

This Town-- That World

Stassen wins in Wisconsin. Stassen wins in Nebraska. The "grass roots" are not very Dewey, these days.

THE "RAINBOW DIVISION" The boys at Prestonsburg high school last week were "receiving" contributions with which to buy balls and bats, to continue baseball in high school.

Few there are who would not freely give to help the boys along, but there are few, too, who understand why this is necessary. Most of us wonder why the school doesn't help the team more.

In baseball Prestonsburg has gone to the state tournament, three years in a row. In no other sport has a Prestonsburg ever reached the "state."

But, good as the boys have been, these past three years, they have looked pretty pitiful at Parkway Field, no two with the same sort of uniform.

Baseball is not a paying sport, true. But, somewhere, somebody said school sports serve as a character-builder. That being true, the financial angle isn't such a great consideration after all, and baseball should not be treated as a step-child.

THE BOLD, BAD KNIGHT

Some guys will go a long way to lend a touch of freshness to an old, but an acquaintance who turned dreamer to get this one over takes the patented earmuffs.

"I dream," said he, "that I was in a medieval hall where King Arthur and his Knights of the Round-table were holding forth. That's all right--go ahead and warn me about my diet. Anyhow, sir, all the Sirs were there--Galahad, Geraint, Gawain, Lancelot, Tristram and all the rest.

"King Arthur sat at the head of a long table heaped with venison, wild fowl and a lot of other things I'd have liked to have set a tooth in. Everybody had gathered round, except Sir Kay, the knight who had a knack of getting into mischief. And finally he strolled in, with his visor down.

"The good king looked displeased. Crooking a finger, he brought Sir Kay up short.

"I hear you have been misbehaving," said King Arthur. Sir Kay squirmed in his armor, then woke me up with this question: "In what manor, sire?"

THE BIG QUESTION

Proof that Floyd county is not an agricultural section.

Rains fell for days, gardens were washed out of the ground, Spring plowing was far behind schedule.

But the question on the lips of three-fourths of the county's 60,000 residents was: "Wonder when the mines will go back to work?"

A MATTER OF GEOGRAPHY

Wonder if Allan Trout could write a learned dissertation on Jerinkum? Chief of Police Bill Blackburn says he understands Jerinkum is 20 miles you-side of hell. This column, however, is open to Trout for his views on the matter.

MYSTERY SOLVED

Deputy Sheriff Epp Laferty was contributing to the peace but very little to the quiet of the community this week, he was laughing so heartily about what happened Saturday.

It involved his brother, Floyd "Dump" Laferty, who appeared at the officer's Court street office in a somewhat more than mild state of perturbation.

Mr. Laferty explained that he was going blind. He was seeing things all distorted--folks with faces gashed and scarred, faces that looked out of proportion, and so on.

Upshot of the matter was, his brother closed shop and hurried him to a Pikeville specialist.

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Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Virgine Mullins vs. Thomas Mullins; S. C. Ferguson, atty. Herbert Borders vs. Margaret Tackett; H. R. Burke, atty. Harlan Nowak vs. Nancy Nowak; J. B. Clarke, atty. Graybar Electric Co. vs. Roy Peters, et al; J. B. Clarke, atty. Jay Smith vs. Beatrice Smith; Joe Hobson, atty. Joe P. Tackett vs. C. & O. Railway Co.; J. P. Tackett, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Johnnie Bret Johnson, 23, and Parit Fouts, 18, both of Hall, Ky.; married here April 9 by County Judge Alex L. Davidson. Kenneth Hall, 19, and Velva Watson, 26, Pipe-papass; marriage solemnized here April 10 by County Judge Davidson. Sillie Cook, 18, and Jayhen Hall, 16, both of Dry Creek; married here April 10, the Rev. I. A. Smiley officiating. Walter Moore and Christine Stepp. Burnice Tuttle and Judy Moore. C. J. Brown and Dale Napier. George Maynard, 23, and Norma Caines, 22, both of Heisey, Ky.; marriage solemnized here April 14, County Judge Davidson officiating.

HEAD INJURY CLAIMS MINER

Laferty Dies Saturday When Skull Fractured Upon Fall from Horse

Injuries suffered when thrown from a horse near his home on Stone Coal Creek resulted, a few hours later, in the death Saturday at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, of Robert Laferty, 27-year-old miner. Laferty fell heavily to the ground and his skull was fractured.

The victim was a son of Jonah Laferty, of Garrett, and was a native of this county. Surviving are his father, his widow, Mrs. Gladys Laferty, one son, Robert, Jr., three brothers, Jack, of Emma, Abram, of Michigan, Grant, of Garrett, and three sisters, Mrs. Jack Burchett, of Garrett, Mrs. Homer Derossett, of Dwale, and Mrs. Lucy O'Quin, Salyersville.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday from the home of Mrs. Derossett at Dwale, the Revs. Everett Daniels, Ernest Ward, Ed Howard and Alex Coburn officiating. Burial in Dwale cemetery was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

RENEW PACT WITH FRAZIER

School Head Here Points to Necessity Of Building Program

After he had received a new four-year contract Tuesday night at the City Board of Education meetings, Chalmers H. Frazier, superintendent of Prestonsburg schools, declared Item No. 1 of future school plans here is an addition to the high school building.

"If the school is to grow, an adequate building is absolutely necessary," Mr. Frazier said. "The present building was erected 21 years ago to accommodate 150 students. The student-body is now approximately 400. I doubt if any other high school in Eastern Kentucky faces such a situation."

Superintendent Frazier emphasized the point that his aim is to work with the city and county boards of education to procure an adequate building "to take care of the present student-body and the increased attendance I know is coming." "It is impossible to put on an adequate school program with our present facilities," he added.

Mr. Frazier assumed the superintendency of schools here last year.

LOOP SEASON OPENS SUNDAY

Wayland Comes Here For Opener; 10 Teams Scheduled for Action

The Big Sandy Baseball League's 1948 season will open locally Sunday afternoon at 2:30 with Prestonsburg playing host to Wayland.

Elsewhere in the league opening games will find: Weeksbury at Van Lear, Garrett at Elkhorn City, Pikeville at Harold and Clear Creek at Paintsville.

The death of Jimmy Roark temporarily left Prestonsburg without a manager, but Astor Meade was chosen as his successor at a baseball meeting here Monday night. Inclement weather has prevented all teams in the circuit from getting in their leeks toward rounding into form for the season's play.

Managers of the other nine teams in the league are: Van Lear, Elmer Chandler; Weeksbury, Clifford Woody; Harold, Dan Knauts; Paintsville, H. J. Hensley; Elkhorn City, Ernest Potter; Wayland, Mabry Martin; Pikeville, C. H. Robinson; Garrett, Glenn Pack; Clear Creek, Vaughn Lee McCoy.

Player rosters, it was voted at a recent meeting held at Allen in the office of W. A. Malone, league president, will consist of 22 men, and must be submitted to Mr. Malone on or before May 1. The larger roster was adopted, so that high school players could be used. Players must be in uniform and announced by umpires one week before playing, and no player may change teams after 15 days.

Floyd Rural Teachers Get Extra Pay Checks

One hundred seventy-nine Floyd county rural teachers, including substitutes, were sharing this week in the \$3,000,000 retroactive teachers' pay fund voted at the recent General Assembly session.

Teachers who taught the full nine-month term will receive \$178.20, or \$19.80 a month. Consolidated teachers will be paid at the end of their schools, County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall said.

Mrs. Will Gearheart and son, Edward, who was recently discharged from the army after service with occupation forces in Japan, were here last week from Hueysville.

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THURSDAY PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY APRIL 15, 1948

Decision on Lewis Postponed

MISS SPEARS GETS 5-YEAR PRISON TERM

Girl-Slayer Nonchalant Daring Trial for Murder; Officer Hearing Scheduled

First murder trial of the current circuit court term Wednesday night ended with Miss Betty Spears drawing a five-year penitentiary term for the slaying last year at Betsy Layne of Edmond Walters, war veteran.

The red-haired defendant, facing trial nonchalantly, retained her equilibrium in the face of the verdict. "I don't care what they do," she was quoted by court attaches as saying.

Only the defendant and her mother, Mrs. Reil Spears, were listed as eyewitnesses, but their versions of the shooting failed to agree. Mrs. Spears said her daughter fired a .22-caliber rifle bullet into Walters' body after he had threatened her over a bottle-opener. Miss Spears, however, claimed Walters had tried to force her to drink a bottle of beer with him and that he threatened her with a bottle.

The defendant executed bond and will appeal the verdict.

Slated for trial today was Albert Hall, former deputy sheriff, accused of murder in the death by

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SAFETY-WEEK PLANS TOLD

Safety Exhibit Booth, Free Tests To Feature Program Scheduled Here

Further plans for the traffic safety program to be sponsored here, the week of April 26, by the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Kentucky Peace Officers Association, were announced this week by H. D. Fitzpatrick, chairman of the Floyd safety campaign.

The traffic safety program, according to R. E. Hibbs, safety engineer, Louisville police, will be conducted by police officers and will be opened with a safety exhibit booth in the former police station, opposite the courthouse. The booth will consist of on-the-spot testing of eyes, nerves, reaction time and visual acuity, literature on driving, rules for safety at the wheel, etc., will be distributed.

"We can expect the number of operators of automobiles on the highways to increase at a rapid rate from now on," Officer Hibbs said. "The traffic accident rate will inevitably rise unless drivers keep themselves in the best possible physical condition and, at the same time, learn all they can about driving safety. You are urged to visit the safety booth at Prestonsburg during the week."

The examinations are free and a part of the safety program.

NAME TAYLOR LEGION HEAD

Floyd Post No. 129, American Legion, last Friday night elected Alvin Taylor, of Prestonsburg, its commander for the year and named four other World War II veterans and three who served in World War I for other offices.

At the same time the Post voted to contribute to the Prestonsburg Playground Center \$500 and for the aid of Thomas Robinson, crippled veteran whose home on Little Point was recently destroyed by fire, \$100.

Other Post officers elected: Ray Collins, first vice-commander; Wall Hamilton, second vice-commander; R. C. Branham, sergeant-at-arms; Robert Rankin, adjutant; Ed May, finance officer; Tom James, service officer; Lon S. Moles, historian; Dan Nessler, chaplain.

The new officers will be installed April 23 by Robert Miller, of Wheelwright, district commander.

The Post at Friday night's meeting awarded Merit medals to W. G. Africa and Henry Martin for past services in behalf of the Legion.

OCTOGENARIAN AND FAMILY LOSE ALL BELONGINGS TO FLOODWATERS ON ARRIVAL IN COUNTY LAST WEEK

An 80-year-old man, his wife and their 12-year-old son last Thursday saw all their household possessions swept away by flood soon after they had arrived on Bull Creek from Williamson, West Virginia.

The family, that of George Hilton, had barely unloaded a truck carrying all their household belongings, at the mouth of a branch on the headwaters of Bull Creek, when floodwaters from upstream swept

away their stove, bedding, kitchen utensils and clothing, leaving the three destitute, the first night of their stay in Kentucky.

But Floyd Chapter, American Red Cross, furnished pots and pans, beds and mattresses, while citizens of the community contributed liberally to buy dishes and silverware. End of the week saw the Hiltons happily established in their new Kentucky home.

Boy Scouts First To Begin Floyd Reforestation Work

Floyd county's first reforestation program was inaugurated Saturday when Daniel Boone Troop No. 143, Boy Scouts, of David, planted 500 Southern pine, 500 loblolly pine and 1,000 walnut trees in the vicinity of the Middle Creek mining town.

And this, it was pointed out, is only the beginning of a program the Scouts there have planned. From time to time additions will be made to their plantings until several thousands of trees are growing in eroded areas.

Reforestation work was begun by the troop for soil conservation purposes and to beautify the surrounding hills. Planting was done in spots where noticeable erosion had taken place and where a definite scarcity of trees was noted.

The trees were provided by the state Division of Conservation and planting was done under supervision of County Agent S. L. Isbell and County Forester Palmer Crum.

The Rev. J. E. Durham, Scoutmaster at David, expressed the hope that other Scout troops of the section will adopt similar programs working toward restoration of the hills to their original beauty and fertility.

RIVER YIELDS BODY OF VET

Bentley, Missing 16 Days, Found Sunday at Harold; Death Cause Not Stated

Body of Frank Bentley, 24-year-old Pike county veteran, who had been missing 16 days, was found at Harold in the Big Sandy river shortly before noon Sunday by Frank Burton, a fisherman.

The body was recognized through papers in Bentley's clothing. An inquest jury empaneled by Magistrate Dewey Roberts held that Bentley came to his death from a "cause unknown." Magistrate Roberts said there was no indication of foul play.

A Pike county man was named by relatives of Bentley as suspected of having killed the veteran. Magistrate Roberts said. Subsequent investigation, however, disclosed, it was said, that the accused man was innocent and had offered to assist Bentley in crossing the river at a point above Pikeville. A witness said Bentley jumped into the river, swam across till near the shore and was not seen again.

The victim, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bentley, of Robinson Creek, was employed as a miner. He has a brother, Hack Bentley, who resides here.

Lauchie D. Scott, 47, Heart Attack Victim Tuesday at Garrett

Lauchie D. Scott, 47 years old, Garrett restaurant-owner, succumbed Tuesday at his home at Garrett to a heart attack. Death followed an illness of four days.

Mr. Scott, formerly widely known in this section as a baseball player, was a native of Pike county and a son of the late Ivan Scott. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Beatrice Williams Scott, two sons and two daughters, Freddie L. Scott, of the army, Pittsburg, Calif., Dickie, Mary Lou and Sally Scott, all of Garrett; his mother, Mrs. Mattie Wilbur, his step-father, Leo Wilbur, of Glo, a brother, Silas, one sister, Mrs. M. C. Styles and two half-brothers, Earl and Ed.

Funeral rites were conducted today (Thursday) from the Methodist Church at Garrett, the Revs. Alex Coburn and Green Allen officiating. Burial in the Williams-Conley cemetery at Hueysville was directed by the Ryan Funeral Home.

MCDOWELL CHILD DIES

Vivian, 18-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall, died Sunday morning at the Hall residence at McDowell. The babe was the second child in the family to die within the last few weeks. Funeral services were held Monday from the home and burial was made in the Lucy Hall cemetery at McDowell under direction of the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home.

LOSSES BELIE COPY BOOKS

As Wind, Flood Hit This County; Ohio on Rampage

Big Sandy folk found April this week persisting in flaunting tradition.

The copy-book "gentle showers" were downpours and "vagrant spring breezes" whooped it up so that things were literally in the air--or on the ground.

Monday's rain-and-windstorm saw a new barn owned by Dean Merritt flattened at Emma. Some fruit trees were uprooted and the porch of a home near here was blown off.

Many gardens were yet unplowed, and in those that had been planted plants were washed, this week and last, out of the ground. County Agent S. L. Isbell said last week's hail in the lower section of the county destroyed some fruit, and that potato crops have been washed out by heavy rains.

And through it all streams rose threateningly after subsiding over the week-end, yet there was no immediate flood danger in this section.

Rains were heavy and general over the state, and the Ohio river reaching flood stage Tuesday.

FEDERAL AID IS AUTHORIZED

Governor Asks Help On Floyd, Johnson And Pike Highways

President Truman directed Wednesday that aid be given and that surplus property be made available.

Describing floods in Floyd, Pike and Johnson counties as having produced "disastrous effects" to roads, Governor Earle C. Clements this week appealed to the federal government for emergency aid in repairing flood-damaged roads and bridges.

Last week's floods washed out several bridges in this county and also damaged roads, and subsequent rains have contributed to the damage. But, it was said here, earlier freezes created possibly more extensive damage.

The Left Beaver highway is in particularly bad condition as the result of heavy freezes, and is growing worse under travel during steady rains. The same condition prevails in the upper limits of Prestonsburg, and in spots the Allen-Lackey highway has been damaged.

In a telegram to R. C. Ashburn, head of the Bureau of Community Facilities, Federal Works Administration, in Chicago, the Chief Executive said:

"The tremendous floods in South-Eastern Kentucky along the Big Sandy river and its tributaries, and particularly in the counties of Johnson, Pike and Floyd, are producing disastrous results. An emergency exists and it is requested that assistance be granted under Public Law 233."

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Officers Nab Six During Week-End On Booze Writs

County officers and Prestonsburg police arrested six persons on liquor charges during the week-end.

Arrested here by Policemen Bill Blackburn and Ray Collins was B. Salyers, who executed bond. Two buildings at Bald Alley, a short distance above here, yielded whiskey in separate raids. Deputy Sheriffs Butler Spivey and Troy Shepherd arrested Billie Hatfield there Saturday after finding approximately a case of whiskey. He executed bond. Next day, Deputy Sheriffs Epp Laferty, Harold Conn and Ollie Wallen arrested Earl Walters there and he was fined \$75 and given a 30-day jail term on his guilty plea.

Saturday night, near Emma, Edward Cravens was arrested and approximately three cases of whiskey were found in a building he occupied. He executed bond. Deputy Sheriffs Harold Conn, Epp Laferty and J. B. Hall were assisted by Chief of Police Bill Blackburn in the raid.

A search warrant was sworn out for a place operated at Martin by Mrs. Roger Click after Deputy Sheriff Butler Spivey had sworn he had bought whiskey from Mrs. Click. The subsequent search, however, failed to locate liquor and a warrant for selling was issued for her.

At Auxier Sunday six half-pints of whiskey were found by officers and "Yankee" Wells admitted ownership of the liquor. He executed bond.

HUNTINGTON SHOPPERS

Among the Huntington shoppers and business callers Friday and Saturday were Mesdames Frank H. Layne, W. D. Goble, Everett H. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Richard Webb.

EMMA YOUTH LOSES FINGERS IN BLAST

Tommy Walters, 17 years old, of Emma, lost a thumb and forefinger, Thursday last week in the explosion of a dynamite cap. He also suffered lacerations on his face.

General hospital, where he is convalescing, that he had lighted a fuse to the cap and, thinking it had gone out, was investigating when the cap exploded.

TINY YOUNGSTER DOING WELL

A three-pound, four-ounce son was born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Edgel Whitaker at their home at David. Mrs. Whitaker and baby were brought, later in the day, to the Prestonsburg General hospital where both were said to be doing well.

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UNDERMANNED MINES BEGIN WORK AGAIN

UMWA Leader Wins Fight On Pension Issue; Rail Schedules Are Resumed

A radio newscast stated this morning that Judge Goldsborough had postponed action in the Lewis contempt case till Monday.

There was activity in and around the coal mines of this section Tuesday, with 75 per cent of Big Sandy's mines estimated to be in low production, but Wednesday the miners were more interested in their radio sets as they listened in for results of the contempt hearing in Washington which may or may not result in their leader, John L. Lewis, drawing a stiff fine or jail sentence, or both.

Lewis again was "hailed before Judge Goldsborough after winning another victory over the operators. The back-to-work order came after the pension dispute had been settled, with miners over 62 to get \$100-a-month pensions.

Lewis and the United Mine Workers at the capital hearing pleaded innocent of contempt of court in the coal strike.

Their formal plea of "not guilty" was made after District Judge T. Alan Goldsborough overruled a motion by Wely K. Hopkins, Lewis' attorney, to dismiss the contempt citation.

Hopkins cited the telegrams Lewis sent to idle miners Monday telling them to go back to work.

He argued they showed Lewis had complied with a court order served April 5 to call off the strike.

Lewis has insisted that he never called a strike--that it was a "voluntary cessation" of work.

Immediately after Lewis pleaded "not guilty," the government began presenting evidence.

Government lawyers gave out a list of six witnesses, some of them obviously designed to show the seriousness of the coal strike during the last four weeks.

Two of the witnesses subpoenaed were John Owens, secretary-treasurer of the UMW, and William L.P. Burke, secretary to trustees of the miners' welfare fund.

The walkout was the result of a dispute over payment of pensions from the welfare fund. The fund comes from a ten cents a ton royalty on coal mined.

The other government witnesses were W. H. Young, chief of the bituminous coal section, Bureau of Mines; V. Lewis Bassie, of the Commerce Department; Nelson Lee Smith, chairman of the Federal Power Commission; Arthur H. Gas, director of the railway transport department of the Office of Defense Transportation.

Fourteen minutes before the trial hour, Lewis walked into the courtroom, accompanied by eight attorneys and several United Mine Workers officials.

The bushy-browed UMW leader took a seat at the long counsel table

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BOND DRIVE STARTS TODAY

Floyd Quota in Nation's Biggest Peacetime Sale Of Bonds Set at \$170,000

The greatest peacetime U.S. savings bond campaign--America's Security Loan--started today (Thursday) and before June 30 it is hoped that Floyd countians will have purchased their full quota of \$170,000 in bonds.

Of the Floyd quota, \$106,000 is marked for E-Bond purchasers. The Kentucky quota is \$31,500,000 and every county in the state is being organized for the campaign.

Purpose of the bond drive, it was explained, is to spread further the national debt, build up reserves against depression and to temper the unwise spending which might contribute toward inflation.

Theme of the drive is, "America's Security Is Your Security." Warlike committees are being re-organized to handle the six main phases of the program: payroll savings, banking and investments, agriculture, publicity, community activities and schools.

The officers found, near the home, a gallon jug which, they said, had contained gasoline. A gasoline-soaked glove was also found.

Ralph Boyd was booked on charges of arson, drunk driving, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, possession of illegal liquor and on a peace warrant. Donald Boyd faces the same charges, except that he was not accused of drunk driving and carrying a pistol.

Bratcher Is Victim Friday at Eastern

John W. Bratcher, 84-year-old farmer, succumbed Friday at his home at Eastern to heart disease.

Mr. Bratcher, who had resided in this county for several years, was a devout Christian for 52 years and had many friends. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Elwood Rone, Sr., of Eastern, Mrs. Jack Durham,

Herrin, Ill., and Mrs. Charles Bridges, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The funeral was conducted Saturday on Brush Creek where burial was made under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

Has Good Alfalfa

Emery Curry, of Adair county, has several acres of good alfalfa that was seeded a year ago on limed and fertilized land, and side-dressed this spring.

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Former Martin Woman Victim at Huntington

Mrs. Mada Moore Evans, 55 years old, wife of R. R. Evans, of Pikeville, formerly of Martin, died Saturday morning at the C. & O. hospital, Huntington, after an extended illness.

A native of Ashland, she was a daughter of the late Dr. A. H. Moore and of Mrs. Mollie Moore, who survives. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and had many friends in this county as well as in Boyd and Pike. Surviving, besides her husband and mother, are two sons, R. R. Evans, Jr., and Robert Evans, and one daughter, Mary Ellen. One sister, Mrs. L. M. Amburgy, Athens, Tenn., also survives.

Funeral rites were conducted Monday at Ashland, the Rev. S. R. Curry, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial was made in Ashland cemetery.

City Council Endorses Playground Movement

At its recent meeting, the Prestonsburg City Council discussed the movement to provide a playground for children here, and the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, there is a movement sponsored by the Prestonsburg Junior Chamber of Commerce and other interested parties, to provide a recreational playground for the children of the city,

"Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Prestonsburg City Council endorse and approves this movement to provide a playground."

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A Job for More Than Hands

IT IS highly doubtful if there is a street corner or a country store in America that is not at this very moment populated by one or more men who will break down and confess that they, personally, could rid the land of Communism.

"Why, get rid of the blankety-blank Communists, throw 'em in the can till moss grows on their backs or send 'em back to Rooshia—that's all you have to do," they will with super-sapience tell you.

That is the natural thing to say, but it isn't as easy as such simple, direct action.

Getting rid of Communism is a more delicate matter than the imprisonment or banishment from these shores of known Communists. Even if that were all that is to be done, this phase of the fight could conceivably result in a loss of some vital part or principle of our government.

And if that should result, if our own land is cleared of Reds at the cost of some of our own liberties, we share the defeat.

This country cannot afford, in its protection of the Bill of Rights, to deny freedom of speech and assembly to individuals or groups, simply because their ideas are not generally accepted. Once this is done, America will go on one big witch-hunt. Men and women will be persecuted for the slightest variance from the beaten path of political thought. Already, there is a tendency among the more inarticulate to classify those who disagree with them as "Communists."

Known Communists can be dealt with, and some already have been handled accordingly. But Communism, its insidious infiltration into the minds of men and women, its undercover threat to democracy and freedom are things which cannot be wiped out, literally, as with a brush of a giant hand.

The fight, then, is our common battle. The schools

Nine from County At Honor Banquet

Nine Floyd county students at Pikeville College were among those invited to the annual Honor Banquet given by the College on April 2 to recognize the achievement of its best students. Rev. John L. McDonald, of Albion, Ill., addressed the honor students and guests.

Among those eligible for the banquet were: Robert A. Crisp, Martin; Mrs. Lillian S. Taylor, Betsy Layne; Barbara Conn, Osborn; Opal Hall, McDowell; Pauline Moore, McDowell; Mr. and Mrs. Collis Stumbo, Minnie; Edgar Sturgill, Harold; and Jane Crawford, David, a senior at Pikeville Academy.

and churches have a serious duty and so has the press. Greater service must be rendered by our government itself and those who shape its policies. For, by making this government serve the people, without infringing of their liberties, by making this government a shining example to all the world, government itself will go far to make the world forget Communism.

Unfortunately, this is a fight that cannot be impetuously fought and won. There is more than physical action to be taken.

Pledge Fulfillment For Red Cross Asked As Goal Not Reached

An urgent plea to all those who have pledged funds and support to the Red Cross drive in Floyd county to turn in their contributions to their local chairman was made by William R. Callihan, county Red Cross chairman, this week.

So far, only \$5,230 have been collected, far short of the \$9,000 goal. All local chairmen were likewise urged to complete their canvassing and turn in their reports. "In these days of domestic turmoil, international unrest and threat of floods, it is vital that we 'Keep the Red Cross Ready,'" continued Mr. Callihan, voicing the new campaign slogan. "The Red Cross can only be ready to help all of us if all of us are ready to help it."

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Production of coal in Floyd county, Tuesday and Wednesday, was a mere trickle as compared to the huge volume normally produced. The long lay-off, high waters and other conditions cut down production, but the principal cause lay in the fact that not enough men were at work.

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Mrs. Cynthia Allen Is Victim Saturday; Funeral at Maytown

Mrs. Cynthia Lurania Allen, widow of J. N. Allen, prominent Floyd county farmer, and a member of one of the county's oldest families, succumbed Saturday at the age of 95 at the home of her son, the Rev. Frank V. Allen, Worthville, Owen county. Death followed an illness of several weeks.

Daughter of the Rev. George A. May and Mrs. Mahala May, she was born and reared at Maytown. She was married July 3, 1873, and her husband preceded her in death in 1939. Three sons, Urban, James Willie and Freddie J., also preceded her in death. Mrs. Allen had been a devout member of the Methodist Church since her 16th year and was deeply revered by all who knew her.

Surviving, besides her son, is one daughter, Mrs. Laura Allen, of Maytown, 14 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday from the Methodist Church at Maytown, the pastor, the Rev. S. B. Rucker, officiating, and burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Gwendolyn Harris Collins, Plaintiff Vs. NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE Graham Harris, Et Al., Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered at its May, 1947 term in the above entitled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, May 3, 1948, same being the first day of the May, 1948 term of the Floyd Circuit Court, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p.m., upon a credit of six and 12 months; the following described property, to-wit:

1. That certain tract or parcel of land located in the Harmon and Richmond Addition to the City of Prestonsburg, Ky., and being the third lot south of the main cross street in Prestonsburg, Ky., which street runs east and west. Said land is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on a stake on the upper 50 foot street on the corner between Lot No. 25 and Lot No. 24; thence along said street a southerly direction 60 feet; thence with the line of Lot No. 26, a distance of one hundred and sixty feet to an alley; thence a northern direction with said alley 60 feet to the corner of Lot No. 24; thence with said line of Lot 24, a distance of 168 feet to the stake, the place of beginning, being a lot 68 by 168 feet square.

2. The following items of personal property:

- 1 sewing machine. 1 piano. 1 living room suite. 4 floor lamps 1 cook stove 1 heating stove 1 china cabinet 1 bed outfit, and all other personal property belonging to Mrs. Josie Harris at the time of her death except the portion thereof adjudged to belong to plaintiff.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

BERT T. COMBS Special Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court Cost of advertising \$15.75

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Schu have moved into the Paul Francis apartment. Mr. Schu is employed by the Stephens-Elkhorn Coal Company at Manton.

Mrs. E. S. Collins was in Huntington Tuesday on business.

Mrs. John D. Thomas left Saturday for an extended visit with her mother at Falls Church, Va.

Mrs. Blaine Smith and Mrs. Cora McHone returned to Wheelwright Sunday after having spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Anna Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade and children were here last week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Meade and Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr.

Mrs. Winston Ford returned home last week from St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va. She has a mild case of typhoid at her home on Riverside.

"Uncle Bill" Vaughan continues very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Ball, on Riverside.

Miss Bureita Gearheart was shopping in Cincinnati this week.

Mrs. Marie Pennington, of Louisville, is here this week visiting friends.

Mrs. James Camicia and sons, Bobby and Jimmy, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Modena Hodges, at Okalona, Mississippi.

Mrs. Mary W. Layne, of Paintsville, was here Monday visiting Mrs. Jo M. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Nunery were business visitors in Huntington last week.

Dr. Fletcher Combs, of Lexington, was here the early part of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs.

Mrs. J. M. Weddington and Mrs. Flora Sizemore spent the week-end with Mrs. Ireland Staten at Mossy Bottom.

Mrs. Iley B. Browning, of Ashland, was the supper guest of Mrs. Everett Sowards last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary D. Allen is visiting friends in Lexington this week.

Mrs. W. H. Jones and Miss Frances Jones were in Lexington this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Collins have moved into their new home on Garfield avenue, near the West Prestonsburg bridge.

Miss Hildred Allen has been promoted to the position of secretary of Clifford R. Barnes, director of the budget division, Frankfort.

George W. Alley, of Pikeville, was here calling on friends and relatives Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke returned, the latter part of the week, from Cincinnati.

Mrs. Ora Howard, of David, and Colonel May spent Sunday at Salyersville, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Patrick, sister of Mrs. Howard.

Mrs. Wm. Osborne, Mrs. Gerald Ward and Miss Juanita McGuire visited Mrs. Noah Hinton in Ashland this week.

Wilson Stepp and two sons are vacationing at Cherokee Lake, Tenn., this week.

Mrs. E. M. Points and children, Bettyrene and Bobby, of Ashland, arrived Thursday to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen.

Katherine Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts, has been quite ill of pneumonia. Her condition is improved.

Johnny Hale, of the Hale Cycle Shop here, has been attending the factory mechanics' school at Harley Davidson Motor Co., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Two School Officials At Lexington Conference

County Superintendent Palmer L. Hall and Supervisor Henry Martin attended the Conference of Applied Economics held on the campus of the University of Kentucky, April 8-10.

This conference was held in connection with the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation experiment toward improving the community through the school. Representatives from Florida to New Hampshire in the East and from as far west as Texas were present at the conference.

The program included visits to schools in the Lexington vicinity which were participating in the Sloan experiment program and in several panel discussions on the progress and results of the program and the sections represented. A tour of some of the noted Blue Grass horse farms was included for the benefit of out-of-state visitors.

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gunfire at Wheelwright of Bill Bryant.

Otherwise, the April court term has to date been on the tame side. Two one-year pen terms were given defendants on their guilty pleas last week. Those penned are Herbert Branham, accused of grand larceny, and Dewey Sprinkle, named for storehousebreaking. Mark Henry, co-defendant with Sprinkle, was referred to juvenile court as a minor.

The grand jury adjourned Saturday after six days' work and will reconvene April 28 for an additional three days. Major indictments returned before adjournment and since last Wednesday follow:

John Salsbury, Andy Hamilton, Bill Hall, Jr., Elizabeth Walters and P. Duncan, all accused of selling liquor; Fred Butwick, carrying a concealed deadly weapon; Edd Carr, deserting pregnant wife; Fred Shepherd, shooting into a dwelling; Cody Wells, Juanita and Hope Horn, keeping disorderly house; Richard King, grand larceny; Robert Spurlock, dynamiting fish; Forrest Meeks, child desertion; Harrison Hunley, reckless use of deadly weapon; Fred Miller, Jr., rape; Millard Setser and Herbert Preston, each named for child desertion. Paul Mullins, knowingly receiving stolen property; Ed Wright, damaging property; Richard H. Rose, child desertion; Smithy Scarbury, setting fire to woods; Darwin Gibson, Jr., grand larceny.

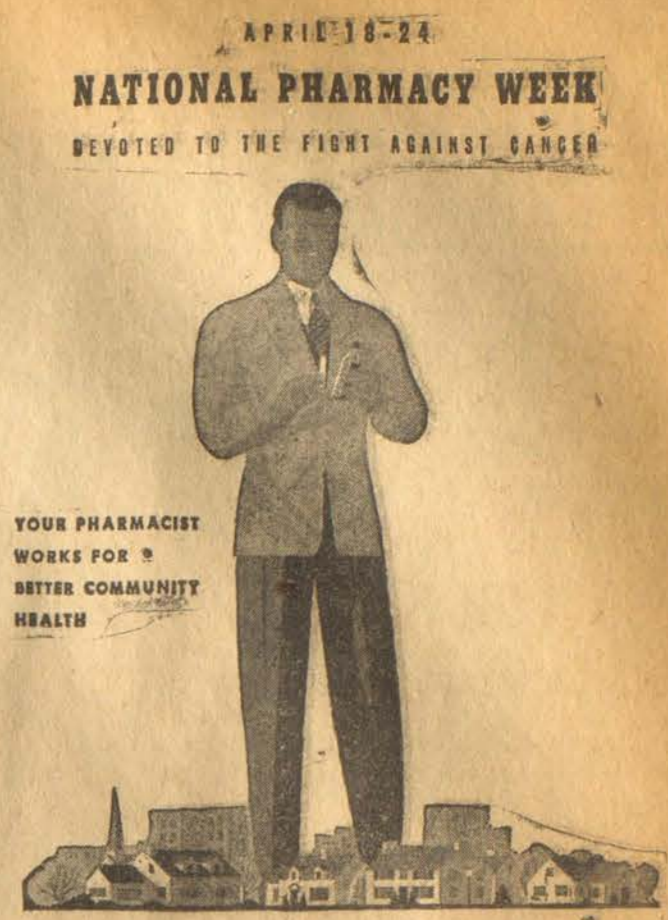
Recent trial results: Mrs. Dewey Bryant, selling liquor, \$50 fine and 30-day jail term; Sid Marshall, cutting and wounding, \$50 fine; Merle Newsome, grand larceny, acquitted; Oliver Setser, drunkenness, \$25 fine and 10 days in jail.

The voluntary manslaughter trial of Glenn Pannin was continued generally without process.

For the murder trial here Monday of Basil Compton, the defendant's brother, Charles, and Mack Lewis were ordered returned here from LaGrange reformatory as witnesses.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF RELATIVE

Rev. and Mrs. M. Robert Regan attended the funeral of T's Wade Conley Sunday at the Methodist Church at Salyersville. Interment was made in the Conley cemetery on Route 40, about four miles from Salyersville. Sgt. Conley's body was the first to be returned to Magoffin county from overseas, and a large crowd attended the services. His parents reside in Ashland and a large delegation from there accompanied the remains to Salyersville. Sgt. Conley was killed on Iwo Jima.



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ITINERARY ANNOUNCED

Itinerary of Roy M. Cain, field secretary of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board, is announced, as follows:
Wednesday, April 21, 8 a.m., till noon at Weebury, 1 p.m., till 4 at Wheelwright; April 22, postoffice building, Wayland; April 23, Joe P. Tackett's office, Prestonsburg.



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Mrs. Clarinda Boyd Victim in 83rd Year

Mrs. Clarinda Smiley Boyd, 82, years old, widow of Wesley Boyd, died Monday at her home at Dana, a victim of diabetes following an extended illness.

Mrs. Boyd was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Smiley and was a native of the community where she died. She had been a member of the Regular Baptist Church for many years and was one of the county's best women.

Surviving her are five sons and four daughters, W. B. Boyd, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Sallie Clegg, of Arkansas Creek, Add and Palmer Boyd and Mrs. George Bailey, all of Betsy Layne, Mrs. Minerva Robinette and W. C. Boyd, of Harold, Arthur Boyd and Mrs. Mattie Conn, both of Dana, one brother, Alex Smiley, of Dana, and one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Porter, of Russell, also survive.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the home at Dana, the Rev. C. F. Conn, Johnny Hall and Bert Conn officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Juanita, 21-months-old daughter of the late Robert Taylor and Mrs. Christie Taylor, died at her mother's home at Martin Monday, a victim of pneumonia. Surviving, besides the mother, are one brother and one sister. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday morning from the Martin Church of Christ, and burial was made in the family cemetery at the Forks of Beaver, the Arnold Funeral Home directing.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., APRIL 15-16—

"Bambi"
(in technicolor)

News.
"Everybody Talks About It."
Cagey Canary.

SATURDAY—

"Dangerous Venture"
Hopalong Cassidy.
"Mad Hatter."

Saturday, 3:01 and 10:01 p.m.—

"Sarge Goes to College"
Alan Hale, Jr., Fred Stewart,
June Preisser.

"Safari So Good."
Walky Talky.
Double Up.
Court Craft.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"High Wall"
Robert Taylor, Herbert Marshall,
Allen Totter.

News.
Cartoon—"DOGGONE CATS."

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—

"Caravan"
Stewart Granger, Jean Kent,
News.

Orphan Airdale.
Olympic Classes.

Coming,
THURS.-FRI., APRIL 22-23—

"The Red Stallion"
(in cinecolor)

Hurt While Playing, Tot Is Tetanus Victim

An accidental head wound suffered last Friday while playing with other children resulted Wednesday afternoon in the death at the Paintsville hospital of Cleida Sue Burchett, 2, of Auxier, as a result of tetanus.

It was said here that the child was struck by a coal pick and that the wound was not considered dangerous. Dr. Lon Hall, of the hospital staff, said the child's condition was such when she was taken to the hospital Tuesday that nothing could be done to save her life.

The victim was a daughter of Jimmy Burchett, who was killed in a mine accident about two years ago. Surviving are the mother, Mrs. Oia Hatfield Burchett, and three brothers and sisters. The funeral will be conducted Friday afternoon from the church at Auxier and burial there will be directed by the Jones Funeral Home.

Former Floyd Resident Passes in Oklahoma

Tom Branham, who was born in this county, but who moved to Oklahoma years ago, died April 7 at his home in Claremore, Okla., of a heart attack.

Mr. Branham was 70 years of age and was the son of the late George G. and California Branham, of Tulsa, Oklahoma. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mirtle Stanford Branham, a daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Stover, three sons, Paul, Glenn and Melvin Branham, of Claremore, Okla., three brothers, Joe, William and Luther Branham, all of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and three sisters, Mrs. Kate Harmon and Mrs. Flora Sizemore, of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. John Walker, Tulsa, Okla. The funeral was conducted from the First Methodist Church, Claremore, and interment was in Memorial Park, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

MIDWAY THEATRE

MELVIN, KY.
THE PEOPLE'S THEATRE

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, 7 p.m.—



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



Serial: "DANGERS OF THE CANADIAN MOUNTIES."
Two-reel comedy.
News.

TUES.-WED., 7 p.m.—



Serial—"SON OF THE GUARDSMAN."
Comedy.

War Vet, Mormon Elder Is Thrombosis Victim Monday at Lexington

Elder Roy L. Flanery, of the Church of Latter Day Saints, and a veteran of World War II, succumbed to thrombosis at the Veterans hospital, Lexington, Monday following an illness of several weeks. He was graduated from Martin high school in 1936 and after seeing overseas service in the army during the war, began church work, becoming ill while on a mission for his church in the west. He was a son of the Rev. Bill Flanery and the late Florence Stephens Flanery. Surviving, besides his father, are three brothers and five sisters, Parley and Amos Flanery, Miss Alafair Flanery, Mrs. Henry Salsbury, Mrs. Foster Porter and Mrs. Ed Halbert, all of Martin, Raymond Flanery, Toledo, O., and Mrs. Eddie Greer, Detroit. Two half-brothers and two half-sisters also survive: Burr and Charley Flanery, both of Jackson, Mich., Mrs. Jess Hicks and Miss Lou Flanery, both of Martin. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the auditorium of Martin high school, Elder Bill Warrick, Elders Stokes and Ferguson officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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Elder Roy L. Flanery, of the Church of Latter Day Saints, and a veteran of World War II, succumbed to thrombosis at the Veterans hospital, Lexington, Monday following an illness of several weeks.

He was graduated from Martin high school in 1936 and after seeing overseas service in the army during the war, began church work, becoming ill while on a mission for his church in the west. He was a son of the Rev. Bill Flanery and the late Florence Stephens Flanery. Surviving, besides his father, are three brothers and five sisters, Parley and Amos Flanery, Miss Alafair Flanery, Mrs. Henry Salsbury, Mrs. Foster Porter and Mrs. Ed Halbert, all of Martin, Raymond Flanery, Toledo, O., and Mrs. Eddie Greer, Detroit. Two half-brothers and two half-sisters also survive: Burr and Charley Flanery, both of Jackson, Mich., Mrs. Jess Hicks and Miss Lou Flanery, both of Martin. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday from the auditorium of Martin high school, Elder Bill Warrick, Elders Stokes and Ferguson officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 7:30—

"Banjo"
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SATURDAY, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.—

"Prairie Rustlers"
(Western)

"Dick Tracy's Dilemma"
Ralph Byrd, Lyle Latell.

SUNDAY, 2:30 and 7:30—

"The Inside Story"
Marsha Hunt, W. Lundigan.

MONDAY, 7:30—

"The Pirates of Monterey"
(in color)

Marla Montez, Rod Cameron.

TUESDAY, 7:30—

"The Lost Moment"
Robert Cummings, Susan Hayward.

WEDNESDAY, 7:30—

The Dixie Ramblers
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"Railroaded"
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THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 7:30—

"Code of the West"
James Warren, Debra Alden.

FRIDAY, 7:30—

"A Likely Story"
Bill Williams, Barbara Hall.

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FRIDAY—

"The Adventures of Don Coyote"
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SAT.—DOUBLE BILL—

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"Under the Tonto Rim"
Tim Holt, Nan Leslie,
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Eddie Dean, White Cloud.
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SAT.—Late show only at 10:30—

"Down to Earth"
(in color)

Rita Hayworth, Larry Parks.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"April Showers"
Jack Carson, Ann Sothern.

TUESDAY—

"The Senator was Indiscreet"
William Powell, Ella Raines.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—

"If Winter Comes"
Walter Pidgeon, Deborah Kerr,
Angeles Lansbury, Janet Leigh.

M'DOWELL THEATRE

FRIDAY, APRIL 16—

"Devil Thumbs a Ride"
Lawrence Tierney, Nan Leslie.

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"Dick Tracy's Dilemma"
Ralph Byrd, Lyle Latell.

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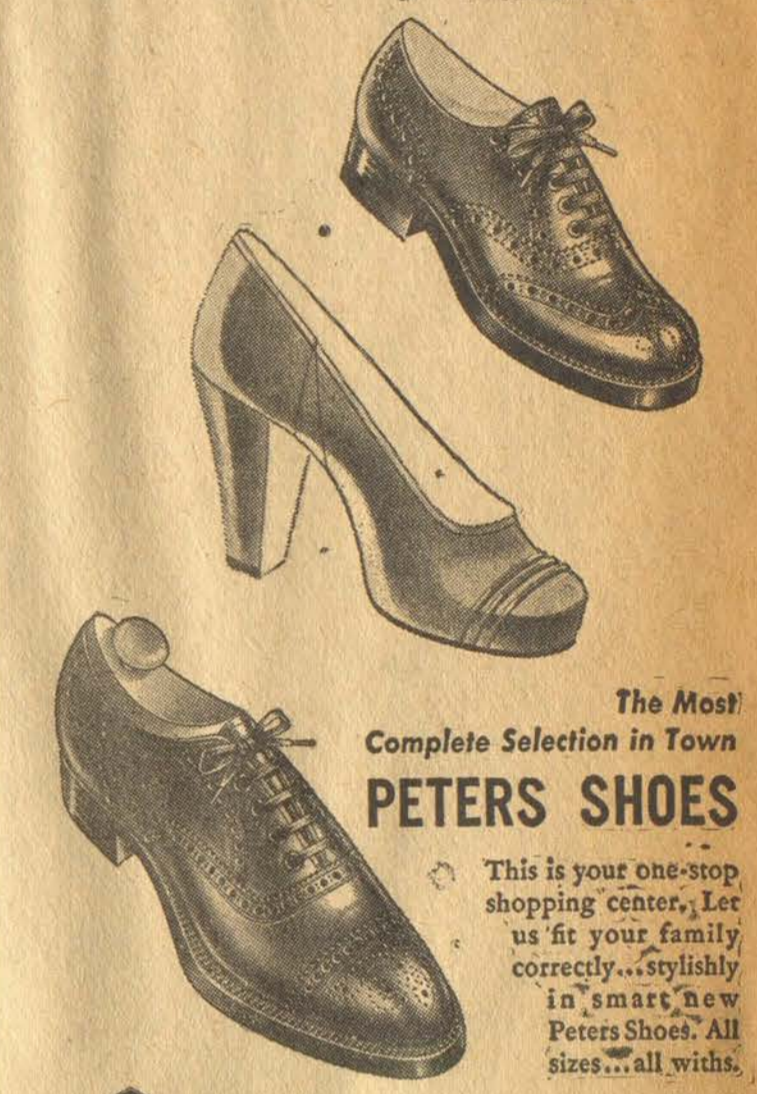
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MARTIN

Sonny Shelton, of Weeksbury, is undergoing treatment in the Beaver Valley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paris Conley, of Prestonsburg, were in Martin on business Tuesday.

Mrs. T. A. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Kruger Martin were business visitors in Paintsville this week.

Helen Tofel, Betty Preflatish and Harry Gene were breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Music at Estill Sunday morning, having motored up with the Rev. Joseph Wimmers for mass.

E. B. Skeans has returned from a short vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackburn announce the recent arrival of a new daughter, Rosalie.

Dr. Robert D. Eastridge spent the week-end in Oakdale, Tenn., visiting his mother. He intends working about 10 days in the hospital at Lackey before taking up his new duties elsewhere. Dr. George Gilbert, of Lawrenceburg, Ky., has taken his place in Our Lady of the Way hospital.

Rev. Joseph Wimmers and Rev. George W. Nerbonne were business visitors in Huntington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Newsome spent last week-end with his parents at Hi Hat.

Frank Music, of Estill was visiting friends in Martin this week.

The Altar Society met last Tuesday. After business was taken care of, refreshments were served.

Mrs. Joe Greer and family, of Beaver, O., attended the funeral of her father, Jacob Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Dingus attended the funeral of Mrs. R. R. Evans Monday. Mrs. Evans was well-known here and was liked by all who knew her.

WITHERS SAYS 'NO BOARD'

Highway Head Squelches Rumor 9-Man Commission To Be Restored in State

State Highway Commissioner Garrett L. Withers made it plain last week there will be no board of Highway Commissioners.

"And that's the last time I want to say anything about it," he added. He pointed out the General Assembly adjourned without setting up a board and said Governor Earle Clements recently had told a group in Lexington he did not favor a board.

The commissioner explained he was setting out his position because of renewal of rumors that he planned one. He said the decision to go back to the former nine highway districts, in place of seven during the previous administration, had no connection with any board.

Withers said that actually he and engineers in his department believed more than nine districts would be better. He indicated that at some future date the number might be increased by dividing some of the nine larger districts. The public administration service after its survey last year recommended 15 districts.

"Our department engineers believe nine district engineers can know better what roads to build than seven could," Withers said.

Declaring, "I'm not going to build any 'political roads,'" the commissioner said the appointments of district and assistant district engineers were made on recommendation of a group of engineers. They included Mack Galbreath, head of the Frankfort office of the Federal Public Roads Bureau, he added.

Withers said he expected to rely on recommendations of his district engineers. They are in the field, he explained, and in position to know what should be done.

Withers said the previous administration had contracted for half of the work to be done this year with federal aid. That left only approximately \$4,500,000 more in federal funds for Kentucky to match until Congress makes another grant, he added. There has been talk that Congress will not make another grant in time for 1949, he said, but so far nothing definite has been done. Kentucky has been getting \$9,000,000 annually from federal road funds.

Two from This County In U. of K. Concert

Two students from Floyd county are among members of the University of Kentucky 125-voice Mixed Chorus and the 75-piece UK Symphony Orchestra which recently combined to present two performances of the famous Verdi "Requiem" on the University campus.

Students from this county who participated in the program were Reka Conley, Garrett, and Catherine Francis, Martin.

LACKEY

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed honored their daughter, Virginia, with a birthday party at their home Saturday night. Many nice and useful gifts were received. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served to the following: Alberta, Howard, Harry and Betty Jo Adkins, Greta Bayes, Barbara Daniels, Hubert Davis, Bobby Spradlin, Ramon Hicks, Tennis Turner, Wallace and Billie Jean Stacy, Earl, Richard and Johnny Howard, Lella Hancock, Garnie Lawson, Billy Bayes, Jerry Combs, Leo Combs, Tommy Garrett, Luther Allen, Buford Moore, Eugene Hicks, Junior Woody, Glenn Dooley, Bethel Prater, Frank and Nancy Martin, Hubert Higgins, Don Beckelheimer, Reginald, Clifford and Patty Reed, Millard Conley, Junior Ward, Dickie Scott, Jack Ward, Wayne Hicks, Gary Howard, Marcella Coburn, Rooney Bolen, Rebecca, Ramona, Jimmy, Lou and Junior Reed, Bill Osborne, Glenda Fay Daniels, Richard Martin, Reginald Foster, James Jackson, Frank Mosley, John S. Allen, Joy Stone, Joyce Napier, Herman Allen, Clyde Handshoe, Paul Ray Alexander, Lillian Daniels, Boyd Triplett, Arnold Coburn, Estill Ridener, Jimmy Manns, Velma Lorraine Chaffins and the honoree, Miss Virginia, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received until 10 a.m., May 1, 1948, by the Floyd Fiscal Court for the following work:

1. General repair, including flooring, of bridge across Right Beaver Creek at Martin, Ky.
2. Construction of swinging bridge to replace bridge washed away by flood at Cracker, Ky.

Plans and specifications are on file for each of the above projects at the County Attorney's office, Prestonsburg, Ky.

Contract will be awarded to the lowest and best bidder. The court, however, reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FLOYD FISCAL COURT
By W. W. Burchett, Atty.
4-15-3t.

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Clatworthy-Ratliff Nuptials Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ora Lee Clatworthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Clatworthy of Glo, to Mr. Everett Cecil Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ratliff, also of Glo. The marriage took place April 2 at the Paintsville Christian Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John N. Mostoller.

Mrs. Ratliff wore a blue suit with black accessories. She is a member of the Junior class of Wayland high school. The groom served overseas in the armed forces, and is now employed by the Glogora Coal Company.

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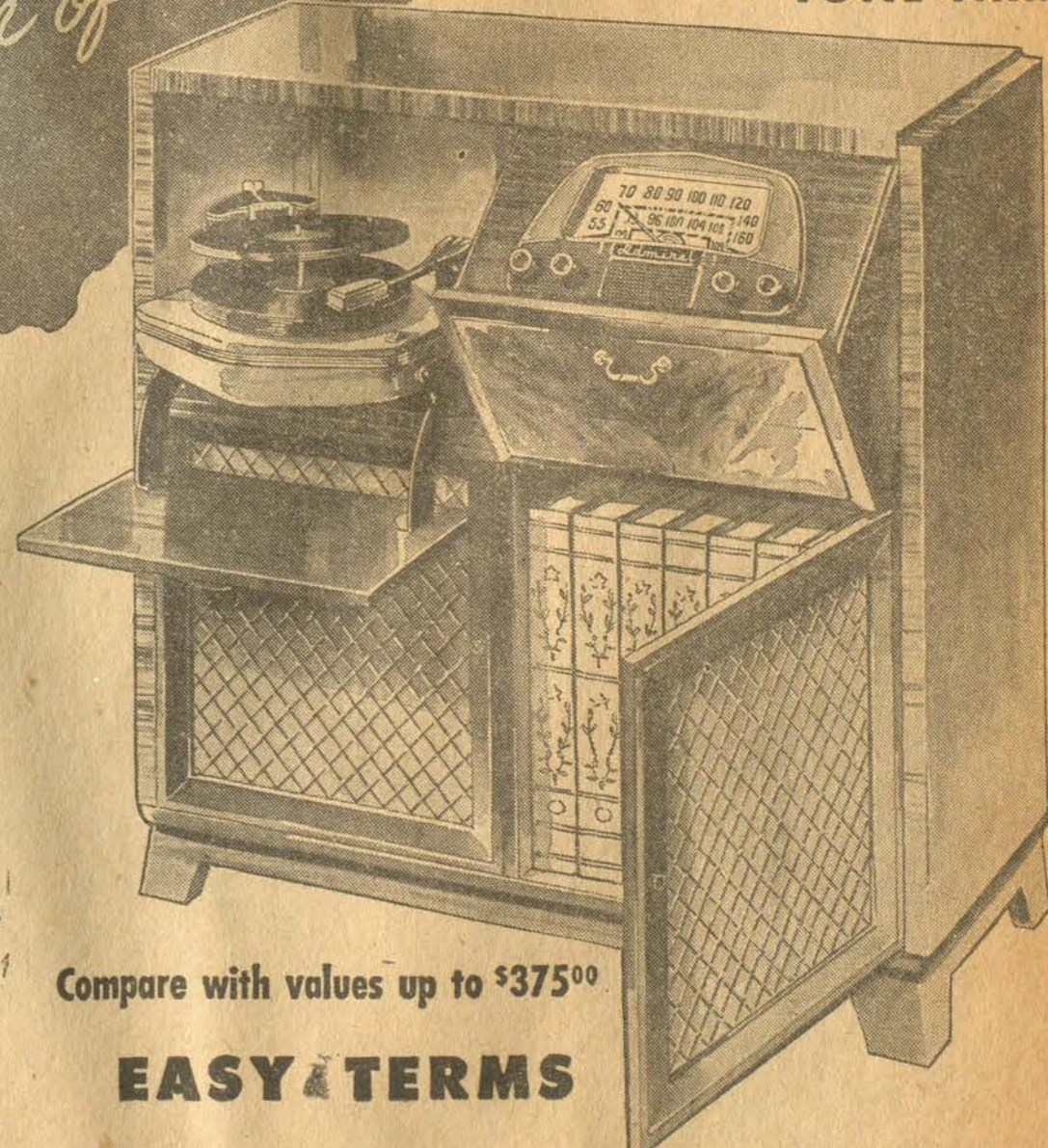
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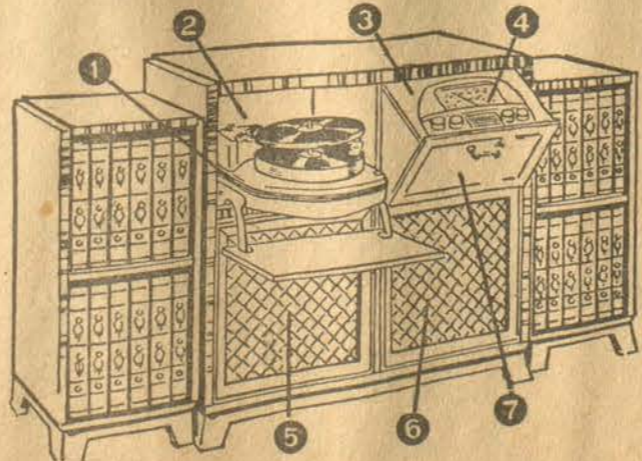
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BIRTH ANNOUNCED
Announcement is made of the birth on Tuesday, April 8, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Vance, of Prestonsburg, of their second son, Stewart Edwin, Mrs. Vance and son are now at their home on Second avenue.

WAYLAND
The Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Harry Sherman Friday evening, April 9. Mrs. Fred A. Martin, club president, called the meeting to order and presented Mrs. George Evans, who had charge of the program on the "Economics of Today's Buying." Mrs. Evans reviewed several interesting articles on this subject. A lively round-table discussion followed.

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At a brief business session it was voted to contribute generously to the drives for funds for Crippled Children, Red Cross and Cancer. Mrs. George Evans and Mrs. N. D. Howard will sponsor a breakfast soon and donate the proceeds to cancer control.

It was also decided to buy two \$100 bonds in the name of Lackey-Garrett Woman's Club which will be used to build a clubhouse. The president announced that the Wheelwright Woman's Club will be guests to dinner of their "mother club," Saturday evening, April 17, in the library of Wayland high school.

The hostess served a dessert course to the following: Mesdames N. D. Howard, Earl Castle, Fred A. Martin, Floyd Copley, S. C. Berkeley, Charles Sturgill, Willard Castle, J. C. Wells, Charles Hornsby, Gorman Collins, Bert Stapleton, S. M. Martin, Carlton Wrightson, W. Hatcher, George Evans, Jr., John Wallace, J. T. Fraley, Ervin Mullins, George Evans, Sr., of Oak Hill, W. Va., a guest, and Mrs. Thomas Hatcher.

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FOR SALE—3 cars, entire taxi business. ANDERSON LAFERTY or CHARLIE LAFERTY, Phone 3953, Prestonsburg. 2-5-tf.

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Leonard Steffey and sons attended Sunday School at Martin Sunday.

V. O. Hinchman and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Otis Hinchman at Harold Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Rank, of Pikeville, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cisco.

Mrs. L. M. Miller and children, of Betsy Layne, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Epling Sunday.

Betty Conn was shopping in Pikeville Saturday.

Mrs. Bessie Gayheart attended church at Printer Sunday.

Lorenza Joe Hinchman practised ball at Harold Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adkins, of Prestonsburg, visited Mrs. Adkins' parents here Monday.

Wayne Williams, of Readyville, Tenn., is visiting his brother, Maurice L. Williams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Conn, of Ivel, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Lee Adkins is a patient at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

The revival is progressing nicely

at the Pilgrim Holiness Church with large crowds attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Hicks and daughter, Wanda Jean, Daisy and Frances Layne visited Mr. and Mrs. Red Bonar at Emma Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen and children, of Ashland, have planned to move to their new home here this week. Mr. Allen is bookkeeper for the Pike-Elkhorn Coal Company.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Layne have recently moved to the property of Bill Hall. Mr. Hall and family are now residing at Betsy Layne near the store they purchased from L. M. Miller.

BETSY LAYNE

Meetings during a few nights of last week were conducted at the Church of Christ and during this week special services will be held at the Calvary Baptist Church with a visiting speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen are parents of a 7 1/2-pound son, born at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Saturday. Mother and babe have returned to the home of Mrs. Allen's parents here and are doing well.

James Phillips, Jr., recently re-enlisted in the A.A.F., of which he had been a reserve member since World War II. He re-entered the service with his former rank of staff sergeant.

Among the Betsy Layne boys now enrolled in colleges are Charles Walters, at Transylvania College, and Jack Combs, Pikeville College.

Mrs. Clyde Blackburn, who has been a patient at the Pikeville hospital, is able to be home again.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Dockie George last Thursday evening and had as guests members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Harold. The program on "Rural Life" was well presented. The business was conducted by the president, Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, after which refreshments were served. One project decided upon by both groups was the making of Friendship quilts to be sent for overseas relief.

Folks are very grateful to have the river bridge now safe for walking and driving after so many years of anxiety. The courtesy and persistence of the Burton Construction Company is greatly appreciated.

Roger Steele, who has been back with the armed forces for some time, is visiting his parents here.

Bill and Buster Parsons, brothers, have enlisted in the army and are stationed at Ft. Knox. Bill is visiting his grandparents here, expecting to be sent overseas shortly.

ALLEN

Mrs. Palmer Crisp and Mrs. George Adcock were joint-hostesses in a miscellaneous shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter at their home Friday afternoon. Mr. Porter, who was in a mine explosion several weeks ago and is now only able to walk indoors due to partial blindness, is receiving treatment at Pikeville weekly. Attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Claude Fields, Bruce Webb, Mary Allen, Julia Porter, Georgia Davis, Donald Louder, Everett Tackett, Willard Adkins, Will Brown, Goldia Estep, Irving George, Martha Porter, Harrison Frazier, J. W. Laferty, Thurmond Ratliff, W. P. Salmon, Olive Martin, Herman Porter, Gene Allen, J. B. Clay, Howard Clay, Vance Porter, John Lee Spriggs, Harry Snodgrass, Fred Workman, W. A. Malone, Felix Crisp, Jane Porter, Dewey Birchett, Frank Preston, J. C. Kane, George Adcock, Day Crisp, Georgia Branham, Lizzie Woods, Lloyd Caudill, M. E. Mitchell, George W. Snodgrass, John Snodgrass, Grover Rowe, Don Boyd, Mary Austin, Ballard McGuire, Joey Maynard, Palmer Compton, Tom Branham, L. J. Gerlach, Ira Fields, Henry Porter, Sr., W. H. Osborne, Audrey Young, Otis Spurlock, Myrtle Parsons, J. E. Green, Dick Hinton, Sally Hinton, Alma Doris Martin, Berman Martin, Winn T. Barr, G. B. Auxier, Misses Alta Branham, Joan Young, all of Allen; Allen grade school; Mrs. J. E. Laferty, Martin; Rev. J. C. Laferty, Oliver Crisp, Dwale; Miss Agatha Oppenheimer, Mrs. Callie Branham, Mrs. Edna Saunders, Prestonsburg.

New officers were elected by the Methodist Youth Fellowship Thursday. They are Donald Martin, Bobby Martin, Jimmy Delano Gray and Mikell Preston.

Miss Nancy Carol Patton, of Emma, was the Thursday night guest of Bobby Jean Holbrook.

G. L. Gray and W. L. Rice were business visitors in Auxier Sunday afternoon.

Miss Malinda Laferty and Miss Goldia Laferty were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday.

A baseball team has been organized in the Methodist Church, with Palmer Crisp as manager.

Among those to attend the funeral of James Roark, Jr., in Prestonsburg Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and Jimmy Delano Gray, Mrs. J. W. Laferty, Mrs. Palmer Crisp, Bennie Laferty, Mrs. Harry Snodgrass, Ben Webb and Raymond Kinzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Workman and Mrs. George Adcock, James Flanery and Ben Webb attended the revival in the Methodist Church at Maytown Saturday night.

Mrs. F. A. Maggard, of Lexington, visited her grandfather, Malone Hall, here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, Mrs. Sol Crisp and Rufus Crisp attended the funeral of Jacob Crisp near Martin Thursday.

Ben Webb and Mrs. James Flanery were in Huntington Tuesday.

M. L. Marcum, of Louisa, J. F. Brodt, of Pikeville, and Charlie Patton, of Shelby, were business visitors here Thursday.

Rev. S. B. Rucker, of Maytown, and Rev. C. L. Krebs, of Paintsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Porter Saturday.

Mrs. Vance Porter was in Prestonsburg Thursday.

AN OPEN LETTER

Supt. Palmer Hall, Prestonsburg, Ky.

Dear Mr. Hall:

We believe that anyone who criticizes should be as ready to praise, if it is justified. Therefore, since we made our criticism public, in justice to you we should make our praise public also.

We have had and are having a good school at Bosco. We especially want to give credit to our principal, Mr. Clem Martin, and to our teachers, Mrs. Lola Prater, Mrs. Elsie Hicks, Mrs. Myrtle Jacobs and Mrs. Evelyn Horn. They are all doing a splendid job. Mr. Martin has the confidence and support of pupils, parents and teachers alike.

We wish to thank you, Mr. Hall, for your co-operation and interest in our school. Our appreciation and praise should be as lengthy as our criticism, but suffice it to say that we appreciate what you have done for us and are looking forward with confidence to another school year.

In closing, we wish it plainly understood by all who read this letter that it was in no way solicited and the sole purpose is to eradicate an injustice we feel we have done you.

Sincerely,
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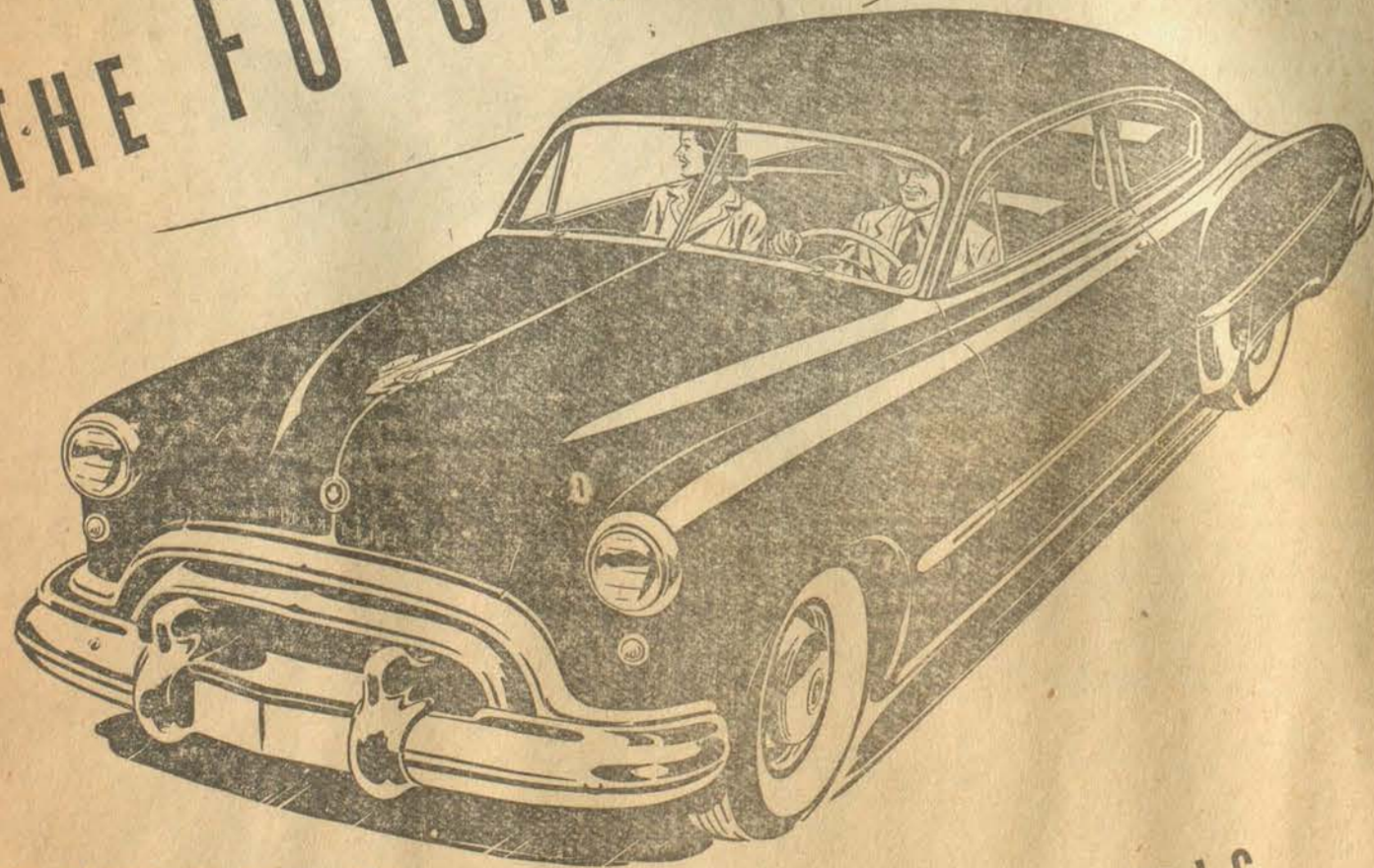
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Prizes will be awarded the FFA and 4-H groups in the state which achieve the best records of completion in the program. The young farmers will keep notes on the corn during the growing season and make a report at harvest time.

Four-pound samples of seed, enough to plant one-half acre, will be available without charge in the next few weeks through the Southern States agency here for boys and girls who have been recommended by their vocational agriculture instructor of extension worker.

FFA members who will take part are:

Prestonsburg Chapter—Billie R. Wills, Edsel Moore, Charles Porter, John T. Merritt, Cliff; Ralph Leslie, William G. Goble, Martin Burchett, Emma; John H. Gibson, Ralph Dotson, West Prestonsburg; Ben Conley, Bonana; Frank Lemaster, Dwale; Ervin Stone, David; James Kendrick, Woods.

Betsy Layne Chapter—Gene Howard, Chester Owens, J. T. Owens, Joe Scott, Paul Salisbury, Russell Boyd, Donald Layne, Gene Roberts, Thomas Hall, Roy Stratton, Buford Sellards, Betsy Layne; Gene Sturgill, Willie Steele, Jr., Ballard Martin, Eddie Conn, Howard Keathley, Garner Howell, Harold; Glenn Hall, Rush Crum, Clyde Jones, Luther Rice, Banner.

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MAYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Frasure, of Indiana, have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick and daughters, Elizabeth and Sandra Sue, spent the week-end with his sisters, Mrs. Charlie Dillman and Mrs. Max Smith, of Middlesboro.

Miss Jean Frasure has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ratliff, and her aunt, Mrs. Sam Jones. She recently underwent a tonsillectomy.

Ben Baker has arrived from California to spend the next three months with his family and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker.

Dr. J. H. Allen and G. E. Allen have been on a fishing trip to Dale Hollow.

Much interest is being manifested in the revival services held in the Methodist Church with the Rev. Krebs from Paintsville as evangelist. Mr. Speak is the song leader and Miss Ruth Ulmer, pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Vaughan are the parents of a new daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ratliff and baby, of Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Webb.

The Wayne Hagans family have moved back here from Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Snoddy and daughter, Judy, of Boldman, spent Easter here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey were shopping in Paintsville last week.

Miss Dorothy Dorton, of Berea College, spent a few days at her home recently.

Miss Grille Prater, a former pupil of Maytown school, who now resides in Ohio, visited the school last week. She spent a few days with Misses Marjorie and Ida Mae Martin at Eastern.

Miss Billie Marie Arrowood, of Paintsville, was a recent visitor here.

Several from Salsbury and Hunter have been attending the revival here.

Miss Harriet Allen, of Hindman, spent Easter with homefolks.

Mrs. Frank May has been visiting in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart and Mrs. Viola Stewart spent the week-end in Lexington visiting Misses Beryl and Joyce Stewart who are attending the University of Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramey, accompanied by their son and daughter, from Portsmouth, O., spent the week-end with her son, Howard Ramey, and family.

Mrs. Amy Begley and Jody spent the week-end at Blackey visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor Begley.

Friends and relatives sympathize with the family in the death of "Aunt Tom" Allen who has been residing in Lexington with her son, Rev. Frank Allen, for the last few years. Aunt Tom was well toward the century mark in age and was loved by many people.

Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Rucker have made many trips to Louisiana to see their daughter, Mrs. Ruby Carroll, who is in the Louisiana hospital following an operation.

Ben Baker spent last week in Lexington.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank the people of Prestonsburg and all others who in any way sought to lighten our burden of sorrow in the tragic death of our son and brother, James Roark, Jr. We would especially thank the ministers for their comforting words, those who sent flowers, all who by any token tendered to him and us their respects, and the Carter & Callihan Funeral Home for its kind services. — Rev. and Mrs. James Roark, Mrs. E. P. Harris.

KENTUCKY ON THE MARCH

By EWING GALLOWAY

During its recent session the General Assembly passed and Governor Clements signed many progressive pieces of legislation, but there were spendhappy moments when public money looked like something the people didn't have to work for. The most notable example was a \$4,000,000 appropriation for investigating the public school system of the state by counties. After reading some comment of mine on this appropriation, in the Henderson Gleaner, A. J. Lynn, head of a Louisville auditing firm which bears his name, sent me this interesting letter:

"At the very most, \$300,000 would have been a sufficient amount to have audited and examined all the books from the educational point of view of every one of the 120 counties in the state.

"In November we made a thorough audit of the financial records of the Harlan County Board of Education for the year ending June 30, 1947. Our bill did not exceed \$800, the records were in good condition, we checked all sources of income and made a fairly thorough examination of what went with the money. Harlan county, as you know, perhaps has one of the largest school budgets of any county in the state which amounted to slightly over \$1,000,000 last year.

"One more point in connection with the Harlan county schools, an outfit from Chicago had made a survey down there which looked to me to be for political smear purposes. It was superficial, facts were incorrectly used and conclusions drawn which were not warranted.

"The School of Education at the University of Kentucky had made a splendid survey during the year which was very helpful, educationally speaking, and was of some assistance to us on the financial side and then to cap the matter a very progressive step was taken by the teachers themselves in the county, many of whom spent the summer making a survey and the preparation of a three or four hundred-page typewritten book which I understood was good enough to be used in the Teacher-Training courses at Eastern State College, Richmond."

According to Mr. Lynn, the auditing job shouldn't cost more than about \$100,000. Of course, an overall study of the school system would involve \$250,000, maybe less.

The appropriation of the \$4,000,000 does not make spending of it mandatory, hence a fine opportunity for Governor Clements to save 80 per cent or more of the sum and use the rest of it for other worthwhile purposes.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of Execution No. 9792, directed to me, which issued from the Floyd Circuit Court in favor of The First National Bank, Prestonsburg, Ky., vs. T. J. Fitzpatrick, et al., I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday, April 26, 1948, same being the first day of the County Court term, between the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., and 4 o'clock p.m., offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, the following described property:

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Exhibits of gloves made by homemakers during the past few months are being held by Oldham county homemakers.

DAVID

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rowland at the Prestonsburg General hospital, Tuesday, April 6, a seven-pound daughter, Mary Anne.

Betty Lou and Jimmy, children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKenzie, are both ill of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Ousley were visiting relatives in Martin last week.

Carl and Edd Patton, of West Virginia, visited their brothers, Langley and Marcus Patton, here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Collins and children visited relatives at Cliff last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton and children visited relatives at Porter last week.

Mrs. Bert Hicks has returned from the Prestonsburg General hospital and is getting along nicely at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore.

Roger, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Clark, is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prater, of Wayland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strange at Porter last week-end.

Wallace Calhoun visited Mr. and Mrs. Dode Calhoun Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr and children attended a funeral at Garrett last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Johnson and children were visiting in Garrett last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Carver and children visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Adams at Fleming last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson are visiting their daughters in Roseville, Ga., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Preston were visiting at Buffalo last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Waugh, of Betsy Layne, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammons here Sunday.

Forrest Childers visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Childers at Mealy last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bussey are visiting relatives in Alabama this week.

SCHOOL NEWS

Billy R. Harman and Rodney Bussey are out of school this week with measles.

We are sorry to lose our very able P.-T.A. president, Mrs. Alice Wolfe, who is moving to West Prestonsburg. Several children are visiting out of David while the mines are shut down.

Miss Douglas Harman and Miss Goldia Burchett spent the week-end with homefolks.

Billy P. Conley, Mrs. Leona Hager, Mrs. Irene Baldrige and Mrs. Betty Stephens were out of school for the funeral of Jimmy Roark last Thursday.

The First grade is honored to have Billy R. Harman's picture in our David Sunday School bulletin. Billy is an active Cub Scout and he together with Rodney Bussey and Vata Bradley are mascots for the Goodwill chorus.

Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church
L. W. Benedict, Pastor

Sunday, April 13

9:30 a.m.—Bible School. Study Ezra 1 and 4 and Haggai 1.

11 a.m.—Sermon and worship. "Possibilities of a Pentecost in Prestonsburg."

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7:30 p.m.—"Personal Reception of the Holy Ghost."

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A birthday party was given by Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart in honor of her daughter, Ruby Mae, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gayheart, Ruby Mae's grandparents, celebrating her third birth anniversary. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Rhoda Napier, her grandmother, Mrs. Hollie Conley and daughter, Meleny Ann, Iona McPeck, Flossie McPeck, Joan and Charles Ray McPeck, Randal Hunt, Guy Napier, all of Garrett, Mrs. Ernest Bradley and son, Stuart, Brother and Sparkle Gayheart, Patty Warrens, Lou Jane Layne, Mrs. Rhomer Osborne, Judith Ann, Volleda, Gloria Sue Osborne, Mrs. Raymond Osborne, Lucretia Osborne, Mrs. Hudson Salyers, Brenda, Reba and Glenn Salyers, Mrs. Bev Osborne, Betty and Ralph Carter, Doris Laferty, all of Eastern, Mrs. Champ Gibson, Gwendolyn Sue and Dames Carl Gibson, Mrs. Roy Martin, Shannon, Quonda, Joy and Lowell Martin Mrs. Baisden Osborne and sons, Jim, Paul and Ray Boy, all of Maytown, Dave Collins, of Wayland, Mrs. Town Hall and Town, Jr., of Allen.

Mrs. Mary Johns and Mrs. Mary Osborne attended a funeral Sunday on Stone Coal.

Mrs. Lafayette Gayheart visited her parents at Garrett Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fraley spent a few days in Johnson county visiting Mrs. Fraley's father.

Mrs. Bev Osborne and Mrs. Ernest Bradley were shopping in Martin this week.

Mrs. Earl Warrens visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sodge Martin, of Goose Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. Fletcher Gayheart and Mrs. J. A. Gayheart were shopping in Martin Thursday.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: On and after this date I will be responsible for no debts other than those incurred by myself.

ROBERT HITCHCOCK
4-1-3t.-pd. Garrett, Ky.

Administrator's Notice

All persons having claims against the estate of Jacob Crisp, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, properly proven, with the undersigned administrator at Martin, Ky., on or before May 10, 1948, and all persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same at once.

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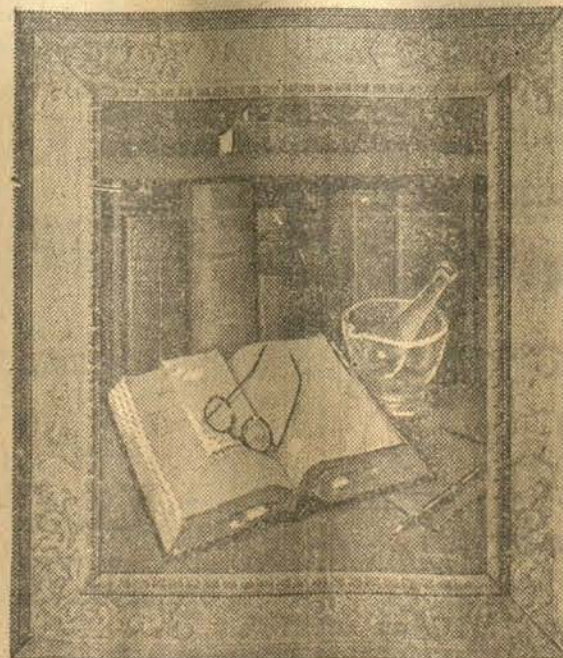


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OF INTEREST TO VETERANS

Veterans needlessly take the chance of losing their money and their insurance protection when they mail cash to pay premiums on National Service Life Insurance policies, Veterans Administration warned.

A number of NSLI policyholders continue to send cash to VA branch offices for premium payments. Early in March, the VA Branch Office in New York City received an envelope with \$1,700 in \$100 bills, to be applied to a veteran's insurance account.

VA pointed out that a veteran, making his insurance payments in cash through ordinary mail, has no way to prove he made the payment in the event it fails to reach VA. Failure to receive the money leaves VA no choice but to lapse the policy. Veterans are urged to use money orders, postal notes (with the reverse side filled out in full), or checks for NSLI payments, and also to use the yellow envelopes furnished by VA in mailing the payments to the appropriate VA branch office.

Student-veterans who are enrolled in colleges during the regular school year and want to take summer courses abroad under the G.I. Bill must meet certain requirements to qualify for such study.

The veteran first must obtain a letter of acceptance from the VA-approved foreign school he plans to attend.

Next, he must secure a supplemental certificate of eligibility from his VA regional office.

The student then uses his letter of acceptance and his supplemental certificate as evidence in securing from the Department of State the necessary passports and visas authorizing his travel to the foreign school. The individual veteran must pay all transportation costs.

Veterans Administration recommends that the summer course be taken in an approved school in a foreign country served by an Attache of Veteran Affairs assigned by the Department of State. These countries include Great Britain, Mexico, France, Switzerland, Italy, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Belgium. The presence of these officials expedites payment of subsistence allowances, tuition and other allowable fees, VA explained. The records of veterans taking summer courses in these nations will not have to be transferred from the United States.

Records of student-veterans selecting any other country for summer study must be transferred to that nation. Such transfers take considerable time and often result in lengthy delays of subsistence and other payments, VA said. Should the veteran decide to remain in the foreign school for the regular academic year, the Attache for Veterans Affairs in that country will request transfer of his records from the United States at that time.

Veterans may obtain information on foreign schools approved by VA by writing their VA regional office or the director of Registration and Research, Vocational Rehabilitation and Education Service, Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D.C.

Check Up On The Date Following Your Name on Your TIMES.

McDowell Teacher Becomes Bride Mar. 28

McDowell, Ky., April 12 (Spl.)—Friends of Miss Madeline Hamilton, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Doug Hays, were pleasantly surprised by her marriage to Mr. Ray Heinisch, of Vanceburg, Ky. The single ring ceremony was performed at the Pikeville Methodist Church by the Reverend Johnson on Easter Sunday, March 28.

The bride was dressed in a pink gaberdine suit with an aqua topcoat. She wore black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Mr. Heinisch was an honor student at Morehead State Teachers College and his name appeared in this year's publication of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." Mrs. Heinisch is a teacher at McDowell. They will reside in Vanceburg after the end of the present school term.

McDowell residents extend their deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall who have lost their two youngest children in the last three weeks.

John McCown and bride are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David McCown.

Mrs. Walter Stumbo has returned home from the Beaver Valley hospital at Martin.

Friends of Mrs. Doug Hays join her in mourning the passing of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Tackett, of Virgie.

The newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Meade, are furnishing a new apartment in McDowell. Mrs. Meade is the former Georgia Frasure, a teacher at McDowell.

Mrs. Thomas O'Dell, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna S. Tackett. With her are her two children, Jimmie and Christine. Mrs. O'Dell is the former Luta England.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Vanderpool were in Martin Sunday night.

Rev. and Mrs. White left, a few days ago, for Cleveland, Ohio.

The following were guests at a supper at the home of Mrs. Anna S. Tackett, honoring Mrs. Thomas O'Dell: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stumbo and daughter, Cleo, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stumbo, Mrs. Jennie Sizemore, Mrs. Clyde Moore and son, Bobbie Dale, and Misses Anna Sue Stumbo and Ida Tackett.

Misses Emma Grace Halbert, Pluma Jean Martin and Rosemary Stumbo were home for the week-end. They attend Pikeville College. Visitors from college, the previous week-end, were the Hall twins, Ada and Vada, who attend Berea College, and Bill H. Stumbo, from Spencerian Commercial School, Louisville.

Mrs. Tommy J. Turner is suffering from a leg fracture she sustained Sunday.

Mrs. Olive T. Hall has returned to McDowell school as music instructor.

Edgar Moore has recently been employed as typing teacher here to replace Mrs. Bob Thornsbury.

Miss Amalie Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hall, was chosen to represent McDowell high school as the Beauty Queen for the music festival to be held in Prestonsburg, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen drove to Weebury Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Pauline Compton, who spent the week-end there.

Clyde Moore was in Paintsville Monday on business.

Mrs. Gertrude Stumbo and daughter, Sylvia Jean, were in Prestonsburg Saturday, shopping.

George L. Moore was recently called to Portsmouth, O., for the funeral of his niece.

\$500 REWARD

Reward of \$500 has been posted in The Bank Josephine, Prestonsburg, Ky., to be paid to the person or persons who furnish information, within 30 days from March 29, 1948, leading to the recovery of approximately \$4,000 lost by the undersigned at Melvin, Ky., on March 22, 1948, or for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who took the aforesaid sum of money.

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The simplest way to get this right every time is to try to toss the line straight up into the air over your head. If you do that, you will automatically begin the movement in time, and end it with the rod vertical. Of course, the line does not go straight up, but trying to make it do so will keep it high on the back cast as it must be.

In actual practice, the rod does go back a trifle behind the vertical position. But the only way to keep it from going too far back is to attempt to stop it at the vertical. If it

goes back a shade more your cast is ruined.

Watch your wrist at the finish of the toss. If you permit it to go back even slightly, it will allow the rod to go back too far and spoil your back cast. If you try conscientiously to toss the line straight into the air over your head—not back—wrist, elbow and the rest should automatically take care of themselves.

If you always remember to try to toss the fly straight up, and then to pause, within a week you'll be casting well enough to catch plenty of fish.

That important pause before the cast is a step many fly fishermen overlook. They most always make it too short, or refuse to pause at all. Remember; begin the back cast with the rod no higher than half-way up; end it with the main part of the rod no farther back than "one o'clock"; and pause until the line is almost straight, but not falling below the horizontal. When you've got all that, you'll be well on your way to becoming a fly-casting master.

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