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## This Town-- That World

Another week gone by since we got this sheet out. Another week dummies!

Dummies! Dummy guns and dummy gunners atop the halls of Congress! But no more protection is needed. For Nazi and Jap bombers know that four or five of their best friends are below.

**"A LITTLE LEARNING"**  
Now that we have point rationing, to "know your onions" is not enough. You'll have to know your corn and beans and so on, too.

**DEMOCRACY AT WORK**  
Rationing may go short on something. But it's glad we have it. It is democracy really at work. Rich and poor, black and white, Gentile and Jew--each alike is entitled to his 48 points over a given period. Otherwise, some of the "big boys" might have feasted while the "little ones" starved.

**"TAINT FABLE"**  
But that eight points not can be changed to the hoarder is not a penalty. It's a premium, and nothing else can be made of it.

**PROTECT THE TREES**  
In Summerville, all trees are subject to police regulations and no tree is ever cut in the town unless it is necessary for the preservation and proper use of the land. A dangerous condition in the tree. The town has an ordinance which declares that it shall be unlawful to injure or destroy any living tree or sapling within its corporate limits except through permission of the Town Council.

Presidents which has always been distinguished by its trees, needs some similar ordinance. "Spare that tree" should not be a mere poetic phrase. It should be a command that must be obeyed.

**DEAL AROUND ME**  
Among the unfortunate items of the week is that which tells of the Cincinnati man who played "Russian poker" till he died. He had entertained his friends, "told 'em, by whoring at the 'game." You know how many more are in the same predicament. The cylinder, give one cartridge in the cylinder, bet your life that the cylinder didn't stop on the cartridge, you put the muzzle of the gun to your temple and pull the trigger.

**WHEREIN WE SERVE**  
At least one daily newspaper we read found an advertiser who paid for the space required for publication of the Consumer's Declaration Form for Point Rationing that THE TIMES published free last week. That's what makes the difference between a paying business and just a place of business. And that's not all THE TIMES did. It printed without charge, 4,000 copies of the Declaration Form when the Ration Board have found that the Government Printing Office or somebody hadn't supplied Floyd county with its full quota.

**NEWS**  
Speaking of newspapers, business, etc., The Courier-Journal recently stated in black-face type on Page 1 something that is as much news to us as it is to them. It said: "I have given a dog. That item was to the effect that the C-J was, because of curtailment of paper, obliged to omit from its columns 22--twenty-three--columns of advertising. Looks like the boys in the major leagues would farm some of their material out."

**FISH HAD GOOD TASTE**  
L. J. Gerlach, of Allen, Floyd county's conservation officer, last year caught at least one fish, every month in the year--fishing below the locks or out of Kentucky during the month, this year, for he had done the same thing. And last Sunday.

(See story No. 1, Page 8)

## Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Revenue

### TO ALL PERSONS HAVING AN INTEREST IN UNDEEMED LAND:

Notice is hereby given this 17th day of Feb., 1943, of the intention to file suits for the enforcement of property located in Floyd county that was purchased by the state and county at a sheriff's sale for taxes, during any year or years from 1929 to 1937 inclusive. Any person having an interest in such property is requested to pay the necessary redemption costs to the county court clerk within the next twenty-four days so as to avoid litigation and the imposition of an additional 10 per cent penalty as provided in Section 134.140 Kentucky Revised Statutes.

WARD J. OATES,  
Commissioner of Revenue  
Filed by:  
W. B. BURCHETT  
County Attorney

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SPEAKING OF AND FOR FLOYD COUNTY

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THURSDAY

## 107 TO LEAVE HERE MARCH 5 FOR INDUCTION

### 22 Are Volunteers; Registrant-Numbers Asked for Numbers

One hundred and seven selectees--105 from Draft Board 4 and two transferred here from other boards--will leave here Friday morning, March 4, for possible induction in the armed forces at Huntington, W. Va.

Among them are 22 volunteers, all both young and old, to take part in this revival. The building is well lighted, heated and has comfortable chairs.

The speaker announces that he will follow the method of opening the Bible and giving God's answer to every question, emphasizing the importance of studying the prophetic words of the Bible at this time of uncertainty.

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## Bible Auditorium Revival To Open Sunday Night, Announcement Says

Evangelist L. A. Watson will begin a series of meetings at the Bible Auditorium on Third avenue, across from Nunner's store, Sunday, Feb. 28, at 8 p.m.

The speaker announces that he will follow the method of opening the Bible and giving God's answer to every question, emphasizing the importance of studying the prophetic words of the Bible at this time of uncertainty.

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Mr. Brannan had been ill for some time and paralysis was the direct cause of his death Monday. Mr. Goble died Sunday, five days after having been stricken.

Mr. Brannan was a son of William and Levisa Hunt Brannan and was born at Banner, March 1860. He was married to Mary Goble, 82 years ago. To this union were born 11 children. Surviving are his widow and the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Maude McGuire, Jachin, W. Va.; Mrs. Ruby Brannan, Prestonsburg; Madeline Brannan, Prestonsburg; Henry Brannan, Emma; Leona Brannan, Wagon Gap. He also leaves 43 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren and two brothers: Charles Brannan, Emma, and Burne Brannan, Albany.

He was one of Floyd county's best citizens and had been a member of the Baptist Church for over 40 years. His funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church, Emma, by the Rev. Isaac Stratton. Burial was made in the Sherman cemetery at Emma.

Mr. Goble, a son of Charlie and

## HELP FOR FLOYD FARMERS RANGES FROM SHOPS TO HENHOUSES

National county courses and services designed to boost farm production and ranging all the way from rolling blackboard shops to egg production have been initiated in Floyd county. Superintendent of Schools Town Hall said this week.

All such services are free to the farmer, the Floyd County Board of Education paying salaries of instructors and replainer and later being reimbursed by the federal government. Between 20 and 30 courses are now being offered, Mr. Hall said.

Repair, operation and construction of farm machinery is demonstrated and put into actual practice on Left Beaver Creek by J. C. Moore; on Right Beaver, by Paul Jettrell and W. H. Reddell. All courses are under the supervision of Roy Denney, Drift, R. L. Shepherd, Prestonsburg, and Eugene Stanley, Betsy Layne, vocational agriculture teachers.

Courses and projects now under way and instructors or workers in charge follow:

"Seed Castle Production," Paris Conley, Bonanza, "Hemp Production for Seed," V. A. Hayes, Langley; "Producing Poultry for Meat," Robert Barnett, Martin, Otis Conley, Bonanza, Was Campbell, Little Point, Maude S. Hall, Printer, R. L. Pitts, Dock, George W. Spradley, Weathersburg district, Graydon Howard, Pyramid, Jim Elliott, Beaver, "Commercial Vegetable Production," O. P. Elkins, Lambert, Willis Salisbury, Hunter, "Egg Production," A. L. Meade, Printer, Mrs. Artie S. Moore, Orkney; "Production of Poultry for Farm Families," Mrs. Panny Jarrell, Prestonsburg; "Pork Production," Jim Reynolds, Frause's Creek school.

## EWEN, VICTIM OF STROKE

### Floyd Mine Operator Succumbs at Martin Following Stroke

Stricken suddenly by a cerebral hemorrhage while visiting at the home of E. A. Faulkner, Martin, Sunday, Asa Brooks Ewen, Floyd county coal operator, died Monday morning at the Martin General hospital. He was 58 years old.

A resident of Charleston, W. Va., Mr. Ewen, operated a canal coal mine on Abbott Creek, near here, and another mine at West Liberty, W. Va., a sister of Beth county, Ky. He was a member of the Christian Church and a member of the local lodge.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Blanche Ewen, four sons and two daughters: William J. Ewen, Cincinnati, O.; Kelly, Rex and Edward Ewen, all of Charleston.

The body was prepared for burial by J. W. Call and Son and taken to Slade, Ky., for interment Wednesday.

## Tire Plant Announces Equipment Purchase Increasing Output

The Sandy Valley Tire Service this week announced purchase of a Vitapac multiple mold which will increase its output of re-capped tires to 1,500 a month, thus making it one of the largest in the state.

Completion of an addition to the plant's building on the Mayo Trail has been made to house new equipment. It was also announced.

The new mold, Franklin W. Moore plant manager said, will accommodate any size tire and will finish from two to three tires at a time. It is expected to be installed and in operation not later than March 1.

## Food Distributing Administration Plans End of Schoolboy Pail

The day when a Kentucky school child tucks his lunch under his arm and trudges off to the classroom will soon be a thing of the past, it was indicated by plans announced last week for a program of school lunches of the Food Distributing Administration.

Devoted to offset problems now faced by local communities such as shortages of manpower, warehouse facilities and difficulties of transporting food, the F.D.A. project will furnish finances for community school lunch programs, it was pointed out.

This is the plan. Community sponsors of lunch programs for youngsters in schools and welfare centers are to be encouraged to help themselves from local farmers and merchants. The F.D.A. regional office will reimburse them for the amount spent within a stipulated limit.

This method of getting the food will enable those counties in the state that do not now have ways to house facilities to inaugurate an adequate school lunch program, Daniel K. Young, F.D.A. acting state director, said.

Under the present school lunch program, which has been in operation for several years, the F.D.A. buys food stocks to support farm prices on more abundant crops and

## Hunter Man, Victim; Funeral Conducted Sunday Afternoon

William Lewis Sammons, 63 years old, died at his home at Hunter Friday.

A native of Boone Camp Johnson county, Mr. Sammons had resided in this county for several years and had many friends throughout this section. He is survived by eight sons and daughters: Mrs. All Mistle, Clayton, O.; Jim Sammons, Hunter; Mrs. Frank Pultz, Drift; John P. Sammons, Martin; Richard Sammons, of the U. S. navy; Ruby Sammons, Hunter and Archie Sammons, Dayton, O. He also leaves one brother and one sister: Jim Sammons, Williamsport, Ky., and Mrs. Mary Ward.

Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at Hunter, the Rev. G. R. Penning officiating, and under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

## R.A.'s Re-Organize; In Meeting Tuesday

The Royal Ambassadors, boys' church group, have re-organized for the second time have named Mayor E. P. Arnold their godfather. Mayor Arnold addressed the group at the home of Bob Francis Tuesday evening.

## BUS SYSTEM RE-ORGANIZED

### School Heads Told By ODT Economies Must Be Made

Complete re-organization of the school bus transportation system of the county is being ordered by the Office of Defense Transportation, it was under way this week.

Two of the buses, one operating from Prestonsburg high school and the other running between Martin and Maytown were taken out of service. County Superintendent Town Hall announced. Students accommodated by the extended routes of the remaining buses in operation.

A representative of the Lexington ODT office who appeared before a conference of county school superintendents from all of Eastern Kentucky in Ashland last Thursday said down the line. Superintendent Hall stated in outlining a 15-point set of rules to govern school bus operation. Among these regulations:

(See story No. 7, page 4)

## FLOYD NATIVE DIES AT 83

### Mrs. Frasure Succumbs At Daughter's Home At Flemingsburg

Mrs. Sallie J. Hall Frasure, 83 years old, native of this county, died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Hall, Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Frasure was the daughter of John and Nancy Hall and was the widow of E. S. Frasure, who for many years was merchant and postmaster at McDowell this county.

She was a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist Church for more than 50 years.

Surviving her are six sons and five daughters: A. L. Lee Frasure, McDowell; R. S. Frasure, Louisa; W. E. Frasure, Williamson, O.; W. R. Frasure, Dayton, W. S. Frasure, Wayneville, O.; Dr. T. C. Frasure, Ripley, O.; Mrs. L. P. Dammron, Olive Hill; Mrs. Hal Kinney, Wolf, Ky.; Mrs. E. V. Hall and Mrs. J. Hall, of Flemingsburg; Mrs. Ben Scott, Covington, Ky.

She also leaves four brothers and two sisters: William Hall, Mertie Clark, Oregon; W. B. Hall, Mertie Clark, Oregon; W. B. Hall, Mertie Clark, Oregon; W. B. Hall, Mertie Clark, Oregon.

Funeral was under direction of Rankin & Wright, Flemingsburg, Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. W. C. Penning officiating. Burial was at Elmville, Ky.

HOME FROM MT. STERLING  
Mrs. N. M. White returned last week from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fierick, at Mt. Sterling, Ky. and Mrs. Fierick left Monday for St. Laurens, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

## POINT SYSTEM REGISTRATION UNDER WAY

### 48 Points Allowed Each Consumer, OPA Tabulation Shows

How much processed food the new ration books will buy concerned Floyd county and the nation this week.

The 48 ration points allotted to each man, woman and child for March will command two cans of sliced pineapple, or three cans of peas, or 48 cans of baby food.

The 48 points may be spent, of course, on a variety of different foods. Here is what some of them will "cost" in the most popular can sizes:

Peas 16 points, corn 14, tomatoes 16, green beans 14, pears 21, peaches 21, grapefruit juice 22, tomato juice 32, soup 18, baby food 1.

Fruit and raisins "cost" 20 points a pound; frozen foods mostly 13 points a pound.

Registration of consumers began here Monday. Elsewhere in the county today (Thursday), at schools. A copy of War Book No. 2 was issued at Prestonsburg high school Wednesday every 20 seconds, it was said.

(See story No. 6, page 4)

## AMBUSH TRIAL TO BE HELD

### Here Before Harris To Be Given Hearing In Federal Court

Federal authorities will relinquish custody of Cecil Harris, now held as a draft dodger, to the Floyd circuit court for trial as the ambush-slayer of Noah Johnson at Halo in September, 1941.

Word to this effect reached County Attorney W. B. Burchett this week in a letter from U. S. District Attorney John T. McElaff, Lexington.

Mr. McElaff wrote that authority has been obtained from the Attorney General for the release of Harris to Floyd authorities for prosecution, on the condition that if he is acquitted or released he is to be returned by the Floyd circuit court to federal custody.

Harris has been removed from jail at Pikeville where he was lodged after having been arrested at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. C. Harris, near Pikeville.

His father has a federal charge as having harbored a draft dodger, but is now at liberty under \$2,500 bond.

## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

John Smith vs. Penn Fitzpatrick, etc.; D. B. Clarke, et al. Andy Wright vs. Emma Dutton Wright; Joe P. Tackett, et al. W. W. Cooley vs. Curtis Hicks, et al.; Edw. P. Hall, et al.

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
John Smith and Mae Morgan, Jesse Davis and Gladys Bryant, Winford Stone 21, Goodhue, and Annie Mae Webb, 18, Blue River; married at Prestonsburg Feb. 20 by the Rev. Alex Stephens, of the Baptist Church.

ADMINISTRATOR'S BONDS  
Alvin Gilliam, admx., estate of Wm. Goble, Myrtle Howes, admx., estate of James B. Howes, Jerry Richardson and Amanda Richardson, joint administrators, estate of Steve Richardson.

GUARDIAN NOMINATIONS  
Myrtle Howes, gdn. of Janet Howes, Dave Prater, gdn. of Willie Harris, 12.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Prestonsburg Oil & Gas Corporation is closing up its business as a corporation and is being dissolved as of January 30, 1943, and that George W. Snodgrass and Joe Hobson have been appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation as its representatives to close out the affairs of said corporation, and notice is further given that from and after said date, the business formerly conducted by the corporation will be conducted and managed by the said Joe Hobson and George W. Snodgrass as trustees for the former shareholders of said corporation.

PRESTONSBURG OIL & GAS CORPORATION  
By Joe Hobson, Secy.

2-4-41

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RALPH TAYLOR, N. G.  
E. J. COHN, V. G.  
W. G. AFRICA, Secretary  
EDWARD MAY, Treasurer  
L. V. GOBLE, Fin. Secretary  
W. M. DINGUS, Chaplain

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DENTIST  
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## ZEBULON LODGE No. 213

F. & A. M.

Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. Permanent quarters in our new Temple on Court street.

Notice to Candidates:  
E. A. and F. C. Degrees, first Saturdays. M. M. Degrees third Saturdays.

C. P. HUDSON, W. M.  
W. J. RYAN, Secretary

## Sandy Valley Encampment

No. 31, I. O. O. F.

Prestonsburg, Ky.

Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays each month.

All visiting brothers are invited.

Officers:  
J. M. PARSLEY, J. W.  
WM. DINGUS, H. P.  
F. C. HALL, Secy.

L. V. GOBLE, F. Scribe  
J. L. GUNNELLS, Treasurer  
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WALTER WINCHELL is on a tour of duty around the world. U. S. Diplomat in charge, contributors will substitute.

## Some Items Which

## WE SHOULD KNOW

## ABOUT THE JAPS

By James R. Young

Who Was 13 Years in Tokyo for INS.

NAVY LONG FOUNDATION, honoring the First Lady of China, established by her many friends in this country, has been given further honors by Walter College alumni on her arrival here 25 years after her graduation.

## TWO JAPS, for students in the

United States, are reported handling the 12,000 man Jap invasion army units in Northern Japan. These men would specialize in follow up, after combat troops, in commandeering radio stations, telephone switchboards, gasoline stations, highways, railways, bus lines and power houses. One is Lieut. Henry Shimomouchi, a former San Francisco resident, and as of Dec. 7, 1941, in charge of Japan's so-called cultural office of Rockefeller Center. The other is Capt. Kiyoshi Matsuo, war athletic director of Waseda University in Tokyo who entertained visiting American college and professional athletic teams.

## A BICYCLE, the chief means of

transportation in Shanghai, now costs \$10,000 in Chinese currency. The Japs, pre-Pearl Harbor, were the world's largest bike manufacturers, making them, from processed American scrap at \$5 apiece and selling them on a one year installment plan to the natives of Indo-China, Siam and Malaya. In the drive on Singapore, Bangkok and Rangoon, the Japs seized the bicycles and literally pedaled their way through the peninsula. Tokyo has an estimated 2,000,000 bicycles. Few have coaster brakes, which are the costliest part. The ingenious Jap manufacturers decided to leave off the expensive part—if you want to stop, fall off.

## THIS WINTER Shanghai will witness

hundreds of deaths from freezing and insufficient food. The Japs, in addition, are peddling several thousand tons of winter coats, hats, gloves, and scarves. The Japs, last winter, seized all wheat and rice, and sealed Red Cross supplies—not one ounce or a single bottle of medicine was permitted in use. The Japs prefer to have thousands die in Shanghai's below zero weather than survive and require to be fed.

## CHILEANS are being told by the

Jap ambassador down there that if their country breaks with the Axis, Japan will bomb the long shore line. Japan for years was one of Chile's great nitrate buyers. In return the Chileans obtained Jap goods, guns, pottery, rayon, uniforms and military equipment. Boatloads of Chilean nitrate, sold by a British controlled company, went to Japan in return for munitions and agriculture. Now we must use nitrate on the Japs in the Pacific. The Japs and gasoline have taken the Japs to the Solomon and the Aleutians. Or, as Dr. Lin Yun explains the paradox, we sold the Japs the Ninth Avenue Elevated so they could make bullets. Now we have torn down the Second Avenue Elevated to make bullets to fire back at the Ninth Avenue train.

## HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS

committee should include besides Clare Boothe Luce, a famous medical missionary from China, Dr. Walter H. Judd, elected from Minneapolis. He was one of many warning us years ahead of Japan's method of attacks. Possibly the Luce-Judd combination might shake down some of the mentally stagnated members of the State Department. And here's a tip: True Chinese are indignant that we have not cleaned house in the Far Eastern division of Mr. Hall's department, a year after war started. We'd better clean those career barnacles from the ship of state, if we expect future cooperation from the Chinese.

## RAY KINNEY, the coast to coast

Hawaiian broadcaster who recently played to a 22,000 house in Chicago, knows Hawaiian legislative work. He worked as a page boy in the Territorial halls. His under is an outstanding authority on Japs in Hawaii and published a book 20 years ago which was suppressed because it revealed Jap plots and intrigues in illegal immigration work.

## SIR GEORGE SANSOM, one of the

few British officials really familiar with Japan, has been appointed economic expert on Far Eastern affairs to the British Embassy in Washington. His counterpart in the American Embassy in Tokyo was Frank Starr Williams. Both Sir George and Frank Williams were outstanding authorities on Japan's plans for war—but few wanted to listen to them, especially the cotton people who were selling the Japs on credit and wanted Williams to help collect their bills.



Washington, D. C.  
REVISE WARSHIP PLANS  
Due in part to the fact that the U. S. navy had not had opportunity to profit from the experience of engaging in any major naval battles between 1812 and 1942, some of our biggest and fastest ships now under construction are being revised.

The main factor being changed in the blueprints is extra precaution against fire.

This is the lesson learned from the aircraft carriers Wasp and Lexington, and the cruiser Bore, all swept by fire after the direct damage of battle.

Since then the bureau of ships has made a study of the hazards, finding that even an allied vessel can be swept by fire when tremendous heat is engendered, as from exploding shells and burning oil and gasoline.

New plans call for elimination of linoleum flooring, substitution of metal plates for cork in insulation, decrease in paint, and elimination of interior woodwork. Also, there will be larger fire hose and better fire fighting equipment generally.

Navy hopes to put an end to the grief of losing ships by fire after they have survived the battle.

Note: In the War of 1812, fire was a real hazard to wooden ships. But in the Spanish-American war, the only real engagement was between the Monitor and Merrimack which were not much bigger than modern escort vessels.

In the Spanish-American war, there were no real naval battles and only one life was lost at Santiago, when an American sailor fell from the mast on the Texas. In the World war, the U. S. navy got in too late to participate in any naval activities other than convoy work.

## FDR'S SURPRISE

One thing that didn't get out about the "surprise" party at the White House for Speaker Sam Rayburn, or Sam's 61st birthday, was a little thrill added by the President.

Rayburn was called to the White House with other congressional leaders ostensibly to discuss the legislative program for the new session. But when the group arrived, all but Rayburn were ushered into the private office of Economic Stabilizer Jimmy Byrnes.

The speaker was told that the President wished to see him alone for a few minutes.

The two men discussed legislative problems for a few minutes. Meaningful, the President was keeping a sharp eye on the clock. Suddenly he broke out:

"Sam, the reason I asked you to come in here alone was to discuss a personal matter that has been worrying me."

Rayburn eyed him curiously, said nothing.

"It's about you, Sam," continued the President without batting an eyelash. "We're old friends and I feel I can talk to you frankly. I've got reports from Capitol Hill that the Democrats are dissatisfied with your leadership. They think you're getting too old to be speaker."

At that precise moment, Democratic Congressman Cliff Woodrum of Virginia, Bob Ramspeck of Georgia, Republican Leader Joe Martin of Massachusetts, Rep. Jim Wadsworth of New York and other house members burst into the President's office, led by Jimmy Byrnes.

Together they began singing "Happy Birthday to You" at the top of their voices.

"That was perfect timing, fellows," beamed the President. He had planned it all very carefully himself.

## JOE MARTIN VS. SAM RAYBURN

Privately Republican Leader Joe Martin never had any intention of letting the Republicans organize congress and elect him as speaker. Until 1942, this responsibility is the last thing he wants.

However, the canny Republican leader took keen delight in keeping the opposition guessing and carried on his little joke until the very last.

When he marched into Speaker Rayburn's office with the committee that was to escort Rayburn to the floor, following his re-election, Martin was grinning from ear to ear.

"Sam," he said, "I've got some bad news for you. I hope you can hold up under the shock. You've been re-elected speaker."

## MERRY GO ROUND

Jeep which have been delivered to Mexico from the United States have earned the nickname "Jas curacuras" (the cacklers).

The Undersecretary of War Patterson is so busy he has to send a messenger out to buy his shoe laces.

Under current military rule in Hawaii, the army takes about \$1,500 monthly from the civilian government's budget and uses it for propaganda and publicity to keep itself in power.

Soldiers and marines on Guadalcanal may not be aware of it, but one thing they are fighting for is beer. As soon as our position in the Solomons is stabilized it will be possible to start gathering wild rubber.

The amounts will be small, but a symbol of what we can get when we begin the reconquest of the great networks of Pacific islands.

## MAY BACKS MARSHALL

In Army Manpower Demands; Senator Adds His Support

Washington, Feb. 10—Chairman May (D., Ky.) of the House Military Affairs Committee declared today that Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff, in a discussion with legislators "unquestionably" had justified the army's need for increased manpower.

In a private meeting with about 50 members of the House and Senate, Marshall was reported to have outlined the progress of American military campaigns and to have explained the need for further increases in the personnel which some legislators said would boost the army's total to 8,200,000 men by the end of the year.

Several Senators and House members said they were impressed by the clear way in which Marshall outlined the military necessities. Senator Chandler (D., Ky.) commented:

"It would be a tragic mistake not to give Marshall all of the men he needs to do the job."

On the other hand, Senator Nye (R., N.D.), who has been a vocal opponent of the war effort, told reporters he thought he read into Marshall's remarks the possibility of some reduction in manpower demands under the goal which would place more than 11,000,000 persons in the armed forces by the year's close.

Some legislators have been pressing for a reduction in the military manpower goals in order to assure additional work on the farms.

One of these, Senator Downey (D., Calif.), who attended the conference, said he had changed his opinion that the military forces could not exceed 9,000,000 men without curtailing production of foodstuffs and war materials at home.

## Qual for Liberation

Must Be Ordered

By March 1st

Game and Fish Clubs and individual sportsmen over the state have been told by S. A. Wakefield, director of the Division of Game and Fish, to send in their orders for additional qualification for membership in the Division of Game and Fish by March 1st.

Wakefield stated that the total number of qualification for membership in the Division of Game and Fish by March 1st would be 12,500 each.

The game and fish clubs were urged to appoint their state representatives immediately and send names of the members of the committees to the Division of Game and Fish, as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made to contact these men when the birds are ready for distribution.

Attention was called to the advisability of collecting old shoe boxes and other paper containers for the distribution of Bob White quail which will take place around April 1.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Highland Gas Company is closing up its business as a corporation and is being dissolved as of January 30, 1943, and that George W. Snodgrass and Joe Hobson have been appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation as its representatives to close out the affairs of said corporation, and notice is further given that from and after said date, the business formerly conducted by the corporation will be conducted and managed by the said Joe Hobson and George W. Snodgrass as trustees for the former shareholders of said corporation.

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Printed lesson outlines are provided for the course of 28 lessons, covering the major doctrines and prophecies of the Bible. The course is FREE. You can secure an enrollment card at the revival or by sending a card to Evangelist L. A. Watson, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

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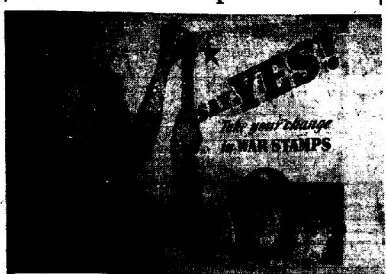
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ENROLL TODAY



## War Stamp Sales Over Half Billion Dollars, Album Drive Opens



Appealing Margaret C. Russell of the War Savings Staff lacks up this new Treasury poster which will be seen from coast to coast. It pictures retailers' slogan, "SAY YES." A drive is underway for Americans to buy additional War Stamps to fill albums and convert them into War Bonds.

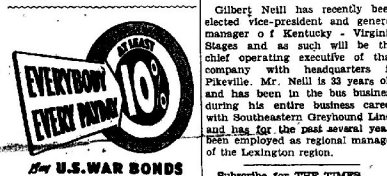
WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's retailers from the tiniest hamlets to the mighty cities are acting as a spearhead in a great Treasury Department campaign to sell the additional War Savings Stamps needed to fill more than 100,000,000 albums now in the hands of the American people.

According to a report released by the Treasury Department today, sales of War Savings Stamps totaled \$587,770 for the period from May 1, 1941, through November, 1942.

Stamp sales have risen from less than three million dollars per month when they were first introduced to the public to an average of more than fifty million dollars per month at the present time.

The Treasury's slogan, "A half-

Five hundred pounds of tin cans were brought to club meetings by homemakers in Shelby county in December.



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## SHIKE'S POKES

(The above expression herein are those of the writer and not necessarily those of this newspaper. Editor.)

Well, I'm just wondering if it was a coincidence that we had to start signing up for Ration Book 2 on Feb. 22. That is the birthday of George Washington. He could tell a lie and we can, but shouldn't.

I see where the new "Victory Savings" will contain soy beans, wheat, corn and other sundry substances besides meat. It might be named Victory Sausage, but I say it's just hash in lights.

I'm getting—tired of listening to these chronic grumblers, the pessimists, just the old bellyachers who are indifferent to what is going on. They censure others but do nothing themselves. They want the privileges and liberties of democracy but will contribute nothing toward safeguarding it. They hear about shortages of certain things and they buy and buy and over-buy. No wonder shortages occur. No wonder things are scarce. Coming right home to us, "our government," the greatest on earth, asked all of us miners to work six days. The U. M. W. of A. the "Strongest Union in America," and the Southern operators signed an agreement to work six days—with no penalty attached—just with one or two days' last week without reporting any reason, but just helping Hitler. This is my kind of a patriotic duty. Let's not let one part down for want of a little sacrifice.

We just heard one on Dan Combs who is now in Uncle Sam's army. The sergeant told Dan that if he could only shoot as well as he could at her he'd be a first class marksman for an airplane spotter.

Harve McKinney has an airplane dog. Every plane that goes over Harve's dog chases it as long as it is in sight. We'll have to use him for an airplane spotter.

One miner up here was off from work for an unusual cause—too tickled to work. He ate a big "hair" of fresh hog's ears and forgot to hair them. He's been too tickled to work ever since.

John Horn had an awful bad week. He couldn't find a thing to "harp on Roosevelt" about.

Boy, that bunch of dumb Congressmen who wanted Winchell of the air—well, they should be investigated. Winchell is just as great a patriot as Paul Revere. Didn't he warn us of our peril for four years and that same bunch of Congressmen called him a warmonger? But Winchell was right and those Congressmen were wrong. So why in the hell don't they shut up? Those Congressmen had reasons for hobnobbing with indicted, undependable fellows and I believe their reasons were not the best for America. In the opinion of that Hoffman's name should be included in that list—people we could do without.

I'm just wondering why they are calling Ciel the "Butcher Boy."

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## U. K. Enrollment Drop Partly Due To War, Industrial Demands

Enrollment for the winter quarter of the 1942-43 school year at the University of Kentucky dropped approximately 415, in comparison to figures for the same term last year, according to a compilation from the office of the registrar. The loss is partly due to enlistments in the armed forces, selective service, and the demands of industry.

In spite of the decreased enrollment, 26 Kentucky counties showed an increase in enrollment, as did nine states. Only seven Kentucky counties of the 120 in the state were not represented, while students registered from 37 of the 48 states and from six foreign countries. The total registration was 2,480.

Among those registered from Floyd county are: Eldie Williams, Betty Moore, Billie V. Moore, Dean K. Combs, Paul C. Combs, Patricia Elizabeth Rimmer, all of Prestonsburg; Virginia Ward, Marcie Little, Miss Sadie Irene Bridgeman, all of Wheelwright; P. Fern Roberts, Coborn, Richard Leslie Turner, Martin; Walter Clay Guinness, Danforth; Dorothy Turner, Martin; Doris Harriet Elizabeth Messer, Garrett; Norine Cann, Fed; Helen Marie Co. burn, Garrett; James Herbert Sewell, Ligon.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### WOMEN IN WAR AND WAR WORK

Editor, The Times:

Who said this was a man's war? We women are making the men take back all they ever said about the fair, feminine sex. The old saying, "A woman's place is in the home," no longer holds good. The women are in there pitching and doing their bit in winning this great war. Take the women in Floyd county, for instance. We have women in the WAACS, women in the WAVES, women in all kinds of war industries doing the work of men; we have women in most all the offices of the U. S. Navy, women are doing more and more each day to help win this war! Besides the women in war work, we must not forget the ever-faithful housewife. All in all, the women do much or more than any in saving for the soldiers, sailors and marines who must, above all, be cared for first with the best of everything.

I have heard so many people talking about their sacrifices and how they don't see how they can get on so long without this and that and luxury. I believe if they would stop and think about what their boys and our boys are going through they would seriously change their minds about their luxuries. We have boys in all parts of the world today fighting for our rights and the coming generation's rights to life and the pursuit of happiness. Now I ask you good people of Floyd county, shouldn't we wake up to the fact that we are not sacrificing anything compared to what our boys "Over There" are sacrificing so that we may live in happiness and peace in the coming years?

JANICE TERRY, Wayland, Ky.

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DISCUSSIONS lately have been held at the length and width of the Middle Western rivers concerning the names of all-around stars.

In these arguments, many of them started in army camps, we have had such names as Jim Thorpe, Bronko Nagurski, Sammy Baugh and many others.

As a composite star, we have just heard from an old friend we'd like to enter in this competition.

In any mass formation of prominent celebrities his name might be swept aside.

Here are his qualifications—A 160-pound blinding, hard-hitting full-back at Vanderbilt around 1905-high-school college boxer.

Grantland Rice—professor of English at Vanderbilt—author of five volumes of extremely high-class verse, largely sonnets—now teaching in charge of boxing at Amherst along the lines of war training.

His name is David Morton. One of Dan McGuffin's favorite football players and one of Amherst's best.

Dave Morton couldn't hit the line with Thorpe or Nagurski, or pass like Baugh. But he was still 188 pounds of crack and bang.

But neither of these men could box with him—and neither could any of the other players. "Harmon," "Slips in Harbour" and other published works.

And I have an idea some of these could learn English at Amherst with quite the same effectiveness.

**Strong for Boxing**

Here is a letter from Dave Morton that explains itself.

"I welcomed your emphasis on boxing for soldier training in a recent column. I'm running the boxing team at Amherst. All you say about parry and thrust and feint is true. Plus two other things. Keeping on balance—set for offense or defense—every second under all conditions.

"Discovery (for beginners) of the surprising margin of endurance and vigor in boxing is a real eye opener. The uninitiated don't know they have it. They learn this from boxing.

"These two things go into the list of wartime dividends from boxing experience.

"At Amherst boxing is compulsory now for every student. I have 150 a week taking an hour of boxing. I make one another around. They like it, for the most part, and all of them want what it gives—coordination, skill in offense and defense, capacity for absorbing punishment.

"Don't let anyone tell you the college student is soft. I take one or two hours a week (and other things around the jaw and body) learning that they are as tough as myk. He's willing—and he's determined to learn how to give and take, and to be skillful as well."

**Boxing's Worth**

When over 60-year-old Tony Bidie is willing to meet a bayonet fighter with bare hands—when Tommy Loughran takes the bayonets on with boxing gloves, you get the main idea.

There is still another idea that can be added to this list, brought out by another old friend known as Jack Dempsey.

Lieutenant Dempsey could never hit a line, throw a pass or even take time to read a sonnet, much less compose one.

But the Old Manassa Mauler had another good reason for boxing's worth.

"The big help," Jack says, "is the confidence it brings to these fellows. They seem to think they are dubs at the start. And most of them are—don't know a right hand from a left hand. But after two weeks, when they find they can take a punch and can throw a few, they are different guys. They look you in the eye in a different way. I've seen scores of these boys hurt from a punch, and I made them stop for a rest. They don't like to be stopped. They don't want to give up. They are hurt and still keep swinging. And I'm now talking about clumsy-looking starters who couldn't even chin themselves twice when they came to camp."

**Untapped Mines**

This country is full of possible stars and potential athletes who have never had a chance to prove their place in the shining sun of competition.

There has been entirely too much concentration on the few who, as football players, fighters or baseball players, could attract crowds at the gate.

Some stars had more color than others—although they may not have been better athletes. The build-up always has been important.

## Kentucky Farmers Face Biggest Job

"Farming in 1943, the biggest job Kentucky farmers ever faced is the name of a leader published by the Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

"More farm products than ever before is the goal for 1943—and this in the face of shortages of other supplies, fertilizers and other machinery, and transportation. Farmers will need all their shrewdness and determination, but the goal can be met! As a rule, the thing for each farmer to do is to produce more of the things he is best prepared to produce, rather than to take on too many projects.

"Good, average-quality products and high yields are the order for 1943. There will probably be little price minimum for fancy quality, and the effort had better be used for greater output. Home production of as much as possible of feed for livestock and food for family will be an important help in meeting the national goals. It will assure the family the needed supplies, do away with much needless hauling, and release food for other uses.

"Careful planning of marketing and greater co-operation among neighbors and commercial truckers will be necessary if farm products are to move into marketing channels without severe loss.

The leader gives practical information on soil productivity, crop varieties, use of machinery, work-schedule and labor, and the raising of cattle, hogs, dairy cows, sheep and poultry.

Hog cholera outbreaks in Missouri county were blamed on trucks and stockyards.

**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

Uncle Sam's lighter 37-millimeter anti-tank guns are dubbed "tank killers." They are attached to the infantry and the field artillery, and cost approximately \$6,500 each. They have proved particularly effective in anti-tank warfare.

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Men are dying for the Four Freedoms. The least we can do here at home is to buy War Bonds—10% for War Bonds, every pay day.

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# Society

## Notes

### Mrs. Culbertson, Hostess To Wesleyan Guild

Mrs. G. A. Culbertson was hostess Tuesday night to the Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church. At the conclusion of the program a salad course was served to the following:

Mrs. Margaret Jones, Virginia Hale, Mary Lou Layne, Emma Alice May, Stella Spurlock, Oval Hall, Minnie Grace Sutherland, Edna Carroll Greenwood, Muriel Kelly, Virginia Shivel, Ruth Worland, Phyllis Ranier, Dora Woods, Hope Soradlin, Eleanor Horn, May K. Roberts, Dorothy L. Rablin, J. W. McIntosh, Mrs. Chumley, Misses Frances Jones, Margaret E. May, Pauline Hereford, Josephine Davidson.

### HERE FROM WAYLAND

Mrs. Frank Cooley, of Wayland, and son, Cpl. Dave Cooley, of the Airborne Command, 8th, Bragg, W. C., were visitors here Tuesday. Cpl. Cooley left Wednesday to return to Ft. Bragg after visiting his parents at Wayland.

### VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Osborne, Sr. of Martin, were business visitors here Tuesday.

### ENTERTAINS TO DINNER

Mrs. Josie D. Harkins entertained to dinner at her home on second avenue Sunday, having as her guests Mrs. Osa F. Ligon and the following members of her family: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr. and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott Harkins and children.

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### RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Mrs. H. C. French has returned home from the Methodist hospital, Filkville, where she submitted to an operation. She is greatly improved and hopes to be out soon.

### SPEND WEEK-END HERE

Mrs. and Mrs. John Findlayson, of Lexington, were here the latter part of the week, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Spradlin, and Mr. Spradlin. They returned home Monday.

### MR. BRANHAM SUCCEEDS AT EMMA

John Branham passed away this week at his home at Emma after a long illness. His daughter, Madeline, who lives at the home of Dr. Davidson, has returned home to be with her family for a few days.

### ENTERTAIN TO DINNER

Mrs. Tot Mann and son, Floyd Arnold Mann, were dinner and overnight guests of Mrs. Ambrose Mandt Monday.

### VISITS IN LOUISIA

Mrs. J. M. Weddington was the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Hager in Louisiana last week. Rev. Hager is pastor of the Baptist Church there and his family were former residents of Prestonsburg. Mrs. Hager is the former Miss Edna Sizemore. Her mother, Mrs. Flora Sizemore, who has been visiting them for some time, returned home this week.

### RETURN TO BALTIMORE

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb and baby have returned to Baltimore, where Mr. Webb is a foreman in the Glenn L. Martin plant.

### CONFINED BY ILLNESS

Mrs. Len S. Moles has been ill at her home for several days. She is reported as improved.

### HOME FROM WASHINGTON

Misses Ruby and Goldie Burke are visiting their mother on Bonanza road. They are employed in government offices in Washington, D. C.

### SUFFERING FROM PNEUMONIA

Wilson Clark is confined to his home on Friend street with pneumonia. His condition has been quite serious.

### HAS MUMPS

Bobby Huff is a victim of mumps this week and not able to attend his classes at school.

### MRS. CADDEN, HERE

Mrs. E. R. Cadden, of Martin, was here Wednesday, guest of Mrs. Ambrose Mandt.

### EN ROUTE TO VISIT MOTHER

Raymond Turner, of Ashland, was here Friday en route to Northern to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary (Cooley) Turner, who is very ill. Her many relatives there are anxious about her recovery.

### FROM ASHLAND

Harry Hatcher, of Ashland, was transacting business here last week. He expects to enter defense work soon.

## Weekly Torment



To judge by the awful pain in the eye of Baby Snooks, Daddy's smile of contentment isn't going to last very long. Daddy, played by Hanley Stafford, is heard in his scratchy torment every Thursday at 8:00 p. m. EWT, over WLW-NBC.

## State DAR Conference

State conference of the Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution will meet in Lexington, March 8, 9, 10 and 11, at the Lafayette Hotel, with Mrs. George Bright Howe, state regent, presiding. The program for the conference is slated as follows:

March 8, 2:30 p. m.—State Board meeting, Lafayette Hotel Ball Room; March 9—conference opens at 9 o'clock at Lafayette hotel; March 9—chaplain's luncheon 12 o'clock at Lafayette hotel open to all; March 9—evening session 7:30 p. m. at Lafayette hotel open to all; March 10—10-regular session open to all; March 10—memorial service, Red Room of Lafayette hotel; March 10—conference banquet 7 p. m. at Lafayette hotel open to all; March 10—pages' ball following banquet; March 11—conference closes with State Board meeting.

Members from John Graham chapter who expect to attend the conference are: Medaimes C. P. Stephens, Sam L. Spradlin, Gwynn Ford, E. F. Arnold, Jo M. Davidson, O. T. Stephens, Herbert Salisbury, L. S. Moles, Harry Sandie, Everett H. Sowards, Henry D. Pittpatrick, Osa F. Ligon, Winnie P. Johns, Joe Hobson, Lida Cottrell.

### MR. FRAZIER VERY ILL

Melvin Frazier, father of Chalmers and Saterell Frazier, is very ill at his home at Clacker, Ark. Chalmers Frazier, who are stationed at Boca Raton, Florida, and Pvt. Saterell Frazier, who is at Camp Davis, N. C., are on their way home to be with their father.

### ENTERTAIN ALLENS

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., entertained Pvt. R. R. Allen and Mrs. Allen to dinner on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hays had the Alleys to dinner on Tuesday. Pvt. Allen has recovered from a recent operation at the army hospital, Aberdeen, Md., and left Wednesday for Ft. Benjamin Harrison.

### VISITING SISTER

Mrs. Amanda Young, of Hindman, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Francis, Sunday.

### RETURNS FROM LEXINGTON

Mrs. Jack D. Salisbury has returned from Lexington where she spent a few weeks visiting Mr. Salisbury who is stationed at the signal corps depot. She is back at the Smart Appearance Beauty Shop.

### HERE FROM GARRETT

Mrs. W. H. Fields, of Garrett, was here Monday.

### ATTEND GRADUATION EXERCISES

Mrs. Dick Davis and Mrs. Earl Spurlock returned last week from Quantico, Va., where they attended the graduation from the officer candidate class of Lieut. Joe Taylor Hyden. He was promoted Feb. 10 to the rank of Second Lieutenant. Lieut. Hyden is a brother of Mrs. Davis and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyden. Before enlisting in the Marine Corps he was coach of Prestonsburg high school athletics.

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## ACT FAST WHEN A COLD THREATENS

At the very first sniffle, sneeze, or any sign of a cold just try a few drops of Vicks Vapo-Rol in each nostril. If used in time, Vapo-Rol's quick action helps prevent many colds from developing. And remember this, when a head cold makes you miserable or congested, "Vapo-Rol" will help you sleep—3-4 times as long as Vapo-Rol. It shrinks swollen membranes, (2) relieves irritation, (3) helps loosen and clear clogged nasal passages. Enjoy the relief it brings. Follow directions in folder.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Announcement is made of the birth on Monday, Feb. 22, at the Painville hospital of an eight-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Carter, of Prestonsburg. The newborn has been named James Joseph Jr. Mrs. Carter is the former Miss Geneva Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Irwin, of Painville.

## RETURNS FROM OHIO

Harry Stamper returned Thursday from Friendship, O., where he has been visiting his son, Harry Stamper.

## HOUSEGUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo had as their houseguests here Pvt. and Mrs. R. R. Allen.

## IN FIVEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis were in Fiveville Tuesday on business.

## HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Martin J. Lee, Jr. was the weekend guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Lee. He is stationed at Ft. Knox.

## BUYS FARM IN BLUE GRASS

R. G. Francis returned last week from Mt. Sterling, where he purchased a 156-acre farm about two miles from the city limits. Mr. Francis does not expect to live on the farm.

## CONSULTING SPECIALIST

J. W. Howard was in Lexington last week consulting a specialist. He is suffering from a kidney ailment which kept him in Lexington several weeks. He has taken treatment from the specialist and returned home to Lexington.

## HOME AFTER SIX YEARS

Willard Allen arrived this week from California for a visit with his father, R. T. Allen. He has been in California for the last six years.

## BACK AT WORK

Martin—Dr. G. Collins has reopened his office, after a brief illness.

## Jobs To Be Offered By Civil Service Man

Bryant G. Davis, Civil Service representative, will be at the courthouse here Tuesday, March 2, to hire laborers, truckdrivers, clerks, storekeepers, mechanics, typists and stenographers for war work at Dayton, O. It was announced this week by the U. S. Employment office at Painville.

Salaries range from \$1,280 to \$1,800 a year, plus overtime. Women are being urged in particular to apply for these jobs, and men in A selective service classification will be accepted for many positions. At the same time the Employment Service announced that a representative of the Pennsylvania railroad will be at the U. S. Employment office in Painville March 4 to hire railroad trackmen to work in Ohio. Transportation is furnished, and the pay is at the rate of 55 cents an hour, plus overtime above 48 hours a week. Living quarters will be furnished, it was said. Men from 17 to 55 are acceptable for this work.

## BUY WAR BONDS!

## Miss Patrick, First Woman From Floyd To Enter Marine Reserves

Cleveland, O. Feb. 19 (AP)—Miss Catherine Patrick, West Virginia, was the first woman from Floyd County to enter the Marine Corps Reserve here today and became Floyd county's youngest woman in service and the first lady marine. She recently passed her twentieth birthday.

After being sworn in at the office of Naval and Marine Corps Officer, Recruitment here Miss Patrick will be sent to the Marine Corps Training School at Quantico, Va., to receive her basic training.

The first class of the new branch of the Marine Corps Training School will leave for Quantico, Va., on March 1, and Miss Patrick will be among the group.

When she has completed six weeks of intensive training she will either be assigned to active duty or given further training in one of the five marine or naval training stations where men receive the same special training.

All members of the Women's Reserve, either as privates or as lieutenants, must have a college degree or be in process of becoming an officer candidate. There will be promotion from the ranks, depending entirely on individual ability and leadership.

## SPENDS FURLOUGH HERE

Pfc. Joe P. Tackett, Jr. of the Medical Corps, Camp Pendleton, Va., recently spent a furlough with his parents, Alvin and Mrs. J. P. Tackett, here.

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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FOR STATE SENATOR

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### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

I am a candidate for reelection as Representative from the 37th Congressional District.

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### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce R. T. ALLEN of West Prestonsburg, Ky., as a candidate for Representative from the 1st Legislative District composed of Floyd County, Mass. (Senatorial Districts 1 and 2), subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary.

### FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce WILLARD MAY, SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August, 1943 primary. Your support will be appreciated.

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# NEWS FROM FLOYD COMMUNITIES

## HAROLD

**By CHARLES R. ROBINETTE**  
Cpl. Gene Blackburn, of the U. S. Army, formerly stationed at Ft. Bragg, N. C., arrived home last week to visit his parents and other relatives.

Ft. Ray Hamilton, of the army, left for the army was held at the Harold-Laynesville school Tuesday night. The party was given by the community and was sponsored by Mrs. Helen. Refreshments were served and games were played.

Children of the Harold-Laynesville school have organized a 4-H club. Officers were elected by members and are: President, Lois Raitt; vice-president, Charles Keithley; secretary, Billie Ruth Elkins; treasurer, Peggy Stumbo; cheer leader, Daisy Lou Salisbury. A meeting was held and all members discussed "Kinds of Foods." There were many projects for the members to choose from. Many of the boys chose gardens, poultry, and pigs. The girls chose sewing and cooking. All boys who are members of the 4-H club are to meet each Friday afternoon, and the girls are to meet on Wednesday afternoons. There are 39 girls and 24 boys in the club. Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Howell are the leaders of the girls' "Busy Bee" club, and County Agent Isbell is leader of the boys' "Harold Mountaineers Club."

Sylvester Younce, formerly of Be'veman, has moved to Harold.

A. J. Martin, principal of Harold-Laynesville school, was present at the principals' meeting at Prestonsburg recently.

To celebrate Washington's Birthday, school children here are collecting old clothes for the Russians.

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## MAYTOWN

**PERSONALS**  
Mesdames J. H. Allen, G. E. Allen and little Peggy Sue Allen were shopping in Pikeville Friday.

Mrs. Kermit Beverly and sons, Paul and Bill, recently returned from California, where Lt. Beverly was stationed, will be transferred to Canada, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reed this week.

Mrs. Claude Hagans was in Martin Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Arnold Cooley was shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. V. A. Hayes were in Pikeville Thursday on business.

Townsend Combs drove to Hazard on business Thursday.

Mrs. H. Hagans and daughter, Miss Rose Hagans, left Monday for Baltimore, Md., to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hagans.

Mrs. Mark Reed was shopping in Pikeville Thursday.

Mrs. Howard Ramey and son, John, of Portsmouth, O., arrived Sunday to spend several weeks with Mrs. Ramey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hagans.

Miss Ruby Elizabeth Scales of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton.

T. A. Combs, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Towns, Combs, who has been an engineer for the army for some time, recently returned to the unit for service.

**WORKERS TO MEET**  
Thomas Patrick, the Rev. J. B. Hahn, the Rev. Roy Bevis and Ed Hicks, who constitute a committee to raise funds for aiding a Maytown family, have requested the following persons to meet with them Sunday at 1 p. m. in the Hahn home for the purpose of launching the drive: H. P. May, Jones Moore, Mesdames T. Patrick, W. W. Cooley, Sid Beasley, Mabrey Hays, Arnold Cassidy, John May, Wiley Jones, V. A. Hays, E. R. May. Others needed on various sub-committees will be called on later. The committee hopes to repair or rebuild the much-disputed home of this family, also to provide them with food and clothing over a period of time.

At the same time and place the Maytown church board of stewards composed of V. A. Hays, Arnold Cassidy, T. Patrick, Mabrey Hays and G. A. May, Sr., will meet to organize the spring drive for benevolence and other expenses now due.

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Miss Mary Dolson, recently became the bride of Mr. Morris Williams. The young couple expect to reside at Delroy, Mich., where Mr. Williams is employed in defense work.

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ANNE STUMPO, Sheriff  
2-11-43  
Floyd County, Ky.

## EMMA

**PERSONALS**  
(Last week's correspondence)  
Pfc. Orla W. Wright arrived last week for a 15-day visit with his wife, Mrs. Violeta Wright, and other relatives. He is stationed at Mather Field, Calif.

Misses Ann Leslie and Mary Leslie, of Emma, spent Friday night with friends at Pikeville.

Tilden Boyd is reported as recovering from a major operation at the Pikeville hospital.

The Rev. John Laferty has been seriously ill, but is said to be recovering.

Sgt. Russell Kendrick, of the U. S. Army, is spending a furlough, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alice Kendrick, of Emma.

## ESTILL

White Castle has resigned from his job as plumber for the Central Kentucky Coal Company here. He is leaving soon for Baltimore.

Mrs. Frank Cooley and son left for their home at Newport News, Va., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall, here.

Charles Hall, of Estill, left for Newport News, Va., for defense work.

Cpl. Leonard Warrens, who is in the army, was heard from recently for the first time in more than three months.

## TRAM

**By CLYDE HINCHMAN**  
Misses Little Mae Layne and Zella Stratton have been visiting in Detroit, Mich.

Mitchell Dolson recently returned to his home here. He has been employed in defense work in Albion, Mich.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ora Amburgy and daughter, Peggy, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hays Amburgy here.

The stock visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Colegrove, leaving them a fine son.

Mrs. May Stanley is now in the Pikeville hospital suffering from a broken hip sustained from a fall last week.

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## MCDOWELL

Mrs. Gracie Spradlin was a business visitor in Prestonsburg last week.

Ransom Case, of the U. S. Army, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tackett and other friends here Sunday.

Dave and Joe P. Tackett are at home for a short visit. They are employed in defense work at Newport News, Va.

Mrs. Rose Castle and little daughter, Janet Sue, were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Amy Gage, of Jump.

Miss Pauline Castle spent the week-end with friends in Drift.

Everett Walden is at home from Kingsport, Tenn., where he is employed in defense work.

Don and Myrtle Littell attended the "going away" party given in honor of Myrtle Little Saturday night at the home of his brother, Tilton Little, and Mrs. Little.

Mrs. Belle Talbott and Rodina Singleton attended the funeral of Lin Moore at Gearheart Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Moore are moving to Newport News, Va., where Mr. Moore is in the U. S. Army, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Hall.

Mrs. Kathryn Osborne, who has been visiting friends here, left for Washington, D. C., where she is employed.

Joe Shannon, of the U. S. Army, has been visiting his brother and sister here.

Imogene Stumbo spent the week-end with friends at Wheelwright.

Mavis Vanderpool left for Charleston Monday. She is in the WAVES.

**BETSY LAYNE**  
By JAMES BLEVINS

**PERSONALS**  
Miss Dixie Steele, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Steele, of Betsy Layne, returned home Saturday from Seattle, Wash., where she has been employed in a hospital, to resume her old job at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville.

Eugene Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daniels, of Betsy Layne, left last Wednesday for Baltimore, Md., to begin defense employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Vant McKenke, formerly of Pikeville, are now residents of Betsy Layne, occupying the Matt Hale property.

James Smith, of Justell, left Sunday for Baltimore, Md., to begin defense employment.

Cpl. Eugene Blackburn, of the U. S. Army, is now spending a 10-day furlough with his parents and friends here.

**BOB CATS DEFEAT**  
In their last home game this season, Betsy Layne defeated Van Lear 40-38, here Monday night. The game, to everyone's surprise, was a very close one. The Van Lear team was leading, 20-18, at the half, then during the last quarter Betsy Layne pulled out. The scores were:

**BETSY LAYNE**  
Allen ..... 10  
B. Hall ..... 1  
W. Hall ..... 1  
Robert, Mrs. Bob Walker, Mrs. Otis Bussey, Mrs. Oakley Mullins, Mrs. David Boyer, Mrs. Elmer Wingo, Miss Blanche Garrett, Mrs. Lon Hill, Mrs. Ora Howard, Mrs. W. E. Hess, Mrs. Forester Anderson, Mrs. Andy Bartley, Mrs. Ballard Plummer, Mrs. Russell Harmon, Mrs. Pete Capelli, Mrs. Jimmie Camelia.

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Mrs. Forester Anderson's brother and family, of Wayland, were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harmon and children spent the week-end with parents.

## HUEYSVILLE

Misses Madge and Ocie Mullins, daughters of Mrs. Leora Mullins, of this place, left here Feb. 16 for Wright Field, Dayton, O., where they will be employed.

Mrs. Ruby Brewer, who has been employed as driver of a sales and delivery truck in Louisville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Leora Mullins, this week.

Rev. A. T. Crow's daughter, Golden, of Indiana, has been visiting homefolks for the last week. She has returned to her home in Indiana.

Tip Martin passed through here Saturday on his way to Berea with his daughter, Matilda, where she expects to enter college.

James E. Lewis, who is now living at Spring, W. Va., was visiting homefolks last week.

D. B. Martin's wife has been at Akron, O., for about three months.

## DINWOOD

Jobe Prater was a business visitor in Lexington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cliftwood moved to Ohio recently.

Mrs. Debby Mullins, who has been ill, is reported better.

Wilson Crisp, of Hite, was the guest of B. B. Cliftwood mine, with Mrs. Crisp, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hayes and family, of Warsaw, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shepherd Sunday.

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**CRACKER**  
Sgt. and Mrs. John W. Pratt, of Dalhart, Texas, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crisp, last week. Miss Ruth Pratt, his sister, of Texas College, was also visiting her parents last week.

Miss Dorothea Pratt has joined her sister, Golda Pratt, in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Maude Brown, of Cooperville, Ohio, and daughters, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Ella Pratt Crisp.

Lee Osborne, of Hite, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crisp Sunday.

Melvin Fraiser is very ill.

## DAVID

The David Women's Club met last Wednesday. Mrs. Elmer Wingo had charge of the program. Those taking part were Mrs. Russell Harmon and Mrs. Jimmie Camelia.

Lon Hill presided over the business meeting. A surprise stock shower was given Mrs. Elmer Van Gelder. She received many lovely gifts.

S. N. Cramer and Mrs. Stanley Crain were hostesses to a delightful tea served in the dining room of the church. Members present were: Mrs. Elmer Van Gelder, Mrs. Loren Roberts, Mrs. Bob Walker, Mrs. Otis Bussey, Mrs. Oakley Mullins, Mrs. David Boyer, Mrs. Elmer Wingo, Miss Blanche Garrett, Mrs. Lon Hill, Mrs. Ora Howard, Mrs. W. E. Hess, Mrs. Forester Anderson, Mrs. Andy Bartley, Mrs. Ballard Plummer, Mrs. Russell Harmon, Mrs. Pete Capelli, Mrs. Jimmie Camelia.

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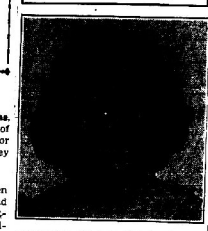
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## COOKS 220 MEALS



**HOW 4-H girls help their families and the food for freedom campaign is told in the records of participants in a national contest conducted by the Extension Service of the Kentucky College of Agriculture. Typical of the better students is that of Ann Garrett, 18, of Hickman in getting 220 meals for which she prepared many 750 pills of vegetables, fruits and meat. As state winner in the contest she received a trip to the recent writing National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago from several home economics department, which gave her \$200 college scholarship and \$200 college scholarship in the order named to county, state and national winners for the 1942 season.**

## WHEELWRIGHT

Pvt. Howard Morrison, now stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas, is home on furlough.

Mrs. Forrest Rose Hendley resigned her position with the Inland Steel Company to accept a position with a defense plant in Baltimore, Maryland.

Mildred Childers was shopping in Ashland this week-end.

Opal Richardson, operating nurse at the Pikeville hospital, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Richardson, over the week-end.

Jesse Belcher resigned his position as mine foreman with the Inland Steel Company to return to his favorite work—railroading. He and Mrs. Belcher will reside in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Lee Wallen and family were visiting friends and relatives in Martin this week-end.

Mrs. Jack See resigned her position as second grade teacher. Mrs. See will leave shortly to join her husband, Staff Sgt. Jack See, now stationed at Camp Cook, California.

Ralph Beasley was visiting friends and relatives at Gay City, Va., this week-end.

Ralph Griffith, of the U. S. navy, is home on leave.

Miss Mary Ellen Bingham, who is employed by the Inland Steel Company, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laferty, at Martin, during the week-end.

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## THESE THINGS AFFECTED YOUR HOUSEHOLD

**Food Rationing.** Garment Prices. Shop Early. Potatoes. Renew Rations. Add the Points. War Prisoners. Africa Movies. Coffee Ages. War Cents. Onion Sets. Farm Equipment.

By the time you read this, you probably will have your precious copies of War Ration Book 2 and be eagerly awaiting the start of point rationing on March 1. It's a good thing February is a short month, isn't it? March 1 comes sooner!

The date marks a new step in American co-operation through the extension of the rationing system. Rationing is the fair way, the American way. It assures everybody his fair share of the essential stocks. It is your protection and a sign of your own co-operation. Help make it work.

The fortunate part of it is that there is plenty to be rationed. Wholesale grocers were advised to unsatisfying fill orders from retail stores for processed foods during the retail stock-up period from January 1 to February 1.

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Feb. 21-28. Ample stocks should be on hand March 1. Consumers will continue to find women's and children's garments such as dresses, coats, skirts and the same price levels that prevailed during the last spring and summer seasons for substantially the same quality and style of apparel. This is assured through issuance of OPA pricing rules.

After point rationing begins on March 1 plan to do your shopping before the week-end rush so that the complication of working with ration stamps will not cause undue delay. This is especially true during the first week-end.

Maximum prices for the 1943 citrus, potato and onion crops generally will not be increased, with the exception of normal seasonal changes, the OPA says.

Motorists who hold supplementary mileage ration which will expire before March 1 or shortly thereafter are warned to make application at once for renewal of their ration. Applications may be obtained at local War Price and Ration Board offices and at many gasoline stations. The applications may be mailed to the boards and the renewals will be returned by mail.

Housewives can have more of their own time and a lot of work for their grocers if they will figure out the point values of processed foods on their shopping lists before going to the store when point rationing goes into effect.

Lists of articles and commodities which may be sent to members of the armed forces who are prisoners of war and to interned United Nations' civilians held by the

Axle powers are available at all post-offices. A recent change in export regulations increases the list of foods which may be shipped.

A 41-minute technicolor motion picture called "At the Front," a combat report of American action in northern Africa filmed by cameramen of the U. S. armed service, will be released for public showing March 25. No scenes were staged, rehearsed or dramatized.

Because a new age group has developed since War Ration Book 1 was issued last May, the OPA has changed from 15 years to 14 years of age restriction on the use of Book 1 for the purchase of coffee under rationing.

Any person who did not register for War Ration Book 1 before Jan. 15 may obtain this book by mail at local War Price and Ration Board now, provided he has filed the necessary application forms and had these approved. Book 1 was issued for buying sugar, coffee and shoes and will be required this week in order to obtain War Ration Book 2.

The average daily rate of the war expenditures by the U. S. government in January was \$240,000,000. It is expensive, but far cheaper and more pleasant than paying taxes to Hitler.

In its first action on seeds and bulbs for planting, previously exempt from all price control, the OPA has set temporary 60-day ceilings on the 1942 crop of onion sets at the highest levels at which each individual grower or merchant made sales between Feb. 10 and 15 of this year.

Acting to remove a serious threat to continuance of the essential supply of farm equipment and automotive repair services, the OPA has authorized upward adjustments of maximum charges which may be made for these services by small operators.

Meat and poultry products and salted, dried and otherwise processed fish (except smoked fish and unsmoked seafood) have been placed under the fixed margin food regulation for wholesalers and retailers.

West Virginia and Utah have received grants of money to help carry out plans for developing child care programs for children and working mothers.

No holiday in the production of industrial alcohol by the Beverage Spirits Industry to permit replacement of distilled spirits stocks for beverage purposes is planned, the WBP says.

Here are some of the deadlines for rationing stamps: Shoes, Stamp 17; June 15; Coffee, Stamp 25; March 21; Sugar, Stamp 11; March 14; Caroline, No. 4 stamps, through March 21. Inspection deadlines for: For A-book holders, March 31; for B, C and T-book holders, February 28.

The Cleveland regional OPA has granted adjustments in the price which milk distributors may pay producers under certain conditions. The order carries certain qualifications that arise because of the nation-wide freezing of milk prices at the producer levels put into effect Feb. 19. The regional OPA had granted certain adjustments in milk prices and before the distributors

## A GOOD WORD—IN BAD COMPANY—

By the REV. W. B. GARRIOTT, Pastor, Prestonsburg Methodist Church

Let us remember that the word passion means—love on fire.

We are anxious to relate the meaning of this word to ourselves rather than to Christ. It is impossible for us to be the heralds of Christ's passion unless we are willing to enter into the fellowship of his suffering. "Jesus left behind him in the path which he trod a message written in his blood and fastened with his cross."

"If any man will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me." Something to give up—something to pay for—something to die for.

We do not fail to see the principle at work in the natural world. If we go to the store and want a loaf of bread, we are willing to put down the price before we can take the goods home with us.

One lady once said to another, "I love the world if I enjoyed my religion as well as you do yours."

The other lady replied, "The world is what it cost me and if you are willing to pay the price, God is not partial."

"Give up the world. Something to give up—deny yourself—you do the denying. Something to do—take up your cross—you take up your cross. If you ever thought that there was no other way to follow him? Do I hear some one saying, 'I do follow him, but I am not willing to take up my cross?'"

Denying myself? Jesus did not put it that way. He said, "deny and follow." That is the only way to follow him. I hope you will not turn aside from these words and deny or neglect. See what he says. "If any man will—let him meet the conditions and pay the price. Reader, I hope you will understand that this is not just a law laid down to cause people to conform to a way of living. This is important. No man has to deny himself and no man has to take up his cross but he must deny himself and take up his cross.

Everybody wants to share in his triumphs and have a part in his glory but only those who suffer with him will be glorified with him. "If so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together." To share in his glory will cost, but the reward will be cheap regardless of the price paid. It is very evident that Paul felt this way about it. "I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that shall be revealed in us."

He was costing Paul a great price, for he said he was in peril on the stripes and stings and left for dead, yet he says it is light affliction in comparison with the GLORY which should be revealed in us. How can any man, preacher or layman, represent Christ to others if he has not felt something of the passion of our Lord?

John Knox was so consumed with the passion for his country and people that he was heard to say in his prayer, "Give me Scotland or I die." None other than a passion like this could have transformed a world in the past and nothing less will transform it again. Religion has been made so cheap that people do not want it. It costs nothing and it did nothing but furnish a profession. I think we need a good question for us to ask ourselves would be, "What has my religion done for me, do I live just as I have always lived or has it made a man or woman out of me?"

Have you been to Jesus for the cleansing power of his blood?

Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Are you fully trusting in his grace this hour?

Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Lay aside the garments that are stained with sin.

And be washed in the blood of the Lamb.

There's a fountain flowing for the soul unclean.

O, be washed in the blood of the Lamb.

could put these into effect the nation-wide ceilings were set. The new order allows these distributors to go ahead with their increased payments to producers on the basis of 23c per cwt. for each ten per quart increase permitted in the retail price.

Because of conflicting stories on the operation of the Willow Run bomber factory, reporting that they put all the way from ridiculously small to fantastically large numbers, the OWI has announced that production of the great government-owned, Ford-operated factory is running at only a small fraction of its ultimate production. Peak production may be obtained within a year. Since the first bomber rolled off the assembly line, production has increased steadily.



## THE WILL OF HUMPHREY Z. CLECK

1. Humphrey Z. Cleck, being of sound mind, do make this my last will and testament. I hereby give and bequeath:

To my wife, Zenobia Cleck, my old-fashioned copper cup in the hope she may get time for it after the war; the two gallons of gasoline left in the tank at the time it was put up, and the road map which I wish her to keep if only in memory of the happy days when they meant anything. I also give to her the car battery in the sincere hope it is not too far gone to be charged up. To my sons of assorted sows which will be found in my strongbox at the Mercantile Trust company, the can of hash which is in my safe and the three (3) jars of jam, and such such will find behind the clock in the kitchen. Also all can openers in my possession.

II. To my daughter, Allagala, the two (2) cans of peaches, the four (4) cans of sausage and the small can of tongue which was left me by my late Uncle Frisby, and the pre-war (1918) "Coke" which I won in the first prize in the 1942 Toopsey Heights Golf Club Fall Tournament.

III. To my older son, Buckingham, my original Hochstetler oil painting "Gentle Rain" and my Gibson suitcase which I bought in the mercantile store of which has meant so much to me in the last few months.

IV. To my younger son, Chidey, my watch, the old family carving knife so reminiscent of better days, and my collection of American railroad menus, with the request that he should give them to the needy, and the dollar table cloth which I bought at lunch on special with meatballs.

To my sister, Phrongia Dibbles, the Cleck family coffee pot, which will be of much value as an antique, in leaving to the life of a bygone America.

VI. To my cousin, Zeke Featherstone, the old tire which now hangs in the garage and which can be retraced in more opulent times.

To my aunt, Ella Belle Burpee, the second-story parlor, not because of its sentimental value, but for her sentimental value it may pass for her.

VIII. To my nephew, Gleason Bloodworm, my oil ration card. It is never any good to me, but he is a man of energy and determination and I am sure he will be able to do something with it.

IX. To my nephew, McCarthy Persky Schmidt, maid in the Cleck household for the unusual period of almost ten years, I bequeath the sum of \$10.00, which shall be carried out in the near future to her to go to work in the powder mill, any lamb chops that may be in the kitchen and a half-pound of butter in appreciation of her long service in my household.

Signed, HUMPHREY Z. CLECK.

"Having overlooked it inadvertently in the above, I wish that any sugar and such grains of coffee I may be anywhere in my possession be left to my wife outright. I also leave to her in trust, my 1934 Eagle bicycle. I leave to her of greater value to her in the present than of things to come."

FAIR WARNING. Or little things no mean ends; Beware of false acclaim. So watch the guys who pose as Yet mispronounce your name. —MERRILL CHILCOTE.

OPA has cracked down on howling alleys now, making them reduce their rates. They were only making pin money, as was said.

Motorists are going to be rolling their eyes if the gasoline continues much longer. —Joe Naylor.

"Winter may be difficult," —Hezz Hatter.

The understatement of the month.

"We have not done the slightest thing in France, England or even to America," —Adolf Hitler.

Now, come Adolf, don't you remember that time you dropped when on the Hitler run?

Henderson came in like a lamb but he is going out like a lion.

"It's hard to think of the fuel oil mess today and realize that this administration was once accused of 'turning on the heat,'" says Elmer Twichell.

FORWARD LOOKERS. A wise old drop. He sold his car. Two years ago.

If you're out in an auto today the burden of proof that you should not have your gas card revoked is on you. Elmer Twichell was stopped this morning and his sibil was told he was driving down to the ration board to see about coupons for getting a horse.

## SAFER METHODS SUGGESTED FOR 3 MINES IN THIS FIELD

Federal coal mine inspectors have outlined recommendations for improved ventilation, safety, and better control of coal dust at three separate inspection reports made public last week. Dr. R. R. Rogers, director of the Bureau of Mines, said:

The mines which have a high production of about 1,300 tons of coal are the Marlowe No. 1 and 4 Company at Whitesburg, Letcher County; the Danmore mine of the Betsy Layne Coal Corporation at Betsy Layne and the Levisa mine of the Levisa River Coal Company at Feds Creek, Pike County.

While citing a number of commendable features in the four mines, the federal reports emphasized the importance of eliminating hazards to increase the degree of safety and health of the miners. Several improvements have been instituted since the inspections, the Bureau has been informed.

All four mines were rated "pass" by the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals. Air analyses showed that some methane, an explosive gas, was being liberated in the Marlowe and Levisa mines. Since several disastrous explosions have occurred in coal mines where little or no methane was reported prior to the explosions, additional safeguards against a possible accumulation of gas were suggested for these four mines.

The inspectors recommended that smoking underground be prohibited, that permissible explosives be limited to no more than was reported prior to the explosions, additional safeguards against a possible accumulation of gas were suggested for these four mines.

The use of open-flame lamps constituted another inspection hazard in these mines, although most of the miners were using safety lamps.

Recommendations included the wearing of protective hats and safety shoes by all employees, closer supervision of the mine, and the use of the vibration method of rock-testing, and the "cooperative spirit" between the employees and the mine.

Among pre-war features of this mine the report cited the wearing of mud-fitting clothes by the employees, the use of safety lamps, and the use of the vibration method of rock-testing, and the "cooperative spirit" between the employees and the mine.

The report was made by A. F. Faulk.

IVEL—"OIL CITY"

Pvt. Bernard Burton is visiting his wife and son here. He is stationed in New Jersey.

Mrs. Burns May and daughter Kathryn have been ill with tonsillitis.

THE LATEST. "Oil City" will probably be changed to "Salt Lake City," because most of our oil wells are now producing salt water.

Mr. and Mrs. James Darnon, were visiting relatives at Davis Sunday.

Mrs. Hallock Hamilton was a visitor in Pikeville Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel Sutton was having dental work done in Pikeville Saturday.

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## FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

Where Floyd Countians in Armed Forces Are, What They're Doing

Aviation Cadet Albert B. Brooke, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Brooke, Sr., Charlotte, N. C., formerly of Wayland, has entered the Army Air Forces Technical School at Yale University where he will undergo intensive training, pointed toward his becoming a technical officer in communications with the rank of second lieutenant.

Courses he will take will include the principles of very high frequencies, direct and alternating current, transmitters, receivers, radio compass, radio equipment, wire equipment, portable ground stations and the principles of field operations.

"After being commissioned, Aviation Cadet Brooke will have command of a crew of enlisted men who have been trained at other Army Air Forces Technical Training Command schools as radio communications. He recently graduated from the Bombing and Gunnery school at Wendover, Utah.

While visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spurlock, Prestonsburg, Pfc. Homer Spurlock, Jr., was notified by his commanding officer at a New Mexico air base that he had been promoted to the rating of corporal. Mrs. Spurlock, the former Miss Ruth Allen, of Allen, accompanied him here.

Donald Musie, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Musie, of Austin, volunteered for air corps service last August and was called for active duty Feb. 1. He is in training at Nashville, Tenn.

Orville Seuchfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Seuchfield, having completed training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is now aboard ship and is somewhere on the Atlantic. Ernel Seuchfield, brother son, is employed at the Glenn L. Martin plant, near Baltimore, Md.

### MARTIN THEATER

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

FRIDAY, FEB. 26—

"Wings and the Woman"

Arma Nagel, Robert Newell

"THE VALLEY OF VANISHING WOMEN"

(Serial)

SATURDAY—DOUBLE BILL—

"Seven Days Leave"

Victor Mature, Lucille Ball

"Dead Man's Gulch"

Don "Red" Barry

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

"The Meanest Man in the World"

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TUESDAY—

"The Gorilla Man"

John Leder, Ruth Ford

WED.-THURS—

"Lucky Jordan"

Alan Ladd, Helen Walker

Attend the tournament at Martin, March 4, 5, 6.

Sgt. John W. Pratt, of the army air forces glider school, Dalhart, Texas, received his diploma from the post technical school Jan. 30. The diploma entitles Sgt. Pratt to hold the position of airplane crew chief. He is a son of Ella Pratt Crisp, Cracker.

Okla. Brannham, of Langley, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the Army Air Corps, headquarters of the Antilles Air Task Force at San Juan, Puerto Rico, announced last week. Sergeant Brannham entered the army Jan. 3, 1941, at Ft. Thomas, and now is stationed at an air base in the Caribbean area. Before entering the army, Sergeant Brannham attended high school at Maytown.

Ray Craft, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Craft, Prestonsburg, was stationed at Ft. Jackson, S. C., was recently promoted to the rating of corporal.

The following newly inducted personnel of the United States army have been sent forward from the reception center at Ft. Thomas, to the stations and addresses indicated:

To 615th Quartermaster Bakery Battalion, Vancouver B.C., Wash.—Hubert Akers, Lecky, Arthur Collins, Melvin, Dan Combs, Drift, Hubert D. Hicks, Garrett, Roy Hicks, Langley, Virgil Johnson, Lecky, Clarence Moore, Garrett, Herbert Ousley, Alphonetta, Frank Vanderpool, Hueysville.

To 8th Infantry Division, Camp McCain, Miss.—Edwin V. Stewart, Langley.

To Quartermaster RTO, Camp Lee, Va.—Wallace Estep, Jr., Allen. To 811th Ordnance HM Company, OTC, Atlanta Ordnance Base, Atlanta, Ga.—Reach Gillum, Prestonsburg.

To Medical RTO, Camp Grant, Ill.—James C. Bagg, Drift.

To Army Air Forces RTO, St. Petersburg, Fla.—John P. Meade, Printer.

To Air Force Command, Keeler Field, Miss.—Garland N. Wilkinson, Wheelwright.

To Army Air Forces RTO, St. Petersburg, Fla.—Ashby B. Patrick, Hueysville.

To 147th Engineer Combat Regiment, Camp Swift, Texas—Warren E. Koonce, McDowell.

To 128th Ordnance Maintenance Company, Camp McCoy, Wis.—Charles K. Atkins, Wayland.

To 42nd Post Battalion, Camp Hathaway, Vancouver, Wash.—Read Howell, McDowell.

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day at Ivel he reeled in a 16-inch catfish. This week he was wearing a ring that he found in the fish's stomach. And, judging by appearance of the ring, the fish had pretty good taste, at that.

### THE BOTTLE FRONT

"Spirits" are whisking through southern doors too much to suit Jailer Guy Horn. One day last week he had a tinkling car of bottles carried out of the men's toilet. That was at 9 a. m. and when he got through the place was clean. A few hours later, he went on another inspection tour. And lo! in the same toilet there reposed in every conceivable position except tilted, to somebody's mouth "dead soldiers" to the actual count of 19. Jailer Horn is threatened to have a deputy sheriff stand guard at this "out-post" and jail all who drink therein.

### NEW CLASSIFICATION

Charles Spradlin quotes a gentleman of the colored persuasion as declaring, while looking over the draft, classified in the G-1 class, courthouse this week, that "I is a G-man in G class" and not inter, except "person" in his name on the bulletin board, just looking for names of others.

"What you mean—G-man in G class?" a friend asked.

"Dat mean," replied the other, "git gone—I done got my call!"

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Ishmael Greer, Bonanza; Payne Lemaster, Winder, Ga.; Warren Steele, Omar, W. Va.; James Marcus George, Prestonsburg; Bill Spriggs, Stone; Harold Boyd (V), Bates, Layne; Winslow, Shepherd, West Prestonsburg; Graham Calhoun, Water Gap; Austin Wright (V), Bonanza; Edwin Clark Walters (V), Bates; Layne, Columbus Stone; Blue River; Robert Newsome, Beaver; Woodrow Bays, West Prestonsburg; Ernie Risher (V), Woods; Okie Spradlin, Bonanza; James Joseph Carter, Prestonsburg; Warren Arson Lewis, Bates; Ellisworth H. Stumbo (V), Harold; Robert Leslie Rannels, West Prestonsburg; Owie Crisp, Allen; Christopher C. Mitchell, Teaberry.

Dock Henderson Griffith, Lancer; Earl Hackworth, Bonanza; Ernest Hackworth, Bonanza; Junior Wiley Hensley, Harold; Darwin Woodrow Musie, German; Herbert Hackworth, Bonanza; Wm. Brown Damm, Prestonsburg; Alex Bradley (V), Dock; Denzil Leake (V), East Point; Hobart Lee Edwards, Water Gap; Robert Leon Clark, Harold; George Miles, Jr., Bates; Layne; Paul Vinet; Pich, David; Corbett James Howell, Osborne; Ola Hamilton, Teaberry; Darwin Lee Snipes, Bonanza; Orendy Spears, Osborn; John D. Greer, Dana.

Grant Newsome, Beaver; Thomas Tackett, Jr., Beaver; Robert Lee Adkins, Bates; Layne; Clyde Patrick Harmon, Bonanza; Aaron Shepherd, Goodie; Sam Lewis, Bates; Layne; Levi Ousley, Dock; Frank Wang, Myrtle; Avery Newsome, Grithel; Lewis D. Dolsen, Bonanza; Melvin Wells, Jr., Prestonsburg; Herbert Preston, West Prestonsburg; Clarence Tackett, Craynor; John C. Blum, Bates; Layne; Walter Jayne, Endicott; Orville Brine Ousley, Dock; Warrin Harold (V), Brainerd; John C. Johnson, Dock; Willie King, Harold; Broadus David Spears, Bates; Layne.

William Johnson, Beaver; Thomas Spears, Banner; John J. Thompson, Melvin; Cambridge Hanton; Harold; James Earl Stewart, Bates; Layne; Chester Hunter, Jr., McDowell; Low Junior Speer, Osborn; Edward Lee Cartmel, Emma; Jeff Nelson, Jr., Prestonsburg; Nola Boyd, Dana; Roland Cottrell Blair, Trum; Arnold Hicks, Pyramid; Amos Vaughan, Dawle; George W. Hall, Dawle; Clinton Landy Blankenship, Weeksbury; David George Butler, Ashford; formerly of Prestonsburg; Curtis Rogers, Osborn; Henry Hamilton, Teaberry; Israel Shepherd, Goodie; Reuben Rose, West Bates; Layne; George Senter, Ivel; Prestonsburg; Clyde Winfred Meade, Cliff; Roger Darvin Steele (V), German; Frank Canfield (V), Prestonsburg; Frank Crum (V), Banner; Radford Arnold Hall (V), Prestonsburg; Shade Pitts (V), Riner; Albert Hansford May (V), Bates; Prestonsburg; Rufus Isaac Thompson (V), West Prestonsburg; and Melvin; Bulard Cecil (V), Harold; Teddie Perry (V), Prestonsburg; Jay Hall (V), Teaberry; Boy Leother (V), East Point; Leo McGuire (V), Allen; Robert Leslie Carver (V), David; George Ernest Burchett (V), Banner; James Cecil Mellon and Victor Gordon Moore, both of Prestonsburg.

Ulysses Grant Lewis, Ivel; Ed Layne, Harold; Amos Blackburn, Winder; Claude Delma Leslie, Emma; Alex Hall, Jr., Prestonsburg; Leslie Burchett Patton, Emma; Wade Oliver Burchett, Prestonsburg; Russell Raymond Coburn, Cliff (transferred from Charleston, W. Va.); Kenes Hall, Banner (transferred from Detroit, Mich.).

## WANT-ADS

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DIAL 3351 NOT LATER THAN WEDNESDAY NOON.

FOR SALE—8-room house, out-buildings, approximately half-acre land including garage, \$3,000 cash. Terms if necessary. See or write MRS. J. E. WALTERS, 2-25-44, p. 1. Belay Layne, Ky.

WANTED—girl or woman to do housework. Phone 3701 or write Box 476, Prestonsburg.

The Twin Modernist Beauty Shop  
MARTIN, KY.

Will be closed till March 8 while the operators, Elaine and Loraine Sline, are attending the Mid-West Trade Show in Chicago.

FOR SALE—1937 Oldsmobile sedan, completely overhauled. Good tires. Reasonable. See or write ORA-HAM SELLARDS, Banner, Ky. It

WANTED—girl or woman for general housework. Write Box 391, Prestonsburg, giving references.

FOR SALE—Electrolux gas refrigerator, 20 foot copper connections. Good condition. \$70. See RAY HOWARD, Prestonsburg, Ky. 2-18-31.

FOR SALE—75 acres timber, white oak and poplar, one-half mile from good road. See MRS. CARA HAYES HALL, Hueysville, Ky. 2-18-41.

FOR SALE—Very choice Holstein heifers, 420 each. Non-related bull free with 5 head. Best of breeding. HOMESTEAD FARMS, Mc Graw, N. Y. R. No. 2. 2-11-55

FOR SALE—High-quality coal—delivered. BUCK MANN. Phone 3125, Prestonsburg. 2-4-41

BABY CHICKS—21 breeds, blood-tested, \$3.00 each. Mondays or Thursdays. Electric brooders. Write for prices. MOOSIER, 718 West Jefferson, Louisville, Ky. May 28

FREE! If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach, Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample Uda at H. E. Hughes & Company. 11-28 12th pd.

LOST—Keys in brown zipper case. Return—liberal reward. R. M. WINTER, JR., Phone 6261 and 6263, or to the Floyd County Times. 2-18-41

Millon Batzel, of Muhlenberg county, received \$1,064 for 2,500 pounds of tobacco raised on one and two-tenths acres.

NOTICE  
Your 1942 city taxes are now due and should be paid this month to save penalty which goes on first of March.

EP LAFERTY, Collector  
2-4-41

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

A Flying Fortress is to America's air fleet what heavy artillery is to the Army. This gigantic four-motored bomber, equipped with heavy cannon, carries about three tons of bombs and reaches a speed of about 300 miles an hour.

These ships carry a crew of seven to nine men, weigh about 22½ tons, have a wing spread of 105 feet and each motor develops 1,000 horsepower. We need more of these "Flying Fortresses" to compete with the Nazi air force. You can help by investing at least one percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day. Buy them from your bank, post office or other convenient issuing agent. U. S. Treasury Department

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They must continue to contribute the same amount toward maintaining it."

Any public, parochial or private school or child-welfare center operating on a non-profit basis and not now being served with commodities through warehousing channels by the commodity distribution division of the State Department of Public Welfare is now eligible for this new program, the supervisor stated.

"Each youngster will receive his meal whether he is able to pay the cost or not," he added. "Sponsors preferably will be county school boards, or other educational systems, welfare centers or service organizations, with community and civic clubs as co-sponsors if desired."

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Susie Gail Goble, was born near Westonsburg Oct. 7, 1896. He was married to Miss Connie Clark, of Wonder, Ky., Aug. 12, 1930. To this union were born four children, three of whom survive: Mrs. Jennie Spear, McCombs, Ky.; Ernest Goble, Big Shoal, Ky.; Mrs. Ellen Gubbin, of Emma. He also leaves three grandchildren and one great-grandchild. His wife preceded him in death Jan. 7, 1941.

Mr. Goble was an outstanding citizen and had many friends. He was in the Fourth Kentucky Volunteers in the Spanish-American War. Funeral was conducted Tuesday at 10 a. m. from the Methodist Church by the Rev. Isaac Stratton and the Rev. John Laferty. Burial was made in the Sherman cemetery. The Arnold Funeral Home directed both funerals.

Mail Box Installation, Numbering of Houses To Be Required Here

Postal inspectors are expected to make a tour of Prestonsburg soon to ascertain if the postal regulations requiring houses to be numbered and receptacles installed at homes where free mail delivery service is given are being complied with by citizens of the town. THE TIMES was told this week.

Policy of authorities here relative to enforcement of this regulation has hitherto been lenient, but it was said strict compliance will be required henceforth.

Although door slot for mail is the preferred type of receptacle, no specified type is required. House numbers may be determined by consulting the new city map and a desirable type of number is on display at the Morell Supply Company.

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slayer's revolver had three empty shells in it and another cartridge had been snapped on but had failed to fire. This was in contradiction of other testimony to the effect that Bentley fired only one shot.

Mrs. Goodman testified that the 10 men stood approximately three feet apart in the rear of Z. C. Dingus' store when the shooting took place. Examination of the victim failed to reveal powder burns. Authorities claim powder burns are possible at a distance of six feet.

Mrs. Goodman testified she could see in the small room where the two men were and saw Craft's movements as he fired twice. Mrs. B. F. Collins, claiming she stood near Mrs. Goodman, stated she could "possibly see the bulk of somebody" but could not recognize anybody in the room.

The hearing consumed greater part of the afternoon. Bentley himself did not testify. His son, Lloyd (Buddy) Bentley, corroborated Keen Goodman's version of the shooting.

The slayer was quoted by Chief of Police Flannery as saying he "had it to do" and that the shooting was "over politics."

Bentley executed bond on the following day, with E. P. Grigsby, J. M. Bentley and W. S. Johns, sureties.

Your best investment—United States War Bonds and Stamps—Add to it now!

## ABIGAIL THEATER

THURS.-FRI, Feb. 25-26

"Gay Sisters"

Barbara Stanwyck, Geo. Brent, News.

SATURDAY—

11:00 a. m. to 1:15 p. m.

6:30 p. m. to 8:15 p. m.

"Lost Canyon"

Wm. Boyd, Lola Layne.

Serial—

"G-MEN VS. BLACK DRAGON"

SATURDAY—3:01 and 10:41 p. m.

"The General Died at Dawn"

Gary Cooper, Akim Tamiroff.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—

"The Keeper of the Flame"

Spencer Tracy, Katherine Hepburn.

News.

TUES.-WED, TWO PICTURES—

"Youth on Parade"

John Hubbard, Ruth Terry.

and—

"McGuire from Brooklyn"

Arline Judge, Wm. Bendix.

News.

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