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Perfect Coffee in One Minute with the JIFFY COFFEE MAKER...

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In the manufacturing of a diamond die, or an industrial diamond containing a minute hole through which fine wires are drawn...

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For You To Feel Well 24 hours every day 7 days every week, never stopping...

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WNU-E 13-42

MERCHANTS

Your Advertising Dollar buys something more than space and circulation in the columns of this newspaper...

Fun for the Whole Family

BIG TOP

WHILE MYRA AND RED SAT BY THE OCEAN WATCHING THE MOON, HAL WAS ON A PLANE FLYING TOWARDS HOLLYWOOD



BUT AFTER MYRA HAD GONE TO SLEEP SHE WAS HAUNTED BY VISIONS OF HER SWEETHEART CALLING TO HER



AND IN THE MORNING RED BURST INTO HER ROOM



By ED WHEELAN

LALA PALOOZA - Trailer Minded

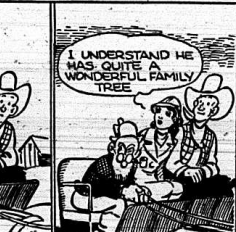


By RUBE GOLDBERG



By GENE BYRNES

MESCAL IKE



So Much for Lud

POP - Right at Home



By J. MILLAR WATT

THE SPORTING THING By LANG ARMSTRONG

Hobby Squad What do you mean, because of defense you can take care of only 30% of my repair work?

WAITING FOR JUNIOR By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

STREET PARENTS STARTING DOWN THE STREETS AND SHOUTS WHERE ARE THEY GOING?

MERCHANTS Your Advertising Dollar buys something more than space and circulation...



Facts and Stories

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Of the women, two were sisters and one of them claimed to be the legal wife of Big Harpe. The three bore the name of Rice and later proved to be the daughter of a minister who lived near Knoxville. Each of the three gave birth to a bouncing baby during their term of incarceration.

In spite of the fact that they were confined in a jail which that day was considered impregnable, the two Harpes managed to saw their way out in some manner and were far away when the District Court convened, thus ending their first and only experience with prisons, insofar as there is any record.

When the women came to trial they were acquitted, because of their destitute condition, no doubt, and the problem presented by the three children. They claimed to be victims of circumstances and anxious to return to their homes; they had no wish to ever see the Harpe brothers

again. They were led to the outskirts of town and released, immediately disappearing in the surrounding forest. Within 3 months, at the most, they were again seen in company with their men and seen in the same manner as they were when they were first seen in the Harpe den. After that all three of the women are said to have married respectable men and to have become decorous housewives.

In July, 1939, the Harpes struck for the last time slaughtering a man by the name of Love and the wife and baby of a man named Selig. An angry posse set out in furious pursuit and soon sighted the Harpe. A rifle bullet knocked Big Harpe from his horse but Little Harpe escaped, never to be heard of in his jail again.

When Big Harpe fell, his captor crazed with a mad over the recent murder of his family and thirsting for revenge, leaped from his horse and cut Harpe's head from his living body with a butcher knife. Later he nailed it in the fork of a tree at Robertson's Lick, in western Kentucky and the name is still known as "Harpe's Head."

Note: The facts of this story are taken from various Kentucky histories and from the Outlaw Years by Robert Coates. We promise to return to this story in our next issue when he says that the murdered Lankford was Stephen Langford, a Rockcastle first settler. Everytime we have heard or read about this story conflicts with this statement.

Notice To Delinquent 1941 Taxpayers

The following 1941 tax bills upon which there is real estate will be offered for sale at the court house in Mount Vernon, Kentucky, on April 20th, 1942, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Table with columns: Tax Bill No., Name, Amount. Lists various taxpayers and their respective tax amounts.

Large table listing taxpayers and their amounts, organized by District No. (District No. 1, 2, 3, 4). Includes names like Riggs, Anna; Rash, Aden; Rainey, Dee, etc.

Calloway

By Mrs. Jack Stallsworth
Mrs. and Mrs. Oscar Graves and Mrs. Della Stallsworth were in Laurel county Friday evening, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hensley and Mr. and Mrs. Pennington. Mr. Lowell has been sick but getting better now. Mrs. Jamie Payne has been confined to her room with flu, but is slowly improving. Mrs. Dave Stallsworth visited the upper guests of the house again. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West were the big supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bullock on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Al Sanders, Michigan, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cope this week. Mrs. Bill Morris spent part of last week at Livingston with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. James. Jack Stallsworth Jr. has enlisted with the CCC again. He is located at Danville. Billie Morris is working at Richmond, was at home over the week-end. Mrs. Laura Pike is very ill with double pneumonia fever. Mrs. D. Brown isumbered with the sick this week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Griffin, of Vornia, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ramsey, and Mrs. Lee Arnold this week-end. Mrs. Bobbie Hobbs and little daughter and Mrs. J. C. Stallsworth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. West and son, Russell, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Parson on Friday. Mrs. Bobbie Hobbs and daughter of Pineville, spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parson. Harvey Cox got two of his ribs broke last Wednesday while plowing. Ralph Stallsworth spent Thursday night with Eddie Pice. Mrs. C. M. Griffin, of Carington, visited friends and relatives in Livingston and Callaway Saturday. Jack Stallsworth Jr. was with his mother over the week-end. Mrs. Jack Stallsworth. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West were the dinner guests of Mrs. Della Stallsworth on Saturday. Mrs. Ann Cox was with his parents over the week-end, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cox. Frank Walter McKenney was in Saturday to see his girl friend, Miss Stella Goforth. Della Mullins spent Saturday night with Christine Banner.

Priv./James Baker was in Saturday to see his girl friend, Catherine Bullock. Eddie and Elva Price and Mrs. Jack Stallsworth and children were in Danville Sunday took Junior Stallsworth back to the CCC camp. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West and son, Russell, and Mrs. Jack Stallsworth and children were in Berea Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Cummins were in Livingston Saturday. Mrs. Della Stallsworth visited Mr. Vernon visited Mrs. Jamie Payne and Mrs. Della Stallsworth on Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West left Sunday morning for Toledo, O. where Mrs. West will have work. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graves were in Brohead on Tuesday. Mrs. Della Stallsworth was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday visiting her brother Mr. and Mrs. Granville Proctor. Mrs. Stallsworth is numbered with the sick this week with flu. Miss Fannie Payne of Hamilton, Ohio, is at home on account of her grandmother, Mrs. Laura Pike, being very ill.

IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION PAID?

PUBLIC SALE
I will sell at public auction at my home, at Wildie, Ky., on Saturday, April 11 10 O'clock A. M.

- List of items for public sale: The following articles: 1-Bed Room Suite, 1-Living Room Suite, 1-Hotrola, 1-Home Comfort Stove, 1-Ice Box, 1-Buffer, 1-Singer Sewing Machine, 1-Bed, 1-Case, 1-Library Table, 1-Kitchen Cabinet, 1-Kitchen Table, 1-Dining Room Table, and Chairs. 1-Writing Desk. 1-Buffer. Many other articles too numerous to itemize.

TERMS ANSAL DAY OF SALE

Sam Ballinger

Vernon Theatre

Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

SUNDAY & MONDAY
April 5 - 6
Deanna Durbin, Charles Laughton - IN -

It Started With Eve

Here's how to get your Adam, madam, in one squeeze lesson!

Children 9c - Adult 24c

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

April 7 - 8
Jeffrey Lynn, Jane Wyman - IN -

The Body Disappears

Now you see him! Now you don't! Imagine marrying a guy like that!

Children 9c - Adult 20c

THURSDAY & FRIDAY

April 9 - 10
Shirley Temple - IN -
Kathleen

Shirley is twelve and terrific now! Her first in two years is her happiest hit! A masterpiece of laughs

Children 9c - Adult 24c

Saturday, April 11

Ray Corrigan, John King, Max Terhune - IN -

Underground

Ruslers

Revenge on the range! By the Rangers who give you blooded action by blue bloods of the Range!

Children 9c - Adult 24c

Advertisement for Hanna's Easy to Apply GLOSS ENAMEL. Includes an illustration of a woman's face and text describing the product.

Advertisement for Curlee Suits. Includes an illustration of a man and woman in suits and text describing the suits for young men of every age.

Advertisement for McBee & Adams. Includes an illustration of a man and woman in suits and text describing Curlee Suits for young men of every age.



By Ralph Griffin

THE MAD HARPES (Conclusion)

The young man took his host's advice, but supper and was shown to his bed. As he was waiting for his breakfast the next morning, an ill-favored party of five arrived, two rough-looking men and three women, driving two disconsolate looking pack horses before them.

After tying their horses to the iced-up front of the tavern, they responded to Lankford's pleasantry with grunted monosyllables, refused to sit down to a table, and when asked to pay for food, when assured that they would need none, they sat down and ate their breakfast ravenously, more like wild animals than humans.

The meal over Lankford insisted upon paying the entire bill from a well-filled wallet, the strangers silently watching him as he did so. They took the young man and woman and walked him against setting out with such a rough looking company, but Lankford laughed at his fears. Within a short time all left together and disappeared in the wilderness.

Walker French, very suddenly passed away at his home in Lockland, Ohio, March 12th, after several days illness, and suffering with T. B. He leaves...

Rockcastle's Wet Precinct Goes Dry By State Order

Retail beer dealers in a Rockcastle precinct which voted last year to permit sale of 32 beer were ordered by the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Board last week to close their licenses by March 30th.

The instruction followed a hearing recently at which it was explained that the State Court of Appeals ruled recently that where a county voted dry, none of its governmental subdivisions could vote wet subsequently.

The board's hearing was attended by several Rockcastle County officials and citizens and by representatives of five beer licenses of the precinct.

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CHILD HIT BY CAR

Pearl Parker was driven by a car near Monday while from school for the beginning of this story. People thronged in to have a look at such monsters and, under the influence of this notoriety, Harry became the center of many crimes they had committed.

Baptist Church

By Rev. W. C. Younce

The Annual Association meeting was held at the Mount Vernon Baptist church, March 25th. There were about 75 present, representing six churches, namely, Broadhead, Mt. Zion, Poplar Grove, Mount Vernon, Sand Springs and Freedom. We want to commend the Freedom Church on three points...

These Were The Good Old Days To Remember

We'll never forget when we were knee high to a duck and turned to the funnies first thing in the paper. Children on the same level. Better they enjoy the funnies, especially the comic characters in the Signal.

Consider Man's Great And Final Enemy—Death

With the V for Victory slogan in mind, Harold L. Lundquist, who was the weekly Sunday School lesson, points out it is well to have a victorious outlook—but it is even better to be able to look back to victory because the victory has been won. That's why the Signal is helping the community progress. That's why you should be a subscriber to keep in step with this march of progress.

A Little Of The Record But Causes You To Think

One of the first things a stranger does when he visits a town is pick up some town paper and start reading. He'll find out whether the civic organizations are active. He'll find the progressive merchants in town because they will be the issue. In other words, the stranger misses nothing for the paper tells all in one way or another. That's why the Signal is helping the community progress. That's why you should be a subscriber to keep in step with this march of progress.

IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION PAID?

SETS RECORD



Dorothy Lamour recently set up a record in Defense Bond sales. Upon completing her latest hit picture, "The Fleet's In," she star-toured the nation at her own expense and rang Uncle Sam's bell for more than \$25,000,000.

GIRL SCOUT FOOD SALE

The Girl Scout organization will hold another food sale, featuring cake, cookies and candies, Saturday, April 4th, from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. The proceeds from this sale and the sale last Saturday will go into the Troop fund to be used for worthy causes.

ONE OF TWINS DIE

Twins boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Brightie Morris, named Carl and Clyde Monday, the 23rd, at their home in Sand Springs. Carl home, died last night.

NOTICE - NEIGHBORS

Wednesday, April 18, is the day and 10:30 is the hour. You are invited to get on board at the home of Mrs. R. H. Gentry and help steady the ship of health.

Bummer

Farmers are very busy around here this pretty spring weather. Dr. A. T. Griffith of Mt. Vernon, was in Sumner Sunday morning to see Aunt Mary Himes, who has been ill for some time.

TRAILER THRESHER TO HELP SMALL FARMERS

A small threshing machine developed by experiment stations in this and other states and by the Tennessee Valley Authority will help small farmers in growing grain for feed and for home consumption and grasses and legumes for seed.

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Mrs. Hubby and Mandy Van visited their sister, Mrs. Elsie Cameron over the week-end of Orlando.

WOLF CREEK

Mr. Luther Mullins is on the sick list at this writing.

WOLF CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Mullins were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ballinger, of Bummer, on Sunday.

"Hearts & Gowns" To Be Presented By Junior Class Apr. 10

"Hearts and Gowns" a musical comedy will be presented by the Junior Class of the Mount Vernon High School in the high school auditorium on Thursday, April 10, 1942. The cast of one hundred boys and girls, the largest ever to be presented here in a home talent play, will afford delightful evening entertainment in comedy, song and dramatic incidents.

A style show is cleverly woven into the plot in which all the girls of the Home Economics department will model their dresses and evening gowns which they have made under the supervision of their instructor, Mrs. W. R. Vnhampton.

A chorus of twenty girls, under the direction of Miss Ruth Mullins, will add the solists in presenting ten charming vocal numbers including "Where's My Undergarment?", "Good Bye", "I'm in a Pinch", "Moonlight and Roses" and "The Duet-Don't fail to see the play!"

\$59,783 To Be Spent On Local Roads This Summer

A project has just been released for operation and will start as soon as it is practicable to surface the Mt. Vernon-Broadhead Road, 6.0 miles, and the Sand Springs Road, 4.0 miles, with crushed limestone. This project is sponsored by the Federal Highway Department and the State of Kentucky.

Another project soon to start is one to grade, drain and surface the Copper Creek road near Mt. Vernon. This project is also sponsored by the Federal Highway Department at cost of \$12,473, and a cost to the local community of \$15,801, making a total cost of \$28,274. Approximately ninety-two men will be given employment for two and one-half months.

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GOING AWAY PARTY

Misses Velma and Freda Hale gave a party Saturday night in honor of their cousin, George Allen, who will soon be serving with U. S. Army. The present including the honor guest were Misses Curtis and Shell, Miss Lena Miller, Miss Shirley Scott, Miss Delpha Vanant, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hale, Mr. Luther Abney, Mr. Leon Davidson, Mr. Kinnerson Allen, Mr. Lindsey Scott, Mr. Dandolph Allen, Mr. Curran Allen, Mr. John Black, Mr. Ramon McCann, Mr. Everett Vanant, Candy was made and served and a nice time enjoyed by all.

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A small threshing machine developed by experiment stations in this and other states and by the Tennessee Valley Authority will help small farmers in growing grain for feed and for home consumption and grasses and legumes for seed.

The thresher is mounted on rubber tires and is towed about behind an automobile or truck. Run by a small engine under the feed table, it requires only about 4 gallons of gas-motor oil in threshing 40 bushels of oats or 40 bushels of wheat an hour.

Threshers have been purchased by farmers in Breathitt, Grant, Johnson, Knox, McCreary, Morgan and Powell counties in Kentucky. One was used by the Kentucky Experiment Station in testing threshing mental plots, and demonstrations in the use of the machine were made before about 600 farmers in four counties.

James Moore, farm agent of Knox county, believes the small thresher will be of much help to farmers in the hill country.

Messrs. Willie Chesnut, Margaret McHargue and Mary Martin were in Lexington Monday.

Mr. S. C. Franklin has been ill with a cold.

Mrs. Bargin Bortone and daughter June are spending the week-end several days with her mother, Mrs. Ann Miller.

JUNIOR MISS NOW



Shirley Temple, now 14, is standing out as a new star for herself. For five years, 1934-39, the top boxoffice drawing card of the movies, Shirley has turned to radio and stage as "Junior Miss," the "teen-age comedy-drama series heard over WCKY, Cincinnati, and CBS each Wednesday at 8 p. m. E.W.T. A Hollywood star from the age of five, Shirley is now an attractive young lady and a junior at Westlake School for Girls in California. She plays the part of Judy Gray in her radio series. July is a young girl who would to play with dolls and to young for nail polish. Shirley Benson writes the "Junior Miss" stories.

MRS. LOLA SMITH

Mrs. Lola Smith, wife of P. O. Smith, departed this life March 29, 1942. She leaves her husband and two children, one infant died, and was buried with her. Besides her husband and two children she leaves a father, an mother and seven brothers and sisters and a host of friends to mourn her passing. She was a true wife and good mother. A Christian and her belief was in the Holiness.

MRS. ROBERT HURLEY

Mrs. Lula Bales Hurley, of Peach Creek, died after a few hours illness. She leaves besides her husband, Robert Hurley, nine sons, one daughter-in-law, and grandson; two sisters and two brothers. Her body was brought from the home in Peach Creek to the home of her sister, Mrs. Laura Pondie at Livingston, where the funeral services were held.

OLD CHESNUT RIDGE 4-H CLUB

The Old Chesnut Ridge 4-H Club held its monthly meeting at the Old Chesnut Ridge school house, Saturday, March 27th, at 7 o'clock. The meeting was very interesting with a get program given.

PASTURE TREATMENT CUTS FEEDING COST

In tests over a period of 13 years, steers running on untreated pasture at the Western Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, Princeton, added weight at an average cost of 10.5 cents a pound. Where the pasture was treated with rock phosphate or limestone and superphosphate, the cost was 3.3 cents pound.

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Jurors Named For April Term Local Circuit Court Session

The following is the list of Petit Jurors, for the April Term of Rockcastle Circuit Court, as announced by Circuit Court Clerk, Creggie W. Murphy.

Petit Jurors

Living: Arthur Brown, Level Green; Henry Shell, Livingston; Pearl Mullins, Livingston; John Hill, Clinton; Mr. Allen, Johnston; R. L. English, Mt. Vernon; Eugene Bennett, Boone; I. V. Owens, Level Green; Ernest Masters, Broadhead; Mrs. J. W. Griffin, Mt. Vernon; W. L. Cass, Broadhead; J. D. Mabley, Livingston; O. D. Ponder, Mt. Vernon; Albert Dooley, Three Links; W. B. Sigmon, Mt. Vernon; Chester H. Brown, Ottawa; Mrs. Pearl A. Mullins, Livingston; W. A. Stokes, Pine Hill; O. V. Hillon, Mt. Vernon; Luther Kray, Pine Hill; C. H. Bullock, Wadley; Henry Clark, Orlando; C. Owens, Mt. Vernon; J. H. Owens, Conway; W. A. Mullins, Orlando; Ronnie French, Horse Lick; G. H. Griffin, Mt. Albert; Fernon, Broadhead.

Grand Jury Names

The following are Grand Jury names for the April term of Rockcastle Circuit Court: D. W. Grubbs, Pine Hill; J. S. Rains, Livingston; Joe Brown, Whitehall; W. C. Johnson, Orlando; Bert Mullins, Joe Hill; Casper Jones, Broadhead; M. L. Jennings, Orlando; Irvin Bullock, Hanford; Harvey McDaniel, Orlando; Abby Wolf, Livingston; Oscar Dobbins, Crab Orchard; R. S. Garfield Garbard, Boone; Garrett Taylor, Livingston; Clyde Capps, Spiro; W. W. English, Mt. Vernon; J. Fish, Mt. Vernon; Hiram Luns, Quail; John F. Berry, Disputant; John F. Berry, Three Links; Theo. Hibbard, Cedarville; Chas. P. Black, Mt. Vernon; A. Z. York, Mt. Vernon; J. F. Ross, Spiro; Bob Robinson, Livingston.

PAYS FINE FOR FIRE

Mrs. George Wadley, 53 years of age and a citizen of Rockcastle County paid a \$100 fine to Justice of the Peace Claude Gilliam on Tuesday, March 24th, for allowing fire to escape her control and burning in the woods on the previous day.

Questionnaires Filled By Various Farmers

At the Farmers banquet at Rentfro last Tuesday night, March 24th, eighty questionnaires were distributed out questionnaires, representing 368 people, 188 males and 180 females. Seventy-four of these families are raising potatoes, and claim they will plant 25 bushels. Twenty-three did not have seed potatoes, and there was an indication that they would plant potatoes in the future. It is about forty work hands. This indicates quite an increase in amount of potatoes planted. Those answering questionnaires came from all sections of the county.

Quail

By Mrs. R. B. Albright

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adams, Mrs. Lizzie Long, Mrs. Gillis Brown and daughter, and Mrs. Ernest Brown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Logsdon on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown.

Mrs. Kate Major visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Albright and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hasty last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Mullins and daughter of Ohio, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Renner.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Reynolds and family were the dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Taylor on Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Russell Albright and daughter, Alice, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClure and Mrs. Kate Major Monday. Mrs. Major has been in for some time.

Mrs. Charles Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thompson and son, Paul, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Casper Owens.

Mrs. and Mrs. Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Albright Wednesday night.



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

U. S. Heartened by Naval Offensive Against Jap Bases in South Pacific; Air Attacks on Port Darwin Continue As Allies Strike Back in New Guinea

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the writer and not necessarily those of this newspaper. (Published by Western Newspaper Union.)

The battle of the Indies was over, but not dead, for in the daily news come dispatches, some good, some bad, telling more about it all the time. One, for instance, had raised the toll of the Battle of Java Sea for the United States by admitting the loss of two more "four-stacker" destroyers. That they had partially escaped had been learned when the announcement said that they had last been heard from in the waters south of Java.

The battle of Java Sea had been fought almost entirely north of Java. Favorable reports of the dispatches which had begun to filter through showing that Batavia was not the only point in the southwest Pacific where land resistance was continuing, for the Japs were reported being forced to retreat from some of their positions in Sumatra.

That the absence of some of this fact had been reported in Prime Minister Curtin's message to the United States had also been pointing to them in the light of British and American offensive.

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CONDUCT: Strange Union Case One of the strangest cases in the annals of war work and organized labor has been reported where a girl had been accused by her fellow-workers.

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Technically she had been guilty, she was absolved, though, by disparaging the efforts of her fellow workers. Members of the union had said if she was absolved, those bringing the charges would face trial.

The girl said this was what occurred; she had had the job of packing in boxes certain gadgets which came down a series of chutes from automatic inspection machines.

Other girls were handling the chutes and the one other girl were handling three each. Miss Samp said "One girl squawked about me being a spy."

Parts: And Profits An aircraft parts concern, the Jack and Heinz company, makers of airplane starters, has been awarded \$50,000,000 in government contracts.

LABOR: Co-operates in War It was felt that organized labor had made an important contribution to winning the war, also to peace in industry during the war effort, by a decision reached simultaneously by the A. F. of L. and C.I.O. to yield their demand for extra pay for holidays.

The executive board of the C.I.O. recommended to all its unions that they forego all overtime pay for Saturdays, Sundays and holidays when the war was done within the boundaries of the United States.

William Green of the A. F. of L. at the same time issued a statement that his organization had "assured" its members that they would be paid the double time payment for Sunday and holiday work in all war industries for the duration of the war.

Volunteers: Get 40 Planes The initials AVG, American Volunteer group, or the "Tiger Flyers" of the United States, still held the spotlight of attention when it came to the subject of Japanese planes.

The pilots returning to their base in Burma, the Army report that most of the Japanese pilots of the grounded planes were killed, as instead of seeking cover, they ran to their ships and tried to get them started.

The Americans, diving—low, machine-gunning the planes at close range, destroying most of them.

INDIES: New Losses Reported In Battle of Java

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Administration Worried By Specter of Inflation

Jdler Dishes Source of Concern as Secretary of Treasury Studies Methods to Prevent Spiraling of Prices.

By BAIRHAUGE News Analyst and Commentator.

ingenious institution which has been used to turn out the nice, friendly, peacetime gadgets has been adapted to turn out a huge, untidily, expensive machine, the "B24," ace of bombers, the biggest thing ever made on an assembly line.

People had been saying that if we could only make planes which cost \$100,000, we would soon catch up with the Japs.

Some planes while we were still saying we didn't have to worry about Europe's wars—but, sorry, planes were too big, too complicated to turn out this way.

As usual, however, American genius has found a way to make the big bombers by the same method.

Come with me and visit the Consolidated Aircraft plant in California.

It's hard to get in because the government doesn't want the enemy to know what's being done.

You have to get a pass and you have to get a soldier's uniform, police and secret service men and special guards.

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MISCELLANY: Chungking! The Chinese troops and British troops, battling to hold a united front in North Burma, had been at least temporarily separated by a Jap spearhead drive near Toungoo.

New York: By radio, a station here picked up the report from Berlin by a Japanese spokesman that the Japs may now be considered on the defensive.



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Lesson for April 5

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CHRIST AND LIFE AFTER DEATH (EASTER)

LESSON TEXT.—MATH. 23:12,21; 1 Corinthians 15:50-58. GOLDEN TEXT.—"But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."—1 Corinthians 15:57.

V for Victory! For that sign have many people indicated their confidence in a victory to come. It is we who have a victorious outlook...

He is the Lord of the living, not of the dead; those who were alive, though they may have left this world, are only laid aside the corruptible body for the incorruptible. They are victorious, they are over death.

The Sadducees, a rationalistic sect of Christ's day, denied the resurrection, and so they were much distressed by His plain teaching...

Then Jesus turned to them and in place of their fantastic "supposing" story He spoke of three real characters from the books of Moses which they taught.

II. Incorruptible, Not Corruptible (1 Cor. 15:50-54).

Man knows that his earthly body is marked for decay and death. That fact is the basis of our day-to-day living.

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III. Victorious, Not Defeated (1 Cor. 15:55-58).

It was after a long struggle that finally had Christ's body laid away in the tomb, he thought he had the victory, but just then came his great hour of defeat.

"Up from the grave he arose, With a mighty triumph o'er His foes." "Death could not hold its prey," for it sought to hold one stronger than itself—the Lord of Life Himself.

The one who knows Christ need no longer fear death. For him it is not a leap into the dark, or going into a trembling void, or entering an unknown land.

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NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Roosevelt's Attitude on 'Unified Command'... Sea Otters for Light Shipping Not Yet in Production...

WASHINGTON.—The President takes seriously the fact that under the Constitution he is commander-in-chief of the army and navy. It may be for that reason that he does not take kindly to the notion of a departmental national defense...

The President's theory is that there is a "united command" already in existence. Secretary of War Charles G. Messersmith is fairly well satisfied with this theory...

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TO YOUR GOOD HEALTH

By Dr. Jas. W. Barton

LOOSE KNEE CARTILAGE

One of the injuries football, basketball, baseball players and other athletes sustain is a loose cartilage in the knee. This cartilage serves as a cushion between the two bones forming the knee...

The question naturally asked is why did not these loose cartilage cases undergo operation. The answer is quite frank, it was not until recent years that the physician or surgeon has felt free to recommend operation...

In recording his results in operation of 50 of these cases, Dr. R. Bohman, Johns Hopkins University in the Journal of the American Medical Association, outlines his method of preparation...

The hospital stay is from three to seven days instead of the two or three weeks of former years. I am passing this information on because "loose cartilage" occurs so often, not only among athletes but in various occupations.

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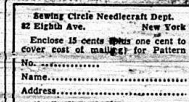
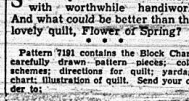
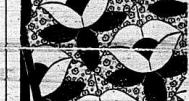
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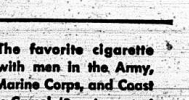
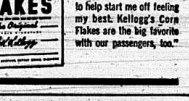
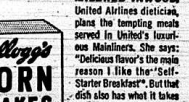
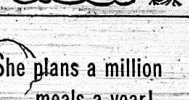
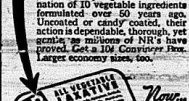
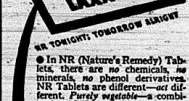
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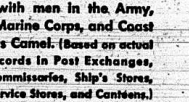
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### Commissioner Sale

The Commonwealth of Kentucky, Rockcastle Circuit Court.

Earl Fletcher and Tevis Fletcher, etc., Plaintiff.

**VERSUS (NOTICE OF SALE)**  
Charles Maher, et al., Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court rendered at the January Term thereof 1942, in the above cause, for the division of the proceeds, I shall proceed to offer

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**Tract No. 1**  
Beginning at a stone on a hill side, corner of Jackie Payne thence N 36° W 31 poles and 7 links to a stake in the County road, thence E 68° 41' W 3 poles and 3 links to a stake in the branch where it leaves the road and enters the sinks, thence S 50° W 10 poles and 17 links to a stake in the branch, thence S 50° W 9 poles and 4 links to a stake in the road, thence W 16 poles to a stone in the edge of the pike near a culvert, thence N 74° W crossing the pike at 2 poles and down the drain same course in all 14 poles to a stake in Dry Fork third corner, its whole boundary, thence down Dry Fork as follows: S 14° W 14 poles, S 14° E 12 poles, S 14° W 12 poles, S 13° E 11 poles and 3 links, S 28° E, W 9-3-5 poles to a stake in James Phelps line, thence S 82° E 3 poles and leaving Dry Fork, S 97° E 32 poles to a hickory stump, thence leaving Phelps line to a stake in a stone at a cliff where once stood a lynn, Tom Price's corner, thence N 62° E 10 poles and 10 links to a stone, thence S 10° E 10 links to gum, Jackie Payne's corner, thence his line N 27° E, W 48 poles to a stone, thence E 19 poles to the beginning and contains 68 acres and 75 sq. rods.

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# News in Town

MISS KITTY ST. CLAIR, Editor

Mrs. Ellen Price and son, Archie, and Mrs. Fred Kniep, of Cincinnati, have returned from a week's visit in Houston and Galveston, Tex. They visited their brother, Mr. and Mrs. F. Prewitt.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. B. Ponder and little son of Huntsville, Ala., have returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Ponder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Nov. Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Taylor and Mrs. Earl Mullins were in Danville Sunday.

Miss Mary Margaret Craig of Louisville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Craig. Misses Sadie Noe and Hazel Owens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Dyer of Louisville last week.

Mrs. Ann Miller who has been ill for several days was sent to Berea hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Blossom Fred and Mrs. Alice Mlian were in Danville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baker announce the arrival of a baby girl, born March 31st.

Miss Georgia Miller who has been on an extended visit in Mt. Sterling has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sheer, Ashville, N. C., and Mr. Harry Sprinthrunt of Crab Orchard were guests of Mrs. C. W. Miller and family on Tuesday.

Messrs Stewart Wolfe and Penny son Mullins were in Russell Springs on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Franklin and Mrs. McKinley Perciful were in Lexington shopping Wednesday.

Mrs. N. M. Smock and daughter, Doris, Luther Peyton, Misses Jennie Morrow, Brown and Ruth Coughron were in Lexington Wednesday.

Mr. Jim Bob Roby of Louisville, spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Roby. He was accompanied by Joe Carpenter.

Mrs. S. B. Reddy, Misses Marie Krueger, Ruth Mullins and Ruby Riddle were in Lexington Saturday shopping.

## Disputants

There were 68 present at Sunday School at Disputants Sunday and a larger crowd for the church service. The old-time neighborly gatherings on church day are being revived in our community. This was started two weeks ago church day when a large crowd went home with Bro. and Mrs. Lunsford from church and others met with them in the afternoon. Around forty were served at dinner. A mountain top experience was enjoyed by 37 Sunday when they climbed Fort mountain with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas to their home. A most enjoyable time was served and the day was thoroughly enjoyed by all. These gatherings are scheduled for several church days ahead and it is hoped that the crowd may be increased from time to time as this is one of the best ways to show brotherly love, a thing which has been sadly neglected in our last few years of fast living. The church and Sunday School extends a cordial welcome to all.

Mr. J. H. Wolf who has been ill was able to visit her nee's grand-daughter, whose proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ot. Isom.

Mr. Ed McGuire had as his Sunday guests, his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGuire, of Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Moore, of Climax, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jones and some of their friends from Lexington and Frankfort were in Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Bert Mullins Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullins and Edward Mullins of Covington, Ky., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mullins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gentry at Level Green.

Miss Mary Herrin spent Sunday with Miss Robert Brown.

Mrs. W. E. Taylor and sons, Vernon and Willie J. and daughter, Misses Elva and Hazel, were in Lexington on Sunday to see their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe Herrin, who is in the hospital there.

J. M. Craig who is working at Mt. Vernon spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Sally Craig.

Millard, Debord of Walnut Grove, spent the week-end with his brother John Edwin Debord.

We are glad to report Mrs. Mcabee able to get out again after a long spell of flu.

George Harvey Junior Berry is with his sister, Mrs. James Roberts at Chestnut Grove this week.

at Honolulu, Hawaii, has been honorably discharged and spent last week with his mother, Mrs. George Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller has had a very sick baby, but seems to be a little better.

Mr. Luther Vanzant and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Abney.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Clark spent the day Sunday with their son at Ford, Ky.

## Orlando

Priv. Hubert L. Duncan, who has been in action since December '78

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## Hiatt

Aunt Mollie Hiatt is back home from Berea after having her teeth pulled and is getting along slowly.

We are glad to report Junior Mcabee able to be out after an operation for appendicitis and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dyke and Don Clark of Dayton, Ohio, spent Saturday night the 21st with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Berry and attended Berea Valley.

Mr. Luey Alman is on the sick list this week.

Miss Fay Cromer spent Sunday with Miss Bonnie Berry.

Mrs. Laura Lear has been sick for the past week.

Mrs. Tom Owen and son, Clyde, left the 21st to join her husband in Ohio who has a job there.

Mrs. Clint Lear and daughter, Ina Belle, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Laura Lear in very ill.

Mrs. Arthur Moore, of Clarksville, Tenn., spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Frith. Mrs. Frith has been sick for some time.

Aunt Lucy Beldon is with G. H. Berry and family. Aunt Lucy is feeling pretty good again.

Mrs. Givens Lear was in Mt. Vernon with her mother, Mrs. B. Baker. She has been feeling bad for some time.

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## Willalla

By Mrs. Leonard McClure

Mrs. Joe Herrin, who is in the Good Samaritan hospital at Lexington, is reported getting along nicely. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ondes Stevens and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hasty.

Miss Beulah Denney is in Louisville visiting her sister, Mrs. James Hasty and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Denney attended the fifth Sunday meeting at Mt. Vernon Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Gentry and children spent the week-end with

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Sunday - Monday, April 5 - 6  
—DOUBLE FEATURE—  
Ilona Massey, Binnie Barnes, Alan Curtis in  
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Thursday-Friday, April 8 - 10  
Lena Horne, Harry Belafonte, Jo Allen, Jr. in  
"NIGHT BEFORE"  
"DIVORCE"  
Added: Latest World News

Saturday, April 11  
Roy Rogers, "Gabby" Hayes, Sally Payne in  
"IN OLD CHEYENNE"  
Added: "Sham, Bottle Shenanigan"

Sunday-Monday, April 12 - 13  
Madeline Carroll, Sterling Hayden, Flora Robison in  
"BAHAMIA PASSAGE"  
Added: Special Attractions:  
Coming Soon: "Sundown" and "Louisiana Purchase"  
Admission 11c - 21c

## Ottawa

By Mrs. Albert Hayes.

Mr. Tom Decker, of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited her mother, Mrs. H. H. Bradley and she accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence is on the sick list at this writing.

Miss Josephine Taylor, of Quail, spent the week-end with Helen Jones.

Miss Ruby Webb, of Broedhead, spent Saturday night with Misses Ruby and Marie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Devert Hamm and family, of Hiatt, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Laswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamm, of Mt. Vernon, and Mrs. Frank Richmond and son, Robert Kent, of Norwood, Ohio, spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes last Friday night.

Mrs. Peczie Wilson, of Crab Orchard, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hunkley.

Lemon Brown, of Broedhead, spent Sunday night with Ernest and Reed Cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Suet Parkinson and sons, and Mrs. Patsy Parkinson, of Hiatt, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamm.

**It's Spring Cleaning Time**

When you begin to get rid of that winter accumulation of dirt and dust you will be sure to see the need for a few new LINOLEUM RUGS. When you think of LINOLEUMS you will naturally think of ARMYLINS, and when you think of ARMYLINS you will want you think of our store. OUR SPRING PATTERNS have arrived and we have a splendid assortment on hand at ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

**The Market Place For Our Readers**

**LOST**—Hound, large black, white and tan dog, blanket back, has my name on collar, you know where this hound is please notify me. C. H. Mullins, Mt. Vernon. 20-1tp

**FOR SALE OR RENT**—House in Benfro Valley. 4 rooms, water inside, electricity on Highway 25. See Eugene Stokes.

**WANTED**—Responsible men to call on farmers. Steady work. Good pay. No expense to farmer. Experience required. Must have car. Write or see me. James L. O'Mara, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 20-2tc

**BABY CHICKS**—For sale, from bloodstock stock of the R. I. Reds, N. H. Reds, Buff Orp., barred rocks, white rocks, white leghorns, brown leghorns, white geese and ducks. Mrs. J. W. McGuire, Mgr., Lincoln County Hatchery, Stanford. 20-3tp

**WANTED**—Reliable man as Rawleigh Dealer in South KY or Jackson County. Selling experience unnecessary to start. Everything furnished except car. Splendid opportunity to step into a permanent and profitable business where Rawleigh Products have been sold for years. Good profits for a hustler. For particulars write Rawleigh's Dept. KYD-179-160A, Freeport, Ill. or see Mrs. Pearl Tredway, Burr, Ky. 19-4tp

**SAW RIG FOR SALE**—See or write Thomas Owens, Johnetta, Ky. 18-5tp

**FOR SALE**—Five room house on Travis street in Mt. Vernon. See W. T. Doan at Shoe Shop. 18-6tp

**FERTILIZER**—Have at my home in Mt. Vernon, Fertilizers of all kinds; three grades of corn, wheat and also garden and truck fertilizer. D. B. Saylor. 19-3tc

**TRUCKERS**—I have sack Coal, also block and egg coal for sale at the mines near McKee. See or write: Thos. Owens, Johnetta, Ky. 17-4p

**Food for Freedom**

The President of the Kentucky Bankers Association, under date of March 28th, notified all banks in Kentucky of an all-day meeting to be held in Louisville, April 9th, to outline a "Food-for-Freedom" program.

The President of the Kentucky Bankers Association says: "It is the desire of bankers to help the farmer and the agriculturist to be same degree that you have helped the business man and the industrialist, and two major jobs ahead of us are the financing of good production and the extension of credit for processing plants necessary to handle the increased food supply."

Rockcastle County has always been largely an agricultural county. Most of the customers of this bank are farmers. We have always done our best to co-operate with them in every way to make their farming operations more profitable by giving them credit when, and as, they needed it.

Since our county is a rural county there likely will be no processing plants located in the county but the farmers of this county will, as they have always done, do their part in times of national emergency.

They will respond to the "Food-for-Freedom" program by producing more cattle, more hogs, more dairy products, more poultry and eggs and whatever else may be expected of them.

To our customers who need loans to do their part to help to produce more food to help win the war, officers of this bank will be glad to be of any possible help in this connection.

Idle acres won't feed soldiers. Our boys must be fed, and well fed. Our Allies must be fed. Make every acre count. We believe that Rockcastle County farmers know how to produce crops. They have done it in days gone by and we know them well enough and have confidence enough in them to believe that they are going to respond in fine manner to the "Food-for-Freedom Program."

It is our business, all of us, working together to help win the war. AND A LOT MUST BE DONE IN THIS SPRING AND SUMMER OF 1942.

This bank can be depended upon to do its part. We believe our customers can be counted on to do their part.

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# DEEP WATER SEARCH by ALAN LEMAY

**INSTALLMENT THIRTEEN**

**THE STORY SO FAR:** Karen Waterston, who has come to Honolulu to press her claims to the island estate of Albus, her father, that she is not an heiress at all, as her grandfather, Garrett Waterston, is still alive and on his way to Hawaii, still alive and on his way to Hawaii, a member of the Wayne family which has been in control of the property since the disappearance of her grandfather, and they are in love and decide to leave the island on Albus' steamer. But to see, they discover that Lilia, a native heiress, Karen accuses Dick of making love to the native girl and they quarrel. Angered, Dick orders the ship to return to Alaska. On the way back, Lilia is found seriously hurt with a knife wound. Dick questions the Chinese mess boy regarding the incident.

Now continue with the story.

"Has anyone else out of here through the galley?" Dick asked.

"No, sir."

"This girl has been hurt—stabbed. You stay here with her—do anything you can."

The face of the Chinese was starting to pale with confusion and alarm. Very probably he had never seen the girl before in his life, and now supposed that Dick himself had done her in. He remained silent, however, and stayed where he was.

Inyashi slid from the hand rail and landed at the foot of the ladder as Dick turned.

"Someone was knifed here a minute ago," Dick told him, "when you heard that scream. Has anyone come up the ladder since then?"

"No, Captain Dick. But there's a man standing on the hand rail and looking at the sea, and the crew is coming up the ladder."

Dick snatched a rifle from the rack upon the forward bulkhead.

"Who is he—do you know him?"

"It's that big new Kanaka."

"He hired the new Kanaka?"

"He came over the side out of the water, just before we sailed; he said you sent him. His name is Hokano, I think."

Dick seized Inyashi and pushed him up the ladder. "Stop your engines," he ordered, following close on Inyashi's heels.

"Full astern!"

"No! No! No! So do that the propellers will catch him as he jumps. Man the dinghy with the four Kanaka boys and save away."

"Yes, Captain!" In a moment more everyone on the ship was rushed into motion by Inyashi's shrill, sputtering commands.

Emerging on the deck, Dick saw at once the immensity of the problem. The searchlight figure of Hokano standing against the rail in the extreme stern. Hokano faced the sea, motionless as a man of stone, and no more than twenty-five feet away, and for a moment Dick was strongly tempted to try bringing down Hokano with the bat of his rifle. He gave up that idea; even if he succeeded in felling the big Kanaka before Hokano could leap into the sea, the steady rain would be extremely likely to slither over the rail and sink like a plummet.

"Kamakui! Roll the searchlight out!"

Karen was at his elbow, her face white and frightened.

"What is it? What's happened?"

"Lilia's lover has come after her—and got her," Dick said.

"She's killed?"

"Probably."

Her eyes were on the rifle in his hands. "What are you going to do?"

"Going to call a policeman," he snapped at her. "That boat over Yliat is your waiting for?"

Now the Diesel quirk, so that the Hokoi seemed suddenly silent. A rush of the water and the bows diminished as she lost way.

As if awakened by the shutting down of the power, the motionless figure in the stern came to life abruptly. Hokano sprang lightly onto the rail itself, and for a moment poised upright. Then he leaped into the night in a beautiful clean arc, arms outspread, turning downward to disappear almost silently into the black water.

Now the big searchlight came thrumming out on its unwieldy tripod. In a moment it had begun to sweep the surface of the sea, searching for the place where the swimmer would come up. The Hokoi's dinghy took the water flooring stern, and immediately shot astern.

Dick said to Karen, "I knew he was going to do that. He walked after without his rifle, and his place at the call where Hokano had stood. There wasn't any way to stop him. He'll be easier to handle in the water."

"Would he try?" Karen gasped—"could he possibly swim all the way back to us?"

"Of course not. He doesn't expect to get back."

The searchlight picked up the swimmer now, fifty yards back from the Hokoi's wake. In moments when the waves favored, those on the deck of the vessel could glimpse a flash of wet shoulders, but nothing else. Hokano was swimming face down, taking advantage of the swells like a seal. The Hokoi had lost steerage way, and was rolling sickly in the swells. Dick braced a knee against the rail and brought his rifle up.

Karen cried out, "Would you shoot him in the water?"



A vast stellar shaped thing, higher than the Hokoi's booms; then it dove downward, disappearing in black water.

"Do you expect me to wait until he jumps into the air?"

He fired, and a spout of water sprang up on the left of Hokano. Karen saw now what Dick was firing at. The tall fin of Kai-Ale-Ale was curving near, gliding lazily, unburied. Dick fired again, without effect; he could not see his sights, Karen's teeth were chattering. "I thought—thought that you said sharks never harm brown men."

"This thing isn't like other sharks! Nobody knows anything about him." The incredibly long, monstrous shape of Kai-Ale-Ale was snouting near to the swimmer now. Hokano must have seen it, but he went straight on, unshaken. The boy manning the searchlight suddenly swung it aside, and held it unsteadily upon the monster. A long phosphorescent gleam of turned water suddenly shone half the length of the whale shark's back emphasizing the unbelievable.

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"Stay down there a while," Dick said.

"You can't kill it?"

"You can't kill that thing."

The searchlight found the boat again. It was rising and falling idly, and its bow presently lay bound with wet cordage in a fo'c'sle bunk. One of his brother Kanakas had bashed him over the head with an oar, as the Kanakas hauled the slack boat of Hokano over the transom.

**CHAPTER XII**

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Tonga Dick Wayne had been right in sending a Kanaka crew in the boat to up Hokano; the maximum of South Sea sailors was true—that no one knew how to handle a Kanaka except a Kanaka. Hokano asked though he looked, had his knife slung about his neck by a senet cord, and he would have slashed at the wrist tendons of anyone who laid hands on him from the boat while he was conscious. After one of them had knocked him out with an oar, and another had stepped the sinking of the inert turn.

It would have been weird watching for anyone to see those simple casual maneuvers—the Kanaka boys standing with easy, natural balance in the reeling little boat on the swells of the sea, letting the dinghy stand on the heel of her scant hull while they dragged Hokano in, without any one of them ever losing his superb balance, and never shipping a quart of water. Nobody not a Kanaka could ever understand the easy affinity of that amphibious people to the sea, searching in small boat, or a canoe, or a floating stick, as easily as a hote walks on asphalt pavement, or handles his knife and fork.

Bound with cords that cut too deep even to sleep, Hokano lay in a fo'c'sle bunk, awake and impassive. At Dick Wayne's bed, lay the girl Hokano had tried to kill, fighting for her life; the intense native vitality never held out to her, she lived avidly, regardless of how little Lilia herself cared whether she lived or died.

Karen Waterston sat beside Lilia, and Inyashi and the Chinese mess boy hovered behind Karen, useful chiefly to hold Lilia down when she could no longer be controlled. Lilia was not out of her head entirely; she babbled unceasingly in the Hawaiian tongue. "Dick went away, unable to answer any more; Lilia was talking as if her heart would break and kill her if her wound did not."

He went on deck and stood at the stern, surveying to a sea he did not feel. The Hokoi when full out had always had the character of a crazed

animal, able to drive across the surface of the sea like a thing possessed; knocking the swells into spume, but it returned to Dick now that she walloped like a slug, getting no place. His whole soul was trying to jerk the logical out of the clinging of the sea. He would have liked to lift her and throw her through space, and bring her against the beach of Alakoa like the thrust of a knife.

He was standing there, watching what seemed to him the slip-like process of the straining Hokoi, when Karen came to his side.

"I'm sorry," Karen said, "I'm terribly sorry, Dick. You've seen a thing which I have never seen."

Dick said in a muffled way, "You don't know what you're saying. How do you know?"

"Dick," Karen said, "I should never have come into the Pacific—above all, I should never have come to Alakoa. I bring nobody anything but sorrow, and trouble, and death."

"Yes," said Dick brutally.

"I think," Karen said, "if it hadn't been for this mongrel girl, I would have been all right. We're an awfully long way apart, I guess; but—except for her—I think you and I would have got on."

Dick Wayne's elbows rested on the rail. The Hokoi was throwing everything she had into kicking the sea behind her, and the white bill of her wake stretched up with that failed only with night vision; but Tonga Dick was looking at something beyond its utmost reach. He spoke thickly, with an unaccustomed incoherence.

"That girl knew what it was to love something," he said.

It required a conscious effort of Karen's mind to look what girl he was ready for what he said next, even before he said it. "Without demanding anything, without ever any questions or any terms. None of this everlasting doubt, and wavering, and indecision. Once and for all, she gave everything she had, and asked for nothing."

"I suppose, you mean," Karen said, "that this half caste girl, this cousin of mine, as you say—"

"It matters a lot to you, doesn't it? Dick said bitterly, "exactly who this girl is? I would rather ask a woman what she thinks—and feels, than who she is."

"Karen," Dick answered, "if ever any woman has ever asked herself if she loves a man, the answer is 'No.'"

The stubborn silence that fell between them then was broken—very gratefully for them both—by the impetuous projection of Inyashi between them. It always seemed that whatever Inyashi did was high-pressed, and sudden.

"Captain Dick, a vessel is coming in; she's three points off the quarter, now. I think it may be the boat you look for. Hard to tell yet, from just the lights."

The two at the aft rail, swinging their eyes to the left, could now see on the horizon a speck of light that showed widening in the rise and fall of the sea—the high running lights of a ship quartering in the night.

"All right," Dick said. "When we've anchored, I'll go out and pilot her in."

When Inyashi had moved away, Dick and Karen stood silent for a little while. When Karen spoke it was apparent that she was steeper, better poised than she had been.

"Can't you be fair to me?" she said. "Can't you be honest? If you and I can't be frank and honest with each other, who in the world can?"

"Honest?"

"You haven't always been honest with me, Dick. If you had told me at the first that Garrett Waterston was alive—"

"More honest, I think, than you with me, Karen."

"I can't imagine what you mean."

"Yes, we've played your hand alone, or else John Colt, never with me. I've pretended you in situations that you tried to conceal from me altogether."

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