

# Floyd County Times

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THURSDAY

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

This Town--  
That World

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## PRESTONSBURG YOUTH CENTER BEING STUDIED

### Youngsters Promote Idea; Tentative Opening Set For August First

With teen-age youngsters taking the lead, Prestonsburg's Youth Center this week was nearer reality and its opening was tentatively scheduled for August 1.

Second floor of the Turner building on Court street was leased for the Center and renovation of the interior is to be begun shortly.

The Center is planned to supply sane, healthful recreation for boys and girls and is to be designed largely along the lines developed in other cities and towns where the Youth Center movement has been highly successful in the battle against juvenile delinquency.

Mrs. F. L. Heinze, Prestonsburg city clerk, will supervise the Center at least a part of the time; at other times, various parents will be at the Center during hours it is open.

Youngsters here first presented their hopes of a Youth Center to the Kiwanis Club, there received encouragement. Later, others became interested. Business men of the town will be asked a contribution each month of \$1 each to defray expenses of the undertaking.

## POLIO CAUSES CHILD'S DEATH

### Tot Is Only Victim Of Malady in Floyd As State Hard Hit

Death of the seven-months-old baby of Oscar Wallen Friday at the home of Wallen's sister, Mrs. Elmo Clifton, in the Trimble Branch section of Prestonsburg, was recorded as Floyd county's first victim during the present polio epidemic in Kentucky and several southern states.

Not positive of the diagnosis, Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd County Health Department, stated that the infant had all the symptoms of infantile paralysis and the case was reported as such to the state health authorities. Its illness, of a few days' duration, began with whooping cough, the other complications developing later.

The Wallen babe, brought here immediately following the father's recent discharge from the army, was buried Sunday in West Prestonsburg cemetery. The mother is in Louisiana.

Dr. Ransdell said there is no cause for alarm in this county, as yet, and that probably there will not be. Two reported cases per 10,000 population each year is an average occurrence and Floyd is several notches below that average. He said that no outbreak of the disease had occurred here in two years.

Floyd county suffered a polio epidemic in 1939 with about 110 cases while the disease raged on every "creek and hollow."

"This thing, more or less, travels in cycles," Dr. Ransdell explained. "At the present the counties in central and western Kentucky are hit hard by this disease while we are not touched and may not be bothered for maybe 10 years. During our epidemic in eastern Kentucky that portion of the state remained untouched."

Kentucky reports a total of 178 cases since July 1 with 93 listed in Louisville and Jefferson county.

## Court House Happenings

### Printer Woman Succumbs Following Operation In Pikeville

Mrs. Susie Martin, 40 years old, of Printer, died at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, Thursday of last week, following an operation.

She was a daughter of Silas and Ida Martin, well-known Printer residents. Surviving are her parents, seven children, Rosser Salsbury, Mrs. Ida Mullins, Oma, Erna, Jacqueline and Girdle B. Salsbury; two brothers Arthur and Jobie, and four sisters, Mrs. Willard Lykens, Mrs. Harmon Childers, Mrs. Archie Bolders, Mrs. Ed Shelton.

## Tuberculosis Claims Ex-Soldier Tuesday At Sister's Home

Sammy Conn, 30 years old, an ex-soldier only a few months returned from Iceland, died Tuesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. B. S. Boyd, Betsy Layne, a victim of tuberculosis.

He was a son of James and Mona Conn, who survive. He also leaves three sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Goldia Boyd, Mrs. Osa Howell, Mrs. Josie Harvey, Ambrose, Charles, Norman and Fred Conn.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday on Prater Creek by the Revs. C. F. Conn and Bert T. Conn, with burial following in the family cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

## DRAFT BOARD LISTS CALL

### Board at Martin Names 43 for Pre-Induction; 19 Are Volunteers

Draft Board 45, Martin, has notified the following men to report for pre-induction examination at Huntington, W. Va., on Tuesday, August 8 (V following name denotes volunteer):

Mart Vanburen Allen, Lackey (now of Cincinnati, O.); Willard Barnett (V), Martin; Hendrix Callahan, Jr., Wayland; Norman Caudill, Melvin; Farrell Chaffins (V), Garrett; Albert Collins, Hueysville (transferred to Local Board No. 44 for examination); Okie Collier, Jr. (V), (V); Ernest Ray Dials (V), Wayland; Kurl Dutton, Alpharetta (now of Montcoal, W. Va.); Woodrow Hill, Glo (now of Silver Hill, Ky.); Oscar Edison Horne, Lackey; Donald Mitchell Hutchinson, Martin; Edd Johnson (V), Bypro; Edward Earl Johnson (V), Estill; Frank Ellis Johnson, Melvin; James Elbert Little, Bypro (now of Detroit, Mich.); Cletis Lockhart, Glo (now of Eckman, W. Va.); Ben Allison McKinney (V), Manton; Freddie McSurrey (V), Drift; Sherman Martin (V), Jump; Willie Martin, Wayland.

Curtis Moore, Minnie; Herman Moore, McDowell; Willie Edwin Moore (V), Drift; Verlin Paul Mullins (V), Wheelwright; Paul Newcome, Ligon; Richard Estill Penix (V), Weeksburg; David Prince, Wayland (now of Wayne, Mich.); James Ramey (V), Wayland; George Ratliff, Jr. (V), Lackey (now of Columbus, O.); Ivel Ratliff, Gearheart; Bill Reed, Hippo; George Dempsey Salisbury (V), Langley; Sam Salisbury (V), Hunter; Junior Scott, Garrett; James Edward Slove (V), Wayland; John Spriggs, Drift; Haskell Stanley (V), Garrett; Elmer Tackett (V), Melvin; Raymond J. Tackett, Drift; George Raymond Turner, Martin (transferred to Honolulu, T.H.); Burton Tuttle, Minnie; Chester Collins, Minnie.

## TO CORRESPONDENTS:

We wish it were possible to use news-letters reaching us later, but it is impossible to publish the correspondence arriving at this office after Tuesday morning. Because of space limitations we cannot use this news in the following week's paper, and for this reason it is to the advantage of all concerned for your letters to reach us Monday night if possible, never later than Tuesday morning.

## Support the Invasion

### 61 REQUESTS RECEIVED BY COUNTY CLERK HERE FOR ABSENTEE VOTE

Floyd countians in the armed forces—overseas and at sea—haven't lost the true Kentuckian's passion for politics.

Sixty-one of them had, as of this week, applied for absentee ballots for use in doing their part in the November "offensive on the Home Front."

The 61 requests for ballots from these men of the services were forwarded by Secretary of State Charles O'Connell, to County Clerk

## Four Children and Deranged Wife Of Floyd Sailor Receive Aid

A poignant tragedy of wartime family life was disclosed here this week as four Floyd county children whose parents are living entered Bethany Orphanage in Wolfe county.

The father, Bill Goble, of the Buffalo section of the county, is in the navy and presumably on sea duty. His wife, Alma, is held here, pending her commitment to a hospital for the insane. The children range from Oneida, 6, to Paul, a babe of six months.

Juanita, 4, is a deaf-mute. The other child is Mary Belle, aged 2.

When Miss Ella Noel White, of Floyd chapter, American Red Cross, visited the home this week she found the family without food, even without plates and eating utensils. The mother, mentally ill, felt no responsibility to the children. Nobody could be employed, it was said, to care for Mrs. Goble and the tots.

The family receives the sailor-father's allotment of \$140 each month, but Mrs. Goble is said to have refused to spend the money, on occasion had attempted to burn the checks. A guardian was appointed, a short time ago, for the children; yet there was nobody to do the housework and care for the mother and children. The father had sought to arrange for their care, had expressed a desire to get a discharge, but it was held that the money he sent home via allotment was more than he could do outside the service.

Then the Red Cross did the next best thing—arranged for the mother to receive treatment, moved to place the children in a home till such time as when Mrs. Goble recovers or her husband returns from service.

Intelligent, handsome children, the youngsters charmed those who cared for them. Four-year-old Juanita, though unable to talk or hear, especially impressed with her vibrant personality.

They were clean and well-fed when they left the home of Mrs. Dora Ramey, Third avenue, where they spent Tuesday night, to be taken by Miss White and Mrs. Cottrell Burchett, former public health nurse here, to the Campton orphanage.

## OUSLEY KILLED IN NORMANDY

### War Dept. Notifies Relatives at Risner; Knott Flier, Victim

Pvt. Adam Ousley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ousley, of Risner, is reported this week as having been killed June 22 in action on the Normandy front.

News of his death came in a War Department telegram to his wife, Mrs. Virginia Ousley, Risner. Before his army service Ousley was employed by the Stephens Elkhorn Fuel Company at Manton.

## FATEFUL "22"

A fateful recurrence of 22 appears in Pvt. Ousley's record. Born on Nov. 22, 1922, he entered the army Oct. 22, 1942, embarked for overseas Jan. 22, 1943, and was 22 years old when he was killed June 22.

At Hindman Sunday funeral rites were held for Henry Waddles, son of Crady Waddles, who was killed in Nebraska when the bomber of which he was a crew member collided with another plane during aerial maneuvers. The collision occurred at a height of 18,000 feet, it was said. The victim was a relative of Sherd Waddles, of Abbott Creek, near here.

John J. Amburgy, only brother of Mrs. Cleo Akers, of Prestonsburg, and son of Mrs. Cleo Amburgy, Carr Creek, is reported missing in action since June 12, according to information reaching here this week.

Amburgy has several relatives in Floyd county. He volunteered some time ago at Hindman for military service and was with the Airborne Glider Infantry that went over France in the D-Day invasion.

## ENJOY PICNIC

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Ison, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Messer, of Garrett, enjoyed a picnic Sunday on the Abbott road, visiting later at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hereford.

## BALLOT USE CLARIFIED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL THRU QUESTIONNAIRE

Jr., Homer Castle. Oliver C. Allen, Delton N. Sturgill, Halle Allen, Gomer Radin Martin, Walter L. Babb, Earl Samons, Vern Patton, James Hicks, Howard Stone, Canton Martin, Bascom Porter, John Wallen, Fred C. Burchett, Joe H. Cooley, Graham McGuire, Matko Chullin, Graham Turner, John E. Johnson, Johnnie Johnson, Vernon Allen, Charles Phillip Dingus, D. A. Mullins, Paul G. Cooley, David R. Akers, Parker Hobbs, Curwood Goble. (See Story 1, Page 8).

## Mrs. Anna Davis Leslie, Emma Resident, Dies Following Illness

Mrs. Anna Davis Leslie, 72 years old, widow of Lee Leslie, well-known Floyd county man, died Monday at her home at Emma following an illness of several weeks of heart disease.

Mrs. Leslie was a member of the Methodist Church at Emma for many years and was one of the community's best women. She is survived by seven grandchildren, sons and daughters of her son, who was killed in an auto wreck, a few years ago. She also leaves three brothers.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning from the Methodist Church at Emma, the Revs. James Roark and Isaac Stratton officiating. Burial in the family cemetery was under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

## GRAY SOUGHT IN STABBING

### Estill Miner's Condition Is Believed Serious; Attack Unprovoked

Josh Gray, former West Prestonsburg man, was being sought this week by Floyd county officers as Ollie Ousley, 43, whom Gray is accused of stabbing at Estill Sunday afternoon, lies in a critical condition at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey.

A deep chest wound, penetrating into a lung and another in the face were further complicated by the threat of pneumonia Tuesday and Ousley, a miner, made a "death-bed" statement to County Attorney Woodrow W. Burchett. Ousley's condition was slightly improved Wednesday morning.

Gray was arrested, following the stabbing, by Constable Rich Hall and paid a breach of the peace fine here. Officers searching for Gray after the cutting and wounding warrant was issued failed to locate him.

They did, however, arrest Perry Martin, Gray's alleged accomplice, who faces a cutting and wounding charge. He executed \$2,500 bond.

The wounded man told County Attorney Burchett he was called by Gray to a point near the low-water bridge at Estill and that Gray began a discussion of trouble his brother, the late Buck Gray, and Nathan Ousley, father of Ollie, had had, years ago. When he started to rise, Ousley continued, Martin seized him, Gray flashing a knife.

Gray was quoted as saying Ousley began the discussion of family differences and was choking him after tearing his shirt from his body. He added, this report says, that he cut Ousley in defense of his own life.

## KY. WAR FUND DRIVE PLANNED

### Floyd Quota Is \$13,000; Miners and Operators Meet at Pikeville

More than two months prior to the beginning of the Kentucky War Fund campaign for 1944, plans are under way for a drive among the 16,000 Eastern Kentucky miners in District 30, N. M. White, Jr., Floyd county chairman, said Wednesday. The state-wide drive starts in October.

At a joint meeting of miners and operators held in Pikeville last week, it was decided to open the drive among the miners on August 1.

No definite goal was fixed for the industry, but it was decided to ask every man employed in the mines to donate \$5 to the fund, which goes to support the USO and affiliated service men's organizations.

The Floyd county quota is set at \$13,000. E. R. Price, general superintendent of the Inland Steel Company's Wheelwright mine, was chairman of the meeting, and James J. McAndrew, secretary of District 30, United Mine Workers, acted as secretary.

Robert H. Smith, Jr., of Lexington, director of the Kentucky War Fund campaign, was present at the session and made a brief talk.

It was announced at the meeting that 90 per cent of the employees at the Inland Steel Company mine at Wheelwright had already donated \$5 per man. This donation aggregated

## CITY COUNCIL VOTES SEWER BOND ISSUE

### Cincinnati Firm Acquires \$117,000 In City Bonds; Juke Box Ban Is Lifted

An ordinance moving toward amortization of the city of Prestonsburg's long-standing indebtedness was enacted and \$117,000 worth of water works bonds to refinance the indebtedness against the municipally-owned water system were sold at Monday night's City Council session.

The ordinance provides for the issuance and sale of \$25,000 worth of 3½ per cent sewer bonds. It passed by unanimous vote. Subsequent Council action will provide another bond issue to cover remainder of the debt, it was said.

The water works bond issue of \$117,000 was sold at a premium of \$6.70 to Fox, Reusch & Co., Cincinnati, bidding against D. P. Newell, Maysville, who negotiated the refinancing procedure and who also is handling other bonds designed to clear the town of present floating and bonded indebtedness. The \$117,000 issue at this price netted the town \$124,839.

Not so unanimous was the vote which repealed the ordinance clamping the lid on "juke boxes" here. Only after considerable discussion did the move receive a 4-2 vote, lifting the ban on juke boxes in most of Prestonsburg proper and reducing the \$100-a-year license fee charged elsewhere in the corporation, to \$25 any place in town.

Morning after the juke box restrictions were lifted, one was in operation. Chief of Police Epp Laferty was not pleased with the situation. "If things get rowdier than you've been used to, the police department will be blamed. If," Chief Laferty continued, "we arrest some soldier—and soldiers will get drunk and frequent places having juke boxes—we'll be blamed for that, too. This brings on a big problem and it could as well have been left alone."

## MAY ADVISES ARMED PEACE

### Fine Words Insufficient, Congressman A. J. May Tells Legionnaires Here

"I take the position that as long as we spin only fine words and merely resort to noble rhetoric in our plans for world peace, and do not back up our position with force, men like Tojo and Hitler will pay little heed," Congressman A. J. May, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, declared in an address before the American Legion here Saturday afternoon.

Mr. May urged the Legion to participate in the creation of public sentiment to preserve peace by the use of armed force if necessary. He declared that an international organization is needed to prevent another war and that the use of arms to thwart the plans of international brigands is the hope for world peace.

## Soldier's Wife Receives Posthumous Award

Mrs. J. W. Ring, Phoenix, Ariz., the former Miss Ruth Crisp, of Martin, has just received the Purple Heart posthumously awarded her husband, S/Sgt. J. W. Ring, who was killed in action in India, November 25.

S/Sgt. Ring is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ring, Wayland.

## IN LOUISVILLE ON BUSINESS

Mrs. C. L. Hutsinpiiler is a business visitor in Louisville this week.

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(See Story No. 4, Page 5)

<b>DR. T. E. WALDEN</b> Eyes Examined Glasses Fitted Second Street PIKEVILLE, KY. Phone 462	<b>DR. J. S. KELLY</b> DENTIST Wright Building, corner of Court & Second, Prestonsburg, Ky. Phone 6191
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### Improvements Made At Wayland Mine, Sayers Comments

Naming the Wayland mine of the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Dr. R. R. Sayers, director of the Federal Bureau of Mines, commended three Kentucky coal mines for improvements made since the operations underwent their original federal inspections. The other two mines are located in Van Lear, Johnson county, and Capito, Bell county.

The director reported to Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes that the betterments were noted during recent government re-examinations of safety conditions in the mines. Improvements were attributed to company initiative, increased attention of workers toward safety, and adoption of recommendations offered by state and federal inspectors. Detailed federal re-inspection reports suggest the adoption of additional safeguards at the mines to facilitate wartime production of coal.

A summary of the re-inspection report reads: "Wayland No. 29 mine, Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Wayland, 704 employees; average daily production, about 2,500 tons. Re-inspected by Max J. Caylor. Improvements since the previous federal inspection of December, 1942, included: Guarding of mechanical and electrical installations, safer storage, transportation, and handling of blasting materials, crosscuts driven more frequently to assist ventilation and other ventilating betterments, increased attention to coal-dust control, better clearance being provided along haulageways, increased fire protection, general use of snug-fitting clothing by men working around moving equipment, 12 men trained in first aid in 1943. Recommendations: Increased attention toward eliminating haulage and roof-fall accidents, improvements to the surface plant, strict enforcement of timbering method, safer use of explosives, operation of the mine as gassy, further curbs on electrical fire and shock dangers, exclusive use of permissible electric cap lamps underground, a ban on smoking in the mine, and the use of safety hats and safety-toe shoes by all employees."

A similar commentary and recommendation was given for "No. 155 mine, Consolidation Coal Company, Incorporated, Van Lear, Johnson county; 322 employees; average daily production, about 1,400 tons." And "Atlas mine, Atlas Coal Company, Capito, Bell county; 170 employees; average daily production, about 800 tons."

Merchants in Wolfe county who sold seeds in bulk report selling twice the amount they usually do.

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK JOSEPHINE

of Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business on June 30, 1944.

State No. 293

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts (including \$1,156.22 overdrafts).....	\$ 268,864.38
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	1,666,800.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions .....	64,036.06
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures .....	23,900.00
5. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection.....	948,710.58
6. Bank premises owned \$12,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,000.00 .....	13,000.00
7. Other assets .....	2,592.85
<b>12. TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>	<b>2,987,903.87</b>

LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	1,807,861.61
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	637,060.66
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	137,450.15
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions .....	241,139.54
17. Deposits of banks .....	2,722.15
18. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) .....	11,261.68
<b>19. TOTAL DEPOSITS .....</b>	<b>\$2,837,495.79</b>
<b>24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) .....</b>	<b>2,837,495.79</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital* .....	50,000.00
26. Surplus .....	50,000.00
28. Reserves .....	50,408.08
<b>29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....</b>	<b>150,408.08</b>
<b>30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....</b>	<b>2,987,903.87</b>

\* This bank's capital consists of 500 shares common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

MEMORANDA	
31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities..	421,600.00
(e) TOTAL .....	421,600.00
32. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law .....	320,390.85
(e) TOTAL .....	320,390.85
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was .....	173,142.28
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to .....	948,710.58

I, George P. Archer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. P. ARCHER, Cashier  
 Correct—Attest:  
 H. D. FITZPATRICK  
 JO M. DAVIDSON  
 JOSEPH D. HARKINS  
 Directors

State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10 day of July, 1944, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

A. L. DAVIDSON, Notary Public  
 My commission expires Jan. 4, 1946

### THE WEEK IN OPA

#### Restaurant Prices Set

The nation-wide restaurant pricing order issued June 29 will become effective July 31, the OPA has announced. It will require restaurants, bars, cafes, clubs, cafeterias, soda fountains and boarding houses to post prominently the highest prices charged during the week of April 4-10, 1943, for 40 basic food and beverage items. The list must be posted about August 16, 1944.

A list of the 40 specific items on which posting will be required in the Lexington district as well as other information regarding the pricing order, will be released by the Lexington District OPA office next week.

#### Shoe Inventory Ordered

Every shoe dealer in the country will be required to take a complete inventory of all rationed shoes in his stock, regardless of the number of pairs this stock consists of, as of July 31, 1944, OPA has announced.

OPA has announced that these forms will be mailed direct to all dealers and also that they may be obtained from any district office. It is necessary for each dealer to be very explicit and give all information asked for, as OPA states that future rationing regulations are to be formulated by information obtained from these sources.

The dealer will mail the original to the Inventory and Control Branch, Office of Price Administration, Empire State Bldg., New York 1, N. Y., not later than August 5, 1944. The duplicate he will detach and keep for his records.

#### Canned Meat Prices Reduced

Prices of all canned meats are reduced by approximately 10 per cent of the cost of the raw meat ingredients used in the manufacture of these items, the OPA announced this week. The reduction is effective July 15.

Consumers will benefit accordingly. Retail prices are fixed on a percentage mark-up basis over net cost; consequently, when the net cost is reduced, retail prices are correspondingly reduced, OPA pointed out.

#### Cabbage Prices Up Slightly

Retail ceiling prices for cabbage during the rest of the summer will be slightly higher than the June prices, OPA said, in announcing maximum prices for cabbage for the period from July 1 through Sept. 30.

Retail prices in the highest price stores in Kentucky will be about 6 cents per pound.

#### Fresh Peaches Under Price Control

Fresh peaches for table use have been brought under price control for the first time by OPA.

Producers will receive prices ranging from \$2.16 per bushel up, while wholesalers and retailers will receive fixed cent-per-pound mark-ups.

Retail ceiling prices will vary according to the source of the purchase and the distance transported, and should range from 14 1/2 to 16 cents a pound for the season.

#### Potato Prices Announced

Nation-wide prices for the entire 1944 potato crop, beginning July 1 and continuing until the end of the marketing season, have been announced by OPA.

The price in Kentucky for the period of July 15 through August 31 is \$2.70 per cwt., f. o. b. the country shipper or purchaser.

#### Rationing at a Glance

**Processed Foods**  
 Blue Stamps A8 through Z8 in War Ration Book Four good for 10 points each indefinitely.

**Meats and Fats**  
 Red stamps A8 through Z8 in Book Four good for 10 points each indefinitely.

**Sugar**  
 Stamps 30, 31 and 32 in Book Four good for 5 pounds indefinitely. Stamp 40 in Book Four good for 5 pounds of canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945. Also, application may be made to local board for additional allotment upon presentation of spare stamp 37.

**Shoes**  
 Airplane stamps 1 and 2 in War Ration Book Three each good indefinitely for one pair of shoes.

**Gasoline**  
 Stamp A-12 good for 3 gallons through Sept. 21. B-3, C-3, B-4 and C-4 stamps good for 5 gallons until used. "T" coupons 532-E, marked "Third qtr.," good until Sept. 30. State and license number must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

**Tires**  
 Inspections not compulsory unless applying for tires. Motorists must keep old inspection record. Commercial vehicle inspections due every six months or 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

**Fuel Oil**  
 Coupons for period 4 and 5 for 1943-44 series good now and through September 30, 1944, when the heating year will end. Unit value, 10 gallons. Change-making and reserve September 30, 1944, when the heating year. Coupons for Period 1 of the 1944-45 series became valid June 1, 1944.

### THIS 'N' THAT

By NOBLE HOBBS

Things are humming pretty keen around the old home town with the mines working two shifts and the only "fy in the ointment" is the fact that too many of the boys "lay off" from work; but if any man or woman knows the answer to that problem let them speak up and I am sure the world will beat a path to the cabin housing that individual.

Was in Pikeville last Tuesday and ran across Congressman A. J. May, who gave me some sage advice about the old Bird from Left Beaver way. He seems to think that the Shike and I should pose together and send our pictures with some of our vituperations in print to some newspaper syndicate and he thinks we might get a job. If any of the boys who run the syndicate need any scarecrows we will place a small bet that the said picture would hold a place of honor on their farms.

Say, Shike, would you trade Happy Chandler, Gene Talmadge and Theodore Bilbo for Hoover, Avery and Mellon? No, I don't wanna trade. However, I will swap Congressman Hoffman for Burton K. Wheeler—even! And do you remember Martin, Barton and Fish? We will keep Martin and Barton, but will trade Fish for Jerry Rankin from Mississippi. Bug, plug! Too hot to argue politics!

Well, the coal miners and operators are going out to get their part of the War Fund drive a little early and we think when you boys around the mines are asked to donate \$5 for that purpose, you should do it. Officially, the drive won't start until October but inasmuch as we are now getting the \$40 back portal pay by dribs, that is, \$5 per half, that it would be a grand idea to let one of those "dribs" dribble right into the treasury of the Kentucky War fund. If you think the soldiers are not getting the benefit of this fund you don't have to travel farther than Ashland, Ky., to see them in action. Watch the soldiers and sailors as they stop over for a rest go to the USO.

Back from the services this week were Mervil Dixon and "Peanut" Calhoun, from the army and navy. "Peanut," who used to be a brakeman in the mines here, is a small guy in stature but not in ways. He

has seen action in three major battles in the Pacific, and has had me in "stitches" telling me how small he could get when the big guns go boom.

Well, as it turns out, Tom Hatcher is a mighty good postmaster. When I came by the other evening, after work, and started discussing the problem of domestic help with Mrs. Parker or maybe some of the boys ran into me about a union card I must have got excited and left my mail box and bathroom keys in the lock. But Tom always returns them; fact is, I've lost them so many times that it has become a stock joke in Wayland that ye old scribe can't keep those keys. Even little John L. Hicks, age 4, found them the other day and returned them.

So long till next time.

# War Work Available

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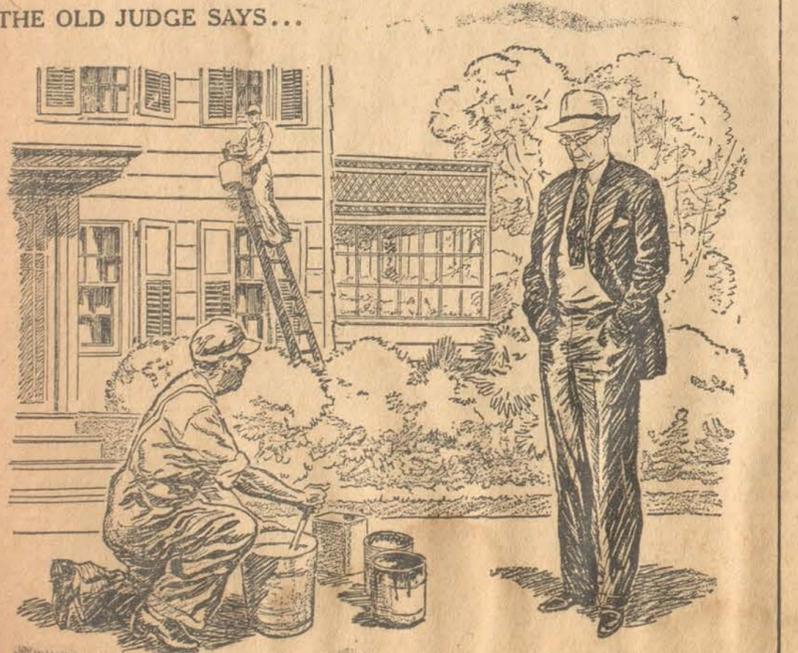
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# News From Floyd Communities

## LIGON

Mrs. Bluford Smith and daughter, Deanna, of Hi-Hat, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Kenneth Kees and son, Adrian, of Burnwell, W. Va., spent last week visiting friends and relatives in Ligon.

Miss Betty Stewart spent the week-end visiting friends at Emma. School started here Monday morning with a large attendance.

Mrs. Ernest Hall and Miss Estelene Stewart were shopping in Wheelwright Monday.

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## BONANZA

Hager May, who has been employed in defense work in Lima, O., has been spending a few days with his family here.

Mrs. Winnie Merritt and son, John Taylor, have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager May were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

The small son of Ike Conley has returned home after spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conley.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Spradlin, of Warsaw, Indiana, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Spradlin, of Ada, O., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager May and children, Mrs. Jack Frasure, Mrs. Ben Woods and daughter were shopping in Paintsville Thursday.

Sherman May, of Lancer, was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hager May.

Misses Ethel Woods and Hazel Music were in Prestonsburg Sunday. A large crowd attended the foot washing at Bonanza Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Frasure is employed in war work in Lima, Ohio.

## EDGAR

Pvt. Woodman Crider is spending a furlough with his family and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty and son, J. L., Jr., were in Prestonsburg and Paintsville Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Morrison and children were visiting her parents on Dix Ceek Sunday.

Redford Ward was visiting Archie Crider Sunday.

Pvt. Bennie Ward is spending a furlough with his parents on Sowers Creek this week.

Electrician's Mate 1/c Lloyd Collins, son of Henry Collins, has been spending a furlough with his family and parents here this week. He returned to his naval base Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Laferty and children, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Morrison and children, E. B. DeLong, Walker Spears, Mrs. Josephine Crider and J. L. Stewart motored to church Sunday at the Wm. Roberts cemetery on lower Johns Creek.

The parents of S. 2/c Edgar Laferty received six V-mail letters from him Thursday. He says he is o.k., and doing all the damage he can to the Japs.

Miss Pauline Roop is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty.

Estill Goble is home on furlough. He is spending his leave with his wife and baby and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goble.

Mrs. Rosa Ward and Mrs. Hazel Hibbens were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mart Roop Sunday. Mr. Roop has been bedfast for several weeks. Mrs. Alta Hurd is staying with them.

Delmar Gene Roop and his two aunts, Pauline and Roberta Laferty, visited Mrs. Oakley Morrison Saturday evening.

Mrs. Shirley Morrison was in Prestonsburg Saturday.

## BRUSH CREEK

Memorial services were held on Grassy Creek in Magoffin county Sunday in memory of "Aunt" Vicie Shepherd. Several from Brush Creek were present for the occasion.

Miss Millie Salyers is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Salyers, and sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Stone and Mrs. Oscar Hicks, here.

Misses Catherine Hicks and Barbara Acree left Saturday for Grundy, Va., to visit Catherine's sister, Mrs. T. G. Wright, and family.

Mrs. Sadie Ousley was shopping in Martin Friday.

Mrs. Cressie Hughes, formerly of this place, but now of Ohio, was called here due to the illness of her brother, Tilden Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prater attended the livestock market at Allen Friday.

Mrs. Homer Frasure and Mrs. Dee Atkins were shopping in Maytown Friday.

Brush Creek got a good shower Thursday afternoon.

Billy Bellomy, of the navy, is home on furlough and is spending his time with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Prater and son, James Ishmael, are home after spending several days with relatives in Ohio.

Miss Maggie Hicks will be home in a few days. She spent part of her vacation in Ohio and is now visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dawsie Chaffins, in Greenup county.

Otis and Temp Prater left Saturday for Cleveland, Ohio, to seek employment.

School opened Monday with Edith Mae Pitts and Ila J. Prater teaching upper Brush Creek school, and Billie Marie Allen, lower Brush Creek (Prater Fork) school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shepherd went to Stephens Branch Saturday to visit their little grandson, Ronald Reed, who is very ill.

Mrs. Cynthia Allen is the houseguest of Mrs. Juda Allen at the mouth of Brush Creek.

## LANCER

Mrs. Zella Rice has returned home from Springfield, Ohio, where she has been visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Osborne.

Misses Anna and Ethel Banks are home this week from Columbus, O., visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlie Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Nicholls have bought property in Lancer from Will Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Tivis Reynolds and little granddaughter, Jean Rice attended the theater in Prestonsburg Sunday night.

Tivis Reynolds and daughter, Mrs. Ezra Osborne, have gone to Springfield, O., where they will be employed in defense work.

Johnson county homemakers conserved material by making 400 articles for household use and to wear from feed sacks.

## HUEYSVILLE

Pvt. Burnice Gearheart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gearheart, is home on furlough after recently completing 12 weeks of advanced training in a medical technician school at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. He completed the course with a high average, ranking third in a class of 67.

Seaman 1/c Rephard Oakley is home on a five-day leave, en route to New Orleans for a new assignment.

Miss Beth Patrick is visiting her parents. She has been working in a defense plant in Detroit, Mich.

Misses Naomi and Doris Jean Oakley gave a farewell party for their brother, S. 2/c Rephard Oakley, and Pvt. Burnice Gearheart. Games were played and delicious refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Herman Allen was visiting in Bosco Sunday.

S. M. Prater, who is recovering from injuries received some time ago, was visited recently by his son, Jim Prater.

Ben Gearheart was delightfully surprised Thursday evening when he came home from work. He was greeted by his three eldest children and their families, Mrs. Garland Bishop and son, Wichita Falls, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Howard, of Rensselaer, Indiana, and Pvt. Burnice Gearheart, of Fort Knox, Ky.

Mrs. Parthena Laferty spent a few days with her daughters, Mrs. Morgan Ratliff, Wilson Creek, Mrs. Bessie Patton, Maytown, and Mrs. Julia Mays, Turkey Creek.

Alka Hicks has begun cutting the right-of-way for the Inland Gas Company from Brush Creek to Hillsdale on Middle Creek. Helpers are Joe Hicks, Reuben Reed and Winfield Hale. Mr. Hicks is well acquainted with the route as he has traveled it for 16 years.

Mrs. John Prater, mother of four sons in service, is very proud of them. Oldest is Willie Conley, veteran of many years' service, who is now in France; Edgar Conley is on his way across; Charles Conley is an armed guard with the navy, and Raymond Conley is stationed at Camp Stewart, Ga. Also, Mrs. Prater has two daughters, Miss Orpha Mae Conley, now working at Cleveland, and Mrs. Margaret Boggs, of Fleming.

Miss Susie Prater and Mr. Bill Ferguson, of Johnson county, were united in marriage July 1 at Paintsville. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Prater, July 21. The guest list included Oak Cooley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Temp Prater and children, Mr. and Mrs. German Cooley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, Hargus Campbell, Mrs. Lorraine Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Bailey and children, Darlan Cooley, Danny Ousley, Misses Geneva and Velva Prater, Mary Margaret Cooley and Barbara Webb.

Milton Prater celebrated his 37th birthday anniversary July 16. Dinner was served on the lawn at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mintie Miller, by his wife, Vina Prater, his mother, and Virginia Bailey. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John Prater, Edgar Prater, Dan Prater, Tom Ousley, Dave Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Key, Mrs. Dillard Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Alka Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. James Prater and son, James Ishmael, Oak Cooley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Cooley and children, Kenzie Miller, Mrs. Temp Prater, Mrs. Dockie Prater and children, Arnold and Lizzie Frances Bailey, and Miss Sadie Ousley.

## WEST PRESTONSBURG

Little Kathryn Stephens celebrated her second birthday Saturday with a party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. John E. Frazier. Refreshments were served to John May, Barbara Lynn Price, Virginia Snell, Dora Shepherd, Venice Mae Shepherd, Sandra Stumbo, Kita Kathryn Hale, Mary Karen Sturgill, Ann Music, James Clay Osborne, Billy Joe Stephens, Tommy Goodman, Donald and Harold Colbert, Akron, O., James Luther Music, Dickie Pallette, Mesdames Dora Osborne, Vinson Shepherd, Marie Snell, Isaac Stumbo and Mildred May. Her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Alex Stephens, her aunt, Sgt. Cassie Patrick, sent presents. Sgt. Patrick is stationed in Los Angeles, Calif. The honoree is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephens, her father, Pfc. Stephens, being stationed with the marines in Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Colbert and sons, Donnie and Harold, of Akron, O., spent the week-end with Mrs. Colbert's mother, Mrs. John E. Frazier.

Mrs. Virginia Stephens and daughter Kathryn left Tuesday for Akron, O., to visit her sister, Mrs. Donald Colbert.

Forty-seven Boyle county farmers have ordered 74,400 pounds of ammonium nitrate.

## MAYTOWN

Cpl. Aubrey Hicks, of the armed forces, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hagans, of Pikeville, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Crisp, and his grandfather, "Uncle" Bogue Crisp, Friday.

Mrs. Eva Newland and Miss Margie Patton have returned to Zionsville, Ind., after spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patton. They were accompanied home by Miss Vivian Patton.

Miss Beryl Stewart and Miss Alice Jean May, of Pikeville, spent the week-end here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ramey, of Portsmouth, Ohio, accompanied Mrs. Thurla Ramey and son, Glennis, home. They returned to Portsmouth after spending a few days here.

Congressman A. J. May and daughter, Mrs. Olga M. Latta, of Prestonsburg, were visiting relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Theckley Short and children, of Montezuma, Ind., were visiting Mrs. Viola Stewart Sunday. Mrs. Short is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary Osborne, of Eastern, and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard May, of Pikeville, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Susan May.

Mrs. J. H. Allen, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and Mrs. G. E. Allen and children were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Jones and son Jimmie, and sister, Mrs. Flossie Martin, Monroeville, Ind., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ratliff, of Wilson Creek. Mr. Jones will join them the 1st of August. They are former residents of Maytown.

Mrs. Claude Allen and baby daughter, Elizabeth Carol, have returned home from the Martin General hospital.

Mrs. Jimmie Fosson and grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Parsons, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Parsons' daughter, Mrs. H. L. May. They were accompanied home by Master Terry Fosson, who has been visiting his aunt for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. May and daughter, Martha Sue, of Prestonsburg, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. May, last week.

Miss Harriet Allen and Miss Charlotte Smith, of Hindman, were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton returned Thursday from visiting in Buchanan, Ky.

Robert Shepherd and Miss Peggy Jo Allen visited the cannery at Virgie last week. They have supervision of the Maytown cannery.

The hill, railroad track and the narrow bridge caused another auto wreck Saturday night.

Mrs. Carlos Reed has returned to her home in Salyersville after spending a week with her brother, Thomas Patrick, and family.

Miss Bettie Jo Patrick, of Harlan, spent Friday night with Miss Elizabeth Boughton while on her way to Salyersville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stapleton and children and Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Turner and son are spending the week-end fishing at the farm of the Stapletons in Pike county. Miss Lucille and Bill will remain for a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Moore spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Allen, of Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, of Banner.

Friends and relatives of Miss Rachael May, a Maytown girl, who has been working in Washington, D.C., for the last year, will be pleased to learn of her marriage to Cpl. Cameron J. Williams in Biloxi, Miss. Her cousin, Ben W. Baker, who is a naval instructor in Gulfport, Miss., was an attendant at the wedding, also Mrs. Baker. The young couple will reside in Biloxi, where he is stationed.

## REED BRANCH

H. S. Frasure is residing with his sister, Mrs. Charles Bradley.

Mrs. Bill Jones is in the hospital at Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Ratliff spent Saturday night on Greasy Creek with her mother.

Theodore Bradley, son of Mrs. Della Bradley, has been ill for the last few days.

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## AUXIER

Mrs. Paul Hager is visiting in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. John Gilbert and children are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Allene Music, of Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, was visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Music, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Spears were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward recently.

Mrs. Dora Ramey, of Prestonsburg, was visiting Mrs. Winnie Caudill here a few days ago.

Little Miss Lorraine Ward was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, of Van Lear, recently.

Pvt. James Wells, of the army, is here on a short furlough. Pvt. Wells has been serving overseas 26 months, in Ireland, and saw action in the battles of North Africa and Italy.

Pvt. Eugene Blair, of the army, spent a six-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Blair.

Mrs. Hobart Blair, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Rebecca Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hubbard announce the marriage of their daughter, Cpl. Dorothy Ann Hubbard, of the Air WAC, to Lt. Cecil L. Rephardt, of Hagerstown, Maryland.

Misses Ruby Robinson and Emma P. Tibbs were the Saturday night guests of Miss Rebecca Wireman.

Miss Doris Connors was the Wednesday night guest of her cousin, Miss Sarah Faye Branham.

Miss Doris Hollifield was visiting in Prestonsburg Sunday.

Miss Virginia Robinson is on her vacation, visiting her sister, Oma Robinson, in Detroit.

Miss Josephine Robinson and some young friends were visiting here from Pikeville College over the week-end.

Bobby Farmer, of Prestonsburg, was visiting Mrs. Winnie Caudill here recently.

Friends are glad to learn that Mrs. Burns Honeycutt who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Alice Caudill made a business trip to Prestonsburg Thursday.

Mrs. H. G. Dickerson, of Pikeville, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Robinson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milton Castle, of Van Lear, Sunday.

Ezra Robinson, of the army, is home on leave, visiting his wife and baby, also his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elza Robinson.

Mrs. H. G. Dickerson, of Pikeville, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson Sunday.

Misses Agnes Tibbs and Ruth Robinson were visiting in Paintsville Saturday night.

## FLOYD WOMAN ENROLLS AT OHIO STATE

Mrs. Leona M. Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay May, of Cliff, is among the 4,200 students enrolled at Ohio State University for the first term of the second quarter, stated an announcement from the University at Columbus. Twenty-two new students were listed from Kentucky.

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## IVEL

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tackett and Mrs. Leonard Layne visited relatives at Harold Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnstone and son, Paul Douglas, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burns May.

Dime Stratton, who has been very ill, is better. He is back home from a hospital.

Hazel D. George left for Morehead College Sunday to enter the second summer term of college, which is a five weeks' term.

Miss Fay Dingus, of Betsy Layne, and Miss Mary Anne Haywood, of Ivel, were Sunday guests of Kathryn and Mary Lou May.

Mr. and Mrs. James Damron and little grandson, Jimmie D. George, have returned from a visit with relatives at Lebanon, O. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rose, of Dwale.

Mrs. Halleck Hamilton plans to visit relatives in Indiana soon.

Miss Birdie Crum was the Sunday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Willard Dillon.

Several from here attended the foot-washing at Cow Creek Sunday. John Damron and Mid Derocsett were business callers in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Layne and son, Chester Allen, were business visitors in Paintsville Monday.

Master A. D. Carpenter was the playmate of Jimmie D. George Sunday afternoon.

School started here Monday with Miss Gwendolyn Layne as teacher.

Margaret Dillon is visiting her aunt, Laura Endicott, at Broad Bottom.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Layne visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Goble at Prestonsburg Sunday.

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Girl Scout Camp To Open August 13

The Sandy Valley Girl Scout Association, with Mrs. Nellye Thornsbury, Pikeville, as director, announces a camp beginning the afternoon of Aug. 13 and ending the morning of Aug. 21. The camp will be at Camp Arrowhead, which has been loaned for the occasion by the Lonesome Pine Council of Boy Scouts.

The camp will be opened to girls of the following groups: 1. All registered Girl Scouts in this area; 2. girls who have been participating in the Scout program but have not registered; 3. any girl interested in camping and the Girl Scout program. All girls who attend must be between the ages of 10 and 18.

Bulletins with all information concerning the camp are being mailed this week to girls in this area who are affiliated with the Girl Scout movement, but any girl interested who does not receive a bulletin may do so by calling Mrs. Frank B. Auxler, Pikeville, Ky.

Mrs. Thornsbury, who is a registered camp director with the National Girl Scout organization, states that there will be an excellent staff including a water front director, a dietitian and a trained nurse in attendance at the camp. All applications for the camp must be received by Aug. 1. The camp will be limited to the first 54 girls to register.

Farmers in Allen county will harvest more balbo and vetch for seed than in any previous year.

Survivor's Leave Ended, Prestonsburg Sailor Returns for More

Returning for "another fling at the enemy," Cecil Sturgill, 29, first class petty officer in the navy and son of Ex-Sheriff and Mrs. B. L. Sturgill, concluded on June 12 a 30-day survivor's leave at his home here.

Sturgill's ship, a destroyer-escort, was bombed in a Mediterranean air-sea battle with the enemy resulting in several casualties to his shipmates. Heroic action of the ship's crew brought the vessel safely to the port of Algiers. Docked for 12 days, it was patched up and towed to New York.

This was his first visit home in a year. He has been in service approximately three years and prior to enlistment he was employed in Washington, D. C. He is a graduate of Prestonsburg high school and attended Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond. He has a brother, Warren, stationed with the army air corps in Florida and another brother, Ralph, who is in defense work in Detroit.

Floyd Kin Attend Rites For Michigan Woman

Mrs. Louella Reed, of Auxler, and Mrs. Joe Roberts, of Regina, Ky., were called to Detroit, Mich., July 8 for the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Laura Ward, 58, the former Laura Ward, of Boons Camp, Ky. A daughter of the late Will S. Ward, she spent her early life in Johnson county and was married 25 years ago to Nickoleus Liguers, of Detroit, where they made their home. She was buried in Grandlawn cemetery, Redford, Michigan.

A niece, Mrs. Ira Osborne, of Wheelwright, also attended the funeral. She leaves one brother, Joe Ward, of Johnson county, and many relatives and friends.

Son of Baseball Pitcher Is Cancer Victim

Daris Ray Patton, four-year-old son of Ray Patton, baseball pitcher, died Thursday, last week, at the Patton home at Estill of cancer.

The child's illness followed a fall two years ago, after which the cancer developed.

Surviving are the father, who is a hurler for the Scranton (Pa.) team of the Eastern league, the mother, two sisters, Betty Lou and Bobbie, and one brother, Van. Funeral rites were conducted Friday at Estill by the Rev. Kelly Patton and burial was made in the Martin cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

BABE BORN MONDAY TO SOLDIER'S WIDOW

A soldier, killed in action in the South Pacific, posthumously became a father at a Huntington, W. Va., hospital Monday.

The mother, formerly Miss Dorothy Spurlock, daughter of Silas Spurlock who formerly resided here, notified her sister, Mrs. Carl Hon, Pestonsburg, of the babe's arrival.

The father, Pvt. Lou Shardt, was killed in action at Bougainville on May 23. They had been married one year when Mrs. Shardt was notified by the War Department on June 1 of her husband's death. Their son has been named Lou Shardt, Jr.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and relatives for their kindness in behalf of our son and brother, who passed away July 7. We wish to thank the Arnold Funeral Home for its help; also the ones who brought the beautiful flowers. We thank the Revs. Isaac Stratton and B. W. Craft for their aid and comfort during our hours of sadness upon the death of our brother, Taylor Derossett.

THE FAMILY

Four hundred bushels of onion sets were sold by one storekeeper in Whitley county where onions are an important crop.



Left—Billy R. Fannin Right—Thomas Edward Fannin

Sons of the Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Fannin, West Prestonsburg, Sgt. Billy R. Fannin, 19, is serving somewhere in India, and Pfc. Thomas Edward Fannin, 21, is in France. Both are seeing service in the army air forces.

The Fannin brothers are graduates of Prestonsburg high school and volunteered together for the services in November, 1942. They were together for a short time and then separated. They next saw each other again for the first time in 10 months when they received furloughs and were at home last September.

Pvt. Geard H. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hunter, of Betsy Layne, has been assigned to the 3509th AAF Base Unit (TS), Willow Run, Ypsilanti, Mich., to study aviation mechanics. Upon completion of the five weeks course he will be fully trained to take his place with other soldiers who "keep 'em flyin'."

He was formerly employed in sheet metal construction work for Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, Calif., and the Ford Motor Company, Ypsilanti, Mich. He attended Betsy Layne high school and graduated in 1940. Played basketball with the Betsy Layne Bob Cats. He entered the service Oct. 20, 1943, at Prestonsburg and was sent to Keesler Field; saw previous military service in the army air corps from July 8, 1940 to April 18, 1941.

Pvt. Scott Hall, 33, is with the army air corps at Sheppard Field, Texas. In the army since May, he is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hall, Bevinsville. His wife, a d d i e Kimbler Hall, and daughter, Thelma Lee, reside at Bevinsville.



HALL

Pvt. Thomas E. Terry, son of Mrs. Minnie Terry, of Lackey, has been transferred from Ft. Benjamin, Ind., to Infantry RTC, Camp Fannin, Texas, for basic training.

Pvt. Elmer Gordon Fields, son of Mrs. Melvin Fields, of Allen, has been transferred from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to AA RTC, Ft. Bliss, Texas, for basic training.

S/Sgt. Garnis Martin, son of Mrs. Martha Martin, of Melvin, has recently been promoted to the rank of Tech. Sergeant. S/Sgt. Martin is now serving in France.

Pvt. Wade Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Martin, of Hunter, has been transferred from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to 1584th SCU, STU., Camp Atterbury, Ind., for basic training.

Hezzie Hall, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Hall, of McDowell, saw his first action with the enemy in the invasion of France as a member of a naval crew in the American assault force and has received a promotion from seaman second class to Seaman first class.

Before entering naval service, he was a toolmaker for the Springfield, O., Welding & Supply Co., and prior to this period of employment he attended McDowell high school.

Floyd County Goes To War



Pvt. Oscar Vanderpool, son of Mrs. Lee Hall, Ewing, Ky., formerly of this county, enlisted in the army before Pearl Harbor and has been overseas for approximately 2 years. He is a veteran

VANDERPOOL of the North African campaign as well as the Sicilian and is now in Italy under Lt. Gen. Omar Bradley.

He has been awarded the following certificate of commendation:

"For outstanding service and devotion to duty, this Certificate of Commendation is awarded to Pvt. Oscar Vanderpool, 9th Medical Battalion.

"During the Sicilian campaign Pvt. Vanderpool, with unceasing efforts and with complete disregard for fatigue, evacuated casualties by ambulance over all types of terrain and roads, frequently operating at night and under complete blackout. Such untiring devotion to duty is highly commendable.

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His brother, Cleveland Hall, was in action at the Anzio beachhead and is now somewhere north of Rome with the Allied forces.

For two years of overseas service Pvt. Isaac Flanery, brother of Henry Flanery of Manion, has been awarded two gold service stars. First in North Ireland, then in Africa, Pvt. Flanery is now with Gen. Clark's army in Italy.

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND STATION (Somewhere in England) —Cpl. Elsworth G. Coburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Coburn, of Garrett, is now overseas and has participated in a course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and soldiering in an active theatre of war. At one of the Air Service Command stations known as Central Depots, Cpl. Coburn was carefully processed by classification experts who make certain that he was well fitted for the job assigned to him.

Before entering the army he was a high school student at Garrett, Ky.

HEADQUARTERS, 13TH AAF, SOUTH PACIFIC—Cpl. Andy L. Tackett, of Beaver, Ky., is serving in the South Pacific with a photo reconnaissance squadron of the 13th AAF, the air force which battled the Japs from Guadalcanal to Truk and then turned to assist in the Southwest Pacific theater operations.

Cpl. Tackett entered the army in April, 1942 and came overseas in November, 1942. Previously he was a student at Caney Junior College, Pippaspass, Ky.

James M. Daniels, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Daniels, of Lackey, was truly a real veteran of action in the U.S. naval crew in the assault force which invaded France, having previously seen action against the enemy at Tunisia, Sicily, Salerno and Anzio. He has been promoted from gunner's mate second to gunner's mate first class. He has received citations for action in Sicily and Italy.

He attended Garrett high school and later taught in the Garrett consolidated school following his course of study at Morehead State Teachers College. He has a brother who is also in the navy serving on the west coast.

Marine Private First Class Bruce Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hubbard, Water Gap, has been graduated from the Infantry and Browning Rifle Section School at the Training Command, Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif., where he completed thorough training in the use of the Browning automatic rifle, M-1 Garand and carbine rifles, hand grenades and in the use of the bayonet and knives for jungle warfare. He will be assigned to an infantry battalion prepared for amphibious landings and establishing and securing beachheads.

Pfc. Hubbard, born Dec. 15, 1924, near Prestonsburg, attended Prestonsburg high school. He enlisted in the marine corps August 28, 1943, at Prestonsburg.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pvt. First Class Paul Burke, son of Mrs. Laura Burke, of Prestonsburg, Ky., has been promoted to the rank of corporal. He is a half-track driver with an anti-aircraft unit of the Fifth Army in Italy.

Says the Doughboy Can Take It on Chin And Come Up Smiling



HALL

A bombing casualty after 10 months overseas, Pfc. Andrew Hall, 32, son of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Hippo, praised the spirit of American doughboy who has "knocked down" in battle. Said here this week, "They were ed from some licks that were to take, but they take it on the chin and literally come up smiling."

Being in a position to observe the reactions of our casualties, Hall has been with the service command attached to a hospital in England. At the time he was wounded, Pfc. Hall said he felt that the Nazi airmen were deliberately trying to hit his ambulance. A bomb fell nearby, and scattering shrapnel hit him on his head. He stated that his patients suffered very little additional injury as a result of the bombing other than slight shock.

The English countryside is "kinda rough" but comparable to the terrain of this vicinity. The people, he said, were certainly very nice but as much couldn't be said for the weather. He saw, on the average, about one day of sunshine in each month.

Home for a few days' leave, he was still shaken a bit from his experience and left this week to report to a government hospital in Nashville, Tennessee.

"I'm sorry I can't write about anything here in the jungle except snakes and pi on snakes, hawks, jackals," Pfc. Robert Johnson, machine gunner in India recently wrote his sister, Mrs. Della Chandler, of Melvin. His letter indicated that, if he gets to exercise his right to vote, it will be for Roosevelt. "Be d— sure you don't vote for Dewey," he admonished his sister. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, of Melvin, and has been in the army two years.

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# Society Notes

### CONCLUDE SERIES OF PARTIES

Mrs. Tom James, Mrs. M. J. Leete and Mrs. Claude P. Stephens concluded a series of parties at the Auxier hotel Friday evening with a dinner and bridge. Top score was reached by Mrs. E. P. Hill, Jr.; second score, by Mrs. R. V. May. The guest list included Mesdames C. H. Smith, E. P. Hill, Jr., J. C. Spurlin, A. L. Davidson, O. T. Stephens, Tot Mann, George May, F. H. Layne, A. H. Mandt, Lyda Spradlin, Herbert Salisbury, T. J. May, Harry Sandige, Everett Sowards, Jo M. Davidson, Elaine Smith, J. H. Kelly, C. Y. Ligon, John R. Clarke, Russell Pelfrey, Curtis Clark, Paul Combs, R. V. May, Winnie F. Johns, Grace D. Ford, Lyda Cottrell, Ed F. Nelson, W. B. Garriott, W. P. Belva Quisenberry, Troy B. Ethel Cross, Roy Perry, J. M. Huntington, H. L. Mayo, Joe M. David Herndon, B. M. Maggie Leete, H. B. Patrick, Frances Jones and Mary E.

### CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Judith Carol Leete celebrated her sixth birthday Monday with a theatre party here. Her little guests were Linda Sue Stephens, Lissabell Homes, Dorothy Hughes, Rose Worland, Mary Lynn Sharp, Sophia Psaros, Julie May, Mary Jo Shivel and Mrs. M. J. Leete. Refreshments were served later. Her friends presented her with gifts which she graciously acknowledged.

### WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sutherland, of Pikeville, were recent guests here of her mother, Mrs. Kate L. Haris.

### RETURNS HOME

Miss Vivian Smith, of West Prestonsburg, has returned from Ypsilanti, Michigan, where she visited friends and relatives. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Dora Jones.

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### RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Angeline Layne Archer, who has visited relatives in Utah, Los Angeles, Calif., and Seattle, Wash., for the past few weeks, returned to her home here Sunday. Mrs. W. D. Goble, who visited her husband, a merchant marine officer in San Francisco, returned to Kentucky with Mrs. Archer. She is now at Owensboro visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson. She will return here in August.

### GUESTS OF MRS. FRIEND

Mrs. B. P. Friend entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Grover Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holbrook and Miss Minerva Frances Holbrook, of Middle Creek.

### ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL OF THIRD SON

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hopson are announcing the arrival of their third son, born at Middlesboro on July 18. The babe has been named Richard Prewitt.

### GUEST OF SISTER

Mrs. Cynthia Holbrook, of the Middle Creek road, entertained her sister, Mrs. B. P. Friend on her birthday recently. The occasion was celebrated by many relatives and friends who enjoy Mrs. Holbrook's birthday each year.

### VISITING SON HERE

Mrs. Taylor arrived from Inez last week for a visit with her son, Ralph Taylor, and Mrs. Taylor on Third street.

### VACATION IN NEW YORK

Miss Betty Allen has returned from New York City where she spent her vacation visiting relatives.

### LEAVES FOR CAMP

Pvt. W. S. Harkins, Jr., left last week for Ft. George G. Meade, Md., where he has been transferred after spending a week here with Mrs. Harkins and daughter.

### HERE FROM OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Frasure and Bobbie Huff, of Westminster, Ohio, have been visiting relatives on the Abbott road.

### RETURN FROM CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cyrus have returned from a vacation spent in Canada. Mr. Cyrus is connected with the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company here.

### ARRIVES FROM MISSISSIPPI

Mrs. Ben Stansifer arrived recently from Aberdeen, Miss., where she has resided for the last two years, to be with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Ransdell, while her husband is in navy service. Her husband, Pm. 3/c Stansifer, is stationed at the naval hospital, Jacksonville, Florida.

### TO PENNSYLVANIA

Joe Berry left last week for Brownsville, Pa., to join Mrs. Berry and baby who had been visiting relatives there for the last two weeks.

### TO CLEVELAND

Mesdames Emma Osborne and Ollie Davis are in Cleveland, Ohio, this week.

### AT FARM

R. G. Francis is spending a few days at his farm near Mt. Sterling.

### RETURN SUNDAY

Mrs. Wilburn May and daughter, Jennifer, returned Sunday from a visit with Mrs. May's father, Price Huff, Huntington, W. Va.

### HERE FROM DAVID

Mrs. Otis Bussey, of David, was a visitor in Prestonsburg last week.

### HERE ON BUSINESS

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Coburn are here this week from Westminster, Ohio, on business. They are visiting her parents on the Abbott road.

### IN LOUISVILLE THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke and daughter, Miss Alice Gray, were in Louisville this week on business.

### VISITING IN CHARLESTON

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandige and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Allen in Charleston, W. Va., this week.

### DR. BROWN, HERE

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown, of Ashland, were here Tuesday on business.

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### VISIT PARENTS HERE

S 2/c David Corbin returned to his post in Rhode Island this week, having spent his leave with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Carl Corbin.

### RETURNS TO CAMP

S 2/c Forrest Westfall spent his furlough at Allen last week with his parents. He returned to Rhode Island Monday.

### HERE FROM WAYLAND

Mrs. Frank Harmon, of Wayland, visited Mrs. Frances Harmon here Tuesday.

### GUEST FROM TENNESSEE

Miss Mary Ann Smith arrived last week from Columbia, Tenn., to visit her uncle, C. H. Smith, and Mrs. Smith for a few weeks.

### MRS. HOWARD, HOSTESS

Mrs. J. W. Howard entertained to bridge Thursday afternoon at her home on First avenue. A salad course was served to Mesdames E. P. Arnold, C. L. Hutsinpiller, John R. Clarke, Olga M. Latta. Tea guests were Mrs. Blaine Smith, Wheelwright, and Mrs. A. L. Davidson. Mrs. Latta was presented a guest prize.

### VISITING IN VIRGINIA

John D. Thomas left this week for a visit with Mrs. Thomas and daughter, Theda Bibb, at Falls Church, Virginia.

### HOME ON FURLOUGH

Ford Carver, who is stationed with the marines in New York, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sill Carver, at David this week.

### SPEND SUNDAY AT HAROLD

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clark visited relatives at Harold and on Mud Creek Sunday.

### VISITING RELATIVES

Tommy Meade is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Fields, at Wayland this week.

### DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ryan are announcing the arrival of a daughter on Monday at a Martin hospital. Her name will be Katherine Jean. Mrs. Ryan is the former Miss Mildred Tackett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Tackett.

### RETURN FROM FRANKFORT

Joe P. Tackett and son, Teeny, were business visitors in Frankfort last week. Martin Leete, Jr., accompanied them to Lexington.

### REPRESENTATIVE BIGGERS, HERE

Representative W. G. Biggers is here this week from Frankfort.

### CONCLUDES VISIT

Miss Avis Vinson has concluded a visit here with Mrs. Hershell Tackett and other friends and returned to her home in Danville.

### IN PERRY COUNTY

Congressman A. J. May transacted business at his lumber operation in Perry county this week.

### RETURNS TO IRVINE

Mrs. Paul C. Combs has returned to her home at Irvine, Ky., after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Combs on Second avenue.

### ARRIVES FROM BALTIMORE

John Blackburn, foreman at the Glenn R. Martin plant in Baltimore, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mayor and Mrs. E. P. Arnold.

### RETURN FROM LEXINGTON

Mrs. Joe A. Spradlin and daughter, Lyda Margaret, have returned from Lexington where they have been at the bedside of Mrs. Ridda Findlayson. Mrs. Findlayson has been very ill but her condition is now improved.

### ON SUNDAY PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greenwade, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Greenwade, Martha Katherine Greenwade, Mr. and Mrs. Lenna Spradlin and children, Barbara Jean and William Gervin, and Mrs. W. S. Price, of Oil Springs, enjoyed a picnic Sunday near Salyersville.

### HERE FRIDAY

Cpl. and Mrs. W. Claude Caudill spent last Friday here, guests of his mother, Mrs. John W. Caudill. Cpl. Caudill, who has been stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark., will spend the next 17 weeks in O.C.S. training at Ann Arbor, Mich., for adjutant general's office duty. Mrs. Caudill meanwhile is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, of Lexington.

### ARRIVES FROM GREENLAND

Pfc. Lucien Laferty arrived last week from Greenland where he has been for almost two years, to spend a furlough with his father, Chief of Police Epp Laferty. He will go from here to Camp Butler, N. C., early next month.

### HOME FROM SOUTH PACIFIC

Pfc. Commodore Goble arrived home a few days ago for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Goble, after months of service with the marine corps in the southwest Pacific. His division saw some of the toughest fighting waged against the Japs and he has been in a California hospital for some time.

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gates a sum of \$4,000. Goal at the mine is 100 per cent donation. Tom Raney, International Board member of the UMWA, and T. W. English, of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators Association, were named to direct organization of the drive in the various coal camps. All funds collected are to be directed to UMWA Secretary McAndrew and to H. S. Homan, secretary of the Operators Association. Funds gathered from the miners will go to Mr. McAndrew and money collected from the non-contract men to Mr. Homan. Later, of course, the money will be turned over to the state War Fund organization.

Representing the miners at the session were Sam Caddy, president of District 30; Tom Raney, Ed Reynolds, manager of the Hazard field office, and district field workers. Other miner representatives were Noble Hobbs and Joe Hicks, Wayland; H. Hatfield, of Wheelwright; Joe Sexton, of Jenkins, and Esten Hall, Seco.

In addition to Mr. Price, Mr. English and Mr. Homan, the operators were represented by Harry Crane, of the Elk Hon Coal Corporation; J. J. Ardigo, of the Williamson Operators Association; R. C. Thomas, of the North-East Coal Company and O. W. Evans, of N. & W. Mines, South Williamson.

### West P'burg Woman Suffers Serious Burns

A "home front casualty," Mrs. Price Huff, 37, West Prestonsburg, suffered serious burns on the arms, neck, chest and abdomen Friday while canning her "victory garden" beans. As she lifted a filled jar out of the canner on the stove, it exploded, scattering fragments of glass and the jar's scalding contents. In addition to the burns, a piece of flying glass lodged in Mrs. Huff's neck near the jugular vein.

She was taken to the Prestonsburg General hospital for treatment and, later, returned home where she is satisfactorily recovering from her "wounds". Mrs. Huff has a son, John, who is in Italy with a U.S. combat unit.

### Child Seriously Hurt At Lancer as Stick Pierces Abdomen

Nine year-old Patsy Ann Harris is in a critical condition at the Martin General hospital as the result of intestinal perforations sustained Thursday morning, last week, in a fall at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Exer Harris, near Lancer. The child was injured while carrying a pointed stick as she ran at play. She collided with a stone wall and fell onto the stick. Her intestines were said to have been perforated six times.

### Spotted Fever Reported As Second Known Case In Floyd's History

Colbert Greer, of Printer, 54-year-old logwoods worker, was reported this week as recovering after having been seriously ill of Rocky Mountain spotted fever, the tick-borne disease which has invaded this section from the far west.

Dr. C. L. Allen's diagnosis of the case was confirmed by the patient when asked if he had had any ticks on him recently. "The boy pulled 18 or 20 off me," Greer answered.

It was the first such case to be hospitalized there but was not Dr. Allen's first experience with the disease. Two years ago, Alfair Flanery, of Martin, was stricken. She was the first known Floyd county sufferer from the disease and she was treated by Dr. Allen.

Mr. Greer had become infected while employed by the Douglas Hays Lumber Company.

Plans are under way in Shelby county to increase terracing on farms by 1,000 acres each year.

In Leslie county, 6,000 packages of free garden seeds were distributed to 4-H club members for Victory gardens.

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### Four Hurt in Mines As Mishap Epidemic Continues in Field

The epidemic of accidents continued on through last week and this at Floyd county mines, but none had resulted in a fatality.

Henry Lawson, of Amba, an employe of the Harold Coal Company, was caught beneath a fall of slate while at work last week, and suffered the loss of his right leg as a result. Amputation of his leg was performed at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville. He is reported as improving.

In the Martin General hospital are Harry Crum, who suffered a broken back in the Stephens Elkhorn Coal Company mine, and Ireland Moore, 40, contractor for the H&H Coal Company at Hueysville, who suffered deep lacerations when dragged beneath a mine car last Thursday. Both were said to be recovering.

Sam Bingham suffered three fractures of his jaw Wednesday at the Sandy Valley Coal Company, Water Gap, when a jack slipped on the machine which he was operating. He is at the Prestonsburg General hospital. A miner for 40 years, it was Mr. Bingham's first injury serious enough to cause his hospitalization.

### Ky. Wildcats To Play 9 Games This Fall

The Kentucky Wildcats will return to the gridiron this fall with a nine-game schedule which will include such old and popular rivals as Georgia, V.M.I., Alabama and Tennessee.

The team will meet three new opponents, opening in Lexington in a night game against Old Miss Sept. 23, and also meeting Carnegie Tech of Pittsburg, and Mississippi State.

For the first time in modern history, Tennessee, traditional rival of the Wildcats, will be met twice, on a home-and-home basis. The Volunteers will be the Cats' second opponent of the season in the Knoxville game Sept. 30, and the closing opponent in the Lexington game, Nov. 25.

The complete schedule follows:

Sept. 23—University of Mississippi, (night); Sept. 30—Tennessee, at Knoxville; Oct. 7—Carnegie Tech, at Lexington; Oct. 13—Georgia, at Atlanta (night); Oct. 21—V.M.I., at Lexington; Oct. 28—Alabama, at Alabama; Nov. 4—Mississippi State, at Memphis; Nov. 11—Open; Nov. 16—West Virginia, at Lexington; Nov. 25—Tennessee, at Lexington.

### BABE IS VICTIM

Seven-months-old Joyce Allene Whittaker, whose mother, Mrs. Florence Whittaker, died June 22, passed away Sunday at the home of her father, J. M. Whittaker, of Hueysville. Besides the father, five brothers and sisters survive. Burial was made at Hueysville, the Ryan Funeral Home directing.

Farmers in Elliott county harvested the best alfalfa crop in years.

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Bobby White, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rainley 'Snow' White, Paintsville, former residents of Prestonsburg, is recovering in a Paintsville hospital from injuries sustained in a fall while visiting his grandparents on Tom's Creek, Johnson county. The fall resulted in both wrists being broken. Mr. White is district foreman here of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company.

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Mallie Sturgill, Osborn, April 4, a daughter; Chas. Edw. Rice, Martion (at Martin General hospital) May 15, a daughter; Homer Watts, Ligon, May 18, a son; Huckie Jones, Hueysville, April 13, a son; George Hoover, Hueysville (at Martin General hospital), May 25, a daughter; Ray Fraley, Wayland (at Martin General hospital), May 25, a daughter; Efford Dunnigan, Auxier, April 18, a daughter; James Childers, Auxier, May 7, a daughter; Chester Whitlock, Auxier, May 9, a daughter; Gomer Patrick, Goodloe, June 21, a daughter; Elza Hall, Auxier, April 7, a daughter; Wade Little, Melvin, June 6, a son; Ark Isaac, Wheelwright, April 5, a son; Clell Broglin, Bypro, March 7, a daughter; Seymour Slone, Wheelwright, April 27, a daughter; Bryce McCoy, Melvin, May 10, a son; Henry Adams, Teaberry, May 11, a daughter; Marlon Hall, Bevinville, June 14, a son; Noah Hall Wheelwright, June 3, a daughter; Kermit Ramey, Halo, June 1, a son; Charley Hobson, Melvin, May 31, a son; Bill Lidster, Halo, May 20, a daughter; Wade Slone, Hi-Hat, May 6, a son; Tilden Johnson, Melvin, May 10, a son; Harve Hamby, Weeksbury, June 21, a son.

Melvin Frasure, Jr., Manton, Feb. 23, a son; Troy Collins, Melvin, June 17, a son; Shade Pitts, Risner, May 25, a son; Orbin Moore, Martin (at Beaver Valley hospital), June 2, a son; Clyde Reffett, Manton, May 18, a son; Roman Prater, Drift (at Beaver Valley hospital), June 18, a son; Russell Adkins, Allen (at Beaver Valley hospital), May 14, a daughter; Henry Adkins, Harold, May 5, a son; Hershell Lester, Martin, June 16, a son; Henry Carr, Banner, June 5, a son; Henry Ousley, Manton, May 31, a daughter; Woodrow Chaffin, Prestonsburg, June 19, a daughter; John Slone, West Prestonsburg, June 21, a son; Amos Poe, West Prestonsburg, June 23, a daughter; Anderson Hatfield, Lancer, June 30, a son; Mike Ousley, Risner, May 31, a son; Matthew W. Conn, Printer, June 26, a son; Rupard Sammons,

Martin, June 24, a daughter; Arthur Coburn, Langley, June 7, a daughter; Leonard Jones, Banner, June 20, a son; Kella Boyd, Dana, June 7, a daughter; Warren Morgan, Wayland (at Martin General hospital), June 30, a son; Lloyd Hall, Martin (at Martin General hospital), June 28, a son; Andrew Deskins, Harold (at Martin General hospital), June 24, a daughter.

Clyde Sutherland, Wayland, May 1, a daughter; Mody Hoover, Garrett, June 25, a daughter; Elmon SESCO, Glo, March 25, a daughter; Bert Nickless, Wayland, June 22, a son; Will Press Stephens, Garrett, Feb. 9, a son; Edgar Thompson, Dema, June 23, a son; Fielder Moore, Wayland, Apr. 14, a son; Garvis Turner, Wayland, April 23, a daughter; Maricn Sword, Grethel, June 7, a son; Harvie Hall, Grethel, April 16, a daughter; Everett Tackett, Allen (at Martin General hospital), May 5, a daughter; Lee Mulkey, Banner, May 10, a daughter; Milley Ousley, Risner, May 31, a son; Estill Newsome, Ligon, (at Martin General hospital), May 20, a son; Marion Tackett, McDowell, May 9, a son; Walker Hamilton, McDowell, May 24, a son; Leonard Anderson, McDowell, May 20, a daughter; John Shell, Ligon, June 2, a son; Wilburn Elliott, Orkney, May 3, a daughter; Harry Higgins, Garrett, May 24, a daughter; John Marshall, Prestonsburg, May 10, a daughter; James Rowe, Garrett, June 8, a son; John Delong, Banner, May 19, a son; Epp Hoover, Garrett, April 8, a daughter.

Bill Peters, Dock (at Prestonsburg General hospital), May 30, a son; Woodrow W. Goble, Auxier, Feb. 1, a daughter; Chas. Edward Conley, Auxier, Feb. 28, a daughter; Robert R. Wireman, Auxier, March 22, a son; Carl King, Auxier, March 11, a daughter; Chester A. Sexton, Garrett, May 11, a son; Earl Carroll, Martin (at Martin General hospital), May 8, a daughter; David Jones, Martin (at Martin General hospital), April 14, a son; Leo Young, Martin (at Martin General hospital), June 4, a son; George Tuttle, Minnie (at Martin General hospital), April 27, a daughter; Noah Newsome, Amba, June 3, a daughter; Chas. Bates, Bevinville, May 1, a son; Hatler Johnson, Melvin, May 2, a daughter; Talt Johnson, Melvin, May 2, a daughter; James N. Little, Bypro, May 5, a daughter; Thomas Tackett, Beaver, May 5, a son; John B. Newsome, Melvin, May 27, a daughter; Ernie Jenkins, Garrett, June 8, a daughter; Sigle Craft, Garrett, June 12, a son; Bailey Mosley, Dony, June 2, a son; Auta Rowe, Weeksbury, June 2, a daughter; Henry Goble, Prestonsburg, May 23, a son; W.R. Burchett, Auxier, (at Prestonsburg General hospital), June 3, a daughter; Floyd Warrix, Allen (at Prestonsburg General hospital), May 1, a son; Grady Spradlin, Prestonsburg (at Prestonsburg General hos-

pital), May 8, a daughter; Taylor Slone, Blue River (at Prestonsburg General hospital), May 13, a son; Raleigh Williams, West Liberty (at Prestonsburg General hospital), May 24, a son.

Albert Dotson, Cliff (at Prestonsburg General hospital), May 26, a son; Palmer Patton, Endicott (at Prestonsburg General hospital), June 4, a son; Woodrow Allen, Langley (at Martin General hospital), June 2, a son; Eddie George, Prestonsburg, April 27, a daughter; Ellis Slone, David, June 3, a daughter; Richard Branham, Emma, June 8, a daughter; Darwin Rose, Lancer, June 16, a daughter; Warner Miller, West Prestonsburg, April 19, a son; Wallace Calhoun, Prestonsburg, June 2, a son; James Cooley, Prestonsburg, May 23, a daughter; Amos Garrett, Ivel, April 23, a son; Claude Slone, Wayland, Feb. 13, a son; Walker Ratliff, Glo, Feb. 29, a son; Everett Adkins, Wayland, April 9, a daughter; George Banks, Wayland, May 16, a daughter; Frank Clark, Jr., Lackey, April 3, a son; Cicero Taylor, Wayland, Feb. 11, a son; Grover Janow, Wayland, April 17, a daughter; Hansel Lucas, Wayland, May 29, a son; Wesoka Short, Wayland, March 2, a son; Jake Burchell, Glo, June 11, a daughter; John Pratt, Garrett, April 7, a daughter; Willie Moore, Garrett, Feb. 18, a son; Tandy Spurock, Prestonsburg, April 26, a son; Billy Shepherd, West Prestonsburg, May 23, a daughter.

Ollie Hall, Goodloe, May 18, a son; John H. Gray, Slone, May 18, a daughter; Fred Baldrige, Jr., Lancer, May 26, a son; Thurman Adkins, Banner, June 14, a daughter; Jessie Rose, West Prestonsburg, June 11, a son; William H. Smith, Prestonsburg, May 16, a son; Ollie Holbrook, Brainard, May 6, a daughter; Joe Hunter, Cliff, May 3, a daughter; Leonard Harmon, Bonanza, April 23, a son; Clarence Lewis, Betsy Layne, April 14, a son; Charlie Osborne, Prestonsburg, April 16, a son; Glenn Pitts, Banner, April 24, a daughter; Homer Thomas, West Prestonsburg, April 18, a daughter; Edgel Shepherd, Hueysville, June 7, a daughter; Zeak Prater, Hueysville, June 8, a daughter; Jimmie Prater, Hueysville, June 10, a daughter; Albert Craft, Garrett, March 16, a daughter; Daniel Jacobs, Lackey, April 27, a daughter; Marion Martin, Wayland, March 19, a son; Nathan Vanhose, Wayland, April 2, a son; Troy Gibson, Wayland, June 6, a daughter; Thearm Gayheart, Orkney, June 9, a son; William Newsome, Dony, May 1, a son; John W. Rose, West Prestonsburg, June 15, a son; Harve Fannin, Auxier, May 12, a son; William E. Bingham, Langley, March 25, a son.

Willard Ward, Auxier, June 8, a daughter; Ervne Isaac, Bevinville, June 7, a daughter; Jacob Akers, Ligon, June 12, a daughter; Irvin Slone, Bevinville, June 15, a son; Can Bates, Bevinville, June 16, a daughter; Robert Dobart, Bevinville, June 29, a son; Henry Collins, Melvin, June 25, a daughter; Elbert Cole, Melvin, June 2, a son; Zach Burke, Wheelwright, June 6, a son; Frank Bush, Melvin, April 4, a son; Wayne Prater, Myrtle (at Prestonsburg General hospital), June 24, a son; Alex Bingham, Prestonsburg (at Prestonsburg General hospital), June 18, a son; Woodrow W. Monk, Hi-Hat, June 9, a daughter; William Click, Hunter (at Martin General hospital), June 22, a son; Melvin M. Meade, Wayland (at Martin General hospital), June 23, a son; Elmer B. Wolverton, Martin (at Martin General hospital), May 30, a daughter; William Humble, Printer (at Beaver Valley hospital), June 21, a son; Rowland Hunt, Ivel, June 18, a son; Chas. Goble, Dwale, June 19, a son; Heber Baldrige, East Point, a son; Langley Grace, Lancer, May 30, a daughter.

#### DEATHS—

Frank Pitts, infant, Risner, May 26; Mary Ann Sparks, 84, Bonanza, May 12; William Lafferty, 66, Sloan, May 25; Darcus Bingham, 78, Cliff, May 25; Roy Lee Johnson, infant, Weeksbury, June 9; Josephine Daniels, 72, Asa, Ky., June 8; June Hall Hutton, 19, Amba June 4; Geo. Hunt, 42, Banner, June 6; James H. Lewis, 95, Betsy Layne May 23; James Preston, infant, Glo, June 15; Bessie Planery, 39, Martin, June 20; Wm. Rice, 81, Banner, June 7; Edna M. Hall, 16, Bevinville, June 17; John Beattie, 62, Weeksbury, June 19; Florence Whitaker, 42, Hueysville, June 22; H. B. Miller, colored, 53, Wheelwright, May 28; Alvin Moore, infant, Drift, June 4; Samuel M. Crider, 92, East Point, June 29; Vina Miller, 46, Brainard, June 21; Dewey Lee Mullins, 1, Grethel, June 23; Jones Crisp, 78, Hueysville, June 21; Manuel Combs, Hunter, June 28; Byrd Stephens, 38, Ivel, June 20; Fanny Jones, 33, Ligon, June 27; Paul Penix, 16, Ligon, June 27; Crow Nelson, 34, Blue River, June 29; James Edw. Harris, 75, Lancer, June 12; Robert Lafferty, 87, Cliff, June 27.

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#### DAVID

The Homemakers Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Russell Harmon. The meeting was called to order by the president, and roll call was answered by presenting a piece of stencil work made since the previous meeting. The program was a canning demonstration. Miss Amburgy demonstrated canning beets, corn and carrots in a pressure cooker and tomatoes in hot water bath. Mrs. Otis Bussey gave a report on landscape study. She then gave a report on the meeting in Prestonsburg for Homemakers. Next meeting will be a picnic Aug. 23. The president appointed Mrs. Harmon chairman of the food committee and Mrs. Enno Van Gelder chairman of the entertainment committee. Members present were Miss Blanche Garrett, Mesdames Ora Howard, Otis Bussey, Enna Van Gelder, R. S. Walker, Russell Harmon and Miss Amburgy, home agent.

Mrs. W. C. Ratliff gave a birthday dinner Sunday for her husband. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Combs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Cox and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bingham and children, of Garrett, Mrs. R. L. Ratliff, mother of Mr. Ratliff, Miss Dorothy Ratliff, of Goodloe, Mrs. Bert Hoover, Blue River, Mr. and Mrs. Elson Kendrick and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Younce and daughter. An enjoyable day was spent and Mr. Ratliff received many useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Patton visited Fair Shepherd and family Sunday.

Pfc. Henry F. Carver, of the marine corps, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carver, for a few days.

Saturday night, July 15, a party was given for Cpl. Rady Davis at the home of her sister, Mrs. Melvin Hughes. Cpl. Davis, of the air force, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alka Davis.

Miss Edna Ratliff attended a teachers' meeting at Prestonsburg Saturday preparing to start school Monday, July 17, at the mouth of Johnson's fork.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thompson returned Thursday from their vacation in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Their daughter Edith returned with them and will be here for two weeks.

The playground program that is being put on is very successful.

#### GEARHEART

A. J. Gearheart visited his mother, "Aunt" Jane Gearheart, at Minnie Sunday, and found her in excellent health. If blessed with continued good health until her next birthday, Feb. 14, Mrs. Gearheart will reach the ripe age of 100 years.

Mrs. J. M. Bridgeman and daughter were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Willie Gearheart was visiting his sister, Mrs. W. M. Spears, here this week. He is in the army and has been in the service 32 years.

An evening meeting was held at the home of Elder Gilbert Adams last Thursday. Taking part in the services were Elders Lee Moore and Willie Collins.

Elder Gilbert Adams attended church Saturday night and Sunday at Prestonsburg.

Mrs. Gilbert Adams and Mrs. A. L. Frazier were shopping in Wheelwright Saturday.

Wallace R. Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Frazier, has completed a course in gunnery at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He is now stationed at Norfolk, Va.

Charles T. Osborne was a business visitor in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Seaman 2/c Burbage Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvey Howell, of Gearheart, has been home on a short leave from the navy. He also has two brothers away from home—McKinley Howell, somewhere overseas, and John C. Howell, employed in Stekley Brothers' canning factory in Florida.

Mrs. A. L. Frasure attended church on Indian Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis King and Mrs. Hannah Adams went to Knott county Friday to attend church. Mrs. King was baptized.

Wilburn Moore, Lee Moore and Wootsie Moore are visiting relatives here.

Church services will be conducted at the home of A. L. Frasure Friday night. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mullins, of Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Little.

L. G. Frasure was in Prestonsburg this week on business.

Joe Little will leave soon for Baltimore to visit his daughter, Mrs. Clifford Manns.

"Aunt" Leet McCown, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

#### BETSY LAYNE

Mrs. D. W. Howard represented the Homemakers Club at a county meeting held in the office of the home demonstration agent, Miss Frances Amburgy, in Prestonsburg last Tuesday. Plans were made for community and county exhibits of Homemakers Clubs.

Pvt. Oscar Fred Bush called here last week while on furlough.

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The Boy Scouts are striving hard to complete their cabin started some time ago. We urge the citizens to lend encouragement and a helping hand to such a worthy cause.

Pvt. Hughes has been visiting his sister, Mrs. D. W. Howard, and Mr. Howard while on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hobbs, of Pikeville, called on Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Howard Thursday evening.

W. C. Johnstone has not been able to continue his duties in West Virginia for some time due to an injured finger.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Hobson visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Caldwell entertained to supper Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Will Johns and children and Seaman and Mrs. Russell Johns and children.

Miss Glenda Lynn Blackburn was the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Spears at Boldman Saturday night.

The following ladies drove to Allen and assisted in wrapping surgical dressings Sunday afternoon: Mesdames Leetha Steele, Sadie Stratton, Myrtle Howard, Mildred Davis, Angelyn and Dockie George and Miss Mary Stee.

Mrs. Virginia McDonald has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Floyd Risner, while spending a brief vacation from her nursing duties at the Pikeville hospital.

Mrs. Miranda Gearheart and grandson left for Lexington Wednesday to visit Miss Kelsa Gearheart, who is attending the University of Kentucky.

Mrs. Mildred Davis visited her mother in Prestonsburg Monday.

The Betsy Layne Woman's Club met with Mrs. D. W. Howard Thursday night, July 13. A short business session was held, after which an inspiring program, led by Mrs. James George on "Meeting the Spiritual Needs," was presented and included the singing of the hymn, "Take Time To Be Holy," followed by reading of the 23rd Psalm by Mrs. Lon Roberts. A translation of the 23rd Psalm into Kiowa Indian sign language by Miss Isabel Crawford was read by Mrs. A. K. Robinette.

An interesting topic, "Philosophy of Life," was read by Mrs. Alex Davis. Then the hymn, "I'll Live for Him" was sung, after which Mrs. George gave a touching account of religious services on Bataan from the report of an eye-witness.

A short article taken from The Floyd County Times entitled "Oh, God, Don't Let the Boys Know!"

was read by Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, followed by a poem, "The Three Needs," read by Mrs. D. W. Howard. A hymn, "More Like the Master," concluded the meeting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Alex Davis, Mrs. James George, Mrs. Lon Roberts, Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, Mrs. A. K. Robinette, Miss Elaine Roberts, Miss

Eulavene Boyd, and the Mrs. D. W. Howard, Two from Pikeville, Mrs. R. H. and Miss Bernice Ford, were ent.

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J. M. Perkins, director of the Division of Game and Fish, calls attention to the bag limit of six squirrels daily which is now in effect and which law will be strictly enforced by conservation officers.

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**Prestonsburg Woman  
Named Kentucky Colonel**

Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James, wife of Petty Officer Tom James, of the Sea Bees, and well-known Prestonsburg singer, was recently named an aide-de camp on the staff of Governor Simeon S. Willis with the rank of colonel.

Mrs. James' appointment was made in recognition of her work in the field of music. Her most recent achievement was the discovery of the Plain-Song in its original form in this section and her presentation of this early music form to other sections of the country. Her husband is on duty in Hawaii.

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF  
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of Prestonsburg, in the State of Ky., at the close of business on June 30, 1944, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U.S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts (including \$39.15 overdrafts) .....	\$ 385,269.54
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	1,396,500.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions .....	77,618.64
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures .....	601.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$3,100.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank) .....	3,542.81
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection .....	1,062,435.00
7. Bank premises owned \$15,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$2,500.00 .....	17,500.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS .....	2,943,427.84

LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	1,853,237.10
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	597,689.10
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	116,971.10
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions .....	223,816.87
17. Deposits of banks .....	25,070.53
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) .....	12,560.79
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS .....	\$2,829,345.49
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES .....	2,829,345.49

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par .....	50,000.00
26. Surplus .....	52,000.00
27. Undivided profits .....	12,082.35
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....	114,082.35
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....	2,943,427.84

MEMORANDA	
31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities .....	310,000.00
(e) TOTAL .....	310,000.00
32. Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law .....	305,600.47
(d) TOTAL .....	305,600.47

State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss:  
I, Russell Hagewood, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5 day of July, 1944.

A. L. Davidson, Notary Public  
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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements  
for the Year Ending June 30, 1944

RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand July 1, 1943 .....	\$1,909.02
Fines collected .....	1,737.98
Taxes collected .....	4,360.68
Licenses issued .....	413.50
Total to account for .....	\$8,421.18
DISBURSEMENTS	
Salary of officials and police officers .....	\$4,877.79
Expense of automobile .....	244.63
American Red Cross—donation .....	200.00
Miscellaneous .....	145.05
Total Disbursements .....	\$5,467.47
Balance on hand June 30, 1944 .....	\$2,953.71

**THE GARDEN**

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

**HOT WEATHER HINTS**

Although the hot dry weather now prevailing may have passed before this reaches print, there will be other such spells to make these hints still applicable.

The first is about cultivation. Its principal object is to kill weeds. The earlier this is done, the less is their competition with the garden crops for plant food and moisture, and the less the soil about the vegetables' roots need be disturbed in their removal. That the labor is less goes without question.

The best way to stop weeds is to shave them off. Ideal for the purpose is a sharp, shiny hand hoe used with a sliding motion, letting it go no deeper than a half inch. Better and speedier is a wheelhoe, a "push plow," fitted not with cultivator "teeth" that merely bring moist soil to the surface and disturb the weeds not at all unless done violently, but rather with the scuffle-hoe attachment, a miniature "sweep" that skirts the garden, cutting off the larger weeds and upending the small ones, leaving the surface strictly level. The dusty "finish" serves in some measure as insulation against extreme sun heat and absorbs even light showers, easily.

The level surface is desirable in that it prevents less evaporation surface to the sun than do hills and ridges. Besides, in taking soil from the middle to make hills, the moisture level is made to fall below that of the roots of the vegetables. Probably the most appealing reason against them is that hills and ridges take labor to make.

Although what follows may seem like doing it the hard way, it is effective:

With a hand hoe (better, a furrowing hoe) lay off furrows 6 inches deep, and toward evening, fill with water. When it has sunk, fill them again. Next morning early, draw in half the soil, sow the seed, then cover with soil, 8 times the thickness of the seed. For corn and pole beans, in "hills," make the sowing, but cover only the seed, and into the furrow pour water as above, and next morning fill them with soil. It is assumed that later it will rain, to take up where this "pre-watering" leaves off, but certainly this treatment guarantees a prompt start toward the garden behaving "according to plan."

Today's temperature and the calendar notwithstanding, killing frost is not much more than 125 days away; in the meantime must be made next winter's vegetables. These include beans, lima beans, tomatoes, beets, sweet corn and cabbage.

Beans—The bush sorts, Stringless Greenpod, Bountiful, Plentiful, Refugee and perhaps Red Valentine, take 70-80 days; Kentucky Wonder, Missouri Wonder and Lazy Wife, pole sorts, 90-100. A 100-foot row should can easily 15 quarts. Phosphate is the plantfood to hurry up the crop, and seed inoculation helps

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EARL RUBY ... Sports Editor of The Courier-Journal, plays to a full gallery of sporting males. It's a great life, Earl agrees, though a bit strenuous at times. No arm-chair philosopher, he actively covers the Sports front. Busier than a bird dog on opening day of quail season, Earl takes to the field and points up significant features of baseball, high school and intercollegiate basket and football, fishing, racing and hunting ... in fact, every sport engaged in according to established rules. That's why we rarely see Earl hatless ... he's always on the run!

Editor of America's most complete Sports Section outside the three major metropolitan centers, Ruby says it's people who make sports interesting ... however, he likes to give readers an occasional flashback to the origin of main sporting events.

A native son, Earl began doing spot reporting in 1921, after school hours at Du Pont Manual High, continuing through years at University of Louisville and Jefferson School of Law. Then Ruby took a flyer as Sports Editor of The Ashland Independent before returning here as full-time sports writer. His natural interest, experience, and the law of averages, eventually led to the "big chair" of sports. Popular features of "Ruby's Report" are "Kentuckianities," always chockful of names, and "Questions and Answers," which, measured by the mail bag, pulls the most box-office. Only a fraction of his letters break into print ... the rest are answered personally by the Sports Editor himself.

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### Knott Countian Passes At Lackey Hospital

Funeral rites for W. M. Shepherd, 71 years old, of Decoy, Knott county, who died July 11 at the Stumbo Memorial hospital, Lackey, of a heart ailment, were conducted from his residence Thursday.

The victim was a son of the late Eli Shepherd, of Knott county. He is survived by his widow, three brothers, George Russell and Morgan, and two sisters, Mrs. Henderson Shepherd and Mrs. Lawrence Watts. Burial was made under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

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ALLEN, KY.

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Attorney General Eldon S. Dummitt declared this week that only ballots furnished by Kentucky can be used by absentee voters and that to be tabulated they must reach election officials before the day of a primary or election.

Stating his office had received numerous inquiries regarding use of absentee ballots in the coming primaries and election, Dummitt made public a series of questions and answers explaining they were designed to clarify "the most controversial features of the new law."

In these he pointed out absentee voting is limited to Presidential and Vice-Presidential electors and members of Congress, that applications for ballots must be sent to Kentucky's Secretary of State, Charles K. O'Connell, Frankfort, and that applications must be signed by the person in whose behalf they are made.

The Attorney General also declared that applications for ballots may be made on forms prescribed under Kentucky law or on those prescribed by Congress, if the latter "are in substantial compliance with the form provided by Kentucky law, though in voting he said only ballots provided by Kentucky can be used.

Questions and answers in which Dummitt gave his views on other phases of the 1944 law included:

Q.—Who is eligible to register and vote under the law?

A.—Every voter of the Commonwealth who expects in the course of his business or duties to be absent from the county in which is situated his voting precinct on the day of holding any special, general or primary election and who is otherwise under the election laws of the Commonwealth eligible to vote.

Q.—What does the Secretary of State do with the application for a ballot?

A.—He sends it to the County Clerk for the chief registration official of the county of the absentee voter's residence. That official determines whether the voter is registered, whether he is eligible to register. After this determination the Secretary of State sends a ballot to the absentee voter. The clerk or chief registration official maintains an official list of all such absentee voters and certifies same to the precinct election officers at the time other election paraphernalia is delivered.

Q.—Upon receipt of the absentee ballot what does the voter do with it?

A.—Goes before some civil officer authorized to administer oaths or before a commissioned officer of the armed forces and in the presence of the officer casts his vote. He then returns the ballot to the Secretary of State, Frankfort, Ky.

Q.—Upon receipt of the ballot what does the Secretary of State do with it?

A.—Forwards it to the county clerk of the county of the voter's voting residence.

Q.—What does the county clerk do with the ballot?

A.—Before the day of election the clerk sends the ballot to the election officers of the voter's voting precinct.

Q.—Can the absentee ballot be counted which is received by the clerk or the precinct election officers on election day?

A.—No, it must be destroyed thirty days after the election unopened and not counted.

Q.—What do the election officers of the precinct do with the absentee ballot?

A.—The clerk of the precinct election must call the names of the absentee voters aloud; the election officers must examine the ballots and determine that the inner envelope is regular and in form and condition and that it has not been opened. If the form of voting is regular and the envelope and ballot have not been tampered with, the clerk of the election and one of the judges sign the back of the ballot and place it in the regular ballot box. The vote may be challenged in the same manner as any other vote and if it is rejected, the clerk of the election must write the word "rejected" on the ballot. A rejected ballot will not be put in the ballot box.

Q.—Where an absent voter has not registered and is otherwise qualified to vote and makes application under the provisions of the absent voters law, can the county clerk or chief registration official of a county upon application by an absent voter register him, even though the registration books are closed under the election law?

A.—Yes, he may be registered if he is otherwise qualified to vote.

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### GONE (PERIOD)

N. M. White, Jr., Prestonsburg, had six chairs and wanted to sell 'em. He tried hard to get rid of 'em, he says, lo, these many months. Last week he inserted an ad in THE TIMES offering them for sale. Within a few minutes after THE TIMES hit the street he received three inquiries and ... sold the American way, via advertising.

Some politicians think that a good Yank is a doughboy with a lot of pull.

### Notice to Creditors

This is to advise that I, W. R. Sprinkle, have taken over the firm of Sprinkle & Mosely, of Drift, Ky., and will take care of all its debts. W. R. SPRINKLE

## ABIGAIL THEATRE

THURS.-FRI., JULY 20-21—

"Make Your Own Bed"

Jack Carson, Jane Wyman. News. Odd Occupations.

SATURDAY—

11:02 a. m. to 1:12 a. m., 6:27 p. m. to 8:12 p. m.—

"Hidden Valley Outlaws"

Bill Elliott, Gabby Hayes. Serial: "HAUNTED HARBOR."

SATURDAY—

3:01 p. m. and 10:01 p. m.—

"You Can't Ration Love"

Betty Rhodes, Johnny Johnson. Mallard Flight. Winner's Circle (in technicolor) South American Sway.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"Two Girls and a Sailor"

Grace Allen, Xavier Cugat and his orchestra; Harry James and his Music Makers, Van Johnson. News.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—

"Call of the South Seas"

Alan Lane, Janet Martin. News. Walt Disney's "ARMY MASCOT" (in technicolor). Why, Daddy?

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FOR SALE—Trailer. See HELEN SMITH, Hi-Hat, Ky. 1t-pd.

FOR SALE—125 acres of land, well timbered, coal, two houses, log and frame, sand-plant lease in operation. Will sell whole or in tracts. Located at Kise Station, Lawrence county. Write or see MRS. M. D. DANIEL, 705 13th St., Ashland, Ky. 7-20-5t

FOR SALE—spacious house with all modern conveniences located on Richmond street. See REUBEN TAYLOR.

FOR SALE — 4 purebred registered Aberdeen-Angus yearling bulls. See NORMAN ALLEN, Prestonsburg, or WILLIE TURNER at farm on Salt Lick, 2 miles from Bosco.

FOR SALE—75 acres timber, one-half mile from good WPA road. \$125 each, delivered. PAUL FRANCIS, Prestonsburg, Ky. 6-8-4f.

FOR SALE—Queen bees, Italians, \$125 each, delivered. PAUL FRANCIS, Prestonsburg, Ky. 6-22-10t

FOR SALE—3 houses, 8 lots at Dinwood, known as J. B. Harris property. Write MRS. F. M. FRAZIER, Pantico Circle 5521, Norfolk, Va. 7-13-3t-pd.

FOR SALE — 6 dining room chairs, good as new. MRS. N. M. WHITE, JR., Phone 6263, City.

FOR SALE—8-room house and lot on Mayo Trail, near Sandy Valley Tire Shop. Gas, water and lights. See DOKE GRIFFITH at his jewelry shop in building, or at Lancer, Ky. 7-13-4f.

MINE EQUIPMENT FOR SALE—1 11-KW Ridgeway motor-generator set. Direct connection. 150-hp. motor manual control panel complete. 2 28-A Jeffrey mining machines, 250 V., D. C. 1 1940 Ford 1½-ton dump truck with coal bed. 3000 bare copper wire. Above equipment is in good condition and may be seen operating. BETSY LAYNE COAL CORPORATION, S. E. Caudill, Mgr., Betsy Layne, Ky. 7-6-3t

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LOST—Coupons for 80 pounds of canning sugar, issued to Wayne Hall. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Hueysville, Ky. WAYNE HALL.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, and canning sugar stamps, issued to Lissie Sturgill. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Cliff, Ky. LISSIE STURGILL.

LOST — Certificate for 30 pounds canning sugar issued to John A. and Lizzie Hicks. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Garrett, Ky. JOHN A. HICKS.

LOST—Canning sugar stamps, issued to E. P. Davis. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Betsy Layne, Ky. E. P. DAVIS.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Woodrow W. Monk. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at HiHat, Ky. WOODROW W. MONK.

LOST—Ration Books Nos. 4, issued to Nancy Robinson and Billie Robinson. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Dwale, Ky. LEE ROBINSON.



## Well-trained GHOST wants work

THE local Society of Spooks and Spectres blames us for unemployment among its members.

They say a ghost has got to have long dark halls to work in and flickering candles to blow out. How can any self-respecting wraith rattle chains or utter mournful moans in a brightly lighted room with the radio playing swing music?

Seriously, today's children have little chance to learn the fear of the dark that once oppressed their elders. They don't know how shivery blackness can be. They never fumbled blindly for a match or felt tremulous relief as the lamp wick caught flame and slowly drove back the shadows.

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LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Lawrence Thomas. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Prestonsburg, Ky. LAWRENCE THOMAS.

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LOST—"A" Ration Book, issued to R. C. Barnett. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Martin, Ky. R. C. BARNETT.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Jerry Lee Corder. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Weeksburg, Ky. JERRY LEE CORDER.

LOST — Non-highway gas ration book, issued to A. L. Frazier. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Gearheart, Ky. A. L. FRAZIER.

NOTICE Delver Hall is filing application for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package at his location in his new building near highway bridge at McDowell, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law. 7-20-2t-pd.

From where I sit ... by Joe Martin

We're Proud of Our Fire Department

"Your outfit looked mighty fine in the parade," I told Ed Carey, our fire chief. "Everything polished within an inch of its life, and the men perky and snappy!" "That's how it should be," said Ed. "We have Thursday turnout inspections...and surprise inspections in between!" That sort of supervision is well repaid in the efficiency of our town's fire department. Reminds me of our Kentucky brewers. They watch all the time, not because they're looking for things to be wrong but just an ounce of prevention. The brewers' self-regulation program is just a formal lance that protects every Like the fire department's inspections, it keeps the way they ought to be. From where I sit, no approve of the way they run things these days.