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TODAY'S ROADS—KENTUCKY
US 22—Louisia-Paris road closed to through traffic. Travel at own risk.
KY 15—Closed between Winchester and Clay City—detour via KY 1 and U. S. 60. All paved except 10 miles gravel.
KY 22—Under construction between Williamsport and Elmwood—detour.
US 25—Between London and Dublin—construction. Little interference to traffic.

WAYLAND HOT SHOTS
BY R. H.
The views expressed herein are those of the writer and do not necessarily those of The Times.

It has been rumored around Wayland that the Ed. Hines Corporation, beginning the first of February, was going to give employees certified checks instead of scrip. So old Hot-Shots were in the other day and asked John Fields, the payroll clerk, what about a check instead of this scrip. John's reply was, "You do damn good business to get scrip. I guess he's right, because most of us are getting scrip on the credit. We broke the record this week—three days' work."

I can't imagine a \$10,000-a-year man wanting to enact a law to put him on pension when he is defeated for Congress, then say to the American people, "Baw mon, de defense bot." I am willing to buy a \$25 one every month and it takes me less than a minute to do so.

The following and War Time have caused many of us to move from Fayette to Wayland, it is reported. He had to do this to save his son-in-law from having to rush to Garrett for breakfast, then get back to Wayland in time for work.

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CUTLER SHIFTS ROAD BLAME
Says Washington Lacks Interest In Highways

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 7.—A "seeming lack of interest in executive circles in Washington" concerning funds for war-needed roads and a "suspected drop in highway tax revenue" may force sharp curtailment of highway construction in Kentucky this year, the State Society of Highway Contractors was warned today.

Addressing the society's annual meeting, Chief Engineer Thomas H. Cutler of the State Highway Department, said: "I was for ten years chief engineer of the Missouri Highway Department and for the past five years I have been state highway engineer for the Kentucky Highway Department, but never in all that time have I been less able to outline the enormous highway program with the certainty of being able to make an accurate prediction."

Because of the uncertainty of federal aid and tax revenue, Cutler said, the tentative program of highway construction this year is based on a 25 per cent loss in income from the state and totals approximately \$7,600,000.

Cutler continued, including 34.5 miles of grading and draining projects, 126.6 miles of initial black top surface with some kind of base, 64.3 miles of bituminous surface with no base requirements, 69.3 miles of rock asphalt surface with high type pavement including grading and draining, five grade separation projects and about \$43,000 worth of roadside improvements.

Actually, Cutler estimated, it would take over \$11,000,000 to put the strategic network in our state up to the minimum standards set by the War Department.

Cutler said, he believed "highway transportation faces billions of miles of additional travel on account of war and defense needs."

"To stop construction of roads, needed to speed war and materials to defense plants, or to postpone the construction of roads, would be giving evidence of being inadequate and disintegrating under today's traffic appears as foolish as it would be to keep railroads from building new cars or locomotives to meet the growing defense load."

After the One Over
H.I. Phillips
AUTO RATIONING

Man About Town:
Does The Washington Times-Herald know that 24 members of congress are making up the various degrees in the current Federal Grand Jury's probe into the activities of foreign agents using our mails for propaganda purposes? Not all 24 are involved in guilt. Some were merely innocent bystanders. How can Pettain offer himself as a hostage? How can he give what he doesn't own?

What two brain-trusters of a certain Washington probe are suspected of receiving checks from former Nazi espionage chief Von Bohle in 1937? A. Is there anything to the Capital buzz that Odum may inherit Knudsen's OPM headache? B. Can you think of one of the highest paid radio stars quit his gig sooner because he wouldn't allow him to get a divorce to wed another?

Isn't Boris DeLoe going to get her divorce in Honolulu in May—and marry a Navy doctor now here? Is it possible that Princess Stefanie Hohenlohe has taken a home in suburban Beverly Hills, Alexandria, Va., under the name of Mrs. DeLoe as she has often used in hotels? And why does she prefer being near to Washington, D. C. over other internationalists quote Rauschning, the historian, as saying that, according to his deductions, the war should end in 1942.

Li Comde, Gene Markey sure has it! Bad (and that's not good!) over Olivia DeLoe's divorce. She has all his Navy coin on postage stamps to write her. Sad, isn't it? The torch of Jones of Princeton is carrying the name of Virginia. His pals for it'll make him ill. That's gonna be quite a story when the "Publicist's Guide" explodes over the coming election. "Heaven! Have you heard the dreadful news? Because of metal shortages, trading cards will feel a shortage of bobby-pins!"

Bombardier Maughan spurred an invite to an affair, called Highness, and didn't send any regrets. Peggy Joyce's current is Jimmy White's handsome six-foot. Must be love—he's poor. If the Japs get sassier Ford will call out the Boy Scouts.

New York Heartbeat:
The Big Parade: C. Aubrey Smith — as British as a monocle. Rita Hayworth—the reason eyes were wanted. Robert March all and Arthur Treacher ringings at the Riviera, giving each other the "realities" and "don't-leave-it." His latest book, "Wild is the River," is a candidate for the Best-Seller list. Wendy Barrie in the Roosevelt Grill with a good book in the Waldorf foyer. Rosemary Lane, signing autographs outside the Barrymore. Looked like a Christmas Tree — a lovely spread of delicacies and glad glazes and spangled hats. Looked like a Christmas Tree — a lovely spread of delicacies and glad glazes and spangled hats.

CAN YOU REMEMBER—
Away back when a post-office clerk sold nothing but postage stamps at the stamp window?
Ima Dodo bought one of those U. S. auto tax stamps today and she says she is going to buy one every day and save them until maturity.
Canned beer was discontinued due to the need for tin. It is okay with us. We never did like reaching into the icebox for a glass of beer and coming out with a can of tomatoes.
Moe Berg, Boston Red Sox ball player, has retired from the diamond to become a government public ambassador to Pan America. This is most encouraging. We have long had a distinct impression that our best in that area was weak both in the field and at the bat.
Mr. Berg speaks nine languages. But the umpires was always able to detect him in one.

Raymond To Discuss 'Food For Freedom' At BSCPA Meeting

Q—Who did you want a new car?
A—It's the only way I can get five new tires.
Q—Are you aware of the restrictions on buying a new car?
A—No, but I knew something was all wrong. I called up several auto salesrooms yesterday and in no case did a salesman show up at my home inside of five minutes.
Q—You're already have a car?
A—Yes.
Q—What's wrong with it?
A—Nothing.
Q—Then why do you wish a new model?
A—My wife thinks our next-door neighbor's is a lot better.
Q—The kind of car your neighbors have is of no importance.
A—That's what YOU think!

Q—Only certain classes of people are eligible for new cars. Are you a doctor?
A—No, but my feet are just as tender.
Q—Are you a farm veterinarian?
A—No, but I have a good horse or an Information Please program?
A—No, you engaged in fire fighting.
Q—No; that's just an impression some people get from the way I drive.
Q—Are you engaged in crime prevention?
A—No, but if you'll let me have a new auto I'll give you any lift from now on.
Q—Are you engaged in law enforcement?
A—Yes, I'm a lawyer.
Q—Was said "enforcement," not "evolution."
A—I didn't come here to be insulted.
Q—That's all right; we don't mind doing it. Listen, do you regard a new car as a necessity?
A—Positively.
Q—Give three reasons.
A—First of all, I live four blocks from my office, and without a car I would have to negotiate the mile distance on foot. Second, we use the car to go to church.
Q—How far is the church?
A—It's almost an eighth of a mile.
Q—What's your third reason for regarding a car as indispensable?
A—My third reason is the most urgent. I have a car that has no dated road maps and useless tools!

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Ed Pearson, who has evidently been hit hunting, says he can't understand why the ads don't get apartments under three headings: furnished, unfurnished and unfurnished.
The United States department of agriculture is working on a motor fuel made from corn and potatoes. Juliet Coll says it is going to seem a better idea to give all standard car six bushels of high test.

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Members of the board of directors of the Big Sandy Production Credit Association have arranged a day-long program packed with timely features for the association's annual meeting in the high school auditorium, Paintsville, Saturday, Feb. 14, starting at 10 a. m.

One of the meeting highlights will be a talk on "Food for Freedom" by E. K. Raymond, of the Production Credit Corporation, parent organization of the Big Sandy Production Credit Association.
Dean Corneet, secretary-treasurer of the Big Sandy cooperative credit group, reports that present attendance prospects indicate a "full house" for this year's annual get-together.

Hot Dogs, "Out" And Carrots "In," Says Boyd Agent

"Food will win the war" only if everyone—100 to 100-year-oldsters—eats the right kind for good health. So says Lois H. Sharp, Boyd county home demonstration agent. When the Kentucky Nutrition Committee set up nutrition and health standards, and they were applied to Boyd county, it was found that the school lunch provided a major problem, reports Mrs. Sharp.

The usual school lunch for many of the youngsters consisted of chili hot dogs, candy bars and soft drinks most of the time. The cafeteria managers agreed that it was unfortunally, but said the children demanded highly-seasoned foods. Local home economists argued that the children would select other foods if they were properly prepared and the hot dogs and soft drinks were less available.

Recipes were furnished emphasizing whole wheat, carrots, greens, etc. The Surplus Commodities Agency had products available for rural schools, P-TA groups and others, enabling consumers to get grapefruit, prunes, beans and potatoes. Many recipes were printed in the county newspaper so that parents could use them at home.

The children are satisfied with plate lunches of simple foods, properly balanced. They like carrots and whole wheat muffins and rich milk and butter, and greens. Hot dogs? They don't see them, and they don't ask for them—they "hate" the hot dogs so much better.
"Children who 'eat-smart' limit their school lunches to other foods at home, so now homemakers are starting a health drive throughout the county to spread the gospel of better health through better foods.

Floyd Soldier Enters Ft Sheridan School In Mechanics

Pvt. Everett Stone, whose home address is Martinton, this county, has begun a special course of study designed to fit him for an important role in the operation and maintenance of the nation's mighty army on wheels.

An announcement of Pvt. Stone's enrollment in the Sixth Corps Area Quartermaster Motor Training School, Fort Sheridan, Ill., for eight weeks of training in motor maintenance and repair was made by Maj. Gen. J. M. Cummings, commanding the Sixth Corps Area. A farmer before entering the army, Pvt. Stone was selected for this course because of his mechanical aptitude and eagerness to learn. In the Fort Sheridan school, one in a course of training—students being operated by the Quartermaster Corps from coast to coast, is being equipped in classroom and laboratory instruction in all phases of the internal combustion engine, the motor vehicle and its units. The course also includes actual field experience in the movement of truck convoys.

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The wedding of Mr. and Mrs. ... was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... on Saturday, February 10, 1942. The bride was Miss ... of ... and the groom was Mr. ... of ... The ceremony was performed by Rev. ... of the ... church. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, best man, maid of honor, bridesmaids, flower girls, ring bearers, and ushers. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The couple will reside at ...

News From Floyd Communities

DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Isaac spent the week-end with Mrs. Isaacs' sister, Mrs. Sam Frazier, and Mr. Frazier, of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell Clark of Stephens Branch, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Curt Stephens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. K. Brown, of Besco, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Edna Tackett and family.

Karo Stone and family moved here from Stephens Branch recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Foster, of Drift, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore.

Brodia Ambury, of Stephens Branch, and Miss Bernice Compton were united in marriage Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Layne and family, of Betsy Layne, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward Saturday evening.

Olgie Dings, of Hill, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac last Sunday.

Mrs. Hargis Catton, who has been in the Beaver Valley hospital, is home and recovering slowly.

Hawley Robinson is visiting relatives in Ohio.

ISAAC-SMITH
Mr. Virgil Isaac and Miss Joann Smith were married Tuesday, Mrs. Isaac is the attractive daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith. Mr. Isaac is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaac, of Dinwood.

Miss Opal Isaac has been ill this week.

Robert Johnson, of Melvin, was visiting relatives here Sunday.

ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Laferty were the Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Akers.

Delilah Beverly, who holds a position in Detroit, Mich., is now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. L. Beverly.

Paul Porter, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Porter, has been dismissed from the Martin General Hospital, where he has been receiving treatment for injuries sustained in an accident. His right leg was amputated above the knee.

Rev. Campbell Jeffries, of Prestonsburg, held his regular appointment here at the schoolhouse Thursday evening. A large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Akers are announcing the birth of a daughter, born Feb. 1, weighing six pounds. The new comer has been named Dolores Marie.

Rev. J. C. Laferty, of Dwaie, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Laferty Thursday, on the occasion of his eighty-fifth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Beecher Hardwick, of Martin, was the Thursday afternoon guest of Mrs. Alice Hardwick.

A large number attended the service in the Methodist Church held by Rev. J. B. Hahn Sunday evening. His next appointment will be Sunday morning, Feb. 15.

BETSY LAYNE

PERSONALS
Misses Katherine and Jo Ann Jackson, daughters of Lee Jackson, of Lander, Wyo., tennis rafter, and champion rodeo rider, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Elliott here last week.

Mrs. Dorothy Osborne is now in Asheville, N. C., preparing to enter Asheville College.

Misses Ruth and Luella Layne returned to high school here after moving back to Harolds from Virginia.

Victor and Clifton Walters returned from San Diego, California, last Monday for a week's vacation, then Victor left for Baltimore on Monday morning.

Edmund Walters returned from Kopperton, W. Va., Monday.

Kermit Martin left for Baltimore, Md., Monday to work in the Glenn L. Martin aircraft factory.

Level Martin has returned from California for a few weeks' vacation, then will leave for Baltimore.

Ozell Graham has returned home from the Anderson Airplane School in Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Stratton, of Tril, visited in Justell over the week-end.

Mrs. Carl Layne and family have moved back to Hill after living in Virginia for some time.

HIPPO

Mike Staley, of Lockett, was in Hippo last Wednesday on business.

County Agent S. L. Isbell held a very interesting meeting at the Brush Creek churchhouse Saturday afternoon. The principal topic of the meeting was "Poultry."

Miss Dorothy Staley was the Saturday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Ezra Layton, Garrett.

A large crowd attended the Brush Creek church Sunday.

Joble Hughes and R. M. Bailey were in Prestonsburg last Wednesday on business.

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Miss Mary Lou May was shopping in Pikeville, Saturday.

John Damon has finally recovered from influenza.

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"First Aid and Home Nursing" was the program subject at the meeting of the David Woman's Club, held Feb. 4 in the David Community Church. Twelve members were present. Those who assisted in the program were: Mrs. M. E. Thompson, chairman; Mrs. Loren Roberts, Mrs. Lon Hill and Mrs. John Ceell. Others attending were: Mrs. Russell Harmon, Mrs. Wm. Hess, Mrs. Ballard Plummer, Mrs. Ora Howard, Mrs. Otis Bussey, Mrs. Blanche Carter, Mrs. Freda Warrick, and Mrs. Hauley Conley.

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MAYTOWN

Thomas Patrick is at home, following a brief stay in Martin General Hospital. While confined to the hospital, Mr. Patrick was attended by his father, Thomas Patrick, Sr., of Salsersville.

Mrs. Carl Ferguson was a patient at the Prestonsburg General Hospital one day this week.

Bill Arnold Cooley left this week with his father, Arnold Cooley, his grandmother, Mrs. Frank Cooley, his grandfathers, for Georgia and Florida, where they will spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stapleton had as their guests this week-end Mr. and Mrs. Tate, of Chicago, Ill.

VICTORY BOOK COMMITTEE
The Maytown committee for the Victory Book Drive, connected with the defense program, follows: Mrs. V. Hayes, chairman; Mrs. J. C. Trefrey and Carl Stewart, members. Everyone is urged to collect all old books and magazines, army and navy men might enjoy reading, and bring them to boxes placed in the Lansley Supply Store and Trefrey's Store, regularly. Registers will be kept at the store, so that each donor may register his or her name.

SEVENTH GRADE HONOR ROLL
Seventh grade semester honor roll for Maytown, follows: Rhoda Allen, Christine Hahn, Billie Marie Arroyo, Lucille Stappleton, Kaye Dingus, J. G. Gibson, Thomas Smith, Bill Stapleton.

NEW PUPIL WINS LOCAL SPELLING CONTEST
Christine Hahn, eleven-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn, formerly of West Irvine, won the Maytown grand school spelling contest Friday afternoon, when she downed Rhoda Allen on the word, "chirchly." Both are honor pupils in the seventh grade, which bested the eighth-graders quickly.

Mrs. V. A. Hayes, instructor of the winner, has had more pupils win the local contest than any other teacher here, once having a third-grade child defeat members of the eighth grade.

LODGE MEETS
The Mollie Pitcher Lodge met Saturday evening in the church for its regular meeting, presided over by Mrs. Dean Ambury, local head. Several members were present.

IVEL
Mr. and Mrs. James Damon spent the week-end in Lebanon, O., visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bolin.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns May and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. May's parents at Stephens, Sunday.

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MARTIN

Mrs. Martha Bates is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cain.

Sam Sanner, Oliver Elam and Ralph Allen left, the first of the week, for Newport News.

Miss Helen Robinson and Mrs. Mildred Kirman, of Catlettsburg, are visiting their mother, Mrs. John D. Adams.

A party sponsored by Mary Ellen Brantburn, Maudie Lee, Griffith and Mrs. John D. Adams was given at Mrs. Adams' restaurant Saturday night, Feb. 7. About 250 were present.

Mrs. John Rouse and son, of Catlettsburg, are visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mahood.

Mrs. Robert Allen left Tuesday for Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Wade Mahood has returned from Ashland where she was called by the illness and death of her sister, Mrs. Mary Bryant.

Peck Joe Bailey, Jack Tackett and Alvin Holtz were home over the week-end.

Parke Francis, of Lexington, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Francis, over Sunday.

Mrs. Lois Castle Lieberman, of Detroit, was visiting Miss Ola Key last week. Miss Emma Bradley returned to Detroit with her.

James Crisp is home from Bowling Green University, awaiting his call to the army.

Two weeks ago a delightful bridal shower was given in the high school for the first bride of the senior class, Mrs. Ernest Hunter, nee Jewell Smith.

A party was given by Misses Eulah Gray Ratliff and Treva Ratliff, honoring Miss Jeanne Ann Hinkley, who is confined to her home in a cart after having undergone an operation at Corsair Crippled Children's home in Louisville. Among those present were: Winifred Osborne, Don Hutchinson, Don Bunch, Clyde Babb, Carl Babb, Betty Lou Ratliff, Alvin Holtz, Fay Dingus, Crisp, Doug Tackett, Richard Turner, George Turner, Willy Elliott, Doris Ralcliffe, Sam Ed King, Leon Hall, Everett Tackett, Fay Dingus, Esther Halbert, Hellen Hall, Wida Mae Arrington, Elvah J. Ratliff, and Treva Ratliff.

Cus Elliott was host to about 40 of his little friends Monday afternoon at the Busy Bee Restaurant, in celebration of his birthday.

COMMANDING OFFICER OF PVT. ROBINSON OFFERS CONSOLATION
The following portion of a letter from the commanding officer of their son who died recently while in the service of his country, comes to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson, of Dwaie, as some news of consolation:
"Port Reed, Trinidad, B. W. I., January 29, 1942.
"My Dear Mr. and Mrs. Robinson:
"Please accept my profound sympathy in the passing of your son, Private Russell L. Robinson, late of this organization.
"Private Robinson was a soldier in the true sense of the word, placing duty and devotion to his country before his personal interests at all times. He performed his assigned duties willingly and efficiently and best of all, he had the outstanding characteristic of getting along well with his fellow men in his passing we have sustained a mutual loss.
"In accordance with existing army regulations, Private Robinson will be interred at Fort Reid, Trinidad, B. W. I. and accorded full military honors due one of our rank."
"I just wonder why they call Tom A. 'The Rainbow Dancer'."

Don't kick and gripe about the sugar rationing. We all eat too much sugar, anyway, and just remember in the Axis countries sugar is unobtainable for the masses. Our forefathers used a hell of a lot less sugar. Volunteered a year and the sugar will be plentiful. Tell me your part and it will be unappreciated to report any hearing that you see.

This sugar rationing certainly should help the sale of sorghum. I would say something about Bill Counts being in Martin Sunday—only he wasn't supposed to be down there.



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SHIKE'S POKES

Oliver expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.

Butch seems to be the Wild West hero—the two-gun man. But we have reports from Betsy Layne that his singing is loud.

Butch sez, "Who could sing when you can't sleep for listening to Oliver talk in his sleep?" Oliver must have a guilty conscience.

Heard a fellow remark the other day that if the Japs had bombed Prestonsburg twice, all the mines would have shut down.

Hey, Briarhuck! No, I'm not sold on Donald—but anybody in Kentucky would hear what we've got. Happy.

Don't look what happened to Hippo's bill to increase the general rate \$4,500. He dropped it like it was hot. Even his few strong supporters in this county are "dismayed."

"Happy" They didn't mind his "damfoolishness" in peace time, but they know that it's bad business in war times.

I see by the papers when some of the Congressmen are trying to justify their stand on the postage issue. They rant. They haven't any argument. Remember, they fight for the honor of living up there and the honor and \$10,000 a year is plenty enough for any man. Every Congressman who would for the bill should be defeated in this election.

Follows to take the job of Congressman and if they don't want it, they can get out and a lot of them will after this election. The fall of some of our islands in the Pacific can be laid at the door of Congress. They refused to vote the money to fortify them, yet they vote themselves pensions. A bevy of the members of our present Congress should have "cups" on their noses—just their brains are so bad.

Just wonder why they call Tom A. "The Rainbow Dancer."

Don't kick and gripe about the sugar rationing. We all eat too much sugar, anyway, and just remember in the Axis countries sugar is unobtainable for the masses. Our forefathers used a hell of a lot less sugar. Volunteered a year and the sugar will be plentiful. Tell me your part and it will be unappreciated to report any hearing that you see.

This sugar rationing certainly should help the sale of sorghum. I would say something about Bill Counts being in Martin Sunday—only he wasn't supposed to be down there.

Vernon Smith has figured out a way to slip off from home—the law "to do as they think they see will fill the family as sleep they sometimes I have the most confidence in both our Draft Boards and I am positive they will do the

Ward Tackett is trying to save gas. He filled his tank with water through mistake Sunday night. He had a hard time trying to start his bus.

They are telling about Brad Boyd getting out an hour late last Monday. He didn't know his watch up. Brad, don't you know the election was over in 1940?

Say, I want to know something about these fellows running around setting papers signed—talking to the politicians and worrying the draft boards to death—trying to get deferred when they haven't any

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People like to know what goes on behind the headlines. One proof of that is the success of William Shirer's "Berlin Diary" which to date has sold over five hundred thousand copies...

Robert St. John was a foreign correspondent for the Associated Press. He was in Berlin at the time the Nazis bombed it for the first time—killing 20,000 out of 300,000 inhabitants and wounding no one knows how many more.

Mr. St. John describes the Serbs as splendid fighters—and tells why they didn't have a chance against the Germans. One soldier he talked with had never heard of a tank. He witnessed a whole troop of men trying to stop Nazi bombers—by shooting rifles at them. He saw supplies being sent to these soldiers by means of ox wagons.

In Greece he saw hospitals filled with wounded soldiers—and no doctors and no medical supplies. He saw hospitals machine gunned and the wounded shot over again. We have become accustomed to horror stories but Mr. St. John tells a few that will make your flesh creep.

Finally, in Cairo he sent out his first news story in a month's time. Because of the censor's slashing, this story was limited to eight words: "The Greek evacuation was not another Dunkirk."

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THE FACT OF THE MATTER

In a few more months, in August, there will be another primary election to nominate a couple of fellows for Sheriff of Floyd county to fill out the term caused by the death of Dr. Walk Stumbo.

I do not know just who all will be seeking this nomination, but I guess there will be enough for us people to pick out a man who will make us a good officer.

I would like to see the people of this county pick out a good, solid man who will make us a good Sheriff. One who will do his duty and then serve all the people on a just and equal basis.

Last year I was in the race for Sheriff and in campaigning over the county, any place I would go, the people would say to me "Why not you?"

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This text is "Ball" Duell, Sloan & Pierce: \$5.50 with text and photographs by Philip Hanson. It's a good copy book for the masses of the world get to be too much for you. Both the scenery and the communal life in this South Sea island are pretty near idyllic, according to Mr. Huss. Crime, he says, is so rare in Bali that the jails are small and serious offenders have to be sent to the penitentiary in Java.

Jean Struther, author of "Mrs. Miniver," who recently returned to New York from a cross-country lecture tour, says that her most terrifying lecture experience came one day in a town in a western state. She had been asked to visit one of the local high schools, when suddenly her escort thrust her before a microphone, with the request that she give an "uplift" message to the students.

In a recent interview, Arthur Meeker, Jr., author of "The Ivory Mischief" (Houghton, Mifflin, \$3.00), was asked if all the characters in his novel were historical. Mr. Meeker, whose book deals with seventeenth century France, replied in the affirmative. "Yes indeed," he said, "even the lap dogs are historical."

Miss Burke Named To Civil Service Position

Miss Gaudia R. Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burke, Prestonsburg, has received an appointment as stenographer with the United States Civil Service Commission and left for Washington Friday.

41 Draftees to Leave

Stapleton, Jr., Harold; Hillard Hamilton, Teaberry; Luther Rice, Emma; Jennie Minkley, Dana; James Bell, Belmont; Raymond Ball, Dwayne; Curt Newsum, Teaberry; James Derossett, Stone; George Maure, Greesh; Leo Laferty, Stone; Ed Bellinger, Cliff; James Thomas Vaughan, Louisville registered with Board 44; Jeff Davis Howell, Huntington, W. Va.; Willie Hale, Blue River (transferred from Whinsame, Ind.).

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Registrants from Board 45 who entered the army Jan. 30 are: Daniel Mullins, Bevinville; Robert Clark, Jr., Wheelwright; Ernest K. Grant, Wayland; Lawrence Goodwin, Garrett; Fred Johnson, Weeksburg; Sam Eingham, Martin; William Joseph Kelly, Wheelwright; Edgar W. Coburn, Hueysville; Joe Etlson, Shannon, Drift; James Wells, Wheelwright; Boge Isaac, McDowell; Green D. Hamilton, Printer; Gorman Salisbury, Hunter; Rhubain Robinson, Printer; Edward Castie, Wayland; Graham Turner, Wayland; Bernard Joseph Droy, Fed. Vene; Moore, Wayland; Robert Vanderpool, Langley; Joe Kendall Allen, Printer; Thomas Meade, Fed.; John Stuart Ward, Alportetta; Albert Stone, Hall; Raymond Frederick Myhrer, Martins; Verden Crisp, Cracker; Hager Howard, Garrett; Rush Hall, Bevinville; Belle Moore, Garrett; Frank Dazo, Knoll, Wheelwright; Charles Bennett Justice, Martin; Willie Sexton, Hueysville; Lawrence Bates, Hueysville; Israel Tassie, Hueysville; Hawley Minn, Garrett; Edg Johnson, Wheelwright; John H. Robinson, McDowell; Simon Robinson, Martin; Hezie Sammons, Cracker; Andrew Lee Padgett, Weeksburg.

It was announced here this week that selectees are being taken to Hazard for final examination before induction instead of Huntington, W. Va., as hitherto. Both Floyd county draft boards will send men to Hazard, Feb. 28, for examination.



ELMER ON MORALE

"I am for morale building," declared Elmer Twitchell, well-known philosopher, housewife pitcher and columnist, today. "Morale is important in any struggle. Three cheers for all we can get. But nothing is breaking my morale down just now like some of the baloney being spread by alleged morale builders."

Mr. Twitchell was more disturbed than usual. "The quicker we get the phony element out of this morale stuff the better," he resumed, pounding a table.

"At the moment it is the race track people who are pretty close to loss in overdoing the angle. A like racing. I hope the war won't stop it. But it grips me to listen to continuous streams of primary importance to the war effort. You would think from some of this stuff that the morale of the military and navy was linked in the almost defense effort."

"I listened to a broadcast after a big race in Florida—the other afternoon, and immediately after giving the payoff prices, the broadcaster went into a spiel on the importance of the eight-race program to ultimate victory. It lacked only Hearts and Flowers by a string orchestra."

"It was the crowing peak to a lot of similar faddoodle that has been coming from the racing interests for months, and it is doing the morale-building business no good."

"Give me a day at the races when I have been working hard and am feeling blue. I've got to be a man in my love of the thoroughbred. I find a peculiar attraction in the mutual window. I love the soft whistles about the track during the morning. I can't even stand all those photo finishes. But don't give me that stuff about the points being of such vital importance that the American people will never be able to bear up through the war without them! There's a limit."

It is now predicted that it may be necessary to ration men's socks. The center of minimum worry about this is in Ozarks.

SONG FOR TAXPAYERS
(Begin Berlin has written a song to cheer the income taxpayers. It is called "I Paid My Income Tax Today.")

Hoary, hoary, hoary, hoary! I paid my income tax today. In acts like this I love to glory! At least, my friend, that is my story!

A tax is quite a joy to me—I paid it very cheerfully. It means anything but blue—I love to come across, say you!

When I'm feeling rather sad, There's always something makes me glad. I love to sing, tra la tra lo. The minute that my tax is due.

When I am feeling extra low And down my spirit seems to go, I find relief, oh, many thanks, In filing out some one's blanks.

Shouldn't crack depression o'er me spread Such feelings I know how to shed: I ask an income tax to pay And Morgenstau, he says "Okay."

Old Ivy Berlin is happy, too To pay each box high and new, And I'd be twice as gay, I know! If I had all that fellow's dough.

A vaudeville unit on its way to Iceland. It will, of course, open cold.

"Need Parachutes for Food," Headline in the N. Y. Times.

"We'll just take a plain dirigible salad with no fixings."

The king and queen of England have moved from Buckingham Palace and taken a flat. What a kick it must be for a queen to be close enough to her own kitchen to smell toast burning!

"Remember back when a man wasn't ashamed to allow his children to look at the covers of magazines displayed on news stands?" asks Merrill White.

Electricity in private homes may soon be rationed. It is going to be tough to get to turn off the radio when you're not listening.

We went into a restaurant one night and found the sugar bowl missing. We complained to the head waiter, who explained to us. "All the damn electric thermoses and fill their handbags with it," he said. "We had to cut out the bowls. How many lumps shall I bring you?"

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WANTED TO BUY—100-lb feed sacks, Phone 3221, Big Sandy, W. Va. Prestonsburg, 1-22-41.

FOR SALE—1942 8-passenger Plymouth coupe, only 3,000 miles. Will trade for cash or property. JAMES WALLEN, 1-22-41 pd., Blue River, Ky.

FOR SALE—Good piano, suitable for home, church or school. Price reasonable. See or write Mrs. B. J. Corey, Prestonsburg, Ky. 12 41

FOR RENT—New modern country 6-room home. Electric lights, gas, and water. Reasonable. See MRS. AARON AKERS, Banner, Ky. 1-8-41

FOR SALE—Brandy shop, modernly equipped, in good location. Cheap for cash. Phone 6121, Prestonsburg, 10-4-41

PIANOS—For the best pianos in Eastern Kentucky, call or write ZWICK'S Ashland, Ky. 1-15-41

FOR RENT two sleeping rooms, one with private bath, other with central bath. RUTH D. SOWARDS, City. 1-8-41

FOR SALE—4-piece bedroom suite, upholstered mattress, pair double coil springs, excellent condition. See MARY YATES, College Lane, City. 11 pd

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SHIKE'S POKES

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right time, and this is just to tell the bunch that is putting up the argument, you are wasting your time. If you are done, do it now, you'll get it.

Boy, what a bunch of "new and improved" members that we have in the Mainie-Berlie-Warmers' Club! Let's talk about Captain, Earl Hall, Cliff Martin, Wm. Hall, Chas. Harrison, James Sammons, oh, me!

Maybe the car and the shortage is a blessing in disguise. It will save a lot of lives. Anyone could step on a car, but everybody cannot hitch up a horse.

This sugar shortage has its drawbacks, such as you are going to sweeter, sassafras tea with!

4-H Girls Attend Clothing Meet

Miss Dorothy Thirkield, specialist, 4-H Club department, Lexington, gave instructions to girls to turn on the 4-H clothing meeting in the office of County Agent S. L. Ebbell Tuesday. Attending the meeting were Rachel May, Catherine Stapleton, Moselette Pirell and Marie Halbert of the Maxwells; Glad, Geneva Taylor, Betsy Layne, and Verne DeLong, Jones Creek.

Chain Store Tax

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Representative Hovest last week introduced a bill amending the state unemployment compensation law, providing that no part of the contributions made by employers to the unemployment fund be deducted from the pay of employees.

Wine, Broek Pass Bar Examination

Of 51 who were announced this week as having passed the Kentucky bar examination were James W. Wine, Jr. of Prestonsburg and Hiram M. Broek, Jr. of Prestonsburg and Harton, Republican Representative from Harlan county in the current legislature.

CHILD, FLU VICTIM

Month-old Tommy Lynn, son of Herald and Mrs. Fannie Collins, Howell, died Feb. 9 at the Howell home, near here, a victim of influenza. Besides the bereaved parents, the babe is survived by its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Howell. Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the Isaac Stratton officiating, and burial was made in the family cemetery on the Auxier road under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

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Floyd Homicides Exceed Suicides, During 1941

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Other excerpts from the report are:

"Typhoid fever was more prevalent during the past year than usual. Twenty-two cases were reported. These cases were sporadic in nature and were reported from widely scattered sections of the county, and from early spring until late fall. A small epidemic of six cases occurred in Byrro, Ky., during the early fall. These cases, confined to three families, were traced directly to a case of sub-clinical type working as a domestic in one family, and with which all families involved had direct contact."

SCARLET FEVER
"The incidence of scarlet fever was not as great the past year as the preceding years. Only a few cases were reported during the past year, and these from widely separated sections of the county."

"All cases reported were mild and of a sporadic nature, and were reported from sections of the county where scarlet fever appears to be endemic. These sections, three in number, furnish practically all the cases that appear each year."

"The low incidence and mild nature of the disease, along with the terrific reaction of the immunizing toxin, have caused us to cease immunizing as a routine measure and to resort to isolation and quarantine as control measures."

DIPHTHERIA
"Diphtheria, probably the most dreaded of all diseases of children, was unusually prevalent in this county during the months of September and October. There were more cases reported during this period than in any other time period for years. Not a case occurred among children that had been immunized and was the result of mother's putting off having the immunization done. The scare from the epidemic caused scores of mothers to have their small children immunized."

"Our child health conferences furnish an excellent opportunity for immunizing the children in the preschool age. We have tried to get the mothers with their children to meet the nurse at her regular school visits, bringing the small children for immunization against diphtheria. The popularity of the toxoid for prevention is growing, resulting in large numbers of parents bringing their children to the health officer for their immunization."

TUBERCULOSIS
"Tuberculosis is very prevalent in Floyd county, causing many deaths each year. This disease alone caused the deaths of over 20 young people during the past year. It is undoubtedly many more deaths in the county from tuberculosis than were reported as such. Control of tuberculosis is one of the most important problems the county health department has to contend with at the present time."

SMALLPOX
"There was not a case of smallpox reported in the county during the past year. In fact there has not been a case reported for 10 years. This is in spite of a change from conditions that existed in the county during the early days of the health department when smallpox appeared to be endemic."

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VENEREAL DISEASES
"The health department is especially interested in the control and treatment of venereal diseases in this county. Clinics are held every Friday and Saturday mornings in the offices and hundreds of treatments are given each year. This is in addition to the work of the thirty-five physicians in the county who are assisting in this control program."

"The passage of the pre-natal and pre-natal laws, requiring blood tests for expectant mothers and those desiring to get married have increased the work materially in this department. Several hundred blood tests were made for these purposes."

LEUT. COM. GENE TUNNEY has rounded up a first-class set of ring men for the navy. But the army still has the top champ in a rough game by the name of Joe Louis. Many have said that the next world heavyweight champion would come from this war assemblage, which is a dead-end bet. It's my guess that his name will be Joe Louis, if some foolook for fate doesn't crowd in on the main set. Or if army life doesn't pack too much extra weight on the Bomber's frame. It took him only a few days to add an extra ten pounds after he'd cleaned up Buddy Baer.

Army life can put as weight as well as take it off the ring hand. Never had a champion before who spent so much time in a training camp, who sipped of many milted Novas at the time of Joe Louis, who was talking to see how much Louis weighs some time from his camp.

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The Home Front

This job of organizing all our people and all they own to defend the home front is a big job. We've never tackled. You might put it this way, you might say we are making the ship of state the ship of war. A warship with a crew of 120,000,000 souls and more than enough ammunition in its masts to blow Hitler and Hirohito and I Duce out of the face of the earth—only we first have to get the ammunition on deck.

This is the job we have taken on and we know we are going to do it. It looks like a very complicated job, and it is complicated in many ways when we get down to cases, when we consider what's to be done with this industry or that, or how best we can use a certain scarce metal or some other material.

But basically the job has a simple pattern, and this is it: 1. Take care of important civilian needs—the really important one like food and fuel and clothing and necessary transportation, not the ones that are luxuries, but the important in the old set days.

2. Concentrate everything else—men and machines and materials—on the war effort. 3. See that all the people get a square deal, control prices, guard against inflation. Because if we were to permit runaway prices and inflation, we would be putting a weapon into the hands of our enemies.

From the way things have been going and the way it looks as though folks would like to make an extra penny out of the country's need, our create artificial scarcities or cash in on the war, we could, as going to find pickings slim and trouble plenty. This isn't 1917-18.

The office of Price Administration has the duty of watching against inflationary price rises and betting down profiteers, and OPA has been busy lately.

When OPA Administrator, Louis Henderson, clapped a price ceiling over washing machines and ironers the other day, it looks as if the present schedule of maximum prices in the field of what are called "consumer durables"—that means things that are supposed to last, and with previous OPA had set prices over radios, and automobiles, cooking and heating stoves, wool floor coverings.

The war brought speculation in kitchen staples, in tea and pepper and corn, forced prices to levels unjustified by supply. We have two years supply of pepper in the warehouses, a great deal of tea, cocoa, nutmeg, from Brazil and West Indies. African supplies are expected to be resumed soon.

OPA moved in on this situation. It has set a ceiling on the maximum wholesale prices for tea, announced schedules containing lesser reductions for pepper and cocoa.

OPA moves in with price schedules wherever it sees signs of inflationary pressure on prices. It moved in on southern staples of rice and castor oil, and on bed sheets and nylon hosiery.

The time is coming when women wear a little bit of boy and girl stockings. That's because the army and navy, as silks become more exhausted, turn more and more to nylon socks, special purpose, anti-rattling parachute types.

The time is coming, and that's when American women will be wearing stockings made of rayon and cotton. And that's because they've ordered rayon producers to set aside a larger proportion of their March output for the home trade.

But in the meantime, as stocks of nylon hosiery dwindled demand increased. So did wholesale prices, on a scale which OPA termed profiteering and inflationary. And OPA, with a ceiling over the wholesale price of nylon hose, warned that retail prices were as high as they can be permitted to go.

Women's stockings also figure in a WEP order designed to save 7,000,000 pounds of boxboard and paper. It specifies that stockings, be packed without individual wrappings, and doubles the usual limit to the box.

WEP also acted to save tin by cutting the amount of tin coating which may be applied to tin cans and WEP's Bureau of Industrial Conservation got tough about the vast piles of scrap metal lying in the nation's automobile scrapyards.

WEP warned operators of these scrapyards that where they "reject" fair offers for their collection of jalopy carcasses they may face requisition of their entire yards—including all scrap parts.

Plans for a "Victory model" refrigerator have cut the cost of the "Victory bicycle" expect more of these "Victory models" in machinery and household appliances, machine-stuffed, of all necessities, using substitutes for strategic materials wherever possible—chromium, which used to put an added shine on so many of these appliances, which has found a period almost as much as the automobile, now has been allocated entirely to war production.

Martin Five to Meet Wayland Wildcats; Loses to Virgie

Martin, Ky., Feb. 9 (Sp.)—Crash Aker will bring his strong whirlwind to Martin Saturday night for a return engagement. Wayland is picked by those who know their basketball to have an equal chance of winning a Best Layup Contest and President of the county the district tournament, which will be held at Tety Layne. Their main attraction is captured through two games, and fast forward. Atkins and Rowe, who rank with the best in this section, Martin will place it. They are on the team. They have been carrying the biggest loads of scoring along with Ryan, Johns and Osborne.

Friday night, Coach Price will bring his Wheelwright Maroons to meet the Purple Flash. Wheelwright has a great center in Raliff. This will be a battle of the giants when Ryan and Raliff oppose each other.

The Purple Flash found Pike county too tough to handle over the week-end and played the second game Friday night in a close and hard-fought battle at Martin, 36-29. Saturday night, the Martin team, which defeated Elkhorn City and dropped the second game of the week to the strong Cumberland five by the score of 43-37.

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HEALTH NEWS
Compiled by Dr. Marvin Ransdell
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NATIONAL DEFENSE - SANITATION MILK CONTROL
It is our country's war effort. We are engaged in a struggle for freedom and democracy. The health of our people is a vital part of our national defense. Our government is responsible for the health of our people. It is the duty of every citizen to cooperate with the government in this effort.

What can be done to help? We can help by buying and using only the milk that is produced in this country. This milk is produced under strict supervision and is of the highest quality. It is the duty of every citizen to buy and use only this milk.

Every effort is being made to see that all milk that is offered for sale is properly labeled showing the grade of milk and source of it. We urge every person to buy only grade "A" milk. Milk labeled as grade "A" is being produced under strict supervision and every possible measure is being observed by the dairyman to make it safe for public consumption.

There is no way of telling how many cases of tuberculosis are contracted through milk. There is a small chance of being able to trace typhoid. It certainly is very easy to transmit it through milk. After we come down with an infection of some disease germ there is usually no way of telling how many cases of tuberculosis are contracted through milk.

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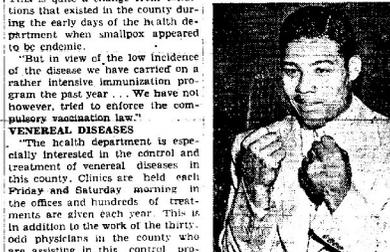
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JOE LOUIS

alibi, the Bomber finally admitted that he was stale and well below par in both contests.

"Before I fought Buddy Baer in Washington," he said, "I was dead tired. I trained in a hot place and I began to see black spots before my eyes. I didn't get my pep left. I hit Buddy plenty that time, but there wasn't much steam back of my punches."

"I was a bit different in the second fight and after Joe had taken his last punch, I was different. I was a bit different in the second fight and after Joe had taken his last punch, I was different. I was a bit different in the second fight and after Joe had taken his last punch, I was different."

"He's fast boy," Louis said, "but I wasn't right. I was too slow. Maybe he made me look slower, but I can be faster than I was then. I was still stale. I'll be different for Nova."

"Conn is the challenger picked for the next Louis fight. If there is another heavyweight battle soon. At least, the slender Pittsburgher is the only one given a chance to get a break in the old side."

"Here's a funny thing," Conn told me, "the best punch I threw, and why. I had hoped and expected to outbox him. I was doing that through the middle of the 11th round. But near the end of that round I nailed Joe on the jaw with a good punch. I saw him meekly buckle and his eyes roll. I knew I'd hurt him. I thought he was about through. So I decided at that spot I'd knock him out."

"I wasn't content any longer to win a decision. I got rough instead of getting smart. If I hadn't landed that punch I'm pretty sure I wouldn't have taken the chance. I took-wading in and swinging flat-footed. I gave him a stiff target to hit in place of a moving target. And I wasn't hurt at the time. Don't let anyone tell you he body blows had worn me down. They hadn't."

"It was that belt on the head in the 12th when I was trying to out-punch him that turned the trick. It isn't often that your best punch costs you a fight. But that's what happened to me."

At His Best
It is my guess that Louis was only keyed up in something like four contests. One was against Max Baer. The other was the second round fight. The third was against Tony Galento. The fourth was his final shot against Buddy Baer.

I know Louis was strung to the top pitch in his second meeting with Max Schmeling. He came near killing the Black Ulian in less than a round. You can also gamble that he was all set to wipe out Buddy Baer quickly with his title at stake last before entering the ring. Louis had made up his mind to put his army uniform on the heavyweight champion of the world.

He had no such personal feeling against Buddy as he had against Schmeling and Galento. But his fighting fire was riding high.

A WOMAN'S WORD
Concerning Sacrifices
By BETTY MYERS
A woman will not find it hard to sacrifice material things for this war. She will find it hard to give up good, balanced meals without desiring to stay away from a show, or refraining from some other thing. She will not find it hard to give up her car, or her radio, or her television set. She will not find it hard to give up her home, or her family, or her friends. She will not find it hard to give up her life for the sake of her country.

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To Determine Need For Canalization Of Big Sandy

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Of Youths Trained For Defense Work, Salyers Reports

One every minute, day and night, Sundays and holidays included, the rate at which NYA-trained youth are being sent from the national defense training workshops...

At the present time 500 Kentucky youth are employed on the out-of-school programs of the NYA. A high percentage of these young people are getting experience and training in the metal and mechanical fields essential for jobs in war production industries...

NYA youth learn a job by doing it, in workshops using production methods corresponding to those in private industry. By intensive on-the-job training, these youth learn to acquire experience and dexterity in the handling of tools and machinery...

There are now 17 national defense training centers and projects in operation by the NYA in Kentucky in which out-of-school youth between the ages of 17 and 24 are given specific experience and training in such occupations as lathe operation, welding, radio sheet metal, foundry, machine shop mechanics, pattern making, woodworking and industrial drawing.

Out-of-school youth are paid a small monthly wage to enable them to pay their own way while they are employed by the National Youth Administration in Kentucky getting practical experience and training for industrial jobs.

ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI. FEB. 12-13 - "Wild Bill Hickock Rides" - "PICTURE PEOPLE" - SATURDAY-DOUBLE FEATURE - "Riding the Wind" - "Pittsburgh Kid" - SUNDAY-MONDAY - "Woman of the Year" - TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY - "Cadet Girl" - "DICK TRACY VS. CRIME INC." - SUNDAY-MONDAY - "The Playgirls" - TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY - "The Smiling Ghost" - COMING-FEB. 22-23 - "Billy the Kid"

Rally Draws Crowd

Band music for the occasion was under the direction of Jesse Elmer, county band-leader; numbers rendered by grand march directed by Mrs. Chalmers Frazer, Prestonsburg.

TAPS

Adding a note of solemnity to the occasion was the sounding of "Taps" as a memorial for Walter Beason, the county's first known victim of World War II. Son of Mrs. Frances Bowling, West Prestonsburg, he was a fireman on the U.S.S. Arizona, which was bombed by Jap planes Dec. 7 at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Represented at the meeting were the following organizations: Prestonsburg Civilian Defense Council, W. Claude Caudill, Daughters, American Revolution, and Eastern Star, Mrs. Winnie F. Johns, Ladies Club, Prelin, John's County Fish and Game Club, J. B. Clark, Woman's Society and Methodist Young People, Mrs. Regina Mayo, Boy Scouts, Jack Keenan, Farmers of Floyd County, August S. L. Isbell, Mercantile Institute, C. L. Huttschiller, Prestonsburg Auxiliary, Miss Naomi Goggin, Kentucky West Virginia Gas Co., E. C. Clark, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. L. S. Moles, May's Book Store, Missionary Society, Mrs. B. D. Francis, County School System, Superintendent Town Hall, Baptist Missionary Society, Mrs. Edna P. Hill, Master Machine Shop (NYA), J. M. Gulligan, Red Cross Drive, Rev. Campbell Jeffries, Additional representatives by Miss Ella Noel White, executive secretary, Floyd County American Red Cross; Rebekahs, Mrs. Wm. Hagans; gasoline industry, G. H. Smith; Girls' NYA, Mrs. Lillian Ferguson; Victory Book Drive, Mrs. Minnie Grace Sutherland; American Legion, Marvin Marshall.

TOWN-WORLD

From a Great American - While "good" Americans act in the security of their homes, cursing the President of the United States, the following message was written by General MacArthur in the hell that the Japs are making of the Bataan peninsula, with his heart and brain and soul stewing in the devil-broth of war.

MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO" - SUNDAY AND MONDAY - "Hellzapoppin'" - TUESDAY - "Three Girls About Town" - WEDNESDAY - "Body Disappers" - THURSDAY - "Keep 'Em Flying" - SATURDAY - "Arizona Terrors"

KENTUCKY THEATRE

SATURDAY, FEB. 14 - "Bury Me Not On the Lone Prairie" - SATURDAY, FEB. 14 - "Mr. District Attorney" - SUNDAY-MONDAY - "In the Navy" - TUESDAY, FEB. 17 - "Horror Island" - WED.-THURS. FEB. 18-19 - "International Squadron" - FRIDAY, FEB. 20 - "The Smiling Ghost" - COMING-FEB. 22-23 - "Billy the Kid"

County-Seat Title Sought By Cats; Only Tilt Away

If the Prestonsburg Blank Cats can conquer Hindman's basketball team Saturday night on their visit to the Knott county-seat, they have a pretty clear title to the county-seat championship of this section. For Saturday night, they defeated Johnson county's Paintsville Tigers, 34-21, and on Tuesday night deflected Pikeville's Panthers, 44-25, on the Pikeville home grounds.

The only remaining home game here this week is Friday night's encounter with the Commissioner Clive Akers' McDowell five.

Food for Defense District Leaders To Meet Here - County Agent Isbell this week announced that the district "Food To Win the War" meeting will be held at the Presbyterian Church here next Thursday, with leaders from Floyd, Pike and Johnson counties attending.

Mother of Twins Dies at Martin; One Babe Dies

Mrs. Ota Tackett, 21 year old, wife of Milford Tackett; Drift, died Wednesday morning at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, following the birth of twins, one of whom also died.

Mrs. Tackett, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Demron, of Esco, Pike county, was employed by the Turner-Elkhorh Coal Company at Drift as a scrip-writer. She was well known in the Left Beaver section of this county and in Pike county and had many friends.

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