

This Town-- That World

Tomorrow—Friday the thirteenth! Gosh! And next day—Valentine Day... Gee!

WE 'BURN' WHEN THE 'COAL' DOESN'T

A Pikeville woman remonstrated recently to The Pike County News that that paper's slogan reading, "For Clean, Continuous, Healthful Heat, Use Eastern Kentucky Coal" should either be eliminated entirely or changed to read, "For Filthy, Spasmodic, Unhealthy Heat," etc.

Her outburst followed an attempt to burn some of the stuff peddled to her for coal. And I so deeply "burn" with her.

After trying to burn some coal I bought this winter, I have decided that never was matter more appropriately named than when they called it "Black Diamond." Hard?—why, some of it would cut glass! And a young boy who found a lump of it thrown away thought he'd come up with a meteorite.

A little more gas, doc.

AND FURTHERMORE...

While the bill's a-bilin', permit me to express my utter contempt for the person who reported, under a fictitious name, a West Prestonsburg party last week. Folks who respect their own names would not take such liberties with those of others.

This is the second time we have been "taken" by a false report from West Prestonsburg, a community deserving of representation each week in this newspaper. We're sorry—and the writer of that letter is plain onery.

THE COUNTRY'S GOING TO THE HOGS!

The daily newspapers report the government's action against the landlord who demanded, and received, from a Gold Star mother, a woman who had given two sons in the defense of her country, a note for \$275 as a "bonus" for leasing her an apartment.

I can hear some of you blurtin' out, "The d— Jews are taking this country!" But wait, my friends. This guy with heart set on gold was named Schneider, a perfectly good Aryan name if you want to use the word Adolf put in your mouth.

It's not the d— Jews or the d— niggers or the d— any race that's taking this country. It's the d— hogs!

IS THE FIELD EXHAUSTED?

With employment at the high level it is and few feeding jobs, we were more than somewhat surprised to note that Senator Blake, of Carlisle, is asking the Legislature to create a movie censorship in Kentucky.

Of course, it shouldn't be hard to find two assistants to the director of the board at a salary of \$3,600 a year for selecting a choice theater seat and seeing, free of charge, every film brought into the state. And it wouldn't be any herculean task to get a director to lead them for a salary that has not been specified but which would surely run above \$3,600.

But why? Has the business of creating jobs become so difficult that the Legislature must cast around and about and come up with something like this? A Goldenrod Inspector would serve the state better than this board intended to protect the morals of Kentucky against those

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Maggie Tuza vs. Bill Hall, et al; Howard & Combs, attys. Estill Little vs. A. L. Howell, et al; Joe Hobson, atty. Will Hall vs. Inland Steel Co.; B. M. James, atty. Janice Spradlin vs. John Spradlin; J. B. Clarke, atty. Fillaner Surgical Supplies, Inc., vs. Dr. Orris Gearheart; J. E. Clarke, atty. Basil Hamilton vs. Ralph Billiter; H. R. Burke, atty. Bessie Burton, gdn. vs. Malcolm Burton, et al; Marshall Davidson, atty. Earl Moore vs. Junior Martin; Jos. D. Harkins, atty. Ex parte Pettinon, Marie Crawford, etc. vs. Appointment of Trustee; Jos. D. Harkins, atty. Ethel M. Stone vs. James G. Stone; J. B. Clarke, atty. Harvey Caudill, Jr., by, etc. vs. Fred Caudill, et al; Kilmer and Leroy Combs, attys. J. C. Spurlin, etc. vs. Fred M. Hays; Edw. L. Allen, atty. Virgie Elliott, for appointment of committee vs. John Frasure; S. C. Ferguson, atty. Tamary Hensley vs. H. B. Hensley; Howard & Combs, attys.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Maynard Gibson, 21, and Pansy Ratliff, 22, both of Topmost; married here Feb. 10 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Mont Francis, Jr., and Barbara Jean May. Charlie A. Hall, 17, and Mabel Childers, 18, both of Bevensville; marriage solemnized here Feb. 10 by the Rev. I. A. Smiley. Russell Elam, Jr., 21, and Mary Evelyn Crisp, 19, both of Wheelwright; married Feb. 8 at Wheelwright, the Rev. Claude Sexton officiating. Shelby Stone, 28, and Jeannette Stone, 21, both of Paintsville; marriage solemnized here Feb. 10 by the Rev. Alex Stephens.

2 FROM FLOYD BEGIN TERMS

Three Others Slated For Pen Today; Isaacs Returned to Lexington

Two Floyd countians convicted at the January circuit court term were taken to the reformatory at LaGrange Wednesday by Deputy Sheriffs Harold Conn and J. B. Hall, and three others were slated to go today.

Penned Wednesday were Tom Setser, one year, shooting and wounding, and Dewey Osborne, two years, breaking and entering.

Commitments were issued today for these three to be taken to LaGrange:

Charles Bates, 21 years, murder; Arnold Stone and Frank Mullins, one year each, breaking and entering.

Boge Isaacs, who was removed on court order recently from Veterans hospital, Lexington, where he was a mental patient, was returned there Tuesday. He was returned to this county for a review of his case.

'BEAR' BRYANT WILL SPEAK

At Banquet Honoring Hi School Athletes; Jaycees Plan Fete

Paul "Bear" Bryant, head football coach of the University of Kentucky Wildcats, will be the speaker at the Kiwanis-sponsored banquet to be held at the Methodist Church here next Thursday evening honoring the football and basketball teams of Prestonsburg high school and their coach, John R. Elmer.

Coach Bryant, widely regarded as one of the nation's ablest grid mentors, is a forceful, entertaining speaker, and his appearance here is expected to draw a capacity crowd. Ticket sales are being limited to 200. Time of the banquet is 7 p.m.

On the following Tuesday, Feb. 24, 200 Prestonsburg business men and their wives will attend the first annual Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet, which will be held in the Odd Fellows' building. The speaker for the occasion will be Ex-Congressman John Young Brown, of Lexington, a preliminary announcement said.

LEGION POST HONORS VETS

Presents Merit Awards To Moles and Robinson At Banquet Friday Night

Merit awards were presented to Lon S. Moles, Prestonsburg, and B. J. Robinson, East Point, at the banquet held at Club 129 Friday night by Floyd Post, American Legion, honoring veterans of World War I.

The award to Mr. Moles was in recognition of his service as first commander of the post; to Mr. Robinson for his generosity in helping furnish and maintain the Legion clubhouse at East Post.

War I veterans present were asked to give brief sketches of their work with the Legion. These were Mr. Moles, Mr. Robinson, D. C. Herridon, Homer Salisbury, Carl Comstock and W. G. Africa.

EIGHT TEAMS JOIN LEAGUE

Big Sandy Baseball Loop Re-Organized In Meeting at Allen

Reorganization of the Big Sandy Baseball league was effected at a meeting at Allen Sunday afternoon, with W. A. Malone, of Allen, re-elected league president.

The loop, to be composed of eight teams, will play a 28-game schedule, Saturdays and Sundays, with opening day on April 18. The season will close, Labor Day. A second meeting will be held March 7, it was said.

Teams and their representatives at Sunday's meeting: Prestonsburg, Jim Roark; Wayland, Mabry Martin; Harold, Henry Parsons; Pikeville Veterans, G. H. Robinson; Elkhorn City, Ernest Potter; Weeksbury, R. Watsell; Paintsville, George Branham; Allen, Elmer Rice.

Van Lear was listed as a possible entry if one of the other eight teams fails to play.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., and A. B. Meade returned home last week from Lexington where they spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Meade and children.

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Local Option Bill Draws Dry's Ire

SYNTHETIC OIL PLANTS ASKED

Proposed Program Stirs Interest of Kentucky's Chamber of Commerce

The proposal to make oil, gasoline and gas from coal has revived hopes in this section for a government-subsidized synthetic fuel plant, and one party-owner near here has announced he will make available 15 acres of land for a plant site.

The Kentucky's Congressional delegation is being urged by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce to make every effort to "focus favorable attention on Kentucky" if the synthetic production program is put into effect.

A program was suggested recently by Secretary of the Interior Harold I. Krug, who asked Congress to appropriate \$9,000,000,000 to build 100 plants for the production of synthetic fuel.

This section, and Floyd county in particular, received attention in 1945 when government officials inspected potential sites for two government coal hydrogenation plants, but failed to gain either. Two sites in the county—the Highland Land & Coal Company and Ballard May farm at Cliff and the Beaver Creek Consolidated Coal Company holdings at Allen (now used by the Beaver Valley Golf Club)—were inspected in 1945. The Cliff location now, how-

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Widow of Judge May Victim at Home Here After Heart Attack

Mrs. Annie Laurie May, widow of Beverly C. May, onetime Floyd County Judge, and one of Prestonsburg's best-loved women, succumbed at her Third street residence Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, 15 minutes after suffering a heart attack. She was 80 years old.

Mrs. May had suffered a slight illness on the preceding night, but her condition was apparently improved during the following days until the sudden seizure came.

A daughter of Elijah Brown and Margaret Richmond Auxier, she was born and reared at Auxier, this county. Since her marriage in 1889 she had resided in Prestonsburg and vicinity, and her friends and relatives extended throughout a wide area of Eastern Kentucky. Her husband preceded her in death 19 years ago. Mrs. May had been a member of the Methodist Church since girlhood.

Surviving her are one son, W. J. May, and three daughters, Mrs. F. C. Hall, Mrs. R. G. Francis and Miss Anna Laura May, all of Prestonsburg. One sister, Mrs. Alex M. Spradlin, also survives.

Efforts are being made today to contact her daughter, Mrs. Francis, who was en route with her husband to Miami, Florida. Pending word from her, funeral arrangements remain incomplete.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webb were shopping in Cincinnati last week for the I. Richmond Company.

HALE, STUMBO SEEK BONUS

Floyd Representatives Co-Author Legislation To Pay War Veterans

Representatives Henry C. Hale and John Milton Stumbo, of this county, last week introduced to the Legislature a bill which would pay a bonus of \$300 to \$500 to every veteran of World War II.

The Floyd legislators, both veterans, asked \$500 for every veteran who served overseas; \$300 for all whose service was restricted to the United States or its possessions.

The measure directs veterans to apply to the state for their bonuses before Jan. 1, 1949. It did not suggest a method of raising the bonus money.

A resolution to declare Jesse Stuart, Greenup, poet laureate of Kentucky was introduced in the General Assembly Friday by Representative Stumbo.

The resolution, a joint one requiring Senate action, would declare the post now held by J. T. C. Noe to be vacant. It adds this is no reflection upon his "charming literary production or ability," but that he no longer is a resident of Kentucky. Formerly an instructor at the University of Kentucky, Professor Noe now lives in California.

Stuart, the resolution set out, has "honored Kentucky in his writings and particularly in his poem of great merit entitled "Kentucky Is My Home."

Another bill, introduced by Representatives Stumbo and Hale Friday, would entitle teachers to hold provisional elementary certificates for 20 years to permanent certificates. Present law requires renewal of such certificates every four years.

87 Get Certificates At Close of School For Food-Handlers

Eighty-seven Prestonsburg food-handlers were awarded certificates at the close of the food-handling school conducted here last week by Arthur Eversole, state teacher-coordinator of food-handling schools, under auspices of the Floyd County Health Department.

Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Department, termed the school the most successful undertaking of its kind conducted in the county. One hundred one of the 114 persons working in 21 Prestonsburg places where foods are prepared and handled attended the school, Tuesday through Friday. Thirteen establishments qualified for certificates.

Sherrill Frazier, of Martin, was here Saturday on business and calling on his brother, Chalmers Frazier, and family.

Governor Hears Boy Scout Story From Members of Leading Troops

Kentucky Governor Earle C. Clements last Saturday heard the Boy Scout story in his state from members of the Commonwealth's outstanding troops, and one chapter of the story was told by Jack Crawford, member of Daniel Boone Troop at David.

The troop from the Floyd mining town represented Lonesome Pine Council of 15 counties in this section as its outstanding troop on the basis of 1947 achievements, and it also presented in Frankfort the largest delegation of Scouts sent by any honor troop in the state. The David boys numbered 28. Next largest troop for the Scout Week ceremonies in the Senate chamber was Louisville's with 23 Scouts present.

Lonesome Pine Council was acclaimed the outstanding Council in the state, and Daniel Boone troop was adjudged the achievement leader in the Council. "That about makes us the outstanding troop in the state," proudly commented the Rev. J. E. Durham, pastor of the David Community Church and leader of the Scout movement in the community.

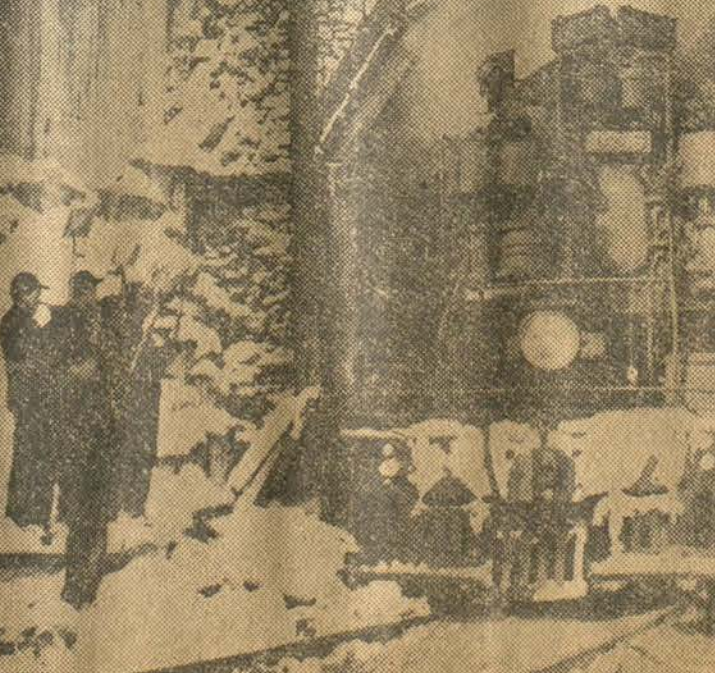
Eagle Scout John Scott, of Pike-

ville, presented the overall report to the Governor.

Governor Clements told the gathering of 150 Boy Scouts, their leaders and Scout executives that he was 14 years old when the Scout movement began in 1910 and that he would have been a Boy Scout, had a troop been formed in Morganfield, his home town, soon enough.

Features of the David troop's report to the Governor pointed out that Boy Scouts there collected and distributed 2,560 pounds of clothing and 3,050 pounds of food, including 66 Christmas baskets, to the needy; collected 250 books; salvaged 650 pounds of waste fats; distributed 13,000 circulars and booklets of public interest, including 8,000 pieces of government printed matter; built bird houses and feeders; helped preclaim forest fires, assisted with church activities, at school and at Parent-Teacher Association meetings assisted in parking cars and acted as ushers, maintained a school-boy patrol, worked in the community's clean-up, visited the sick in hospitals, co-operated with the Red Cross, civic clubs and the U.S. Forestry service and also took part in Fire Prevention Week.

HAIL FIRST TRAIN THROUGH NEW C & O TUNNEL



Track workers hoist their shovels in salute to the first train through the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway's newest tunnel, a 3,822-foot bore which crosses the Kentucky-Virginia state line through Pine Mountain. The tunnel, part of a 14-mile extension from Jenkins, Ky., to vast new coal fields in Wise County, Va., will be placed in regular use February 29. First train through the tunnel, shown as it emerged (February 2), from the east portal near Pound, Va., was pulled by locomotive No. 1456, operated by Engineer H. L. Burpo of Jenkins, Ky.

Two Jailed after Auto Taken, Lockers Entered

Jailed here Saturday by Police-man Earl Blackburn, of Wheelwright, was Earl Mullins, charged with breaking and entering lockers of the bathhouse at Wheelwright, and on the following day Virgil Lafferty was arrested here by Policeman Ray Collins on a charge of auto theft.

Lafferty was accused of stealing the auto of Bill Cury from where it was parked in the street in front of the owner's Third street residence. The car was damaged at the upper limits of Prestonsburg in a collision with another auto, shortly after it had been stolen.

Mrs. Jane Nelson, of Prestonsburg, was arrested Friday and jailed here on two \$500 capias issued from Johnson county in liquor cases.

BOARD ADDS 2 NEW BUSES

To Fleet Transporting Floyd School Pupils; Bids Total \$6,929

Two 48-passenger school buses, one for delivery this month and to be put into immediate use, were purchased by the Floyd County Board of Education last week from the Dearing Motor Company on bids of \$3,464.50 each.

Contract for installation of gas unit heaters in the Maytown gymnasium were awarded at the same Board meeting to the Marlin Plumbing Company on its bid of \$1,170.

The new buses will have a two-ton Chevrolet chassis with Carpenter bodies. Delivery of the second bus was not asked till next summer.

Seven teachers were employed at the meeting. One of the seven, Ethel Johnson was hired to succeed Olna Hamilton in District 47. Others employed: Irene Joyce Thornsby, Commerce instructor in McDowell high school; Ursula Davidson, Wayland high school; Ada Parker, Wheelwright grades; Capitola H. Montgomery, Betsy Layne grades; Ruth H. Jones, District 89; Mary Lou May, District 52A.

GIBSON LOSES SECOND HOME

To Fire; Blaze This Week Is P'Burg Man's Second In Period of Five Years

For the second time in five years Mont Gibson, janitor at the Prestonsburg grade school, and his family are homeless this week as a result of fire.

A blaze of undetermined origin Tuesday night swept his six-room residence on Trimble street, scene of his earlier fire loss, ruining the home and all its contents. Flames had spread over a large portion of the building before members of the family were aware of the fire. Mr. Gibson was at the school gymnasium when the fire was discovered, but other members of the family said the blaze apparently started in the living room.

The damage will exceed \$6,000 and insurance covers less than half the loss, it was said Wednesday. The family was left with only the clothing they were wearing.

The fire department was hindered little by icy streets and freezing weather, but the flames had gained such headway when the alarm was made that the building could not be saved.

U.S. ATTORNEY ACTS AS PROPERTY-OWNER TO CLEAR SUSPECTED 'BOOTLEGGING NEST'; 30 ARRESTED HERE AS DRUNKS IN 2 DAYS

U.S. District Attorney Claude P. Stephens has frequently prosecuted moonshiners in U.S. court but not till recently was he cast in the role of "revenuer."

It happened here where Mr. Stephens has an interest in an apartment building. Word reached him, a few weeks ago, that bootlegging was going on in the building. Police had watched the place, but had found the quarry too wary.

So Mr. Stephens, home for the week-end, kept vigil himself—till into the early morning hours, one Sunday. He didn't catch any bootleggers, but he promptly took steps to see

BILL WOULD PERMIT VOTE HERE IN JUNE

Drys Say Prohibition, Statewide, To Result From Assembly Action

The "liberalized" local option bill voted by the Kentucky Legislature last week makes possible within a two-year period Prestonsburg's second test of sentiment on the wet-dry issue, attorneys here said this week.

Joe Hobson, attorney for dry forces in the contest action which followed the countywide majority for prohibition in September, 1946, said he understood the law will permit an election in Prestonsburg at any date after June 19.

Prestonsburg is the only fourth-class town in the county, and, therefore, is the only urban community affected by the new law giving any city of the first four classes the right to hold its own local option election without regard to the wet or dry status of remainder of the county.

Classification of Kentucky cities and towns stands as made years ago by the Legislature, and growth in population has not changed the list of cities of the fourth class in this section. Wheelwright is a case in point, with a population of 2,027 at the 1940 census, as compared with Prestonsburg's 2,328. Prestonsburg, along with Pikeville, Paintsville and Hazard, is listed as a city of the fourth class while Wheelwright remains in the unclassified miscellany of communities insofar as the Legislature is concerned.

Drys here and over the county, as elsewhere over the state, were indignant and openly declaring the new act of the Legislature, unless vetoed by Governor Clements, will result in statewide prohibition. A veto is not expected, although the Governor may permit the bill to become law without his signature.

The new measure, voted by the House of Representatives, 68 to 33, and by the Senate, 20 to 18, breaks down the county unit system in this way:

1. Instead of the county being the wet-dry voting unit, counties having cities of the first four classes are divided into city and outside-city units.

2. Any city of the first, second, third or fourth class may hold its own local option election.

3. If a wet county calls a wet-dry election, votes cast by residents of the city will be counted separately from those of the county. Thus the city may vote wet and the county dry, or vice versa.

4. If a city votes dry, the entire city must remain dry for three years and no new election may be called within that time. The same holds true for the county outside the city. If a city or county votes wet, however, another election can be called immediately in any precinct, group of precincts or magisterial district.

"Liquor lobbyists used intimidation, conspiracy, and near bribery to railroad" the local-option bill thru the General Assembly, Walter J. Hoshal, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Kentucky, charged Hoshal suggested that Governor Earle C. Clements veto the bill. He "wants to render a real salute to the state" and at the same time.

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AN OPEN LETTER

OVERNIGHT GUEST
Mrs. Collis P. Hudson, of Pikeville, late recording secretary, Kentucky Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was the overnight guest of Mrs. Everett Sowards Thursday.

ATTENDS UNCLE'S FUNERAL
Bill Cury, owner of Cury's Department Store, which has its formal opening Saturday, attended the funeral of an uncle at Norton, Va., Tuesday.

Senator Douglas Hays McDowell, Ky.
Dear Senator Hays:

The press has reported that you sponsored a bill to establish state liquor stores in Kentucky. Many are wondering about your motive and wish to ask you the following questions:

1. Did you own or have an interest in a liquor store when Floyd county went dry?
2. Do you represent and work for the interests and welfare of Floyd county which voted dry? If so, why do you propose to take state revenue from us and give it to the wet counties?
3. Why do you say you are "not a wet" and then promote wet legislation?
4. In proposing to use liquor revenue for "welfare and education" do you mean to whitewash the evils of liquor, bribe dry taxpayers to vote wet, and intimidate the personnel of our welfare agencies and educational institutions?
5. If your proposal has no effect on dry counties such as Floyd, why are YOU promoting it?
6. Do you know that violations of the liquor code and the corrupt handling of funds are repeatedly and widely reported in our neighboring states that have state liquor stores? And that they use the sales tax for revenue?
7. Do you know that the grand jury in Charleston, W. Va., publicly gave a blistering rebuke to enforcement officials for lack of aggressiveness in the presence of open and

notorious bootlegging and gambling?

8. Do you expect us to believe that your liquor store bill WOULD be enforced better than in West Virginia? Do you know that enforcement of our present laws would stop bootlegging?
9. Do you know that drunkenness has been sharply reduced in Floyd county since going dry?
10. Do you favor letting the poor man pay the taxes by selling him all the liquor he will drink and then fining him for getting drunk?
11. Do you favor using grain to make liquor instead of using it for food or feed? Do you know that the purchase of grain for liquor increases a scarcity of food that skyrockets prices?
12. Are you aiding the Liquor Lords of Louisville in their attempt to stop the steady march of dry-by-local-option territory across the state?
13. Why did you vote against a public hearing on the recently passed change in Local Option?

Senator, we are wondering about your motives. Are you working for the welfare of the people of Floyd county?

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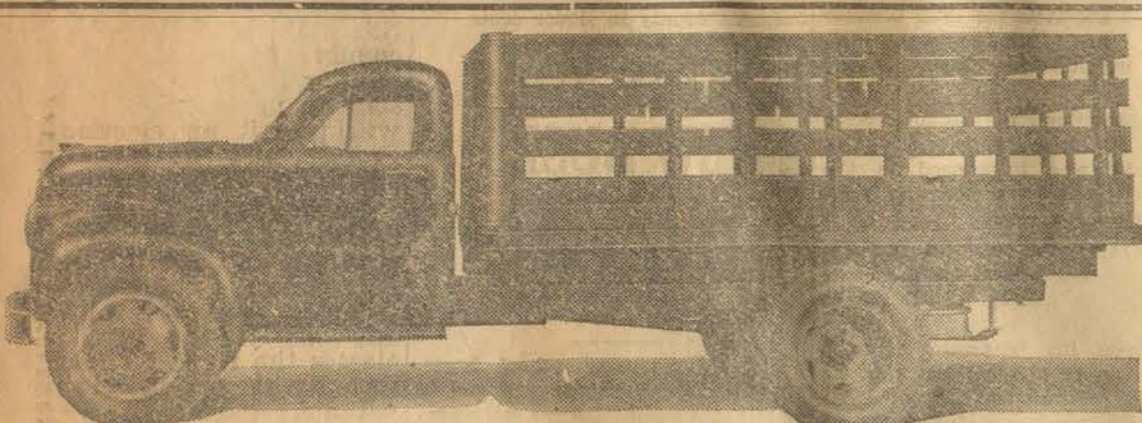
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Robert Linton Clay Victim at Endicott

Robert Linton Clay, 40 years old for years an invalid, died Sunday at the Endicott home of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Clark Clay, widow of Jeff David Clay.

Surviving, besides his mother, are two brothers and three sisters, Henry Clay, of Woods, Okie Clay, of Endicott, Mrs. Mary Hatfield, of Endicott, Mrs. Dovie Goble and Mrs. Osie Gunnell, both of Prestonsburg and vicinity.

Burial was made Monday in the family cemetery on Johns Creek, the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home directing. Because of bad weather, the funeral was postponed.

CHAPTER ENTERTAINS STATE OFFICER

Mrs. Henry B. Patrick was hostess to members of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at her home on Maple avenue Tuesday evening. Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, the regent, and Mrs. Lida D. Spradlin, chaplain, conducted the ritualistic service. Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Henry B. Patrick were named delegates to the state conference which convenes at Paducah March 10. Pages named were Misses Emma Louise Patrick and Charlotte Salisbury. The March meeting will be held at a hotel and a supper will be served, each member taking care of her ticket. The members present gave their contribution, as voted by the Society, to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower. At the close of the business meeting, the guest of honor, Mrs. Collis P. Hudson, state recording secretary, gave a report of the state board meeting held at the Brown hotel, Louisville, Jan. 2. She reported that 201 new members had been received into the state society, the past year, and that Kentucky's membership now is 3,600. Senator Alben W. Barkley will be guest-speaker at the state meeting at Paducah, and the 1948 year book will be dedicated to Mrs. Wm. B. Rhodes, of Lexington, whose passing in January marked the death of one of the oldest D.A.R. members in the state. The chapter hopes to get miniature replicas of the historical documents on the Freedom Train and to display these in some prominent store window before placing them in the school library. Claude P. Stephens, U.S. district attorney, entertained the group with an address on "The Life and Work of Abraham Lincoln." The hostess served a dessert course to Mrs. C. P. Hudson, of Pikeville, U.S. Dist. Atty. Claude P. Stephens, Mrs. George P. Archer, Jr., Mrs. A. L. Patrick, Mrs. Herbert Salisbury, Mrs. Lida Spradlin, Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mrs. Everett Sowards, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, Mrs. Grace D. Ford, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Miss Alice Harris.

Stephens Is Victim On Way to Hospital After Long Illness

Sam Stephens, 75 years old, well-known carpenter, died Thursday of last week while en route from his home at Manton to a hospital. He was a victim of dropsy.

A son of the late Sam Stephens, Sr., and Jennie Bradley Stephens, he was born and reared in this county where he had many relatives and friends. Among his survivors are the following children: Polly, Mike, Lana and Holly Stephens, all of Ohio, Lee and Vernon Stephens, of Manton, Jim Stephens, of Hueysville, Tim Stephens, of Michigan, Rudy Stephens, of Indiana, Mrs. Mary Tackett, of Drift, and Mrs. Florence Workman, of West Virginia.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday from the residence of Lee Stephens at Manton, the Rev. Henry Parsons officiating. Burial there was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Four-H club boys in Metcalfe county produced 3,000 pounds of popcorn for sale, in addition to that used in their homes.

Lucien Camp, of Todd county, had an eight-acre field of year-old fescue which carried 30 head of 600-pound steers for 60 days, with no hay fed.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED
Announcement is made of the birth on Thursday, Feb. 5, of a daughter, Sandra Lynn, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Prater, of Prestonsburg, at the Paintsville hospital. Mrs. Prater is the former Miss Ruth Prater, and the baby is their first child.

B. E. Lilly, of Spencer county, follows good poultry practices, and as a result is getting 70 per cent production from 250 New Hampshire pullets.

Projects such as strawberries, popcorn, poultry and 31-fescue are being encouraged among 4-H club members in Wolfe county.

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We wish to sincerely thank every one for their help and many expressions of sympathy during the loss of our beloved brother and uncle, Frank F. Rice, and especially the kind people of Auxier, Lon S. Moles and the C. & O. Railway Co., the Rev. Spurgeon Honeycutt and the Arnold Funeral Home for their help and cooperation.—Mrs. J. M. Morell, Sr., William F. Morell.

VICTIM AT PIKEVILLE
William Howard, 76, died Sunday at the Pikeville home of his daughter, Mrs. S. E. Casebolt, and Dr. Casebolt after a six-year illness of heart disease. He was a native of Leslie county and was a retired merchant and farmer.

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FOR SALE—5-h.p. Scabee outboard motor, good as new. \$80. See RAY STEPHENS, Phone 5741, Prestonsburg. 1-22-4f.

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FOR SALE—lots at Martin, Ky, conveniently located by U.S. highway and C. & O. railroad crossing. Excellent for homes, business, gardens. Priced low. MRS. GEORGIA S. DAVIS, Hunter, Ky. 1-22-6f.

FOR SALE—one dry bottle cooler, 8 ft. long, practically new, also one Electrolux refrigerator, 7 cu. ft. Will sell right. See ELDER WRIGHT, Phone 5011, Prestonsburg. 1-22-4f.

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More Work, Youth's Need, Say Floyd Clubwomen

Betsy Layne, Ky., Feb. 9 (Spl)—"Youth Conservation" was the topic for discussion at the Betsy Layne Woman's Club Friday evening when it met at the home of Mrs. Jack Williams. The group discussion was led by Mrs. Earl Hayes, and many interesting points were presented. It was generally agreed that young people of today need more constructive work as well as play; that a great deal of stress is being placed on recreation and not so much on the more constructive phase of life.

Among projects recently sponsored by the Club was the "March of Dimes," which was carried on largely through the school. The Club offered a prize to the grade turning in the largest amount for the drive. This was won by the fifth grade, sponsored by Mrs. Hazel George, but the third grade, sponsored by Mrs. Sally Bush, ran such a close second that it was decided to give them a prize also. Total donations were \$75.18, with the winning rooms turning in \$15 and \$14.35, respectively. Prizes will be some article for use in the classroom.

A salad course was served to the following: Mesdames T. J. Chandler, Earl Hays, Clyde Blackburn, Lon Roberts, Glenn Blackburn, Miss Alice Virginia Williams, Miss Eleanor Ballow, of Hellen, Ky., and the hostess, Mrs. Williams.

Next meeting of the club will be held March 4 at the home of Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, with Mrs. Keene Robinette leading the program.

ALLEN

The Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed an hour of recreation at the Thursday night meeting after the worship service. Games were played and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. George Adcock, Mrs. G. L. Gray, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Martha Jo Crisp, Olga Frances Preston, Mikell Preston, Joan Boyd, Pauline Boyd, Betty Ann Porter, Betty Jean Caudill, Lola Lee Edwards, Patty Childers, Barbara Sue Allen, Dorothy Crum, Frank Gordon Gray, Melvin Adcock, Jimmy Delano Gray, Bennie L. Laferty, Raymond Kinzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Allen have moved into their new home, a two-story brick structure. The Mountain Printing Company, of which Mr. Allen is owner, occupies the first floor.

Mrs. Everett Tackett had as weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Tackett, Jr., and baby, of McDowell.

Ben Westfall is suffering from broken ribs, the result of a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier honored their son Jack with a dinner in their home Sunday in observance of his birth anniversary. Guests were Mrs. Emogene Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. David Louder and Donald Ray Crisp.

Henry Porter and Mrs. Herman Porter were in Lexington Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp attended church at Harold Sunday.

George Auxier is recovering from pneumonia.

HOME COUNTY NEWS FIRST IN THE FLOYD COUNTY TIMES

Mrs. Sidney Tilton, of Robertson county, found that after drying new corn for feed, egg production from her 80 hens increased considerably.

Robert Sipes, of Meade county, lost 12 head of high-quality ewes due to rabies transmitted by foxes or dogs.

ALL-DAY PARTY
Mrs. J. B. Clarke entertained an all-day party at her country home on Cow Creek, Wednesday. Her guests were Mrs. J. R. Hurt, Mrs. Richard Feller, Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr., and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell.

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Family Home, Scene Of Rites for F. F. Rice, Heart Victim at 65

Last rites for Frank F. Rice, 65 years old, retired Shady Springs, W. Va., coal operator, who succumbed Tuesday of last week, at Raleigh General hospital, Beckley, W. Va., to heart disease, were conducted Saturday from the home of his sister, Mrs. J. M. Morell, Sr., at East Point.

A son of the late Samuel M. and Sarah F. Rice, he was long a resident of East Point but for the last 20 years had resided in West Virginia where he was prominent in business until ill health forced his retirement. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Pearl Price Rice, six sons and two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Whalen, Moody and Marvin Rice, all of Beckley, W. Va., Mervin, Jay, Virgil and Frank F. Rice, Jr., all of Shady Springs, W. Va., Miss Victoria Rice, Washington, W. Va.; one sister, Mrs. Morell, of East Point, and one brother, Orbin D. Rice, Denver, Colorado.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. S. C. Honeycutt and burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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 In 1945 it was admitted that the Elkhorn seam of this section produces coal superior for synthetic fuel purposes to any other seam in the country. Elkhorn coal, tests have shown, renders approximately 170 gallons of liquid fuel per ton as compared with 150 gallons from coal from other fields.
 Mrs. A. J. Davidson entertained to dinner last week Mrs. W. B. Garriott, of Covington.

Lackey-Garrett Club Votes Funds to Drives
 Wayland, Ky., Feb. 10 (Spl.)—The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met in the home of Mrs. N. D. Howard Wednesday evening, Feb. 4, for the monthly program meeting. During a brief discussion led by Mrs. Fred A. Martin, club president, the club voted to give \$5 to each of the two drives, Infantile Paralysis and Crippled Children. Names of Mrs. E. R. Wright, of Ashland, and Mrs. Joe Page, of Barlow, Ky., were presented as candidates for state president; Mrs. Ralph Scheffer, of Louisville, for second vice-president; Mrs. William Blanton, Paris, for fourth vice-president.
 The program, "What Makes a Best-Seller?" was presented by Mrs. Martin, who quoted Frank Mott, author of "Golden Multitudes," in regard to the elements which have gone to the making of best sellers since 1882: "Religion, sensationalism, information and gruesome humor, horror, characterization, juvenile suitability, timeliness, a good title, proper illustrations, the right kind of publicity, choice of book club, good reviews, plenty of advertising, and luck."
 At the conclusion of the program Mrs. Howard served a salad-dessert course to the following: Mesdames John Wallace, Carlton Wrightson, J. C. Wells, S. M. Martin, M. M. Collins, George Evans, Willard Castle, Roy Soulerette, Charles Struggill, Fred A. Martin, Earl Castle, Thomas Hatcher, and a guest, Mrs. Quentin Terry.
 Next meeting is to be held in the home of Mrs. Everett Blanton, Friday afternoon, Feb. 13, at 2 p.m., when sewing on quilt pieces will be continued.

Miss Roberts, Mr. Hayes Are Wed



Miss Elaine Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Roberts, Betsy Layne, Ky., and Mr. Earl Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hayes, McKee, Ky., were married Dec. 13 at 4:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church, Betsy Layne. The ceremony was read by the Rev. F. H. DeYoung, McKee, Ky., before an altar banked with ferns, evergreens and baskets of white chrysanthemums.
 The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ice-blue slipper satin with sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, long sleeves ending in a point over the hand and a full circular skirt falling into a train. The circular fingertip veil of blue illusion was attached to a tiara which was embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a white Testament to which was attached a white orchid and stephanotis with a cascade of white satin streamers.
 Mrs. Clyde Blackburn, matron of honor, and Miss Eleanor Below, maid of honor, wore identical gowns of bluish pink satin and marquisette with matching mitts and headresses of net. They carried colonial bouquets of pink camellias. The bride's mother wore a gown of black crepe with matching accessories and a red camellia corsage.
 Mr. Russell Hayes was his brother's best man. Ushers were Messrs. Bruce Hayes, another brother of the groom, and Gene Roberts, brother of the bride.
 Preceding the ceremony a program of nuptial music was presented by Miss Frances Page, singing, "God Touched the Rose," and "At Dawning," and Mr. Lon Edward Roberts, brother of the bride, who sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because." Traditional marches were played by Mr. Dewey Owens. Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church. The bride's table, covered with a linen cloth, was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, encircled by a ring of pink carnations. Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hayes and Mr. Bruce Hayes, McKee, Ky., Mr. Dewey Owens, Cincinnati, O., and Miss Eleanor Below, Heller, Ky. After a wedding trip to Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes are at home in Betsy Layne.

Cats Blow Hot, Cold; Lose to Martin Five But Give Inez Scare

Prestonsburg's Black Cats over the past week have blown hot and cold, winning one game and looking none too good in doing so, dropping three and in all except one of these defeats giving good accounts of themselves.
 They defeated McDowell there by a two-point margin, though a scoring rampage by "Wild Bill" Stumbo almost tied the game up for the Left Beaver Creek team. Thursday night, the Cats looked better, even in defeat, holding the strong Paintsville Tigers to a two-point victory.
 Next night, playing a spirited, determined Martin five, they looked their worst in every department, dropping the encounter by nine points.
 Tuesday night, this week, they atoned for this miserable showing by fighting the Inez Indians virtually to a standstill on the Inez floor till the last four minutes of the game. They lost 46 to 38, but not till they had scared the Redskins pale. At halftime, Inez had a 23 to 22 lead. Till that last stretch spurt in closing minutes of the game, the score stood, 38-35. It was Inez' 24th victory in 25 starts this season.

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 Fairchild (9) ...C... Brannham (15)
 Staton (4) ...G... Porter (5)
 Cains (8) ...G... Willis
 Substitutions: Inez — Stone (1), Horn (2); Prestonsburg—Vaughan (1).
 Inez 13 11 8 14-46
 Prestonsburg 10 13 8 7-38

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 evil, old moving pictures.
 The film industry has what was formerly the Hays office, which is a censorship board right at the source. It ponderously moves to keep the movies clean. Ohio, our neighbor to the north, has a censorship board, and I'm yet to fall to see in Cincinnati any picture I could see across the river in Covington, Kentucky.
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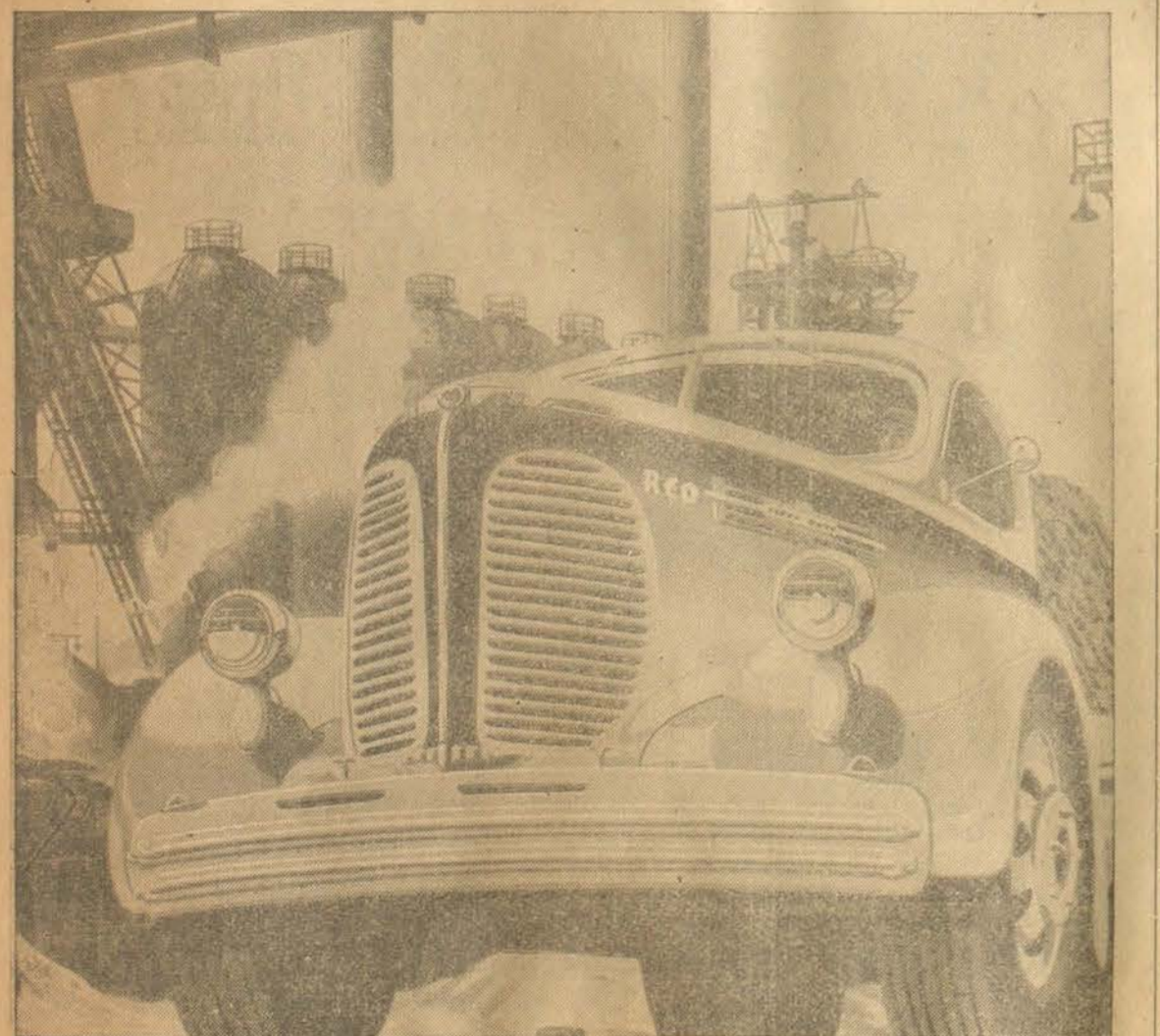
Mrs. Mary Joseph, 87 years old, widow of Nelson Joseph and for many years a resident of this county, died Saturday at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, a victim of dropsy following a four-year illness.
 A native of Salyersville, she was a daughter of Bill Sizemore. She had resided at Boldman for the last year. Mrs. Joseph was a member of the Holiness Church.
 Surviving her are one son and five daughters, Earl Joseph, of David, Mrs. Maude Stone, of Manton, Mrs. Lola Trimble, Boldman, Mrs. Lula Hall, of Virgie, Mrs. Zona Cooper, Sberann, W. V., and Mrs. Della Ingram, Chelsea, Michigan.
 Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon at Martin and burial was made in the Dingus cemetery, the Call Funeral Home directing.
 About 75,000 feet of tile was laid in Magoffin county last year.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Harkins entertained to dinner, Friday evening, at their home on Garfield avenue Mrs. Iley B. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., Joseph D. Harkins, Billy Holliday Harkins and W. S. Harkins.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leslie, of Paintsville, visited their son, Carl Leslie, Mrs. Leslie and baby Sunday at their home on Court street.
 Mrs. Iley B. Browning returned to her home in Ashland Saturday after having visited her nephew, Walter S. Harkins, here for a few days.
 Mrs. Wm. Wesley returned Sunday from her home in Morehead where she spent the week-end with Mr. Wesley. She is employed here at the Unemployment office.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith and sons returned home last week after a vacation spent in Florida.
 Mr. and Mrs. James C. Mellon returned to Lexington Sunday after a short visit here with relatives. He is a student at Transylvania.
 Miss Alice Gray Burke returned Sunday from Louisville where she spent the week-end on business.
 Mrs. W. B. Garriott was here from Covington last week on business.
 Mrs. Harry Sammons, of Hopkins avenue, has been ill at her home. Sunday, she was visited by Andrew Shortridge and Mike Wireman, of the Abbott road.
 Mrs. Homer Salisbury and daughter, Marian, returned Sunday from Louisville where Miss Salisbury consulted a physician. She is improving from an appendectomy.
 Joe Mayo Spradlin, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin, has been suffering from croup. He is better.
 Mrs. E. R. Burke is confined to her bed with a severe cold.
 Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ford, Dr. and Mrs. Edward B. Leslie returned last week from a stay of two weeks in Florida.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis left Tuesday for Miami, Florida, where they will remain for several weeks. Mr. Francis has recently suffered from a serious throat infection.
 Mrs. Claude P. Stephens, state chaplain, Daughters of Founders and Patriots of Kentucky, attended the spring meeting of the Society at the Lafayette hotel in Lexington, Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. George H. Fitzpatrick are in Lexington this week visiting her sister and consulting a physician. Mrs. Fitzpatrick is much improved after a recent major operation.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis were supper guests Saturday evening of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Pennington.
 Mrs. Paul Francis attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Adams in Salyersville last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stephens returned home Tuesday evening after spending two days in Lexington on business.
 William Jones, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, Jr., is a patient at Prestonsburg General hospital, ill of pneumonia. His condition is improved.

Ramblers Cop No. 17 In Win Over McDowell

The Prestonsburg VFW Ramblers posted their 17th victory against four defeats for the season last week with the defeat of McDowell, 87 to 47.
 The Blackburn brothers, Tommy and Adrian, posted 54 points, with 31 and 23, respectively, for the winners, with Marcum and Roark adding 16 and 15. For McDowell Stumbo, Reed and Hall were the offensive threats with 14, 13 and 12 points.
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 of Hubert Combs, Knott soldier who fell in action in July 29, 1944, at the age of 22, arrived at Martin Tuesday under military escort and from there was taken to the home at Mousie of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Combs.
 Funeral services were held at the Ball Branch Baptist Church today (Thursday), the Revs. Alex Coburn and Earl Howard officiating.
 Surviving, besides the parents, are four brothers and seven sisters, Gardel Combs, Richmond, Ind., Arthur, Archie, James, Thelma, Ruth, Erma Jean, Bobbie Sue, Allie and Nell, all at home.
 Military honors were accorded by Garrett Post, American Legion, and burial was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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to his holdings. Some more nearly pay their tax debt than do others; some escape with a minimum. And there lies a discrimination which is unjust to some taxpayers and wholly unjust to the town.
 A just evaluation of property here, with no favorites played, would result in Prestonsburg collecting from \$5,000 to \$10,000 more in taxes each year, with the taxpayer who is reasonably well assessed being affected little and the fellow who is not so assessed merely joining his neighbors in assuming his rightful share of the tax load.
 Pikeville's fire department was operated last year at a cost of \$9,979.16—almost what Prestonsburg collected in taxes for the same period.
 Pikeville officer salaries last year totaled \$21,647.84—approximately twice what Prestonsburg's total income was.
 Pikeville last year spent for street-cleaning \$15,439.95—around \$5,000 more than Prestonsburg's total collections in taxes.
 Those figures are cited, merely to show what a neighboring town is doing. The Times is not unaware of the fact that any suggestion that folks pay more taxes is to invite criticism. But it contends that Prestonsburg can be, and should be, self-supporting; also, that that support should come equally from every taxpayer.
 To assist an impartial Board of Supervisors in arriving at, or as near as humanly possible to, a just equalization of assessment here, this newspaper repeats its offer of a year ago to publish, without charge, the assessment of every taxpayer in Prestonsburg. This is offered, that comparisons may be made and so that every taxpayer may know how he is faring alongside his neighbor.
 If there is any other Floyd county town needing a similar service, the same offer is extended to it.
 The Times maintains that if we will remove a few notes from the eye of our own body politic and get this tax matter on a fair and impartial basis, Prestonsburg will not need to augment its revenue from the visitor to the town through the use of parking meters. These meters belong only where traffic problems exist and should not be operated to realize revenue we are too soft or miserly to raise ourselves, for ourselves.

He pointed out that Knox county, the home of Union College at Barbourville, "has no pool rooms, no saloons."
 "The jail doors swing wide in Knox county," he added. "We have less delinquency than any other section of the state."
 Dr. K. N. Salyer, Hazard physician, declared that whiskey is an inherent evil, even though he dispenses it medicinally. He urged that the amendment be voted down.
 Representative B. C. Davidson, Bowling Green Democrat, said that as a lawyer, he regarded the proposal as "a bad bill," and one which would eventually "hurt the liquor interests."
 Nevertheless, he said, "I am going to vote for it because I believe that unless we do, the dries will drive the industry out of Kentucky and the state will lose considerable revenue."
 "Let's beat this one and offer another, then," Mullins suggested, but Davidson made no reply.
 Senator Leon J. Shaikun, Louisville Democrat, then brought the bill to the floor. He charged that all the talk of "amendments, adjourning and these other methods are only aimed at killing the bill—they're not sincere."
 Shaikun said the local-option amendment "is the most publicized piece of legislation ever introduced in the General Assembly." There is no need to hold a public hearing because of this fact, he added.
 "It's just a simple little bill," Shaikun went on. "It won't hurt anybody. In my opinion, it is an equalizer. It gives the distilled-spirits industry the same rights as the dries now have."
 Dr. R. F. Jasper, Somerset Republican, then launched his attack. He branded the bill "an effort of liquor interests to break the county-unit law and be able to go into dry counties and vote their cities wet." He said it would be inconsistent to have a wet county-seat town in a dry county.
 Senator Jasper said he would not become a party to the evils of liquor—"insane asylums filled as a result of drinking, hundreds of thousands dying, widows and children left homeless" while the specter of "alcoholic psychosis" stalked rampant.
 Senator E. D. Stephenson, Pikeville Democrat, said the liquor bill was "ill-advised, unnecessary" and one "which adds fuel to the flame spreading over the state toward state-wide prohibition."
 Some whiskey dealers have told him that the bill is not the answer to their problem, Stephenson continued. "The leadership of this Senate could solve the problem. Let them defeat this bill and support Senator (Doug) Hays' bill for state-owned liquor stores," he suggested.
 Senator Ira W. See, Louisa Republican, said he had hoped to offer an amendment until he had been advised by Shaikun that "there would be no amendments."
 Floyd county's legislative representation voted for the bill.

save the liquor boys from their own folly."
 Hoshal's statement follows:
 "The largest and most expensive liquor lobby ever assembled at Frankfort was used by the brewers and distillers to nullify our county-unit local-option law."
 "Every foul, dishonest method was used to railroad the bill through."
 "The strategy of the liquor outfit seemed to be one of intimidation, trickery, conspiracy, and near bribery."
 "This high-handed action of the liquor boys will do more than the dries could possibly do to hurry state-wide prohibition. After all, the people and their vote become the last court of appeal. It's indeed a long lane that has no turning."
 "I have never experienced such a tidal wave of resentment from over the state against organized liquor."
 "I intimated to the Governor, prior to his election, that the dry forces would be willing to forego any bills we had in mind to introduce at the present session of the Legislature (including a state-wide amendment), if the liquor boys would give a similar pledge, thus keeping the Administration clear of the wet-and-dry fight."
 "If the Governor wants to render a real service to the state, I believe he should veto the bill. This would not only save the liquor boys from their own folly, but, at the same time, please the overwhelmingly dry majority over the state."
 During the flurry of debate in the House and Senate these remarks were recorded:
 Mrs. Susan B. Rutherford, Lawrenceburg Democrat, vividly recalled the days of national prohibition with its "speakeasies, bookmakers and gangsters hijacking on the highways."
 "And through all this, voices were crying, 'Our children will never taste liquor,'" she said derisively. "You must not say I am voting for whiskey," he continued.
 "Whiskey is a menace and the man who drinks it will tell you so. I am voting for a tax-paid, decently regulated industry in preference to gambling and delinquency."
 Representative E. C. Mullins, Stanford Democrat, then launched his attack on the bill. He said he was prepared to offer an amendment which would clear up some of the opposition, but he was not given the chance.
 "We are dealing with public policy on a great social question," he declared. "This bill will absolutely destroy the county-unit local-option law. This bill is the most undemocratic ever to be presented to the House," he added.
 Mullins said he didn't believe the present local-option law "the best system ever devised, but I do say it's the best I've ever seen."
 Rep. Alford, of Knox county, then joined the attack. He, too, had amendments he had hoped to offer, he asserted, but "the steamroller has knocked the breath out of me."
 "It'll break up and tear apart every county and will break home rule all to smash," Alford predicted.

Administrator's Notice
 All persons having claims against the estate of J. D. Martin, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Prestonsburg, Ky., on or before March 1, 1948, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.
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Prestonsburg Can Support Itself
 THE city of Pikeville last week published a comprehensive audit which included some figures of interest to Prestonsburg and its residents.
 The interesting part of this audit to Prestonsburg is the total amount of taxes collected from property-owners in Pikeville last year—as compared with tax collections here for the year.
 Pikeville collected \$31,750 in taxes from its residents last year, Prestonsburg, we are told, collected around \$10,000.
 Pikeville is larger than Prestonsburg, but not three times as large. Pikeville is more fully developed, industrially, than Prestonsburg, but not by a ratio of three to one.
 And, as for property values, any would-be buyer will tell you that Prestonsburg property is priced as if it were underlaid with platinum.
 This admitted, it follows that either the people of Pikeville are burdened with exorbitant taxes or those of Prestonsburg are not paying enough taxes.
 The Times contends that the latter is the truth of the matter.
 That statement goes for the community as a whole. The rate is high enough, goodness knows. But the assessment, in many cases, borders on the farcical. It is doubtful if any property-owner in Prestonsburg pays a tax bill fully proportionate

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SATURDAY—
"Trailing Danger"
 Johnny Mack Brown. Serial: "DANGERS OF THE CANADIAN MOUNTED."

Saturday, 3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—
"The Pretender"
 Albert Dekker, Linda Stirling, Chas. Drake. "Deer! Deer!" Quail Pointers. "Hare Tonic." Beach Days.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"Good News"
 (in technicolor)
 June Allyson, Peter Lawford, Patricia Morrison. News. Cartoon: "DONALD'S SNOW FIGHT."

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
"High Conquest"
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FOR CONGRESS

Funeral of Mrs. Toler Conducted at Harold

Funeral rites for Mrs. Martha Blair Toler, 34 years old, wife of Benjamin H. Toler, of Harold, who died, Tuesday of last week, at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, of pneumonia, were conducted Thursday at the Toler residence.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eilhu Blair, Mrs. Toler was a native of Letcher county. She had resided for the last two and a half years at Harold where she and her husband operated a store.

Surviving, besides her husband and parents, are a daughter, Celia Bonnie Sue Toler, two brothers and one sister, Dave and Robert Blair and Mrs. Susan Spangler, all of South Down, Ky. Burial was made in the Blairtown, Ky., cemetery, the Call Funeral Home directing.

RICE SLAYING SUSPECT FREE

Escapes State Hospital At Huntington, W. Va.; Termed 'Dangerous Man'

The "No. 1 suspect" in the slaying of Elmo Rice, Johnson county native and Columbus, O., real estate agent, roamed at large last week-end, and a fugitive from Huntington (W.Va.) state hospital.

Capt. Glenn C. Hoffman, chief of the Columbus Police Detective Bureau, described 37-year-old Homer Jack Dean as "the hottest lead" in the two-month-old Rice slaying.

Dean, charged with robbery, forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses, escaped an unarmed attendant at the hospital Friday.

Rice was slain Dec. 10. He disappeared after leaving home to demonstrate his automobile to a prospective buyer. His body was found on a lonely suburban road the next morning.

Exactly why police considered Dean "the hottest lead yet" to that slaying wasn't made public. Police in the Ohio capital apparently became interested in Dean while he was held in the Kanawha county jail at Charleston, W. Va., for safe-keeping.

He was arrested Dec. 23 in Kenova, south of Huntington, on a charge of forging a check for \$130 on a Maysville, Ky., bank. Later he was indicted in nearby Hamlin on a charge of robbing the Lincoln Theatre of \$2,200.

After questioning in Hamlin, he was taken to Charleston. There he was charged with forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses.

Dean was described by Detective Azel Bryant as "a dangerous man." Dr. E. F. Reasor of Huntington hospital said the man "simply outwitted us" in escaping.

The fugitive's mother obtained a lunacy warrant, which prevented his extradition to Ohio for questioning in the Rice slaying. Police reported he agreed to extradition before the warrant was brought.

Seemingly "tractable," Dean was accompanying his attendant from a clinic building to another structure when he broke and ran.

Army Recruiting Work Here Adds to Record Set for Hazard Area

For the first time since June, 1946 the Louisville army recruiting district during January attained its quota, Lt. Col. Murray Frazier, commanding officer, announced.

To pass the quota, recruiters enlisted 451 men and of these 11 per cent were derived from the Hazard area, of which the Prestonsburg recruiting office is a sub-station. Lt. Antonio T. Fasano is commander of the Hazard area and the recruiting station here is commanded by T/4 Charles J. James.

Sgt. James announced during the month the following men enlisted here for army service:

Silvester L. Truman and Victor R. Eagle, both of Topmost; William L. Robinson, Emma; Charles R. Triplett, Wayland; Ralph Adkins, Allen, and a veteran of four years' previous service; William S. Johnson, Lackey; Sammie E. Ricker, Hi Hat.

MIDWAY THEATRE

MELVIN, KY.
 THE PEOPLE'S THEATRE

FRI.-SAT., 7 p.m.—
DOUBLE BILL—
Western
 with Bob Steele.

"The Pretender"
 Albert Dekker, L. Sterling, C. Drake. Serial: "JACK ARMSTRONG (All-American Boy)"

SUNDAY, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., MONDAY, 7 p.m.—

"Dead Reckoning"
 Humphrey Bogart, Elizabeth Scott. Serial: "THE BLACK WIDOW" Comedy: "HALF-WIT'S HOLIDAY" 3 Stooges. News.

TUES.-WED., 7 p.m.—
"Big Town"
 Phillip Reed, Hillary Brooke. Serial: "G-MEN NEVER FORGET"

Flood Threat to Valley Seen with Heavy Rain

A new phase of the weather had residents of Prestonsburg and other Floyd towns anxious tonight (Thursday) as rain was washing away last of the heavy snow and ice. Hundreds of small streams over the section were rising, pouring into the Big Sandy which is the big threat here.

Prediction of colder weather was absent, just at the time it would have been welcomed as a rain-stopper.

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"Winter Wonderland"
 Lynn Roberts, Charles Drake.

SAT., 2:30—
"Robin Hood of Texas"
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"Hoppy's Holiday"
 William Boyd.

SUN., 2:30 and 7:30—
"Vacation in Reno"
 Jack Haley, Anne Jeffreys.

MON.—
"Blue Skies"
 Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire.

TUES.—
"Driftwood"
 Ruth Warrick, Walter Brennan.

WED.—
"Perfect Marriage"
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THURS.—
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"Miracle on 34th St."
 Maureen O'Hara, John Payne.

SUN.-MON.—
"I Wonder Who Is Kissing Her Now"
 (in color)
 June Haver, Mark Stephens.

TUESDAY—
"Stanley and Livingstone"
 Spencer Tracy, George Tobias.

WED.-THURS.—
"The Homestretch"
 (in color)
 Cornel Wilde, Maureen O'Hara.

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The partnership of Elmer Rice & Sons has been dissolved and the undersigned is no longer responsible for any debts incurred by Elmer Rice & Sons or any former partner thereof except himself.

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UNION MEETING

A meeting of Local Union No. 8431 will be held Saturday, Feb. 14, 1948 at 1 p.m., at the Salisbury church house.

All miners please attend.

OSCAR HANCOCK,
Recording Secretary,
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CLAIM STATE CONTROL PAYS

Perkins, Others Cite Roadbuilding Record In Neighboring States

Special to The Times
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.—Three neighbor states have materially advanced their improved road mileage by placing all roads under the jurisdiction of their state highway organizations, according to a report filed today with Garrett L. Withers, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Highways. The report was signed by McCracken County Judge Brady M. Stewart, Chief Assistant Attorney-General Carl D. Perkins and Design Director Dwight H. Bray of the Department. Comparative material was gathered by the trio on a survey trip to West Virginia, Virginia and North Carolina.

"West Virginia placed its entire road mileage under state control in 1933," the report said. "Virginia's secondary (rural) highway system came into being on Jan. 31, 1932. The state took over all roads for maintenance and improvement except those in four counties, which voted to retain local control. One of these later joined the state system. North Carolina's General Assembly voted the entire road system under state control in 1931.

"West Virginia income for highway purposes amounts to a total of about \$35,000,000. One cent of the gasoline tax, all title fees, all poll tax and an added grant of \$6,000,000 from the general fund is applied to the secondary (rural) roads. This gives the state \$11,000,000 for the purpose.

"In the opinion of the vast majority, the state control system is so superior in efficiency and so economical in cost, as compared with the county system, that of those questioned, almost everyone was content that state control in West Virginia stay in force.

"Virginia's overall state road income for 1947 amounted to \$51,662,000 with \$17,971,000 of state funds being allocated to secondary (rural) highway purposes. From the time of the establishment of the system to date, a total of \$105,000,000 or an average of \$7,500,000 a year has been expended on secondary (rural) highways. Mileage of black-top rural roads has increased from 2,065 in 1932 to more than 8,000 miles in 1946; mileage of lightly surfaced rural roads from 9,000 in 1932 to 24,000 in 1946.

"Only 19 of the 100 counties in North Carolina had passable county roads when the state became responsible for the upkeep of all rural roads in 1931. Today, 4,500 miles have been paved and 25,000 miles of sand-clay roads have been maintained by grading.

"The state collects about \$54,500,000 yearly for all road purposes. Out of this sum \$23,000,000, or almost half, is spent on rural roads. The rural appropriation is divided \$12,000,000 for maintenance and \$11,000,000 for improving additional mileage.

"North Carolina has 30 highway districts with 30 well-trained engineers in charge. Each of the 100 counties has a competent road supervisor. West Virginia has 10 districts, each with five counties. Resident engineers are in charge of the districts with district engineers in charge, and 57 sub-districts, each with a resident engineer."

Notice of Dissolution Of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the partnership composed of the undersigned, formerly operating the Beaver Valley Hospital at Martin, Floyd county, Ky., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent of the undersigned parties.

Notice is further given that the institution now known as the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, Floyd county, Ky., will in the future be owned and operated by the Beaver Valley Hospital, Incorporated, as soon as the incorporation papers are approved and filed according to law. Dated at Martin, Ky., this 30 day of January, 1948.

C. L. ALLEN, M.D.
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STATE OF KENTUCKY,
COUNTY OF FLOYD

I, Joseph D. Harkins, Jr., a Notary Public within and for the county and state aforesaid, do certify that the foregoing instrument was this day produced before me in my county by Dr. Robert M. Sirkle, one of the partners signing said instrument and was acknowledged before me by the said Dr. Robert M. Sirkle to be the act and deed of the parties signing said instrument for the parties therein mentioned.

I further certify that my commission as Notary Public will expire on the 16 day of June, 1948.

This Jan. 30, 1948.
JOSEPH D. HARKINS, JR.,
Notary Public,
2-5-3t. Floyd County, Ky.

As a result of 4-H club project work, John Smiley Collins, of Adair county, owns 10 registered Aberdeen-Angus cattle, direct descendants of a registered heifer.

IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry James, of Dayton, O., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Damron spent the week-end at the Prestonsburg General hospital with their little grandson, Robert Allen Damron, who has been very ill of crop.

Mrs. Ballard Powell has returned from the Prestonsburg General hospital with her daughter, who was born there last week. The babe has been named Carolyn Kay.

Mrs. Kathryn Smith was the guest of Mrs. Georgia Damron last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter are now at Dayton, O., where they are employed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tackett last week a son. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Damron were Alex Damron, Newton Irick, George Ratliff, of Broad Bottom, Nick Damron and son, Kenneth Ray, of Betsy Layne.

Hazel D. George was visiting friends at Martin and Allen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Layne attended the funeral of Mrs. Matie Caldwell, of Boldman, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Layne and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright Monday night at Mare Creek.

Mrs. Halleck Hamilton and daughter, Lucille, visitor her sister, Mrs. Everett Adkins, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marshall are home again after spending several weeks with relatives on Beaver Creek.

May Layne was in Pikeville on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Burchett were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Cecl.

BIG TUNNEL JOB FINISHED

Burpo, First Engineer On Run out of Shelby, Also 1st thru Pine Mt.

Jenkins, Ky., Feb. 2.—Engineer H. L. Burpo, Jenkins, veteran of some 40 years with the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, grasped the throttle today and the first train rolled through the new \$2,000,000 Pine Mountain tunnel.

The west-to-east crossing from the Virginia to the Kentucky side of the border marked the completion of the tunnel itself, which was constructed to give access to the rich coal field of Upper Pound Valley, Virginia.

At the same time, railway officials announced that estimated reserves of coal in the field totaled 300,000,000 tons. Previous estimates had fixed the total at 50,000,000.

The train, including Engine No. 1456 and eight work cars, traversed the 3,400-foot tunnel without incident.

The railway announced, however, regular traffic would not start until February 29.

Eighteen months were required for construction of the tunnel, and the Western Construction Company of Sioux City, Iowa, said that 84,000 cubic yards of earth were moved.

The train trip was another "first" for Burpo. He was at the throttle back in 1912 when the first work train moved out of Shelby, Ky., on the Big Sandy-Elkhorn division of the C. & O.

LACKEY

Joy Bentley was given a birthday party Saturday at 2 p.m. She received many gifts.

Allen Slone was visiting relatives in Whitesburg Thursday.

The Christian League meets on Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m. Mrs. Allen Slone is president, Alma Reed, secretary, and Mrs. Irene Wicker, program leader.

Jay Hall, of Craynor, was visiting his sister here last week.

Allen Slone and son are back in the restaurant business at Martin. Mrs. Buck Turner, of Lackey, is in the restaurant business.

Rev. Dillard Reed is getting new seats for the church here.

A. C. Napier, of Lackey, submitted to an operation in Lexington last week. His condition is said to be very serious.

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Roy M. Cain, of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Board, will be at the office of Joe P. Tackett here, Friday of next week, to assist veterans and their dependents in the filing of claims, it is announced.

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MARTIN

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kiser and daughter, Charlotte, have returned to Martin after spending most of the winter in Orlando, Florida.

Mrs. John Collins, of Estill, is the guest here of her sister, Mrs. Hazel Vanhoose.

Mrs. Nora Crum is recovering from a recent illness at her home here.

Mrs. Eugene Wright left recently for a visit with her brother, Nelse Barnett, in Bakersfield, Calif. Her husband is with the army. She will be remembered as the former Alice Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Salyers have moved into an apartment at Mrs. Ruth McClanahan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Slone have leased or bought Z. C. Dingsus' restaurant here.

Rev. George Nerbonne was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brashear, Monday evening, at their home in Manton.

Harry Gene Prefatish, Billy and Dickie Brashear spent the week-end home from school. The three attend school in Our Lady of the Mounts Academy, Paintsville.

Miss Helen Tofel, of Detroit, who visited friends here recently, writes she will spend two weeks in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, Jr., has been suffering from tonsillitis at her home here this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Hill has been informed that her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of Morehead, has been taking treatment in Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, for several days. She is recovering rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilson were called to Lexington this week by the illness of Mr. Gilson's mother.

Billy Skeans has been working in Shelby for some time. Brode Duke has also been there working recently.

John A. Conley has returned home after submitting to an operation. He is much improved after being ill so long.

Mrs. Jesse Elliott, of Betsy Layne, visited Mrs. Orris Gearheart, who is very ill in a hospital here.

Rev. George Nerbonne was speaker in the Prestonsburg high school Wednesday by invitation of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen, of McDowell, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Allen last week.

Mrs. Cecelia Selkirk stopped in Martin, en route home from Paintsville, where she had been to visit her daughter in school there.

Mrs. Dan Collins was taken to the C. & O. hospital, Huntington, W. Va., for further treatment. She has been in Our Lady of the Way hospital here for several days.

Rev. Joseph Wimmers was in Martin on business this week. He had just returned from a trip to Covington.

Capt. Walter Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mann Preston, is now in Berlin.

Mrs. C. C. Caudill has returned from Louisville where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Martha Minton.

Little Charles William Hunter is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hunter, in Lexington. He has been ill but is recovering rapidly.

Rev. Joseph Wimmers celebrated mass in Martin Sunday, going to Wayland later in the morning.

Sister Mary Edgar and Sister Janet Mary left Monday for a business trip to Lexington and Cincinnati, Ohio.

Birchell Hall, who attends school in Louisville, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Hillard McKinney announces the arrival of a son, born recently.

Mrs. H. C. Shiels, of Portsmouth, O., and Mrs. W. H. Nolle, of Ashland, were visiting their sister, Mrs. W. H. Mahood, recently.

Mrs. Henry Hale, of Blue River, was the Saturday night guest of Miss Ruth Osborne.

Mrs. Jay Shepherd is ill in the Prestonsburg General hospital.

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CLUB IN ANNUAL DINNER

The David Woman's Club held its annual covered dish dinner Friday night at the home of Mrs. William Crawford, with Mrs. Schindler as hostess. The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Crawford, president. The club voted to contribute to the Handicapped Children fund. An interesting report was given by Miss Ora Howard on the Woman's Club convention held recently in Lexington. Mrs. Crawford selected a nominating committee for the election of officers to be held in March. The committee is composed of Mrs. Warrix, Mrs. Spotte and Mrs. Arnold Clark. The program was on "Safety" with Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Warrix and Mrs. Capelli taking part in a skit. Mrs. Bussey was in charge. Present were Mesdames Otis Bussey, M. E. Thompson, Virgil Warrix, Pete Capelli, Arnold Clark, Ezra Clark, J. C. Spotte, Carl Wise, Walter Crace, Don Preston, J. E. Hall, Charles Schindler, Wm. Crawford, Miss Ora Howard.

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LANCER

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Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Conn are expected home soon from Missouri, where Mrs. Conn underwent an operation.

W. V. Woods, of Emma, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Goble last week.

Marcella and Raymond Ratliff gave a birthday party for their friends. They received many nice presents.

Garland Stephens, of Ohio, was visiting his brother, Greeley Stephens, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Crum, of Banner, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ike Goble.

Misses Alva and Josephine Goble attended the theater at Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Fannin visited Mrs. Fannin's sister, Mrs. Arthur Goble, Sunday.

Mrs. M. V. Click, of Martin, was visiting her brother, Grant Walters, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Munson and daughter are visiting his mother.

Miss Blanche Ferguson, of Wheelwright, is visiting Marguerite Ratliff.

Mrs. Denver McKenzie, of Prestonsburg, was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Goble, Saturday.

William Kendrick, of Prestonsburg, was visiting his brother, Claude Kendrick recently.

Mrs. Elder Goble was shopping in Prestonsburg last week.

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OF INTEREST TO VETERANS

World War II veterans in Ohio, Michigan and Kentucky have negotiated 670 loans totaling more than \$200,000 against their National Service Life Insurance, Veterans Administration Branch Office, Columbus, O., reported this week.

VA officials also reported that veterans in the tri-state area have converted more than 131,000 policies to one of more six permanent plans available. Face value of this converted insurance is approximately 655 million dollars.

The deadline for conversion of term insurance to one of the permanent plans is eight years from the original date the term insurance was issued prior to Jan. 1, 1946. G.I. insurance issued after that date may run on the term plan for five years under existing legislation.

Veterans are not required to pay attorneys or agents for representing them in monetary claims against the Veterans Administration, VA said this week in answer to numerous recent inquiries.

Fees for such services, VA said, are payable only by the agency itself and are deducted from the monetary benefit due the veteran at the time the claim was allowed.

Fees are fixed by statute at \$10 for an original claim and \$2 for a claim to obtain increased benefits. Any agent or attorney who charges or attempts to charge any veteran for such services is subject to penal provisions of the law in addition to loss of his accreditation, VA said.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Must a veteran have 10 per cent or more service-connected disability to be eligible for out-patient treatment?

A. Any veteran with an established service-connected disability is entitled to out-patient treatment for service-connected disability regardless of the degree of disability.

Q. I lost my last subsistence check before I was able to cash it at the bank. What should I do?

A. Go to your nearest VA office and explain what happened. The office will take necessary action to recover or replace your check.

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GARRETT

Tommy Tucker Johnson was guest of honor at a party celebrating his eighth birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rudolph Spencer. Main entertainment of the afternoon was a record of the party made by Bill Pettrey and played during the party. The favors were small valentines. He received many gifts. Refreshments were served to Charles Turner, James Franklin, Billy and Donny Francis, Joyce and Barbara Pack, Jimmy Kilburn, Jimmy Turner, Jimmy Pettrey, Raymond, Herman and Darlan Vanderpool, Green Sexton, Billy Ray Elias, Sammy Childers, Mary Lee Triplett, Peggy Martin, Patsy Turner, Leonard Triplett, Linda Sue Hughes, Tiny Pettrey, Edith Irene Turner, Edgar Clark, Ernest and Julia Francis, Norman Ray Higgins, Dorothy Higgins, Jimmy Ray Vanderpool, Bill Bentley, Mrs. Troy J. Webb, Mrs. K. C. Beverly, Mrs. E. C. Blanton, Mrs. Fred Martin, Mrs. Frank Rasnick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettrey. Those sending gifts were Mrs. C. B. Ison, Bob Beverly and Snookie Hughes.

Mrs. C. B. Ison is visiting her mother, Mrs. Gallagher, at Barbourville, Ky.

Glenn Pack, who underwent a major operation at Veterans' hospital, Huntington, is expected home in a few days. Mrs. Pack spent last week in Huntington with him.

Mrs. K. C. Beverly entertained with a spaghetti supper Friday in honor of Capt. Beverly, who leaves this week for Alaska. After the supper, bridge was enjoyed by the guests. High score prizes were won by Mrs. Chas. Sturgill and Dr. R. H. Messer; low, Mrs. R. H. Messer. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. Bartee Estep, Mrs. Frank Rasnick, Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mrs. Chas. Sturgill, Dr. C. B. Ison, Mrs. Ellen Hornsby.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Messer left Wednesday to spend a few weeks in Florida. They will return March 10.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen have moved here after living in Ohio the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasnick were called to Regina, Ky., by the death of Mr. Rasnick's father, John Rasnick, on Monday.

On Sunday, several of his friends visited Edd Vanderpool who is a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin.

EXTENDS SYMPATHY

Veterans Administration Hospital
Walla Walla, Wash.
Jan. 27, 1948

W. M. Griffith
Martin, Ky.
Dear Mr. Griffith:

I wish to offer my deepest sympathy to you in the death of your brother, James F. Griffith, which occurred at 9:55 a. m., Jan. 19, 1948, while he was a patient in this hospital.

I trust it will be a comfort to you to know that your brother received the best of medical and professional attention during his period of treatment here. May you find further consolation in the knowledge that he served his country and died honored and respected by all of us.

Your brother was buried in the American Legion plot, Mountainview cemetery, at Walla Walla, Washington. Chaplain Cousins conducted the protestant burial services. The place of interment will be given perpetual care.

I will be pleased to give you any further information or other assistance in my power.
J. J. BEATTY, M.D., Mgr.
(Adv. 1t.)

About 75,000 feet of tile was laid in Magoffin county last year.

MAYTOWN

The Maytown school raised a total of \$100.16 for the March of Dimes.

Mrs. John Newt Patton is a patient at the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mrs. Maurice Vaughan, of Lexington, is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen.

A bridal shower was given Saturday in honor of Mrs. Reed Howell, nee, Sally Grace Gibson.

V. O. Turner was a business visitor in Frankfort last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Laferty, of Ashland, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Combs have moved to Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. John May and children will occupy the house they recently vacated.

Miss Elizabeth Boughton spent the week-end, guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Patrick, of Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Helen Shoddy and daughter, Judy, of Boldman, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton.

Mrs. James Webb was visiting her father, W. B. Jarrell, in Kenova last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Okey Dorton were recently called to Ohio upon the death of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. John May and daughters, Misses Loretta and Ann May, made a recent trip to Florida to visit their son, Roy May, who is in military school. They were accompanied by Miss Virginia Dorton.

George May, Sr., is a patient in the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ratliff and son, of Ohio, recently visited relatives in the county.

Miss Kathy Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Patton, is recovering from a recent illness. Also Stannie Ramey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey, is recovering from a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy recently entertained the Christian Board of Education of the Methodist Church at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hill spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ratliff.

The Dramatic Club is practicing on a play, "The Tomboy," to be presented soon in the Maytown high school auditorium.

Mrs. Dave Bryant has been visiting in Hindman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stewart were on business in Huntington, the first of the week.

Mrs. Guntz, of West Virginia, is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. George Allen Patton.

Mrs. Ray Smith and Misses Harriet Allen and Marcia Smith stopped here, en route to their homes in Hindman. They had been on a two weeks' trip to Mexico. Because of snow and blizzard, they had to leave their car in Austin, Texas, and come home by train.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all our friends who came to our assistance through our bereavement in the death of our beloved brother and uncle, John (Dotty) Martin. We especially thank the ministers, Troy Nichols, Willie Collins, Morgan Stumbo, and Tom Moseley, for their consoling words and good advice; all those who sent floral offerings; the donors of automobiles; and the Arnold Funeral Home for their efficient services.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore and Family.

The growing of alfalfa in Monroe county has increased from 35 acres in 1935 to more than 3,500 acres in 1947.

CLIFF

Sam Vaughan is very ill.

William Marvin Best visited his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Best, at Harrodsburg during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orion May and niece, Patsy Ruth Warrens, of Wayland, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay May.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Laven and daughter, Tammie Carol, spent Sunday here, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens.

Miss Doris Shell, who is employed at Allen, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Shell, here Thursday night.

Mrs. Tom Moore and infant daughter, Nida Gall, returned home from the Prestonsburg hospital, Wednesday.

Manda Horne was called to Ligon Thursday by the sudden illness of her father, Bascom Horne. His condition was still serious at the last report.

Joe Click spent several days at the Prestonsburg General hospital last week, receiving treatment for a badly infected knee.

Little Rose Moore returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Hall, in Prestonsburg.

Albert Nunberry, of Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore Sunday.

George Click, of Ivel, spent the week-end here with his brother, Joe Click, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dotson and children, of David, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dotson, Sunday.

John Stephens and Clyde May were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday.

W. W. Stephens, who is employed as night clerk at the Auxier hotel, spent Sunday here with his family.

Mrs. W. W. Stephens was a business visitor in Prestonsburg, Monday.

NOTICE OF SALE

The undersigned will sell at Cook's Garage, Wheelwright Junction, Ky., on Feb. 21, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p. m., to the highest and best bidder the following-described motor vehicle to satisfy garage bill in the amount of \$97:

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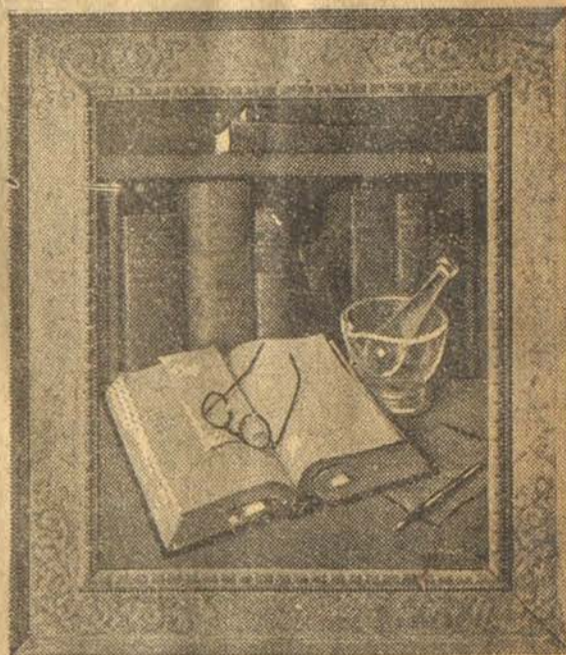
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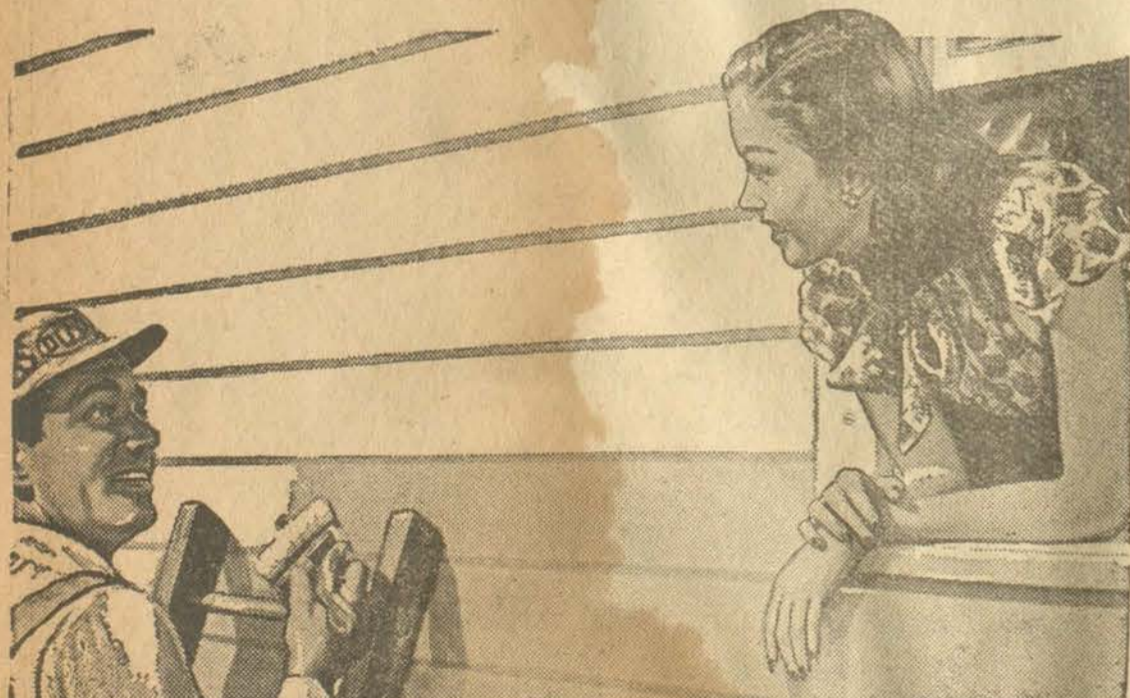
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