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This Town... That World

Well, it seems that those folks at Chicago this week were Dewey-eyed Republicans.

ALWAYS MR. HAWKINS
County Clerk A. B. Meade was laboring under the delusion that no primary ballots would be necessary this year till somebody mentioned the name of G. Tom Hawkins, perennial candidate. Whereupon Mr. Meade had a hasty retreat.

GOODIE!
This column is quite happy, thank you. The Democratic convention at Louisville last that master strategist and exponent of amiable spelled with a capital "L" to wit—B. O. on one of the hottest days of the year.

I STILL LIKE WILKIE
I still say Wendell Wilkie is the Republican party's greatest man and one of the few truly big men in the world.

THIS IS FINAL
NOT FOR SALE—The Prestonsburg Preswitt Baptist Church. All rumors to the contrary.

WOULD MAKE DRESSINGS
"I would hate to think my son or one of my 12 nephews who are in service died for the need of surgical dressings when so many mothers like myself are willing to make them," writes Mrs. Troy Allen, of Printer, pleading that the Red Cross "give us a chance" to work.

"Salisbury is a long way from being a town," she writes, "but we have lots of boys in service and I know every mother, wife and sister in every community, no matter how small, does not have a chance to do its part, even if the workroom has to be set up in a home. . . I will gladly furnish the room."

TOT IS VICTIM
Dewey Lee, one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Burns Mullins, of Grethel, died at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, Friday morning. Surviving are the babe's father, who is in the armed forces, the mother, a brother and one sister. The victim was a nephew of Magistrate Dewey Roberts. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at Grethel, the Revs. John Martin, John B. Hamilton and others officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED
R. M. McGuire, et al. vs. Charles Camel Caudill, Thomas Thoburn Jr., et al.; Clirde Hicks Watkins vs. Nero Watkins; E. P. Hill, et al. Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Earl Hartley; B. M. Jones vs. George Campbell vs. George McGuire Campbell; J. B. Clarke, et al. Johnie Bentley vs. Jane Allen Bentley; J. B. Clarke, et al. Hugh D. Hughes vs. Oliver Miller Hughes; J. B. Clarke, et al. Irene Bailey Wells, et al. vs. Frances Breeding; Combs & Combs, et al.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Walker Stone, 22, Ligon, and Virginia Jean Caudill, 16, Drift, married here June 22, the Rev. Alex Stephens officiating. W. H. Kirk, Palmetto, and Anna Lee Wiley, Whitehouse, Ky.

Floyd Countian, in Oven, Occupies Hot Spot as Jerries Seek Hide-Out

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—It was a rough, nine hour for seven Yanks whose gun position on the Anzio sector of the Fifth Army front was suddenly surrounded by a platoon of German soldiers.

The seven members of the Third "Marine" Division, were manning an anti-tank gun in a house located some distance forward of the main American line in that particular sector.

During a see-saw skirmish, troops in back of the American gunners withdrew and the latter found themselves in an isolated No-man's Land.

Four of the men were in an abandoned house while three others crouched inside a large stone oven directly outside of which was their gun.

"We didn't know exactly what was going on," said Private First Class Sol Hutton, 2041 Colonial avenue, New York City, one of the quartet in the house. "Suddenly, two

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THURSDAY

2 FUGITIVES FROM SERVICE ARE NABBED

Brothers Taken Friday By State Patrolmen In Raid Near Here

Raymond and Erman Wadde, brothers, long sought as fugitives from service in the war, were captured by state highway patrolmen at daybreak Friday on the Abbott Creek farm of their father, Sherd Wadde, near here.

The officers had during the night been in search of a stolen car, but as a diversion decided to check up on the Wadde brothers. The search was conducted in failure till a barking dog led Patrolman T. S. Salisbury to the hillside, a few hundred yards from the Wadde home, where he found the fugitives asleep.

With Salisbury were Patrolmen Harold Conn, Wright and Harmon, who brought the Waddies to jail here by the patrolmen.

The two were asleep in hammocks constructed of burlap sacks and rope. About them were provisions sufficient for "a long stay," the officers said. A gasoline stove was a part of their equipment and the two had been eating berries, the officers learned.

EX-EMPLOYEE HERE KILLED

In Fall Beneath Wheels Of Coal Gondola; Rites For Penix Stated Today

Sixteen-year-old Paul Penix, former hotel employee here, was instantly killed at Ligon Tuesday when knocked beneath a moving coal car beneath the cupole of the Clear Branch Mining Company.

It was said the youth "hopped" the gondola as it was being moved and that a plank on the tippie knocked him onto the rails. The victim was the son of Mrs. Mandy Penix, of Ligon, and a nephew of Jailer Guy Ligon, Prestonsburg. Until a few weeks ago he was employed at the Valley Inn here.

Surviving, besides his mother, are two brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Mae Bartley, Richmond, Va., and Mrs. Shirley Rice, of Banner, Ray and Danny Penix, of Ligon. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Penix and burial was made under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

The Germans poked around the house and oven, destroying weapons and stealing American radios and supplies. The Americans could see the activities of the enemy through a small aperture.

"Every once in a while one of them would walk up to the oven as if to look in, but for some reason he never did," said "Huk." "The only reason we were in the oven was a small pistol, but we were ready to go with that in case they did decide to go too noisy."

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Electric Iron Causes Blaze Here Friday

Fire which had its origin in an electric iron Friday evening caused damage estimated at \$2,000 in the third street residence owned by H. Nunneley and occupied by Jonas Miller and family.

The blaze broke out in the second story of the building where Mrs. Miller had been ironing. The fire department quickly brought the blaze under control, but late that night the fire broke out again. Damage to the Miller's furniture was caused by smoke and water.

WPB APPROVES 'TRAIL' WORK

Congressman May Says 'Missing Link' Surface Is Given Federal Oke

Congressman A. J. May announced at his home here Wednesday morning he was in receipt of a telegram from Arthur C. Eaton, of the War Production Board, stating that WPB approval of paving of the Mayo Trail, "missing link" in Lawrence county, and between Mayo and Lawrence counties, had been given.

Congressman May said approval of the Mayo Trail project was gained after extensive WPB committee hearings held on the project in the base camp here. He was assisted by Harry LaVera, Paintsville, in presenting the case for Route 23.

30 Batters Hit Breeze In P'burg-Auxier Game

Slight relief from the summer heat Sunday might have been attributed to the fanning breeze that blew from the east between Auxier and Prestonsburg.

An even 30 batters struck out. Branham and Patton, Prestonsburg batters, set down 30 of the opposition on strikes while walking six. Hopson for Auxier struck out 10 Prestonsburg batters. He walked four.

BOND SALES AT \$600,000

Goal Yet Distant; Rallies Scheduled In Several Towns

The total of War Bonds bought to the credit of Floyd County in its first War Loan drive stood this week at approximately \$600,000, with reports from scattered communities and small purchases yet to be made.

County Judge E. Hill, chairman of the drive, said.

The county's goal is \$870,000. Included in the \$600,000 total credited to this county is the \$300,000 of Floyd county in the state's \$3,300,000 surplus invested in Bonds.

E. R. Price, superintendent of the Inland Steel Company, Wheelwright, gave assurance that the company and its employees will buy \$240,000 in Bonds. The company already has purchased \$100,000 worth.

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Achievements of Floyd FFA Groups Told; Aid Scrap Saving, Bond Buying

Annual report of the Maytown and McDowell Future Farmers show that the two chapters had collected 11,900 activity programs during the past year, according to Watson Armstrong, Department of Agricultural Education, University of Kentucky.

All of the boys are carrying on supervised farming programs. Every member of the Maytown chapter increased the size of his farming program during the past year.

BIDS LACKING ON SCHOOL

Shortage of Materials Thwarts Contractors On Weeksbury Job

With no bids offered on construction of the proposed Weeksbury building to supplant the school destroyed there by fire, County Superintendent Town Hall said this week there is a serious possibility that temporary quarters must serve the school district till end of the war.

Three veteran building contractors, J. S. Reynolds, Melvin Lane and E. L. Gearheart, were present Friday when the board of education convened to open bids. But neither offered bids for the reason that they had been unable to gain assurance of receiving building materials, although they had made a wide search for immediate delivery of material.

MINE BUREAU REPORT MADE

Three Floyd Operations Mentioned by Sayers In Report on Eight

While recommending additional safeguards in eight Kentucky coal mines, federal inspectors have cited a number of safe practices and recent improvements in reports made public by Dr. R. E. Sayers, director of the Bureau of Mines.

Seven of the operations were inspected recently, and one was inspected for the first time. Sayers informed Secretary of the Interior Harold I. Ickes. Improvements made since original inspections resulted from company initiative or from recommendations of the federal officials and federal inspectors.

Portions of the report relative to Floyd coal operations follow:

Elkhorn Coal Company, Martin; 295 employees; daily production, about 1,500 tons. Inspected by Max J. Caylor. Recommendations: operation as a safety mine with smoking and open-flame camp lamps prohibited throughout; improved air-circulating facilities; enforcement of timbering standards; safe storage of explosives underground; better haulage conditions and practices; and more effective control of coal dust. Recent improvements included a new fan, three additional air splits, some incombustible stoppings, and guards and enclosed switches for pumps. Permissible explosives now are used exclusively.

Central Elkhorn No. 3 mine. Central Elkhorn Coal Company, Lacey; 104 employees; daily production, about 500 tons. Inspected by Malcolm Davis. Numerous recent safety improvements had been made, including replacement of permissible electric camp lamps and flame safety lamps, employment of two more foremen for closer supervision, cleaning of air passages, and replacing of tracks, installation of guards for wiring and machinery, and repairs and replacements for electric installations. Recommendations: better ventilation and control of coal dust and of permissible explosives, and bans on smoking and using open-flame lamps. The company planned to install a new fan, employ shot-fires, and change to permissible explosives when black

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Lockwood Reported Seriously Wounded; Lee Is Prisoner

Lt. Quentin Lockwood, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lockwood, Prestonsburg, was seriously wounded in action in Italy June 19, the War Department wired his wife at Adelaide Wednesday.

Operating from Italian bases for the last few months, Lt. Lockwood was navigator on a Liberator bomber. In his last letter received by his parents he stated that he had completed his 36th mission.

COMMANDED INVASION GROUND TROOPS

Official U. S. Signal Corps Radio Telephone

A closeup study of Lt. Gen. Omar Bradley, commanding the U. S. Second Troop, showing him aboard his vessel during the invasion.

The record of achievement of Senator Douglas Hays, Representative Jerry F. Howell and William G. Biggers were endorsed by the convention. The resolution expressing Floyd Democrats' appreciation of their work in the Legislature pointed to the "apparent unsurmountable obstacles" they and other Democratic members faced in enacting constructive legislation.

ENDORSEMENT GIVEN TO FDR FOR 4TH TERM

Democratic Convention Here Also Supports May and Barkley

Floyd county Democrats in convention here Saturday endorsed Franklin D. Roosevelt as a Democratic leader called for his re-election to a fourth term as President and endorsed both Senator Allen W. Barkley and Congressman A. J. May who are candidates for re-election this year.

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RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Processed Foods
Blue stamps A8 through V8 in 10 stamps each indefinitely.

Meats and Fats
Red stamps A8 through W8 in 10 stamps each indefinitely.

Sugar
Stamps 20, 31 and 32 in Book Four good for 5 pounds each indefinitely.

Shoes
Airplane stamps 1 and 2 in station Book Three used indefinitely for one pair of shoes.

Gasoline
Stamp A-12 good for 3 gallons through September 21. B-3, C-3, D-4 and E-4 stamps good for 5 gallons each until used. B-5 and E-5 stamps must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

Tires
Inspectors not competent unless appearing for tires. Motorists must keep old tire record. Commercial vehicle inspections due every six months or 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

BONANZA

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon were shopping in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Darnon were the Wednesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holbrook.

Mrs. Jack Frazier and granddaughter Evelyn Dora May were shopping in Prestonsburg Wednesday.

Misses Ethel and Mildred Woods were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hackworth, the past week.

Harry Robert and Miss Helen Rhea Burke were visiting in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon were in Allen on business Wednesday.

Elzie Bays was in Prestonsburg on business Friday.

Miss Edith Harmon was shopping in Prestonsburg Thursday.

Mrs. Andrew Frazier and Miss Mary K. Music are in Ohio visiting their sister, Mrs. Albert Harmon.

Miss Betty Jo Hall is spending an extended visit with her uncle, Woodrow Frazier, in Bonny Blue, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dills, Jr. and daughter, Judith Nell, of Paintsville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Folk Hill and family.

Misses Gladys and Phoebe Marshall spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Frazier and sons.

MARTIN

Mrs. Dewey Bentley returned to Baltimore, Md., Thursday afternoon after having spent a few days in Martin on business.

Mrs. Sonia Greer and son have returned from Camp Maxey, Texas, where they have been spending several days with her husband, Pvt. Ed Greer of the army.

Robert Dermont, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont, finished V-12 training at Berea College June 21 and is spending two weeks' leave with his parents. He will report to the U. S. N. R. midshipman school, Notre Dame University, July 6. Mr. Dermont attended the exercises at Berea.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vincent and children are spending a short vacation with Mr. Vincent's relatives in Bowling Green.

Miss Mae Skeans, of Columbus, O., is home for a vacation and rest since her recent operation. She will divide her time between her brother and sister, Sam, Darb and James Skeans and Mrs. Perry Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Macdonald of Wayland have a new son. The babe was born at the Martin General hospital June 23. Their "baby" before the one is 18 months old.

Rob Flannery, of Detroit, Mich., Miss Nola Flannery, of Cleveland, O., and Mrs. Linville Higgins, of Cleveland, O., were home for the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. John Flannery.

Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of Morehead, is here, due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill. Two other daughters of Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Della Jackson and Miss Sarah Jane Hill, of Newberry, Ind., are also home for a while.

Mrs. Florence Crisp and Mrs. Lawrence Lynch were in Pikeville on business recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Darnon were in Ashland, Ky., and Huntington, W. Va., for a few days.

Mrs. L. M. Hagan spent Friday night with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sandy Martin, Jr., and her grandson, Donald Ray Martin, of Hunter.

Miss Gladys McKinley, of Beckley, W. Va., is the houseguest of her aunt, Mrs. S. D. Dermont, for several days.

Douglas Tackett has been ill for the past few days, but is much better now.

Seen around town on leaves and furloughs: Mr. McKinney, of the navy, a veteran of the Pacific theater of war; John Spurlock, Bert Evans, and Sherrill Frazier, of the army; Stacy Salisbury, of the air corps.

Mrs. Guy Taylor and daughters, Beverly Jean and Claire Lee, were dinner guests of Mrs. G. H. Dingus Friday.

Cliff Ross Cagle, Jr., is enjoying a furlough at home after spending several months in Kennedy General hospital, and the small son, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hahn were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen Sunday evening.

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Miss Magdalene Branhman has just completed a six-week summer term at Pikeville College. Miss Spillman, a Biology teacher on the college faculty, and one of the students were dinner guests of Miss Branhman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dermont, and Mrs. Midshipman Robert Dermont, and Miss Gladys McKinley were visiting Mrs. Dermont's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bodar, in St. Paul, Va., Sunday.

Miss Rosemary Blitter was the guest of her cousin, Miss Magdalene Branhman, over the weekend.

Seaman 2 c Haskell Frye, Jr., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Frye, Sr.

Penny Runyon, of Williamson, W. Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Haskell Frye.

Pvt. Charley Flannery spent a week-end with his sisters and father, Bill Flannery, of Buck's Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen entertained to dinner Mrs. F. A. Maggard and daughters, Ruth Ann and Sally Frances, of Lexington, and Mrs. D. B. Stephens, of Allen, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen's wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crisp, Sr., are visiting their son, James, Jr., at Camp Stewart, Georgia.

Mrs. T. J. Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Sturill Monday at Prestonsburg.

Miss Frances Ambury and Winfred Sturgill, of Prestonsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Norris spent Father's Day with Mr. Norris' father in Ashland.

Mr. Lawrence Stewart and children have been visiting friends and relatives in Ashland for the past two weeks.

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The Homemakers Club has been doing fine work in millinery. Some of their designs have been seen on the streets. Praise goes to Mrs. Olva Stapleton for her artistic ability.

Sheriff and Mrs. Troy B. Sturgill were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen Sunday evening.

'Mom' Perry is a skilled cabinet-maker. She has made some beautiful pieces of furniture including a corner cabinet, utility cabinet and cric-a-brac.

T. J. Allen, of the Southeastern Gas Company, has been made superintendent of the Hamilton Gas Corporation at Northern, Mr. Allen will supervise operations at both companies in Kentucky and part of West Virginia. He has been field superintendent for the Southeastern Gas Company for 15 years. His office will remain at Martin.

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THE WEEK IN OPA

Gasoline Rations Unchanged

There will be no change in present gasoline rations as a result of the third quarter allocations the Office of Price Administration has announced.

Third quarter quotas for the nation as a whole show a reduction of 1700 barrels daily from the second quarter quotas. OPA pointed out.

Consumption for the nation as a whole appears to be running even with slightly above the quota for the second quarter, according to OPA.

With the tempo of war increasing in both east and west, bringing increased demands for gasoline for the armed forces, there is no prospect of civilian allotments being expanded in the near future, OPA said.

Boards to Study Use Car Regulation

Schools will be conducted at each of the 60 War Price and Rationing Boards in the Lexington District before July 10 to acquaint clerks and board members with the new OPA regulation setting ceiling prices on all used passenger cars, which become effective on that date.

S. J. Yeary, district office price specialist, announced this week.

Mr. Yeary said that meetings of used car dealers also will be held at several points in the district before July 10 at which district office officials will be present to explain the regulation.

New Ruling on Waste Fats

Independent collectors of waste fats must leave household salvage fats in the original cans in which they were collected, and small boarding house proprietors place them if they are to receive red points for the material when it is turned over to renderers, OPA announced this week.

Purpose of this new requirement in the collection program is to make it possible for renderers to be certain that points paid by them represent point payments only for waste kitchen fats, according to OPA.

New Stove Provisions Announced

Beginning June 28, a consumer may sell or return stove to a dealer, distributor or manufacturer, the OPA has announced.

Under present regulations, a consumer may transfer a new stove to another consumer.

If a consumer returns a stove to a dealer, or cancels the order before it is delivered, the dealer must either give him back the certificate or a receipt for the return. The consumer must present this receipt to his local board when applying for a new stove certificate.

Emergency Sugar Allotment

To increase the use of eggs by bakers, ice cream makers and other industrial users of sugar, OPA has announced that any industrial user who customarily uses eggs or who will increase his use of eggs—fresh, frozen or dried—in the production of products for which he receives a regular allotment of sugar will be given an additional allotment for the third quarter running up to 5 per cent of his base (1941) use.

This action was taken, OPA said, to help reduce the surplus of eggs in this country caused by bumper production.

NOTICE

Fred Martin is applying for license to sell whiskey at retail by the package at his location in the T. A. Martin building No. 3 at Wayland, Ky., and publishes this notice in accordance with state law.

6-29-29

A number of farmers in Shelby county who grew barley this year harvested the grain for seed.

Harrison Rittman, of Leslie county, sold 70,000 sweet potato plants to the farmers in the county.

Floyd County Goes To War

The expert infantryman badge, a military award for both officers and enlisted men, given in recognition of exceptional fulfillment of field duties of an infantryman, was awarded June 15 to Pvt. William P. Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paris Conley, of Cliff, who is now assigned for duty with the 348th Infantry, 84th Division, Ft. Jackson, South Carolina.

Pvt. Conley had to qualify with his assigned weapon, as well as qualify on a familiarization test with one other weapon. He had to read maps, understand flag and field marking signals, to complete, without falling out, a foot march, with full field equipment, of 25 miles in eight hours, and another march of nine miles in two hours. The soldier must complete the infiltration course, close combat course and city combat course, traverse a mile-compass course in both day and night operations; pass a rigid examination in the arts of scouting, first aid, field sanitation, bayonet, and must display an understanding of protective measures for himself and units that might come under his command. The physical fitness program Pvt. Conley had to undergo included push-up, a 300-yard run in 45 seconds, a 10 yard pig-back run (carrying a man of approximately his own weight), a 70-yard zig-zag agility run, as well as displaying the ability to run, crawl, creep and jump on an especially prepared course.

AN 8TH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND STATION, England—Cpl. Theop. Branhman, Allen, Ky., recently was promoted from private at this strategic air depot, where he is stationed with a transportation unit. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Branhman, of Allen, Cpl. Branhman is a truck driver and hauls vital supplies necessary to keep the Eighth Air Force bombers over the Continent.

Before entering the army in April, 1942, at Ft. Thomas, Ky., he was a mechanic for the Shodgrass Motor Company at Allen. Cpl. Branhman has been stationed in the British Isles nine months.

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'If folks had more faith and tolerance in the other fellow,' he said, 'they'd come out better in the end.'

Reminded me of Bill Webster who's favorite drink is butter-milk but who claims a man has a right to eat and drink whatever he chooses—in moderation.

And from where I sit, that's how things ought to be.

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News From Floyd Communities

CRACKER

John Mayo and children, of Louisville, have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo, this week.

Mrs. Harry Lantry, of North, was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Peters, Thursday.

Mrs. Marcy Stephens has received word that her husband, Pvt. Stephens, has left for overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephens, of Allen, were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stephens.

Miss Irene Bentley was visiting in Allen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bentley, of Allen, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Mae Bentley.

Misses Lorna Sammons, of Louisville, Roma Sammons and Phyllis Clegg, of Martin, were visiting their cousin, Wanda Peters, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Evelyn Conley and small daughter were the week-end guests of Miss Lucy Bricker.

Misses Betty and Annelle Francis were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mayo, last week.

Miss Hazel Stephens spent Friday night with her brother, Clarence Stephens, at Allen.

Mrs. J. W. Peters has received word that her son, Elmer, has been promoted to petty officer 1/c.

NOTICE

To all persons having Occupational Licenses consisting of soft drinks, ice cream and tobacco license:

Your 1943 license will expire on June 30, 1944. In order to avoid the 20 per cent penalty under the law you must renew your license on or before said date.

A. B. MEADE, Clerk
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McDOWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stumbo attended a rook party given by Mr. and Mrs. Langley Hall of Salisbury Saturday evening.

A birthday party was given in honor of Zelma and Zella Anderson at the home of Violet Stumbo recently.

Miss Betty Shuffelbarger, of Berea College, is home for a short vacation.

Miss Justine Steele has gone to Detroit, Mich., where she will spend a vacation with her mother.

Marcellene Hall, of Portsmouth, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

John D. Martin was visiting relatives here over the week-end.

Eugene S. Martin spent Sunday night with Mrs. Tom Turner.

Cpl. Joe Vance and brother, James B. Vance, are home on furlough.

G. M. 2/c Richard Sammons is expected home on a short leave before going to gunnery school at Washington, D. C.

Lloyd Stumbo, of the navy, is home on leave.

RISNER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson have received word that their son has arrived safely overseas.

Mrs. Adam Ousley and Mrs. Ode Wright were in Prestonsburg last week making bandages for the Red Cross.

Pvt. Henry Ratliff is spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Ratliff. His brother is somewhere in England.

Mrs. Melba Risner was in Prestonsburg recently.

Mrs. Grace Risner is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ousley. Mrs. Ousley has been ill.

BUY WAR BONDS!

GARRETT

Mrs. Mary Horton Arrowood was recently notified that her son, Pvt. John Horton Arrowood, was wounded in action in Italy.

Mr. Lloyd Hughes returned Friday from Laporte, Ind., after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Velsa Moore, who had undergone a major operation.

Fred Martin, Edgill Davis, John A. Huffman, James Wallace and Nello Francis are spending leaves here after completing their "boot" training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Miss Joyce Rasmick returned Saturday after spending two weeks in Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Mrs. Bill Pettrey and Mrs. Frank Rasmick spent last week in Huntington with their father, J. W. Moore, who has been seriously ill in Memorial hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Hall and daughter Charlotte are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Burdell in Ashland.

Mrs. Chieft Messer and sister-in-law were shopping in Huntington Thursday.

Marjorie Jordan, of Laporte, Ind., is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Lloyd Hughes.

Sue Hornsby was hostess Thursday to a party given in honor of John A. Huffman, S. 2/c, and James P. Conley, of the army air force. Refreshments were served to John A. Huffman, James P. Conley, Tubby Patton, Edgill Davis, Fred Scott, Carlos Higgins, Jimmie Messer, Earl and El Bolan, Parley Johnson, Mary Lou Scott, Joe Rasmick, Junior Campbell, Edgill Davis, Eugene Mullins, Robert Bailey, Billy Earle and Betty Lou Roache, Elizabeth Trickett, Daisy Caudill, Betty-Jane Caudill, Vivian Belcher, Sue Hornsby.

Phyllis Childers left Friday to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives at Wheelwright this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spencer, Joe Rasmick and Tommy Johnson, spent Sunday in Huntington with J. W. Moore, who has been seriously ill. Mr. Moore is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cole and son Bill, of Madisonville, Ky., were guests of Mrs. Frank Rasmick Monday.

Mrs. Shelby Draught and daughter Pamela Sue left last week to spend the summer with S. Sgt. Draught at Stuart, Fla.

Annabelle Palm and Aveline Chaffin are visiting relatives in Kingsport, Tenn.

Mrs. C. B. Leon is visiting her brother in New Mexico.

Lillian Allen, of Amityville, N.Y., is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Allen.

Dorothy and Paul Higgins are visiting relatives in Shreve, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasmick announce the arrival of a daughter.

BANNER

Bascom Hall, who has been overseas with the armed forces, arrived here Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends. His girl friend from Detroit, Mich., accompanied him here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones are the parents of a fine son—Ronald Lynn.

Rev. and Mrs. S. G. Rice attended church at Clear Creek Sunday. They were accompanied by their daughter, Susan.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kidd have moved to the S. G. Rice property.

Master Richard Clegg is improving following an eye operation.

Mrs. Tom Hall of Lexington, visited her sisters, Mrs. Joe Collins and Mrs. Harry Hamilton, here last week.

Mrs. Ike Clegg has returned after a short visit with her soldier-husband in Kansas.

Mrs. Shirley Rice and small son, Harry Gordon, were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

War Bonds may soon be Pence Bonds—Buy 'em now!

HAROLD

Church services were held Sunday morning on the Ferguson cemetery. Service men seen around town: Don Wright, navy; James Blewett and Eugene Hall, of the army.

Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Hall are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chaffin have been visiting their daughter in Portsmouth, Va.

Miss Belle Sturgill is employed in Norfolk, Va.

Miss Emma Grace Hartley is visiting her aunt at Louisa.

Mrs. Lexie Ferrell has been visiting her brother in North Carolina.

Mrs. Glenn H. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, of Wayland, are spending a vacation at Norris Dam, Tenn.

Mrs. H. H. Hall is the former Miss Virginia Chaffin.

Ballard Clegg is now in Detroit seeking defense work.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sturgill, Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Roberts, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Young, of Prestonsburg.

HIPPO

Mrs. Ida Meade and her mother, Mrs. Mary Adams, of Van Lear, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hall.

Larue and Lauretta Pratt, little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pratt, of Garrett, spent a few days recently with their aunt, Mrs. James Pratt.

Dixie Prater was in Garrett Thursday afternoon.

Maggie Hicks, who is attending school at Pikeville, was home for the week-end.

Mrs. Ezra Osborne and son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hicks and sons were visiting relatives at Grundy, Va., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Prater and family attended church at the mouth of Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Stone is expecting her son, Billy Bellomy, of the navy, home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prater and children and Elsie Campbell were visiting on Caneet last week-end.

Little Elsie Lois Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Bailey, of Ohio, is staying here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore were in Martin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Reffett and sons spent their vacation at David, with Mrs. Reffett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alka Davis.

Dana Ann, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ousley, is spending several days with her grandfather, Dave Hicks.

James Ismael Prater was on Stone Coal Thursday visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. S. Pratt.

Mrs. R. M. Bailey was in Prestonsburg and Martin on business Saturday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Prater were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pratt and children, Mrs. R. M. Bailey, Ray, Ila and Dixie Prater, Maggie Hicks and Norma Pratt and Harless Prater.

Otis Kenney was on Brush Creek Sunday.

Johnnie Justice, of Dock, is staying at the home of his sister, Mrs. Willie Haywood, on Prater Fork.

W. M. Hicks was in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mrs. Barbara Acree was spending a few days with Viola and Catherine Hicks.

Floyd Allen, of Ashland, is spending his vacation with his father, Ward B. Allen, and his grandmother, Mrs. Jada Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rice have returned from their vacation at Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Betty Bailey and Emma Foster and children were at Bosco Friday, visiting relatives.

Anna Ousley, of Dock, is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ousley, of Prater Creek.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. G. Hicks and son and Ila Prater were in Maytown Saturday.

Haskell Bailey has ordered a wheelchair. He is an invalid.

Mrs. U. S. Rogers, of Carroll county, is growing 33 different vegetables in her garden.

HUEYSVILLE

Pvt. Chester Gibson, of Smacker Bottom, who was here on leave from the army last week in Ohio, returned to his army post.

Sgt. Marcus Carpenter is visiting his home in Hueysville this week. He is the son of I. Nat. Carpenter whose home is now in California. Marcus is stationed in Perry, Florida.

Alex Miller, who sold his home in Smacker Bottom and moved to Salt Lake, has just closed a deal with Harless Martin for another house and lot in Smacker Bottom. He is expected to move back home to the house and has to go back to the hospital.

Pvt. Miles Crisp was called home this week from his army post by the death of his grandfather, Jones Crisp.

DAVID

Those folding bandages last week at the Red Cross room were as follows: Medames, Lon Hill, Pats Cappel, Oakley Mullins, David Bickford, Dean Zornes, M. E. Thompson, Enno Van Gelder, Joe Kestling, A. C. Wilson, W. H. Ratliff and Misses Blanche Garrett, Ola Howard, Pauline Bocock, Betty Jo Casperson, Jewel Carter, Mona Mae Rogers, Jacqueline Bartley, Betty Jo Skeens, Thelma Rogers, Alphretta Kendrick, Dorothy Clark, Justine Wilson, Messrs. Donald and Cletis Caudill and Lester Ratliff.

Miss Ora Howard spent the week-end with her father.

Oakley Mullins spent Sunday in Garrett.

Miss Catherine Hager and George Prater, of the merchant marine, were married last Thursday. He is stationed near San Francisco.

Wm. Leonard Keen, of Keen, Charlotte Mullins, Bill Rogers, Bill Ratliff and Charles Mullins, Mrs. Harmon, Miss Anna Mae Harlow, and Mrs. Rena Howman, were visiting Miss Eva Allen Sunday at Goodloe.

BETSY LAYNE

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Prater and family, of Vpsland, Mich., called on friends here last Wednesday.

Cpl. Victor Walters and Pvt. Clifford Walters have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Naula Walters.

Cpl. and Mrs. Travis Elswick and son are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Arthur Jones, recently underwent a major operation at the Methodist hospital, Pikeville, and is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hatcher assisted in making house slippers for service men at the Red Cross unit last week.

Medames, Anna Williamson, Myrtle Howard, Mildred Davis, Dockie and Angelina George and Miss Eulene Boyd.

T. St. Russell Stratton is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill Stratton.

Pvt. Clifford and Orbie Boyd have spent furloughs recently with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powell Boyd.

Mrs. James Risner is the mother of a fine son born last week at the Pikeville hospital. The father is stationed with the army in the Hawaiian Islands.

Sgt. I. N. Hall and Seaman Hassel Stratton called on friends here Saturday.

Pvt. Ray Stratton spent last week-end visiting his parents.

The Odessa Baptist Sunday School enjoyed a picnic last Sunday.

Mrs. Lon Roberts' mother, Mr. A. R. Gurnall of New York is visiting here.

Rev. Frank Allen called his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Pats, Helene Harmon and Don Kod are spending furloughs with their parents in Mare Creek.

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BRUSH CREEK

Joseph Hicks and daughters are spending a vacation with his sons, Eugene and Cecil Hicks, in Ohio.

R. M. Bates attended church on Salt Lake Sunday and Sunday.

Betty Ruth and Earl Edward Stone were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Oscar Hicks, Friday.

Miss John Prater spent her vacation with her children and stepchildren at Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. James Prater and son, James Ismael, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Heiter Kennedy Sunday at Median.

Miss Eva Jean Ousley has been ill, but is recovering now.

Bill Reed and Boyd Shepherd have gone to Toledo, O., where they will be employed in a defense plant.

Miss Edith Mae Pitts left for West Virginia where she will spend two weeks before returning to teach the Brush Creek school.

Mrs. Arnold Hicks and Mrs. Paul Hall were in Saltersville on business Friday.

Mrs. Junior Ousley, Boole and Mary Allen Hicks were in Prestonsburg on business Thursday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Elmer Hicks are visiting their parents, William Hicks and Oak Conley. Mr. Hicks has been in Baltimore, working in a defense plant.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Duff spent the week-end with Zoy Duff, of Pigeon Roost.

Mrs. Arnold Hicks has been ill the past week.

GEARHEART

Mrs. Kenneth Loun is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Moore.

Eugene Moore is home on a visit from West Point, Ky.

Mrs. Lee Moore and daughters were visiting Mrs. G. C. McCurry at McDowell Sunday.

Mrs. Palmer Moore and son, Phillip Dale, were in Prestonsburg Friday on business.

Russell and Eugene Moore spent Sunday night in Martin.

Cpl. Ward Mosley was visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mosley Moore, here Saturday.

EDGAR

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roop have returned home from Michigan. There were called here by the illness of their uncle, Martin Roop, who has dropped.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lantry were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roop Sunday.

A large crowd attended church at the Sowder, Creek school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lantry and two daughters were visiting in Prestonsburg Sunday.

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LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Wendell E. Meade. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Ligon, Ky. MAUDIE MEADE.

LOST—"A" gas book, issued to Charlie McSuey. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Drift, Ky. CHARLIE MCSUEY.

LOST—Ration Book No. 3, issued to Marie E. Little. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Hygro, Ky. MARIE E. LITTLE.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4, issued to Fred D. Meade. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Printer, Ky. FREDDY D. MEADE.

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Taking Officer for a Jeep Ride



The driver of the jeep is P. C. Paul Wallen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallen, Water Gap. His passenger is his company commander, Lt. Harry Stittland. The photo was made at Camp Butler, N. C. P. C. Wallen, in the army almost two years, was sent to England eight months ago.

Mrs. Florence Whitaker Of Hueysville, Dies, Victim of Cancer

Mrs. Florence Whitaker, 42 years old, wife of John M. Whitaker, died at her home at Hueysville, Thursday, last week, following a long illness of cancer.

Mrs. Whitaker was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Stone, of Knott county. She was a devout member of the Regular Baptist Church. Surviving are her husband, five daughters and two sons: Bertie, Bertha, Bessie, Opal, Joyce, J. M., Jr. and Virgil. Two brothers, Tom Stone, of Hollybush, and Tom Stone, of Ashland, and six sisters: Mrs. Lynn Jacobs, Lacker; Mrs. John Jacobs, Mousie; Mrs. Andy Stone, Mousie; Mrs. Green Stone, Leburn; Mrs. Roy Duncan, Hueysville, and Miss Josephine Stone, Pikeville.

Funeral rites were conducted Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the home, the Revs. Alex Coburn and Earl Howard officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home.

'Hold the Line' Fight By OPA Is Successful In State, Survey Shows

A survey of food costs was completed last week by the Lexington district OPA office. The survey covered the cost of 30 staple food items in May 1944 as compared to May 1944 and is a part of a district-wide survey.

Results of the survey showed that the majority of prices have remained fixed while there were about an even number of advances and declines among 10 items.

Lower prices on bacon, butter, pork chops, eggs and peanut butter were found while advances were indicated on meat, flour, catsup, milk and dried beans. An increase of a half-cent per pound on flour was general in spite of the fact that flour now sells at wholesale for less than it did a year ago.

Among the 30 items remaining unchanged in price were beef, sugar, hard coffee, bread, soap and most canned goods.

Slight price changes either up or down can be attributed to merchandising methods but, on the whole, food prices have been stabilized, according to Chris Moore, assistant information officer of the Lexington district OPA office, who conducted the survey.

July Cosmopolitan To Contain Article Written by A. J. May

"A Glorified Racket" is the title of an article by Congressman A. J. May which will appear in the July number of Cosmopolitan magazine.

The article is an expose of racketeering firms which employ specialists at low salaries then "farm out" these employees to war industries at high wages. These practices have been the subject of intensive study by the House Military Affairs Committee, of which Congressman May is chairman.

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Eastern Kentuckians Meet in Soviet Union

It's a small world, now, isn't it? Take the gathering of friends of the 15th U. S. air force in Russia recently as Russian airfields were opened for American planes.

There was Lt. John Johnson, of Draffin, Pike county—the guy who kept a painful secret just to make the trip to the Soviet Union. He had a "jumping" appendix but said nothing about it till he got there. Then an operation was necessary (patient died fine). And—

His nurse is Josie Lee Vest, of Whitesburg.

"Why, I know his sister," smiled Nurse Vest. "She's one of my best friends, and look—here we meet in Russia and he's my patient."

Eddy Gilmore, of the Associated Press, recounted the reception accorded Lt. Johnson, Nurse Vest and other Americans in Russia.

American and British correspondents journeyed here to observe the first of a welcome this great flock of Flying Fortresses got from the Russian people, seeing for the first time such things as American heavy bombers in their skies and G.I.'s in their streets.

"It is wonderful," said a commander from upper New York state. "I even got kissed by one captain with a long black beard."

"The first time that happened to me, when I got out of the plane was 'hat someone hung a wreath of flowers around my neck. I never saw so many flowers. I think they must have had a truckload at the air field."

"Look what I got," said Major Joseph Cunningham, Milton, Mass., "the Red Army Red Star button. I'm wearing it on my cap."

We went to the nearby village where the United States bomber crews billeted. It was a typical village with a long main street and pretty houses strung out for a long distance. It was a warm day and the girls and women stood out with gay-colored dresses and the old men and young boys had bright shirts.

We saw an American sergeant playing softball with four Russian boys. Further on three G.I.'s were strolling along with three Russian girls laughing and joking in the sign language.

We stopped to talk to two colonels—how did they like Russia? They liked it fine—even though they had slight headaches. Why the headaches?

"We found out about vodka," they said almost in chorus.

"Boy, are these Russian girls strong!" said Lt. Strat Kimmens, Houston, Texas. "I saw two of our G.I.'s struggling along with a couple of big cans of soup. They two Russian girls came up and took them away with a laugh. They handled the cans as if they were toys. Wow, what people!"

This Farm Woman Sets Dizzy Pace

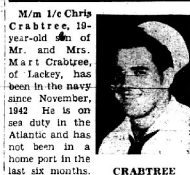
Milking eight to 15 cows night and morning is just one of the farm jobs of Mrs. Ber Barton in Simpson county, says Pearl S. Sluder, the county's home demonstration agent. Some of the other things she does include caring for 200 chickens, hoeing and spraying garden vegetables, picking strawberries and cherries and shocking small grain.

Of course she has the housework to do including cooking and baking, canning and mending and sewing for her husband, herself and children. Her public services include the presidency of one homemakers' club, the vice presidency of another, and home nursing leader of both clubs.

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Floyd County Goes To War



CRABTREE

M/M 1/6 Chris Crabtree, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Crabtree, of Lackey, has been in the navy since November, 1942. He is on sea duty in the Atlantic and has not been in a home port in the last six months.

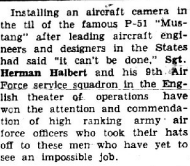
ADVANCE HEADQUARTERS—Italy—Well over 35,000 miles of long-distance telephone lines and a long-distance switchboard handling over 6,000 calls a day have been installed and are being operated by men of a signal corps installation company in Italy. Technician Fifth Grade Robert M. Goble, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Goble, of Prestonsburg, Ky., is with this unit as a switchboard operator.

The men of this unit faced the problem of rehabilitating a complete commercial telephone and telegraph system which had been almost entirely bombed out. Upon their arrival in Italy they set up their own machine shop in which they manufactured all varieties of cabling tools. Scrap hunting details were organized and large quantities of Italian and German equipment were brought in and used in the construction of the largest long-distance telephone exchange in Italy.

During the six months they have operated in Italy these men have put more telephone and telegraph communications into operation in southern Italy than before the war.

Pvt. Freddy Cottrell, who was decorated for bravery under fire while serving with the medical corps in the Mediterranean theater of war, has been awarded the infantry combat badge. He has recovered while on a pass to Rome recently met a boyhood friend, Pvt. Sam K. Hatcher, of the army engineers and a son of Mrs. Maggie Hatcher, Prestonsburg.

Sgt. Sherill Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Frazier, of Martinsburg, recently received a certificate of proficiency upon graduation from the Ordnance Parts Clerical School, Fort Ord Ordnance Depot, Toledo, Ohio. He was one of two soldiers in the corps to receive the "Superior" rating.



CRABTREE

Installing an aircraft camera in the tail of the famous P-51 "Mustang" after leading aircraft engineers and designers in the States had said "it can't be done." Sgt. Herman Halbert and his 5th Air Force service squadron in the English theater of operations have won the attention and commendation of high ranking army air force officers who took their hats off to these men who have yet to see an impossible job.

Sgt. Halbert, who is a mechanic in his Squadron, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Halbert, of Langley. He graduated from Maytown high school in 1937, and prior to entering the service in May, 1942 was a mechanic and truck driver in Huntington, W. Va.

Successful installation of the camera was accomplished by the squadron after tests by North American Aircraft Corp. makers of the Mustang, and Wright Field aeronautical engineers, had already proved the job impossible.

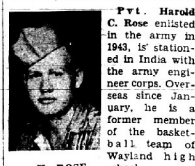
Nevertheless, the commanding general of the Ninth Air Force fighter command, who knows and respects what his men can do, gave permission to Sgt. Halbert's squadron to attempt the installation. In one week after the general said "go ahead," the first aerial camera, of the type desired, had been installed in the tail of the Mustang.

In less than three months 50 more Mustangs were camera equipped. Planes of the only tactical fighter reconnaissance group in any theater served by Sgt. Halbert's squadron were streaking over enemy territory, blasting at Nazi targets with their 50-caliber machine guns, "shooting" aces and installations with their newly installed cameras to give the Ninth Air Force intelligence officers vital potential information essential to effective aerial warfare.

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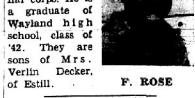
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H. ROSE

Pvt. Harold C. Rose enlisted in the army in 1943, is stationed in India with the army engineer corps. Over seas since January, he is a former member of the basketball team of Wayland high school.



New Buddy Bag Quota For County Is 515

A new quota of 515 "Buddy Bags" added to the unfilled quota of 350 has been sent Floyd County Chapter, American Red Cross here. These are to be sent to American hospitals to be distributed to wounded soldiers returning from the battle fronts.

The bags are filled with necessities as well as comforts for the soldiers. Many recipients have written letters to the donors of the bags expressing their appreciation, saying how much it has meant to know the folks at home are thinking of them and that they are wanting to get further news from home by correspondence.

Approximately \$2.50 is the cost of filling a "Buddy Bag." Any club, school or individual who wants to help in this move may send their contributions to the Floyd county chairman, Mrs. Ruth Sowards, Prestonsburg.

"If every family with a boy in service would respond to this call from the Red Cross, then our quota will be filled immediately," Mrs. Sowards said.

VISIT RELATIVES—Mrs. Hattie Hall and daughter, Sue Margaret, of Pikeville, were guests here for the week-end of relatives and friends.

Never let up till they're home



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You on the farms. You in the homes.

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heroic hour.

He knows what's ahead.

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...hardship... pain... perhaps death.

He's facing it. He'll keep on
facing it, as long as there's
breath in his body and blood
in his veins.

But he wants to know
what's behind him.

And you have *only a few
days left* to give him the
answer.

That answer will be written in the final
figures on the Fifth War Loan Drive.

For this is the crucial, the all-important
Drive. Never has the need for War Bond
buying been so great.

To make the Drive a success, you—and
everyone else—*must* buy at least *twice* as
many Bonds as you bought in the last drive.

If you haven't yet bought
your full share, **DO IT NOW!**
The time is short! Make
YOUR supreme effort in **HIS**
supreme hour!

Remember—a soldier, your
soldier, is waiting for his an-
swer.

What will it be... from you?



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Peace by increasing purchas-
ing power after the War.
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THE GARDEN

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

WILT AND BLIGHT

What is it? It may appear a new
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With the onset of summer, plants be-
come more susceptible to diseases and
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the gardener must be on the alert for
new diseases. The garden is a place
where the gardener must be on the
alert for new insects. The garden is
a place where the gardener must be
on the alert for new viruses. The
garden is a place where the gardener
must be on the alert for new bacte-
ria. The garden is a place where the
gardener must be on the alert for new
nematodes. The garden is a place
where the gardener must be on the
alert for new mites.

Another common cause of wilt is the
fungal disease, *Fusarium wilt*. This
disease is caused by the fungus, *Fusarium
oxysporum*. It is a very common
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Blight is a disease of the foliage
of all vegetables, except cabbage
and cauliflower. It starts with scattered
spots, but soon the entire leaves
are covered and turn brown and
drop off.

The "germ" is air-borne and the
control is to cover the leaves with
an armor that prevents its getting a
foothold. Copper (as in bluestone,
an ingredient of Bordeaux mixture),
or as in copper oxide, makes an ef-
fective armor. As new leaves unfold,
they need covering, and this ex-
plains why a "program" is always
recommended generally, four spray-
ings at two-week intervals.

Bordeaux mixture may be had of
druggists or seedmen, ready-mixed,
needing only to be stirred in water
at the rate given in directions print-
ed on the container. Or, it may be
made of the original ingredients,
bluestone, lime and water, after the
"recipe" to be obtained of any coun-
ty agent, or direct from the College
of Agriculture, Lexington.

Copper oxide, a relatively new ma-
terial, Copper Oxide, is a new ma-
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Copper oxide-yellow is a war ma-
terial, used in painting ship hulls to
protect them against barnacles and
marine worms, and this year it ap-
peared as a civilian would see none.
However, in the past few weeks,
some has been taken for a garden
specimen and others have it and
merchants can get it.

THE ELK HORN COAL CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that on July
14, 1944, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., Cen-
tral War Time, hearing will be held
at the courtroom of Letcher Circuit
Court, Kentucky, in the court-
room of Letcher county at Whites-
burg, Kentucky, on Amended Re-
quest, Report No. 48 filed in the
supreme court of the State of Ky.
versus The Elk Horn Coal Corpora-
tion and others, No. 8307 on June
21, 1944, which report refers to a
bill or resolution for purpose of
debts and claims against The Elk
Horn Coal Corporation, and of
attaching the same to the report of
the court on August 22, 1944, and
Report No. 48 filed in the Circuit
Office of said court and a person
interested in the matter appearing
in the report may file a bill or res-
olution in said Circuit Office on or before
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