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HENRY DE H. MOORMAN APPOINTED CAPTAIN 30,000 CAMPAIGN

For Breckinridge County. 235
Boys of This Community Sign
By Mark. Lieutenants.

Breckinridge News,
Cloverport, Ky.

Dear Editor: Those in authority have designated me Captain of the Thirty Thousand Campaign in Breckinridge county. I feel deeply the responsibility and importance of this duty, and deem it an honor and pleasure to assent to one of Kentucky's most worthy and unselfish women, Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, and her associates, in this timely, patriotic and humane movement. It is incumbent on our county to show its colors. I take this means of delivering the message entrusted to me.

There are Thirty Thousand (30,000) illiterate soldiers in Kentucky, men subject to service. Two Hundred and Thirty Five (235) Breckinridge county boys signed their registration by mark. Think of it. Only fifteen of them were colored. This means that these boys may be taken to France without possessing the ability to read or write. Mothers and fathers, citizens, in the name of those who commissioned me, I ask you to reflect and endeavor to realize the position of a brave Kentucky boy over there, doing the fighting for you and yours, possibly sick or wounded and maybe death or distress at home yet unable to console his own mother by a letter or to break the horror and monotony of hospital or trench life by reading a message from sweetheart or home, or even a newspaper or magazine. Blessed as we are today, does not our country owe these boys something? Do we not owe it to our country? Besides, give them this pleasure and aid in wartime and it will become an asset to society in the peace that follows.

It has been carefully estimated that one (\$1.00) Dollar each will furnish the equipment, and the teaching is free, thanks to those behind the plans. I directed to designate one man in each precinct as Lieutenant. The person so designated may name as many assistants, men and women, as he chooses in his squad. The squad will solicit funds, after familiarizing the communities with the purpose and plans, and the campaign then end with a drive on Saturday, August 11th. On Monday the Lieutenants will report promptly to me. In addition to the Lieutenant named in each precinct, I authorize the Breckinridge News, Record Press, Bank of Hardinsburg and Trust Co., Farmers Bank, Breckinridge-Bank of Cloverport, First State Bank and E. H. Shellman & Co., to solicit and receive subscriptions, and contributions are not limited and may be made directly to me. A list of those who contributed to this most worthy purpose will be furnished to each county paper. The State and District Commander, Mrs. Stewart and Hon. H. A. Sommers, urge prompt action and reports on account short time allotted.

I am, earnestly and sincerely,
H. De H. Moorman,
Hardinsburg, Aug. 6th.

LIEUTENANTS APPOINTED
Hardinsburg No. 1 J. W. Trent
Hardinsburg No. 2 M. D. Beard
Hardinsburg No. 3 W. S. Ball
Hardinsburg No. 4 T. J. Hook
Mattingly J. W. Newman
Cloverport No. 1 Charles Lightfoot
Cloverport No. 2 Leonard Oelze
Cloverport No. 3 Raleigh Meador
Webster Charles Claycomb
Mooleyville Dr. D. S. Sphire
Big Spring John Morris
Custer Mrs. Lina K. Penick
Hudsonville Chintz Royalty
Glen Dean E. L. Robertson
Stephensport W. J. Schopp
Union Star Dr. Wm. Milner
Irvington W. J. Piggott
Bewleyville Chas. Blanford
Mook Homer Pile
McDaniels Frank Rhodes
Rockvale L. C. Harl

Box Party at Boat Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kendall, of Irvington, motored to Brandenburg, Friday evening and gave a box party at Emerson's Boat Show in honor of their guest, Mrs. M. H. Taylor, of Hodgenville. The party included Mrs. M. H. Taylor, Dr. W. B. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kendall.

Buying Oolite Stone.

The following prominent farmers, of Daviess county, were in Irvington last week investigating Oolite ground stone for fertilizers. They expect to use large quantities of Oolite this fall in sowing wheat. They are an intelligent set of men, all members of Farmers' Clubs, and up to date farmers. They were well pleased with Oolite, some of them having tried it out and got good results. Their names were: S. R. Ewing, member of Daviess county Farm Bureau; J. P. Caham, President of Farmers Club, of Curdsville; L. H. Higdon, President of Farmers Club, Knottsville; Bert Haley, President of Farmers Club, of Utica, and J. W. Whitehouse, County Agent of Daviess county.

In Justice to Mr. Hiram Phelps.

In the issue of the Breckinridge News of August the 1st, 1917, there appeared a reference to Mr. Hiram Phelps, Hardinsburg, Kentucky, which this paper has learned was an error. The head line of said article mentioned forging checks. The body of the clipping then printed from The Louisville Herald showed that the accusation was uttering of a worthless check. The heading was an error. The Breckinridge News is informed that Mr. Phelps simply over-drew his account, as often happens, and it desires to set itself right and to say that the mistake was made with no malice and no intention of injuring or doing an injustice to Mr. Phelps, but only as a news article, and this is the reason the News makes this statement.

Credit to Breckinridge Boys.

Wilmette, Ill. Aug. 1-17.
The Breckinridge News,
Cloverport, Ky.

Gentlemen—Will you please change my address from, care Swift Canadian Company, Calgary, Alta. to the following: No. 1014 Oakwood Ave. Wilmette, Ill.

Have been appointed traveling auditor for Swift & Company, Chicago, and desire the News to keep posted on events in my own home locality, might also state I am still trying to get a credit to the numerous boys of young men that have left Old Breckinridge in the past. With best wishes, I beg to remain, Yours Respectfully,
G. S. Hook.

Navy Officer Will Live Here.

The Breckinridge News is in receipt of a splendid camera picture of Mr. Roscoe Eller which was taken on board Torpedo Boat Destroyer, U. S. S. Cassin "somewhere" in Europe about July 1.
He is Chief Quarter master of the United States Navy. He is a native of Salisbury, N. C. After his enlistment expires, which is only 15 months more, he and Mrs. Eller expect to make their home in Cloverport, where they own property. Mrs. Eller is now living at 1418 Snyder Ave., Philadelphia.

Young Man Dies of Tuberculosis.

Herbert Moorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Moorman, died at the home of his parents, Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. He had been seriously ill for several months with tuberculosis, which was the cause of his death.

The funeral was held from the family residence Monday morning. In the absence of Rev. M. L. Dyer, pastor of the Methodist Church, Mr. John Burn conducted the services. The interment took place in the Cloverport cemetery.

Mr. Moorman is survived by his parents, six sisters, Misses Monnie, Vera, Jessie Lee, Mary Lee, Ruby and Frances; one brother, Forrest Moorman.

Visitors From South and West.

Mrs. J. H. Conley and baby daughter, Miss Hensley Henderson Conley, of Augusta, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Conley's sister, Mrs. Nora Board, of Irvington.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robbins and daughter, Miss Paul Robbins, of Rocky Ford, Colo., are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Osborne, who live near Basin Springs, Ky.

Revival at Walnut Grove Church

The Rev. B. F. Hagan and the Rev. J. B. Hutcherson will begin a revival at Walnut Grove church, in Breckinridge county this week.—La Rue County Herald.

Results of Primary Election in Breckinridge.

PRECINCTS	DEMOCRATIC TICKET.					REPUBLICAN TICKET.													
	Senator	Jailor	Rep.	Judge	Supt.	Jailor	Rep.	Judge	Supt.										
Hardinsburg No. 1	9	4	38	11	12	17	19	24	28	33									
Hardinsburg No. 2	4	3	38	11	12	17	19	24	28	33									
Hardinsburg No. 3	4	3	38	11	12	17	19	24	28	33									
Hardinsburg No. 4	4	3	38	11	12	17	19	24	28	33									
Balltown	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Cloverport No. 1	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Cloverport No. 2	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Cloverport No. 3	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Stephensport	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Union Star	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Mooleyville	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Webster	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Bewleyville	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Big Spring	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Custer	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Hudson	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Mook	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
McDaniels	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Rockvale	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Glen Dean	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11									
Totals	152	148	95	64	214	304	481	434	410	603	601	387	383	503	503	202	142	71	628

Successful candidate for Senator, H. H. Harrington; Jailor, Tice Hendrick; Representative, Roy J. Cain; Judge, S. B. Payne; Supt. Schools, J. Raleigh Meador; Jailor, Abe Meador.

Breckinridge County Institute.

Breckinridge County Teachers Institute, which is in session at Hardinsburg, opened Monday at 10 a. m., with 110 teachers enrolled. Rev. Robt. Johnson offered the opening prayer and Mrs. Henry Trent had the music in charge. Miss Mabel Howard was appointed secretary for the meeting. Instructor, Prof. Charles Evans, of Oklahoma, gave a general discussion of school work.

The institute will convene five days, during that time Supt. Trent will pay \$4,791.54 to the teachers who are in attendance, this being their salaries for the eighth month.

Exemption Board Ready.

The exemption board for Breckinridge county organized Monday. The board consists of Sheriff, A. T. Beard, Dr. Sphire, and Lee Walls. They are sending out notices this week to the first of the four hundred drafted men, who are likely to be called for examination. The board will have the examining room in Judge Dowell's office, at the Court House, Hardinsburg.

Getting Good Results.

Mr. Bailes, the new manager for the Golden Rule Store, says he is well pleased with his sales so far and that he is getting good results from his advertising in the Breckinridge News. The sales, he says, are far beyond what he expected. Mr. Bailes is a live manager, a good salesman and a fine man. You can depend on what he tells you. And if it is not as he tells you he will make it good. The sale is still going on and there are many bargains yet to be had. Don't delay if you want them.

A Hustler.

Frank English is a hustling, working young farmer. He believes in good stock and is raising the high-grade kind. Last week he shipped a car load of cattle, hogs and lambs and got the top of the market. He has a fine crop of Corn and is planning to put in a big crop of wheat.

Good Crops.

Wick DeHaven reports a good crop on his farm near town. He has 85 acres in corn, 14 acres in tobacco, 10 acres in oats and 6 acres of oats for feed, one and a half acres in Navy beans. He says it is all 90 per cent. good.

FINDS PICTURE WRITINGS.

Ranchman Wandered into Canyon Looking For Lost Cow.

Las Cruces, N. M.—J. L. Ford, a ranchman of the Pecos neighborhood on the west side of the Rio Grande, near this city, reports what may be an important archaeological find.

In hunting for a lost cow he was led into a deep canyon, where his attention was attracted by picture writing on the canyon walls. These were done in a yellow pigment and were apparently very old. They represented a lightning bolt, deer and spearheads.

Several mortars were also found. In two of which the pestles still remained. This canyon is near the cave from which several years ago Dan Reid of this place took the mummified remains of a man, supposedly that of an Indian, with an arrow protruding from his chest.

Coal Shortage Delays Traffic.
Berne, Switzerland, July 30.—In consequence of the increasing coal shortage the Swiss government has decided upon a considerable restriction of railroad and steamship traffic of all kinds.

PHOTOGRAPHS ON WOOD.

An Easy Method by Which the Prints May Be Transferred.

A method of transferring pictures to wood is given in the Electrical Experimenter by V. C. McVaine, as follows: Dissolve salt in soft water, float your photo print on the surface picture side up; let it remain about an hour. The wood should be of birdseye maple or other light colored hardwood, which should be varnished with the best copal or transfer varnish.

Take the picture from the water, dry a little between linen rags; then put the engraving, picture side down, on the varnished wood and smooth it nicely. If the picture entirely covers the wood after the margin is cut off so that no varnish is exposed lay over it a thin board and heavy weight; leave it thus over night. If you wish but a small picture in the center of the wood apply the varnish only to a space the size of the picture.

When ready to complete your work the next day dip your forefinger in salt and water and commence rubbing off the paper. The nearer you come to the picture the more careful you must be, as a hole would spoil your work.

The First American Play.

Harvard college produced the first American playwright in Royall Tyler, a graduate of 1776. His comedy, "The Contrast," was the first original play acted in this country, and it was produced at the old John Street theater in New York. The first subscriber was George Washington, then president of the United States. The country Jonathan in "The Contrast," on a visit to town drops into the theater with the expectation of seeing "a locus poens man" and sits out a performance of "The School for Scandal" without any notion that he has visited a playhouse. On being asked if he saw the man with his tricks, "Why, I vow," says he, "as I was looking out for him they lifted up a great green cloth and let us look right into the next neighbor's house." At the close he asks for his money as he has not had the show. "The dogs a bit of a sight have I seen unless you call listening to people's private business a sight."

Simple Government.

The rajah of Sarawak was an Englishman, Sir Charles Johnson Brooke, G. C. M. G. He was described, and with good reason, as "the most absolute autocrat on the face of the earth." He once told Queen Victoria that he found it easier to govern 30,000 Malays and Dyaks than to manage a dozen of her subjects. "There isn't a lawyer in the whole of my dominions," he once said. "There is no red tape, and not a single official letter is ever written. I have reduced government to a miracle of simplicity simply because I trust my people, and they trust me. * * * It is very easy to govern a people with twelve inch guns beside you, but when one is alone it is very different."—Christian Science Monitor.

Greatest Heroes of the Canine World.

The Belgian police dogs, on account of their ability to detect and capture criminals, and the great St. Bernards, which were famous for their rescues of travelers lost in the Alpine snows, were considered the greatest heroes of the canine world until the great world war introduced the Red Cross dogs, whose deeds of valor in front of the front line trenches saved the lives of thousands of sorely wounded.—National Geographic Magazine.

Scriptural Place Names.

England can boast that no other country possesses so many Scriptural place names as it does. The name of Jericho occurs six times on the ordinance maps, Paradise five times and Nineveh, Mount Zion, Mount Ararat and Mount Ephraim three times each. In Bedfordshire there is a Calvary wood and in Dorsetshire a Jordan hill.

Interesting Man Cause of Editor Missing Train.

Mr. Dan Dowell, of Guston, who is 83 years young, was in Irvington Saturday. He renewed his subscription to the Breckinridge News for the fortieth year.

Mr. Dowell says he is able to do nearly as much work on the farm as he ever did. He is a spry old man for his age, so jolly and entertaining that he caused the Editor to miss his train.

Wanted.

Wanted a home for an orphan farm boy 15 years old. Call or write me.
D. D. Dowell,
County Judge.

Administrators Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate of Mrs. Emma H. Skillman deceased are requested to promptly see the undersigned and adjust their obligations. All persons having claims against said estate will file same properly proven with the undersigned.

F. B. White
Administrator Mrs. Emma H. Skillman.
Cloverport, Ky.
J. P. Haswell, Attorney.
Hardinsburg, Ky.

Party at the Castle.

Mrs. Frank Mattingly entertained Tuesday evening at her home, The Castle in honor of her niece, Miss Alma Just McDonald, Dixon, Ky. Twenty-one young people were invited to meet the guest of honor. Social converse and music were enjoyed during the evening. Delicious ices and cakes were served.

Don't Hamper the Farmer.

Before a year has passed nearly a million men now engaged in productive occupations will be called to the colors in the war for humanity and decency. About a fourth of this number will probably be drawn from agricultural pursuits, cattle raising and the like. This will put a strain on our farmers, who have been urged to do everything in their power to make their lands yield their maximum possible return. Our farmers have responded nobly to the nation's call for all the food they can produce, but of what use is it to produce food supplies if they can not be delivered to market? Corn that stays in the farmers' cribs, as it was held for months during last winter in many parts of the corn belt, does nobody any good. Wheat that stays on the farms in Kansas, as it stayed last winter, helps only the rats. What is the sense of the railroads cutting ridges with the transportation system of the country, if the feeders of the railroads, our public roads to shipping points, are to be neglected so that the good work of the farmers is rendered of little avail by inability to get the stuff from the land into the cars? There are a few hysterical persons in office who seem to think that good roads are a luxury because their grandfathers did not have them. They forget that their grandfathers did not have to feed 100,000,000 American mouths, not to mention a lot of hungry ones among the 46,000,000 people of Great Britain and Ireland and the 40,000,000 of France. All grandfather had to do was to supply food for 23,000,000 persons. His ways are edifying to read about but worthless to copy now. Why hamper the farmer who is working from dawn to dusk to help win the war by making him try to haul our food supplies over roads that grandfather knew very well were wretched?—American Highway Association.

Louisville Stock Market.

Market choice lambs \$13.25 and \$13.50; seconds \$9. and \$9.75; culis \$7. and \$7.50; top sheep \$7.75 and \$8.; bucks \$6. down.
Hog market choice heavies 210 pounds and up \$16.10; 165 to 210 pounds \$15.95; 120 to 165 pounds \$15.10; pigs \$11.85 and \$13.10; roughs \$14.50 down. Calves best veal \$10.50 and 11.

Looking For a Good Farm.

R. M. Henning of Davis county who has been living on his brother's farm near Hardinsburg, is on the lookout for a good farm in this county. Mr. Henning wants to purchase a small farm, one that is improved and in good condition. He is willing to pay a reasonable price. Mrs. Henning and children have been visiting in Davis county their former home.

OFFERS HER SERVICES

Miss Gladys Simms, With Many Others, Will Shortly Sail For France as Red Cross Nurses.

Twenty-two representative Louisville nurses have joined the Good Samaritan Bae Hospital, of Lexington, which will be known as Hospital Unit 40, and which expects to be ordered to France at least by the time the next considerable body of American soldiers goes there. These are the first Louisville nurses who have joined Red Cross hospital units.

Those who have sent in their applications are: Miss Margaret Hatfield, who has taken the applications of the others; Misses Eva Semser and Mattie Turner of the Jewish Hospital; Misses Mary Meehan and Elizabeth Marshall, of the Louisville City Hospital; Mrs. Myrtle Applegate and Misses Clara Panka, Ella Hiatt and Katherine Stockamp, of the Deaconess Hospital; Miss Gladys Simms, of Waverly Hills; Misses Lora Brooks and Lula Willatt, who have just returned from St. Louis Hospitals; Miss Neil Panzy, of the Gray Street Infirmary, and Misses Maud Hayward, Marie Branham, Leah Wolf, Blanche Lillip, Edna Proctor, Susie Pannell, Maud Cottrell, Margaret Nichols and Margaret Schweitzer, of the Norton Infirmary.—Sunday's Courier-Journal.

Miss Simms is a niece of Mr. J. H. Brown, and a granddaughter of Mr. Jack Mattingly, of this city. She has been a trained nurse for several years.

Patriotic Meeting at Seelbach.

A patriotic conference held under the auspices of the State Council of Defense will meet in the Auditorium of the Seelbach Hotel, Louisville, Friday and Saturday August 17-18.

The purpose of the conference may be summed up in the war cry, "To Inform and to Arouse." A campaign of public speaking that will reach every home in the Commonwealth will be earnestly considered. The public is invited to attend.

Red Cross Notes.

Emerson's Boat Show gave the Cloverport Red Cross Society ten per cent of their net proceeds, which amounted to \$15. The money will be used in the general fund.

At the regular meeting, Friday afternoon, twenty-six women were present and they made 50 tray covers naming them by hand. Some of the women are knitting wash cloths. All of the work has to be sent to Washington headquarters for inspection before it is accepted.

Irvington has organized a society of forty-five members and will be known as the "Irvington Breckinridge County Kentucky Chapter of the Red Cross." Cloverport Society has one hundred and fifty members.

The Chairman urges that as many women as possibly can, come to the sewings on Tuesdays and Fridays. Electric fans have been installed at the headquarters and they are kept running during these hot days while the women sew.

New Styles in Paris.

The result of the first showing at the dressmakers' openings for fall, as cabled from Paris to the Dry Goods Economist are: "Martial & Armand feature three piece costumes. The jackets are long, semi fitted and fur trimmed and include belted and vest effects. The collars are in muffer form. There is a marked absence of pockets.

"The lines are generally long, with the large waist and with the waistline placed at the low or at the normal. The house in question shows many dresses in tunic, bolero and redingote styles. The skirts are usually scant and short and are made with a full panel or with long loop draperies.

"The materials include heavy fibre silk jersey, wool jersey, duvetyne, satin and velvet. The prominent colors are of subdued cast. Much representation is given to old blue and other shades or blue particularly French blue, in addition to greens, purples and browns. Fuchsia pink is prominent in satin and velvet for evening gowns."—New York Sun.

The Boss Wheat Crop.

Tom Beard has again demonstrated that he knows his business. He threshed over two thousand bushels of wheat, the banner crop of the county.