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Cannot Find Workers

"I was delighted to see your editorial, "Rocking Beats Working", published in the March 5 issue of Action In Kentucky," writes an Indiana industrialist, "It is a splendid article and every word that you have said is true."

The writer of this letter is the owner of the largest plant of its type in the world. He has plants in Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana and sends his finished products all over the world.

"As you probably know," he went on in his letter, "we buy large quantities of (hickory) billets. A great many of these are bought in Kentucky and we pay a fairly good price for them, usually around 6 1/2 ¢ each for a 16" length. It is a far higher price than stove wood and, yet, the price reminds one of a split piece of stove wood. We buy a lot of these in western Kentucky and several years ago we bought hundreds of thousands of them around London, Ky.

"This past year we spent three of four thousand dollars sending men into eastern Kentucky trying to get men to split up their hickory into billets and deliver them either to London, or we would pick them up with our own equipment.

"Our men who went into this territory tell us that there is a tremendous amount of hickory but the story was invariable the same--- those who had hickory said they couldn't get the labor to work it. To this day we have not had one single billet to show for the money we spent. Possible we are at fault somewhere, but it seems strange that with all of the unemployment and all the poverty there wouldn't be someone to make billets for us. As a matter of fact, we would even finance them to the extent that if a worthwhile person wanted to make billets and didn't have hickory, we would go out and buy it for him.

"It seems to me that our Federal government is really not sincerely anxious to correct the situation but is merely trying to ingratiate itself with voters so as to perpetuate itself in office. Anyone knows that you don't help people by giving them free handouts. You help them by teaching them to help themselves. However, I am sure that the situation is something that cannot be corrected as easily as talking about it and yet on the other hand, it does seem that what the government is doing is making it that much harder for a man to ever climb out of the lethargy and poverty that he is gradually sinking into.

"Your editorial certainly warrants repeating for every word of it is true. I have had enough experience trying to work miners that I know some of the problems facing any industry that would go into any of these distressed areas. Giving these people something for nothing certainly does not help the situation but contributes to the over-all difficulties".

This letter bears out our contention that bringing industry to Appalachia is going to be very difficult, because industrials simply cannot operate their plants with people who would rather rock than work, why would a factory owner risk his money and perhaps his company's fate in an area noted for its strife and lack of ambition?

The government's effort to make a silk purse out of a sow's ear will simply bring more hogs to the welfare trough while the silk purse makers go elsewhere to build their plants.

A Little Yappin'

By Nellie Crump

Disaster in Alaska.

Much concern is being expressed for the safety of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hardin and two children who are known to have been living in the flood zone in Alaska last Friday night. The family has been stationed at Elmendorf Air Force Base, which is only a few miles from Anchorage. The tower at the Base was reported demolished. Luckily, only one man had lost his life and only two were badly injured, as far as known, when the news reached Carlisle.

Mrs. Hardin is the former Lillie Belle Alexander, older daghter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander, near town. Young Hardin is the son of Mrs. Robert Chanslor of Carlisle and the late Stanley Hardin.

The former Ruby Butler Snapp, another Carlisle girl, who, with her husband, is located in Seward, Alaska, according to the card I received from Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Snapp last Christmas from Deming, New Mexico. Many other Nicholas countians may be in Alaska that I do not know about.

Monday morning — Mrs. Alexander called early this morning to say their phone rang at 12:30 last night and Lillie Belle's voice came through from Alaska as clear as though she had been in the room with her. They only had three minutes to talk. It was long enough to say a letter is on the way. It takes four days for a letter to come to Carlisle via air mail and will arrive by Thursday, Mrs. Alexander said.

—Yap—

News of the Week.

Mrs. Sophia Jackson and Frank moved from the little cottage by the Dorseyville bridge Saturday to the home of the late J. W. Goddeth on McCracken street.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Abney, of the Short Stoney Creek road, have purchased the place known as the Robert Kennedy home on Dorsey avenue and have moved to it.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pryor and two children, of Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. William Blackburn and son, of Erlanger, were Easter guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pryor. They were accomanied by their sister, Miss Ann Blair, who has been employed in Erlanger.

Mrs. Stella Watkins, who has been visiting her children in Georgia and Florida, is plannint to leave Friday, April 3. She will stop for the weekend with the Tebay Rose family in Harrodsburg and arrive in Carlisle Monday.

Heard about the lady in the East end of town who is through her Soring housecleaning. This Sunday night suggests that March is going out like a lion."

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander and Mrs. Tommy Grimes were in Lexington Easter Sunday to see Leonard's brother, Cecil Alexander, who underwent major surgery at St. Joseph's hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cray Marshall and two children were guests of Leonard Marshall in Frankfort Sunday afternoon.

—Yap—

Twenty and Forty-five Years Ago

20 Years Ago
Thursday, April 6, 1944

Miss Betty Jane Stanfield won the championship and the $10.00 cash prize when she correctly spelled the word "Maxnal" in the recent spelling bee held at the Carlisle High School auditorium.

Miss Fleet Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. D. Allison, a sophomore of Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, Kentucky, was among those whose names appeared on the Honor Roll for the winter quarter 1943-1944.

Pvt. Van Crabb, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Crabb, who has been in A. S. T. P. at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, dropped in at Carnegie Hall in New York to hear the Friday night "All-Time-Hit Parade" program the night before he was leaving for Camp Polk, La. Van had the good luck to be one of five service men to be called on to name familiar tune titles and received $10 for correctly naming "There's A Tavern In The Town."

Stanley and H. C. Galbraith, local tire re-capping firm, has purchased the Lane A. Martin Garage on West Main street and moved the re-capping business to this building.

Miss Marie Shrout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shrout, has been pledged by the Alpha Xi Delta Sorority at the University of Kentucky, where she is a Freshman this year.

Married; Miss Anna Bernice and Mr. Harold Dudley McClanahan, Saturday, April 1.

Died; Mrs. Alice Moreland Thomas, at the home of a daughter, March 29.

Born; To Lt. and Mrs. R. L. Talbert a daughter on March 30. To Mr. and Mrs. Holman Lynam a daughter on March 13.

45 Years Ago
April 10, 1919

Thomas S. Rhea, of Russellville, enters race for Governor of Kentucky.

William Jennings Bryan speaks in Lexington in interest of national prohibition.

Lt. Julius Efffrom returns from Camp Beauregard, Ga., where he has been serving as a War Risk Insurance Officer.

Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville Courier Journal since 1868 retires from duty.

James Ogden, foreign missionary, writes from Batang.

W. F. Clark and son, Lon Clark, buy block of stock in Ratliff Bros. Company.

Sgt. Dick Donnell of Camp Taylor, called home on account of illness of his father, James R. Donnell.

Ernest Flora receives honorable discharge from army.

Mrs. Robert Moore of Colorado Springs, Colorado, visits sister, Mrs. Green Feeback.

Mrs. B. F. Young and baby leave for visit with parents in St. Louis, Mo.

War Exhibit train passes through Carlisle in interest of Liberty Loan.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sanders of Flemingsburg rent W. S. Dudley residence and will move here.

Dr. O. S. Kash buys property on Locust street.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. Hargis McClanahan, a son.

Married--Mr. Stanley Galbraith and Miss Mary Jefferson Legg, and Miss Ruby Reed and Mr. George Litville at the Baptist parsonage in Carlisle.--Lloyd Reed, of Carlisle, and Miss Mary Masterson of Paris, at Jeffersonville, Ind.

President: Luann Ellington—Quatre Teenage Club; Gilda Anderson — Carlisle 7th & 8th Grade Club.

Vice-President: Tommy Ockerman — Headquarters 4-H Club; Mary Squires Caldwell — Carlisle 6th Grade 4-H Club.

Sec.-Treas.: Carolyn Trapp — Quatre Teenage Club; Bonnie Gum — Carlisle 7th & 8th Grade 4-H Club.

Reporter: Don Allen Darrell — Moorefield 4-H Club; Sally Wilson — Quatre Teenage 4-H Club.

Game Leader: Jo Ann McKee — Headquarters 4-H Club; Keith Coatney — Carlisle 6th Grade 4-H Club; David Ritchie—Carlisle 5th Grade 4-H Club.

Song Leader: Kay Threlkeld — Carlisle 6th Grade 4-H Club; Jane Talbert — Carlisle 7th & 8th Grade 4-H Club.

The day will also be highlighted with a kickoff of the county wide 4-H candy sale to raise money to help finish the camp fund drive. Plans are to complete the camp fund this year with this candy sale and the annual Birthday Calendar drive. Everyone is asked to help promote these activities and help make them successful.

You are invited to attend the Rally Day program Saturday.

Spring Clean-Up Time is Near

Spring clean-up time is just around the corner. Cleaning up homes, farms, public places will result in a safer, healthier community for all. Fires can be prevented by eliminating the causes. Accidents can be prevented by eliminating the hazards. Health can be improved by eliminating sources of contamination. Homes, farms, highways, and recreational areas can be beautified by cleaning up and fixing up.

Home owners should remove accumulated trash and unwanted items from in and around the house. Keep shrubbery properly pruned. Dispose of household trash and garbage. Repair broken steps, ladders, gates, fences, chimney flues, and furnaces.

Paint the house and other buildings where it is needed. Provide storage for tools and equipment. Practice good home management and keep an eye on safety. Improve inadequate and defective electric wiring systems, and don't be a litterbug. Don't dump trash on the highway, recreational areas, or on other people's property. Plans are being made for Nicholas County Clean-Up Campaign and will be announced soon.

Bagworm Picking Time Is Coming Up

The presence of bagworms on your evergreens at this time pose a threat to the shrub or tree this coming season.

Last year's bagworms are dead, but the population for this year is right there in the form of eggs in the bags tightly fixed to the branches of evergreen trees and shrubs around many homes.

As the season progresses these eggs will hatch. The bagworms will eat their way out of the old bags, crawl out on the new green shoots and branches, and begin to feed. They immediately begin to form a protective bag of their own and in a short time will seriously damage your evergreens. If all the bags on the shrubs are now removed and destroyed, complete control can result.

Bin-Hearted Youngster.

Young Henry Marshall was real sick with mumps or something last week. When conditions failed to improve he was in the hospital two days and nights. He was released the latter part of the week and my telephone rang in a short time. "Henry and I are buddies— and don't you forgit it!"

After studying a little arithmetic and spelling Friday morning, he felt like coming next door to stay with me while Mommie went to the store "to get something real good" for his birthday Saturday. "Mommie is going to bake me a jam cake for she's got some jam," he proudly confided. Words failed him for a minute before he said, "I'll bring you a piece of cake maybe, but Claudia and Barbara want some — and Jimmy — and Mommie and Daddy, when he comes from Avon." Such a big heart for a little boy out of the hospital!

Yaps—All . . .

FARM & HOME

Estil J. Noffsinger, County Agent; Thomas Stevens, Jr., Associate County Agent; Margie H. Wilson, Home Agent

4-H Rally Day Saturday at Nicholas County High School

4-H Rally starts at 9:00 a.m. and will be lots of fun for all who attend.

4-H demonstrations start the days activities. Speeches follow the demonstrations.

County 4-H officers will be elected with all 4-H'ers present voting for their favorite candidates. The following candidates have been nominated:

run for your wife

(AND YOUR TITLE!)

THE DODGE BOYS ARE DEALING!

Today's the day! You pick the Dodge. You pick the price. Let your wife pick the color. Do it all in one trip—today!

Where? At The Dodge Boys'. They've been pleasing lots of car buyers (and their wives) lately. Sales are up 28% over the comparable period last year. Now they're dealing for an even bigger increase.

That means money in your pocket. The more cars The Dodge Boys sell, the more you save. They've got the standard-size Dodge priced with good old "Car F" and "Car C." Check the compact Dart, too. And the big Dodge 880.

On top of that, The Dodge Boys back every deal with a worry-free 5-year/50,000-mile warranty.* Best in the business. The Dodge Boys are great guys to do business with. Your wife'll love 'em!

*HERE'S HOW DODGE'S 5-YEAR, 50,000-MILE WARRANTY PROTECTS YOU: Chrysler Corporation confidently warrants all of the following engines and transmissions for 5 years or 50,000 miles, whichever comes first, during which time any such parts that prove defective in material and workmanship will be replaced or repaired at a Chrysler, Plymouth or Dodge dealer's place of business without charge to the owner. Engines: Block, head and internal parts, intake manifold, water pump. Transmission: Case and internal parts. Torque converter. Drive shaft, universal joints, rear axle and differential, and rear wheel bearings. Required Maintenance: The following maintenance services are required under the warranty—change engine oil every 3 months or 4,000 miles, whichever comes first; replace oil filter every second oil change; clean carburetor air filter every 6 months and replace it every 2 years; and every 6 months furnish evidence of this required service to a Chrysler Motors Corporation Authorized Dealer and request him to certify receipt of such evidence and your car's mileage. Simple enough for such important protection.

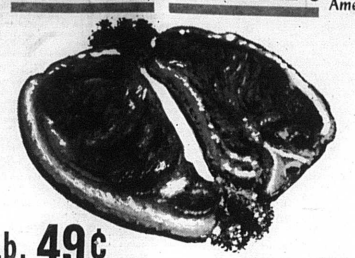
SEE THE DODGE BOYS TODAY

Buntin's Garage, Elm & Market

Spring Brings Such Delightful THINGS TO EAT!

KAHN'S
American Beauty Wieners 65¢ lb.
American Beauty Sliced Bacon 69¢ lb.
FLAVOR PAK LUNCH MEAT
Beef Bologna 49¢ pkg.
Deluxe Club Bologna 49¢ pkg.

RIB STEAK lb. 69¢



Southern Star Bacon Lb. 49¢

Klarer Bacon lb. 43¢

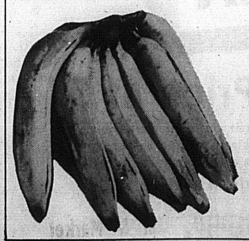
Fresh Ground Beef 3 Lbs. $1.00

Star Kist Tuna Fish 1/2 size Light Chunk 3 for 89¢

Tide THE WASHDAY MIRACLE

Regular Size (With $3.00 Order)

19¢



Crisp Celery 19¢

10 lbs. 39¢

Sanborn Pink Salmon lb. 49¢

Shopworth Milk 14 1/2 oz. 10¢

Favorite Hamburger Buns 8 pk. 2 for 45¢
Blue Label Coffee lb. 59¢
Heinz Baby Orange Juice 10¢
Shedd's Peanut Butter 6 oz. 23¢
Krey Sliced Beef & Gravy 49¢
Northern Towels 2 for 41¢
Northern Toilet Tissue 4 for 39¢
Purex Bleach qt. 23¢
Waxtex Wax Paper Roll 25¢
Waxtex Sandwich Bag 30's 2 for 25¢
Kraft Oil 24 oz. Btl. 39¢
Dash Reg. Size 39¢
Joy Reg. Size 35¢
Miss America Sweet Potatoes 2 1/2 can 23¢
Blue Water Fish Steaks 2 lbs. 4 oz. pkg. 99¢
Shedd's Old Fashion Peanut Butter 18 oz. 55¢

YELLOW ONIONS 3 lbs. 19¢

3 -LB. CAN 69¢

Domino PURE CANE SUGAR Granulated

5 lb. bag (With Order - White Gold or Domino) 49¢

Garden Time
Red Pontiacs Seed Potatoes $3.39 100 lbs.
Kennebec Seed Potatoes $4.25 100 lbs.
Cobbler Seed Potatoes $3.89 100 lbs.
Onion Sets 59¢ gal.
BULK SEEDS

3 for $1

Pinto Beans 4 lbs. 29¢

C & G Shopworth Super Market