible will not apply directly for their supplemental rations. Instead, application will be made for them by one of the following: (1) The transportation committee at the mine, which certifies mileage rations; (2) a joint management-labor production committee; (3) the local mine union committee; or (4) the superintendent in charge and two employe representatives. The committee will certify that each miner listed on the application is eligible for supplemental rations and will show the number of days during that month each miner will work.

Well-Known Ivel Man Tuberculosis Victim Friday in 60th Year

John Damron, 59 years old, well-known Floyd county man, died at his home at Ivel Friday, a victim of tuberculosis following a long illness.

A son of the late Jacob and Nannie Caldwell Damron, he was born in this county where he spent his entire life. Mr. Damron was a good citizen and had many friends. He was a staunch Democrat and took a prominent part in county politics.

He was married to Miss Virgie Thompson and to them were born three children: Mrs. Della M. Gehring, Fort Royal, Va., Jake Damron, Lancer, and Pat Damron, of Emma. After the death of his first wife in 1924, he was married to Emalia Wootson, who survives. He also leaves five brothers and three sisters: Jim and Bob Damron, of Ivel; Alex Damron, Broadbottom; Nick Damron, Betsy Layne; Ben Damron, of West Virginia; Mrs. J. K. Bollin, Lebanon, O.; Mrs. Sam Dillon, Ivel, and Mrs. Laura Endicott, of Broadbottom. A step-daughter, Mrs. Pearl Holbrook, of Myrtle, and nine grandchildren survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the Christian Church at Dwale, the Revs. Isaac Stratton and Carl Layne officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery at Dwale, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

REMOVE HONOR ROLL

Legion Post To Apply Sale Price to Fund For War Memorial

Floyd Post, American Legion, voted Saturday night at its meeting to sell the "honor rolls" bearing the names of Floyd county servicemen in the present war and to apply the proceeds to a fund to be appropriated for a permanent memorial to Floyd county war dead.

The honor roll consisting of two boards in the courthouse here, and paid for by public subscription under Legion sponsorship, called of its purpose, paint peeled from sheet metal on which the names were placed to such an extent that many names are indiscernible. The successful bidder on materials in the boards will remove them from the grounds.

FLOYD CLUB DIRECTORS

First Meeting; Plans To Get Membership

The first meeting of the board of directors of the Floyd County Club was held Friday, with Charles Chumley, president of the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, presiding.

The club, proposed as an organization to further the industrial, educational and moral development of Floyd county, will hold its first public meeting Thursday evening, August 10, in the Methodist Church here.

"Every citizen in Floyd county is invited to attend this meeting," a leader in the movement stated, pointing out that a membership of 10,000 is the sought-for goal.

Dr. C. L. Hutsinpiller, Prestonsburg, was named chairman of the program committee and he said this week detailed plans for the first meeting will be released in The Times next week.

Mrs. W. P. Mayo, well-known local artist, was delegated to design club pins, stationery and an original charter, the latter to become a permanent record in the club's archives. The charter will be signed by charter members and Mrs. Minnie Grace Harris Sutherland who conceived the idea of this type of organization for Floyd county.

But the first two spaces on the charter signature list will bear only the words, "An Unknown Soldier," "An Unknown Sailor."—One of the prime purposes of the organization, it was emphasized, is to give every consideration to veterans. All servicemen and servicewomen of the county were voted free memberships of one year. Life membership, fee of which ordinarily is \$25, goes to those permanently disabled.

A Consultants' Council is being formed and representatives of all major groups in the county are wanted on that body. If some group is not represented, its leaders are asked to notify Mrs. J. D. Mayo, chairman of the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Paul Hager, Former Johnson-Co. Clerk, Is Victim Tuesday

Paul C. Hager, 59 years old, former Johnson County Court Clerk, who was well-known throughout Floyd county, died at 6:40 a.m., Tuesday, in the Paintsville hospital following an illness of several weeks.

Mr. Hager was known in Odd Fellows circles throughout the state and was a member of the First Methodist Church, Paintsville, and the Masonic order.

Funeral rites were conducted at 2 this afternoon (Thursday) from the First Methodist Church, Paintsville, and burial was made there.

Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiller has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Ralph Moore Homan vs. H. D. Homan, admr.; Howard & Mayo, attys. George Prater vs. Nora Prater; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Daniel Akers vs. Earma Akers; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Marian Goodall vs. V. D. Goodall; J. B. Clarke, atty. Simmons Minter vs. Sarah Belle Watts Minter; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Thomas Wilbur Music vs. Katherine Elkhorn Coal Co.; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Elsie Owens, admx., vs. C. & O. Railway Co.; W. S. Wallen, atty. Mary Francis Stumbo vs. J. A. Stumbo; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Dorothy Ramey Mullins vs. Woodrow Mullins; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Mildred Kirkman vs. Raymond Kirkman; J. B. Clarke, atty. Clara Mosely vs. Kendall Mosely; B. M. James, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George Prater, 59, and Jamima Prater, 33, both of Hueysville; married July 27 at Garrett by Magistrate J. A. Hicks. Eulan Mills, 24, and Marjorie Harmon, 23, both of Wayland; marriage solemnized at Wayland July 29, the Rev. R. P. Crumpler officiating. Royce W. Mayo and Garnett Akers, O. J. Collins and Lillian Hall, Jesse Wood and Virginia Peltrey.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT:



As the time draws near I want to appeal, once more, to the voters of Floyd and Knott counties to consider long and carefully the sacred duty and privilege that becomes yours on election day, August 4.

It is your Duty as good citizens to put into office the man who because of his ability and record, his honesty and integrity, his sincerity, friendliness and understanding of human nature and its problems is best qualified to fill the important position of Judge of the 31st Judicial District.

It is your Privilege as an American citizen to vote for whom you please. This right that we have seen so cruelly violated in our allied and enemy countries, during the last several years, should be very precious to you. I call on you to allow no one, by any means, to prevent you from exercising and enjoying this right for which your forefathers fought and for which your sons yet fight.

It is my solemn pledge that as your Circuit Judge my efforts will be directed toward making our courts the dignified, sober Servant of Justice which our forefathers planned they should be. Hold steadfast. Do not allow eleventh hour reports and scarecrows to alarm you. Do not be diverted from the real issues of this campaign.

Briefly my Platform is:

- 1. Appointment of outstanding and qualified men as Jury Commissioners.
2. Selection of men and women jurors from the jury wheel in open court.
3. Fair and impartial trials to rich and poor alike.
4. Strict enforcement of the law.
5. A clean, sober court.
6. Leniency and patience in dealing with veterans.

With full confidence in your ability to select, and firm belief in your determination to elect, the man best qualified for this important office of Circuit Judge, I herewith rest my case with the good people of Floyd and Knott counties.

Sincerely yours,

EDWARD P. HILL

(Pol. adv.)

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD AND KNOTT COUNTIES:

In the interest of better government, a finer citizenry, a tranquil and more peaceful way of life I appeal to you with all my heart to cast your vote in the coming primary election for Joe P. Tackett for Commonwealth's Attorney.

I appeal not to you because of his service record and wound in World War I nor because of the service records of his four fine sons in World War II. But, I appeal to you because he is a man of commendable ability as an attorney at law and because of his 23 years experience in both criminal and civil procedure before the Court of Appeals as well as before the Circuit Courts. This experience, I am sorry to say, is sadly lacking in his opponent, John Chris Cornett.

During the 23 years that Mr. Tackett has been practicing law he has served you as County Attorney for four years and four years as State Senator. He made a fine record in each of these official positions. His experience of eight years in these two offices helped to prepare him to serve you as Commonwealth's Attorney for the next six years with a deep sense of the duties involved and with dignity compatible with the office.

My fellow citizens, fathers and mothers, young men and young women, since Joe P. Tackett is a man of ability, a man of experience, a man of honor, a native-born son of this county and a citizen of this great county so rich in the heritage of its citizenry and with about five times as many voters in it as there are in his opponent's home county of Knott, how can we entertain the slightest thought of encouragement for Mr. Cornett?

Let us not just hope for the nomination and election of our own native son and for well-conducted courts. No! Ladies and gentlemen. Let us not hug or fondle the delusive phantom of hope, but let us bestir ourselves as citizens whose souls are aflame with action and a passion for the good of all the people of our judicial district by giving Joe P. Tackett the handsome majority of 3,000 in Floyd county. We can do it. We ought to do it, and I believe we will do it. Don't you think so? Well, of course most of you do. So come on. With one mighty heave let's make doubly sure of victory, then we will all share the victory together.

Humbly yours,

REV. WILLARD S. AKERS

(Pol. adv.) paid for by—

Martin, Ky.

To the Voters of Magisterial Dist. 2:

Nominate and elect me and I will make you the best Magistrate you have had in 30 years. I am qualified for the job and am willing to work.

I am the only World War veteran running for Magistrate in this district. During the first World War, when it looked like the Germans would whip the entire world, I walked out of a good college and volunteered my services to my country.

To the veterans of the first World War and to those of the present war I promise you all a fair deal. To all the people in general I promise to do all I can to make you a good public servant. To all you Mothers and Fathers whose sons will not return—I promise to use all my influence with the members of the fiscal court to get money appropriated for a memorial to those Floyd county boys who gave their lives that we may live our lives as free people. Johnson and Pike counties have already erected memorials in honor of their sons who gave their lives in the first World War. Why can't Floyd county do as much for the boys of both wars?

We ex-service men would like to see this done.

Our Magisterial district is very large and has a large number of people and will afford a great problem for any candidate who is chosen to tackle the job. If you feel that I am big enough and broad enough at mind and heart to clean up and police up your district, help keep your fiscal court in order, help build and maintain your roads and make Floyd county a better place in which to live, I am ready and willing to undertake the job.

I want to thank all of you who are helping me and who will join us for better county government and urge you to continue the fight till the votes are cast and counted.

I remain, sincerely yours,

JOHN W. HAYES

(Pol. adv.)

"The Unfinished Letter"

Law Offices
JOE P. TACKETT
Prestonsburg, Ky.

August, 1945

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Med. Det., 1294 Eng. (C) Bn.
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A.P.O. 464, Care Postmaster
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Boys:

In compliance with your many requests since you went overseas, I am writing you and giving you the results of the election. It has been a hard campaign and I missed you all very much, but your job was much more important than mine anyway.

The votes have all been counted and the following are the results in my race:

John Chris Cornett.....?
Joe P. Tackett.....?
Majority? (For Whom)

I know how happy (disappointed) you all are and I want you to write me a long letter the first opportunity and unbosom to me and Mom.

Love as always,

DAD (Joe P. Tackett)

FRIENDS:

What will the figures be on the above blank lines? That will depend upon the efforts made for me by the fathers, mothers, wives and families of your fighting boys, and all of my friends. You will either gladden or sadden the homesick hearts of those boys of mine by your vote next Saturday. For their happiness, I hope your loyal support of me will result in an overwhelming majority. I pledge you, your boys and mine that your confidence in my ability to serve the District well will not be betrayed.

Sincerely yours,

JOE P. TACKETT
for Commonwealth's Attorney

(Pol. adv.)

To the Democratic Voters of District 96:



As I have been unable to see each voter personally I would like to take this way of telling you that I will appreciate anything you may be able to do for me in the election.

I am a native of Floyd county, born at Auxier, Ky., and have resided in different parts of the county during my life. A part of the time I lived at Garrett, then for five years I taught in the high school at Wayland. I now operate the Malone Service Station at Allen.

I graduated from Berea College in 1936, having attended academy, normal school and college there.

I feel that I have many friends in Floyd county and the people knowing me know that I am a sober and honest person.

To the miners, I will say that I am the only candidate who is the son of a miner and can be trusted in the many legislative problems involving labor and compensation laws.

To the teachers of Floyd county: I feel I understand their problems and would know how to help them, having taught myself.

I will do my utmost to help the people of Floyd county if you nominate me for Representative of District 96.

Thanking you,

Robert J. (Bob) Wallace
(Pol. adv.)

LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. Hettie Clark entertained to luncheon July 11 at her home on Third avenue the following: Mesdames E. P. Hill, Jr., Grover Lowe, Elizabeth Cornett, John Hale, Richard Feiler, H. C. Francis, Winnie F. Johns, E. P. Arnold, H. L. Mayo, Lydia R. Cottrell, Joe Hobson, Rebecca Dingus, B. P. Friend, Olga M. Latta, Osa F. Ligon, O. P. Powers, John R. Clarke, A. B. Combs, F. L. Heinze, B. M. James, Grace D. Ford, Miss Minerva Friend. After lunch several piano selections were rendered by Miss Friend.

BUY WAR BONDS!

HE HAS STOOD THE TEST!



In my last appeal to you for your vote on August 4 I submit to you the following and leave it to you, as a voter, to decide whether or not it constitutes a Record:

- 1. Teacher salaries increased an average of \$26.00 per month.
2. A large appropriation for Old-Age pensions.
3. Contract for completion of Left Beaver road.
4. Honest investigation of the state prisons.
5. A model Teacher Tenure law.
6. Refund of railroads' retirement money.
7. Building of T.B. hospitals.
8. Endorsement by Kentucky Education Association, the American Federation of Labor and the Railroad Brotherhoods.
9. A member of the powerful Legislative Council.

Can you remember any Representative in the history of Kentucky who has accomplished so much?

It is your duty as a voter who is interested in his county to vote for a man who has accomplished so much for you and who is in a position to accomplish a great deal more.

REMEMBER!

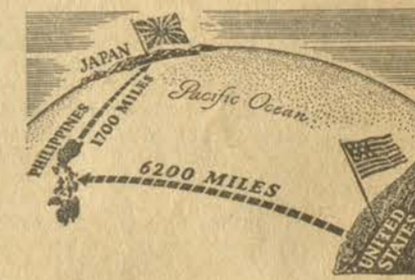
For Representative:

JERRY FONCE HOWELL

NO. 1 ON DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

(Pol. adv.)

Two ways to answer the question "HOW LONG WILL THE JAPS LAST?"



FIRST, by what we've done—

In 3 1/2 years of heroic fighting we have advanced to Okinawa, some 300 miles from Japan. Our fighting on Okinawa and Iwo Jima shows us that to land on and take Japan itself probably will mean the toughest fighting our forces have ever faced. It doesn't look like a quick job.

SECOND, by what we've learned—

We've learned that the Japs are tough, last-ditch fighters... We've learned that the Japs have great manpower—4,000,000 to 5,000,000 war-hardened fighters that we haven't yet tackled; 2,000,000 more who can be called upon... We've learned that the Japs have ample resources for a long war—gasoline, oil, food, steel... We've learned that the Japs are hustlers. Jap war workers work 16 hours a day, 7 days a week. And there are 35,000,000 of them working to beat us... We've learned that the Japs have ample production. They can make good planes—and they are constantly improving their designs. They can produce guns, tanks, ships and munitions in vast amounts... We've learned that it's going to take every war worker we can muster to keep the needed fighting tools in the hands of a fighting force big enough to beat Japan... We've learned a lot more. But nothing that says—"It won't be long now."

Says Admiral Nimitz:

"The task of defeating an opponent so strong as Japan is seldom a short one or an easy one. We will have to bring constantly greater fighting force against the enemy. We shall need a constantly mounting amount of weapons and supplies. The faster American war workers produce them the sooner American fighters can bring an end to this war."



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CIRCUIT JUDGE
We are authorized to announce JOHN ALLEN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge of the 31st Judicial District (Floyd and Boone counties) at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce EDWARD P. HILL as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the 31st Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY
We are authorized to announce JOE P. TACKETT of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney, 31st Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce JOHN CHRIS CORNETT as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 31st Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
We are authorized to announce BILL COOLEY as a candidate for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce DAY HALL (Ex-Assessor) of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary.

COUNTY JUDGE
We are authorized to announce ADAM L. HAYES of Glo, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge at the August, 1945 primary.

WESLEY CAMPBELL
Safe—Efficient—Sober
Friendly Service
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE for COUNTY JUDGE

HENRY STEPHENS, Jr.
—for—
COUNTY JUDGE
Will eliminate waste, save your money, build your roads and reduce your taxes.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
ALEX. L. DAVIDSON
Democratic primary, Aug. 4
If nominated and elected, I promise to serve you to the best of my ability.

—for—
COUNTY ATTORNEY
Woodrow Burchett
Sober • Accommodating
Honest • Qualified

FOR SHERIFF
We are authorized to announce TROY B. STURGILL as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We announce the candidacy of DIAL SALISBURY of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce TAYLOR STUMBO as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce TAVIS FLANERY of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for Sheriff of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary August 4, 1945.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK

JARVIS ALLEN
—who was shot down in Belgium in the service of his country—as a candidate for COUNTY COURT CLERK of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election in August, 1945.

We are authorized to announce BANNER MEADE as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk primary election August 4, 1945.

We are authorized to announce SGT. ELMER BOWE of Wayland, Ky., now with the U. S. Air Forces, Washington, D. C., as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party, primary Aug. 1945.

FOR JAILER
We are authorized to announce GUY HORN as a candidate for re-election as JAILER OF FLOYD COUNTY subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce MONT GOBLE (brother of Ex-Jailer Elgie Goble) as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

I. A. SMILEY
Republican Candidate for Jailer
"Let us continue to work out our troubles together."

We are authorized to announce EDWARD FRALEY of Wheelwright, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Floyd county at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce J. M. CLARK of Honaker, Ky., as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary August 5.

FOR JAILER
EVERETTE COLLINS of Weeksbury, Ky. (A disabled War Veteran). DEMOCRATIC TICKET August, 1945

We are authorized to announce DAVID B. LESLIE, JR. (an ex-soldier) as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce H. D. HALL of Wheelwright, Ky., as a candidate for Jailer of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
We are authorized to announce W. G. BIGGERS of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Representative, 96th Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce COLUMBUS COMPTON of Betsy Layne, Ky., as a candidate for Representative from the 97th Legislative District (Magisterial districts 3 and 4), subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary, 1945.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Administration has been granted by the Floyd County Court upon the estate of Merl Wilson, deceased, Marlan E. Wilson, administratrix, Prestonsburg, Ky.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the administratrix verified according to law not later than October 12, 1945. Given under my hand this July 12, 1945. A. B. MEADE Clerk, Floyd County Court

We are authorized to announce EDGAR C. BINGHAM of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Representative, 96th Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce S/SGT. BROWNIE HICKS of Hippo, Ky., as a candidate for REPRESENTATIVE of the 96th Legislative district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election as Representative of the 97th Legislative District, I ask the support of the voters on the basis of services rendered and invite you all to study my record to determine how well I have succeeded in rendering the people service. Your friend, JERRY PONCE HOWELL

We are authorized to announce ROBERT J. WALLACE of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Representative of the 98th Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce MANIS CONLEY a loyal Democrat, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of the 98th Legislative District.

We are authorized to announce JACK SELLARDS (former Tax Commissioner and teacher and a member of the United Mine Workers of America) of Banner, Ky., as a candidate for Representative of the 98th Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August 4 primary.

FOR CORONER
We are authorized to announce HAROLD SAMMONS of Auxier, Ky. (a Floyd county airplane pilot), as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic party, August 4.

We are authorized to announce ALLEN TRIPLETT of Bevinville, Ky., as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce CHARLIE LAFERTY of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Coroner of Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Aug. 4. Your support will be appreciated.

FOR MAGISTRATE
We are authorized to announce ELDER ERT NEWSOME of Cravner, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 4, at the August, 1945 primary.

I make my announcement for the office of Magistrate in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary Aug. 4, 1945. I was born and reared in this district and have paid taxes 40 years. E. S. PRATT

We are authorized to announce JOE YATES as a candidate for Magistrate of District No. 4, Floyd county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

We are authorized to announce JOHN MAY of Langley, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate of Dist. No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce J. M. JONES son of Ambrose Jones, of Grethel, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 4, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary election, August, 1945.

We are authorized to announce SAM HALE of Blue River, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate, District No. 1, at the primary election, Aug. 4, 1945.

We are authorized to announce WILLIE HOWARD of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate, District No. 2, at the August primary, 1945.

We are authorized to announce JESSE WALLEN of Water Gap, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce A. L. (DOCK) PRATER of Lackey, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAYES of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce DOCK WARD of Glo, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce TOM MARTIN of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce HENRY STUMBO for re-election as Magistrate in of McDowell, Ky., as a candidate Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

ELMER RICE, N. G. MARK ELSWICK, V. G. L. V. GOBLE, Secretary W. G. AFRICA, Financial Secy. EDWARD MAY, Treasurer WM. DINGUS, Chaplain

BUY WAR BONDS!

We are authorized to announce DENZIL WHITTEN of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce IKE SLATER of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce WAYNE HALL of Hueysville, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce MONROE HALL as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce FARRIS C. COLLINS of Wayland, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce J. E. (Speed) HARRIS as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce "UNCLE" JOE LYKENS of Hunter, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce WOODROW BRANHAM of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce ARTHUR BLACKBURN of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce GLENN BURCHETT of Woods, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. SCALF of Beaver, Ky., formerly of Betsy Layne, as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election, August, 1945.

We are authorized to announce DEWEY ROBERTS of Harold, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Your support and influence will certainly be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce W. L. AKERS is a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 4, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce L. D. (Skeeter) SCOTT of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce HARVE SPEARS of Endicot, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce ELMER W. RICE of Banner, Ky., and a member of A.F. of L., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT NO. 2:
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Magistrate, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary. JOHN WESS PRATER

We are authorized to announce GEORGE HALL of Banner, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary.

BUY WAR BONDS!

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

ELMER RICE, N. G. MARK ELSWICK, V. G. L. V. GOBLE, Secretary W. G. AFRICA, Financial Secy. EDWARD MAY, Treasurer WM. DINGUS, Chaplain

BUY WAR BONDS!

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We are authorized to announce GEORGE HALL of McDowell, Ky. (son of John Ant Hall), as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican primary Aug. 4. Nominate a November winner.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
I wish to announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of Justice of the Peace, District No. 3, at the August, 1945 primary. I will do right by all men and know how to treat our soldier boys when they return home from the bloody war. A. J. BROWN Hi Hat, Ky.

We are authorized to announce ELDER JESSE OSBORNE of Ligon, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary, August 4, 1945.

We are authorized to announce MALLIE CONN of Harold, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate in Magisterial District No. 4, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary August 4, 1945.

We are authorized to announce JOHNNY DAMRON CAUDILL of Hi Hat, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce ALEX STEPHENS of Martin, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce JOE BURCHETT of Woods, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce MACK HARMON of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for the office of Constable, first Magisterial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. No pistol deputies.

We are authorized to announce REED JOHNSON of Melvin, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce CORBIN JOSEPH of Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce ANTHONY MOORE (at present deputy sheriff) of Ligon, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, Magisterial District 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

FOR MAGISTRATE
We are authorized to announce JOHN M. BURKE of Wheelwright, as a candidate for MAGISTRATE, Dist. No. 3, Democratic primary, August 1945.

We are authorized to announce JIM REYNOLDS of Dony, Ky., for the Democratic nomination for the office of Magistrate, District No. 3, at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce FLOYD ADAMS of Gearheart, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce LAYNE HALL (son of Hat Hall) of Hite, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary August 4, 1945.

Let's nominate and elect a poor and laboring man and also a union man for Magistrate, District No. 1, at the Democratic primary. DARVIS PITTS

We are authorized to announce MILLARD FRASURE of Garrett, Ky., member of Local Union 5895, U.M.W.A., as a candidate for Magistrate, Dist. No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August 4 primary.

We are authorized to announce CURTIS COLLINS of Wayland, Ky., as a candidate for Magistrate, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4.

We are authorized to announce JAMES P. HARRIS as a candidate for Magistrate, Dist. No. 1 at the Democratic primary, Aug. 4. Your support will be appreciated.

FOR CONSTABLE
I hereby announce my candidacy for Constable, and if nominated and elected I promise sober, honest and faithful service. I shall not go beyond the law or reason in the discharge of my duties. BILL PEPPER WILLS

We are authorized to announce SCOTT COMPTON of Alphoretta, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Republican party at the August, 1945 primary. Sober and pledged to have no drinking deputies.

We are authorized to announce MACK MARSILLET of Lancer Ky. as a Democratic candidate for the office of Constable, District No. 1, at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce ED HALBERT of Printer, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic ticket at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce RICH HALL of Garrett, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, Magisterial District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce MATT JOHNSON of Bybro, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary. A sober man who will have sober deputies.

We are authorized to announce RAY HOOVER of Wayland, Ky., who has received an honorable discharge from the army and is now employed in the Wayland mines, Local Union 5895, for the Democratic nomination for Constable, District No. 2, at the August, 1945 primary.

We are authorized to announce JOHNNY DAMRON CAUDILL of Hi Hat, Ky., as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1945 primary.

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We are authorized to announce MELVIN WELLS of Lancer, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4. A friend to the service men.

We are authorized to announce FRANK PRATER of Johns Creek, as a candidate for Constable, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. The soldier boy's friend.

FOR CONSTABLE
We are authorized to announce STEVE HAMILTON of Teaberry, Ky., for Constable, District No. 4, Democratic primary Aug. 4. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce DAVE HALL of Bevinville, Ky., as a candidate for Constable, District No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Your support will be deeply appreciated.

FOR POLICE JUDGE
We are authorized to announce DENNIS MARTIN as a candidate for Police Judge, town of Martin, Ky., at the November, 1945 election.

DR. J. S. KELLY
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Saturdays and Sundays only
Wright Building, corner of Court & Second, Prestonsburg, Ky.
Phone 6191

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CLIVE AKERS
I'M WILLING TO CONTINUE SERVING YOU

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MEN and WOMEN for Vital War Work
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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
EACH THURSDAY
If Employed in Essential War Industry, Do Not Apply.

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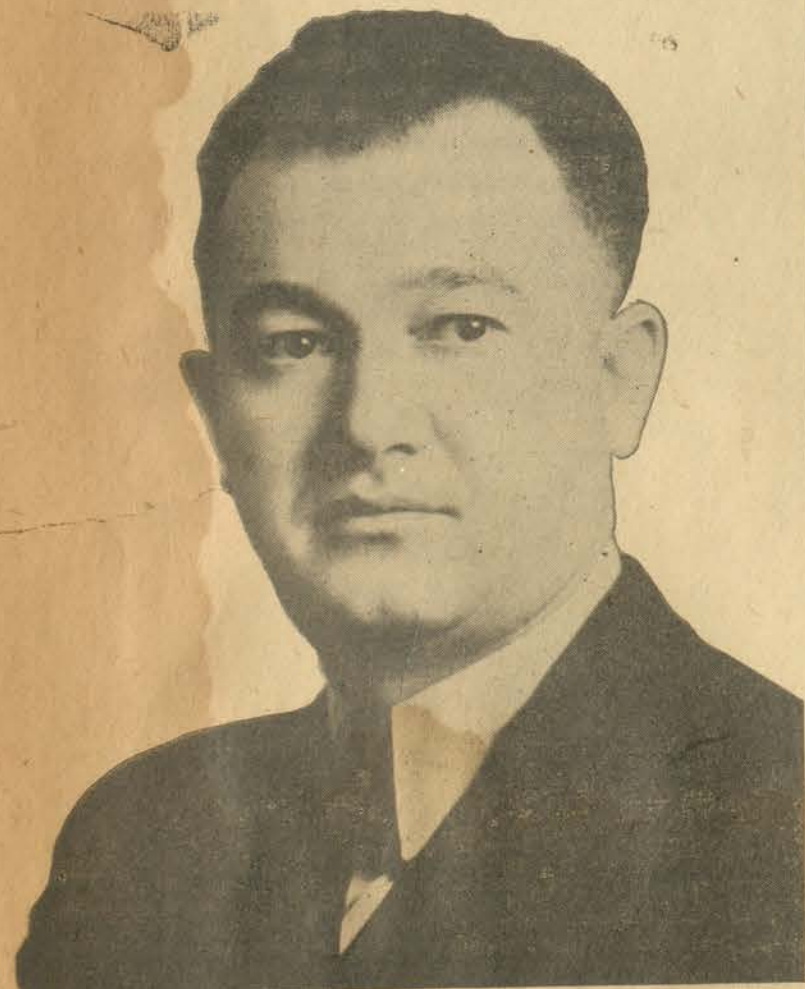
Fathers, Mothers, Brothers, Sisters . .

WHY EVERY BELIEVER IN FAIR PLAY AND GOOD GOVERNMENT SHOULD VOTE FOR JARVIS ALLEN FOR COUNTY CLERK



1. His character is unimpeachable and he has every qualification for the office.
2. He has never before asked the people for anything.
3. He will never ask the people to keep him in office to the exclusion of all other deserving young men and women. Instead, he insists that no one man is indispensable and that "turn about" is not only fair play but also a cardinal principle of democratic living.
4. As a wounded veteran, he represents the youth of Floyd county who went to war for us all. For the voters to deny him and perpetuate in office a wealthy man who has for 16 years been honored by them would be a slap in the face to all other veterans who ask a chance to serve the people in some position other than on the firing line.
5. He is not able to do manual labor, but can handle the affairs of the County Clerk's office efficiently and honestly.

And because we all vowed, while the boys were fighting, that "nothing we can do is too good for them"—and we must not forget . . . (Pol. adv.)



TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE 96th LEGISLATIVE DIST.:

As your present Representative, I am not ashamed for you to see my record. I invite your close inspection of my every act as your Representative. I have constantly worked for Education and higher salaries for our teachers, help which they so deservingly need. If you will help to return me for two more years, I will continue to work for your interests. I want every merchant and laboring man to know I am against any form of Sales Tax. Our business and money must not be forced to leave Kentucky. I am the first Representative ever in the Kentucky Legislature to introduce a bill for the poor and afflicted people who are suffering from Tuberculosis. I will never stop until these five new hospitals are completed. I ask the people to return me for two years to finish the job that I have started for you. To each of my friends, individually, I extend my thanks for what you have done for me in the past, and I assure you I will continue to be grateful.

BILL BIGGERS,
No. 1 on Democratic Ballot

(Pol. adv.)



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HONOR FREDDY JAMES

Laura Virginia Roberts, Emma L. Patrick and Polly Allen were joint-hostesses to a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patrick, honoring Freddy James prior to his departure Tuesday for the navy. The following attended: Charlotte Salisbury, Barbie May, Barbara Allen, Betty Davis, Sylvia Helen Davis, Doris Ann Clark, Emmalene Hall, Berniece Boyd, Doris Hall, Sharon Bradley, Theda B. Thomas, Joan Homes, Hubbard Francis, Jr., Jack Ray Hall, Charles Crum, Jr., Sam Stumbo, Charles Tackett, Harris Howard, James May, Cliff Latta, Jr., Barkley Sturgill, Tommy Blackburn, Freddy James, and Emma Archer, of Paintsville.

Miss Lorraine Smith has returned from Baltimore and New York, where she spent her vacation with her two brothers and their families.

Mrs. W. B. Gatewood, of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest here of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Combs, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb and daughter, Terry Lee, and Mrs. T. T. Webb have returned from Huntington where they visited Mrs. Webb's son.

O. E. S. INITIATION

Monday evening, Aug. 27, will be a red letter day for Adah Chapter, No. 24, Order Eastern Star, one of the oldest chapters in Kentucky. On that date at the Masonic hall, Prestonsburg, 19 candidates will receive degrees of the order at 8 p. m. This is the largest class in the history of the chapter.

At the close of the evening a covered dish dinner will be served. All members of the order are invited to attend and bring whatever they desire. At this time the chapter will also celebrate the birthday of Dr. Rob Morris, founder of the order.

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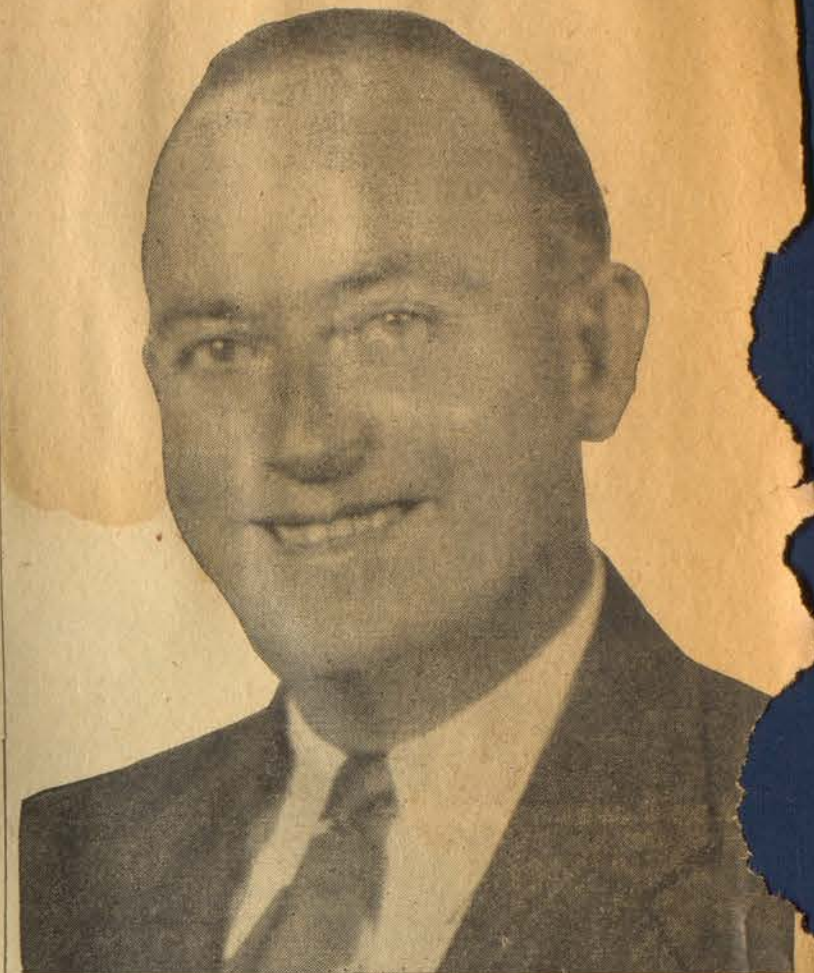
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TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:



This is my final statement to you before the primary election. You have two men as candidates to choose from as to who will be in charge of the law enforcement of your county for the next four years—Taylor Stumbo and myself. We both have served you as Sheriff and from our records and acts I am asking you to make your choice.

I promised you two years ago that if you would elect me I would be sober, honest, fair and friendly. I promise you that I would appoint sober Deputy Sheriffs. I promise you that I would safeguard and protect your schools, churches and property with SOBER men that the law-abiding citizens would have respect for. This I have done the very best I could. I may have made some mistakes, no man is perfect and he makes mistakes in private life, and we certainly may as public officials, but I have corrected them as quickly as I could.

I am trying as best I can to live both as a private citizen and public official a life that my family and my friends will be proud of. The people of the city of Prestonsburg will tell you that when it is possible I take my family in a body to church, and I am proud that my neighbors who know me best and know my family best will go to the polls and cast their votes for me. My ambition is to serve you and help you make Floyd county a better place in which to live and bring up your children. I am more anxious, as all parents are, to have my boys and girls go out in life as honorable, useful men and women.

This is the most serious time, and should be given the most serious thoughts, than ever in our history. Hundreds of boys will be coming home, not as they left, but wounded, nervous and wrecked. These boys must be taken care of, with officers who are SOBER, kind and patient. We can not do this with drunken officers who believe in using pistols, clubs and abuse. They have seen and had enough of this on the battlefields of this war. I promise each and every one of you that your boys will be treated with patience, kindness and fairness.

I do not want to and will not go into the record of my opponent as an officer or as a citizen. You all know his record as Sheriff of this county. He tells you on all his advertising that he will do the job. You know the kind of a job he did do. He says he will lead his men and go in front, as if we're going into battle. I hope and pray that the condition will never come in this county when a bunch of men will have to be led by a leader to enforce the law. This is not my idea of law enforcement and it is not YOURS. I still say kindness and good treatment is better than shooting and killing.

My final appeal to you is to search our records and think seriously upon our records, and from those records make your decisions.

If I have made you the kind of an officer during this short term that you think this county should have, I think I should be nominated for the long term. I have no doubt as to what a large majority of the voters will do on next Saturday, and that I will be nominated by an overwhelming majority.

I thank you for your friendship and support in the past and appreciate with all my heart your interest in this race. Again let me say that the reports that are being made by my opposition that I am lined up with any candidate is FALSE and for the purpose to deceive you.

Your Friend,

(Pol. adv.)

TROY B. STURGILL

VOTE FOR

DAVID B. LESLIE, Jr.
—FOR—
JAILER

I am making an appeal to all my friends and relatives to help and vote for me for Jailer for one term only.

The family names of my great-aunts and uncles are as follows:

Gearheart, Spurlock, Harris, Fitzpatrick, Stratton, Martin, Halbert, Whitten, Johns, Layne, Nesbitt, Morgan, Trimble, Mayo, Patton, Merritt, Branham, Allen, Leslie, Fairchild, Clark, Young, Burchett, Bevins, Deskins, Maynard, Williamson, Vaughan, Auxier, May and Hurt. (Pol. adv.)

Wives, Sweethearts and Friends...



**VOTE FOR
JOHN CHRIS CORNETT
—FOR—
COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY**

Dear Friends:

This campaign is drawing to a close. I have shown you that I am a good worker and a hard fighter. I will continue in this way as Commonwealth's Attorney. Please help me to be elected.

My opponent says that I am not qualified. After attending Caney Junior College, I graduated from Morehead, did graduate work at Western. I then received my education in law at the University of Kentucky, and at Cumberland University. These are two well recognized law schools. You know the reputation of our own Kentucky College of Law. Many prominent men, including Cordell Hull, received their legal education at the Cumberland University School of Law.

I have not practiced law as long as my opponent, but I am qualified under our Kentucky Constitution and the laws thereof. I have represented numerous clients in many kinds of cases in court, including felonies, misdemeanors, civil suits and compensation cases. I have been successful. I have never had a client to be dissatisfied with my legal work for them nor to accuse me of doing them wrong. There will not be any criminal cases in our courts that will be too difficult for me to handle. Unless you should out of respect for someone so desire, it will never be necessary for you to hire an attorney to help me prosecute any case, nor will it be necessary for you to hire an attorney to watch me in order to see that I don't lay down on you or sell you out. You give me the honor and opportunity to serve this district as Commonwealth's Attorney, and with the help of God, and with your help, I will strive with every ounce of my mind, heart and soul to serve you well.

Please don't be subuded by a sympathetic appeal for your support for such a high and important office as Commonwealth's Attorney, and don't let geography have anything to do with your selection of this officer. I will treat you kind. I will be accommodating and helpful. I will be honest and fair to all. By my conduct you will soon forget what I have been your next door neighbor.

I appreciate the kindness that you have shown me in this campaign. I hope that the majority of the people of Floyd and Knott counties will do the best thing for us all on August 4.

May God be with you as you perform this duty to Our District and Our Country.

Your friend,
JOHN CHRIS CORNETT

(Pol. adv.)

NOTICE

Lawrence Keathley is applying for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package in his location on U.S. 23, approximately 1/2 mile south of the East Point bridge, East Point, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 8-2-2t

Mrs. George Cohen and children, Claire and Robert, of Mt. Sterling, and Miss Anna Martin were luncheon guests of Mrs. A. J. Davidson Saturday.

Patrick Henry Vincent

of Ashland, Ky., a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals. I am a graduate of the University of Kentucky and have been a practicing attorney since 1923. My experience—one term in the Kentucky Legislature and one term as County Judge of Boyd county, with my training—qualifies me for the office. My name will appear first on the ballot. Your support and influence in the primary and in November will be appreciated. (Pol. adv.)

WANT-ADS

Call HESTER COLEMAN, Pikeville, Ky., Tel. 364 for Spencer Corsets and surgical supplies. 7-26-4t1pd.

FOR SALE—1938 Dodge sedan, radio and heater. Good tires \$500 cash. CARL CORBIN, City. 7-26-2t-pd.

FOR RENT—storehouse with five showcases, adding machine, cash register, cook stove, two heaters, located directly in front of C. & O. depot at Martin and an excellent store location. I also have two furnished rooms for rent to married couple. Only good, moral tenants desired. MRS. SIDNEY DINGUS, Martin, Ky. 7-26-3t

FOR SALE—64-acre farm, new 4-room log cabin, good outbuildings. Soft water and all kinds fruit trees. Near defense plant. MRS. FLOYD MURRAY, RFD, Ray, O.

FOR SALE—house and lot, lower Prestonsburg, near Middle Creek bridge. \$3,000 cash. See MRS. DENVER CRABTREE, 7-26-2t-pd.

WANTED—mechanic for garage work. Apply, LACKEY MOTOR CO., Phone 36-J Lackey, Ky. 7-26-3t.

FOR SALE—250 eight-week-old pigs. Few large shoats. Have been inoculated. Can ship anywhere. HERB W. EVERHART, Kearneyville, W. Va. 7-19-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—2 1941 K-S-6 2-ton International trucks, long wheel base with winches. 1 Ford 1940, 1 1/2-ton truck, cab over engine. 1 model MW Allis-Chalmers tractor with winch. See or call ISHMAEL GIBSON, Phone 18-W, Dema, Ky. 7-19-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—house and lot, Richmond street. See R. TAYLOR, Third st., City. 7-26-2t-pd.

WANTED—man, 18 to 28, to work in dental laboratory. See DAVE STEPHENS, City. 1t

FOR SALE—electric fan, marble top dresser, 3-piece davenport suite, 1 bedroom suite, 1 baby buggy, 1 nursery chair, 1 baby swing, 1 glider. JAMES P. ALLEN, Mayo Trail, Prestonsburg, opposite Greenwade's. 8-2-4t-pd.

NOTICE TO RECRUITING OFFICERS: If boy named Harry Lent tries to enlist, please send him home. He's only 12, but solid and husky as an eighteen yearer, because he's always eating those energy-packin', malty-rich, sweet-as-a-nut Grape-Nuts. H. Lent, Sr.

FOR SALE—16-gauge Marlin pump gun. Works like new. OSCAR RICHARDSON, West Prestonsburg. 1t-pd.

FOR SALE—2 piano boxes. \$2 each. E. B. BROWN, City. 8-2-tf.

BABE IS VICTIM

John Riley Nunnery, nine-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nunnery, Prestonsburg, died at the Paintsville hospital Saturday. Funeral rites were conducted from the residence of the parents on Third avenue Sunday morning, the Revs. W. B. Garriott and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial in the family plot in the Porter cemetery here was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home. Besides the parents, one brother, James H. Nunnery, Jr., survives.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: I will no longer be responsible for any debts incurred by any person other than myself on or after July 16, 1945. 8-2-2t OLIVER ELAM

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR TAXES?

I assume you have and if so, do you know what goes with your money? The four Magistrates to be nominated and elected this year, together with your County Judge, have the exclusive power to handle every cent of money you pay into the treasury of Floyd county. Therefore, you should think seriously before voting to nominate your Magistrate. It is a most important office, and requires your serious consideration.

I have served you as Magistrate in District One for the past four years. Your county fiscal affairs are in the best condition they have been in for many years. Not a single claim was unpaid on June 30, 1945, at the close of the last fiscal year. The county has \$90,000 in government bonds, on which it is receiving interest. It also has over \$25,000 in cash in the bond account. Your taxes can be reduced at any time. With the floating debt paid in full, and the county discounting its bills, and paying cash for all services to the county, we are now in position to do much more on roads than has been possible in the past.

Do you want a continuation of this kind of management? This is for you to decide. I have been tried, and am running solely upon my record. You may be a special friend to one of my opponents, and want to vote for such a friend. But do you think he will serve you as I have? I have been successful with my own affairs, and with your county affairs.

I promise you a continuation of the services I have been giving you. GLENN BURCHETT

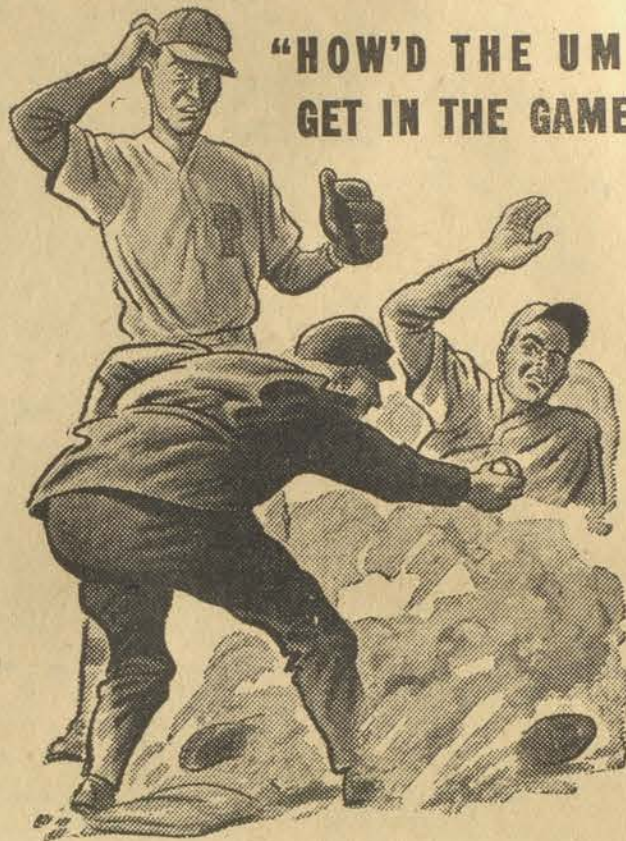


**Voters of
Magisterial District
Number 1:**

In asking you for your support for Magistrate, I do so with the knowledge that you expect and deserve the best from any man. About 13 years ago I was injured in the coal mines so severely that I have since had to walk on a crutch. I know the hardships of the common laboring man and know what it is to work and plan to make an honest living, even after I had been almost killed in the mines. Experience from several years as a taxi driver, business man and coal miner give me a knowledge of what a man should be and do as Magistrate. I sincerely hope that you can give me the opportunity to serve you and I can only promise TO BE READY AND WILLING TO SERVE YOU AT ALL TIMES TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY.

Thankfully yours,

(Pol. adv.) **DENZIL WHITTEN**
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"HOW'D THE UMP GET IN THE GAME?"

WHETHER it's baseball or business, Americans expect fair play all the way.

In baseball, the umpire sees to it that the game is played according to the rules. But he is *not* a player.

In business, government should be the umpire who enforces fair rules.

But when government goes into business and competes with its own citizens, the American tradition of fair play is set aside. The umpire then becomes a player, and he enjoys advantages that are denied to all the other players.

For example, *government and municipal power-plants are not required to pay federal taxes; often get money from the U. S. Treasury at little or no interest; make up losses out of the pockets of the taxpayers.*

Maybe you run a store or service station or beauty shop. Would you like to have a next-door competitor who has little or no rent, or taxes, or interest to pay, and who is kept in business partly by *your* tax money?

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TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:



As a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of this county, I stand on my record as a peace officer and former Sheriff.

In all my years as an officer I have never oppressed any man or woman. When elected Sheriff, I will oppress no person then.

I will enforce the law, always using a sound judgment gained from experience and from my acquaintance with practically every family and every community in Floyd county where I was born, reared and lived all my life.

As Sheriff I will go anywhere I am called to enforce the law and protect your homes, churches and schools. I never have, and never will, send a deputy where I would not myself go. As Sheriff, I will lead the way.

When your taxes are due, I or one of my deputies will come to your homes to collect. You will not have to pay expenses to and from Prestonsburg to pay taxes for the upkeep of government.

My past record is such that even my enemies have privately admitted I was the best Sheriff Floyd county ever had.

When the boys come home after serving their country in this war, they will find me their best and most understanding friend. Two of my own boys are in uniform and I pray—as every father and mother prays—they, too, will be coming back.

I ask that each of you consider these matters and cast your vote for me at the primary, August 4.

Your friend,

(Pol. adv.) **TAYLOR STUMBO**

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THE VETERANS SPEAK!

Since he announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk, Jarvis Allen has received numerous letters from Servicemen in this country and from practically every part of the world. Such letters still are coming—all wishing Jarvis well, all hoping their "Buddy" in his attempt to have a part in the government of his and their home county. Some of the boys' addresses have changed since these letters were written, some of them have won promotions. Some have received discharges. Some may have been killed.

Following are excerpts from a number of these letters (the original letters may be inspected by any interested person):

From Polk Saunders, petty officer, U.S. Navy: "Having associated with Jarvis Allen since my first year in high school and through three years of college, I highly recommend him as an honest, sober and capable man for the office he is seeking. I appeal to my many friends to cast their vote for him. . . . I consider it an honor and a privilege to recommend one who has served his people so well."

From Pvt. Robie Skeans, APO

469, New York: . . . "From personal experience I have a good idea what you've been through, and this gives the people of our county a chance to show their appreciation. . . . I think it would be only a small payment on the debt we all owe you. . . ."

From S/Sgt. Mathus Salisbury, APO 5, New York, N.Y.: "I can't think of any one who has more honestly earned the right or who is more prepared for the job than you are. You answered the call to arms like any good and true citizen would have done and carried the war to the enemy. . . . I have been on the front for eleven months and no one could more appreciate the fine work done by you and your buddies in the air corps. I have seen my buddies pray and cry when they would see the American Air Force overhead. Although I have been lucky and have avoided being wounded or injured, I fully realize how it is to be wounded and disabled. . . . I am sure you are the man for County Court Clerk and I feel sure every man and woman will feel the same way and will want to have you elected. For I and every other Serviceman can feel sure that you will do all that you can for us when we do get home again and. . . live a normal life again as every one of us would like to be doing this very minute. . . ."

From Richard King, APO 3, New York, N.Y.: "I am writing my father and mother. . . as a veteran of this war, I hope you will be our next County Court Clerk."

From Pfc. Russell Crum, APO 45, New York, N.Y.: . . . "I honestly believe that you know what us boys want when we come home and I am prepared to back you up in your campaign. . . . I hope to see you in office."

Cpl. Willard Blackburn, APO 782, New York, N.Y.: "I hope I'm on my way home by the time you receive this. . . . I'll be glad to help you."

Pfc. Arley Boyd, in Austria: . . . "I hope that you will be serving us as County Clerk when we all get home. . . . I feel that you should have the office, for you have been through it all and know what a serviceman's life is and will know how to serve him when he gets home. . . . I wish you the best of luck. . . ."

Pfc. Ray Howard, Germany: "I sincerely believe that all servicemen should have their chance to earn a living. . . . Let's both say this—we will do our best against any odds. I am proud to be of service to you and help you. Good luck, Soldier!"

Sgt. Herbert Prater, APO 853, Miami, Fla.: "The mere knowledge that you were in the race was enough for me. How could I do otherwise? . . . I've reached the conclusion that your plea for the support of the people will serve as a test of their faith and gratitude. Do you see what I mean? Well, they have a chance to express their gratitude and at the same time make a choice in a matter that undoubtedly deserves consideration. In case they don't know about the life of a service man, then it's high time they were becoming oriented on that score. . . ."

Cpl. Wannie Hale, Pisa, Italy: "I feel that you have done your part as a soldier and I'm sure you know what a combat soldier wants when he returns to civilian life. I feel sure the people back home will give you their support. . . ."

Cpl. Philip Newsome, Ft. McClelland, Ala.: . . . "I am glad you are making the race for County Court Clerk and I sure hope you can be elected, regardless of the money that will be spent against you. . . . I think it is time for all the people of Floyd county to get behind you and give you a chance in this life. . . . You are entitled to the office and I think the fathers and mothers of our county should get behind you. Enough of them have boys, both dead and alive, to know what it is for their sons to return and ask for help. . . ."

Cpl. Franklin C. Allen, in Austria: "I am sorry that I may not be there to help you in the election. . . . May I wish you luck and victory. . . ."

Cpl. Kermit D. Cavins, Welch Convalescent Hospital, Daytona Beach, Fla.: "As you were in the service and had so many hardships. . . . I can understand that we need some one like ourselves in such an office. I will be more than glad to do whatever I can for you in some small way. . . . Here is hoping you are elected by a great majority. . . ."

Pfc. Seabirt Clifton, Tepl, Germany: "You have served your country and served it well. It is now time for the people of our good county of Floyd to show their appreciation. . . . I am sure you have the support and backing of the people of Floyd county and I know all servicemen or ex-servicemen will support you to the limit. I know of no man more worthy or deserving the office than a man who has seen the combat service you have. . . ."

From Cpl. Walvist Reynolds, APO 705, San Francisco: "I will do everything I possibly can to help you in your election. . . . I sure hope to see you soon and wish you the best of luck."

TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY: I recommend to you the Prestonsburg General Hospital in both its medical and surgical work as the best in the valley. The nursing service is wonderful. I know these statements to be true from my own experience while in the hospital after a serious operation.

It MRS. GEORGE NELSON

BIRTH OF SON Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters, Jr. of Dayton, Ohio, announce the birth of a son, on Monday, July 23. The babe has been named Arthur L. Peters, III. Mrs. Peters is the former Miss Myrtle Branham, daughter of Mrs. Mabel Branham, of Prestonsburg.

STAFF SERGEANT BROWNIE HICKS



—for— REPRESENTATIVE 96TH DISTRICT

Five years in the infantry and air corps—therefore I shall be for any legislation beneficial to the returning soldiers.

Good Roads—My father has been engineer for the Department of Highways for the past seven years, giving me a special interest in roads of our district. My father was also a country school teacher for five years and has always stressed the need of improvement of the schools and the lot of the teachers. Therefore, I shall stand for any improvements or increases to the schools and the teachers, especially those of the country.

Miners—If you will look back you will find my father as financial secretary of a local back in 1919 even before they were recognized and also as a charter member of Local No. 5900. Without the coal that you have mined, we, as soldiers, could not have won the battles as we did during the 2 1/2 years I was overseas. Although I was seriously wounded by shrapnel and machine gunfire, I am still able to put up some fight, and I hope that you will allow me to do this for you in the next Legislature.

I have nothing to say against my opponents and am leaving our race to your choice. Thank you. (Pol. adv.)

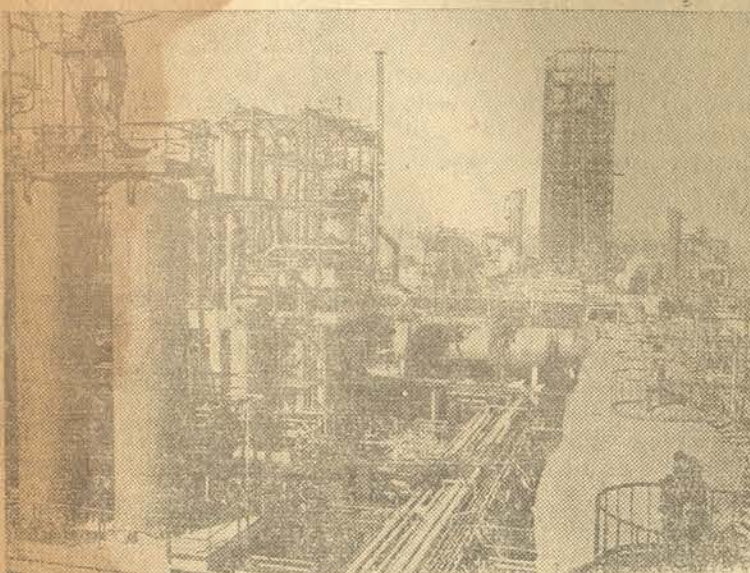
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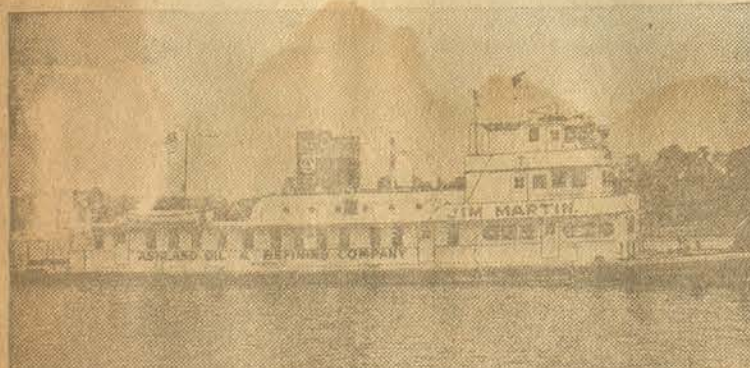
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What the People of Floyd County Need in a Jailer

Guy Horn

TRIED AND PROVEN TRUE

It is not what I want or what any other candidate wants that will mean something for Floyd county during the next four years. The important thing in this race for Jailer is WHAT THE PEOPLE NEED.

As I see the matter, Floyd county needs a Jailer who will take care for the jail, treat the prisoners as human beings, feed them well, care for them, receive their friends and relatives in a friendly spirit, keep the jail and its surroundings clean and, generally speaking, give the jail and the courthouse an air of cleanliness and decency.

I am willing to leave it to the good citizens of this county how nearly I have come to doing these very things during the last four years.

As Jailer, I have made a little money. I have worked to serve the people, all of them, as they deserve to be treated and have placed the money-making angle last.

When your boys left for pre-induction or induction in the armed forces, I had many of them served coffee at the bus station in Prestonsburg. On their return, many of them, unable to get home after arriving in Prestonsburg late at night, were my guests and were treated to my best. These things I did at my expense and not at the county's. These things I did because I wanted to befriend the boys.

You surely have no desire to see the county jail become a place of squalor and filth, the prisoners' beds infested by bugs and roaches, their food unfit to eat. Surely you do not want the jail to become a place for drinking and carousing, a place where public worship could not be held and where decent men and women would be afraid to visit.

I do not say my opponents would permit the jail to fall to this low estate, but I would remind you that such things are possible. And I assure you that while I am Jailer the same kindness to prisoners, that I have always extended, the same friendliness to all, the same open-handed hospitality will be my rule and practice.

These are things to which I invite the attention of every citizen, especially the fathers and mothers. When your boys return home from war, they will need to be treated with kindness and forbearance. They will need friendly hands to help them over the hard places. You know what my record has been in the past and you can be assured it will be even better in the future.

The safe thing to do is to give me your vote August 4 and be assured of a Jailer who has had experience and whose record no man can say one word against.

Your friend,

GUY HORN

NUMBER 3 ON DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

Don't forget their Wounded "Buddy"—

FINAL APPEAL



Good Enough 'Over There'
Then Good Enough Here!



I was good enough to drive a tank for Floyd county and all Amerca "Over There," and, too, it wasn't too much for me to lose a leg "Over There."

Now, am I good enough to serve you people of Floyd county as your Jailer?

We needed Super-Men "Over There" but none of us were Super-Men. We were only poor, suffering humans. Bullets stopped us, just like they did the enemy.

Do we need "Super-Men" here at home, in the courthouse and the jail?

With all the sincerity in my being, I tell you—I can and will handle that jail and treat the prisoners as well as any man ever did or ever will.

Vote for me, please.

EVERETTE COLLINS
(Who left a leg in Africa)
(Pol. adv.)

VOTE FOR
CAPT. EUGENE SILER



of Williamsburg, Whitley county, for
JUDGE OF THE COURT
OF APPEALS

Seventh Appellate District
PRIMARY, AUG. 4, 1945

Final Election November 6, 1945

When Might had almost destroyed Right, when night had almost blotted out the light of the world, when horror gripped the hearts of men—we, your American soldiers and sailors, left our homes and families and offered everything we had for our country.

I was in the U.S. Army 27 months and just recently returned home—and I was in the First World War.

You said we could have jobs and places when we returned. I believe you meant exactly what you said.

Therefore, I am asking you to remember me at the primary on August 4, 1945, and then at the Final Election on November 6, 1945. Your support will be appreciated.

EUGENE SILER
(Captain, U.S. Army, Inactive)
(Pol. adv.)

ASK VOTES FOR LESLIE

We are making an earnest appeal for our parents, relatives and friends to support David B. Leslie, Jr. for jailer.

Signed by ex-servicemen or men in the army—

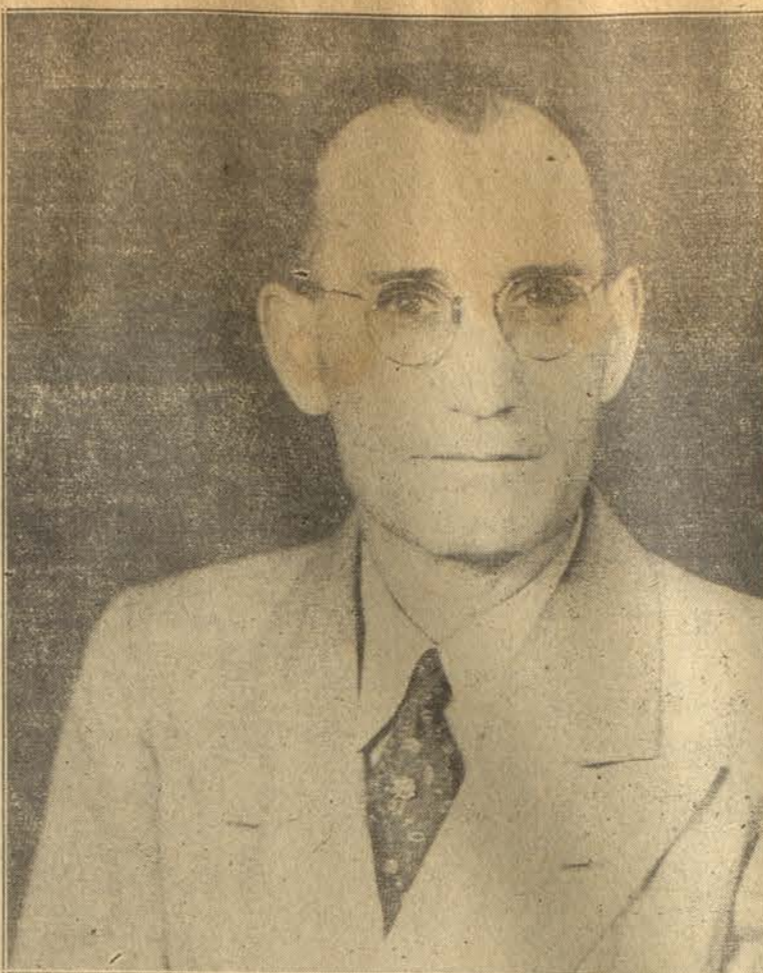
- THOMAS D. HACKWORTH
- BROADUS SPEARS
- OSCAR WALKER
- JOE WALKER
- DARWIN L. LAYNE
- SHIRLEY LEWIS
- JAMES M. DANIELS
- EDGAR LESLIE
- JAMES BREWER

(Pol. adv.)

Miss Jennette Ford, of Elkhorn City, was the week-end guest here of Miss Margerita Branham.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Hall, of Ewing, Ky., were guests here Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall.

WHY TAKE A CHANCE?



Why would any of my neighbors vote against me and for a man from Mallie, Ky? They ONLY know him in his "ELECTIONEERING" mood and of course he wears his BEST smiles then. Naturally, he makes himself as pleasant as possible. But, friends! that "ELECTIONEERING" pleasantness may not last 365 days a year.

I have lived among and mingled with you for 23 years. My children have all gone through school right here along with many of yours. They have played ball with YOUR BOYS. They are now on the "Team" with YOUR BOYS over yonder, and because of all these things, you know and have known me and my family not only in our "ELECTIONEERING" mood, but you have known us 365 DAYS A YEAR.

Knowing me, therefore, as you do, and not knowing my opponent but slightly. I repeat, WHY TAKE A CHANCE?

I have no idea you'll ever again see my name on a ballot. I'm not as young, robust and vigorous as I used to be, but in this, what I'm constrained to think of as my last appeal to my people for their vote of confidence and appreciation of me, I'd like their serious thought, meditations and earnest prayers for enlightenment on the things herein discussed before they cast their votes.

In conclusion, neighbors, may I express to you my undying faith in your good judgment upon this race?

SINCERELY YOUR NEIGHBOR,

JOE P. TACKETT

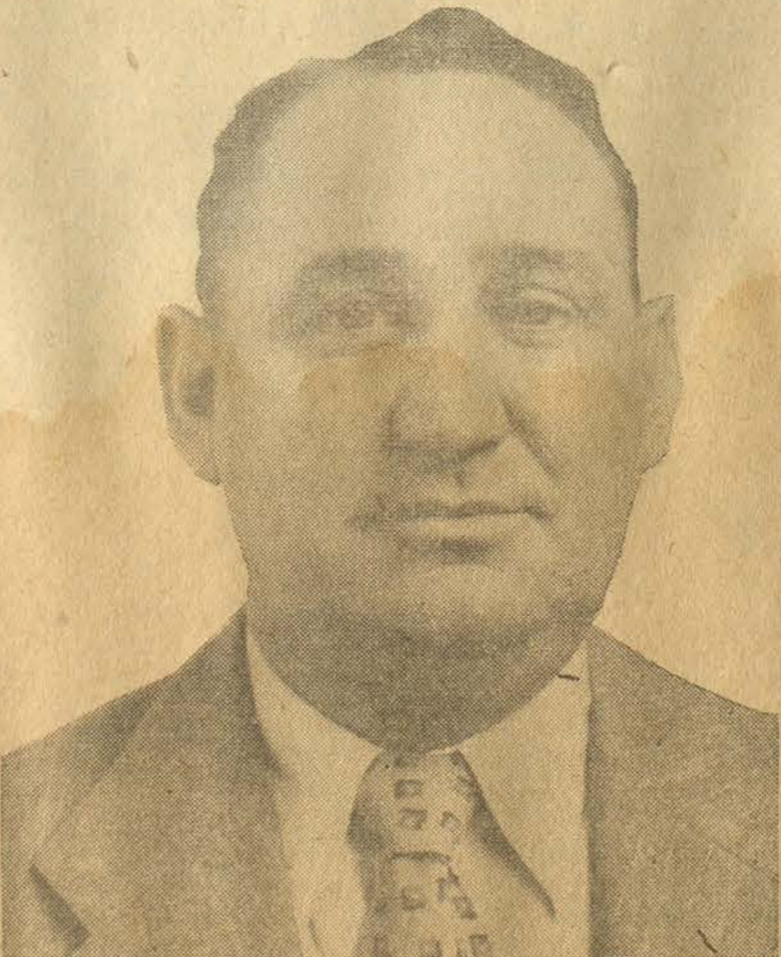
P.S. My opponent has LATELY adopted the slogan, "Not always seeking office," notwithstanding the fact that he is now making his FIFTH campaign since 1937. "Consistency, thou art a jewel."

(Pol. adv.)

J.P.T.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

97th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT



COLUMBUS COMPTON

NO. 2 ON DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

It is better to have a platform than no record or platform either.
(Pol. adv.)

BROWNIE HICKS



—FOR—

REPRESENTATIVE

96TH DISTRICT

FRIENDS AND VOTERS:

I entered the race for Representative of this district with the thought of being clean throughout the race, and I still feel that way about it. I will be unable to see any of you before the primary because of the fact that, just a few days ago, I had two of the bullets removed from my body which I received in Italy while fighting for our country and I must protect my health by staying in the hospital a few days longer.

However, there are a few things that have been printed which I feel should be answered and while some of them may not have been meant for me, they hit a tender spot. I do not know who the COMMITTEE OF SERVICE MEN are but feel that they are some one that have never had on a uniform or that they should have been court-martialed before leaving the service. DID THEY EVER SEE THE PICTURE, "SGT. YORK?" WHICH ONE OF THEM WOULD NOT TAKE THE BONUS, OR COMPENSATION ALLOWED THEM UNDER THE G.I. BILL OF RIGHTS? This bill was passed for them because of their having worn the uniform and because of their having an army record. They know that they are wrong in this because the uniform does not always make the man, for if so no one need have been classed 4-F. Fact is, there are many magnificent soldiers who never had on a uniform. 4-F's and over-age men who went into the mines to keep the coal coming to them who were doing so well in all the factories, and all the women who were doing such swell jobs all over the country.

Now I have been in the army for five years, I feel proud of my record. I have fought alongside your sons, saw some of my home county comrades wounded and some killed and was severely wounded myself, and then I come home and find someone who will not sign their names, trying to place my uniform and my war record between me and my right to run for office.

And contrary to what my opponent, Mr. Wallace, tells you, my father worked as a miner for seven years and as a teacher five years and I am not now hiding behind a gas pump. I only partially completed my education but I can make myself understood in four languages and I believe that is enough to make myself understood in the next Legislature. Nominate and elect me as your next REPRESENTATIVE and I shall vote as follows: For any legislation beneficial to the returning soldier or the miner; for any legislation beneficial to the people as a whole; for any increase in the pay of teachers; for an increase in OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The above can be done under the present tax structure. THEREFORE, I SHALL BE AGAINST ANY SALES TAX LAW WHICH MAY BE OFFERED. FATHERS, MOTHERS, think it over. If you want your boy to have a chance when he returns home, start the ball rolling by giving us a chance now. You'll find my name sixth on the ticket (LAST). Vote thus:

S/SGT. BROWNIE HICKS...

Thank you.

(Pol. adv.)



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JARVIS ALLEN for COUNTY CLERK

To the Voters of Floyd County:



If nominated and elected, and I am confident I will be, I promise you the same faithful, efficient, courteous administration I have given in the past.

We can only judge the future by the past.

(Pol. adv.)

Your friend,
BANNER MEADE

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., AUG. 2-3—
"Guest in the House"
Anne Baxter, Ralph Bellamy,
Popular Science.
Matinees—1:30 p.m.
Nights—7:15 p.m. and 9:02 p.m.

SATURDAY—
Tickets may be bought at any time
between 11:02 a.m. and 1:12 p.m.—
"Oregon Trail"
Sunset Carson, Peggy Stewart.
Serial—
"The Purple Monster Strikes."

SATURDAY—
3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—
"Castle of Crimes"
Kenneth Kent, Diana Churchill,
Shorts.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Conflict"
Humphrey Bogart, Alexis Smith,
Sidney Greenstreet.
News.
Comedy—"The Unwelcome Guest."
Sunday matinees—1:01 p.m. and
2:45 p.m.
Monday matinee—1:30 p.m.
Nights—7:15 p.m. and 8:45 p.m.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"Within These Walls"
Thomas Mitchell, Mary Anderson,
New Short.
Matinees—1:30 p.m.
Nights—7:15 p.m. and 8:36 p.m.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD AND KNOTT COUNTIES:



Do you want a Circuit Judge who will be lenient to your boys who are returning from the armed services, and who will advise and counsel with them during the period of their readjustment to civilian life?

Do you want a Circuit Judge who will be interested in all the people, and not a select few?

Do you want a Circuit Judge who will not change his mind by reason of some pressure group or individual?

Do you want a Circuit Judge who will hear each and every litigant's cause, then with due consideration render his decision, after which you can rest assured such decision will not be changed or taken back?

Do you want a Circuit Judge who knows the common man's problems and the hardships he encounters, by reason of experience of his own?

Do you want a Circuit Judge who knows the people of both Floyd and Knott counties?

Do you want a man for Circuit Judge who has always kept his promises heretofore and will continue to keep his word in every respect in the future?

Do you want a man for Circuit Judge who is the same out of election as in—who knows you every day without show or display and who is ready and willing to accommodate you at all times?

If you want a man who stands for all of these—then vote and work for

JOHN ALLEN for Circuit Judge

(Pol. adv.)

My Final Appeal to My Friends and Supporters



The primary election campaign is drawing to a close and I want to express to you all my deep gratitude for the wonderful support and encouragement you have been kind enough to give me in my race for County Judge.

This encouragement has extended throughout the county, except at Wheelwright where the Inland Steel Corporation's management always leaves most candidates in doubt.

I have always been fair and the record of cases I have tried will so show. Practically all the cases appealed from the Circuit Court in the Judicial District which I have served for the last six years have been affirmed by the Court of Appeals, and only one case from Knott county has been reversed—which, I submit, is a record. So I must have used good judgment. I am independent and cannot be swayed from the true course of my duty as I see it—and that policy I will continue to follow.

Eight years ago, I made the race for County Judge and Wheelwright was set against me. For whom, you all know. Six years ago, I made the race for Circuit Judge and again Wheelwright was set up against me. And now again when I am making the race for County Judge, I am up against the organization again in the same precinct. Sometimes the Big Boss leaves on election day, but the guilty flee when no one pursueth. What is the use to lock the door when the horse is stolen?

WHY? IS IT BECAUSE I CAN'T BE HANDLED? IF THERE IS NOT SOME ULTERIOR MOTIVE, SOME ONE WITH A CLOSER UNDERSTANDING OF THE MOTIVES OF THIS BIG CORPORATION OR WITH A MORE INTIMATE KNOWLEDGE OF THE MANAGEMENT'S MENTAL PROCESSES WILL HAVE TO SUPPLY THE ANSWER.

I know I have many good friends and supporters in Wheelwright who cannot be dictated to, and to men and women such as these I am appealing for a fair deal. The working man is reminded that it is all right with the Corporation if it can get by on taxes and that it does not mind a bit to pass the tax burden on to the little man.

I have always overcome such opposition by appealing to the common people, for the great mass of ordinary citizens do the voting and they cannot be fooled. If he had not so valiantly carried his cause to the great masses of the common people, the late President Roosevelt would never have been elected. You all know what the big corporations would have done to him.

In Prestonsburg a small part of the so-called "Upper-Crust" of Society has taken time off from tea to parade around over the county against me, uttering unusual statements about me, which they have a right to do, as anything

(Pol. adv.)

NAVY VETERAN APPEALS FOR SUPPORT OF ALLEN

As the final days of the primary campaign draw near, I wish to make an earnest plea to the families and friends of our servicemen to give all their support to our disabled veteran friend, Jarvis Allen, for County Clerk.

I never had to jump, as did Jarvis Allen, from a burning plane but after making 11 trips across the At-

lantic, my ship was sunk during the Normandy invasion. I was among the lucky ones, and, being a disabled ex-serviceman, I as well as many others know the hardships our "Buddies" go through and also the difficulties of getting back to civilian life and civilian life.

Jarvis Allen fought and risked his life not only for himself but for every American as well. He did not wait to be drafted. He volunteered as did many of your sons, husbands and sweethearts. Don't you as fellow Americans think that casting your vote on August 4 for Jarvis Allen, a deserving fellow, is very "little sacrifice" for all he has done for each of us?

You elected your present Clerk 16 years ago. Jarvis isn't asking for this office for 16 years but for just one term.

Give our fighting men a chance and cast your vote on August 4 for Jarvis Allen for County Clerk.
(Pol. adv.) CLYDE E. HALE

Mrs. J. D. Mayo and Mrs. W. P. Mayo are spending the week in Louisville.

COUNTY ATTORNEY



WOODROW BURCHETT

If you want a County Attorney that is an experienced lawyer and qualified to look after the affairs of your county, and who has had more than 10 years experience in the actual practice of law;

Who is capable of representing the people in the problems that will arise;

Who is always sober and on the job, ready, willing and able to serve and accommodate you,

VOTE FOR
WOODROW BURCHETT
FOR
COUNTY ATTORNEY

(Pol. adv.)

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY—
"What a Blonde"
Leon Errol, Ann Borg.

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—
"Sheriff of Las Vegas"
"Red" Ryder, Little Beaver.

"Rhythm Round-Up"
Ken Curtis, Cheryl Walker.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Medal for Benny"
Dorothy Lamour, Arturo de Cordova.

TUESDAY—
"Pan Americana"
Phillip Terry, Audrey Long.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—
"Having Wonderful Crime"
Pat O'Brien, George Murphy.

is fair, it is said, in an election. But after the election the will, somehow, never be able to recognize you again. All their visits to your communities will be few and far between—the sun will be too hot for most of them.

To these I offer this helpful suggestion: LOOK INTO YOUR OWN BACKYARDS BEFORE HURLING ACCUSATIONS AT OTHERS. I am just what I am—no hypocrite, no pretender, no wolf in sheep's clothing. Let him who is among you without sin cast the first stone—you that was said a long time ago, and that stone has never been cast.

Even our Congressman who used to be in the coal business, and to whose election campaigns I have liberally contributed in the past—even last year—, has come down all the way from Washington to meddle in some of our little county races. He has spoken against me and against Jarvis Allen, who as an engineer-gunner on a "Flying Fortress" did not transfer from the army to become a commissioner "Dry-Land Sailor" with offices in Boston and Cincinnati far from the scene of action, as has been done by some. Jarvis Allen's opposition to me and Jarvis Allen in our separate races has been mentioned by him to his brother, Clark, Mrs. Annie Stumbo and Hi Hagans, who married his

MR. MAY SHOULD LET HIS HEART AND SENSE AND COMMON SENSE LEAD HIM MORE THAN HIS AMBITION FOR POLITICAL POWER. FOR THERE ARE MANY STARS HANGING IN THE WINDOWS OF HOMES IN FLOYD COUNTY. Some of these represent boys in uniform, far from home, probably in constant danger of death. Others are Gold Stars and they stand for boys who will not return. All stand for loneliness, sadness and tears behind those windows, and death itself.

I have no doubt about my nomination for County Judge if the people whom I have accommodated support me. The people of Floyd county have been good to me and I likewise have been good to them. I am making my race solely for the good I think I can do for Floyd county and our people. If I thought I could not do a good job, with less money than has been spent hitherto, I would quit the race now.

Under the statutes of Kentucky there has not been a legal challenger, either a Democrat or Republican, appointed, and none have a right to serve, because the law has not been followed. Look for yourselves.

In closing, I would remind you with all sincerity that there are no great corporations that I desire to protect. Neither do I have any lawyers or Republicans making my campaign. I intend to speak the truth and let the chips fall where they may.

I'll be seeing you—the same old Henry every day. Good luck and on Election Day remember—

Your friend,

Henry Stephens, Jr.

RE-ELECT

GLENN BURCHETT

Justice of the Peace

in District No. 1

A man you have tried and who you know will look after the interests of the taxpayers of Floyd county. He will see that not a single penny will be wrongfully spent. A square deal to all regardless of creed or color. (Pol. Adv.)

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