

OPINION

Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

WAITING FOR THE STORM

Since leaving Kentucky in late June to join General George Rogers Clark on his northwestern raid against Kaskaskia...



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By Charles H. Haxby near the Lower Blue Lake Springs.

families to come through the Cumberland Gap with Boone in 1775 and had been early inhabitants of Fort Harrod...

Shawnee. McGary persuaded about one dozen of his men to be temporarily assigned to Fort Harrod during the month of July 1778...

But the raid never came and as the days and weeks went by, tension nerves took their toll on the distraught and worn out inhabitants who had kept busy stockpiling supplies and water inside the fort.

Simon traveled frequently and Harrodsburg. While at Booneborough he often visited with James Harrod and his wife Ann.

The next day Major Hugh McGary had led a small group of men against the raiders and had caught one of the warriors that was wearing Williams' shirt.

Where were the Shawnee raiders and was Captain Daniel Boone a traitor? Simon could not believe in his heart that Boone was guilty of such a crime.

Near the end of August, as the two men were hating near the fort, with Shawnee scouts in their midst...

Colonel Callaway was becoming increasingly difficult to deal with, and was constantly insulting Boone for his cowardice in surrendering the salt makers earlier in the year.

They didn't find many volunteers to go with them, but they were determined to go just the same.

They will join them on that little known adventure with in the next month in the confines of this column, if the Good Lord is willing.

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